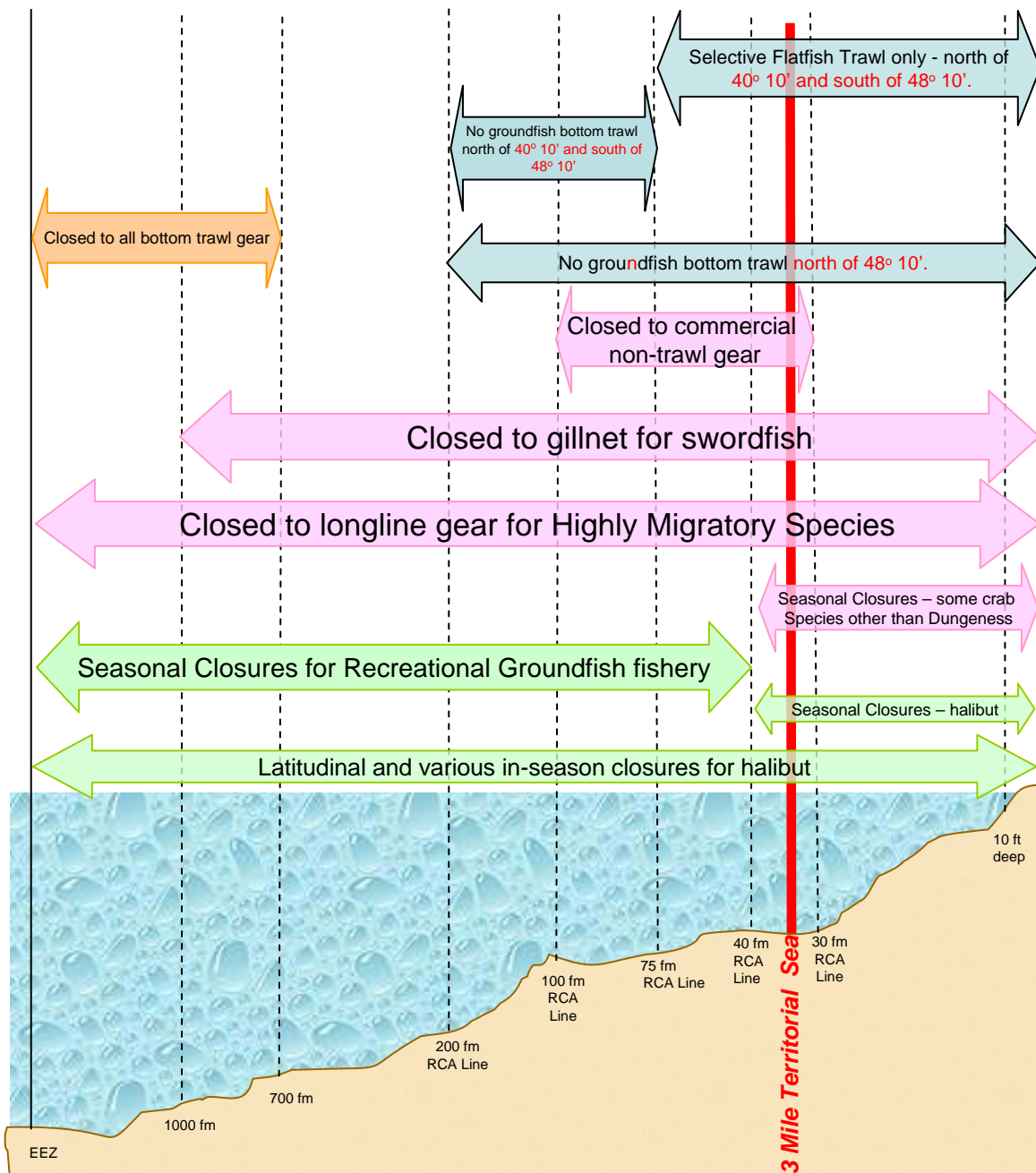


AREA - BASED FISHING REGULATIONS*

EEZ
WESTERN
BOUNDARY

SHORE



2008 Commercial Groundfish Bottom Trawl

Rockfish Conservation Areas (RCA)

- **Shore - RCA 75; between 40° 10' and 48° 10':** Selective Flatfish Trawl Only.
- **RCA 75 - RCA 200; between 40° 10' and 48° 10':** Closed to groundfish bottom trawl gear. Slight RCA adjustments from Nov. - Feb.; **major adjustments May - June.**
- **Shore - RCA 200; Sept - April; north 48° 10':** Closed to groundfish bottom trawl gear.
- **Shore - RCA 150; May - August; north 48° 10':** Closed to groundfish bottom trawl gear.
- *Some RCA's may not be included here.*

Essential Fish Habitat (EFH) Conservation Areas

- **700 fm to western boundary of EEZ:** Closed to all bottom trawl.
- **Nine rocky banks:** Closed to all bottom trawl (*not in diagram*)
- **Seamounts:** Closed to all bottom contact gear (*not in diagram*)

Commercial Non-Trawl Spatial Regulations

- **Shore - RCA 40 fm:** seasonal closure for some crab species other than Dungeness.
- **RCA 30 - 100, 30 - 125, 20 - 100, or shoreline - 100:** closed to commercial non-trawl gear (longline, pot, jig, etc.)
- **Shore - 1,000 fm:** closed to gillnet for swordfish.
- **1,000 fm - 75 nm:** Additional seasonal closure to gillnet for swordfish (*not in diagram*).
- **Shore - 129°W longitude, south of 45°N latitude:** seasonal closure to drift gillnet for all species (*not in diagram*).
- **Entire EEZ:** closed to Highly Migratory Species longline gear.

• *Regulations not represented for non-trawl commercial black rockfish and commercial salmon fisheries. Some RCAs are not included.*

Recreational Bottomfish Spatial Regulations

- **RCA 40 fm - EEZ:** seasonal closures for groundfish
- **Shore - RCA 40 fm:** latitude and seasonal closure for halibut.
- **Shore - EEZ:** latitude and various in-season closures for halibut.
- **Yelloweye RCA:** always closed to groundfish and halibut (*not in diagram*).

• *Regulations not represented for recreational salmon fishery*

Nearshore and Shoreline State-Designated Spatial Regulations for Shellfish and Invertebrates (*not presented in diagram*)

- **Marine Gardens:** Closed to commercial, recreational and scientific take of marine invertebrates and shellfish.
- **Habitat Refuge (Whale Cove):** Closed to harvest of fish, invertebrates and shellfish.
- **Subtidal Research Reserve:** Closed to commercial and recreational harvest of marine invertebrates and shellfish. Scientific collection allowed by permit.
- **Intertidal Research Reserve:** Closed to commercial and recreational harvest of marine invertebrates and shellfish. Some edible shellfish species allowed for recreation. Scientific collection allowed by permit.
- **Clatsop Co. beaches (n. of Tillamook Head):** seasonally closed to commercial and recreational razor clam harvest.
- **State Park Beaches (s. of Tillamook Head):** closed to commercial clam harvest.
- **Shore - 10 feet water depth:** closed to commercial urchin harvest.
- **Orford Reef:** Seasonal closure to commercial urchin harvest.
- **Pyramid Rock (Rogue Reef):** Seasonal closure to commercial and recreational harvest of fish, shellfish, and invertebrates within 1,000 ft. of Rock.
- **Rogue River Mouth -** Closed within a 1 mile radius to commercial fish harvest
- **Three Arch Rocks National Wildlife Refuge:** seasonally closed to boats within 500ft.

* This diagram portrays some area-based fishery regulations as of March 2008. Explanation of regulations may be simplified for graphical representation. Not all regulations are included in diagram. RCA's are valid until May 2008. Fishery regulations are subject to change throughout the year. This diagram is not an official reference for current fishery regulations.