



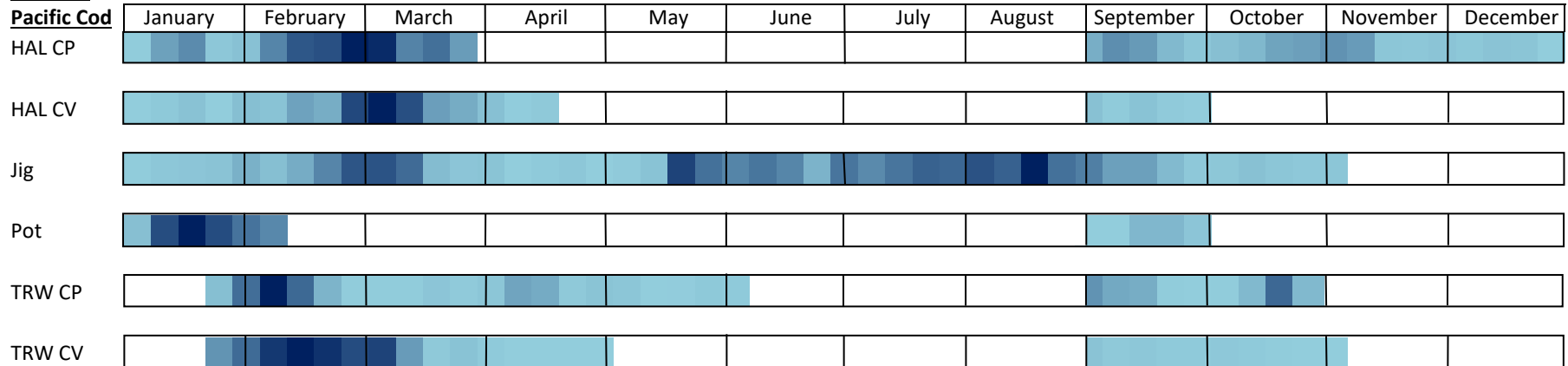
# Gulf of Alaska Groundfish Commercial Harvest Timing

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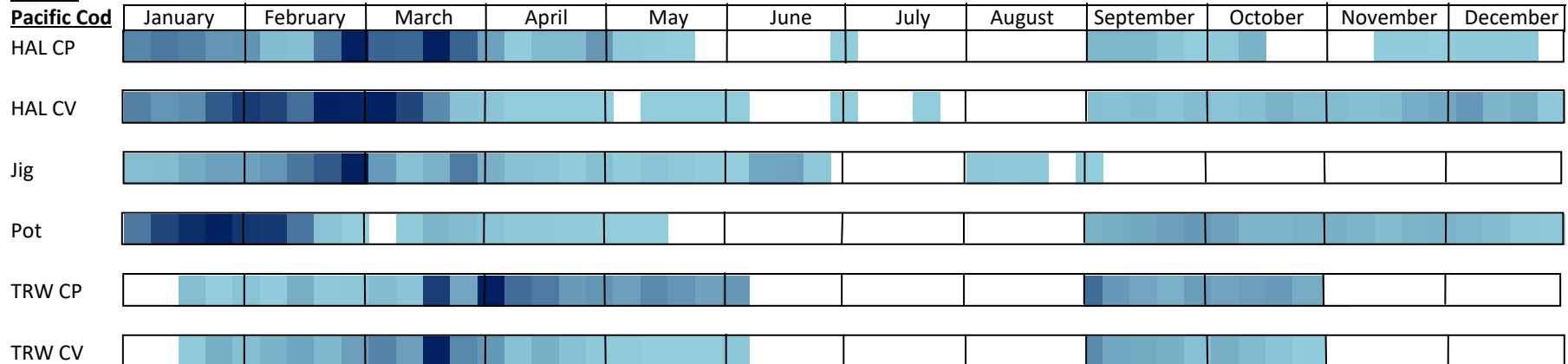
This summary is intended as a general guide only and is non-binding. Fisheries are subject to closures during the fishing season. For more information, visit the [NOAA In-Season Management Information Bulletins](#) and [State of AK Commercial Fisheries Announcements](#).



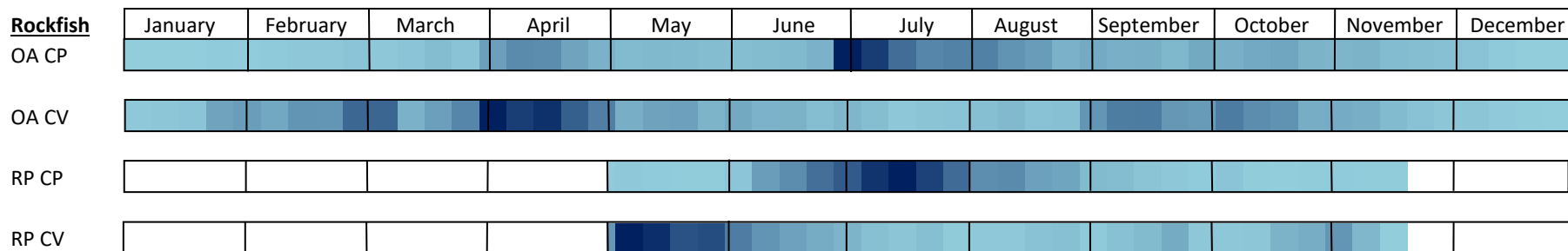
## Western



## Central



Pacific cod fisheries are closed based on in-season activity. Note that the federal fishery was closed for the 2020 season.

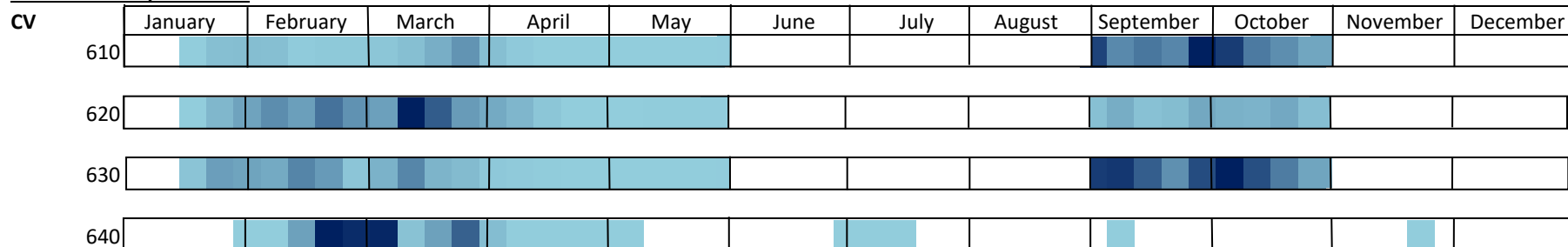


Pursuant to federal regulations, the Rockfish Program (RP) fishery is open May 1-November 15.

Eastern GOA OA rockfish fisheries are opened and closed pursuant to regulations specific for different species and management areas or by emergency order.

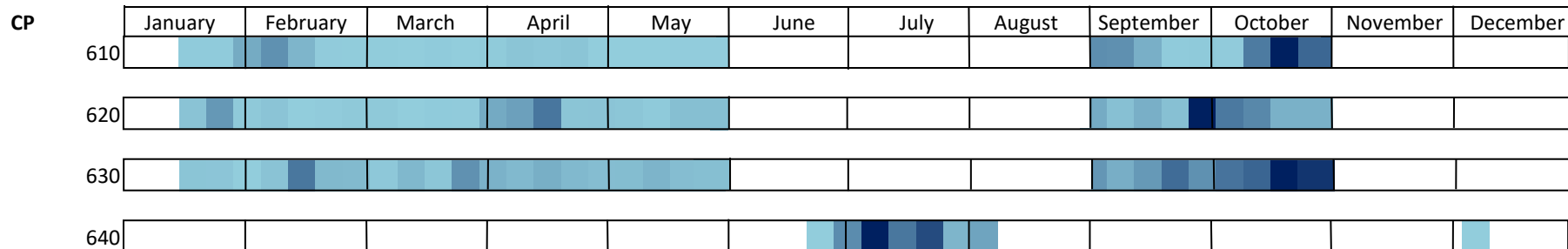
The OA DSR fishery is closed when the commercial halibut season is open.

### GOA Pollock Open Access



Pursuant to GOA Amendment 109 (2020), the pollock A season runs Jan. 20-May 31 A season, and B season runs Sept. 1-Nov. 1 for 610, 620, and 630.

Area 640 is open year-round.



Note that pollock is only open for directed fishing for the inshore component (primarily CVs). CP pollock represents incidental catch.



#### Abbreviations:

GOA - Gulf of Alaska

HAL - Hook and Line

TRW - Trawl

CV - Catcher Vessel

CP - Catcher Processor

OA - Open Access

RP - Rockfish Program

DSR - Demersal Shelf Rockfish

(Scale bars are for in-sector comparison and do not represent exact landings numbers.)

Harvest includes directed fishing and incidental catch. Data comes from averages of 2012-2020 landings information.)