The 2020 Alaska salmon harvest passed two important thresholds last week: 50 million pinks landed, and 100 million salmon landed, including all species. While improved harvest has lifted pink volume, weak keta and coho landings persist.

Nearly 220,000 sockeye were landed last week with 90% of the total coming from Kodiak and the AK Peninsula & Aleutian Island region.

Last week’s addition of about 4.5 million fish pushed the year’s total to 52 million pinks. This brings the current season 35% and 44% ahead of 2018 and 2016, respectively. About three-quarters of pinks harvested statewide have come from PWS and Kodiak. PWS has achieved 66% of its harvest projection and Kodiak has exceeded its projection by 55%. Although the Cook Inlet pink harvest has been stronger than 2018, the region lags harvest expectations by about 20%. Southeast has reached 44% of its projected harvest.

The YTD harvest of 5.2 million keta is about 12 million fish (69%) behind the 5-year average. Roughly a quarter of the 2020 projected harvest has been reached.

While the coho harvest is about 60% behind the 5-year average, last week’s harvest of nearly 200,000 fish was the strongest weekly harvest of the season. Harvest of the species typically occurs for at least another six weeks. Statewide Spring and Summer Chinook landings of 166,000 fish are 35% behind last year. Most of the remaining harvest this year will come from Southeast, currently 14% behind 2019.

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## Salmon Harvest by Statistical Week, 2020

(Thousands of Fish per Week)

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- **Salmon Harvest by Statistical Week, 2020**
  - **All Species**
  - **Sockeye**
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*Last year uses 2018 pink salmon instead of 2019 (most recent even-year).*

Source: Alaska Department of Fish & Game.