## Provision of Scientific data to the WCPFC

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ENTITY	GEAR	DATA TYPE	YEARS FROM TO	STATUS	See NOTES following
	GEAR				
CHINA	Longline (DWFN)	Annual catch estimates	1950 - 2001	Fleet INACTIVE in WCP-CA	
	Longine (Dwrw)	Annual catch estimates	2002 - 2011	PROVIDED and OK	
		Aggregated catch/effort data	1950 - 2002	Fleet INACTIVE in WCP-CA	
			2003 - 2007	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(1), (3), (5), (16), (18), (18), (22)
			2003 - 2007	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(16)
			2010 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(16)
		Operational data (logsheet)	2003 - 2011	COLLECTION status unknown	(10)
		Size data	2003 - 2011	COLLECTION status unknown	
			2002 - 2008	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(10)
			2010 - 2010	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(10)
			2010 - 2010	COLLECTED - not yet available	
	Longling (Offshore)	Annual catch estimates	1950 - 1987		
	Longline (Offshore)	Annual Catch estimates		Fleet INACTIVE in WCP-CA	
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		Aggregated catch/effort data	1988 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(23)
		Operational data (logsheet)	1988 - 2011	COLLECTED - not yet available	
		Size data	1988 - 1990	COLLECTION status unknown	
			1991 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(11)
	Purse seine	Annual catch estimates	1950 - 2000	Fleet INACTIVE in WCP-CA	
			2001 - 2011	PROVIDED and OK	
		Aggregated catch/effort data	2001 - 2002	COLLECTED - not yet available	
			2003 - 2006	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(3), (10), (12), (13), (19)
			2007 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(10), (12), (23)
		Operational data (logsheet)	2001 - 2011	COLLECTED - not yet available	
		Size data	2001 - 2001	COLLECTION status unknown	
			2002 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(11)

## Notes on AGGREGATE CATCH/EFFORT DATA

1	Data cover the WCPO only (the Pacific Ocean west of 150°W)
3	Data have not been "raised" to represent total catch and effort
5	The catch data are in units of weight (kgs or metric tonnes) only, rather than both numbers of fish and weight.

10	The purse-seine catch/effort data are not stratified by school association
12	No effort data provided
13	The data are aggregated by 5°x5° instead of 1°x1° ([PURSE SEINE]
16	The 5°x5°/month Longline catch and effort data are not stratified by "Hooks between Floats"
18	No breakdown of Billfish species catch provided
19	The estimation of bigeye in the reported yellowfin-plus-bigeye catch has not been undertaken in these data
22	Species composition of main tuna species catch does not correspond to annual catch estimates
23	Aggregate data were not provided by the flag state, or the aggregate data provided by the flag state were not appropriate for use in stock assessments. However, aggregate data have been generated from operational data made available to the SPC by Pacific Island countries/territories members

## Notes on SIZE DATA

1	Length intervals are 2 centimetres
10	Length intervals are 5 centimetres
11	Includes collection of size data by Coastal States (Pacific-Island countries/territories) where this fleet operates and/or unloads catch