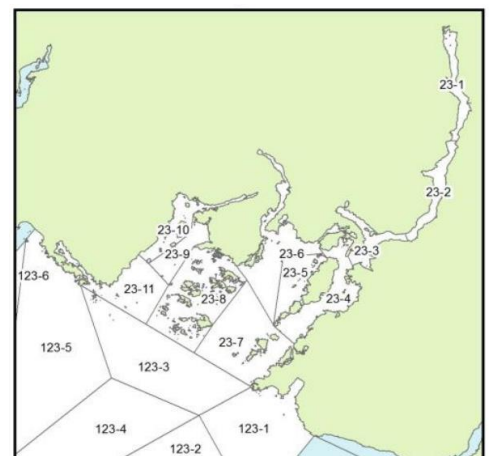




Areas 23 and 123 Barkley Sound and Alberni Inlet 2021 Coho openings and other closures



Area 23 and 123	
Date	Regulation
Jan 1 – May 31	Coho non-retention
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2 Coho per day, unless specified below
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2 Coho per day, hatchery marked only
Jun 1 – Jul 31	2 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked
Aug 1 – Dec 31	4 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked
Jun 30 – Oct 31	Finfish closure
Aug 1 – Sep 30	Finfish closure
May 1 – Sept 30	Finfish closure – Papermill Dam pool, see description below.
Jul 24 – Sep 30	Finfish closure – tidal portion of the Somass River, see description below.
When open	Hook restriction: only a single barbless hook may be used
When open	Nighttime closure in effect 22:00-05:00
All year	Finfish closure – Rockfish Conservation Area (RCA)
Area 21, 121, 22, 24, 124	Refer to Area 21, 121, 22, 24, 124 public notices





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Date	Daily limit	Coho length restriction and special management measures	Location
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2	2 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked	Area 23 with the exception of the following:
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2	2 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked	Subareas 23-4 to 23-11
Jun 1 – Dec 31	2	2 Coho per day, hatchery marked only	Area 123
Aug 1 – Dec 31	4	4 Coho per day, 1 of which may be unmarked	Subareas 23-1 to 23-3 except in waters within the finfish closures described below.
Aug 1 – Sep 30	0	Finfish closure	<p>Numukamis Bay - that portion of sub-area 23-4 inside a line from a boundary sign on the eastern shore near the entrance to Poett Nook harbour to San Jose Islets light then to a boundary sign on Vancouver Island 0.3 nm east of the southern tip of Congreve Island.</p> <p>San Mateo Bay - that portion of 23-3 north east of a line between a boundary sign at Mutine Point and the Chup Point light to a line drawn between Star Point and a boundary sign near the mouth of Handy Creek.</p> <p>Nahmint Bay - that portion of 23-2 north of a line between a boundary sign near Chesnucknuw Creek west to a boundary sign on the opposite shore and southwest of a line drawn from Hocking Point 127° true to a boundary sign on the opposite shore</p> <p>Toquart Bay - that portion of 23-10 shoreward of a line beginning at a point on the Vancouver Island shoreline located at 49°01.170'N, 125°21.497'W then to the southern tip of Snowden Island then across to the southern tip of Refuge Island then ending at a point on the Vancouver Island shoreline located at 49°01.691'N, 125°18.624'W.</p>
Jun 30 – Oct 31	0	Finfish closure	Uchucklesit Inlet - that portion of 23-3 northwest of a line between boundary signs at Brooksby Point and Burrough Point.
May 1 - Sept 30	0	Finfish closure	Paper Mill Dam Pool remains closed to angling for all finfish (closed). It includes that portion of 23-1 in the Somass River from signs located near the bottom of the rapids immediately north of Papermill Dam Pool, then downstream to boundary signs located on both sides of the Somass River approximately 60 metres downstream from the northern tip of the unnamed island directly below Paper Mill Dam Pool.
Jul 24 – Sep 30	0	Finfish closure	Tidal portion of Somass River: that portion of 23-1 (Port Alberni harbour boundary and lower Somass River) from a line drawn from the boundary sign at 49°14.19N and 124°50.23 to the southern tip of Hoik Island then to the flashing green light designating the river channel then to a boundary sign on the opposite shore upstream to boundary signs located above the rapids at Paper Mill Dam, except for the following area which remains closed:
When open		Hook restriction: only a single barbless hook may be used	
When open	0	Night time closure	22:00-05:00 daily
Apr 1 – Mar 31	0	Finfish closure – Rockfish Conservation Area (RCA)	<p>Area RCA's: Broken Islands Group; Folger Passage</p> <p>Details can be found at: http://dev-public.rhq.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/fm-gp/maps-cartes/rca-acis/index-eng.html</p>