

Project Title: Fishing Technology and Conservation Engineering to Reduce Bycatch

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- Industry ride along on the F/T Pacific Glacier (out of Dutch Harbor): used underwater camera's to look at a halibut excluder for the pollock fishery
- Industry ride along on the F/V Marathon (out of Astoria OR): used underwater camera's to look at a salmon excluder in the hake (whiting) fishery
- Loaned underwater camera's to the F/T Starbound so they could work on their salmon excluder for the pollock fishery
- Contracted with Alaska Groundfish Databank to collect video of different excluder devices being used in the GOA demersal trawl fishery
- CE will have its annual 10 day research cruise in Sept. We will be working with two different gear manufacturer's to test halibut excluders for the pollock fishery and the head and gut (Amendment 80) fleet.