Provision of Scientific data to the WCPFC

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			YEARS		
ENTITY	GEAR	DATA TYPE	FROM TO	STATUS	See NOTES following
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	Longline	Annual catch estimates	1950 - 1981	Fleet INACTIVE in WCP-CA	
			1982 - 1995	PROVIDED and OK	
			1996 - 2000	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(14)
			2001 - 2011	PROVIDED and OK	
		Aggregated catch/effort data	1982 - 2000	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(4), (23)
			2001 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	(21)
		Operational data (logsheet)	1982 - 1989	COLLECTION status unknown	
			1990 - 1992	PROVIDED and OK	
			1993 - 2000	PROVIDED and OK	(6)
			2001 - 2011	PROVIDED and OK	
		Size data	1982 - 1994	COLLECTION status unknown	
			1995 - 2011	PROVIDED but check NOTES	

Notes on ANNUAL CATCH ESTIMATES

14	Broad estimates provided in the absence of any reliable information

Notes on AGGREGATE CATCH/EFFORT DATA

4	Coverage of data provided is less than 50%
21	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 annual catch estimates and/or operational data made available by Coastal States (Pacific-Island Countries/Territories) to the WCPFC
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 OPERATIONAL DATA

6	Coverage of data provided is less than 50%