

**COLUMBIA RIVER FALL CHINOOK
2013 PRELIMINARY RETURNS AND
OUTLOOK FOR 2014**

- Total fall Chinook returns to the Columbia River in 2013 were predicted to be 677,900 adults. Actual total returns exceeded 1.2 million Chinook.
- All stocks appear to have exceeded expectations except the BUB which came in as predicted.
- Both bright and tule stock jack returns were above average.

2014 Outlook

- Bright stocks should be strong – above average and similar to 2013.
- Tule stocks appear to be less than average, but improving.
- Total return may be similar to 2013 actual returns.

Columbia River Coho

- 2013 return less than predicted.
- Jack returns were much improved over the last few years.

LRH – Lower River Hatchery stock
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BPH – Bonneville Pool Hatchery stock
URB – Upriver Bright stock
MCB – Mid-Columbia Bright stock
BUB – Bonneville Bright stock

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