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United States commercial king crab catch in the eastern Bering Sea west
 of longitude 160°00' west and seaward of the United States territorial
 sea by degree of longitude and month, for 1968.¹

| West longi- tude | Month | Boats (Number) | Landings (Number) | Crabs (Number) | Pounds landed | Average weight (Pounds) |
|------------------------|--------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 162-163 | May | 1 | 1 | 5,085 | 29,130 | 5.7 |
| | Total | | 1 | 5,085 | 29,130 | 5.7 |
| 163-164 | March | 1 | 1 | 6,496 | 50,865 | 7.8 |
| | July | 3 | 3 | 23,158 | 118,760 | 5.1 |
| | Sept. | 2 | 6 | 10,550 | 64,754 | 6.1 |
| | Oct. | 1 | 2 | 1,600 | 10,869 | 6.8 |
| | Nov. | 1 | 1 | 1,602 | 10,565 | 6.6 |
| | Total | | | 13 | 43,406 | 255,813 |
| 164-165 | Jan. | 1 | 1 | 3,390 | 27,060 | 8.0 |
| | Feb. | 10 | 26 | 131,968 | 974,085 | 7.4 |
| | March | 28 | 62 | 331,245 | 2,354,656 | 7.1 |
| | April | 17 | 26 | 79,602 | 632,917 | 7.8 |
| | May | 4 | 11 | 43,955 | 347,395 | 7.9 |
| | June | 9 | 18 | 99,853 | 706,545 | 7.1 |
| | July | 29 | 44 | 200,591 | 1,191,192 | 5.9 |
| | August | 11 | 18 | 89,528 | 521,026 | 5.8 |
| | Sept. | 12 | 19 | 64,646 | 417,637 | 6.5 |
| | Oct. | 1 | 1 | 7,068 | 47,320 | 6.7 |
| | Nov. | 1 | 3 | 2,968 | 25,450 | 8.6 |
| Total | | | 229 | 1,054,814 | 7,236,283 | 6.9 |

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¹From unpublished statistics supplied by the State of Alaska Department
 of Fish and Game, Subport Building, Juneau, Alaska.

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|------------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 165-166 | Jan. | 1 | 2 | 5,200 | 51,000 | 9.8 |
| | Feb. | 2 | 3 | 3,993 | 38,060 | 9.5 |
| | March | 6 | 10 | 32,301 | 262,025 | 8.1 |
| | April | 3 | 3 | 4,103 | 30,620 | 7.5 |
| | June | 6 | 14 | 64,468 | 498,161 | 7.7 |
| | July | 4 | 8 | 49,581 | 326,223 | 6.6 |
| | August | 5 | 7 | 21,886 | 140,433 | 6.4 |
| | Sept. | 10 | 14 | 54,270 | 348,940 | 6.4 |
| | Oct. | 2 | 2 | 5,527 | 45,690 | 8.3 |
| | Nov. | 2 | 4 | 7,004 | 63,915 | 9.1 |
| | Total | | 67 | 248,333 | 1,805,067 | 7.3 |
| 166-167 | Oct. | 1 | 1 | 1,378 | 14,020 | 10.2 |
| | Total | | 1 | 1,378 | 14,020 | 10.2 |
| 167-168 | | - | - | - | - | - |
| 168-169 | May | 1 | 2 | 83,045 | 479,855 | 5.8 |
| | June | 1 | 1 | 34,292 | 231,725 | 6.8 |
| | July | 1 | 2 | 29,169 | 177,965 | 6.1 |
| | Total | | 5 | 146,506 | 889,545 | 6.1 |
| 169-170 | May | 1 | 1 | 5,784 | 61,250 | 10.6 |
| | Total | | 1 | 5,784 | 61,250 | 10.6 |
| | Grand total | | 317 | 1,505,306 | 10,291,108 | 6.8 |