GRADES OF CANNED SALMON Grade Color Texture Use and Flavor Chinook Deep Pink Medium. Salads etc. Meat breaks into King Rich Oil -layers easily Spring Rich Flavor. Red. Red Salads etc. Blue Back Firm Sockeye Rich Oil Good Flavor Coho Medium Pink Creamed Medium Red Firm Loaf Silver Side Oil Good Flavor Humpback __ Yellow Pink { Sof Soft, Little Loaf, Patties. Fine Flavor (Soft.Little Patties, Croquettes Chum --- Yellow or No Oil Acquired Flavor