

SRB Meeting: 16-17 June, 2015

Topic: 2015 Stock assessment modeling

The primary focus of this SRB review is to provide strategic guidance for the 2015 stock assessment and management process. The meeting will include a summary of data and model development completed so far during 2015.

Additional topics to be covered: ongoing analysis of movement rates, progress and planning on MSE modelling, and a new conceptual approach to apportioning multiple sources of fishing intensity on the halibut stock. The IPHC staff request that a short report to the Commission summarizing the meeting discussions and any conclusions reached be prepared by the SRB.

Specific items that could be addressed:

1. Aspects of data analysis that should be prioritized for the remainder of 2015, and in the future.
2. Aspects of model development should be prioritized for the remainder of 2015, and in the future.
3. Current understanding and analysis of movement rates.
4. The coastwide and area-specific MSE modelling.
5. The SPR-based management framework.
6. Additional comments on research priorities.

Documents

“Development of the 2015 stock assessment” + background materials.

Agenda

Tuesday, 16 June

- 12:30 PM: Welcome and meeting logistics (Bruce)
- 12:45 PM: Ongoing analysis of movement rates (Ray)
- 1:30 PM: Review of data sources and development in 2015 (Ian)
- 3:00 PM: Break
- 3:15 PM: Overview of model development in 2015 (Ian)
- 5:00 PM: Adjourn

Wednesday, 17 June

- 8:00 SRB Closed session
- 8:30 AM: Model development continued (Ian)
- 10:00 AM: Break
- 10:15 AM: Model integration and the decision table (Ian)
- 11:15 AM: Assessment research priorities (Ian)
- 12:15 PM: Lunch
- 1:15 PM: MSE modelling in 2015 (Steve)
- 2:00 PM: SPR-based management framework (Steve)
- 3:00 PM: Break
- 3:15 PM Upcoming meetings and schedule for 2015 (Bruce)
- 3:30 PM SRB closed session – Discussion and report writing
- 5:00 PM: Adjourn