

ACTION ITEM CHECKLIST

#	Category	Sector	Measure
Preferred Harvest Specifications			
1	OFL		Adopt remaining OFLs, as recommended by the SSC
2	ABC		Confirm or modify P* ¹ and adopt ABCs
3	ACL		Confirm or modify PPA ACLs ²
4	ACT		Confirm or modify the 4 mt ACT for cowcod
5	Rebuilding		Confirm PPA rebuilding plan parameters. Adopt new T _{TARGET} for cowcod
Preferred Stock Complexes			
6			Confirm EC species' designations
7			Confirm PPA to manage CA kelp greenling, OR kelp greenling, WA kelp greenling, WA cabezon, and leopard shark with stock-specific specifications or decide to manage these stocks in a Shallow Roundfish complex
8			Decide PPA for Slope Rockfish complexes under Agenda Item C.8

¹ The PPA P* decision was 0.45 for all stocks and complexes except arrowtooth (0.40), sablefish (0.40), spiny dogfish (0.35), starry flounder (0.40), lingcod south (0.40), longspine thornyheads (0.40), shortspine thornyheads (0.40), kelp greenling in WA (0.40), and the Other Flatfish complex (0.40).

² The PPA ACL decision was to set the ACL equal to the ABC for all non-overfished species except maintain a constant catch for black rockfish (OR/CA) of 1,000 mt and constant catch for longnose skate (2,000 mt). The Council also recommended a range of Dover sole (25,000 to 50,000 mt) and widow rockfish (1,500 to 3,000 mt) ACLs be analyzed. For overfished species, except cowcod and petrale sole, the PPA ACL was based on the SPR rate in the current rebuilding plan. For petrale sole, the ACL was based on the 25-5 harvest control rule. For cowcod, the SPR rate in the current rebuilding plan was translated into an exploitation rate since the XDB-SRA model cannot use SPR rates. A new rebuilding plan is required for cowcod.

Preliminary Preferred Allocations and Harvest Guidelines (HG)			
9	Fishery HG		Confirm or modify amounts set-aside ³ for groundfish mortality in Tribal, non-groundfish fisheries, and research
10	HG		<p>Confirm or modify HG for species managed within a complex</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blue rockfish in California within the nearshore rockfish complexes north and south of 40°10 • Blackgill rockfish within the slope rockfish complex south of 40°10 • Rougheye rockfish?
11	Allocations	Trawl/Non-Trawl	<p>Confirm or modify 2-year trawl and non-trawl allocations for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overfished species: bocaccio, canary, cowcod, petrale⁴, and yelloweye • Longnose skate: trawl (90%) and non-trawl (10%) allocation • Shelf rockfish north trawl (60.2%) and non-trawl (39.8%) allocation • Shelf rockfish south trawl (12.2%) and non-trawl (87.8%) allocation • Rougheye rockfish? • Spiny dogfish?
12	Set-Aside	Within Trawl, At-Sea	<p>Confirm or modify the at-sea whiting set-asides adopted in November</p> <p>Consider establishing set-asides from the trawl allocation to account for at-sea whiting bycatch of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spiny dogfish⁵ • Rougheye rockfish?

³ Final action on exempted fishing permit set-asides is scheduled for the June Council meeting.

⁴ The Amendment 21 allocation for petrale sole has been suspended since the stock is overfished and under a rebuilding plan. The action alternatives analyzed the status quo allocation (35 mt to non-trawl and remainder to trawl). Further, the Council requested an analysis that would give 15 mt to the non-trawl sector and the remainder to the trawl sector.

⁵ The Council requested a range of spiny dogfish set-asides be analyzed for the at-sea sectors from 163 mt to 725 mt.

13	HG	Non-Trawl	<p>Confirm or modify 2-year within non-trawl HG or shares for</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overfished species including bocaccio, canary, cowcod, and yelloweye⁶ • Black rockfish: 58% OR, 42% CA • Blue rockfish: 40-10 adjustment for CA • Blackgill south of 40°10': 40-10 adjustment; 60% limited entry and 40% open access fixed gears • Sablefish south of 36°: 55% limited entry and 45% open access fixed gears • Nearshore rockfish HG north of 40°10' for California (between 40°10' and 42° N. lat.) • China rockfish HG north of 40°10' by state or by CA and OR/WA combined
Adopt Preliminary Preferred Season Structures			
14		Treaty Fisheries	Management measures
15		Shorebased IFQ	Trawl RCA, non-IFQ trip limits
16		Non-Nearshore	Non-Trawl RCA seaward configuration, trip limits (including sablefish)
17		Nearshore	Non-Trawl RCA shoreward configuration, trip limits
18		WA Recreational	Season dates, bag limits, area closures
19		OR Recreational	Season dates, bag limits, area closures
20		CA Recreational	Season dates, bag limits, area closures

⁶ The action alternatives analyzed the trawl/non-trawl and within non-trawl allocations from the September 2013 scorecard. Further, the Council requested analysis that would move 0.6 mt from the non-nearshore fishery to the nearshore fishery.

Adjustments to Existing or Routine Measures			
21		Trawl	RCA boundary adjustments to better approximate depth
22		Trawl	Using underutilized set-asides in the projections for the shorebased IFQ carryover
23		Non-Trawl	Trip limit adjustments for lingcod N. of 40°10' N lat., slope rockfish N. of 40°10' N lat., shortspine thornyhead N. of 34°27' N lat., bocaccio S. of 34°27' N. lat., and shelf rockfish S. of 34°27' N. lat.
24		Non-Trawl - Rec	Modifications to groundfish retention regulations in the Pacific halibut fisheries ⁷
New Management Measures			
25		Trawl/Non-Trawl	Establish rougheye rockfish Groundfish Conservation Area closures
26		Trawl/Non-Trawl	Establish spiny dogfish Groundfish Conservation Area closures
27		Trawl	Require rockfish excluders for the at-sea and shoreside Pacific whiting fisheries
28		Non-Trawl	Provide for lingcod retention in Periods 1,2, and 6
29		Non-Trawl	Remove or modify commercial gear restrictions for targeting flatfish in California
30		Non-Trawl - Rec	Allow canary rockfish retention in the recreational fisheries

⁷ Action to modify the groundfish retention allowances in the Pacific halibut fishery would occur during the development of the annual Catch Sharing Plan.