

SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE REPORT ON
METHODOLOGY REVIEW PRELIMINARY TOPIC SELECTION

The Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) met with Dr. Robert Kope and Mr. Andy Rankis to discuss possible methodology review topics for 2014. The following items were identified for potential SSC review this fall. The first four items are carryover from 2013. The lead entity for each work product is identified at the end of the item.

- Conservation objectives, annual catch limits, and status determination criteria for Willapa Bay coho (STT and WDFW).
- Conservation objectives for southern Oregon coastal Chinook (ODFW).
- Standardized method to calculate Chinook age-2 FRAM stock recruit scalars (MEW).
- Progress Report: new Chinook FRAM base period (MEW).
- Escapement goal for Grays Harbor Chinook, which has already been reviewed and accepted by the Pacific Salmon Commission (WDFW, QIN).

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