

SALMON ADVISORY SUBPANEL COMMENTS ON
RESULTS OF SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE METHODOLOGY REVIEW

Klamath Ocean Harvest Model (KOHM)

The Salmon Advisory Subpanel (SAS) was briefed by Mr. Allen Grover (California Department of Fish and Game/Salmon Technical Team [STT]) on the status of the new KOHM. Contingent upon Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) concurrence and the model's finalization in February 2002, we support the new model. We complement the STT on its hard work in putting together a model that will better serve the needs of the resource and the fishing communities.

Coho Fishery Regulation Assessment Model (FRAM)

The SAS was briefed by Mr. Dell Simmons (NMFS/STT) and Dr. Gary Morishima (Northwest Indian Fisheries Science Center/STT) on the status of the Coho FRAM. In order to become more fully educated to the details of the new model, many of us plan to attend the January 3, 2002 meeting between the STT, SSC, and Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife. While we agree that we need the new model and we could potentially face a situation of the state and tribes using a different model than the STT for the 2002 preseason planning, we need more information before we can make a "carte blanche" recommendation that the model be adopted for use in 2002.

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