

SALMON TECHNICAL TEAM REPORT ON  
SALMON METHODOLOGY REVIEW

The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife conducted mark selective fisheries for Chinook in Marine Catch Areas 5 and 6 in 2003 and 2004. The Salmon Technical Team (STT) recommends that an empirical evaluation of the results of these fisheries compared to Fishery Regulation Assessment Model (FRAM) preseason predictions be reviewed by the Scientific and Statistical Committee. The evaluation should include a comparison of actual stock composition of the catch as estimated from coded-wire tag recoveries or through other means with FRAM preseason estimates.

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