

GROUND FISH ADVISORY SUBPANEL REPORT ON
OFF YEAR SCIENCE IMPROVEMENT

The Groundfish Advisory Subpanel (GAP) recommends proceeding with the following Council sponsored workshops. They are presented here in priority order.

1. Initial Biomass/ B_{MSY} (target biomass) Workshop
2. Recreational Fishery Information Network (RecFIN) Workshop
3. Santa Cruz Juvenile Rockfish Survey Workshop

The GAP recommends that the National Marine Fisheries Service preassessment meeting in August-October be dedicated primarily to evaluating the validity of the data to be used in the model, not modeling.

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