

SALMON TECHNICAL TEAM REPORT ON METHODOLOGY REVIEW
PRELIMINARY TOPIC SELECTION

The Salmon Technical Team met with the Scientific and Statistical Committee, and members of the Model Evaluation Workgroup (MEW) on April 10, to discuss potential topics for the Methodology Review for 2015. Potential topics (and the lead entity for preparation of review materials) identified included:

- 1) Update of the Chinook FRAM base period (MEW)
- 2) In the event that (1) is completed, update documentation for Chinook and coho FRAM (MEW).
- 3) Evaluation of a management line at Point Reyes for the KOHM, SHM, and WRHM (CDFW, NMFS).
- 4) Evaluation of a potential management line splitting the California KMZ in the KOHM and SHM harvest models (CDFW, NMFS).
- 5) Evaluation of winter Chinook contribution to ocean fisheries north and south of Point Sur (CDFW, NMFS).

In addition, the Salmon Advisory Subpanel reported that the Klamath Tribes are interested in developing data to support active management of fisheries for Klamath River spring Chinook salmon, but that this topic will probably not be ready for presentation at the 2015 Methodology Review.

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