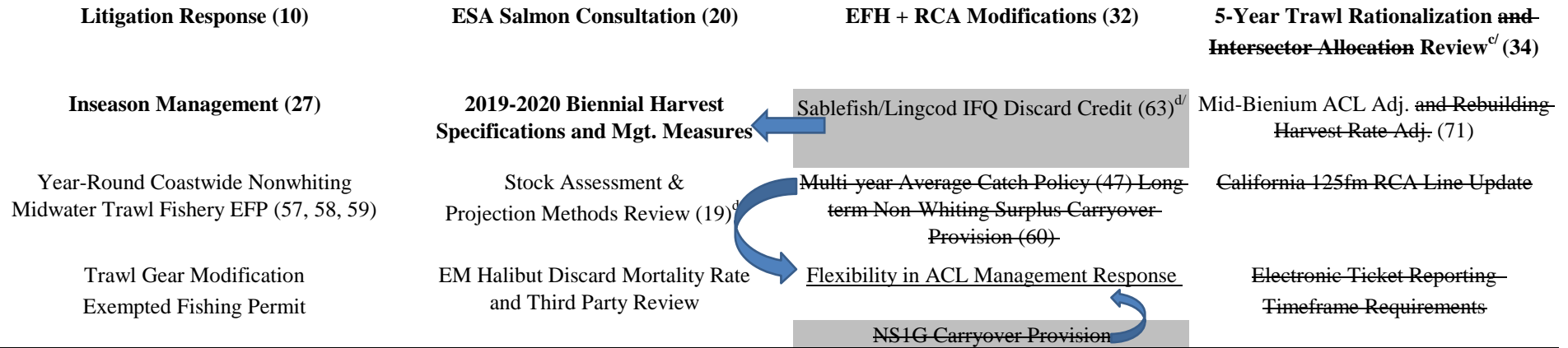


Groundfish Workload Priorities

2017 ACTIVE PROJECTS^{a/, b/}



PROJECTS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR 2018^{a/}

TBD

UNSCHEDULED PROJECTS^{a/}

Nearshore Management Issues (37)	Ecosystem Component Species (46)	RCA adjustments for Pot Vessels (53)	Halibut Retention S. of Pt. Chehalis (68)
Rebuilding Revision Rules (43)	60 Mile Bank RCA Lines (48)	Carryover when Management Units Change (61)	50 fm Depth Restriction (70)
Stock Complexes (44)	Rougheye Rockfish GCAs (49)	Trading of Previous Year Quota Pounds (62)	Allow Between Sector Trading of Quota Pounds (all quota species except whiting) (54, 55)
Ecosystem Port Sampling Initiative - <i>White Paper and Proposal</i> (45)	Sablefish Conversion Factors (50)	Commercial Discard Survival Rates (66)^{d/}	LE Fixed Gear Sablefish Issues (38)
	Permit Size Endorsements (51)	Recreational Discard Survival Rates (69)/	
	Seabird Avoidance Devices, Vessels <55 feet (52)	<u>Lingcod S. of 40°10' Trawl/Non-Trawl Allocation</u>	

a/ Numbers in parentheses reference items identified via Omnibus Workload Planning. See Agenda Item G.6.a, Attachment 2, June 2016 for a complete description of each measure.

b/ **Bolded** items are considered core MSA responsibility tasks. Shaded items are projects planned for work in 2017 pending funding.

c/ Consideration of the following has been postponed until after the 5-Year Trawl Rationalization Review: QS/QP Control Rule - Safe Harbor for Risk Pools (40); ~~Resolve Long-term Whiting Surplus Carryover Provision (60)~~; and develop criteria for distributing AMP QP (42).

d/ At the September 2016 meeting, the Council adopted for public review the matters in Agenda Item F.2.a, Supplemental SSC Report and Agenda Item F.2.a, Supplemental GMT Report, which include an exploration of #63 Sablefish and Lingcod Discard Mortality Rates (completed March 2017) and #66 Commercial Discard Mortality Rates (limited exploration).