

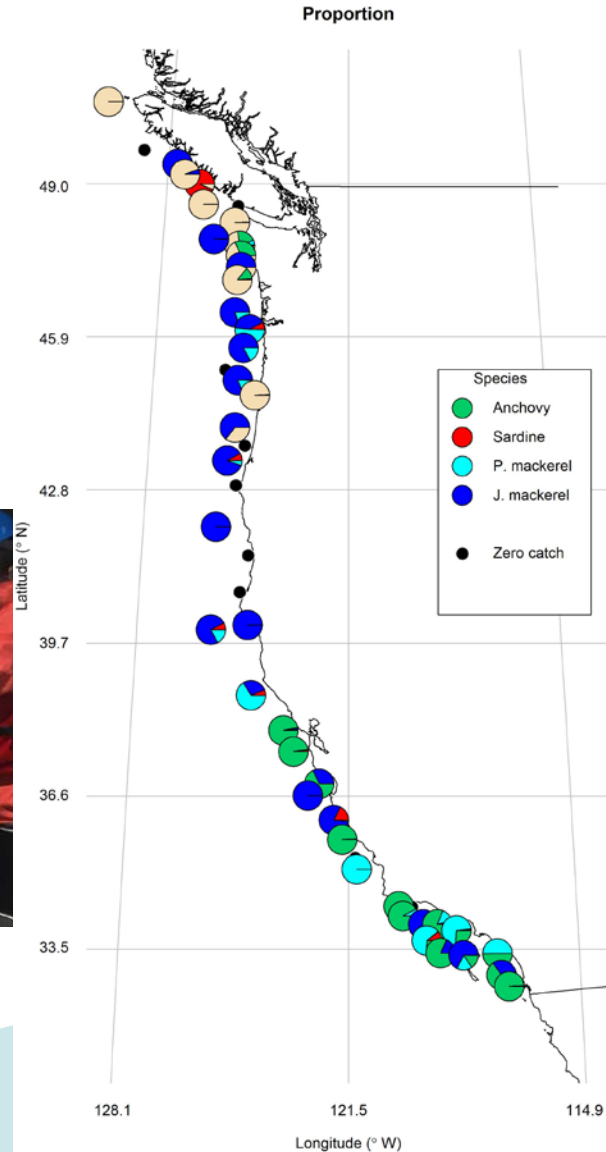


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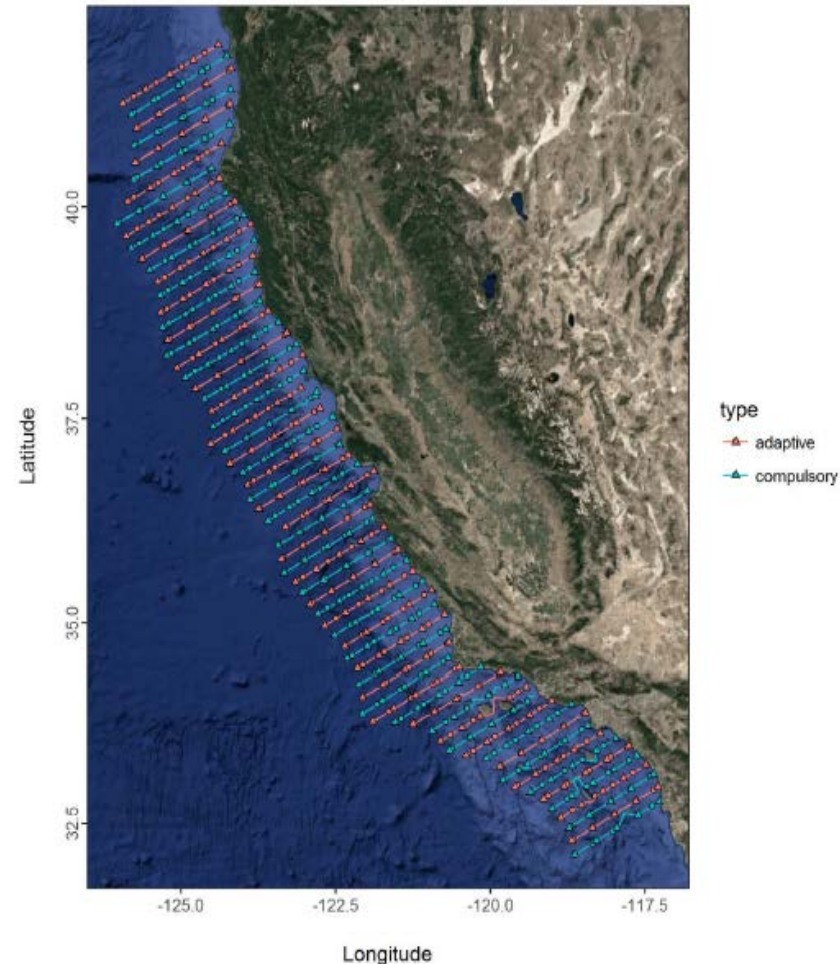
Presentation Outline

1. Research Survey Updates
 - 2017 Surveys
 - 2018 Surveys
2. Meeting & Stock Assessment Schedules
3. Cooperative Research



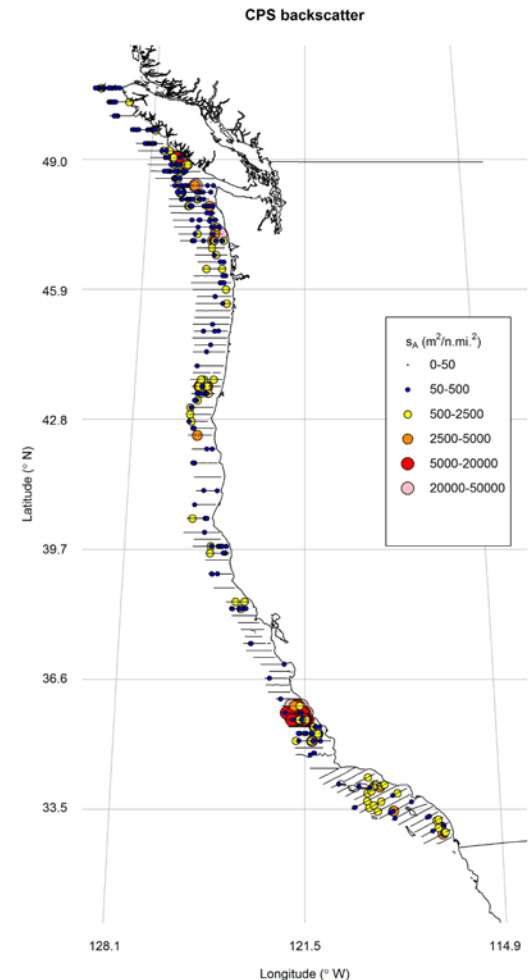
Research Survey Update – 2017

- 2017 Spring ATM CCES & CalCOFI surveys samples processed; abundance estimation proceeding
- 2017 Summer ATM CCES survey samples being processed → abundance & distribution estimation
- 2017 Fall CalCOFI survey: Nov. 9-24



Future Research Surveys – 2018

- 2018 Winter CalCOFI survey: Jan. 10 - Feb. 1- FSV Rueben Lasker → drydock for several months
- 2018 Spring CalCOFI survey: April 4-26 – FSV Shimada
- 2018 Spring ATM CCES survey cancelled (Lasker drydock)
- 2018 Summer CalCOFI survey: June 9-24 - RV Sally Ride
- 2018 Summer ATM CCES survey: June 26-Sept. 23 (80 days) – FSV Rueben Lasker → Joint CPS Acoustic Trawl Survey & West Coast EEZ Cetacean survey



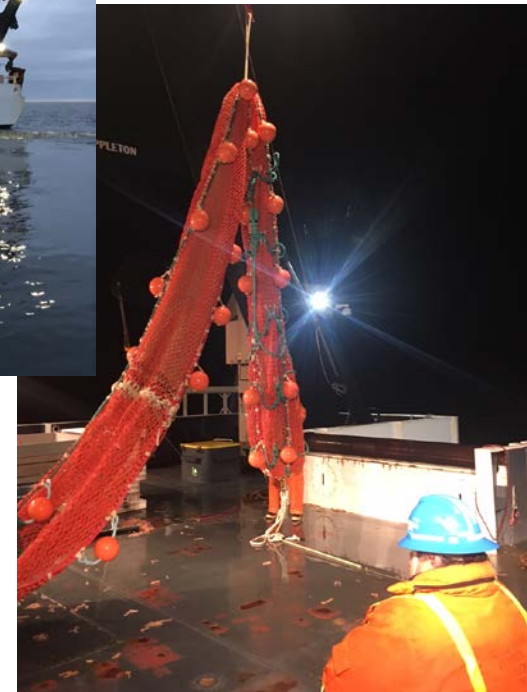
Upcoming Meetings & Stock Assessment Schedule

- 2017 CalCOFI Conference: December 4-6, 2017 - SIO, La Jolla, CA
- 18th Annual Trinational Sardine and Small Pelagic Forum: December 7-8, 2017 – SWFSC, La Jolla, CA
- IMECOCAL 20th Anniversary Meeting: December 11-13, 2017 – Ensenada, Mexico (S. McClatchie & K. Hill)
- ATM Review: January 30 - February 2, 2018 – SWFSC, La Jolla, CA

- Sardine assessment update – Feb. 2018

Cooperative Research

- SWFSC supports two EFPs submitted by industry
 - Pacific Sardine STAR Panel Review
 - Aerial Survey Methodology Review
- SWFSC commends industry for being proactive



QUESTIONS?

