

SCIENTIFIC AND STATISTICAL COMMITTEE REPORT ON  
FUTURE COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA AND WORKLOAD PLANNING

The Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) reviewed and enumerated discussion topics for the Stock Assessment Process Review (“Post-Mortem”) meeting to take place Friday, December 13<sup>th</sup> via webinar, and discussed other upcoming workshops.

The remotely operated vehicle (ROV) review will take place February 4-6 in Santa Cruz, California. Reviewers for this meeting will include two committee of independent expert (CIE) reviewers, four members from the SSC, and one representative from the state of Washington.

The methodology review for data-limited methods is being planned as a three-day meeting in early May, with final dates to be determined. This meeting will undertake review of a variety of data-limited approaches. The SSC does not see a need for a CIE reviewer, as adequate expertise already exists within the SSC. The SSC recommends Drs. Tom Carruthers and Adrian Hordyk be invited to participate.

Other upcoming review meetings include: 1) the sardine stock assessment review (STAR) panel review, February 24-27, 2020; 2) the methodology review for the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife visual-hydroacoustic nearshore rockfish survey in the fall of 2020; and 3) a potential salmon methodology review webinar on the Willapa Bay Natural Coho Forecast Method in January or February 2020.

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**Proposed Workshops and SSC Subcommittee Meetings for 2019 and 2020**

	<b>Workshop/Meeting</b>	<b>Potential Dates</b>	<b>Sponsor/ Tentative Location</b>	<b>SSC Reps.</b>	<b>Additional Reviewers</b>	<b>AB Reps.</b>	<b>Council Staff</b>
1	Groundfish STAR Process Review	Dec. 13, 2019	Council/ Webinar	Groundfish Subcommittee Members	NA	GMT GAP	DeVore Phillips
2	Salmon Methodology Review of Willapa Coho Forecasting Methodology	Jan or Feb, 2020?	Council/ Webinar?	Salmon Subcommittee Members	NA	STT	Ehlke
3	Data-Limited Methodology Workshop, Combined with Length-Based Data-Moderate Assessment Methodologies Review	May, 2020?	Council/ TBD	GF Subcommittee Members	Carruthers, Hordyk	TBD	DeVore
4	Review of Nearshore ROV Survey Designs and Methodologies	Feb 4-6, 2020	Council/ Santa Cruz, CA	Hamel (Chair), Shelton, Tsou, Field	CIE, Pacunski	None	DeVore
5	Pacific Sardine STAR Panel	Feb 24-27, 2020	Council/ La Jolla, CA	Punt (Chair), Garcia-Reyes + 1 TBD	CIE	CPSMT CPSAS	Griffin
6	7 <sup>th</sup> National Meeting of the Scientific Coordination Subcommittee of the Council Coordination Committee	Aug, 2020	NPFMC/ Sitka, AK	4 TBD	NA	NA	DeVore
7	Oregon Combined Visual-Hydroacoustic Survey Methodology Review	Fall, 2020	Council/ TBD	4 (?) GF Subcommittee Members TBD	CIE – Acoustics Expert	TBD	DeVore