

NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE REPORT ON
 RECENTLY PUBLISHED GROUND FISH RULEMAKINGS & WORKLOAD

Sablefish pot gear marking

- Workshop hosted by Oregon Sea Grant – November 16, 2022
 - Register at: https://oregonstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9odLp8hokjZciZ8

	<i>Proposed rule publication</i>	<i>Comment period end date</i>	<i>Final rule publication</i>	<i>Effective date</i>
Electronic monitoring bottom trawl/clean-up rule	March 1, 2022 (87 FR 11382)	March 31, 2022	October 3, 2022 (87 FR 59705)	January 1, 2024
Non-trawl logbook	July 5, 2022 (87 FR 39792)	August 4, 2022	October 3, 2022 (87 FR 59724)	January 1, 2023
Whiting utilization action	September 13, 2022 (87 FR 55979)	October 13, 2022	Expected January 2023	Expected January 2023
Amendment 30; 2023-2024 Harvest Specifications & Management Measures	NOA – September 6, 2022 (87 FR 54445) PR – October 14 (87 FR 62676)	NOA – November 7, 2022 PR – November 14, 2022	Expected December 2022	Expected January 1, 2023
Inseason	N/A	N/A	October 3, 2022 (87 FR 59716)	October 3, 2022

Action	Category	GF Branch Staff	Nov	Dec	Jan '23	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
2023-24 groundfish specs & implementation	Harvest specifications	Hanshew/B. Hooper	FR/NOD											
2025-26 groundfish specs & implementation		TBD												
Whiting treaty administration & specifications	Treaty	Sayre												
Humpback whale ESA consultation next steps	ESA	B. Hooper	Workshop											
Non-trawl logbooks		Massey												
On-going requirements for all GF BiOps		All												
Stock and stock complex definitions	MSA	Hanshew												
Trawl Rationalization Program Catch Share Review		Sommer/Moyer												
Inseason management of groundfish fishery	Inseason management	Matson												
Groundfish Management Team participation		Moyer/Studt												
EM follow-on actions	Monitoring	TBD												
EM EFPs		Kavanaugh												
Non-trawl EFP administration	EFPs	Massey												
Trawl EFP administration		Massey/Moyer												
Rec EFP administration		Moyer												
Sablefish gear switching	Other	Sommer/Sayre												
Whiting mothership utilization		Moyer			FR									
Non-trawl area management/Emley-Platt		Massey					FPA							