

PROPOSED AGENDA

# Stock Assessment Review for Petrale Sole and Canary Rockfish

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration  
Northwest Fisheries Science Center  
Auditorium and Online  
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July 24-28, 2023

This groundfish stock assessment review (STAR) meeting is hosted by the Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Northwest Fisheries Science Center (NWFSC) and will follow the Council's [Terms of Reference \(TOR\) for Groundfish Stock Assessment Reviews](#). This STAR panel will review 2023 stock assessments for petrale sole and canary rockfish. STAR Panel meetings are open to the public and a public comment period is scheduled for each day. Additional public comments and breaks will be taken at the discretion of the Chair.

Dates and times (Pacific Daylight Time) on this agenda are subject to change once the meeting begins. Note that the schedule is intended to be flexible, and the timing of responses to comments and the development of additional requests in particular will be dictated by the complexity of the requests and availability of the analysts; participants should not expect a static schedule.

The meeting will be conducted in person with a web broadcast that provides the opportunity for remote listening and public comment. In the event an outage occurs, or technical issues arise that impact the experience of remote attendees, we will attempt to resolve them but ultimately we cannot guarantee that they will be resolved satisfactorily. Specific meeting information, materials, visitor protocols, and instructions for how to connect to the meeting remotely will be available on the [Council's website](#) in advance of the meeting.

## Monday, July 24, 2023

8:30 am	Welcome, Logistics, and Introductions	Field/Hamel/Bellman
8:45 am	Review the Agenda and Discuss Meeting Format Administrative matters, Terms of Reference, etc.	Field/Bellman

9:00 am	Canary rockfish: Stock Assessment Team (STAT) Presentation (Part 1: Biology, Fisheries, and Data)	Langseth/Oken/STAT
10:15 am	BREAK	
10:30 am	Canary rockfish: STAT Presentation (Part 2: Assessment Modeling and Performance)	Langseth/Oken/STAT
12:30 pm	LUNCH	
1:30 pm	STAR Panel Discussion and Requests to the Canary rockfish STAT	Panel/ Canary rockfish STAT
2:45 pm	BREAK	
3:00 pm	Petrable sole: STAT Presentation (Part 1: Biology, Fisheries and Data)	Taylor/Gertseva/STAT
5:15 pm	Public Comment	Field
5:30 pm	Adjourn for day	

## Tuesday, July 25, 2023

8:30 am	Review Agenda for the day; STAR Panel Discussion	Field/Panel
8:45 am	Petrable sole: STAT Presentation (Part 2: Assessment Modeling and Performance)	Taylor/Gertseva/STAT
10:15 am	BREAK	
10:30 am	STAR Panel Discussion and Requests to the Petrable sole STAT	Panel/ Petrable sole STAT
12:30 pm	LUNCH	
1:30 pm	Response to Round 1 Canary rockfish Requests and Discussion	Canary rockfish STAT
3:30 pm	BREAK	
3:45 pm	Consideration of Round 2 Requests for Canary rockfish	Panel/ Canary rockfish STAT
4:45 pm	Initial Report Writing and Work Session, as needed	Panel

5:15 pm	Public Comment	Field
5:30 pm	Adjourn for day	

**Wednesday, July 26, 2023**

8:30 am	Review Agenda for the day; STAR Panel Discussion, Responses to requests (if available), or Report Writing and Work Session, as needed	Field/Panel
10:15 am	BREAK	
10:30 am	Response to Round 1 Petrale sole Requests and Discussion	Petrable sole STAT
12:30 pm	LUNCH	
1:30 pm	Consideration of Round 2 Requests for Petrale sole	Panel/ Petrable sole STAT
3:00 pm	BREAK	
3:15 pm	Response to Round 2 Canary rockfish Requests and Discussion	Canary rockfish STAT
4:45 pm	Consideration of Round 3 Requests (if any) for Canary rockfish	Panel/ Canary rockfish STAT
5:15 pm	Public Comment	Field
5:30 pm	Adjourn for day	

**Thursday, July 27, 2023**

8:30 am	Review Agenda for the day; STAR Panel Discussion, Responses to requests (if available), or Report Writing and Work Session, as needed	Field/Panel
10:00 am	BREAK	
10:15 am	Response to Round 2 Petrale sole Requests and Discussion	Petrable sole STAT
12:00 pm	Consideration of Round 3 Requests (if any) for Petrale sole	Panel/ Petrable sole STAT

12:30 pm	LUNCH	
1:30 pm	Response to Round 3 requests (if any) for Canary rockfish, discussion of base model, consideration of Canary rockfish decision table	Panel/ Canary rockfish STAT
3:00 pm	BREAK	
3:15 pm	Response to Round 3 requests (if any) for Petrale sole, discussion of base model, consideration of Petrale sole decision table	Panel/ Petracle sole STAT
4:45 pm	Initial Report Writing and Work Session, as needed	Panel
5:15 pm	Public Comment	Field
5:30 pm	Adjourn for day	

### Friday, July 28, 2023

8:30 am	Review Agenda for the day; STAR Panel Discussion, Responses to requests (if requested/available), or Report Writing and Work Session, as needed	Field/Panel
8:45 am	Consideration of Remaining Modeling Issues and Decision Table for Canary rockfish	Panel/ Canary rockfish STAT
10:00 am	BREAK	
10:15 am	Consideration of Remaining Modeling Issues and Decision Table for Petrale sole	Panel/ Petracle sole STAT
12:30 pm	LUNCH	
1:30 pm	Review Draft of the STAR Panel Report	Panel
3:00 pm	BREAK	
3:15 pm	Public Comment	Field
3:30 pm	Review Draft of the STAR Panel Report: Panel agrees to process for completing the Final STAR Report for Council's September Meeting	Panel

Briefing Book (Deadlines: August 9 Advance; August 25 two weeks prior SSC; August 28 Supplemental)

5:15 pm Discuss Any Remaining Considerations/Departing Remarks All

5:30 pm STAR Panel Adjourns

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