

# H.2 Fishery Ecosystem Plan Initiative 4 – Progress Review

## Council Action:

1. Identify On-Ramps for Climate and Ecosystem Information including Harvest Policies and Specific Management Actions
2. Council Discussion and Direction on Next Steps

## CDFW Motion H2

I move the Council:

- Task the EWG to work with NMFS ecosystem, groundfish, and other science center staff to further explore development of a methodological framework for risk tables and apply it to groundfish, as described in the Agenda Item H.2.a Supplemental EWG Report 2, item 1.
  - Include in this a retrospective analysis of how risk tables would have impacted decision making in past groundfish assessments if they had been used in the manner currently envisioned.
  - If sablefish and Petrale sole are prioritized for assessment in 2025 or the risk tables are approved for use without a new assessment; update, finalize, and include their risk tables to be considered as a part of those stock assessments and the 2027-2028 harvest specifications process.
- Task the EWG to work with NMFS and the appropriate advisory bodies to broaden the application of risk tables to the Salmon FMP as described in Agenda Item H.2.a Supplemental HC Report 1.
- Delay Council development of risk tables for data-limited species or groups or other FMP species until a later date.

Moved by: John Ugoretz

Seconded by: Marc Gorelnik

Motion passes, Brad Pettinger abstains