

I.3 Pacific Sardine Harvest Specifications and Management Measures for 2024-25 – Final Action

Council Action:

Adopt Final Harvest Specifications and Management Measures for the 2024-25 Pacific Sardine Fishery

CDFW Motion I.3:

I move that the Council adopt the Pacific sardine stock assessment and the following:

Biomass	58,614 mt
OFL	8,312 mt
P* Buffer	0.4
ABC _{Tier 2}	6,005 mt
ACL	6,005 mt
ACT	5,500 mt

1. Exempted fishing permit amounts for Agenda Item I.2
 - a. Attachment 1 – 150 mt
 - b. Attachment 2 – 520 mt
2. Incidental landing limit of sardines in other CPS fisheries of 30%.
3. If landings in the live bait fishery attain 3,000 mt, a per landing limit of one mt of Pacific sardine per trip will apply to the live bait fishery.
4. If the ACT of 5,500 mt is attained, a per trip limit of one mt of Pacific sardine applies to all CPS fisheries.
5. An incidental per landing allowance of two mt of Pacific sardine in non-CPS fisheries until the ACL is reached.

Moved by Briana Brady

Seconded by Marc Gorelnik

Motion passes unanimously

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