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**Appendix C. Planned assessments for FSSI and non-FSSI stocks for FY 2025.
Information is best available provided by NOAA Fisheries Science Centers and subject
to change.**

Planned Assessments for FSSI and Non-FSSI Stocks - FY 2025 Quarter 1 (October - December, 2024)

Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Red king crab - Bristol Bay	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Red king crab - Norton Sound	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Snow crab - Bering Sea	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Southern Tanner crab - Bering Sea	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Blue king crab - Saint Matthew Island	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Alaska plaice - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Atka mackerel - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Flathead sole - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	Indicator stock
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Northern rock sole - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	Indicator stock
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Alaska skate - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Stock Monitoring Update	Indicator stock
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Greenland halibut - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Kamchatka flounder - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Northern rockfish - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Pacific cod - Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Pacific cod - Bering Sea	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Pacific ocean perch - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Walleye pollock - Bogoslof	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Walleye pollock - Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Walleye pollock - Eastern Bering Sea	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Yellowfin sole - Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	

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AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Sablefish - Eastern Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands / Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Arrowtooth flounder - Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Dusky rockfish - Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Flathead sole - Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Gulf of Alaska Blackspotted and Roughey Rockfish Complex	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Yelloweye rockfish - Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Northern rock sole - Central Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Northern rock sole - Western Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Rock sole - Central Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Rock sole - Western Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Shortspine thornyhead - Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Northern rockfish - Western / Central Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Pacific cod - Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Pacific ocean perch - Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Rex sole - Eastern Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Rex sole - Western / Central Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Walleye pollock - Western / Central / West Yakutat Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Blackspotted and Roughey Rockfish Complex - Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Blackspotted and Roughey Rockfish Complex - Eastern Bering Sea	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands Other Flatfish Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Bering Sea / Aleutian Islands Other Rockfish Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	

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AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Dover sole - Gulf of Alaska	Stock Monitoring Update	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Walleye pollock - Southeast Gulf of Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Cape Cod / Gulf of Maine	Research Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Georges Bank	Research Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Research Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	FSSI	Great hammerhead - Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico	Operational Stock Assessment	First assessment of this stock
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	FSSI	Scalloped hammerhead - Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	FSSI	Smooth hammerhead - Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico	Operational Stock Assessment	First assessment of this stock
SEFSC	SAFMC	FSSI	Blueline tilefish - Southern Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	GMFMC / SAFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail snapper - Southern Atlantic Coast / Gulf of Mexico	Operational Stock Assessment	Delayed from FY 2024
Planned Assessments for FSSI and Non-FSSI Stocks - FY 2025 Quarter 2 (January - March, 2025)					
Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Atlantic herring - Northwestern Atlantic Coast	Research Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Chinook salmon - California Central Valley: Sacramento River Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Chinook salmon - Northern California Coast: Klamath River Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - California Central Valley: Sacramento River Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - California Central Valley: Sacramento River Winter	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Lower River Hatchery Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Lower River Hatchery Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Mid-River Bright Hatchery Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	

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Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: North Lewis River Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Snake River Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Snake River Spring/Summer	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Spring Creek Hatchery Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Upper River Bright Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Upper River Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Upper River Summer	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Columbia River Basin: Upper Willamette Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Northern California Coast: California Coastal	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Oregon Coast: Central and Northern Oregon	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Oregon Coast: Southern Oregon	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Cedar River Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Eastern Strait of Juan de Fuca Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Green River Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Mid Hood Canal Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Nisqually River Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Nooksack Spring Early	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Puyallup Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Skagit Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Skagit Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Skokomish Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	

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Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Snohomish Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: Stillaguamish Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Puget Sound: White River Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Grays Harbor Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Grays Harbor Spring	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Hoh Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Hoh Spring/Summer	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Hoko Summer/Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Queets Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Queets Spring/Summer	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Quillayute Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Quillayute Spring/Summer	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Quinalt Fall Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Willapa Bay Fall Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Washington Coast: Willapa Bay Fall Natural	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Central California Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Columbia River Early Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Columbia River Late Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Lower Columbia Natural	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Oregon Coast Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	

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Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Oregon Coast Natural	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Oregon Production Index Area: Southern Oregon/Northern California Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Puget Sound: Hood Canal	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Puget Sound: Skagit	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Puget Sound: Snohomish	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Puget Sound: South Puget Sound Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Puget Sound: Stillaguamish	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Grays Harbor	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Hoh	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Queets	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Quillayute Fall	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Quillayute Summer Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Quinault Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Strait of Juan de Fuca	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Willapa Bay Hatchery	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Washington Coast: Willapa Bay Natural	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Pacific hake - Pacific Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Pink salmon - Puget sound	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	GMFMC	FSSI	Brown shrimp - Gulf of Mexico	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	GMFMC	FSSI	Pink shrimp - Gulf of Mexico	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	GMFMC	FSSI	White shrimp - Gulf of Mexico	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	GMFMC	FSSI	Red grouper - Gulf of Mexico	Operational Stock Assessment	

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Planned Assessments for FSSI and Non-FSSI Stocks - FY 2025 Quarter 3 (April - June, 2025)					
Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Indicator stock - Golden king crab - Eastern Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	FSSI	Indicator stock - Golden king crab - Western Aleutian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Weathervane scallop - Alaska	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Atlantic mackerel - Gulf of Maine / Cape Hatteras	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Black sea bass - Mid-Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Bluefish - Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Northern shortfin squid - Northwestern Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Scup - Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	MAFMC	FSSI	Summer flounder - Mid-Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Sea scallop - Northwestern Atlantic Coast	Research Stock Assessment	
PIFSC	WPFMC	FSSI	Spanner crab - Main Hawaiian Islands	Operational Stock Assessment	
PIFSC	WPFMC	FSSI	Guam Bottomfish Multi-species Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Pacific chub mackerel - Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Pacific sardine - Pacific Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
Planned Assessments for FSSI and Non-FSSI Stocks - FY 2025 Quarter 4 (July - September, 2025)					
Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Chinook salmon - Eastern North Pacific Far North Migrating	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Auke Creek	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Berners River	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Coho salmon - Hugh Smith Lake	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Aggregate Chinook salmon Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Sockeye salmon - Kenai Late Run	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Sockeye salmon - Kasliof	Operational Stock Assessment	

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Science Center(s) ¹	Jurisdiction ²	FSSI / Non-FSSI ³	Stock	Planned Asmt Type ⁴	Notes
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Other Sockeye salmon Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Other Coho salmon Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Chum salmon Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
AFSC	NPFMC	Non-FSSI	Pink salmon Complex	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Acadian redfish - Gulf of Maine / Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Atlantic cod - Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Atlantic salmon - Gulf of Maine	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Atlantic wolffish - Gulf of Maine / Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Barndoor skate - Georges Bank / Southern New England	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Clearnose skate - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Haddock - Eastern Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Little skate - Georges Bank / Southern New England	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Ocean pout - Northwestern Atlantic Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Rosette skate - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Smooth skate - Gulf of Maine	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Thorny skate - Gulf of Maine	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	White hake - Gulf of Maine / Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Windowpane - Gulf of Maine / Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	Non-FSSI	Windowpane - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Winter flounder - Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Winter flounder - Gulf of Maine	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Winter flounder - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Winter skate - Georges Bank / Southern New England	Operational Stock Assessment	

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NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Cape Cod / Gulf of Maine	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail flounder - Southern New England / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC / MAFMC	FSSI	Goosefish - Gulf of Maine / Northern Georges Bank	Operational Stock Assessment	
NEFSC	NEFMC / MAFMC	FSSI	Goosefish - Southern Georges Bank / Mid-Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Black rockfish - Oregon	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Bocaccio - Southern Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Canary rockfish - Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Chilipepper - Southern Pacific Coast	Research & Operational	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Darkblotched rockfish - Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Petrale sole - Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	Non-FSSI	Quillback rockfish - California	Research & Operational	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Pacific Coast Blackspotted and Rougheye Rockfish Complex	Research & Operational	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Sablefish - Pacific Coast	Research & Operational	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Shortspine thornyhead - Pacific Coast	Stock Monitoring Update	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Widow rockfish - Pacific Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Yelloweye rockfish - Pacific Coast	Operational Stock Assessment	
NWFSC / SWFSC	PFMC	FSSI	Yellowtail rockfish - Northern Pacific Coast	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	Non-FSSI	Bigeye tuna - Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	Non-FSSI	Shortfin mako - North Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	Atlantic HMS	Non-FSSI	White marlin - Atlantic	Operational Stock Assessment	
SEFSC	CFMC	FSSI	Caribbean spiny lobster - Puerto Rico	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	CFMC	FSSI	Caribbean spiny lobster - St. Croix	Research & Operational	

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SEFSC	CFMC	FSSI	Caribbean spiny lobster - St. Thomas / St. John	Research & Operational	
SEFSC	CFMC	Non-FSSI	Yellowtail snapper - Puerto Rico	Research & Operational	First assessment of this stock
SEFSC	CFMC	Non-FSSI	Stoplight parrotfish - St. Croix	Research & Operational	First assessment of this stock
SEFSC	CFMC	Non-FSSI	Yellowtail snapper - St. Thomas / St. John	Research & Operational	First assessment of this stock
SEFSC	GMFMC	Non-FSSI	Lane snapper - Gulf of Mexico	Stock Monitoring Update	
SEFSC	GMFMC	FSSI	Vermilion snapper - Gulf of Mexico	Stock Monitoring Update	
SWFSC / PIFSC	PFMC / WPFMC	Non-FSSI	Skipjack tuna - Western and Central Pacific	Operational Stock Assessment	
Footnotes					
<p>1 NOAA Fisheries Science Centers include Alaska Fisheries Science Center (AFSC), Northeast Fisheries Science Center (NEFSC), Northwest Fisheries Science Center (NWFSC), Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center (PIFSC), Southeast Fisheries Science Center (SEFSC) and Southwest Fisheries Science Center (SWFSC). In some cases, assessments are conducted by multiple science centers (e.g. NW/SW and SW/PI).</p> <p>2 Jurisdictions include Caribbean Fishery Management Council (CFMC), Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council (GMFMC), Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Division (HMS), Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC), New England Fishery Management Council (NEFMC), North Pacific Fishery Management Council (NPFMC), Pacific Fishery Management Council (PFMC), South Atlantic Fishery Management Council (SAFMC) and Western Pacific Fishery Management Council (WPFMC).</p> <p>3 FSSI refers to federally managed stocks and stock complexes included on the Fish Stock Sustainability Index. Non-FSSI refers to federally managed stocks and stock complexes not included on the Fish Stock Sustainability Index. INT refers to international stocks.</p> <p>4 The National Stock Assessment Program tracks and classifies its activities related to the provision of harvest recommendations based upon guidance established in the 2018 Next Generation Stock Assessment Improvement Plan document.</p> <p>Research Stock Assessment - Efforts that develop or revise a stock assessment data type or method that are reviewed through the regional assessment review process. These efforts do not produce management advice, though they are occasionally paired with operational stock assessments.</p> <p>Operational Stock Assessment - Analyses that utilize one or more of the categories of stock assessment models described in the "Model Class" field (Footnote 4). Within the range of Operational Stock Assessments will be first time applications of previously researched methods ("new" or "benchmark" assessments); applications with updated data streams and minor revisions to methods within the scope of previously researched themes; and applications that simply update the model with the most recent data.</p> <p>Stock Monitoring Update - Activities labeled "Stock Monitoring Analyses" generally include activities that provide stock-level advice to fishery managers between stock assessments. These analyses include the methods described in the "Model Class" field (Footnote 4), but only when they are updated using the most recent catch information to develop new catch advice. These are sometimes called partial updates. Because there are no changes in the methods or data series in stock monitoring updates, just updated catch data, the conduct and review of these analyses does not warrant intense scrutiny.</p> <p>* Changes in the assessment schedule are indicated by red font.</p> <p>** Assessment records with strikethrough texts have either been delayed or canceled. Please see the comments for complete details.</p>					