

Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission

American Shad Assessment Workshop

November 18-22, 2019

Francis Marion Hotel, 387 King Street, Charleston, SC

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Draft Agenda

Please note the agenda is preliminary; the order in which items will be taken is subject to change; other items may be added as necessary.

Monday, November 18th

Welcome (<i>M. Bailey</i>)	1:00 p.m.
Workshop Objectives and Goals (<i>J. Kipp</i>)	1:15 p.m.
• Review TORs	
Maturity Estimates (<i>J. Zydlewski</i>)	1:30 p.m.
Population Models	2:30 p.m.
• Potomac (<i>J. Kipp</i>)	
• Albemarle (<i>K. Curti</i>)	
• Santee-Cooper (<i>J. Ballenger</i>)	

Tuesday, November 19th

Data Limited Toolkit	8:00 a.m.
• Delaware (<i>J. Boucher</i>)	
• Hudson (<i>W. Eakin</i>)	
Index-Based Methods	10:00 a.m.
• Power Analysis (<i>J. Ballenger</i>)	
• Trend Detection (<i>K. Sullivan</i>)	
• Correlation (<i>K. Sullivan and W. Eakin</i>)	
Lunch	12:00 p.m.
Index-Based Methods (continued)	1:00 p.m.
• Combined Indices with Conn Method (<i>J. Kipp</i>)	
• ARIMA (<i>W. Eakin</i>)	
Follow-Up Analyses/Working Session	2:30 p.m.

Sustainable and Cooperative Management of Atlantic Coastal Fisheries

Wednesday, November 20th

Total Mortality Estimators (<i>J. Kipp and J. Ballenger</i>)	8:00 a.m.
Tag-Recapture Analysis - Upper Chesapeake (<i>R. Bourdon</i>)	10:00 a.m.
• Presentation and discussion	
Shad Incidental Catch Estimates (<i>K. Curti</i>)	10:30 a.m.
Lunch	12:00 p.m.
Discuss Follow-Up Analyses/Working Session	1:00 p.m.
Barrier associated mortality (<i>D. Stich</i>)	2:00 p.m.
Discuss Follow-Up Analyses/Working Session (continued)	3:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 21st

Hydropower/Barrier Impacts	8:00 a.m.
• Review maps of historical and present habitat availability (<i>K. Sprankle, J. Zydlewski, M. Bailey</i>)	
• Barrier/hydropower data inventory (<i>K. Sprankle</i>)	
Review Analyses by Stock	11:00 a.m.
Lunch	12:00 p.m.
Discuss Preferred Method, Reference Points, and Stock Status by Stock (all stocks with completed analyses)	1:00 p.m.

Friday, November 22nd

Discuss Follow-Up Analyses	8:00 a.m.
Tag-Recapture Analysis: Altamaha System (<i>J. Page</i>)	9:00 a.m.
Discuss Preferred Method, Reference Points, and Stock Status for Altamaha Stock	9:30 a.m.
Research Recommendations and Timing of Future Stock Assessments	10:30 a.m.
• Age and repeat spawn data	
Review Assignments, Deadlines, and Remaining Assessment Timeline	12:00 p.m.
Adjourn	1:00 p.m.