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North Pacific Fisheries Commission
8th Meeting of the Small Scientific Committee on Pacific Saury
10-14 December 2021
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Provisional Agenda

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Agenda Item 3. Overview of the outcomes of previous NPFC meetings

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- 4.2 CPUE Standardization Protocol
- 4.3 Stock Assessment Protocol

Agenda Item 5. Member's fishery status including 2021 fishery

Agenda Item 6. Fishery-independent abundance indices

- 6.1 Review of any updates and progress
- 6.2 Review of plans of future biomass surveys
- 6.3 Recommendations for future work

Agenda Item 7. Fishery-dependent abundance indices

- 7.1 Review of any updates and progress
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Agenda Item 8. Biological information on Pacific saury

- 8.1 Review of any updates and progress
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Agenda Item 9. Stock assessment using "provisional base models" (BSSPM)

- 9.1 Review of results and implications to management
- 9.2 Development of recommendations to the Commission to improve conservation and management
- 9.3 Recommendations for future work

Agenda Item 10. New stock assessment models

- 10.1 Review of any updates and progress
- 10.2 Data sharing protocol for new models
- 10.3 Recommendations for future work

Agenda Item 11. Toward setting of biological reference points (RPs) and development of Management Strategy Evaluation (MSE)

11.1 Joint SC-TCC-COM Small Working Group on MSE for Pacific saury

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