

MANAGEMENT TRACK STOCK ASSESSMENTS



DATA & STAKEHOLDER INPUT
(months–years)

The analyst compiles data and input from recreational and commercial fisheries, scientific surveys, and stakeholders.



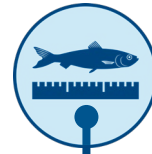
ASSESSMENT PLANNING
(1–9 months)

The analyst develops a stock assessment plan based on compiled data and stakeholder input.



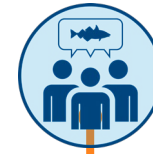
ASSESSMENT OVERSIGHT PANEL
(1-day meeting)

The analyst presents the plan to the Assessment Oversight Panel. This panel of experts reviews the plan and recommends the amount of peer review. The public is invited to participate.



CONDUCT ASSESSMENT
(3–4 months)

The analyst conducts the stock assessment approved by the Assessment Oversight Panel.



PEER REVIEW
(3–5 day meeting)

External experts conduct scientific review of the completed assessment. The public is invited to participate.



INFORM MANAGEMENT

The assessment results and peer review comments are published and used to inform management decisions.



RESEARCH TRACK STOCK ASSESSMENTS

