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# North Pacific Fisheries Commission 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Technical Working Group on Chub Mackerel Stock Assessment 28 February, 1, 3 and 4 March 2025 Virtual

# **Provisional Agenda**

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Agenda Item 2. Adoption of Agenda

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- 4.1 Review of how to revise data and results
- 4.2 How to present the updated results of SAM
- 4.3 Timeline for developing advice to COM based on recommendation from SC09

Agenda Item 5. Members fishery status and research activities

Agenda Item 6. Review of stock assessment for CM

- 6.1 Member's stock assessment
- 6.2 2024 stock assessment by TWG CMSA

Agenda Item 7. Update of biological information

- 7.1 Maturity-at-age and natural mortalities
- 7.2 Finalization of biological parameters for stock assessment in TWG CMSA11

Agenda Item 8. Fishery and biological data for stock assessment

8.1 Catch-at-age

- 8.1.1 Length frequency, catch-at-length/size and age-length key
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- 8.3 Finalization of fishery and biological data for stock assessment in TWG CMSA11

### Agenda Item 9. Abundance indices

- 9.1 Update of abundance indices submitted by Members
- 9.2 Usage of abundance indices in the 2025 stock assessment
- 9.3 Finalization of abundance indices for stock assessment in TWG CMSA11

### Agenda Item 10. Settings and specifications of SAM

- 10.1 Review of current settings and specifications
- 10.2 Discussion towards finalization of settings and specifications

### Agenda Item 11. Biological reference points

- 11.1 Methods to calculate biological reference points
- 11.2 List of reference points for stock assessment in TWG CMSA11

### Agenda Item 12. Future projection of chub mackerel

12.1 Methods to conduct future projection

# Agenda Item 13. Future tasks for improving CM stock assessment, reference points and future projections

### Agenda Item 14. Review of the Work Plan of the TWG CMSA

14.1 Discussion on possible changes in TWG CMSA meeting schedule to include most recent data into stock assessment

#### Agenda Item 15. Other matters

- 15.1 Timeline and intersessional activities before TWG CMSA11
- 15.2 Observer Program
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- 15.3 Species summary
- 15.4 Other issues

### Agenda Item 16. Adoption of Report

## Agenda Item 17. Close of the Meeting