

DRAFT SUMMARY OF COMMERCIAL ANALYSES

NOTE: the following tables are meant to provide preliminary information on commercial analyses to date and to solicit feedback on specific analyses to focus analytical efforts.

Table 1. Projected impacts (mt) under current trip limits and depth restrictions.

	Black RF	Canary RF	Yelloweye RF
N 40°10'	105.1	0.9	0.6
S 40°10'	3.6	5.7	0.1
Total	108.7	6.6	0.7

Table 2. Black rockfish trip limits and projected impacts (mt) for northern California (42° - 40°10' N. latitude).

	Jan/Feb	Mar/Apr	May/June	July/Aug	Sept/Oct	Nov/Dec	Projected Impacts
SQ	8,500 lb/2 mo		6,000 lb/2 mo				105.1
Alt	8,500 lb/2 mo						114.2
Alt	8,000 lb/2 mo						107.5
Alt	6,000 lb/2 mo						80.6
Alt	5,000 lb/2 mo						67.2

Table 3. California scorpionfish trip limits and projected impacts (mt).

	Jan/Feb	Mar/Apr	May/June	July/Aug	Sept/Oct	Nov/Dec	Proj Imp
Status Quo	1,200 lb/2 mo	CLOSED	1,200 lb/2 mo				2.5
Alt	2,000 lb/2 mo	CLOSED	2,000 lb/2 mo				5.7

CANARY ROCKFISH

Q: How should the available canary rockfish be utilized?

1. Allow limited retention;
2. Maintain prohibition and allow higher trip limits for other target species;
3. Maintain prohibition and allow access to deeper depths; and/or
4. Combination of above.

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Table 5. Canary rockfish trip limits (pounds) and projected impacts (mt) – statewide.

	Bimonthly Trip Limit	Projected Impacts
LE	100 - 500	1.6 – 7.4
OA	25 - 100	3.1 – 10.1
Total		4.7 – 17.5

Potential range of trip limits for target species

Q: Is there interest in evaluating higher trip limits for nearshore rockfish (i.e., shallow nearshore, deeper nearshore - excluding black)? (note: yelloweye bycatch may impact access to higher trip limits)

Projected impacts under deeper depth restrictions

Q: Is there interest in using available canary as bycatch to access deeper depths? If so, which areas? (note: yelloweye bycatch may also impact access to deeper waters)

NON-NEARSHORE

Table 6. Blackgill, south of 40°10' N lat, trip limits under various sharing alternatives

	LE	OA
Status Quo (60% LE:40% OA)	1,600 lb/2 mo	550 lb/2 mo
Alt 1 (75% LE:25% OA)	2,800 lb/2 mo	1,500 lb/2 mo

Table 7. Sablefish trip limits, south of 36° N lat, under various sharing alternatives.

	LE	OA
Status Quo (60% LE:40% OA)	2,000 lb/2 mo	300/day, (1 Ind of 1,600/wk), 3,200/2 mo
Alt 1 (75% LE:25% OA)	TBD	TBD

Table 8. Open access shelf rockfish trip limits between 40°10' N lat and 34°27' N lat.

	Jan/Feb	Mar/Apr	May/June	July/Aug	Sept/Oct	Nov/Dec
Status Quo	300 lb/2 mo	CLOSED	200 lb/2 mo		200 lb/2 mo	
Alt 1	500 lb/2 mo	CLOSED	500 lb/2 mo		500 lb/2 mo	