

Agenda Item 6

Operational and implementation arrangements

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BMW02 Discussions

- MSE testing is influenced by how the BET MP will be implemented:
 - Defined spatial structure/specific fisheries controlled, TRP desired
 - Defines the 'nuclear grid'/HCRs to be tested
- Trade off between PS and LL to be negotiated each 3 year period
 - How and when do managers see this occurring?
 - Potential implications for whether constraints need to be considered in evaluations
- Current MSE testing:
 - Attempts to cover the 'every 3 years' scenario
 - No constraint on change between mgmt. periods evaluated
- Treatment of the overlap area
 - Not included in MP testing
 - Addressed when translating MP outputs into implementation arrangements (BMW01)