

**SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE**

**NINETEENTH REGULAR SESSION**

Koror, Palau

16-24 August 2023

**INDICATIVE SCHEDULE**

**WCPFC-SC19-2023/05 (Rev.03)**

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| **Time** | **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue, 15 August** | **Wed, 16** | **Thu, 17** | **Fri, 18** | **Sat, 19** |
| **0830-1000 (1.5h)** |  |  |  | 8:30-9:10 **A1.1**   * Opening prayer * Welcome speech * Group photo | **A4. Stock Status (2)**  4.1 (M) peer review (20m presentation, plus 20m discussion)  4.2 (M) MFCL (5m)  4.7.6 (B) YFT biology (20m presentation including discussion)  4.3.1 (M) YFT and BET CPUE (15m presentation, 5m questions)  (5m – buffer time) | **A4. Stock Status (4)**  4.3.2 (K) BE SA (30m presentation, 10m general question)  4.3.2 (K) BE SA (40m discussion) | **No meeting** |
| **1000-1030** | Morning Break (9:10-9:40) | Morning Break (10:00-10:30) | |
| **1030-1200 (1.5h)** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | 9:40-10:10 | **A1.2 – A1.6** | | 10:10-11:10 | **A2.1** | | 11:10-11:40 | **A2.2** | | 11:40-11:50 | **A2.3 – A2.4** | | 11:50-12:00 | **A10 SC WP** | | **A4. Stock Status (3)**  4.3.1 (M) YFT SA (30m presentation, 10 m general questions)  4.3.1 (M) YFT SA (40m discussion)  (10m – buffer time) | **A4. Stock Status (5)**  4.3.4 (B) SPA indicator (20m presentation and discussion)  4.4 (K) Northern stocks (20m overview of ISC23 outcomes)  (20m – buffer time) |
| **1200-1330** | **14:00- 15:30**  Chair and Conveners Meeting  **16:00 –**  Heads of Delegation Meeting | Lunch Break | | |
| **1330-1500 (1.5h)** | **A3. Data (1)**  3.1.1.1 and 3.1.1.2 Data gaps of the Commission (30m presentation, 20m discussion)  3.1.1.3 Proposal from AUS (10m presentation, 10 m discussion)  Proposal from PNA (10m presentation, 10 m discussion) | **A6. EB theme (1)**  6.1 Ecosystem and Climate Indicators (30m presentation/discussion)  6.2.1 Research on non-entangling and biodegradable FADs (Project 110) (2x 30m presentation/discussion)  6.3.2 Mid-term Review of 2021-2025 Shark Research Plan (15m presentation/discussion) | **A5. MI theme (1)**  5.1.1.1 Implementation of Management Strategy for WCPO skipjack tuna (40m)  5.1.1.2 Monitoring strategy for WCPO skipjack tuna (40m) |
| **1500-1530** | Afternoon Break | | |
| **1530-1730 (2h)** | **A4. Stock Status (1)**  4.7.4 (B) Tuna RP (30m presentation and discussion)  4.7.5 (M) Billfish RP (30m presentation and discussion)  4.3.3a (K) SKJ indicators (20m presentation and discussion)  4.3.3b (K) Update of skipjack SA information (30m presentation) | **A6. EB theme (2)**  6.2.1 Research on non-entangling and biodegradable FADs (Project 110) (25m presentation/discussion)  6.2.2 FAD Management Options IWG Issues (20m presentation/discussion; 30m presentation/discussion; 30m presentation/discussion) | **A5. MI theme (2)**  5.1.2.1South Pacific albacore TRP (60m)  5.1.2.2 South Pacific albacore operating models (60m) |
| **1730-1830** |  |  | **JTF (1730-1830)** |  |  |
| **1900-2100** |  |  |  |  |

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| **Time** | **Sun, 20** | **Mon, 21** | **Tue, 22** | **Wed, 23** | **Thu, 24** |  |  |
| **0830-1000** | **A4. Stock Status (6)**  4.4.1 (K) NPA SA (20m presentation, 10m discussion)  4.4.2 (K) PBF update (10m discussion)  4.4.3 (K) NP SWO SA (20m presentation, 10m discussion)  (20m – buffer time) | **A4. Stock Status (7)**  4.7.1 (K) Ensemble (P113)  (20m presentation, 20m discussion)  4.7.3 (B) Options to provide information to SC (30m presentation and discussion)  (20m buffer time) | **(8:30-9:00)**  **A4. Stock Status (9)**  4.6.1 (B) NP MLS SA (20m presentation, 10m discussion) | **A4. Stock Status (11)**  Recommendations | **A4. Stock Status (12)**  Recommendations |  |  |
| **(9:00-10:00)**  **A3. Data (3.1)**  Recommendations |
| **1000-1030** | Morning Break | | | | |  |  |
| **1030-1200** | **A3. Data (2)**  3.1.2 Bycatch estimates of longline fishery (10m presentation, 10m discussion)  3.3 EM Transshipment project (15m presentation, 10m discussion) | **A10.1** Work program and budget  **A11.1** Future operations of the SC | **A4. Stock Status (10)**  Recommendations | **A5. MI theme (6)**  Recommendations | **A4. Stock Status (13)**  Recommendations |
| **1200-1330** | Lunch Break | | | | |
| **1330-1500** | **A5. MI theme (3)**  5.1.2.3 South Pacific albacore management procedures (45m)  5.1.3 Mixed fishery MSE framework (45m) | **A6. EB theme (3)**  6.2.2 FAD Management Options IWG Issues (15m presentation/discussion)  6.3.1 Review of conservation and management measure for sharks (30m presentation/discussion)  6.3.2 Mid-term review of shark research plan (Project 97b) (30m presentation/discussion  6.4.1 Review of Seabird Research (30m discussion) | **A5. MI theme (5)**  Recommendations | **A6. EB theme (5)**  Recommendations | **A6. EB theme (6)**  Recommendations |
| **1500-1530** | Afternoon Break | | | | |
| **1530-1730** | **A5. MI theme (4)**  5.1.4 Review of the WCPFC HS workplan (60m)  5.2 Review of effectiveness of CMM 2021-01 (60m) | **(15:00-16:00)**  **A3. Data (3.1)**  Recommendations | **A6. EB theme (4)**  6.4.2 Review of CMM on Seabirds (CMM 2018-03) (20m discussion)  6.5.1 Review of sea turtle research  6.5.2 Review of sea turtle CMM (2018-04)  6.6 Cetaceans (2x 30m presentation/discussion)  6.7 Bycatch management | **A7.** Other projects  **A8.** Cooperation with other organizations  **A9.** Special requirements  **A10.** Work program and budget  **A11.1** Future operations of the SC | **A10.** Work program and budget  **A11.1** Future operations of the SC  **A11.2-11.3.** Election of officers and next meeting  **A12.** Other matters  **A13.** Adoption of report  **A14.** Close of meeting |
| **A4. Stock Status (8)**  4.7.2 (M) CKMR (20m presentation, 20m discussion)  4.5.1 (M) Silky shark SA (20m presentation, 10m discussion)  (20m buffer time) |
| **1800-2100** |  |  |  |  |  |