

Framework Adjustment 53*

Specifications and Management Measures

Groundfish Fishery Management Plan

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**To be initiated at the June Council meeting*

Outline

- Timeline
- Possible Items for Inclusion
- Goals for Meeting



Timeline

2014	June	Council initiates FW53
	Jul-Sep	Develop specifications and measures
	Oct	Council selects measures to include in FW53
	Oct-Nov	Develop NEPA analysis
	Nov	Council takes final action on FW53



Possible Items for Inclusion (PDT Memo)

Regulatory Requirement

- Status changes, if any
- Specifications for groundfish stocks (GOM and GB winter flounder stocks, pollock, GOM haddock, GB yellowtail flounder, EGB cod, EGB haddock)

Management Measures

- Allocate the windowpane flounder ACL to sub-components and develop AMs
- Revise the carryover provisions
- Create a roll-over provision for specifications
- Recreational management measures process
- Possible removal of common pool measures that have become obsolete and/or have increased administrative burden (GARFO)



Goals for Meeting

- **Discuss the possible items for inclusion in FW 53**
- **Recommend items for inclusion in FW 53 to the Council**

