

**Timelines for Scallop Actions for 2008-2012**

**A15** – compliance with new requirements of the MSA (ACL’s / AM’s), rationalization of the limited access scallop fishery, revisions to the scallop overfishing definition, specific adjustments to the general category program, EFH areas if Phase II is delayed, adjustments to the research set-aside program, and changing the scallop fishing year.

**FW21** – specifications for FY2010, adjustments to the observer program, and measure to comply with the turtle biop

**FW22** – specifications for FY2011 and FY2012 (under ACL management)

		<b>A15 longer development</b>	<b>FW21</b>	<b>FW22 (or spec package)</b>
<b>2009</b>	Jan			
	Feb	Council approve doc for analysis	Initiate action - 2/10	
	Mar			
	Apr			
	May			
	June			
	July	Prepare DEIS and PH doc	Develop and analyze alternatives	
	Aug	ID pref. alts		
	Sept	Council selects pref	↓	
	Oct	Staff submits DSEIS	↓	
	Nov		Final action – 11/17	
	Dec		Staff submits FW21	
<b>2010</b>	Jan			
	Feb	NMFS publish NOA	↓	Initiate FW or start specs
	Mar	Public hearings		
	Apr			
	May	Consider input - ID pref alts	<b>IMPLEMENTATION - ?</b>	
	June	Council Final action		
	July			
	Aug	Staff submits FSEIS		
	Sept			Final action
	Oct			Staff submits FW22
	Nov			
Dec				
<b>2011</b>	Jan			
	Feb			
	Mar	<b>IMPLEMENTATION</b>		<b>IMPLEMENTATION</b>
	Apr			(or in May if FY change in A15)
	May			