

Identifying the Spatial Stock Structure of Tropical Pacific Tuna Stock

PROGRAMME/AGENDA STKSTR-2019/01b

	What are we doing here, why, and what are we trying to achieve?	Latest research, lots of ideas, options, information and substantive discussions
Times	Tuesday 09 th	Wednesday 10 th
0900-1030	 Welcome, housekeeping and introductions Method of work (Nicol and Smith) Overview including what is stock structure (Moore) 	 Introduction to day Stock assessments (Pilling) Close-kin mark-recapture (Davies) Evolving non-genetic approaches: I (Farley); II (Lorrain) The role of simulation tools (Scutt Philips)
1030-1100	Morning tea provided daily – yes, including coffee	
1100-1230	 Traditional approaches (Moore) Genetic approaches (Grewe) 	 Discussion – key elements of a research agenda on stock structure
1230-1330	Lunch provided daily on the deck	
1330-1500	 Stakeholder perspectives: I (SPC – assessment and modelling), II (FFA – fisheries management and compliance), III (PNAO – products and markets), and IV (CI – civil society and donors) 	 What are the results we are seeing already? Latest genetics research insights I (Evans/Grewe); Latest genetics research insights II (Pecoraro); and, Latest genetics research insights III (Stockwell)
1500-1530	Afternoon tea provided daily – yes, including coffee	
1530-1700	 Discussion – what stakeholders need and what genetics might deliver 	 Discussion – what genetics and models can and can't do, leading to key outstanding questions (what hypotheses can we actually test)

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Times	Thursday 11 th	Friday 12 th
0900-1030	 Introduction to day Practicalities of sampling (Allain and Sanchez) Tissue banks, CBD, Nagoya (Smith and Nicol) Statistical design considerations (Peatman and Davies) 	Recap and the final stretchResearch plan objectives
1030-1100	Morning tea provided daily – yes, including coffee	
1100-1230	 Discussion – so what can we actually do 	 Research plan sampling requirements
1230-1330	Lunch provided daily on the deck	
1330-1500	 Using genetics differently – traceability (Hyde) Using genetics differently – stock assessment (Minte- Vera) Discussion – leveraging off a genetics research plan 	Research plan
1500-1530	Afternoon tea provided daily – yes, including coffee	
1530-1700	 Facilitated brainstorm/agile framework (e.g. must, should, could, won't list) 	Finalise research planClose of workshop
1700-2030	Workshop BBQ at SPC	Ze Bar open

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