



New England Fishery Management Council

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Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) Meeting - via webinar

Date: Wednesday, October 13, 2021

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Agenda

The SSC will meet to:

- Review the information provided by the Council's Scallop Plan Development Team and recommend the overfishing limits (OFLs) and acceptable biological catches (ABCs) for Atlantic sea scallops for fishing years 2022 and 2023 (default).
- Consider other business, as necessary.

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The public also should be aware that the meeting will be recorded. Consistent with 16 USC 1852, a copy of the recording is available upon request.

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Notice date: September 21, 2021

cc: Scallop IPs