

**Scup 2024-2025 Specifications: Updated Staff Recommendation based on the SSC's decision to apply an OFL CV = 100%**

Mgmt. measure	2023		Basis	2024		2025		Staff Recommendation Basis
	mil lbs.	mt		mil lbs.	mt	mil lbs.	mt	
<b>OFL</b>	30.09	13,649	Assessment projections	44.74	20,295	40.58	18,408	Assessment projections
<b>ABC</b>	29.67	13,458	Assessment projections & risk policy	43.82	19,876	39.74	18,028	SSC Recommendation
<b>ABC discards</b>	6.39	2,900	Assessment projections	9.49	4,304	9.10	4,129	Assessment projections
<b>Com. ACL</b>	19.29	8,750	65% of ABC <i>(new com. allocation)</i>	28.48	12,919	25.83	11,718	65% of ABC
<b>Com. ACT</b>	19.29	8,749	No deduction from ACL for management uncertainty	28.48	12,919	25.83	11,718	No deduction from ACL for management uncertainty
<b>Projected com. discards</b>	5.28	2,394	82.6% of ABC discards (avg. % of dead discards from commercial fishery, 2017-2019)	7.33	3,327	7.04	3,192	77.3% of ABC discards (avg. % of dead discards from commercial fishery, 2020-2022)
<b>Com. quota</b>	14.01	6,355	Com. ACT minus projected com. discards	21.15	9,592	18.80	8,526	Com. ACT minus projected com. discards
<b>Rec. ACL</b>	10.39	4,713	35% of ABC <i>(new rec. allocation)</i>	15.34	6,957	13.91	6,310	35% of ABC
<b>Rec. ACT</b>	10.39	4,713	No deduction from ACL for management uncertainty	15.34	6,957	13.91	6,310	No deduction from ACL for management uncertainty
<b>Projected rec. discards</b>	1.12	506	17.4% of the ABC discards (avg. % of dead discards from rec. fishery, 2017-2019)	2.15	977	2.07	937	22.7% of the ABC discards (avg. % of dead discards from rec. fishery, 2020-2022)
<b>RHL</b>	9.27	4,205	Rec. ACT minus projected rec. discards	13.18	5,980	11.84	5,373	Rec. ACT minus projected rec. discards