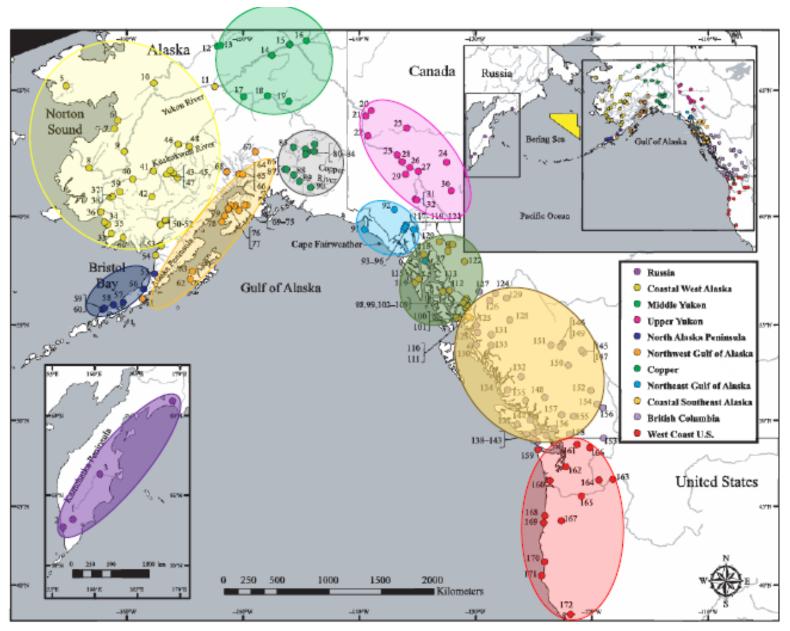
Brief Update on the Coastwide Chinook Salmon Genetic Baseline

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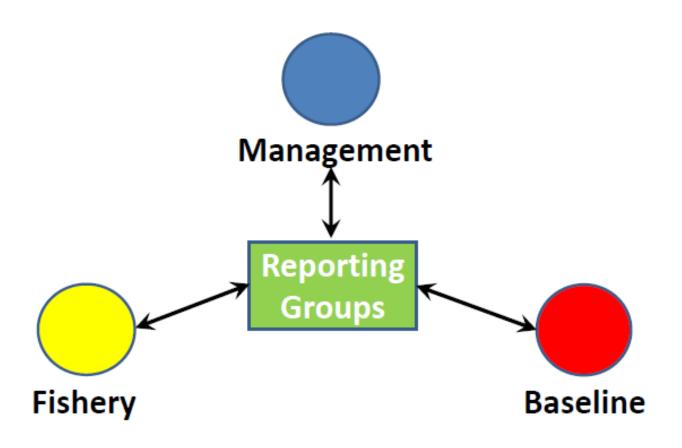
Current Chinook salmon coastwide baseline



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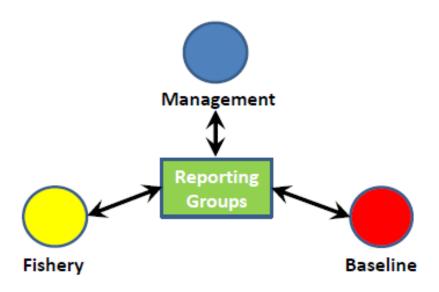
Baseline information questions for GSI

Essential questions

- What populations might be encountered in the fishery?
- 2. What is the genetic structure of these populations?
- 3. How can that structure be applied for management needs?
- 4. Is representation adequate?
- 5. How accurate/precise are estimates?

Common optional questions

- Is my favorite stock in the baseline?
- 2. Can individuals be assigned to a stock?
- What additional information could I gain?



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Fishery

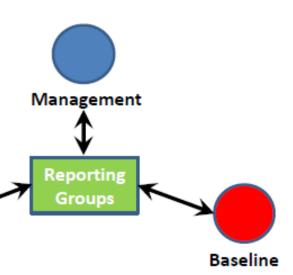
Fishery structure questions for GSI

Essential questions

- What fisheries need to be monitored?
- 2. How is the fishery structured (time, space, gear)?
- 3. What parts of the fishery need separate estimates?
- 4. How accurate/precise should estimates be?

Common optional questions

- When is a stock's run time through the fishery?
- Are there differences in vulnerability to gear type?
- 3. Is a specific small stock harvested?
- 4. Can I use genetic "tags" in a mark-recapture analysis?



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