

LIST OF PICES ACRONYMS

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| BASS (TT) | Basin Studies Task Team (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 2004) |
| BIO | Biological Oceanography Committee |
| CCCC-IP/EC | Executive Committee of the Climate Change and Carrying Capacity Program Implementation Panel |
| CC-S | Section on <i>Carbon and Climate</i> |
| CFAME (TT) | Climate Forcing and Marine Ecosystem Response Task Team (Oct. 2004 –) |
| CPR-AP | Advisory Panel on <i>Continuous Plankton Recorder Survey in the North Pacific</i> |
| CREAMS-AP | Advisory Panel for a <i>CREAMS/PICES Program in East Asian Marginal Seas</i> |
| F&A | Finance and Administration Committee |
| FERRRS | Study Group on <i>Fisheries and Ecosystem Responses to Recent Regime Shifts</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2004) |
| FIS | Fishery Science Committee |
| FUTURE | Forecasting and Understanding Trends, Uncertainty and Responses of the North Pacific Ecosystem |
| GC | Governing Council |
| HAB-S | Section on <i>Harmful Algal Blooms</i> |
| IFEP-AP | Advisory Panel on <i>Iron Fertilization Experiment in the Subarctic Pacific</i> |
| MBM-AP | Advisory Panel on <i>Marine Birds and Mammals</i> |
| MEQ | Marine Environmental Quality Committee |
| MIE-AP | Advisory Panel on <i>Micronekton Inter-calibration Experiment</i> |
| MODEL (TT) | Conceptual/Theoretical and Modeling Studies Task Team (Oct. 1995 –) |
| MONITOR | Formerly Task Team on Monitoring (Oct. 1997 – Oct. 2004), renamed to Technical Committee on Monitoring (Oct. 2004 –) |
| NEMURO | North Pacific Ecosystem Model for Understanding Regional Oceanography |
| NEMURO.FISH | NEMURO For Including Saury and Herring |
| NEMURO.SAN | NEMURO for Sardine and Anchovy populations |
| NEXT (TT) | NEMURO Experimental Plan Task Team (Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2003) |
| NPDB-AP | <i>North Pacific Data Buoy</i> Advisory Panel (Oct. 2001 – Oct. 2006) |
| NPESR | Working Group on <i>North Pacific Ecosystem Status Report</i> (Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2004) |
| PICES | North Pacific Marine Science Organization |
| POC | Physical Oceanography and Climate Committee |
| REX (TT) | Regional Experiments Task Team (Oct. 1996 – Oct. 2004) |
| RHLF | Relocation and Home Leave Fund |
| SB | Science Board |
| SG-CB | Study Group on <i>PICES Capacity Building</i> (Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2003) |
| SG-COM | Study Group on <i>PICES Communication</i> (Oct. 2007 –) |
| SG-EBM | Study Group on <i>Ecosystem-based Management Science and its Application to the North Pacific</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2004) |
| SG-ESR | Study Group on <i>Ecosystem Status Reporting</i> (Oct. 2006 –) |
| SG-FISP | Study Group on <i>Future Integrative Scientific Program(s)</i> (May 2005 –) |
| SG-GOOS | Study Group to develop a strategy for <i>GOOS</i> (Oct. 2006 –) |
| SG-MAR | Study Group on <i>Marine Aquaculture and Ranching in the PICES Region</i> (Oct. 2006 – 2007) |
| SG-RPFR | Study Group on <i>PICES Rules of Procedure and Financial Regulations</i> (Oct. 2004 – Oct. 2006) |
| SG-SC | Study Group on <i>Scientific Cooperation between PICES and Non-member Countries</i> (Oct. 2006 –) |

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| SISG | Study Group on <i>PICES Strategic Plan</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2004) |
| TCODE | Technical Committee on Data Exchange |
| TRF | Trust Fund |
| WCF | Working Capital Fund |
| WG-1 | Working Group on <i>Okhotsk Sea and Oyashio Region</i> (Oct.1992 – Oct. 1993) |
| WG-2 | Working Group on <i>Development of Common Assessment Methodology for Marine Pollution</i> (Oct.1992 – Oct. 1994) |
| WG-3 | Working Group on <i>Dynamics of Small Pelagics in Coastal Ecosystems</i> (Oct.1992 – Oct. 1995) |
| WG-4 | Working Group on <i>Data Collection and Quality Control</i> (Oct.1992 – Oct. 1994) |
| WG-5 | Working Group on <i>Bering Sea</i> (Oct.1992 – Oct. 1996) |
| WG-6 | Working Group on <i>Subarctic Gyre</i> (Oct. 1992 – Oct. 1994) |
| WG-7 | Working Group on <i>Modeling of the Subarctic North Pacific Circulation</i> (Oct. 1993 – Oct. 1995) |
| WG-8 | Working Group on <i>Practical Assessment Methodology</i> (Oct. 1994 – Oct. 2000) |
| WG-9 | Working Group on <i>Subarctic Pacific Monitoring</i> (Oct. 1994 – Oct. 1997) |
| WG-10 | Working Group on <i>Circulation and Ventilation in the Japan/East Sea</i> (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 1999) |
| WG-11 | Working Group on <i>Consumption of Marine Resources by Marine Birds and Mammals</i> (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 1999) |
| WG-12 | Working Group on <i>Crabs and Shrimps</i> (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 2001) |
| WG-13 | Working Group on <i>Carbon Dioxide in the North Pacific</i> (Oct. 1997 – Oct. 2002) |
| WG-14 | Working Group on <i>Effective Sampling of Micronekton to Estimate Ecosystem Carrying Capacity</i> (Oct. 1997 – Oct. 2004) |
| WG-15 | Working Group on <i>Ecology of Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) in the North Pacific</i> (Oct. 1999 – Oct. 2003) |
| WG-16 | Working Group on <i>Climate Change, Shifts in Fish Production, and Fisheries Management</i> (Oct. 1999 – Oct. 2005) |
| WG-17 | Working Group on <i>Biogeochemical Data Integration and Synthesis</i> (Oct. 2001 – Oct. 2005) |
| WG-18 | Working Group on <i>Mariculture in the 21st Century – The Intersection between Ecology, Socio-economics and Production</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2006) |
| WG-19 | Working Group on <i>Ecosystem-based Management Science and its Application to the North Pacific</i> (Oct. 2004 –) |
| WG-20 | Working Group on <i>Evaluations of Climate Change Projections</i> (Oct. 2005 –) |
| WG-21 | Working Group on <i>Non-indigenous Aquatic Species</i> (Oct. 2005 –) |
| WG-22 | Working Group on <i>Iron Supply and its Impact on Biogeochemistry and Ecosystems in the North Pacific Ocean</i> (Oct. 2007 –) |
| WG-23 | Working Group on <i>Comparative Ecology of Krill in Coastal and Oceanic Waters around the Pacific Rim</i> (Oct. 2007 –) |