

LIST OF PICES ACRONYMS

AP-CPR	Advisory Panel on <i>Continuous Plankton Recorder Program</i> (Oct. 1998 –)
AP-CREAMS	Advisory Panel for a <i>CREAMS/PICES Program in East Asian Marginal Seas</i> (Nov. 2005 –)
AP-IFEP	Advisory Panel on <i>Iron Fertilization Experiment</i> (Oct. 1998 – Oct. 2007)
AP-MBM	Advisory Panel on <i>Marine Birds and Mammals</i> (Oct. 1999 –)
AP-MIE	Advisory Panel on <i>Micronekton Sampling Inter-Calibration Experiment</i> (Oct. 2002 –)
AP-NPDB	Advisory Panel on <i>North Pacific Data Buoy</i> (Oct. 2001 – Oct. 2006)
BIO	Biological Oceanography Committee
CCCC	Climate Change and Carrying Capacity Scientific Program (Oct. 1995 –)
F&A	Finance and Administration Committee
FIS	Fishery Science Committee
GC	Governing Council
IP-WT	FUTURE Implementation Plan Writing Team (Jun 2008 –)
MEQ	Marine Environmental Quality Committee
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
NPESR	North Pacific Ecosystem Status Report (Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2004)
PICES	North Pacific Marine Science Organization
POC	Physical Oceanography and Climate Committee
SB	Science Board
S-CC	Section on <i>Carbon and Climate</i> (Oct. 2005 –)
S-HAB	Section on <i>Ecology of Harmful Algal Blooms in the North Pacific</i> (Oct. 2003 –)
SG-CB	Study Group on <i>PICES Capacity Building</i> (Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2003)
SG-COM	Study Group on <i>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 – 2007)
SG-FERRRS	Study Group on <i>Fisheries and Ecosystem Responses to Recent Regime Shifts</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2004)
SG-FISP	Study Group on <i>Future Integrative Scientific Program(s)</i> (May 2005 –)
SG-GOOS	Study Group to develop a strategy for GOOS (Oct. 2006 – Oct. 2007)
SG-MAR	Study Group on <i>Marine Aquaculture and Ranching in the PICES Region</i> (Oct. 2006 – Oct. 2007)
SG-RAM	Study Group on <i>Restructuring of the PICES Annual Meeting</i> (Oct. 2008 –)
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 – Oct. 2007)
SG-SI	Study Group on <i>PICES Strategic Plan</i> (Oct. 2003 – Oct. 2004)
SP-WT	FUTURE Science Plan Writing Team (Jan. 2007 – Apr. 2008)
TCODE	Technical Committee on Data Exchange
TT-MODEL	Conceptual/Theoretical and Modeling Studies Task Team (Oct. 1995 –)
TT-CFAME	Climate Forcing and Marine Ecosystem Response Task Team (Oct. 2004 –)
TT-BASS	Basin Studies Task Team (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 2004)
TT-MONITOR	MONITOR Task Team (Oct. 1997 – Oct. 2004)
TT-REX	Regional Experiments Task Team (Oct. 1996 – Oct. 2004)
TT-NEXT	NEMURO (North Pacific Ecosystem Model for Understanding Regional Oceanography) Experimental Plan Team Oct. 2002 – Oct. 2003)

PICES Acronyms-2008

WG 1	Working Group on <i>The 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>The 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 and its Adjacent Areas</i> (Oct. 1995 – Oct. 1999)
WG 11	Working Group on <i>Consumption of Marine Resources by Marine Birds and Mammals in the PICES Region</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 – 2008)
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 –)
WG 24	Working Group on <i>Environmental Interactions of Marine Aquaculture</i> (Oct. 2008 –)