

APPENDIX 1

PICES/CoML/IPRC Workshop on “Impact of Climate Variability on Observation and Prediction of Ecosystem and Biodiversity Changes in the North Pacific”

March 7-9, 2001, East-West Center, University of Hawaii

Workshop Agenda

Wednesday March 7

08:30-09:00 Registration

PLENARY SESSION

09:00-09:20 Opening remarks and overview of workshop objectives from a PICES perspective:
Vera Alexander and *Patricia Livingston*, workshop convenors

09:20-09:40 Overview of the Census of Marine Life program
Cynthia Decker

09:40-10:00 Climate variability in the Pacific Ocean and theories as to its cause
Julian P. McCreary, Jr. –Director, International Pacific Research Center

10:00-10:20 GOOS-LMR Panel recommendations and relationship to CoML
Warren S. Wooster

10:20-10:40 COFFEE BREAK

10:40-11:00 The development of CLIVAR’s strategy for the Pacific Ocean
Humio Mitsudera

11:00-11:20 A short overview of POGO and plans for a CoML Workshop on Canadian marine biodiversity, Pacific, Arctic, and Atlantic
Kees Zwanenburg

11:20-11:40 Report of the CoML Pacific Tagging Workshops
David W. Welch

11:40-12:00 Brief discussion of plenary talks and instructions for breakout groups

12:00-13:30 LUNCH

BREAKOUT GROUP SESSIONS

13:30- 15:00 Breakout groups meet
Group 1 Physical/chemical oceanography and climate
Group 2 Phytoplankton, zooplankton, micronekton and benthos
Group 3 Fish, squid, crabs and shrimps
Group 4 Highly migratory fish, seabirds and marine mammals

15:00-15:20 COFFEE BREAK

15:20-17:00 Breakout sessions re-convene

17:30-19:30 RECEPTION

Thursday, March 8

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

08:30-10:00 Breakout sessions re-convene

10:00-10:20 COFFEE BREAK

PLENARY SESSION

10:20-10:40 The work of the Data Buoy Cooperation Panel and the formation of an Action Group for the North Pacific

Brian O'Donnell

10:40-12:00 Preliminary reports of breakout groups and cross-disciplinary discussion of monitoring needs and opportunities

David L. Mackas, discussion leader

12:00-13:00 LUNCH

BREAKOUT SESSIONS

13:00-14:30 Breakout sessions re-convene

14:30-14:50 COFFEE BREAK

14:50-16:30 Conclude breakout sessions/prepare breakout group reports

Friday, March 9

PLENARY SESSION

08:30-08:40 Overview of final day objectives

08:40-09:00 Breakout Group 1 Report: Physical/chemical oceanography and climate

09:00-09:20 Breakout Group 2 Report: Phytoplankton, zooplankton, micronekton and benthos

09:20-09:40 Breakout Group 3 Report: Fish, squid, crabs and shrimps

09:40-10:00 Breakout Group 4 Report: Highly migratory fish, seabirds and marine mammals

10:00-10:20 COFFEE BREAK

10:20-11:50 Plenary discussion

11:50-12:30 WORKSHOP CLOSING REMARKS