

Draft Working Group 19 Agenda
Victoria, BC, Canada, Oct 27-28, 2006.

Day 1 – Oct- 27

9:00 AM	1. Welcome and Introductions
9:15	2. Each country provide its own definition of EBM, making sure to expand beyond EBFM and list agencies that are involved in broader sectors, other than fisheries. Brief description of each country’s ocean management report contents. Summary of compilation progress: Dave Fluharty.
10:30	Break
11:00	3. Report by each country: Review existing country definitions of “eco-regions” and identify criteria that could be used for defining ecological boundaries relevant to PICES. Summary of compilation progress: Chris Harvey
12:30	Lunch
1:30	4. Report by each country: Evaluate the indicators from the 2004 Symposium on “Quantitative Ecosystem Indicators for Fisheries Management” for usefulness and application to EBM in the North Pacific, but broaden the terms of reference to encompass not just Paris symposium, but also NPRB indicators project and the types of indicators summarized by Beth Fulton (2004, ICES J Mar Sci). Summary of compilation progress: Ian Perry
3:00	Break
3:30	5. Report by each country: Each member country will summarize monitoring efforts that address the types of indicators described in item 4 above, as well as identify gaps. Member countries will focus on an ecoregion that is most representative of their EBM efforts. Summary of compilation progress: Glen Jamieson
5:00	Close

Day 2- Oct 28

9:00	6. Discuss content of the W3 symposium and incorporate into the report. Lead: WG Co-chairs
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	7. Initiate discussion of structure of final report, deliverables and time frames. Planning for inter-sessional meeting. Lead: WG Co-chairs
10:30	Break
12:30	Lunch
1:30	8. Advice on structure and content of North Pacific Ecosystem Status Report; suggest EBM-related topics for inclusion in the status report. Leads

