

Monterey Bay Aquarium Seafood Watch®

Fisheries and Aquaculture Standards Revision

2017-2018 Work Program

Standard	Status	Description
Seafood Watch Standard for Fisheries	<p>Current version F3.2 (December 20 2016), implemented for assessments begun after Jan 1 2017. No major revision of the standard is planned before 2019.</p> <p>We are planning on convening Expert Working Groups on data-limited fisheries and ecosystem based fishery management in 2017, the outcome of which will feed into the next revision cycle.</p>	<p>The purpose of the Standard for Fisheries is to operationalize the qualities that fisheries must possess to be considered sustainable. These qualities are encapsulated in the objectives for sustainable fisheries, as defined in the Public Summary.</p>
Seafood Watch Standard for Aquaculture	<p>Current version F3.2 (October 5 2016), implemented for assessments begun after Jan 1 2017. No major revision of the standard is planned before 2019.</p> <p>We are planning on convening Expert Working Groups on polyculture and chemical use in 2018, the outcome of which will feed into the next revision cycle.</p>	<p>The purpose of the Standard for Aquaculture is to operationalize the qualities that aquaculture operations must possess to be considered sustainable. These qualities are encapsulated in the objectives for sustainable aquaculture, as defined in the Public Summary.</p>

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