Guide to Documents on Stock Assessment Issues

Both of the following documents were prepared by Center Staff as part of a Committee of the Northeast Regional Coordinating Council (NRCC). This group was charged with analyzing current approaches for providing scientific advice for fishery managers and suggesting viable alternatives.

1. CORE: An Evaluation of Scientific and Assessment Needs to Support the Development of Acceptable Biological Catches (ABCs) and Annual Catch Limits (ACLs) for Managed Fishery Resources in the Northeast Region. A White Paper to the NRCC. File: "ACL White Paper_Oct2009-1.pdf" See especially Appendix VII (p. 42-48) and Appendix II (p. 16-26).

2. SUPPLEMENTAL: A New Process for Assessment of Managed Fishery Resources off the Northeastern United States. Report to the Northeast Regional Coordinating Council (NRCC). March 22, 2011.