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Annex B1

Agenda

1. Introductory items
 - 1.1 Chair's welcome and opening remarks
 - 1.2 Appointment of rapporteurs
 - 1.3 Meeting procedures and time schedule
 - 1.4 Establishment of sub-committees and working groups
 - 1.5 Computing arrangements
2. Adoption of Agenda
3. Review of available data, documents and reports
 - 3.1 Documents submitted
 - 3.2 National progress reports on research
 - 3.3 Data collection, storage and manipulation
 - 3.3.1 Catch data and other statistical material
 - 3.3.2 Progress of data coding projects and computing tasks
4. Cooperation with other organisations
 - 4.1 Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species (CMS)
 - 4.1.1 Scientific Council
 - 4.1.2 Agreement on Small Cetaceans of the Baltic and North Sea (ASCOBANS)
 - 4.1.3 Agreement on the Conservation of Cetaceans of the Black Sea, Mediterranean Sea and Contiguous Atlantic Area (ACCOBAMS)
 - 4.2 International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES)
 - 4.3 Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC)
 - 4.4 International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas (ICCAT)
 - 4.5 Convention for the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR)
 - 4.6 Southern Ocean Global Ecosystem Dynamics (SO-GLOBEC)
 - 4.7 North Atlantic Marine Mammal Commission (NAMMCO)
 - 4.8 International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN)
 - 4.9 Food & Agriculture Organisation (FAO)
 - 4.10 North Pacific Marine Science Organisation (PICES)
 - 4.11 Eastern Caribbean Cetacean Commission (ECCO)
5. Revised Management Procedure (RMP) - general issues (see Annex D)
 - 5.1 Finalise the guidelines and requirements for implementing the RMP
 - 5.1.1 Develop the thresholds for defining 'acceptable', and borderline, performance for classifying the performance of RMP variants for *Implementation Simulation Trials*
 - 5.1.2 Develop a list of agreed stock structure archetypes
 - 5.2 Further develop the 'simple model filter'
 - 5.3 Finalise the issue of spatio-temporal considerations
 - 5.4 Finalise the issue of the CATCHLIMIT program for running it in trials situation
 - 5.5 Proposal for revision of the RMP
 - 5.6 Other
 - 5.7 Work plan
6. RMP – preparations for *Implementation* (see Annex D)
 - 6.1 Western North Pacific Bryde's whales
 - 6.1.1 Report from the intersessional Workshop on the *pre-Implementation assessment* for western North Pacific Bryde's whale
 - 6.1.2 Preparation for *Implementation*
 - 6.1.2.1 Progress on *pre-Implementation*
 - 6.1.2.2 Recommended action
 - 6.2 Review of information on the North Atlantic fin whale
 - 6.2.1 Review progress on the development of stock structure hypotheses as part of the *pre-Implementation assessment* for North Atlantic fin whales.
 - 6.2.2 Planning for completion of the *pre-Implementation assessment*
 - 6.3 Work plan
7. Estimation of bycatch and other human-induced mortality (Annex J)
 - 7.1 Estimation of bycatch based on fisheries data and observer programmes
 - 7.1.1 Review data from FAO
 - 7.1.2 Review progress on standardised reporting in progress reports
 - 7.1.3 Determination of appropriate coverage rates for estimating cetacean bycatch
 - 7.2 Estimation of bycatch based on genetic data
 - 7.2.1 Review results from intersessional workshop on the market survey approach
 - 7.2.2 Develop recommendations regarding use of market based approaches in RMP context
 - 7.3 Empirical analysis of the functional relationship between bycatch levels to fishing effort and to population abundance
 - 7.4 Information and methods on estimates of cetacean mortality caused by vessel strikes
 - 7.5 Information and methods on estimates of cetacean mortality caused by other human activities
 - 7.6 Work plan
8. Aboriginal Subsistence Whaling Management Procedure and stock assessment (see Annex E)
 - 8.1 Greenlandic fisheries and the Greenland research programme
 - 8.1.1 Stock structure, range and movement
 - 8.1.1.1 Genetic information
 - 8.1.1.2 Catch distributions
 - 8.1.2 Abundance and trends
 - 8.1.2.1 Methods
 - 8.1.2.2 Survey results

- 8.1.3 Preliminary consideration of management procedures
 - 8.2 Annual review of catch data and management advice for common minke and fin whales off Greenland
 - 8.2.1 Catches
 - 8.2.2 Assessments
 - 8.2.3 Management advice
 - 8.2.3.1 Introduction
 - 8.2.3.2 Common minke whales
 - 8.2.3.3 Fin whales
 - 8.2.3.4 Other research recommendations
 - 8.3 Annual review of catch data and management advice for humpback whales off St. Vincent and The Grenadines
 - 8.4 Planning for a bowhead whale *Implementation Review* in 2007
 - 8.5 Scientific aspects of an Aboriginal Subsistence Whaling Scheme
 - 8.6 Work plan
 - 8.6.1 Greenland
 - 8.6.2 Bowhead whales
 - 8.6.3 Priority topics for the 2006 meeting
 - 9. Aboriginal subsistence whaling stock assessments on bowhead, right, and gray whales (see Annex F)
 - 9.1 Bering-Chukchi-Beaufort Seas bowhead whale stock identity
 - 9.2 Catch data and management advice for the Bering-Chukchi-Beaufort Seas bowhead whale
 - 9.2.1 Catch information
 - 9.2.2 Management advice
 - 9.3 Catch data and management advice for the eastern North Pacific gray whale
 - 9.3.1 Catch information
 - 9.3.2 Management advice
 - 9.4 Implications of the special pre-meeting: sea ice and whale habitat
 - 9.5 Catches by non-member countries
 - 9.6 Work plan
 - 10. Whale stocks
 - 10.1 Antarctic minke whales (see Annex G)
 - 10.1.1 Estimate abundance of Antarctic minke whales
 - 10.1.1.1 The 2004/05 SOWER cruise
 - 10.1.1.2 Results from simulated data
 - 10.1.1.3 Results from cruise data
 - 10.1.1.4 Additional variance
 - 10.1.1.5 Estimate abundance using JARPA data
 - 10.1.2 Reasons for differences between Antarctic minke abundance estimates from CPII and CPIII
 - 10.1.2.1 Implications of sea ice and whale habitat
 - 10.1.2.2 Population dynamic model method to estimate trends and possible differences
 - 10.1.2.2.1 Report from inter-sessional working group
 - 10.1.2.2.2 Abundance estimates from SOWER and JARPA used in
 - population dynamic models
 - 10.1.2.2.3 Results from pre-liminary analyses
 - 10.1.2.3 Other
 - 10.2.1 Report from intersessional steering group
 - 10.2.2 Distribution and abundance
 - 10.2.2.1 Plans for future surveys
 - 10.2.3 Stock structure
 - 10.2.4 Biological parameters
 - 10.2.5 Total takes
 - 10.2.6 Assessment methodology
 - 10.2.7 Other
 - 10.2.8 Future work
 - 10.3 Southern Hemisphere whale stocks other than Antarctic minke and right whales (see Annex H)
 - 10.3.1 In-depth assessment of Southern Hemisphere humpback whales
 - 10.3.1.1 Report of the intersessional group
 - 10.3.1.2 Distribution and allocation of historic catches
 - 10.3.1.3 New information on abundance, rates of increase and stock structure
 - 10.3.1.4 Population dynamics modelling
 - 10.3.1.5 Antarctic humpback whale catalogue
 - 10.3.2 Assessment of Southern Hemisphere blue whales
 - 10.3.2.1 New information
 - 10.3.3 Work plan
 - 10.4 Other small stocks – bowhead, right and gray whales (see Annex F)
 - 10.4.1 Small stocks of bowhead whales
 - 10.4.2 North Atlantic right whales
 - 10.4.3 Southern Hemisphere right whales
 - 10.4.4 Other small stocks of right whales
 - 10.4.5 Western North Pacific stock of gray whales
 - 10.4.6 Work plan
 - 10.5 Future SOWER cruises (see Annex G)
 - 10.5.1 Report from intersessional workshop
 - 10.5.2 Recommendations for future SOWER cruises
 - 10.5.2.1 2005/06 season
 - 10.5.2.2 Long term
 - 10.6 Other
 - 10.6.1 Report from a non-IWC sponsored workshop on sperm whales
 - 10.6.2 Consideration of proposals for further in-depth assessments
 - 10.6.3 Historic abundance estimation, genetic methods
 - 10.6.3.1 Genetic issues (notably mode and rate of mtDNA mutations to translate genetic diversity into effective population size)
 - 10.6.3.2 Statistical reliability of catch records
 - 10.6.3.3 Other issues
 - 10.7 Work plan and budget request
 - 10.7.1 Sub-committee on in-depth assessments
11. Stock definition (see Annex I)
 - 11.1 Review progress on the TOSSM project (Testing Of Spatial Structure Models)

- 11.2 Review of statistical and genetic issues relating to population structure (including DNA quality issues)
- 11.3 Definition of unit-to-serve and the implications for management
- 11.4 Work plan and draft agenda for 2006
 - 11.4.1 Further work on TOSSM
 - 11.4.2 Draft agenda for 2006
12. Environmental concerns (see Annex K)
 - 12.1 Sea ice and whale habitat workshop
 - 12.2 Review of the report of the habitat degradation workshop
 - 12.3 Habitat related issues
 - 12.3.1 Steering group report on POLLUTION 2000+
 - 12.3.2 Progress report on Southern Ocean Colloboration Working Group
 - 12.3.3 State of the Cetacean Environment Report (SOCER)
 - 12.3.4 Arctic issues
 - 12.3.5 Anthropogenic noise
 - 12.3.6 Other
 - 12.4 Work plan
 - 12.4.1 SOCER
 - 12.4.2 Sea ice
 - 12.4.2.1 Arctic
 - 12.4.2.2 Antarctic
 - 12.4.3 Seismic workshop
 - 12.4.4 Disease
13. Small cetaceans (see Annex I)
 - 13.1 Review of the status of finless porpoise (marine populations)
 - 13.1.1 Distribution and stock structure
 - 13.1.2 Abundance
 - 13.1.3 Life history
 - 13.1.4 Ecology and habitat
 - 13.1.5 Directed and incidental takes
 - 13.1.6 Consideration of status
 - 13.2 Progress on previous recommendations
 - 13.2.1 Baiji
 - 13.2.2 Vaquita
 - 13.2.3 Harbour porpoise
 - 13.2.4 Humpback dolphin (*Sousa* spp.)
 - 13.2.5 Irrawaddy dolphin
 - 13.2.6 Other recommendations
 - 13.3 Consideration of revision of IWC cetacean list
 - 13.4 Takes of small cetaceans
 - 13.5 Work plan
14. Whalewatching (see Annex M)
 - 14.1 Report of intersessional Working Group
 - 14.2 Biological impacts of whalewatching on whales
 - 14.3 Review of published whalewatching guidelines and regulations
 - 14.4 Development of the scientific foundation of whalewatching guidelines
 - 14.5 Other topics
 - 14.5.1 Review of risk to cetaceans of high-speed whalewatching boats
 - 14.5.2 Review of potential impacts of 'swim-with' programmes on populations of cetaceans
- 14.5.3 Other
- 14.6 Work plan
15. DNA testing (see Annex N)
 - 15.1 Progress on genetic methods for species, stock and individual identification
 - 15.2 Collection and archiving of samples from catches and bycatch
 - 15.3 Reference databases and standards for a diagnostic register of DNA profiles
 - 15.4 Work plan
16. Scientific permits (see Annex O)
 - 16.1 Review of results from existing permits
 - 16.1.1 Japan – Antarctic minke whales
 - 16.1.2 Japan – North Pacific common minke, Bryde's, sei and sperm whales
 - 16.1.3 Iceland – North Atlantic common minke whales
 - 16.1.4 Review report from non-IWC meeting on JARPA results
 - 16.1.5 Preparations for JARPA review
 - 16.1.6 Responses to previous Scientific Committee reviews
 - 16.2 Review of new or continuing proposals
 - 16.2.1 JARPA II
 - 16.2.2 JARPN II
 - 16.2.3 Iceland
 - 16.3 Proposals to facilitate the review process of scientific permits
17. Whale sanctuaries
 - 17.1 Background information regarding reviews of sanctuary proposals
 - 17.2 Instructions from the Commission to the Scientific Committee for reviews of Sanctuaries
 - 17.2.1 Proponents section
 - 17.2.2 Opponents section
 - 17.2.3 Recommendations from the Commission for reviews of Sanctuaries
 - 17.3 Recommendations from the 2004 Scientific Committee meeting for reviews of Sanctuaries
18. Research and workshop proposals and results
 - 18.1 Results from previously funded research proposals
 - 18.2 Review proposals for 2005/2006
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 - 19.1 Committee priorities for SC/57 (2005)
 - 19.2 Committee priorities for SC/58 (2006)
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21. Funding requirements for 2005/2006
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Relationship Between Commission and Scientific Committee Agendas

This table is intended to assist readers in finding information relative to the Commission agenda (IWC/57) in the Scientific Committee Report (SC/57) and the Chair's Report (2005) of IWC/56. Commission agenda items not in this summary were not addressed at the Scientific Committee meeting.

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5.	ABORIGINAL SUBSISTENCE WHALING		5
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11.2	Review of the workshop on habitat degradation		11.1
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11.3	Other habitat-related issues		
11.3.1	Report of the Scientific Committee		
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	• SO-GLOBEC/CCAMLR	12.3.2; Annex K	
	• State of the Cetacean Environment (SOCER)	12.3.3; Annex K	
	• Arctic issues	12.3.4; Annex K	
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List of Scientific Committee Papers

SC/57/PFI

1. KITAKADO, T., SHIMADA, H., OKAMURA, H. AND MIYASHITA, T. Review of abundance estimate and additional variance for the western North Pacific stock of Bryde's whales.
2. PUNT, A.E., KISHIRO, T. AND ALLISON, C. Progress on estimating distribution proportions for western North Pacific Bryde's whales using a 'simple model filter'.
3. VÍKINGSSON, G.A. AND GUNNLAUGSSON, TH. Stock structure of fin whales (*Balaenoptera physalus*) in the North Atlantic – indications from non-genetic data.
4. DANÍELSDÓTTIR, A.K., STEFÁNSSON, M.O., THORGILSSON, B., JORUNSDOTTIR, TH. D., RAGNARSDOTTIR, A., ARNASON, A., GUNNLAUGSSON, TH., VÍKINGSSON, G.A., ÓLAFSDÓTTIR, D., BÉRUBÉ, M., PALSBOÏLL, P.J., ØIEN, N., WITTING, L. AND PAMPOULIE, C. Genetic analysis of North Atlantic fin whales (*Balaenoptera physalus*): Is there more than one breeding unit at the feeding ground west off Iceland?

SC/57/RMP

1. PUNT, A.E. Some thoughts related to defining criteria for evaluating performance for *Implementation Simulation Trials*.
2. [NO PAPER]
3. ALDRIN, M. AND SCHWEDER, T. Revision of RMP – Status of ongoing work at the Norwegian Computing Center.

SC/57/AWMP

1. WITTING, L. Aerial image estimation of minke whale surface time.
2. WITTING, L. AND PIKE, D.G. Applying aerial digital photo based strip-width surveys to minke whales.
3. WITTING, L. AND KINGSLEY, M. Abundance of marine mammals off West Greenland, 2002-2004.
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5. WITTING, L. An assessment of fin whales off West Greenland.
6. PUNT, A.E. A Bayesian multi-stock assessment model.
7. ROBBINS, J., ALLEN, J.M., CLAPHAM, P.J. AND MATTILA, D.K. Stock identity of a humpback whale taken in a southeastern Caribbean hunt.
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10. KINGSLEY, M.C.S. An update on the distribution of takes of fin and minke whales in West Greenland.
11. PALSBOÏLL, P.J., BÉRUBÉ, M., ANDERSEN, L.W. AND WITTING, L. Individual assignment and migrant detection probabilities at high levels of gene flow; how many loci and samples to estimate the proportion immigrant minke whales off West Greenland.

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1. FÉLIX, F. AND VAN WAEREBEEK, K. Whale mortality from ship collisions underreported, case studies from Ecuador and West Africa.
2. [NO PAPER]
3. SECCHI, E.R., WANG, J.Y., DALLA-ROSA, L., YANG, S.-C. AND REEVES, R.R. Global review of interactions between cetaceans and longline fisheries: preliminary data.
4. CIPRIANO, F. Cetacean product types, package, sizes, and per-item costs in Japanese commercial whale meat outlets.
5. COOKE, J., LAVERY, S., UN, M.Y., DALEBOUT, M., FUNAHASHI, N., CARRAHER, C., ROBERTSON, K., BROWNELL, R., JR. AND SCOTT, C.S. Inference on by-catch levels from genetic identification of individual minke whales (*Balaenoptera acutorostrata* subsp.) on Korean markets 1999-2003.

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2. BEST, P.B., BRANDÃO, A. AND BUTTERWORTH, D.S. Updated estimates of demographic parameters for southern right whales off South Africa.
3. STAFFORD, K.M. AND MOORE, S.E. Provisional analysis of bowhead and gray whale calls recorded on autonomous instruments in the Beaufort Sea, 2003-2004.
4. GIVENS, G.H. Confounding of age and temporal separation in analysis of genetic correlation in Bering-Chukchi-Beaufort Seas bowhead whales.
5. BRANDON, J.R., BREWICK, J.M., PUNT, A.E. AND WADE, P.R. Alternative resampling schemes for life history parameters used in Bayesian stock assessments of bowhead whales.
6. BRANDON, J.R., BLOKHIN, S.A., BROWNELL, R.L., JR. AND PUNT, A.E. Preliminary summary of catch data for the Soviet aboriginal fishery for the eastern Pacific gray whale: 1980-1991.
7. SIRONI, M., KRAUS, S.D., NORDHEIM, E.V., ROWNTREE, V.J. AND SNOWDON, C.T. Age estimation of North Atlantic right whales by allometric measurements on photographs.
8. BERGE, T., BACHMANN, L. AND WIGG, Ø. Genetic variation in Holocene bowhead whales (*Balaena mysticetus*) in the Northeast Atlantic.
9. YAKOVLEV, Y.M. AND TYURNEVA, O.Y. A note on photo-identification of the western gray whale (*Eschrichtius robustus*) on the northeastern Sakhalin shelf, Russia, 2002-2004.
10. SCHWEDER, T., JORDE, P.E., AND STENSETH, N.C. Temporal genetic pattern in BCB bowhead whales in the fall migration at Barrow: a reflection of a structured population?

11. POSTMA, L.D., DUECK, L.P., HEIDE-JØRGENSEN, M.P., DE MARCH, B.G.E. AND COSENS, S.E. Molecular genetic relationships among bowhead whales (*Balaena mysticetus*) in Eastern Canadian Arctic and Western Greenland waters.
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