



SEDAR 82
South Atlantic Gray Trigger
Research Track Assessment
Milestone Schedule

October 2021

| Year | Month | Tasks |
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| 2021 | May | Formally establish Planning Team and convene |
| | Late May | Planning Team drafts ToRs, schedule, provides recommendations for specific participants with expertise needed to address TORs |
| | June-September | Planning Team finalizes drafts RT TORs & project schedule, provides recommendations for specific participants with expertise needed to address TORs |
| | October | TORs, schedule and appointments to SAFMC SSC for review |
| | December | Schedule TORs, and participants to SAFMC for approval |
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| 2022 | Late May | Data Scoping Call; Start compiling data inputs; |
| | Late July | Data webinar |
| | August 1 | Deadline for unprocessed data (includes lengths, raw age data) Preliminary Data Products Due (i.e., inputs to assessment including size and/or age composition) |
| | August 19 | Preliminary MRIP |
| | September | Preliminary data due September 2 Data Workshop (19-22) discussing available data, recommend data for assessment, and develop hypotheses related to data |
| | October | Post-Data Workshop Webinar I: reviewing remaining data analyses Post-Data Workshop Webinar II: finalizing all data discussion if needed |
| | November | Nov 11: Final analytical Products due, Data input compilation; begin Model Development |
| | December | Continue data input compilation; Model Development |
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| 2023 | Jan | Data workshop report released |
| | Feb | Model development; |
| | March | Model development; Tentatively mid-March Final Analytical Products (i.e., inputs to assessment including final size and/or age composition) Deadline, Assessment Webinar I reviewing modeling progress |
| | April | Model development |
| | May | Model development; Assessment Webinar II reviewing modeling progress |
| | June | Model development Mid-June: Assessment Webinar III reviewing modeling progress. |

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| | July | Decide if assessment will be ready for October 2023 review; if ADT determines additional work is needed, subsequent dates will be shifted to accommodate the new timeline Assessment Webinar IV Discuss with panel how close assessment is to being near a useable product. If ready for review, schedule review. If not ready for review, continue working on model and revisit as needed until ready; adjust timing of subsequent steps as appropriate |
| | Aug | Assessment Webinar V Assessment Report Review by ADT; finalize AW report Review workshop preparation |
| | Sept | Review workshop document distribution |
| | Oct | Review Workshop |
| | Dec | Review workshop report available, present research track to SSC in March |
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| 2024 | March | Make changes to model based on recommendations from review. Note that actual time required will depend on the scope of the modifications. ADT will meet to help prioritize reviewer recommendations, request operational schedule tors and participants to the council |
| | April - Oct | Gray Triggerfish operational |
| | Oct | Present Operational Track to the SSCs at their Fall meeting in 2024 |