

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council Scientific and Statistical Committee Meeting

July 23, 2020

Terms of Reference

For Scup, the SSC will provide a written statement that identifies the following for the 2021 fishing year:

- 1) Specify a revised ABC for the 2021 fishing season based on the Council's recently approved changes to the risk policy. If revising the 2021 ABC with the new risk policy is inappropriate, specify an alternative ABC for 2021 (e.g., previous recommendation) and provide any supporting information used to make this determination;
- 2) Provide any relevant data and/or assessment considerations for the 2021 management track assessment.