



WEBINAR on Harvest Strategy
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Why harvest strategies? Explanations from a specialist: Shana Miller (The Oceans Foundation):

- Offset natural variability and scientific uncertainty;
- Account for risk and balance trade-offs;
- Increase transparency, predictability and market stability;
- Facilitate swift, efficient, science-based management to ensure resource health and industry profitability
- Effectively implement the precautionary approach.

A science-based decision-making process Testimonial from a scientist: Haritz Arrizabalaga (AZTI - Marine Research Division):

Characterize the real system, consider natural variability and uncertainty, evaluate performance of harvest strategies on all plausible scenarios, and then provide scientific advice.

Anders Jessen (DG MARE - European Commission) The EU's ambitions for the challenges ahead The management strategy Evaluation is strongly supported because it is a “step based science”. The Harvest Control Rules is an adaptive process.

Harvest strategies as a solution for sustainable fishing and long-term profitability in the EU

Examples provided: the fisheries industry's perspective on Northern Albacore, the Testimonial from Enrique Paz Setién (Secretario de la Federation de Cofradias de Pescadores de Cantabria), Testimonial from Tom Pickerell (Executive Director - Global Tuna Alliance)