

OTHER SERVICES

PROPOSED PROJECTS FOR 2005/06

<u>Code</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Priority</u>
SAP2005/01	Stock assessment processes	High
IFA2005/01	Scientific support for international obligations related to fishing	High
IPA2005/01	Technical input to policy advice	High
SEC2005/01	Social, cultural and economic research	High
CUS2005/01	Customary Maori research	High

Stock Assessment Process (SAP2005/01)

This service covers the contracted costs of participation by science providers in the fishery assessment process, which have **not** been included in the costs of individual research projects. It includes the preparation of Working Group reports and other fishery assessment documents, the presentation of these reports at and participation in Working Group meetings and Plenary sessions, and the provision of subsequent policy advice to the Ministry of Fisheries and government for species and topics not covered by a research contract. This service does **not** include the cost of convening the Fishery Assessment Working Groups; this cost is now included in the Science Group budget.

Scientific Support for International Obligations related to fishing (IFA2005/01)

This service covers the contracted costs for the provision of scientific support for international obligations related to fishing. These obligations include:

- United Nations Conventions;
- FAO Conferences;
- Bilateral Agreements;
- Convention of the Conservation of Southern Bluefin Tuna (CCSBT);
- US Pacific States Tuna Treaty;
- Secretariat of the Pacific Community;
- Convention for the Conservation of Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR);
- Multilateral and regional agreements; and
- Western and Central Pacific Tuna Fisheries Commission (WCPFC).

Technical Input into Policy Advice (IPA2005/01)

This service covers the contracted costs for the provision of technical input into policy advice on sustainability, environmental, and allocation issues. These include:

- Sustainable yields;
- Stock status;
- TAC's and other management measures;
- Special Permits;
- Marine farm permits;

- Conversion factors;
- Deemed values;
- Bycatch trades;
- Marine reserve applications;
- Population Management Plans;
- Marine Mammal Sanctuaries;
- Resource consents;
- Taiapure applications;
- Environmental issues ;
- Expert testimony for non-compliance cases; and
- Spatial environmental planning and impacts management.

Social, Cultural and Economic Research (SEC2005/01)

This service covers the contracted costs for the provision of information and advice on cultural, economic, and social factors that may need to be considered in the management decision making process to enable people to provide for their cultural, economic, and social well-being.

Customary Maori research (CUS2005/01)

This service covers the contracted costs for the provision of advice on the nature and extent of customary Maori harvest to the Ministry of Fisheries.

Cost Recovery Information:

These services are 100% Crown funded

They are estimated to cost in total between \$1,500,000-\$1,750,000.