# Appendix B: SMBKC Stock Assessment Input Files

# The data file:

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## # Gmacs Main Data File Version 1.1: SM15 example
## # GEAR_INDEX DESCRIPTION
      1
          : Pot fishery retained catch.
## #
              : Pot fishery with discarded catch.
      1
## #
              : Trawl bycatch
## #
      3
              : Fixed bycatch
## #
       4
               : Trawl survey
## #
       5
               : Pot survey
##
## # Fisheries: 1 Pot Fishery, 2 Pot Discard, 3 Trawl by-catch, 3 Fixed by-catch
              4 NMFS Trawl Survey, 5 Pot Survey
##
## 1978 # Start year
## 2016 # End year
## 2017 # Projection year
       # Number of seasons
## 5
       # Number of distinct data groups (among fishing fleets and surveys)
## 1
       # Number of sexes
## 1
       # Number of shell condition types
## 1
       # Number of maturity types
## 3
       # Number of size-classes in the model
## 5
       # Season recruitment occurs
## 5
       # Season molting and growth occurs
## 4
       # Season to calculate SSB
       # Season for N output
## # size_breaks (a vector giving the break points between size intervals with dimension nclass+1)
## 90 105 120 135
## # weight-at-length input method (1 = allometry i.e. w_1 = a*1^b, 2 = vector by sex, 3 = matrix by se
## # weight-at-length allometry w_l = a*l^b
## 4.03E-07
## # b (male, female)
## 3.141334
## # Male weight-at-length
                0.001165731
                              0.001930510
## 0.000748427
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                              0.001688886
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## 0.000748427
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                              0.001871067
## 0.000748427
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                              0.001998295
## 0.000748427
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                              0.001870418
## 0.000748427
                0.001165731
                             0.001969415
                             0.001926859
## 0.000748427
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                              0.002021492
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## 0.000748427
                    0.001165731
                                     0.001931318
## 0.000748427
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                                     0.002014407
## 0.000748427
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## 0.000748427
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                                     0.001807433
## 0.000748427
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                                     0.001930932
## 0.000748427
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                                     0.001894627
## 0.000748427
                    0.001165731
                                     0.001850611
## 0.000748427
                    0.001165731
                                     0.001930932
## # Male mature weight-at-length (weight * proportion mature)
## 0 0.001165732 0.001945911
## # Proportion mature by sex
## 0 1 1
## # Natural mortality per season input type (1 = vector by season, 2 = matrix by season/year)
## 2
## # Proportion of the total natural mortality to be applied each season (each row must add to 1)
## #0 0.0025
               0 0.6245 0.373
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               0.0700
                         0.0000
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## # Fishing fleet names (delimited with : no spaces in names)
## Pot_Fishery:Trawl_Bycatch:Fixed_bycatch
## # Survey names (delimited with : no spaces in names)
## NMFS_Trawl:ADFG_Pot
## # Number of catch data frames
## 4
## # Number of rows in each data frame
       15 25 25
## 27
## ##
       CATCH DATA
       Type of catch: 1 = retained, 2 = discard
       Units of catch: 1 = biomass, 2 = numbers
## ##
       for SMBKC Units are in number of crab for landed & 1000 kg for discards.
##
## ## Male Retained
## # year
            seas
                                                                                    effort
                                                                                            discard_mortality
                     fleet
                              sex
                                       obs
                                                cv
                                                         type
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## 1978
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## 1979
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## 1980
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## 1981
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## 1982
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## 1983
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## 1984
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## 1988
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## 1989
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## 2011
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	2014	2	1	1	69109	0.03	1	2			)	0		
	2015	2	1	1	24407	0.03	1	2	1	L (	)	0		
##	# Male	dis	cards Po	t fishery										
##	#1990	2	1	1	115.65	6434568	0.6	5 2	?	1	1	0	0.2	
##	#1991	2	1	1	241.06	0561216	0.6	5 2	2	1	1	0	0.2	
##	#1992	2	1	1	476.44	7140104	1 0.6	3 2	?	1	1	0	0.2	
##	#1993	2	1	1	431.57	6005096	0.6	3 2	?	1	1	0	0.2	
##	#1994	2	1	1		331788	0.6	5 2	?	1	1	0	0.2	
	#1995	2	1	1		4698304				1	1	0	0.2	
	#1996	2	1	1		4258208				1	1	0	0.2	
	#1997	2	1	1	627.23		0.6			1	1	0	0.2	
	#1998	2	1	1		2071976				1	1	0	0.2	
	#2009	2	1	1		098632	0.2			1	1	0	0.2	
	#2010	2	1	1		9524352				1	1	0	0.2	
	#2011	2	1	1		9684344				1	1	0	0.2	
	#2012	2	1	1		2110912				1	1	0	0.2	
	#2014	2	1	1		178528	0.2			1	1	0	0.2	
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	1990 1991	2 2	1	1	254.97878 531.44832		0.6	2 2	1	1	0		0.2 0.2	
	1991	2	1 1	1 1	1050.3870		0.6	2	1 1	1 1	0		0.2	
	1993	2	1	1	951.46261		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	1993	2	1	1	1210.7645		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	1995	2	1	1	363.11203		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	1996	2	1	1	528.52446		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	1997	2	1	1	1382.8253		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	1998	2	1	1	781.10329		0.6	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	2009	2	1	1	123.37122		0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	2010	2	1	1	304.65622		0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
	2011	2	1	1	481.35721		0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
##	2012	2	1	1	437.33607	'31	0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
##	2014	2	1	1	45.483974	.9	0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
##	2015	2	1	1	21.193785	97	0.2	2	1	1	0		0.2	
##	# Trawl	fisl	hery disc	cards										
##	1991	2	2	1	3.538	0.31	2	1	1	L (	)	0.8		
##	1992	2	2	1	1.996	0.31	2	1	1	L (	)	0.8		
	1993	2	2	1	1.542	0.31	2	1	1	L (		0.8		
	1994	2	2	1	0.318	0.31	2	1		L (		0.8		
	1995	2	2	1	0.635	0.31	2	1		L (		8.0		
	1996	2	2	1	0.0001	0.31	2	1		L (		8.0		
	1997	2	2	1	0.0001	0.31	2	1		L (		8.0		
	1998	2	2	1	0.0001	0.31	2	1		L (		0.8		
	1999	2	2	1	0.0001	0.31	2	1				0.8		
	2000	2	2	1	0.0001	0.31	2	1				0.8		
	2001 2002	2 2	2	1	0.0001 0.726	0.31	2	1			)	0.8		
	2002	2	2 2	1	0.726	0.31 0.31	2 2	1 1			)	0.8		
	2003	2	2	1 1	0.998	0.31	2	1			) )	0.8		
	2004	2	2	1	0.001	0.31	2	1				0.8		
	2005	2	2	1	2.812	0.31	2	1			) )	0.8		
	2007	2	2	1	0.045	0.31	2	1	1			0.8		
	2007	2	2	1	0.043	0.31	2	1	1			0.8		
	2009	2	2	1	0.635	0.31	2	1			)	0.8		
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## 2010
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## 2011
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## 2012
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## 2014
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## # Fixed fishery discards
## 1991
           2
                   3
                                    0.045
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## 1992
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## 1993
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## 1994
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## 1995
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## 1996
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                                    0.045
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## 1997
           2
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## 1998
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## 1999
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## 2000
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## 2001
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## 2002
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## 2003
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## 2004
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## 2005
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## 2006
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           2
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                                                             1
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## 2007
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                                    69.717 0.31
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                            1
## 2008
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                                    6.622
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## 2009
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## 2010
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## 2011
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                                                             1
                                                                     1
                                                                             0
                                                                                     0.5
                           1
                                                    2
## 2012
           2
                   3
                                    0.590
                                                            1
                                                                             0
                                                                                     0.5
                            1
                                            0.31
                                                                     1
## 2013
           2
                   3
                                            0.31
                                                    2
                                                            1
                                                                             0
                            1
                                    0.272
                                                                     1
                                                                                     0.5
## 2014
           2
                   3
                            1
                                    0.272
                                            0.31
                                                    2
                                                             1
                                                                     1
                                                                             0
                                                                                     0.5
## 2015
           2
                   3
                            1
                                    0.635
                                            0.31
                                                    2
                                                             1
                                                                     1
                                                                             0
                                                                                     0.5
## ## RELATIVE ABUNDANCE DATA
## ## Units of abundance: 1 = biomass, 2 = numbers
## ## for SMBKC Units are in crabs for Abundance.
## ## Number of relative abundance indicies
## 2
## ## Number of rows in each index
## 39
## # Survey data (abundance indices, units are mt for trawl survey and crab/potlift for pot survey)
## # Year, Seas, Fleet, Sex, Abundance, CV
                                                units
## 1978 1 4 1 6832.819 0.394 1
## 1979
        1 4 1 7989.881 0.463 1
## 1980
        1 4 1 9986.830 0.507 1
## 1981
        1 4 1 6551.132 0.402 1
## 1982
        1 4 1 16221.933 0.344 1
## 1983
        1 4 1 9634.250 0.298 1
## 1984 1 4 1 4071.218 0.179 1
## 1985
        1 4 1 3110.541 0.210 1
## 1986
        1 4 1 1416.849 0.388 1
## 1987
        1 4 1 2278.917
                         0.291 1
## 1988
        1 4 1 3158.169 0.252 1
## 1989
        1 4 1 6338.622 0.271 1
## 1990 1 4 1 6730.130 0.274 1
```

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## 1991 1 4 1 6948.184 0.248 1
## 1992 1 4 1 7093.272 0.201 1
## 1993 1 4 1 9548.459 0.169 1
## 1994 1 4 1 6539.133 0.176 1
## 1995
       1 4 1 5703.591 0.178 1
## 1996 1 4 1 9410.403 0.241 1
## 1997 1 4 1 10924.107 0.337 1
## 1998 1 4 1 7976.839 0.355 1
## 1999 1 4 1 1594.546
                       0.182 1
## 2000 1 4 1 2096.795 0.310 1
## 2001 1 4 1 2831.440 0.245 1
## 2002 1 4 1 1732.599 0.320 1
## 2003 1 4 1 1566.675 0.336 1
## 2004 1 4 1 1523.869 0.305 1
## 2005
       1 4 1 1642.017 0.371 1
## 2006
       1 4 1 3893.875
                      0.334 1
## 2007 1 4 1 6470.773 0.385 1
## 2008 1 4 1 4654.473 0.284 1
## 2009 1 4 1 6301.470 0.256 1
## 2010 1 4 1 11130.898 0.466 1
## 2011 1 4 1 10931.232 0.558 1
## 2012 1 4 1 6200.219 0.339 1
## 2013 1 4 1 2287.557 0.217 1
## 2014 1 4 1 6029.220 0.449 1
## 2015 1 4 1 5877.433 0.770 1
## 2016 1 4 1 3485.909 0.393 1
## 1998 1 5 1 12531.000 0.060 2
## 2001 1 5 1 8477.000 0.080 2
## 2004 1 5 1 1667.000 0.150 2
## 2007 1 5 1 8643.000 0.090 2
## 2010 1 5 1 10209.000 0.130 2
## 2013 1 5 1 5643.000 0.190 2
## 2015 1 5 1 2805.000 0.180 2
## 2016 1 5 1 2378.000 0.186 2
## ## Number of length frequency matrices
## 3
## ## Number of rows in each matrix
## 15
      39 9
## ## Number of bins in each matrix (columns of size data)
## 3 3 3
## ## SIZE COMPOSITION DATA FOR ALL FLEETS
## ## SIZE COMP LEGEND
## ## Sex: 1 = male, 2 = female, 0 = both sexes combined
## ## Type of composition: 1 = retained, 2 = discard, 0 = total composition
## ## Maturity state: 1 = immature, 2 = mature, 0 = both states combined
## ## Shell condition: 1 = new shell, 2 = old shell, 0 = both shell types combined
## ##length proportions of pot discarded males
## ##Year, Seas, Fleet, Sex, Type, Shell, Maturity, Nsamp, DataVec
    1990 2 1 1 0 0 0 15 0.1133 0.3933 0.4933
##
##
    1991 2 1 1 0 0 0 25 0.1329 0.1768 0.6902
##
    1992 2 1 1 0 0 0 25 0.1905 0.2677 0.5417
##
    1993 2 1 1 0 0 0 25 0.2807 0.2097 0.5096
##
    1994 2 1 1 0 0 0 25 0.2942 0.2714 0.4344
```

```
##
    1995 2 1 1 0 0 0 25 0.1478 0.2127 0.6395
##
    1996 2 1 1 0 0 0 25
                         0.1595 0.2229
                                          0.6176
##
    1997 2 1 1 0 0 0 25
                          0.1818 0.2053
                                          0.6128
                          0.1927
##
    1998 2 1 1 0 0 0 25
                                 0.2162
                                          0.5911
##
    2009
          2 1 1 0 0 0 50
                          0.1413
                                 0.3235
                                          0.5352
##
    2010 2 1 1 0 0 0 50
                          0.1314 0.3152
                                         0.5534
##
    2011
         2 1 1 0 0 0 50
                          0.1314
                                 0.3051
                                          0.5636
##
    2012 2 1 1 0 0 0 50
                          0.1417
                                  0.3178
                                          0.5406
##
    2014 2 1 1 0 0 0 50 0.0939 0.2275
                                          0.6786
##
    2015 2 1 1 0 0 0 50 0.1148 0.2518 0.6333
## ##length proportions of trawl survey males
  ##Year, Seas, Fleet, Sex, Type, Shell, Maturity, Nsamp, DataVec
##
##
    1978 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                          0.3865 0.3478 0.2657
                           0.4281 0.3190 0.2529
##
    1979 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
##
    1980 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.3588
                                   0.3220
                                          0.3192
##
    1981
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1219
                                   0.3065
                                          0.5716
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1671
                                   0.2435
                                          0.5893
    1982
##
    1983
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1752
                                   0.2726
                                          0.5522
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1823
                                   0.2085
                                          0.6092
    1984
##
    1985
          1 4 1 0 0 0 46.5 0.2023
                                   0.2010
                                          0.5967
##
    1986
          1 4 1 0 0 0 23
                           0.1984
                                   0.4364
                                          0.3652
##
    1987
          1 4 1 0 0 0 35.5 0.1944
                                   0.3779
                                          0.4277
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 40.5 0.1879
                                   0.3737
                                          0.4384
    1988
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.4246
                                   0.2259
                                          0.3496
##
    1989
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
    1990
                           0.2380
                                   0.2332 0.5288
##
    1991
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2274
                                   0.3300 0.4426
##
    1992
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2263
                                   0.2911
                                          0.4826
                           0.2296
                                   0.2759
##
    1993
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                                          0.4945
##
    1994
         1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1989
                                   0.2926 0.5085
##
    1995
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2593
                                   0.3005
                                          0.4403
##
    1996
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1998
                                   0.3054
                                          0.4948
##
    1997
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1622
                                   0.3102
                                          0.5275
##
    1998
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1276
                                   0.3212
                                          0.5511
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 26
                           0.2224
                                   0.2214
                                          0.5562
    1999
##
    2000
          1 4 1 0 0 0 30.5 0.2154
                                   0.2180
                                          0.5665
##
    2001 1 4 1 0 0 0 45.5 0.2253
                                   0.2699
                                          0.5048
##
    2002 1 4 1 0 0 0 19
                           0.1127
                                   0.2346
                                          0.6527
##
    2003
          1 4 1 0 0 0 32.5 0.3762
                                   0.2345
                                          0.3893
##
    2004
          1 4 1 0 0 0 24
                           0.2488
                                   0.1848
                                          0.5663
##
    2005
          1 4 1 0 0 0 21
                           0.2825
                                   0.2744
                                          0.4431
##
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.3276
                                   0.2293
    2006
                                          0.4431
##
    2007
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.4394
                                   0.3525
                                          0.2081
                           0.3745
##
    2008
          1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                                   0.2219
                                          0.4036
##
                           0.3057
    2009
         1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                                   0.4202 0.2741
                           0.4081
                                   0.3371
##
    2010 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                                          0.2548
##
    2011
         1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2179
                                   0.3940 0.3881
##
    2012 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1573
                                   0.4393 0.4034
##
                           0.2100
                                   0.2834
                                          0.5065
    2013 1 4 1 0 0 0 37
##
    2014 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.1738
                                   0.3912 0.4350
##
    2015 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2340
                                   0.2994
                                          0.4666
##
    2016 1 4 1 0 0 0 50
                           0.2255
                                   0.2780
                                          0.4965
##
    ##length proportions of pot survey
##
    ##Year, Seas, Fleet, Sex, Type, Shell, Maturity, Nsamp, DataVec
##
```

```
##
    1998 1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.0769 0.2205 0.7026
##
    2001 1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.1493
                                   0.2049
                                          0.6457
          1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.0672
                                          0.6845
##
    2004
                                   0.2484
    2007 1 5 1 0 0 0 100
##
                          0.1257
                                   0.3148
                                          0.5595
##
    2010 1 5 1 0 0 0 100
                          0.1299
                                   0.3209
                                          0.5492
    2013 1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.1556
##
                                   0.2477
                                          0.5967
    2015 1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.0706
                                   0.2431 0.6859
    2016 1 5 1 0 0 0 100 0.0832 0.1917 0.7251
##
## ## Growth data (increment)
## # nobs_growth
## 3
## # MidPoint Sex Increment CV
## 97.5 1 14.1 0.2197
## 112.5 1 14.1 0.2197
## 127.5 1 14.1 0.2197
## # 97.5
            1 13.8 0.2197
## # 112.5 1 14.1 0.2197
## # 127.5 1 14.4 0.2197
## # Use custom transition matrix (0=no, 1=growth matrix, 2=transition matrix, i.e. growth and molting)
## # The custom growth matrix (if not using just fill with zeros)
## # Alternative TM (loosely) based on Otto and Cummiskey (1990)
## 0.2 0.7 0.1
## 0.0 0.4 0.6
## 0.0 0.0 1.0
## ## eof
## 9999
##
```

# The match model control file:

```
## # Set up to do Stock Reduction Analysis using Catch data and informative priors.
## # Controls for leading parameter vector theta
## # LEGEND FOR PRIOR:
## #
                       0 -> uniform
## #
                       1 -> normal
## #
                       2 -> lognormal
## #
                       3 -> beta
## #
                       4 -> gamma
## # ntheta
     12
## # ival
                                                                p2
                 lb
                            ub
                                       phz
                                             prior
                                                        p1
                                                                            # parameter
##
     0.18
               0.01
                             1
                                       -4
                                                 2
                                                     0.18
                                                             0.02
                                                                            # M
##
     14.3
               -7.0
                            30
                                       -2
                                                 0
                                                      -7
                                                               30
                                                                            # log(R0)
               -7.0
                                                     -10.0
##
     10.0
                            20
                                       -1
                                                 1
                                                                20
                                                                            # log(Rini)
                                                      -7
               -7.0
##
     10.0
                            20
                                                 0
                                                                20
                                                                            # log(Rbar)
                                        1
##
     80.0
               30.0
                           310
                                       -2
                                                1
                                                      72.5
                                                              7.25
                                                                            # Recruitment size distribution
##
     0.25
                0.1
                             7
                                       -4
                                                 0
                                                      0.1
                                                              9.0
                                                                            # Recruitment size scale (varia
##
     0.2
              -10.0
                          0.75
                                       -4
                                                0
                                                   -10.0
                                                             0.75
                                                                            # log(sigma_R)
##
     0.75
               0.20
                          1.00
                                       -2
                                                 3
                                                             2.00
                                                      3.0
                                                                            # steepness
##
    0.01
               0.00
                          1.00
                                       -3
                                                 3
                                                      1.01
                                                             1.01
                                                                            # recruitment autocorrelation
                                                      5.00
## 14.5
               5.00
                         20.00
                                        1
                                                 0
                                                            20.00
                                                                            # logNO vector of initial number
## 14.0
               5.00
                         20.00
                                        1
                                                0
                                                      5.00 20.00
                                                                            # logNO vector of initial number
```

```
13.5
               5.00
                         20.00
                                       1
                                                     5.00 20.00
                                                                           # logNO vector of initial number
## ## GROWTH PARAM CONTROLS
                                                                                               ##
## ## Two lines for each parameter if split sex, one line if not
                                                                                               ##
                                                                                                #
##
  # ival
                 lb
                           ub
                                       phz prior
                                                      p1
                                                                           # parameter
##
     14.1
               10.0
                          30.0
                                       -3
                                                 0
                                                      0.0
                                                            999.0
                                                                           # alpha males or combined
##
      0.0001
                0.0
                           0.01
                                       -3
                                                 0
                                                      0.0
                                                            999.0
                                                                           # beta males or combined
                                       -3
                                                                           # gscale males or combined
##
      0.45
                0.01
                          1.0
                                                 0
                                                      0.0
                                                            999.0
##
    121.5
               65.0
                         145.0
                                       -4
                                                 0
                                                      0.0
                                                            999.0
                                                                           # molt mu males or combined
##
      0.060
                0.0
                           1.0
                                       -3
                                                 0
                                                      0.0
                                                            999.0
                                                                           # molt cv males or combined
##
     SELECTIVITY CONTROLS
                                                                                               ##
##
          Each gear must have a selectivity and a retention selectivity. If a uniform
                                                                                               ##
##
          prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1 and p2 are
                                                                                               ##
  ##
                                                                                               ##
##
          ignored)
  ## LEGEND
                                                                                               ##
          sel type: 0 = parametric, 1 = coefficients, 2 = logistic, 3 = logistic95,
                                                                                               ##
##
  ##
##
                    4 = double normal (NIY)
                                                                                               ##
          gear index: use +ve for selectivity, -ve for retention
                                                                                               ##
## ##
          sex dep: 0 for sex-independent, 1 for sex-dependent
## ##
                                                                                               ##
     ______
                                                                                              ##
  ## ivector for number of year periods or nodes
                TBycatch FBycatch NMFS_S
## ## POT
                                              ADFG_pot
                Gear-2
                          Gear-3
## ## Gear-1
                                    Gear-4
                                              Gear-5
##
      2
                1
                          1
                                    1
                                              1
                                                        # Selectivity periods
##
                0
                          0
                                    0
                                              0
                                                        # sex specific selectivity
##
      0
                3
                          3
                                    0
                                              0
                                                        # male selectivity type
##
  ## Gear-1
                Gear-2
                          Gear-3
                                    Gear-4
                                              Gear-5
##
                                              1
                                                        # Retention periods
      1
                1
                          1
                                    1
##
      0
                0
                          0
                                    0
                                              0
                                                        # sex specific retention
                          2
##
      3
                2
                                    2
                                              2
                                                        # male retention type
##
      1
                0
                          0
                                    0
                                              0
                                                        # male retention flag (0 -> no, 1 -> yes)
                                                                            start end
                                                                                               ##
  ## gear par
                  sel
                                                                    phz
                                                                                               ##
  ## index index par sex ival lb
                                               prior p1
                                                                    mirror period period
                                        ub
                                                             p2
##
  # Gear-1
##
      1
                       0
                            0.490680567427 0.001 2.0
                                                         0
                                                                 0
                                                                         1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                             2008
            1
                  1
                                                                                     1978
##
      1
            2
                  2
                       0
                            0.785300542244 0.001 2.0
                                                         0
                                                                 0
                                                                         1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     1978
                                                                                             2008
##
      1
            3
                  3
                      0
                                           0.001 2.0
                                                         0
                                                                 Ω
                                                                         1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     1978
                                                                                            2008
##
            1
                       0
                            0.402423912257 0.001 2.0
                                                                 0
                                                                         1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     2009
                  1
                                                         0
                                                                                             2015
##
            2
                  2
                      Λ
                            0.981647895824 0.001 2.0
                                                         Ω
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     2009
      1
                                                                 Ω
                                                                         1
                                                                                            2015
                                           0.001 2.0
                                                                                     2009
      1
            3
                                                                                             2015
## # Gear-2
                                                                200
                                                                        -3
##
      2
            7
                  1
                      Ω
                            40
                                     10.0
                                           200
                                                   0
                                                          10
                                                                               1978
                                                                                      2015
      2
                       0
                                           200
                                                                200
                                                                        -3
##
            8
                  2
                            60
                                     10.0
                                                   0
                                                          10
                                                                               1978
                                                                                      2015
## # Gear-3
                                                                200
##
      3
            9
                      0
                            40
                                     10.0
                                           200
                                                   0
                                                          10
                                                                        -3
                                                                               1978
                                                                                      2015
                  1
                                                                200
##
      3
           10
                  2
                       0
                            60
                                     10.0
                                           200
                                                   0
                                                          10
                                                                        -3
                                                                               1978
                                                                                      2015
##
  # Gear-4
##
      4
            8
                  1
                      0
                            0.793562338771 0.001 2.0
                                                         0
                                                                 0
                                                                        1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     1978
                                                                                             2015
                                                                             -2
##
      4
            9
                  2
                       0
                            1.08339465666 0.001 2.0
                                                        0
                                                                0
                                                                                    1978
                                                                                            2015
                                                                        1
##
      4
            10
                  3
                       0
                            1.0
                                          0.001 2.0
                                                                0
                                                                             -2
                                                                                            2015
                                                        0
                                                                                    1978
                                                                        1
## # Gear-5
##
      5
                      0
                            0.411256448303 0.001 2.0
                                                         0
                                                                 0
                                                                        1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     1978
                                                                                            2015
            11
                  1
                            0.861094630732 0.001 2.0
##
      5
            12
                  2
                       0
                                                         0
                                                                 0
                                                                         1
                                                                              -2
                                                                                     1978
                                                                                             2015
```

```
0.001 2.0 0 0 1 -2 1978
   5 13
            3 0
                 1.0
                                                              2015
## ## Retained
## # Gear-1
                  120
                      100
                          200
                                       900
##
   -1
        14
               0
                               0
                                    1
                                           -1
                                                1978
                                                     2015
            1
##
   -1
               0
                  123
                      110
                          200
                               0
                                    1
                                       900
                                           -1
                                                1978
                                                     2015
## # Gear-2
   -2
                  595
                          700
                                       900
                                           -3
        16
                      1
                               0
                                    1
                                                1978
                                                     2015
            1
   -2
##
        17
            2
               0
                 10
                      1
                          700
                               0
                                    1
                                       900
                                           -3
                                                1978
                                                     2015
## # Gear-3
##
   -3
                  590
                          700
                                       900
                                           -3
        18
            1
               Ω
                       1
                               0
                                    1
                                                1978
                                                     2015
##
   -3
        19
            2
               0
                 10
                      1
                          700
                               0
                                    1
                                       900
                                           -3
                                                1978
                                                     2015
## # Gear-4
                 580
                          700
                                       900
                                           -3
##
   -4
        20
               0
                               0
                                    1
                                                1978
                                                     2015
                      1
            1
   -4
                 20
                                       900
##
        21
            2
               Ω
                      1
                          700
                               Ω
                                    1
                                           -3
                                                1978
                                                     2015
## # Gear-5
##
   -5
        22
            1
               0
                  580
                      1
                          700
                               0
                                   1
                                       900
                                           -3
                                                1978
                                                     2015
##
   -5
        23
            2
               0
                 20
                          700
                               0
                                       900 -3
                                                1978
                      1
                                    1
                                                     2015
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PRIORS FOR CATCHABILITY
      If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
      and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                               ##
## ## LEGEND
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                               ##
## ## ----- ##
## ## LAMBDA: Arbitrary relative weights for each series, 0 = do not fit.
## ## SURVEYS/INDICES ONLY
                                        Analytic?
## ## ival lb
            ub
                    phz prior p1
                                    p2
                                                LAMBDA
               2
    1.0
         0
                    -1
                        0
                                        0
                                                1
                             0
                                    9.0
                                                      # NMFS trawl
## 0.00411135867487 0 5
                    -1
                        0
                             0
                                    9.0
                                        0
                                                      # ADF&G pot
                                                1
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ADDITIONAL CV FOR SURVEYS/INDICES
                                                               ##
      If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
                                                               ##
      and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                               ##
## ## LEGEND
                                                               ##
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                               ##
## ## ------ ##
       lb
## ## ival
                                        p2
                                   p1
                          phz prior
                   ub
    0.0000001 0.00000001 10.0 -4 4
                                       1.0
                                              100 # NMFS
                             -4 4
                                              100 # ADF&G
    0.0000001 0.00000001 10.0
                                        1.0
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## PENALTIES FOR AVERAGE FISHING MORTALITY RATE FOR EACH GEAR
 ## Mean_F STD_PHZ1 STD_PHZ2
                         PHZ
                       1 # Pot
##
    0.3
          0.05
               50.0
                        1 # Trawl
##
    0.001
          0.05
                50.0
                        1 # Fixed
   0.001
               50.0
##
          0.05
##
   0.00
          2.00
               20.00
                       -1 # NMFS
        2.00
##
    0.00
               20.00 -1 # ADF&G
## ## ----- ##
```

```
##
## ## OPTIONS FOR SIZE COMPOSTION DATA (COLUMN FOR EACH MATRIX)
                                      ------ ##
## ## LIKELIHOOD OPTIONS
## ##
      -1) Multinomial with estimated/fixed sample size
      -2) Robust approximation to multinomial
      -3) logistic normal (NIY)
## ##
## ##
      -4) multivariate-t (NIY)
## ##
      -5) Dirichlet
## ## AUTOTAIL COMPRESSION
      pmin is the cumulative proportion used in tail compression.
          1 # Type of likelihood
      2
          2 # Type of likelihood
      5 5 # Type of likelihood
      0 0 # Auto tail compression (pmin)
             # Initial value for effective sample size multiplier
##
     -4 -4 # Phz for estimating effective sample size (if appl.)
         3
            # Composition aggregator
##
          1
             # LAMBDA
## ## ------ ##
##
## ## TIME VARYING NATURAL MORTALIIY RATES
## ## TYPE:
        0 = constant natural mortality
        1 = Random walk (deviates constrained by variance in M)
        2 = Cubic Spline (deviates constrained by nodes & node-placement)
        3 = Blocked changes (deviates constrained by variance at specific knots)
        4 = Time blocks
## ## Type
## ## Phase of estimation
## ## STDEV in m_dev for Random walk
## ## Number of nodes for cubic spline or number of step-changes for option 3
## ## Year position of the knots (vector must be equal to the number of nodes)
## 1998 1999
## ## -----
                ----- ##
## ## OTHER CONTROLS
  ## ------ ##
##
   3
          # Estimated rec_dev phase
          # Estimated rec_ini phase
##
##
          # VERBOSE FLAG (0 = off, 1 = on, 2 = objective func)
##
          # Initial conditions (0 = Unfished, 1 = Steady-state fished, 2 = Free parameters)
##
          # First year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
   1978
##
   2016
          # Last year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
```

```
## 0.35  # Target SPR ratio for Bmsy proxy
## 1  # Gear index for SPR calculations (i.e. directed fishery)
## 1  # Lambda (proportion of mature male biomass for SPR reference points)
## 1  # Use empirical molt increment data (0 = FALSE, 1 = TRUE)
## 0  # Stock-Recruit-Relationship (0 = None, 1 = Beverton-Holt)
## ## EOF
## 9999
```

#### The base model control file:

```
## # Set up to do Stock Reduction Analysis using Catch data and informative priors.
## # Controls for leading parameter vector theta
## # LEGEND FOR PRIOR:
## #
                      0 -> uniform
## #
                      1 -> normal
## #
                     2 -> lognormal
## #
                     3 -> beta
## #
                      4 -> gamma
## # ntheta
##
     12
## # ival
                                     phz
                lb
                                                                        # parameter
                          пþ
                                           prior
                                                   р1
                                                             p2
##
    0.18
              0.01
                           1
                                     -4
                                              2
                                                  0.18
                                                          0.02
                                                                        # M
              -7.0
                                     -2
##
     14.3
                           30
                                              0
                                                   -7
                                                            30
                                                                        # log(R0)
     10.0
              -7.0
                           20
                                     -1
                                                  -10.0
                                                            20
                                                                        # log(Rini)
##
                                              1
     10.0
              -7.0
                                                  -7
                                                            20
##
                          20
                                     1
                                              0
                                                                        # log(Rbar)
                                                           7.25
##
    80.0
              30.0
                         310
                                     -2
                                              1
                                                  72.5
                                                                        # Recruitment size distribution
##
     0.25
                0.1
                           7
                                     -4
                                              0
                                                   0.1
                                                           9.0
                                                                        # Recruitment size scale (varia
##
    0.2
              -10.0
                        0.75
                                     -4
                                              0 -10.0
                                                          0.75
                                                                        # log(sigma_R)
##
    0.75
              0.20
                        1.00
                                     -2
                                              3
                                                  3.0
                                                          2.00
                                                                        # steepness
##
    0.01
              0.00
                        1.00
                                     -3
                                              3
                                                  1.01
                                                          1.01
                                                                        # recruitment autocorrelation
##
   14.5
              5.00
                        20.00
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
                                     1
                                              0
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
##
   14.0
              5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                              0
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
##
   13.5
              5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
## ## GROWTH PARAM CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## Two lines for each parameter if split sex, one line if not
## # ival
                1b
                          ub
                                      phz prior
                                                    р1
                                                             p2
                                                                        # parameter
##
     14.1
              10.0
                         30.0
                                      -3
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # alpha males or combined
##
                         0.01
                                      -3
                                                                        # beta males or combined
     0.0001
               0.0
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
##
      0.45
               0.01
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # gscale males or combined
##
   121.5
              65.0
                        145.0
                                      -4
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_mu males or combined
##
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_cv males or combined
               0.0
##
## ## -----
## ## SELECTIVITY CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
         Each gear must have a selectivity and a retention selectivity. If a uniform
          prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1 and p2 are
                                                                                           ##
## ##
## ##
          ignored)
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## LEGEND
         sel type: 0 = parametric, 1 = coefficients, 2 = logistic, 3 = logistic95,
                                                                                           ##
                    4 = double normal (NIY)
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ##
          gear index: use +ve for selectivity, -ve for retention
                                                                                           ##
          sex dep: 0 for sex-independent, 1 for sex-dependent
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## ivector for number of year periods or nodes
                                                                                           ##
## ## POT
                TBycatch FBycatch NMFS_S
                                            ADFG pot
## ## Gear-1
                Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                   Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
##
      2
                                            1
                                                      # Selectivity periods
                1
                         1
##
                0
                         0
                                            0
                                                      # sex specific selectivity
##
                3
                         3
                                   0
                                           0
                                                      # male selectivity type
## ## Gear-1
                Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                  Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
##
                                                      # Retention periods
      1
                1
                         1
                                   1
                                            1
##
                         0
                                                      # sex specific retention
```

```
2
                                      2
                                              # male retention type
##
            2
                     2
                                      0
                                              # male retention flag (0 -> no, 1 -> yes)
##
     1
                      0
              0
                                                           phz
## ## gear par sel
                                                                  start end
  ## index index par sex ival lb ub
                                        prior p1
                                                           mirror period period
                                                     p2
  # Gear-1
     1
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
          1
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                     1
               1
     1
          2
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           3
##
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          3
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          4
               1
                   0
                        0.4
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
          5
                                                0
##
     1
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                     1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
##
     1
          6
               3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                           -3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-2
         7
                                                    200
##
     2
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
     2
                2
                                                    200
##
          8
                   0
                        60
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
     3
          9
               1
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                    200
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
     3
                             10.0 200
                                               10
                                                    200
          10
                2
                   0
                        60
                                         0
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-4
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           4
##
     4
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                      1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          11
                1
##
     4
          12
                2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                            4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          13
##
     4
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-5
##
     5
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
          14
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
                                                      1
     5
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
##
          15
                2
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                                        2015
##
     5
          16
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## ## Retained
## # Gear-1
          17
                        120
                             100
                                   200
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
##
    -1
                   0
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
                                                                        2015
               1
##
    -1
                   0
                        123
                                   200
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          18
                2
                             110
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
## # Gear-2
##
    -2
          19
                1
                   0
                        595
                              1
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -2
          20
                2
                   0
                        10
                              1
                                  700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
    -3
                   0
                        590
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
          21
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
##
    -3
          22
                   0
                        10
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                              1
## # Gear-4
##
   -4
          23
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -4
          24
                   0
                        20
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                2
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
## # Gear-5
##
    -5
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
          25
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
                        20
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
          26
                2
                   0
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
                                                                        2015
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PRIORS FOR CATCHABILITY
         If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
## ##
         and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                                                 ##
                                                                                 ##
## ## LEGEND
        prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                                                 ##
## ## ------ ##
## ## LAMBDA: Arbitrary relative weights for each series, 0 = do not fit.
## ## SURVEYS/INDICES ONLY
## ## ival
            lb
                   ub
                         phz prior p1
                                              p2
                                                   Analytic? LAMBDA
                                     0
##
     1.0
            0
                    2
                         -1
                               0
                                              9.0
                                                   0
                                                              1 # NMFS trawl
```

```
5 1 0 0 9.0 0 1 # ADF&G pot
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ADDITIONAL CV FOR SURVEYS/INDICES
      If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
                                                               ##
      and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
## ## I.EGEND
                                                                ##
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                                ##
                                     p1
## ## ival
           lb
                         phz prior
                                          p2
                  ub
    0.00001
                                           100
            0.000001 10.0
                          -4
                                     1.0
                              4
                                                 # NMFS
    0.00001
            0.000001 10.0
                           -4
                                4
                                      1.0
                                            100 # ADF&G
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## PENALTIES FOR AVERAGE FISHING MORTALITY RATE FOR EACH GEAR
## ## Mean_F STD_PHZ1 STD_PHZ2
                         PHZ
##
    0.3
         0.05
                50.0
                        1 # Pot
               50.0
    0.001 0.05
##
                        1 # Trawl
   0.001 0.05 50.0
                        1 # Fixed
##
          2.00
               20.00
                        -1 # NMFS
##
   0.00
               20.00
##
    0.00
          2.00
                        -1 # ADF&G
## ## ----- ##
## ## ----- ##
## ## OPTIONS FOR SIZE COMPOSTION DATA (COLUMN FOR EACH MATRIX)
## ## LIKELIHOOD OPTIONS
     -1) Multinomial with estimated/fixed sample size
     -2) Robust approximation to multinomial
     -3) logistic normal (NIY)
     -4) multivariate-t (NIY)
## ##
     -5) Dirichlet
## ## AUTOTAIL COMPRESSION
     pmin is the cumulative proportion used in tail compression.
        1 # Type of likelihood
## # 1
     1
      2
        2 # Type of likelihood
      5 5 # Type of likelihood
          # Auto tail compression (pmin)
      0
        0
      1
        1
           # Initial value for effective sample size multiplier
     -4 -4 # Phz for estimating effective sample size (if appl.)
     2 3 # Composition aggregator
       1
           # LAMBDA
     1
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## TIME VARYING NATURAL MORTALIIY RATES
 ##
## ## TYPE:
      0 = constant natural mortality
      1 = Random walk (deviates constrained by variance in M)
```

```
2 = Cubic Spline (deviates constrained by nodes & node-placement)
## ##
         3 = Blocked changes (deviates constrained by variance at specific knots)
         4 = Time blocks
## ## ----- ##
## ## Type
## 3
## ## Phase of estimation
## 4
## ## STDEV in m_dev for Random walk
## ## Number of nodes for cubic spline or number of step-changes for option 3
## ## Year position of the knots (vector must be equal to the number of nodes)
## 1998 1999
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## OTHER CONTROLS
## ## ------ ##
##
          # Estimated rec dev phase
##
          # Estimated rec_ini phase
##
          # VERBOSE FLAG (0 = off, 1 = on, 2 = objective func)
          # Initial conditions (0 = Unfished, 1 = Steady-state fished, 2 = Free parameters)
##
          # First year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
##
    1978
          # Last year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
##
    2016
    0.35
          # Target SPR ratio for Bmsy proxy
##
          # Gear index for SPR calculations (i.e. directed fishery)
          # Lambda (proportion of mature male biomass for SPR reference points)
##
    1
          # Use empirical molt increment data (0 = FALSE, 1 = TRUE)
##
          # Stock-Recruit-Relationship (0 = None, 1 = Beverton-Holt)
## ## EOF
## 9999
```

### The Francis model control file:

```
## # Set up to do Stock Reduction Analysis using Catch data and informative priors.
## # Controls for leading parameter vector theta
## # LEGEND FOR PRIOR:
## #
                      0 -> uniform
## #
                      1 -> normal
## #
                      2 -> lognormal
## #
                     3 -> beta
## #
                      4 -> gamma
## # ntheta
##
     12
## # ival
                                     phz
                lb
                                                                        # parameter
                           пþ
                                           prior
                                                   р1
                                                             p2
##
    0.18
              0.01
                           1
                                     -4
                                              2
                                                  0.18
                                                          0.02
                                                                        # M
               -7.0
                                     -2
##
     14.3
                           30
                                              0
                                                   -7
                                                            30
                                                                        # log(RO) - unfished recruits
     10.0
               -7.0
                           20
                                     -1
                                                  -10.0
                                                            20
                                                                        # log(Rini) - initial recruitme
##
                                              1
     10.0
                                                  -7
                                                            20
##
              -7.0
                           20
                                     1
                                              0
                                                                        # log(Rbar) - average recruits(
                                                           7.25
                                                                        # Recruitment size distribution
##
    80.0
              30.0
                         310
                                     -2
                                              1
                                                  72.5
##
     0.25
                0.1
                           7
                                     -4
                                              0
                                                   0.1
                                                           9.0
                                                                        # Recruitment size scale (varia
##
    0.2
              -10.0
                        0.75
                                     -4
                                              0
                                                -10.0
                                                          0.75
                                                                        # log(sigma_R)
##
    0.75
              0.20
                        1.00
                                     -2
                                              3
                                                  3.0
                                                                        # steepness
                                                          2.00
##
    0.01
              0.00
                        1.00
                                     -3
                                              3
                                                  1.01
                                                          1.01
                                                                        # recruitment autocorrelation
##
   14.5
               5.00
                        20.00
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
                                     1
                                              0
##
   14.0
               5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                              0
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
##
   13.5
               5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
## ## GROWTH PARAM CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## Two lines for each parameter if split sex, one line if not
## # ival
                1b
                           ub
                                      phz prior
                                                             p2
                                                                        # parameter
                                                    р1
##
     14.1
               10.0
                         30.0
                                      -3
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # alpha males or combined
##
                         0.01
                                      -3
     0.0001
               0.0
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # beta males or combined
##
      0.45
               0.01
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # gscale males or combined
##
   121.5
               65.0
                        145.0
                                      -4
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_mu males or combined
##
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_cv males or combined
      0.060
               0.0
##
## ## -----
## ## SELECTIVITY CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
         Each gear must have a selectivity and a retention selectivity. If a uniform
          prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1 and p2 are
                                                                                           ##
## ##
## ##
          ignored)
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## LEGEND
         sel type: 0 = parametric, 1 = coefficients, 2 = logistic, 3 = logistic95,
                                                                                           ##
                    4 = double normal (NIY)
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ##
          gear index: use +ve for selectivity, -ve for retention
                                                                                           ##
          sex dep: 0 for sex-independent, 1 for sex-dependent
                                                                                           ##
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## ivector for number of year periods or nodes
                                                                                           ##
## ## POT
                TBycatch FBycatch NMFS_S
                                            ADFG pot
## ## Gear-1
                Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                   Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
##
      2
                                            1
                1
                         1
                                                      # Selectivity periods
##
                0
                         0
                                            0
                                                      # sex specific selectivity
##
                3
                         3
                                   0
                                            0
                                                      # male selectivity type
## ## Gear-1
                Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                  Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
                                                      # Retention periods
##
      1
                1
                         1
                                   1
                                            1
##
                         0
                                                      # sex specific retention
```

```
2
                                      2
                                              # male retention type
##
            2
                     2
                                      0
                                              # male retention flag (0 -> no, 1 -> yes)
##
     1
                      0
              0
                                                           phz
## ## gear par sel
                                                                  start end
  ## index index par sex ival lb ub
                                        prior p1
                                                           mirror period period
                                                     p2
  # Gear-1
     1
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
          1
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                     1
               1
     1
          2
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           3
##
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          3
               3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          4
               1
                   0
                        0.4
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
          5
                                                0
##
     1
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                     1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
##
     1
          6
               3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                           -3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-2
         7
                                                    200
##
     2
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
     2
                2
                                                    200
##
          8
                   0
                        60
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
     3
          9
               1
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                    200
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
     3
                             10.0 200
                                               10
                                                    200
          10
                2
                   0
                        60
                                         0
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-4
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           4
##
     4
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                      1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          11
                1
##
     4
          12
                2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                            4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          13
##
     4
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-5
##
     5
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
          14
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
                                                      1
     5
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
##
          15
                2
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                                        2015
##
     5
          16
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## ## Retained
## # Gear-1
          17
                        120
                             100
                                   200
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
##
    -1
                   0
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
                                                                        2015
               1
##
    -1
                   0
                        123
                                   200
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          18
                2
                             110
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
## # Gear-2
##
    -2
          19
                1
                   0
                        595
                              1
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -2
          20
                2
                   0
                        10
                              1
                                  700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
    -3
                   0
                        590
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
          21
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
##
    -3
          22
                   0
                        10
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                              1
## # Gear-4
##
   -4
          23
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -4
          24
                   0
                        20
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                2
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
## # Gear-5
##
    -5
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                           -3
          25
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
                        20
                                  700
                                                    900
                                                                  1978
##
          26
                2
                   0
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
                                                                        2015
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PRIORS FOR CATCHABILITY
         If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
## ##
         and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                                                 ##
## ## LEGEND
                                                                                 ##
        prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                                                 ##
## ## ------ ##
## ## LAMBDA: Arbitrary relative weights for each series, 0 = do not fit.
## ## SURVEYS/INDICES ONLY
## ## ival
           lb
                   ub
                         phz prior p1
                                              p2
                                                   Analytic? LAMBDA
                                      0
##
     1.0
            0
                    2
                         -1
                               0
                                              9.0
                                                   0
                                                              1 # NMFS trawl
```

```
5 1 0 0 9.0 0 1 # ADF&G pot
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ADDITIONAL CV FOR SURVEYS/INDICES
      If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1
                                                             ##
      and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
## ## I.EGEND
                                                             ##
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                             ##
                                   p1
## ## ival
           lb
                 ub
                         phz prior
                                         p2
    0.00001
                                          100
            0.000001 10.0
                         -4
                             4
                                    1.0
                                               # NMFS
    0.00001
            0.000001 10.0
                          -4
                               4
                                     1.0
                                           100 # ADF&G
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## PENALTIES FOR AVERAGE FISHING MORTALITY RATE FOR EACH GEAR
## ## Mean_F STD_PHZ1 STD_PHZ2
                        PHZ
               50.0
##
    0.3
         0.05
                       1 # Pot
              50.0
   0.001 0.05
##
                       1 # Trawl
   0.001 0.05 50.0
                       1 # Fixed
##
         2.00
              20.00
                       -1 # NMFS
##
   0.00
              20.00
##
    0.00
         2.00
                       -1 # ADF&G
## ## ------ ##
## ## OPTIONS FOR SIZE COMPOSTION DATA (COLUMN FOR EACH MATRIX)
## ## LIKELIHOOD OPTIONS
     -1) Multinomial with estimated/fixed sample size
## ##
     -2) Robust approximation to multinomial
     -3) logistic normal (NIY)
     -4) multivariate-t (NIY)
## ##
     -5) Dirichlet
## ## AUTOTAIL COMPRESSION
     pmin is the cumulative proportion used in tail compression.
      1 1 # Type of likelihood
## # 2 2 2 # Type of likelihood
     0 0
          # Auto tail compression (pmin)
           # Initial value for effective sample size multiplier
     -4 -4 # Phz for estimating effective sample size (if appl.)
    2 3 # Composition aggregator
   1.7239 0.5009 1.7008
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## TIME VARYING NATURAL MORTALIIY RATES
                                                             ##
## ## TYPE:
## ##
       0 = constant natural mortality
## ##
       1 = Random walk (deviates constrained by variance in M)
## ##
       2 = Cubic Spline (deviates constrained by nodes & node-placement)
```

```
3 = Blocked changes (deviates constrained by variance at specific knots)
## ##
        4 = Time blocks
## ## ------ ##
## ## Type
## ## Phase of estimation
## ## STDEV in m_dev for Random walk
## 10.0
## ## Number of nodes for cubic spline or number of step-changes for option 3
## ## Year position of the knots (vector must be equal to the number of nodes)
## 1998 1999
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## OTHER CONTROLS
##
         # Estimated rec_dev phase
##
         # Estimated rec_ini phase
##
         # VERBOSE FLAG (0 = off, 1 = on, 2 = objective func)
##
         # Initial conditions (0 = Unfished, 1 = Steady-state fished, 2 = Free parameters)
##
         # First year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
   1978
         # Last year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
##
   2016
##
   0.35
         # Target SPR ratio for Bmsy proxy
##
         # Gear index for SPR calculations (i.e. directed fishery)
##
         # Lambda (proportion of mature male biomass for SPR reference points)
         # Use empirical molt increment data (0 = FALSE, 1 = TRUE)
##
##
         # Stock-Recruit-Relationship (0 = None, 1 = Beverton-Holt)
## ## EOF
## 9999
```

# The no $M_{1998}$ model control file:

```
## # Set up to do Stock Reduction Analysis using Catch data and informative priors.
## # Controls for leading parameter vector theta
## # LEGEND FOR PRIOR:
## #
                      0 -> uniform
## #
                      1 -> normal
## #
                      2 -> lognormal
## #
                     3 -> beta
## #
                      4 -> gamma
## # ntheta
##
     12
## # ival
                                     phz
                lb
                                                                        # parameter
                          пþ
                                           prior
                                                   р1
                                                             p2
##
    0.18
              0.01
                           1
                                     -4
                                              2
                                                  0.18
                                                          0.02
                                                                        # M
              -7.0
                                     -2
##
     14.3
                           30
                                              0
                                                   -7
                                                            30
                                                                        # log(R0)
     10.0
              -7.0
                           20
                                     -1
                                                  -10.0
                                                            20
                                                                        # log(Rini)
##
                                              1
##
    10
                                                  -7
                                                            20
              -7.0
                          20
                                     1
                                              0
                                                                        # log(Rbar)
                                                           7.25
##
    80.0
              30.0
                         310
                                     -2
                                              1
                                                  72.5
                                                                        # Recruitment size distribution
##
    0.25
               0.1
                           7
                                     -4
                                              0
                                                   0.1
                                                           9.0
                                                                        # Recruitment size scale (varia
##
     0.2
              -10.0
                        0.75
                                     -4
                                              0 -10.0
                                                          0.75
                                                                        # log(sigma_R)
##
    0.75
              0.20
                        1.00
                                     -2
                                              3
                                                  3.0
                                                          2.00
                                                                        # steepness
                                     -3
##
    0.01
              0.00
                        1.00
                                              3
                                                  1.01
                                                          1.01
                                                                        # recruitment autocorrelation
   14.5
              5.00
                        20.00
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
##
                                     1
                                              0
##
   14.0
              5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                              0
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
##
   13.5
              5.00
                        20.00
                                      1
                                                   5.00
                                                         20.00
                                                                        # logNO vector of initial number
## ## GROWTH PARAM CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## Two lines for each parameter if split sex, one line if not
## # ival
                1b
                          ub
                                      phz prior
                                                             p2
                                                                        # parameter
                                                    p1
##
     14.1
              10.0
                         30.0
                                      -3
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # alpha males or combined
                         0.01
                                      -3
##
     0.0001
               0.0
                                              0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # beta males or combined
##
      0.45
               0.01
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                               0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # gscale males or combined
##
   121.5
              65.0
                        145.0
                                      -4
                                              0
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_mu males or combined
##
                         1.0
                                      -3
                                                    0.0
                                                          999.0
                                                                        # molt_cv males or combined
      0.060
               0.0
##
## ## -----
## ## SELECTIVITY CONTROLS
                                                                                           ##
         Each gear must have a selectivity and a retention selectivity. If a uniform
          prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1 and p2 are
                                                                                           ##
## ##
## ##
          ignored)
                                                                                           ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## LEGEND
          sel type: 0 = parametric, 1 = coefficients, 2 = logistic, 3 = logistic95,
                                                                                           ##
                    4 = double normal (NIY)
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ##
          gear index: use +ve for selectivity, -ve for retention
                                                                                           ##
          sex dep: 0 for sex-independent, 1 for sex-dependent
                                                                                           ##
## ##
                                                                                           ##
## ## ivector for number of year periods or nodes
                                                                                           ##
## ## POT
               TBycatch FBycatch NMFS_S
                                            ADFG pot
## ## Gear-1
               Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                   Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
##
      2
                                            1
                                                      # Selectivity periods
               1
                         1
##
               0
                         0
                                            0
                                                      # sex specific selectivity
##
               3
                         3
                                   0
                                           0
                                                      # male selectivity type
## ## Gear-1
               Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                  Gear-4
                                            Gear-5
##
                                                      # Retention periods
      1
               1
                         1
                                   1
                                            1
##
                         0
                                                      # sex specific retention
```

```
2
                                              # male retention type
##
            2
                     2
                                      2
                                      0
##
     1
                      0
                                              # male retention flag (0 -> no, 1 -> yes)
              0
                                                           phz
## ## gear par sel
                                                                  start end
  ## index index par sex ival lb ub
                                         prior p1
                                                           mirror period period
                                                     p2
##
  # Gear-1
     1
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
          1
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                     1
               1
     1
          2
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           3
##
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          3
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2008
##
     1
          4
               1
                   0
                        0.4
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
          5
                                                0
##
     1
               2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                     1
                                                           3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
##
     1
          6
               3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                     1
                                                           -3
                                                                  2009
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-2
         7
                                                     200
##
     2
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
     2
                2
                                                     200
##
          8
                   0
                        60
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
     3
          9
               1
                   0
                        40
                             10.0 200
                                         0
                                               10
                                                     200
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
     3
                             10.0 200
                                               10
                                                     200
          10
                2
                   0
                        60
                                         0
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-4
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
                                                           4
##
     4
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                      1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          11
                1
##
     4
          12
                2
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                            4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          13
##
     4
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-5
##
     5
                   0
                             0.001 1.0
                                                0
          14
                        0.4
                                         0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
                                                      1
     5
                   0
                        0.7
                             0.001 1.0
                                                           4
                                                                  1978
##
          15
                2
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                                        2015
##
     5
          16
                3
                   0
                        1.0
                             0.001 2.0
                                         0
                                                0
                                                      1
                                                           -4
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## ## Retained
## # Gear-1
          17
                        120
                             100
                                   200
                                                     900
                                                                  1978
##
    -1
                   0
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
                                                                        2015
               1
##
    -1
                   0
                        123
                                   200
                                                     900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
          18
                2
                             110
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -1
## # Gear-2
##
    -2
          19
                1
                   0
                        595
                              1
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                     900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -2
          20
                2
                   0
                        10
                              1
                                  700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                     900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
## # Gear-3
##
    -3
                   0
                        590
                                  700
                                                     900
                                                           -3
          21
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                1
##
    -3
          22
                   0
                        10
                                   700
                                         0
                                                1
                                                     900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                              1
## # Gear-4
##
   -4
          23
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                     900
                                                           -3
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
##
    -4
          24
                   0
                        20
                                  700
                                                     900
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
                2
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
## # Gear-5
##
    -5
                   0
                        580
                                  700
                                                     900
                                                           -3
          25
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                                  1978
                                                                        2015
               1
                         20
                                  700
                                                     900
                                                                  1978
##
          26
                2
                   0
                              1
                                         0
                                                1
                                                           -3
                                                                        2015
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PRIORS FOR CATCHABILITY
         If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
## ##
         and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                                                 ##
## ## LEGEND
                                                                                 ##
        prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                                                 ##
## ## ------ ##
## ## LAMBDA: Arbitrary relative weights for each series, 0 = do not fit.
## ## SURVEYS/INDICES ONLY
## ## ival
           lb
                   ub
                         phz prior p1
                                              p2
                                                   Analytic? LAMBDA
##
     1.0
            0
                    2
                         -1
                               0
                                      0
                                              9.0
                                                   0
                                                              1 # NMFS trawl
```

```
5 1 0 0 9.0 0 1 # ADF&G pot
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ADDITIONAL CV FOR SURVEYS/INDICES
      If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1
                                                              ##
      and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
## ## I.EGEND
                                                              ##
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                              ##
                                   p1
## ## ival
           lb
                 ub
                         phz prior
                                         p2
    0.00001
                                          100
            0.000001 10.0
                         -4
                             4
                                    1.0
                                               # NMFS
    0.00001
            0.000001 10.0
                           -4
                               4
                                     1.0
                                           100 # ADF&G
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## PENALTIES FOR AVERAGE FISHING MORTALITY RATE FOR EACH GEAR
## ## Mean_F STD_PHZ1 STD_PHZ2
                        PHZ
##
    0.3
         0.05
                50.0
                       1 # Pot
              50.0
   0.001 0.05
##
                       1 # Trawl
   0.001 0.05 50.0
                       1 # Fixed
##
         2.00
              20.00
##
                       -1 # NMFS
   0.00
              20.00
##
    0.00
         2.00
                       -1 # ADF&G
## ## ------ ##
## ## OPTIONS FOR SIZE COMPOSTION DATA (COLUMN FOR EACH MATRIX)
## ## LIKELIHOOD OPTIONS
     -1) Multinomial with estimated/fixed sample size
## ##
     -2) Robust approximation to multinomial
     -3) logistic normal (NIY)
     -4) multivariate-t (NIY)
## ##
     -5) Dirichlet
## ## AUTOTAIL COMPRESSION
     pmin is the cumulative proportion used in tail compression.
      1 1 # Type of likelihood
## # 2 2 2 # Type of likelihood
     0 0
          # Auto tail compression (pmin)
           # Initial value for effective sample size multiplier
     -4 -4 # Phz for estimating effective sample size (if appl.)
    2 3 # Composition aggregator
   1.6131 0.5125 1.2095
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## TIME VARYING NATURAL MORTALIIY RATES
                                                             ##
## ## TYPE:
## ##
       0 = constant natural mortality
## ##
       1 = Random walk (deviates constrained by variance in M)
## ##
       2 = Cubic Spline (deviates constrained by nodes & node-placement)
```

```
3 = Blocked changes (deviates constrained by variance at specific knots)
        4 = Time blocks
## ## ----- ##
## ## Type
## ## Phase of estimation
## ## STDEV in m_dev for Random walk
## 10.0
## ## Number of nodes for cubic spline or number of step-changes for option 3
## ## Year position of the knots (vector must be equal to the number of nodes)
## 1998 1999
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ------ ##
## ## OTHER CONTROLS
  ## ------ ##
##
         # Estimated rec_dev phase
         # Estimated rec_ini phase
##
##
         # VERBOSE FLAG (0 = off, 1 = on, 2 = objective func)
         # Initial conditions (0 = Unfished, 1 = Steady-state fished, 2 = Free parameters)
##
   1978
         # First year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
         # Last year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
   2016
##
   0.35
         # Target SPR ratio for Bmsy proxy
         # Gear index for SPR calculations (i.e. directed fishery)
##
          # Lambda (proportion of mature male biomass for SPR reference points)
          # Use empirical molt increment data (0 = FALSE, 1 = TRUE)
          # Stock-Recruit-Relationship (0 = None, 1 = Beverton-Holt)
## ## EOF
## 9999
```

# The force model control file:

```
## # Set up to do Stock Reduction Analysis using Catch data and informative priors.
## # Controls for leading parameter vector theta
## # LEGEND FOR PRIOR:
## #
                    0 -> uniform
## #
                    1 -> normal
## #
                    2 -> lognormal
## #
                    3 -> beta
## #
                    4 -> gamma
## # ntheta
##
   12
## # ival
              lb
                         ub
                                   phz
                                         prior p1
                                                                     # parameter
                                                         p2
##
    0.18
              0.01
                                   -4
                                               0.18
                                                       0.02
                                                                     # M
                         1
                                            2
##
    14.0
             -7.0
                         30
                                   -2
                                            0
                                                -7
                                                         30
                                                                    # log(R0)
##
    10.0
              -7.0
                         20
                                   -1
                                            1 -10.0
                                                         20
                                                                    # log(Rini)
##
    10.0
              -7.0
                        20
                                   1
                                            0
                                                -7
                                                        20
                                                                    # log(Rbar)
##
              30.0
                                   -2
                                               72.5
                                                      7.25
                                                                    # Recruitment size distribution
    80.0
                        310
                                            1
##
    0.25
              0.1
                         7
                                   -4
                                            0
                                                0.1
                                                       9.0
                                                                    # Recruitment size scale (varia
                                   -4
##
    0.2
             -10.0
                       0.75
                                            0 -10.0
                                                       0.75
                                                                    # log(sigma_R)
##
    0.75
            0.20
                      1.00
                                   -2
                                           3 3.0
                                                       2.00
                                                                    # steepness
```

```
0.00
##
    0.01
                       1.00
                                    -3
                                             3
                                                  1.01
                                                        1.01
                                                                       # recruitment autocorrelation
##
   14.5
              5.00
                       20.00
                                                  5.00 20.00
                                                                       # logNO vector of initial number
                                     1
                                             0
              5.00
##
   14.0
                       20.00
                                     1
                                             0
                                                  5.00
                                                        20.00
                                                                       # logNO vector of initial number
                       20.00
                                                                       # logNO vector of initial number
##
  13.5
              5.00
                                     1
                                             0
                                                  5.00
                                                        20.00
## ## GROWTH PARAM CONTROLS
                                                                                         ##
## ## Two lines for each parameter if split sex, one line if not
                                                                                         ##
                                                  p1
## # ival
              lb
                          ub
                                     phz prior
                                                                      # parameter
                                                            p2
    14.1
                                     -3
                                                                      # alpha males or combined
##
              10.0
                        30.0
                                              0
                                                   0.0
                                                         999.0
##
     0.0001
               0.0
                         0.01
                                     -3
                                              0
                                                   0.0
                                                         999.0
                                                                      # beta males or combined
                                     -3
                                              0
                                                   0.0
##
     0.45
               0.01
                         1.0
                                                         999.0
                                                                      # gscale males or combined
##
   121.5
              65.0
                       145.0
                                     -4
                                              0
                                                   0.0
                                                         999.0
                                                                       # molt_mu males or combined
##
                                     -3
                                              0
                                                   0.0
                                                         999.0
                                                                      # molt_cv males or combined
     0.060
               0.0
                         1.0
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## SELECTIVITY CONTROLS
         Each gear must have a selectivity and a retention selectivity. If a uniform
                                                                                         ##
         prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1 and p2 are
                                                                                         ##
## ##
## ##
                                                                                         ##
         ignored)
## ## LEGEND
                                                                                         ##
         sel type: 0 = parametric, 1 = coefficients, 2 = logistic, 3 = logistic95,
## ##
                                                                                         ##
## ##
                   4 = double normal (NIY)
                                                                                         ##
         gear index: use +ve for selectivity, -ve for retention
         sex dep: 0 for sex-independent, 1 for sex-dependent
## ## -----
## ## ivector for number of year periods or nodes
                                                                                         ##
               TBycatch FBycatch NMFS_S
                                           ADFG_pot
## ## Gear-1
               Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                  Gear-4
                                           Gear-5
##
               1
                        1
                                  1
                                           1
                                                     # Selectivity periods
     Λ
                        0
                                           0
##
               0
                                  0
                                                     # sex specific selectivity
##
               3
                        3
                                  0
                                           0
                                                     # male selectivity type
## ## Gear-1
               Gear-2
                        Gear-3
                                  Gear-4
                                           Gear-5
##
     1
               1
                        1
                                  1
                                           1
                                                     # Retention periods
               0
                        0
##
     0
                                  0
                                           0
                                                     # sex specific retention
##
     3
               2
                        2
                                  2
                                           2
                                                     # male retention type
##
                        0
                                  0
                                           0
                                                     # male retention flag (0 -> no, 1 -> yes)
                                                                 phz
## ## gear par
               sel
                                                                        start end
## ## index index par sex ival lb
                                      ub
                                             prior p1
                                                          p2
                                                                 mirror period period
## # Gear-1
##
     1
                     0
                          0.4
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                     0
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2008
                 1
##
     1
           2
                 2
                     Λ
                          0.7
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                     Λ
                                                                  3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2008
                                                            1
           3
                 3
                          1.0
                                0.001 2.0
                                                     0
                                                                 -3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2008
##
     1
                                             0
                                                            1
##
           4
                     0
                          0.4
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                     0
                                                                  3
                                                                         2009
                                                                               2015
     1
                 1
                                                            1
           5
##
     1
                 2
                     Ω
                          0.7
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                     0
                                                            1
                                                                  3
                                                                         2009
                                                                               2015
                 3
                     0
                                                     0
                                                                         2009
##
     1
           6
                          1.0
                                0.001 2.0
                                             0
                                                            1
                                                                 -3
                                                                               2015
## # Gear-2
     2
           7
                                                          200
##
                     0
                          40
                                10.0
                                      200
                                                    10
                                                                 -3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
                 1
                                             0
##
      2
           8
                 2
                     0
                          60
                                10.0
                                      200
                                             0
                                                    10
                                                          200
                                                                 -3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
## # Gear-3
                                10.0
##
     3
           9
                 1
                     0
                          40
                                      200
                                             0
                                                    10
                                                          200
                                                                 -3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
##
     3
           10
                 2
                     0
                          60
                                10.0
                                      200
                                             0
                                                    10
                                                          200
                                                                 -3
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
## # Gear-4
                                                     0
##
     4
           11
                 1
                     0
                          0.4
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                            1
                                                                  4
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
##
     4
           12
                 2
                     0
                          0.7
                                0.001 1.0
                                             0
                                                     0
                                                            1
                                                                  4
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
##
     4
           13
                 3
                     0
                          1.0
                                0.001 2.0
                                             0
                                                     0
                                                            1
                                                                 -4
                                                                         1978
                                                                               2015
```

```
## # Gear-5
           1 0
##
    5 14
                   0.4
                       0.001 1.0
                               0 0 1 4
                                                     1978
                                                         2015
                       0.001 1.0
##
        15
            2 0
                   0.7
                                 0
                                     0
                                           1
                                               4
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
                       0.001 2.0
                                     0
##
    5
        16
            3 0
                   1.0
                                 0
                                            1
                                               -4
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
## ## Retained
## # Gear-1
  -1
                   120
                       100
                            200
                                          900
                                               -1
                                                     1978
       17
               0
                                 0
                                                          2015
            1
                                 0
   -1
                            200
                                          900
                                                     1978
##
        18
            2
               0
                   123
                        110
                                      1
                                               -1
                                                          2015
## # Gear-2
   -2
##
               0
                   595
                            700
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
       19
            1
                        1
                                 Ω
                                      1
                                                          2015
   -2
        20
             2
               0
                   10
                        1
                            700
                                 0
                                       1
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
## # Gear-3
  -3
                   590
                            700
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
##
       21
               0
                        1
                                 0
                                      1
                                                          2015
            1
   -3
        22
               0
                   10
                                          900
                                                     1978
##
                        1
                            700
                                 0
                                      1
                                               -3
                                                          2015
## # Gear-4
        23
##
   -4
            1
               0
                   580
                            700
                                 0
                                       1
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
##
   -4
        24
               0
                 20
                            700
                                 0
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
            2
                        1
                                       1
                                                          2015
## # Gear-5
  -5
        25
               0
                   580
                            700
                                 0
                                          900
                                               -3
##
                        1
                                       1
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
            1
##
   -5
        26
               0
                   20
                            700
                                 0
                                          900
                                               -3
                                                     1978
                                                          2015
## ## ----- ##
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PRIORS FOR CATCHABILITY
       If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the lb and ub are used (p1
       and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                                  ##
## ## LEGEND
    prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
## ##
                                                                  ##
## ## LAMBDA: Arbitrary relative weights for each series, 0 = do not fit.
## ## SURVEYS/INDICES ONLY
## ## ival
        1b
                ub
                    phz prior p1
                                 p2
                                          Analytic? LAMBDA
                2
                    -1
                                                  1.5
##
    1.0
                         0
                               0
                                     2.0
                                          0
                                                        # NMFS trawl
               5
                         0
                               0
                                     5.0
                                                  2
##
    4e-06 0
                    1
                                          0
                                                      # ADF&G pot
## ## -----
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ADDITIONAL CV FOR SURVEYS/INDICES
     If a uniform prior is selected for a parameter then the 1b and ub are used (p1
                                                                  ##
       and p2 are ignored). ival must be > 0
                                                                  ##
## ##
## ## LEGEND
      prior: 0 = uniform, 1 = normal, 2 = lognormal, 3 = beta, 4 = gamma
                                                                  ##
## ## ----- ##
## ## ival lb ub
                               prior
                           phz
                                      р1
                                           p2
            0.000001 10.0
    0.00001
                           -4
                                            100
                               4
                                      1.0
                                                 # NMFS
            0.000001
                           -4
                               4
                                       1.0
                                            100 # ADF&G
    0.00001
                     10.0
## ## -----
##
## ## ----- ##
## ## PENALTIES FOR AVERAGE FISHING MORTALITY RATE FOR EACH GEAR
## ## Mean F STD PHZ1 STD PHZ2
                         PHZ
                       1 # Pot
##
    0.3 0.05 50.0
    0.001
          0.05 50.0 1 # Trawl
##
```

```
0.05
                50.0
##
    0.001
                          1
                              # Fixed
                           -1 # NMFS
##
           2.00
                20.00
    0.00
##
    0.00
           2.00
                   20.00
                           -1 # ADF&G
## ## ------ ##
##
## ## ---------- ##
## ## OPTIONS FOR SIZE COMPOSTION DATA (COLUMN FOR EACH MATRIX)
## ## LIKELIHOOD OPTIONS
      -1) Multinomial with estimated/fixed sample size
      -2) Robust approximation to multinomial
## ##
      -3) logistic normal (NIY)
      -4) multivariate-t (NIY)
## ##
      -5) Dirichlet
## ## AUTOTAIL COMPRESSION
      pmin is the cumulative proportion used in tail compression.
   1 1 # Type of likelihood
      2 2 # Type of likelihood
         0
            # Auto tail compression (pmin)
##
          1
             # Initial value for effective sample size multiplier
     -4 -4 # Phz for estimating effective sample size (if appl.)
      2 3 # Composition aggregator
##
##
   1.4044 0.2623 0.3814
## ## ----- ##
## ## ----- ##
## ## TIME VARYING NATURAL MORTALIIY RATES
                                                                       ##
## ## TYPE:
## ##
        0 = constant natural mortality
## ##
        1 = Random walk (deviates constrained by variance in M)
        2 = Cubic Spline (deviates constrained by nodes & node-placement)
        3 = Blocked changes (deviates constrained by variance at specific knots)
        4 = Time blocks
## ## ----- ##
## ## Type
## 0
## ## Phase of estimation
## ## STDEV in m dev for Random walk
## ## Number of nodes for cubic spline or number of step-changes for option 3
## ## Year position of the knots (vector must be equal to the number of nodes)
## 1998 1999
##
## ## OTHER CONTROLS
## ## -
##
         # Estimated rec_dev phase
##
   3
         # Estimated rec_ini phase
         # VERBOSE FLAG (0 = off, 1 = on, 2 = objective func)
##
```

```
##
            # Initial conditions (0 = Unfished, 1 = Steady-state fished, 2 = Free parameters)
##
     1978
            # First year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
            # Last year for average recruitment for Bspr calculation
##
    2016
##
    0.35
            # Target SPR ratio for Bmsy proxy
            # Gear index for SPR calculations (i.e. directed fishery)
##
             # Lambda (proportion of mature male biomass for SPR reference points)
##
     1
             # Use empirical molt increment data (0 = FALSE, 1 = TRUE)
##
            # Stock-Recruit-Relationship (0 = None, 1 = Beverton-Holt)
##
   0
## ## EOF
## 9999
```