

Subject Area	No-action Alternative	Action Alternatives		
1. EFHCA changes (re-openings and closures)	No-action Alternative Retains current suite of EFHCAs. Retains trawl RCA closures. Continues to allow use of bottom contact gear in waters deeper than 3,500 m (PPA for Washington).	Alternative 1.a Collaborative	Alternative 1.b Oceana et al.	Alternative 1.h Preferred Alternative
2. Adjustments to Trawl RCA		Alternative 2.c Remove trawl RCA and implement block area closures (BACs) (outside the tribal U&A fishing area).		Alternative 2.d Remove trawl RCA and implement BACs (Oregon and California)
3. Use of MSA Sec. 303(b) discretionary authorities		Alternative 3.a Use MSA Sec. 303(b)(2)(A), 303(b)(2)(B), or 303(b)(12) to close waters deeper than 3,500 m to bottom contact gear		

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