

Peruvian hake FIP Progress Update

February 2017 -- CURRENT YEAR ACTIVITIES APPEAR IN BLUE THROUGHOUT THE TABLE

Results / FIP stage	Indicator of success	Specific Details	Date achieved	List of Suppliers/ Organization	Source
FIP is launched (Stage 1)	Sustainability evaluation is publicly available	FishSource profile becomes available	February 2009	CeDePesca SFP	FishSource profile
		MSC Pre-Assessment completed	August 2010	FIP partners Bureau Veritas	Confidential
	Fisheries improvement recommendations publicly available	The FIP public report after the reactivation of the FIP is available	February 2017	CeDePesca	Current improvement recommendations
FIP is formed (Stage 2)	Suppliers are organized Workplan with annual improvement milestones publicly available	Framework collaboration agreement signed	June 2010	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	Framework Agreement
		Specific Agreement N°2 has been signed between companies and CeDePesca, reactivating the FIP	February 2017	FIP Partners CeDePesca	- Agropesca - Arcopa - Cia. Pesquera Pepa - Dexim - Mai Shi Group - Marpesca - Pacific Freezing Company - Pesquera Terranova - Santa Monica - Seafrost - Horacio Eduardo Tassara Ortiz
		Detailed workplan available	February 2017	CeDePesca	Detailed workplan 2017
FIP is encouraging improvements (Stage 3)	FIP is achieving its milestones	Additional funding is secured to conduct additional studies to close information gaps. Unfortunately, the political climate was unstable in Peru and in early 2012, CeDePesca asked for the suspension of the grant, returning all monies to the grantor.	March 2011- December 2011	PSC-SNI CeDePesca	
		The experts' panel report on Peruvian hake is made public by authorities	October 2011	IMARPE	Experts' panel report

FIP is encouraging improvements (Stage 3) CONTINUED	FIP is achieving its milestones CONTINUED	CeDePesca and FIP partners participate of the Cross-Sectorial Working Group for the Recovery of Hake	January-May 2012	IMARPE PRODUCE FIP partners CeDePesca	
		The PSC-NSI conducts an international workshop on the "Situation, Evaluation and Sustainability of Peruvian hake"	August 2012	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	Footage from the workshop available in YouTube
		The PSC-NSI participates from a bi-national industry meeting to further collaboration between Ecuador and Peru in relation to Peruvian hake	September 2013	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	
		The latest stock assessment has been received in consonance with new transparency mechanisms	October 2013	CeDePesca	
		FIP partners begin implementation of a private initiative to collect data for an independent stock assessment	February 2014	PSC-NSI University of Piura CeDePesca	NewsMonitor - Media coverage
		Additional funding is secured to support the analysis of the data collected by FIP partners	March 2014	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	
		Workshop on Transparency and Access to Public Information in Fisheries is conducted by CeDePesca with participation from Peruvian authorities and international speakers	June 2014	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	Picture 1 Picture 2 Picture 3
		CeDePesca's staff went onboard a fishing vessel to verify bycatch and discards levels	September 2014	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	

FIP is encouraging improvements (Stage 3) CONTINUED	FIP is achieving its milestones CONTINUED	A database with information provided by the PSC-NSI is being put together to allow for a better understanding of the status of the stock	September 2014	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	
		Workshop “Information Exchange: Peru-Ecuador” was conducted in Lima with participation from PRODUCE, IMARPE and Ecuador’s INP	October 2014	PSC-NSI CeDePesca PRODUCE IMARPE INP	
		An independent stock assessment is completed by CeDePesca’s technical team under the supervision of a renowned international fishery researcher	December 2014	CeDePesca	CeDePesca - Technical report
		The FIP has been reactivated. CeDePesca prepared and presented a proposal to the Global Sustainability Fisheries Fund (GFSF). The proposed project seeks for complimentary funds to reinforce the Onboard Observers Program that is to be implemented as a private initiative during a 12-month period as contemplated in the Action Plan.	February 2017	PSC-NSI CeDePesca	

FIP is encouraging improvements (Stage 3) CONTINUED	FIP partners are engaging regulators	Meetings are held regularly with regulators to encourage improvements	June 2010 - October 2011	IMARPE	
		CeDePesca and FIP partners participate of the Cross-Sectorial Working Group for the Recovery of Hake	January-May 2012	IMARPE PRODUCE FIP partners CeDePesca	
		CeDePesca sent a letter to the Vice-Minister of Fisheries encouraging transparency of science	April 2012	CeDePesca	CeDePesca's letter to PRODUCE
		CeDePesca met with different officials at PRODUCE and IMARPE to discuss transparency of stock assessments and management decisions	May 2012 - August 2013	CeDePesca	
		The PSC-NSI sends a letter to the Vice-Minister of Production in regards to fishery improvements	October 2013		PSC-NSI's letter to PRODUCE
		Letter from the PSC-NSI to the Vice-Minister of Production is answered	December 2013	PSC-NSI PRODUCE	PRODUCE's letter to the PSC-NSI
		CeDePesca contacts Ecuador's Vice-Minister of Fisheries to talk about the need of closer coordination between Ecuador and Peru	January 2014	CeDePesca	
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FIP is delivering improvements in practices and policies (Stage 4)	Fishery practices are changing	Transparency levels start to increase with publication of experts panel technical report	October 2011	IMARPE	Experts’ panel report on Peruvian hake
		TAC for 2012 has been reduced to 8600 metric tons to allow for stock recovery	December 2011	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N° 415-2011-PRODUCE
		Cross-sectorial workgroup for the recovery of hake is formed	January 2012		
		TAC for 2012 increased to 14723 metric tons in line with IMARPE’s advice	April 2012	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N°198-2012-PRODUCE
		TAC for 2012 was increased to 25800 metric tons in line with IMARPE’s advice (still 25% lower than in 2011)	June 2012	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N° 321-2012-PRODUCE
		TAC for 1 st half of 2013 established at 13748 metric tons	December 2012	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N° 549-2012-PRODUCE
		Fishery closure to protect spawning season	March 2013	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N° 119-2013-PRODUCE
		TAC starts to be issued in accordance with the species “biological year” (July - June). TAC is set at 38957 metric tons.	June 2013	PRODUCE	Ministerial Resolution N° 220-2013
		Binational Monitoring Committee (Peru, Ecuador) meets	June 2014	IMARPE INP	
		CeDePesca organizes meeting “Information Exchange: Peru-Ecuador”	October 2014	IMARPE INP CeDePesca	

FIP is delivering improvements in the water (Stage 5)	Fish stock biomass has increased	IMARPE memo to PRODUCE informs increase of total biomass to 276000 metric tons and provides management recommendations	June 2013	IMARPE	IMARPE - Oficio PCD 100-346-2013
		IMARPE memo to PRODUCE reports on the situation of the Peruvian hake stock, estimating an increase of total biomass to 400114 metric tons.	June 2014	IMARPE	IMARPE - Oficio N° PCD 100-328-2014
		An independent stock assessment is completed by CeDePesca's technical team under the supervision of a renowned international fishery researcher	December 2014	CeDePesca	CeDePesca - Technical report