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*Sustainable and Cooperative Management of Atlantic Coastal Fisheries*

## Jonah Crab Pre-Assessment Commercial Data Webinar

June 3, 2021  
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Webinar: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/721317693>

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1. **Welcome** (*D. Perry*) 1:00 p.m.
2. **Review Validated Landings** (*L. Aubart*) 1:05 p.m.
3. **Review Coastwide Biosample Query** (*J. Kipp*) 1:50 p.m.
4. **Conclusions/Recommendations on Utility of Commercial Data** (*D. Perry*) 2:35 p.m.
  - Are there any additional analyses/tasks that should be completed for this report to answer the questions below?
  - What is the most likely time series of total landings to be reliable for an assessment?
  - What are the major limitations of landings data (incomplete landings, species identification, spatial limitations, temporal limitations, directed vs bycatch-Derek mentioned this, etc) and how will these likely impact advice from an assessment?
    - Provide research recommendations to address these limitations
  - Is there any utility in biosampling data for a near term assessment? Provide research recommendations to improve biosampling data in the future
    - Research recommendation: The Technical Committee needs to develop a standardized set of codes for Jonah crab maturity and egg development for use of these data in assessment.
5. **Adjourn** 4:00 p.m.