# CBFWA's Status of the Resources Website: 2012 Survey Results

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## Objectives

#### To assess:

- Groups using the website
- Reasons for using the website
- Level of interest in the various sections
- Ease of locating information
- Overall usefulness
- Likeliness of returning to the website
- Desire for new website features

## Results – Groups Using the SOTR

- 88 respondents
  - 31% federal
  - 22% tribal
  - 19% state
  - 9% BPA/NPCC

## Results – Reason for using the SOTR

- View/obtain high-level summaries on focal species
- Obtain/download status and trends data

## Results – Sections of Interest

- Status and trends of focal species
- Basin-wide summary (anadromous fish)
- Summaries by province/subbasin

#### Results

• <u>Ease of locating information</u> – 81% easily found information

- <u>Downloaded annual printed report</u> 17%
- <u>Usefulness of website</u> 88% rated the SOTR as useful or very useful
- Returning to website and recommending—91% will return with 60% recommending

## Results – Why Users Continue to Visit

Ease of access/use

- Data are current and updated regularly (up-to-date)
- Comprehensive information and clearing house (one-stop location)

## Results – User Wish List

• More data (e.g., habitat status and trend, VSP, resident fish high level indicators)

Data from other programs

Data review

#### Conclusions

- Achieved goal of creating/maintaining a comprehensive, easy to use website populated with up-to-date data
- Established a broad group of users that report high level of satisfaction

### Recommendations for 2012

- Resident Fish High Level Indicators
- Local reviews of data (focus workgroups)
- Evaluate availability of VSP data
- Incorporate non-Program data