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## **Shrimp Advisory Panel**

May 27, 2021, conference call at 5:00PM

Telephone number for call: (872) 240-3311

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- 5:00 Welcome & SAP Member Roll Call – Kathy
- 5:10 SAP Membership Update - Kathy
- 5:15 Fishery Independent Data and Food Shrimp Season Opening Recommendations – Eddie
- 5:45 Fishery Disaster and CARES Act Funding - Julie
- 6:00 Other Business and Public Comment

Summary of Results for White Shrimp, May 2021 Assessment - R/V Reid W. Harris (Gonad information is for female white shrimp)

	SECTOR	Long-term Data (2000 - 2021)	2021 Data	Difference (%)
CPUE	CREEKS	3.5	6.3	81.9
	SOUNDS	4.6	6.1	34.1
	BEACHES	1.9	5.0	164.7
	ALL SECTORS	3.3	5.8	75.1

Advanced Gonad Stage (%)	CREEKS	25.2	9.0	-16.2
	SOUNDS	45.8	38.1	-7.7
	BEACHES	83.0	77.0	-6.0
	ALL SECTORS	43.2	34.6	-8.6

Count Size* (Heads On)	CREEKS	23.9	28.2	18.0
	SOUNDS	20.7	18.3	-11.3
	BEACHES	16.5	17.6	6.8
	ALL SECTORS	21.0	21.5	2.24

\*Positive count size differences indicate smaller sized shrimp.

Water Temperature (°C)	CREEKS	24.3	24.5	0.7
	SOUNDS	24.2	24.5	1.0
	BEACHES	24.0	24.1	0.8
	ALL SECTORS	24.2	24.4	0.8

Salinity	CREEKS	25.9	22.8	-12.0
	SOUNDS	28.1	24.4	-13.3
	BEACHES	31.1	29.2	-6.1
	ALL SECTORS	28.3	25.6	-9.7