

Blackspotted/Rougheye (con't)

- WAI biomass **-15%** and WAI MSSC **-47%**.
- Potential set up for failure. Proposed 2017 WAI MSSC will be exceeded every year since 2010.
- The large increase in biomass in EAI (**+543%**) affects the apportionment method for total AI biomass between mgmt areas and results in a disproportionately lower WAI MSSC (and CAI MSSC) than the drop in survey biomass in those same areas.
- May need to consider limits on the effect of growth in one area in the apportionment method or use a rolling average to set MSSC and smooth large changes (both up and down).