

# 2015 Fisheries Sampling Branch Projected Training Schedule

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## January 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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## February 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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## March 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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KEY	
AT-SEA MONITOR	
ASM SPECIALIZED	
ASM RECERT I	
ASM RECERT II	
NEFOP	
NEFOP SPECIALIZED	
INDUSTRY FUNDED SCALLOP	
IFS SPECIALIZED	
SAFETY I	
SAFETY II & III	
OTHER EVENTS	
HOLIDAY	
NOTES	
Feb 24: ESO Training	

## April 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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## May 2015

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## June 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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NOTES	
April 17: ASM Recert II	
June 8-9: Pot Trap Fishery	

## July 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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## August 2015

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## September 2015

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NOTES	
Aug 25-26: Clam Quahog Fishery (Confirmed)	
Aug 27: Safety III	

## October 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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## November 2015

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## December 2015

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NOTES	
Oct 30: Observer Seminar	
Nov 12: FSB Open House	
Nov 16: ASM Recert II	
Nov 17: Safety III	
Dec 14-15: FSB In-House Fisheries Training	

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## **Definition Page** (alphabetical order)

**At-sea Monitor (ASM):** is a core certification program composed of four gear modules; Gillnet, Trawl, Longline, and Handline to observe the Groundfish Fishery.

**At-sea Monitor Specialized:** is a supplemental ASM certification program composed of the NEFOP to ASM certification cross training.

**At-sea Monitor Recertification I & II (ASM Recert):** is the yearly recertification of the ASM certification composed of four gear modules: Gillnet, Trawl, Longline, and Handline to observe the Groundfish Fishery. ASM Recert I is designed for the first year ASM observer. ASM Recert II is designed for the two year plus experienced ASM observer.

**Industry Funded Scallop (IFS):** is the core certification program composed of one gear module of the Scallop Dredge to observe the Sea Scallop Dredge Fishery (both open and access areas).

**Industry Funded Scallop Specialized:** is a supplemental IFS certification program that can be composed of either the Scallop Trawl gear module or a specialized Scallop Dredge/Trawl gear module to observe in the IFS program.

**Northeast Fishery Observer Program (NEFOP):** is the core certification program composed of two gear modules: Gillnet and Trawl to observe the Groundfish Fishery, Small Mesh Fishery, Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Council (ASMFC), and Mid-Atlantic Gillnet Fishery.

**Northeast Fishery Observer Program Specialized:** is a supplemental NEFOP certification program composed of various gear modules. Supplemental gear modules include Pot and Trap (PT), Longline (LL), High Volume Fishery (HVF), NEFOP Scallop Dredge, and NEFOP Scallop Trawl.

**Other Event:** is an event that the Fisheries Sampling Branch (FSB) supports within the Observer Training Center. Events could be conferences or meetings held by other NOAA Branches. This might affect space availability.

**Safety Training:** is the safety certification program composed of two components: a basic Offshore Safety Training (Safety I) and an advanced Offshore Safety Training (Safety II & III).