

BC Update

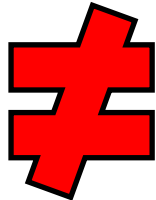
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Boat Manufacturers

New boats  Low Risk

- Internally tracking how manufacturers are testing boats.
- Who else is doing this?
- Need to have a shared database across jurisdictions
- Helps create consistency in dealing with manufacturers

Western Provinces Initiatives

- Shared form between BC, AB, SK – manufacturers complete the form with testing procedures
- Consensus across the three provinces on if they are high risk or low risk
- Aid in consistency and application – quick access for inspectors on the ground

Western Canada Priorities

- Continuing to work with Canada Border Services Agency to receive watercraft notifications at Port of Entries
- **Quick access to most effective pesticides to ensure safe control options for responding to early detections of highly invasive aquatic species (such as zebra and quagga mussels).**

Updates from Canada

- Auditor general report on the Federal AIS Regulation released in early April
 - 8 audit recommendations to Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) and Canadian Border Services Agency (CBSA) to support the AIS regulation and prevention activities across Canada

24hr Operations

- Golden inspection station on Trans Canada Hwy
- Between 10pm and 5am



	2017	2018
Total inspections	243	393
High Risk	21	19
Mussel Fouled	2	2

