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## **Research Question:**

What is the relative biomass, distribution, and demographics of fishery resources within the lease area and at a nearby control site before, during and after wind farm construction?

> Trawl Gear Parts A: Tow line (warp length) B: Trawl doors C: Restrictor rope D: Wingspread





