

Executive Summary or Summary Section

The executive summary or summary is a one- to two-page summary of the proposed action, project location, effects on listed species and critical habitat, conservation measures, and effect determinations. For proposed species, include a statement as to whether or not the project is likely to jeopardize the species or adversely modify proposed critical habitat.

The executive summary or summary should clearly identify the watershed in which the project site is located by the 6th-field hydrologic unit code (HUC), to facilitate NOAA Fisheries tracking of the project in its database. The [6th-field HUC](#) for projects can be identified online. Additional [general information on HUCs](#) is also available online.

An *executive summary* is intended to stand on its own as a self-contained document and appears in front of the table of contents. A *summary* is included in the main body of text.