

**Integration Panel Recommended Priorities**  
(ecological prioritization not completed--  
panel meeting 9/19 to prioritize species by stressor and habitats)

**Project Type priorities:****Highest**Implementation

Actually produces biological benefits

Can include directed education programs that result in benefits such as the bios program

Can include pilot demo projects

Includes project specific monitoring

Planning

Includes items such as feasibility studies

Watershed planning

Env documentation

Monitoring--landscape level

-----RFP line

(RFP identified following project types as lower priority)

Research (refer to RFP language)

Research eligible that is considered focused research, addressing questions of scientific uncertainty that leads to implementation to resolve issues

Education (refer to RFP language )

Less emphasis on in-classroom activities and more on changing behavior to reduce a stressor in the system

For example--exotic species control

**Lowest**Operations and maintenance

Short term O&amp;M is higher priority than long term

RFP --did not make distinction on long term or short term

**Species.**

Panel prioritized species for both Category III (RFP) and CVPIA anadromous fish

Primary speciesFirst tier

Winter-run, spring-run, San Joaquin and Eastside delta tributary fall-run, steelhead, delta smelt (category III only), green sturgeon, Sacramento late fall-run

Second tier

Longfin smelt (category III only), splittail (category III only), white sturgeon (CVPIA only)

Secondary species

Striped bass, migratory birds, Sacramento fall-run (CVPIA only), American shad (CVPIA only)