

Pacific ocean perch 2017 Assessment

Modeling and Results

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Outline

Parameter Estimates

- Model Set-up

- Data Weighting

- Extra Standard Error

- Biology Parameters

- Selectivity & Retention

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Model Specifications

- Stock Synthesis version 3.30.03.05
- Model start in 1918, first year landings exceed 1 metric ton
- Steepness fixed at 0.50
- Natural mortality fixed at 0.054 for females and males
- Recruitment deviations start in 1900
- Population age plus-group = 60 years (Data = 40)

Fleet structure, Retention, and Selectivity

- Fishery fleet - includes bottom, mid-water trawls, and fixed gears
 - Estimated retention, double-normal selectivity, asymptotic retention
- At-sea hake fishery
 - Double-normal selectivity
- Foreign fleet
 - Double-normal selectivity - mirrored to the fishery fleet
- Pacific ocean perch survey
 - Logistic selectivity
- Triennial shelf survey
 - Double normal selectivity
- AFSC slope survey
 - Double normal selectivity
- NWFSC slope survey
 - Double normal selectivity
- NWFSC shelf-slope survey
 - Double normal selectivity

Base Model Data Weights

- Base model weighted according to Francis weighting approach

Fleet	Data	Weight	Data	Weight
Fishery	Length	0.09	Age	0.22
At-sea hake	Length	0.09	Age	0.03
POP survey	Length	1.00*	Age	1.00*
Triennial	Length	0.02	Age	0.23
AFSC slope	Length	0.08	Age	-
NWFSC slope	Length	0.59	Age	0.32
NWFSC shelf-slope	Length	0.03	Age	0.41

* The Francis method suggested upweighting data from the Pacific ocean perch survey to values > 1 .

Added Standard Error for Indices

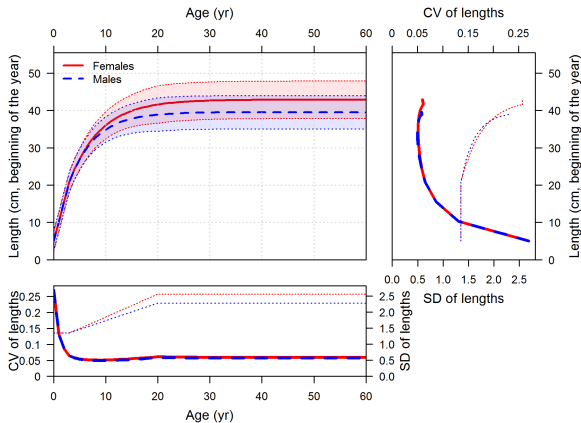
- Additional variance was explored for each index of abundance and the CPUE time-series.
- Only the Triennial shelf and the NWFSC shelf-slope indices required added variance to allow for model fitting.
 - Triennial shelf = 0.390
 - NWFSC shelf-slope = 0.027

Growth Parameters

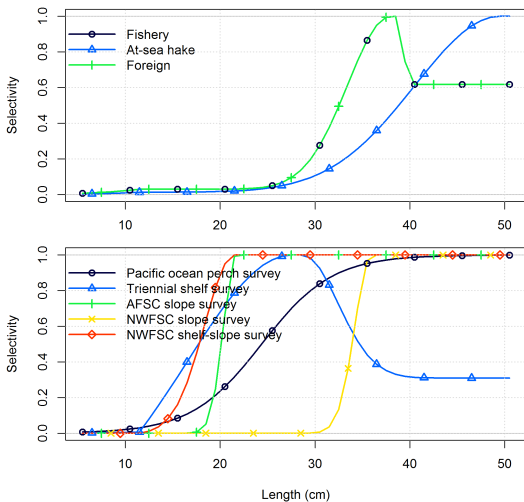
Parameter	Females	Males	Estimated
Natural mortality	0.054	0.054	N
Length-at-age min (L_1)	20.8	20.8	Y-females
Length-at-age max (L_2)	41.6	38.9	Y
Growth coefficient (k)	0.167	0.199	Y
SD young	1.35	1.35	Y-females
SD old	2.56	2.28	Y
Weight-at-length (α)	1.044E-5	1.05E-5	N
Weight-at-length (β)	3.088	3.083	N

* Male parameters estimated as offsets from female parameters.

Estimated Length-at-Age



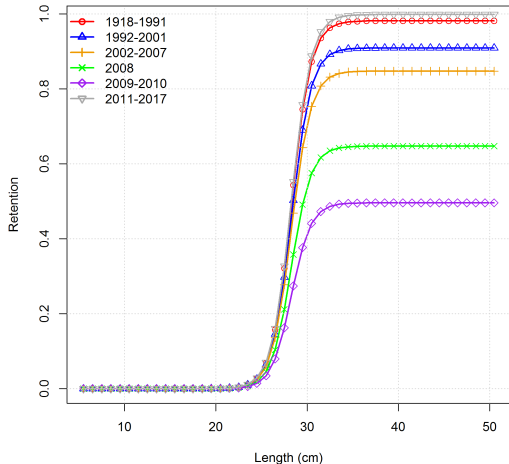
Selectivity



Fishery Retention

Sensitivities to 1992 discard rate

- Low - Removed block
 - < 0.5% increase in 2017 stock status
- High - Assumed average discard based on 2003-2007
 - < 0.5% decrease in 2017 stock status



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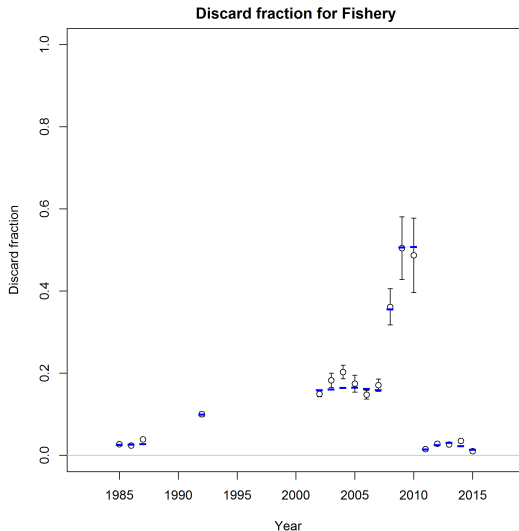
- Indices

- Composition Data

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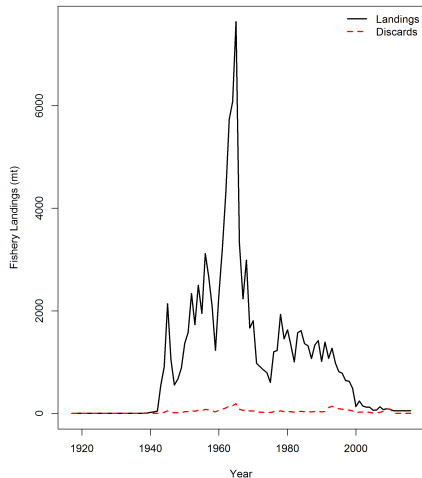
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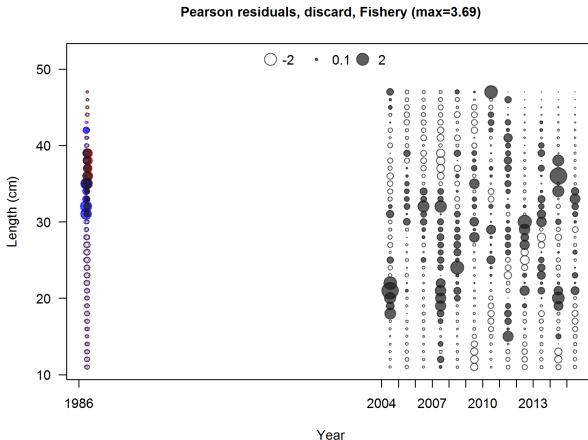


Landings and Estimated Discards

- Estimated discards contributes 3.3% of the total mortality across all years from the fishery.

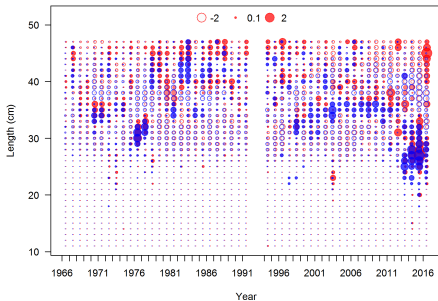


Fishery: Length and Age Composition

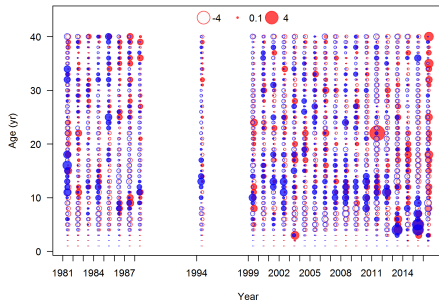


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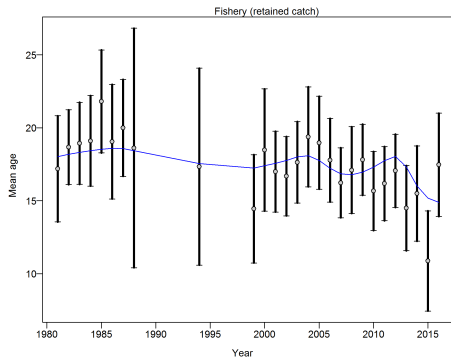
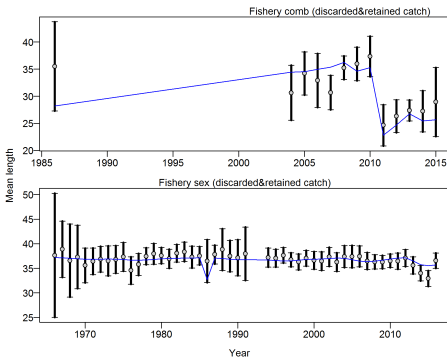
Pearson residuals, retained, Fishery (max=3.15)



Pearson residuals, retained, Fishery (max=5.34)

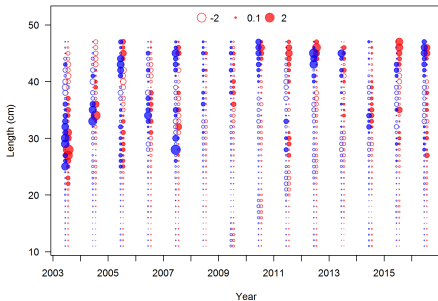


Fishery: Mean Length and Age

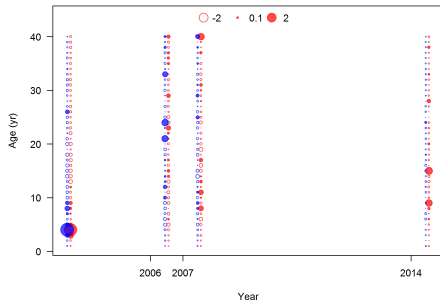


At-sea hake: Length and Age Composition

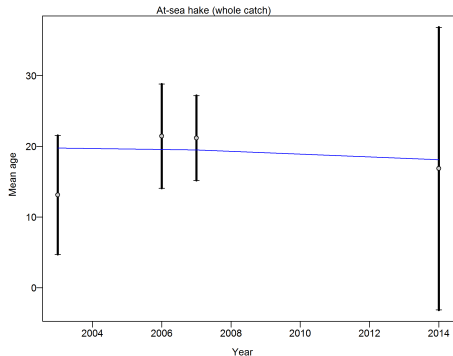
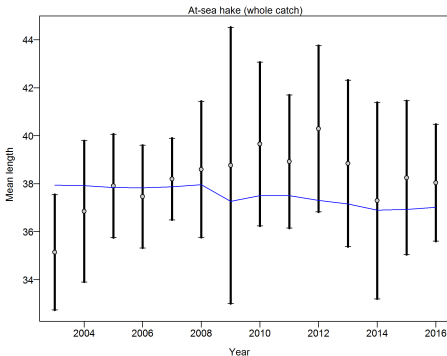
Pearson residuals, whole catch, At-sea hake (max=2.37)



Pearson residuals, whole catch, At-sea hake (max=4.03)

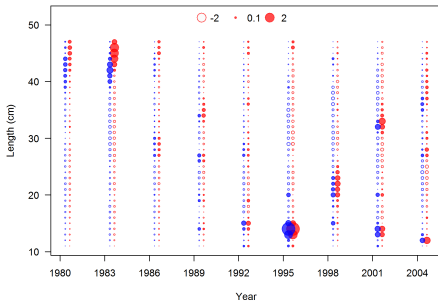


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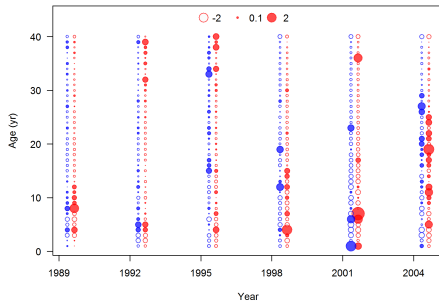


Triennial shelf survey: Length and Age Composition

Pearson residuals, whole catch, Triennial shelf survey (max=4.01)

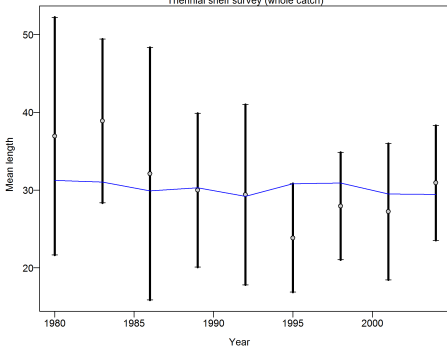


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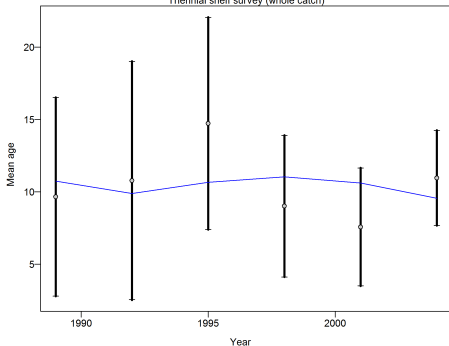


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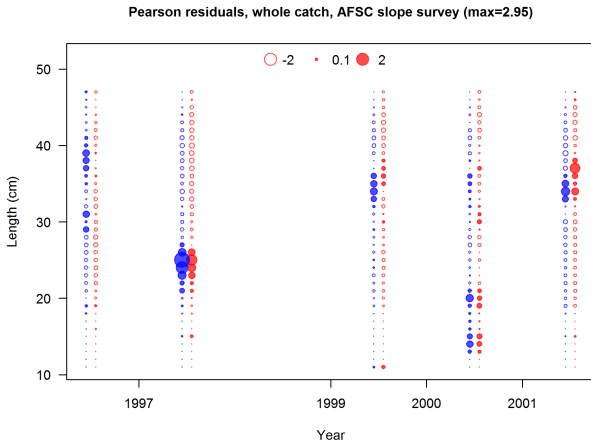
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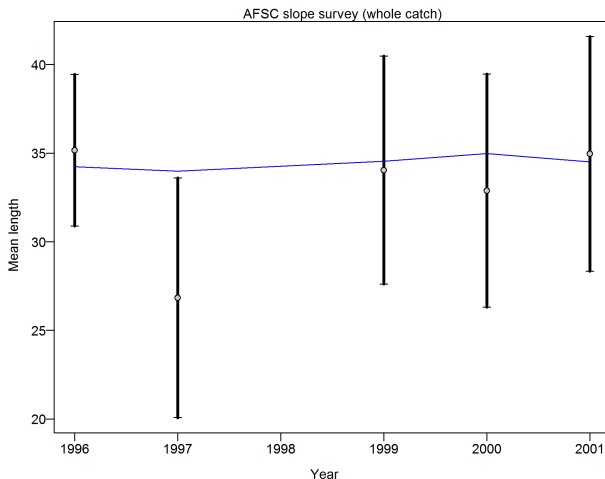
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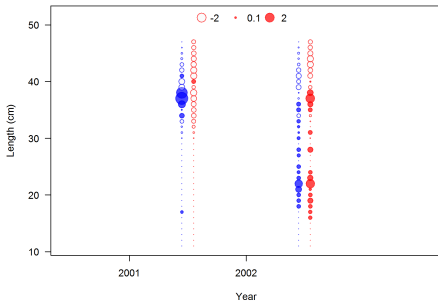


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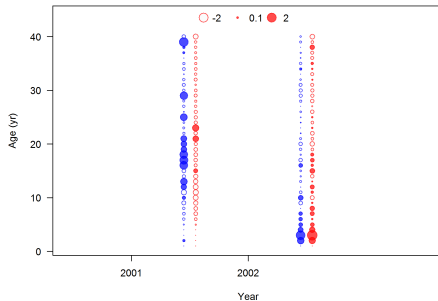


NWFSC slope survey: Length and Age Composition

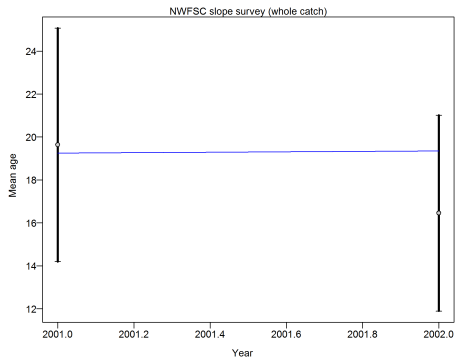
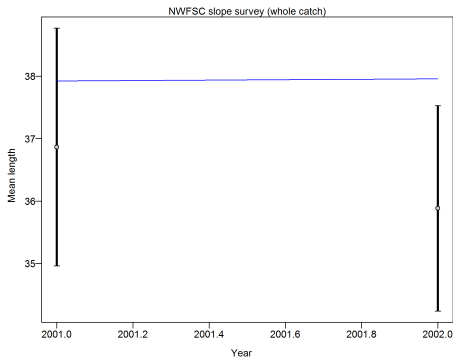
Pearson residuals, whole catch, NWFSC slope survey (max=3.47)



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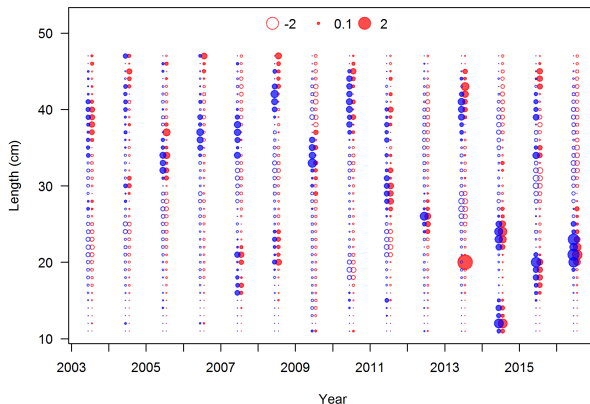


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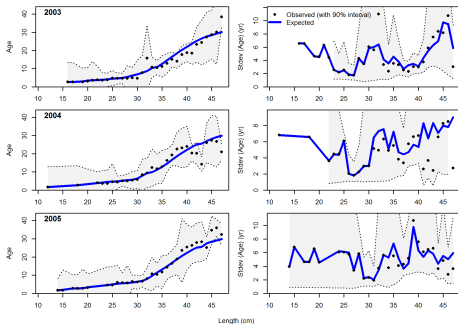
NWFSC shelf-slope survey: Length Composition

Pearson residuals, whole catch, NWFSC shelf-slope survey (max=2.82)

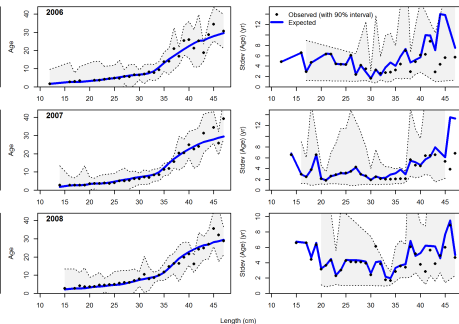


NWFSC shelf-slope survey: Conditional Age-at-Length Composition

Conditional AAL plot, whole catch, NWFSC shelf-slope survey

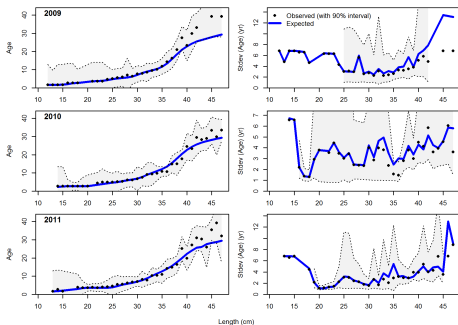


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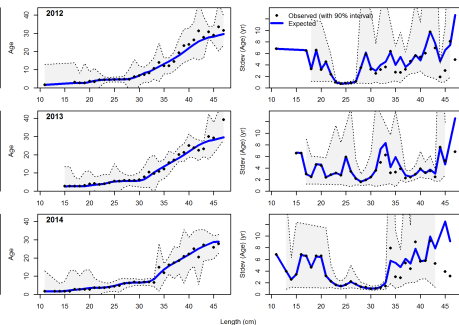


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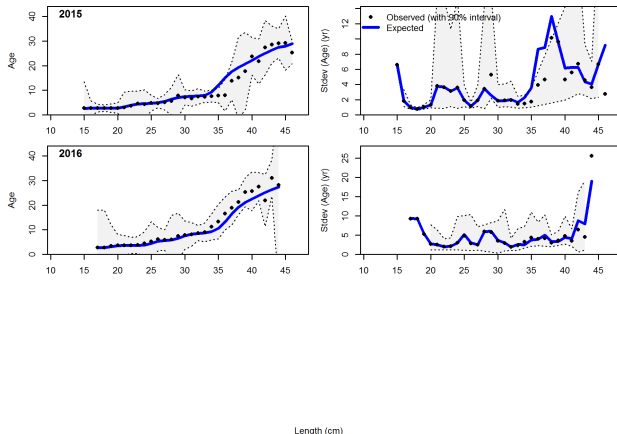


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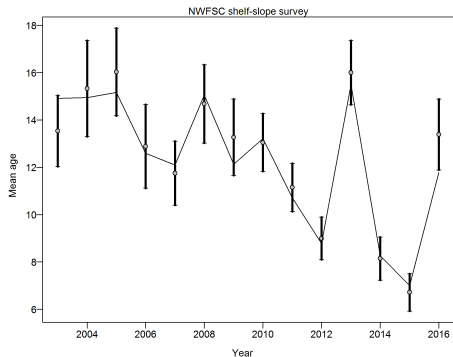
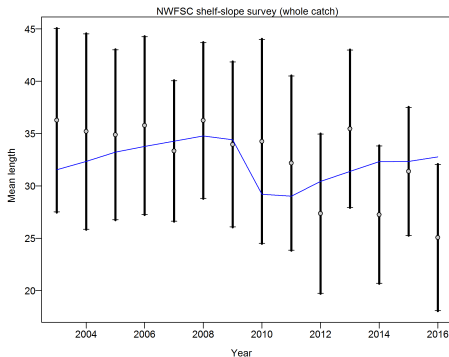


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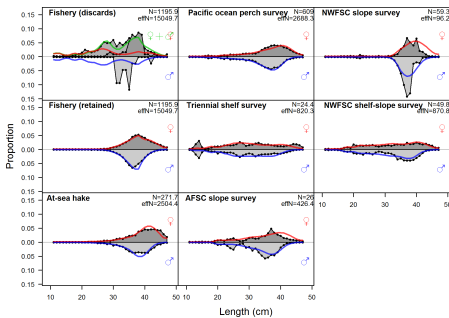


NWFSF shelf-slope survey: Mean Length and Age

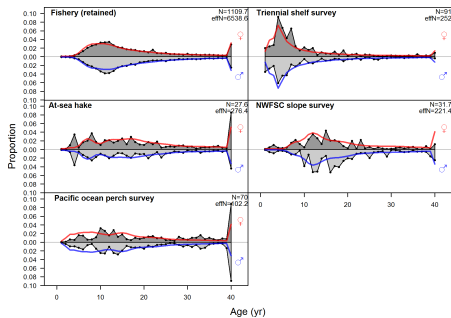


Aggregated Length and Age Composition Fits

Length comps, aggregated across time by fleet



Age comps, aggregated across time by fleet



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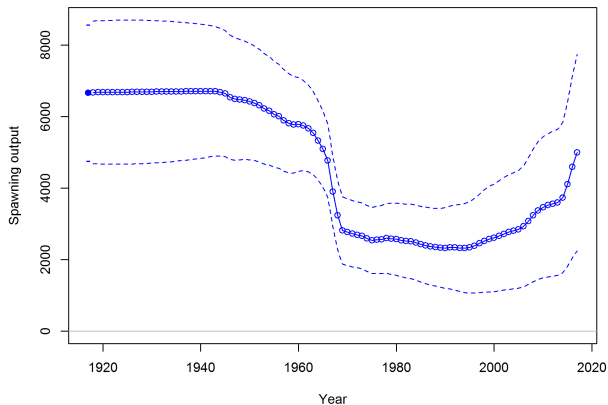
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Recruitment

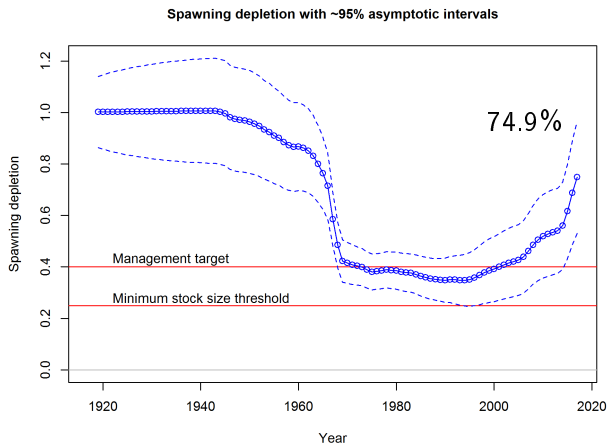
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Spawning Output

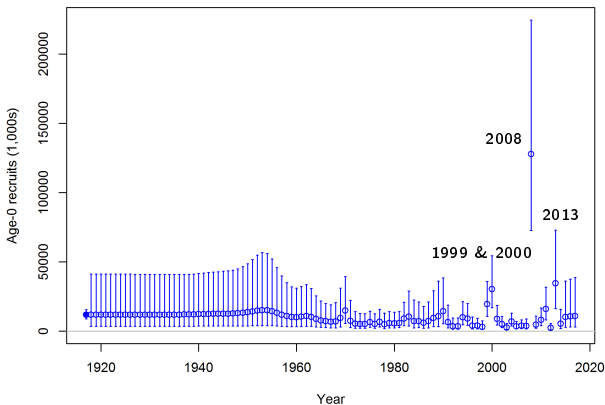
Spawning output with ~95% asymptotic intervals



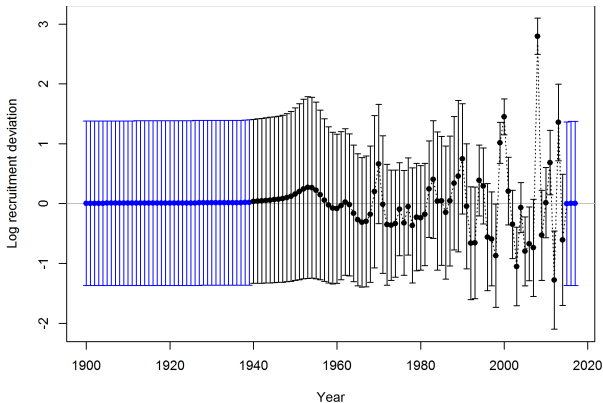
Relative Spawning Output (Depletion)



Estimated Annual Recruitment



Estimated Annual Recruitment Deviations



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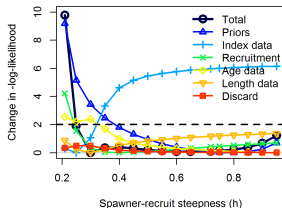
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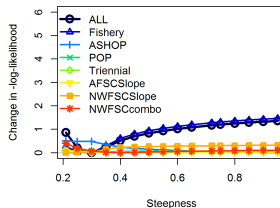
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Steepness Profile

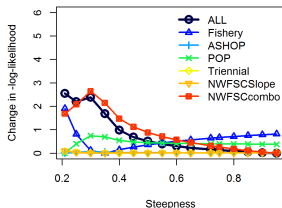
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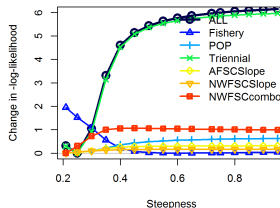
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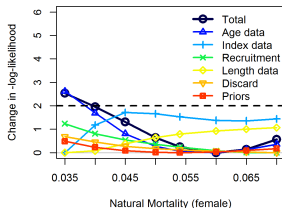


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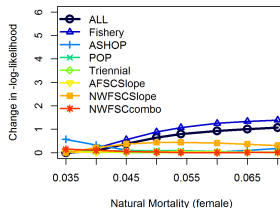


Natural Mortality Profile

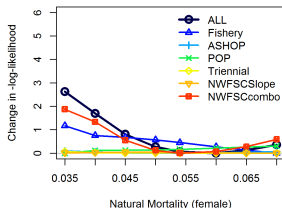
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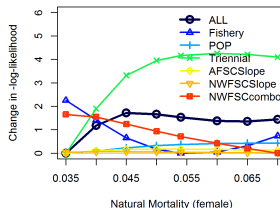
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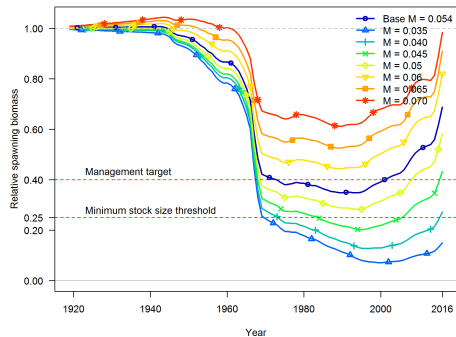
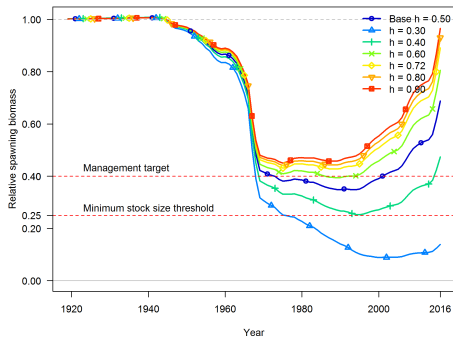
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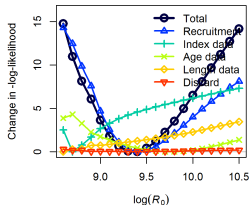


Population Trajectories

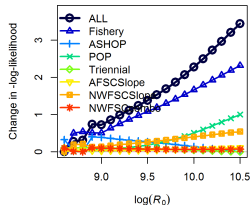


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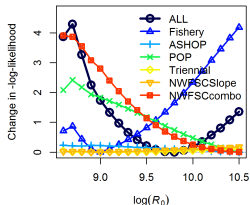
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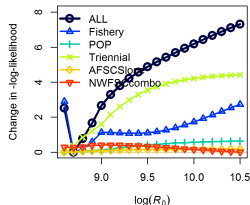
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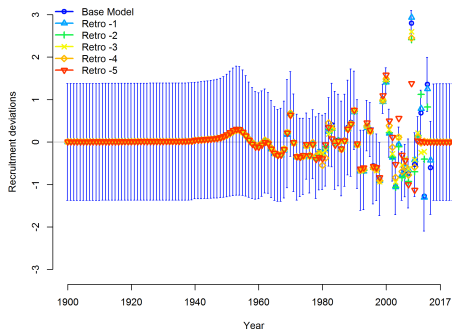
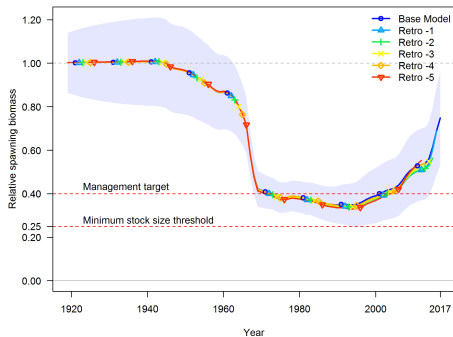
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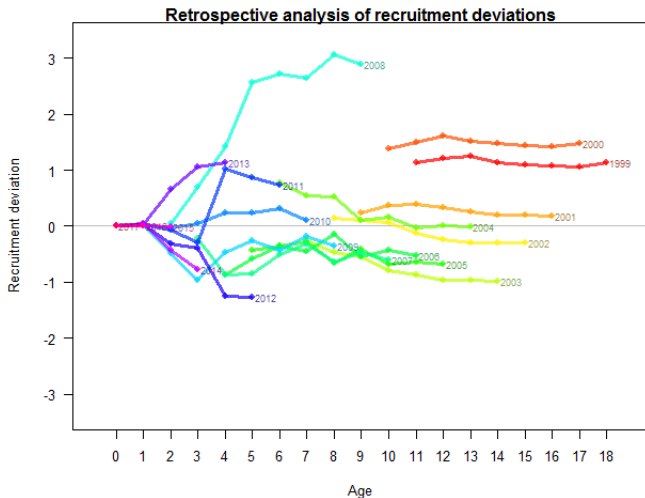
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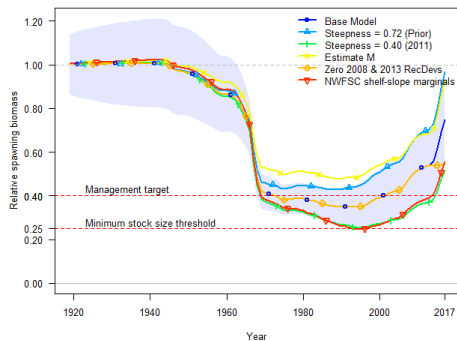
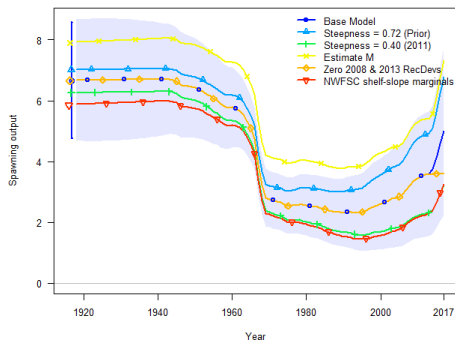
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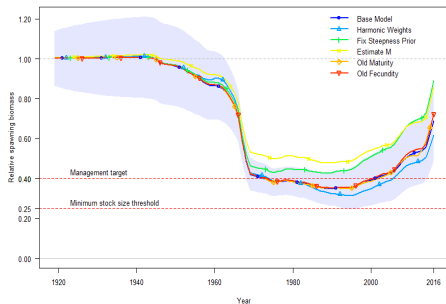
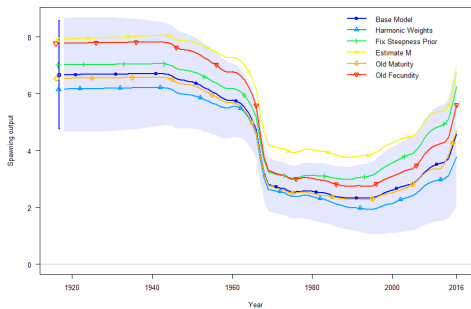
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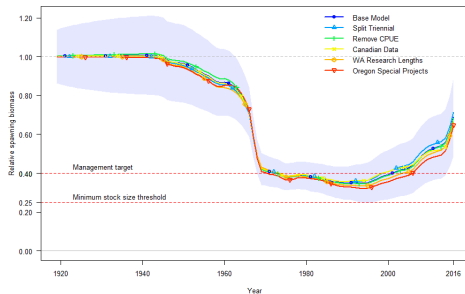
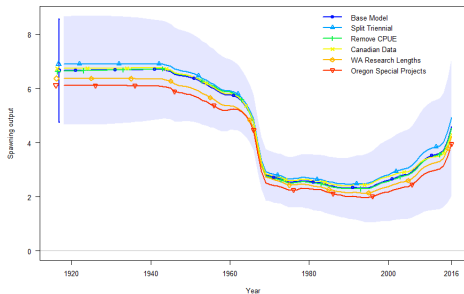
Model Sensitivities



Sensitivities-2



Sensitivities-3



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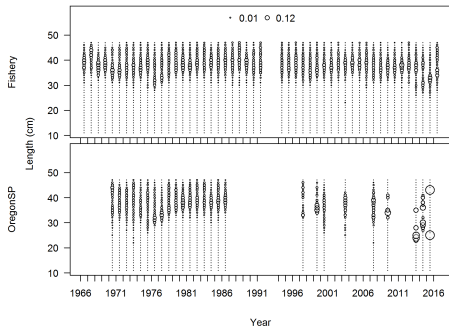
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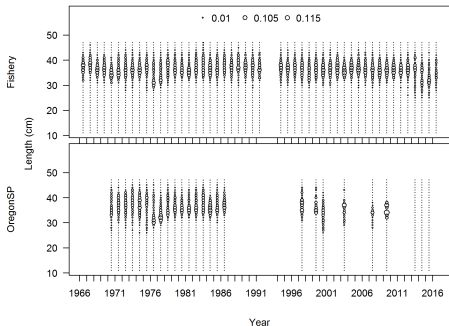
Additional data slides

Oregon Special Projects - Length Data

Length comp data, female, retained, comparing across fleets

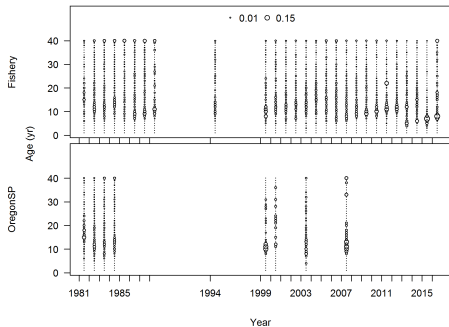


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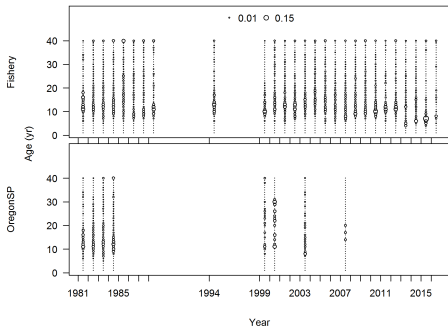


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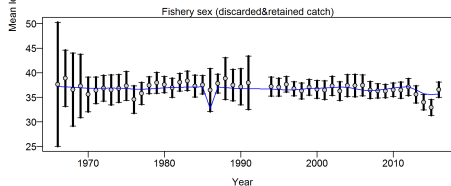
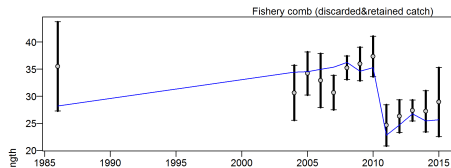
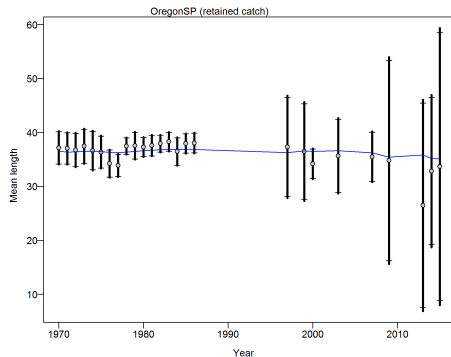
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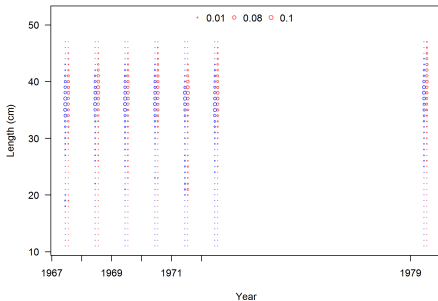


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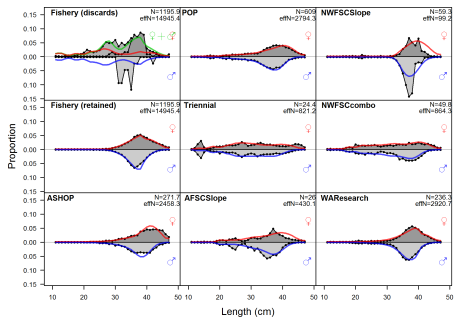


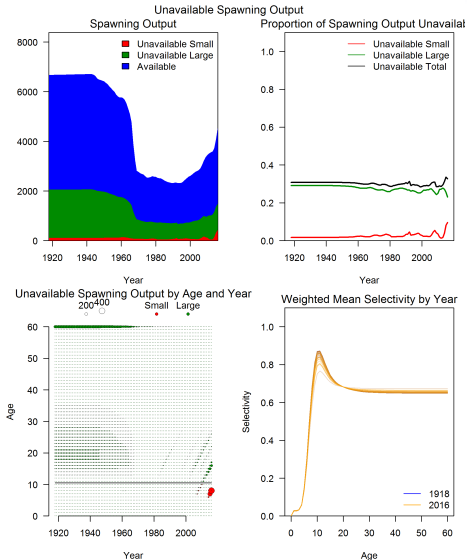
Washington Research Lengths

Length comp data, whole catch, WAREsearch (max=0.07)



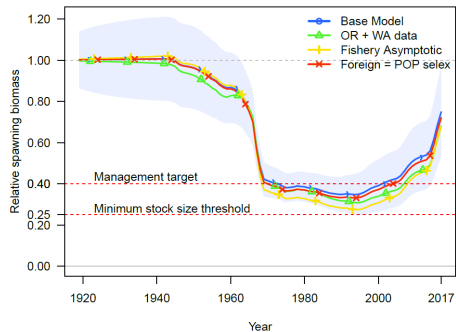
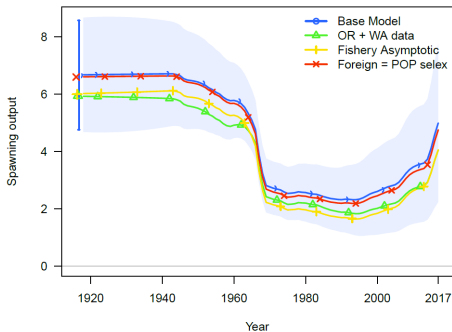
Length comps, aggregated across time by fleet



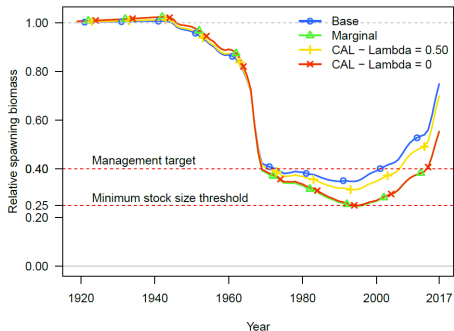
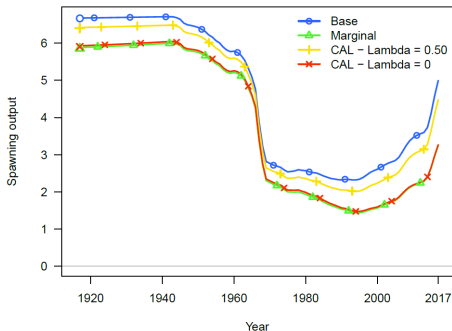


Additional model sensitivity slides

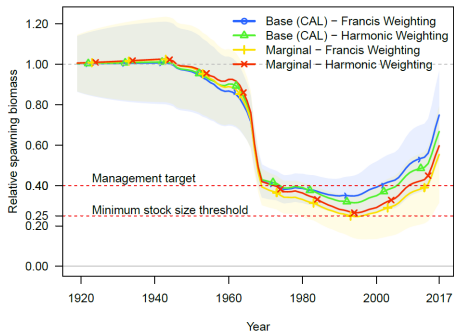
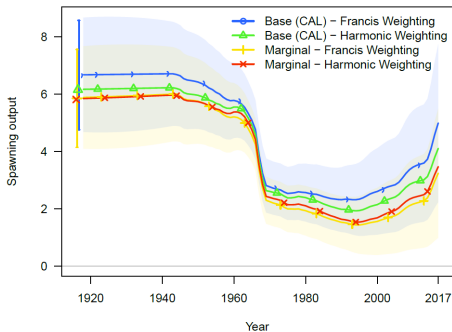
Additional Sensitivities



Conditional Age-at-Length vs. Marginal Ages



Weighting Approaches vs. Treatment of Age Data



Comparison of model weight based on using conditional age-at-length vs. marginal ages.

Base model with CAL:

Fleet	Data	Francis Weights	Harmonic Weights
Fishery	Lengths	0.089	0.381
NWFSC shelf-slope	Lengths	0.031	0.471
Fishery	Ages	0.221	0.777
NWFSC shelf-slope	Ages	0.411	0.354

Model with marginal ages:

Fishery	Lengths	0.091	0.379
NWFSC shelf-slope	Lengths	0.032	0.498
Fishery	Ages	0.228	0.743
NWFSC shelf-slope	Ages	0.076	0.262