

Evaluation of post-season Chinook FRAM performance

Some date, 2021

To-do

- add stocks?
- add functionality for 2:1 ERA:FRAM stocks?
- add tab to show age-specific ERs?
- pull ERs from TAMMs for PS stocks?
- compare BYERs?
- figure out a better way to handle stocks with mat rates in more than one time step
- make mat-rate and AEQ figures taller?
- fill in text

Introduction

As part of the annual preseason planning process for setting salmon fisheries in the marine waters of Washington and Oregon, the Pacific Fishery Management Council (PFMC) and Washington co-managers use the Fishery Regulation Assessment Model (FRAM) to estimate impacts of proposed fisheries on various coho and Chinook stocks. For Chinook specifically, FRAM is used to help plan PFMC ocean fisheries that occur north of Cape Falcon, OR as well as those that occur in the Strait of Juan de Fuca and Puget Sound. The FRAM is a deterministic single-pool model where each model run occurs over a single year and estimates fishery impacts by stock for specific time periods and age classes. For details on model structure and computational processes, in addition to a user manual, see the FRAM Documentation Website.

The FRAM is rooted in a set of base period data derived through species-specific cohort analysis procedures that are based primarily on coded-wire tag (CWT) recoveries. Key Chinook base data include stock-age-fishery-time period specific exploitation rates, cohort sizes, maturation rates, adult equivalent (AEQ) rates, and growth function parameters. The original set of base period data for Chinook was derived from CWTs released during the 1974 - 1979 brood years and shared many of the same CWT tag groups that were used to represent exploitation rate indicator stocks and model stocks of the Pacific Salmon Commission (PSC) Chinook model that is used for fishery management in accordance with the Pacific Salmon Treaty (PST). In recent years, a considerable amount of effort has been devoted to contemporizing and continually refining the Chinook FRAM base period data set, which is now derived from CWTs released during the 2005 - 2008 brood years. The most current base period calibration, referred to as "Round 7.1" was created in June 2021 and was produced along with a time series of postseason model runs (referred to as validation runs) ranging from 1992 - 2018.

Utilizing these more contemporary base period years means that there is no longer overlap in the CWT tag groups used to represent many of the model stocks in both Chinook FRAM and the PSC Chinook model, as much of the base data for the PSC Chinook model are still rooted in earlier brood years. However, there is still considerable overlap between the tag codes used to represent many Chinook FRAM stocks and the brood year 2005 - 2008 tag codes used for exploitation rate indicator stocks as part of the Chinook Technical Committee's (CTC) annual Exploitation Rate Analysis (ERA). The purpose of this assessment is to provide an evaluation of FRAM postseason performance by comparing it with independently derived metrics from the CTC's annual ERA for appropriate stocks.

Similarities and differences between FRAM and ERA

- both rooted in standard CWT-based cohort analysis
- different IM rates (particularly in Puget Sound sport fisheries)
- ERA uses empirical recoveries throughout the time series, FRAM scales to base period
- given FRAM's reliance on a base period and the assumption of static parameters, it might be better to compare averages over time

Methods

Exploitation Rates

ERA

Each year the CTC conducts an “Exploitation Rate Analysis” (ERA), which involves a CWT-based cohort analysis that reconstructs the cohort size and exploitation rate history for a given set of exploitation rate indicator stocks. Results from this analysis, in addition to those from the annual PSC Chinokk Model calibration, are published in a two volume “Exploitation Rate Analysis and Model Calibration” report, where Volume One includes the body of the report and Volume Two includes associated appendices. Calendar year exploitation rates derived from the CTC's ERA can be obtained from AEQ total mortality distribution tables included in these appendices (see Appendix C in the above “Volume Two” link. Ocean exploitation rates for a given stock/year are calculated by summing the percentage distributions across all AABM and ISBM fisheries (terminal fisheries are excluded). It is important to note that, as the ERA is conducted using CWT tag codes with marked (adipose fin clipped) releases, these are estimates of exploitation rates experienced by the marked component of each stock. For stocks that are not subjected to significant mark-selective fisheries, the difference in exploitation rates between the unmarked (adipose intact) and marked components of the stock would be expected to be minimal. It is possible, however, that even in the absence of exposure to mark-selective fisheries, there could be differences in marked and unmarked exploitation rates on a stock due to differences in age composition between the two groups.

FRAM

Maturation Rates

ERA

FRAM

Unlike in the ERA, where maturation rates are calculated independently for each separate brood year, FRAM maturation rates are considered to be static and are an output of the base period calibration.

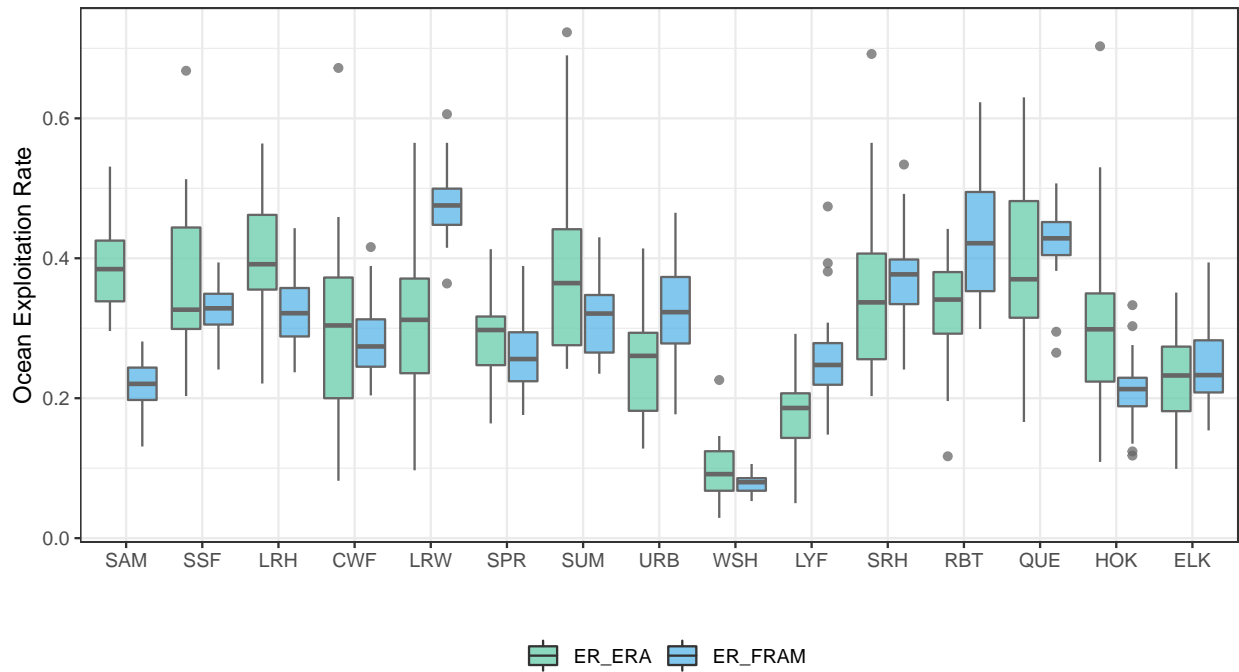
FRAM exploitation rates were based on postseason validation runs conducted in June 2021 and based on the latest version of the Chinook FRAM base period calibration, referred to as ‘round 7.1’. For this analysis only preterminal (ocean) exploitation rates were evaluated, as FRAM does not account for terminal fishery impacts for many stocks. FRAM exploitation rates in a subset of fisheries, F , are calculated for a given stock, s , as:

$$ER_{s,F,cy} = \frac{\sum_{t=1}^3 \left(\sum_{a=MinAge}^{MaxAge} \left(\sum_{f \in F} TotMort_{s,a,f,t} * AEQ_{s,a,t} \right) \right)}{\sum_{t=1}^3 \left(\sum_{a=MinAge}^{MaxAge} \left(\sum_{f=1}^{NumFish} TotMort_{s,a,f,t} * AEQ_{s,a,t} + Esc_{s,a,t} \right) \right)}$$

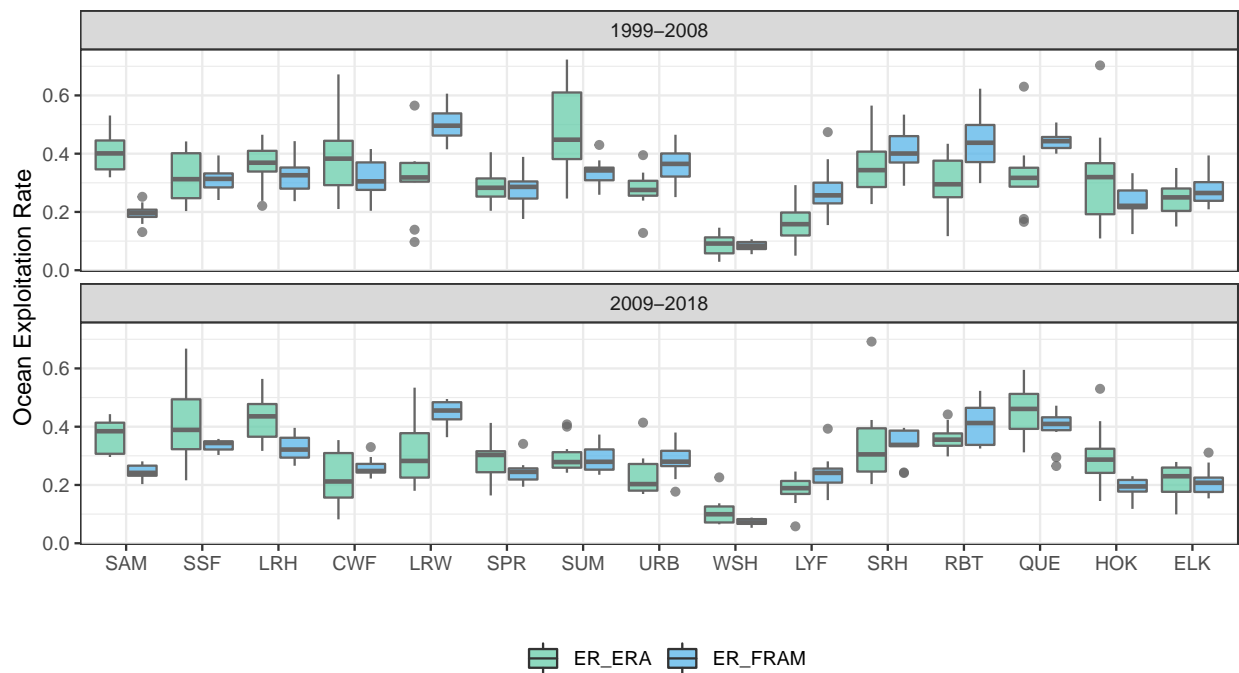
Results

Overall Summary Across Stocks

Entire Time Series



By Time Period

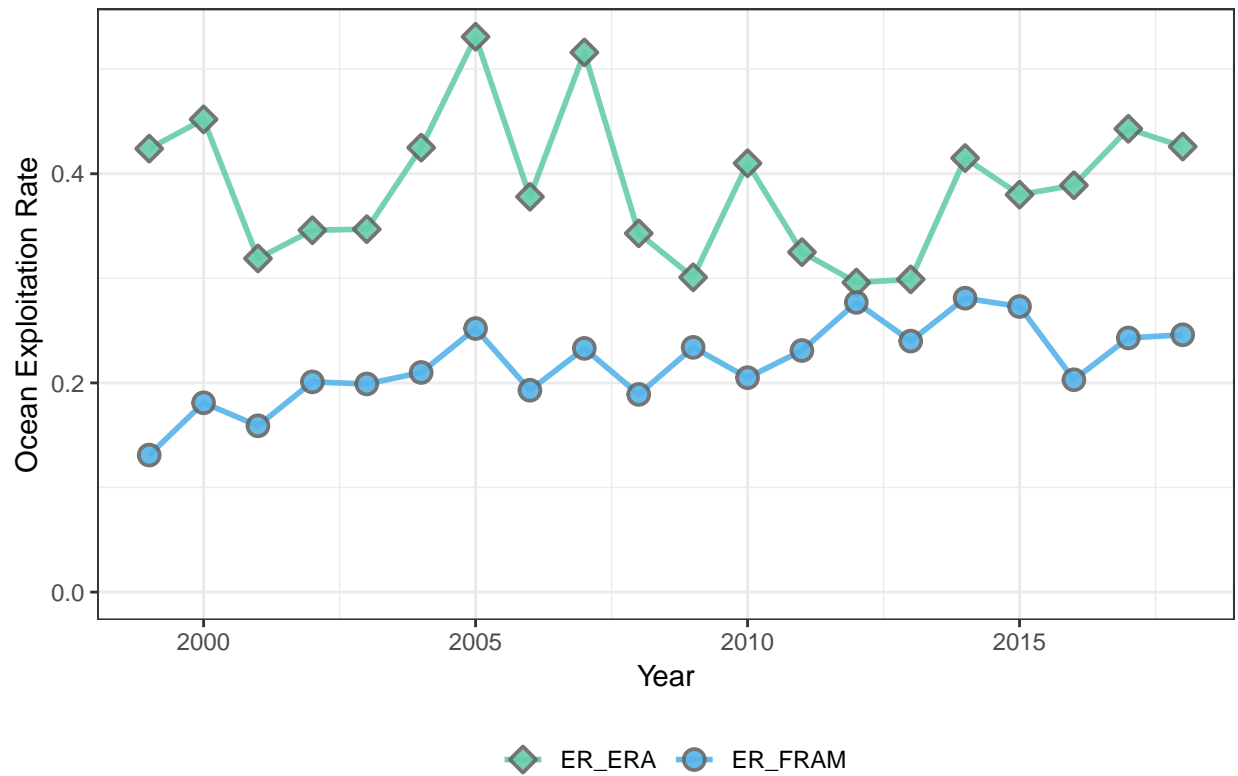


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SAM	2007	634272	x	x
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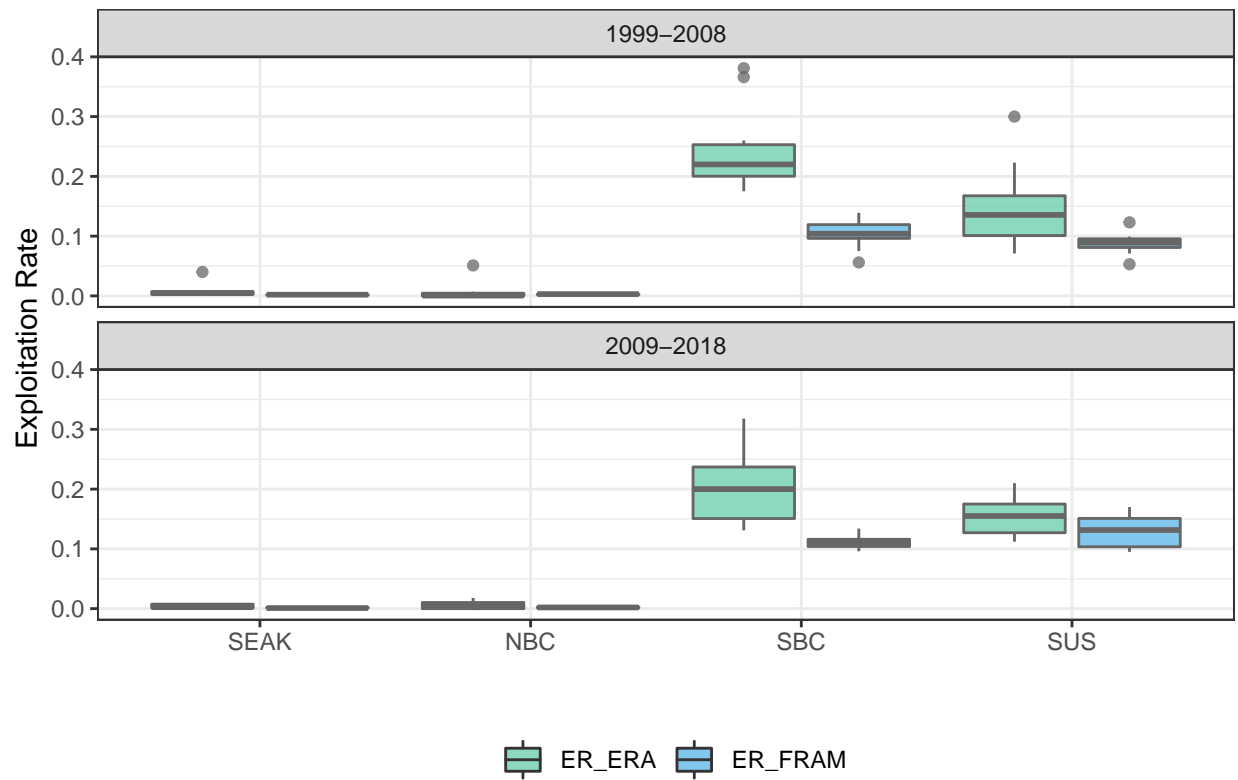
Individual Stock Results

Nooksack Samish Fall

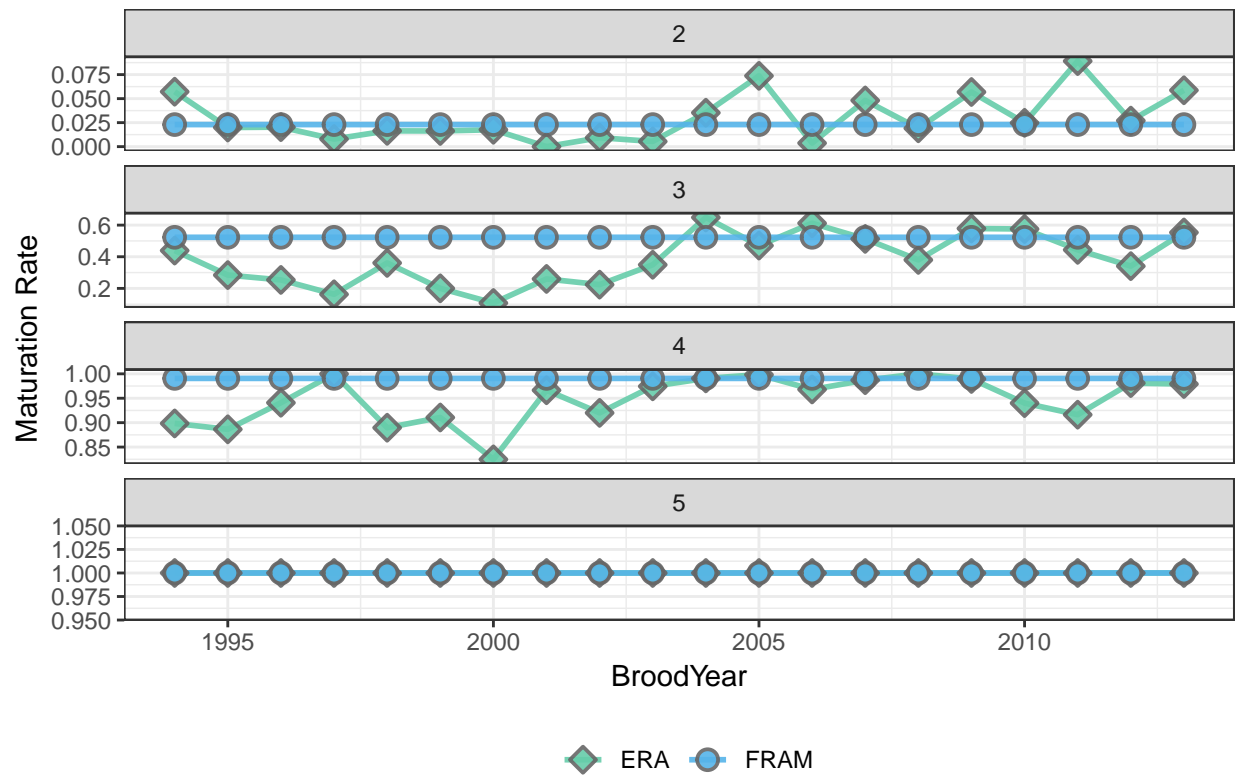
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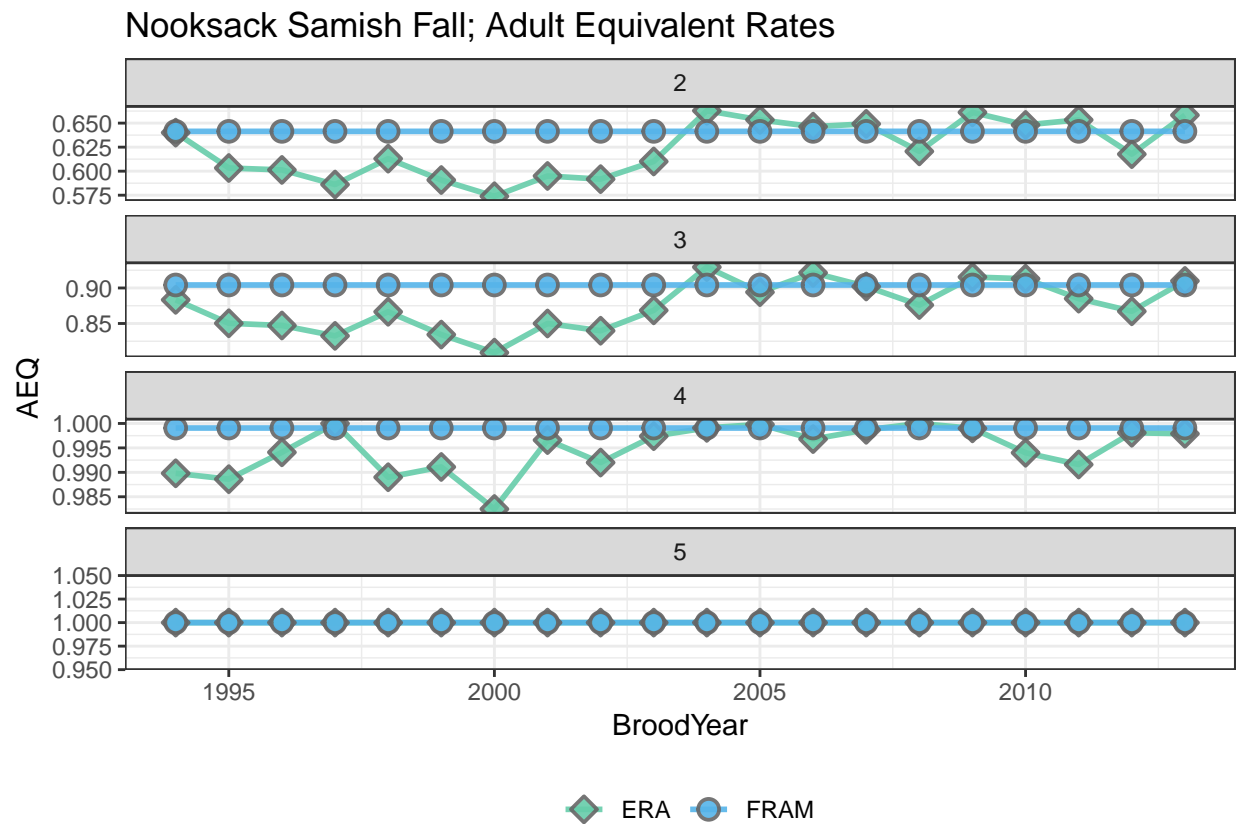
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Nooksack Samish Fall; Maturation Rates

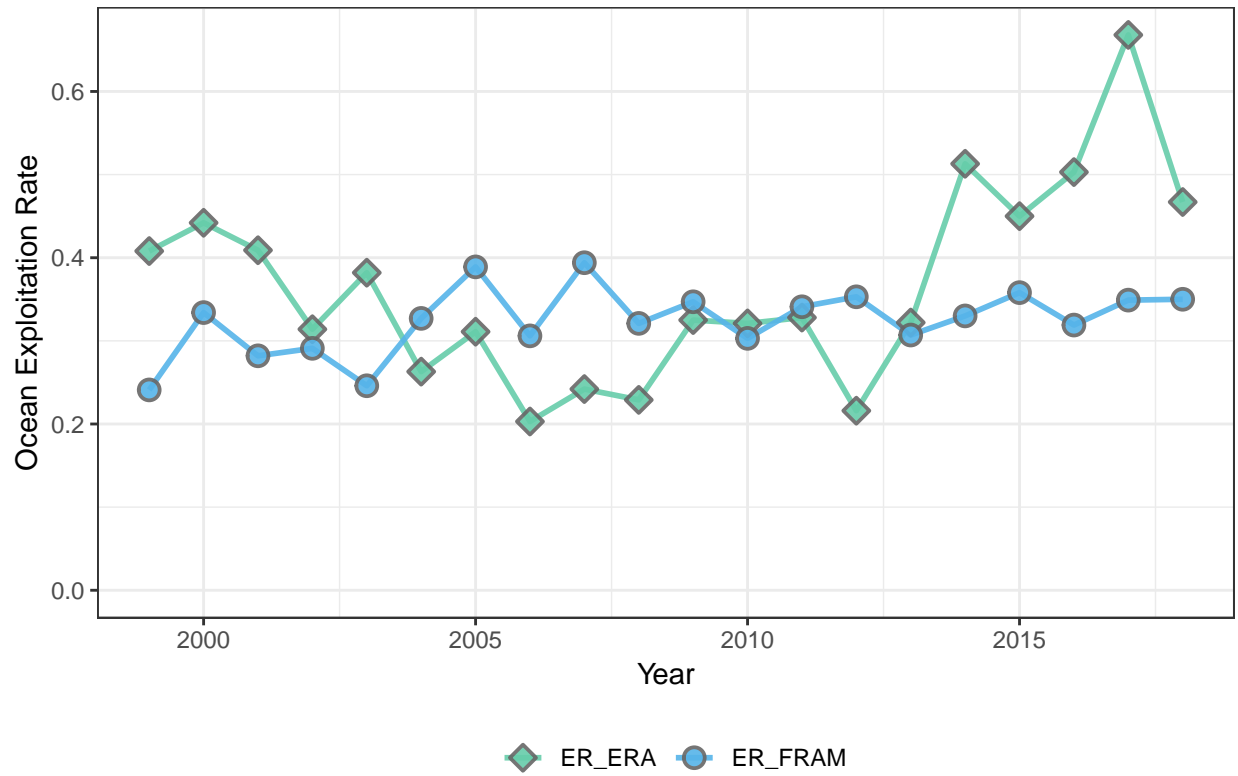


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SSF	2006	210745		x
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SSF	2008	210831		x

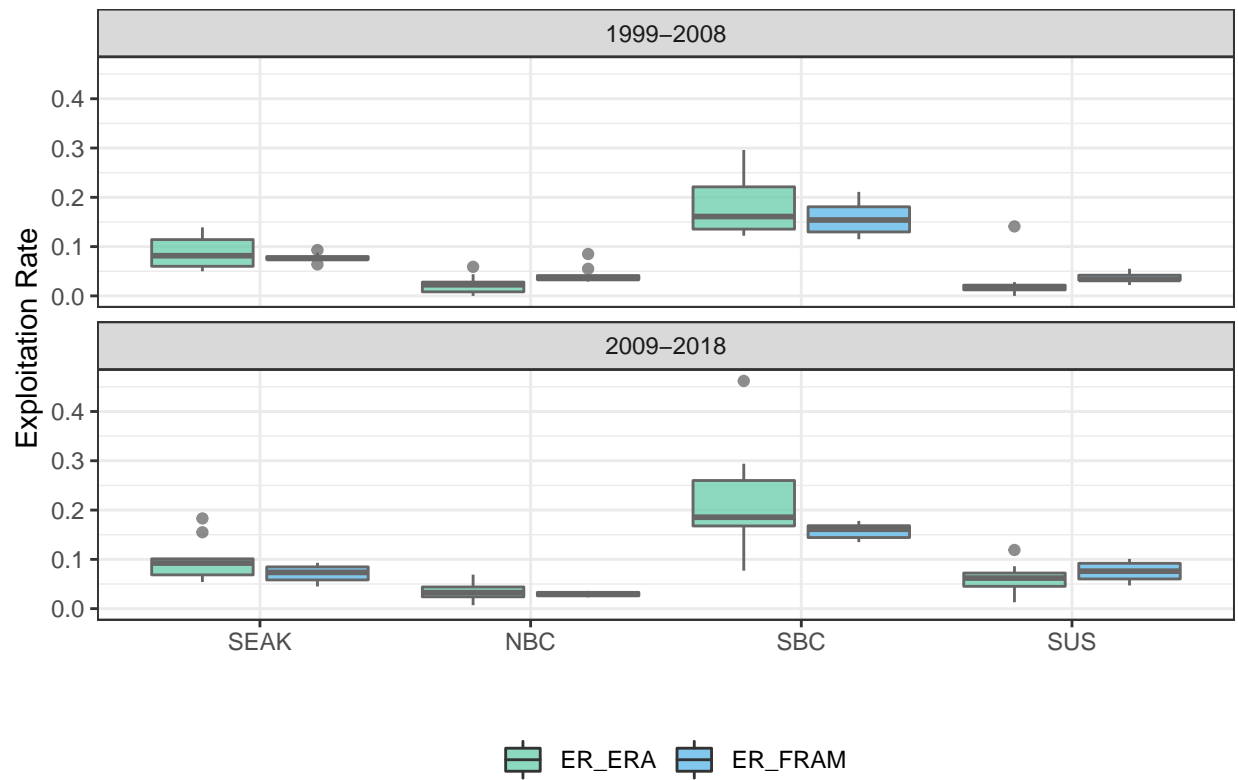


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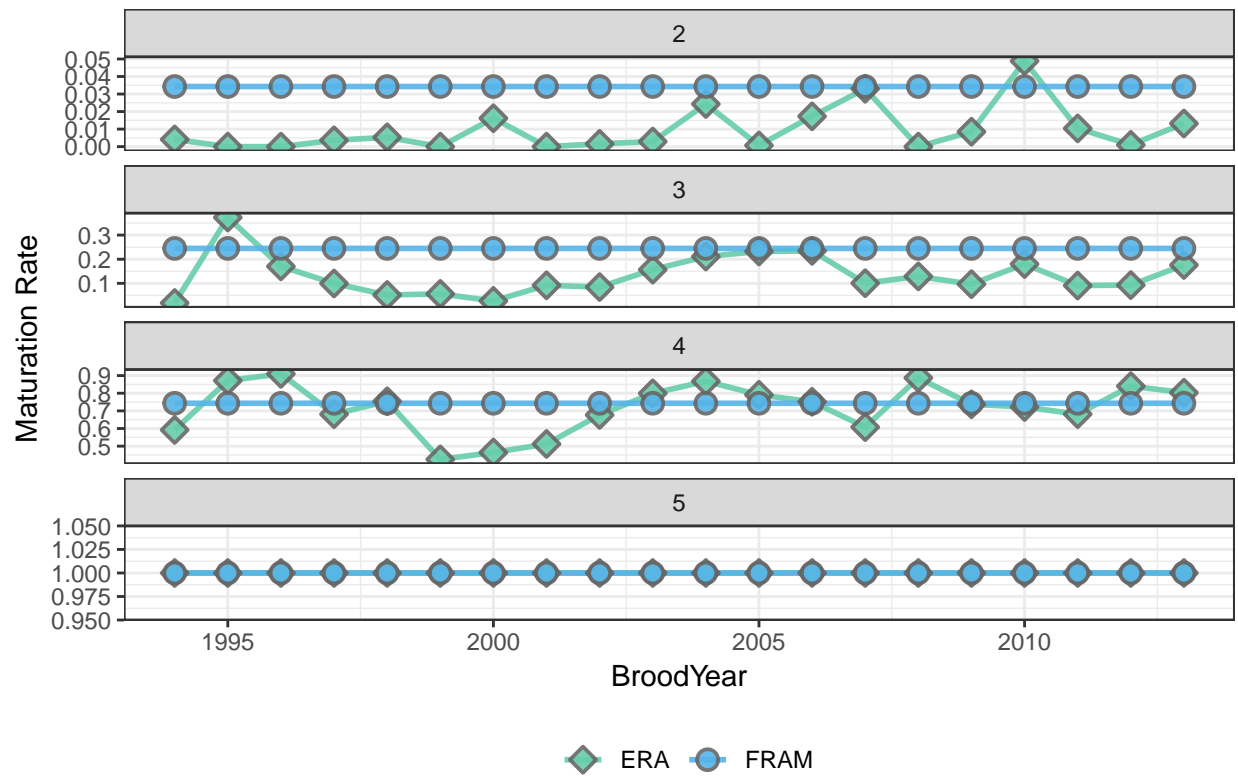
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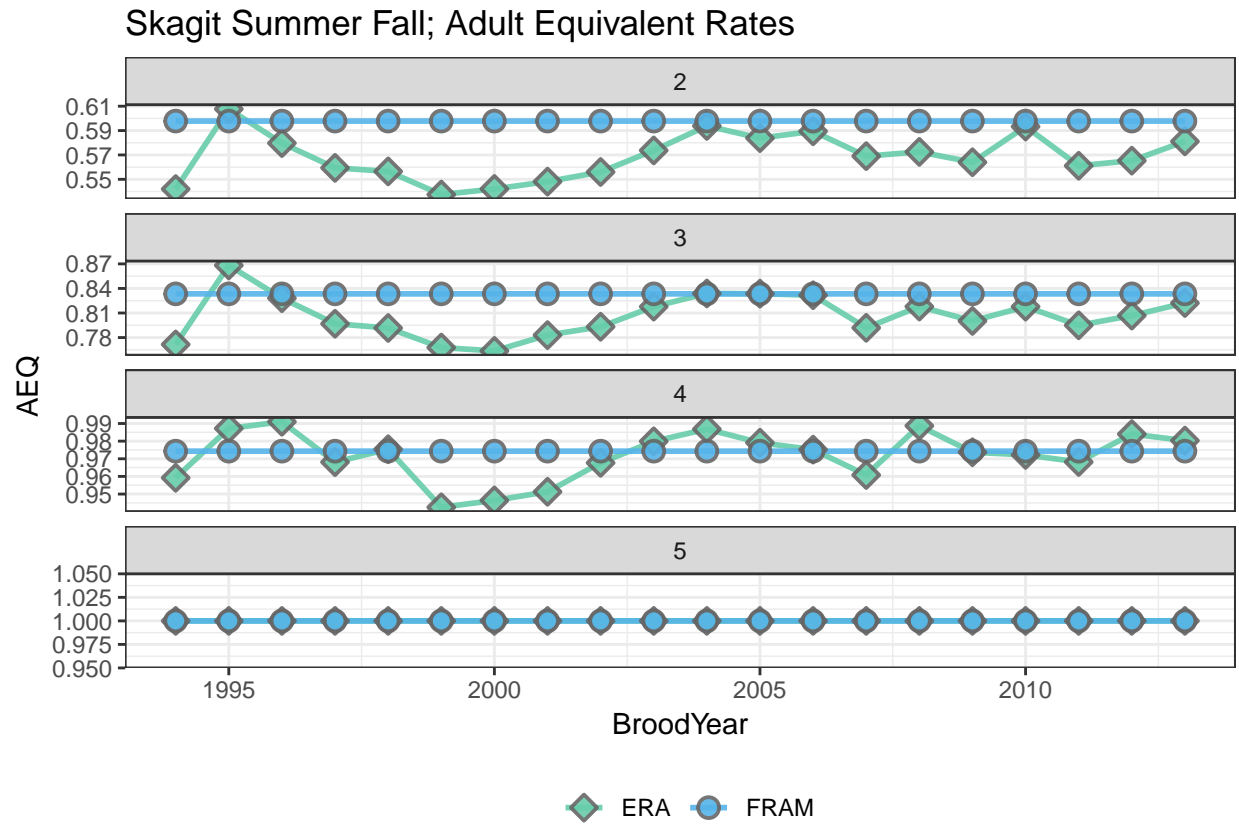
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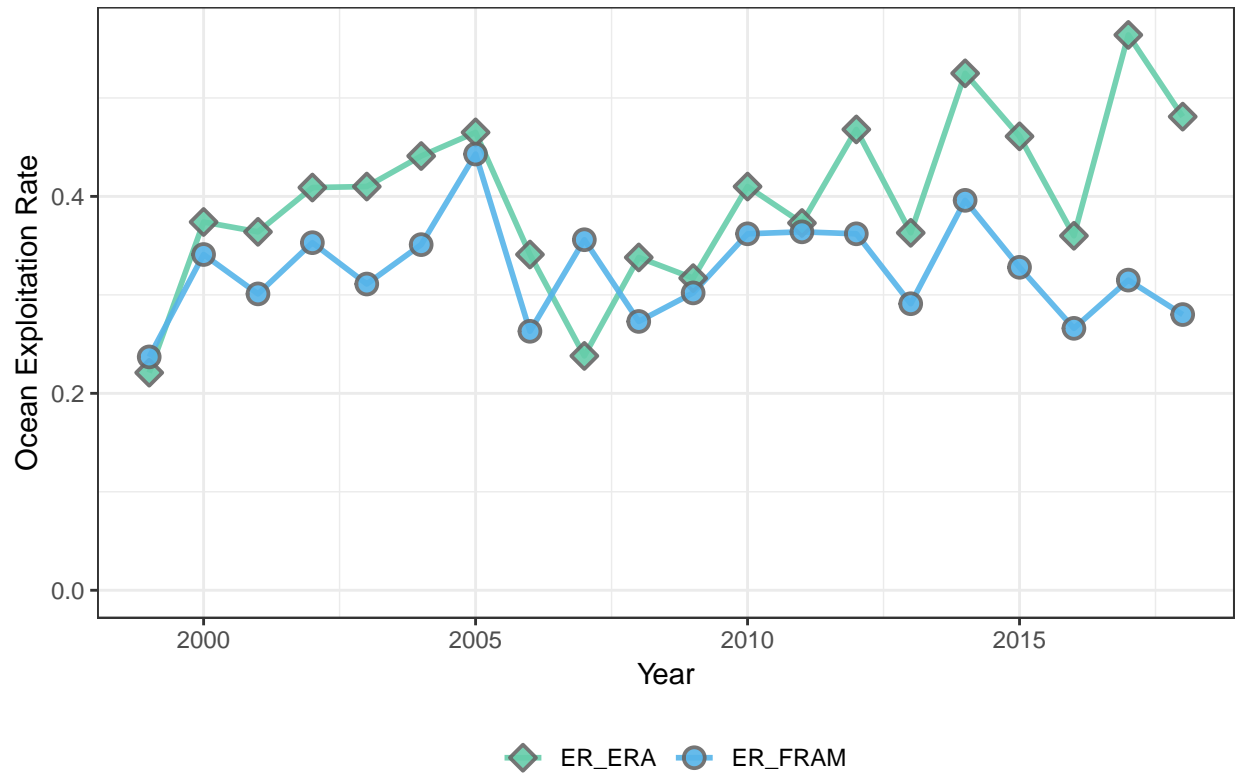


Stock	BroodYear	TagCode	ERA	FRAM
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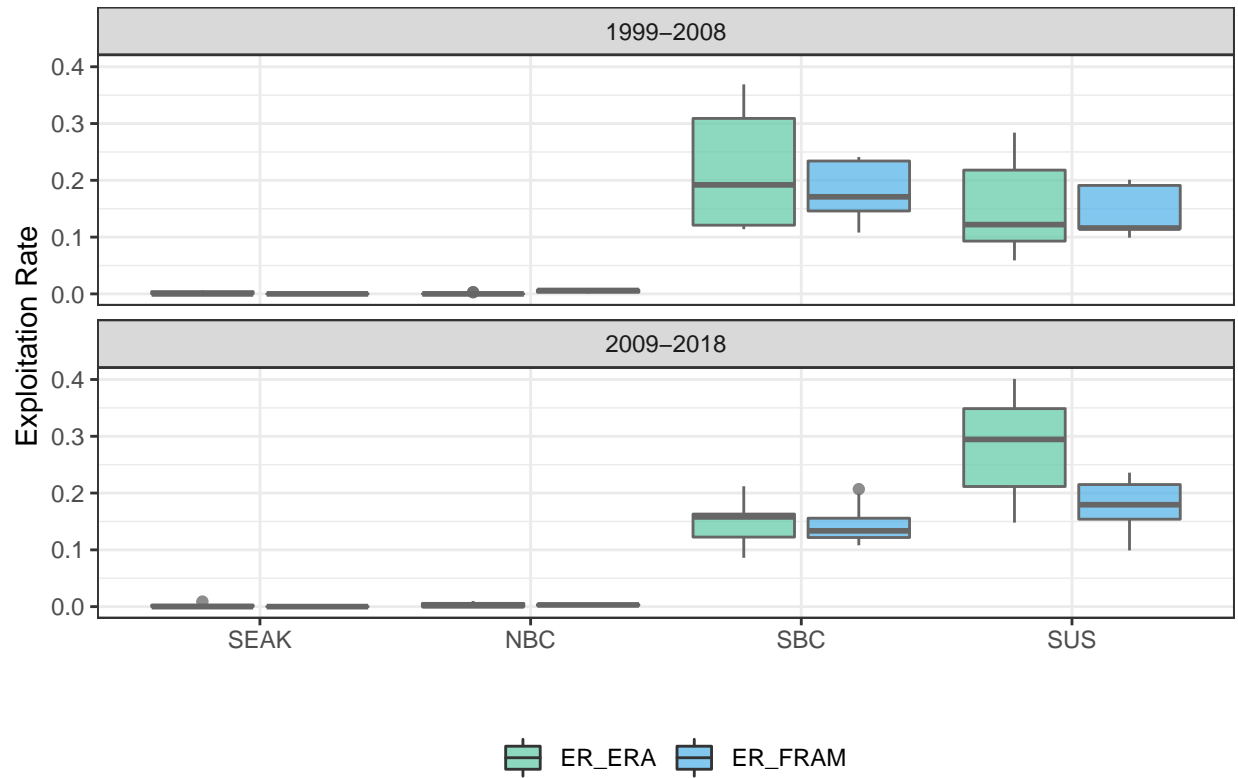


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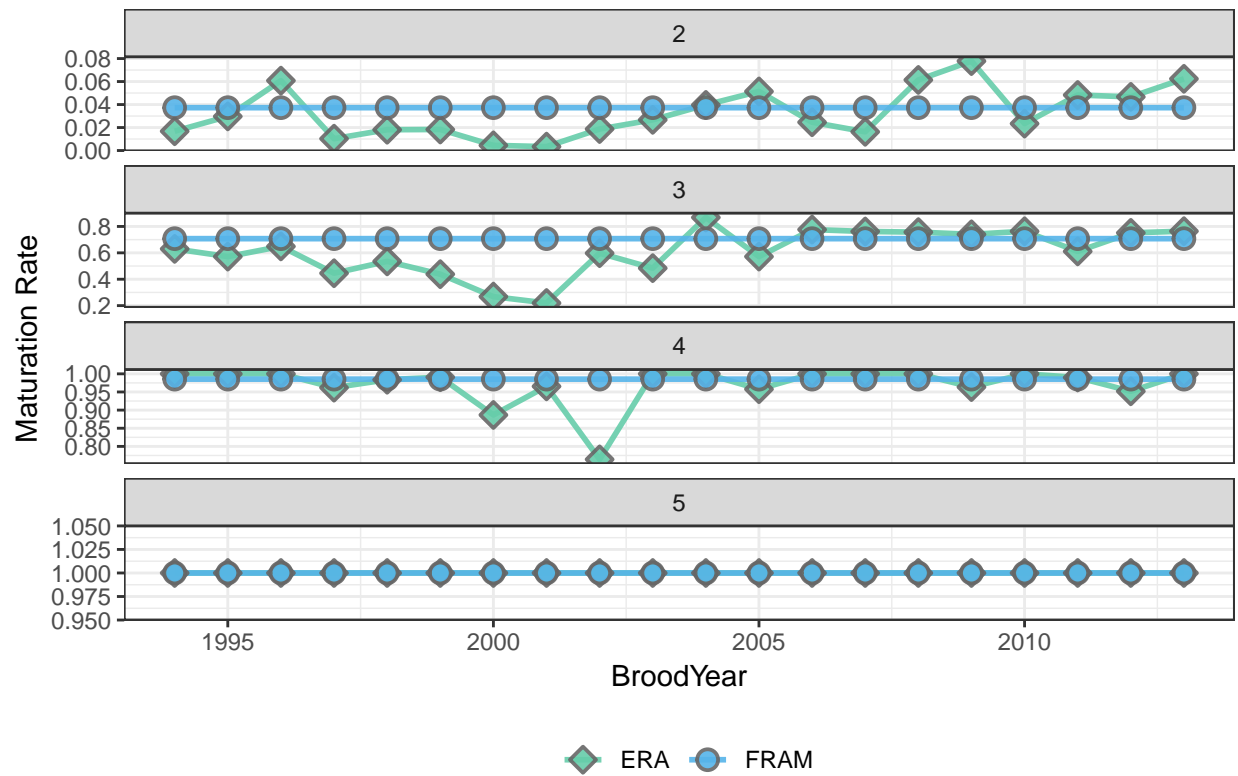
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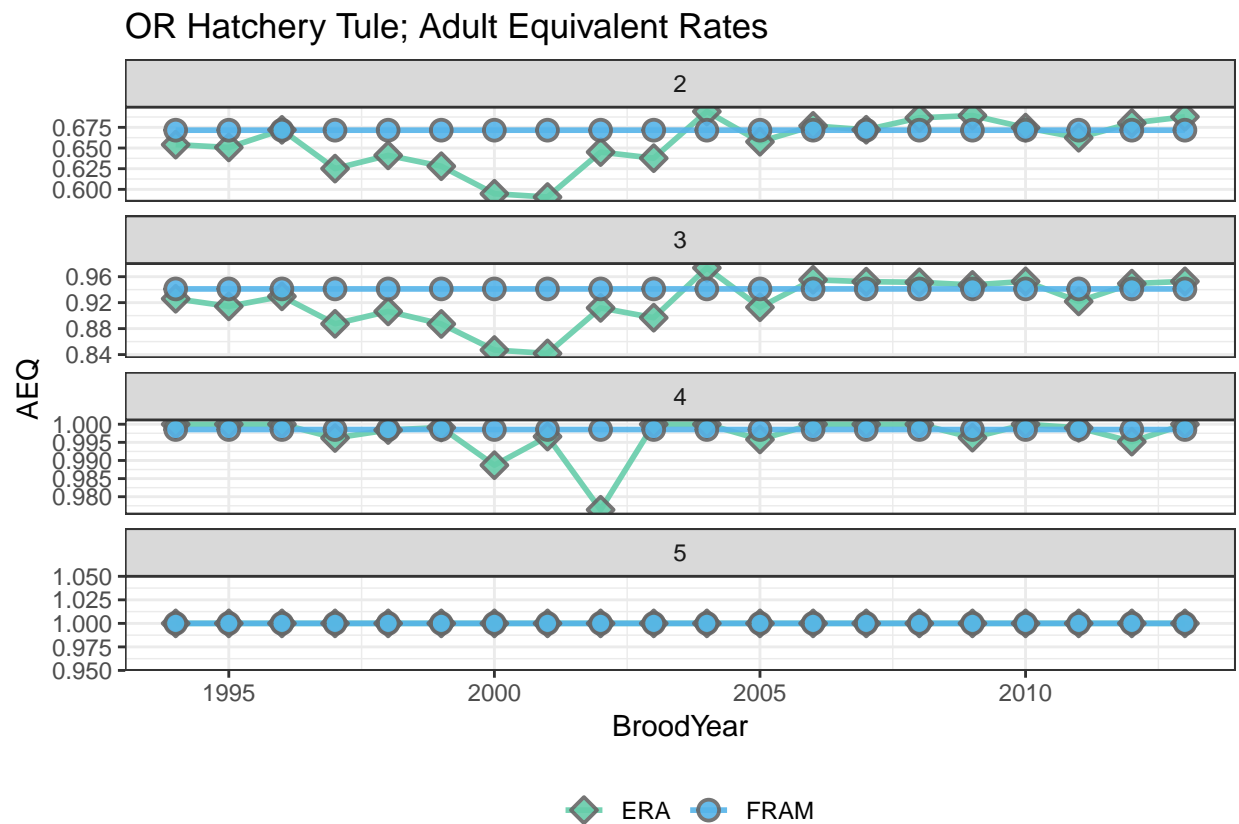
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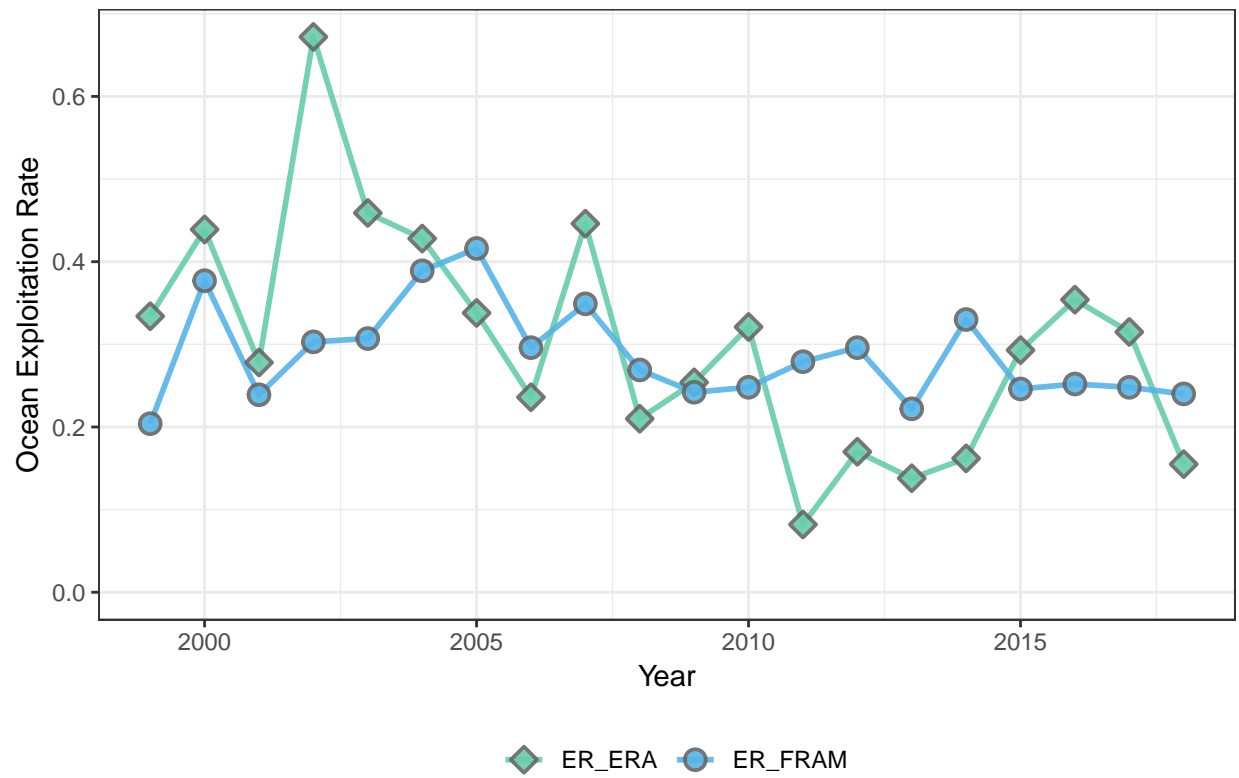


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CWF	2007	634372		x
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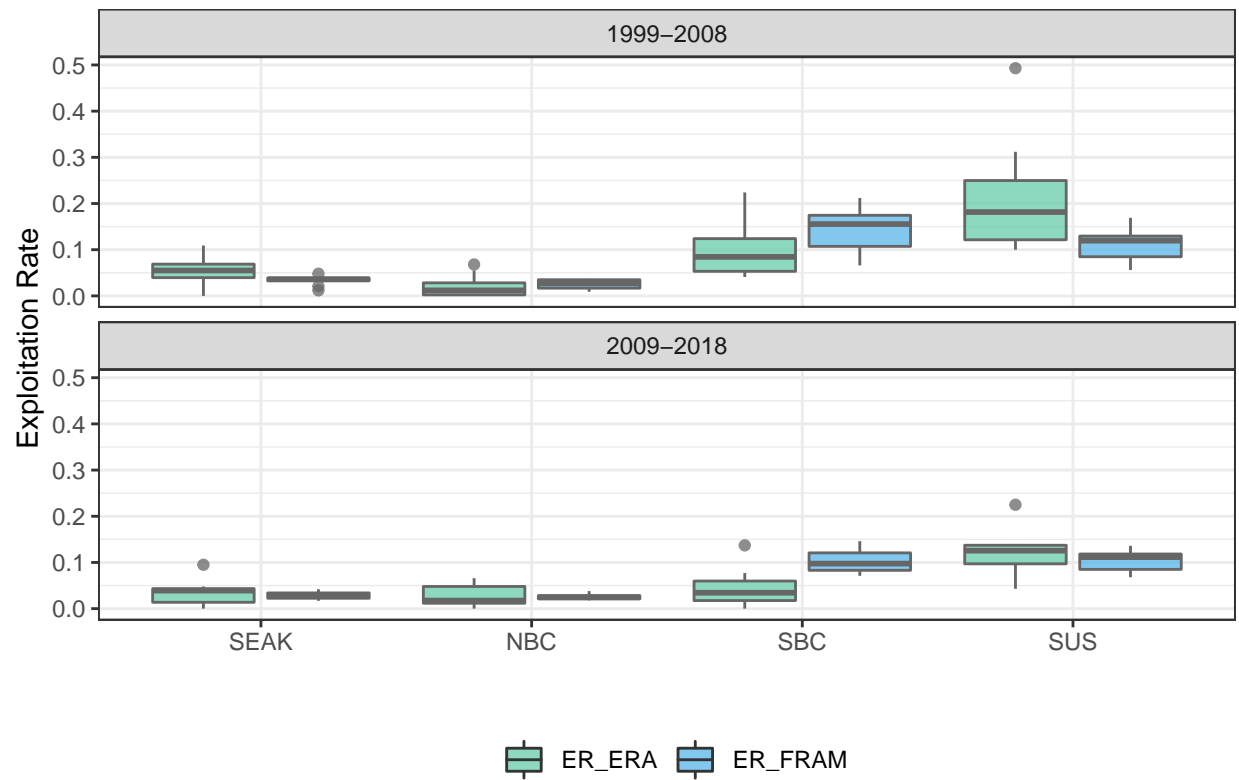


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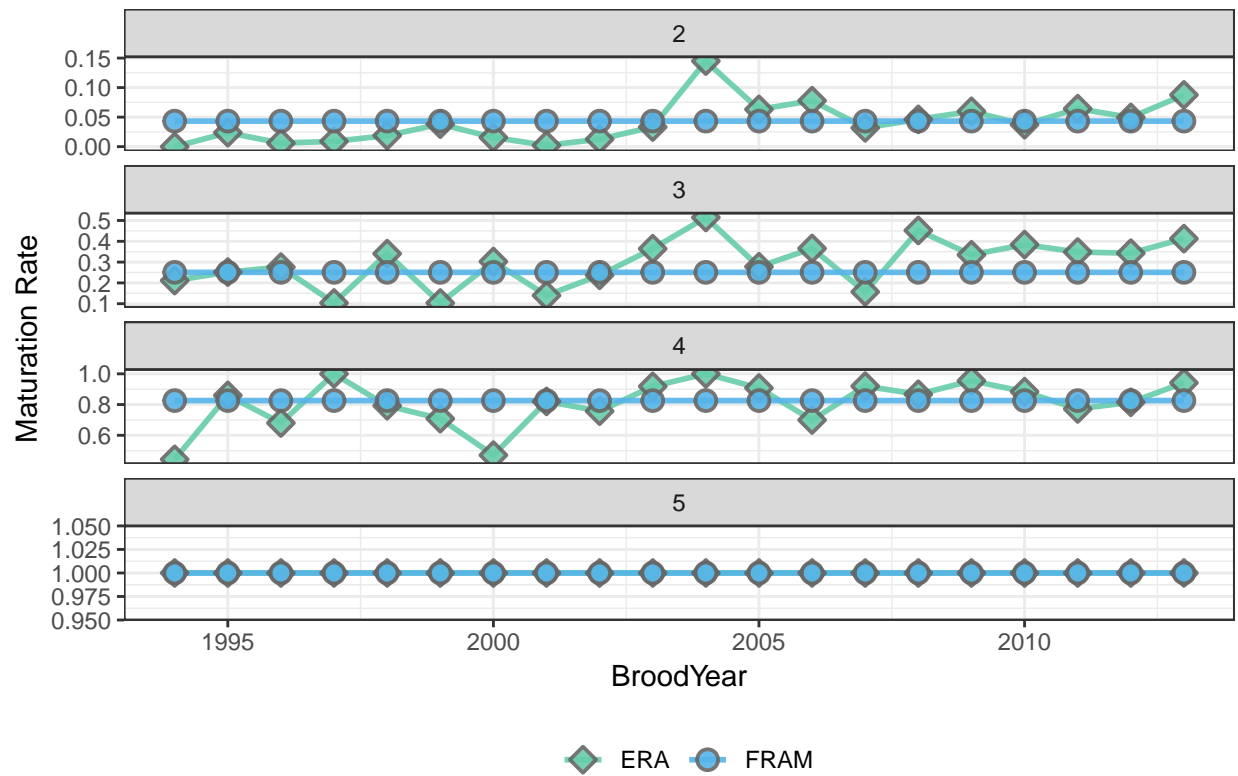
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WA Hatchery Tule; Ocean Exploitation Rates by Region

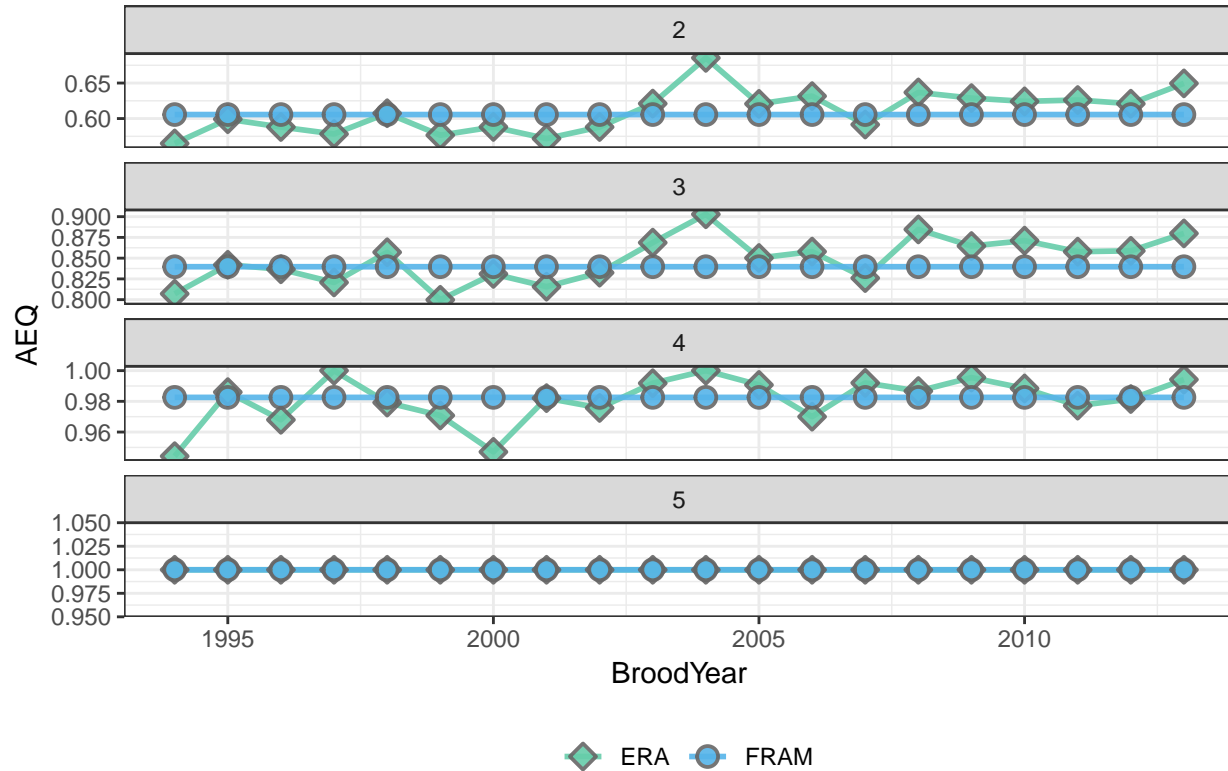


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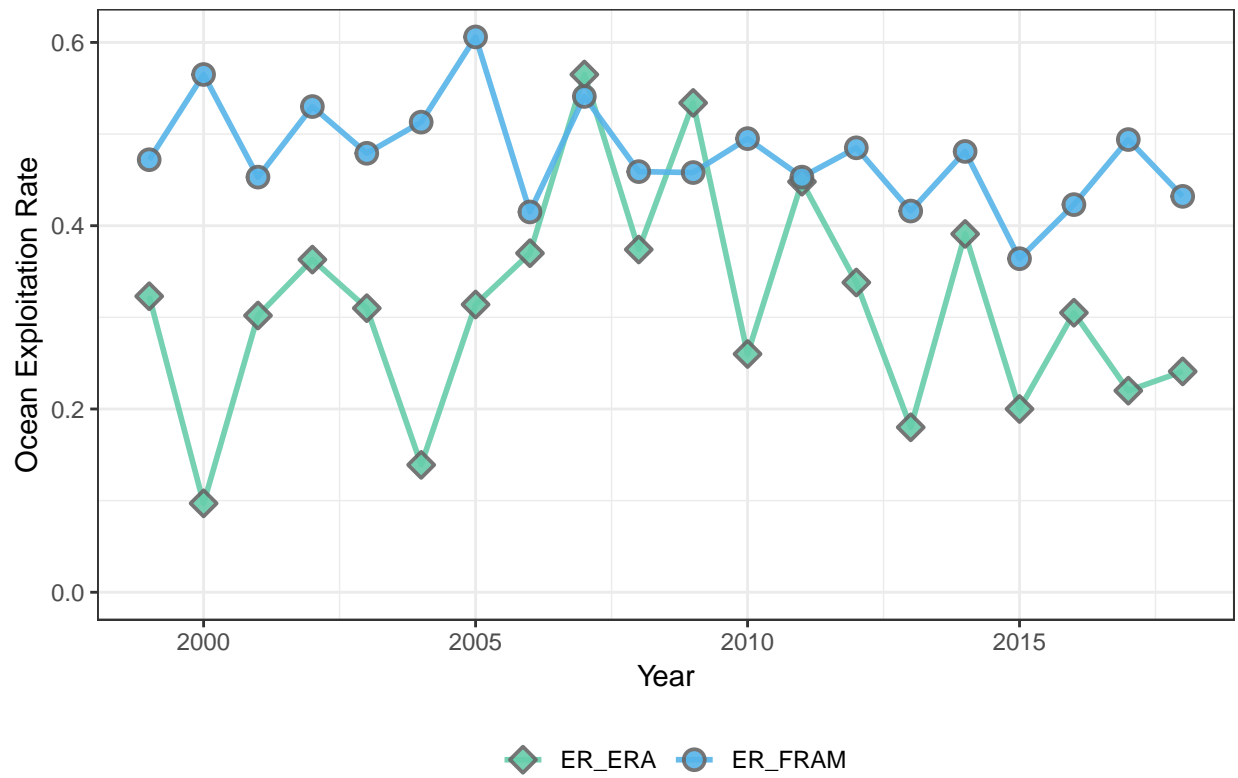
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LRW	2006	633492	x	x
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LRW	2008	634382	x	x

WA Hatchery Tule; Adult Equivalent Rates

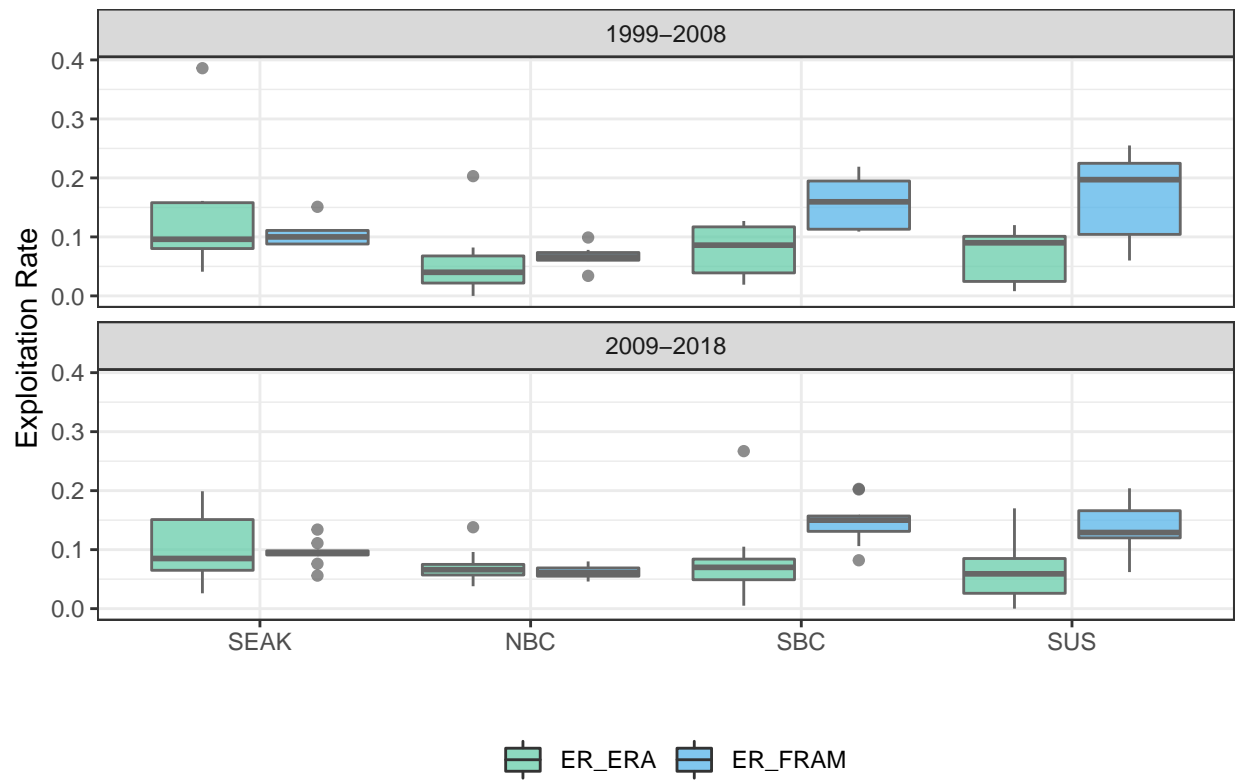


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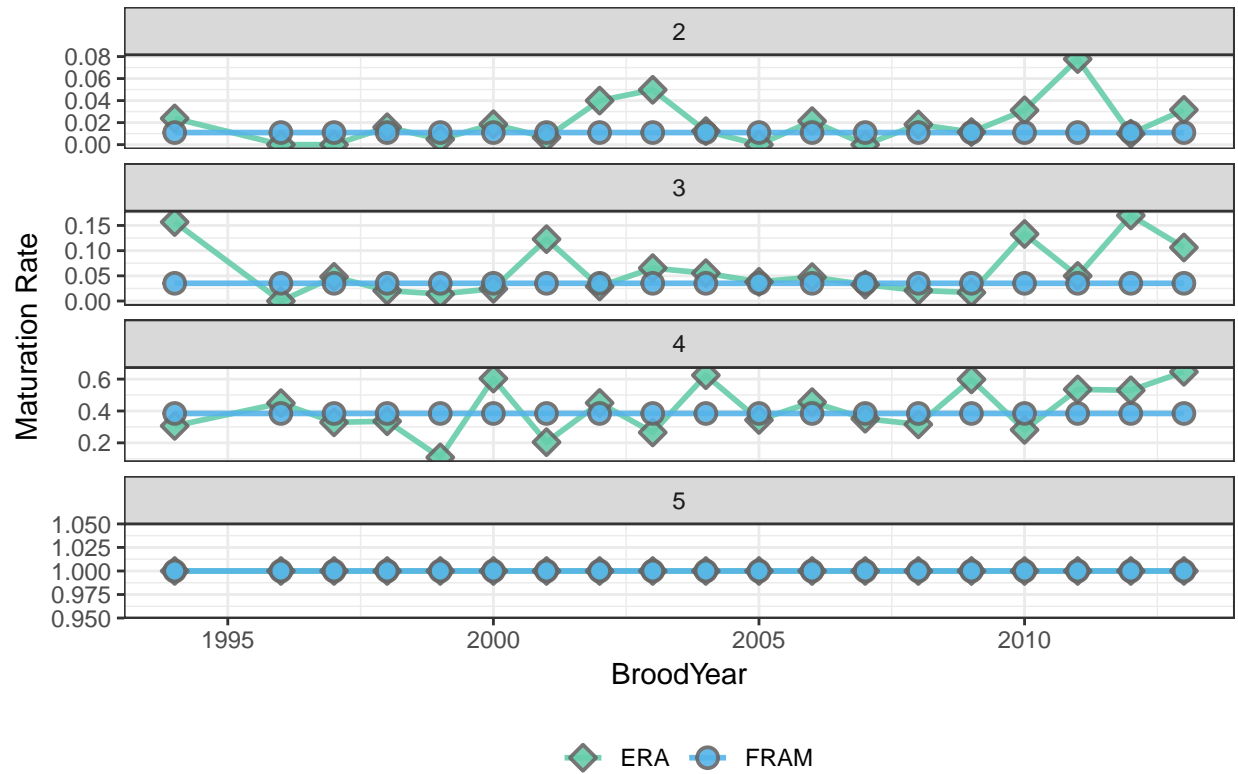
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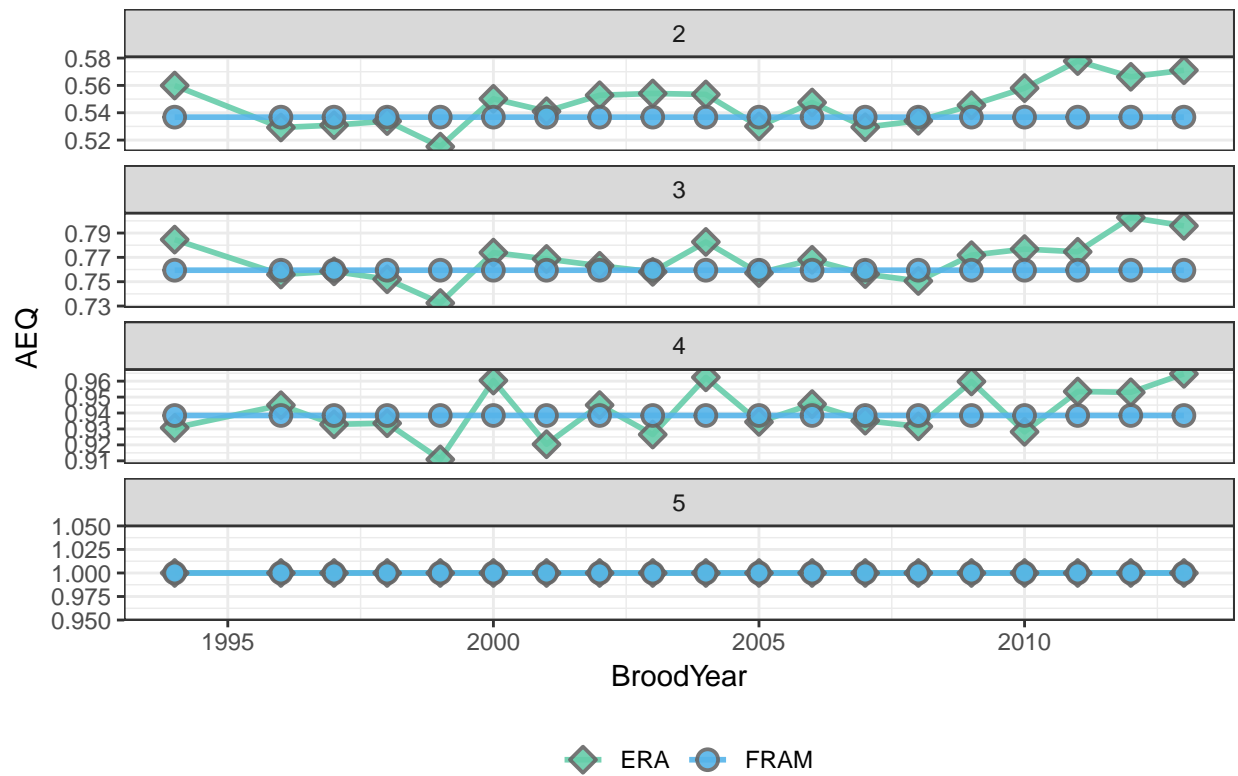
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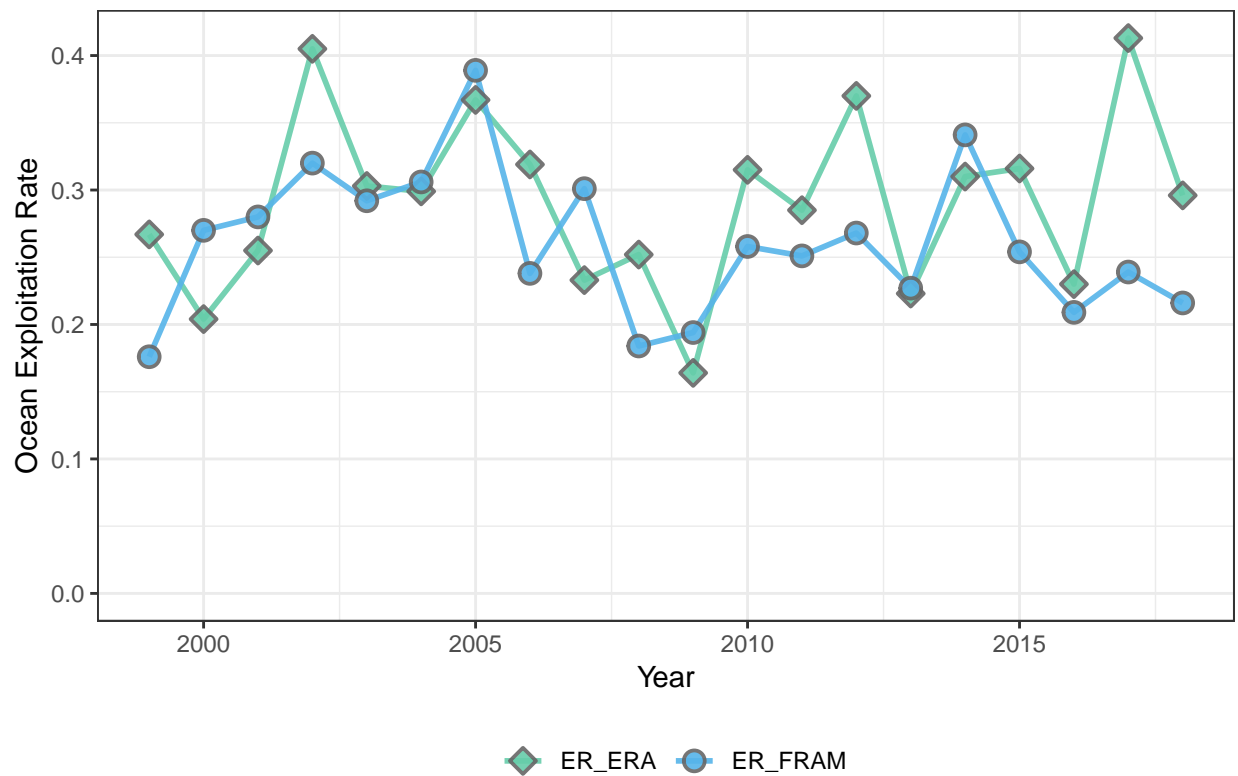
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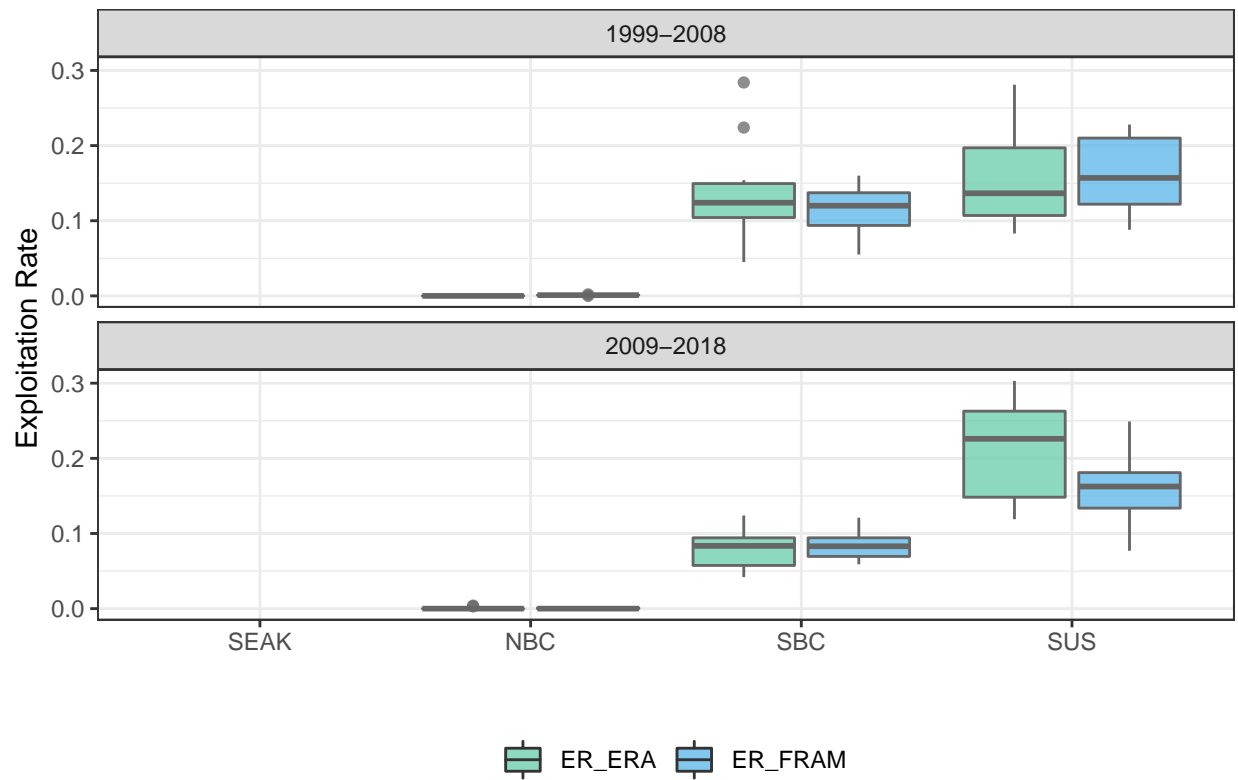
Spring Creek

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SPR	2006	052577	x	x
SPR	2006	052588	x	x
SPR	2006	052895	x	x
SPR	2006	052897	x	x
SPR	2006	053592	x	x
SPR	2006	054318	x	x
SPR	2006	054336	x	x
SPR	2007	050685	x	x
SPR	2007	052978	x	x
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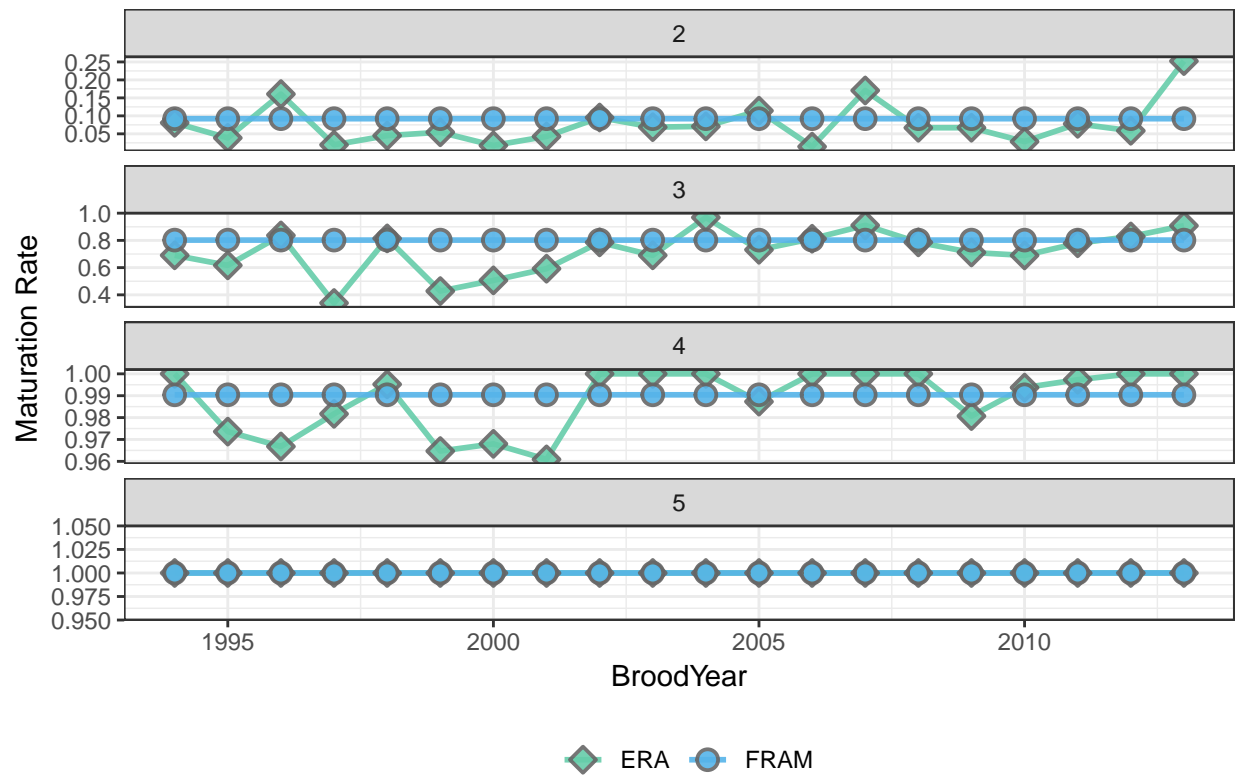
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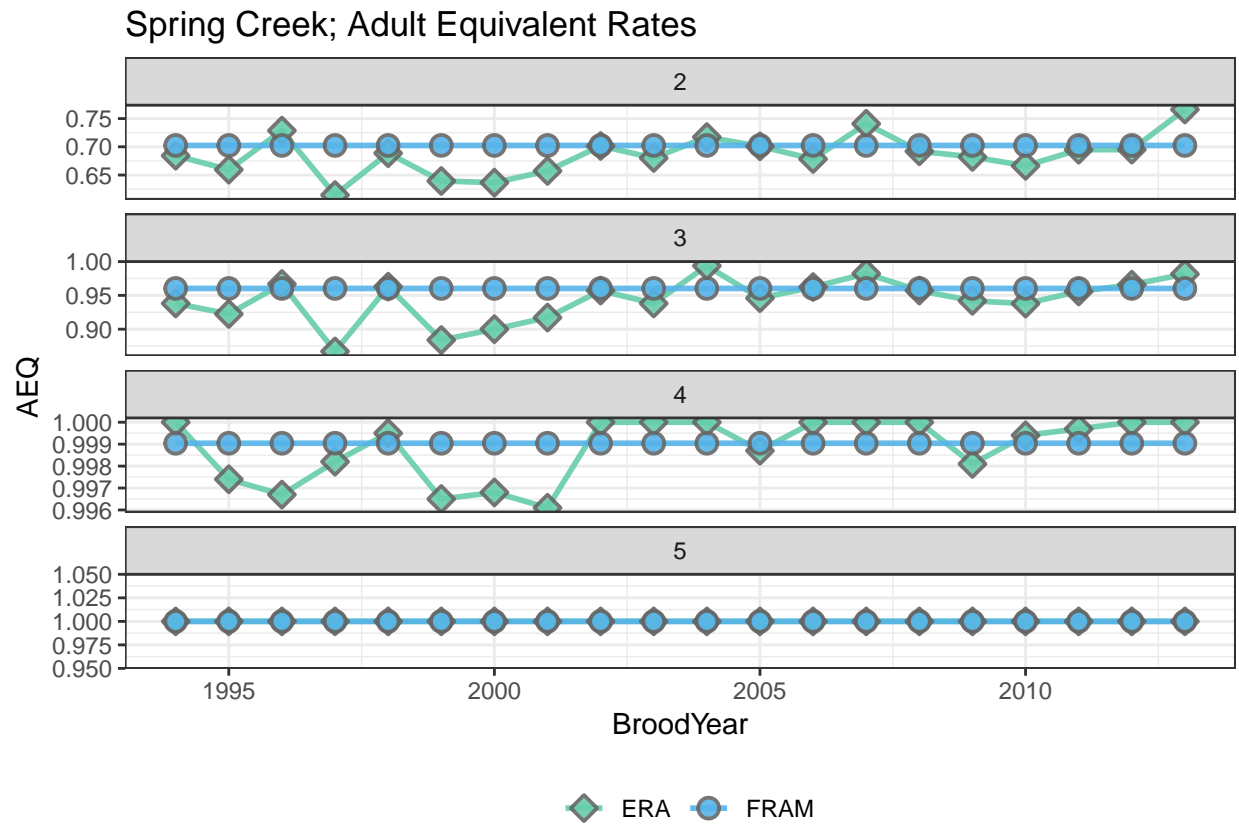
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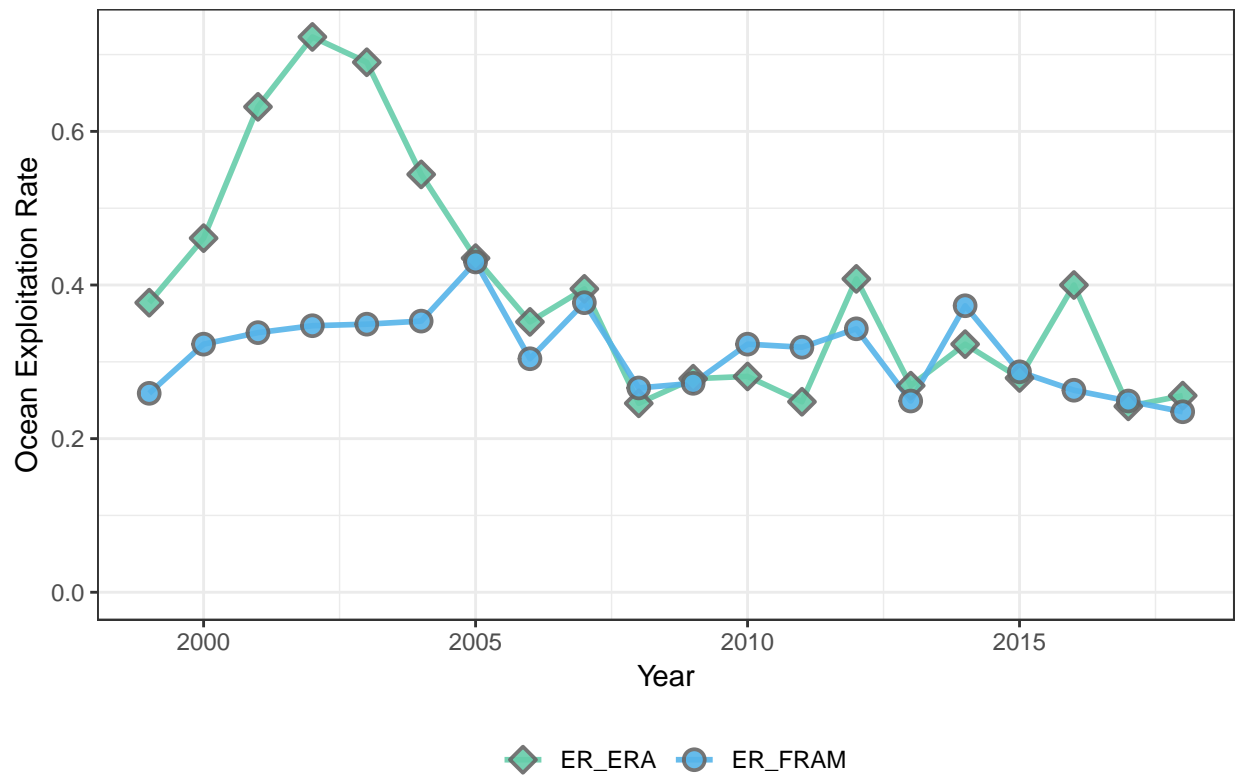


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SUM	2006	633386	x	x
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SUM	2007	633871	x	x
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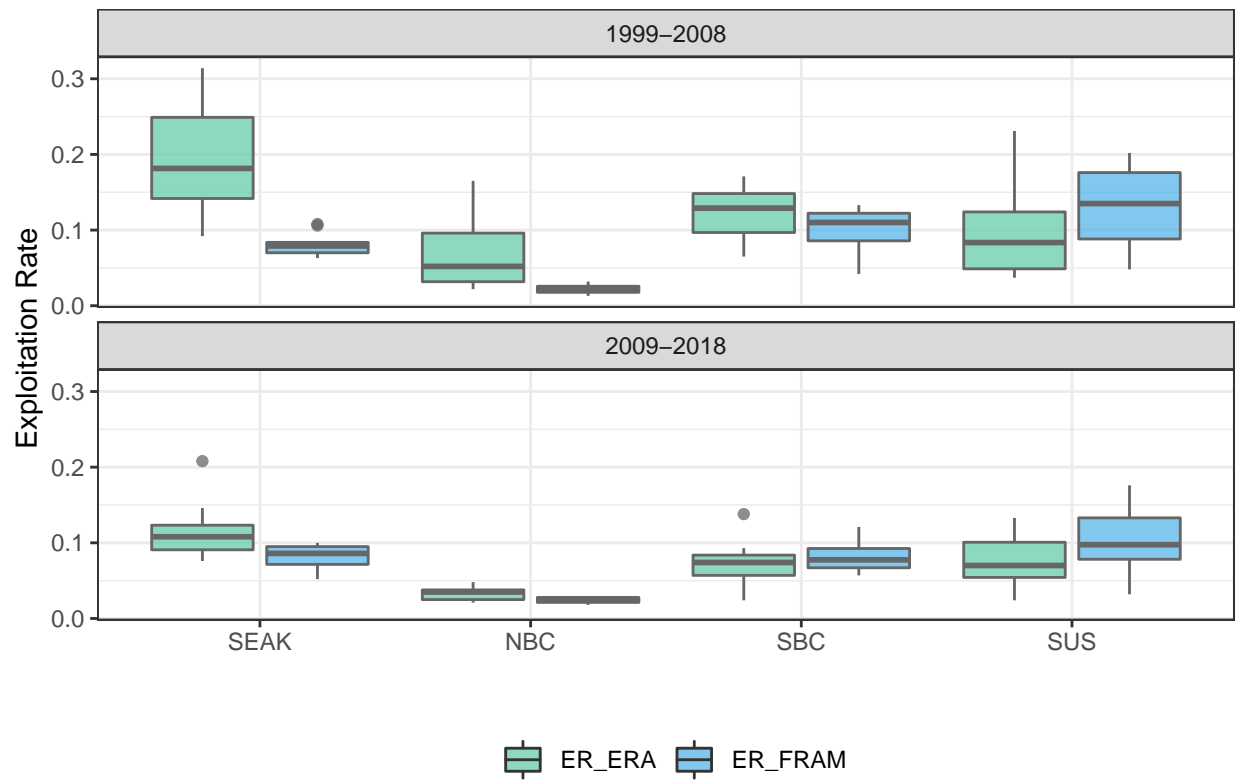


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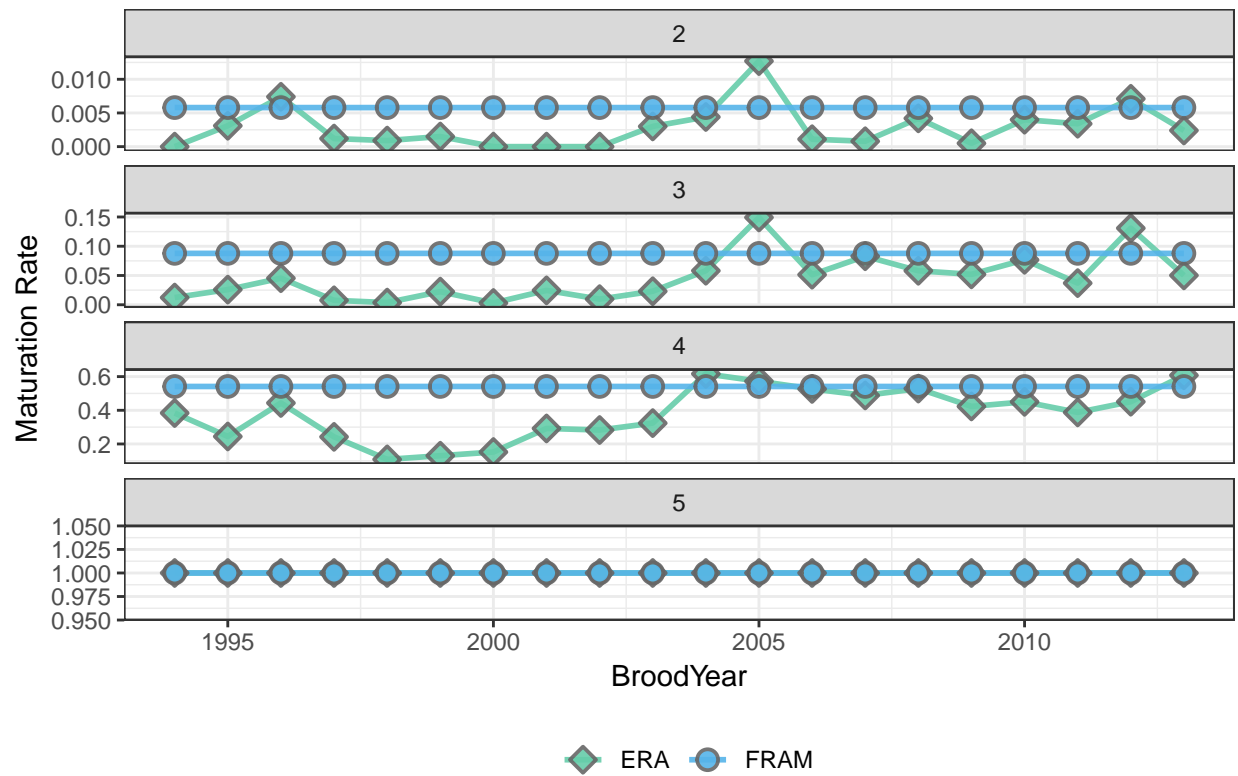
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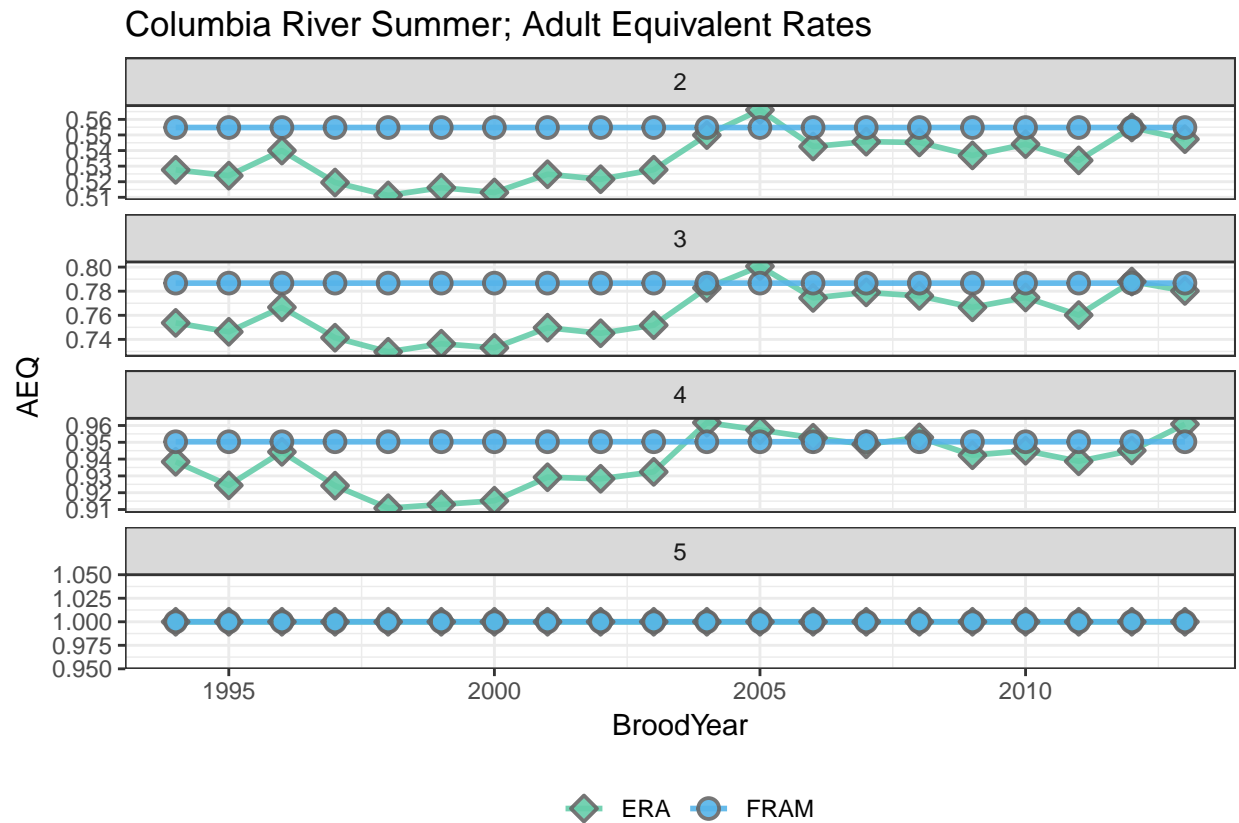
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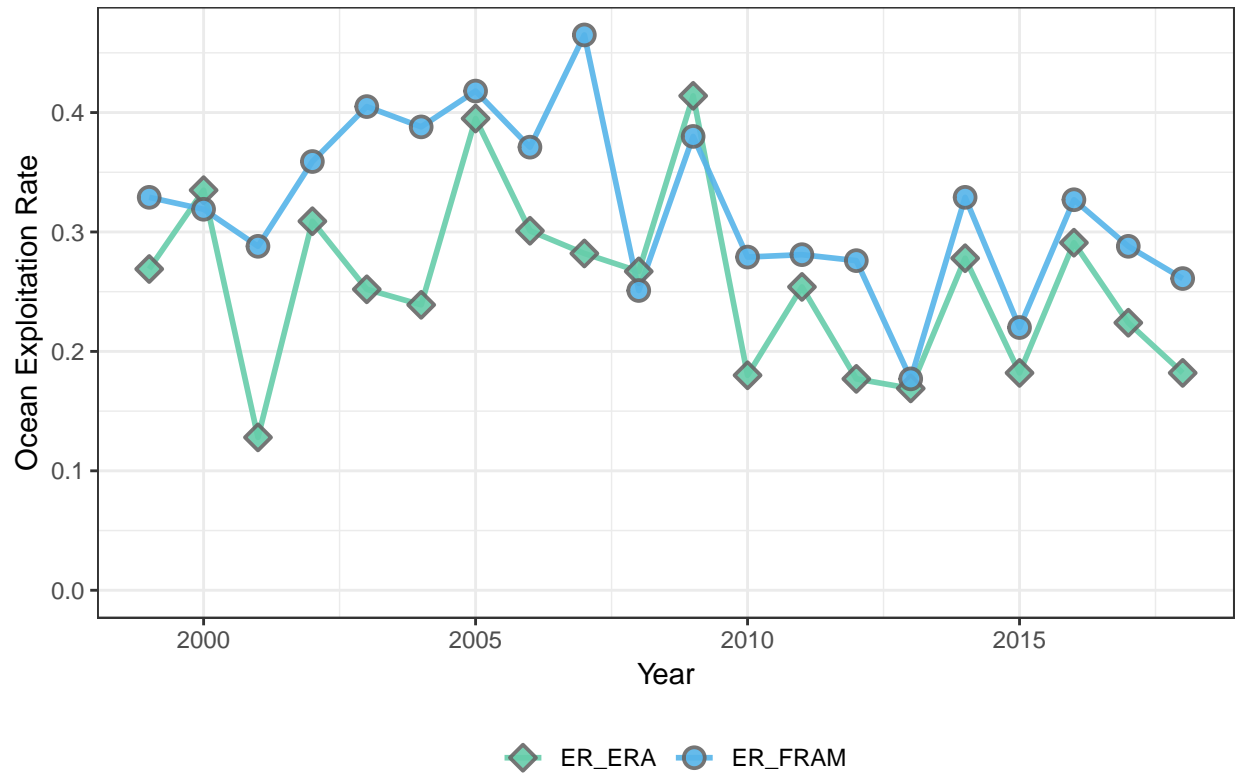


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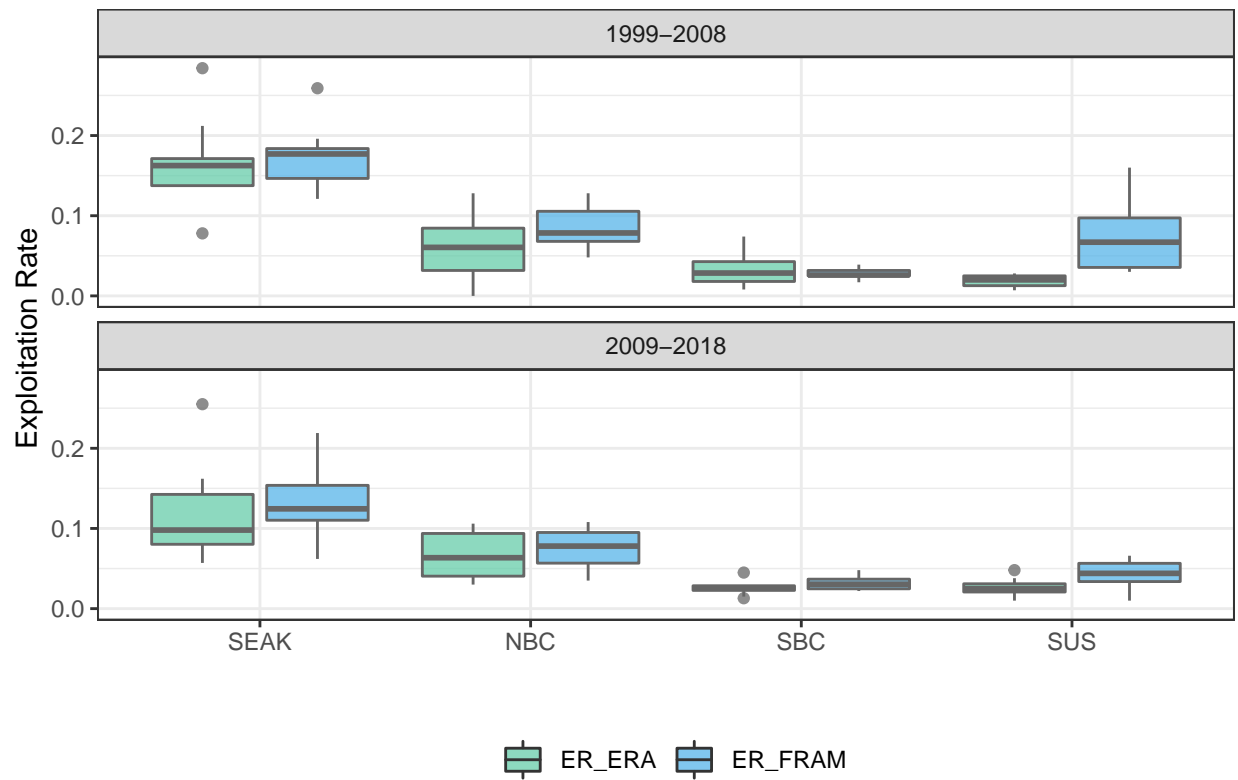


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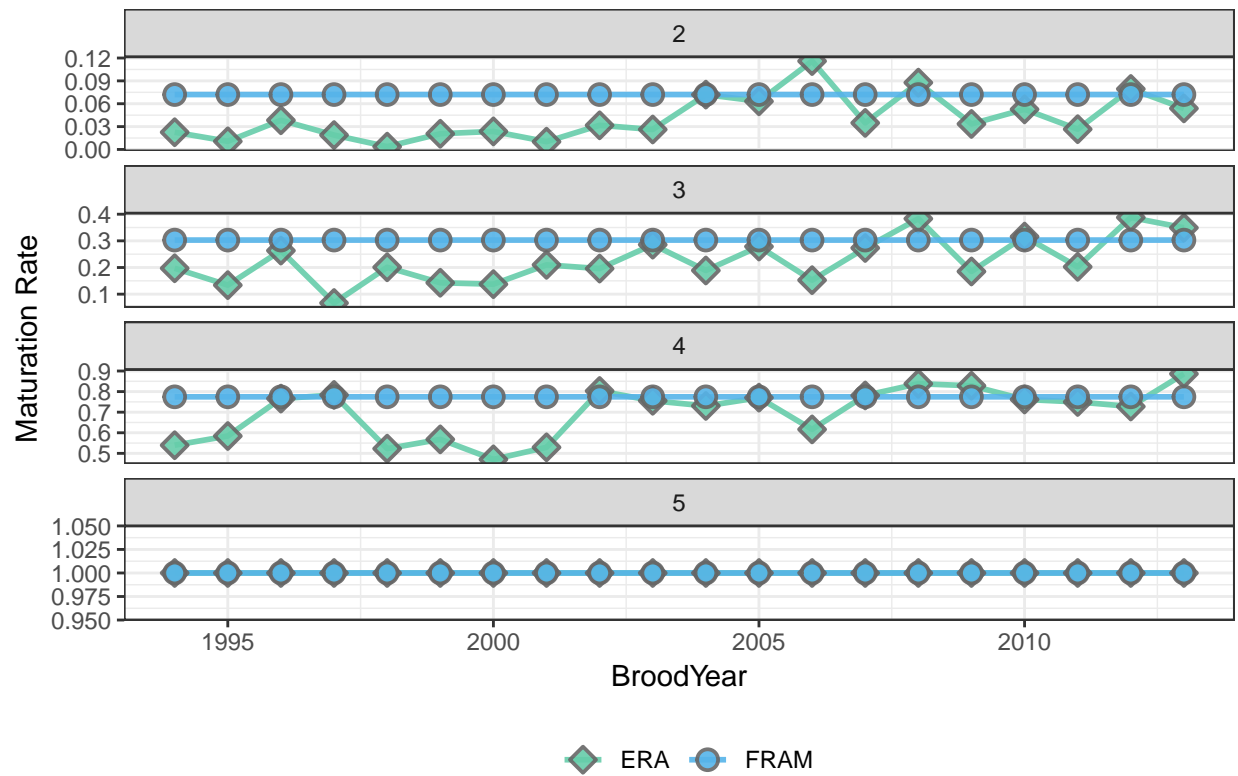
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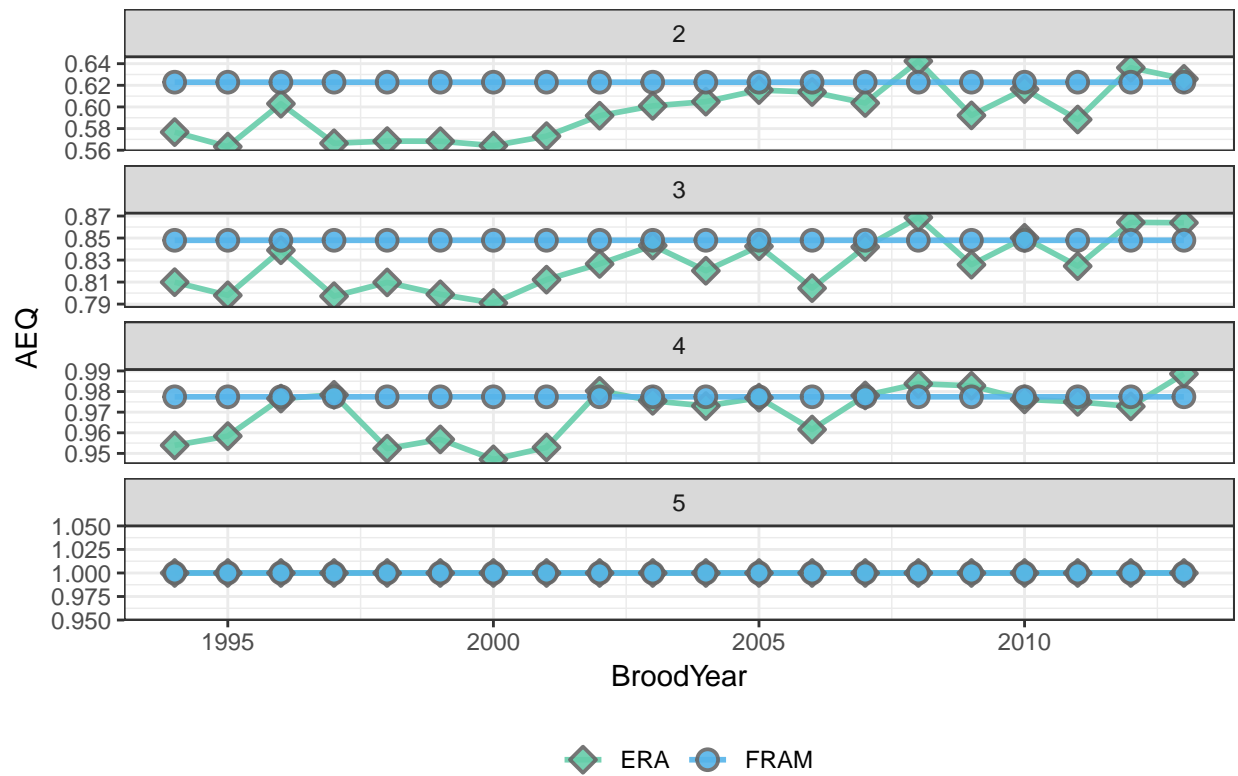
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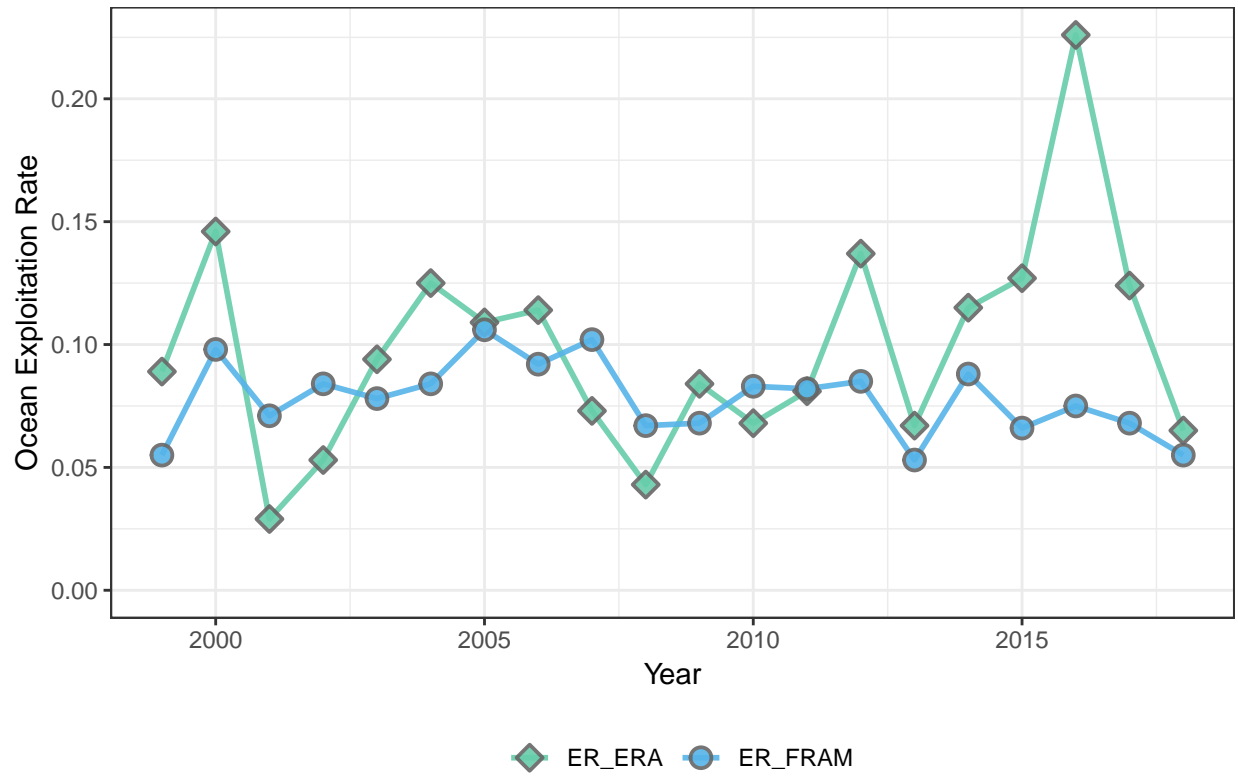
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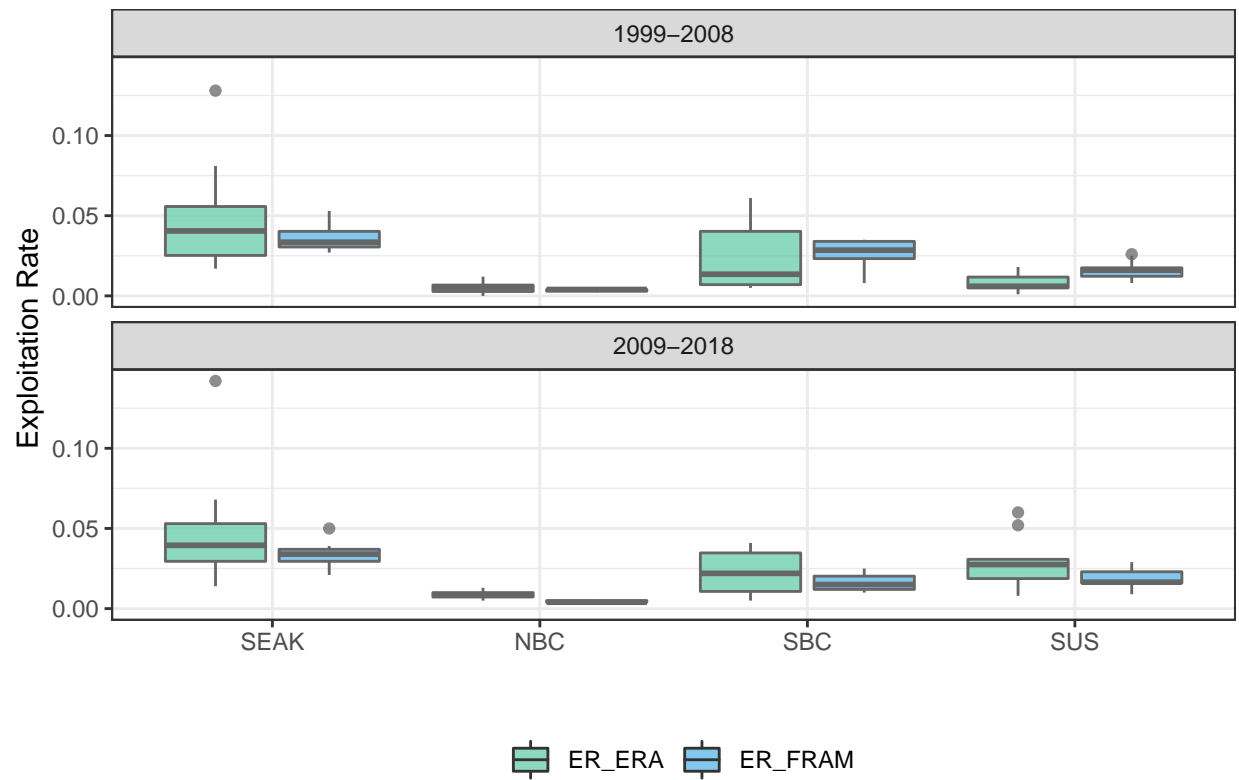
Willamette Spring

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WSH	2005	094453	x	x
WSH	2005	094142	x	x
WSH	2005	094344	x	x
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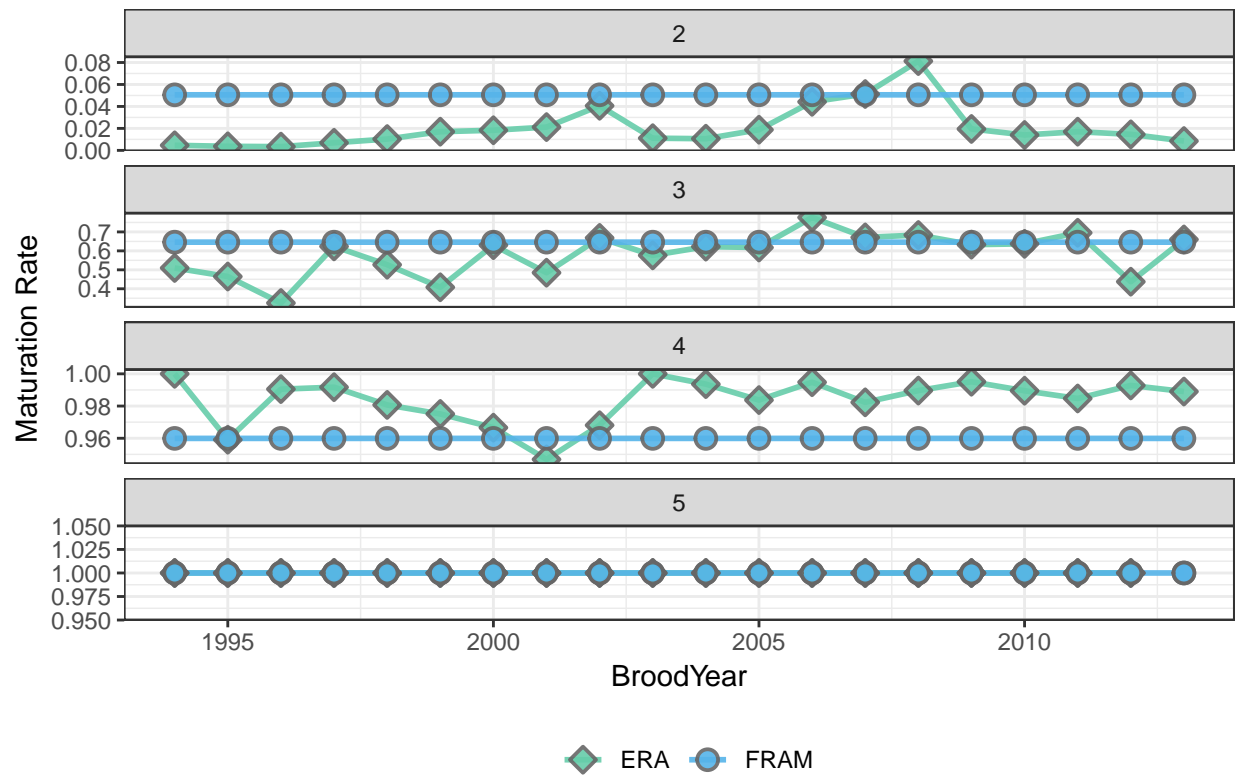
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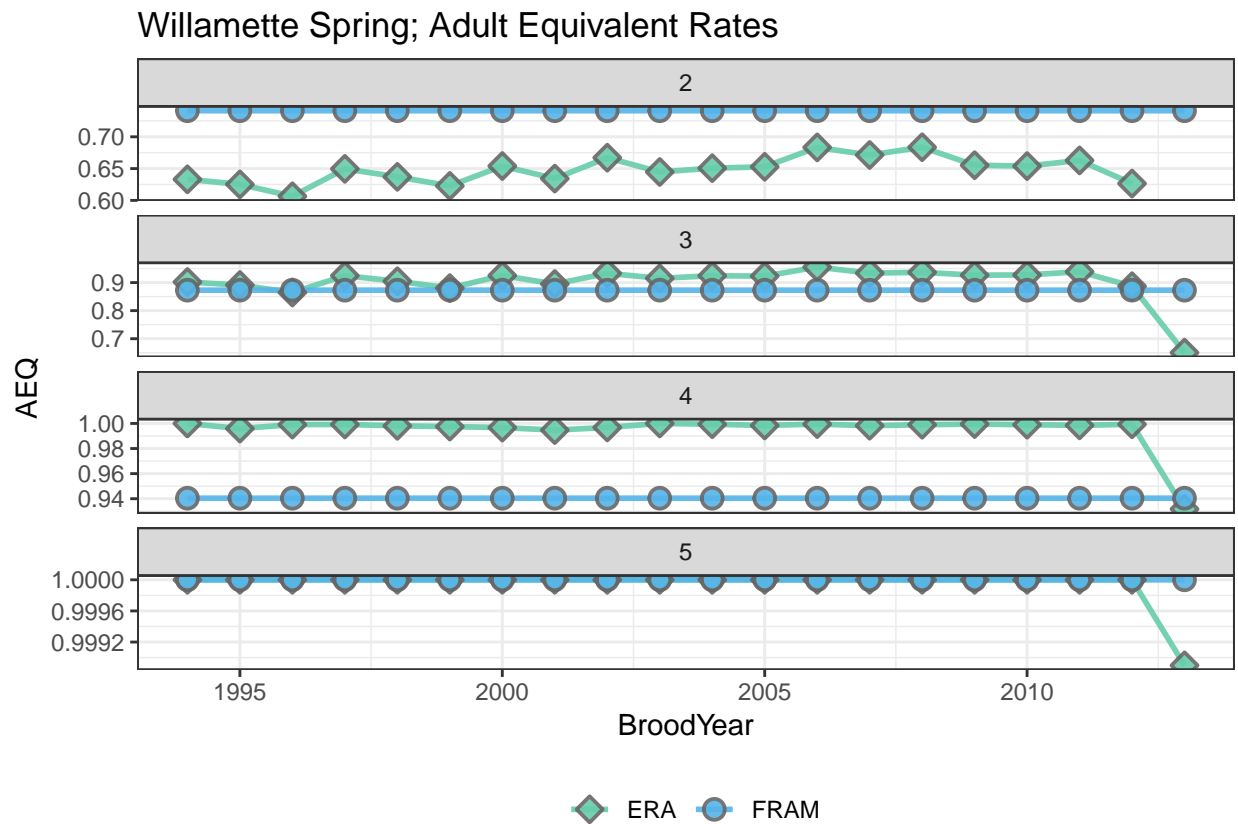
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Willamette Spring; Maturation Rates



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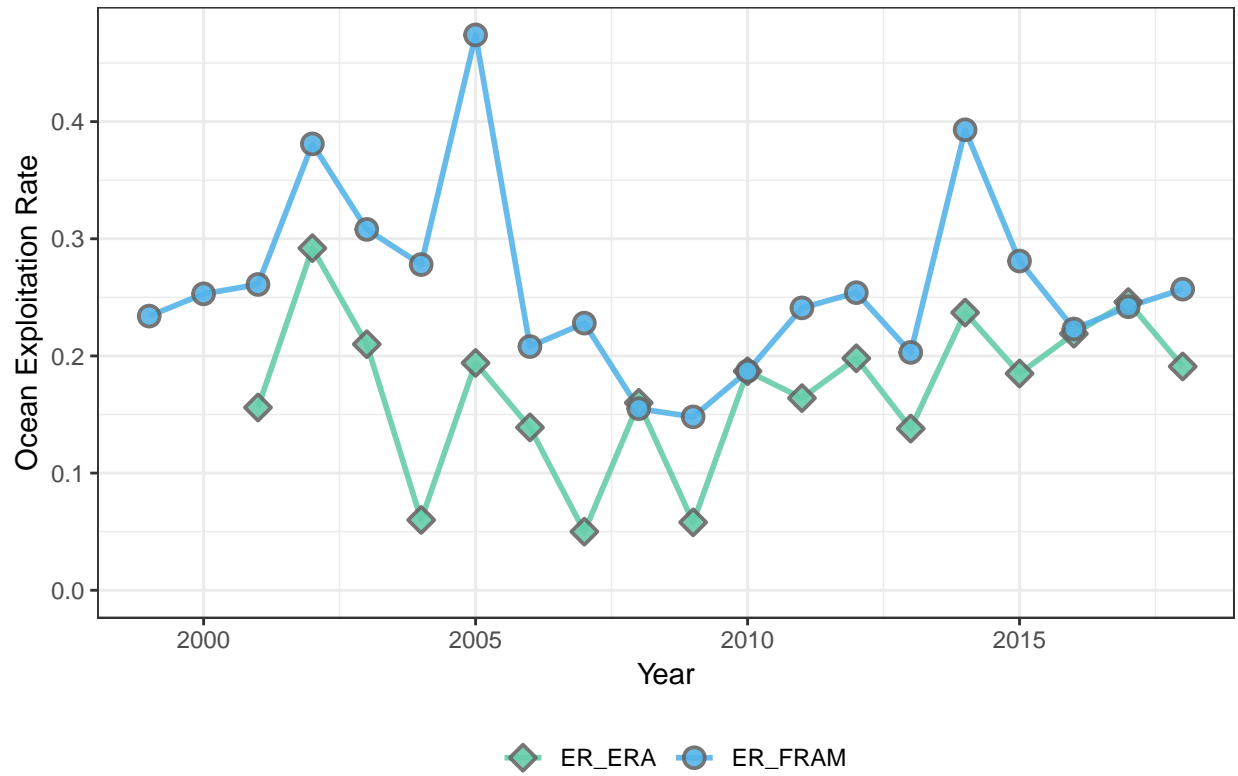


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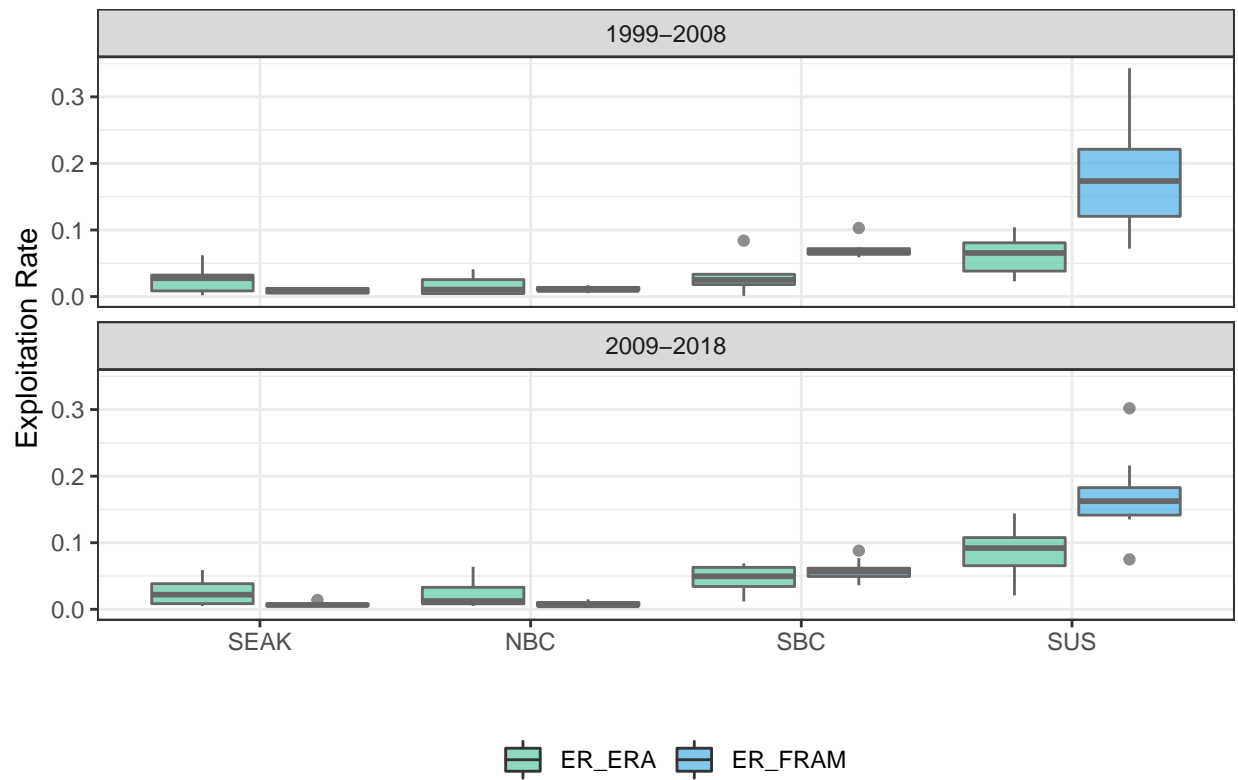
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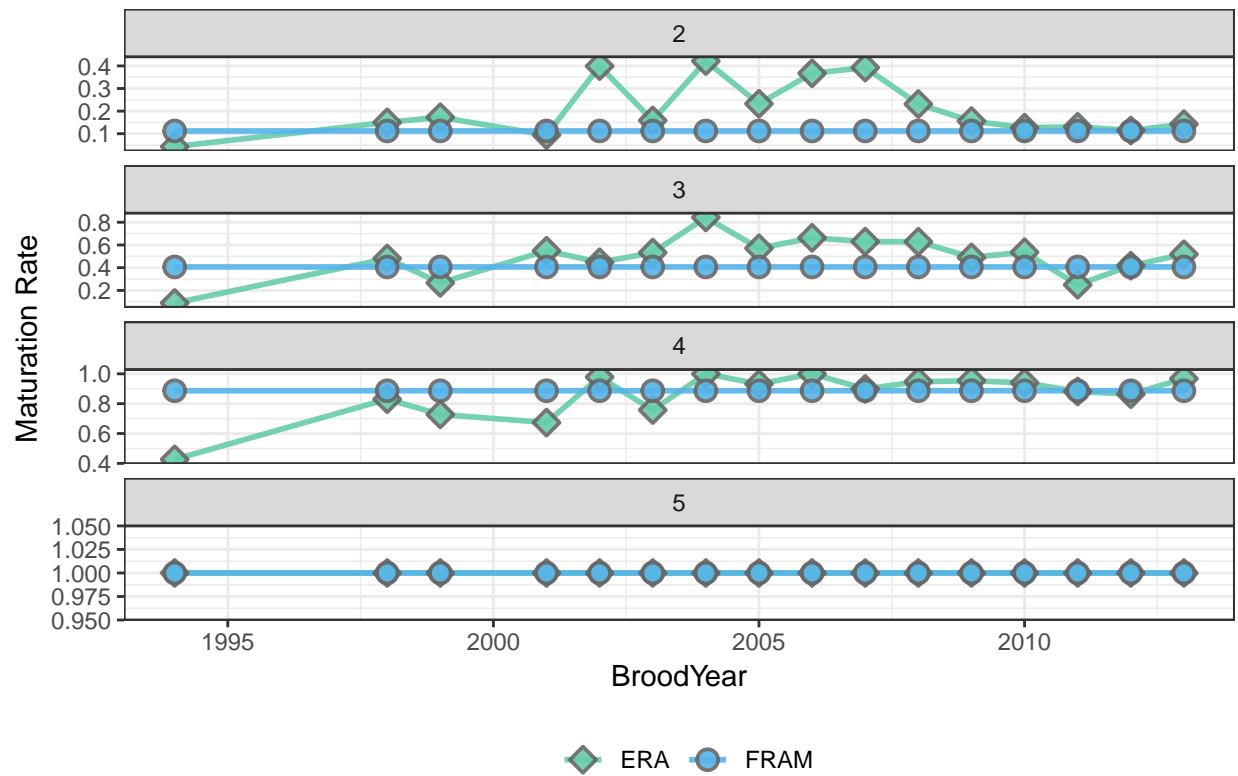
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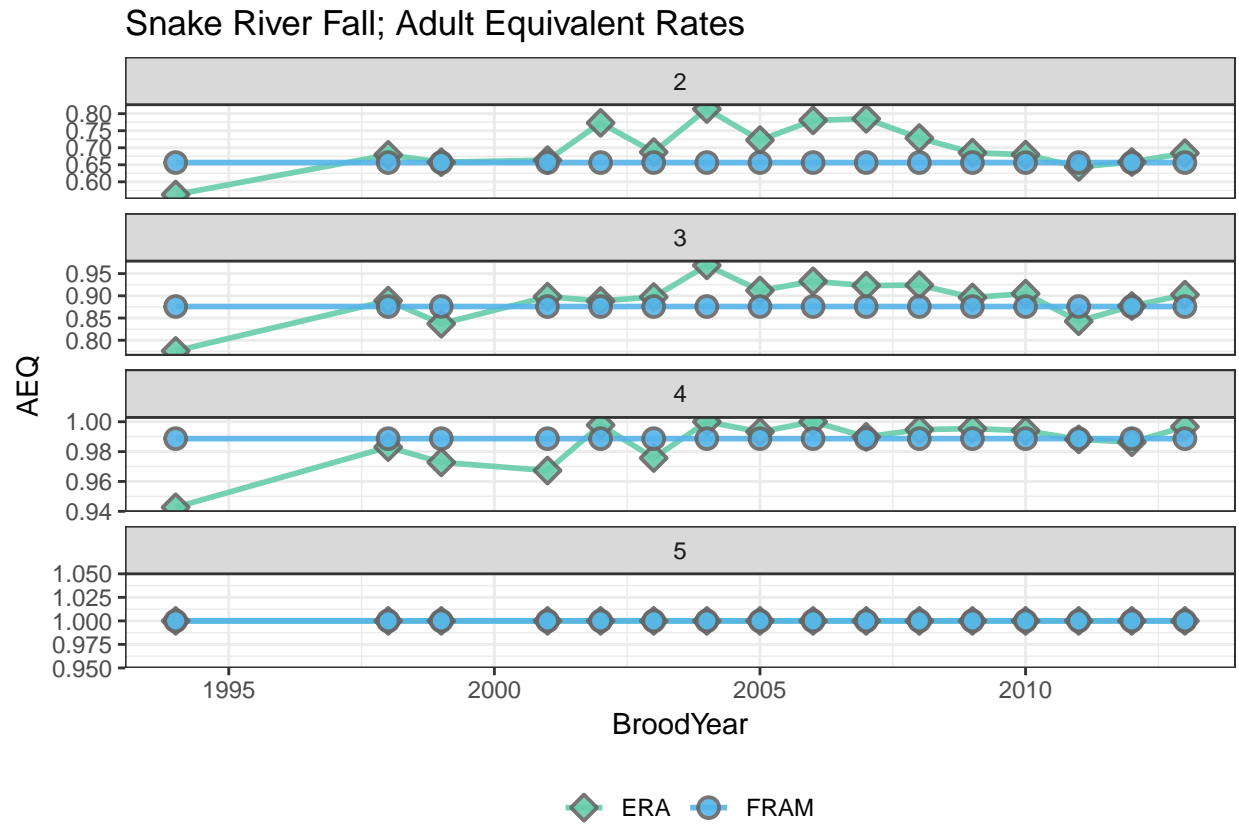
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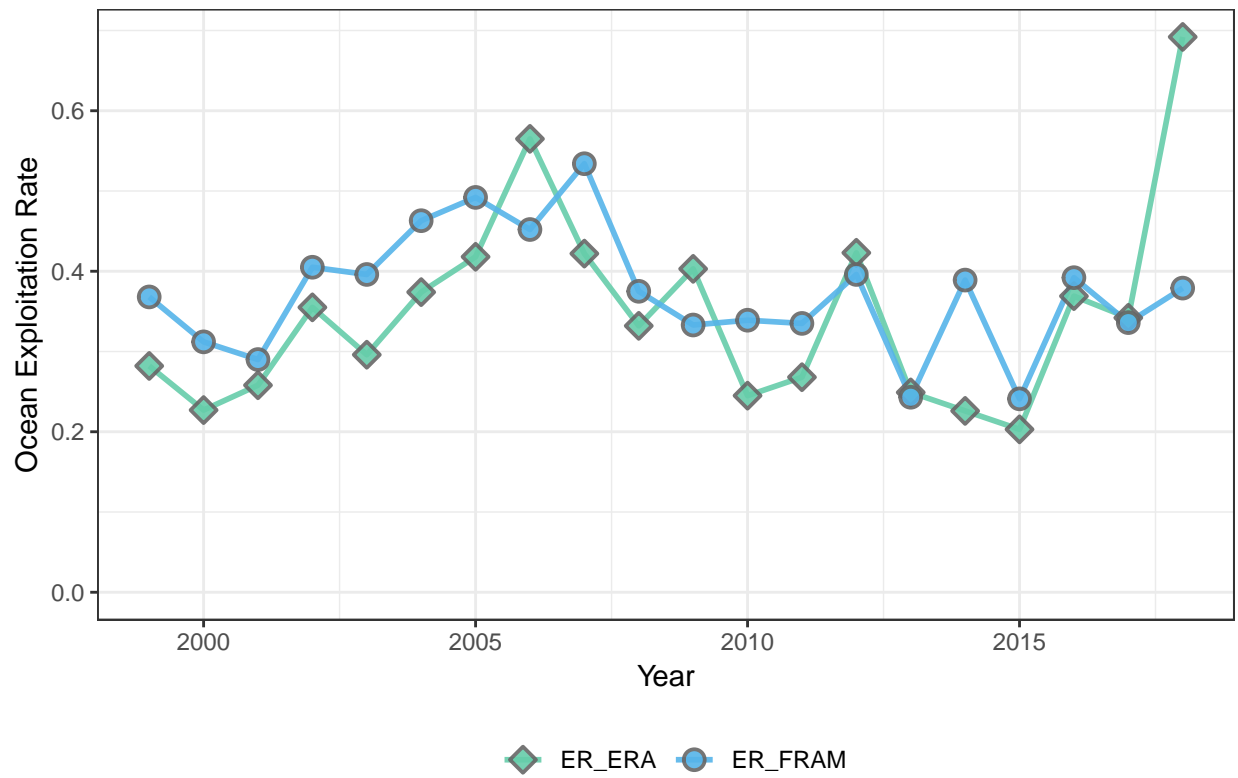


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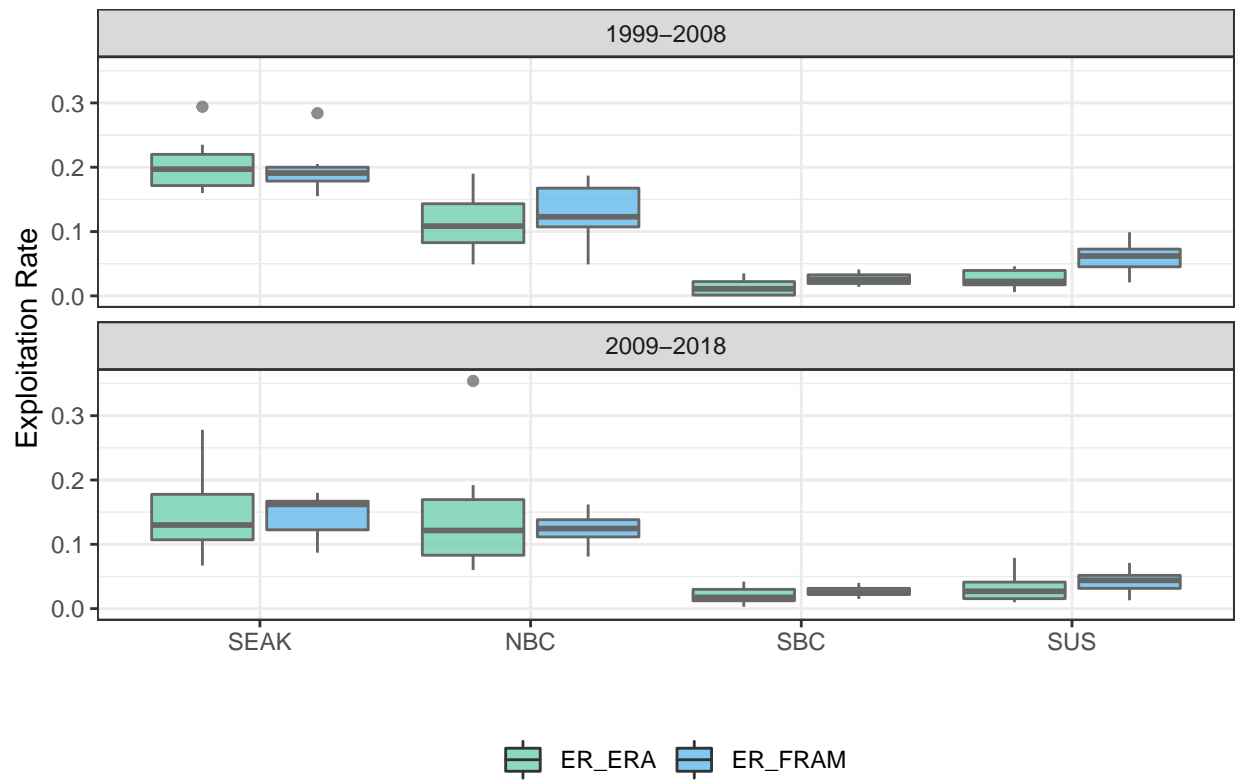


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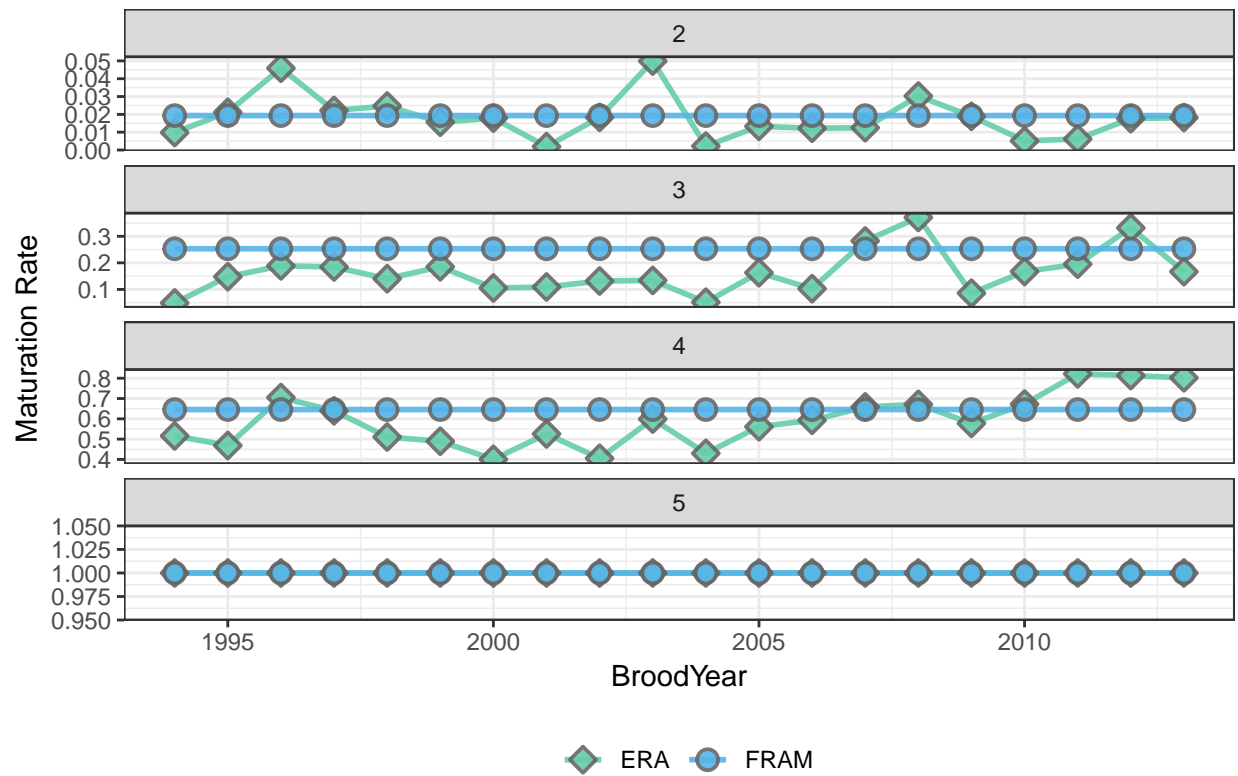
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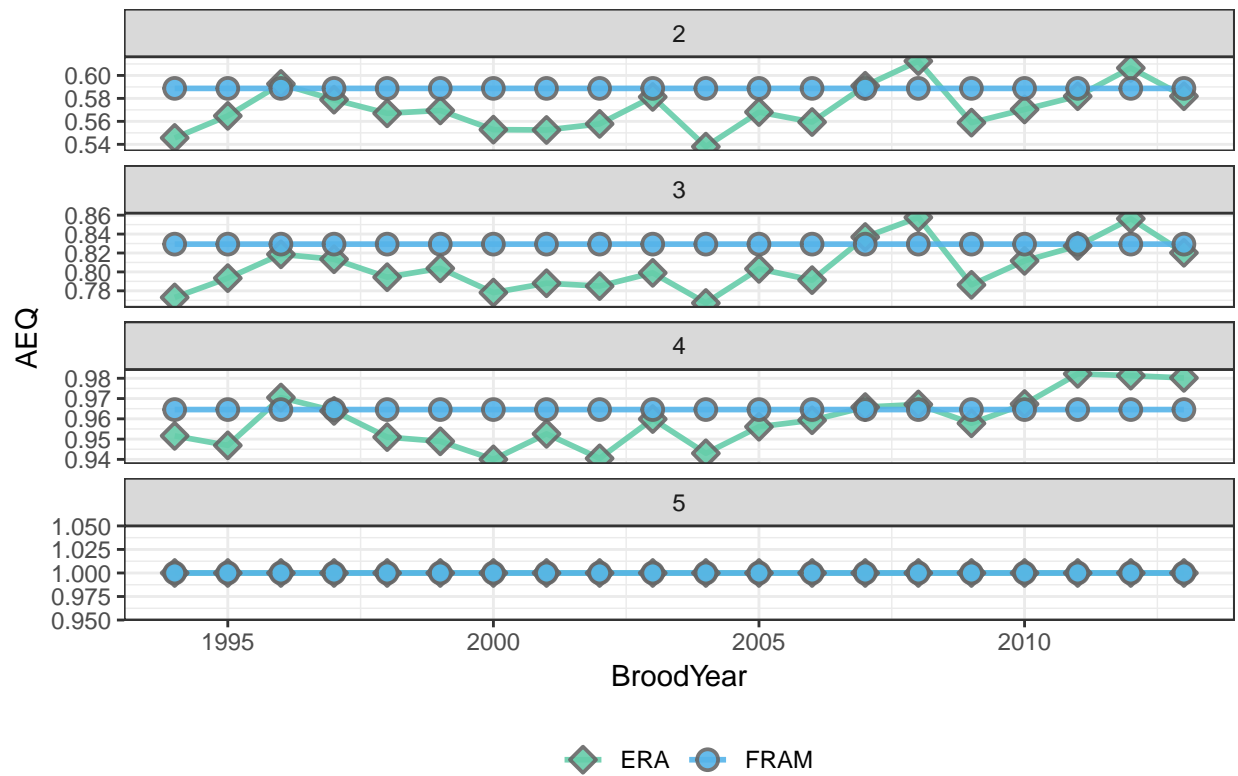
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North OR Coast; Maturation Rates



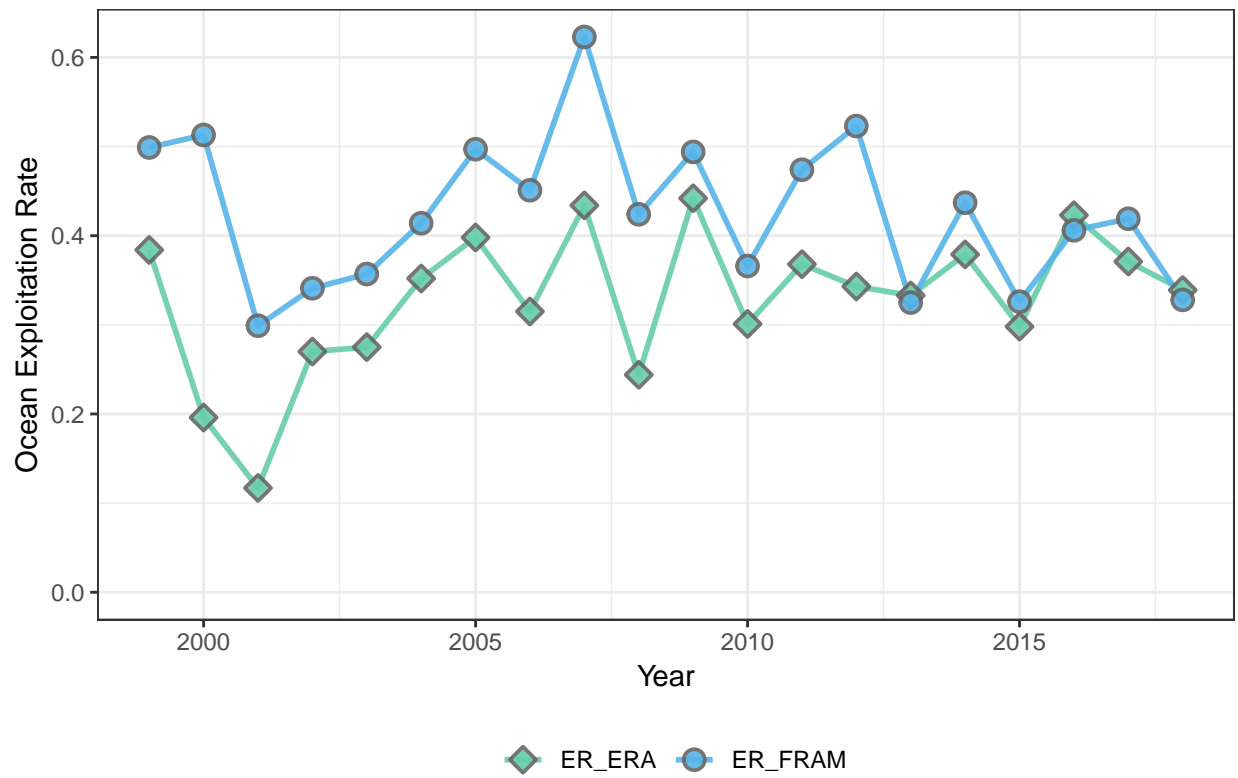
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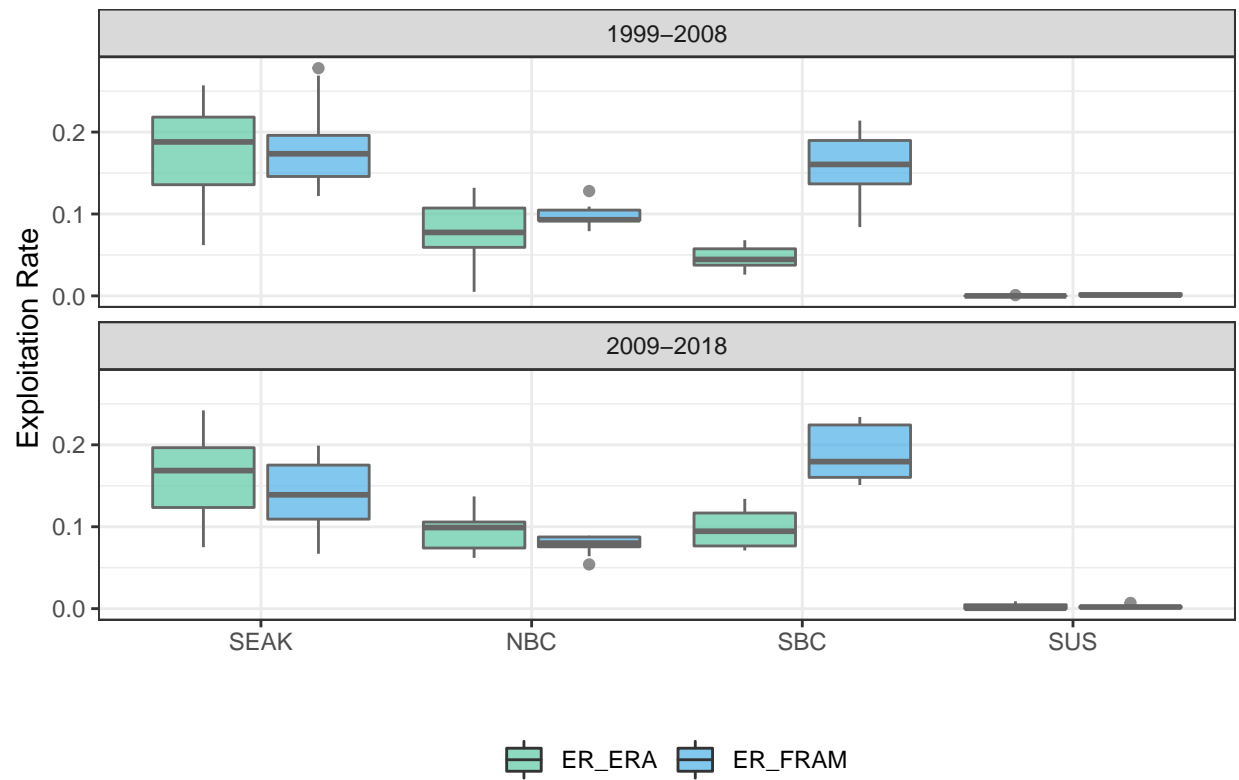
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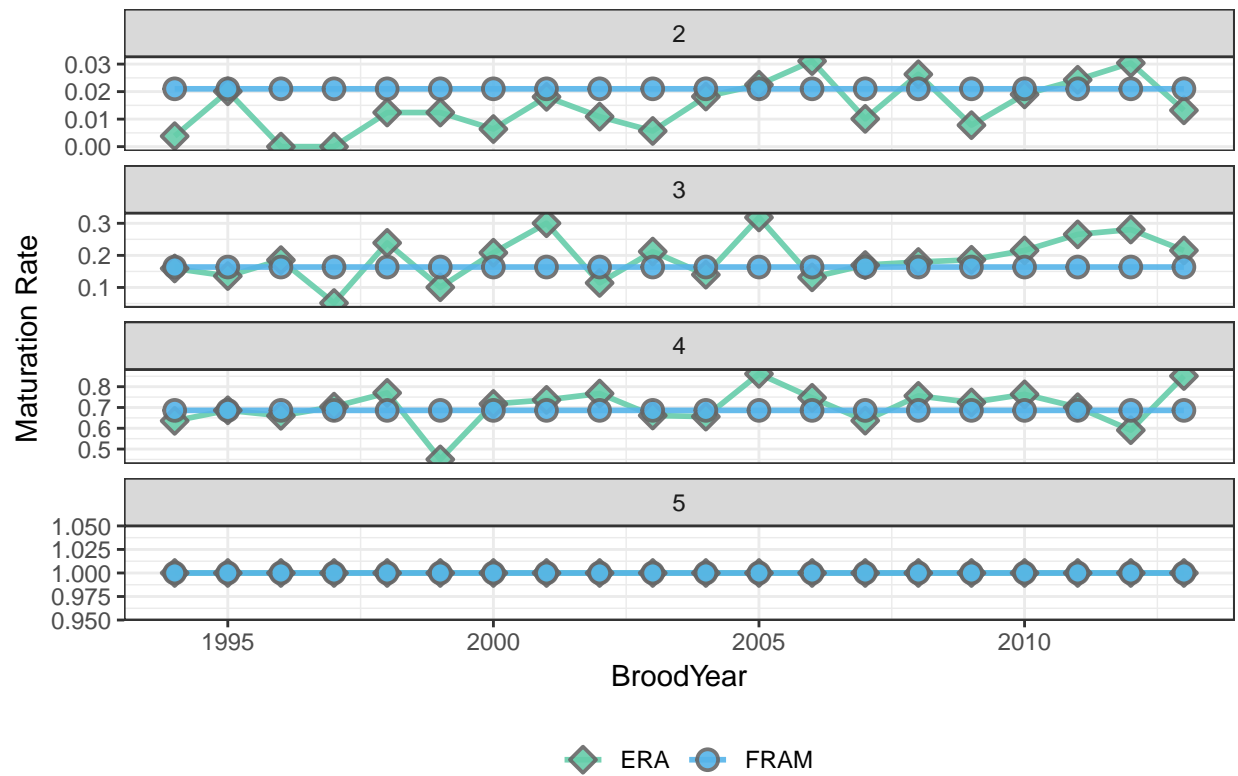
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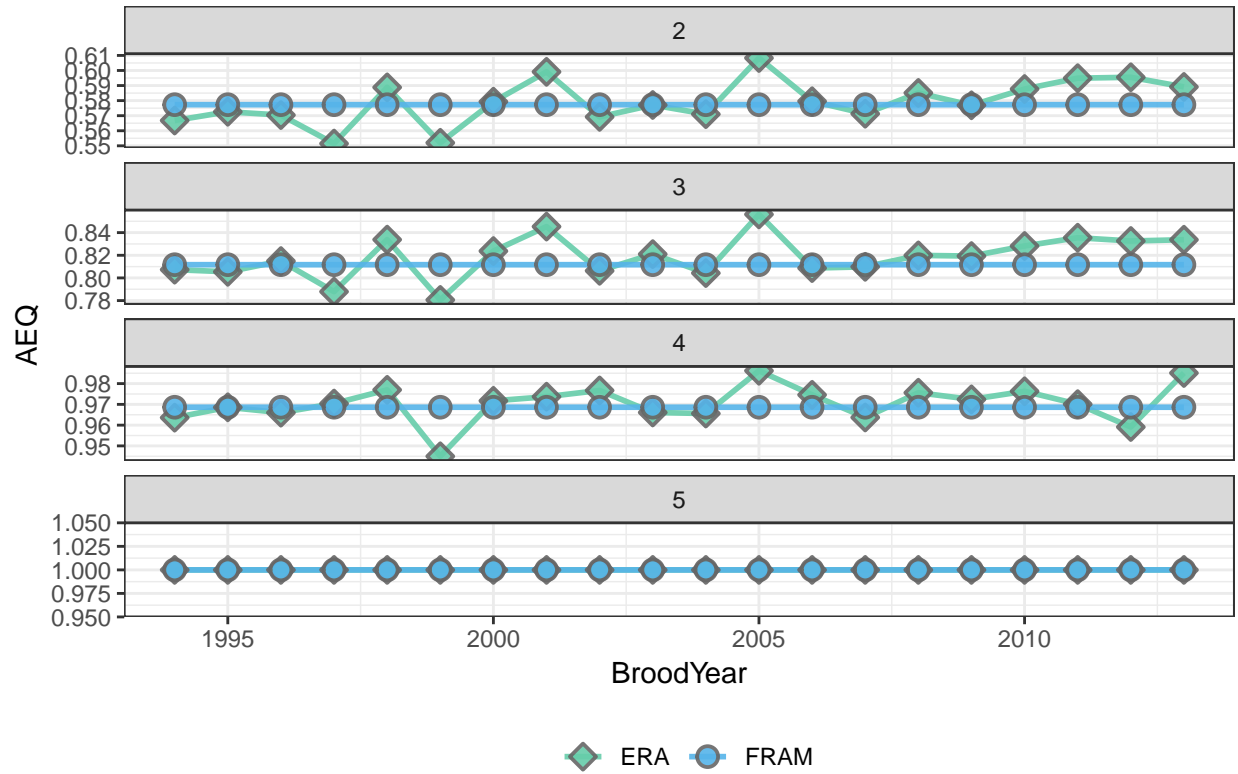


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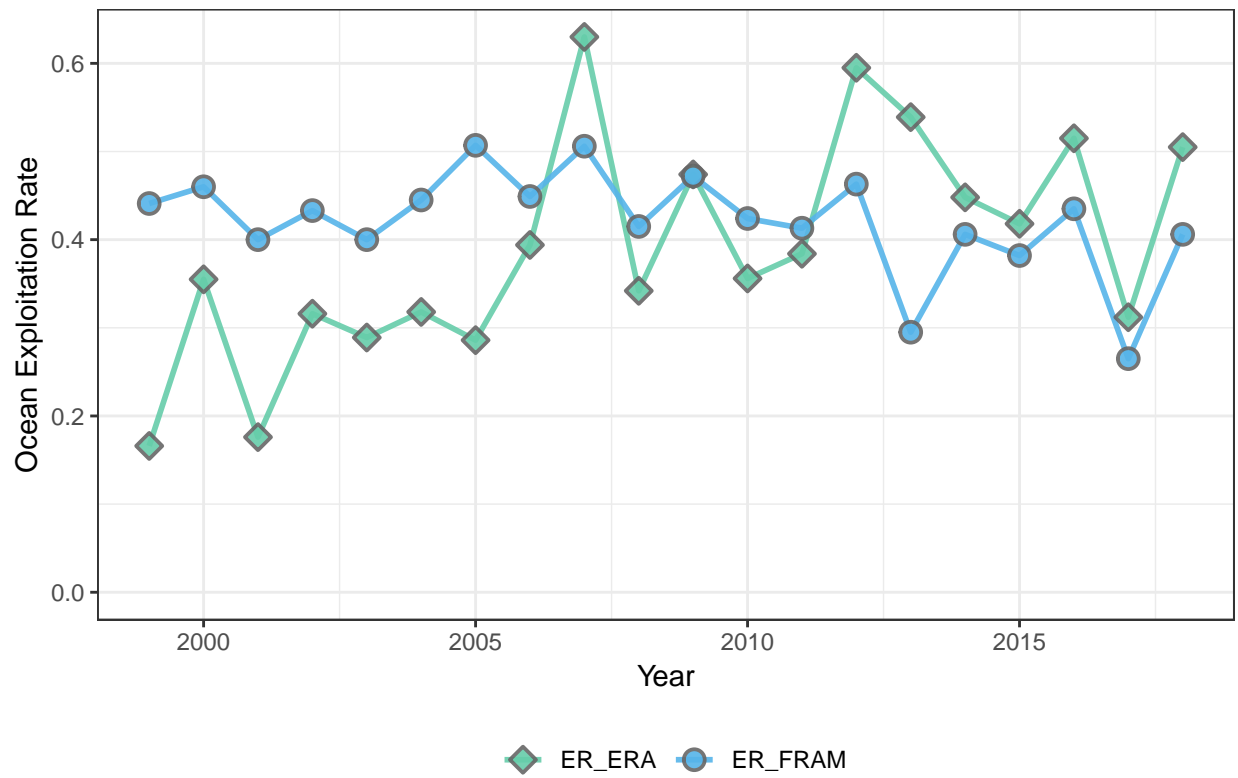
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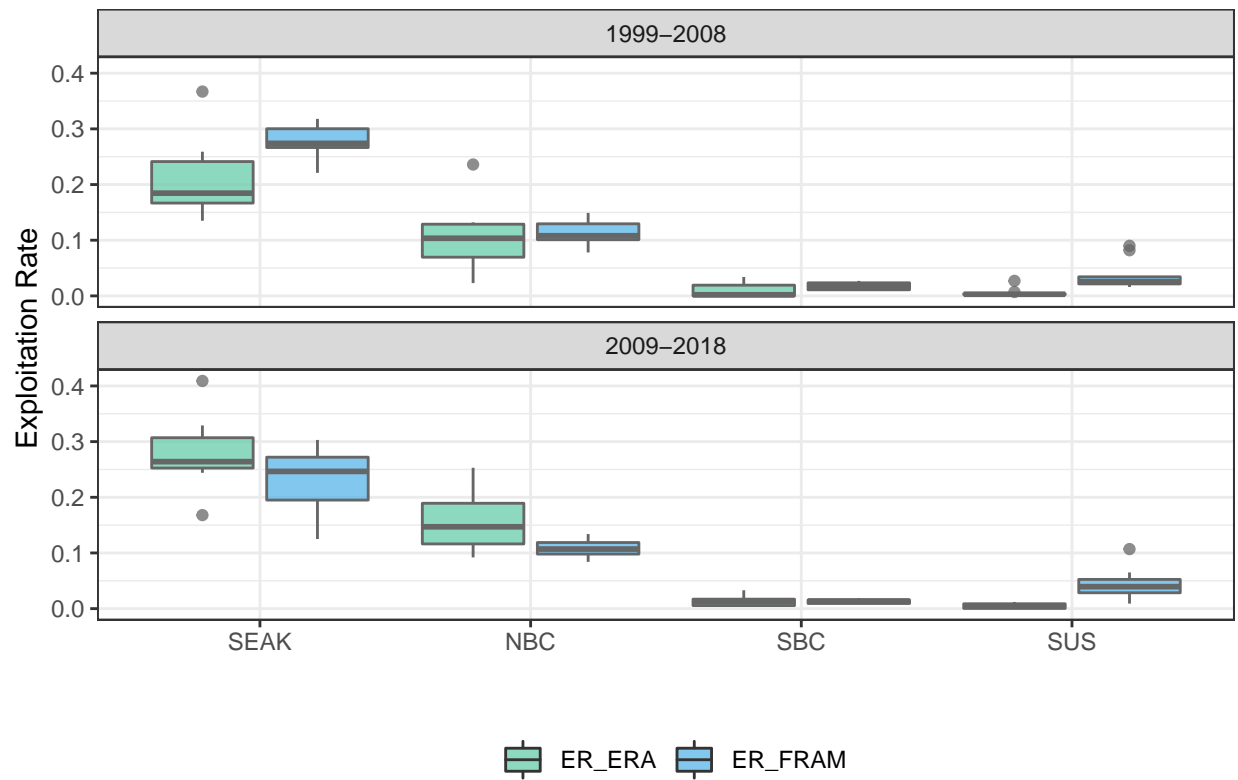


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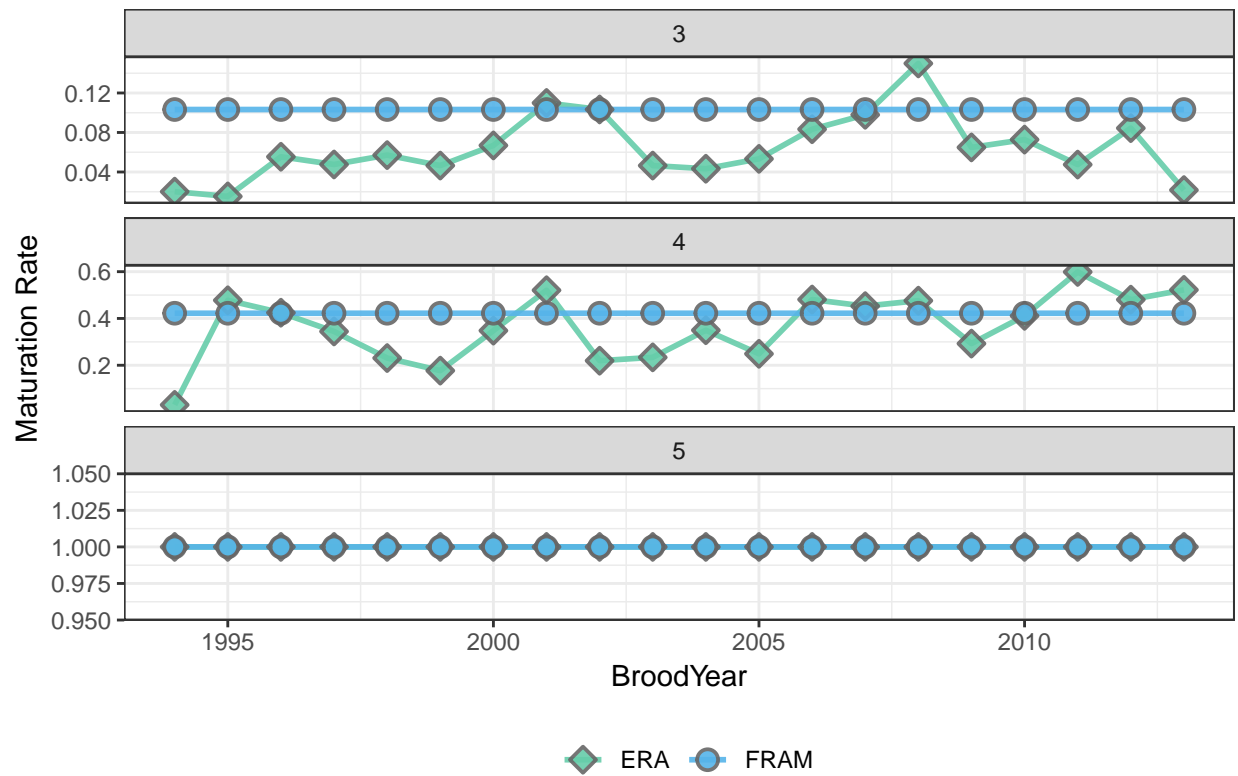
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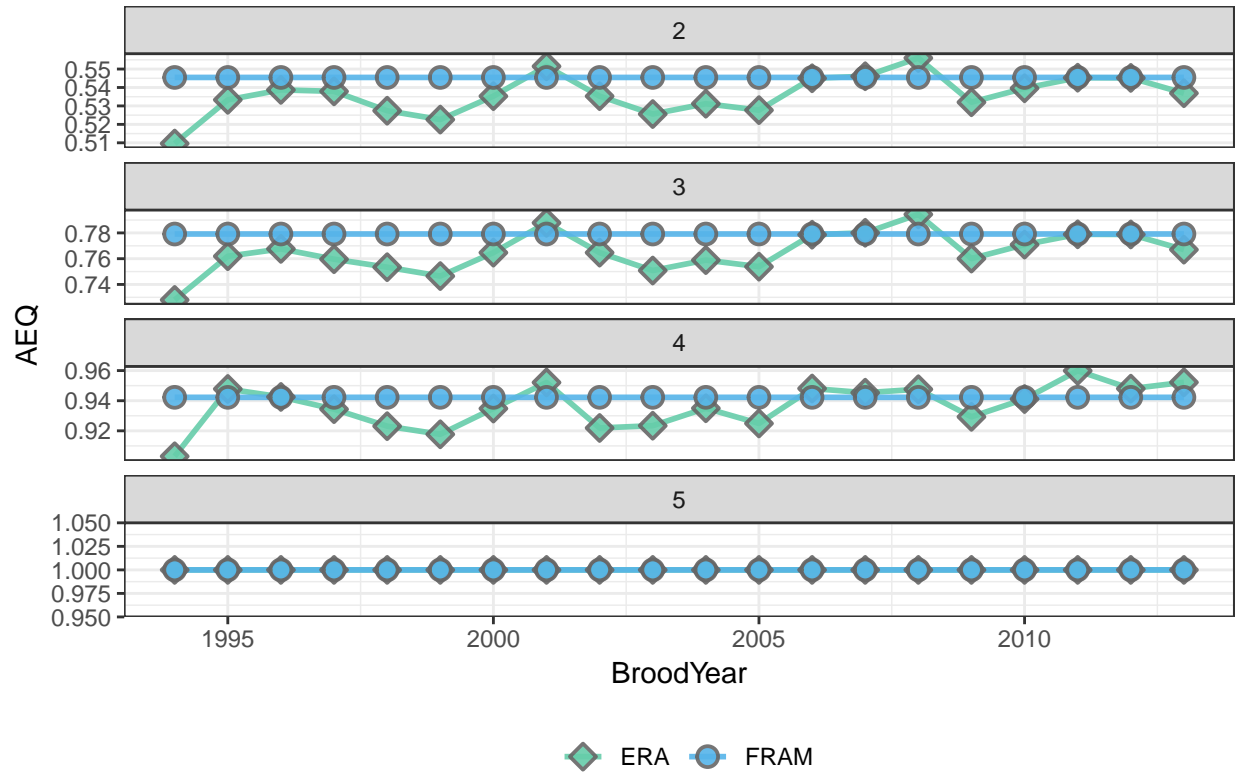


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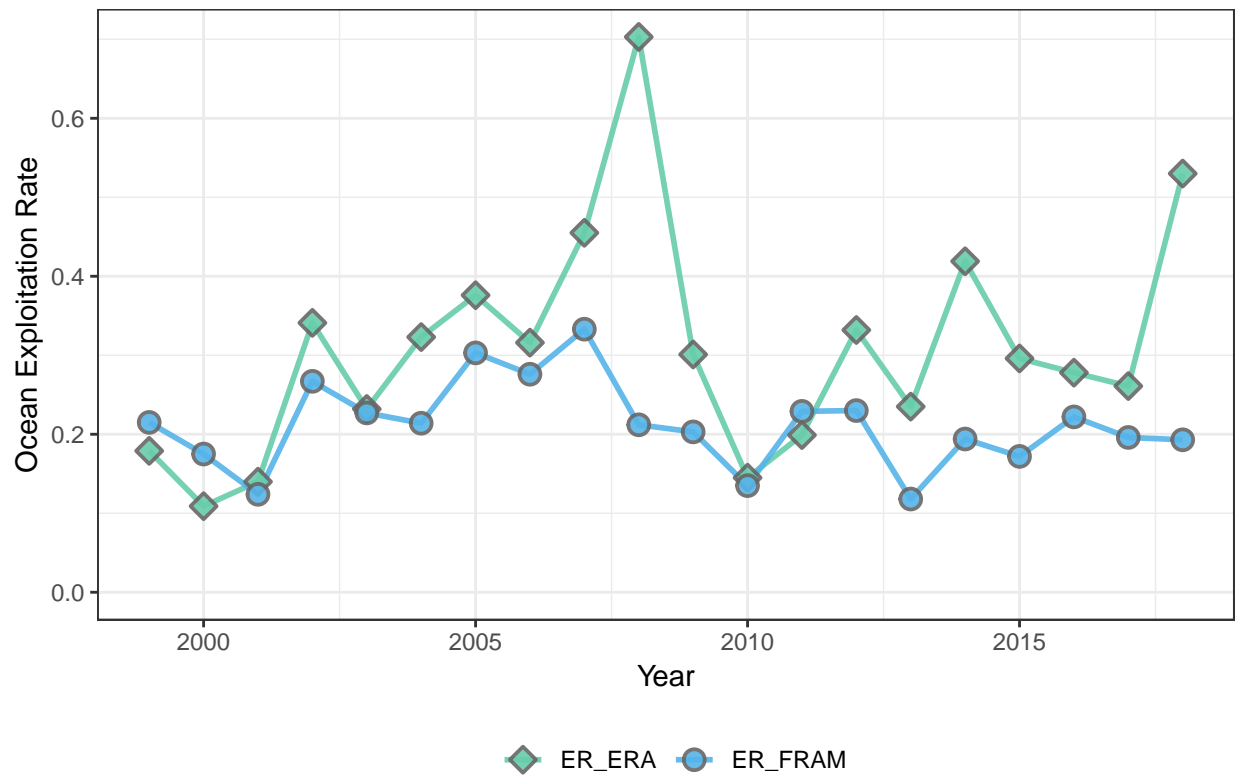
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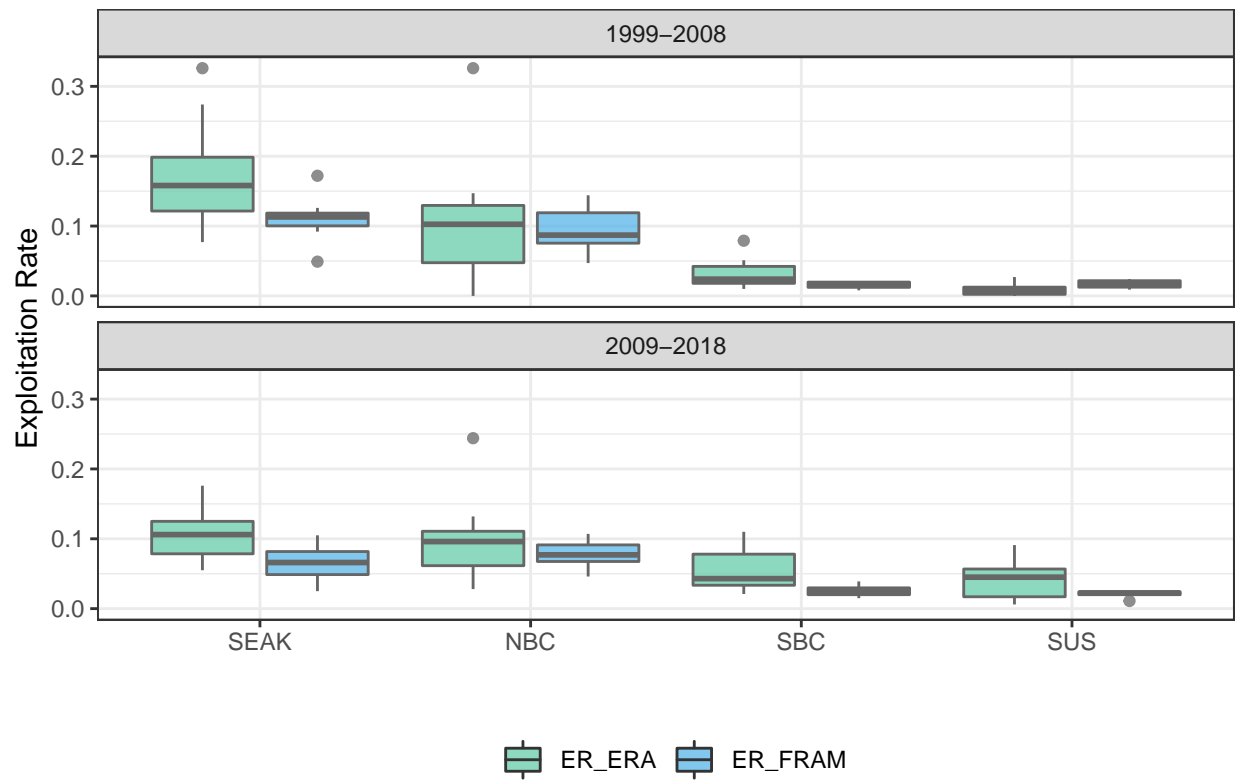


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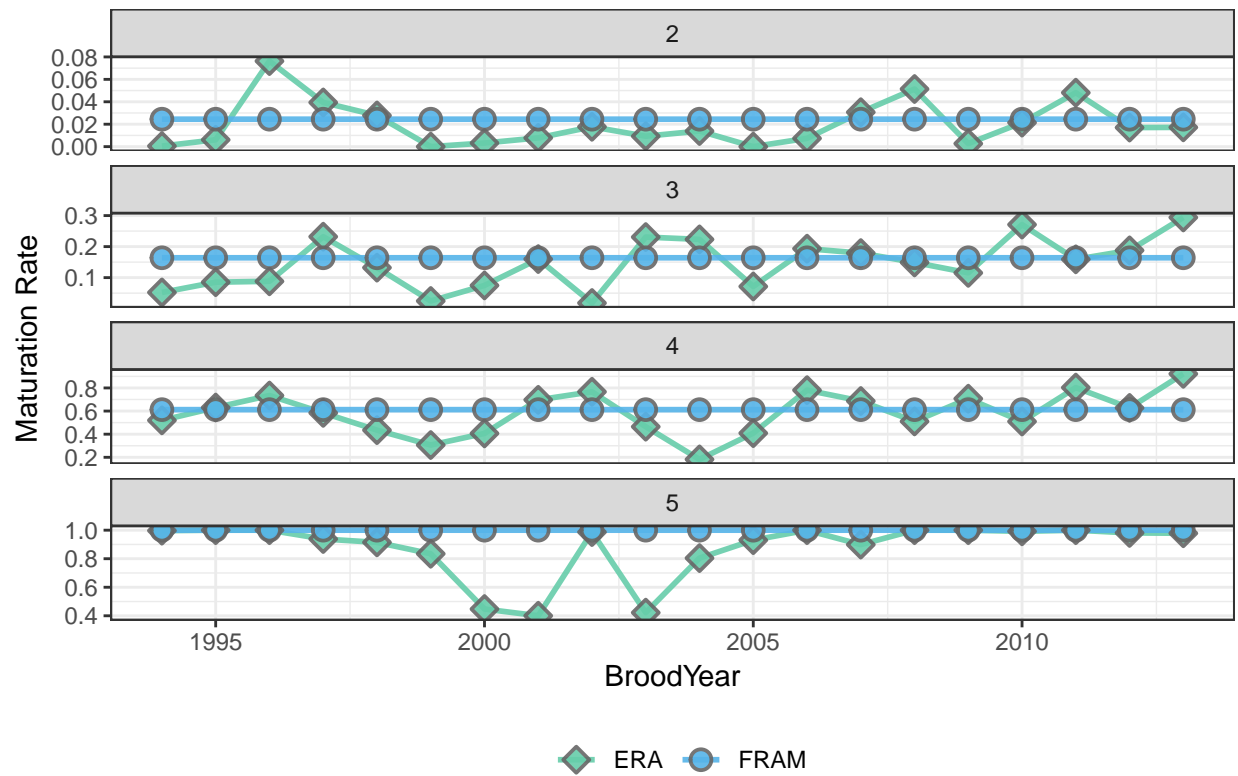
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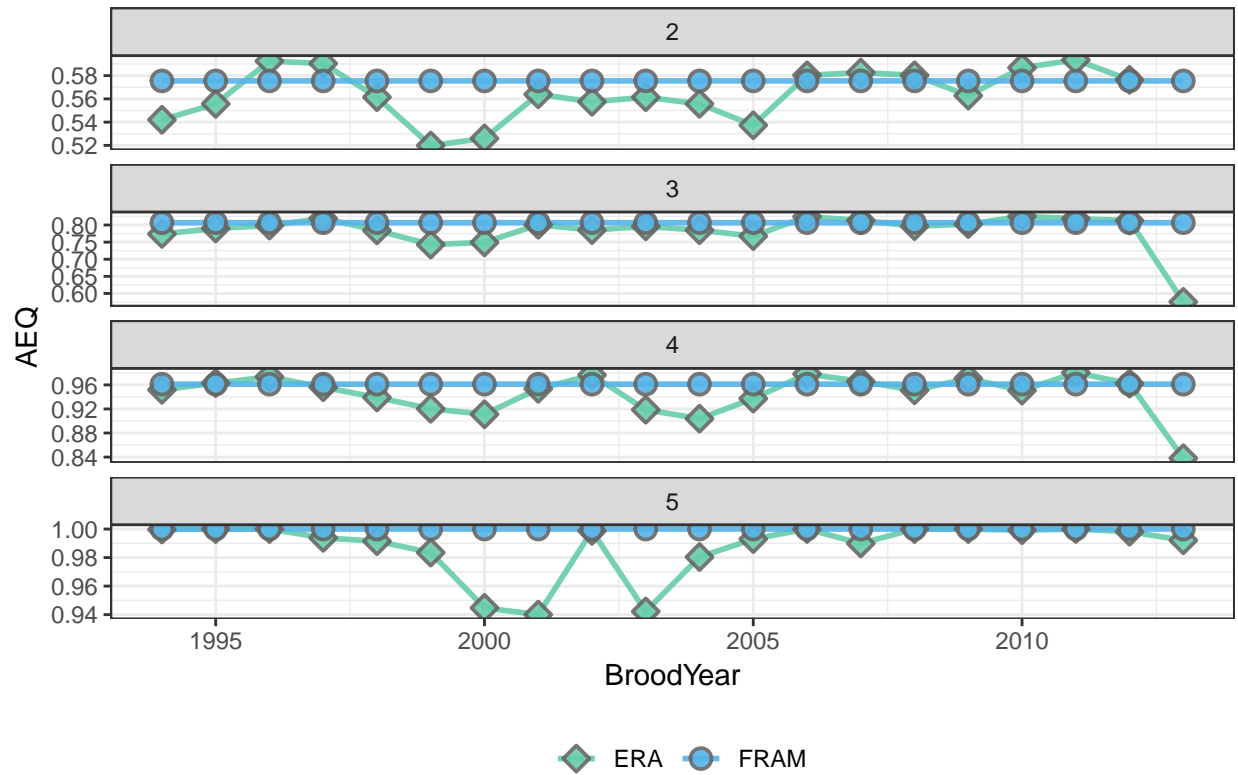
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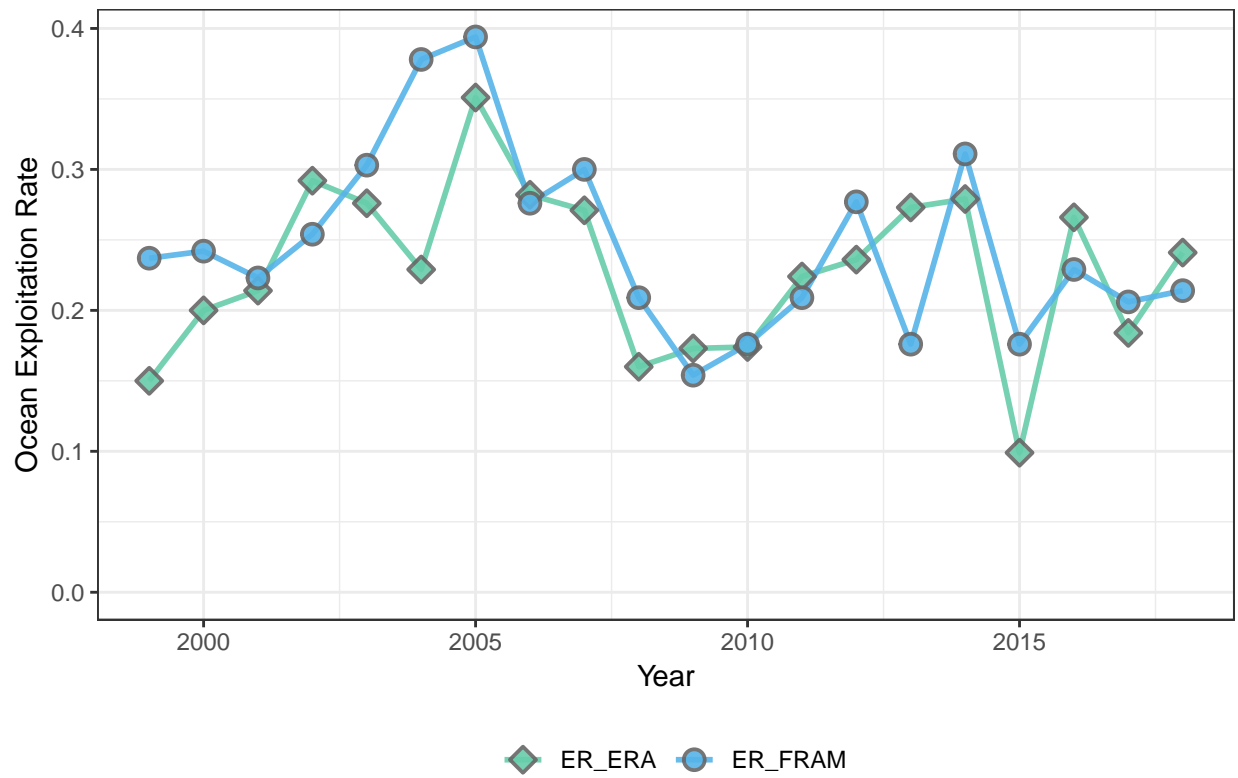
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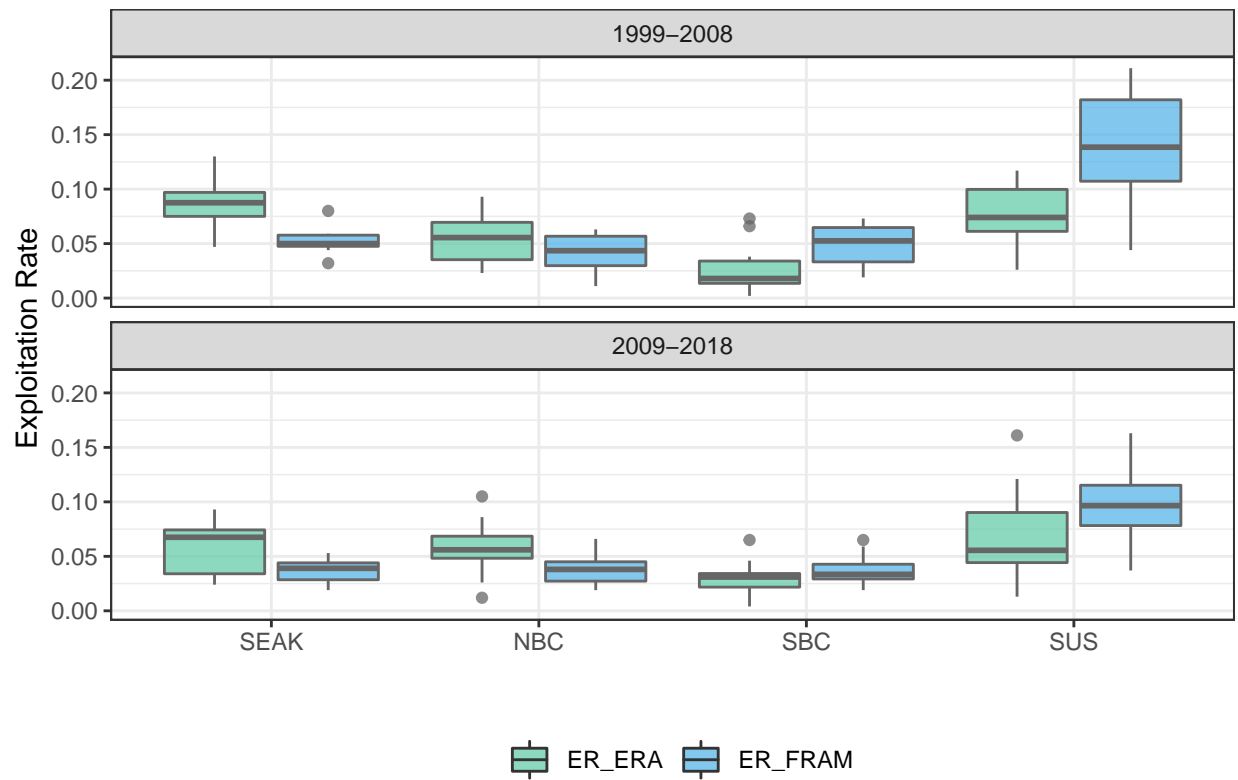


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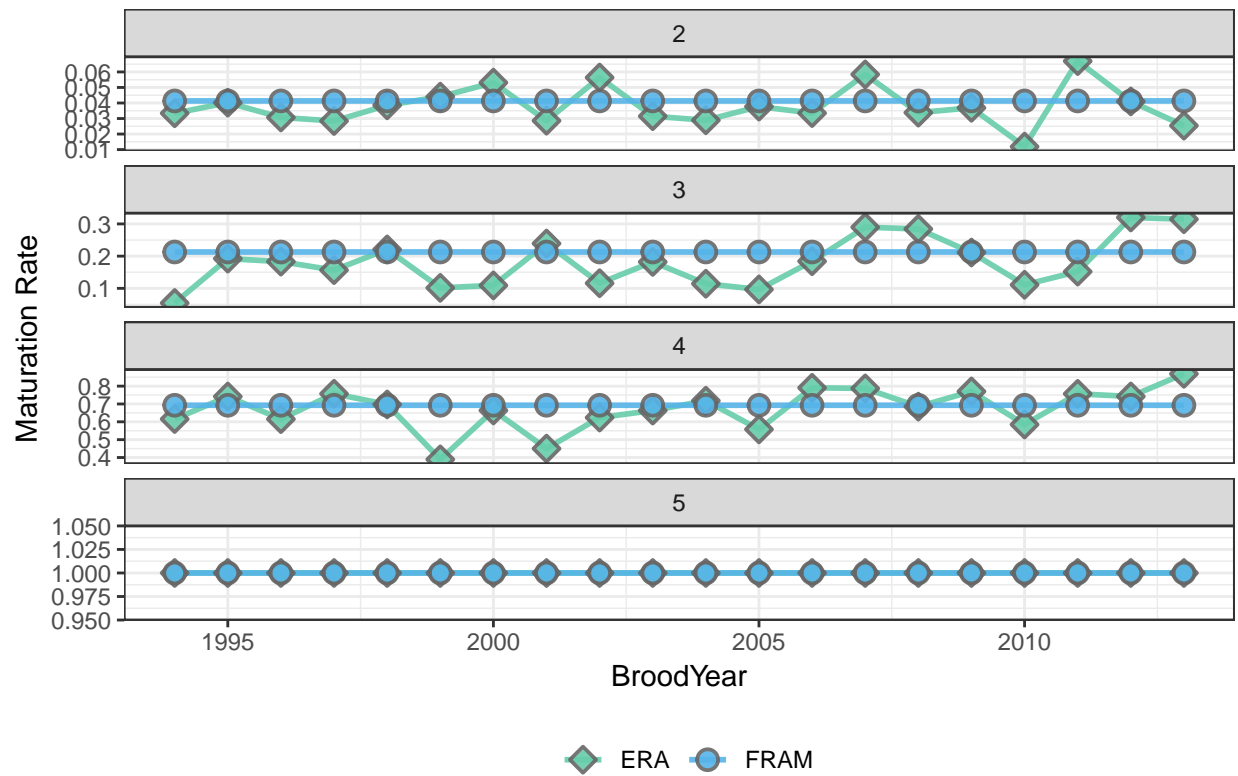
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