

# Steelhead Overshoot Update

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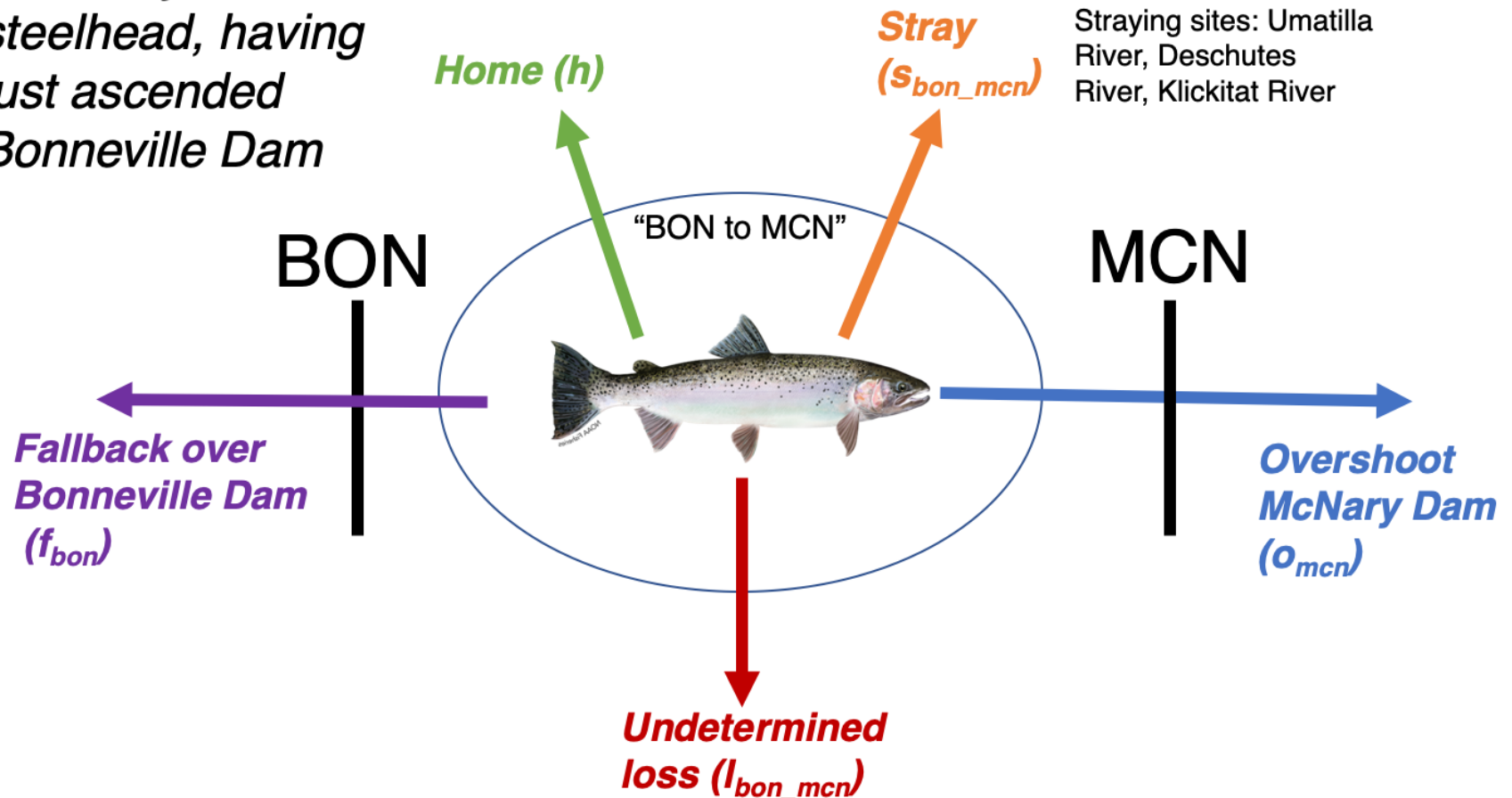
Overarching objective:  
Develop multidirectional  
model

# Focusing on river reaches rather than detection sites

- PIT tag arrays are used to determine transitions between “states,” where states are different river reaches, either in the mainstem of the Snake or Columbia Rivers, or in tributaries
- Movements between states can either be explicitly contained within the detection history (PIT tag array detections), or *implied* by the other detections in the detection history
  - This “implicit site usage” allows estimation of movement for the full, interpolated detection history, and thus multidirectional movement - more on this later

# Parameters at each state

*John Day River wild steelhead, having just ascended Bonneville Dam*



# Parameters overview

- Probabilities for an individual in the mainstem (sum to 1):
  - Overshoot the upstream dam ( $o$ )
  - Fallback over the downstream dam ( $f$ )
  - Stray to a non-natal tributary ( $s$ )
  - Home to natal tributaries ( $h$ ) - only for individuals in the reach that connects to the natal tributary
  - Undetermined loss ( $l$ ), when the detection history ends
- Probabilities for individuals in tributaries (sum to 1):
  - Undetermined loss ( $l$ ) - end of detection history, likely indicates spawning
  - Return to mainstem ( $r$ )

# Complete parameterization

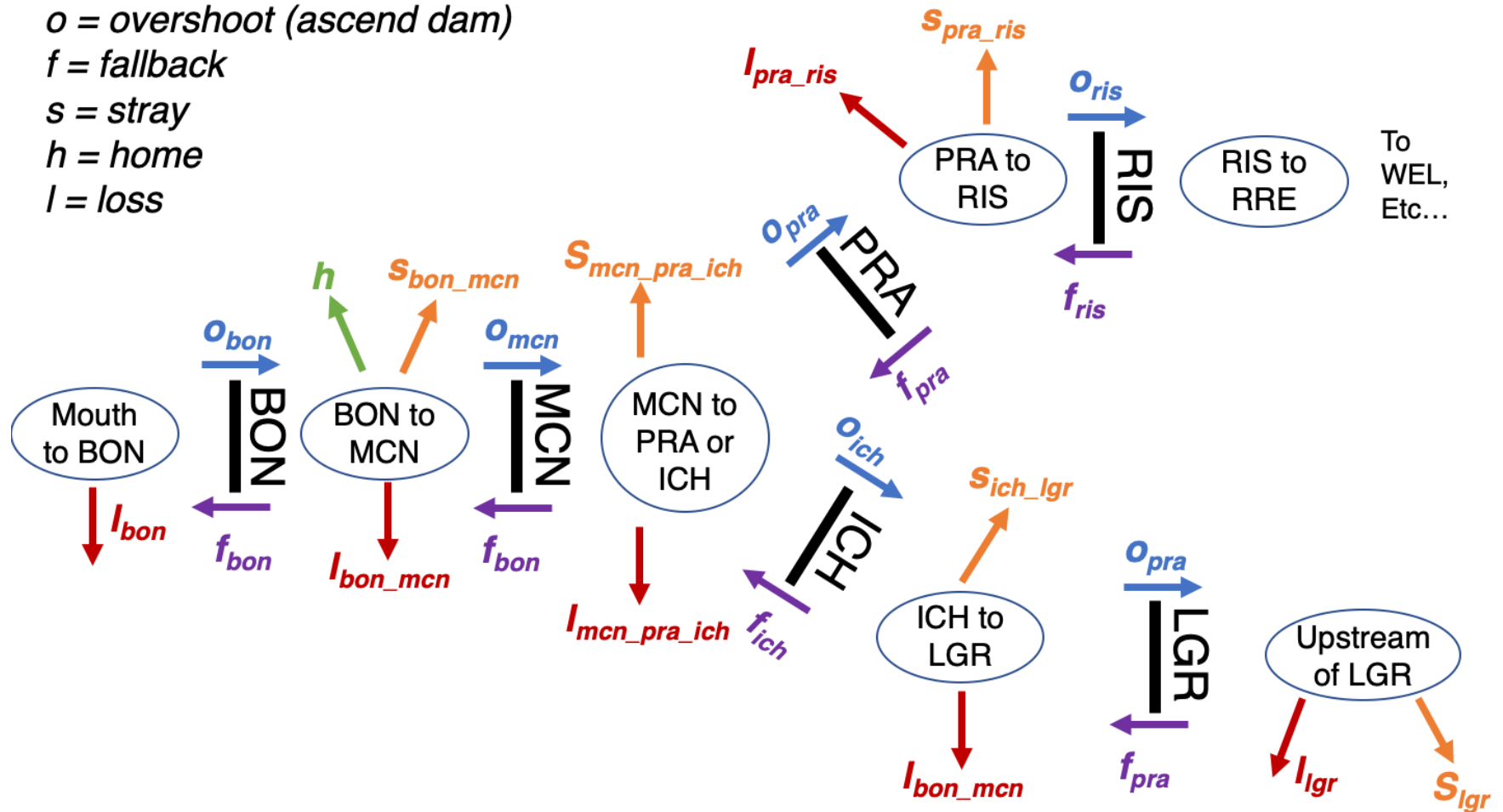
$o$  = overshoot (ascend dam)

$f$  = fallback

$s$  = stray

$h$  = home

$l$  = loss



# Model structure

What subscripts for each parameter?

- Run year
- Natal origin
- memory (of overshoot, fallback, tributary dip-ins)

Implementation: Bayesian hierarchical?

- “Robin Hood” approach, where we can use information from more data-rich run years or natal origins to inform priors for data-poor run years or natal origins
  - Hierarchical modeling informed by biology

Reformatting data for  
multidirectional model



# Distinguishing detection events

- Complete tag history (individual detections at arrays) queried from PTAGIS
- 6 hour cutoff used for separating events
- Exported file containing detections at individual sites, plus times of first and last times at the site for that detection

# Filling in missing movements

Rules for determining “implicit site usage”:

- No teleporting - if two consecutive detections are in non-adjacent sites, the intermediate sites must be used
- For detections at adult fishways, the individual must have been in the downstream section previously
- For movement into/out of tributaries, the individual must have been in the corresponding section of the mainstem before/after
- For consecutive detections at dams, the individual must fall back in between

# Determining “implicit site usage”

*### Original detection history*

```
subset(JDR_det_hist_forpres, tag_code == "3D9.1BF1989388") %>%  
  remove_rownames() %>% dplyr::select(-c(tag_code, start_time))
```

```
##              event_site_name              end_time  
## 1 Bonneville Adult Fishways (combined) 2007-07-21 21:55:50  
## 2      McNary Adult Fishways (combined) 2007-10-24 04:14:05  
## 3      McNary Adult Fishways (combined) 2007-10-28 08:26:33  
## 4 JD1 - John Day River, McDonald Ferry 2008-03-17 22:22:49
```

*### With implicit site usage*

```
subset(JDR_states, tag_code == "3D9.1BF1989388") %>%  
  remove_rownames() %>%  
  dplyr::select(-c(tag_code, run_year))
```

```
##              state              date_time              pathway  
## 1      mainstem, BON to MCN 2007-07-21 21:55:50      BON (adult)  
## 2 mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA 2007-10-24 04:14:05      MCN (adult)  
## 3      mainstem, BON to MCN              <NA>      implicit  
## 4 mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA 2007-10-28 08:26:33      MCN (adult)  
## 5      mainstem, BON to MCN              <NA>      implicit  
## 6      natal tributaries 2008-03-17 22:22:49 BON_MCN_natal_sites
```

# Turning this into model probabilities

```
subset(JDR_stepwise_probabilities, tag_code == "3D9.1BF1989388") %>%  
  dplyr::select(-c(tag_code, date_time_1, date_time_2, pathway))
```

```
##              state_1              state_2 probability  
## 57      mainstem, BON to MCN mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA      o_mcn  
## 58 mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA      mainstem, BON to MCN      f_mcn  
## 59      mainstem, BON to MCN mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA      o_mcn  
## 60 mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA      mainstem, BON to MCN      f_mcn  
## 61      mainstem, BON to MCN      natal tributaries      h_bon_mcn  
## 62      natal tributaries      lost      l_nat_trib
```

For writing out a multinomial likelihood statement, the probability of this detection history is:

$$p = o_{mcn}f_{mcn}o_{mcn}f_{mcn}h_{bonmcn}l_{nattrib}$$

Concern: Technically infinite possible combinations of parameters (though in the data a finite number are realized). Buchanon (2005) got around this by modeling each detection history as only upstream movement, with fallback/downstream movement events having an effect on upstream movement.

# Accounting for repeat dam ascensions

1,118 of 2,121 John Day River wild steelhead overshot McNary Dam, and over a quarter of these individuals ascended McNary dam at least twice:

```
kable(mcn_ascension_counts)
```

MCN_ascensions	nIndividuals
1	820
2	237
3	47
4	12
5	2

# Accounting for all fallback

```
# Total individuals with known fallback over McNary
```

```
JDR_stepwise_probabilities %>% group_by(tag_code) %>%  
  filter(any(probability == "f_mcn")) -> mcn_fallback
```

```
length(unique(mcn_fallback$tag_code))
```

```
## [1] 649
```

```
# Individuals that fell back, but did not home
```

```
JDR_stepwise_probabilities %>% group_by(tag_code) %>%  
  filter(any(probability == "f_mcn")) %>%  
  filter(!(any(probability == "h_bon_mcn"))) -> mcn_fallback_no_home
```

```
length(unique(mcn_fallback_no_home$tag_code))
```

```
## [1] 249
```

# Detection probabilities

Detection probabilities are no longer estimated in the model, since we have corrected for known missed detections. Instead, they can be calculated outside of the model as (detected + implicit) / total.

NOTE: This is an overestimate of detection probability, because of unknown missed detections (undetermined loss).

```
# Example: Detection probability of fallback routes at McNary
JDR_stepwise_probabilities %>%
  subset(state_1 == "mainstem, MCN to ICH or PRA" &
         state_2 == "mainstem, BON to MCN") -> JDR_MCN_fallbacks
# Detection probability of fallback
length(subset(JDR_MCN_fallbacks, pathway ==
             "MCN_fallback_arrays")$tag_code)/
  length(JDR_MCN_fallbacks$tag_code)

## [1] 0.1264368
```

# Anomalous detection histories

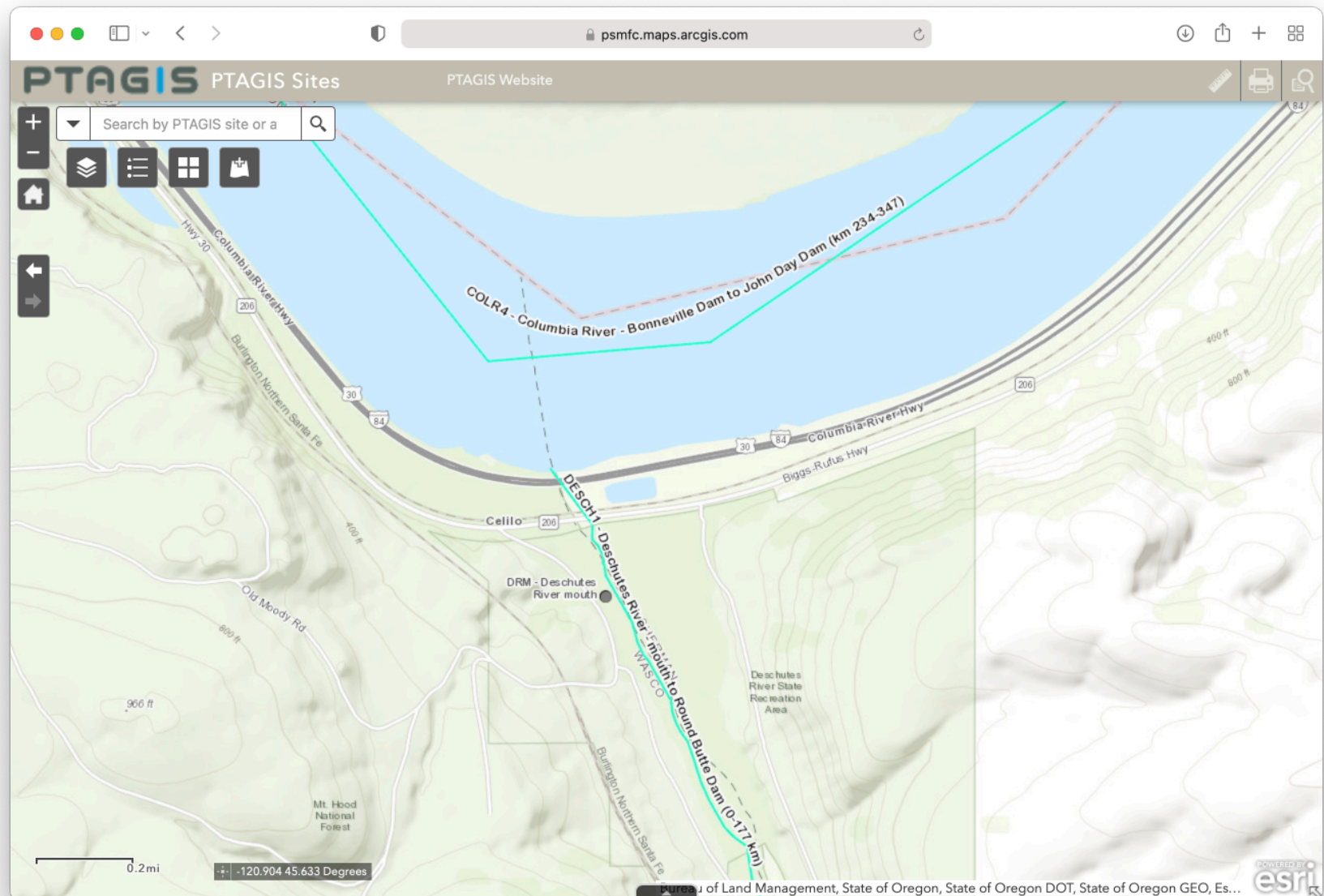


# Iteroparous individuals

```
subset(JDR_det_hist_forpres, tag_code == "3D9.1C2C31C103") %>%  
  remove_rownames() %>%  
  dplyr::select(-c(tag_code, start_time))
```

##		event_site_name	end_time
## 1	Bonneville Adult Fishways (combined)	2010-07-26	04:38:05
## 2	McNary Adult Fishways (combined)	2010-09-05	07:00:58
## 3	ICH - Ice Harbor Dam (Combined)	2010-09-07	01:01:00
## 4	Lower Granite Dam Adult Fishways (combined)	2010-09-13	01:52:43
## 5	CATHEW - Catherine Creek Weir	2011-03-15	18:19:00
## 6	Bonneville Adult Fishways (combined)	2012-08-05	11:31:43
## 7	Bonneville Adult Fishways (combined)	2012-08-06	02:02:02
## 8	McNary Adult Fishways (combined)	2012-09-29	18:26:22
## 9	ICH - Ice Harbor Dam (Combined)	2012-10-02	00:43:34
## 10	Lower Granite Dam Adult Fishways (combined)	2012-10-07	07:30:10
## 11	UGR - Upper Grande Ronde at rkm 155	2013-02-22	19:36:04
## 12	CATHEC - Catherine Creek	2013-03-10	18:45:00
## 13	CATHEW - Catherine Creek Weir	2013-03-12	05:18:00
## 14	CATHEC - Catherine Creek	2013-03-31	18:47:00
## 15	CATHEW - Catherine Creek Weir	2013-03-31	20:45:00
## 16	BCC - BON PH2 Corner Collector	2013-06-03	13:47:35

# Tributary dip-ins at river mouths



# Confusing arrays

- “LGRTAL - LGR - Release into the Tailrace within 0.5 km downstream of Dam”
  - I took this to be a site just downstream of LGR
- “LGRLDR - LGR - Release into the Adult Fish Ladder”
  - I took this to be a detection site in the adult fish ladder for the dam
- The Dalles, Lower Monumental, and Lower Goose - adult fish ladder detections seen frequently in detection history, but in Richins and Skalski (2018) they said that no PIT tag arrays were present at these sites.