

MODEL Task Team

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NEMURO.FISH

Dynamic link

Coupled with population dynamics model

PEST

Regional comparison

E-NEMURO

3D-NEMURO

ECOPATH/ECOSIM+NEMURO

Ecological Modelling special volume

Future perspectives

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Result of coupled lower trophic level - fish models
(NEMURO.FISH)

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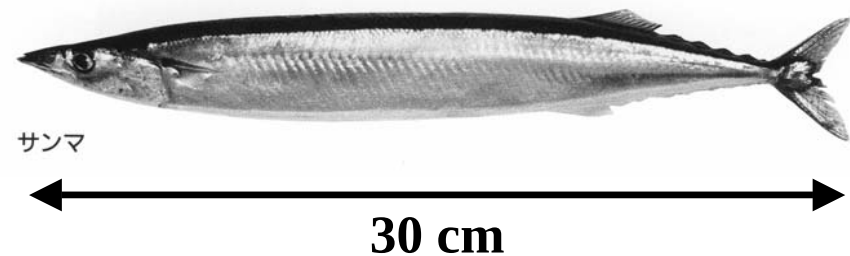
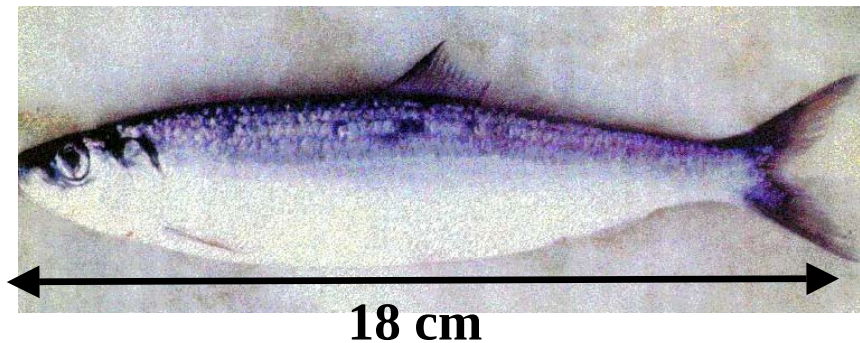
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**North Pacific Ecosystem Model for Understanding Regional
Oceanography**

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NEMURO For Including Saury and Herring



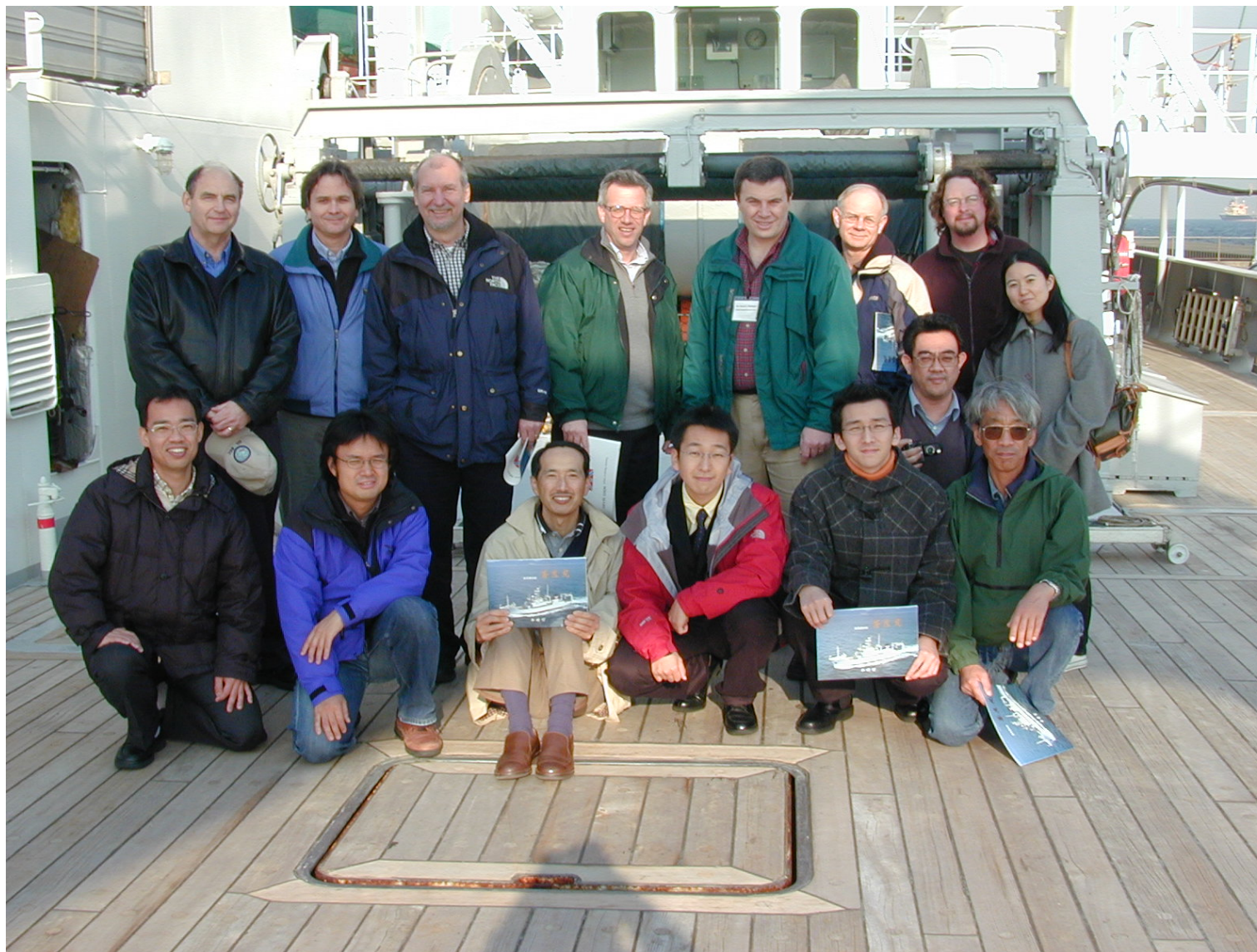
Workshop 2000



Workshop 2002



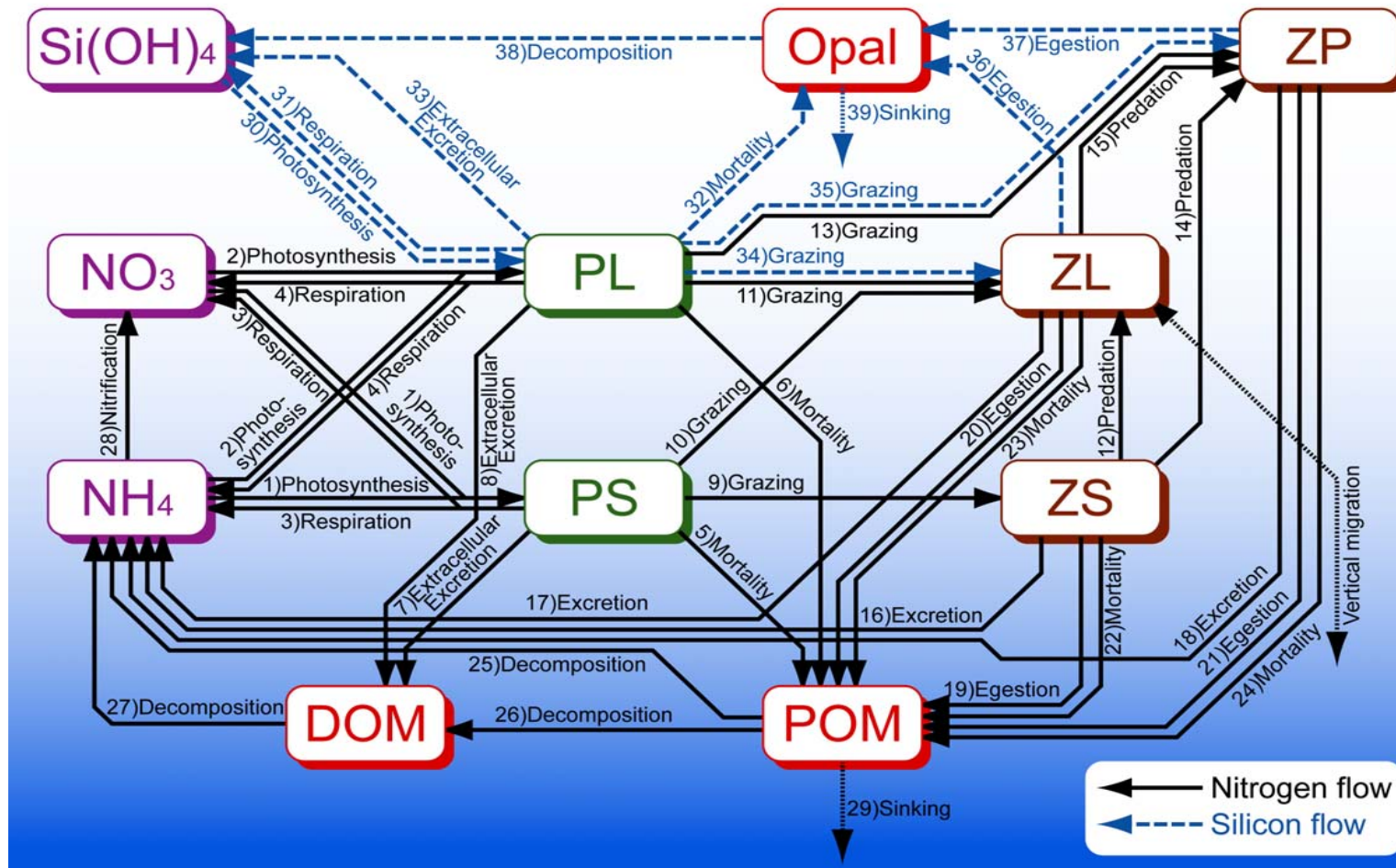
Workshop 2003



PICES-APN Workshop 2004

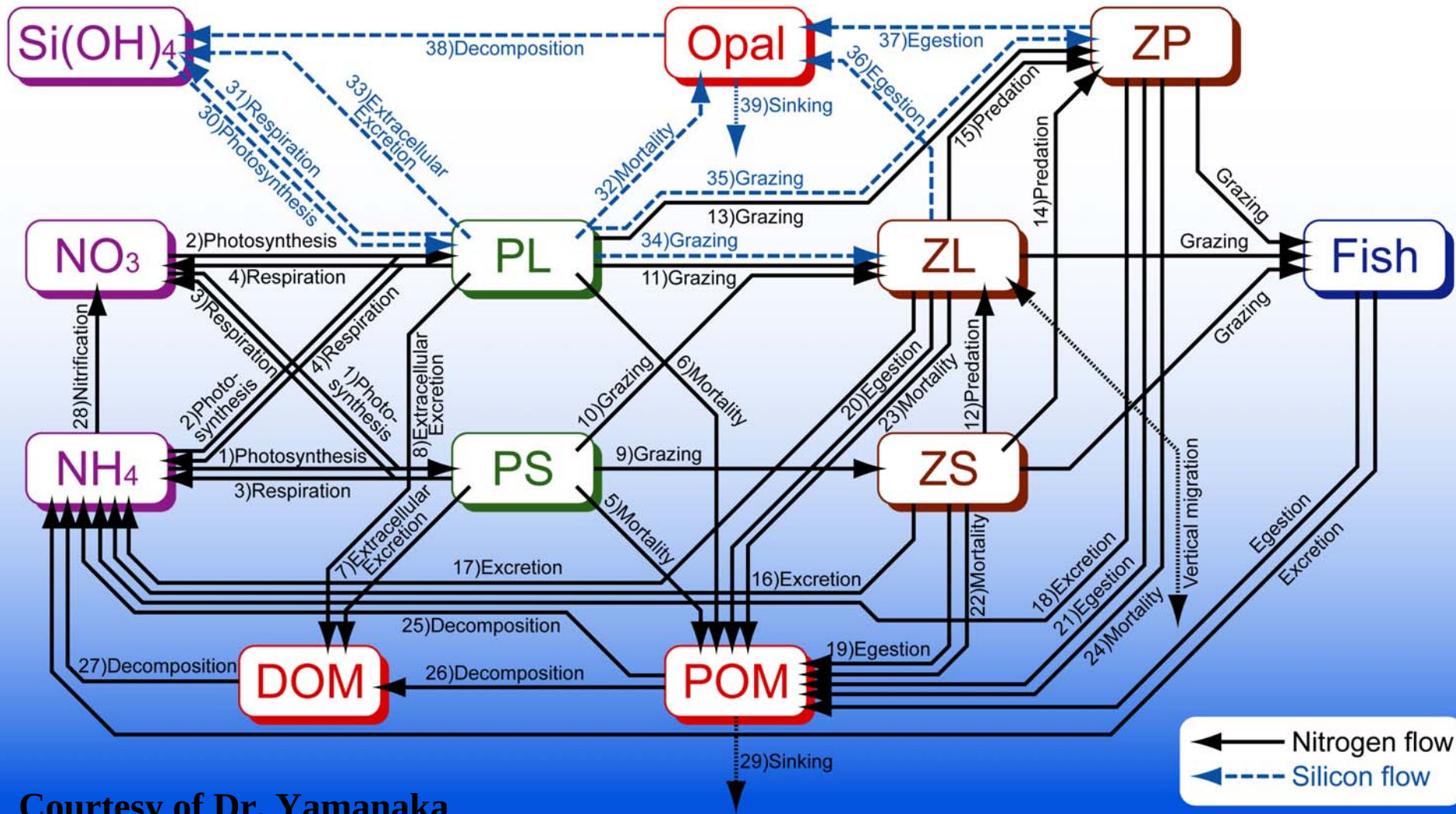


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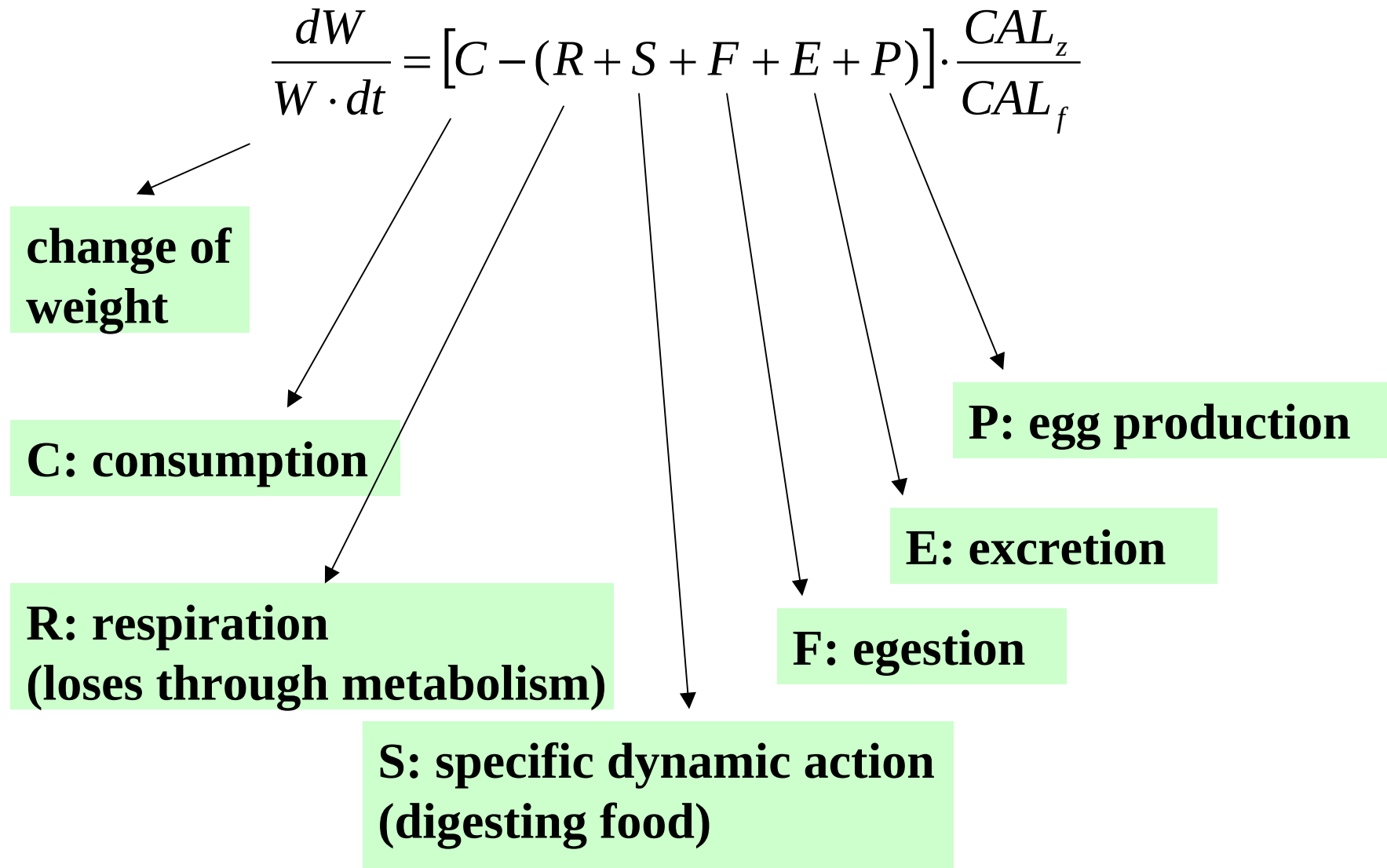
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Bioenergetics Model for herring and saury



Dynamic linkage between LTL & HTL

$$\frac{dW}{W \cdot dt} = [C - (R + S + F + E + P)] \cdot \frac{CAL_z}{CAL_f}$$

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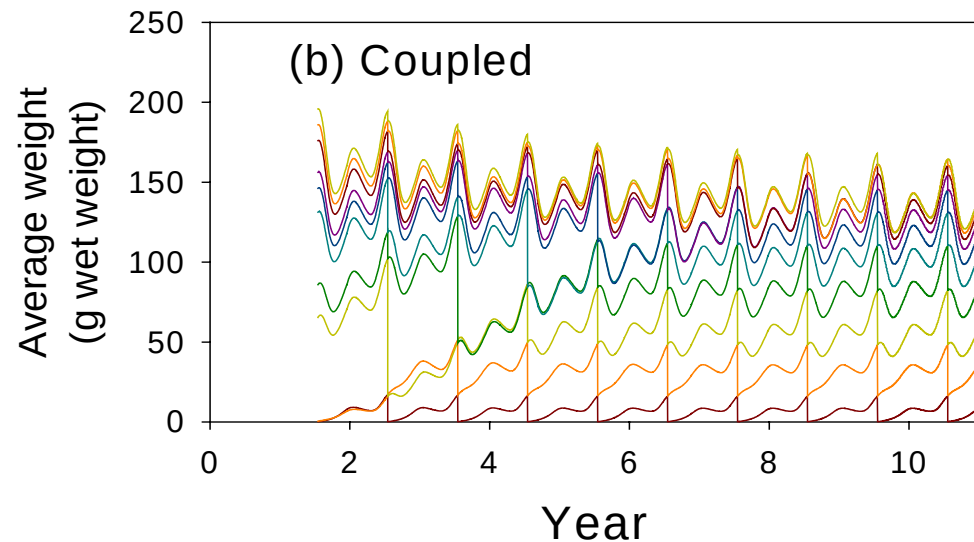
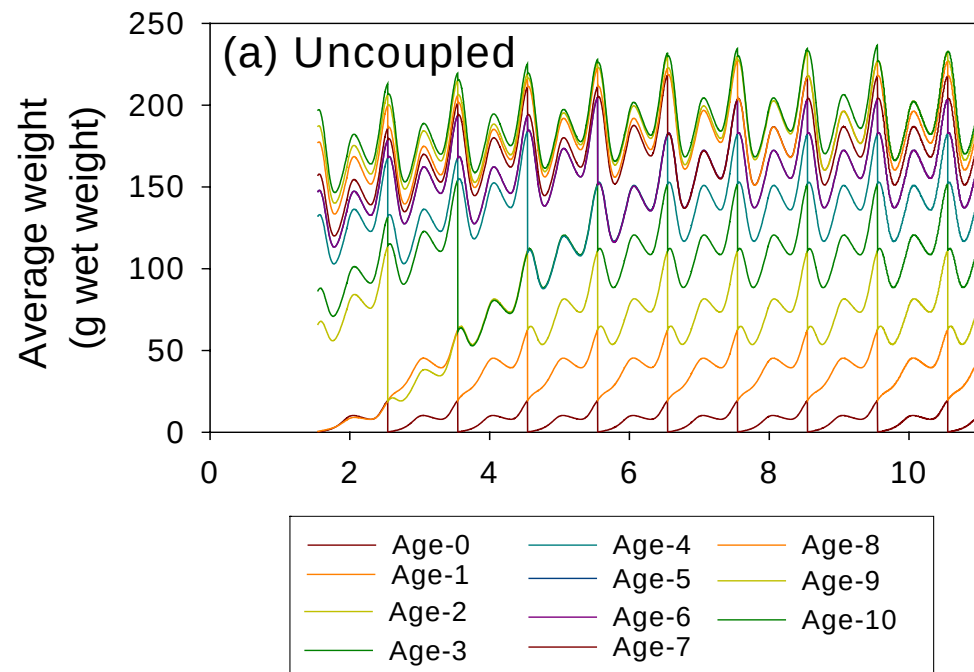
$$dN/dt = - (F + M) N$$

Population dynamics model

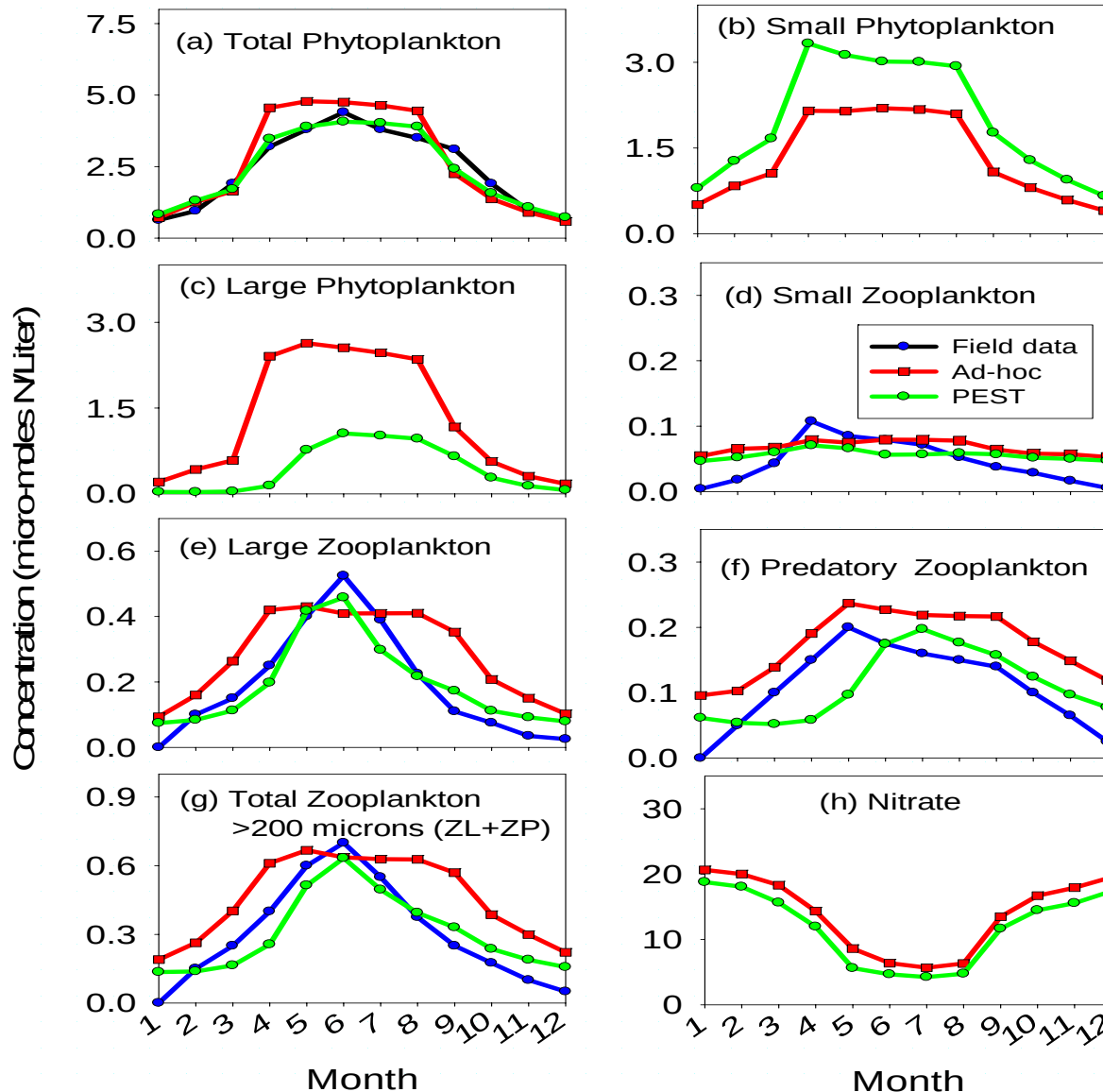
Decrease ZS, ZL, ZP

Effect of Dynamic Linkage and Predation Pressure

- Reduction in large zooplankton
- Slower herring growth



PEST: a free software to make optimal parameter calibration



Field data

Ad-hoc calibration

PEST

PEST gives better fits to observed data.

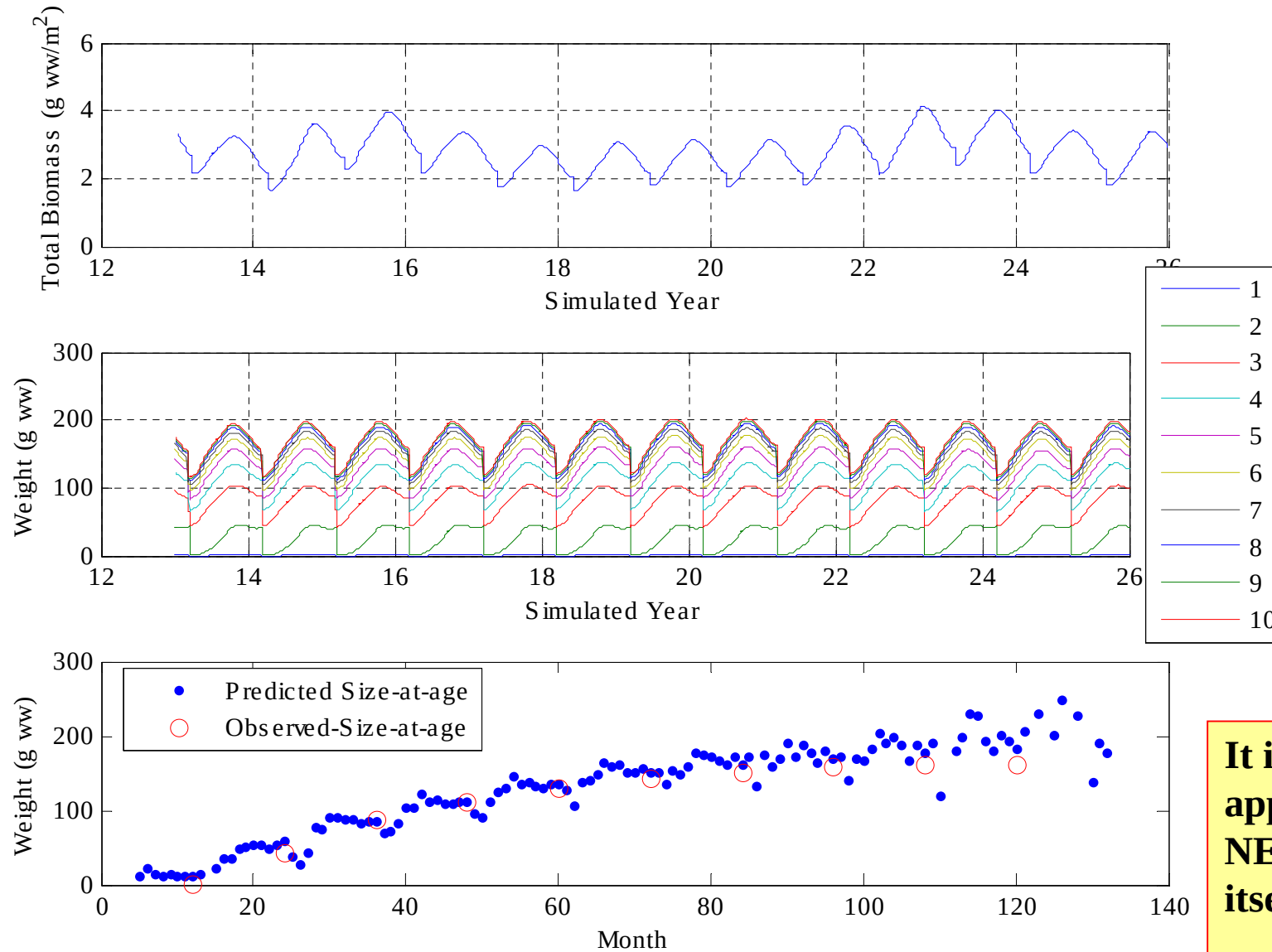
PEST is automated and independent to any models.

It is easy to calibrate model parameter than adjoint method.

PEST enables NEMURO to be applied any stations which has seasonal LTL data.

Rose et al. (in prep.)

PEST to NEMURO.FISH



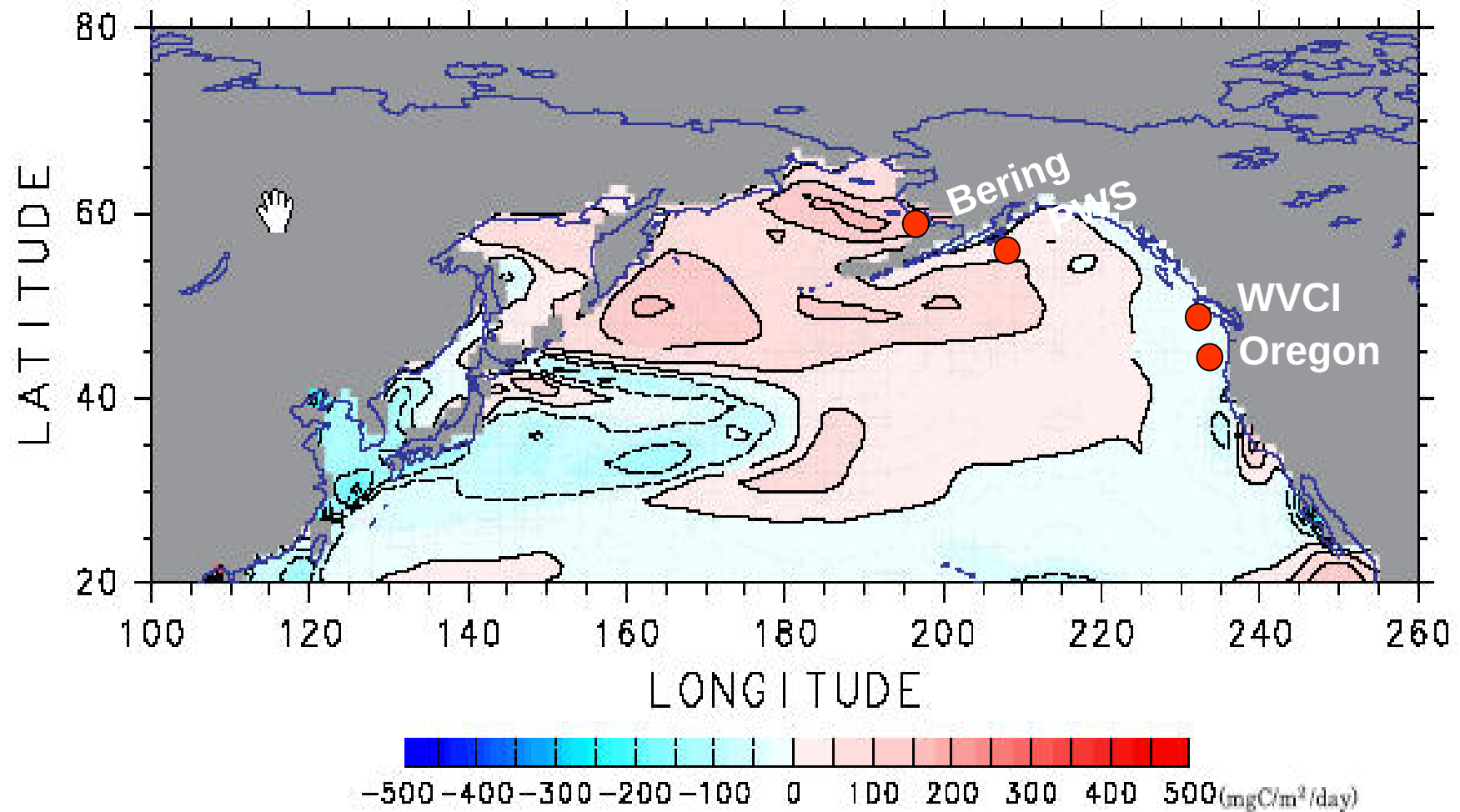
**It is possible to
apply PEST to
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itself.**

Bern et al. (in prep.)

Regional comparison

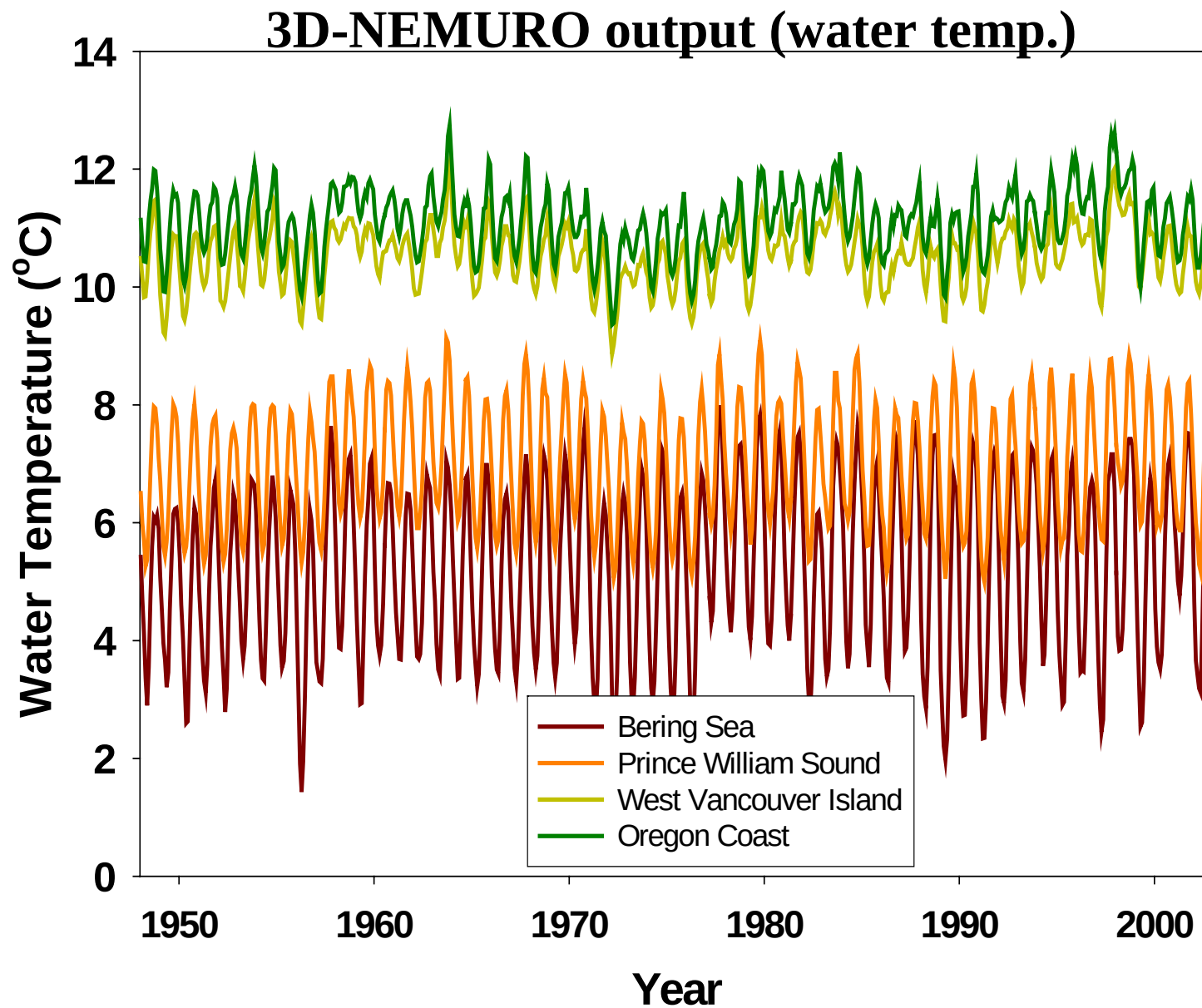
3D-NEMURO LTL input to NEMURO.FISH

Annual primary production (1977-2000 minus 1952-1975)



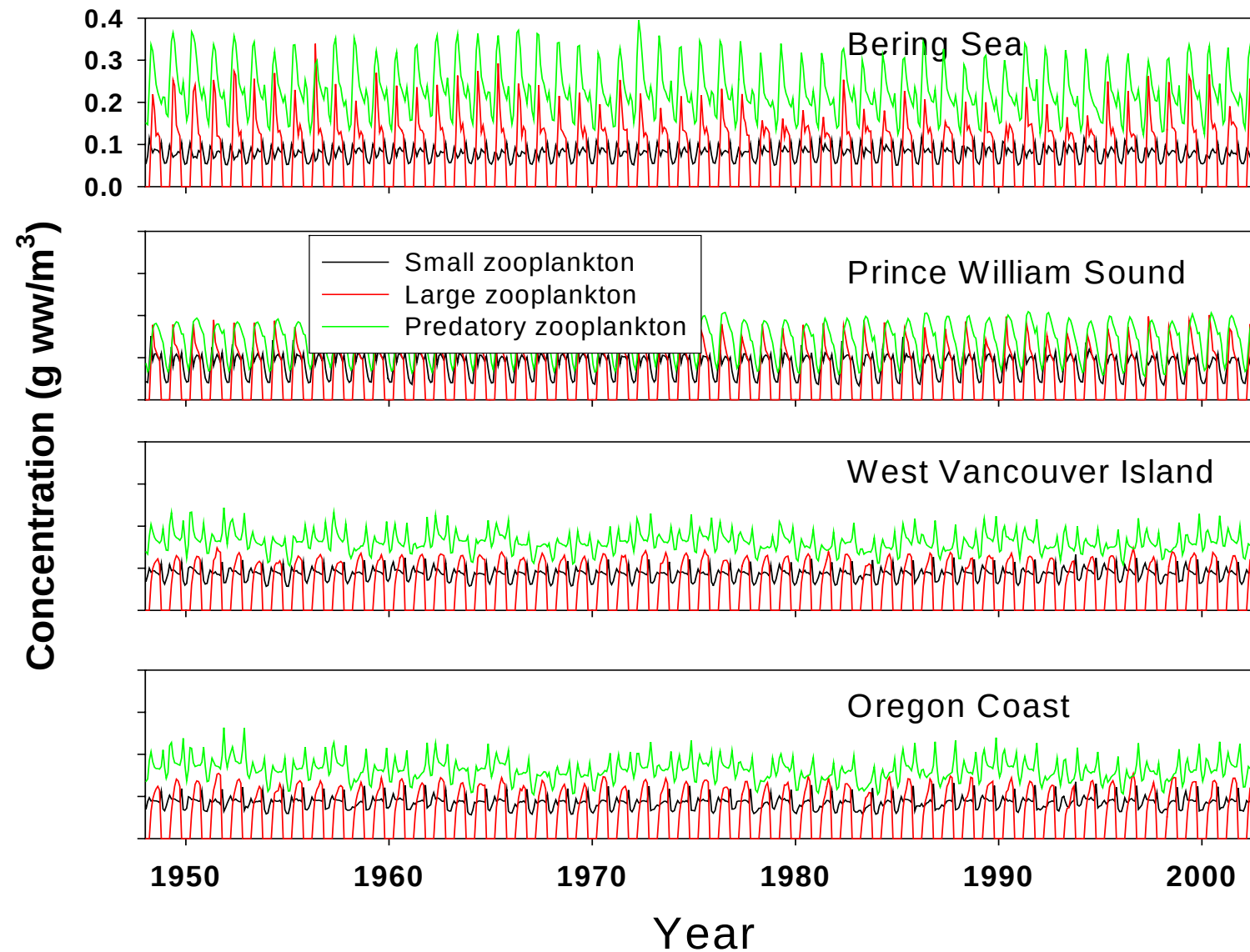
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Regional comparison



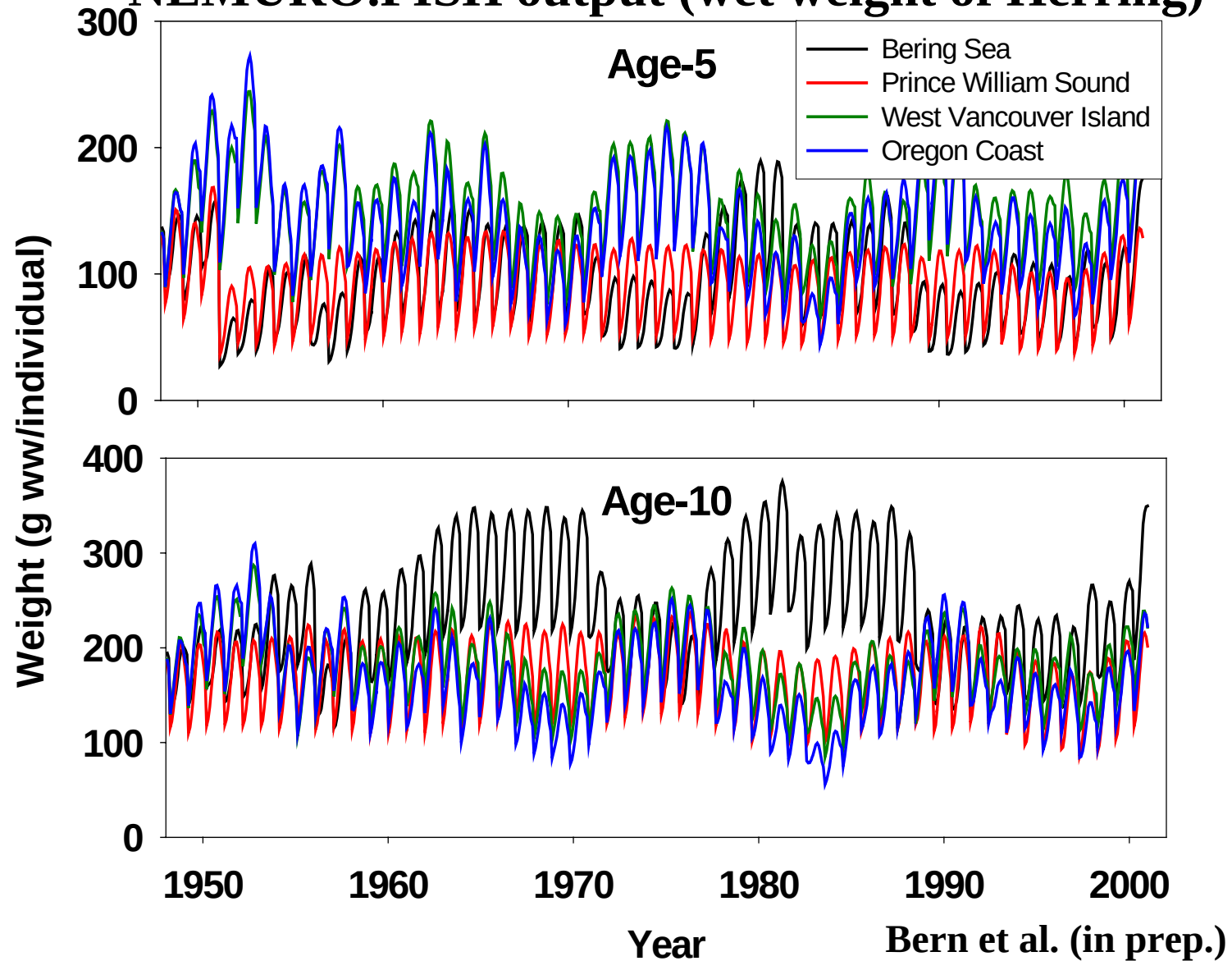
Regional comparison

3D-NEMURO output (zooplankton)

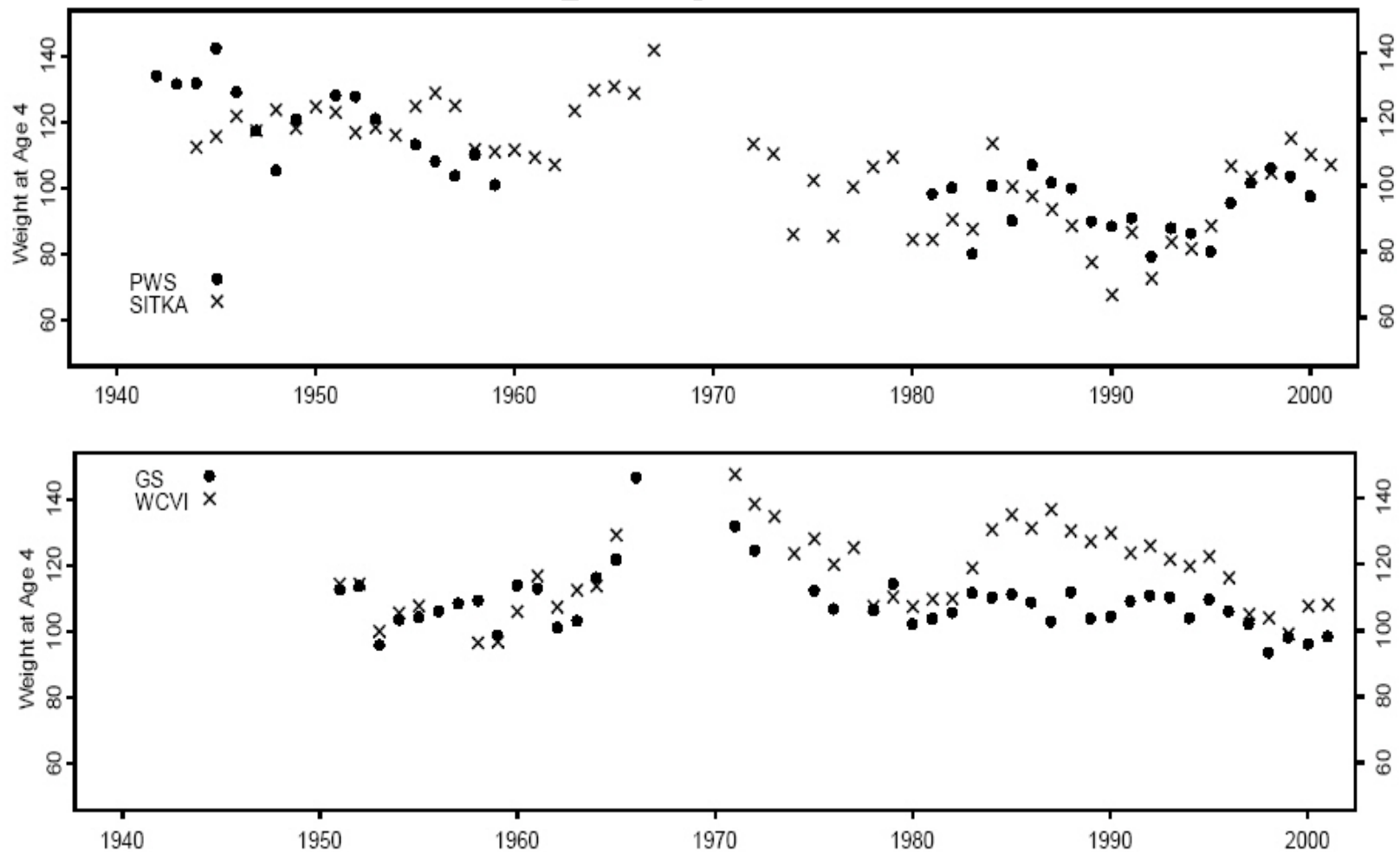


Regional comparison

NEMURO.FISH output (wet weight of Herring)



Example of Field data



Schweigert, Funk, Oda, and Moore. 2002. Herring size-at-age variation in the North Pacific. PICES Scientific Report 20, pp 47-57.

Life History of Pacific Saury with Oceanographic Features

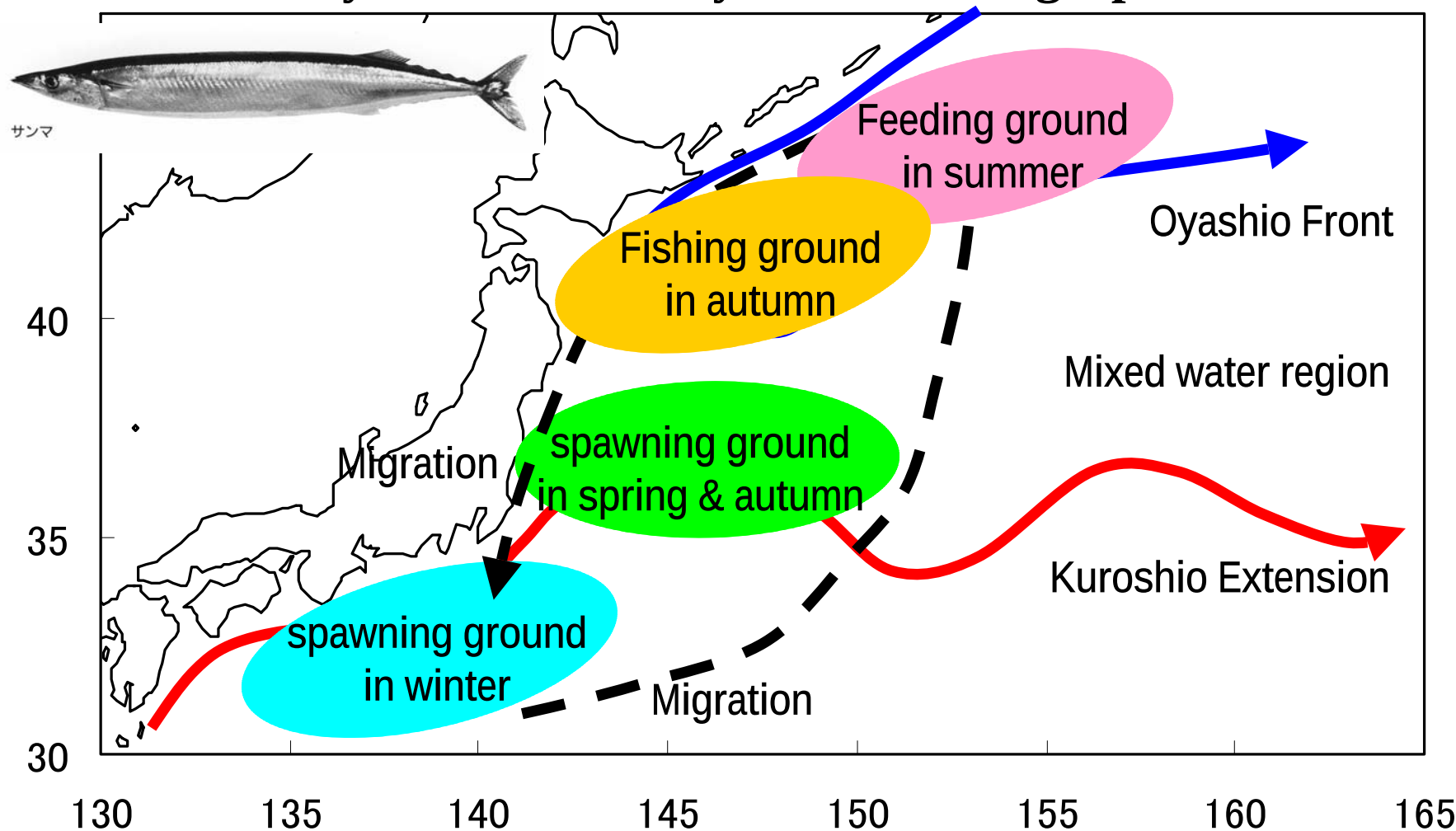


Fig.1 Schematic picture of life history of Pacific saury (*Cololabis Saira*). Spawning of the saury starts in September and continues until June, shifting the location between the mixed water region and Kuroshio region. The main spawning season is winter. The juveniles are advected to the Kuroshio extension region and migrate to the Oyashio region through the mixed region for feeding. After sufficient feeding they migrate back to the Kuroshio region for spawning. On the back migration, fishing ground is made around Japanese coastal zone.

Ito et al. (2002)

3-box version

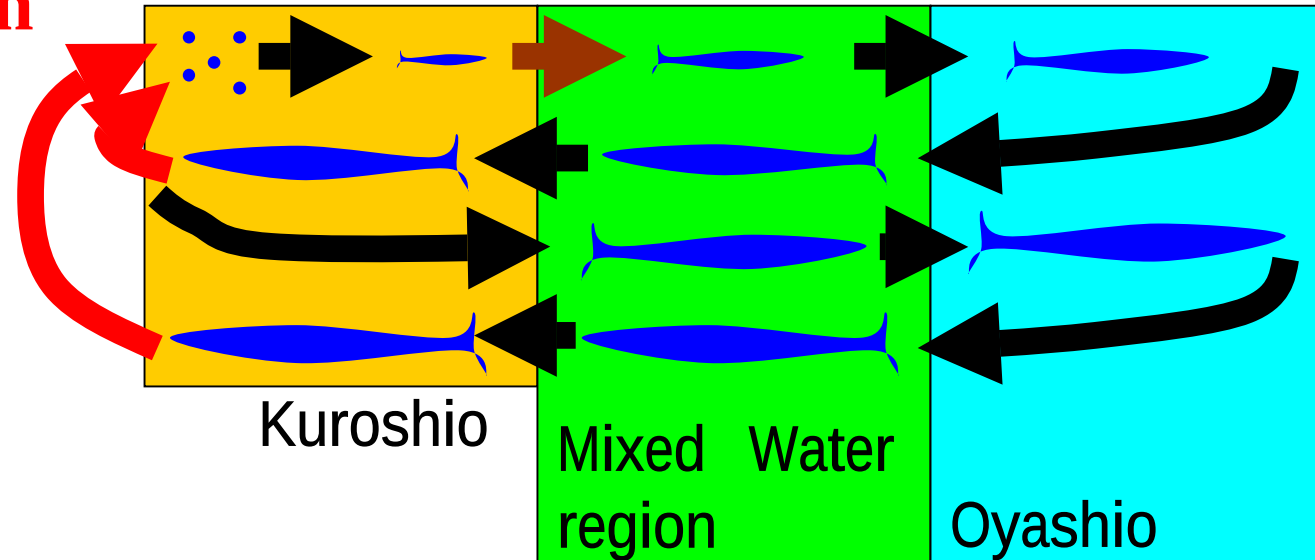
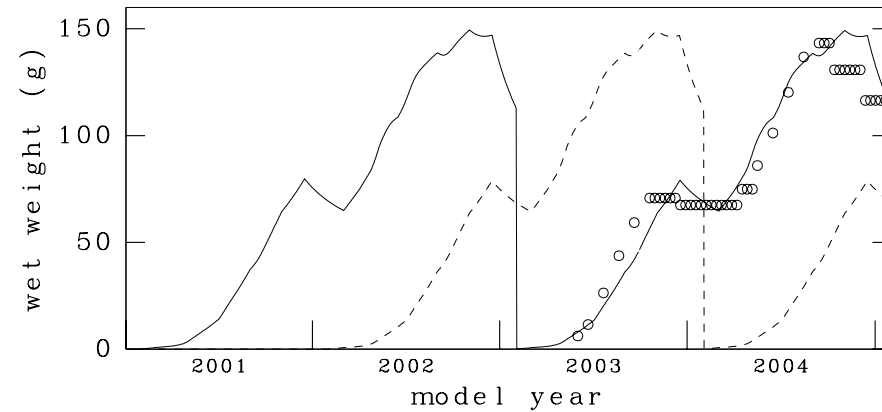


Table 2. Life stages of Pacific saury in the saury bioenergetics model

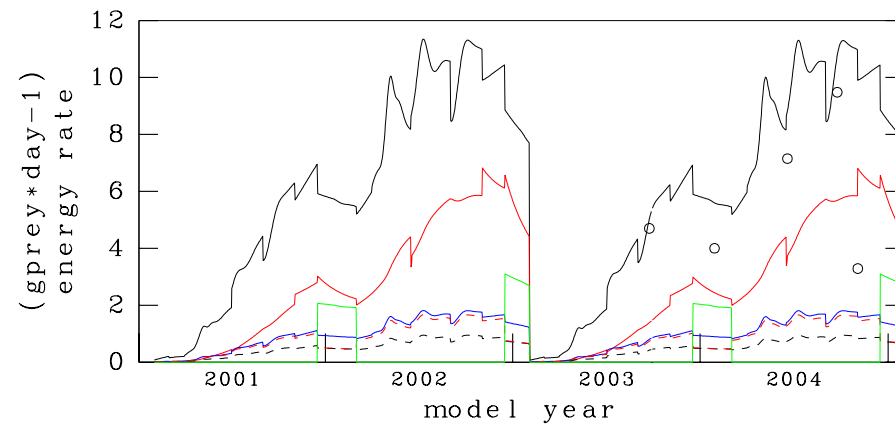
Stage	period	model-day	region
larvae	Feb.01-Feb.28	1- 28	Kuroshio
juvenile & young	Mar.01-Jun.30	29-150	mixed region
small	Jul.01-Oct.31	151-273	Oyashio
adult	Nov.01-Dec.14	274-317	mixed region
adult matured	Dec.15-Feb.28	318-393	Kuroshio
adult	Mar.01-Jun.14	394-499	mixed region
adult	Jun.15-Oct.31	500-638	Oyashio
adult	Nov.01-Dec.14	639-682	mixed region
adult matured	Dec.15-Jan.31	683-730	Kuroshio

9 life stages

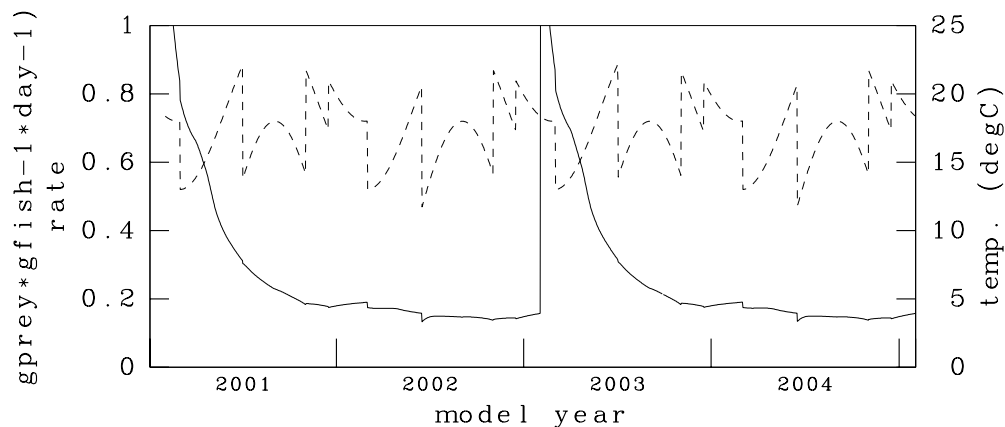
Ito et al. (2004)



Simulated wet weight & observed growth (Kurita et al.)



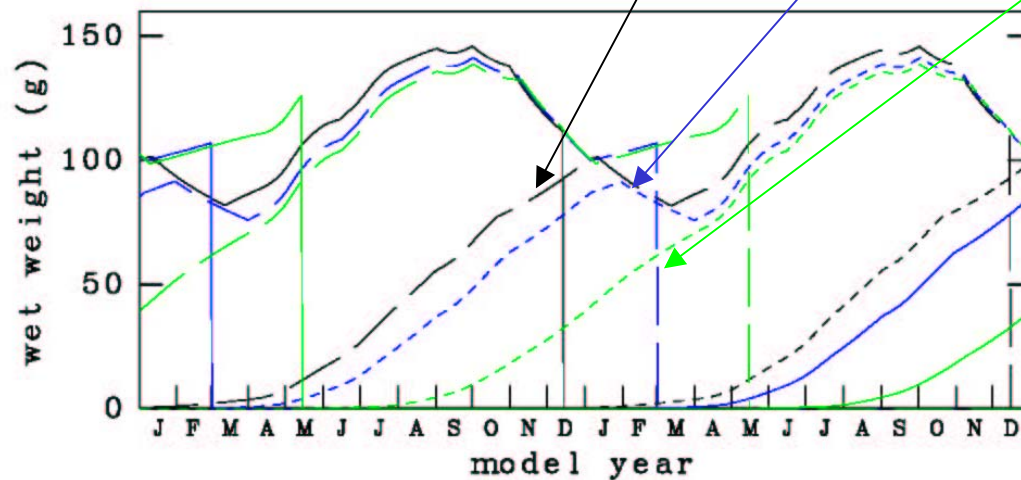
Terms of the bioenergetics equation
black solid: consumption
red solid: respiration
blue solid: egestion
black dotted: excretion
red dotted: specific dynamic action
green: egg production
open circle: observed consumption by Kurita (2002)



maximum consumption rate multiplied by temperature function (solid line) & water temperature (dotted line).

Ito et al. (2004)

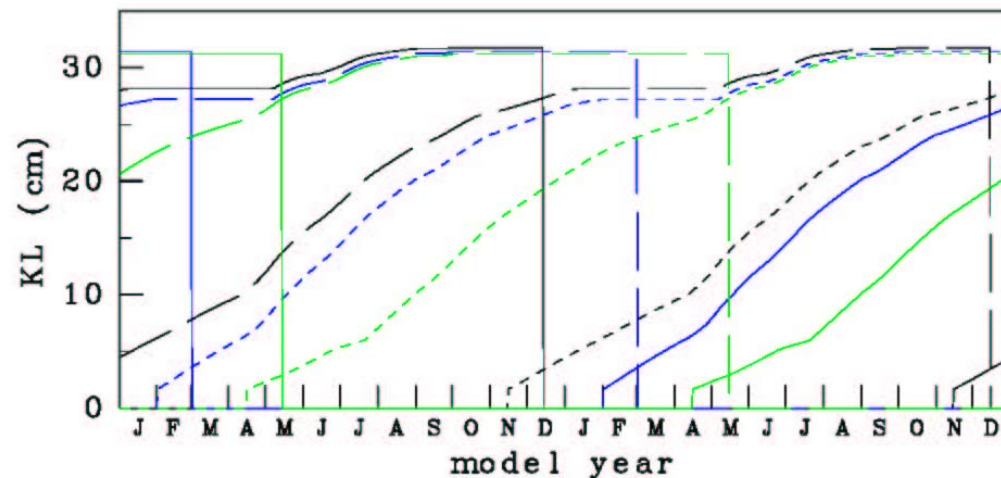
comparison: autumn, winter, spring spawned saury



Pacific saury spawns from autumn to spring.

growth rate of juvenile :
winter > **spring** > autumn

time span for becoming 30 cm adult saury:
spring < **winter** < autumn



Autumn & winter cohort spawn at first & second year. Spring cohort only spawns at second year.

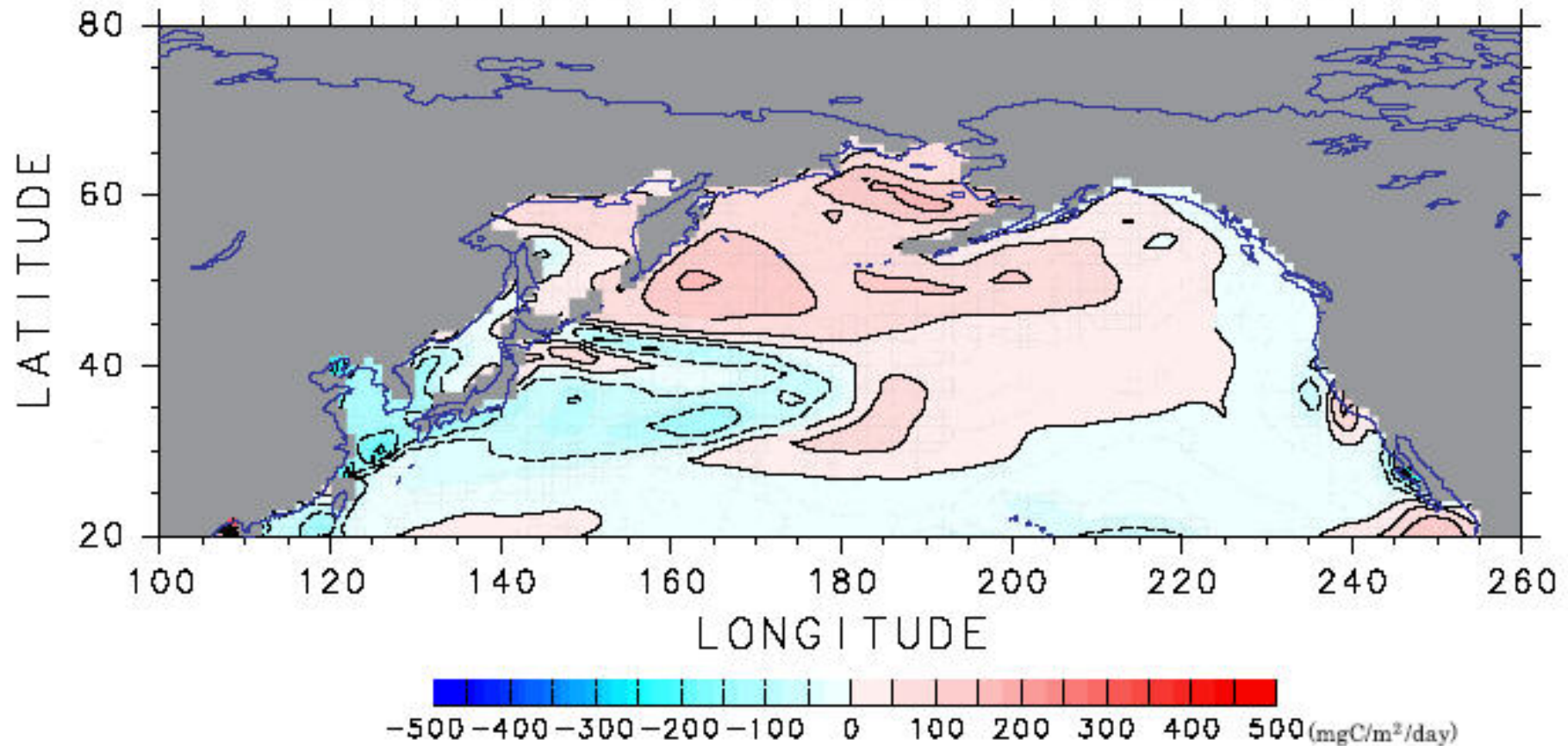
Similar to observation

Mukai et al. (in prep.)

Extension to 3D Global NEMURO

Primary production relative to Regime Shift

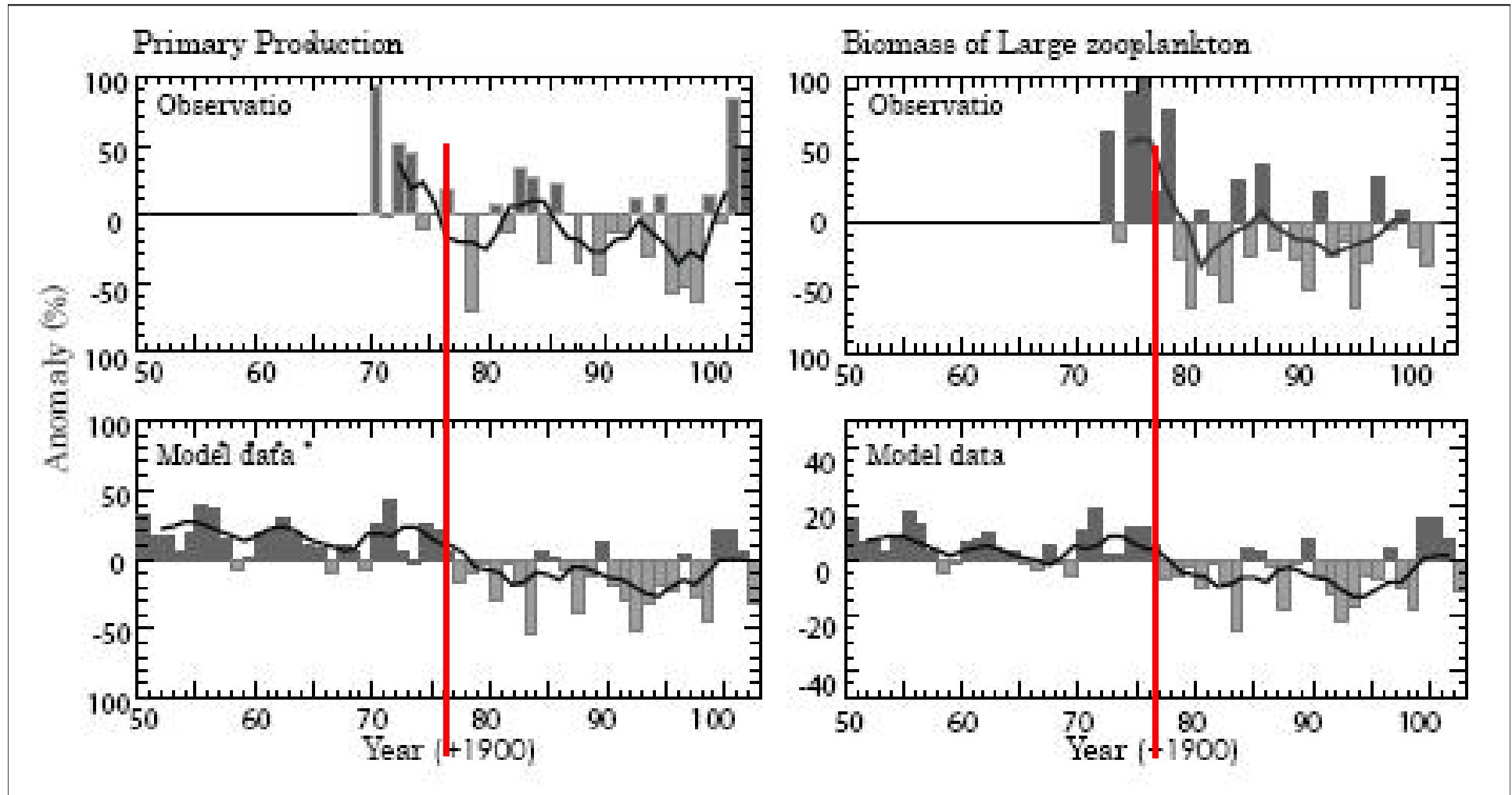
Annual primary production (1977-2000 minus 1952-1975)



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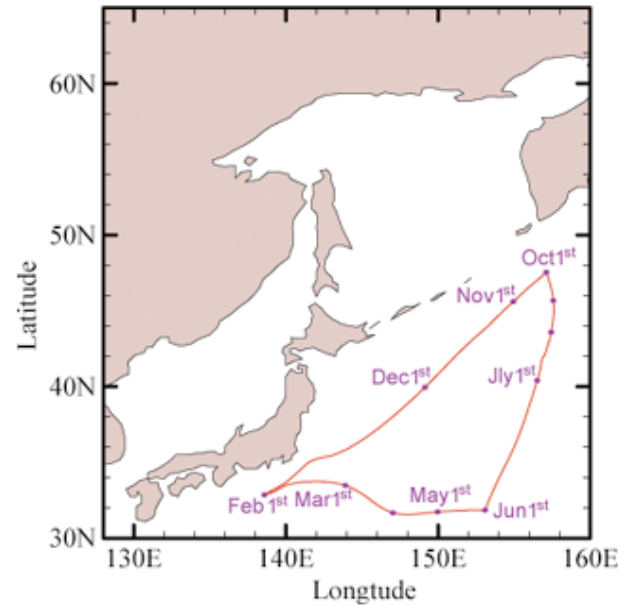
Extension to 3D Global NEMURO

Primary production & zooplankton response to Regime Shift



Aita-Noguchi et al. (submitted)

Fish migration with 3D-NEMURO



Saury track by Lagrangian model

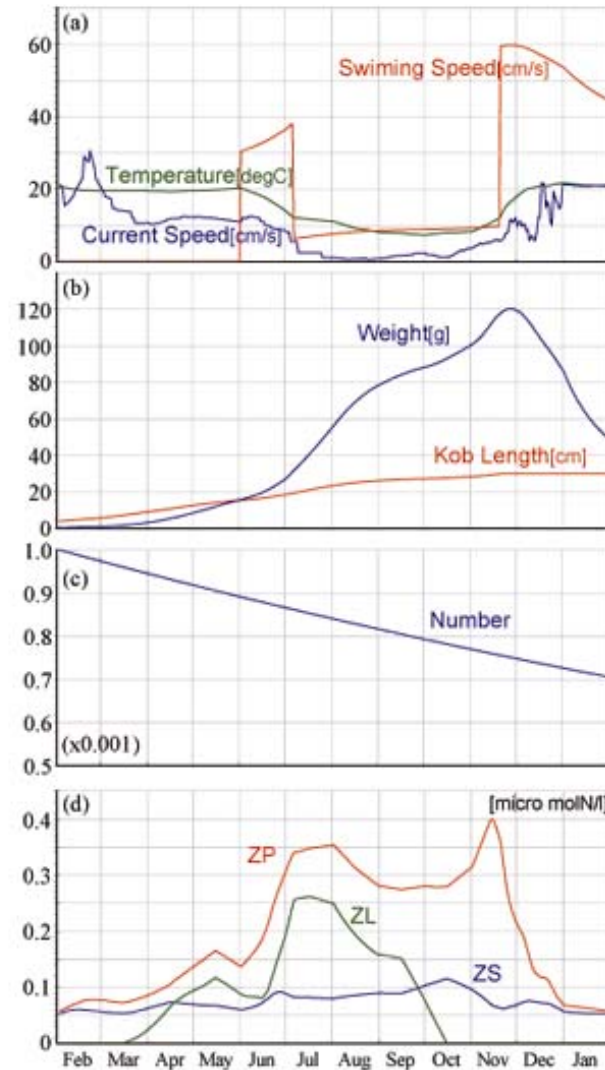


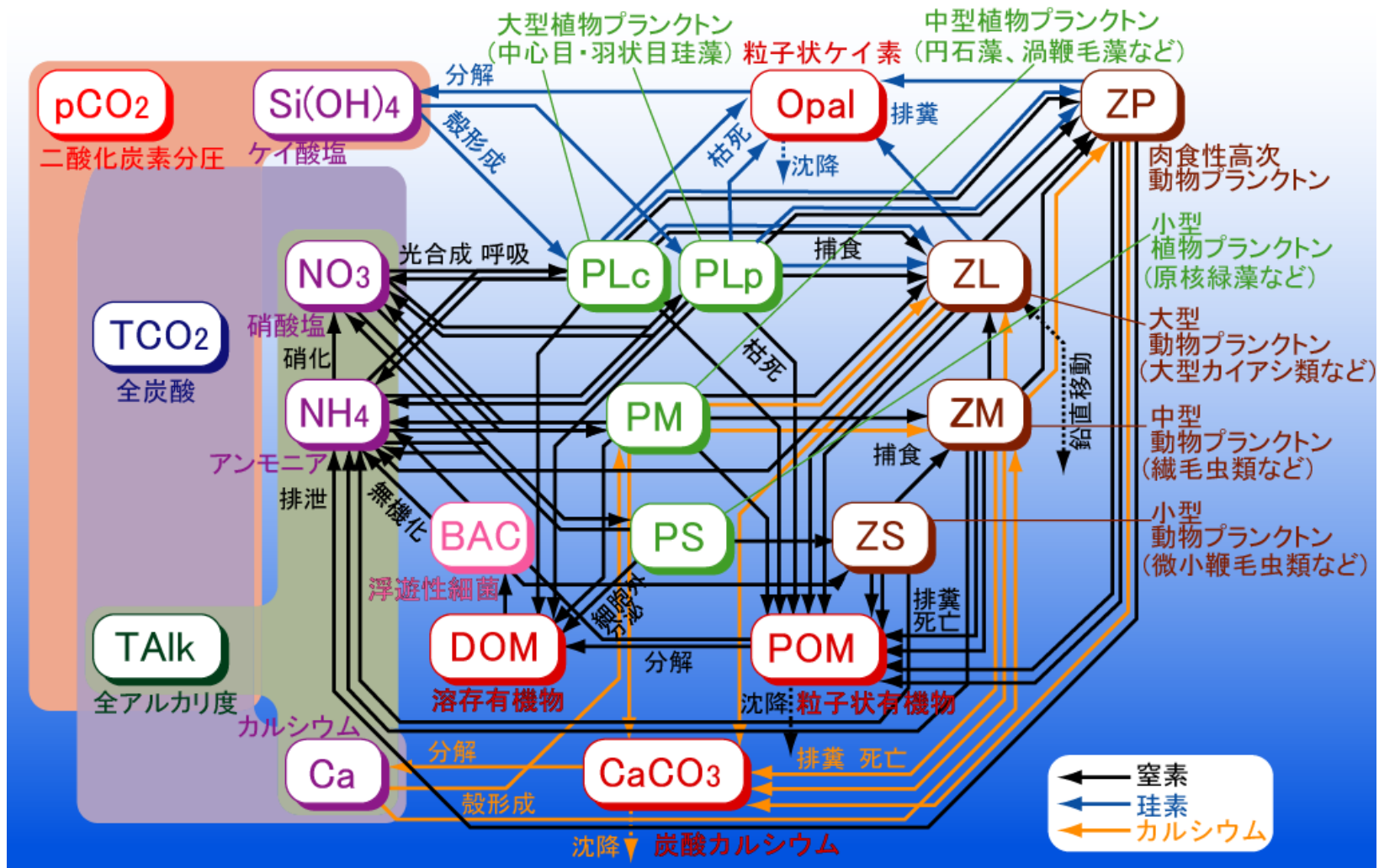
Fig. 2

(a) swimming speed, current speed, temperature where the saury exists, (b), body length and body weight, (c) number of saury, (d) concentration of zooplankton of the point where the saury exists which is given from the results files calculated by 3-D NEMURO model.

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eNEMURO

From Subtropical to Subarctic



Future Perspective

1. Regional comparison

**PESTed NEMURO+NEMURO.FISH is useful
apply NEMURO.FISH to other species
sardine, anchovy, mackerel, squid,**

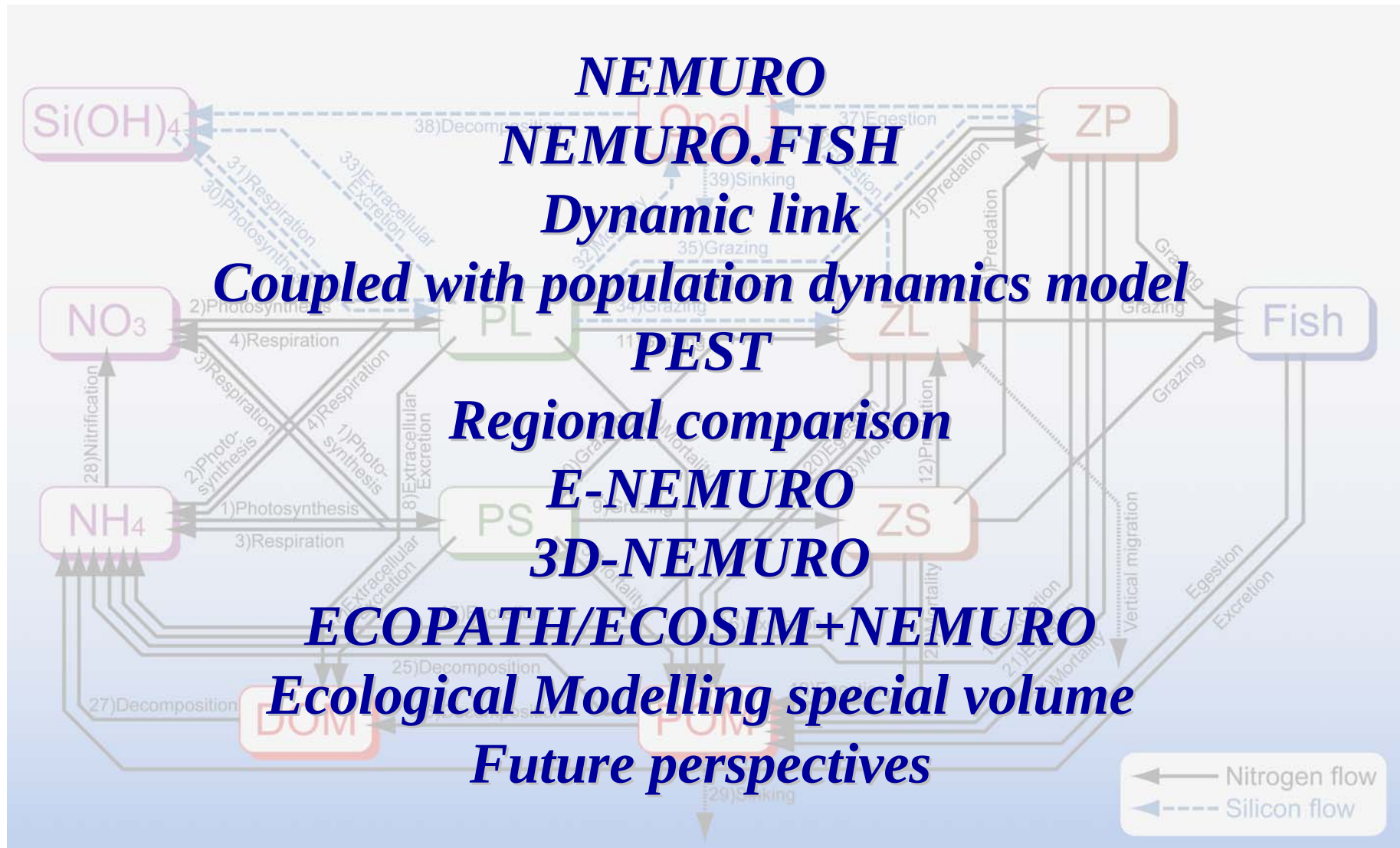
2. Regime Shift

**PESTed NEMURO+ NEMURO.FISH
3D-eNEMURO + NEMURO.FISH**

3. Global Change

3D-eNEMURO + NEMURO.FISH

History of MODEL Task Team



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- 3. City of Nemuro Japan**
- 4. Fisheries Research Agency (FRA) of Japan**
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Collaboration of
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