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Gulf of Mexico Penaeid Shrimp Stock Assessment Update 2016 Fishing Year

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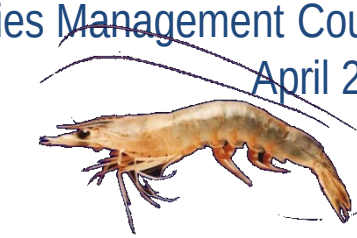
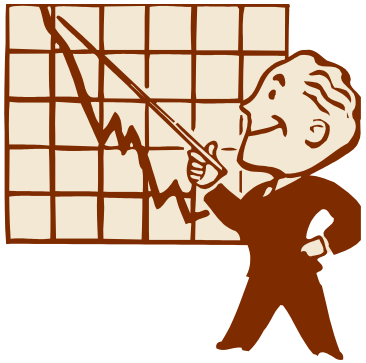
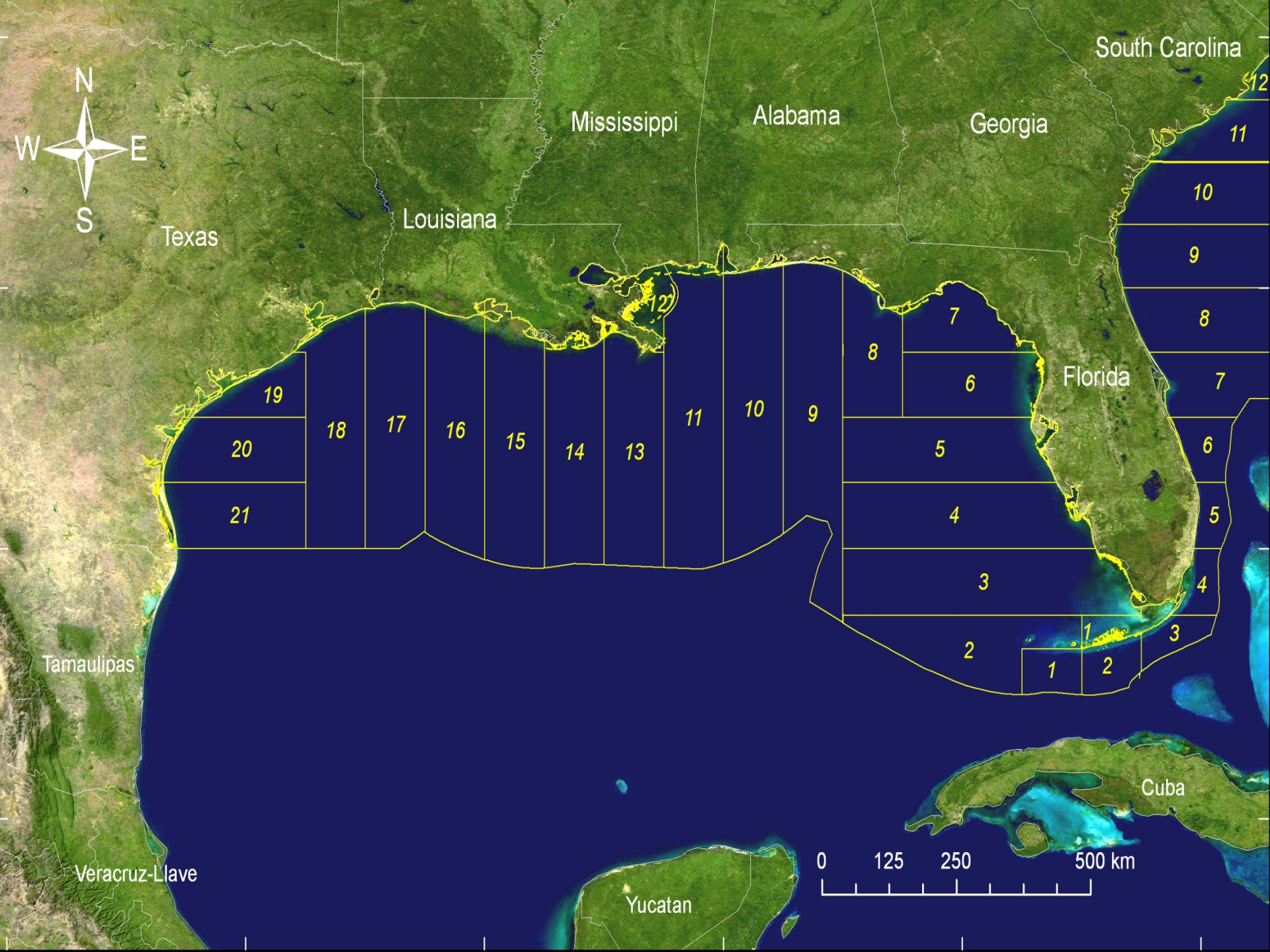


Assessment Updates



Stock Synthesis stock assessment update for SSBmsy and Fmsy estimates for:

- Pink Shrimp statistical zones 1-11
- Brown Shrimp statistical zones 7-21
- White Shrimp statistical zones 7-21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Pink Shrimp Model Inputs

- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch (lbs. tails)
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch by size category
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch rate (CPUE)
- 1987-2016 SEAMAP Summer and Fall Survey Data
  - Catch by size
  - Nominal CPUE Index
- 2008-2016 SEAMAP Summer and Fall Survey Data
  - Delta lognormal CPUE Index

Brown Shrimp Model Inputs

- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch (lbs. tails)
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch by size category
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch rate (CPUE)
- 1984-2016 Louisiana monthly shrimp trawl surveys (Western subset)
  - Catch by size
  - Delta lognormal CPUE Index
- 1987-2016 SEAMAP Summer and Fall Survey Data
  - Catch by size
  - Delta lognormal CPUE Index

White Shrimp Model Inputs

- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch (lbs. tails)
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch by size category
- 1984-2016 GOM monthly catch rate (CPUE)
- 1984-2016 Louisiana monthly shrimp trawl surveys (Western subset)
  - Catch by size
  - Delta lognormal CPUE Index
- 1987-2016 SEAMAP Summer and Fall Survey Data
  - Catch by size
  - Delta lognormal CPUE Index

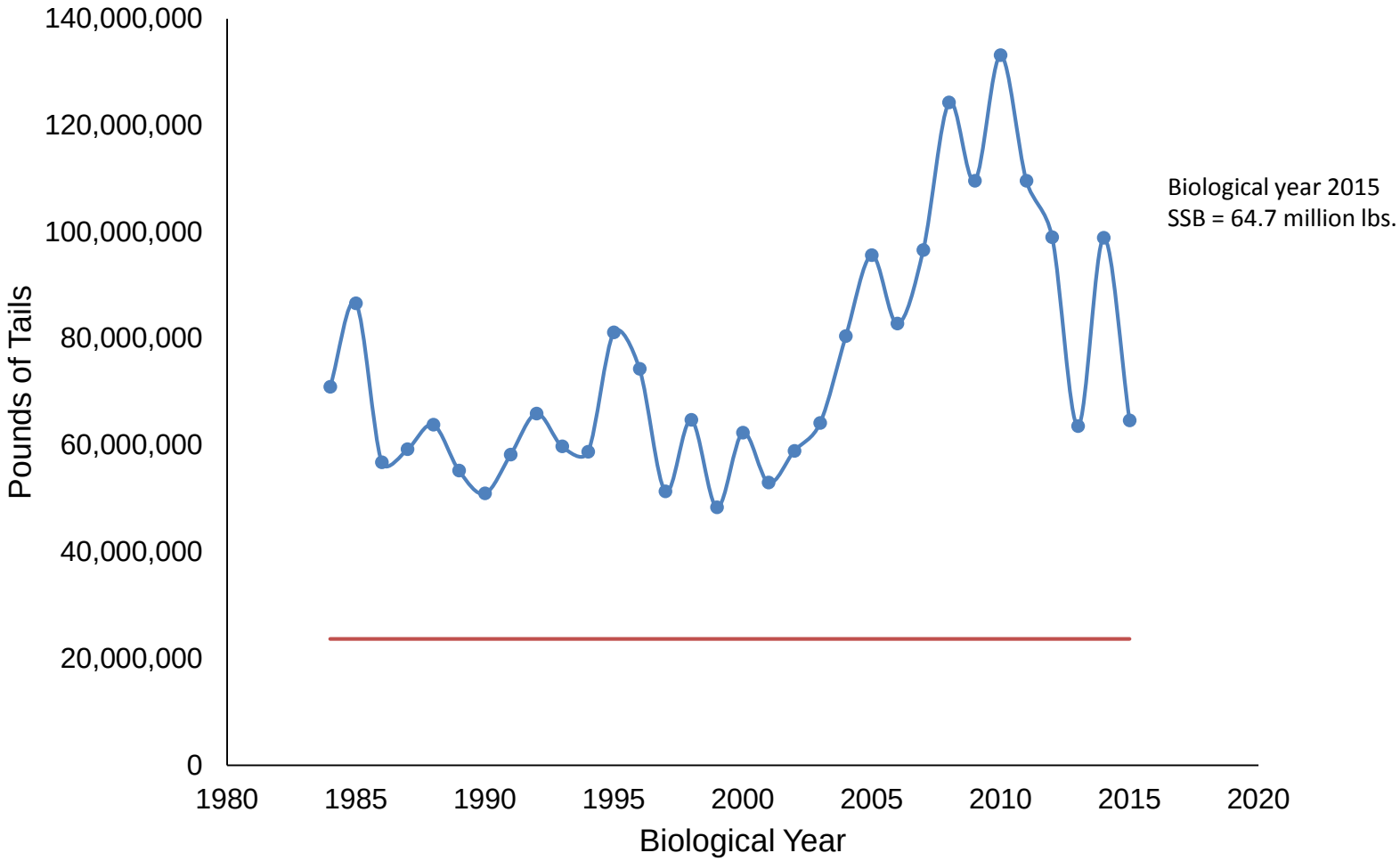
Pink Shrimp SSB_{msy} and F_{msy} Reference Points

SSBmsy - Pink shrimp spawn and recruit throughout the year. The current assessment method models these parameters on a continuous basis. Therefore we derive an annual SSBmsy by multiplying the terminal benchmark "year" SSBmsy estimate by 12.

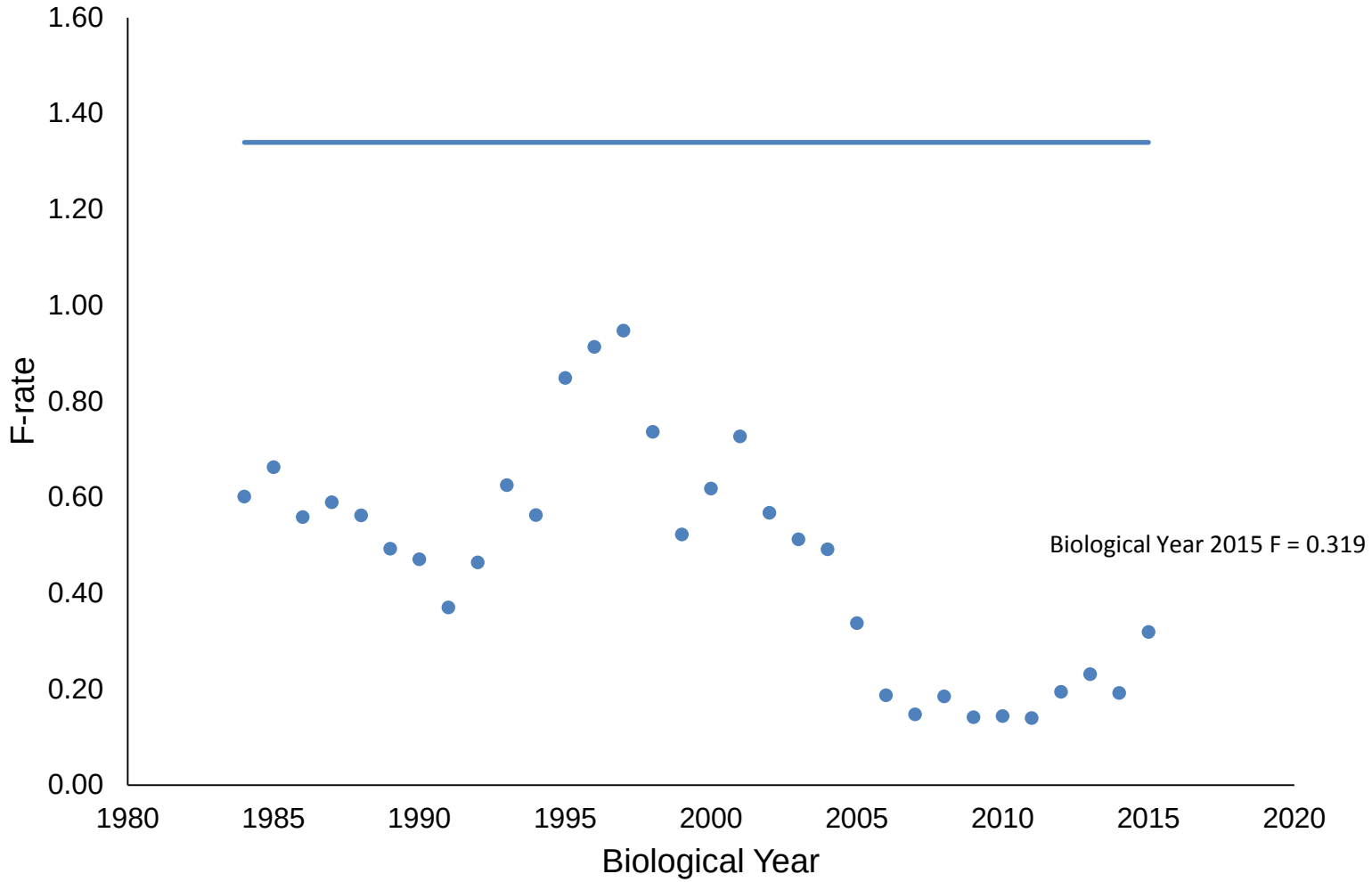
This results in an annual SSBmsy of 23,686,465 lbs. (10,744.2 metric tons) of tails.

Fmsy - The SS model also estimates an Fmsy value. The terminal benchmark "year" value is be multiplied by 12 to estimate an annual Fmsy. The sum of the monthly Fstd estimates calculated in the annual assessment is compared to this Fmsy estimate.

$Fmsy_{(annual)} = 1.35$



Pink shrimp stock synthesis SSB and SSBmsy estimate, biological year 2015 (July 2015 – June 2016).



Pink shrimp stock synthesis annual F estimate, biological year 2015 (July 2015 – June 2016).

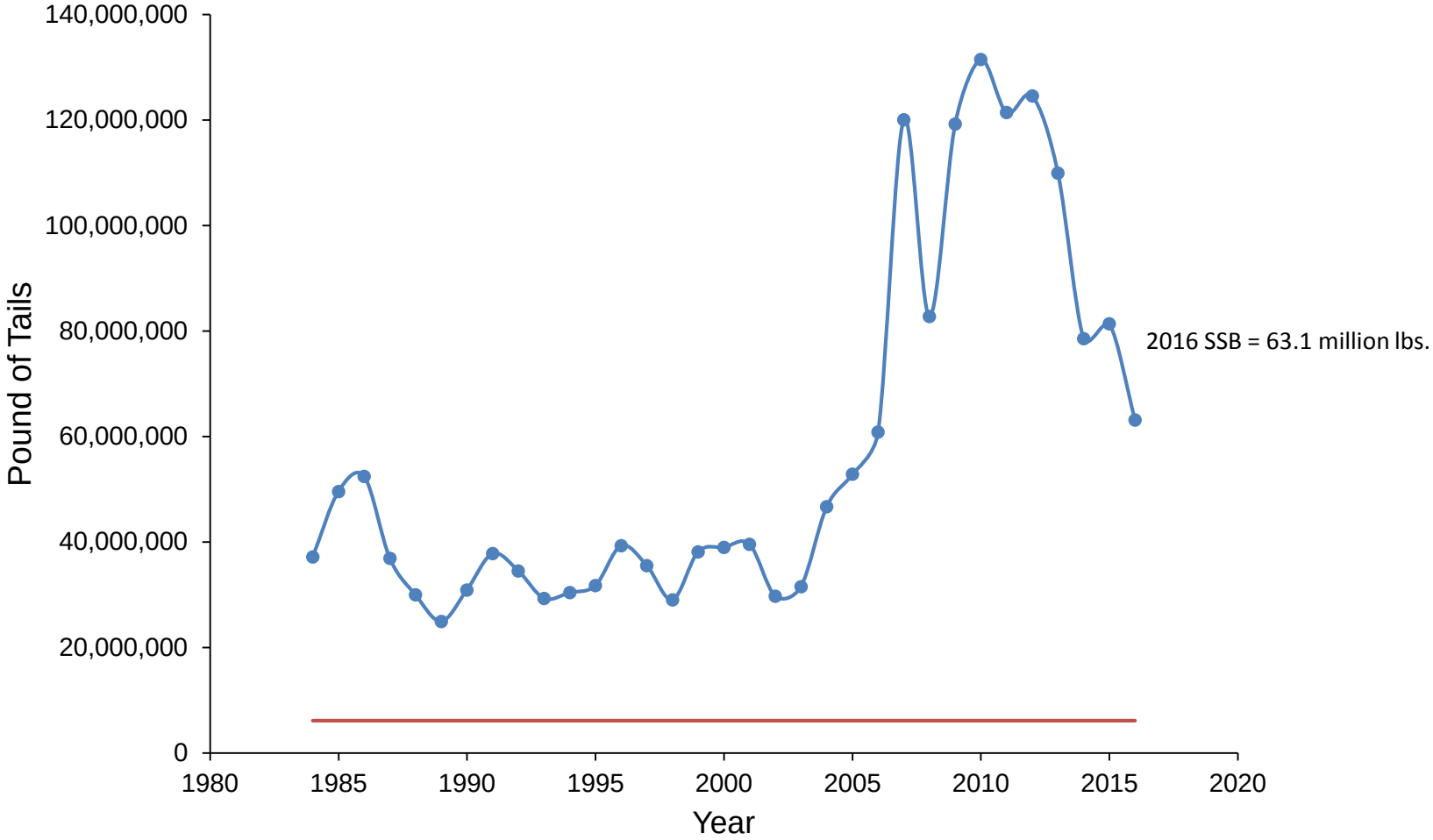
Brown Shrimp SSB_{msy} and F_{msy} Reference Points

SSBmsy - The brown shrimp stock assessment is parameterized as an annual model with seasons.

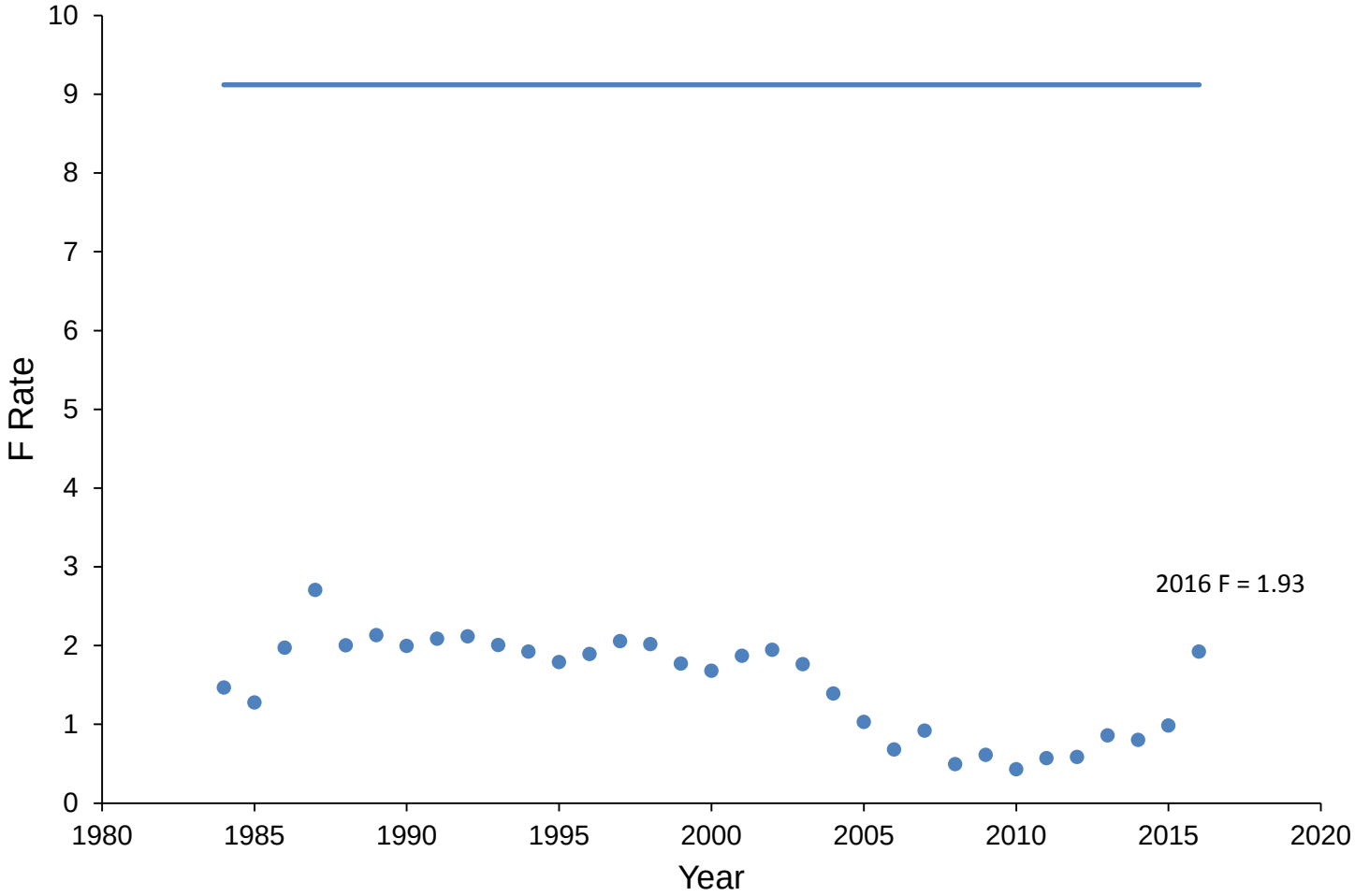
This results in an annual SSBmsy equal to 6,098,824 pounds of tails (2,766.4 metric tons).

Fmsy - SS calculates an annual Fmsy. This is compared to the annual Fstd estimated in the annual assessment run.

$Fmsy_{(annual)} = 9.12$



Brown shrimp 2016 stock synthesis annual SSB and SSBmsy estimates.



Brown shrimp 2016 stock synthesis annual F estimates.

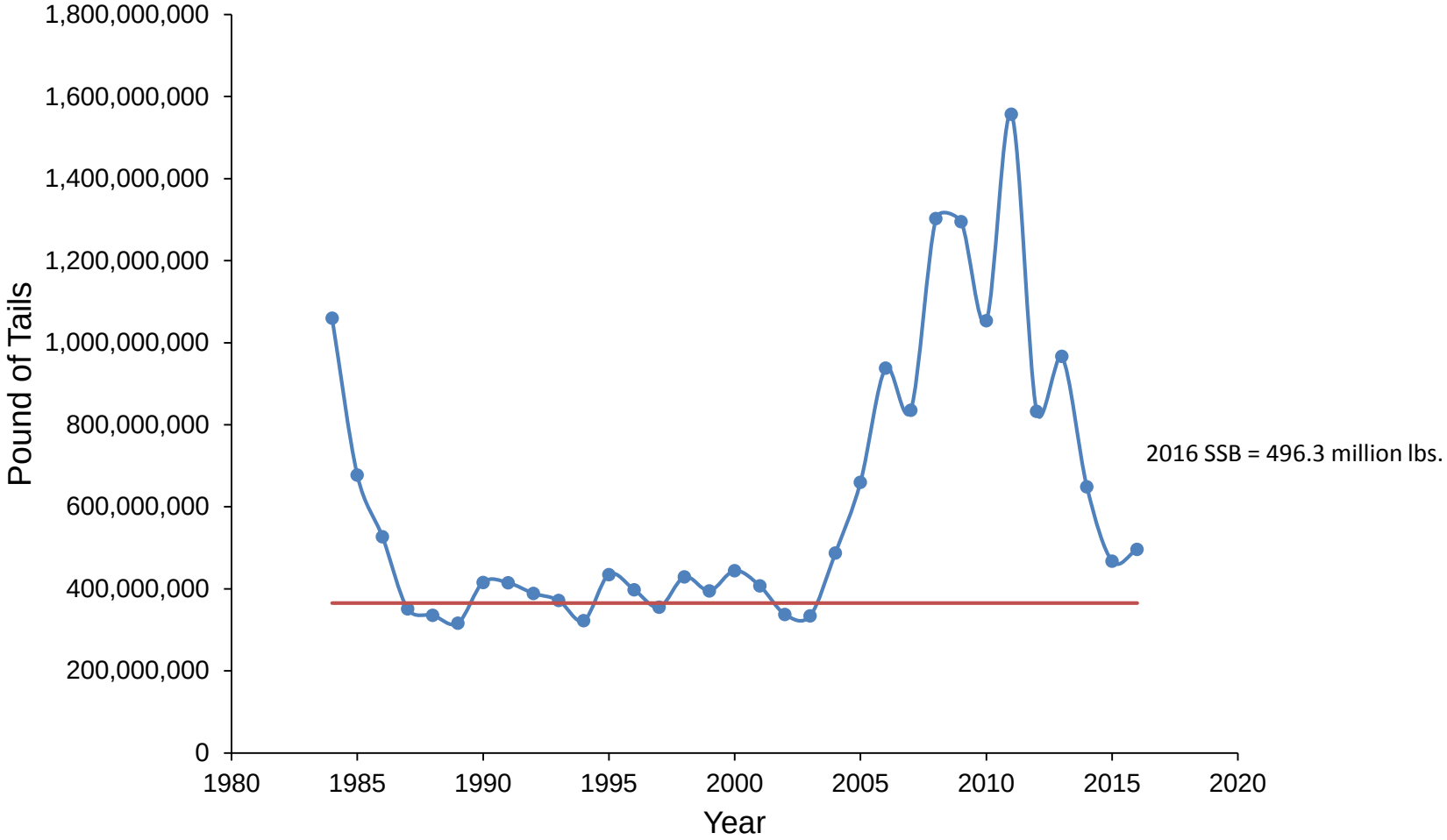
White Shrimp SSB_{msy} and F_{msy} Reference Points

SSBmsy - White shrimp spawn and recruit in cycles in throughout the year and similar to the pink shrimp model, this models these parameters on a continuous basis. An annual SSBmsy is estimated by multiplying the terminal benchmark "year" SSBmsy estimate by 12.

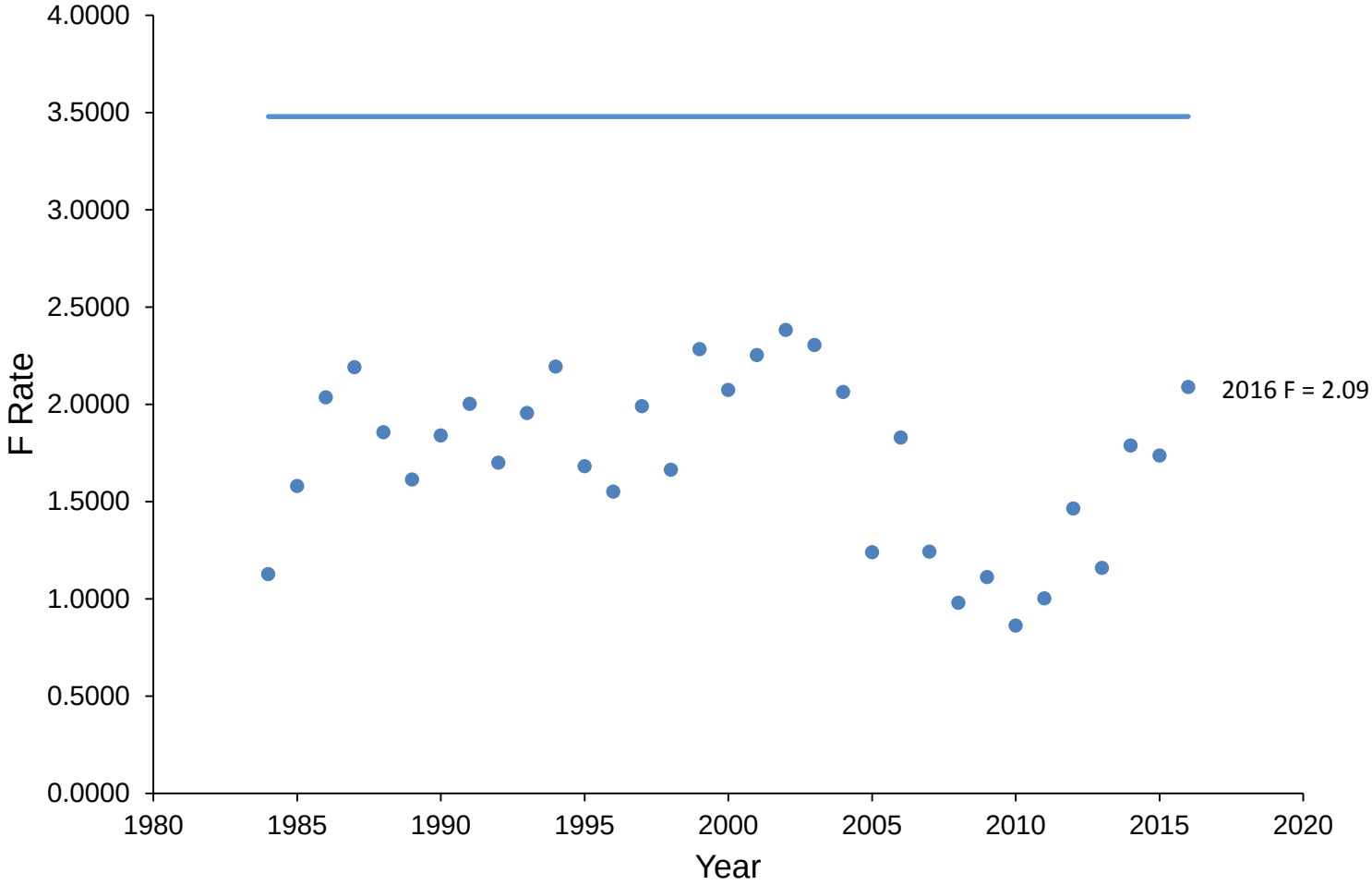
We derive an annual adjusted SSBmsy of 365,611,862 pounds of tails (165,885 metric tons).

Fmsy - the SS model estimates an Fmsy value. This value is multiplied by 12 to estimate an annual Fmsy. The sum of the mean monthly Fstd estimates is compared to this Fmsy estimate.

$Fmsy_{(annual)} = 3.48$



White shrimp 2016 stock synthesis annual SSB and SSBmsy estimates.



White shrimp 2016 stock synthesis annual F estimates.

Conclusions

- All three stocks are healthy and are not Overfished nor undergoing Overfishing

- Spawning stock biomass for all three stocks is greater than overfished reference points
  - Pink = 64.7 million lbs.
  - Brown = 63.1 million lbs.
  - White = 496.3 million lbs.

- Fishing mortality rates are less than the F-rate overfishing reference points
  - Pink = 0.32
  - Brown = 1.93
  - White = 2.09

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Gulf of Mexico Pink Shrimp Stock Assessment Forecast Output File						
Model Run, Rick A. Hart, NMFS SEFSC Galveston Laboratory						
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SS-V3.24a-safe;_02/24/2012;_Stock_Synthesis_by_Richard_Methot_(NOAA)_using_ADMB_10						
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Fmult	0.60304					
F_std	0.112206				1.346472	
Exploit(Y/Bsmry)	0.319483					
Recruits@MSY	382004	--	--	382004	0.874834	
SPBio	895.35	0.002344	--		10744.2	
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_SPB_virgin)	0.206443	--	--			
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_BenchmarkYr_biology)	0.206443	--	--			
MSY_for_optimize	655.635	0.001716	--			
MSY_encountered	655.635	0.001716	--			
MSY_dead	655.635	0.001716	--	77634.7		
MSY_retain	655.635	0.001716	--			
Biomass_Smry	2052.17	0.005372	--			

Pink shrimp stock synthesis annual SSBmsy and Fmsy estimates.

Gulf of Mexico Brown Shrimp Stock Assessment Forecast Output File						
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Exploit(Y/Bsmry)	13.8838					
Recruits@MSY	3.98E+07	--	--	3.98E+07	0.999852	
SPBio	2766.38	6.95E-05	--	Spawning biomass at MSY		
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_SPB_virgin)	0.0618594	--	--			
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_BenchmarkYr_biology)	0.056568	--	--			
MSY_for_optimize	66643.2	0.00167366	--			
MSY_encountered	0	0	--			
MSY_dead	66643.2	0.00167366	--	1.58E+07		
MSY_retain	66643.2	0.00167366	--			
Biomass_Smry	4800.07	0.000120548	--			

Brown shrimp stock synthesis annual SSBmsy calculations.

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Fmult	0.535717								
F_std	0.290407			3.484884					
Exploit(Y/Bsmry)	0.188141								
Recruits@MSY	2.22E+06	--	--	This would be annualized spawning biomass at MSY					
SPBio	13823.8	0.006224	--	165885.6					
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_SPB_virgin)	0.167476	--	--						
SPBmsy/SPBzero(using_BenchmarkYr_biology)	0.167475	--	--						
MSY_for_optimize	3380.67	0.001522	--						
MSY_encountered	0	0	--						
MSY_dead	3380.67	0.001522	--	879826					
MSY_retain	3380.67	0.001522	--						
Biomass_Smry	17968.8	0.008091	--						

White shrimp Stock Synthesis SSBmsy and Fmsy calculations.