

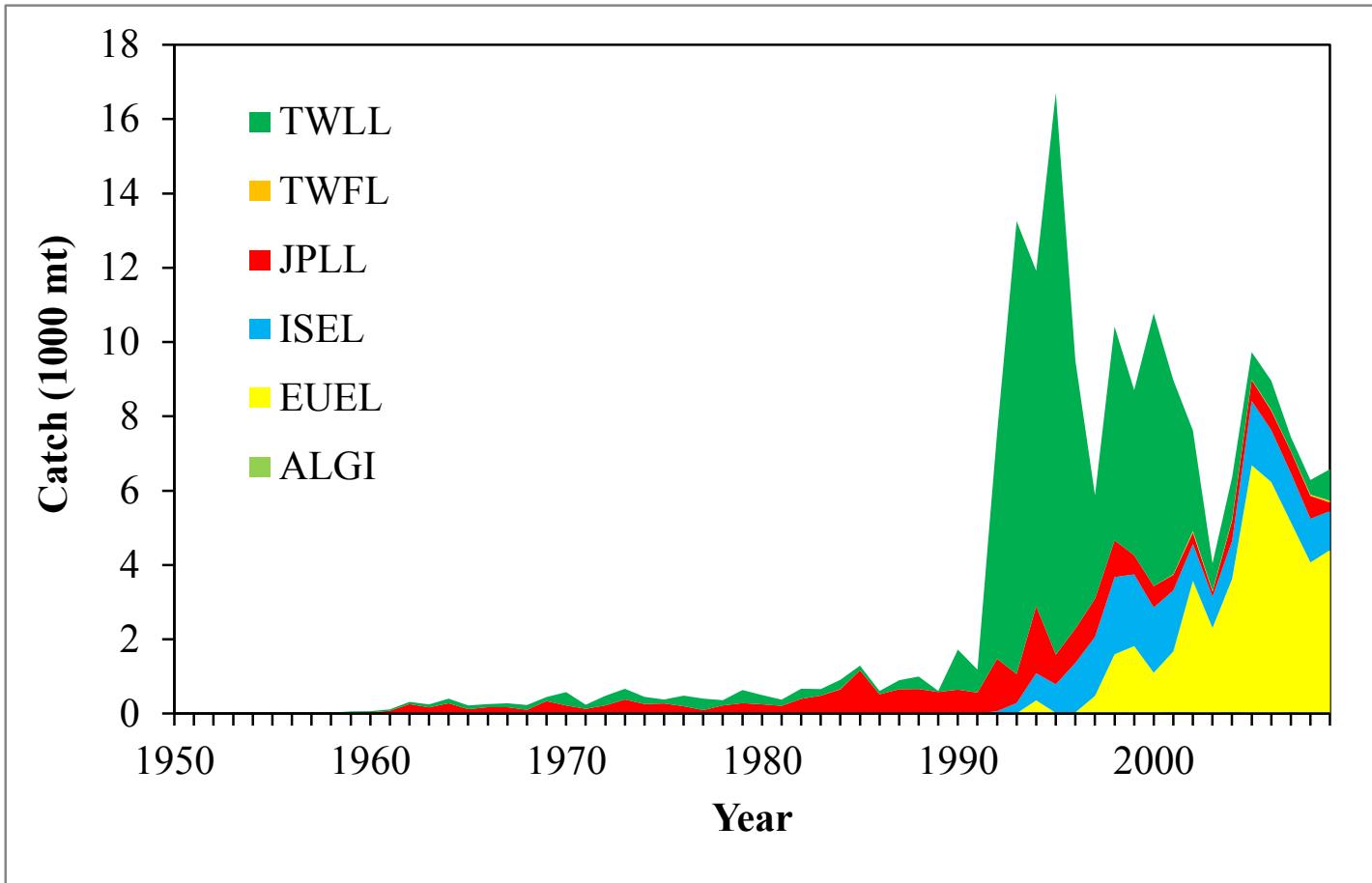
# Stock assessment of SW SWO by Age-Structured Integrate Analysis (ASIA)

# Data used for SW SWO assessment

Fleet	Fleet Code	Area	Catch data	Length data	CPUE
Gillnet, trolling and other minor artisanal fleets	ALGI	SW	✓	-	-
Longline fleets of EU (from Spain, Portugal and the UK)	EUEL	SW	✓	✓	✓
Semi-industrial longline fleets of France-Reunion, France-Mayotte, Madagascar, Mauritius and the Seychelles	ISEL	SW	✓	✓	✓
Longline fleets of Japan	JPLL	SW	✓	✓	✓
Fresh-tuna longline fleets of Taiwan and Indonesia, and sport and hand line fleets	TWFL	SW	✓	-	-
Longline fleet of Taiwan	TWLL	SW	✓	✓	✓

# Catch data used for SW SWO assessment

Trend of catch in weight



# Biological parameters used/assumed for SW SWO

Parameter	Females	Males
Asymptotic size, $L_\infty$ (cm)	274.86	234.00
Growth parameter, $K$ (year $^{-1}$ )	0.1377	0.1694
Age-at-zero-length, $t_0$ (year)	-1.9975	-2.1809
Length-weight, $A$	9.133x10 $^{-6}$	9.133x10 $^{-6}$
Length-weight, $B$	3.012	3.012
Maturity slope, $r_m$	0.0953	-
Length-at-50%-maturity, $L_m$ (cm)	170.4	-
Maximum age, $\lambda$ (year)	10	10

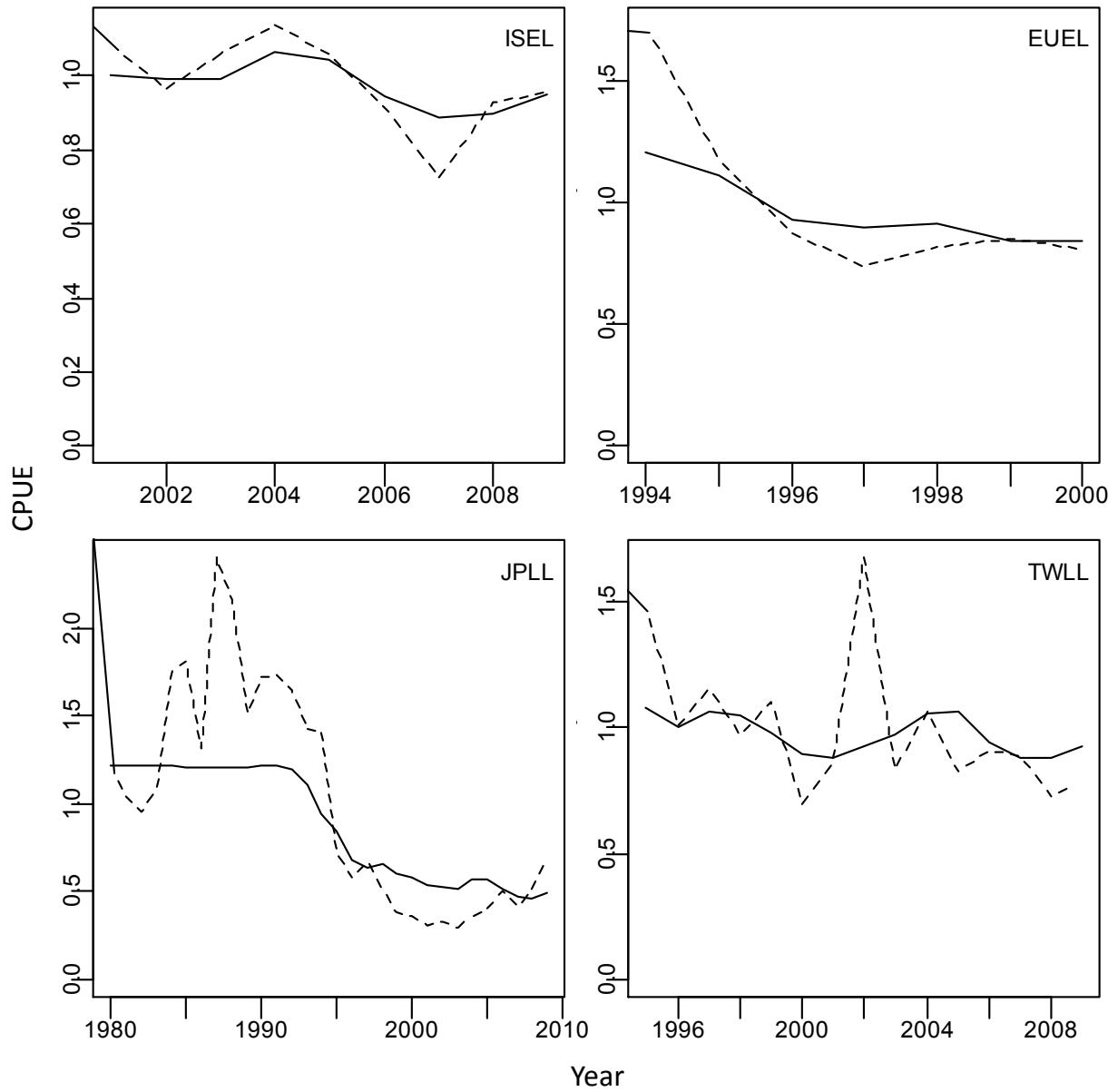
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Natural mortality,  $M$  0.25

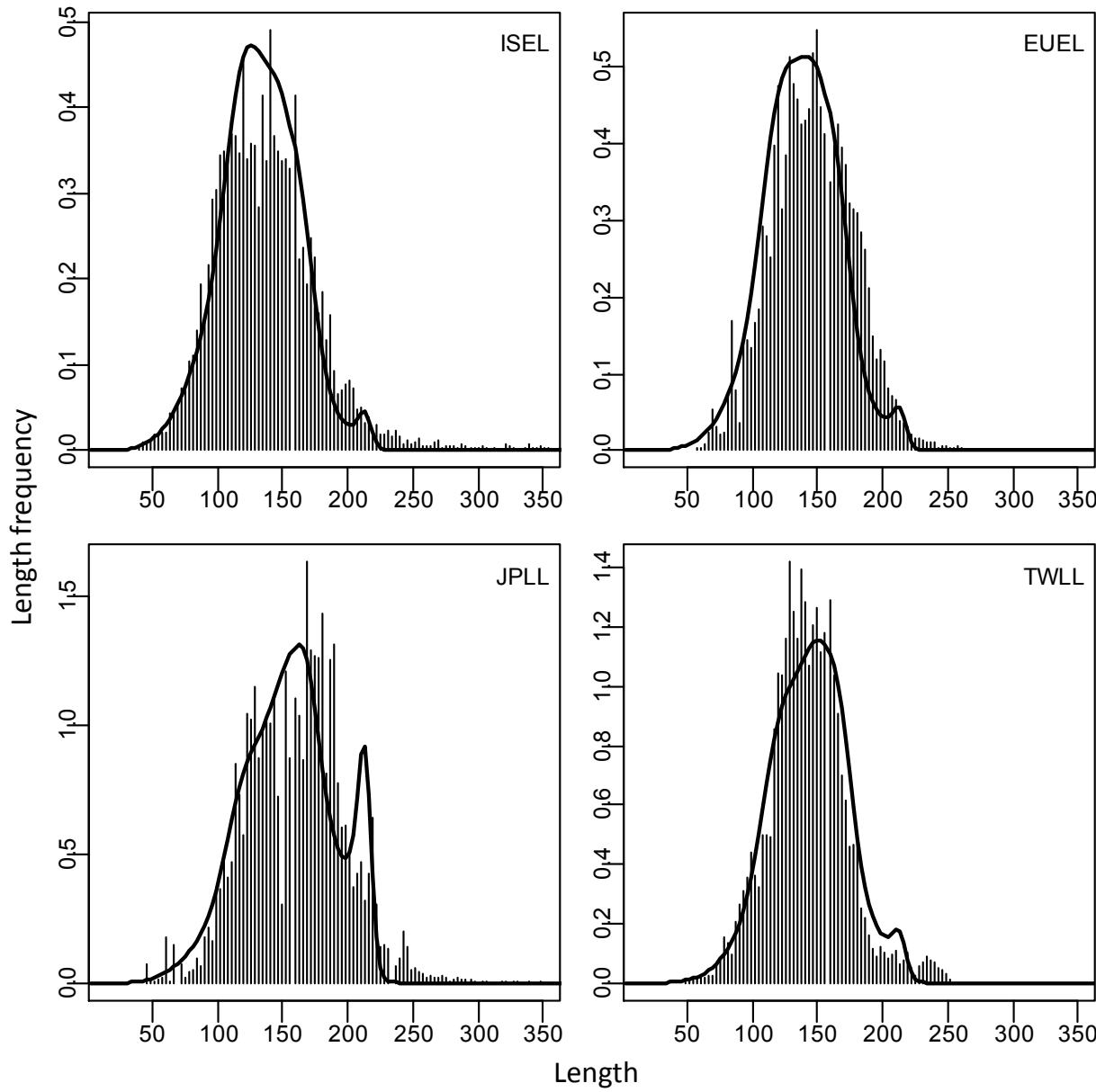
Steepness,  $h$  0.90

Variation in recruitment,  $\sigma$  0.40

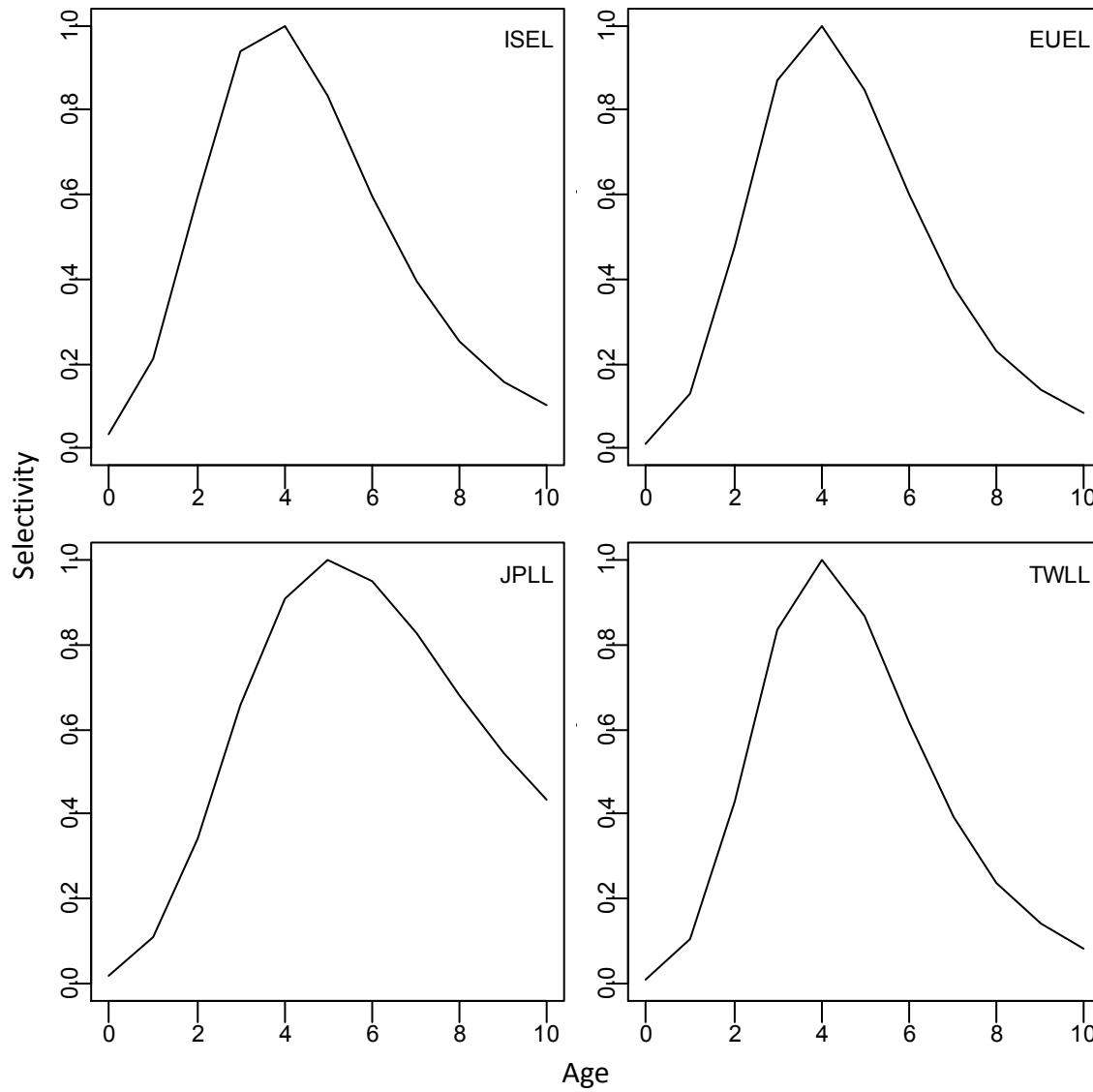
# Fit of CPUE



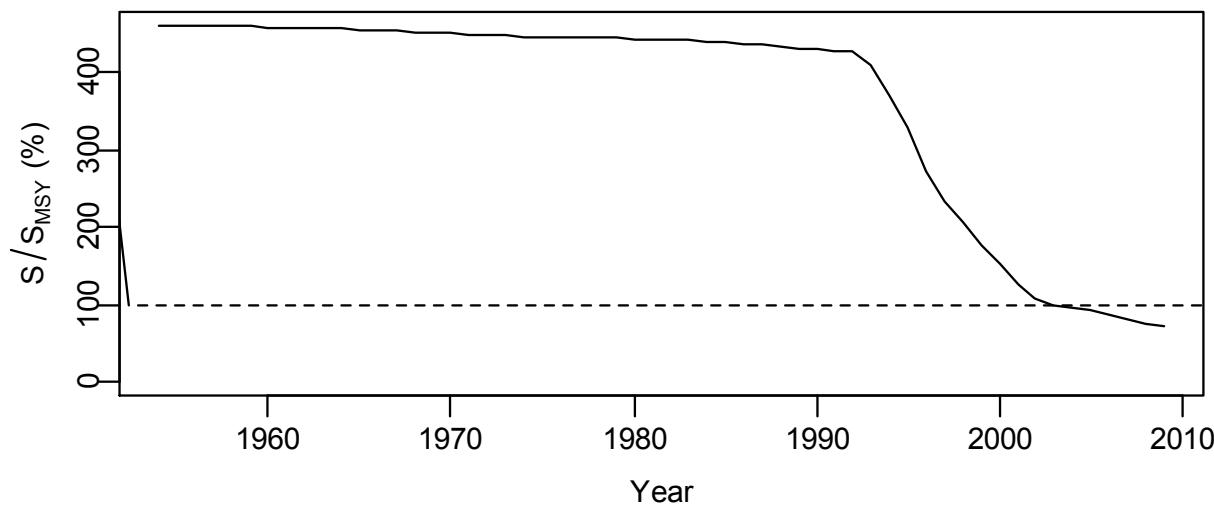
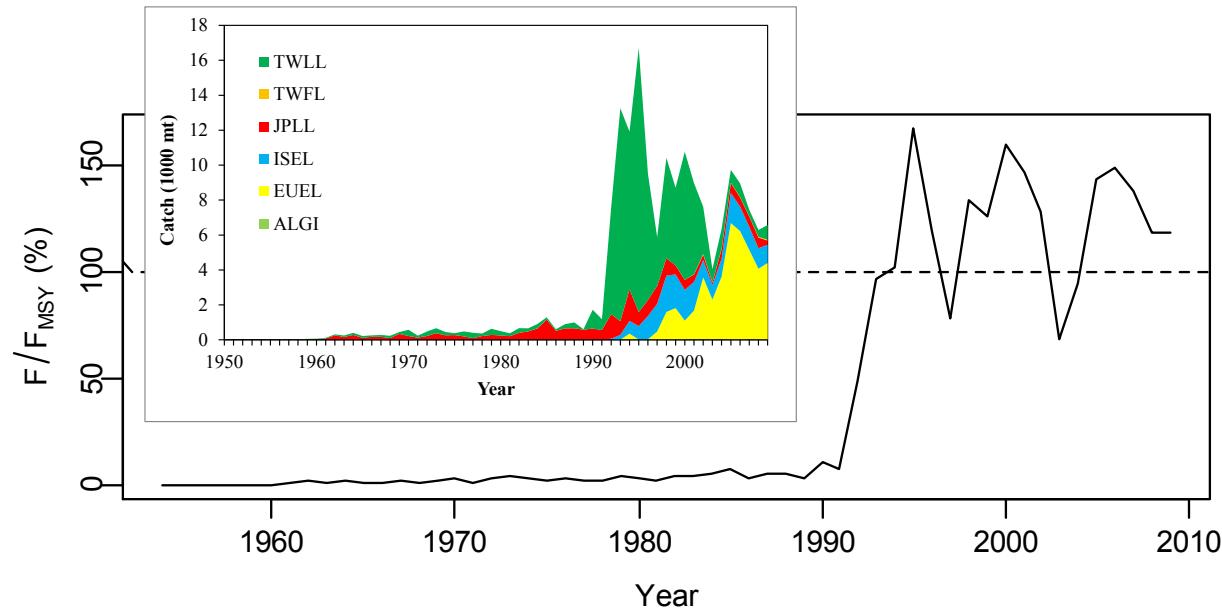
# Fit of length frequency



# Estimated selectivity (assumed to be dome-shaped)



# Estimated F and SB trends



# Sensitivity analysis

	$MSY$	$S_{\text{current}}/S_0$	$S_{\text{current}}/S_{MSY}$	$F_{\text{current}}/F_{MSY}$
Base-case	7058	0.159	0.727	1.187
M = 0.20	7018	0.198	0.856	1.146
M = 0.30	7124	0.144	0.694	1.180
h = 0.95	7805	0.226	1.147	0.851
h = 0.8	6645	0.149	0.577	1.483
h = 0.6	5966	0.197	0.599	1.751
$\sigma = 0.2$	6404	0.153	0.703	1.221
$\sigma = 0.1$	6249	0.151	0.696	1.228

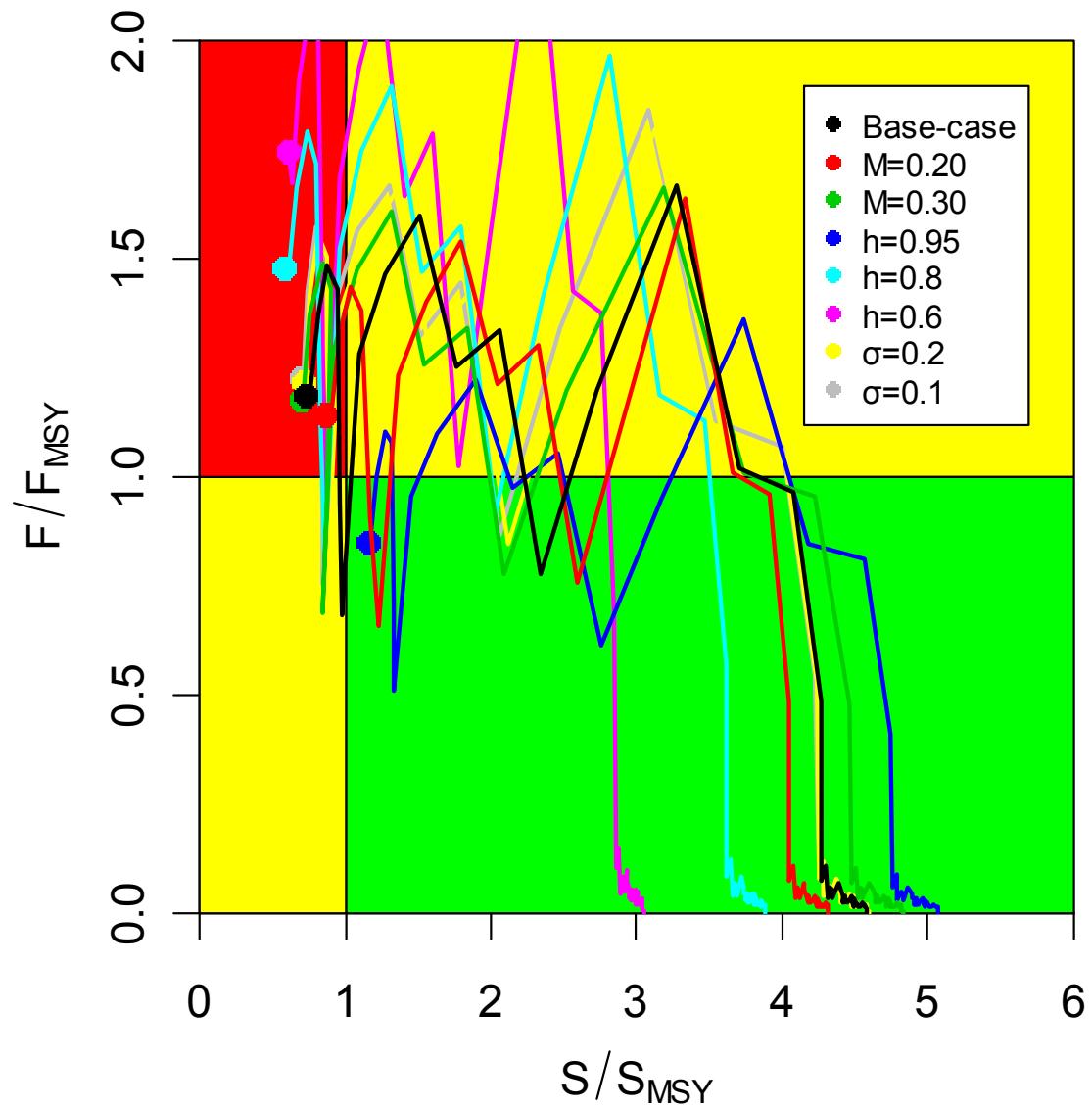
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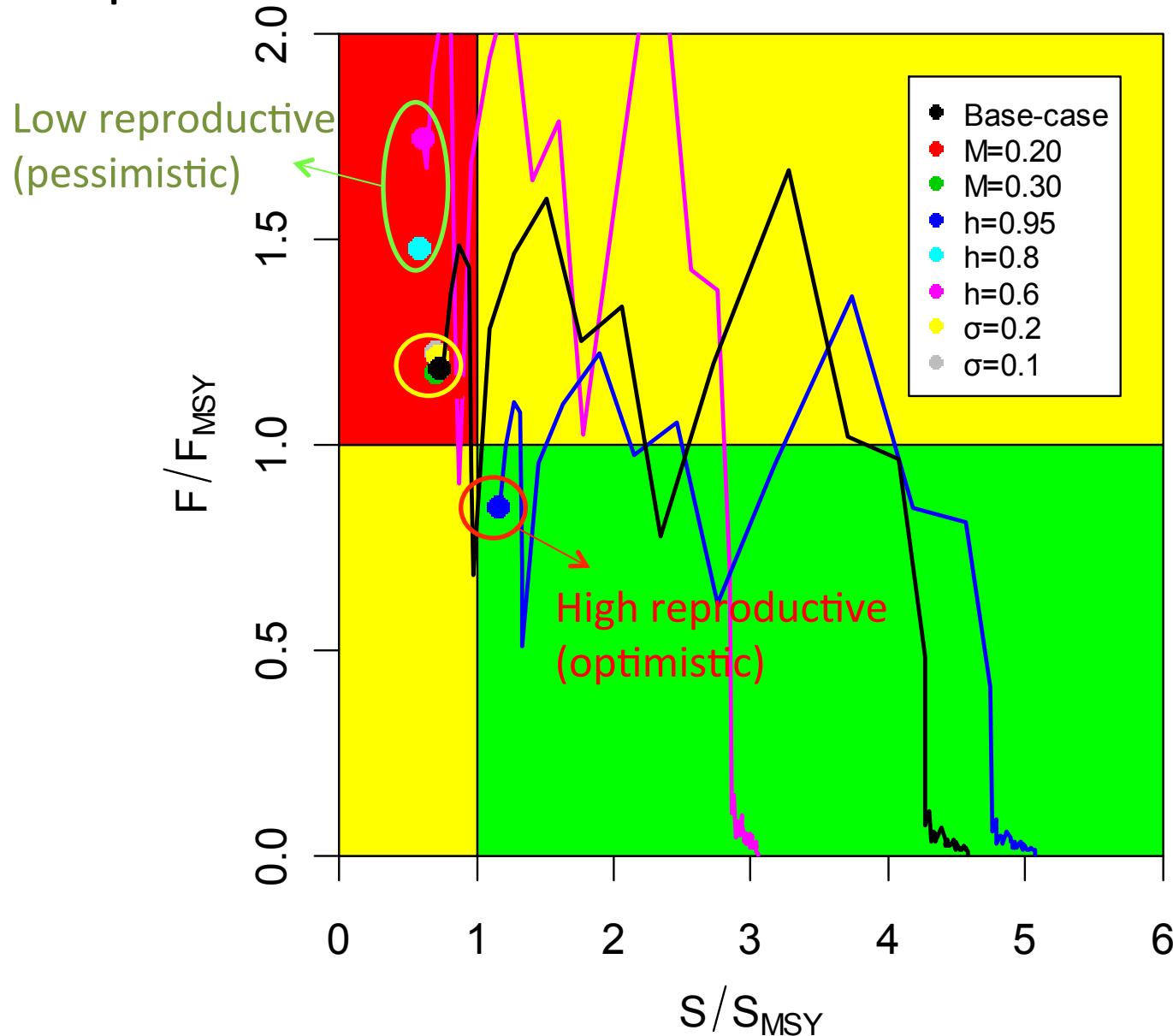
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# Kobe plot



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# Stock status summary table

Base-case  
 $M=0.25, h=0.9, \sigma=0.4$

Management Quantity	SW Region Only
Most recent catch estimate (t)	7787
Mean catch over last 5 years (t)	9176
MSY (t)	7058
Current Data Period	1954-2009
F(Current)/F(MSY)	1.187
B(Current)/B(MSY)	0.823
SB(Current)/SB(MSY)	0.727
B(Current)/B(0)	0.299
SB(Current)/SB(0)	0.159
B(Current)/B(Current, F=0)	-
SB(Current)/SB(Current, F=0)	-