Ecological Risk Assessment of the impacts of Climate Change on Peruvian key species

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1. Welcome and introduction to the content of the course

2. Introduction to Climate Change

Climate Change

"A statistically significant variation in the mean state of the climate or its variability, persisting for an extended period (typically decades or longer)"



Anthropogenic Climate Change

"A change of climate attributed directly or indirectly to human activity that alters the composition of the global atmosphere and which is in addition to natural climate variability observed over comparable time periods."

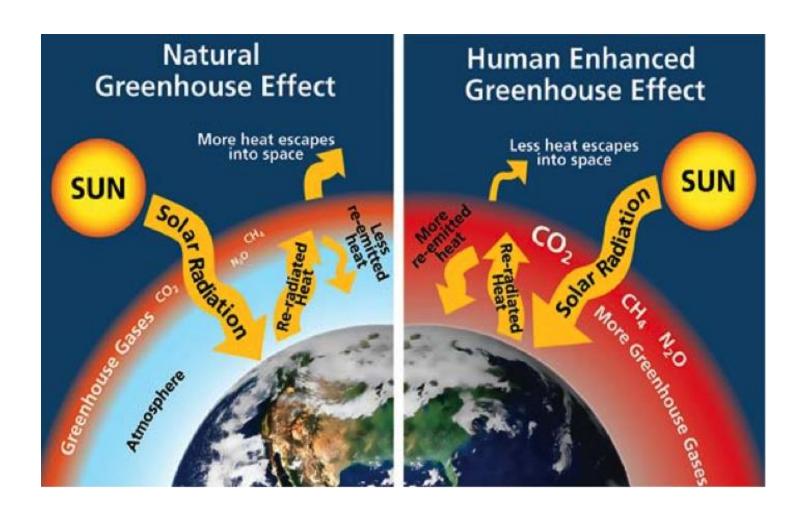
CO₂ sources

Non anthropogenic

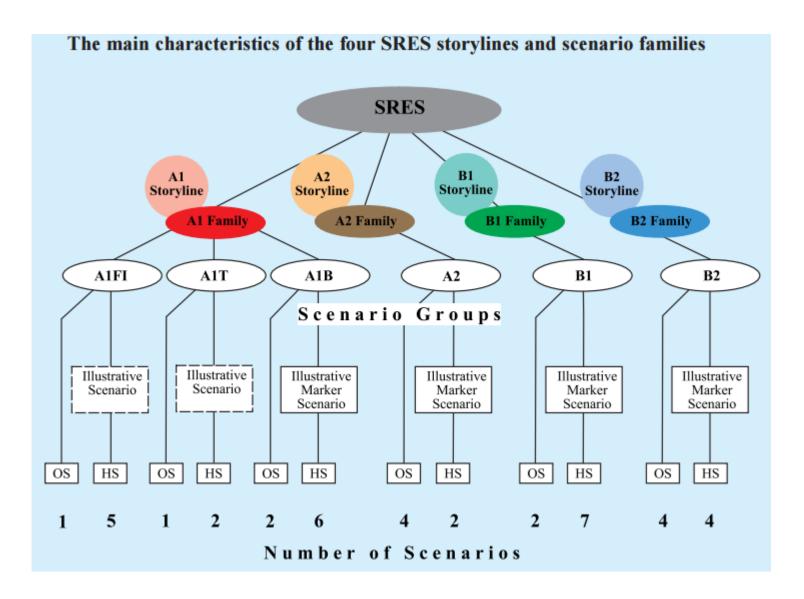
Anthropogenic



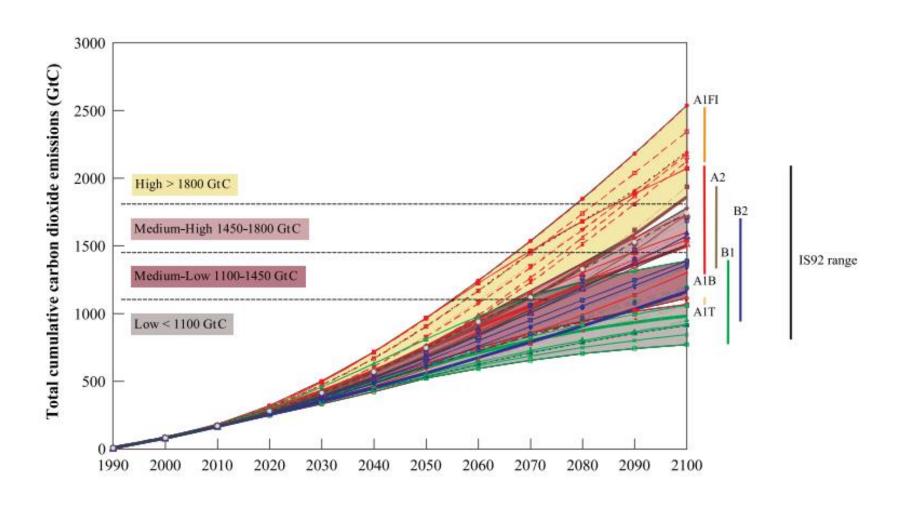
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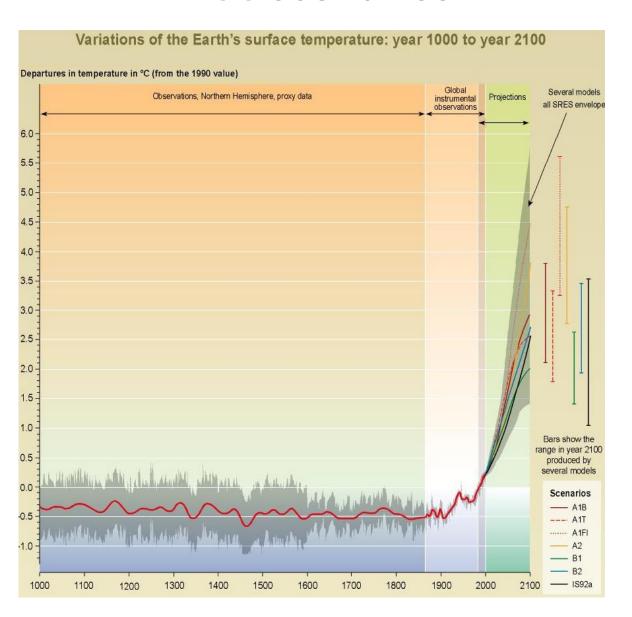
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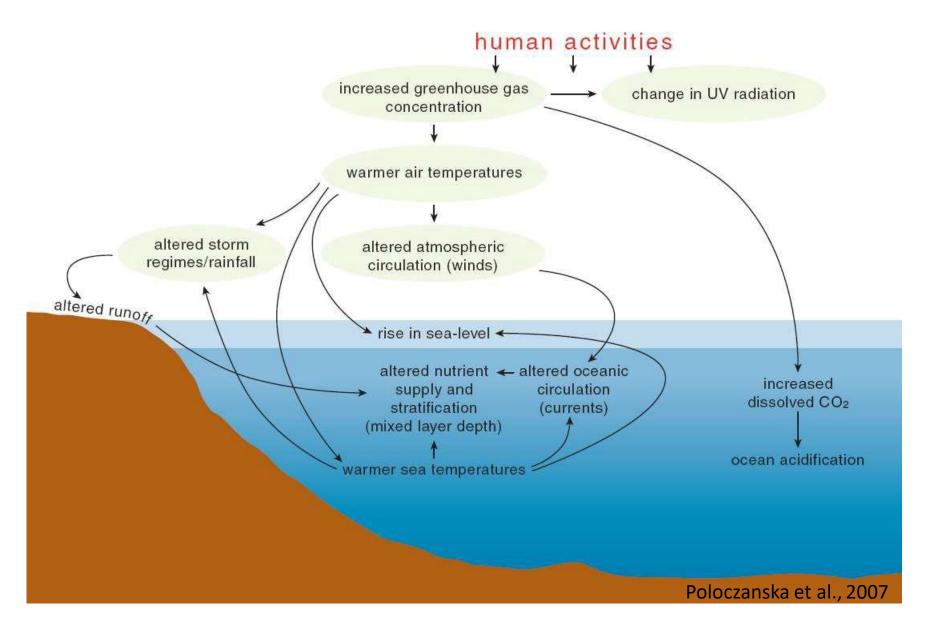
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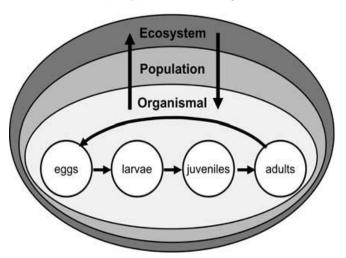


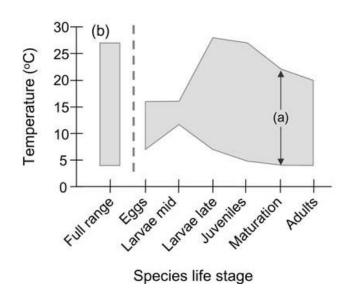
Impacts of Climate Change



Impacts on marine life

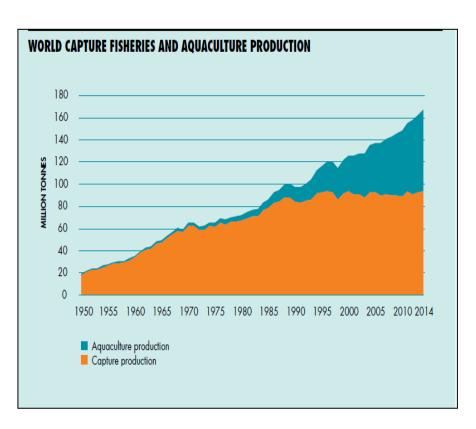
Climate impacts on marine systems

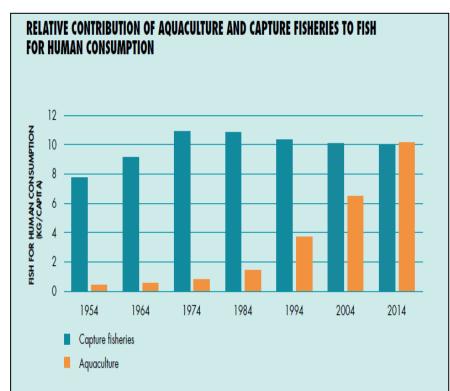




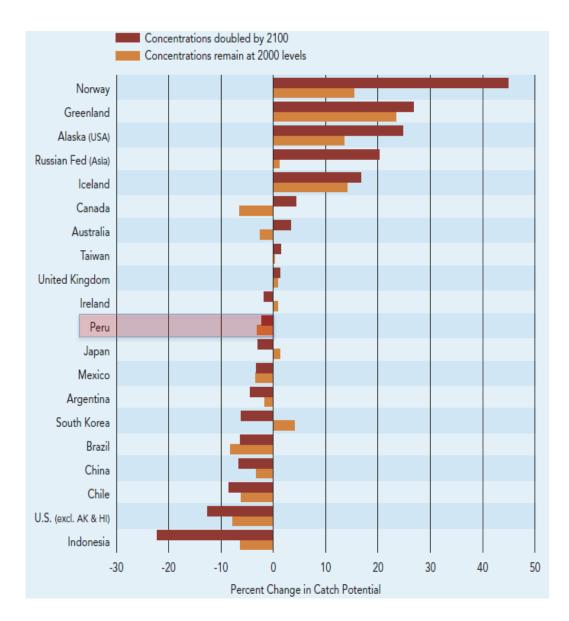


Importance of fisheries and aquaculture





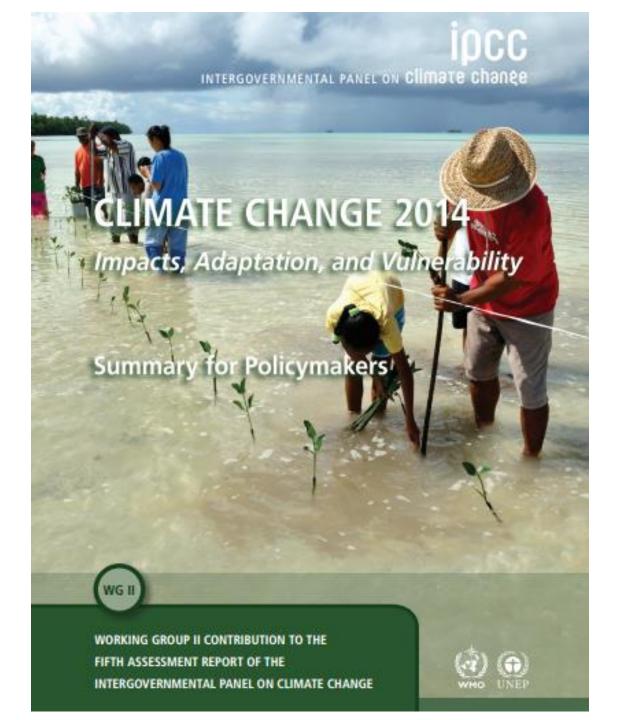
Changes in fish landings



The two scenarios represent greenhouse gas emissions:

First scenario, emissions continue to grow in their current trajectory and will double by 2100.

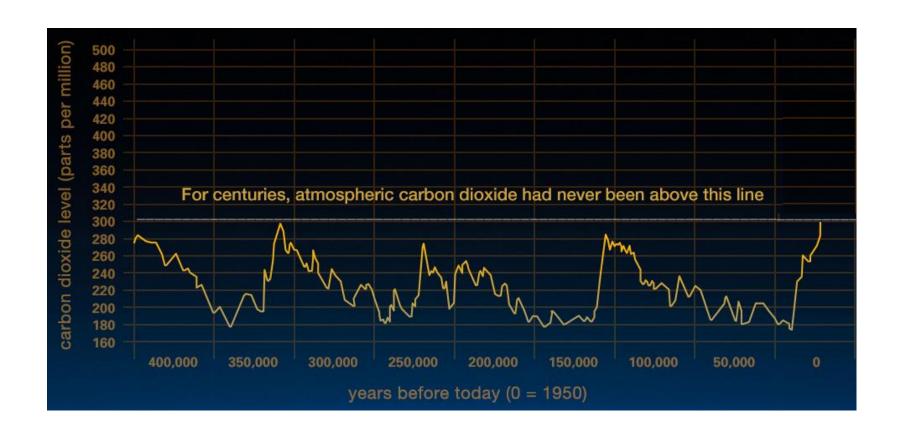
Second scenario, assumes that greenhouse gas concentrations remain constant at 2000 levels.



3. Global physical changes associated with Climate Change

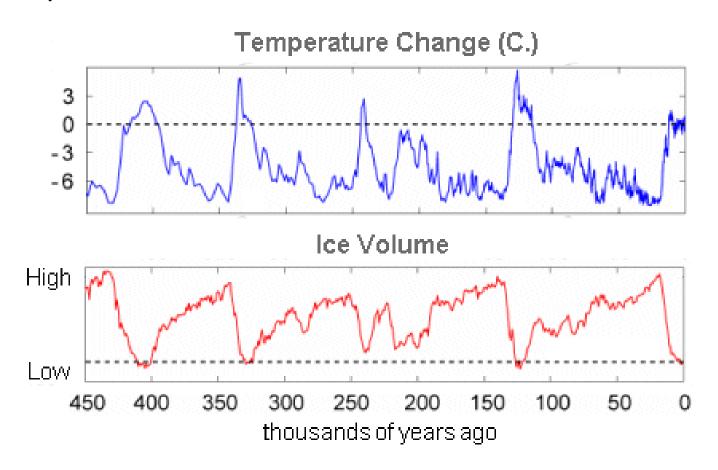
CO₂ emissions

Climate has always been changing, e.g. natural CO₂ oscillations.



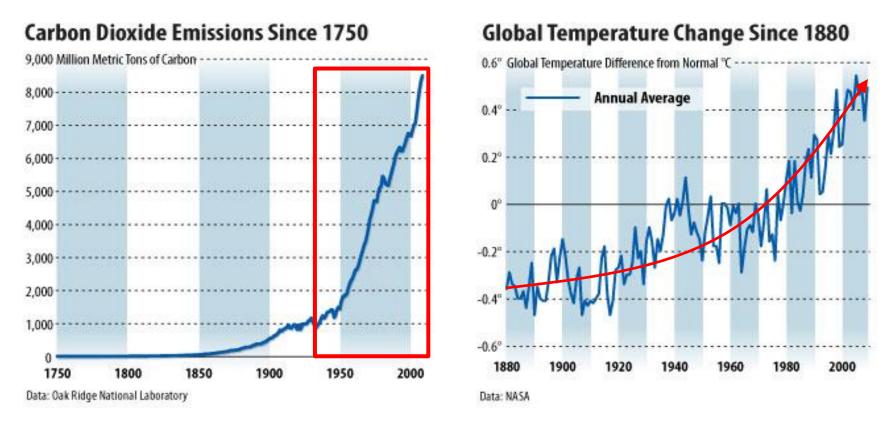
Our changing climate

Climate has always been changing, e.g. several glaciations through the history of earth.



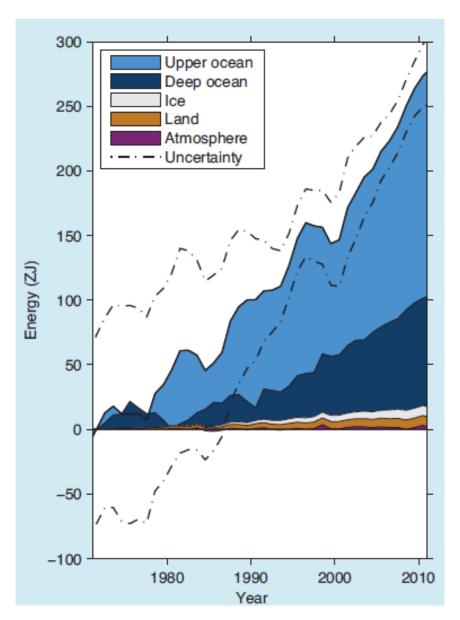
Our changing climate

Climate has always been changing BUT... pace of current changes is 10x more rapid than in the past.



95% certainty that humans are the main cause of recent warming

Oceanic warming



Oceans absorb 80% of heat

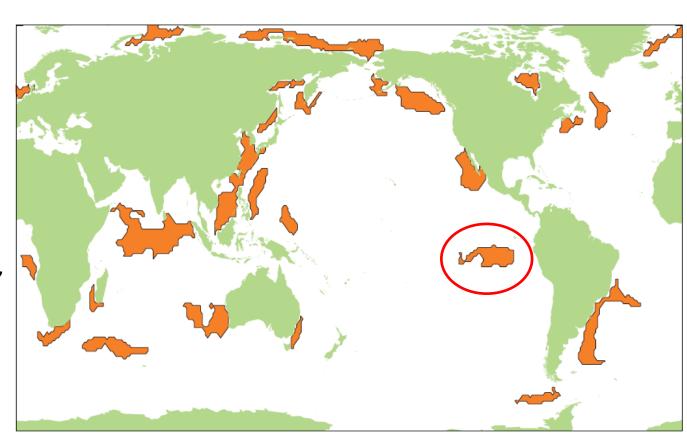


Global warming is mostly oceanic!!!!

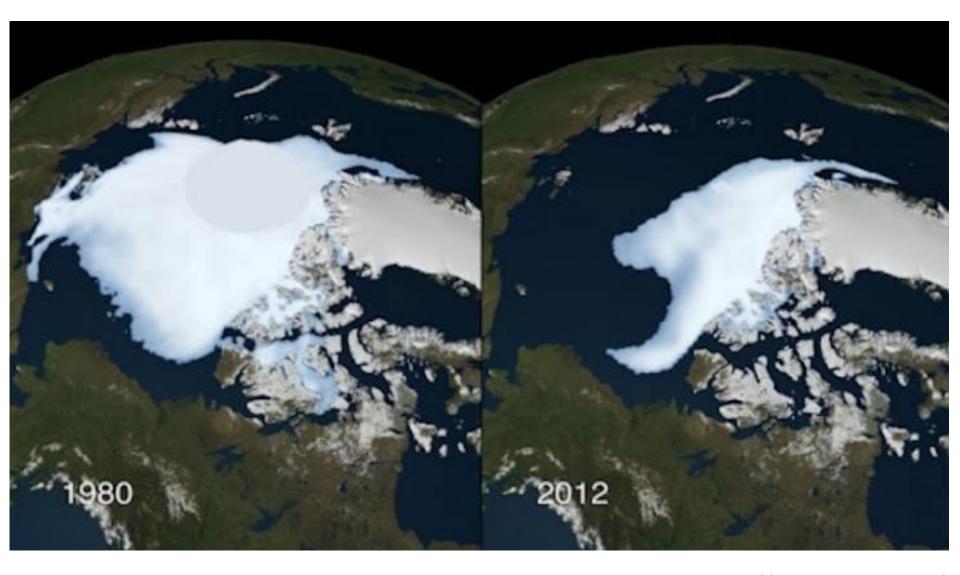
A Global Network of MARINE • HOTSPOTS



- Areas of rapid ocean warming (top 10% ΔSST)
- Hotspots are the world's natural laboratories
- Useful to assess impacts, predict & develop/evaluate human adaptation options



Artic sea ice melting

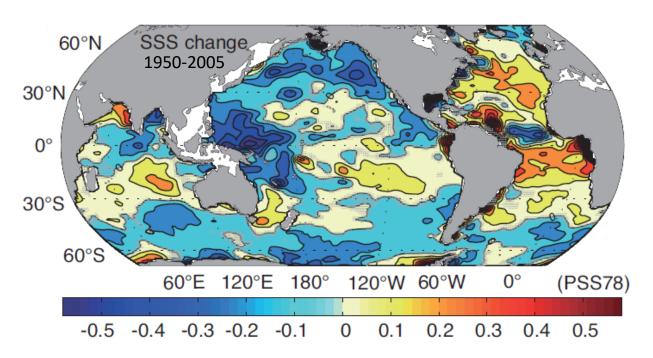


Changes in sea level

Globally averaged sea level has risen with a mean rate of 1.7 mm yr $^{-1}$ between 1900 and 2010, and 3.2 mm yr $^{-1}$ between 1993 and 2010.



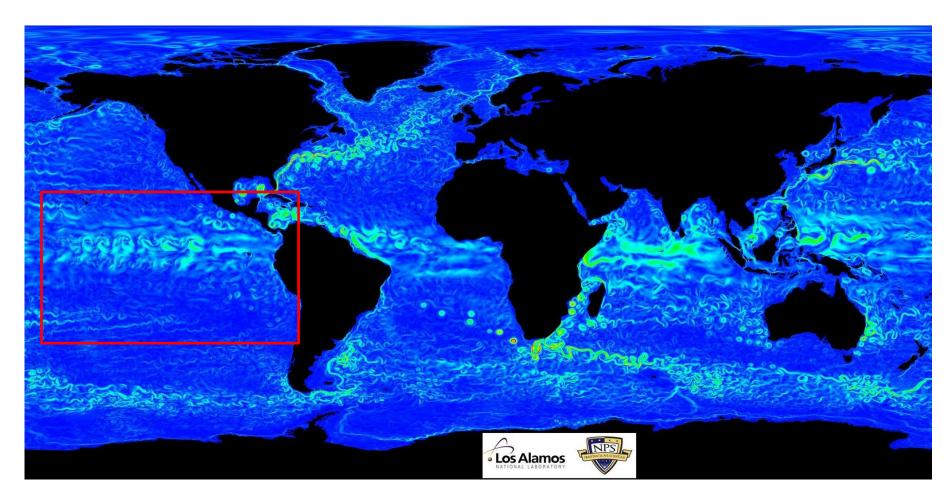
Changes in salinity



Patterns in salinity trends are caused by changes in evaporation and precipitation over the ocean as the lower atmosphere has warmed.

- Saline surface waters in the evaporation-dominated mid-latitudes have become more saline.
- Relatively fresh surface waters in rainfall-dominated tropical and polar regions have become fresher.

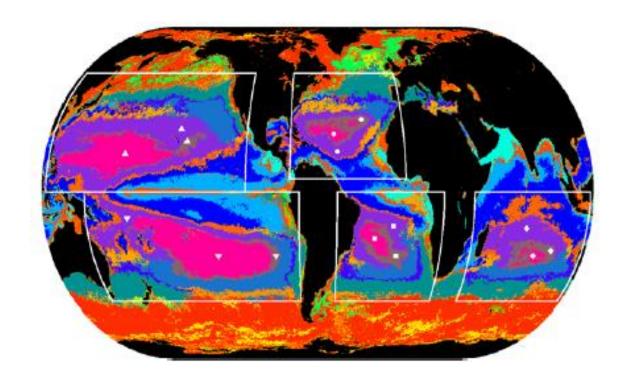
Changes in oceanic circulation



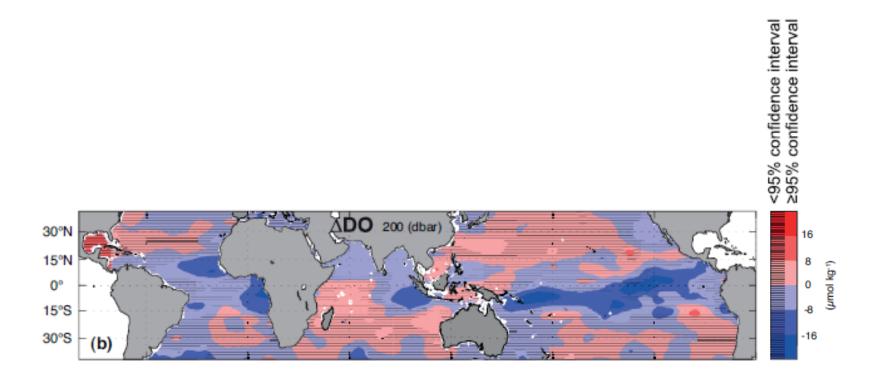
It is very likely that the subtropical gyres in the North Pacific and South Pacific have expanded and strengthened since 1993.

Changes in nutrients

Oligotrophic provinces in the North and South Pacific, and in the North and South Atlantic have expanded at average rates of 0.8 to $4.3\% \text{ yr}^{-1}$ from 1998 to 2007.



Changes in dissolved oxygen concentration

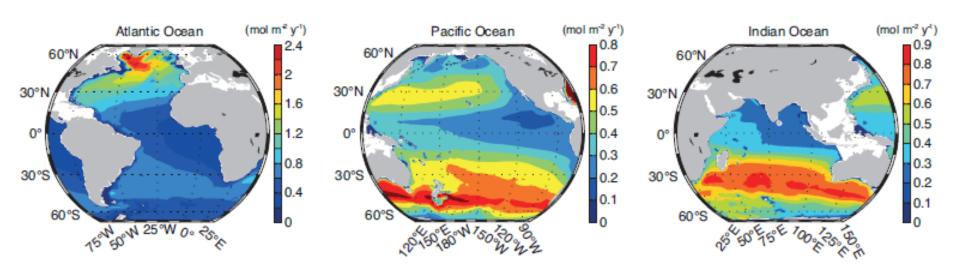


Changes between 1960 and 1974, and 1990 and 2008 of (b) dissolved oxygen (Δ DO) at 200 dbar. Increases are red and decreases blue.

Ocean acidification

Mean pH of surface waters: 7.8 – 8.4 but decreasing

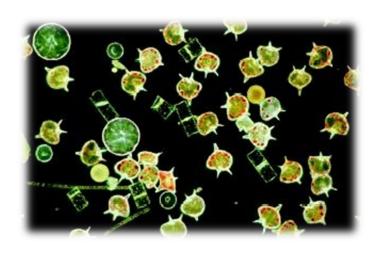
Oceans are 26% more acidic



Storage rate distribution of anthropogenic carbon (mol m⁻² yr⁻¹) for the three ocean basins averaged over 1980–2005.

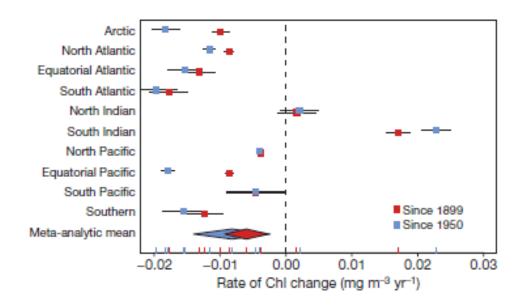
4. Global impacts of Climate Change on marine ecosystems

Primary producers



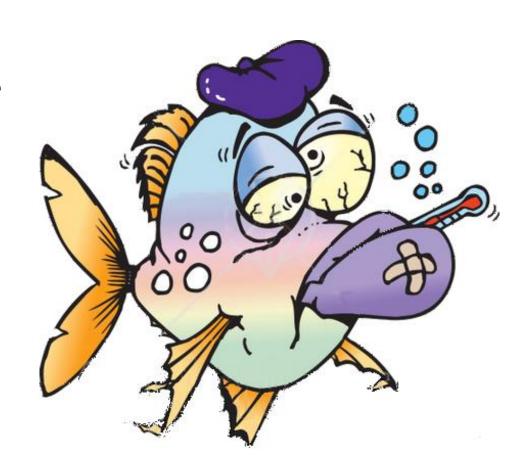
Phytoplankton produces 50% of the planet's oxygen.

Phytoplankton abundance has declined in 40% since the 1950's, very likely due to oceanic warming.

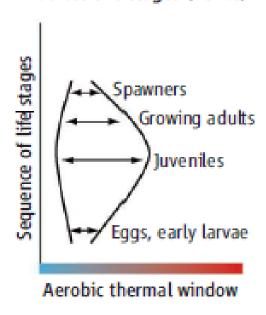


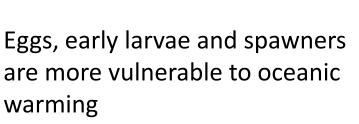
As waters warm:

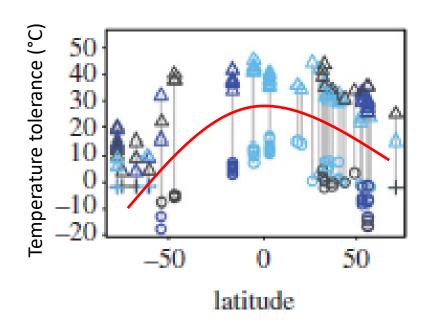
- There is less oxygen available
- Animals use more energy to breathe
- Greater stress on animals
- More stress makes animals more susceptible to disease
- Less energy available to reproduce



Thermal window widths across life stages (fishes)







Thermal tolerance limits of marine species through a latitudinal gradient

Effects on growth

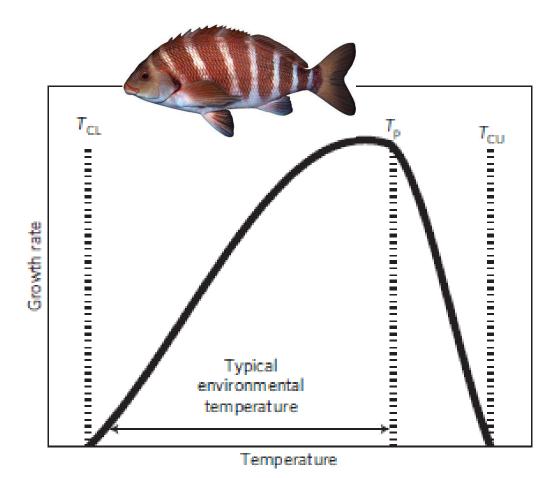
Depend on where the animal is within its range of distribution.

Increasing temperatures result in:

Increased growth at the middle of the species range

Reduced growth at the warm **equatorward** edge of the species range

Temperatures may have already reached levels associated with increased metabolic costs



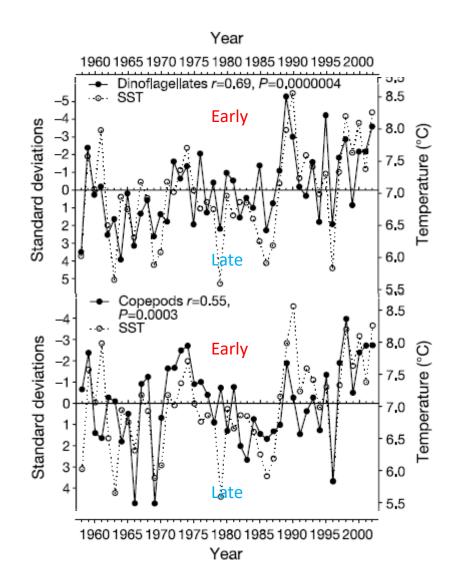
TCL) Lower critical temperature; TP) Pejus temperature; TCU) Upper critical temperature.

Changes in phenology

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The decoupling of phenological relationships will cause changes in:

- trophic interactions,
- food-web structures,
- the ecosystem.



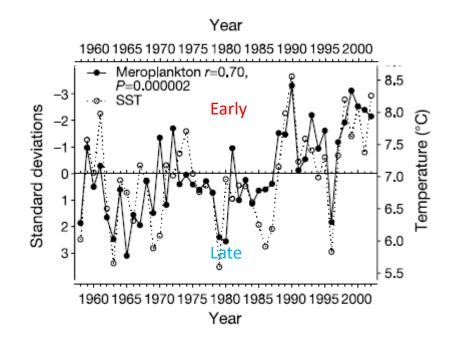
Edwards & Richardson, 2004

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Changes of distribution – 'range shifts'

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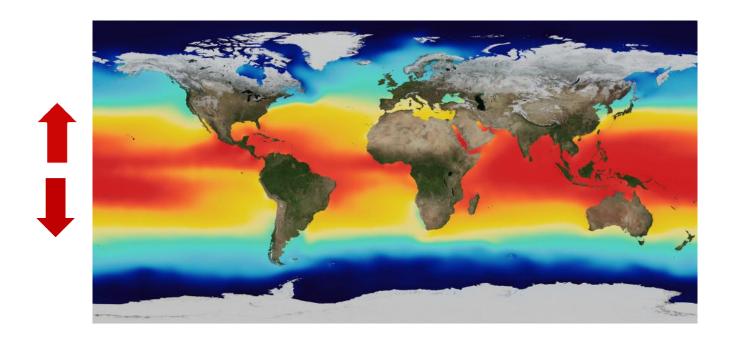
- adjust in situ or, where able
- shift their geographic distribution

Consequently, one of the most widely documented impacts of Climate Change is a shift in species distributions

effectively a redistribution of the planet's species

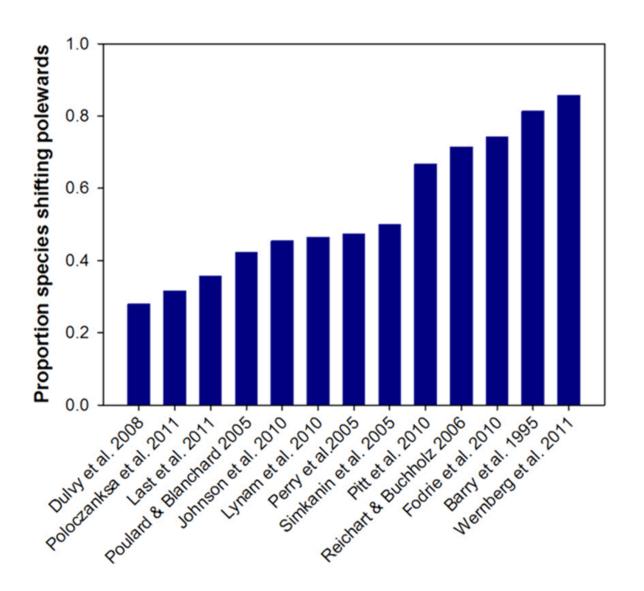
Species on the move all over the globe

- Species have a preferred range of temperatures they like to live in
- Species' distributions shifting polewards
- 'Range shifts' are greatest where climate has warmed the most



Pinsky et al., 2013; Poloczanska et al., 2013, 2016; Burrows et al., 2014; Sunday et al., 2015

Between 25–85% of animals monitored are changing where they live

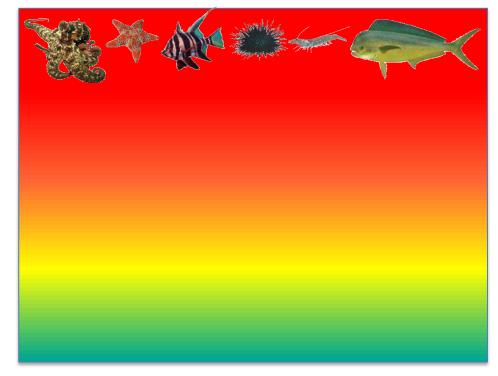


Variation in timing & pace of species shifts

• Not all species can/will shift

Species shift at different rates

 General poleward movement but lots of variation Equator/North (warmer)



Polewards/South (cooler)

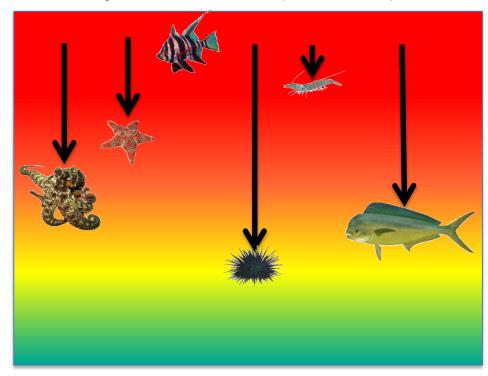
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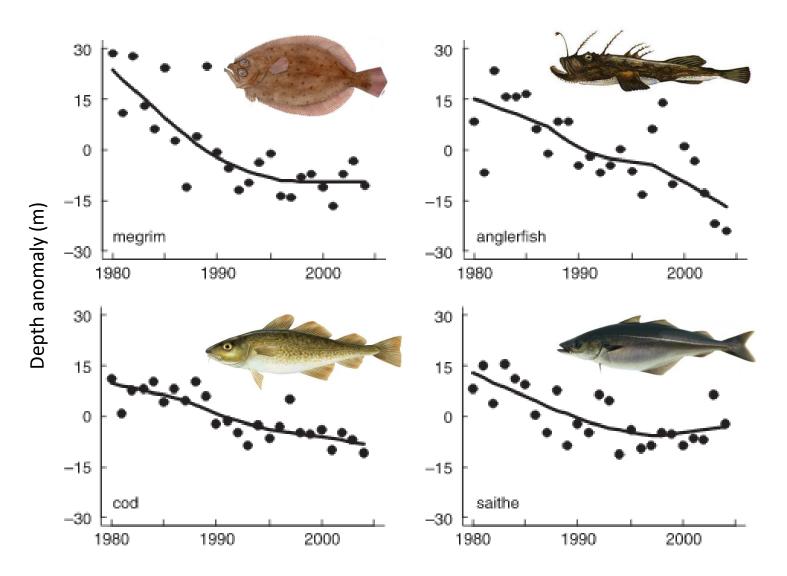
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Deepening of North Sea fishes (UK)

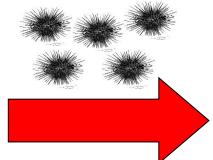


Harmful species



Oceanic warming and the invasive sea urchin Centrostephanus rodgersii have caused 95% decline of Tasmanian kelp forests in South-east Australia





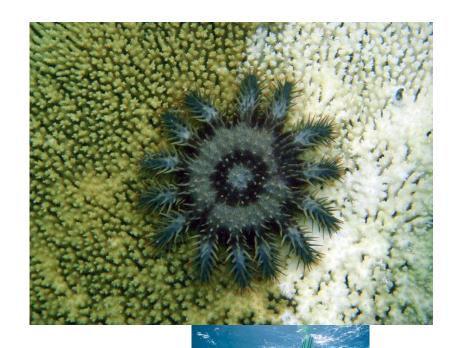


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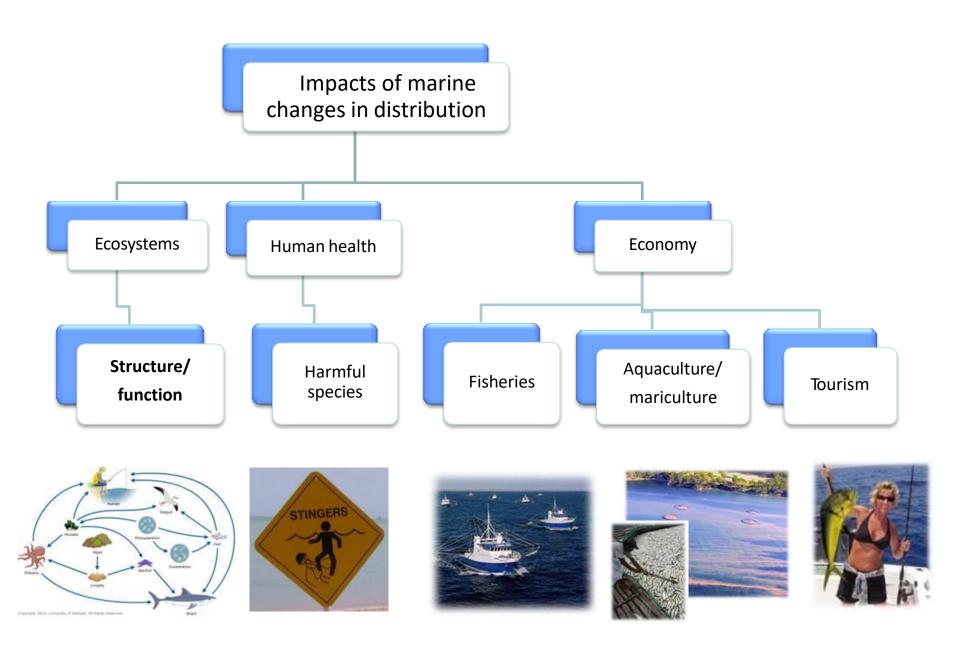
The crown of thorns starfish

Acanthaster planci has caused extensive damage to coral reefs by eating coral

This species caused the 50–70% decline in soft coral reefs in the Great Barrier Reef



Fabricius, 1997; Hock et al., 2015



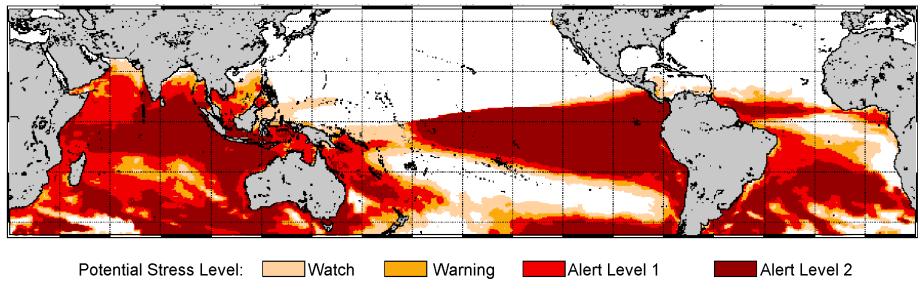
Coral bleaching



Combined effect of temperature and acidification

Currently in midst of third major global bleaching event





https://theconversation.com/coral-bleaching-comes-to-the-great-barrier-reef-as-record-breaking-global-temperatures-continue-56570

Before Now



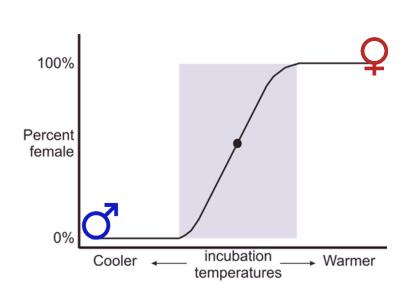
Sea level rise

Sea level rise may cause:

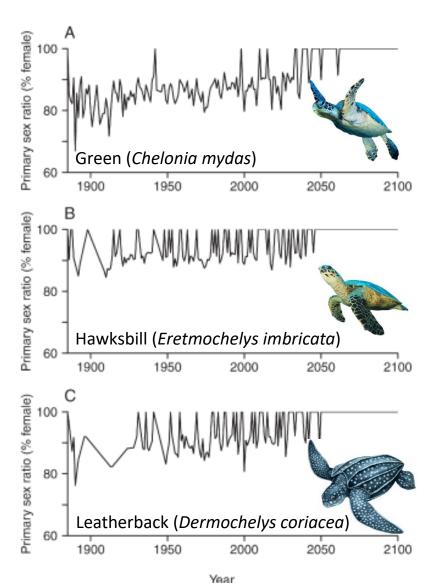
- Coastal erosion
- Saltwater intrusion
- Flood risk
- Habitat loss
- Changes of distribution of associated species



Temperature-dependent sex determination



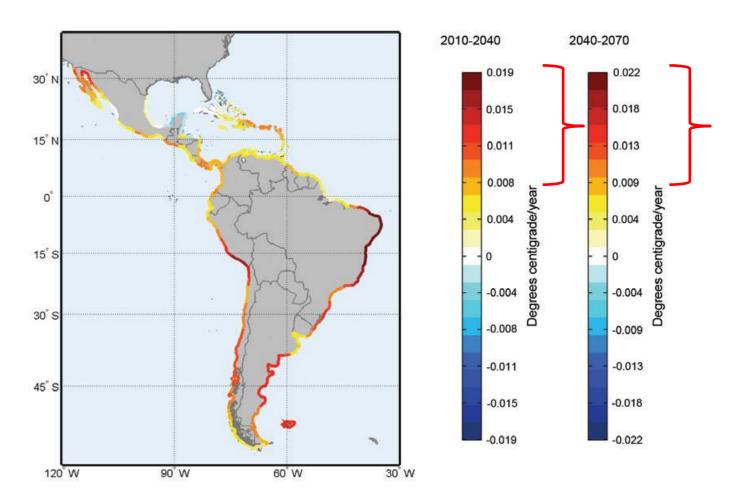




http://www.seaturtle.org/mtn/archives/mtn128/mtn128p7.shtml; Laloë et al., 2016

5. Regional physical changes associated with Climate Change

Mean sea surface temperature projections



Greater sea surface temperature increase (°C/year) towards the south of Peru

Seasonal mean sea level

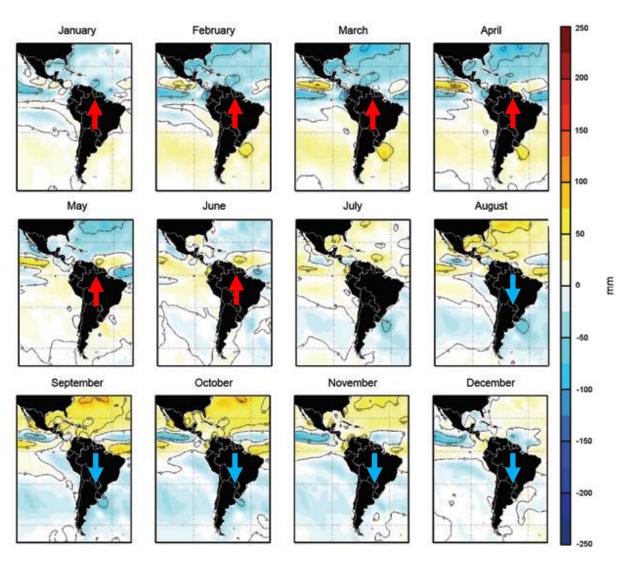
Sea level in Peru

Increase in sea level:

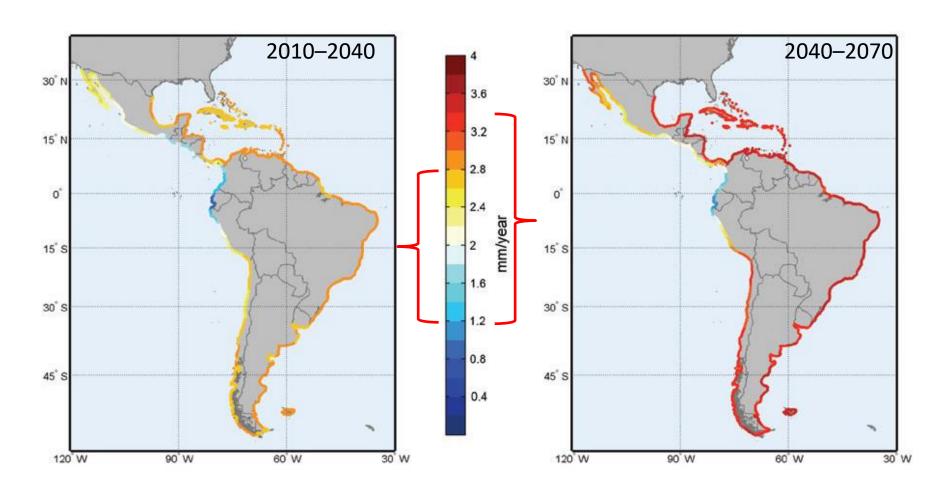
Jan through June

Decrease in sea level:

Aug through Dec



Mean sea level projections



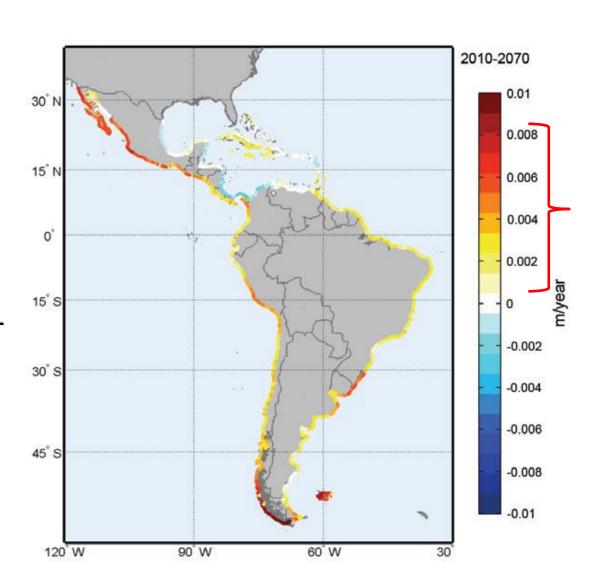
Greater sea level rise towards the south of Peru

Mean wave height projections

Greater mean wave height increase towards the centre and south of Peru

Mean wave height increase of 1–8 mm/year off the coast of Peru

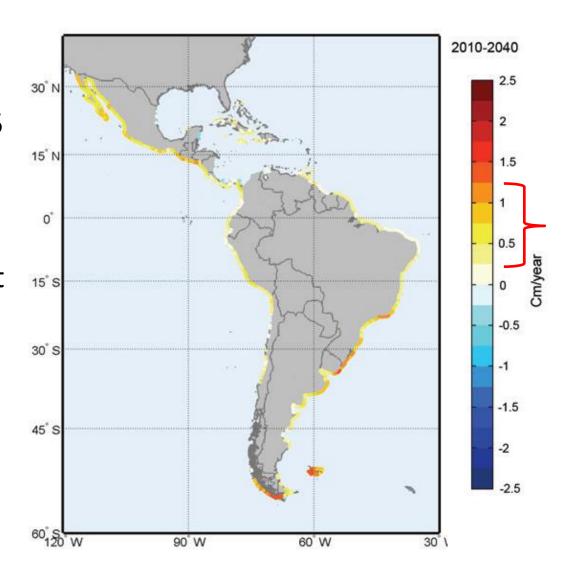
Up to 45 cm wave height in 2070



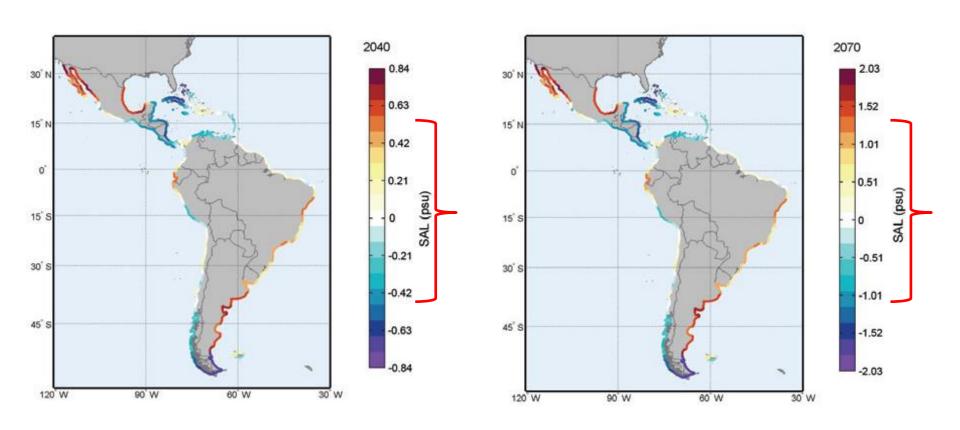
Extreme wave height projections

Extreme wave height increase of 2.5 mm-1.25 cm/year off the coast of Peru

Up to 67 cm wave height in 2070



Mean salinity projections



Greater increase in salinity from the centre towards the north of Peru by 2040 and 2070

El Niño Southern Oscillation

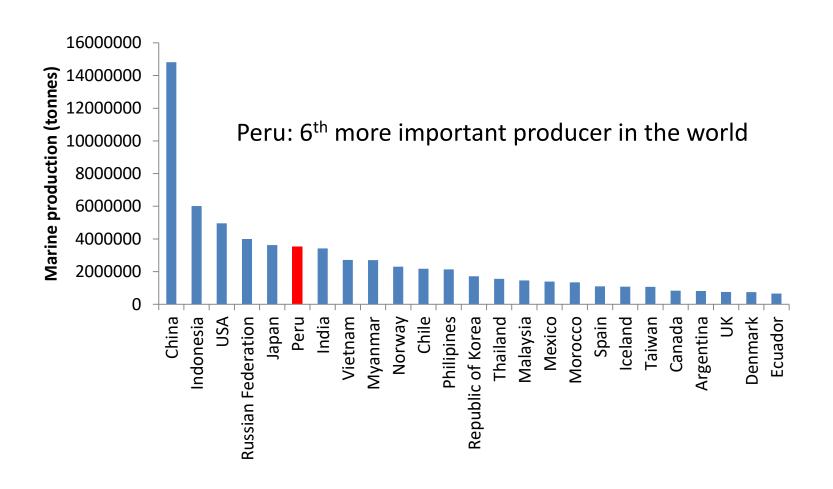


Summary

- Greater increase in sea surface temperature towards the south of Peru,
 with mean increases of 0.008–0.022 °C/year from 2010–2070.
- Greater sea level rise from Jan-June towards the south of Peru, with 1.2—3.4 mm/year from 2010–2070. El Niño is also correlated to sea level rise.
- Greater increase in wave height towards the centre and south of Peru,
 with maximums of 2.5 mm-1.25 cm/year.
- Greater increase in salinity towards the north, with up to 1.25 psu by 2070. Greater decrease in salinity towards the centre and south, with -1 psu by 2070.

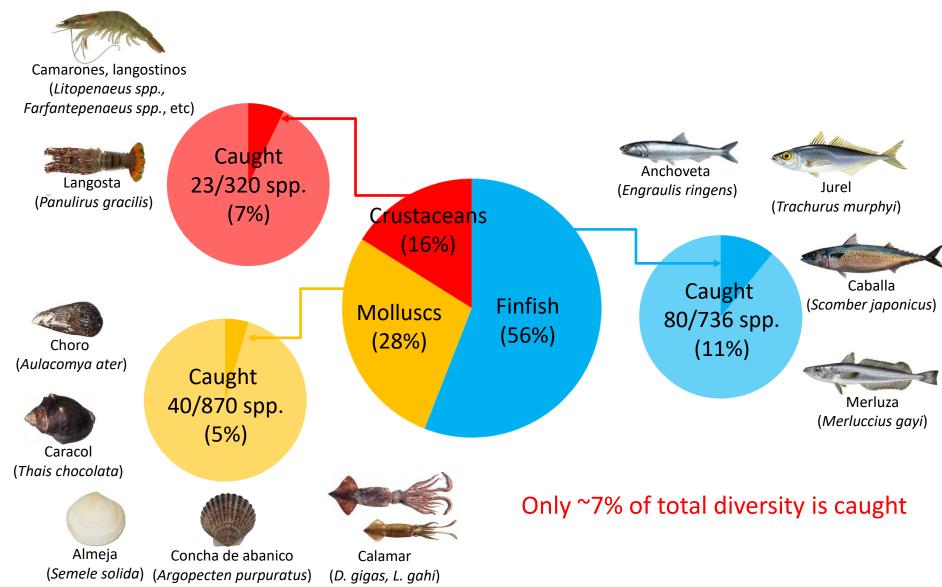
6. Regional impacts of Climate Change on fisheries

Peru fisheries statistics

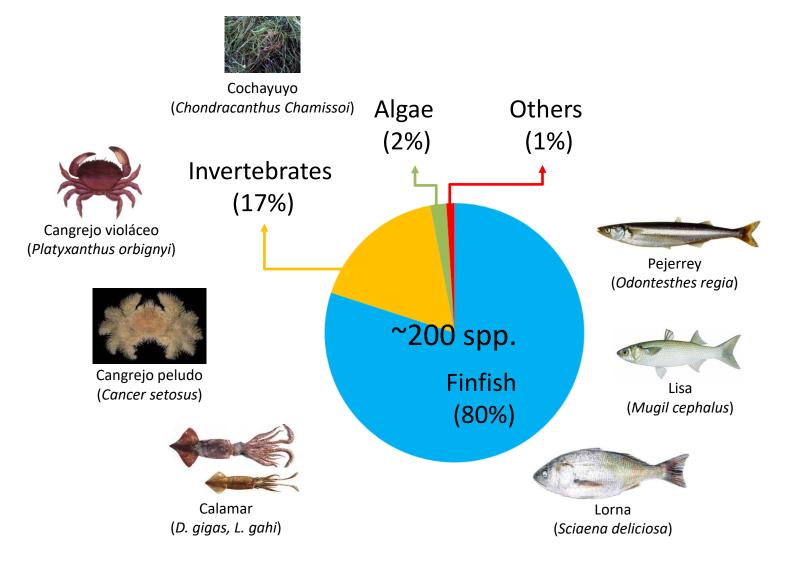


~10% of the world's fish catch!

Peru fisheries statistics



Artisanal fleet



Peru fisheries statistics

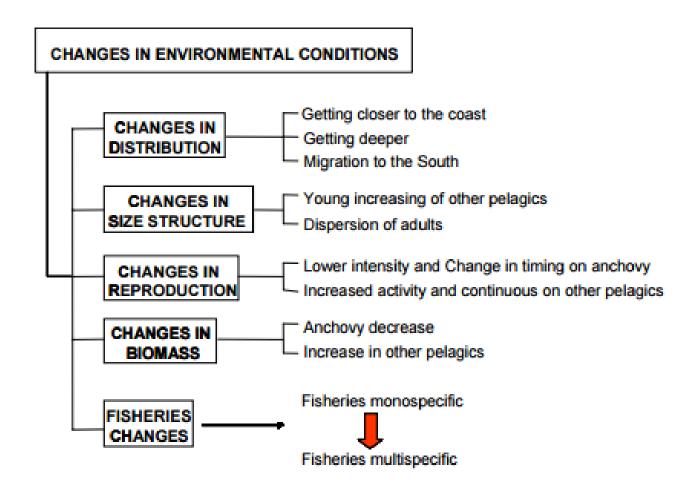
Estimated employment (2007)	
Primary sector (including aquaculture)	145,232
Gross value of fisheries output (trade 2008):	
Value of fisheries imports	USD 73.7 million
Value of fisheries exports	USD 2.43 billion



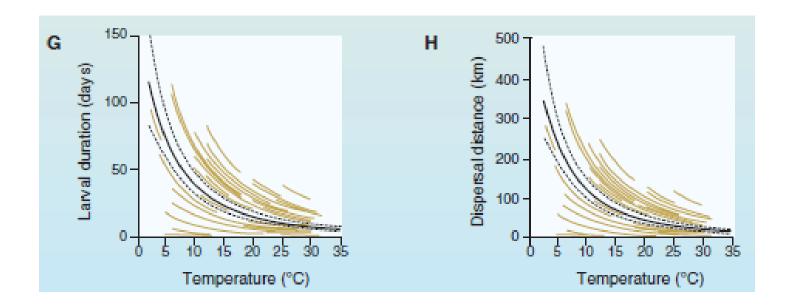
Latin America's coastal areas are highly vulnerable to Climate Change due to:

- Increase of population.
- Increase of socio-economic activities, e.g. fisheries and aquaculture.
- Maritime infrastructure.
- Other shorter term climatic events, e.g. ENSO.

El Niño effect on Peruvian fisheries

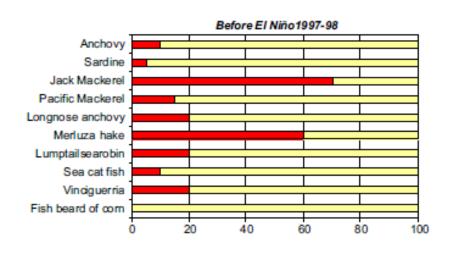


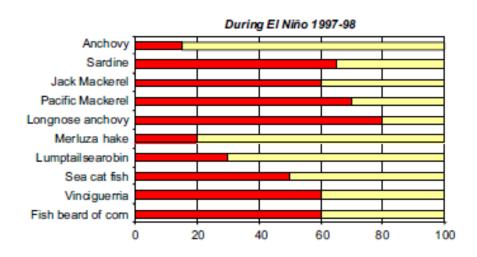
Altered recruitment and dispersal



Increasing temperatures result in decreasing larval duration and dispersal of 72 marine species

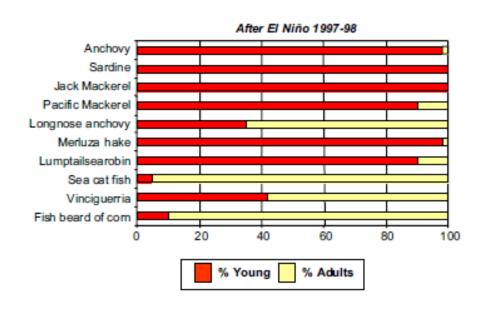
Changes in size structure



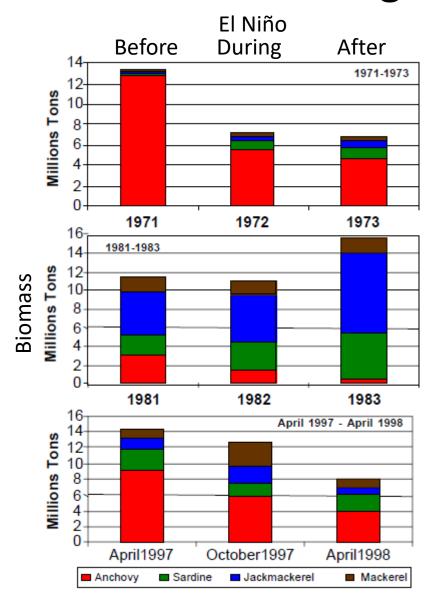


Pelagic biomass before, during and after El Niño events.

- Recovery of stocks?
- Smaller individuals because of decreased abundance of food

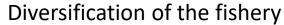


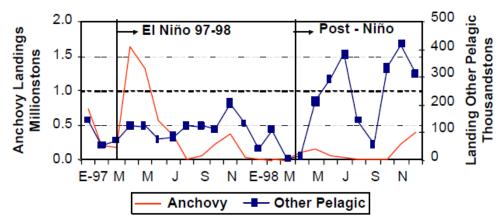
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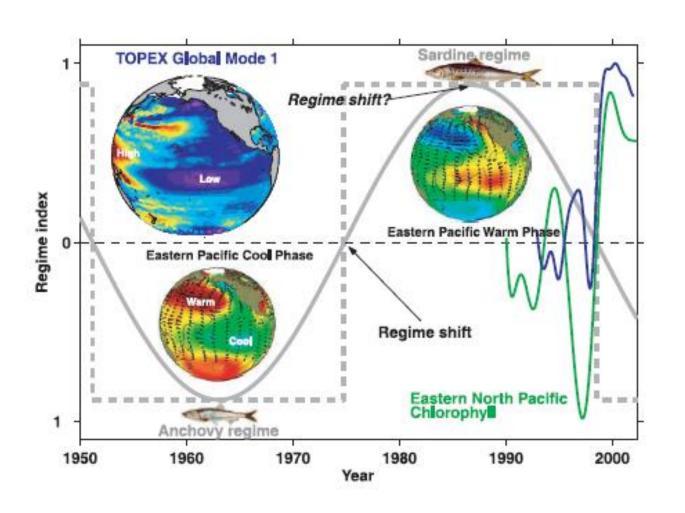
Less anchovy, more of other pelagic species.



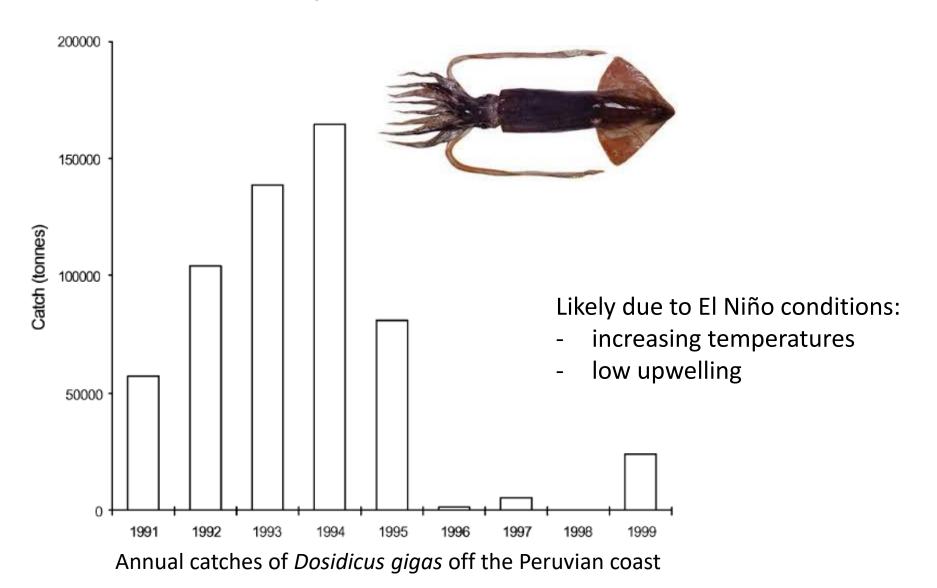




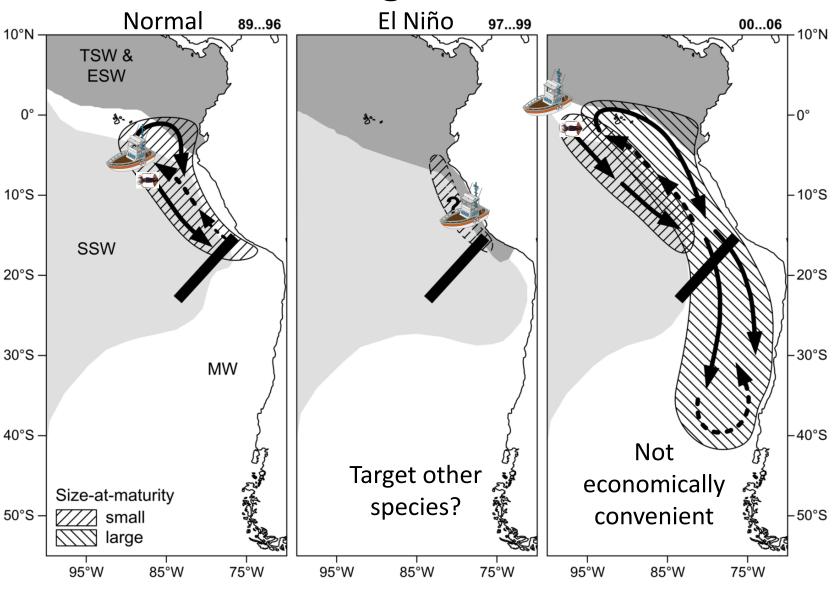
Effect of inter-decadal oscillation on Peruvian fisheries



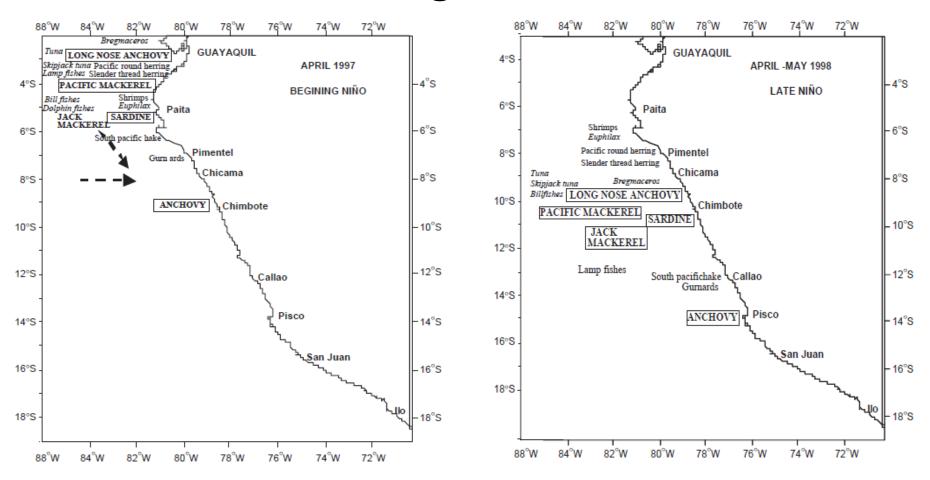
Temperature and catches



Range shift



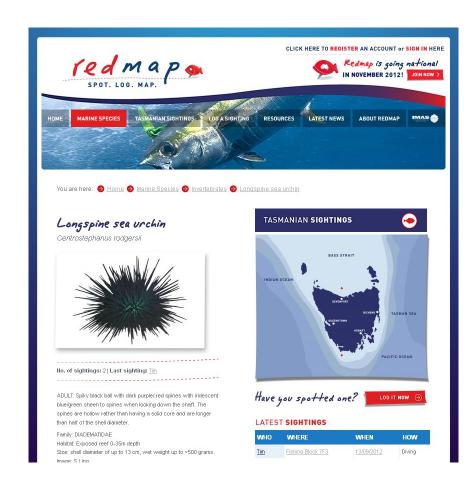
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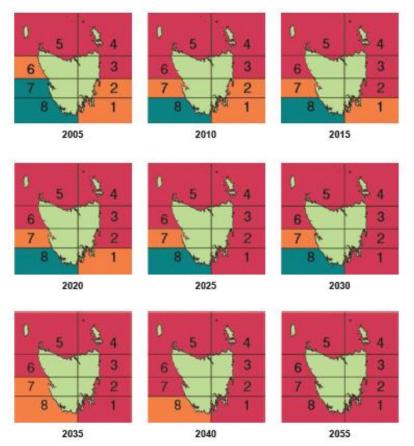


Species migration associated to El Niño 1997–98 event along the Peruvian coast

Up to 7° latitude southward = 800 km southward

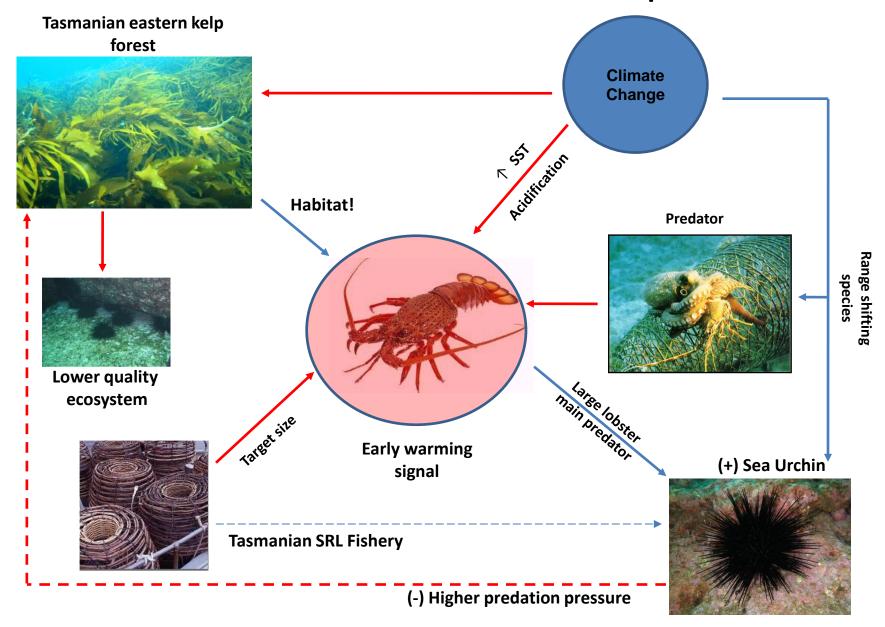
The range shift of Centrostephanus rodgersii





Centrostephanus rodgersii habitat suitability. C. rodgersii do not develop below 12°C. Red > 12.5°C; Orange = 12-12.5°C; Green < 12°C.

Cascade effect on Tasmanian kelp forest

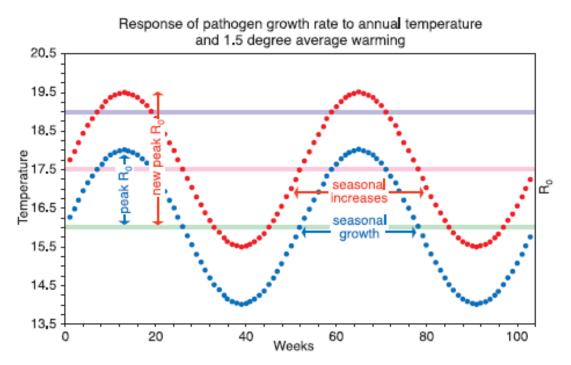


Increased susceptibility to disease, parasites

Climate warming may:

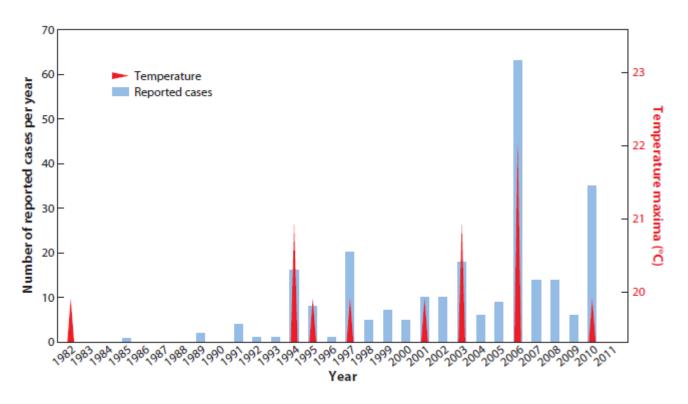
- 1. increase pathogen development rates, transmission, and number of generations per year; and
- 2. modify host susceptibility to infection.

These changes may cause pathogen range expansions and host declines.



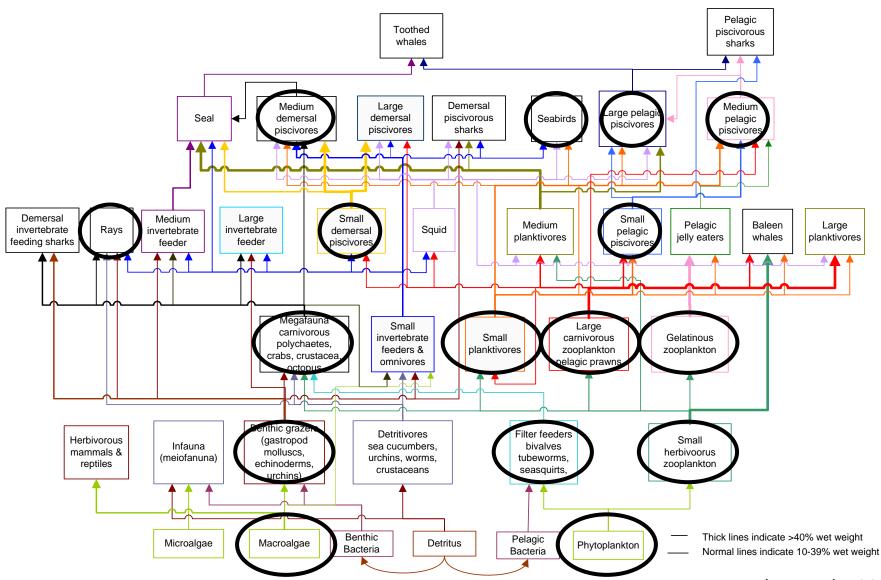
Harvell et al., 2002; Burge et al., 2014

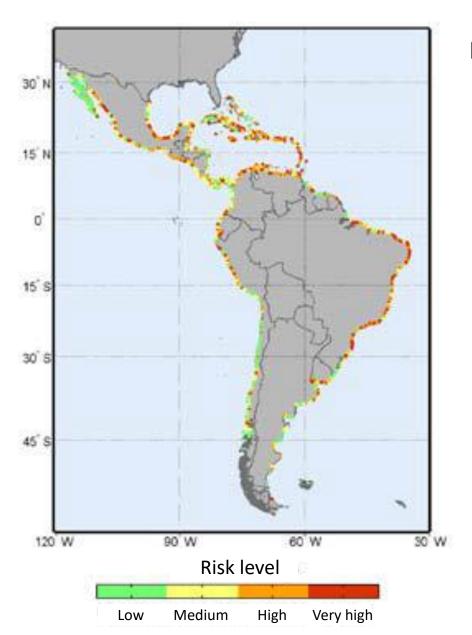
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Number of reported Vibrio cases in the Baltic Sea area from 1982 to 2010.

Changes throughout the food web

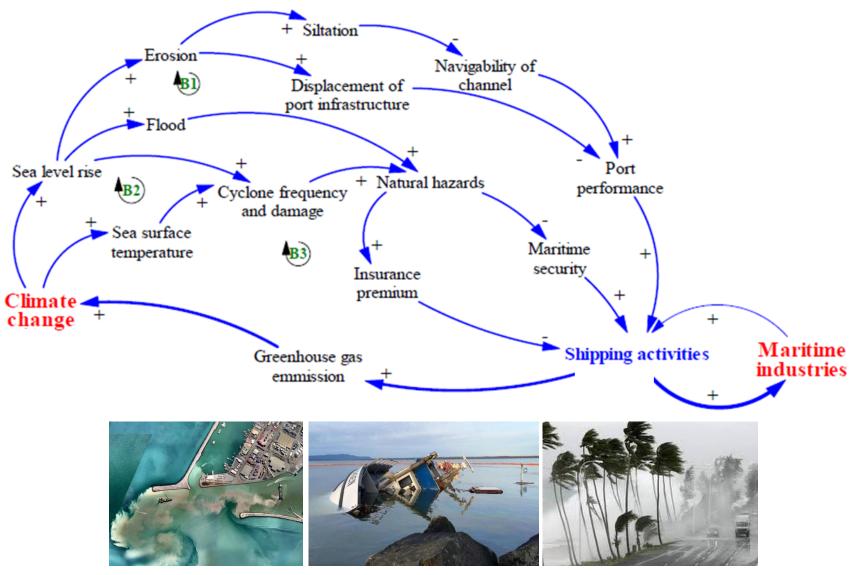




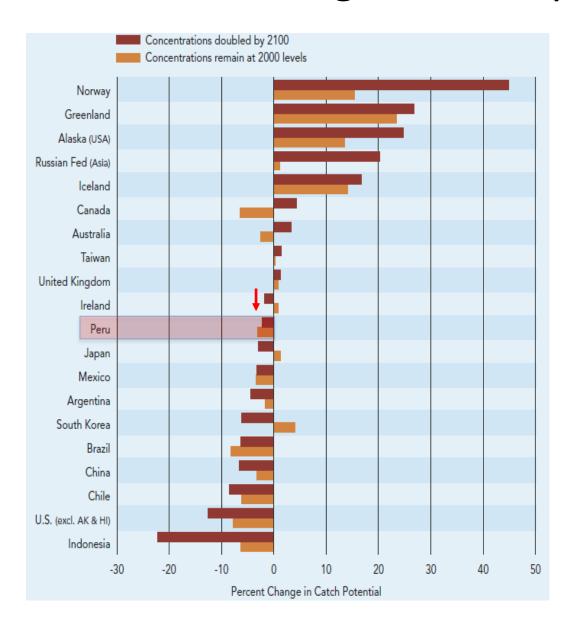
Risk to the population due to a 1m sea level rise

Damage to maritime facilities

Maritime structures

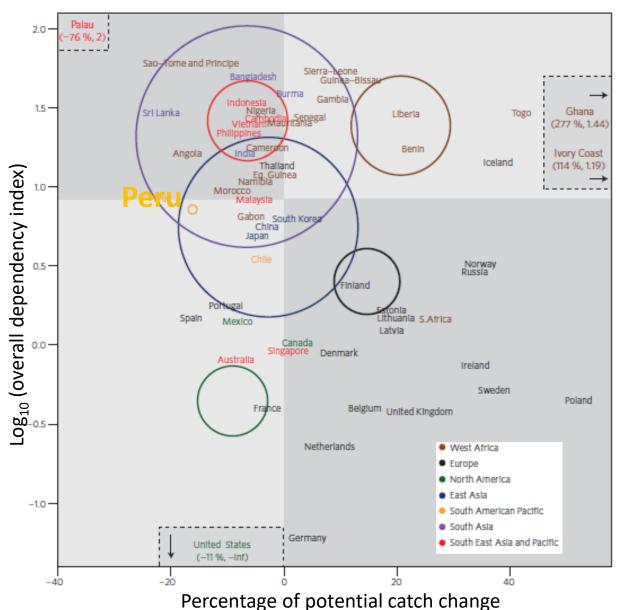


Change in catch potential



Projected changes in 10-year averaged maximum catch potential from 2005 to 2055.

Change in catch potential



Combining dependency with the projected impact of climate change on fish catches suggests that these impacts will be of great concern to Peru.

At the EEZ level, the Peruvian potential catch is predicted to decrease significantly.

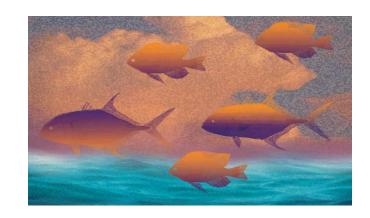
Summary

- Altered recruitment and dispersal (currents, temperature, and larval duration).
- Increased susceptibility to disease, parasites and physiological stress.
- Altered productivity (upwelling).
- Changes to food web structure.
- Distribution shifts of habitat forming organisms (coral, seagrass, kelp, etc.).
- Impacts on productivity, distribution and abundance of commercial and recreational fishery resources.
- Climate change impacts in Peruvian ecosystems are likely to be considerable and to have ecological and economic consequences.

7. Impacts of Climate Change on Aquaculture

Outline

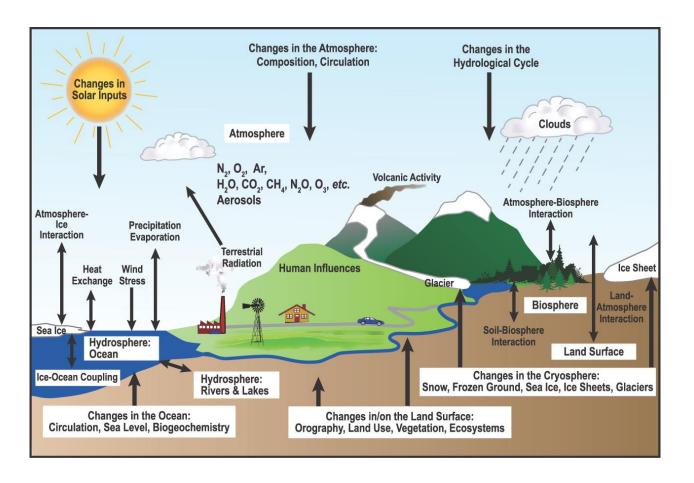
- Overview on climate change: physical impacts.
- Global impacts and major challenges for fresh water and marine aquaculture.
- Physiological challenges for aquaculture species.
- Examples from Latin-America, i.e. Peru.



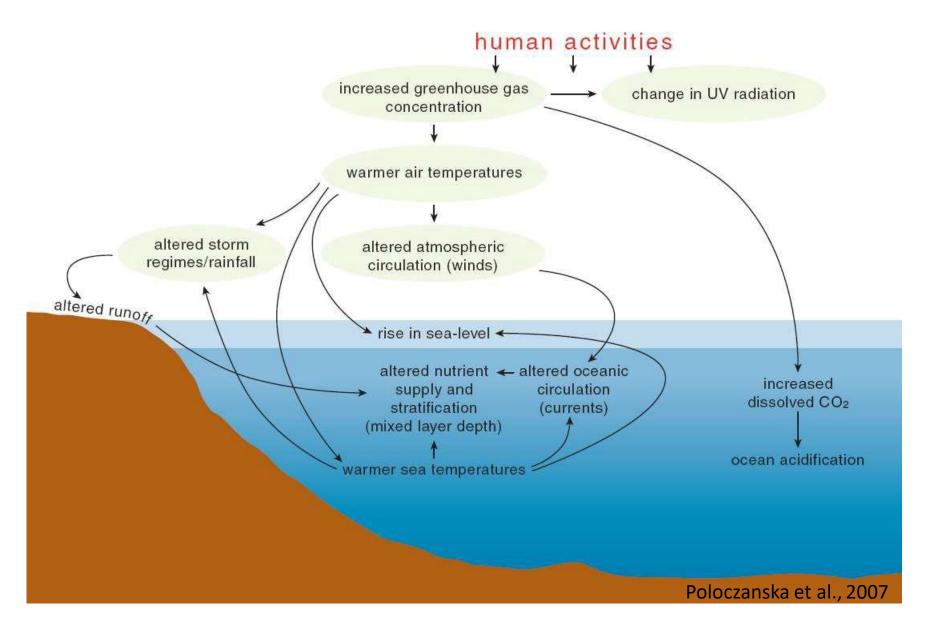


Climate Change

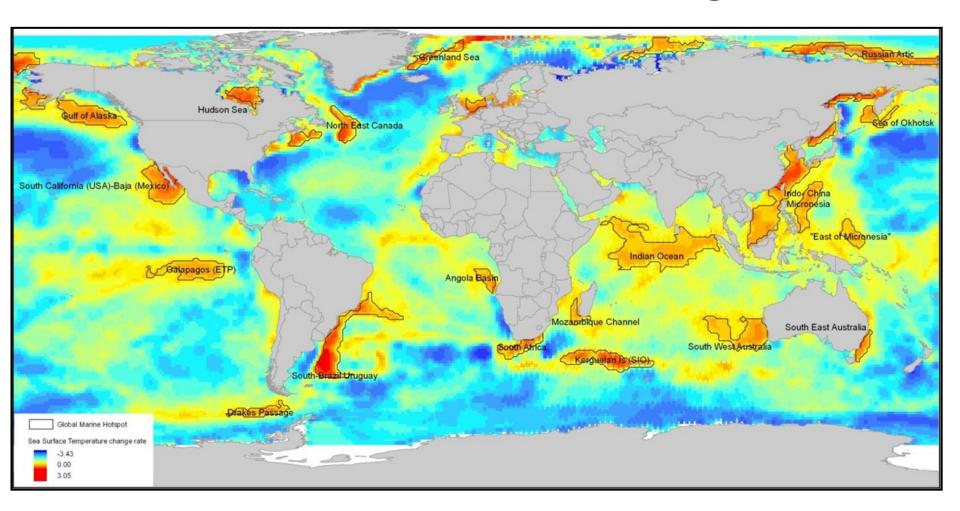
"A statistically significant variation in the mean state of the climate or its variability, persisting for an extended period (typically decades or longer)"

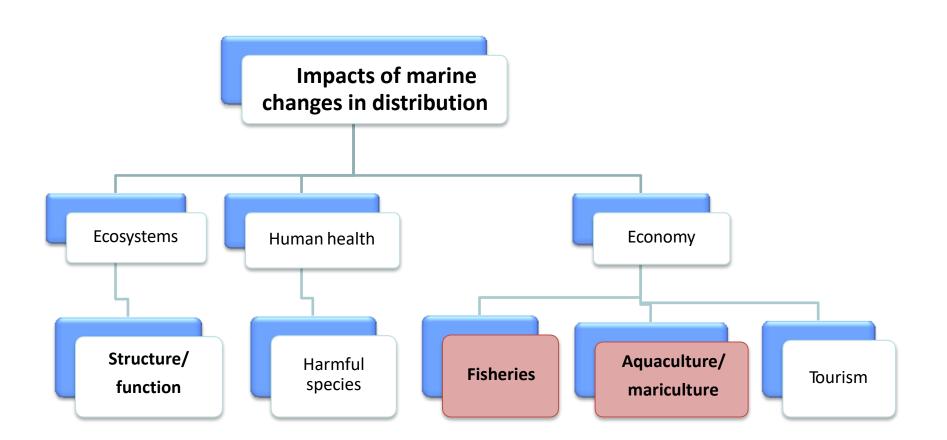


Impacts of Climate Change



Ocean warming hotspots areas in the top 10% for rate of warming

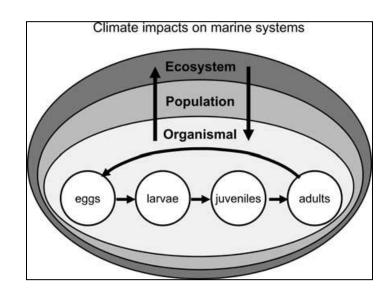


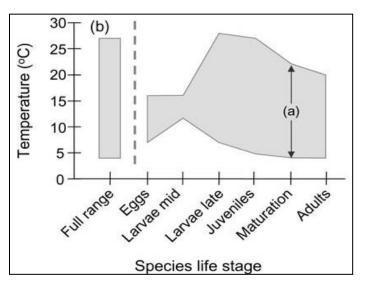


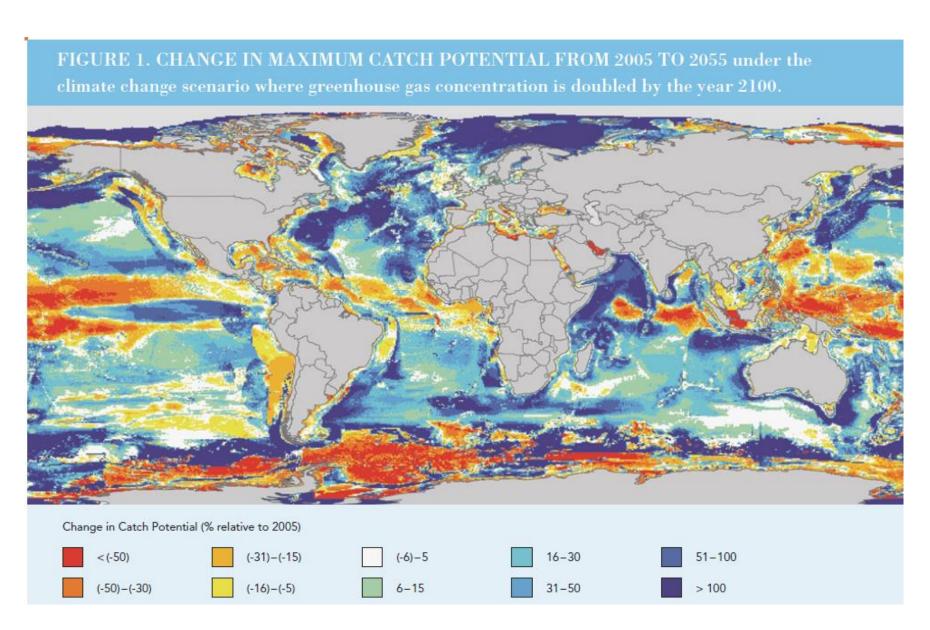
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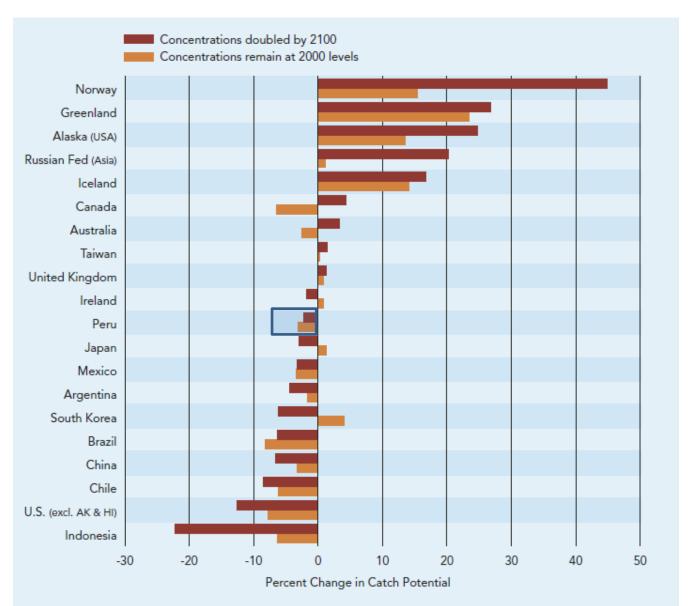


- There is less oxygen available.
- Animals use more energy to breathe.
- Greater stress on animals.
- More stress makes animals more susceptible to disease.
- Less energy available to reproduce.

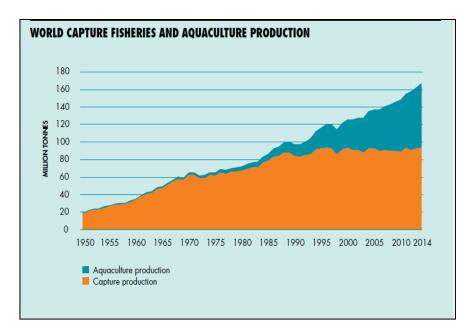


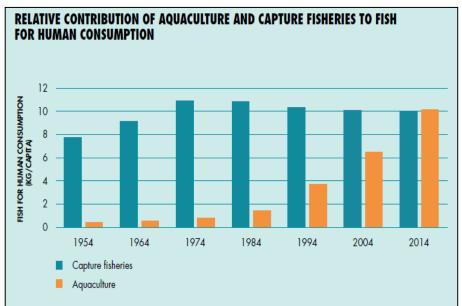


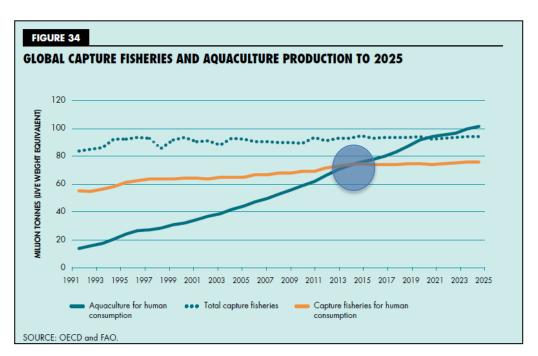




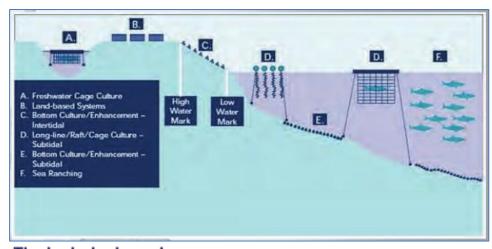
The two scenarios represent possible greenhouse gas emissions. In the first scenario, emissions continue to grow in their current trajectory and will double by 2100. The second scenario assumes that greenhouse gas concentrations remain constant at 2000 levels.

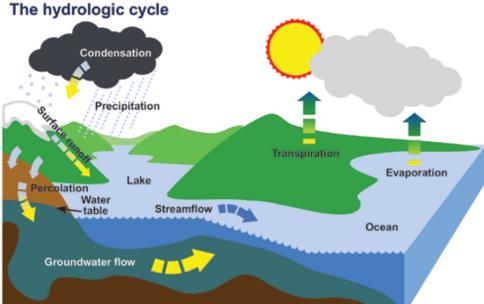






Aquaculture production depends on climate zone and habitat





Climate change on world and regional aquaculture

Climate change and aquaculture: potential impacts, adaptation and

mitigation

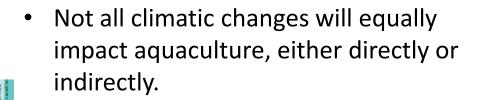
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- The potential impacts on farming activities cannot be attributed to one single factor of climatic change.
- All cultured aquatic animal species for human consumption are poikilothermic.



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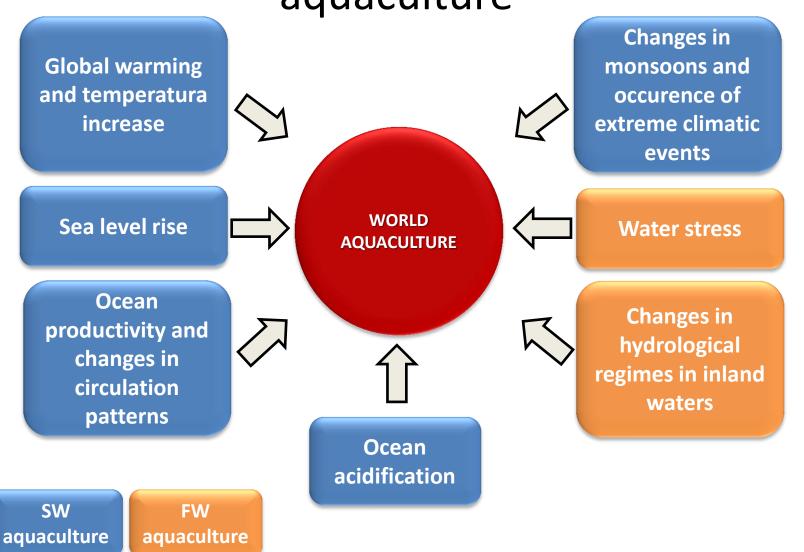
Climate change implications

for fisheries and aquaculture

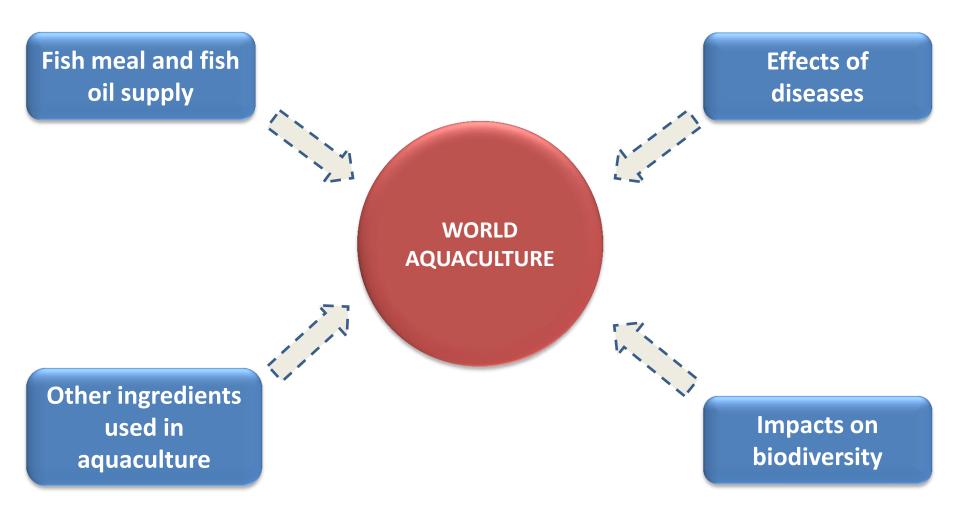
Overview of current scientific knowledge

- Impacts will depend on environments:
- (1) Fresh water
- (2) Brackish water
- (3) Marine water.

Physical impacts of climate change on wolrd aquaculture



Indirect impacts of Climate Change on world aquaculture



Rising of temperature – Impacts on aquaculture

TABLE 6
Temperature tolerances of selected, cultured species of different climatic distribution

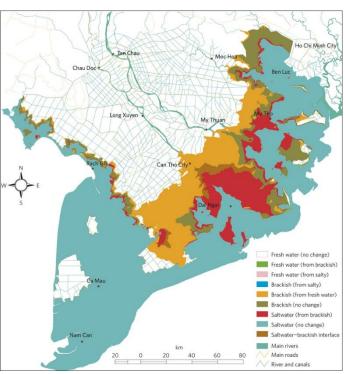
Climatic/temperature guild/Species —	Incipient lethal temp. (°C)		
	Lower	Higher	– Optimal range (°C)
Tropical			
Redbelly tilapia (<i>Tilapia zillii</i>)	7	42	28.8–31.4
Guinean tilapia (Tilapia guineensis)	14	34	18–32
Warm water (subtropical)			
European eel (Anguilla anguilla)	0	39	22–23
Channel catfish (Ictalurus punctatus)	0	40	20–25
Temperate/polar			
Arctic charr (Salvelinus alpinus)	0	19.7	6–15
Rainbow trout (Oncorhynchus mykiss)	0	27	9–14
Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	-0.5	25	13–17

Source: modified after Ficke, Myrick and Hansen, 2007.

Sea level rise

- Shrimp/finfish farming in the Mekong delta as case study.
- Physiological challenges for shrimp species.
- Upstream translocation of aquaculture facilities.
- Impacts on rice culture.



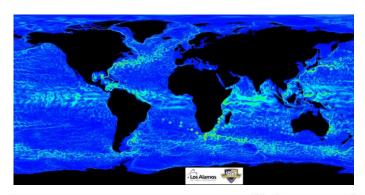


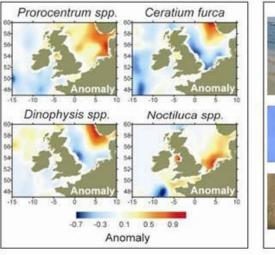
Mekong delta, Vietnam

Changes in ocean productivity and circulation patterns

- Aquaculture can be affected by changes in nutrient supply due to changed vertical stability and exchange.
- Harm algal blooms (HABs) and jellyfish blooms can increase due to ocean warming.
- Changes in runoff patterns also increase nutrient supply to coastal areas.







Changes in monsoon patterns and occurrence of extreme events

- Impacts on aquaculture:
- Physical destruction of facilities.
- Loss of stocks.
- Scape of cultured exotic species.
- Spread of diseases.



Open salmon pen after post-tropical storm Arthur, Nova Scotia, Canada



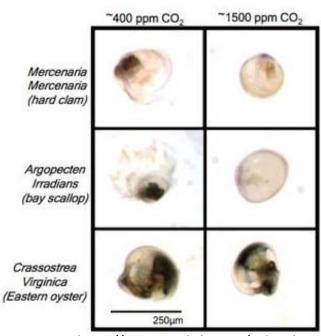
Damaged inshore cages after a typhoon in China

Ocean acidification

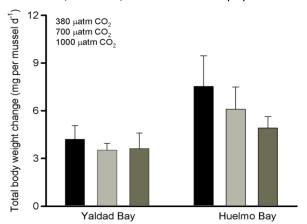
- Shellfish are considered among the most vulnerable organisms in a more acidic ocean due to their reliance on calcium carbonate (CaCO₃) shell.
- Increasing mortality risk by current changes in pH conditions (North America), as well as risk of disease and parasite.
- Physiological challenges to compensate for low pH by upregulating calcification internally, impacting growth, reproduction and other processes.
- Oyster farming in North America as a case study.



Mitylus chilensis



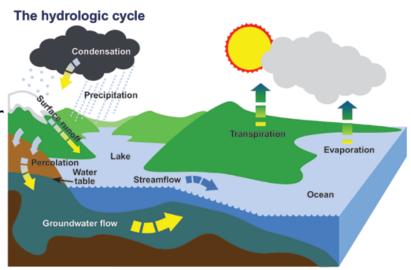
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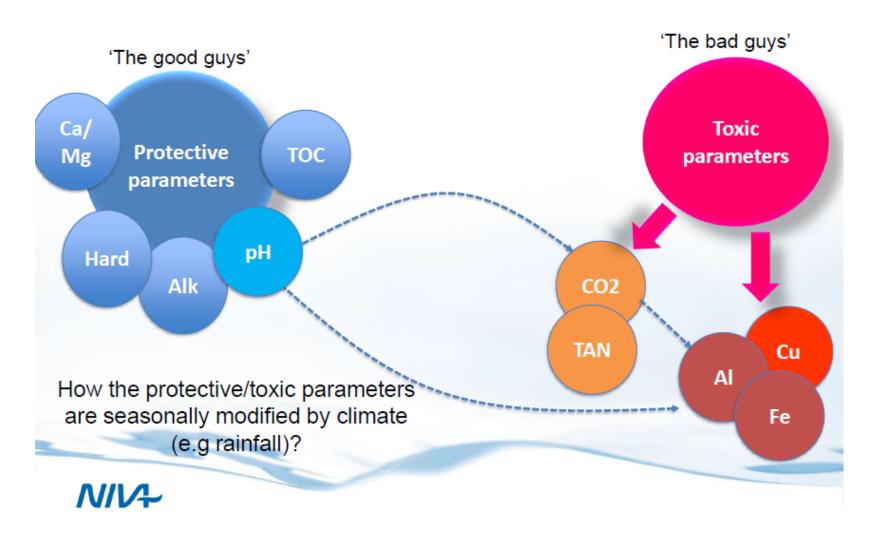
Duarte et al., 2014; Clements et al., 2016

Water stress and changes in hydrological regimes in inland waters

- Changes in water quantity and quality for freshwater and brackish water aquaculture.
- Saline intrusion and changes in precipitation patterns.
- Gross changes in habitats where extensive aquaculture occurs (e.g. wetlands).
- Saline intrusion and physiological and reproductive challenges of species.
- Intensive farming such as salmon farming can be highly impacted given high demands of water quality and quantity.



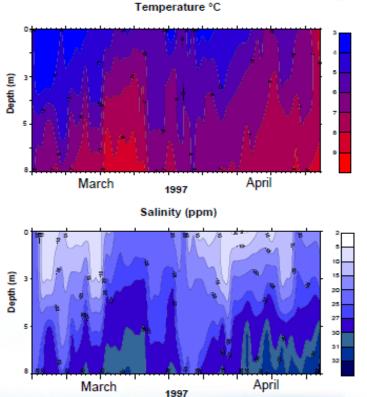
Water quality and fish welfare

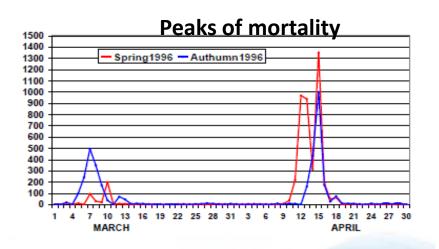


Changes in water quality can impact salmon farming production in Norway and Chile

Mixing zones and its effect on salmon farming in Norway – toxicity by heavy metals

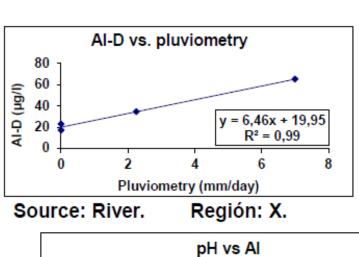
Mortality in salmon farms in the Osterfjorden spring 1997



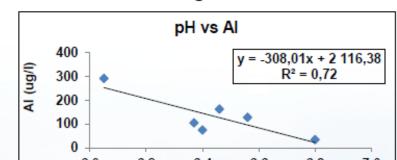


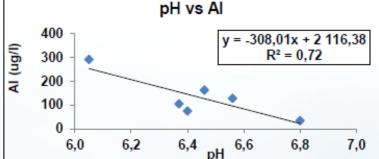
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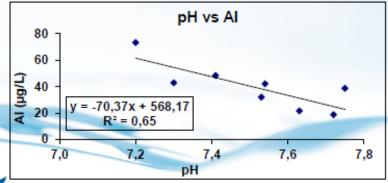


Effects of floods in rivers of Southern Chile.





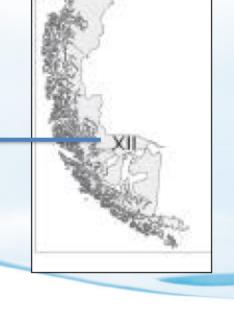




Source: River.

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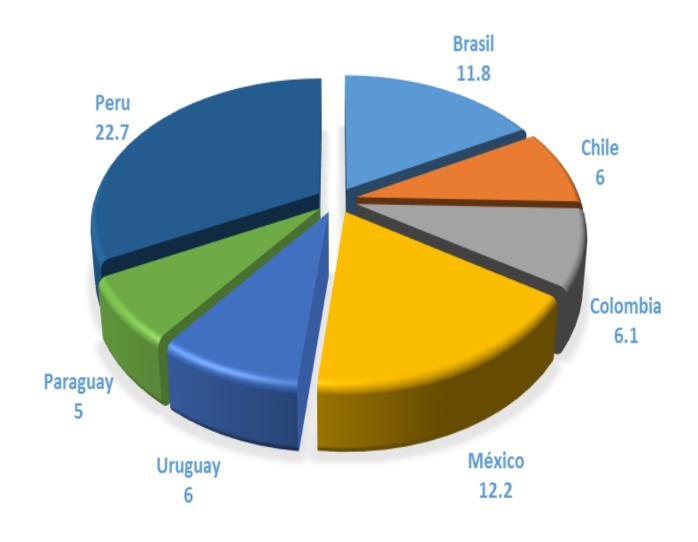
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NIVA Chile. Unplublished Slide from Xavier Gutierrez, NIVA Chile

Aquaculture in Peru

Fish consumption (kg per capita) in Latin American countries



Main aquaculture species in Peru

Langostino



MARINE SPECIES

Concha de Abanico



FRESHWATER SPECIES

Trucha



Tilapia

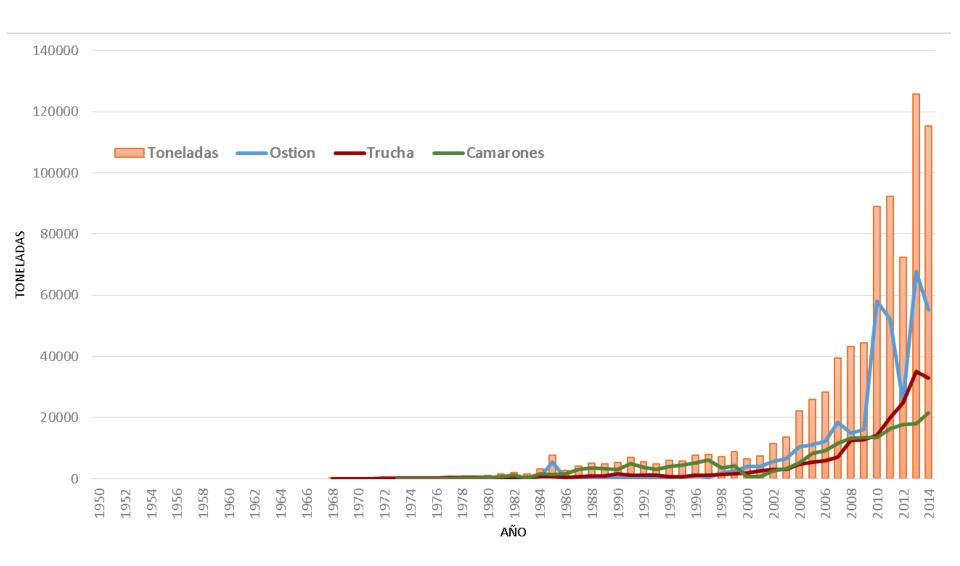


Paiche



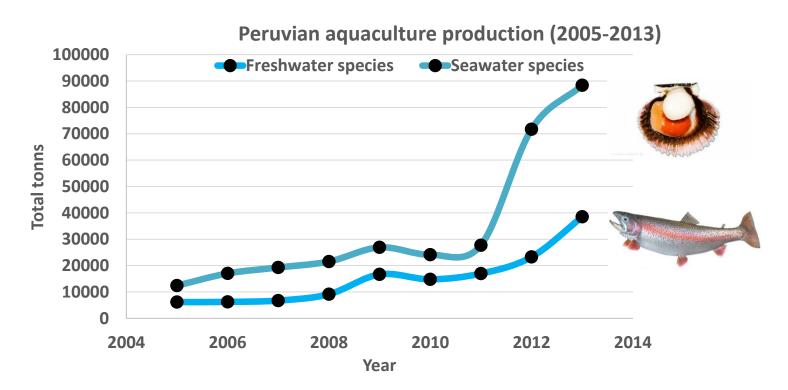
Arapaima gigas

Aquaculture production in Peru (1950-2014)

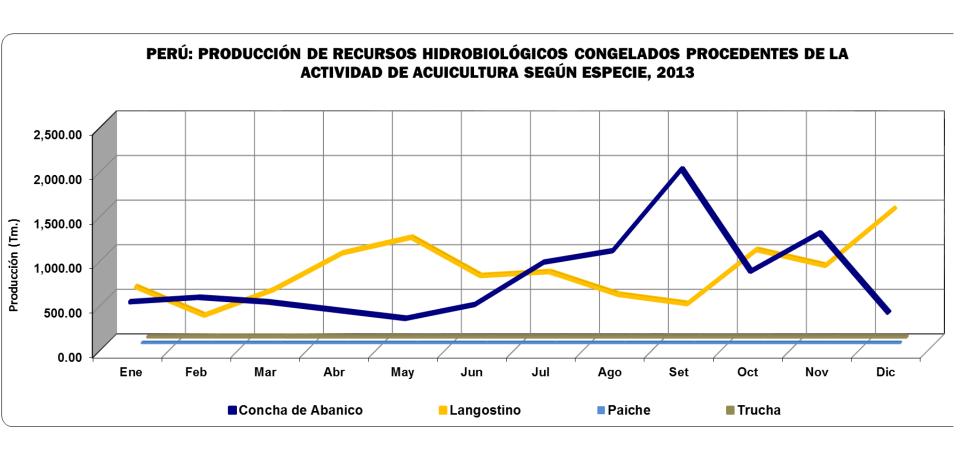


Source: PRODUCE

- There are three aquaculture production levels in Peru for farming site permits:
- **Subsistence aquaculture:** < 2 tons per year, with 10 years of permit.
- **Small scale aquaculture:** 2-50 tons per year, with 15 years of permit. Alevin production farms are included in this category.
- Large scale aquaculture: > 50 tons per year, with 30 years of permit.

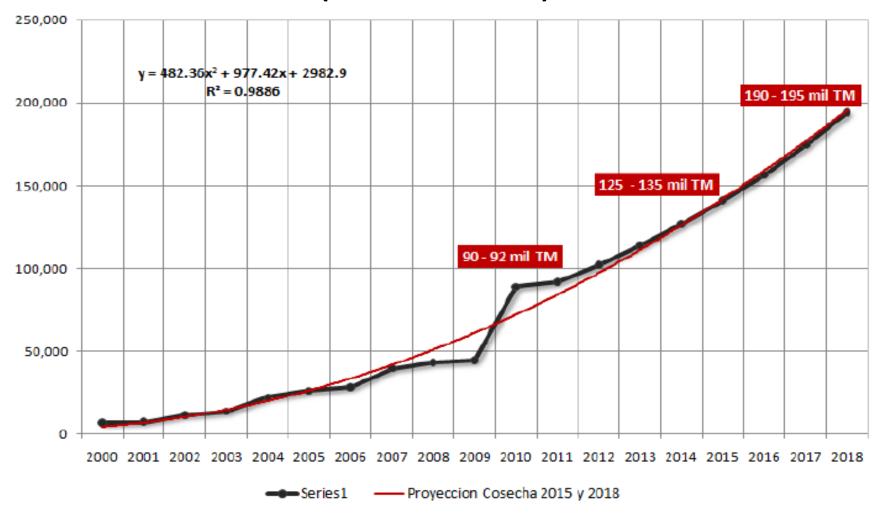


Seasonal trends in aquaculture production in Peru, 2013



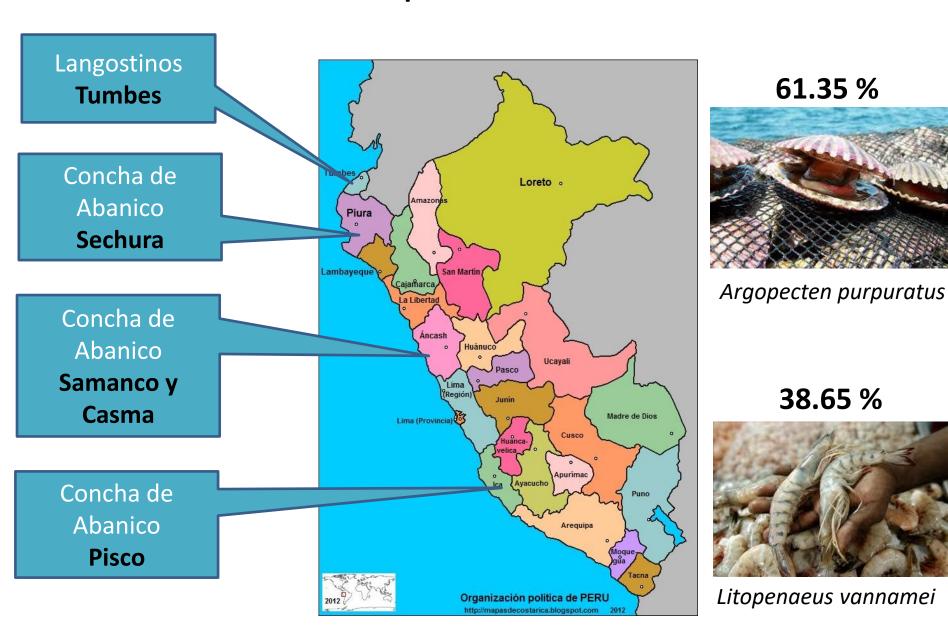
Fuente: Produce

Projections of Peruvian aquaculture (2000-2018)

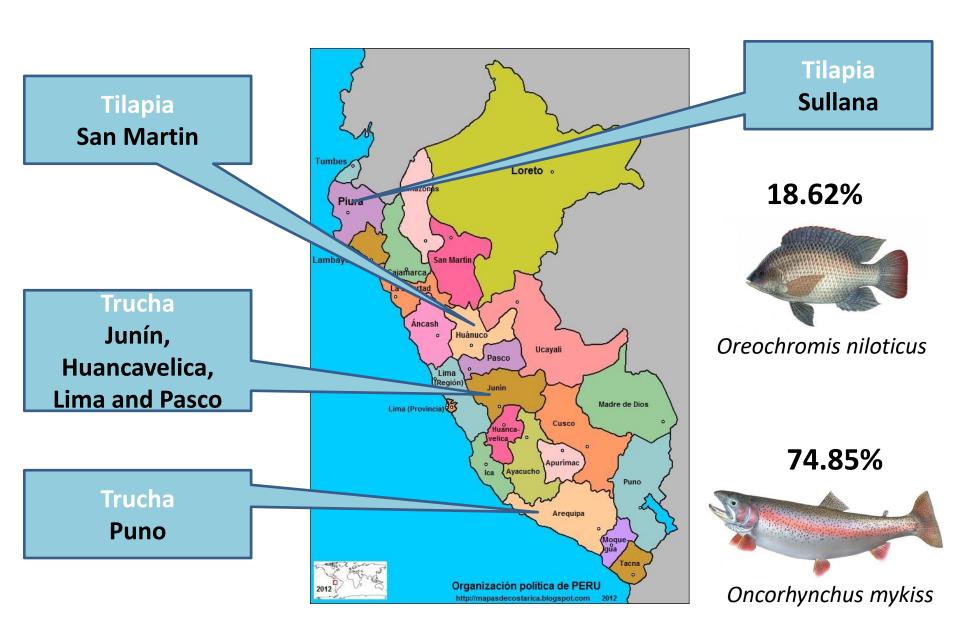


Fuente: Informe: Panorama de la Acuicultura Mundial, en América Latina y el Caribe y en el Perú DGCHD-Dirección de Acuicultura – Ministerio de la Producción

Marine aquaculture in Peru



Freshwater aquaculture in Peru



Minor freshwater species

Gamitana, Paco, Sábalo, Paiche and Ornamental fishes

Loreto, Ucayali, M. de Dios and San Martin



Arapaima gigas





Concha de abanico



- Two culture systems: on-bottom and off-bottom (suspended, pearl nets).
- Seeds from natural banks and hatchery.
- Production depends on key factors such as food, temperature and dissolved oxygen (DO).
- ENSO events can impact scallop productivity by modifying these key factors.

Impacts from climate change are unclear, but it could be expected (*):

- Physiological challenges from rising of SST, lowering of DO and salinity changes.
- Morphological challenges from ocean acidification (e.g. shell structure/shape).
- Infrastructure damage from extreme events, changes in winds, waves and currents.



 Risk of spreading diseases and plagues from extreme events, increasing risk of mortality.

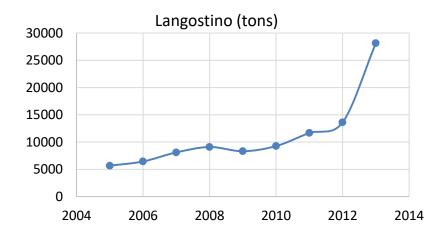
Langostino

- 'Seeds' imported from Equator
- Two hatcheries in Peru (post-larval stage)
- Extensive, semi-intensive and intensive production

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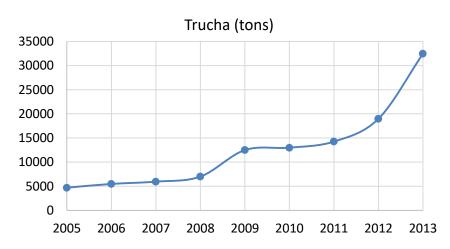


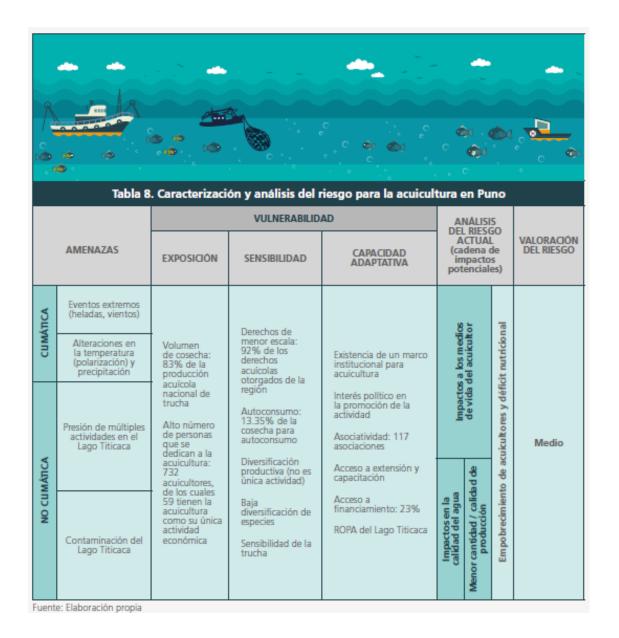


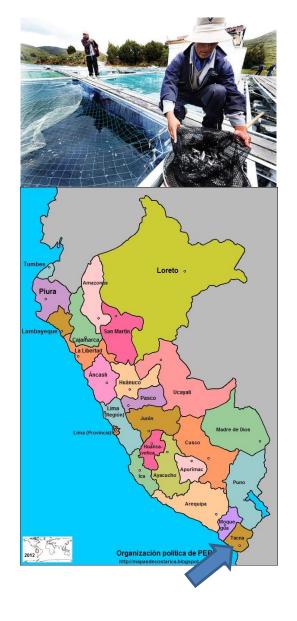
Trucha



- Semi-intensive and intensive production systems.
- FW land-based facilities and floating cages.
- Format: mostly pan size, but also 'Truchon'.
- Trout farming occurs mainly in Andean lakes (e.g. Titicaca).
- Inlet waters from rivers and mountain snow.
- Egg ('ovas') importation from EEUU (80%), Denmark and other countries.
- Over the last years trout production has rapidly increased.
- Trout production in Puno has been preliminary examined as case study of climate change effects.





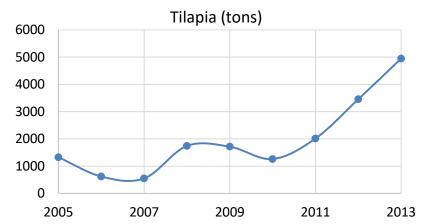


DIAGNÓSTICO DEL SECTOR PESQUERO Y ACUÍCOLA frente al cambio climático y lineamientos de adaptación - Produce

Tilapia

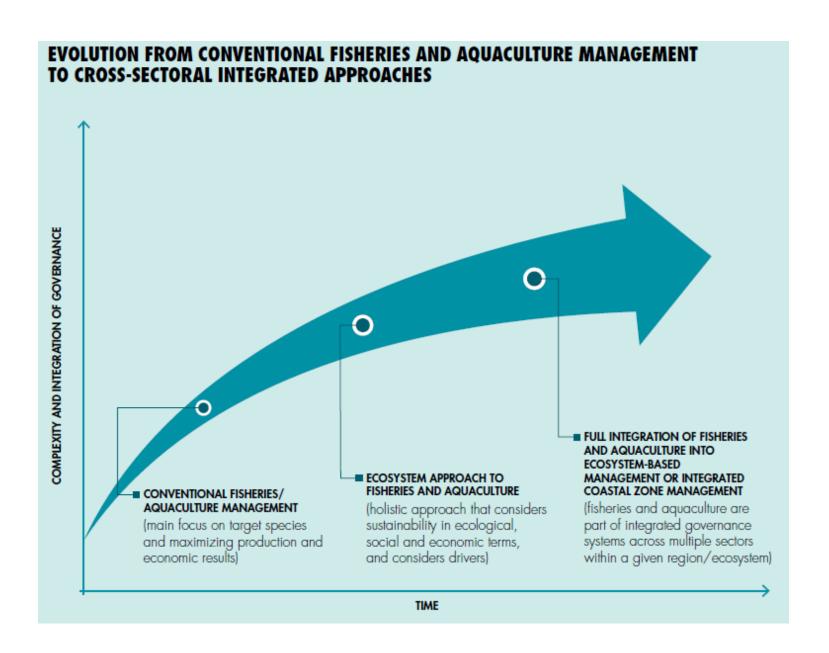
- Introduced in Peru in 1970's.
- Production in extensive, semi-intensive and intensive systems (tanks and floating cages).
- Total farms: 668 (476 are from subsistence).
- Monoculture, but also polyculture (paco, gamitana and paiche).
- Water inlets of FW land-based farms include rivers and dams.
- Technology has improve local production.





Impacts from climate change are unclear, but we could expect:

- Water supply for inland farms by changes in water quantity/quality.
- Key water quality parameters (DO, pH, alkalinity) can be altered, impacting tilapia physiology and productive outputs.



Shellfish/ Algae



Finfish

Oyster (1) (2), mussel (3), and algae aquaculture (4) provide local seafood, improve water quality, protect against storm surge

Net pen aquaculture (5) provides environmentally and economically Innovative offshore technology like **submersible cages** (6) allows large-scale food production compatible with other ocean uses.

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Summary

- Current aquaculture production is greater than fishery production
- Aquaculture can be impacted by climate change in different ways:
- Physiological challenges of species
- Infrastructure damage
- Changes in productivity and coastal currents
- Aquaculture in Peru includes continental and marine species
- Impacts of Climate change on Peruvian aquaculture are unclear, but some advances have been done in specific locations (Puno)
- Ecosystem-based approach is requested to face main impacts from climate change

8. Adaptation to Climate Change

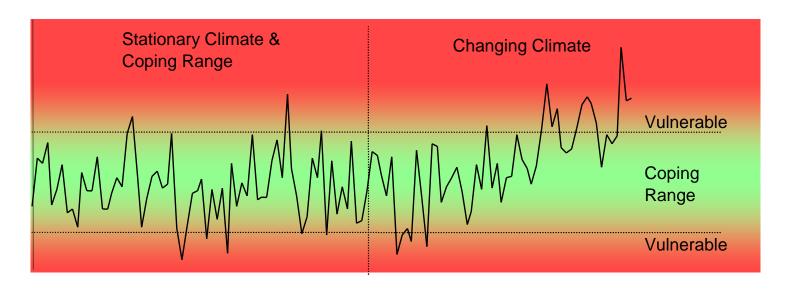
What is adaptation?

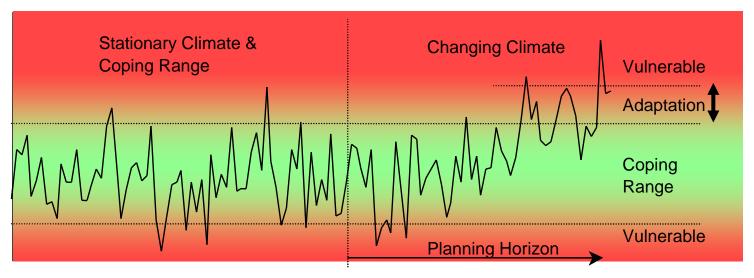
Process to enhance, develop, and implement strategies to moderate, increase the resilience, and take advantage of the consequences of climatic events.



Manage risks – Minimise losses – Maximise opportunities

Adapting to a future climate





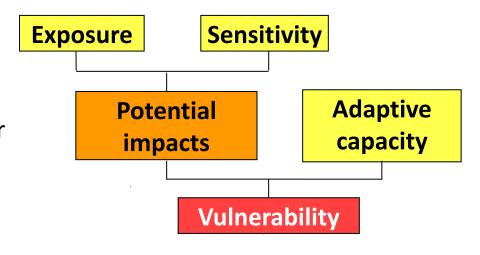
Key concepts

Exposure: Stimuli that have an impact on species or systems, e.g. climatic conditions.

Sensitivity: Degree to which a system is affected by the climate stimuli.

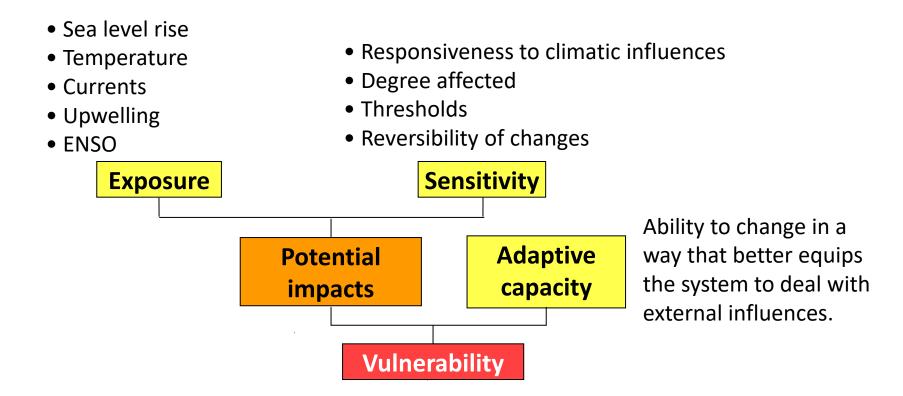
Adaptive capacity: Capability of a system to adapt to climatic stimuli, their effects or impacts.

Vulnerability: Degree to which a system is susceptible to damage (the detrimental part of sensitivity).



Understanding the system

Adaptation planning requires an understanding of those systems that are most at risk—and why.



Identifying key vulnerabilities

IPCC list of criteria to aid in identifying key vulnerabilities:

- Magnitude: Impacts are of large scale and/or high-intensity.
- Persistence/Reversibility: Impacts result in persistent damage or reversible damage.
- Likelihood/Certainty: Projected impacts are likely, with a high degree of confidence. The higher the likelihood, the more urgent the need for adaptation.
- **Importance:** Systems at risk are of great importance or value to society.

Factors to consider when developing adaptation options

• How different groups of stakeholders (or jurisdictions) weight objectives.

- Conflict which may act as barriers to implement adaptation actions.
 - 1. Maximise wellbeing of communities
- 2. Maximise economic performance

- 3. Ensure environmental and ecosystem values
- 4. Strengthen management and governance
- Identifying weighted management objectives through workshops (managers, industry, scientists).

Factors to consider when developing adaptation options

For instance, Tasmanian Rock Lobster fishers have varying perceptions on reality of Climate Change:

- 80% believe Climate Change is not real
- 20% believe Climate Change is either happening or that 'something is up'

Fishers acknowledge changes BUT NOT Climate Change





Communication and engagement is a priority

Communication and trust is key

- Information sheets
- Industry and community presentations
- Papers/Reports
- Youtube
- Websites
- Industry newsletters
- Involvement in workshops
- TWO way communication!!!
- Regular & consistent communication



Science communication



http://www.lynchpin.org.au/our-projects/our-scholars/

Science communication



Challenges & barriers to adaptation

- Divergent expectations from adaptation research
 - Managing agencies want information only (but no requirement to commit to change)
 - Public good funding agencies want management change
- CC is not seen as an immediate threat in contrast to other more immediate issues
- Fear of increased costs of adaptation to managing agencies and fishers
 - Need to highlight opportunities for improving efficiencies
- Time involved in doing interdisciplinary and participatory research is huge!
 - Challenge for all, including academics with pressures to 'publish or perish'

Principles of "good" adaptation planning

- 1. Concrete adaptation actions.
- 2. Acknowledge that CC is one among many drivers of change and risks.
- 3. Acknowledge uncertainty.
- 4. Use an established robust approach but allow flexibility for unique context.
- 5. Based on best available scientific information but also account/include perceptions and/or subjective info from stakeholders.
- 6. Transparent.
- 7. Acknowledge benefits/limitations of working at a particular scale.
- 8. Account for different needs of end users and use context relevant communication channels.
- 9. Be iterative, participatory and multi-stakeholder.

Examples of adaptation (Australia)

Sea urchin and rock lobster



Autonomous adaptation (lobster fishers)

- Commercial and recreational fishers move to regions of higher catch rates, offshore, change fishing gear.
- Recreational dive fishers move to non-impacted areas.



Possible adaptation actions

- Increase lobster size limits to increase numbers of large lobsters.
- Reduction of lobster catch in affected regions (e.g. temporal closures, reduce bag limits, etc.).
- Translocation of large lobsters into key areas to remediate urchin barrens.



Development of commercial opportunities for harvesting the sea urchin.

Examples of adaptation (Australia)

Salmon farming



- What location might be suitable?
- What environment is expected at a range of time scales?



- Improve immune response and resistance to diseases.
- Reduce outbreak of diseases currently affecting salmon farming.
- Minimize impact of potential emerging pathogens and diseases.
- Improve growth and feed conversion at higher temperatures.

C. Select alternate species for local conditions.

Determine attributes which make an alternative species attractive.



Terrestrial selective breeding advance

Breeds of chicken



Terrestrial selective breeding advance

Breeds of cattle



Terrestrial selective breeding advance

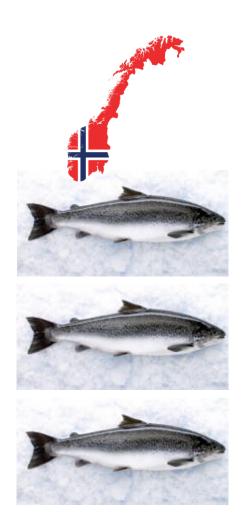
Breeds of dogs

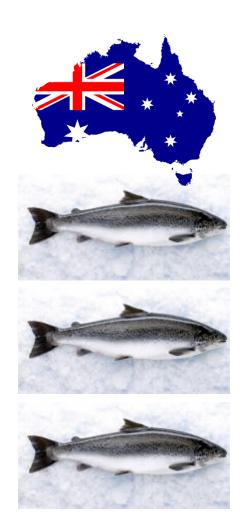


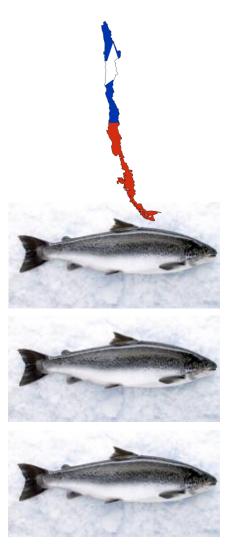


Marine selective breeding at its infancy

Atlantic salmon





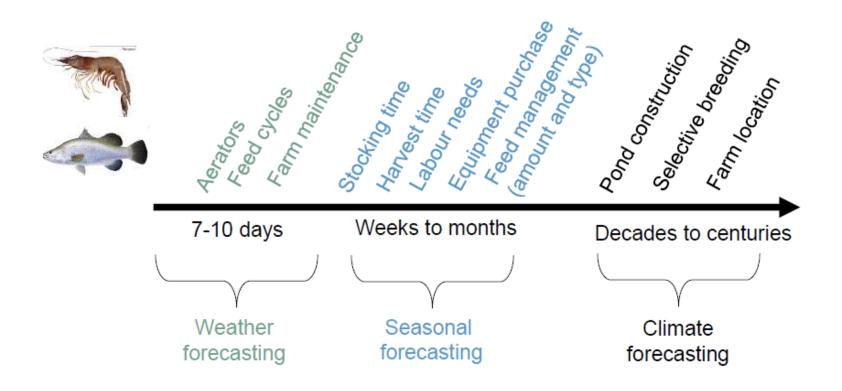


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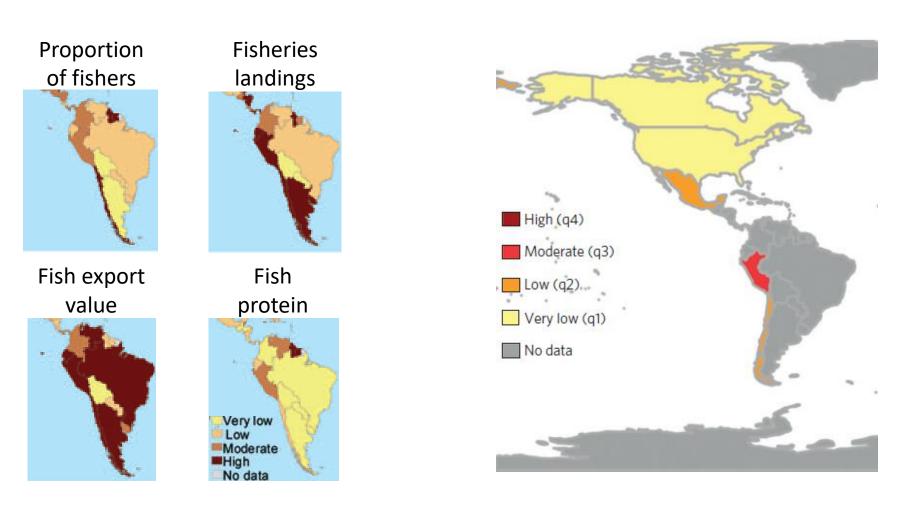
Examples of adaptation (Australia)

Prawns and barramundi

Future environmental information can aid decision making

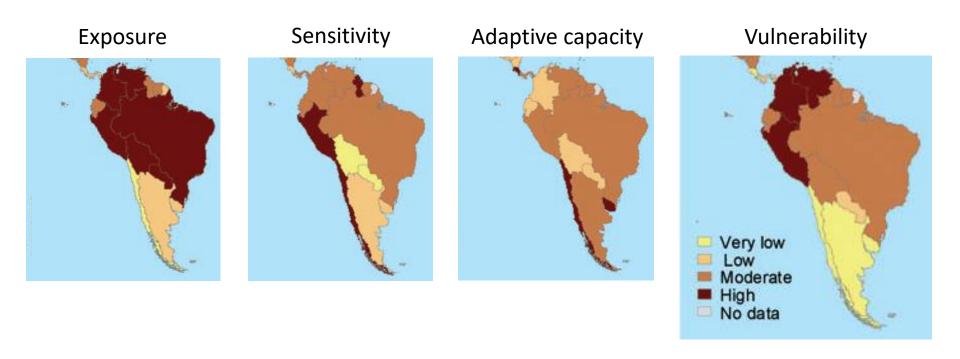


Dependency of Peru on fish and fisheries



Peru has moderate to high dependency on fish and fisheries

Impact of Climate Change on fisheries economy



World rank (of 132 countries)	Country	Exposure	Sensitivity	Adaptive capacity	Vulnerability
10	Peru	0.82	0.73	0.51	0.69

Adaptation (Peru)



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			VULNERABILIE	DAD		ANÁLISIS DEL RIESGO		
	AMENAZAS	EXPOSICIÓN	SENSIBILIDAD	CAPACIDAD ADAPTATIVA	ACTUAL VAL		VALORACIÓN DEL RIESGO	
×	Evento El Niño: •Inundaciones (↑PP)		4000/	Existencia de un marco Institucional para pesca artesanal	tructura			
CLIMÁTICA	 Aumento TSM (↑ TSM) Daños en la 	900	100% de los pescadores artesanales tiene	Estrategia Regional de Cambio Climático	nfraes			
ū	Infraestructura (desembarcaderos, muelles, caminos, puentes)	de congelado y enlatado. de espedes hidrobiológicas	la pesca artesanal como actividad principal	Existencia de Información climática	Daños en la infraestructura	de desembarque	empleo	
	Pesca ilegal	ngelad sedes	76% de los pescadores vende sus productos	Acceso a créditos (19%)	Daño	desem	de	
	Derrames petroleros	rria de co jue de esp	a mayoristas comercializadores en el desembarcadero	Existencia de regulación- ROP para algunos recursos (pota, jurel, caballa, atún, anchoveta			y pérdidas	Alto
5	Tráfico maritimo (agua de lastre)	a indust embarq	Elevada	para CHD)	ución)	el volu		
NO CLIMÁTICA	Yacimiento de Bayovar	Gran adividad de la industria Alto volumen de desembarque	Informalidad de la actividad pesquera artesanal	Reglamentación de talla mínima de extracción y Porcentaje de Tolerancia Máxima de Juveniles	a distribución y de los recursos	Reducción del volumen	Déficit nu tricion al	
NO.	Contaminación	olumo	Alta diversidad de especies en los	(RM Nº 209-2001-PE) PPR 0095	s en la ancia de	Red	Déf	
	Exploración petrolera por el uso de la sismica 2D y 3D	Gra Alto	desembarques	Fortalecimiento de la pesca artesanal 92% pescadores embarcados	Cambios en la abundancia d			

	Tabla 4. Caracter	ización y anális	is del riesgo para indirecto en A	la pesca industri Incash	al de c	onsu	mo l	humano
			VULNERABILIDAD)	ANALISIS			
AMENAZAS		EXPOSICIÓN	SENSIBILIDAD	CAPACIDAD ADAPTATIVA			VALORACIÓN DEL RIESGO	
	Eventos extremos				гау			
CUMÁTICAS	Oleaje anómalo Evento El Niño	Gran presencia de plantas de procesamiento Alto volumen de desembarque de anchoveta	48% sólo cuenta con educación inicial o primaria Exigencia de nuevos estándares de calidad	Existencia de un marco institucional para pesca industrial Marco regulatorio y monitoreo (cuotas)	Daños a la infraestructura y embarcaciones	desembarques	pérdidas económicas	
CLIMÁTICAS	Pesca Ilegal	Alto número de personas empleadas en actividades vinculadas a la pesqueria de	Pesqueria mono especifica (alta dependencia de la anchoveta) Alta sensibilidad de la anchoveta	Asociatividad alta Instalación de emisor submarino Aproferrol	la distribución y de los recursos	O ls minución de c	de empleo y	Alto
NO OLIN	Contaminación	anchoveta	a cambios de temperatura		Cambios en la y abundancia de	J	Pérdidas	

	Tabla 8. Caracterización y análisis del riesgo para la acuicultura en Puno						
			VULNERABILID	AD	ANÁLISIS DEL RIESGO		
AMENAZAS		EXPOSICIÓN	SENSIBILIDAD	CAPACIDAD ADAPTATIVA	ACTUAL (cadena de Impactos potenciales)		VALORACIÓN DEL RIESGO
алмұшса	Eventos extremos (heladas, vientos)		Derechos de		os or	lei	
ΔUM/	Alteraciones en la temperatura (polarización) y precipitación	Volumen de cosecha: 83% de la producción acuícola	menor escala: 92% de los derechos acuicolas otorgados de la	Existencia de un marco Institucional para aculcultura	mpactos a los medios de vida del acukultor	déficit nutricional	
	Presión de múltiples actividades en el Lago Titicaca	nacional de trucha Alto número de personas que se dedican a la	región Autoconsumo: 13.35% de la cosecha para autoconsumo	Interés político en la promoción de la actividad Asociatividad: 117 asociaciones	Impactos de vida o	aculcultores y défic	Medlo
СПМ АТІСА		aculcultura: 732 aculcultores, de los cuales	Diversificación productiva (no es única actividad)	Acceso a extensión y capacitación	n la igua calidad de n	9	
NO CII	Contaminación del Lago Titicaca	59 tienen la aculcultura como su única actividad económica	Baja diversificación de especies Sensibilidad de la trucha	Acceso a financiamiento: 23% ROPA del Lago Titicaca	Impactos en la calidad del agua en or cantidad / calic producción	Empobrecimiento	
					Σ		



LÍNEAS DE ACCIÓN	e adaptación para la pesca artesanal para consumo humano directo en Piura MEDIDA DE ADAPTACIÓN
POLÍTICAS	 Promover el uso de los planes de manejo para el uso sostenible de especies marinas vulnerables Fortalecer la aplicación de normas para reducir la contaminación por efluentes y desechos sólidos en las áreas costeras y marinas Fomentar la planificación espacial marino costera
INSTITUCIONALIDAD Y GOBERNANZA	Fortalecer el seguimiento y control a los compromisos asumidos en los instrumentos de gestión ambiental de actividades productivas que se desarrollan en el medio marino y representan amenazas no climáticas
- 🕁 - TECNOLOGÍA	 Fortalecer la infraestructura y equipamiento para reducir su vulnerabilidad frente a eventos climáticos extremos Promover la implementación de artes y aparejos de pesca, y equipamiento en las embarcaciones artesanales para la extracción adecuada de especies potenciales y de oportunidad Promover el desarrollo e implementación de tecnologías para el tratamiento de efluentes de las infraestructuras pesqueras
CONCIENCIA PÚBLICA	Promover el control que oriente la extracción sostenible de los recursos pesqueros costeros así como adecuadas prácticas ambientales en los pescadores artesanales
INVESTIGACIÓN Y OBSERVACIÓN SISTEMÁTICA	 Fortalecer el monitoreo y manejo sostenible de los principales recursos explotados por la pesquería artesanal en la región Fortalecer y dinamizar los Comités Regionales de Vigilancia Pesquera Artesanal (COREVIPAS) a fin de coadyuvar a la implementación y cumplimiento de las normas sectoriales

Ta	bla 10. Medidas de adaptación para la pesca industrial para consumo humano indirecto en Ancash
LÍNEAS DE ACCIÓN	MEDIDA DE ADAPTACIÓN
POLÍTICAS	Establecer incentivos a las buenas prácticas pesqueras y ambientales en la industria de harina y aceite de pescado Promover el uso de instrumentos de gestión ambiental para las embarcaciones industriales pesqueras Incentivar la entrada al sistema de emisores comunes por parte de las plantas industriales para evitar la contaminación de las bahías
TECNOLOGÍA	Fortalecer los procesos de producción de harina de pescado para obtener productos de mejor calidad que al mismo tiempo reduzcan efluentes y emisiones Promover la reconversión tecnológica para la captura de nuevas especies que pudieran presentarse por efecto de las condiciones climáticas
CONCIENCIA PÚBLICA	 Promover prácticas sostenibles de aprovechamiento del recurso hidrobiológico. Capacitación de la tripulación sobre buenas prácticas a bordo y conservación del ecosistema marino
INVESTIGACIÓN Y OBSERVACIÓN SISTEMÁTICA	Fortalecer el monitoreo de variables ambientales y oceanográficas mediante el uso de embarcaciones industriales

Ta	abla 12. Medidas de adaptación para la acuicultura en Puno
LÍNEAS DE ACCIÓN	MEDIDA DE ADAPTACIÓN
POLÍTICAS	Promover la investigación orientada a la adaptación de la acuicultura y la pesca artesanal al cambio climático para asegurar su sostenibilidad
INSTITUCIONALIDAD Y GOBERNANZA	 Fortalecer el rol del FONDEPES para promover, capacitar y financiar programas de acuicultura de pequeña escala Asegurar la interacción del FONDEPES con el sector privado y con las asociaciones de acuicultores Promover la asociatividad entre los acuicultores a fin de estandarizar la producción de trucha y poder acceder a diferentes mercados, a través de la venta de productos de meior calidad Fortalecer la coordinación interinstitucional que contribuya al desarrollo de la acuicultura y a la reducción del impacto generado por la contaminación en el lago
	Implementar programas de investigación e innovación tecnológica, que sean una alternativa para el cultivo de trucha y otras especies cultivables (nativas e introducidas)
FORTALECIMIENTO DE CAPACIDADES	Impulsar y fortalecer las modalidades asociativas que no limitan el desarrollo empresarial, mediante capacitaciones

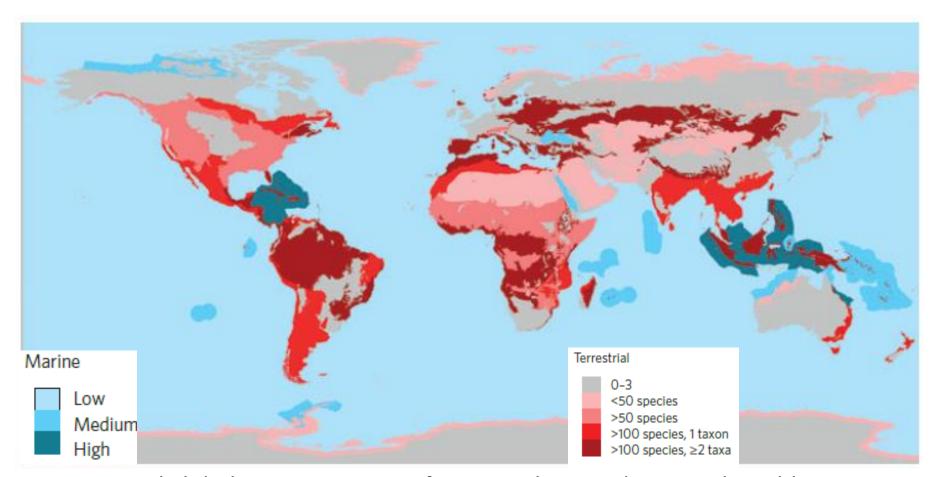
Summary

- Fishing, pollution, disease and habitat loss- likely to exacerbate Climate
 Change impacts.
- Understanding the response of species and ecosystems will be challenging but we can't wait for all the answers.
- There are many examples of planned adaptations or responses that industries can start to think about that will minimise impacts and maximise opportunities.
- Collaboration, engagement and good will is crucial.
- Industries that engage in adaptation will be ahead of the others!

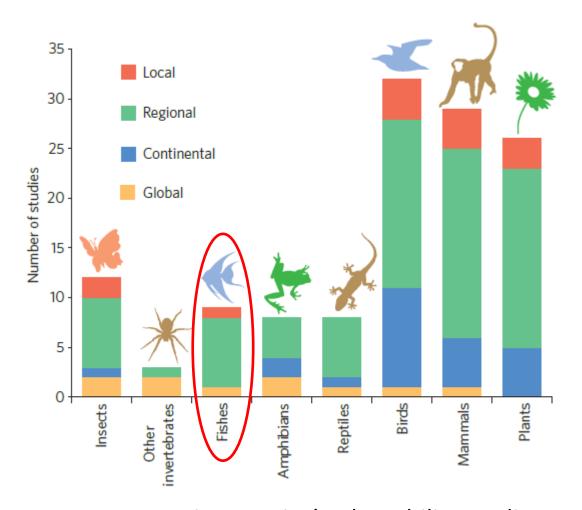
9. Local perception of change

10. Overview of different risk assessment approaches to Climate Change

Marine Climate Change vulnerable species



Ecoregional global concentrations of marine Climate Change vulnerable species.



Not many marine species' vulnerability studies

Currency to assess vulnerability

Distributional changes

Mechanistic models – relate environmental conditions to species' physiological data.

Correlative niche models - relate environmental conditions to species' occurrence data.

Population changes

Predictions of population trends based on direct observations, indices of abundance, or from declines in extent of occupied/suitable area.

Extinction probability

Using population viability analyses, demographic models, or evolutionary models on known life history characteristics.

Vulnerability indices

Quantitative indicators of the relative vulnerability of species.

Species' vulnerability assessment approaches

Approach

Correlative

projecting future distributions based on niche models, etc.

Mechanistic

laboratory and field observations, detailed and data intensive models

Trait-based

use biological characteristics as predictors of risk

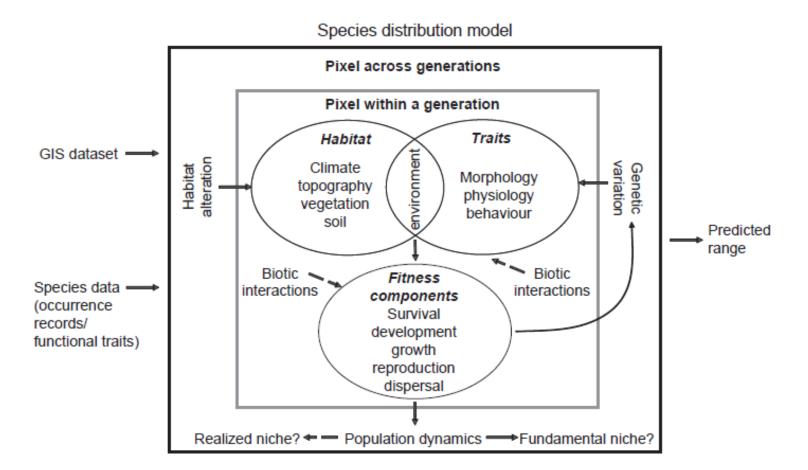
Comparison between approaches

Approach	Aim	Advantage	Disadvantage
Correlative	To represent the realized niche.	Applicable to a wide range of taxa at various spatial scales. Quick and cheap.	Climatic, algorithm, and biotic uncertainties. Not good for poorly known species.
Mechanistic	To represent the fundamental niche.	Provides a better approximation of the climatic space in which an organism can exist, compared with the correlative approaches. Can consider evolutionary changes and physiological responses.	Require detailed data that lack for most species. Uncertainty due to poor knowledge of model parameters (e.g. population abundance) and to combining data collected at different spatial resolutions. Do not account for non-climatic threats to dispersal or for biotic interactions

Comparison between approaches

Approach	Aim	Advantage	Disadvantage
ent	To use species' biological	Permit a relatively rapid assessment for multiple species.	Vulnerability thresholds associated with each trait are often unknown.
sessm	characteristic s as	Do not require extensive	Traits are weighted equally.
/ as:	predictors of	knowledge of modelling	Not possible to compare vulnerability
ility	extinction risk	techniques.	between taxonomic groups if using
nerab	due to Climate		different traits for each group.
vul	Change.		Uncertainty associated with the choice
sed th			of traits, parameterisation of
Trait-based vulnerability assessment approach			thresholds of associated vulnerability, and from gaps of knowledge of individual species' characteristics.

Niche modelling

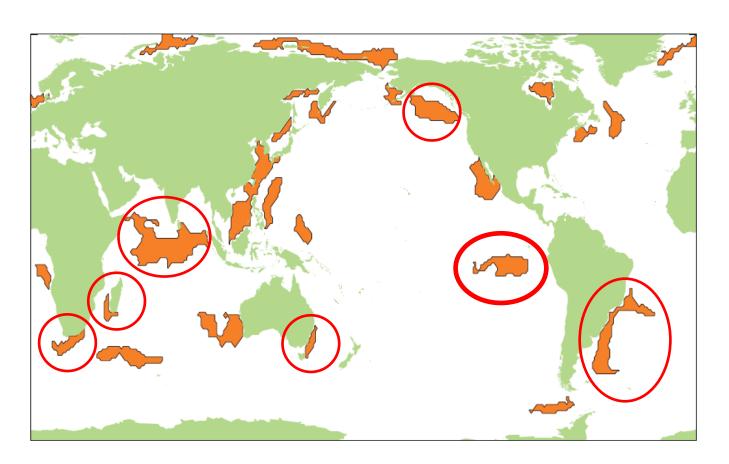


11-12. Assessment of fisheries species sensitivity to Climate Change

Species Sensitivity Assessment

Where?

- Regions with greatest concentration of sensitive species
- Most sensitive species within a particular region
- Priorities formonitoring, management action, further assessment, etc.

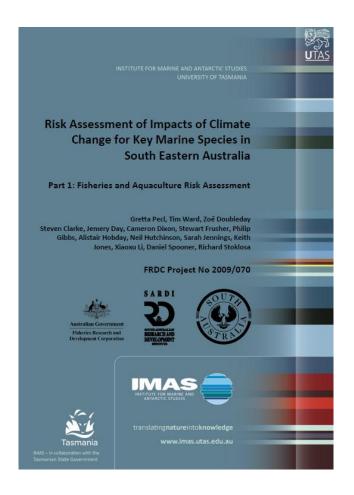


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Species selected for development of targeted adaptation strategies

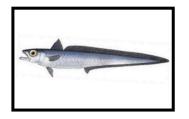
Abalone (H)



Southern rock lobster (H)



Blue grenadier (H)



Snapper (M)

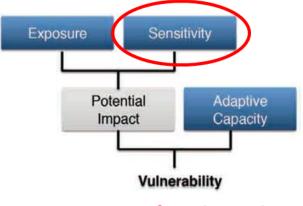


- Sensitivity High or medium risk to Climate Change impacts
- High commercial value and/or recreational importance
- Rock lobster and abalone considered potential ecological indicators for rocky reefs
- Snapper is an important component of the coastal fish assemblages that occur in the region's estuaries and large embayments
- Blue grenadier highest risk commonwealth species

- Likely to exhibit different responses
 - Declines in abundance
 - Shift in resource distribution at small (between communities) and large (between jurisdictions) spatial scales
 - Shifts in temporal patterns (timing of spawning/moulting)
 - Increases in abundance
- Different industry and sectoral features
- Different management systems

Trait-based approach for assessing species sensitivity

- Estimate sensitivity of species to climate change drivers based on:
 - ➤ ABUNDANCE measures of potential for biological productivity
 - Egg production?
 - Age at maturity?
 - > DISTRIBUTION measures of capacity to shift
 - Capacity for larval dispersal?
 - Thermal tolerance?

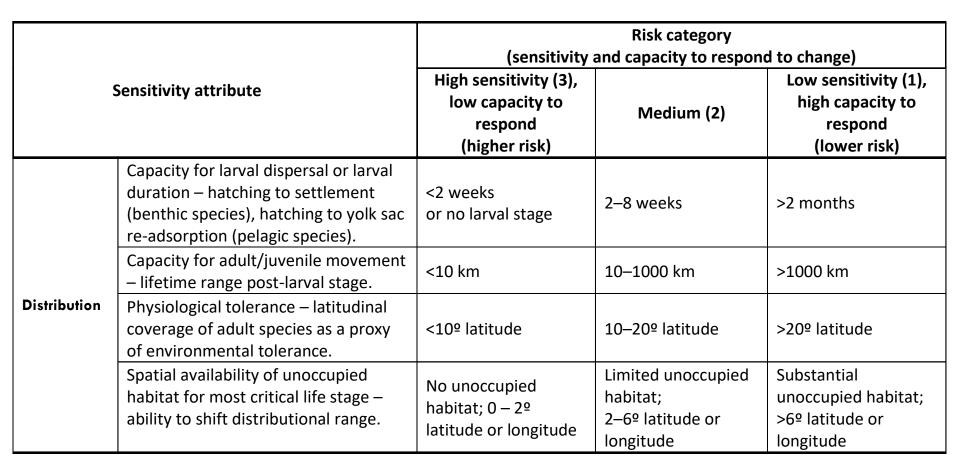


In context of **ecological** vulnerability only

- PHENOLOGY measures of potential impact on timing of life cycle events
 - Temperature as a cue for spawning or moulting?

			Risk category (sensitivity and capacity to respond to change)			
Sensitivity attribute		High sensitivity (3), low capacity to respond (higher risk)	Medium (2)	Low sensitivity (1), high capacity to respond (lower risk)		
	Fecundity – egg production	<100 eggs per year	100–20,000 eggs per year	>20,000 eggs per year		
Abundance	Recruitment period – successful recruitment event that sustains the abundance of the fishery.	Highly episodic recruitment event	Occasional and variable recruitment period	Consistent recruitment events every 1–2 years		
	Average age at maturity	>10 years	2–10 years	≤2 years		
	Generalist vs. specialist – food and habitat	Reliance on both habitat and prey	Reliance on either habitat or prey	Reliance on neither habitat or prey		

e.g. Distribution attribute – southern rock lobster





			Risk category			
		(sensitivity and capacity to respond to change)				
Sensitivity attribute		High sensitivity (3),		Low sensitivity (1),		
	Sensitivity attribute	low capacity to	Medium (2)	high capacity to		
		respond	Wiedidiii (2)	respond		
		(higher risk)		(lower risk)		
	Environmental variable as a phenological cue for spawning or breeding – cues include salinity, temperature, currents, & freshwater flows.	Strong correlation of spawning to environmental variable	Weak correlation of spawning to environmental variable	No apparent correlation of spawning to environmental variable		
Phenology	Environmental variable as a phenological cue for settlement or metamorphosis	Strong correlation to environmental variable Weak correlation to environmental	Weak correlation to environmental variable	No apparent correlation to environmental variable		
	Temporal mismatches of life-cycle events – duration of spawning, breeding or moulting season.	Brief duration; <2 months	Wide duration; 2–4 months	Continuous duration; >4 months		
	Migration (seasonal and spawning)	Migration is common for the whole population	Migration is common for some of the population	No migration		

Pecl et al., 2014

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	Capacity for larval dispersal or larval duration – hatching to settlement (benthic species), hatching to yolk sac re-adsorption (pelagic species).	<2 weeks or no larval stage	2–8 weeks	>2 months			
	Capacity for adult/juvenile movement – lifetime range post-larval stage.	<10 km	10–1000 km	>1000 km			
Distribution	Physiological tolerance – latitudinal coverage of adult species as a proxy of environmental tolerance.	<10º latitude	10–20º latitude	>20º latitude			
	Spatial availability of unoccupied habitat for most critical life stage – ability to shift distributional range.	No unoccupied habitat; 0 – 2º latitude or longitude	Limited unoccupied habitat; 2–6º latitude or longitude	Substantial unoccupied habitat; >6º latitude or longitude			

(3+3+3+1)/4 = 2.5 (scores for each attribute added and totals ranked)

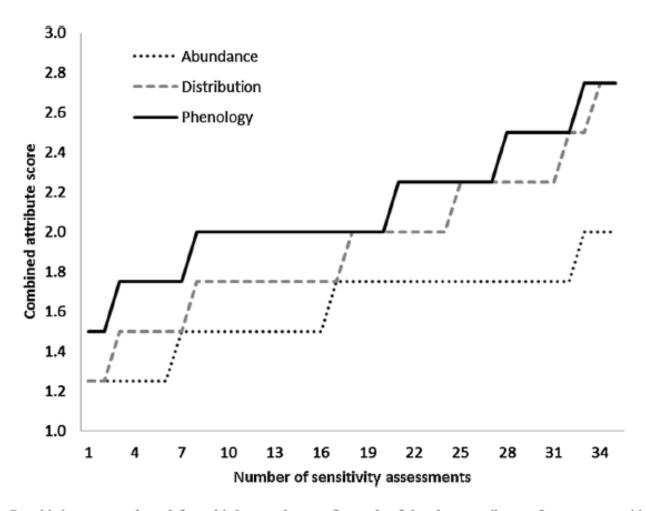


Fig. 1 Sensitivity scores plotted from highest to lowest for each of the three attributes. 3 = most sensitive/high risk, 1 = least sensitive/low risk. See Table 2 for the criteria used to define each attribute

Relative sensitivity rankings – South East Australia

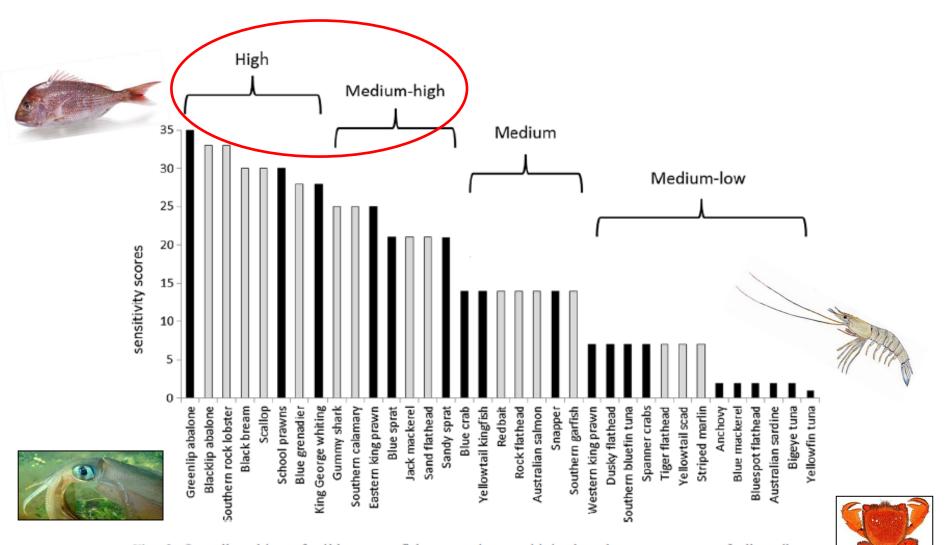
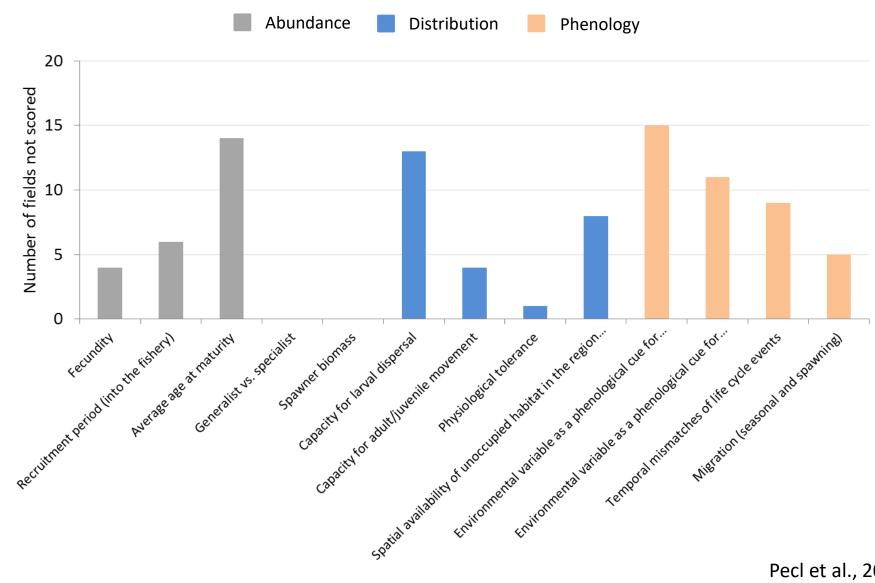


Fig. 2 Overall ranking of wild capture fishery species sensitivity based on an average of all attributes (distribution, abundance and phenology). Black columns = species which are predicted to undergo a range extension; grey columns = species which are predicted to undergo a range contraction

Data quality score?

Data Quality Score	Description
3	Adequate Data: The score is based on data which have been observed, modeled or empirically measured for the species in question and comes from a reputable source.
2	Limited Data: The score is based on data which has a higher degree of uncertainty. The data used to score the attribute may be based on related or similar species, come from outside the study area, or the reliability of the source may be limited.
1	Expert Judgment: The attribute score reflects the expert judgment of the reviewer and is based on their general knowledge of the species, or other related species, and their relative role in the ecosystem.
0	No Data: No information to base an attribute score on. Very little is known about the species or related species and there is no basis for forming an expert opinion.

Data obtained/missing



Weaknesses?

- Precise sensitivity thresholds with each trait unknown
- Traits are weighted equally
- Choice of traits
- Needs expert review!
- Not made with all potential species in mind

Strengths?

- Transparent
- Repeatable
- Can work with data poor and expert opinion
- Rapid assessment
- Prioritise

Other potential improvements

- Incorporating uncertainty
 - Scored by multiple experts
 - Experts use 'tallies' per attribute
- Consider level of other stressors
- Check for general agreement but with rapid approach and modelling outcomes







Approach in Madagascar

- Spawner biomass field added
- Obtained largely from IUCN list

Attribute		Category		
		Low sensitivity (1), high capacity to respond (lower risk)	Medium (2)	High sensitivity (3), low capacity to respond (higher risk)
Abundance	Fecundity – egg production	>20,000 eggs	100–20,000 eggs	<100 eggs
		per year	per year	per year
	Recruitment period – successful recruitment event that sustains the abundance of the fishery.	llansistent recruitment events	Occasional and variable recruitment period	Highly episodic recruitment event
	Average age at maturity	≤2 years	2–10 years	>10 years
	Spawner biomass	robust	uncertain/vulnerable	threatened
	Generalist vs. specialist – food and habitat		Reliance on either habitat or prey	Reliance on both habitat and prey

Adaptations on Australian method



RESEARCH ARTICLE

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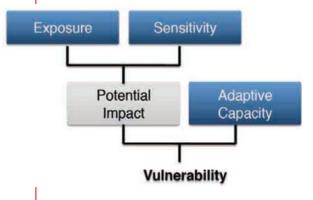


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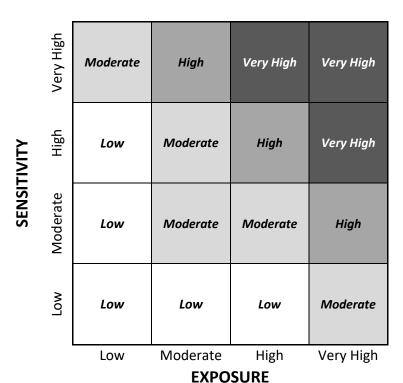
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Looked at EXPOSURE and SENSITIVITY

Table 3. Logic rules for determining each species' sensitivity and exposure component scores.

Component Score	Scoring Criteria
Very High	3 or more mean attribute or factor scores ≥ 3.5
High	2 or more mean attribute or factor scores ≥ 3.0
Moderate	2 or more mean attribute or factor scores ≥ 2.5
Low	Less than 2 or more mean attribute or factor scores ≥ 2.5



- Rather than averaging fields within 'distribution', 'abundance' and 'phenology' - use 'logistic' model
- Incorporate 'exposure' elements as well as 'sensitivity'

Matrix for combining 'exposure' and 'sensitivity' and arriving at final species designation

Range shift specific assessment

- For species with room to shift south
 - based on Fishbase maps
- Range extension edge only (not contracting edge)
- Sunday et al., (2015)
 - Tested role of traits and climate velocity on rate of range extensions
 - Including traits doubled ability to explain variation
 - Adult mobility (benthic, <10km, 10-100, 100-1000, 1000+)
 - Trophic level (3-4 levels)
 - Latitudinal range size (look at literature, spilt into 4 categories)





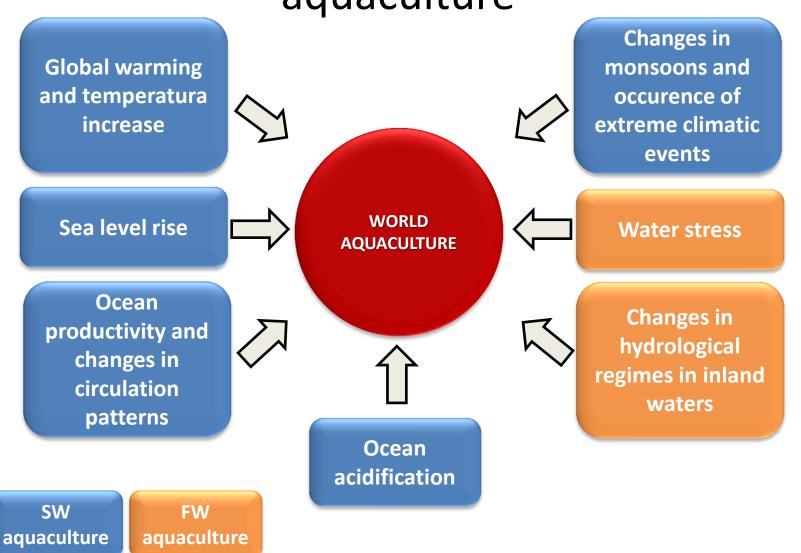




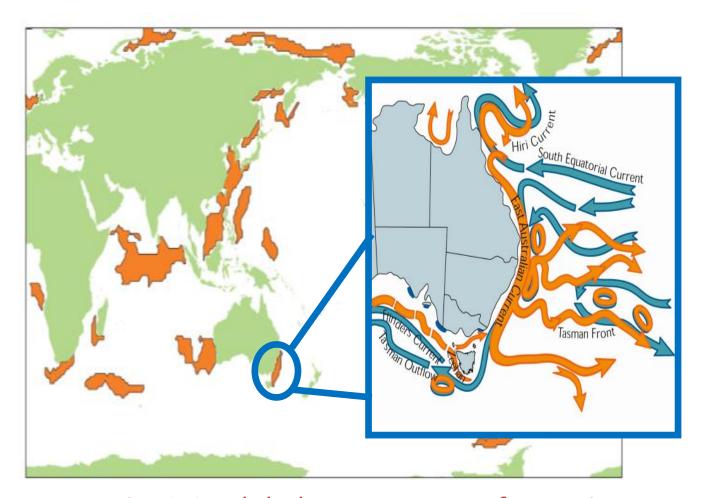
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14-15. Assessment of aquaculture species sensitivity to Climate Change

Physical impacts of climate change on world aquaculture



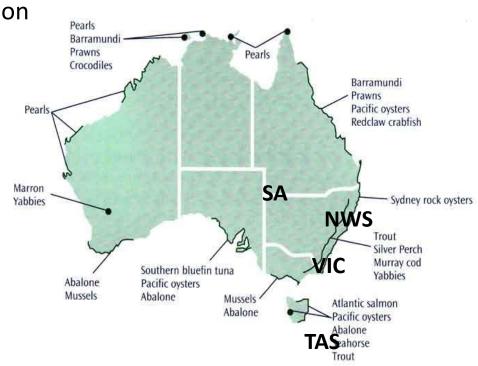
Ocean warming hotspots - the top 10% for rate of warming



Tasmania: 3.8x global average rate of warming

Part 1 – Background

- South east Australia as a hotspot region
- 4 states: NSW, TAS, SA and VIC
- 74% total value of aquaculture
- 30% sea food production
- Two main aquaculture groups:
- Finfish
- Shellfish





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Part 2 – The risk assessment approach

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- Trait-based
 - use biological characteristics as predictors of risk

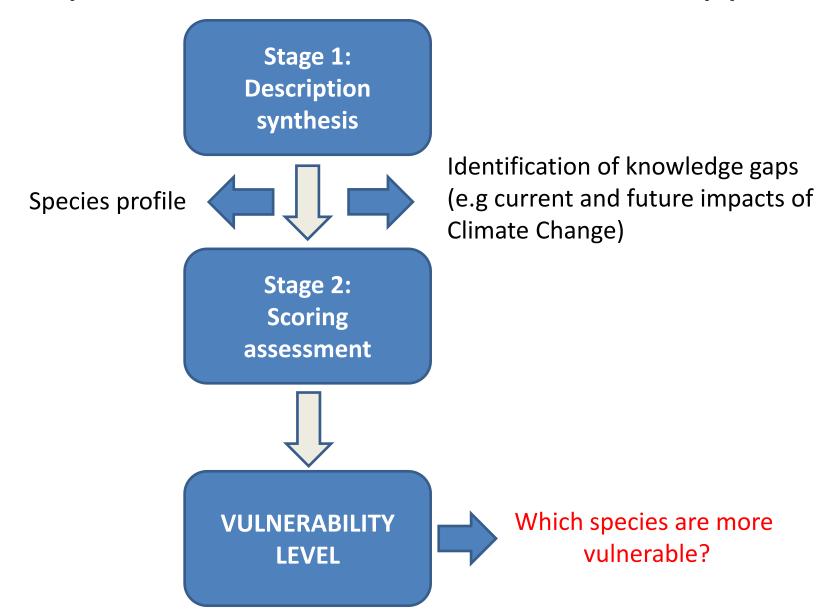
Diversity:

- Data requirements
- Spatial and temporal scales of application
- Modelling methods
- Uncertainty/limitations





Components of the risk assessment approach



Part 3.1 - Species profiles

Table 1. Species selected for risk assessment analysis. A: adults; B: broodstock; L: larvae; S: spat; J: juveniles. Monetary values from the 2009/2010 financial year (ABARE 2011, Econsearch 2011); farming regions include commercial-level operations in the south-east region of Australia

		Value (AUS\$, in millions)	Farming methods	Farming regions
Abalone - Blacklip - Greenlip - Tiger	Haliotis spp. H. rubra H. laevigata A hybrid of the 2 species	15	Hatchery (B, L, S); land-based tanks and raceways or sea cages (A)	South Australia, Victoria, Tasmania
Atlantic salmon	Salmo salar	362	Hatchery (B, fry, parr); brackish and marine sea cages (smolts, A)	Tasmania
Blue mussel	Mytilus galloprovincialis	8	Hatchery (B, L, S) or collection from wild using longlines (S); longlines (A)	South Australia, Victoria, Tasmania
Pacific oyster	Crassostrea gigas	56	Hatchery (B, L, S); intertidal baskets (A)	South Australia, New South Wales, Tasmania
Southern bluefin tuna	Thunnus maccoyii	102	Hatchery (L) (production limited, currently in research and develop- ment stage); collection from wild, sea-ranching (J, A)	South Australia
Sydney rock oyster	Saccostrea glomerata	43	Hatchery (B, L, S) or collection from wild using stick culture (S); stick or tray culture (A)	New South Wales
Yellowtail kingfish	Seriola lalandi	27	Hatchery (B, L, J); marine sea cages (A)	South Australia











Part 3.2 - Scoring assessment



- The study is based on 9 biological attributes and farming methods encompassing all basic farming and life-history stages.
- It is key to have a strong knowledge on the main aquaculture trait of species.
- Source of information: scientists, experts from aquaculture industry, stakeholders, etc.

Part 3.2 - Scoring assessment

Table 2.2: Attributes and risk categories used assess level of sensitivity to climate change for aquaculture species in south-eastern Australia.

Attributes	Risk category (level of sensitivity)						
	Low risk (1)	Medium risk (2)	High risk (3)				
Broodstock availability & conditioning – degree of environmental control	Broodstock are completely aquacultured, held at-sea or in indoor growout conditions; increased use of selective breeding		Breed in the wild				
2. Spawning & fertilisation — degree of difficulty and environmental control	Occurs in a fully controlled environment; spawning triggers well known; easy to hold large numbers of broodstock and/or differentiate their sex	Occurs in a fully controlled environment; spawning triggers are poorly known; difficult to hold large numbers of broodstock and/or differentiate their sex	Occurs naturally in the wild				
3. Larval rearing — degree of complexity and environmental control	Occurs in fully controlled environment; few larval steps or stages; no live feeds required	Occurs in a fully controlled environment; longer or more complex series of steps during larval development; live feeds required	Occurs naturally in the wild				
4. Juvenile rearing (to stage stocked into growout system) — degree of complexity and environmental control	Occurs in a fully controlled environment; manufactured feeds required	Occurs in a partially controlled environment; some natural feeds required	Occurs naturally in the wild				
5. Growout: connectivity to natural environment – degree of environmental control	Almost fully closed, highly controlled environmental system (e.g. intensive recirculation system)	Partially closed and environmentally controlled system (e.g. ponds, tanks, raceways)	Open system in the natural environment (e.g. sea cages, longlines)				
6. Growout: availability of alternative farm sites & systems — capacity to relocate farm site or use of alternative farming system Readily identifiable alternative farm areas, some which may already have been allocated for another form of aquaculture		Some potential to move to alternative sites, but requires new area to be allocated through the relevant resource allocation process, or to use alternative farming systems	No identifiable potential for alternative sites or changed farming systems				

Part 4 - Attributes and risk assessment categories

7. Growout: feed – wild verses manufactured sources; frequency of manual feeding	Manufactured feeds used	Live feeds from wild, used but with some capacity to vary species or use manufactured feeds	Natural productivity
8. Growout: farm operations — level of exposure to the natural environment and environmental extremes	Full farm cycle and infrastructure onshore, readily accessible and not subject to environmental extremes	Part of farming cycle in areas subject to occasional flooding, king tides or storm damage, but generally easy to access with good environmental conditions	Full farm cycle at sea requiring frequent site visitation in a challenging operating environment (e.g. sea and swell conditions)
9. Growout: diseases and pests – management and susceptibility	Published papers on diseases/pests suggesting some natural resistance and no existing major disease/pest issue(s)	Published papers on diseases/pests suggesting some natural disease resistance, but with some existing disease/pest issue(s) that are being managed	Extensive documented disease and pest issues for farmed taxa/related taxa and current major disease/pest issue(s) that are not well managed and likely to be exacerbated by climate change

Brood stock availability

Table 3. Example scoring for land-based abalone risk assessment with explanation for each score provided. The risk score is the sensitivity score (see Table 2) multiplied by the impact score (mild negative impact, positive impact, or no impact anticipated [0]; moderate negative impact or level of impact unknown [1] and strong negative impact [2]); the total risk score is the sum of risk scores. Attributes are detailed in Table 2. Similar scoring tables were developed for each species under assessment (see Appendix 1)

availability	
Spawning	Attri- bute
fertilization	1
Larval	2
rearing	- 3
Juvenile	4
rearing	**
	5
Grow out – degree	
of environmental	6
control	7
Growout –	8
farm sites	0
Growout	9
- feed	

Attri- bute	Score	e Explanation	Score		Risk score
1	2	Broodstock collected from the wild, but increasingly being held in the aquaculture system	1	Slightly extended temperature-controlling period during summer	2
2	1	Spawning occurs in fully controlled environment	1	Level of impact unknown	1
3	1	Larval rearing occurs in fully controlled environment	2	Strong negative impacts of seawater acidification on larval development	2
4	2	Juvenile rearing occurs in a partially controlled environment	2	Strong negative impacts of increased intensity and duration of high temperature	4
5	2	Growout occurs in partially controlled environment	2	Strong negative impacts of increased intensity and duration of high temperature	4
6	2	Some potential to move to alternative sites or use alternative farming systems	1	Level of impact unknown	2
7	1	Manufactured feeds used feeding practices	1	Mild impacts on feed storage, transportation and	1
8	1	Full farm cycle and infrastructure are onshore and readily accessible	0	Limited impacts on farming facilities and their accessibilities	0
9	3	temperature-related disease impacts are already occurring in summer on many farms	2	Increased intensity and duration of disease impacts	6
				Total risk so	ore 22

Growout – farm operations

Growout – diseases and pests

Relative sensitivity ranking - aquaculture

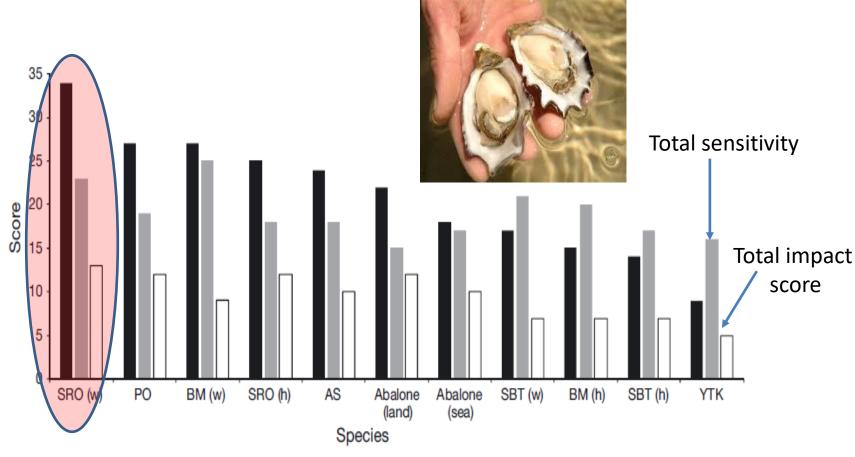


Fig. 2. Total risk scores for each species and farming system (black columns), ordered from high risk to low risk. Total sensitivity (grey columns) and total impact scores (white columns) are also displayed. Data chart of all scores is presented in Appendix 1. SRO: Sydney rock oyster; PO: Pacific oyster; BM: blue mussel; AS: Atlantic salmon; SBT: southern bluefin tuna; YTK: yellowtail kingfish; w: juveniles or spat sourced from the wild; h: spat produced in hatcheries

Gaps in knowledge – always present!

Table 5. Summary of data gaps (*) as collated from individual species profiles (Stage 1 of the risk assessment). Ab: abalone; PO: Pacific oyster; AS = Atlantic salmon; SBT: southern bluefin tuna; YTK: yellowtail kingfish; BM: blue mussel; SRO: Sydney rock oyster

Data gap	Ab	РО	AS	SBT	YTK	BM	SRO
Ability of selective breeding and/or genetic variation to counteract impacts of climate change	٠	٠		٠	٠	٠	•
Fine-scale climate change modelling and monitoring relevant to aquaculture farms	*	*	*	*			•
Impacts of climate change on inter-specific interactions which may affect performance and survival (e.g. pest, fouling and pathogenic species)	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Impacts of climate change on the species' physiology and immunology	*	*	*	*			
Impacts of ocean acidification	*		*	*			
Precise cause of summer mortality	*	*					
Effect of elevated temperature on vaccine efficacy			*				
General biology and impacts of climate change on wild populations						•	

Main aquaculture species in Peru

Langostino



MARINE SPECIES

Concha de Abanico



FRESHWATER SPECIES

Trucha



Tilapia

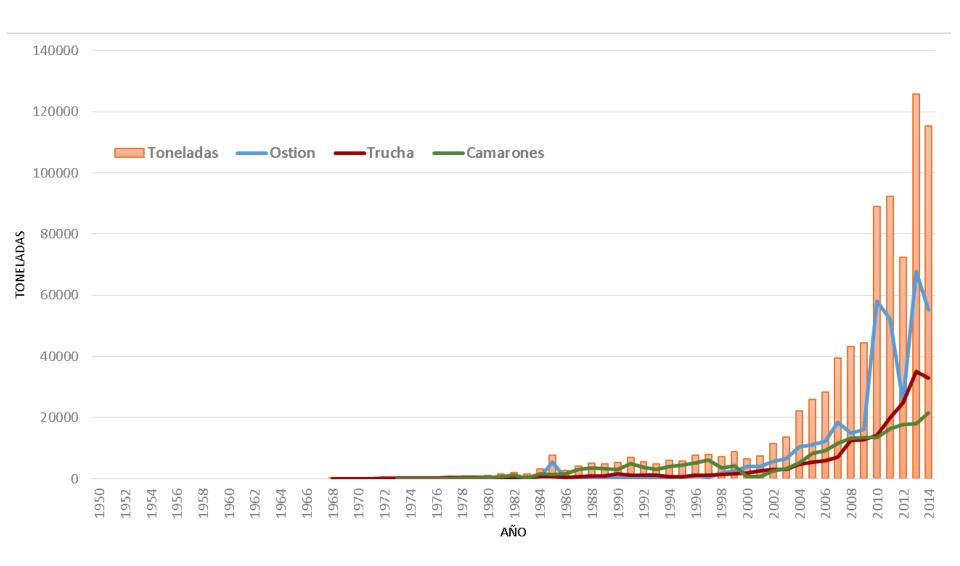


Paiche



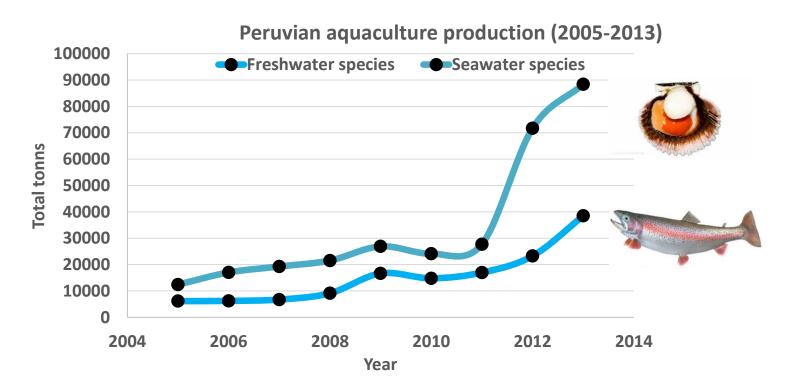
Arapaima gigas

Aquaculture production in Peru (1950-2014)

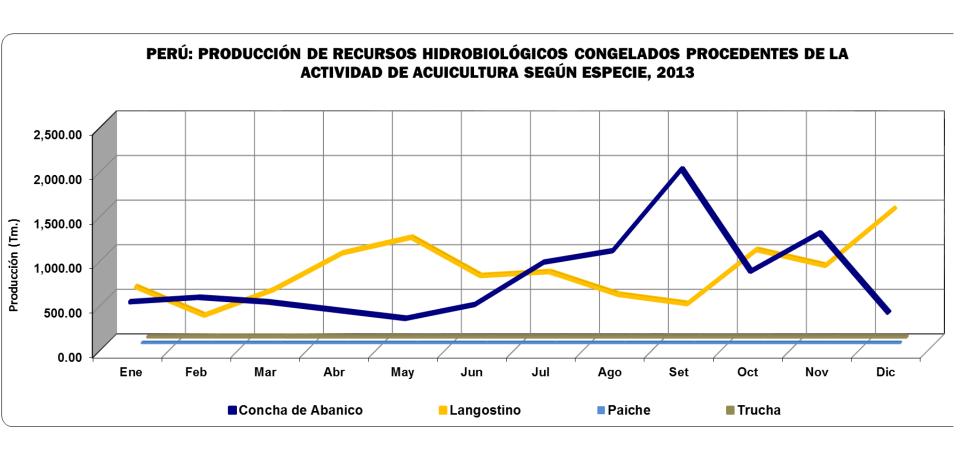


Source: PRODUCE

- There are three aquaculture production levels in Peru for farming site permits:
- **Subsistence aquaculture:** < 2 tons per year, with 10 years of permit.
- **Small scale aquaculture:** 2-50 tons per year, with 15 years of permit. Alevin production farms are included in this category.
- Large scale aquaculture: > 50 tons per year, with 30 years of permit.

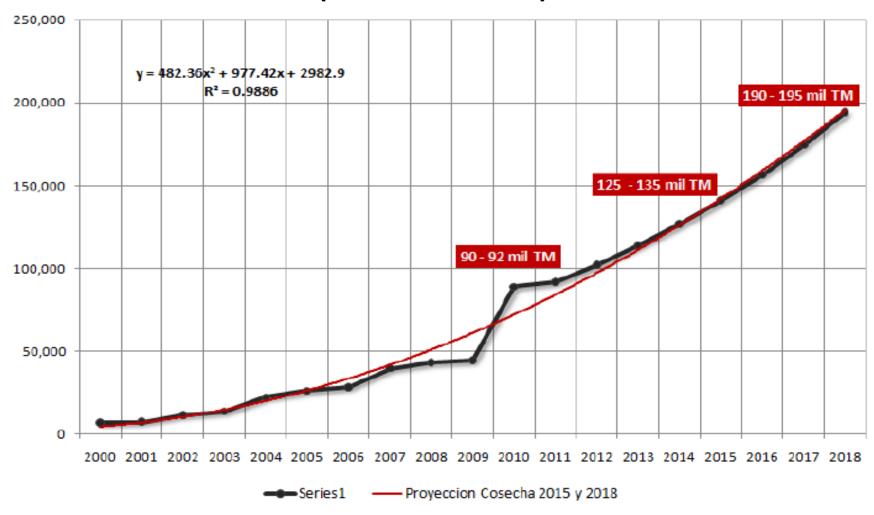


Seasonal trends in aquaculture production in Peru, 2013



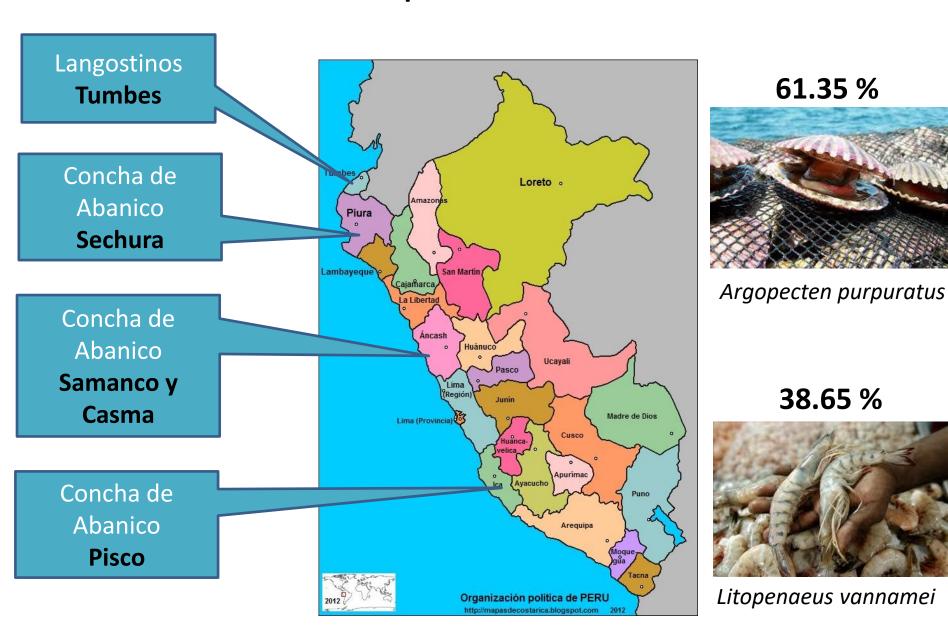
Fuente: Produce

Projections of Peruvian aquaculture (2000-2018)

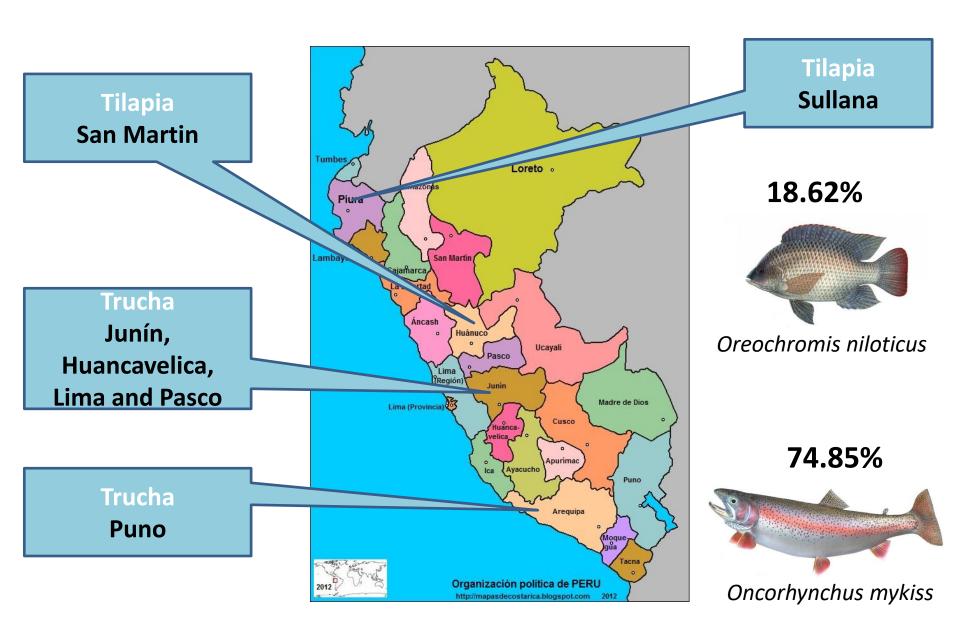


Fuente: Informe: Panorama de la Acuicultura Mundial, en América Latina y el Caribe y en el Perú DGCHD-Dirección de Acuicultura – Ministerio de la Producción

Marine aquaculture in Peru



Freshwater aquaculture in Peru



Minor freshwater species

Gamitana, Paco, Sábalo, Paiche and Ornamental fishes

Loreto, Ucayali, M. de Dios and San Martin



Arapaima gigas





Concha de abanico



- Two culture systems: on-bottom and off-bottom (suspended, pearl nets).
- Seeds from natural banks and hatchery.
- Production depends on key factors such as food, temperature and dissolved oxygen (DO).
- ENSO events can impact scallop productivity by modifying these key factors.

Impacts from climate change are unclear, but it could be expected (*):

- Physiological challenges from rising of SST, lowering of DO and salinity changes.
- Morphological challenges from ocean acidification (e.g. shell structure/shape).
- Infrastructure damage from extreme events, changes in winds, waves and currents.



 Risk of spreading diseases and plagues from extreme events, increasing risk of mortality.

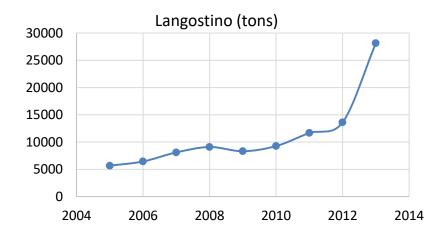
Langostino

- 'Seeds' imported from Equator
- Two hatcheries in Peru (post-larval stage)
- Extensive, semi-intensive and intensive production

Impacts from climate change are unclear, but we could expect:

- Physiological challenges from rising SST, decreasing DO, and salinity changes.
- Infrastructure damage from extreme events, changes in winds, waves and currents.
- Risk of spreading diseases and plagues from extreme events, increasing risk of mortality.

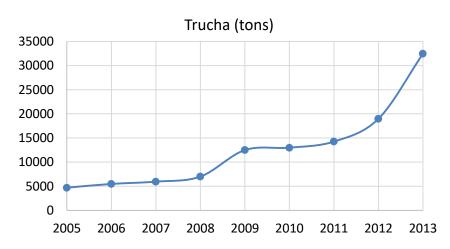


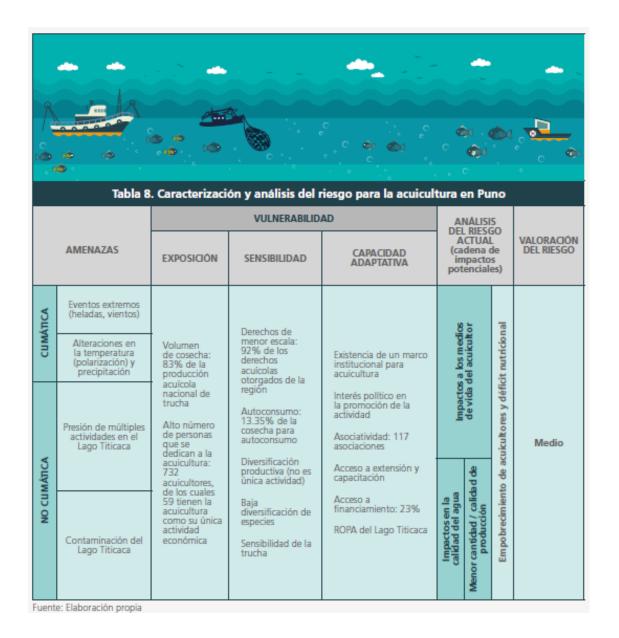


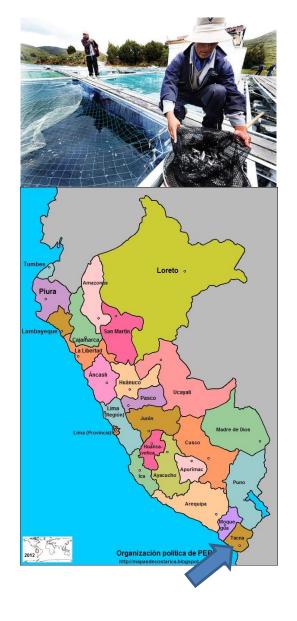
Trucha



- Semi-intensive and intensive production systems.
- FW land-based facilities and floating cages.
- Format: mostly pan size, but also 'Truchon'.
- Trout farming occurs mainly in Andean lakes (e.g. Titicaca).
- Inlet waters from rivers and mountain snow.
- Egg ('ovas') importation from EEUU (80%), Denmark and other countries.
- Over the last years trout production has rapidly increased.
- Trout production in Puno has been preliminary examined as case study of climate change effects.





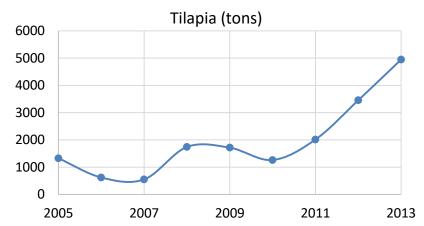


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Tilapia

- Introduced in Peru in 1970's.
- Production in extensive, semi-intensive and intensive systems (tanks and floating cages).
- Total farms: 668 (476 are from subsistence).
- Monoculture, but also polyculture (paco, gamitana and paiche).
- Water inlets of FW land-based farms include rivers and dams.
- Technology has improve local production.

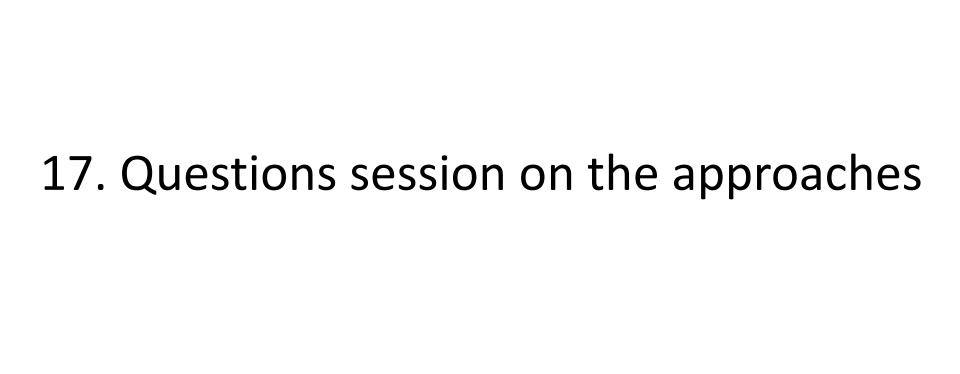




Impacts from climate change are unclear, but we could expect:

- Water supply for inland farms by changes in water quantity/quality.
- Key water quality parameters (DO, pH, alkalinity) can be altered, impacting tilapia physiology and productive outputs.

16. Discussion on the assessment of aquaculture species sensitivity to Climate Change



18. Workshop on the assessment of fisheries species sensitivity to Climate Change

19. Workshop on the assessment of aquaculture species sensitivity to Climate Change