

THE TORNABENE LAB AND SPECIATION IN THE PLEURONECTIDAE (FLATFISH)

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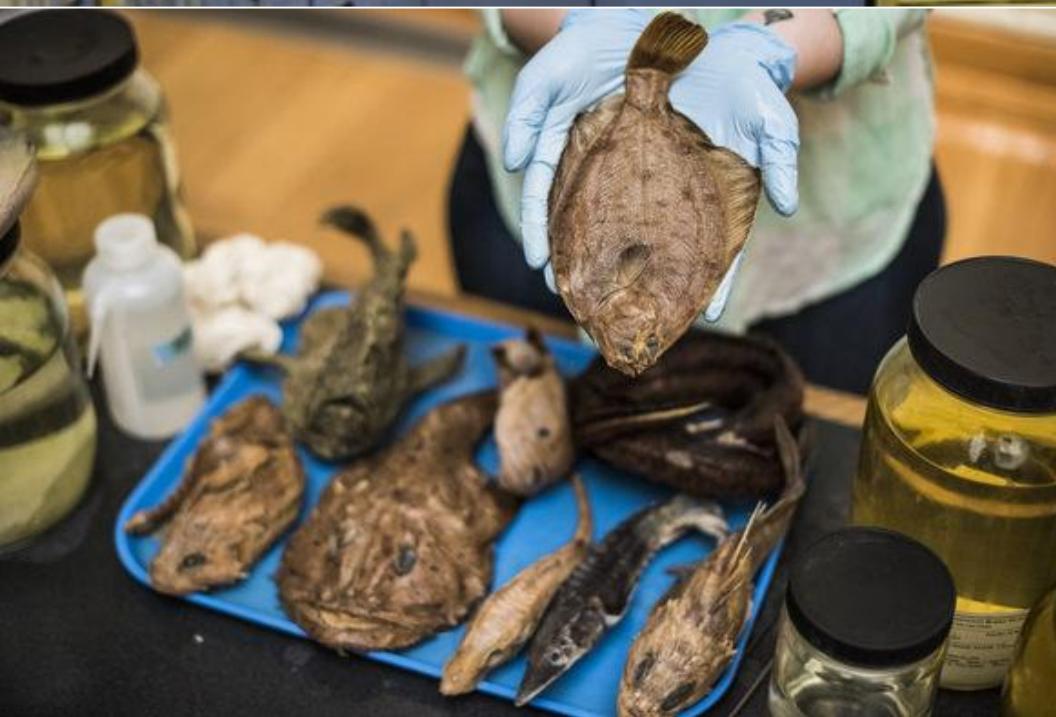


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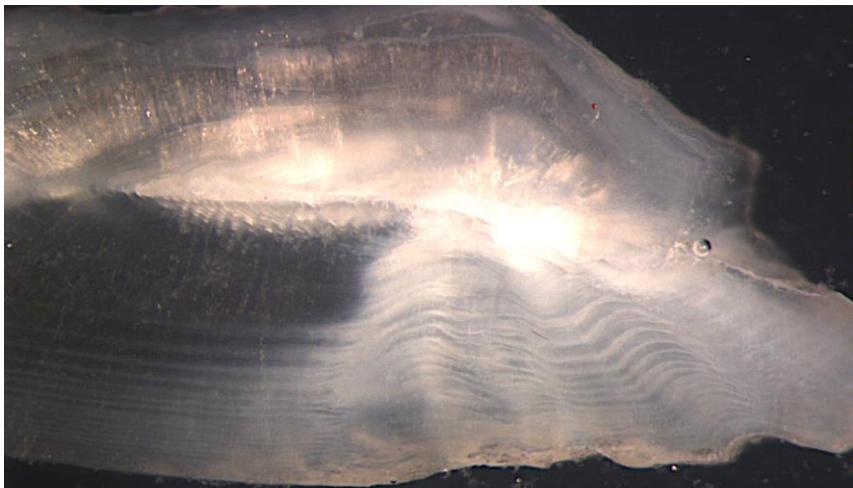
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Fish Collection

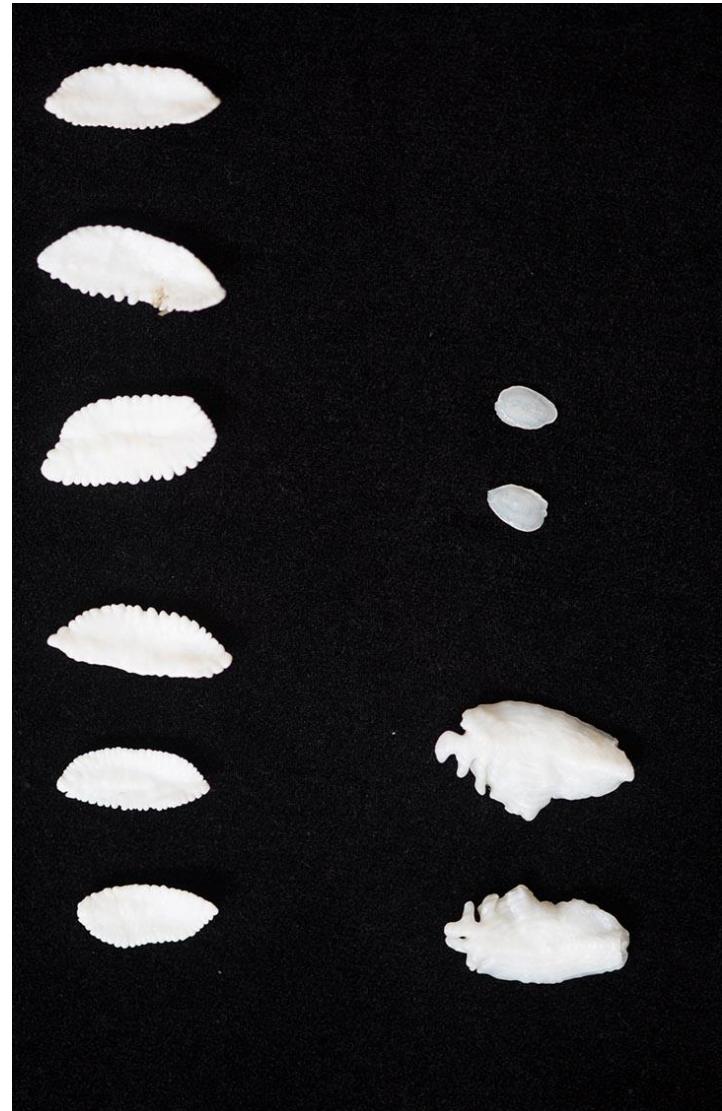


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- 12.7 million specimens total
 - ~9 million eggs and larvae
 - ~2.5 million otolith pairs
 - 800,000 salmon scale samples
 - 400,000 adults and juveniles
 - 4100 species
 - 300 families
 - 0,000 tissue samples
- Focus on Northeast Pacific fishes
- Can search for specimens at:
<http://www.burkemuseum.org/research-and-collections/ichthyology/collections/database/search.php>



SEARCH



BLOG



EXPLORE

Ichthyology Collections Database

BASIC SEARCH ADVANCED SEARCH SEARCH HELP FIELD DESCRIPTIONS

You are accessing 187045 specimen records, updated last on September 7th, 2018

Field	Operator	Search Value
Family:	equals	
Genus (<a>Show List):	equals	atheresthes
Species (<a>Show List):	equals	stomias
Common Name (<a>Show List):	contains	
Catalog number :	contains	
Field number :	contains	
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Date Collected:	(mm)	(yyyy)

Search For: All Records Records with Tissue Samples

Collection to Search: Adult Larval (elh) Skeleton All

Return: List of All Records Map of All Records

Group Returned Records by: Sort by: Scientific Name

Records per Page: 10 20 50 100

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Can also search
using



<https://www.idigbio.org>

and...



<http://www.fishnet2.net>

Criteria: All records where Genus equals 'atheresthes' and Species equals 'stomias'

Returned: 2175 Records on 44 Pages with Records Per Page

Sorted by [Scientific Name](#) 

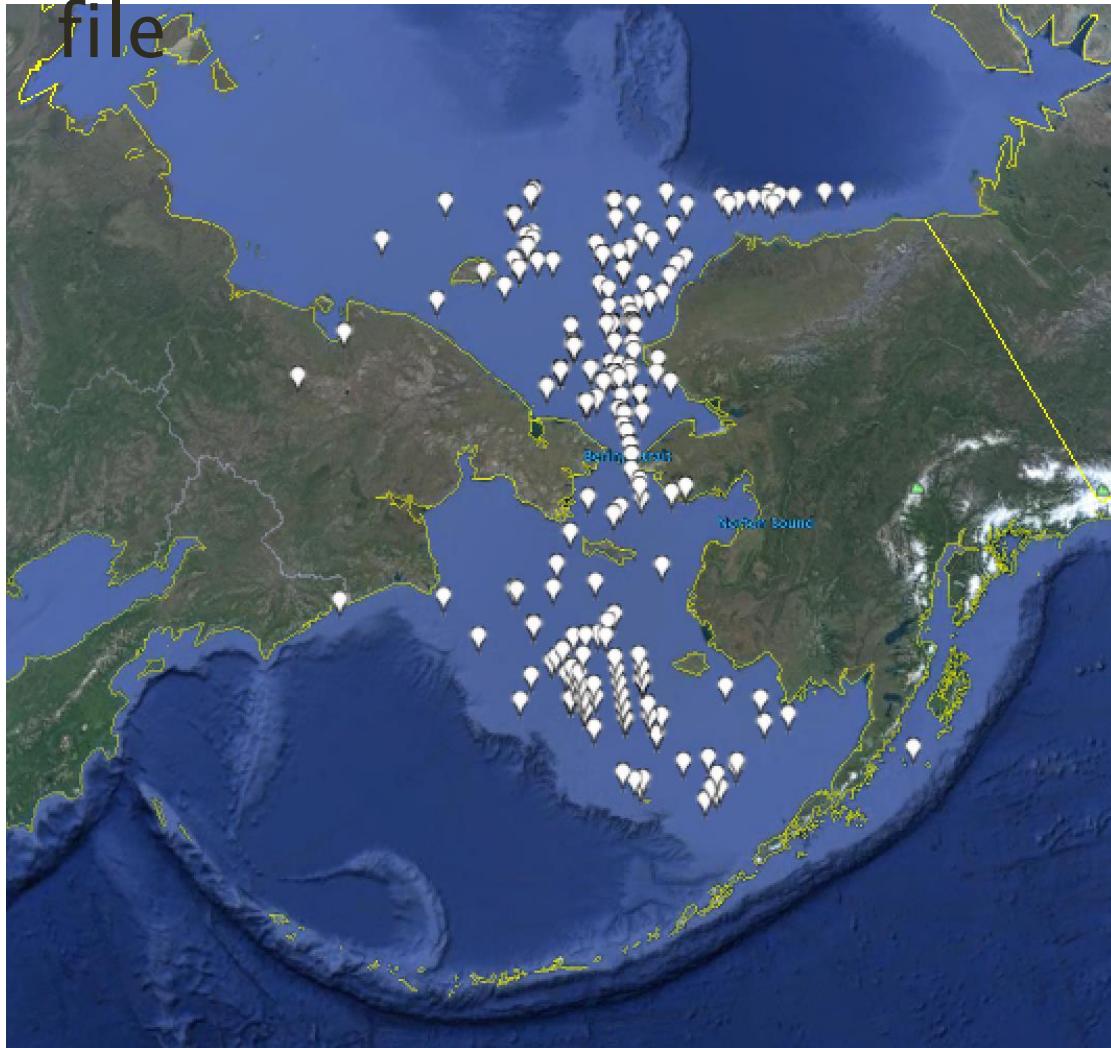
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Catalog Number	Family	Genus	Species	Region	Date Collected
UW 109329	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/28/1998
UW 86328	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	7/30/1991
UW 168619	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/25/2006
UW 169383	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/25/2004
UW 128261	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/15/2001
UW 50073	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	3/7/1979
UW 52549	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/9/1990
UW 57174	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	3/25/1981
UW 61898	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/29/1989
UW 106312	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/10/1996
UW 106422	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/27/1996
UW 70052	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/13/1978
UW 109330	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/29/1998
UW 169384	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/25/2004
UW 35522	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/13/1987
UW 37758	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/3/1988
UW 36238	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	5/24/1983
UW 37266	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/14/1982
UW 37778	PLEURONECTIDAE	ATHERESTHES	STOMIAS	EASTERN NORTH PACIFIC	4/4/1988
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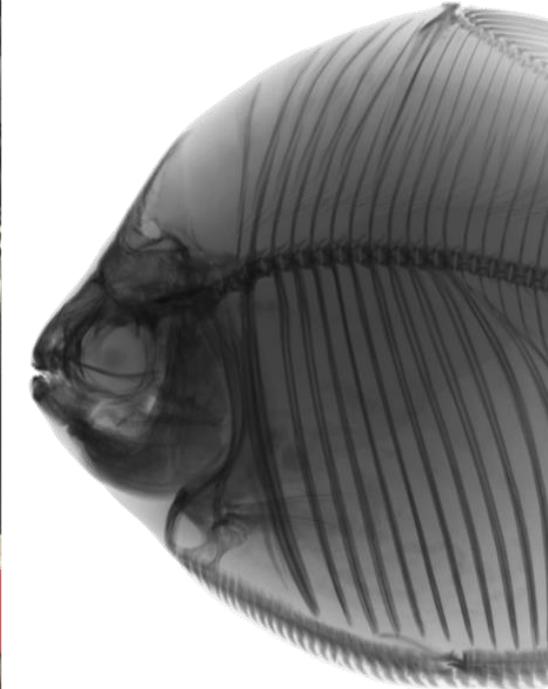
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BACKGROUND

--- Before Grad School ---

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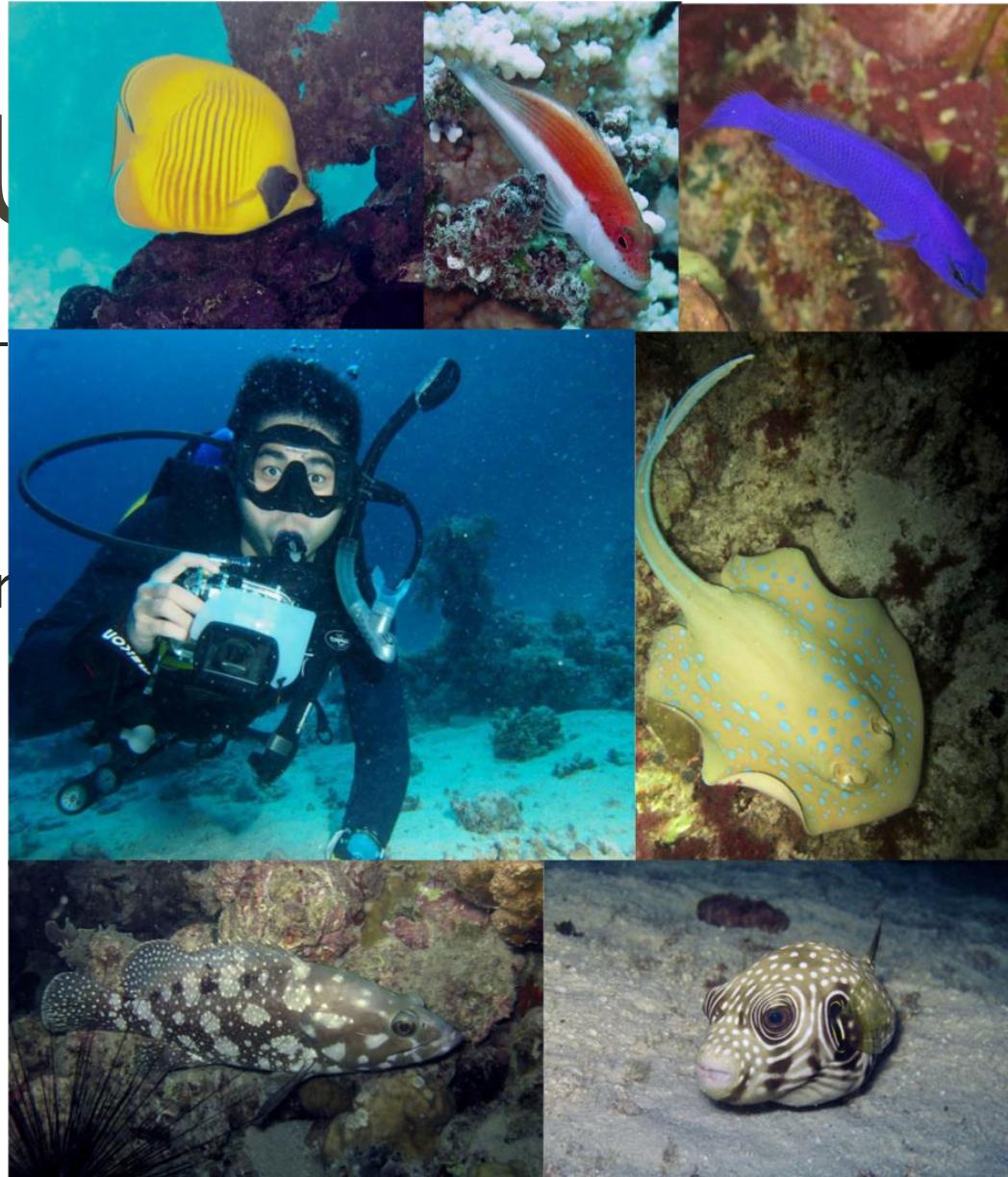
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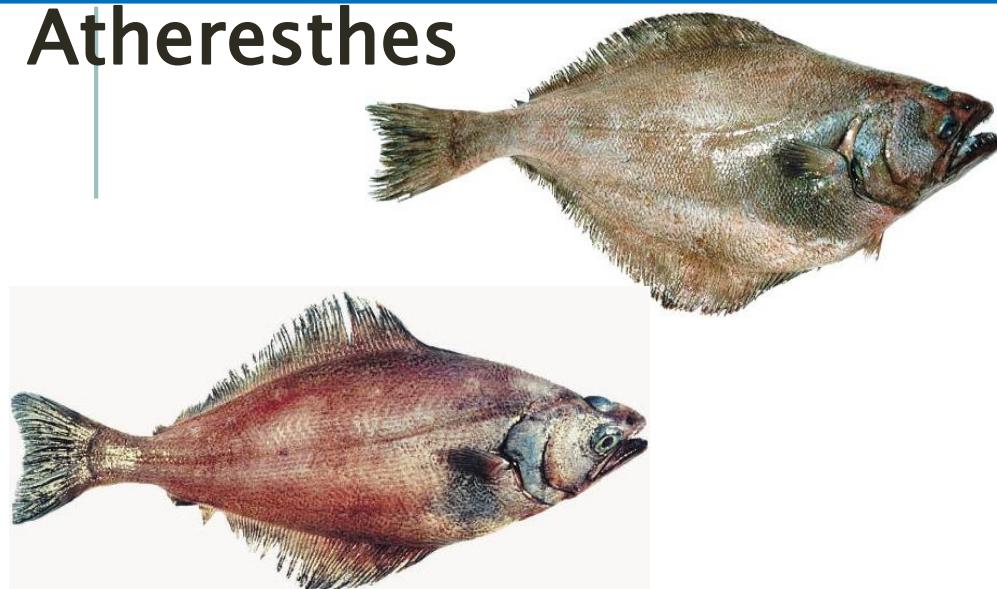
--- Grad School (Now) ---

Phylogenetics of flatfish
(Pleuronectidae)

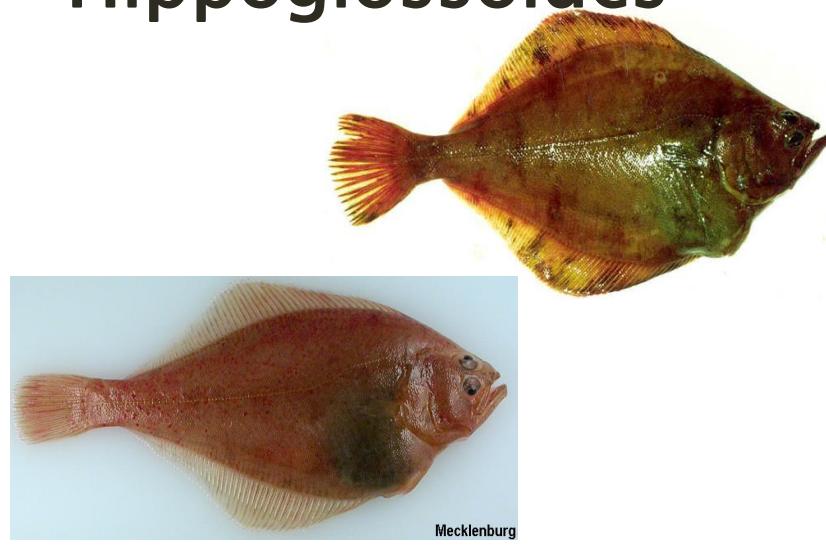


4 Sister Species Pairs

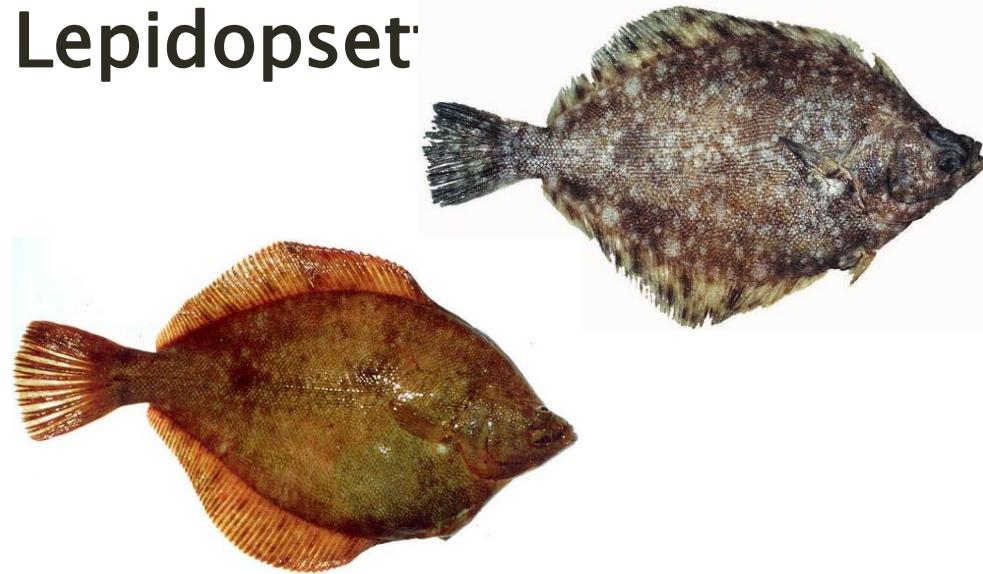
Atheresthes



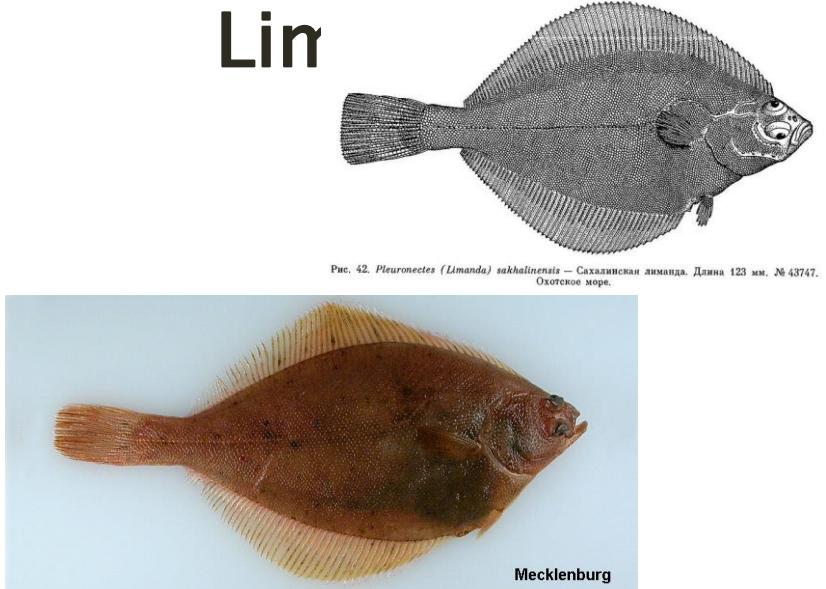
Hippoglossoides



Lepidopset



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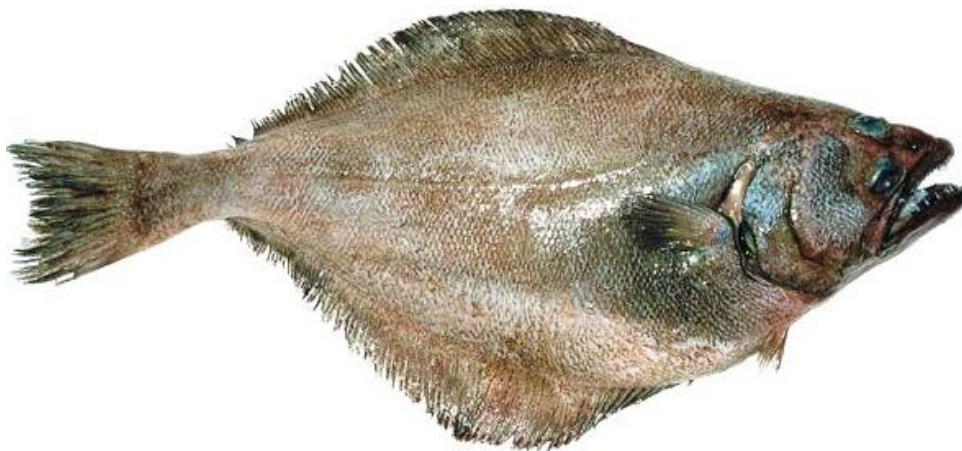


HOW DID SPECIATION OCCUR?

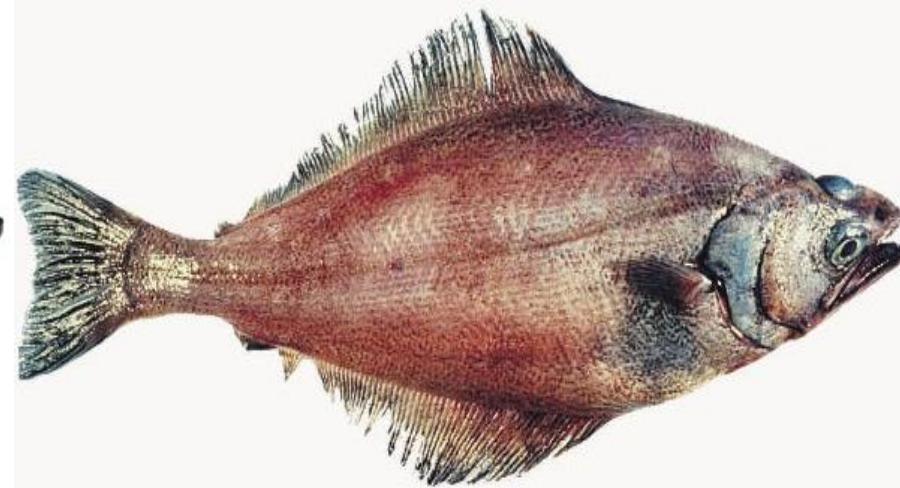
- Speciation is the result of genetic isolation and time.
- Allopatric speciation occurs from separation across a physical barrier.
- Flatfish are very mobile and live in the same homogenous habitat. There is no physical barrier? Did a barrier exist in the past?
- Other modes of speciation (sympatric/parapatric)?

SCENARIOS

1. Sympatric or Parapatric Speciation



Atheresthes evermanni
Arrow-tooth Flounder



Atheresthes stoma
Kamchatka Flounder

Juvenile Diet



Larval Fish

Juvenile Diet



Euphausid (Krill)



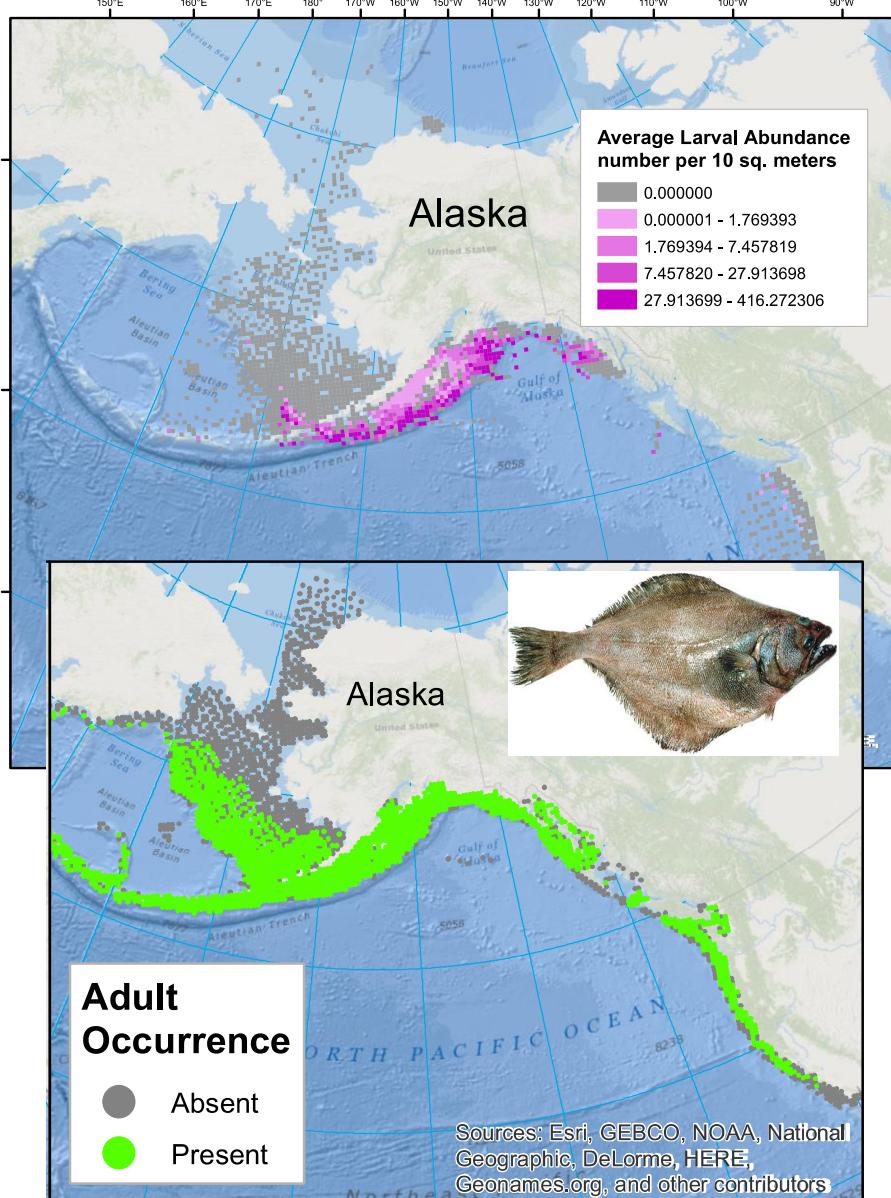
Larval

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2. **Geographic separation of breeding aggregations**

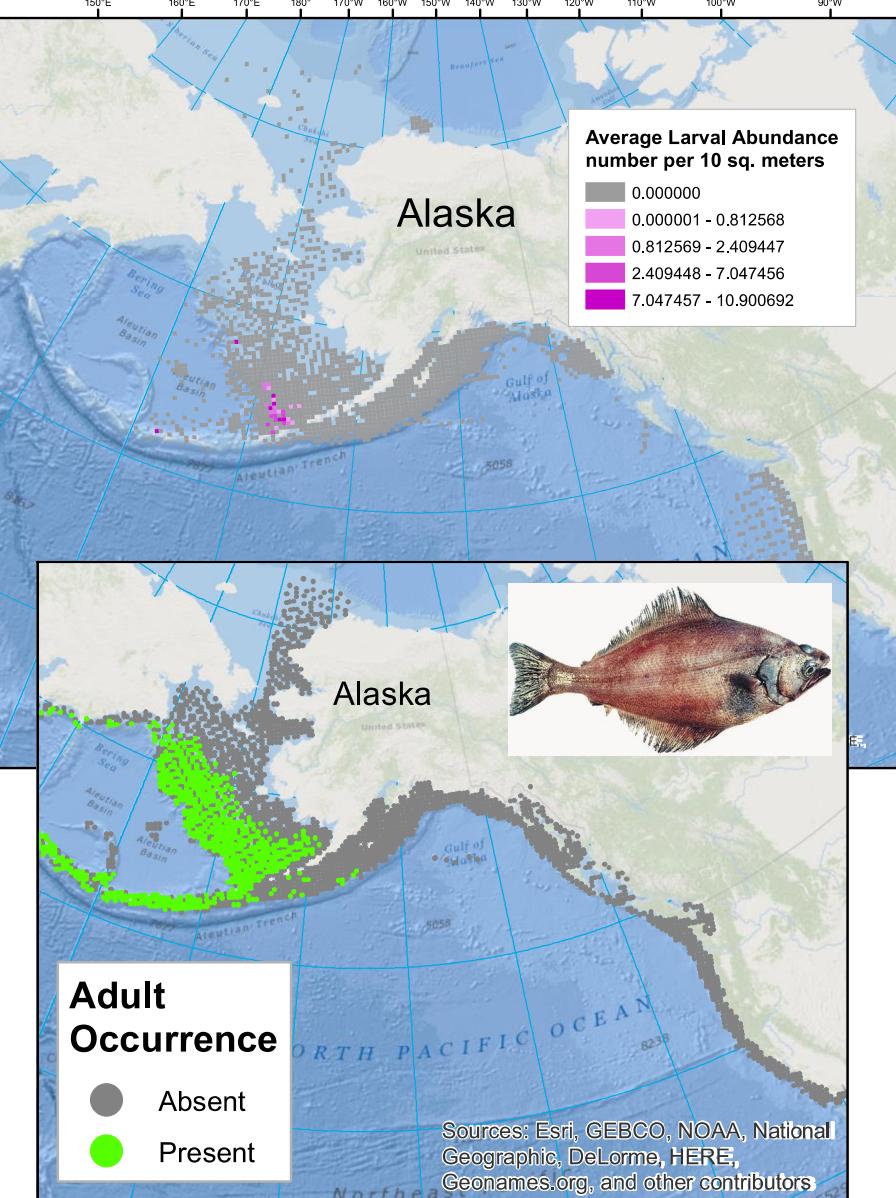
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Atheresthes evermanni

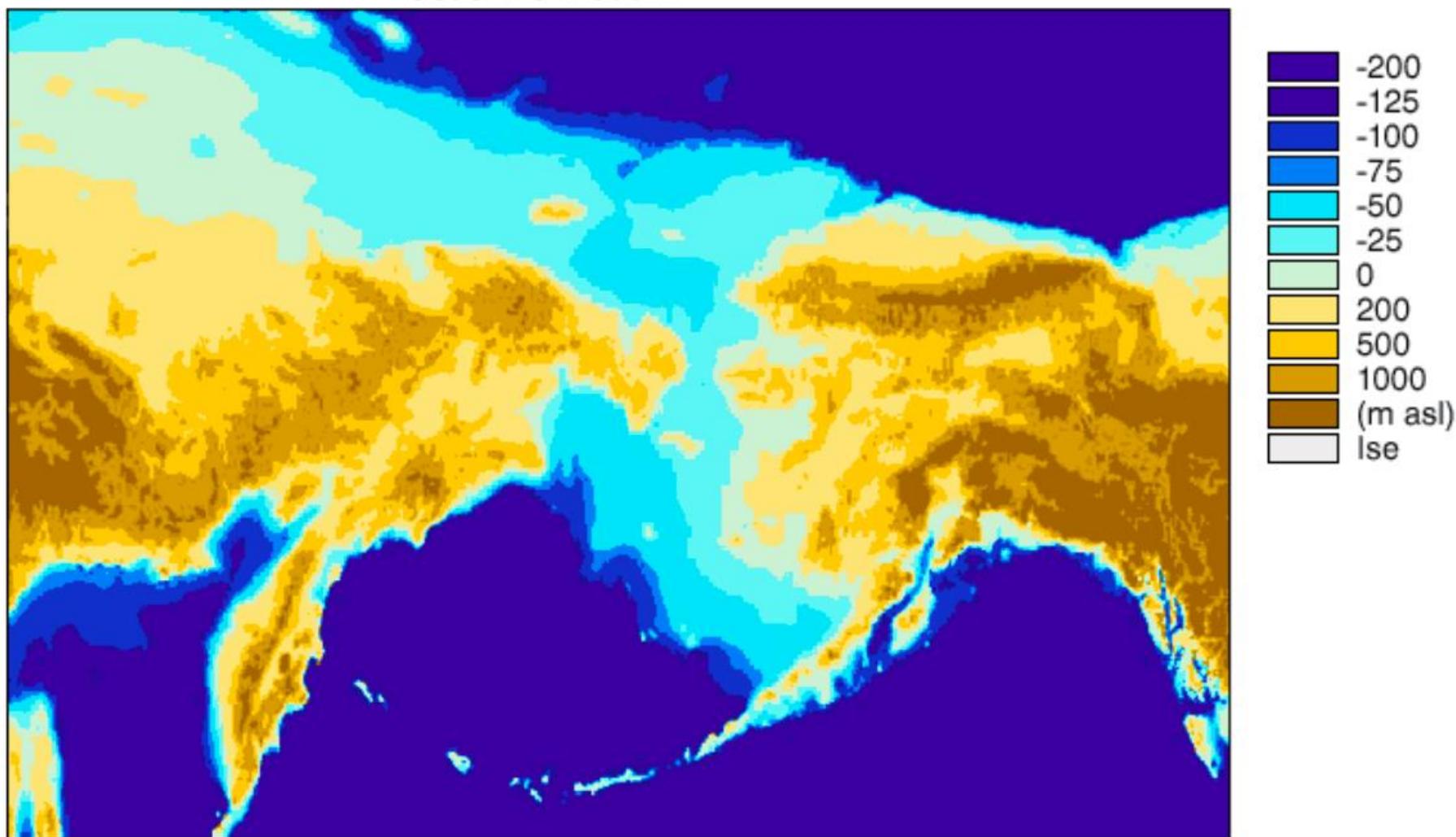


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3. **Bering Land Barrier**

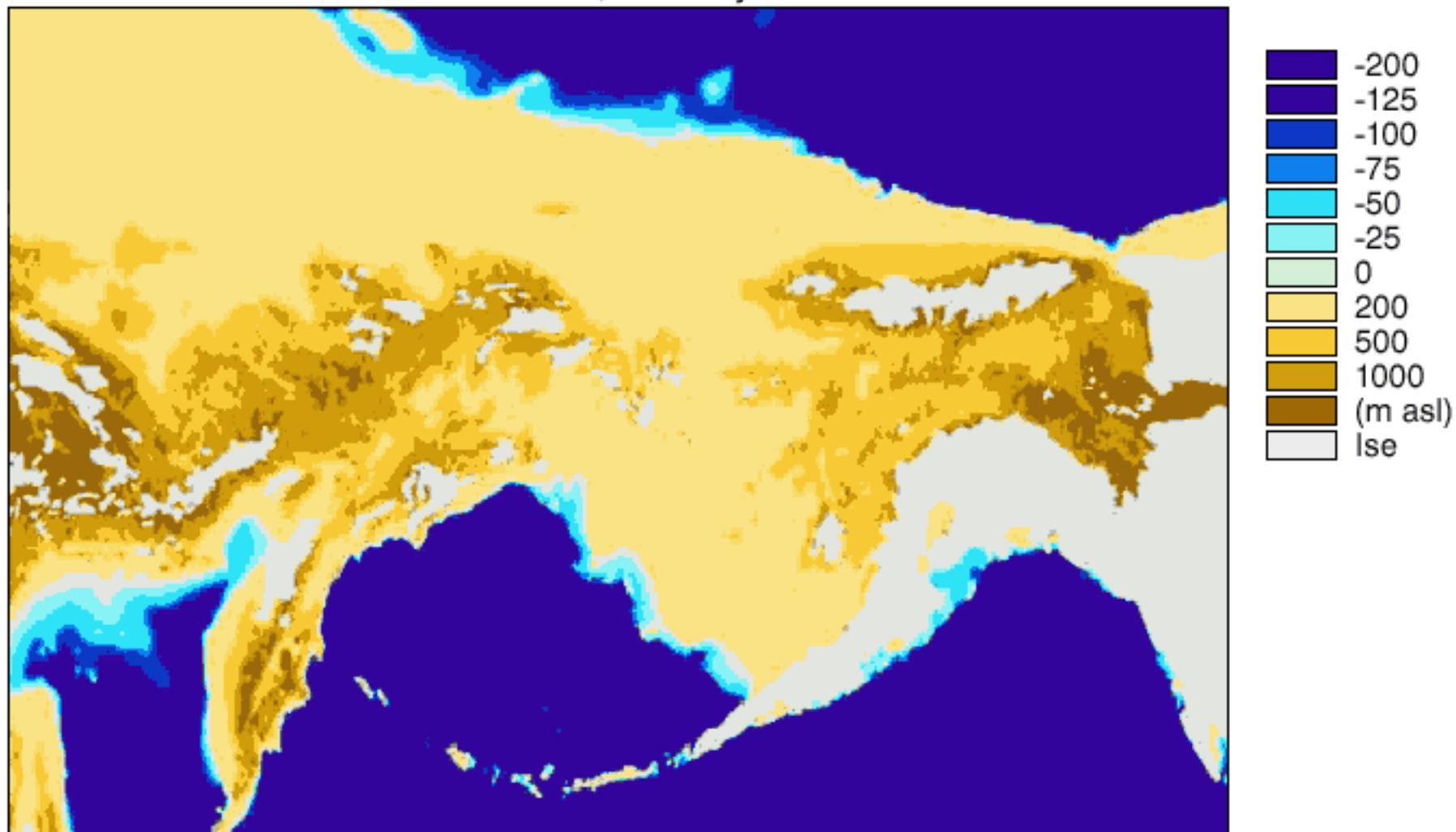
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Coastline Modern



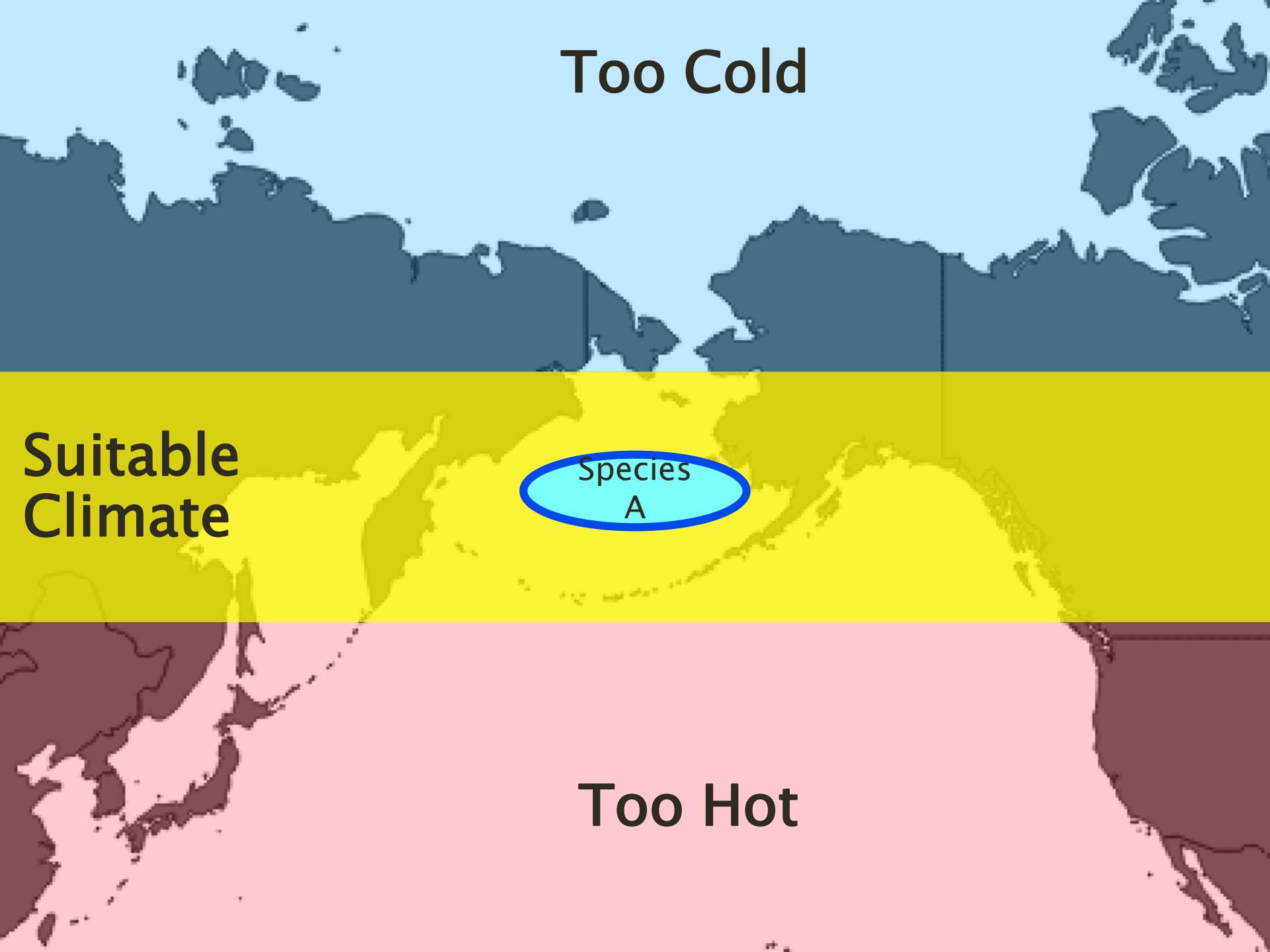
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Coastline 21,000 Cal years BP



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4. Latitudinal Climate Shift

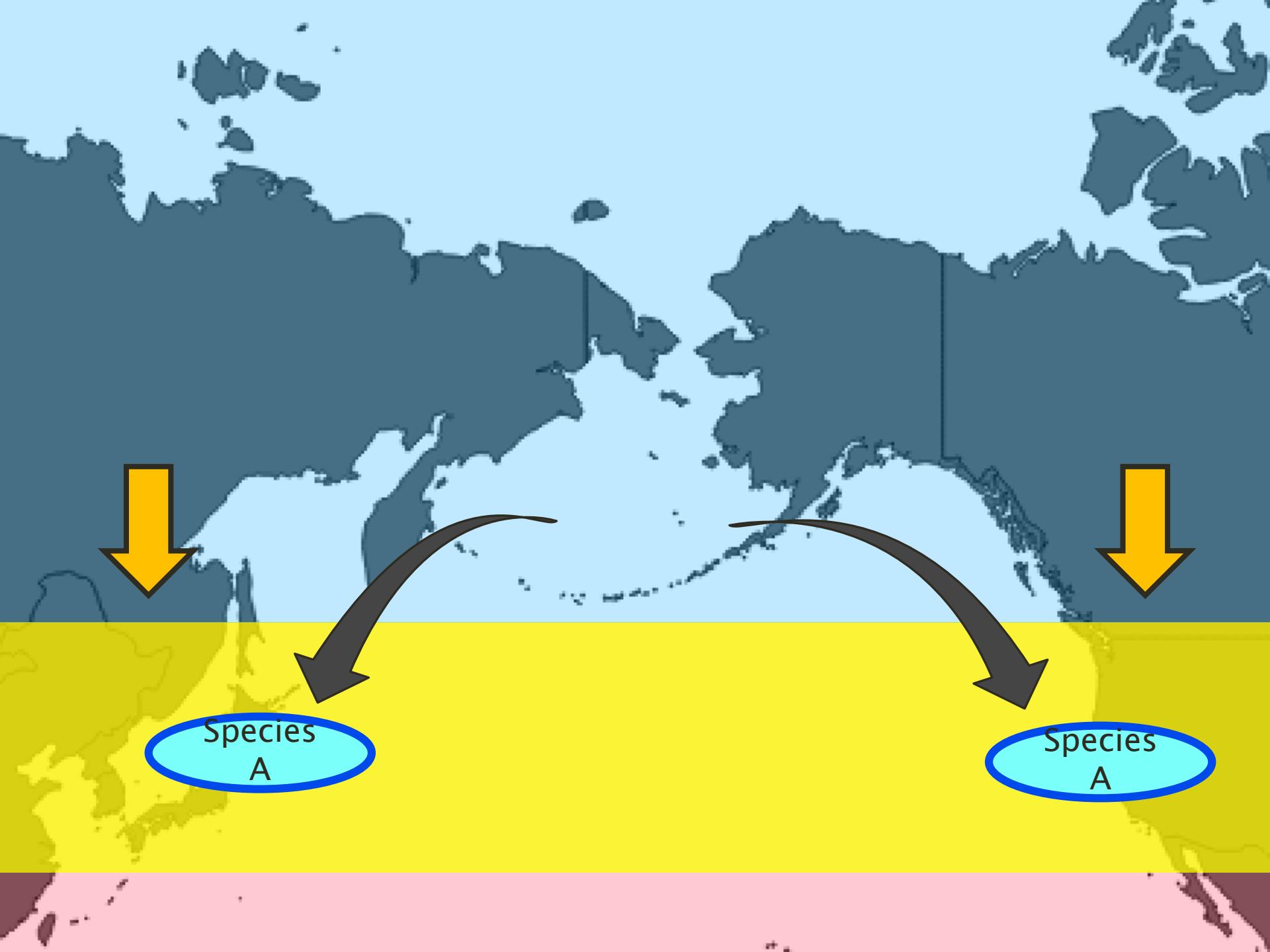


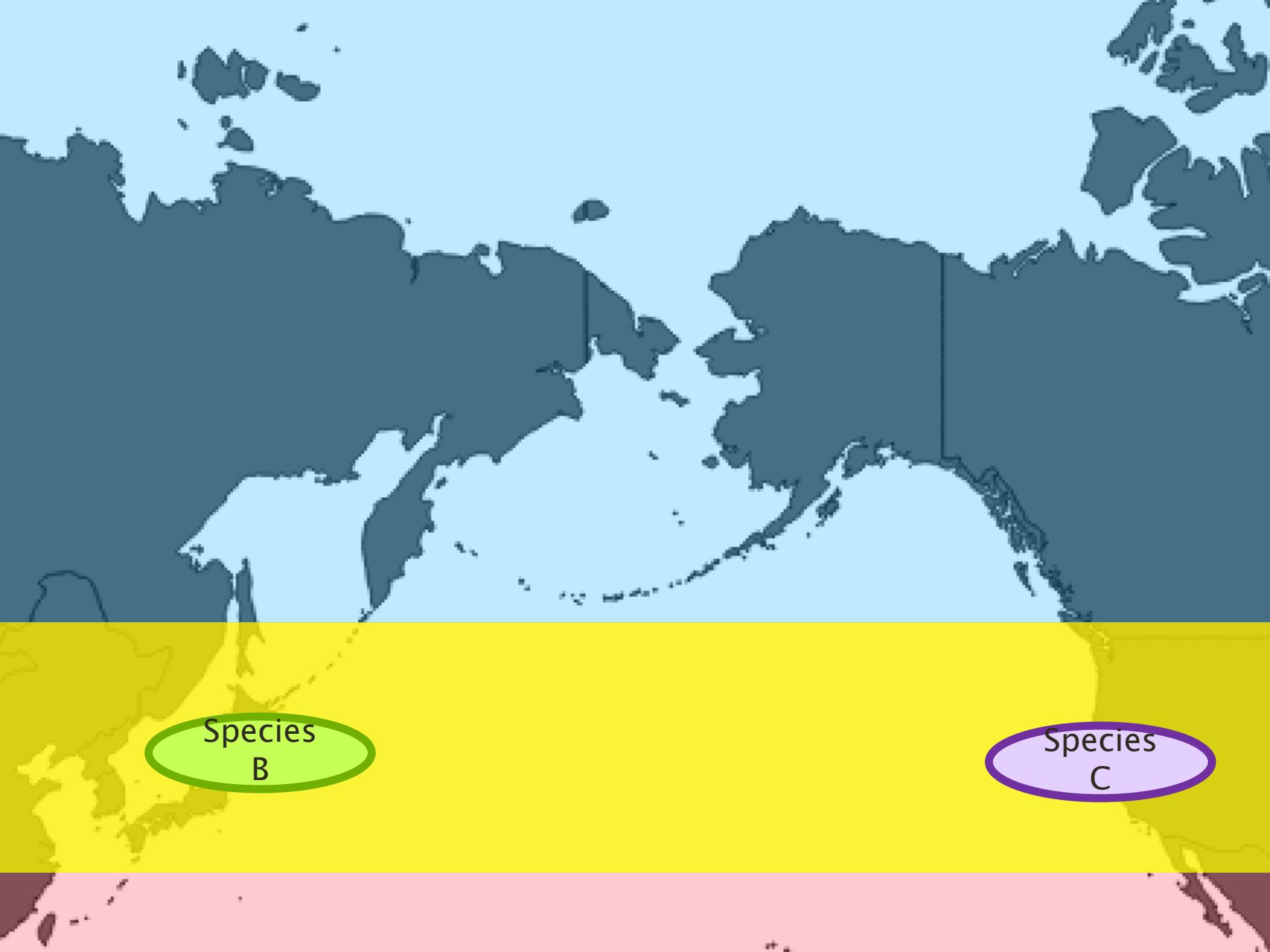
Too Cold

Suitable Climate

Species
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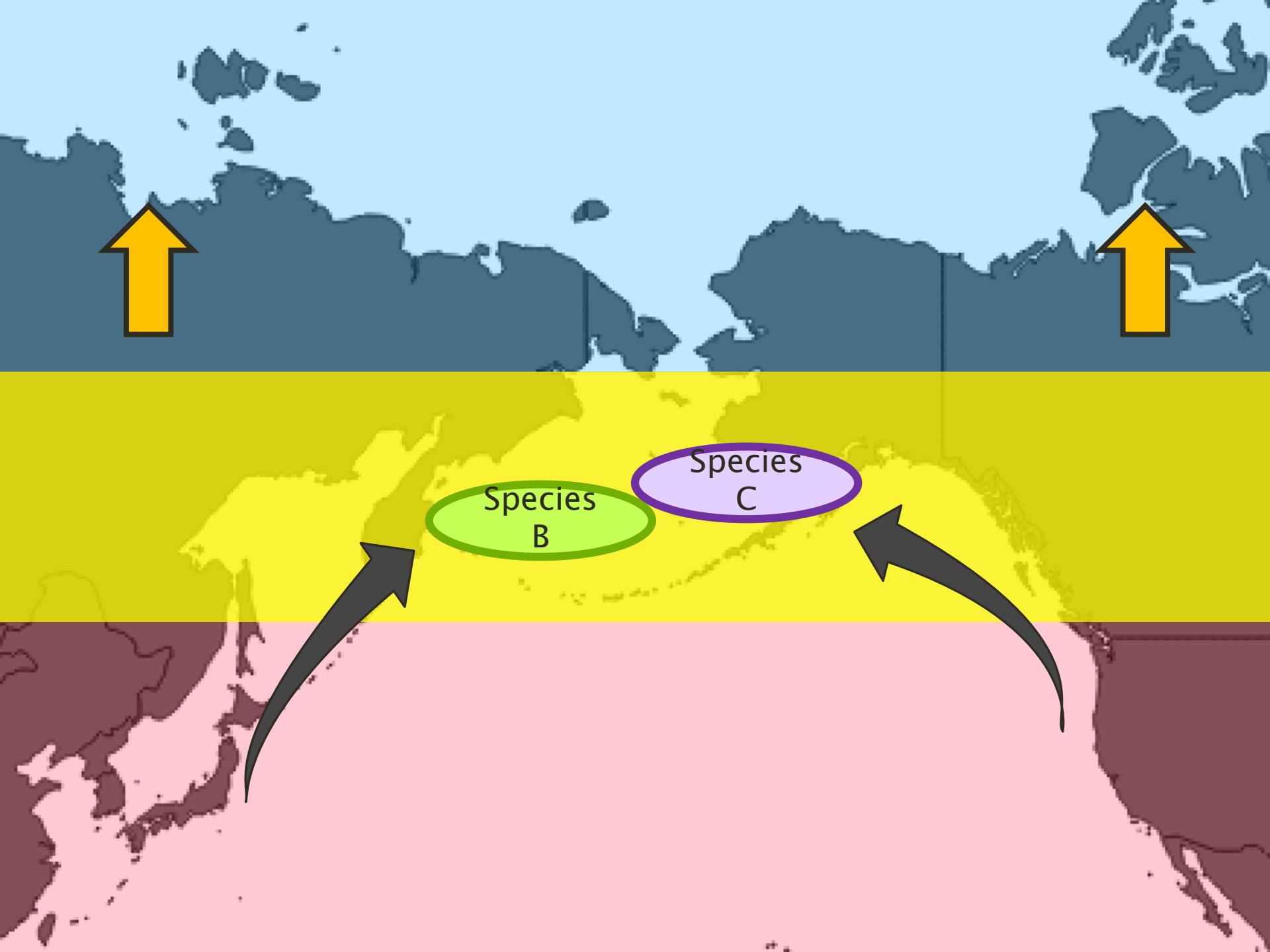
Too Hot





Species
B

Species
C



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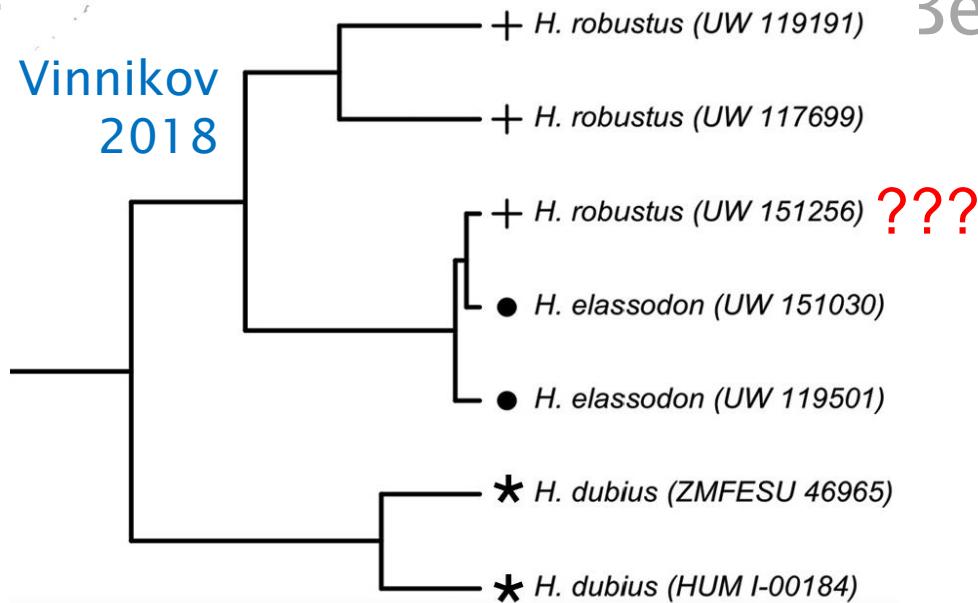
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5. **Taxonomy is not supported by sequence data**



Hippoglossoides elassodon robustus

Flathead Sole

K. Vinnikov
2018

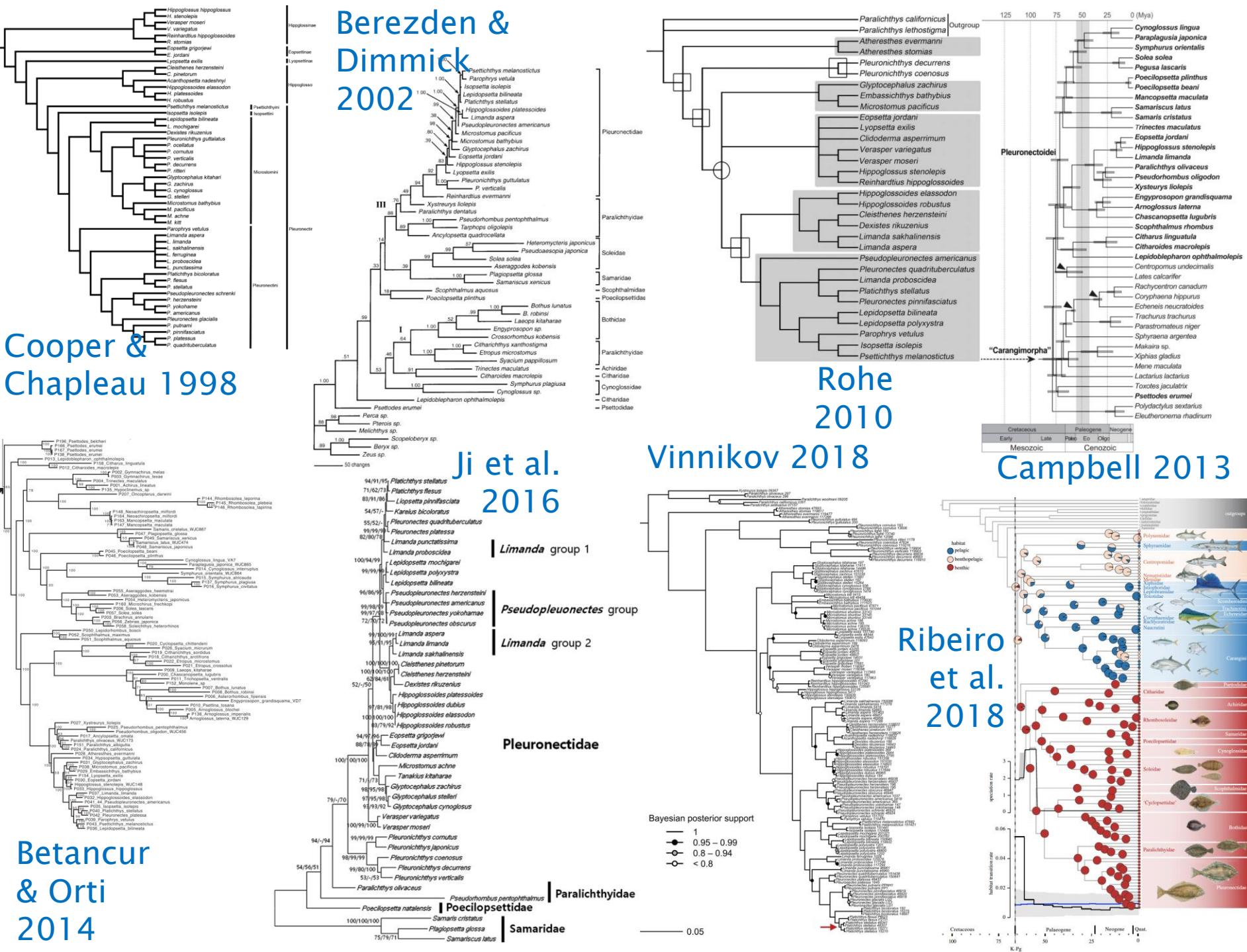


Bering Flounder

As larvae they are
identified only based on
geography!



Mecklenburg



OBJECTIVES

1. Identify potential causes of speciation in geological history.
2. Provide support or concern for current species designations (*Hippoglossoides*).
3. Use exon-capture as a new method for constructing Pleuronectid phylogeny, and compare to past phylogenies.

METHOD

Sampling:

- 31 species within Pleuronectidae
- 56 species within Pleuronectiformes
- 1 outgroup from Carangiformes
- 122 samples total

Exon-capture:

- 4434 markers
- (Jiang et al. 2017 for Actinopterygii)

Time-Calibration:

- 23 fossils

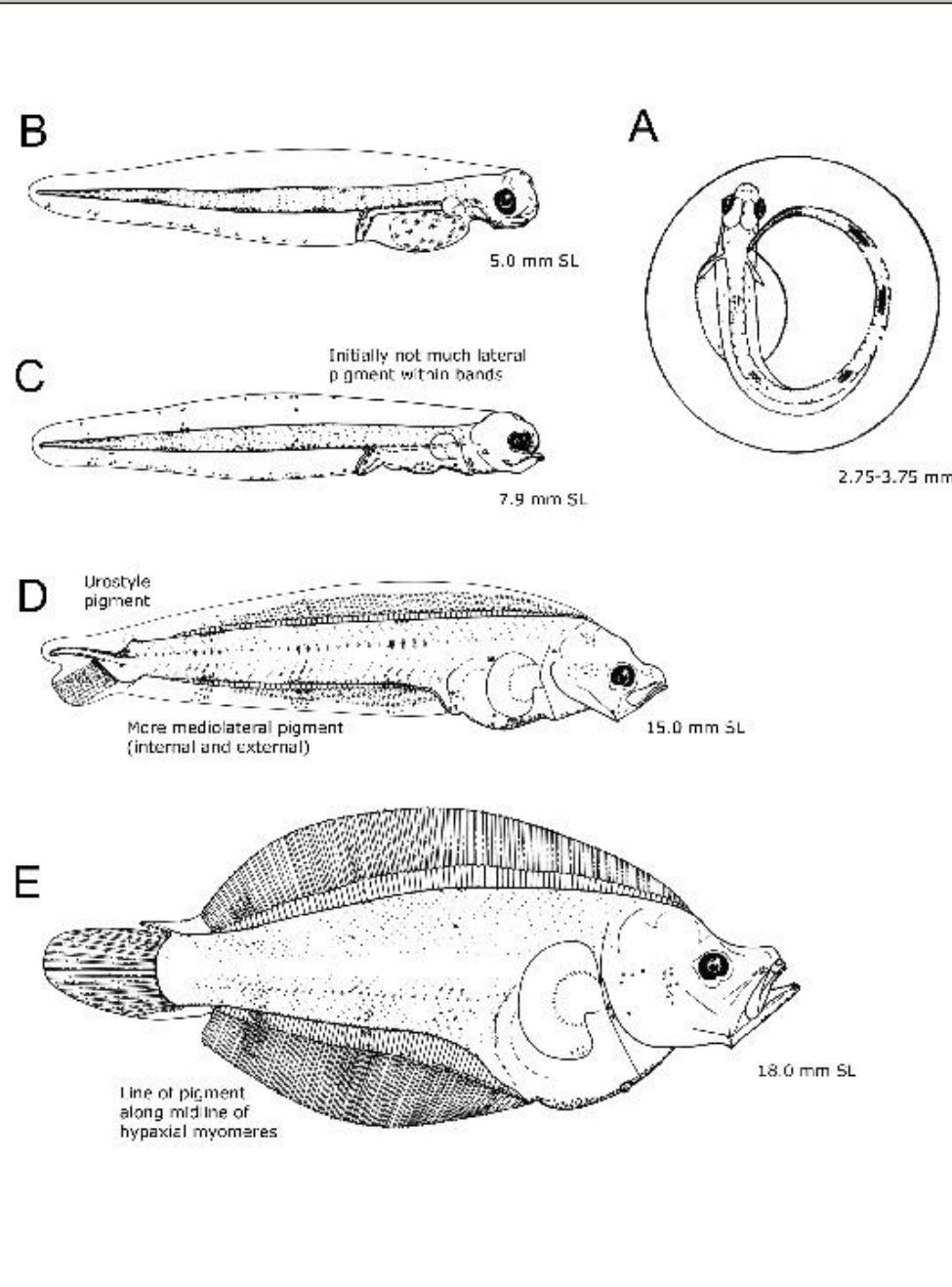
Species of interest	n
<i>Atheresthes evermanni</i>	7
<i>Atheresthes stomias</i>	6
<i>Hippoglossoides elassodon</i>	17
<i>Hippoglossoides robustus</i>	15
<i>Lepidopsetta bilineata</i>	8
<i>Lepidopsetta polyxystra</i>	7
<i>Limanda aspera</i>	6
<i>Limanda sakhalinensis</i>	6

Other projects in the lab...

LARVAE OF THE NORTH PACIFIC



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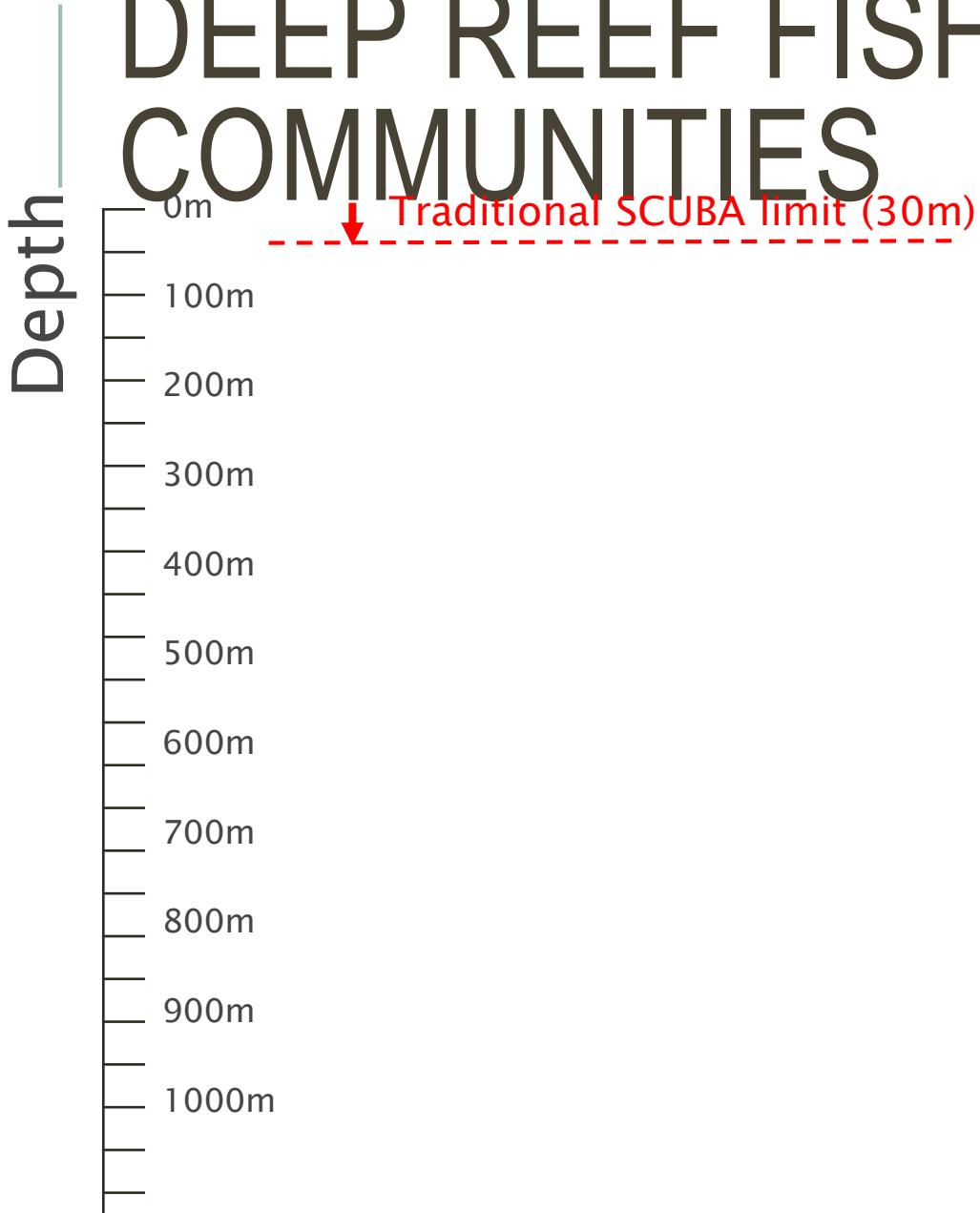
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Photo by Mark V. Erdmann

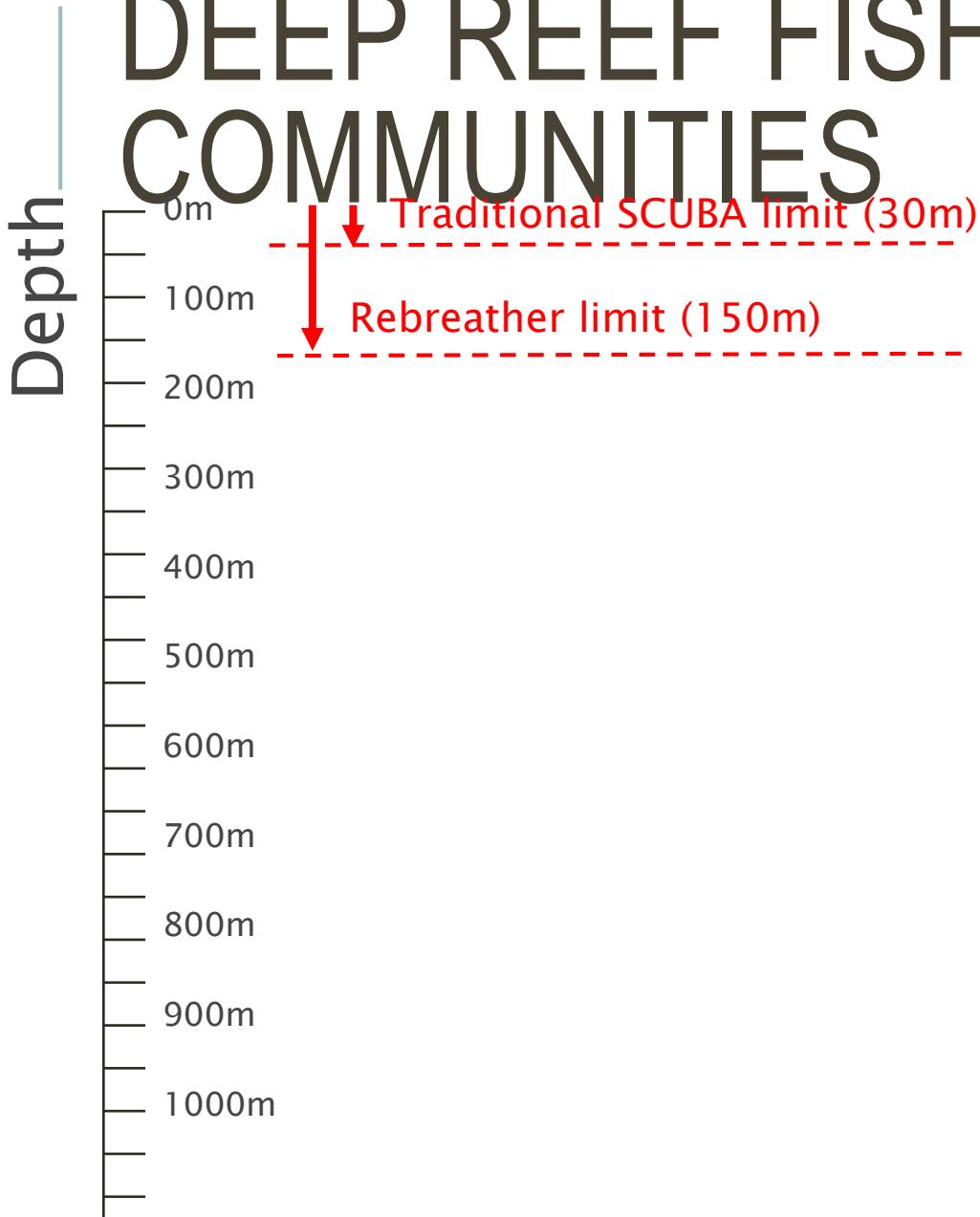
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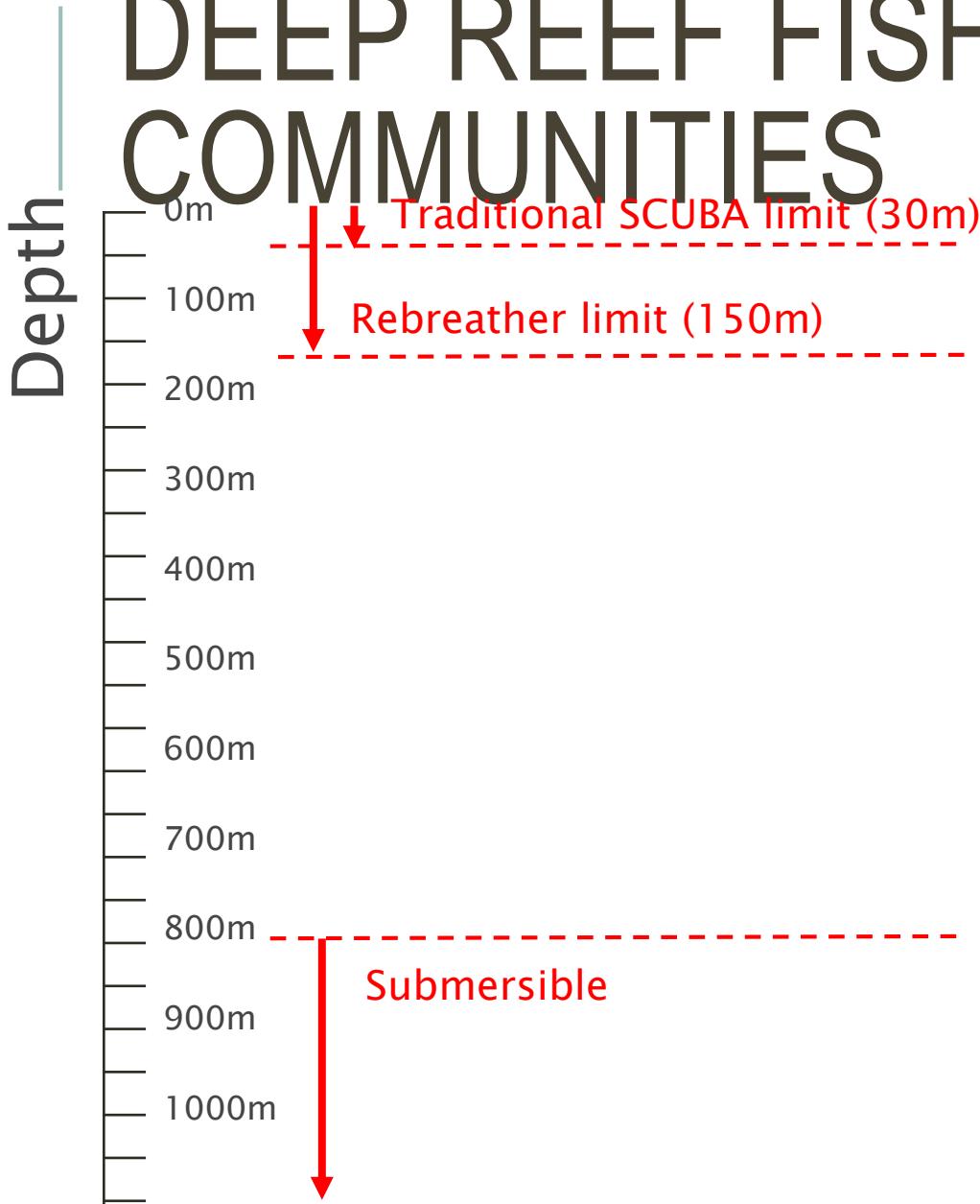
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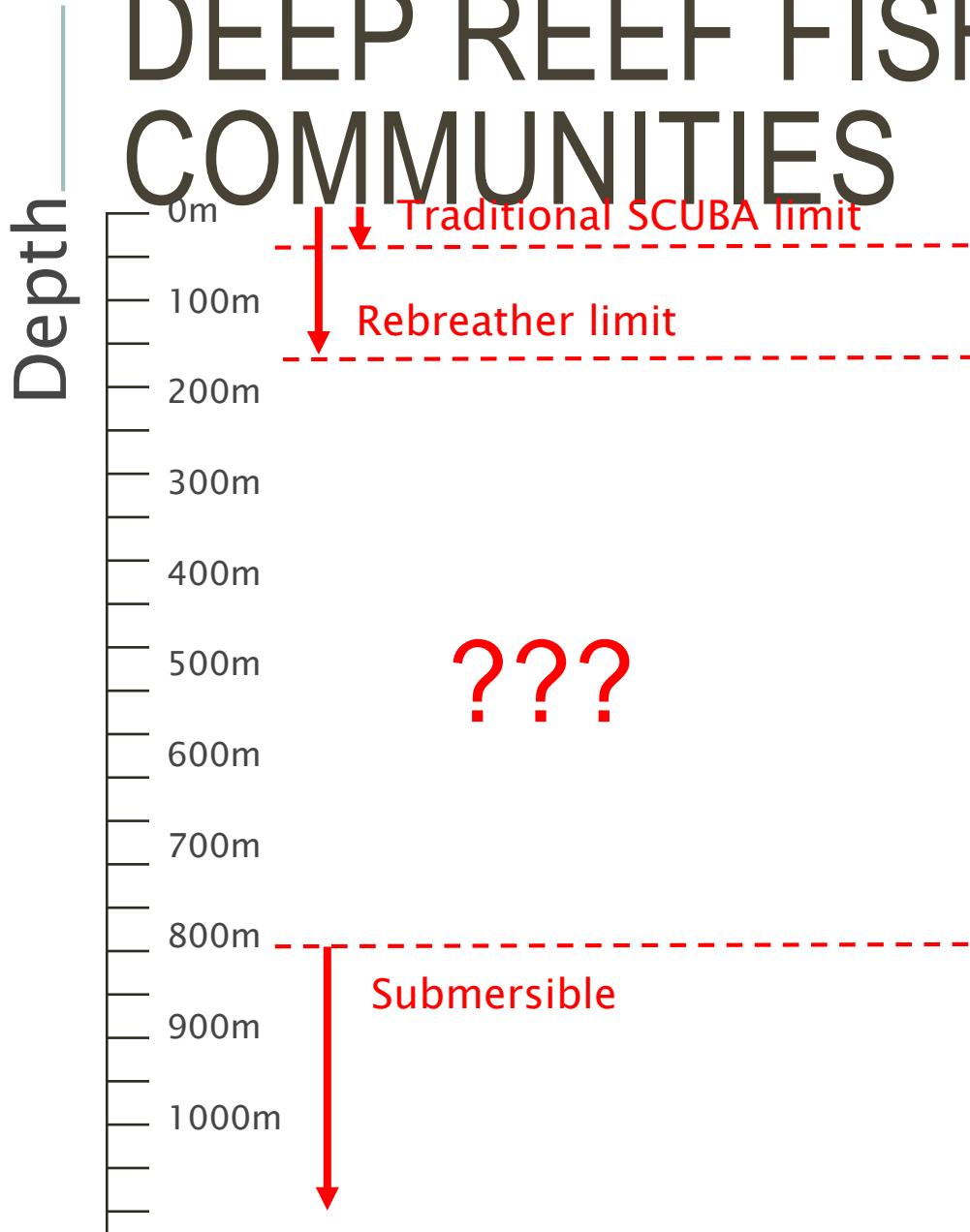
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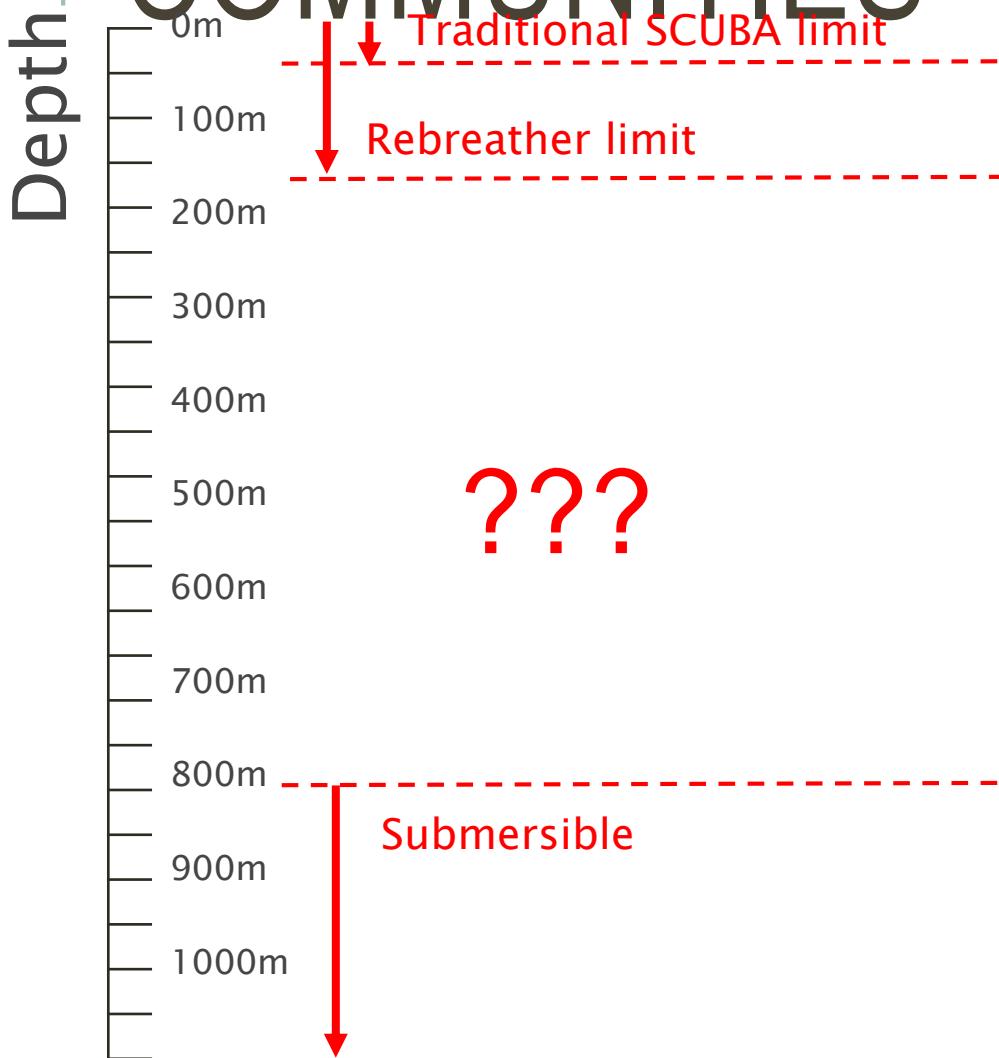


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*Syphynodon
octoactinus*



Serranus notospilus



Serranus phoebe



*Gephyroberyx
dorothyae*



*Pronotogrammus
martinicensis*



*Syphynodon
berryi*



*Chrionema
squamentum*



*Osteichthys
trachypoma*



Palatogobius incendius



Palatogobius grandoculus



*Liopropoma
aberrans*



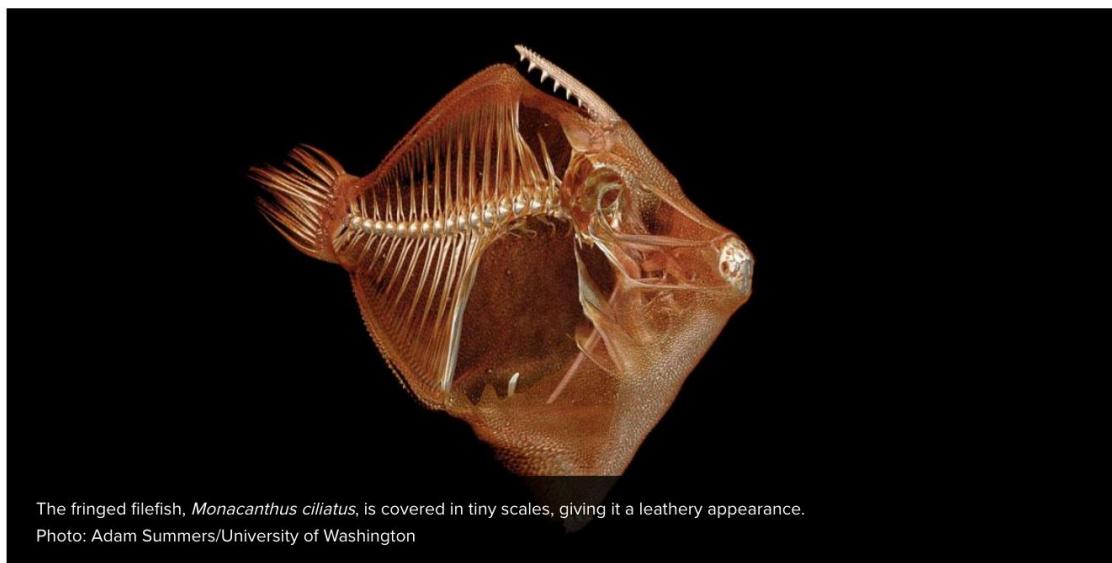
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Scientists to create digital encyclopedia of 3D
vertebrate specimens

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Written by Michelle Ma, University of Washington News

<http://www.burkemuseum.org/blog/scientists-create-digital-encyclopedia-3d-vertebrate-specimens>



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