# Stock Abundance Indices for Mako Shark estimated by observer data of Japanese longline data in the North Pacific Ocean<sup>1</sup>

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#### Abstract

In this paper, standardized CPUEs estimated by the data set of observer data of Japanese longline operated in North Pacific Ocean were provided between 2011 and 2016. The optimal statistical model was the generalized additive mixture model which cruse ID was assumed as an random factor and was assumed that the latitude and longitude were followed by 2 dimensional 3 degree spline function. The annual trend estimated by optimal model showed flat.

#### Introduction

There are several issues to use log book data of commercial catch information to standardize a catch per unit effort as stock abundance indices, e.g. uncertainty and misreporting of recording by fishermen. In contrast observer's data of commercial catch are considered more certain but has different issue, e.g. limitation of operational area and season.

Under such a condition, it is important to compare the trend between standardized results by using logbook and observer data to evaluate the certainty of logbook data. In this paper, the standardized indices are provided to address this issue.

#### Material and method

## data sets

Observer set by set data of Japanese longline operated in North Pacific Ocean are used in this analysis. The observer program was started in 2008 but because of the number of data, the data between 2011 and 2016 were used for this analysis (Table 1).

year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
No.	52	68	155	267	650	665	1353	1841	1149	176

Table 1. The observed number of sets in each year

We also clarified the data and the number of used data showed below (Table 2).

# Tablue 2. Used number of sets in this analysis

year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
No.	267	646	665	1352	1841	1118

The operational area used in this analysis was plotted in Figs. 1. The data gathered around the coast of Japan.





Figure 1. Spatioal distribution of used data. Upper figure shows the distribution in each year and lower figure shows one in each month.

#### **Statistical methods**

Observed catch number of mako shark was used as a dependent factor and two categories of hooks per baskets (<=4 and >4), year and month were used as independent categorical factors and latitude and longitude were used as independent continuous factors. The logarithm of observed hooks was used as an offset value. Catch number was assumed to be followed by Poisson distribution except zero inflated model.

We tested several models. 1) generalized linear model (GLM), 2), generalized linear mixture model which cruse ID was assumed as random factor (GLMM1), 3) generalized linear

mixture model which observer name was assumed as random factor (GLMM2) 4) zero inflated model with Poisson error distribution, 5) generalized additive model which was assumed that the latitude and longitude were followed by 2 dimentional 3 degrees spline function (GAM) 6) generalized additive mixture model which cruse ID was assumed as random factor and was assumed that the latitude and longitude were followed by 2 dimentional 3 degrees spline function (GAMM), 7) same with GAMM but the spline function of latitude and longitude can be changed by year (GAMM by Y), 8) same with GAMM but the spline gunction of latitude and longitude and longitude was changed by month (GAMM by M) and 9) generalized additive model with zero inflated poisson error distribution which was assumed that the latitude and longitude were followed by 2 dimentional 3 degrees spline function (ZI). All models were compared by BIC. All point estimated values were defined as least squared means. All calculations were conducted on R 3.3.3 (R Development Core Team, 2005) and mgcv library was used to calculate GLMMs, GAM, GAMM and ZI (Wood, 2016).

## **Results and Discussions**

Model comparison was executed by BIC and GAMM was adopted as a most optimal model (Table 3).

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	df		BIC
GLM		20	8180.498
GLMM1		21	7161.582
GLMM2		21	7431.192
ZI		53	7744.268
GAM		46	8019.467
GAMM		22	7107.719
GAMM by Y		37	7115.764
GAMM by M		55	7254.836

Table 3 BIC by each model

On comparison among scaled standardized CPUE by GLM, GLMM1, ZI, GAM, GAMM and nominal CPUE, a set of nominal CPUE and ZI and a set of GLM, GAM and GAMM had similar trends, respectively. GLMM1 had different trend especially in 2012 and 2013 (Fig. 2).



Figure 2. Scaled CPUE estimated by sveral models.

About the optimal model, GAMM, the randomized quantile residuals (Dunn and Smyth, 1996) were calculated and there was no trend by each categorical factors (Fig. 3).



Figure 3. the randomized quantile residuals by GAMM for each categorical factor.

The spatial distribution of estimated CPUE showed higher CPUE on the offshore of Northan Japan (Fig. 4).



Figure 4. Spatial distribution of estimated CPUE by GAMM.

The estimated annual trend showed basically flat and those 95% confidence interval showed wider range in 2011 and narrower in 2014 (Fig. 5 and Table 4).



Figure.5 Annual trend with 95% confidence interval estimated by GAMM.

year	nCPUE	sCPUE	se	
2011	0.493	0.0364		0.533
2012	0.065	0.0369		0.402
2013	0.070	0.0363		0.385
2014	0.292	0.0197		0.339
2015	0.476	0.0279		0.323
2016	0.222	0.0262		0.318

Table 4 nominal CPUE and standardized CPUE and those SE estimated by GAMM

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# Appendix1 summary of mixture part of GAMM

Generalized linear mixed model fit by maximum likelihood (Laplace Approximation) [glmerMod] Family: poisson (log)

AIC BIC logLik deviance df.resid 6960.7 7107.7 -3458.4 6916.7 5867

Scaled residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -3.3037 -0.3583 -0.1773 -0.1166 20.3752

Random effects:

Groups Name Variance Std.Dev. cr.id (Intercept) 0.9436 0.9714 Xr s(lon,lat) 9.4966 3.0817 Number of obs: 5889, groups: cr.id, 333; Xr, 27

Fixed effects:

	Estimate S	td. Error z	value Pr(> z )
X(Intercept)	-7.187786 0	.453468 -15	5.851 < 2e-16 ***
Xhpb22	-1.941398	0.199754	-9.719 < 2e-16 ***
Xyear2012	0.014075	0.488859	0.029 0.977030
Xyear2013	-0.002973	0.499087	-0.006 0.995247
Xyear2014	-0.612904	0.451492	-1.358 0.174620
Xyear2015	-0.266254	0.443242	-0.601 0.548042
Xyear2016	-0.327583	0.451282	-0.726 0.467903
Xmonth2	-0.079595	0.121073	-0.657 0.510915
Xmonth3	-0.614264	0.179609	-3.420 0.000626 ***
Xmonth4	-0.534273	0.274890	-1.944 0.051945 .
Xmonth5	-0.245058	0.258802	-0.947 0.343693
Xmonth6	-0.739093	0.280861	-2.632 0.008500 **
Xmonth7	-1.100747	0.286703	-3.839 0.000123 ***
Xmonth8	-1.052117	0.261364	-4.025 5.69e-05 ***
Xmonth9	-0.988700	0.243937	-4.053 5.05e-05 ***
Xmonth10	-1.083679	0.239012	-4.534 5.79e-06 ***

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      Xmonth11
      -1.202685
      0.243350
      -4.942
      7.72e-07
      ***

      Xmonth12
      -1.213085
      0.262995
      -4.613
      3.98e-06
      ***

      Xs(lon,lat)Fx1
      0.841965
      0.444751
      1.893
      0.058343
      .

      Xs(lon,lat)Fx2
      0.947761
      0.290960
      3.257
      0.001125
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      Signif. codes:
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Correlation matrix not shown by default, as p = 20 > 12.
Use print(x, correlation=TRUE) or
vcov(x) if you need it
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# Appendix2 summary of gam part of GAMM

Family: poisson Link function: log

# Formula:

c.mako ~ hpb2 + year + month + s(lon, lat) + offset(log(o.hooks))

Parametric coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error z	value Pr(> z )
(Intercept)	-7.187786	0.454730 -15	5.807 < 2e-16 ***
hpb22	-1.941398	0.199703	-9.721 < 2e-16 ***
year2012	0.014075	0.496482	0.028 0.977383
year2013	-0.002973	0.506068	-0.006 0.995313
year2014	-0.612904	0.457399	-1.340 0.180253
year2015	-0.266254	0.449104	-0.593 0.553278
year2016	-0.327583	0.456735	-0.717 0.473233
month2	-0.079595	0.121115	-0.657 0.511062
month3	-0.614264	0.179711	-3.418 0.000631 ***
month4	-0.534273	0.276551	-1.932 0.053371 .
month5	-0.245058	0.260433	-0.941 0.346724
month6	-0.739093	0.283336	-2.609 0.009093 **
month7	-1.100747	0.288378	-3.817 0.000135 ***
month8	-1.052117	0.262338	-4.011 6.06e-05 ***
month9	-0.988700	0.244264	-4.048 5.17e-05 ***
month10	-1.083679	0.238403	-4.546 5.48e-06 ***

month11 -1.202685 0.242934 -4.951 7.40e-07 \*\*\* month12 -1.213085 0.265168 -4.575 4.77e-06 \*\*\* ---Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Approximate significance of smooth terms:

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edf Ref.df Chi.sq p-value
s(lon,lat) 18.32 18.32 300.9 <2e-16 ***
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Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
R-sq.(adj) = 0.382
glmer.ML = 3642.8 Scale est. = 1 n = 5889
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