# 気候変化と水産業に関する人間の問題について

Surfclam Dramas and Other Stories: Human Dimensions of Climate Change and Fisheries

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## Perspectives on "human dimensions" of marine commons

- Anthropogenesis
  - People as threats
    - Overfishing
    - Cumulative effects
- Ecosystem Services
  - People as consumers
    - Valuation/tradeoffs
- Social & Economic Impacts
  - People as impactees
  - Victims/ beneficiaries

- Tragedians of the Commons
  - People as selfinterested, myopic individual actors
- Comedians of the Commons
  - People as social, trying to make sense of and correct things
- Coping & adaptation...

### "Comedies of the Commons"



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1984; McCay and Acheson 1987).

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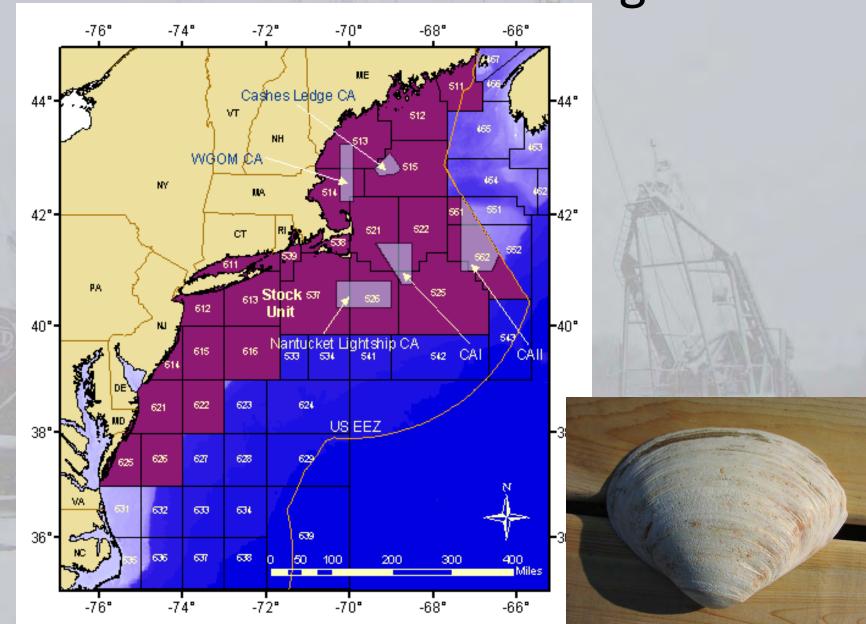
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### Atlantic Surfclam Range

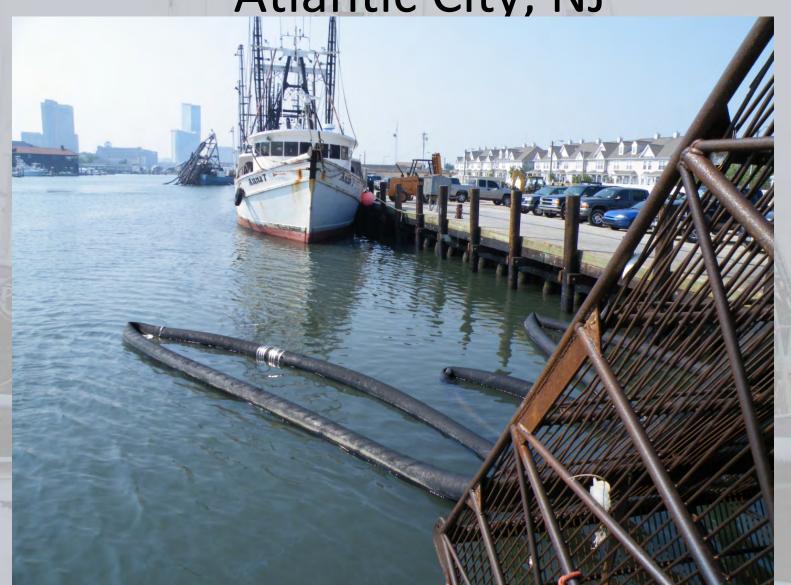


## Adaptive Capacity and Co-Management

- Whether and how the socio-economic and regulatory system will adapt to effects of climate change (perceived and documented) in response to envir. signals
- Co-Management: Industry, Scientists, Government

- Mid-Atlantic Fisheries
   Management Council
   (MAFMC); National
   Marine Fisheries Service
   (NMFS); National
   Fisheries Institute....
- -- Fishing industry
  - Harvesters
  - Owners
  - Processors
- Govt. & University scientists

Clammers & Hydraulic Dredge,
Atlantic City, NJ

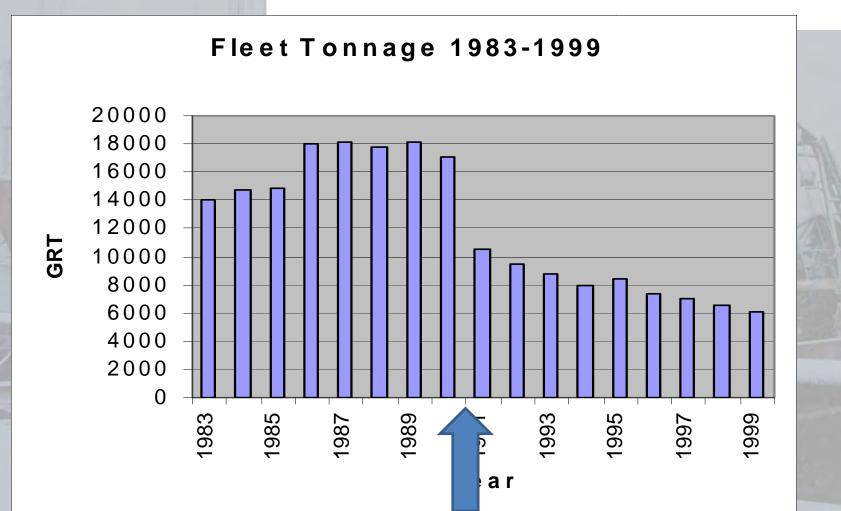


### Fishery Management: ITQs

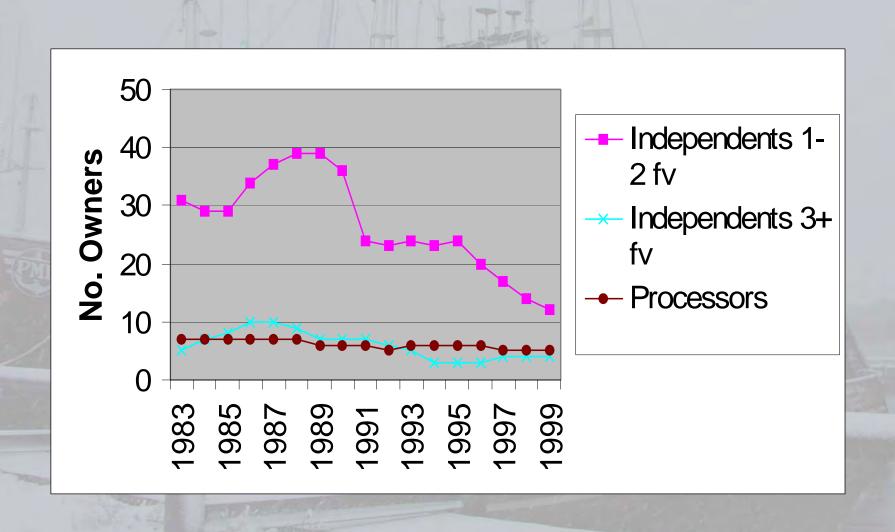
**AMENDMENT #8** 

FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE

ATLANTIC SURF CLAM AND OCEAN QUAHOG FISHERY



#### "Consolidation:" SCOQ Owners, 1983-1999

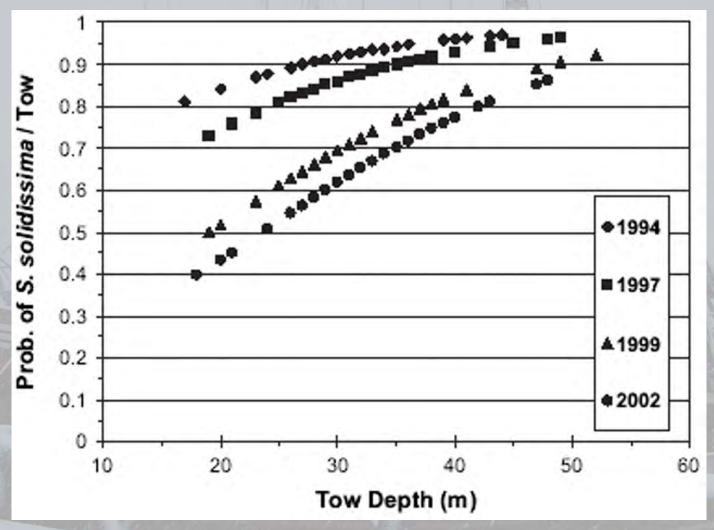


# How will a market-based system respond to environmental change?

Fewer "foxes" in the "henhouse", less conflict and lower transactions costs Good Stewards? Or Just Business?

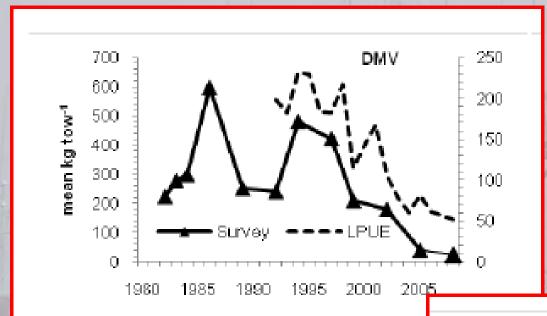


The probability of capturing Spisula solidissima solidissima (>=88 mm length) in a NMFS research vessel surfclam survey tow as a function of station depth and survey year

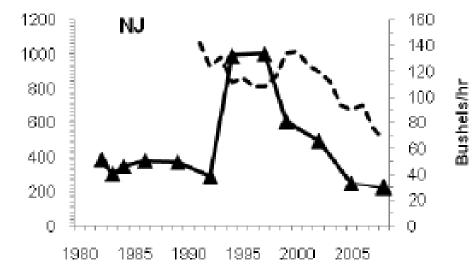


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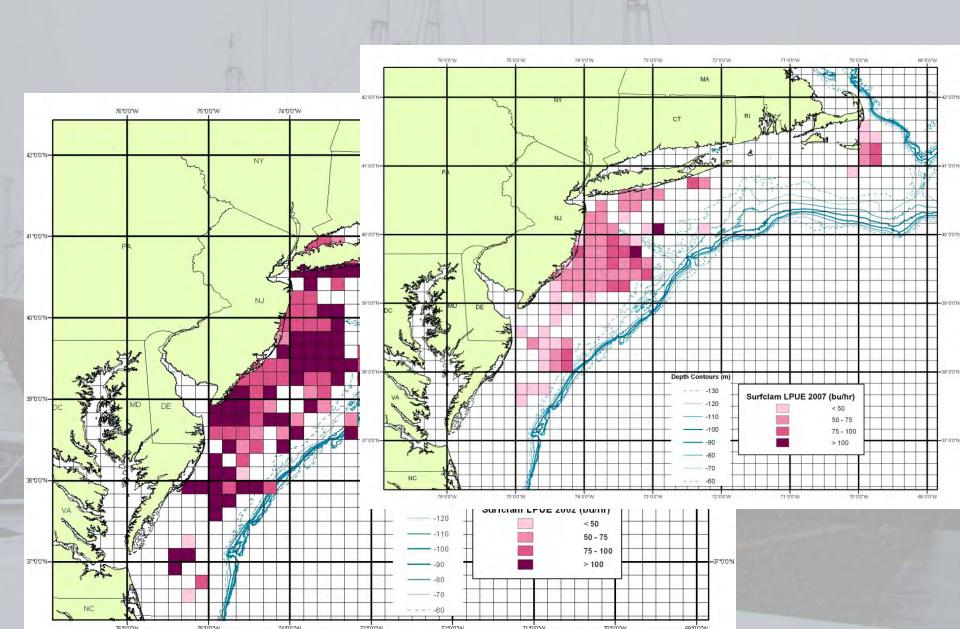
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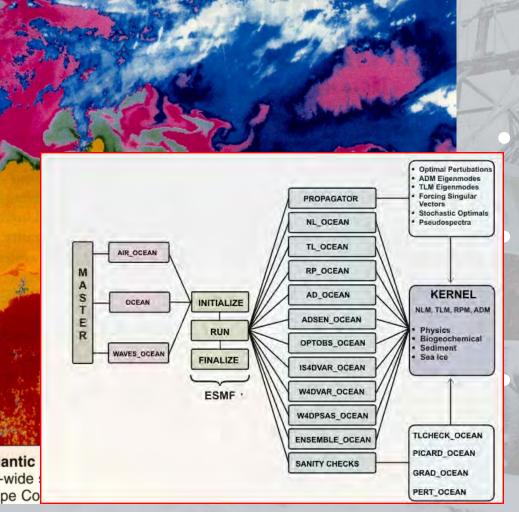
Trends in stock biomass for surfclams (120+ mm SL) based on the NEFSC clam survey and commercial LPUE from logbooks.



#### Surfclam Landings Per Unit Effort (bu/hr), 2002, 2007

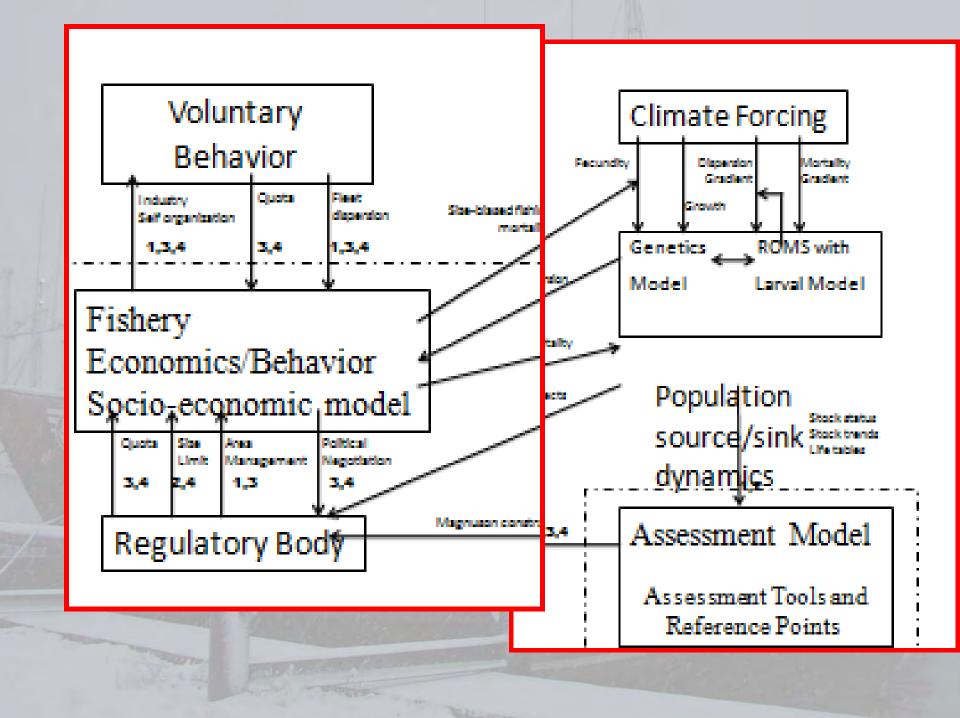


# Mid-Atlantic Surfclam Model (MASC)



Regional Ocean
 Modeling System
 (ROMS)

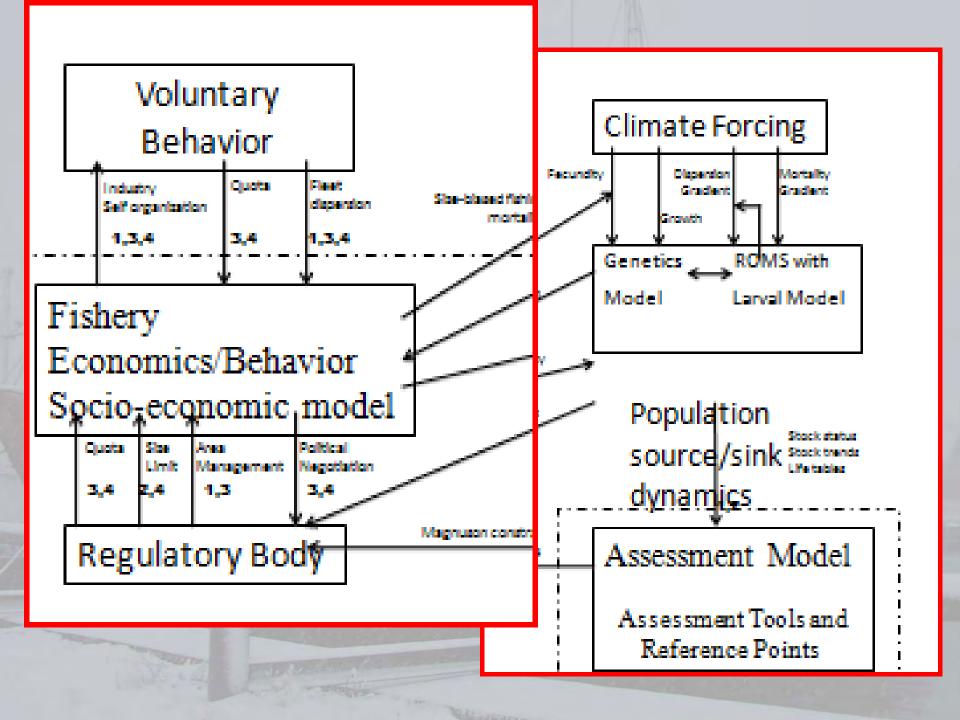
Regional sub-model; clam larval transport Dynamic Population Genetics Engine (DyPoGEn), adult clams Responses & adaptations; sourcesink issue





## Co-Managers: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council





## Coupling and Feedback: U.S. surfclam fishery and climate change

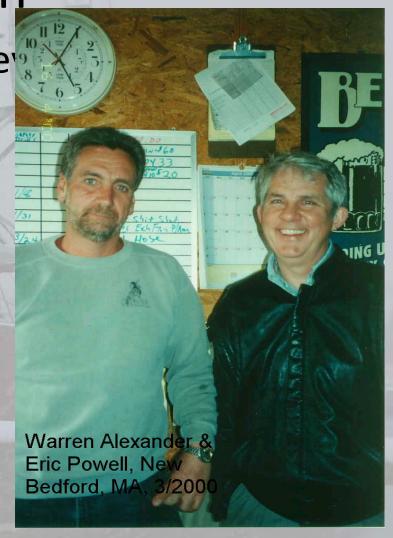
- ITQs embedded in complex hierarchical governance
- Highly consolidated, pared down industry;
   well-developed history of industry-sponsored research and "co-management"
- Clear signals of environmental change
- Can science-based regulatory system and/or voluntary action of industry adjust?

## Collaborative and Industry-Funded Research

Catching Efficiency of Survey

Dredges; broader surveys

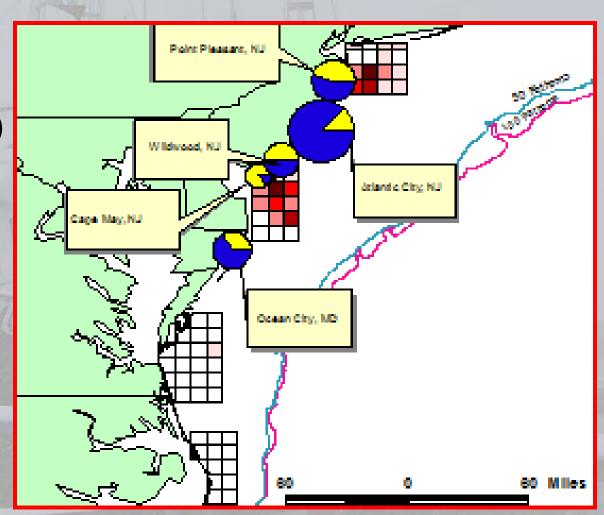




### Vulnerability

- Individual units
- Exposure
- Dependency (see map)
- Resources/ Assets
- Example from 2000
   GIS on differential
   Effects of proposed

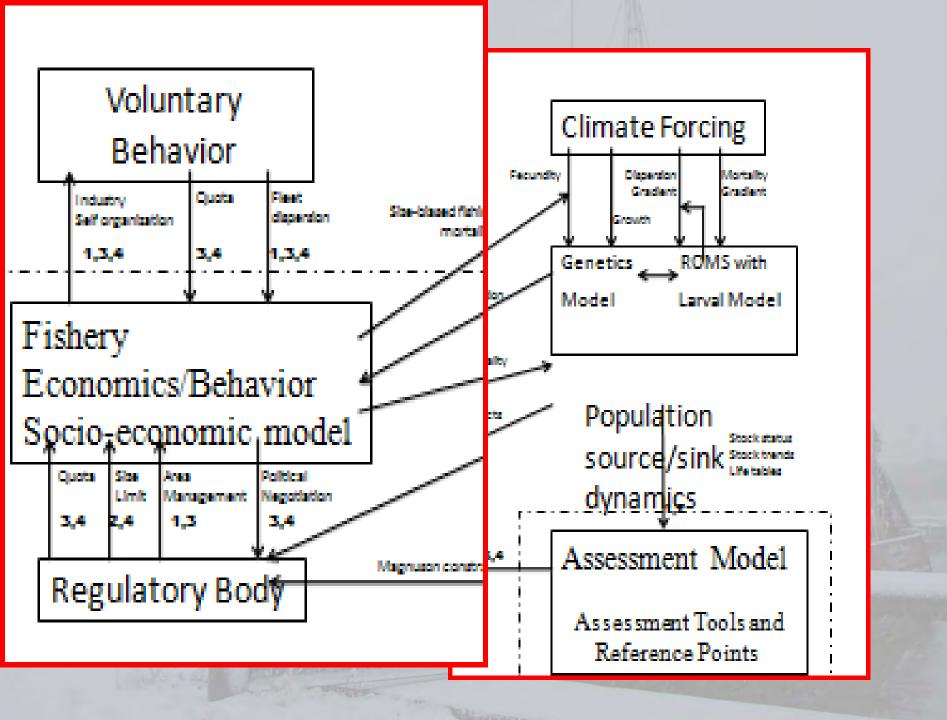
Inshore closures





### Adaptive Capacity

- Emergent property
  - Aggregate behaviors
  - Collective action
- Ability to respond to change in ways that protect essential components of the fishery system (industry & community viability; resource productivity)
- > diminish, protect, or enhance
- > negative or positive feedback



### Signals of change in the system

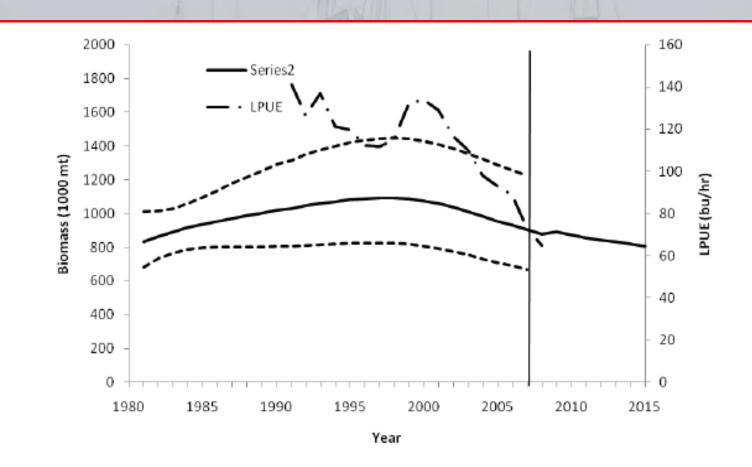
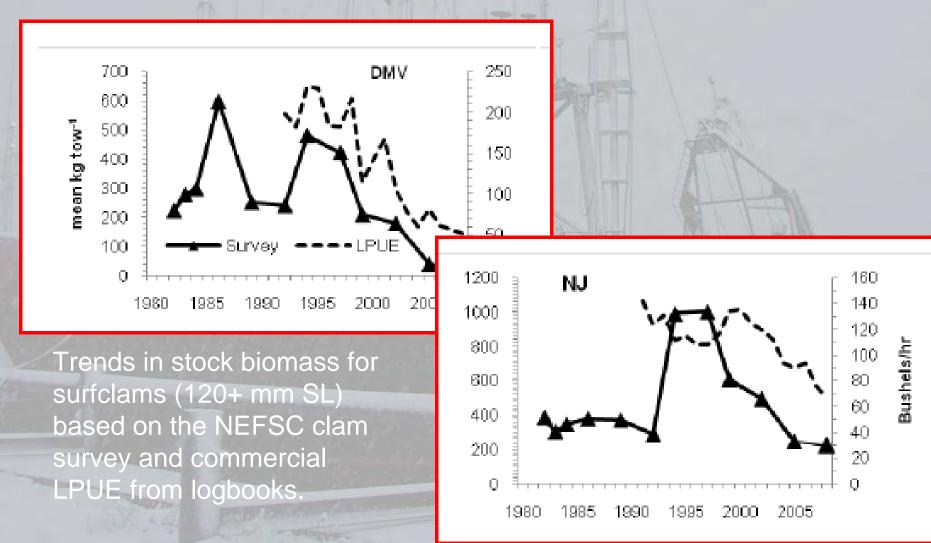


Figure A10. Surfclam biomass estimates (labeled "Series2") with approximate 80% confidence intervals. Nominal commercial LPUE from logbooks (total reported landings / total reported hours fished, all vessels and all trips) for the entire fishery (not including GBK where fishing did not occur) are shown for comparison. LPUE data were not used in estimating biomass. Projections to 2015, based on industry estimates of landings, are also shown.

# Sub-regional Signals: the problem in southern areas of the range



#### responses

- None; absorb losses or compensate internally
- Change fishing behavior;
  - Move to more abundant clam beds
  - Fish more intensively in more abundant clam beds
  - Switch to ocean quahogs, other species

- Effort to reopen
   Georges Bank (PSP
   problem)
- Industry reorganization
  - Shift processing northward
  - Buy-outs and consolidation
- Consider voluntary or government management measures

## Behavioral Responses: shifting and intensified effort, targeting NJ region

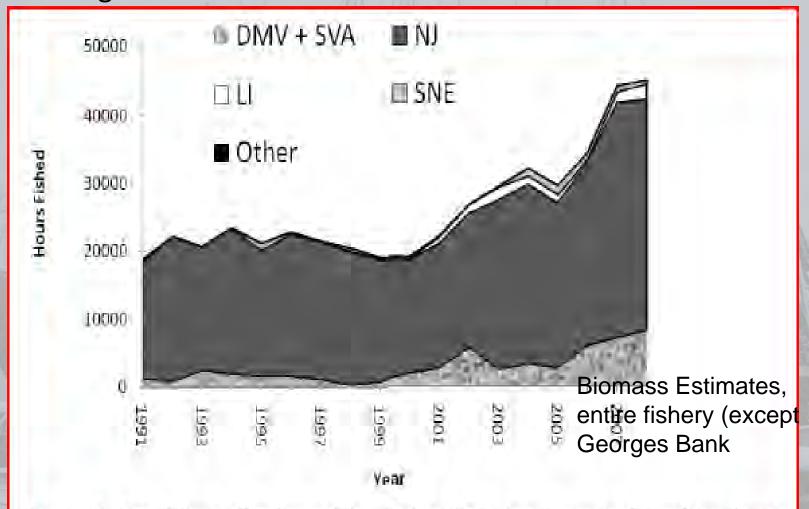
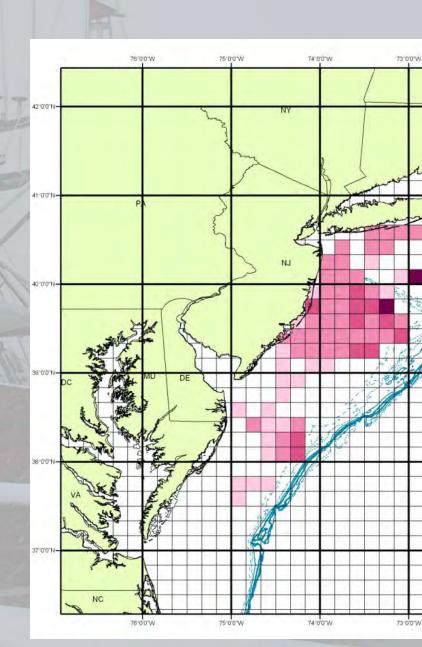


Figure A7. Total fishing effort (hours fished during all trips by all vessels) for surfclam during 1991-2008 in the US EEZ, by stock assessment region.

#### Feedback of Fleet Behavior to Clams

- Amplifying ?
- Dampening?
- Neutral?
- "sources" versus "sinks"

Focus on 10-minute square #3973, an "abundance high"



# Deviation-mitigating responses ['adaptation']?

- Research ....
- Changes in carrying capacity? Genotypic diversity?
- Implications for stock assessments, if accepted by scientific community.

- Management council responses:
  - Co-management context
  - Closed areas? Size limits? Reduced allowable catches?
- Industry responses:
  - Above (co-management)
  - Voluntary agreements?
  - Or amplify and move to something else?

# Institutional Challenges to Adaptive Response

#### Magnuson-Stevens Act

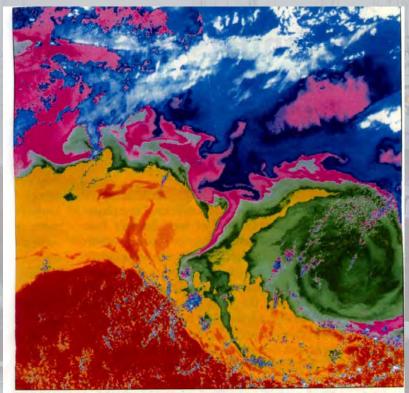
- "overfishing" and
   "overfished" signals for
   action, using existing stock
   assessment models;
   ...versus other causes of
   fish stock depletion (now
   treated vaguely as "e")
- Overburdened scientific and management organizations
- Recent more precautionary approach; elevating scientific uncertainty

- Quota-setting process;3 year framework
- Spatial homogeneity assumption: "stock throughout its range"
- ITQs, history of stable quotas, & status quo incentives
- Lag in survey data;
   possible drop of survey

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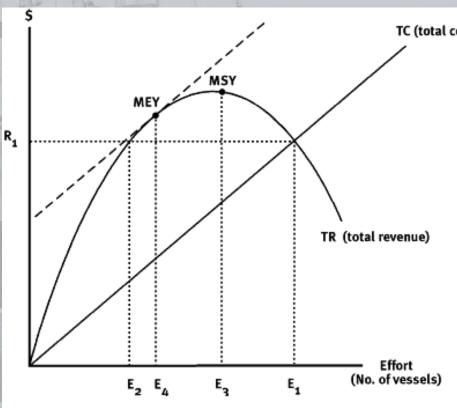
Dynamic & unpredictable

Marine ecosystems: flexibility imperative



Atlantic jacuzzi. ERS-1's infrared radiometer captured this 200-kilometer-wide swirl of warm water (shown in green in lower right) southeast of Cape Cod, where the Gulf Stream and Labrador current meet, in 1991.

Market-based management for greater profitability; predictability imperative



Graph 2 : Relationship between fishing effort and total revenue and total cost

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### Conclusions

- Despite rhetoric, people have not been treated as truly part of marine ecosystems in much research and policy.
- Overemphasis on anthropogenesis of problems, and not of solutions
- Coupled systems
   analysis: people as
   active in both positive
   and negative
   interaction with other
   aspects of the
   ecosystem.
- Else, caught ...

