



*Review of the saffron cod *Eleginus gracilis*
(*Tilesius*) fishery in the seas
on Russian FarEast*

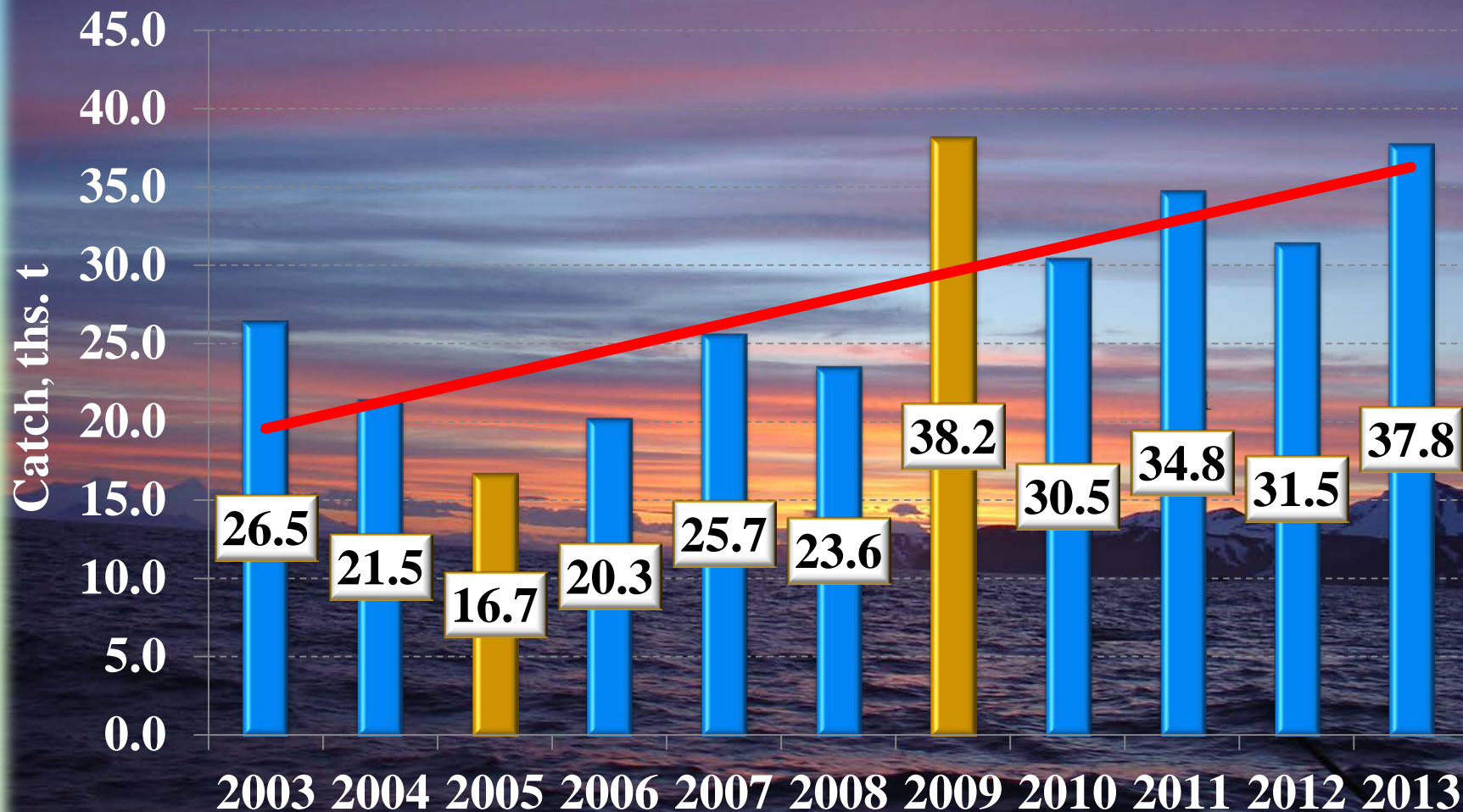
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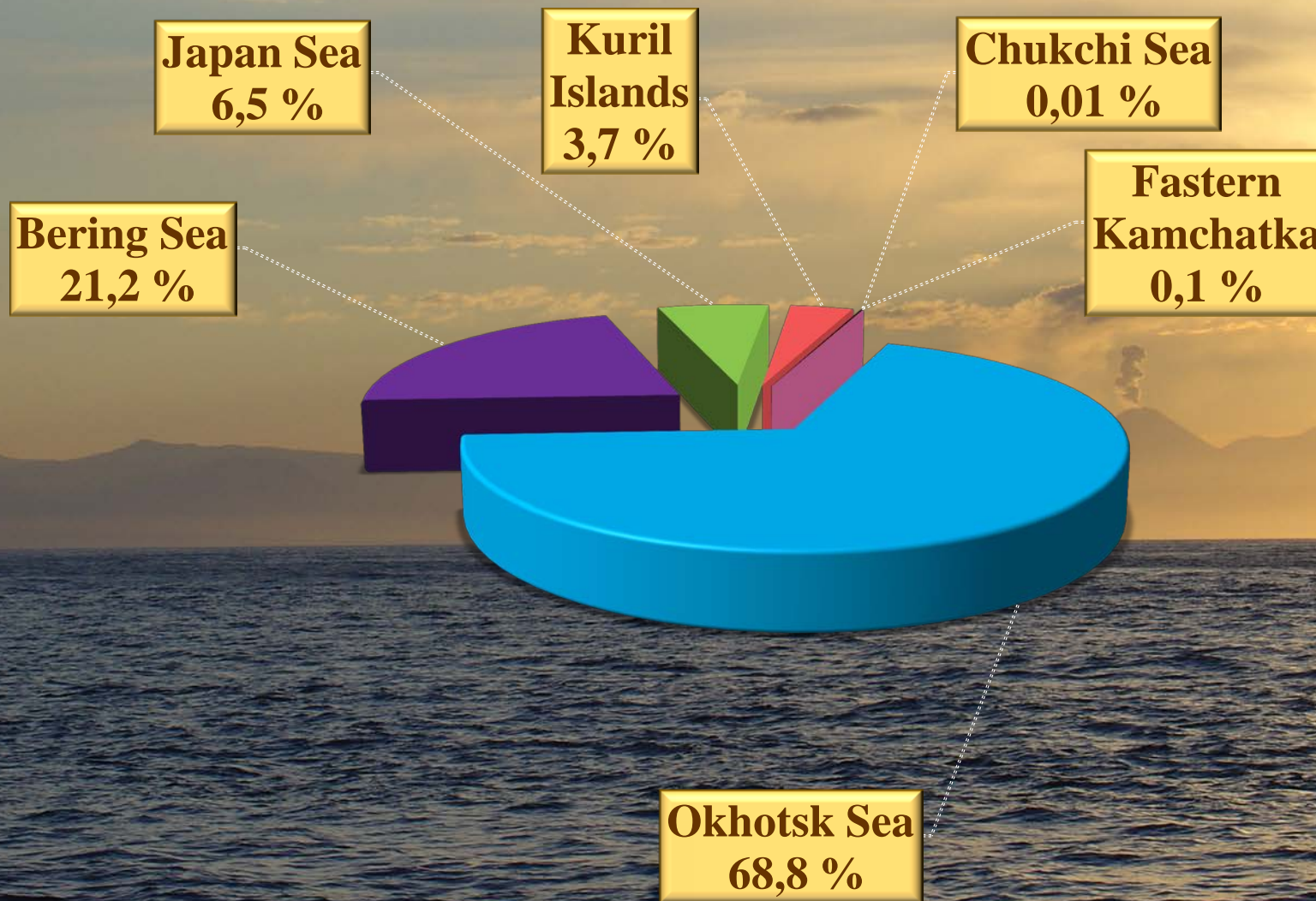
Saffron cod *Eleginus gracilis* (Tilesius)



The dynamics of the total catch of saffron cod in the seas of Far East in 2003-2013 (averagely 27 ths. t)



The percent of the catch of saffron cod in the seas of Far East in the total catch in 2003-2013





CHUKOTKA

Western Bering Sea

body length - 20-52 cm
average - 35 cm (Danish seine)
catch -980 tons

West-south part of the Bering sea

body length- 16-52 cm
average - 31,5 cm (Danish seine)
catch- 4600 tons

KAMCHATKA

East Kamchatka

body length - 14-49 cm
average - 31 cm (Danish seine)
body length - 18-33 cm
average - 23,1 cm (net)
catch -30 tons

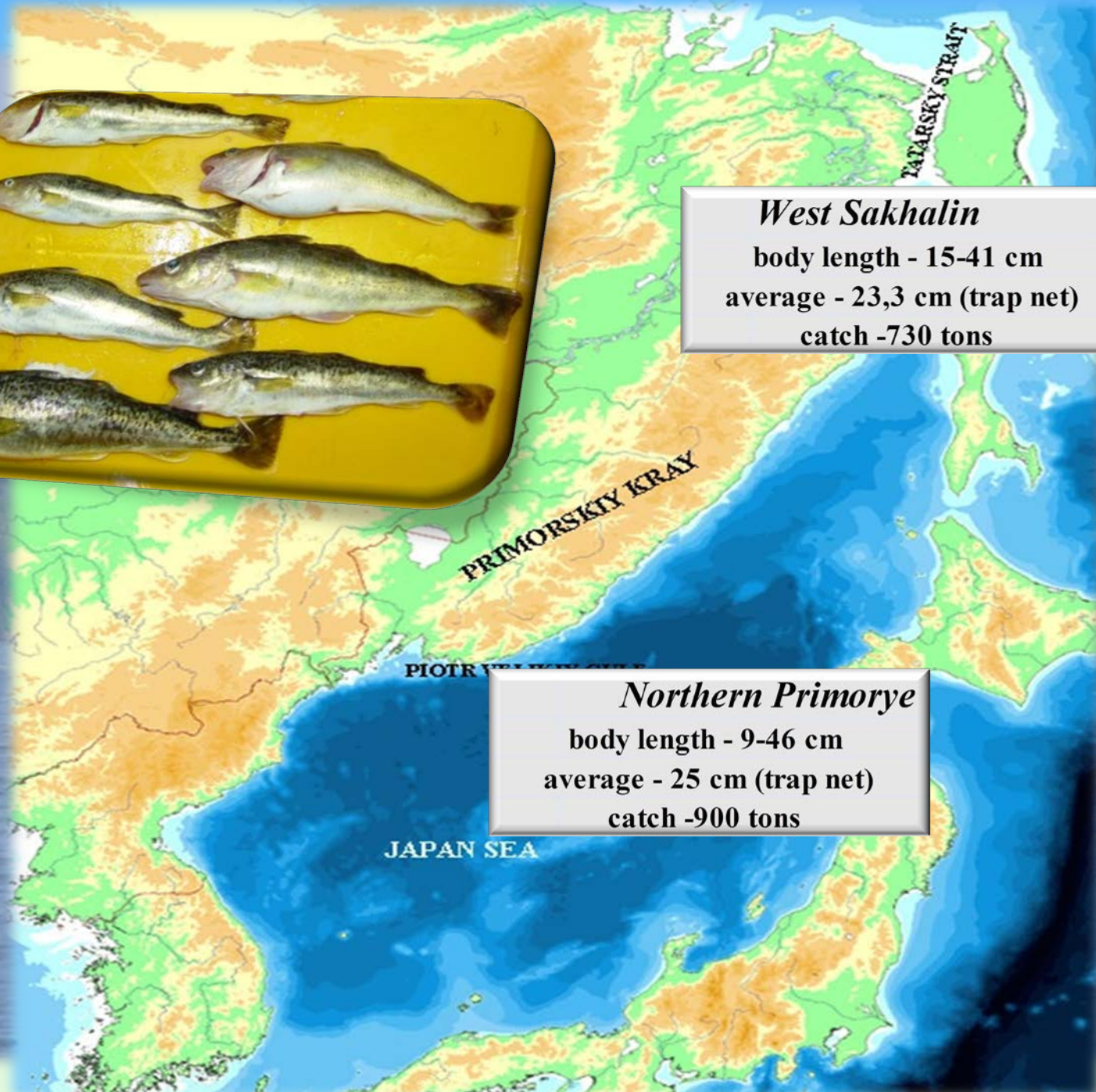


West Sakhalin

body length - 15-41 cm
average - 23,3 cm (trap net)
catch -730 tons

Northern Primorye

body length - 9-46 cm
average - 25 cm (trap net)
catch -900 tons



North Okhotsk subzone

body length - 24-36 cm
average - 25 cm (Danish seine)
catch - 260 tons

West Kamchatkan shelf

body length - 24-52 cm
average - 36,3 cm (Danish seine)
catch - 10500 tons



East Sakhalin

body length - 20-30 cm
average - 27 cm (trawl)
catch - 7400 tons

North Kuril Islands

body length - 30-56 cm
average - 43 cm (trawl)
catch - 3 tons

A photograph of two seagulls perched on a curved metal structure, possibly part of a boat or a fishing vessel. The seagull on the left is standing on a small metal cap, while the one on the right is perched on a larger, rectangular metal component. The background is a clear, bright blue sky. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, serif font.

The West Kamchatkan, East Sakhalinian and East Kamchatkan districts are the major places of harvesting saffron cod.

Stocks of Primorye and of poorly populated districts of the North Okhotsk Sea and of the West Bering Sea are underused.

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attention!

