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Asotin, Lower Snake, Tucannon and Walla Walla Subbasin Plan Presentations to the ISRP

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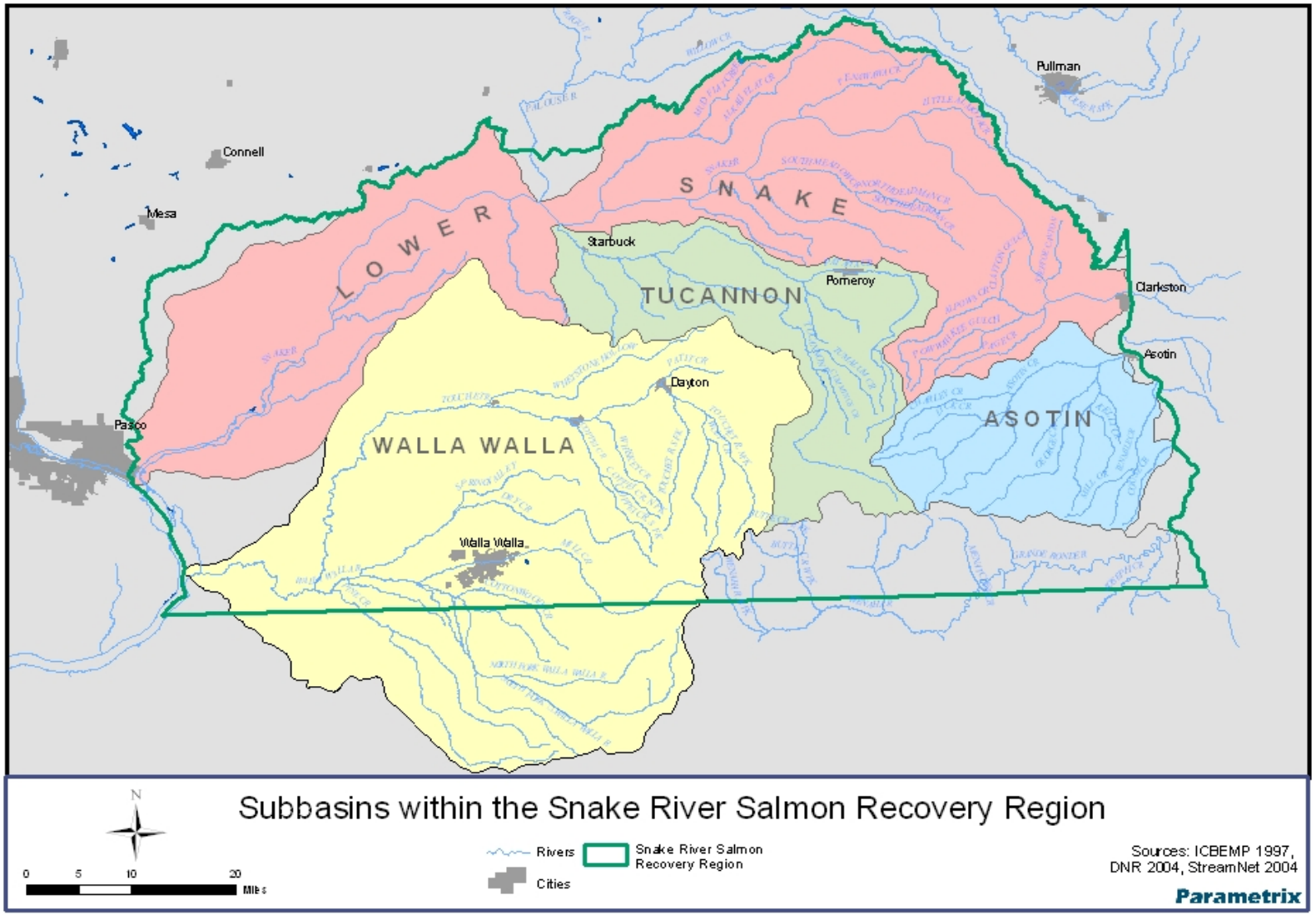


Subbasins within the Snake River Salmon Recovery Region

MU Status

- Completed an update to the 2005 MU plan in 2011 based on new information
- Programs are funding what we identified in the 2011 MU plan (examples to follow)
- SRFB and BPA are primary financial resources
- PSMFC, DOE, USDA, USFS are contributors
- Partnerships remain durable and in harmony
- No surprises

2011 Update

- Altered MaSA/MiSA designations
- Refined physical objectives
- Threats Criteria defined
- Hatchery strategies updated – consternation
- Stock status updated
- Site specific costs refined
- RME current, needed and prioritized
- Work schedule updated

Program Funding

- NOAA funded our requested IMW in Asotin
- BPA funded our requested habitat programmatic in the Tucannon
- SRFB funds projects on our habitat work plan
- SRFB funded our project effectiveness program on Tucannon
- BPA funded our status/trend programs
- SRFB funds regional board (human capacity) and partners

Partnerships - Implementation

- Conservation Districts
- RFEG
- CTUIR
- WDFW
- NPT

Implementers are following the priorities in the recovery plan and combining resources to maximize benefits

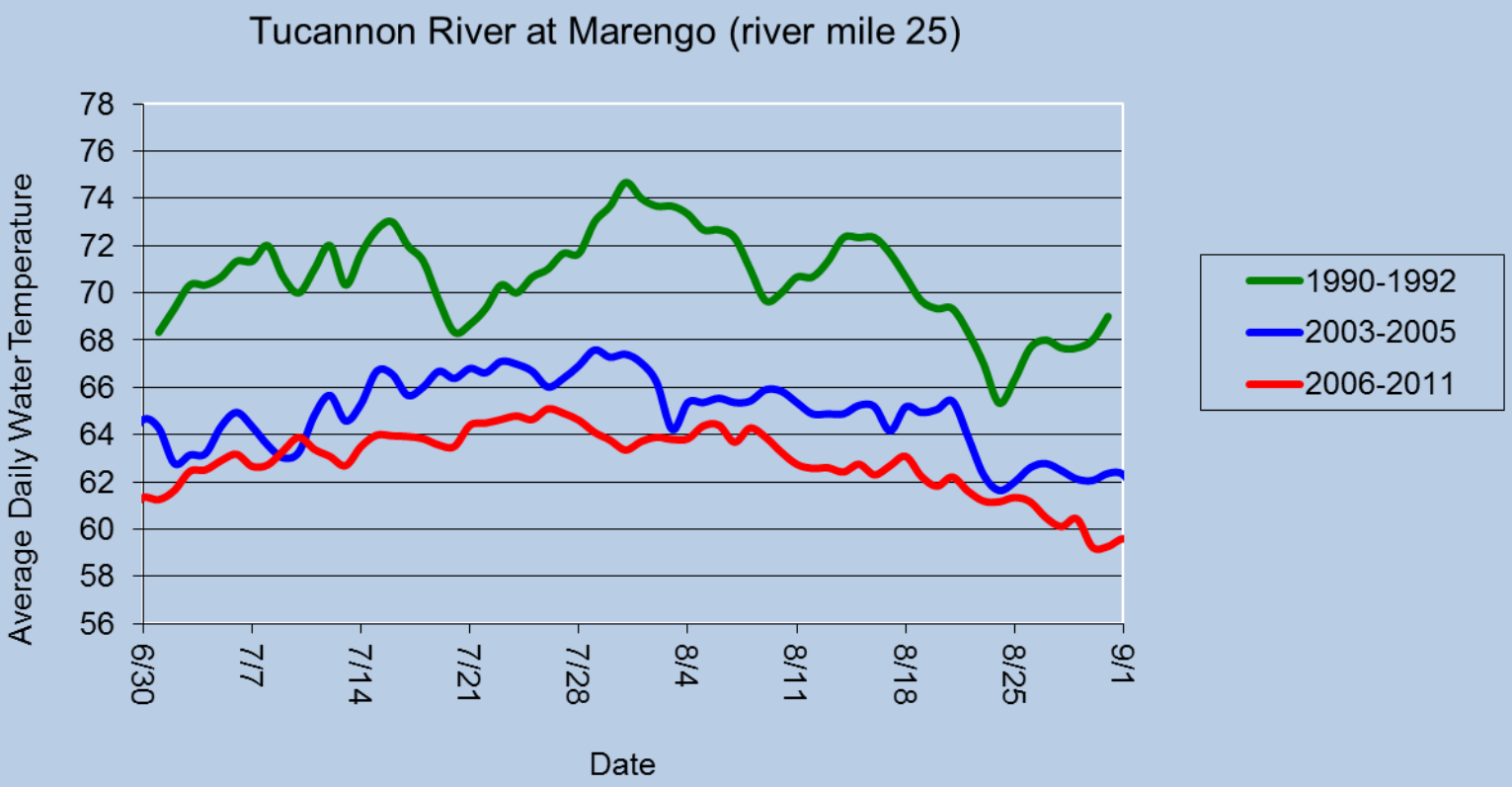
Challenges

- Hatchery management – Tucannon Steelhead
- Harvest management – Columbia River Spring Chinook
- Threats criteria – land conversion, hydro effects, over harvest, predation
- Endurance/patience from local, state and federal sectors – this is a 25+ year endeavor
- Maintaining support for salmon recovery when there is "nothing in it for local interests"

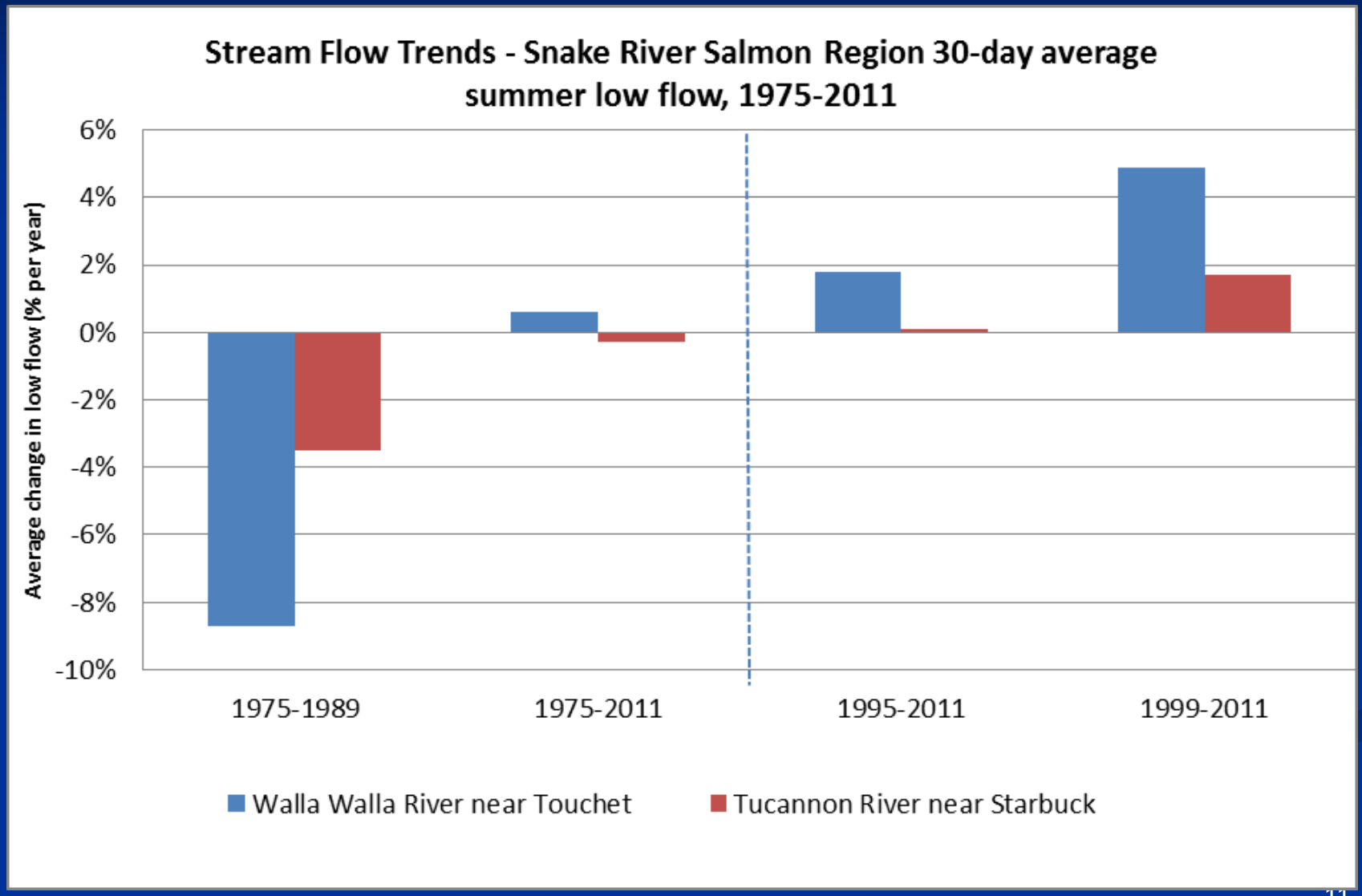
Successes

- Decreased water temperature
- Increased Stream flow
- Decreased Sediment
- Large scale restoration actions have replaced small scale treatments
- Funding "commitments" sufficient to support moderate gains
- Population increase

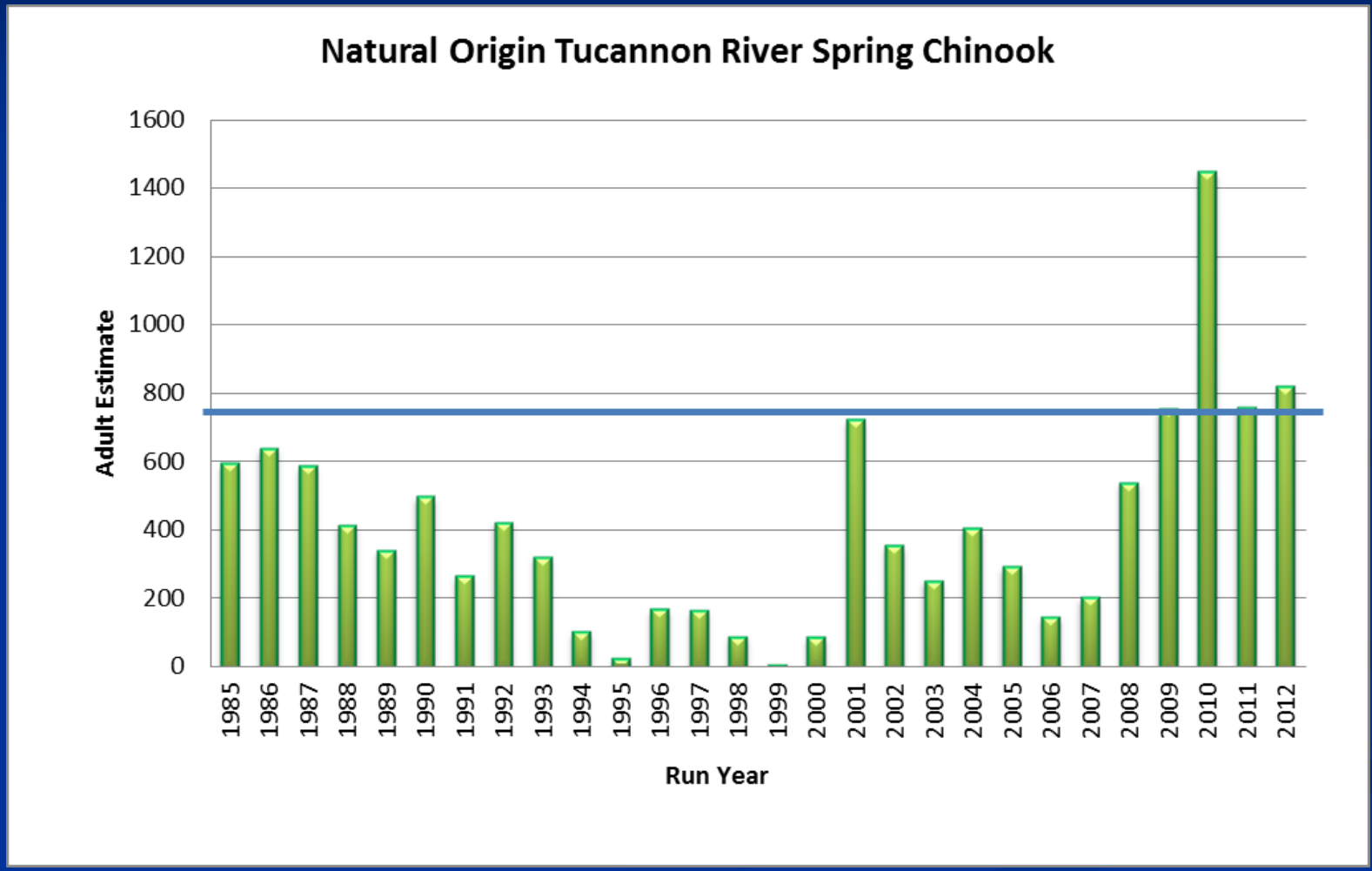
Water Temperature Improvement



Flow Improvement



Salmon Run Improvement



Steelhead Run Improvement

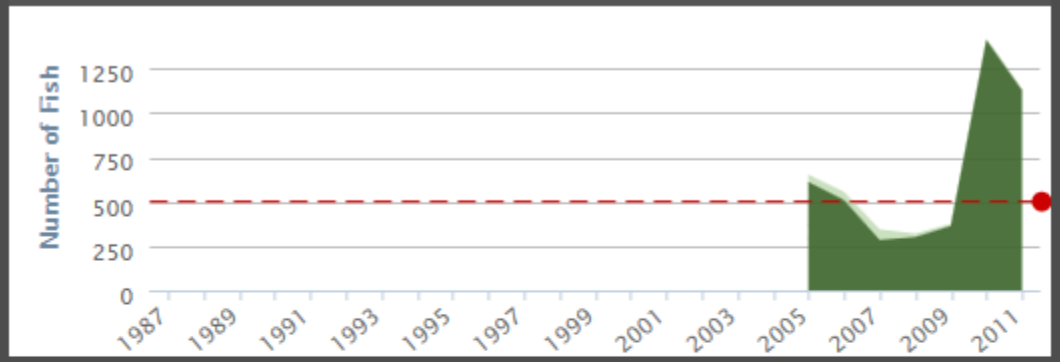
Asotin Creek Summer Steelhead

ESA Listing Year	1997
Recovery Plan Year	2011
Recovery Goal	500
10-Year Geomean [a]	550
% Hatchery Spawners [b]	3
Hatchery Standards Met?	No

WDFW Data Site

Recovery Goal
Wild
Hatchery + Wild

Data Source

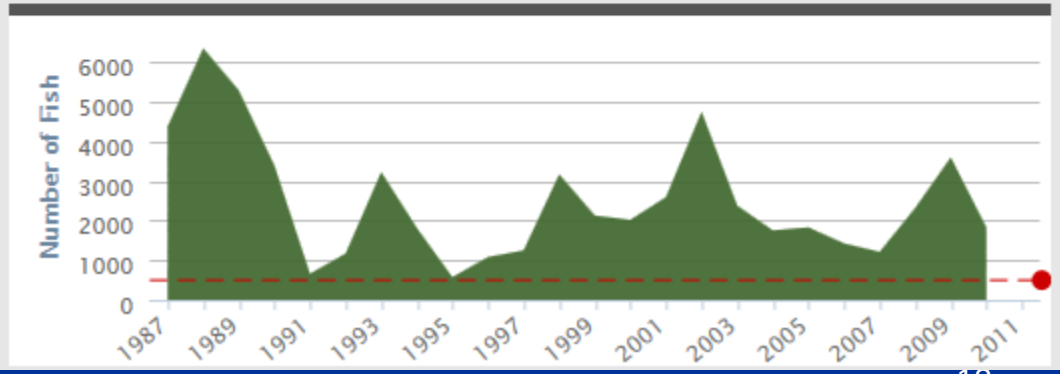


Joseph Creek Summer Steelhead

ESA Listing Year	1997
Recovery Plan Year	2011
Recovery Goal	500
10-Year Geomean [a]	2,146
% Hatchery Spawners [b]	Insufficient Data
Hatchery Standards Met?	Yes

WDFW Data Site

Recovery Goal
Wild
Hatchery + Wild



Tucannon Large Wood Replenishment

Questions?

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