

## APPENDIX

In this appendix are given as an example all calculations for sprat stock assessments by different methods. Similar estimations were also made for the other fish species.

## SPRAT STOCK ASSESSMENTS

SEP31.CSV

Separable analysis from 1974 to 1993 on ages 0 to 4  
 with Terminal F of 150 on age 2 and Terminal S of 1.000

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## Matrix of Residuals

Years Ages	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77	1977/78	1978/79	1979/80	1980/81	1981/82	1982/83
0/ 1	2.194	-1.607	-1.285	1.491	2.102	1.209	-0.33	-0.301	-0.698
1 / 2	0.08 1	-0.616	-0.3	-0.539	-0.532	-0.799	0.004	-0.457	1.043
2/ 3	-0.044	0.745	0.361	-0.366	-0.483	0.151	0.234	0.367	0.163
3/ 4	-1.278	-0.171	0.218	0.626	0.542	-0.179	-0.383	-0.201	-1.173
TOT	0.001	0	0	0	0	0	0	-0.001	-0.001
WTS	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Years	1983/84	1984/85	1985/86	1986/87	1987/88	1988/89	1989/90	1990/91	1991/92
0/ 1	-1.454	-1.319	-0.382	-0.408	-0.987	-1.567	0.839	0.541	2.398
1 / 2	0.817	0.388	0.802	-0.159	0.335	1.197	0.386	-1.052	0.515
2/ 3	0.002	-0.007	-0.066	-0.31	0.201	-0.206	-0.514	0.212	-0.294
3/ 4	-0.074	0.353	-0.526	1.179	-0.29	0.071	0.322	0.356	-1.286
TOT	-0.001	-0.001	-0.001	0	0	0	0	0	0

## Fishing Mortalities (F)

	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
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## F-values

## Selection-at-age (S)

	0	1	2	3	4
S-value:	0.0041	0.6458	1	1.0705	1
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Selection-at-age (S)

	0	1	2	3	4
S-value:	00041	0.6458	1	10705	1

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## SEP31. CSV

Traditional vpa Terminal populations from weighted Separable populations

Fishing mortality residuals									
YEAR	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982
AGE									
0	0 0003	0	-0 0001	0 0006	0.0032	0 0048	-0 001	0.0013	-0.0004
1	0 0047	-0 0024	-0 0047	-0.0313	-0.0559	-0 1596	-0.0214	-0 1273	0 3464
2	-0 0007	0.0075	0.0105	0.001	-0.0675	-0.0234	0.0597	-0 0825	0 0632
3	-0 0045	-0 0004	-0.0083	-0 0046	D 1188	0.0396	-0 1439	-0 1142	-0 2277
4	0	0.0165	0.0047	-0.0345	-0.1077	-0.0282	0.2532	0 0343	-0.0065

Fishing mortality residuals									
YEAR	1984	1985	1986	1967	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
AGE									
0	-0.0005	-0.0002	-0.0002	-0.0002	-0.0006	0.0019	0.0086	0.0028	-0.0004
1	0.1029	0.0746	-0.005	0.0409	0.1705	0.1308	-0.4825	0.0462	-0.1397
2	-0.0501	0.0439	-0.0705	0.0486	-0.0236	-0.252	-0.2958	0.0336	-0.0672
3	-0.0212	-0.0482	0.1328	-0.007	-0.0054	0.0977	0.1378	-0.1061	0.2867
4	0.021	-0 0685	0.0754	-0.1688	0.064	-0.1256	-0.4262	-0.0371	0.3501

## TUN521 CSV

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CPUE data from file E:\LOWE\SP74TUN.DAT

Catch data for 20 years 1974 to 1993. Ages 0 to 5.

Fleet	First year	Last year	First age	Last age
BG BOUR	1977	1993	0	4
USSR SM	1977	1993	0	4
USSR LAP	1977	1993	0	4
USSR RS	1978	1993	1	4

Disaggregated Qs

Log transformation

The final F is the (reciprocal variance-weighted) mean of the raised fleet Fs.  
No Vend in Q (mean used)

Terminal Fs derived using L/S (without F shrinkage)

Tuning converged after 8 iterations

Regression weights

0.751	0.82	0.877	0.921	0.954	0.976	0.99	0.997	1	1
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Oldest age F= 1.000\*average of 2 younger ages.

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Fishing mortalities

Age	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
0	0	0.001	0.001	0.001	0	0.007	0.014	0.004	0.001	0
1	0.336	0.168	0.189	0.251	0.301	0.737	0.737	0.167	0.081	0.069
2	0.215	0.327	0.183	0.385	0.178	0.699	1.396	0.352	0.254	0.153
3	0.428	0.179	0.775	0.266	0.222	1.219	2.156	0.122	1.281	0.128
4	0.322	0.253	0.479	0.326	0.2	0.959	1.776	0.237	0.767	0.14

Log catchability residuals

Fleet BG BOURGAS

Age	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983
0	0.74	-1.07	0.94	-0.22	0.89	0.13	-0.45
1	-2.51	-1.23	-1	-0.33	-0.76	0.82	0.48
2	-0.54	-0.56	0.16	0.13	0.7	0.37	0.43
3	0.23	0.39	0.31	-0.04	1.03	0.1	0.16

Age	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
0	-0.7	-1.29	-1.85	0.19	-2.03	1.95	2.02	1.56	0.58	-1.34
1	0.57	-0.14	-0.64	-0.3	-0.22	0.96	0.94	0.09	0	-0.73
2	-0.61	0.34	-0.70	0.15	-0.51	0.33	0.66	-0.2	-0.06	-0.24
3	-0.01	-0.04	0.5	-0.91	-0.06	0.17	0.27	-0.2	0.68	0.16

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## Fleet : USSR SMALL

Age	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983			
0	0.59	-0.96	0.93	-0.12	1.07	-0.36	-1.31			
1	-1.14	-0.36	-0.16	0.09	0.26	0.61	-0.18			
2	-0.62	-0.38	-0.1	0.39	0.11	-0.1	-0.34			
3	-1.1	-0.62	-1.25	-0.22	0.05	1.42	-0.33			
Age	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1995	1991	1992	1993
0	-1.89	-1.25	-0.69	-0.56	-2.28	1.13	2.07	1.92	0.38	0.77
1	-0.37	-0.69	-0.63	-0.21	-0.18	0.47	0.66	0.46	-0.14	0.18
2	-0.86	-0.52	-1.18	-0.29	-1.22	0.29	1.22	1.15	0.9	0.26
3	-0.05	-1.9	0.46	-0.92	-0.82	0.91	1.63	-0.18	2.51	-0.31

## Fleet. USSR LARGE

Age	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983			
0	0.75	-0.93	1.16	0.02	0.98	-0.07	-1.35			
1	-0.98	-0.31	0.06	0.24	0.16	0.9	-0.22			
2	-0.46	-0.33	0.13	0.54	0.01	0.19	-0.38			
3	-0.94	-0.57	-1.03	-0.08	-0.04	-1.13	-0.36			
Age	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
0	-1.89	1.02	-0.48	-0.51	-2.14	0.88	1.82	1.91	0.38	0.47
1	-0.37	-0.45	-0.43	-0.17	-0.03	0.22	0.41	0.45	-0.14	-0.12
2	-0.86	-0.28	-0.98	-0.24	-1.07	0.04	0.97	1.14	0.9	-0.04
3	-0.05	-1.66	0.66	-0.88	-0.68	0.66	1.38	-0.18	2.51	-0.61

## Fleet. USSR RS

Age	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983			
0	No data for this fleet at this age									
1	99.99	0.06	0.39	0.9	0.35	0.57	-0.14			
2	99.99	0.05	0.47	1.22	0.21	-0.13	-0.3			
3	99.99	-0.2	-0.69	0.59	0.14	-1.48	-0.28			
Age	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
0	No data for this fleet at this age									
1	0.11	-0.82	0.7	0.46	-0.87	-0.1	0	-0.28	-0.57	0.46
2	-0.38	-0.65	0.15	0.39	-1.92	-0.28	0.56	0.41	0.49	0.55
3	0.43	-2.04	1.79	-0.25	-1.52	0.34	0.97	-0.89	2.09	-0.03

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## SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR AGE 0

Fleet	Pred log q	se (log q)	Portal F	Raised F	Slope	se Slope	Intrcpt	se Intrcpt
1	-11.25	1.223	0.0001	0.0019	5.77E-02	8.28E-02	-11.249	0.3391
2	-10.82	1.215	0.0002	0.0002	1.34E-01	7.60E-02	-10.825	0.3371
3	-10.31	1.124	0	0.0003	1.09E-01	7.19E-02	-10.306	0.3121
4	No data for this fleet at this age							

Fbar	Sigma(in) 0	Sigma(ex) 0.645	Sigma(overall) 0.684	Variance ratio 0.889

## SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR AGE 1

Fleet	Pred. log q	se (log q)	Partial F	Raised F	Slope	se Slope	intrcpt	se Intrcpt
1	-5.99	0.595	0.0105	0.143	3.23E-02	4.00E-02	-5.987	0.165
2	5.54	0.392	0.0412	0.0577	3.59E-02	2.53E-02	-5.541	0.109
3	-5.02	0.326	0.0026	0.0783	1.11E-02	2.23E-02	-5.022	0.091
4	-12.82	0.477	0	0.0436	-3.78E-02	3.23E-02	-12.82	0.133

Fbar	Sigma(in) 0.069	Sigma(ex) 0.208	Sigma(overall) 0.208	Variance ratio 0.93

## SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR AGE 2

Fleet	Fred log q	se (log q)	Partial F	Raised F	Slope	se Slope	Intrcpt	se Intrcpt
1	-5.47	0.378	0.0177	0.1941	-1.27E-02	2.58E-02	-5.467	0.105
2	-5.39	0.712	0.0478	0.1175	9.11E-02	4.29E-02	-5.392	0.197
3	-4.87	0.634	0.0031	0.1595	6.63E-02	4.01E-02	-4.873	0.176
4	-12.68	0.654	0	0.0881	2.35E-02	4.60E-02	-12.677	0.182
Fbar	Sigma(in) 0.153	Sigma(ex) 0.269	Sigma(overall) 0.174	Sigma(overall) 0.269	Variance ratio 0.416			

## SUMMARY STATISTICS FOR AGE 3

Fleet	Fred log q	se (log q)	Partial F	Raised F	Slope	se Slope	intrcpt	se Intrcpt
1	-5.75	0.408	0.0134	0.1095	-5.68E-03	2.80E-02	-5.749	0.113
2	-5.3	1.052	0.0525	0.174	1.41 E-01	6.26E-02	-5.298	0.292
3	-4.78	0.977	0.0034	0.2362	1.16E-01	6.02E-02	-4.779	0.271
4	-12.58	1.09	0	0.132	2.739E-02	7.47E-02	-12.578	0.304
Fbar	Sigma(in) 0.128	Sigma(ex) 0.337	Sigma(overall) 0.154	Sigma(overall) 0.337	Variance ratio 0.209			

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#### Extended Survivors Analysis

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CPU data from file e:\lowe\sp74\sp74tun1.dat

Catch data for 16 years 1978 to 1993. Ages 0 to 5

Fleet	First year	Last year	First age	Last age	Alpha	Beta
BG BOUR	1978	1993	1	4	0	1
USSR SM	1978	1993	1	4	0.25	0.83
USSR LAf	1978	1993	1	4	0	1
USSR R5	1978	1993	1	4	0.25	0.5
YSO	1980	1993	0	0	0	1

Time series weights

Tapered time weighting applied

Power= 3 over 20 years

#### Catchability analysis

Catchability dependent on stock size for ages < 1

Regression type = C

Minimum of 5 points used for regression

Survivor estimates shrunk to the population mean for ages< 1

Catchability independent, of age for ages >= 1

#### Terminal population estimation:

Survivor estimates shrunk towards the mean F  
of the final 5 years or the 4 oldest ages

S.E. of the mean to which the estimates are shrunk=.500

Minimum standard error for population estimates derived  
from each fleet=.300

Prior weighting not applied

Tuning had not converged after 30 iterations

Total absolute residual between iterations  
29 and 30 = .00012