

**REPORT OF THE AD-HOC MEETING ON PROGRESS IN THE ICCAT ALBACORE RESEARCH PROGRAM
(Sukarrieta, 12-16 July, 1991)**

1 - OPENING

This ad-hoc meeting was convened by F.X. Bard, chairman of the Albacore Research Program (PSG), at AZTI-SIO laboratory in Sukarrieta (Vizcaya), to the kind invitation of his Director, J.M. Odriozola. Excellent facilities were made available and the Group acknowledge AZTI-SIO for this particular effort.

Participants were: L. Antoine, F.X. Bard, J.L. Cort, P. Danel, M. Fernandez, V. Ortiz and J. Santiago.

F.X. Bard appointed himself as rapporteur.

2 - AGENDA

Main goal of this meeting was to examine the progress made in specific research tasks assigned during the last PSG meeting in November 1990 (Document COM-SCRS/90/16). Therefore a tentative agenda was proposed by F.X. Bard, and adopted. Main topics to be discussed were :

- Corrections made to the general catch at size tables (1975-1989) of the Report of the Second ICCAT Albacore Workshop, 1990 (Tables 3 and 4 of the 1990 WG report).
- Length frequency analysis using stochastic methods in order to improve the current catch at age table (Table 5 of the 1990 WG Report).
- Improvement of abundance indices.
- Possible future runs of VPA.
- Analysis of hard parts.
- Tagging data file availability and preliminary analysis.
- Examination of possible injuries caused by fishing gear on albacore and the use of this kind of information. (See document SCRS/90/69).
- Interaction between fisheries
- Others.
- Recommendations

3 - CORRECTION OF CATCH AT SIZE TABLE

ICCAT Secretariat, on request of PSG chairman, provided by the beginning of this year the 1975-1989 catch at size tables splitted by year, gear and country for north and south stocks of albacore. These tables were corrected by Secretariat, particularly those data corresponding to longline, in which some errors had been detected lately during SCRS 1990.

Data provided were checked, comparing the nominal catch declared by country with the catch estimates obtained as the sum of products of the mean weights at length with the numbers at length.

For north stock, it appeared that for major fisheries the differences between both catch figures was less than 10% (except 1979-Taiwan). In the case of some minor fisheries the differences were higher, due probably to rounding effects for catches less than 100 tons (Table 1).

Therefore, the new version of catch at size table for the north stock was accepted. Additional computations and merging of catch at size data corresponding to this stock were requested from the Secretariat which provided it in due time for further use at the present meeting.

For south stock, catch at size tables corresponding to Taiwanese longline fishery, which is the most important fishery in this area, appeared to be correct. However there were still some problems for minor fisheries (Table 2). Absence of catch at size data for surface fisheries was noticed. Secretariat confirmed that data from South African baitboat fishery, which is the only important surface fishery on this stock, are not available in the ICCAT data base.

4 - LENGTH FREQUENCY ANALYSIS BY STOCHASTIC METHODS FOR IMPROVING CATCH AT AGE TABLE.

4.1 During the 1990 Albacore WG it was pointed out that the method of "slicing out" the age classes from catch at size distribution was not completely satisfactory, particularly because the number of 1 cm classes included in each age group decreased when getting older, which is unlikely. Therefore it was decided that a particular task of the PSG was to explore the possibility of using stochastic methods for a better age decomposition of catch at size tables.

J. Santiago, who was in charge of this activity, after a review of the current methods of length frequency analysis, selected MULTIFAN, a Otter Research Ltd.'s length frequency analysis system (FOURNIER AND SIBERT, 1990), available as a package for computer use. This applies a likelihood-based technique that extends the methods of SCHNUTE & FOURNIER (1980) to simultaneously analyze several length frequency data sets.

Several runs were done prior to the meeting by J. Santiago with length frequency data sets corresponding to surface fisheries (Document PSG/91/1). After examination of this preliminary analysis, the group accepted the following conclusions:

- The analysis on a monthly basis proved useless as for surface fisheries some samples had been obviously substituted by samples of contiguous strata. Moreover, the use of this time unit would be impossible for longline data for which the sampling time unit is the quarter. And eventually, the analysis of the 1975-1989 data by gear on a monthly basis would be very time consuming.
- It appeared that some length sampling of the surface fisheries for years 1975-1989 could have been skewed by a strategy of sampling which had not properly taken into account the commercial strata. This point should be more thoroughly explored by the national scientists in charge of the sampling. If possible, corrections should be made and documented, and corrected data transmitted to ICCAT for further use by PSG. Anyway, the currently available data from surface fisheries had to be used, bearing in mind these problems.

For all the above reasons it was decided to use the quarter as the minimum unit of time for further analysis.

4.2 The group applied MULTIFAN to the following catch at size data sets:

- Longline, quarterly, 1975-1982.
- All gears combined, yearly, 1975-1989.

The results of the longline data analysis proved interesting but not completely satisfactory. Particularly, the standard deviation (SD) of length at age decreased with age when a length dependence in SD was introduced in the model, which seemed unrealistic. This effect could be due to mild quality of the sampling on some years, joint to the problem of overlapping between the age components, specially for oldest ages. Moreover, the probable differential growth by sex could contribute to blur the picture. Therefore the analysis of longline data alone was abandoned.

The results corresponding to the yearly catch at size data, all gear combined, appeared completely unrealistic. Therefore such analysis was abandoned.

4.3 The Group decided to analyze on a quarterly time basis the catch at size distributions of north Atlantic albacore for 1975-1989, all gears combined. The initial catch at size tables were provided by ICCAT Secretariat as ALBNORQ.DAT and ALBNORQ.TAB files (Annex 1).

Due to the requirements of the MULTIFAN version available, this set of 60 distributions had to be analyzed in 5 batches of 12 quarters: 75-77, 78-80, 81-83, 84-86, 87-89. Initial conditions selected for the analysis were:

- Recruitment was considered to occur in the second quarter of the year (Q2).
- Length distributions analyzed ranged from 46 cm to 128 cm, as the program allows up to 85 length classes.

MULTIFAN analysis provided multiple possible solutions, according to the initial inputs of von Bertalanffy K (0.2 and 0.3) and the number of possible age classes (8 to 12) and to the different models to be fitted. The initial model was built up assuming normality of the age components, von Bertalanffy growth and SD constant. Two additional models were tested introducing length dependent SD and size selectivity for the first age class.

The whole process is documented by a separate document to be submitted to next SCRS by J. Santiago.

The results of the optimal fit to each data set are provided as Annex 2. This selection of the best fit was done using the program 'SIGTEST' available in the MULTIFAN package.

Results of this analysis proved satisfactory, being fairly consistent over the different data sets. Main conclusions were:

- For every set, the computed growth curve appeared to be reasonable, and the computed K and L_{∞} estimates were consistent (Except for years 81-83).
- The models corresponding to the best fit to the different data sets included length dependent SD, which increased with age in all the sets (except 87-89 where SD remained stable). This result was considered as a major improvement over the "slicing out" method, as the increase of SD with age is quite a probable biological feature.
- The introduction of size selectivity for the first age class in the model, seemed less important and it only improved the fit to the 78-80 and 84-86 data sets.

Figure 1 compares in a synthetic way the estimates of mean length and SD of length at age in Q2 (as $L \pm 1.96 \cdot SD$) for all the data sets. Mean length at age are similar for the younger ages up to about 5 years old. Afterwards, due to the slowing of the growth and increase of standard deviation, the picture becomes less precise.

Obviously the next step would be to analyze the whole set of 1975-1990 quarterly length distributions but, up to the time of this meeting, the suitable version of MULTIFAN was not available. It was agreed that the PSG should fund the purchase of such a version, which could be available at reasonable price. PSG entrusted J. Santiago to continue the analysis in that way.

Meanwhile, it was decided to combine the quarterly catch at age tables computed by MULTIFAN (Table 3) in order to build up a single catch at age table on yearly basis and see how it compares to the catch at age table issued by the 1990 WG. For this purpose, the quarterly values of Table 3 were added in two ways:

- Using calendar year (*i.e.* 75 is the sum of Q1 to Q4)
- Using biological year, assuming recruitment at the second quarter in the surface fishery. (*i.e.* 75 is the sum of Q2+Q3+Q4 of 1975, plus Q1 of 1976.) There is Q1-1975 left and Q1-1990 lacking (but there have been only few large fish caught by longline in Q1-1990, as Taiwan longlining sharply decreased, and no surface fishery

occurs at this time of the year). This second way of adding quarters was designed in order to try to match the conditions of building 1990 WG catch at age table (Problem of n or $n+$ age group).

In addition to this, numbers of fish smaller than 46 cm were considered as to be added to the age 1 group and number of fish bigger than 129 cm were considered as to be included in an age plus group.

Table 4 is the result of these two sets of additions. Comparing with 1990 WG Table 5 showed a reasonable agreement, with an increase of the number of fish at age 4 to 6, which seems logical. The problem of merging the oldest age class in a plus group was raised. It was agreed that the use of a 7+ age group would be convenient.

4.4 Another method, more systematic, was to run MULTIFAN with fixed condition for the five sets. The parameters held fixed were:

- von Bertalanffy $K=0.2$
- Minimum size: 45.56 (AGE 1 of Bard's growth equation)
- Maximum size: 114.6 (AGE 10 of Bard's growth equation)
- Number of age groups: 10
- Ratio of increase of first to last SD: 1.9 (Average value of optimal searches)

The results of this second method are displayed as Annex 3. Number of fish at age were compared with the homologous set of optimal search (Annex 2). General features of the two set are similar, with main bulk of the catch for young and medium age classes. However important differences appeared comparing the two sets, being higher the number of fish for medium age groups (ages 4-7) in the second run (with all fixed conditions). And conversely, number of fish were lower for old age classes. (See for instance the sample 4 of 75-77 set, ages 4-10.)

The source of this difference lies probably in the mechanical effect of the second run, which worked as a "stupid slicing machine", opposed to the more stochastic effects of the first run. Moreover graphical examination of the fits revealed inconsistencies for the same reason. An example of such an inconsistency is shown in Annex 3. Therefore the results of this systematic searches were rejected.

As conclusion to this particular point:

- The use a more powerful version of MULTIFAN, capable of analyzing the whole 75-89 set of data by quarters, would solve the problem of combining the different 12 quarters sets.
- There is a need of a method for direct ageing of large fish in order to provide extra information for such analysis in the future.

- The standard catch at age table to be used in the VPA is displayed in Table 4.

5 - IMPROVEMENT OF ABUNDANCE INDICES

No new indices were computed since the 1990 WG. Information was that J Mejuto is currently working on a possible standardisation of the spanish surface gears indices. However the lack of historical spatial-temporal data for CPUE (Task 2 on ICCAT required standards) seems to be still a problem for computing such standardised indices.

Another problem to face is the homogeneity of the indices at age, computed from separate fisheries catch at size data (for example baitboats) versus the overall catch at age table. It was pointed out, during the 1990 Working Group, that the indices by age should be computed as much as possible in the same way that the number of fish by age.

It was suggested that, as MULTIFAN computes general mean length at age and associated standard deviation, these data could be used to split catch at size table from a given gear into age groups and therefore computing CPUE by age.

A trial of this method should be carried out on surface fisheries data:

- As for the younger fish caught by the surface fisheries the reference period selected was the third quarter of any year, which is the time step used, and as the selected fleets were the Spanish troll and baitboat, which yield the major part of the catch in number, there is a reasonable chance that useful indices of abundance as CPUE by age could be computed for young age classes.
- For older fish caught by longline the question is still open. Moreover the recent sharp decrease of Taiwan effort will complicate the availability of such indices for old fish over a complete time series.

Conclusion is that the only indices of abundance available in the future over the whole time series will be one issued from the Spanish surface fleets. It is therefore emphasized that collection of basic relevant data (logbooks) is of paramount importance.

6 - FUTURE RUNS OF VPA

Possible use of various methods for running VPA (tuned, multicohort, constant recruitment,...) were discussed.

One problem is that the number of significant year classes in the demographic table is rather low (1 to 6/7 and a + group) which means that convergence will not be easily achieved. Moreover the evolution of the fisheries catching different ages groups, surface gears for youngs, longline for old ones, has been independent over the selected time series. Therefore the partial recruitment vector is not likely to be constant for the considered years. It could make the use of tuned VPA not easy, generating problems similar to the ones encountered for swordfish stock assessment.

It is believed that VPA methods taking advantage of the relatively better accuracy of the catch at age data for surface fisheries would be more suitable. For instance multicohort analysis (LAUREC and BARD, 1980) on age 2/3 or 3/4 could be appropriate.

Conclusion about this point, was that VPA's can be ran by individual scientist of the Group, submitted to next SCRS meeting and documented in a way that it can be discussed and, if possible, new runs of the selected method/program being made during rapporteurs discussion. The catch at age table used must be the one selected at the present meeting. (Table 4, or further version yielded by use of new MULTIFAN on overall time series of 60 quarters 75-89, if successfully computed and made available by J Santiago in due time).

7 - ANALYSIS OF HARD PARTS

The purpose of this particular study is to set up a reliable and easy method of ageing individual fish, in order to be able of ageing enough individual fish for a current strategy of double sampling (length frequency analysis plus ageing of a subsample). It seems only possible through the use of spines, as the use of other hard parts would imply the purchase of fish. Therefore it is important to derive a reliable method for reading spines section.

The number of spines collected in 1990 on a wide range of albacore amounted to 1200. This sampling was stratified by size class (1cm), time (month) and sea area (east and west of 10°W). Preliminary results are documented in Doc PSG/91/1. An orderly pattern of marks formation appeared in some time-area strata (for instance, September East of 10°W).

A more particular analysis, comparing different hard parts of the same fish, was carried out by M. Fernandez. Hard parts (spines, vertebrae and otoliths) of 21 albacores - ranging from 95 to 111 cm FL were collected in order to compare the pattern of growth marks formation in different pieces for establishing the most suitable hard part to be systematically sampled for age estimation.

Collection and preparation of otoliths is very time consuming and the first results obtained with polishing and acid decalcifying techniques seemed too complicated for a suitable interpretation.

The first ray of the first dorsal ray fin showed a very particular growth marks pattern, somewhat erratic, which is difficult to interpret as it is still unknown the time of hyaline band formation. In fact, there is no evidence of yearly double banding phenomena. Further analysis on a possible connection of the hyalin marks formation with biological events (spawning, migration) should be conducted.

The secondary regeneration occurring in the core of the first fin ray makes the identification of first growth marks somewhat difficult. However, a simultaneous reading of first and second first fin dorsal rays may lead to acceptable results, because regeneration in the second ray is not so notable.

Axial thin sections of vertebrae showed growth marks pattern similar to the one described for spines, and preliminary results indicated a good agreement between readings

on vertebrae and on spines (14 cases). When there was not an agreement (7 cases) vertebrae tended to underestimate age in one year time, and this could be due to a higher degree of regeneration in vertebrae.

It is expected that a complete document about this particular study will be submitted to next SCRS meeting.

It was decided by the Group to continue with the spines sampling in order to try to complete a round-the-year series for all sizes, as it still seems essential to understand the seasonal pattern (if any) of the laying of the hyalin marks on spines sections. A whole year series of samples is expected to allow the understanding of the evolution of marginal increments.

Another future activity on spines will be the digitalization of the already prepared sections of spines in order to be studied with image analysis techniques and artificial intelligence at the Brest laboratory of IFREMER.

8 - TAGGING DATA

Status of the tagging-recapture data file was discussed. It appears that still there is not a complete file (historical from ISTPM plus recent from IEO) fully available. IEO scientists have been encouraged to complete this work, as taggings from 1988-1990 yielded 133 recoveries (Table 5).

It was suggested that much more analysis of these taggings should be carried out, particularly as a greater number of recoveries is expected during 1991 from the huge 1990 tagging experience.

Methods used during the ISYP should be considered for that purpose. Apart from the classical use of tagging recovery data for building up a growth curve, it could be of particular interest to examine the spatial-temporal evolution of recoveries together with the spatial-temporal evolutions of catch of fish of the same size.

Box model centred on possible exploited concentrations of schools could be also examined.

It was casually reported to the Group that tagging experiments are currently under preparation in the Mediterranean in order to clarify the stock structure. The EEC participation is promised and experiments will be carried out by Italy, Greece, Spain and France.

9 - EXAMINATION OF POSSIBLE INJURIES CAUSED BY FISHING GEAR

The possibility of recording occurrence of injured fish (especially by gillnet) has been given in the observers form defined by IEO and IFREMER for the EEC program. J CADDY (SCRS/90/69) also suggested to use this information as a "tagging" data. The results of observers campaigns do not provided any information on this topic, though observation of

injured fish has been reported unofficially. It is unfortunately too late now to use this kind of information as a tagging method but it has been suggested that fishermen or better qualified observers at sea should carefully monitor the occurrence of injured fish as an index of fishing gear interaction.

10 - INTERACTION BETWEEN FISHERIES. ANALYSIS OF OBSERVERS DATA

Observers campaigns were planned in 1989 in the IEO-IFREMER research program granted by EEC. Observers were put on board spanish BB and TROL boats and french GILL and MWT boats. This program was achieved in November 1990 and submitted to EEC DG XIV. The analysis and results concerned mainly in the interaction between these four types of gears.

The final report should be officially asked to DG XIV by ICCAT. A complement survey of observers at sea has been conducted during 1990, partially financed by ICCAT PSG program; the results of both campaigns should be analyzed by IEO and IFREMER both together, with the participation of AZTI-SIO as this Institute has developed a specific logbook for albacore BB fishery in the Basque Country which is currently correctly filled.

French logbooks for years 1989 and 1990 have been correctly filled and can also be used in term of interaction between fleets. Studies must be carried in the following topics :

- Mapping catch and effort data for each gear, and analysis of the fishing strategies which are still poorly known.
- Analysis spatial-temporal "windows" where and when different gears are close together, in terms of CPUE
- Study of the possible existence of concentration of schools as it has been demonstrated for tropical tuna in the eastern Atlantic.

11 - OTHERS

11.1 - Length-weight relationship

The 1989 Albacore Workshop reviewed the L/W relationships available at that time, and recommended continuing the use of the equation obtained by BEARDSLEY (1971). However, some problems were noticed concerning a possible bias of this relation for larger fish, and a possible dimorphism between males and females.

Document PSG/91/1 gives new data on L/W relationship after a systematic sampling carried out in the Bay of Biscay and Azores in 1990, stratified by quarter (3rd and 4th), length class (1cm) and sex (for individuals bigger than 80cm).

Results indicated that there were not significative differences of the L/W regression parameters neither between quarters nor between sexes. Therefore all the pairs of

observations (713) were combined to get a single regression. This was significantly different from the one obtained by BEARDSLEY (1971), giving weight estimates significantly smaller for large fish (up to 7kg difference for a 130cm albacore).

11.2 - Maturity

Preliminary results on histological analysis of albacore gonads were presented at the meeting (PSG/91/1). The number of samples analyzed was 91, coming from individuals ranging between 78 and 107cm, fished in the Bay of Biscay in 1990.

- Females were either resting or in immature condition (the analysis did not allow the differentiation between both phases of gonad development). Almost 100% of the oocytes in the ovaries were unyolked; some oocytes partially yolked were observed but always in a very few number.
- 18 of the 31 males analyzed presented sperm in the sperm-duct indicating that they were in mature condition. Only 3 males showed clear signs of immaturity.

Further studies on this subject should be carried out in order to get estimates of length at first maturity.

12 - RECOMMENDATIONS

- A more powerful version of MULTIFAN should be used to simultaneously analyze the complete 75-89 set of 60 quarters; PSG funds are available for purchasing this new version.
- Abundance indices have to be computed and accurate data on spatial-temporal distribution of CPUE for the spanish fleets must be made available, if existing.
- Tag-recapture files must be completed.
- Hard parts and particularly fin rays must be collected in order to cover a complete annual cycle.
- Length weight relationship has to be complemented as it could be changed since Beardsley's one.
- The problem of discrepancies in length frequency data collected from baitboat fishery must be solved as it can change the catch at age table.

13 - CLOSURE

The meeting was adjourned on 17/7/91. J Santiago was entrusted of the task of polishing the report and disseminate it, ensuring that a copy is available in due time to ICCAT in order to be submitted officially to 1991 SCRS session.

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	BB SPAIN	TR SPAIN	BB FRANCE	TR FRANCE	LL JAPAN	LL KOREA	BB PORTUG.	LL TAIWAN
C75	17.60	4.50	0.70	5.00	1.30	2.80	0.90	8.10
P75	15.20	3.80	0.40	4.60	1.30	2.60	0.80	7.40
R75	0.86	0.84	0.57	0.92	1.00	0.93	0.89	0.91
C76	18.70	8.20	1.10	5.70	1.30	5.40	0.60	14.80
P76	17.00	7.10	0.90	4.70	1.40	5.00	0.60	14.20
R76	0.91	0.87	0.82	0.82	1.08	0.93	1.00	0.96
C77	14.90	10.30	0.60	6.20	0.80	5.60	0.10	13.70
P77	14.30	11.00	0.60	6.60	0.80	5.30	0.10	12.90
R77	0.96	1.07	1.00	1.06	1.00	0.95	1.00	0.94
C78	11.30	14.10	0.40	8.40	0.50	3.00	0.10	9.30
P78	12.20	14.40	0.50	8.60	0.50	2.80	0.10	8.90
R78	1.08	1.02	1.25	1.02	1.00	0.93	1.00	0.96
C79	15.40	14.20	0.20	7.80	1.20	3.00	0.10	7.00
P79	14.80	16.10	0.20	8.90	1.20	2.80	0.10	5.10
R79	1.04	0.88	1.00	0.88	1.00	1.07	1.00	1.37
C80	15.70	9.50	0.40	3.10	1.00	0.80	0.10	7.10
P80	14.70	9.70	0.30	3.20	1.00	0.70	0.10	6.90
R80	0.94	1.02	0.75	1.07	1.00	0.88	1.00	0.97
C81	12.60	8.20	0.40	2.50	1.70	0.90	0.40	6.60
P81	10.50	7.20	0.30	2.20	1.70	0.80	0.40	6.10
R81	0.83	0.88	0.75	0.88	1.00	0.89	1.00	0.92
C82	15.30	10.10	0.20	2.70	0.80	1.30	0.30	10.50
P82	14.00	10.10	0.10	2.70	0.80	1.20	0.30	9.80
R82	0.92	1.00	0.50	1.00	1.00	0.92	1.00	0.93
C83	19.00	10.60	0.20	2.20	1.20	0.50	1.80	14.30
P83	17.20	9.80	0.20	2.00	1.10	0.50	1.50	13.50
R83	0.91	0.92	1.00	0.91	0.92	1.00	0.83	0.94
C84	7.40	8.20	0.10	2.80	0.60	1.00	0.80	14.90
P84	6.70	7.30	0.00	2.50	0.50	0.90	0.70	13.40
R84	0.91	0.89	0.00	0.89	0.83	0.90	0.88	0.90
C85	11.80	8.90	0.10	1.80	0.80	0.40	0.60	14.90
P85	10.00	8.30	0.10	1.60	1.00	0.40	0.60	14.30
R85	0.85	0.93	1.00	0.89	1.25	1.00	1.00	0.96
C86	14.60	9.80	0.10	1.10	0.50	0.40	0.40	19.60
P86	12.40	8.00	0.10	0.90	0.60	0.40	0.40	21.00
R86	0.85	0.82	1.00	0.82	1.20	1.00	1.00	1.07
C87	18.20	10.00	0.10	1.40	0.50	0.10	0.40	6.60
P87	17.80	10.00	0.10	1.40	0.60	0.00	0.40	5.90
R87	0.98	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.20	0.00	1.00	0.89
C88	16.60	11.00	0.10	0.40	0.70	0.10	0.20	2.10
P88	15.30	9.90	0.00	0.30	0.80	0.00	0.20	2.50
R88	0.92	0.90	0.00	0.75	1.14	0.00	1.00	1.19
C89	14.90	10.50	0.30	0.10	0.70	0.10	0.20	1.30
P89	13.70	9.90	0.30	0.10	0.40	0.10	0.20	1.20
R89	0.92	0.94	1.00	1.00	0.57	1.00	1.00	0.92

Cyy = nominal catch in year 'yy'
 Pyy = computed amount of fish in year 'yy'
 Ryy = Pyy/Cyy

Table 1. Comparison between the nominal catch of albacore (North Stock) declared by country and the catch estimates computed as the sum of products of the mean weights at length with the numbers at length.

Numbers at age (x100)

	LL S.AFRIC.	LL BRAZIL	LL TAIWAN	LL JAPAN	LL KOREA	LL PANAMA	LL URUG.
C75	0,00	0,10	13,40	0,30	3,20	0,30	0,00
P75	0,00	0,10	16,00	3,70	3,00	0,20	0,00
R75	1,00	1,19	12,31	0,94	0,67		
C76	0,00	0,30	14,60	0,10	3,40	0,80	0,00
P76	0,00	0,20	13,90	0,10	3,10	0,70	0,00
R76	0,67	0,55	1,00	0,91	0,88		
C77	0,00	0,50	16,10	0,10	3,80	0,40	0,00
P77	0,00	0,20	15,40	0,10	3,50	0,30	0,00
R77	0,40	0,96	1,00	0,92	0,75		
C78	0,00	0,40	20,50	0,10	1,40	0,40	0,00
P78	0,00	0,10	19,50	0,10	1,30	0,30	0,00
R78	0,25	0,97	1,00	0,93	0,75		
C79	0,10	0,40	20,30	0,10	0,90	0,10	0,00
P79	0,00	0,10	15,10	0,10	0,80	0,10	0,00
R79	0,00	0,25	0,74	1,00	0,89	1,00	
C80	0,30	0,40	18,70	0,30	0,70	0,20	0,00
P80	0,30	0,20	22,00	0,40	0,60	0,20	0,00
R80	1,00	0,50	1,18	1,33	0,86	1,00	
C81	0,40	0,30	18,20	0,60	0,70	0,10	0,10
P81	0,40	0,10	16,10	0,70	0,60	0,10	0,00
R81	1,00	0,33	0,88	1,17	0,86	1,00	0,00
C82	0,10	0,70	22,80	0,60	0,60	0,20	0,20
P82	0,10	0,20	20,80	0,80	2,10	0,20	0,20
R82	1,00	0,29	0,91	1,33	3,50	1,00	1,00
C83	0,50	0,70	9,50	0,20	0,60	0,00	0,40
P83	0,40	0,20	8,50	0,20	0,60	0,00	0,30
R83	0,80	0,29	0,89	1,00	1,00		0,75
C84	0,20	0,50	7,90	0,20	0,30	0,00	0,50
P84	0,20	0,20	7,00	0,20	0,30	0,00	0,60
R84	1,00	0,40	0,89	1,00	1,00		1,20
C85	0,10	0,30	19,60	0,60	0,50	0,00	1,50
P85	0,00	0,10	17,50	0,50	0,50	0,00	1,50
R85	0,00	0,33	0,89	0,83	1,00		1,00
C86	0,10	0,10	27,60	0,70	0,30	0,30	0,30
P86	0,10	0,00	28,80	1,10	0,30	0,30	0,30
R86	1,00	0,00	1,04	1,57	1,00	1,00	1,00
C87	0,00	0,30	28,80	0,40	0,40	0,90	0,20
P87	0,00	0,00	29,50	0,40	0,40	0,90	0,20
R87	0,00	0,00	1,02	1,00	1,00	1,00	1,00
C88	0,10	0,40	20,70	0,40	0,20	0,00	0,10
P88	0,10	0,00	24,70	0,50	0,20	0,00	0,10
R88	1,00	0,00	1,19	1,25	1,00		1,00
C89	0,00	0,40	18,40	0,40	0,10	0,00	0,10
P89	0,00	0,10	20,60	0,70	0,00	0,00	0,10
R89	0,25	1,12	1,75	0,00			1,00

Cyy = nominal catch in year 'yy'
 Pyy = computed amount of fish in year 'yy'
 Ryy = Pyy/Cyy

Table 2. Comparison between the nominal catch of albacore (South Stock) declared by country and the catch estimates computed as the sum of products of the mean weights at length with the numbers at length.

Year Quart Age	75 1	75 2	75 3	75 4	76 1	76 2	76 3	76 4	77 1	77 2	77 3	77 4
1	4	376	814	379	12	2073	2384	1863	9	673	1024	1974
2	17	919	6454	36	20	6106	15862	239	98	4422	18433	469
3	375	715	11362	173	167	365	4493	259	192	722	10152	642
4	574	364	2758	1064	876	219	7358	1450	576	439	5108	1925
5	659	147	285	578	1924	177	1821	228	310	83	312	127
6	95	195	87	1166	717	312	1035	2092	1517	680	351	1600
7	297	156	103	869	322	256	521	1384	960	435	170	756
8	82	353	309	2273	186	327	480	444	178	252	177	461
9	32	103	179	212	89	327	320	303	96	152	195	265
10	120	227	143	29	112	195	146	93	111	312	171	38
Year Quart Age	78 1	78 2	78 3	78 4	79 1	79 2	79 3	79 4	80 1	80 2	80 3	80 4
1	6	215	20323	5841	6	6	2283	2683	6	28	13704	1875
2	10	1081	23181	1415	70	836	32738	616	29	1496	11711	112
3	292	30	10215	1530	265	457	19081	1526	642	407	16593	2909
4	943	612	6031	1038	334	175	2163	873	572	214	2590	1331
5	1345	109	277	859	557	239	171	210	339	225	179	139
6	508	994	348	299	693	462	145	201	285	87	150	43
7	11	310	170	42	161	68	123	47	51	99	132	19
8	8	15	132	28	60	308	129	131	119	169	114	15
Year Quart Age	81 1	81 2	81 3	81 4	82 1	82 2	82 3	82 4	83 1	83 2	83 3	83 4
1	80	183	8065	116	3	37	462	56	5	4	3093	4437
2	512	1989	6548	190	24	422	9880	168	46	5	7099	900
3	233	497	11543	244	211	333	14177	706	254	17	12588	1360
4	348	163	6162	612	772	167	9561	1178	931	85	9381	2200
5	700	122	799	524	280	192	241	525	773	335	1276	1547
6	389	19	80	274	141	254	158	210	485	501	745	402
7	57	163	296	273	107	620	486	316	130	1218	452	145
8	8	215	218	23	102	247	160	221	60	103	128	119
9	5	95	135	5	4	157	91	14	17	138	99	38
Year Quart Age	84 1	84 2	84 3	84 4	85 1	85 2	85 3	85 4	86 1	86 2	86 3	86 4
1	37	34	2849	184	18	5	8012	2813	97	109	5649	1829
2	317	579	11017	153	164	382	9763	1532	93	1461	10268	2377
3	420	410	8531	481	371	671	8410	1175	718	683	8600	4389
4	807	262	1070	590	580	308	827	750	1154	283	1678	1749
5	525	184	123	523	707	156	249	563	616	378	285	1133
6	408	298	634	302	332	578	354	470	853	655	820	139
7	158	1096	603	268	182	528	226	101	270	402	119	59
8	63	13	92	26	60	80	100	142	185	415	152	60
9	136	10	76	26	61	137	93	71	31	180	127	44
10	143	272	74	33	126	118	88	27	15	14	80	31
Year Quart Age	87 1	87 2	87 3	87 4	88 1	88 2	88 3	88 4	89 1	89 2	89 3	89 4
1	280	17	1572	1047	1	88	12559	7767	1	78	4629	4485
2	449	1580	12371	2597	7	503	13675	3959	1	1200	12276	1014
3	206	410	11395	2418	24	242	5611	1829	2	343	7557	2527
4	487	193	5322	501	111	503	5349	1386	478	162	4604	3449
5	290	49	475	113	20	133	1111	174	115	6	112	152
6	148	60	95	154	184	27	322	255	24	72	95	111
7	88	79	93	112	79	169	107	74	7	119	69	37
8	265	84	110	44	67	68	93	60	2	42	56	39
9	26	75	94	22	23	47	78	46	1	46	53	34
10	35	10	78	15	2	10	70	36	1	8	52	29
11	45	196	78	13	1	5	70	31	1	4	53	27

Table 3. Quarterly catch at age table computed by MULTIFAN.

Numbers at age (x1000)

Standard years

Year	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Age															
1	172	669	370	2648	455	1574	861	56	755	312	1088	776	292	2044	920
2	743	2223	2342	2569	3426	1335	924	1049	805	1207	1184	1420	1700	1814	1449
3	1263	528	1171	1207	2133	2055	1252	1543	1422	984	1063	1439	1443	771	1043
4	476	990	805	862	355	471	729	1168	1260	273	247	486	650	735	869
5	167	415	83	259	118	88	215	124	413	136	168	241	93	144	39
6	154	416	415	215	150	57	76	76	213	164	173	247	46	79	30
7	143	248	232	53	40	30	79	153	195	213	104	85	37	43	23
8	302	144	107	18	64	42	46	73	41	19	38	81	50	29	14
9	53	104	71				26	28	29	25	36	38	22	19	13
10	53	55	63						57	37	16	14	12	9	
Σ	3524	5792	5658	7831	6840	5651	4207	4270	5133	3389	4137	4829	4346	5689	4409

Biological years

Year	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Age															
1	173	669	371	2647	455	1582	854	56	758	311	1098	793	264	2044	920
2	743	2231	2333	2575	3422	1383	875	1052	832	1191	1177	1456	1656	1814	1449
3	1242	531	1181	1204	2171	2014	1250	1547	1439	979	1097	1388	1425	768	1043
4	506	960	842	802	378	448	771	1184	1247	250	304	420	613	772	822
5	293	254	187	180	96	124	173	173	388	154	158	209	66	153	27
6	217	496	314	233	109	67	51	111	206	157	226	176	49	63	28
7	145	312	137	68	29	31	84	155	197	215	113	67	36	36	23
8	312	143	90	24	70	31	56	69	41	19	51	89	31	22	14
9	58	105	61			1	26	29	41	17	33	38	21	17	13
10	52	55	52						16	54	27	17	11	12	9
Σ	3741	5754	5567	7732	6830	5680	4138	4376	5165	3346	4283	4651	4170	5701	4346

Table 4. Catch at age table computed by MULTIFAN. These values have been obtained adding the quarterly estimates of Table 3 as Q1+Q2+Q3+Q4 of year n, in the case of "standard" years; and as Q2+Q3+Q4 of year n, plus Q1 of year n+1, in the case of "biological" years.

RELEASES					
Year	1988	1989	1990	TOTAL	
No fish	486	2969	4481	7936	
Gear	TROL	BB	BB		
RECAPTURES					
TROL	88	0	-	*	0
	89	0	0	*	0
	90	0	11	9	20
	Σ	0	11	9	20
BB	88	22	-	-	22
	89	5	14	-	19
	90	7	39	14	60
	Σ	34	53	14	101
MWTD	88	0	-	-	0
	89	1	5	-	6
	90	*	*	2	2
	Σ	1	5	2	8
GILL	88	0	-	-	0
	89	1	0	-	1
	90	*	3	*	3
	Σ	1	3	*	4
ALL	88	22	-	-	22
	89	7	19	-	26
	90	7	53	25	85
	Σ	36	72	25	133

*- Not applicable

Table 5. Tag release-recapture for North Atlantic albacore, 1988-90.

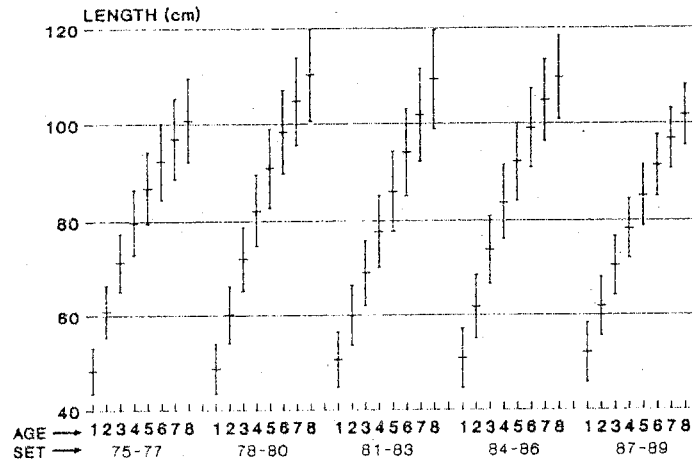


Figure 1. Estimates of mean length and standard deviation of length at age (± 1.96 SD) for the different data sets.

ANNEXES

- 1 - Length frequency distributions of North Atlantic Albacore for 1975-1989, by quarter, all gears combined. These data were provided by ICCAT Secretariat as ALBNORQ.TAB.
- 2 - Results of the application of MULTIFAN, in an 'objective' way, to the different data sets of quarterly length frequency distributions of North Atlantic albacore. Data sets are: 1975-77, 1978-80, 1981-83, 1984-86 and 1987-89.

For the best fit of each set, the following information is displayed:

- General information about the fit.
- Growth parameters estimates.
- Proportions at age.
- Numbers at age.
- Graphical representation of the adjustment.
- Results of the test for the best fit (applying 'SIGTEST').

- 3 - Results of the application of MULTIFAN as an 'slicing machine', to the different data sets. As an example of the inconsistency of this analysis, graphical representation of the adjustment for the set 1987-89 is also displayed.

SPECIES	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB
GEAR	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
COUNTRY	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
YEAR	75	75	75	75	76	76	76	76	77	77
ICCAT AREA	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH
TIME STRATA	13	14	15	16	13	14	15	16	13	14
29	0	0	0	0	4	7	0	0	0	0
36	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0
38	0	0	0	822	0	0	0	0	0	0
39	0	0	0	274	4	0	362	0	0	0
40	0	0	0	548	0	432	18	0	0	0
41	0	0	0	274	0	0	743	0	0	0
42	0	0	875	300	39	0	24	0	0	0
43	0	0	1436	78	39	6642	1789	0	0	0
44	0	524	3205	626	4	7736	1081	956	0	0
45	0	2256	2908	574	0	11421	4492	0	0	1690
46	0	6221	2338	1148	0	30901	3901	956	0	10978
47	0	6877	3140	979	0	44990	6817	0	0	6757
48	0	4866	3025	1637	0	38437	7585	0	0	16045
49	0	4010	2574	600	0	27537	9193	3	0	3378
50	0	4300	4531	1693	0	18722	17221	0	69	5911
51	0	769	6600	3847	0	12449	21645	13943	69	5911
52	0	2228	14566	3029	4	8587	36462	15191	69	4223
53	0	1984	27629	7345	0	5308	48376	16319	69	5911
54	0	1696	32199	7094	4	3623	59276	60293	0	6004
55	0	2240	34940	5508	4	5697	66634	35463	0	6004
56	0	1303	26763	3267	0	8059	64437	29123	0	15201
57	0	3476	23674	1174	4	22269	63483	9316	0	20269
58	0	7857	24878	1598	213	52852	66246	1030	0	27868
59	0	15107	28984	169	244	80495	83005	435	27	46478
60	0	14318	40486	923	39	109181	109386	1994	95	76191
61	0	12306	40623	0	52	98102	158170	569	100	73695
62	0	10864	55884	346	469	89412	201489	921	198	63389
63	0	7540	79250	1059	430	65619	224482	562	216	43997
64	251	7147	82085	874	324	34556	199928	1866	301	25408
65	251	5787	94403	415	202	24474	167835	5778	252	18608
66	32	5822	70310	527	132	10910	112611	2500	1084	10271
67	236	4721	83700	39	155	7127	77481	1657	1115	10371
68	353	2799	69741	188	469	4134	60321	12649	1476	11238
69	353	5326	61440	1168	710	4552	45537	3217	1606	7229
70	998	7625	87035	461	490	3205	38712	1415	1404	5220
71	794	8998	102919	780	499	5274	43204	963	1454	7941
72	1399	21018	121026	2396	648	5172	49134	3894	2065	7928
73	990	9670	150080	1447	609	3889	52711	7945	2184	14003
74	2309	8565	140290	2195	1013	5031	59552	1932	1269	7343
75	2105	5371	114942	3250	988	6142	79843	2376	1276	5630
76	4630	4145	96065	3297	2671	5483	70052	4181	2242	8539
77	5346	3559	78038	6038	2802	3040	98575	9507	2285	5997
78	6612	6150	77388	6046	5409	2955	91014	9321	4500	3477
79	7225	5673	55451	9346	6000	3206	73014	10031	4813	6204
80	7859	2781	48362	12000	8448	2193	91205	10982	4265	6164
81	7552	5435	32192	11185	8634	1607	66561	19209	4488	2905
82	6672	2623	25346	11737	10438	2808	76767	16949	7459	6574
83	6427	3271	30833	12543	10321	3148	61025	13874	7375	4853
84	8707	4344	18170	14272	14651	3472	57854	18710	8291	2358
85	7889	1834	19130	13177	13921	3393	61263	13545	8126	2309
86	7900	2249	14166	13569	18776	4579	51328	18587	9058	5514
87	8433	3268	14605	12952	19217	4731	42779	15502	8822	5548
88	12038	3360	8897	15871	25469	4424	38084	12730	7162	5067
89	12078	4452	7721	15165	26679	4679	34393	12906	8000	5094
90	9532	3149	3357	26272	26741	6011	31339	21019	13439	9124
91	9883	4342	4061	13024	27717	6427	23763	14500	14212	9144
92	5776	3171	2860	16928	23696	5706	22961	23861	20975	13562
93	6064	3563	2235	24064	23350	6028	22016	27100	21179	13599
94	7916	4313	2607	21621	20129	6415	18814	28114	19895	10550
95	7817	5147	3711	49354	20315	6939	17136	40867	19667	10550
96	4240	4832	3105	38775	15322	7996	16867	36422	20214	7839
97	4528	5602	2775	27131	16281	8330	14131	30979	19896	7808
98	4487	4956	4174	14032	11527	8661	12492	24758	23407	10039
99	4917	5990	5160	25845	12452	9065	14969	28807	23754	10042

100	5710	7386	7843	35821	9703	8749	14413	26929	15200	8412
101	4644	6222	5157	13251	9431	8275	11548	16437	15406	8412
102	4736	7008	5869	19246	7186	8136	12207	18005	16301	8407
103	4408	6441	6266	28739	6795	7891	12509	17834	16158	8406
104	3238	4537	4966	13061	4799	7509	8700	11387	7966	6521
105	2358	3949	4792	26328	4362	7354	8516	13721	7848	6521
106	2464	3408	2627	9652	3607	5560	6074	6758	5294	4037
107	2362	3580	3062	17911	3656	5545	6426	7865	5317	4037
108	1865	3014	3596	21025	2945	4453	4431	7480	2933	3717
109	1372	2347	3454	2370	2864	4162	4213	1624	3033	3716
110	1304	1881	3032	11205	1687	3027	3423	6931	2081	1976
111	1140	1650	2831	2675	1682	2915	3160	1736	2059	1974
112	1021	1048	1199	2195	1149	1146	980	1302	642	2115
113	693	507	1205	1066	927	923	906	612	647	2115
114	547	960	842	371	666	404	450	319	1060	1332
115	711	1274	837	346	752	515	500	286	1051	1337
116	558	499	124	43	313	377	270	9	445	517
117	189	285	146	132	246	265	238	3	436	517
118	64	209	62	152	376	0	0	67	142	280
119	228	440	105	204	434	112	45	67	142	283
120	251	37	219	1403	171	110	0	713	52	166
121	251	67	219	240	140	110	0	23	52	165
122	251	37	68	17	48	110	0	0	0	0
123	251	37	73	0	39	110	0	0	0	2
124	0	13	130	0	9	0	0	0	0	0
125	0	0	135	1157	4	0	0	687	0	2
126	0	0	0	0	106	0	0	0	0	93
127	0	0	0	0	106	0	0	3	0	93
128	0	0	124	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
129	0	0	124	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
130	0	0	62	107	0	0	0	0	0	0
131	0	0	62	107	0	0	0	0	0	0
142	126	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
143	126	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
144	0	0	0	0	39	0	0	0	0	0
145	0	0	0	0	39	0	0	0	0	0
160	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	0	0	0
161	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	0	0	0
162	0	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
163	0	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
186	0	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
187	0	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
194	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72
195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72
TOTAL N	225465	358671	2258367	681718	443043	1062094	3450592	836500	404182	819243
MEAN	90	77	72	93	92	66	71	84	94	71

SPECIES	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB	ALB
GEAR	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
COUNTRY	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
YEAR	77	77	78	78	78	78	79	79	79	79
ICCAT AREA	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH	NORTH
TIME STRATA	15	16	13	14	15	16	13	14	15	16
38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1292	0
39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	517	0
40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3721	4890
41	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	84	1430	4033
42	0	0	268	3	1542	0	0	84	1430	1055
43	0	0	268	0	0	0	0	253	4287	1692
44	0	0	0	511	1795	0	4	1093	19128	1601
45	0	0	0	511	4556	0	0	257	4287	6263
46	481	0	134	2554	12731	0	0	169	2858	4083
47	759	791	134	1538	39439	0	0	84	1648	5481
48	1482	4200	0	4626	130700	9182	0	0	1014	4776
49	3377	6694	12	3112	295776	31632	59	0	3327	19078
50	7569	10103	0	3116	392303	125304	0	30	16288	15875
51	16101	33842	0	1629	363266	151733	12	18	24592	13684
52	16477	48023	0	3125	266184	114294	8	42	31272	28694
53	17259	19170	0	33	159873	51990	4	71	51089	36362
54	13452	8276	0	1060	140114	62036	12	409	44949	45715
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56	21400	2495	0	2608	92641	6642	4	728	67189	27353
57	29893	3285	6	2564	59810	2272	8	1230	77014	6640
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59	81746	4216	19	15853	121982	2884	94	4965	153976	7401
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110	2736	5776	1046	1058	900	658	3265	2810	524	1566
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112	1023	1440	284	1119	675	307	2337	3370	699	2136
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115	816	215	190	101	294	172	724	1483	405	1051
116	284	87	134	167	174	151	614	781	336	899
117	274	87	141	167	163	162	614	789	336	886
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53	18	3	172821	16202	444	2792	91703	1374	0	214
54	0	14	139478	9469	429	4694	74287	1453	0	1933
55	3	109	132029	28460	456	7729	78916	1395	0	2338
56	0	1014	105955	17176	1320	18565	76726	694	0	1696
57	21	3140	67166	11672	1014	34604	72068	668	0	1429
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59	3	17341	102037	12570	2028	37531	66932	453	0	4146
60	24	25501	141469	26262	1711	28725	111072	1879	0	9216
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66	66	2357	86816	165	5246	2542	91673	1981	504	3180
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68	81	5908	105313	1587	4923	6162	114633	3112	673	3262
69	146	4059	101598	1703	5645	6501	121294	3851	670	2384
70	311	5305	161689	3083	6021	5803	160668	1937	886	4251
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88	3094	6474	15902	6954	7209	663	11108	4603	4332	2197
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114	814	317	719	115	345	1224	2222	789	1028	1578
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116	206	61	144	87	121	1331	3491	217	863	1664
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46	322	12	7	0	648	97	109	520	2439	51	51
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57	31013	754	32	17	50936	48886	305	856	59626	2393	2393
58	34232	668	76	0	43007	39931	282	1067	26774	522	522
59	39660	1084	101	15	40568	21328	358	3025	33566	536	536
60	101228	774	83	17	70307	15225	564	7261	75006	1251	1251
61	110153	979	95	33	47660	12254	656	7124	99227	840	840
62	133032	1080	333	45	82373	11964	712	8683	123537	724	724
63	139707	2065	308	85	101368	15486	623	7106	128814	856	856
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66	118352	3970	811	123	104477	12841	3429	2636	75073	1346	1346
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68	135987	3498	730	315	128585	12044	2711	1854	40588	1135	1135
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75	4723	9598	102360	11783	2661	11457	95156	33813	4445	3778	3778
76	4633	7683	72607	14507	2543	6218	84307	40498	3519	5125	5125
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90	6813	2339	7943	8437	19951	9144	11491	20808	6544	1604	1604
91	7032	2430	6177	6463	6549	5563	7575	19025	3137	808	808
92	6890	3943	4940	8131	14926	6980	7550	17471	3242	1142	1142
93	7304	6674	5872	8582	10034	6679	7408	20352	2394	1009	1009
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96	10726	8158	5360	9518	12015	7892	9118	14515	4551	2055	2055
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99	9108	6142	5614	8205	7625	5760	5559	7331	2087	1409
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104	6342	8078	5114	5806	10053	8972	6147	3394	5298	2521
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106	5371	6913	6222	4881	9424	4728	1759	1952	2954	1846
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59	36927	662	0	1760	66447	6937	0	11590	65747	17330	17330
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66	138867	38011	0	7577	131985	54731	0	6145	135208	17159	17159
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78	108024	25036	411	4835	85256	27461	42	2096	82512	54459	54459
79	111352	29217	1146	7861	96337	33893	42	1903	74103	58881	58881
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169	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL N	3168442	703226	51868	179751	3906357	1562153	63614	208387	2955974	1191108
MEAN	71	72	94	76	66	65	86	69	68	70

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 File: all7577: Albacore international catch ALL 75-77 (N/100)

Fit: 17

Objective function value =16454.33008; total penalty = 2.51096

Maximum gradient component = 0.10850

Number of non-empty length intervals: 866; Number of estimated parameters: 113

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 753

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 117.9

First Length = 48.309; Last Length = 106.446; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.63 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

48.31 60.94 71.28 79.74 86.67 92.34 96.99 100.79 103.90 106.45

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

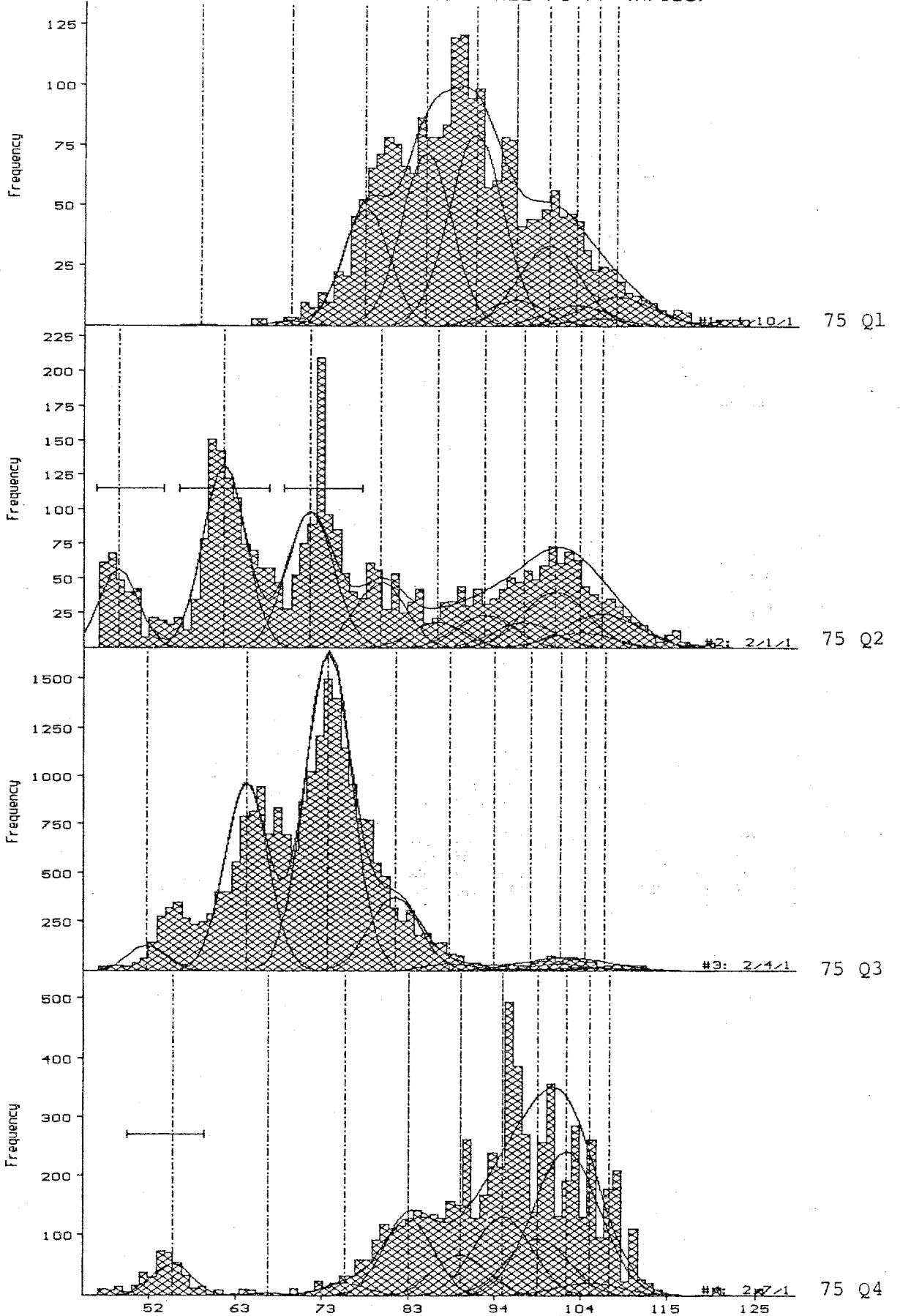
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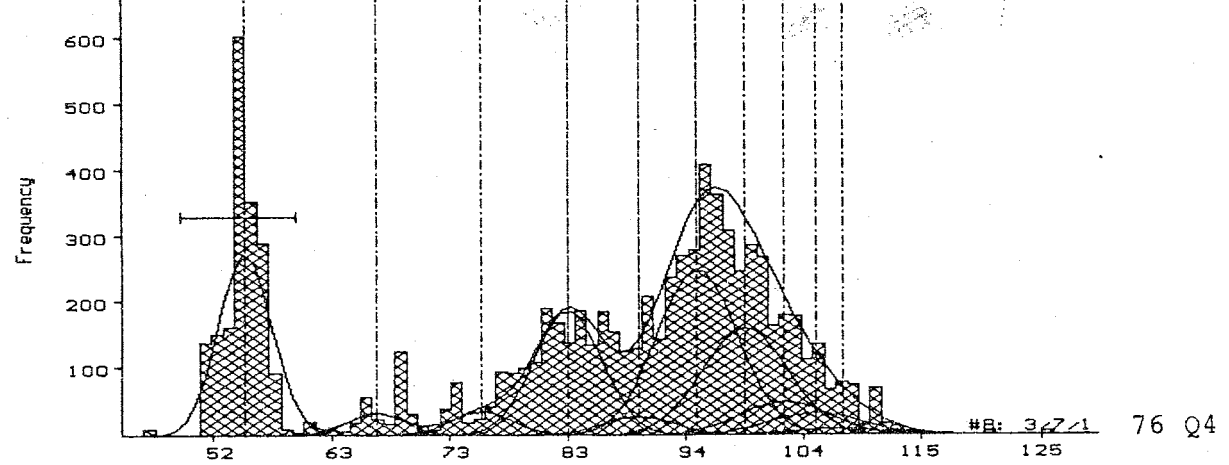
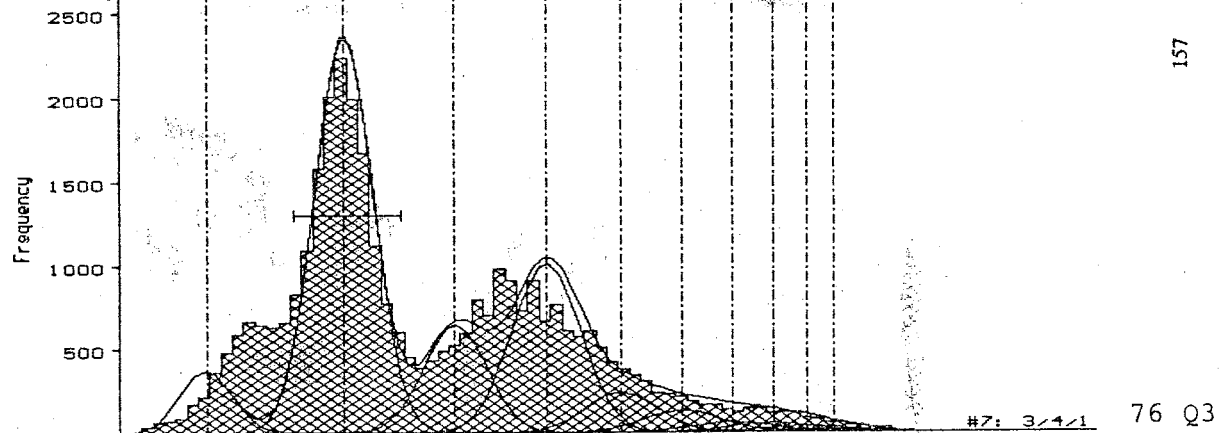
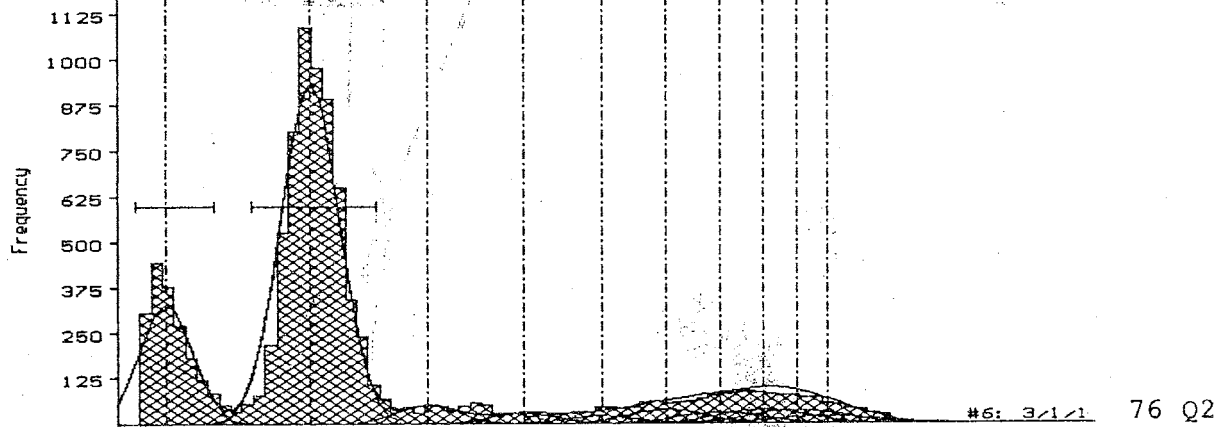
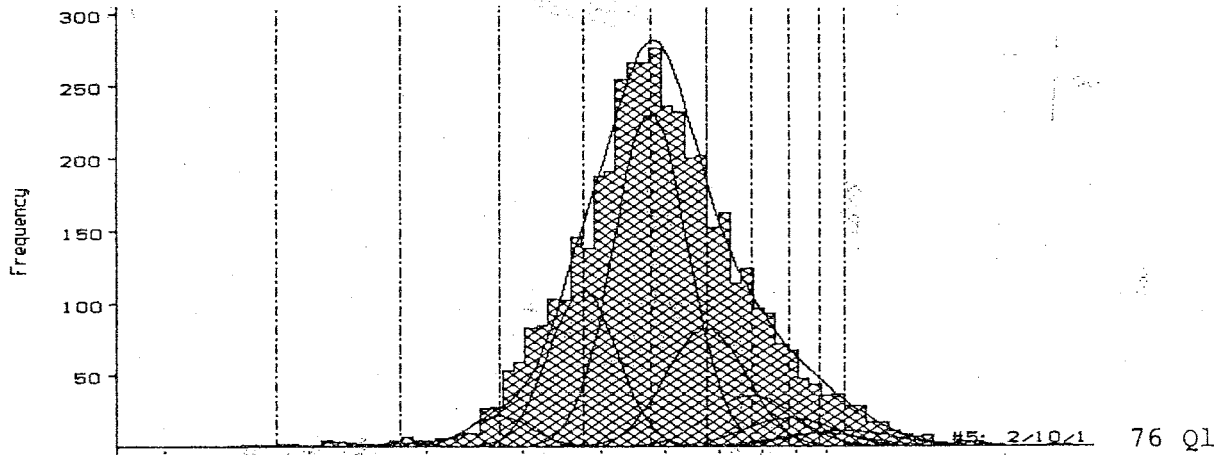
Average Standard Deviation = 3.388; ratio of first to last S.D.= 1.932

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.00	0.11	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.20	0.07	0.22	0.00	0.08	0.03	0.24
2	0.01	0.26	0.29	0.01	0.00	0.59	0.46	0.03	0.02	0.54	0.51	0.06
3	0.17	0.20	0.51	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.13	0.03	0.05	0.09	0.28	0.08
4	0.25	0.10	0.12	0.16	0.20	0.02	0.21	0.17	0.14	0.05	0.14	0.23
5	0.29	0.04	0.01	0.09	0.43	0.02	0.05	0.03	0.08	0.01	0.01	0.02
6	0.04	0.05	0.00	0.17	0.16	0.03	0.03	0.25	0.37	0.08	0.01	0.19
7	0.13	0.04	0.00	0.13	0.07	0.02	0.02	0.17	0.24	0.05	0.00	0.09
8	0.04	0.10	0.01	0.34	0.04	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.00	0.06
9	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.04	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.03
10	0.05	0.06	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.04	0.00	0.00

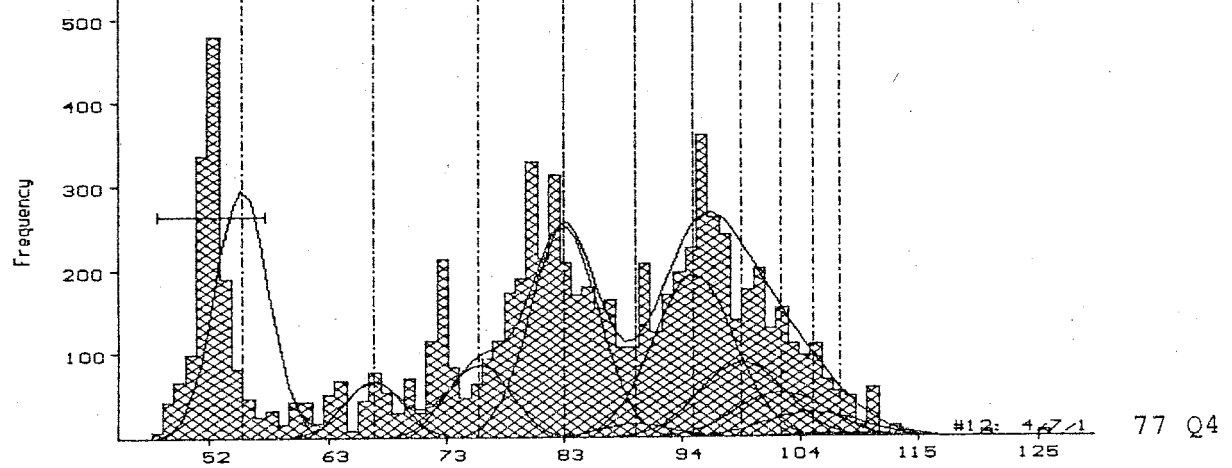
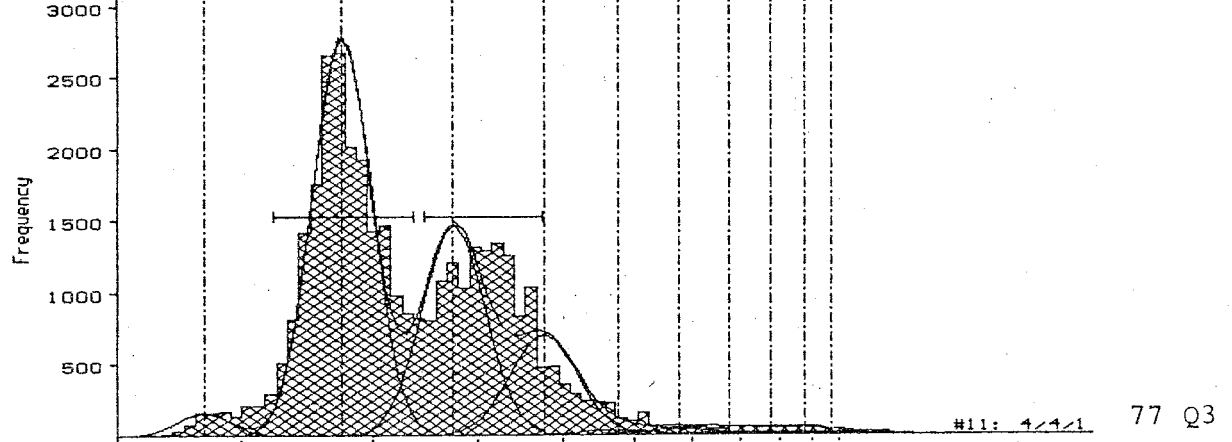
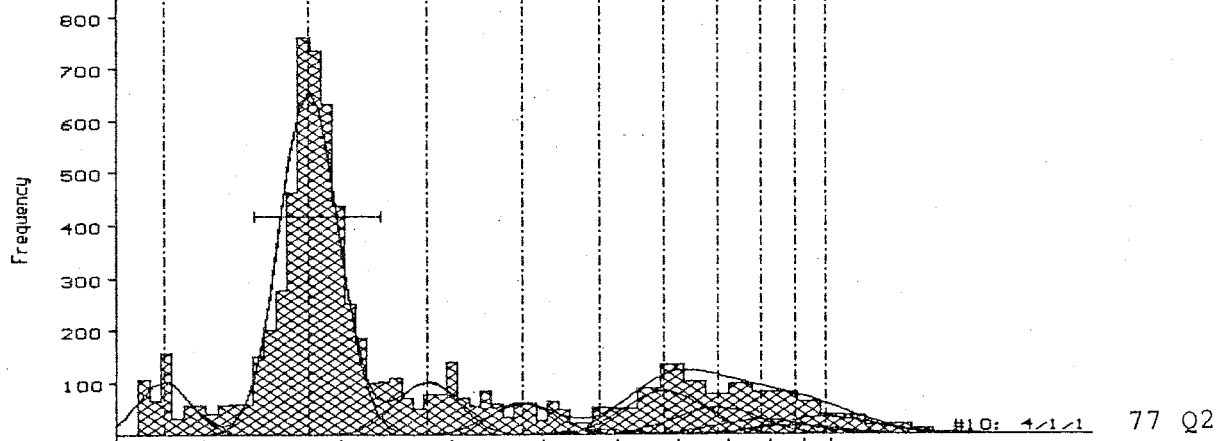
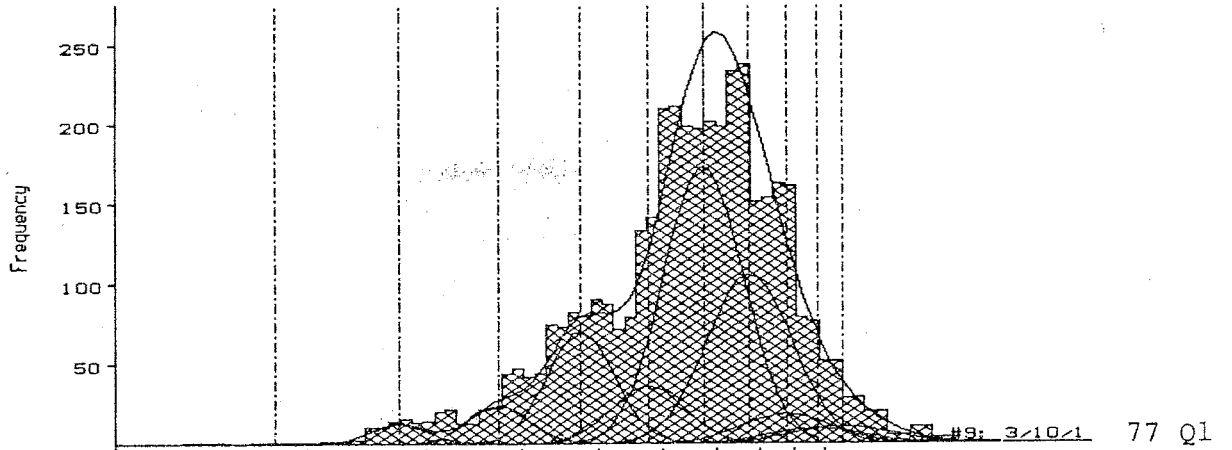
Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	4	376	814	379	12	2073	2384	1863	9	673	1024	1974
2	17	919	6454	36	20	6106	15862	239	98	4422	18433	469
3	375	715	11362	173	167	365	4493	259	192	722	10152	642
4	574	364	2758	1064	876	219	7358	1450	576	439	5108	1925
5	659	147	285	578	1924	177	1821	228	310	83	312	127
6	95	195	87	1166	717	312	1035	2092	1517	680	351	1600
7	297	156	103	869	322	256	521	1384	960	435	170	756
8	82	353	309	2273	186	327	480	444	178	252	177	461
9	32	103	179	212	89	327	320	303	96	152	193	265
10	120	227	143	29	112	195	146	93	111	312	171	38
n	2254	3556	22493	6779	4425	10356	34419	8353	4046	8170	36090	8256

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The hypothesis flags for search B00 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B01 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B02 are
 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
 The hypothesis flags for search B03 are
 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
 The hypothesis flags for search B04 are
 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
 The hypothesis flags for search B05 are
 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

**** The Hypothesis Tree ****

	B01	B03	B05
B01	*	1	1
B03	-1	*	1
B05	-1	-1	*

**** The Reduced Hypothesis Tree ****

	B01	B03	B05
B01	*	1	1
B03	-1	*	1
B05	-1	-1	*

B00	PAR	opt_flag	worse than	not_better than	function value	number of parameters
B01	P07	0	P09		16210.49	88
B01	P08	0	P0A		16203.12	88
B01	P09	0	P0B		16295.65	100
B01	P0A	0	P0C		16290.06	100
B01	P0B	0	P17		16345.44	112
B01	P0C	0	P0B		16343.30	112
B03	P13	0	P15		16410.57	89
B03	P14	0	P16		16399.08	89
B03	P15	0	P17		16432.73	101
B03	P16	0	P15		16430.68	101
** B03	P17	1			16454.33	113
B03	P18	0		P16	16441.05	113
B05	P1F	0	P21		16410.57	90
B05	P20	0	P22		16402.22	90
B05	P21	0	P23		16432.73	102
B05	P22	0	P24		16432.73	102
B05	P23	0		P15	16454.33	114
B05	P24	0	P23		16452.17	114

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File: all7880: Albacore international catch ALL 78-80 (N/100)

Fit: 1F

Objective function value =15454.04980; total penalty = 8.40370

Maximum gradient component = 0.00056

Number of non-empty length intervals: 863; Number of estimated parameters: 90

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 773

Number of age classes: 8

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.153 (1/year); L infinity = 143.5

First Length = 46.412; Last Length = 110.255; Brody rho = 0.858 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.55 years.

First month mean length sampling bias for first age class: 2.604

Mean length at age in month 1:

48.80 60.19 72.02 82.16 90.87 98.34 104.75 110.25

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

2.70 3.07 3.43 3.77 4.10 4.39 4.66 4.91

Average Standard Deviation = 3.642; ratio of first to last S.D.= 1.819

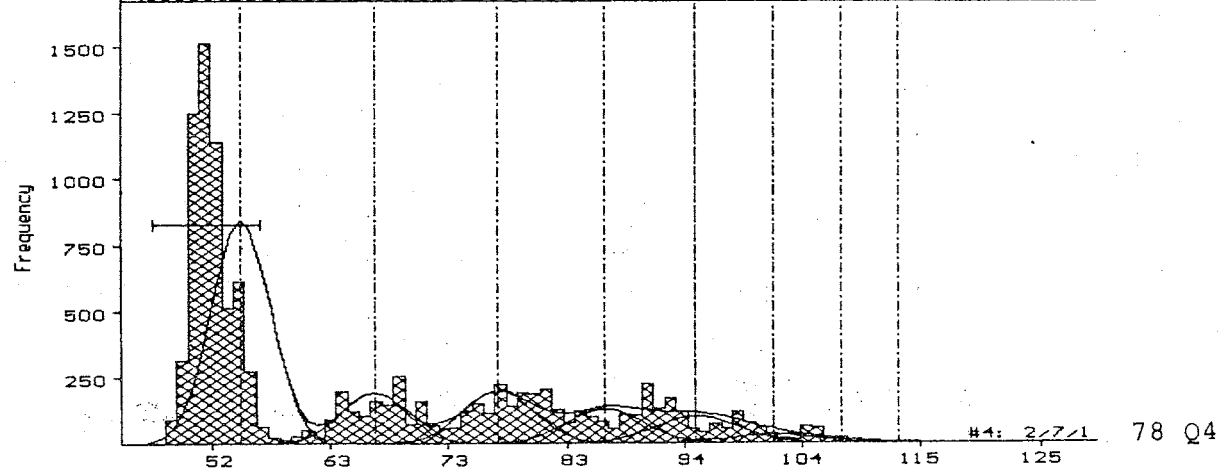
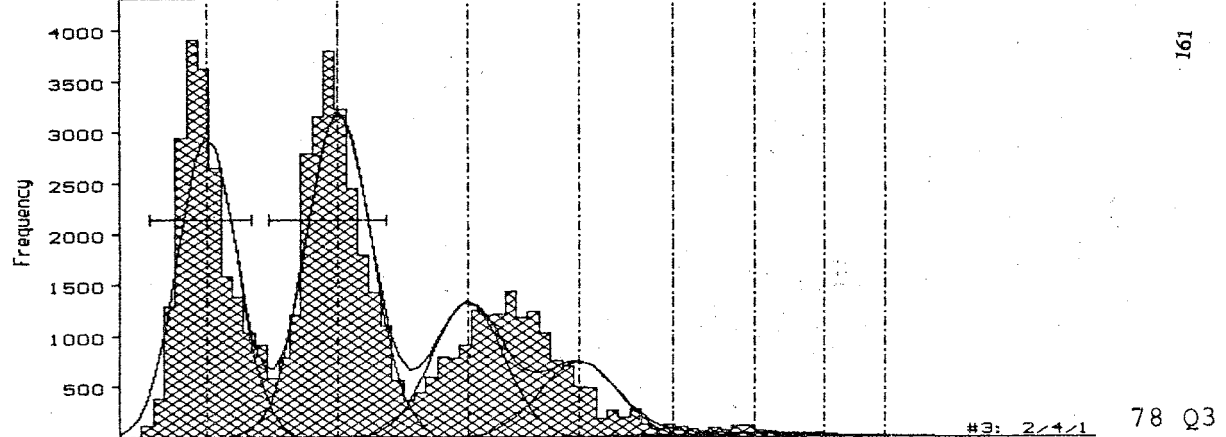
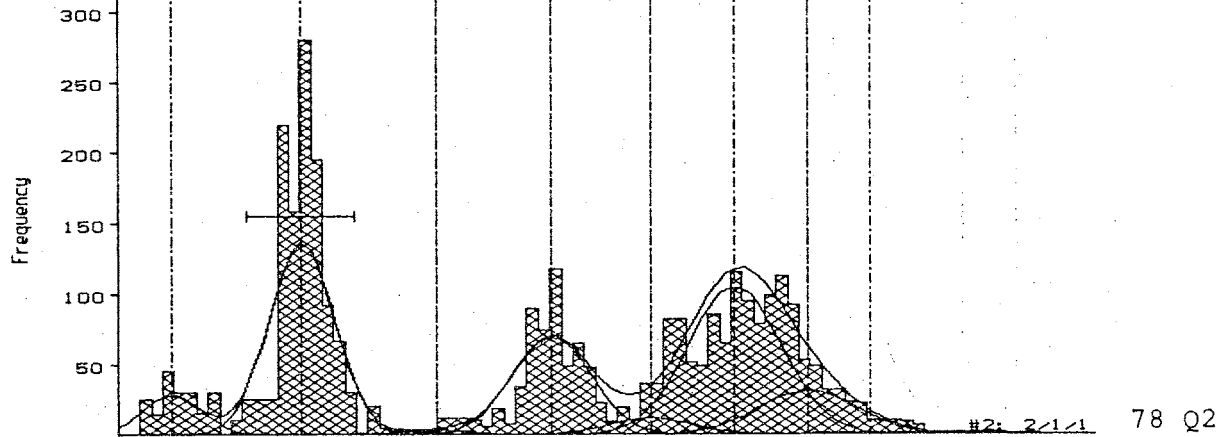
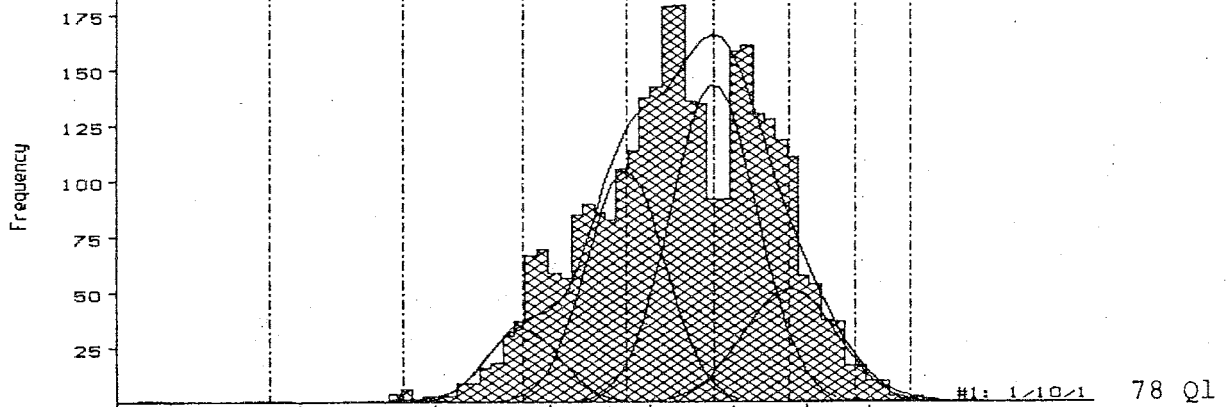
Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.00	0.06	0.33	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.43	0.00	0.01	0.30	0.29
2	0.00	0.32	0.38	0.13	0.03	0.33	0.58	0.10	0.01	0.55	0.26	0.02
3	0.09	0.01	0.17	0.14	0.12	0.18	0.34	0.24	0.31	0.15	0.37	0.45
4	0.30	0.18	0.10	0.09	0.16	0.07	0.04	0.14	0.28	0.08	0.06	0.21
5	0.43	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.26	0.09	0.00	0.03	0.17	0.08	0.00	0.02
6	0.16	0.30	0.01	0.03	0.32	0.18	0.00	0.03	0.14	0.03	0.00	0.01
7	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.04	0.00	0.00
8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.12	0.00	0.02	0.06	0.06	0.00	0.00

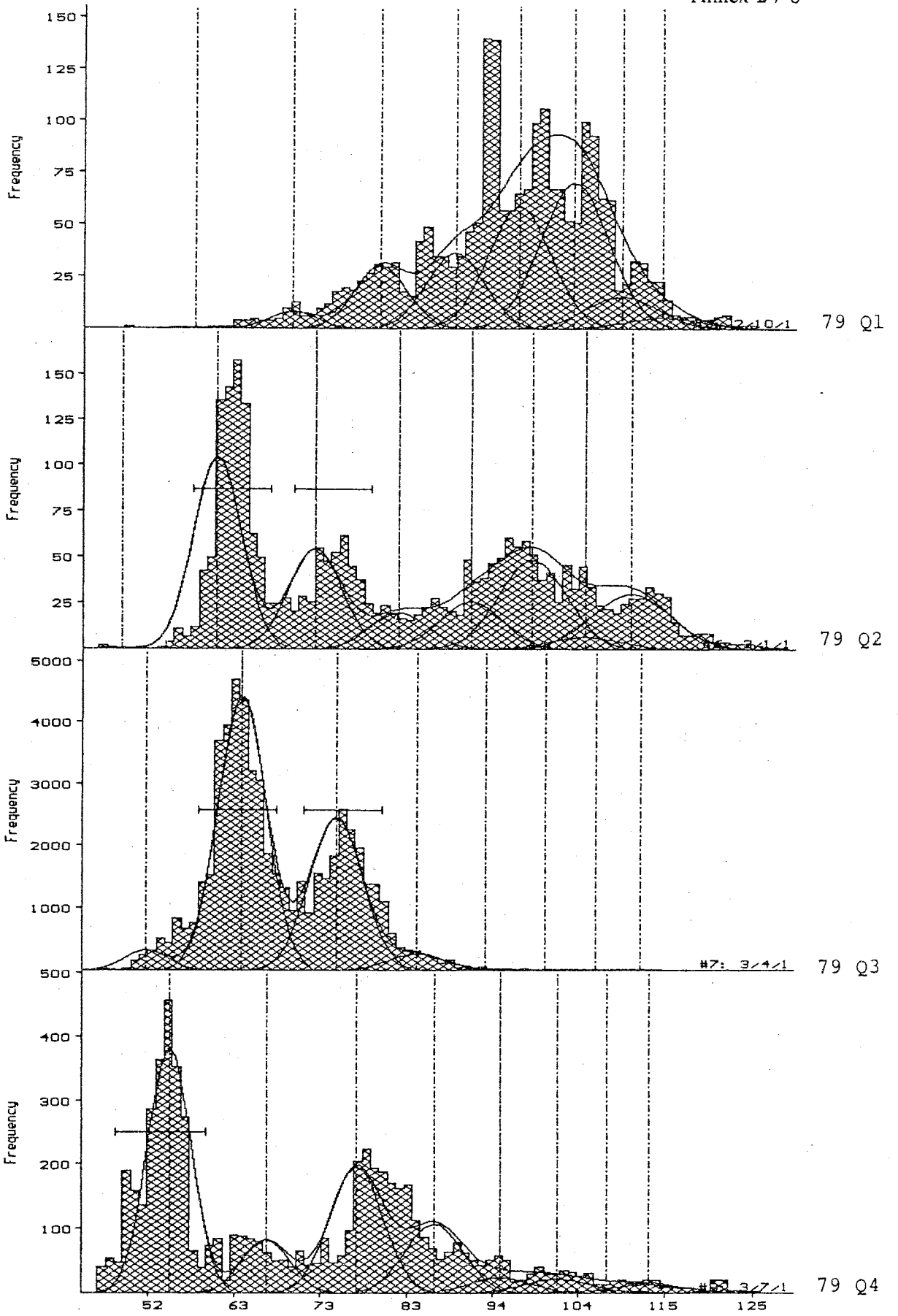
Numbers at Age:

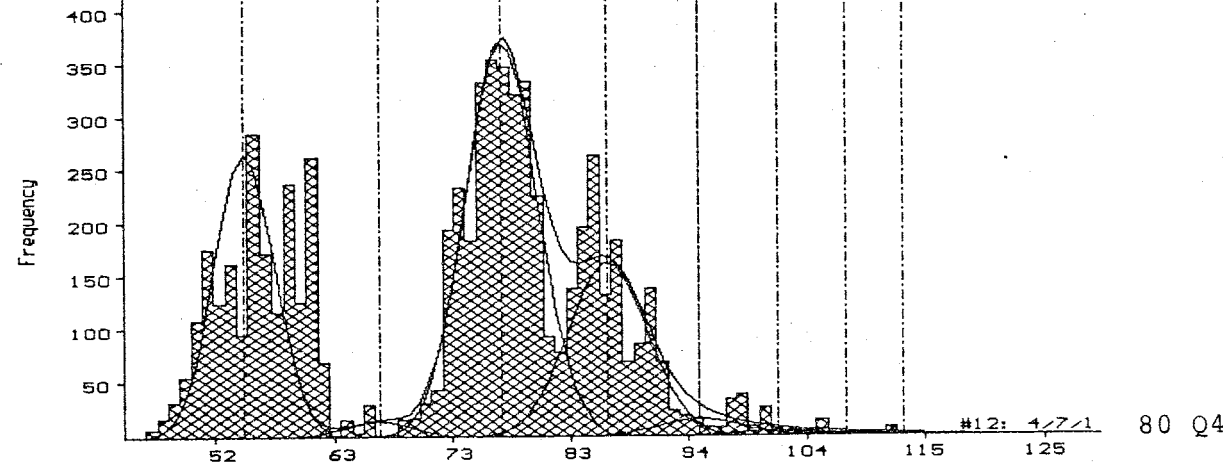
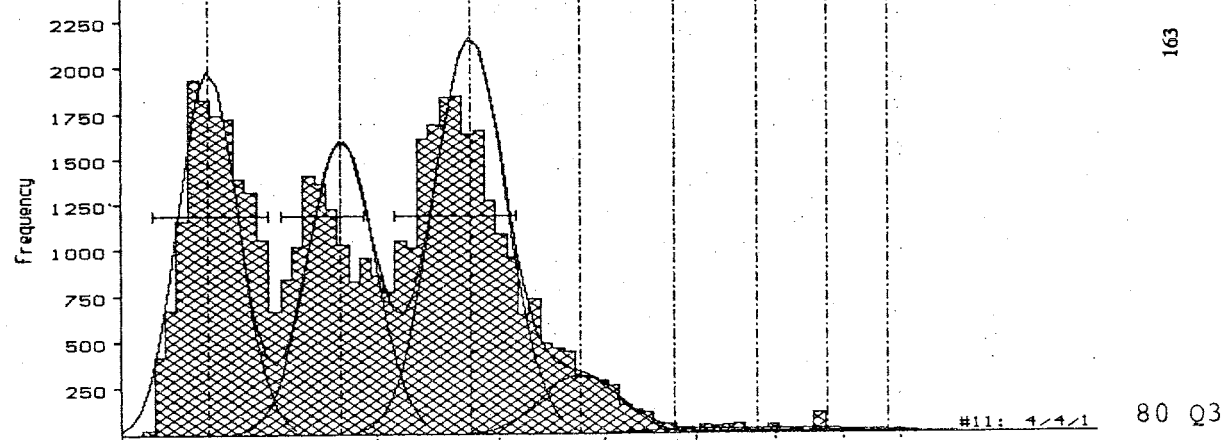
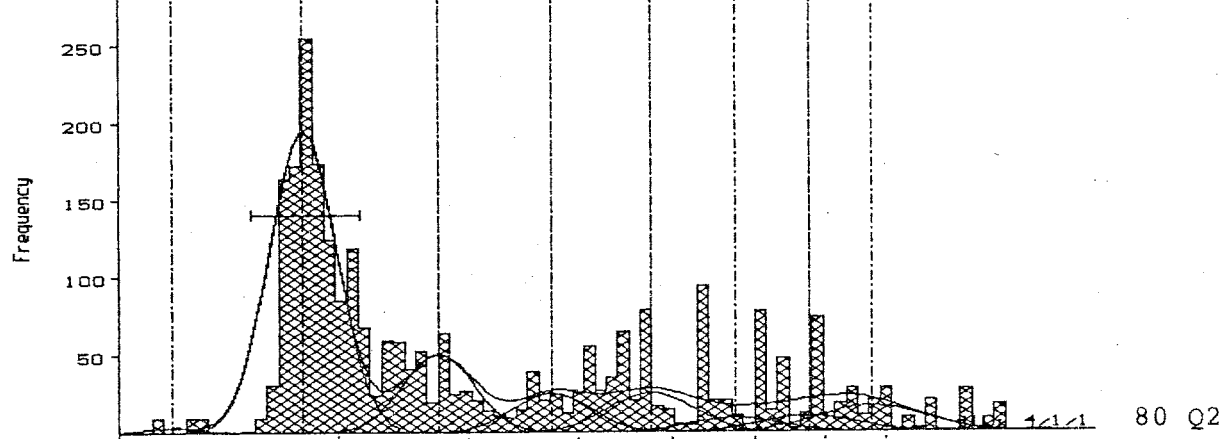
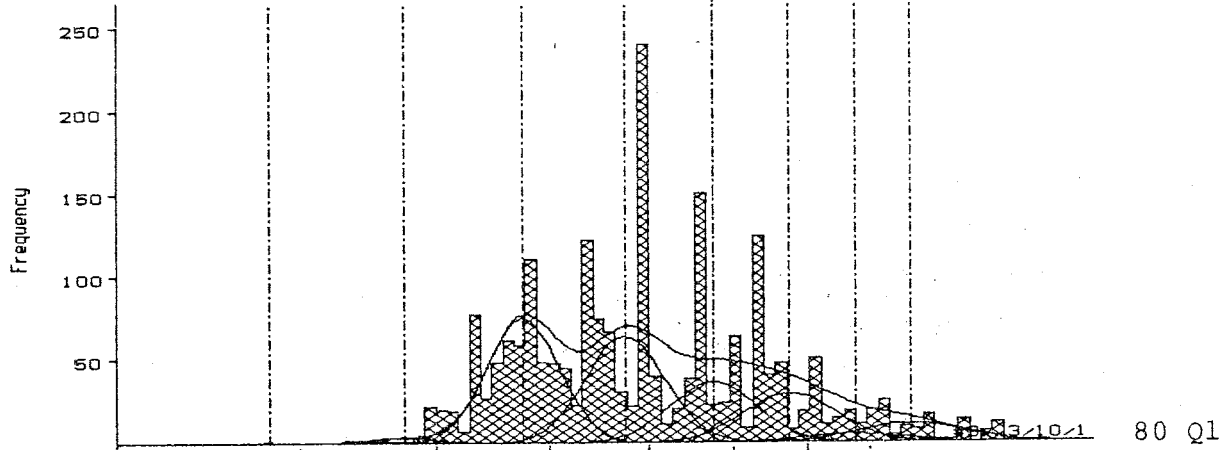
Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	6	215	20323	5841	6	6	2283	2683	6	28	13704	1875
2	10	1081	23181	1415	70	836	32738	616	29	1496	11711	112
3	292	30	10215	1530	265	457	19081	1526	642	407	16593	2909
4	943	612	6031	1038	334	175	2163	873	572	214	2590	1331
5	1345	109	277	859	557	239	171	210	339	225	179	139
6	508	994	348	299	693	462	145	201	285	87	150	43
7	11	310	170	42	161	68	123	47	51	99	132	19
8	8	15	132	28	60	308	129	131	119	169	114	15
n	3123	3366	60678	11052	2145	2551	56834	6286	2043	2725	45172	6443

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The hypothesis flags for search B00 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B01 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B02 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B03 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B04 are
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**** The Hypothesis Tree ****

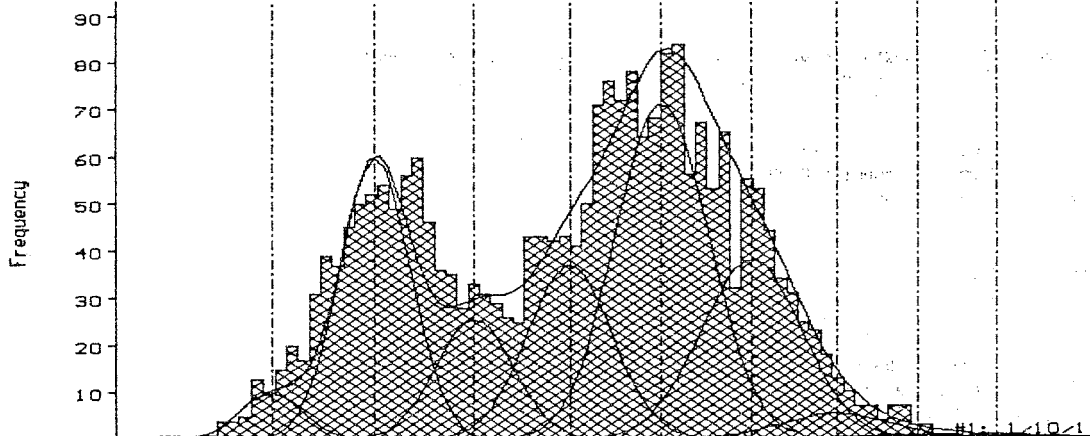
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B03	-1	*	1
B05	-1	-1	*

**** The Reduced Hypothesis Tree ****

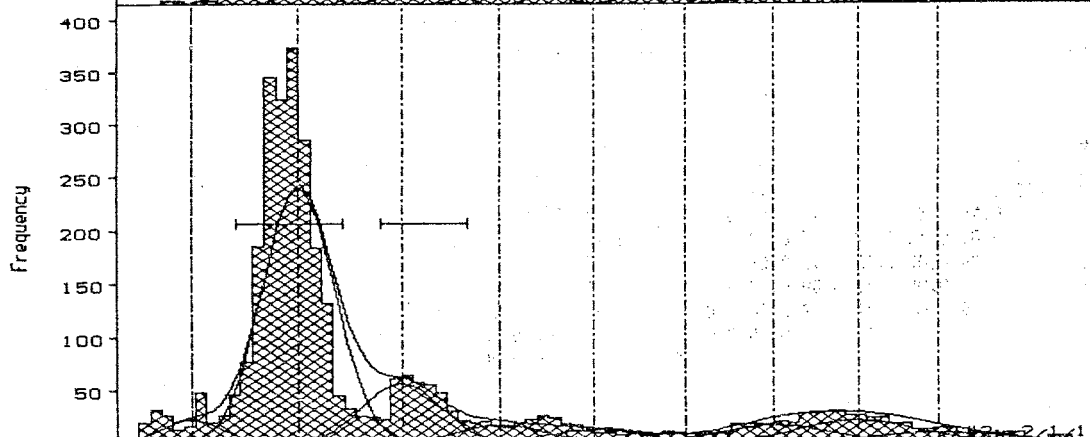
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B01	*	1	1
B03	-1	*	1
B05	-1	-1	*

B00	PAR	opt_flag	worse than	not_better than	function value	number of parameters
B01	P07	0	P09		15379.95	88
B01	P08	0	P0A		15253.07	88
B01	P09	0	P15		15420.87	100
B01	P0A	0	POC		15337.91	100
B01	P08	0		P09	15425.02	112
B01	P0C	0		P07	15379.53	112
B03	P13	0	P1F		15436.62	89
B03	P14	0	P16		15329.10	89
B03	P15	0		P13	15440.81	101
B03	P16	0	P18		15378.41	101
B03	P17	0		P13	15434.71	113
B03	P18	0		P13	15398.32	113
** B05	P1F	1			15454.05	90
B05	P20	0	P22		15434.98	90
B05	P21	0		P1F	15464.18	102
B05	P22	0		P1F	15459.36	102
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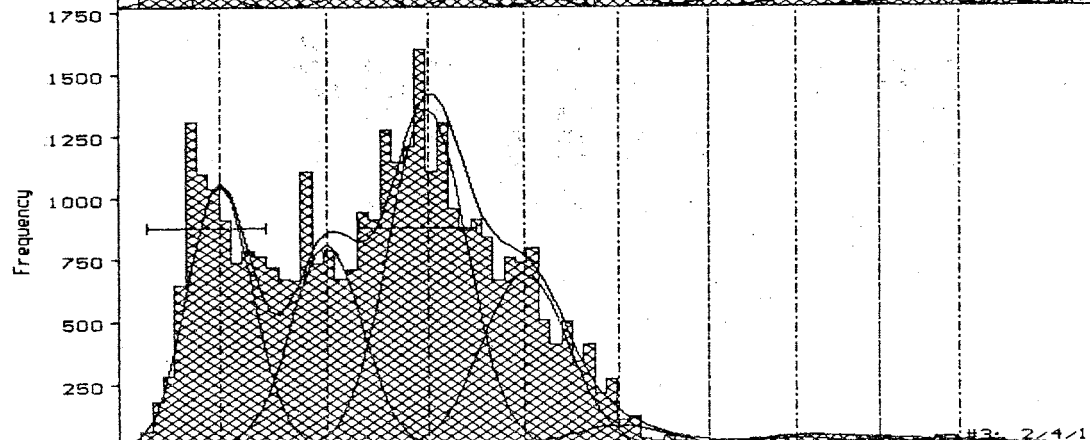
Albacore international catch ALL 81-83 (N=100)



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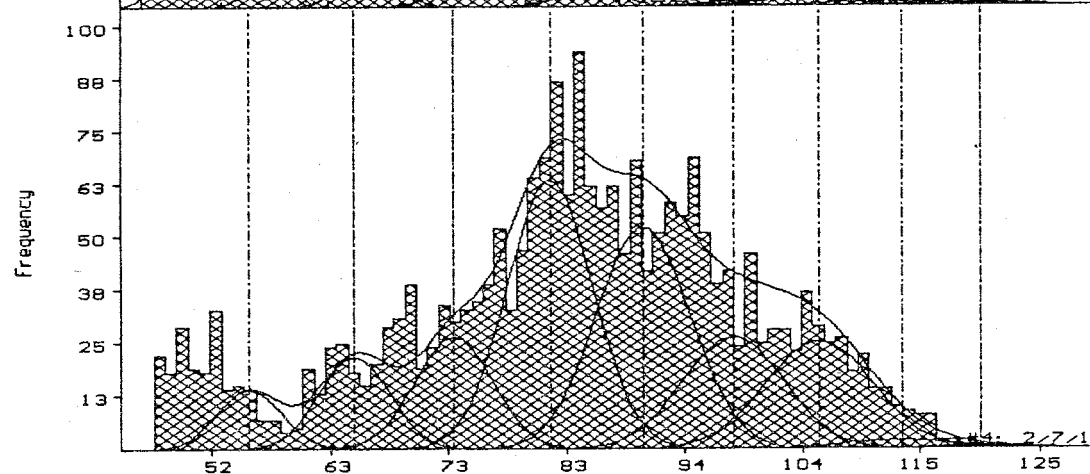


81 Q2



81 Q3

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81 Q4

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File: all8183: Albacore international catch ALL 81-83 (N/100)

Fit: 23

Objective function value = 16754.41992; total penalty = 8.60836

Maximum gradient component = 0.00062

Number of non-empty length intervals: 914; Number of estimated parameters: 101

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 813

Number of age classes: 9

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.038 (1/year); L infinity = 300.3

First Length = 50.622; Last Length = 116.414; Brody rho = 0.962 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 4.83 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

50.62 59.99 69.00 77.68 86.03 94.07 101.80 109.25 116.41

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

2.95 3.24 3.54 3.87 4.20 4.55 4.92 5.30 5.69

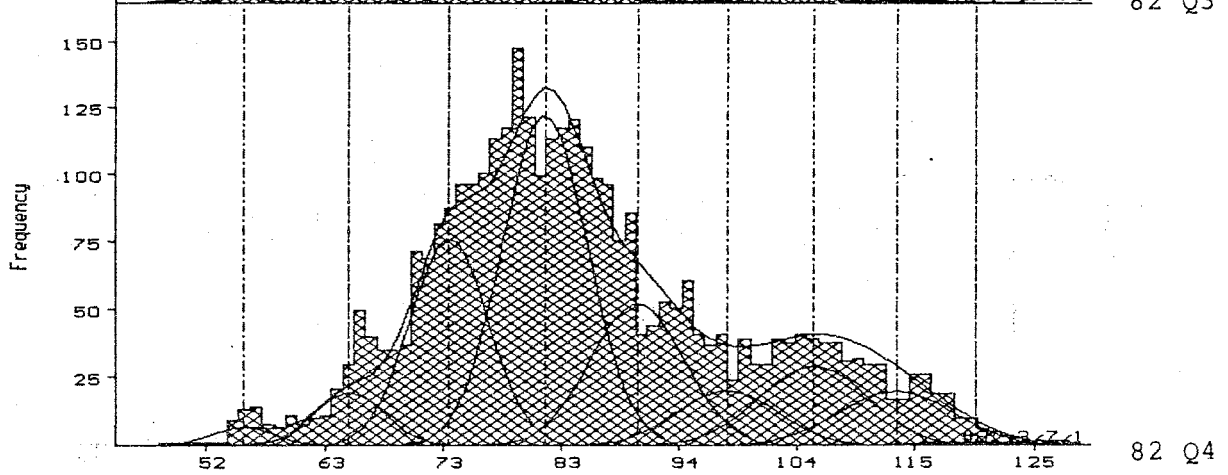
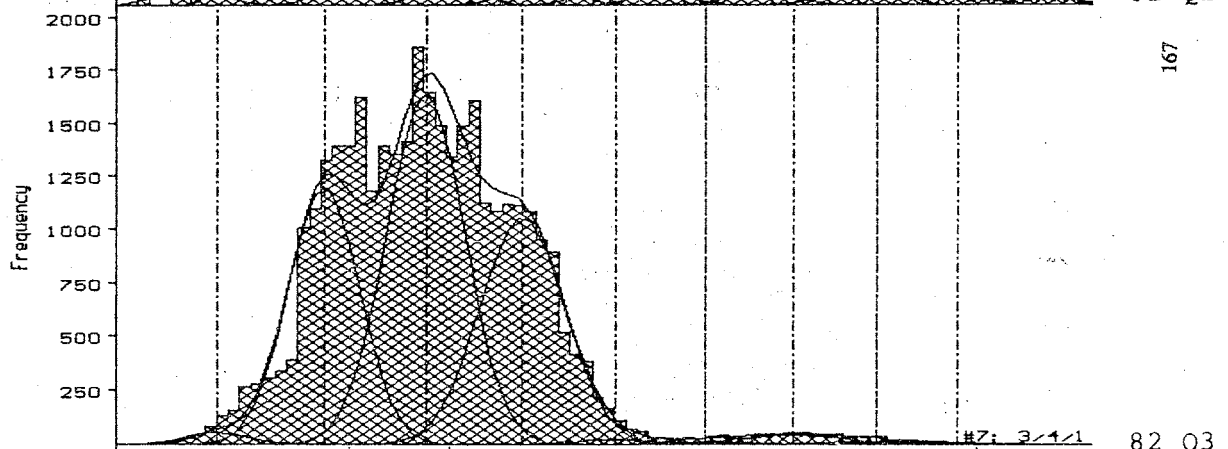
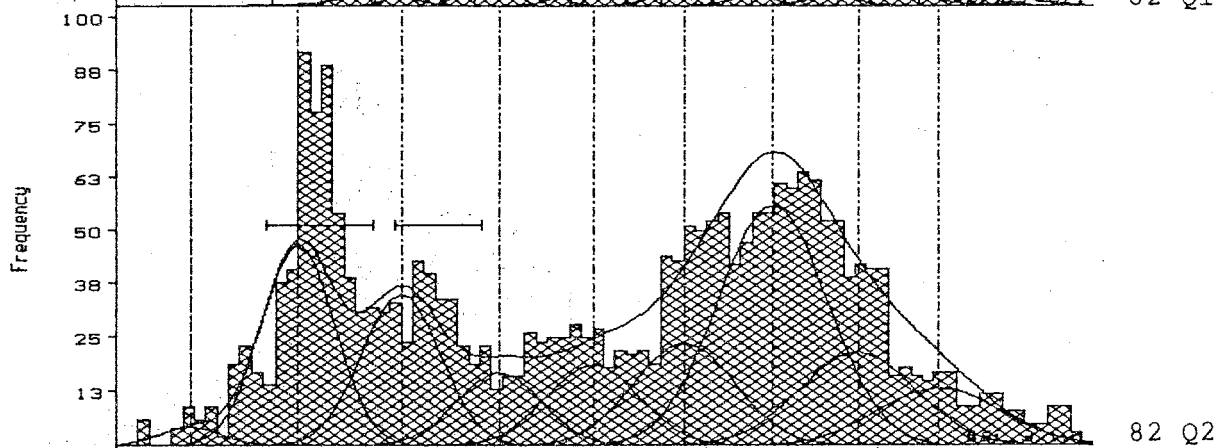
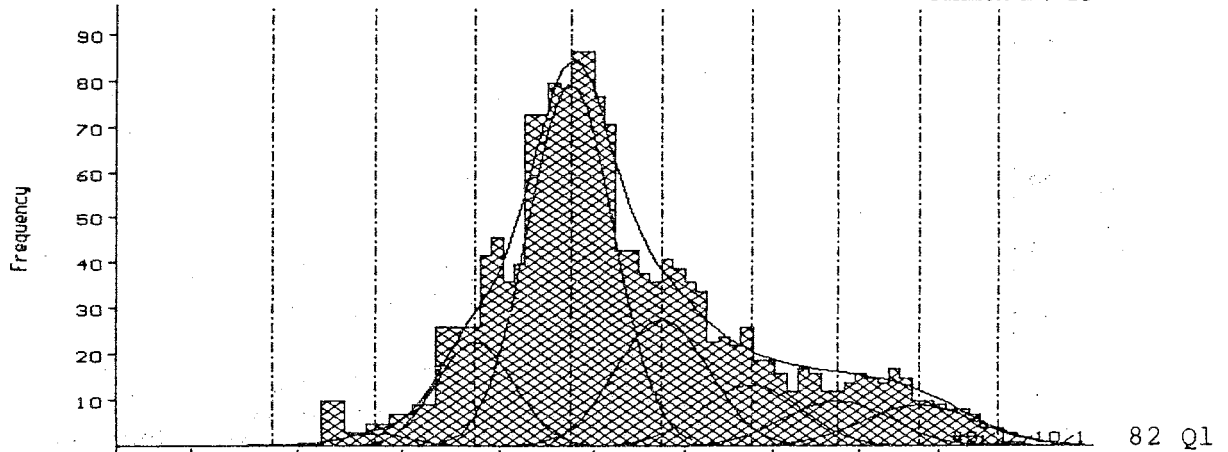
Average Standard Deviation = 4.098; ratio of first to last S.D. = 1.929

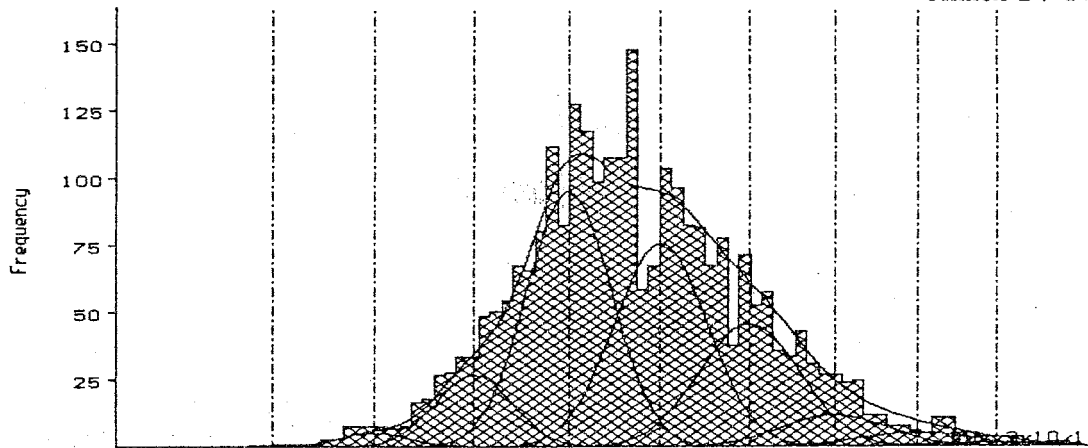
Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.03	0.05	0.24	0.05	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.40
2	0.22	0.58	0.19	0.08	0.01	0.17	0.28	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.20	0.08
3	0.10	0.14	0.34	0.11	0.13	0.14	0.40	0.21	0.09	0.01	0.36	0.12
4	0.15	0.05	0.18	0.27	0.47	0.07	0.27	0.35	0.34	0.03	0.27	0.20
5	0.30	0.04	0.02	0.23	0.17	0.08	0.01	0.15	0.29	0.21	0.04	0.14
6	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.12	0.09	0.10	0.00	0.06	0.18	0.19	0.02	0.04
7	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.12	0.07	0.26	0.01	0.09	0.05	0.47	0.01	0.01
8	0.00	0.06	0.01	0.01	0.06	0.10	0.00	0.07	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01
9	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.00	0.00

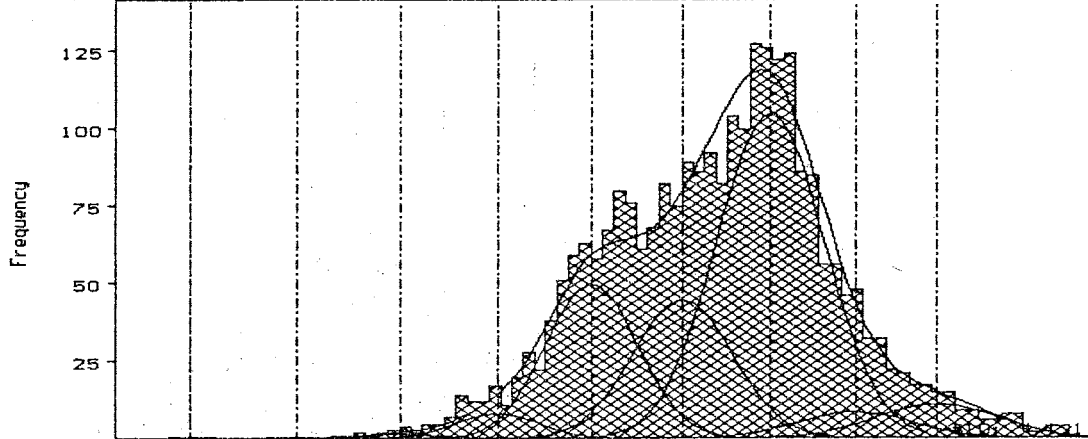
Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	80	183	8065	116	3	37	462	56	5	4	3093	4437
2	512	1989	6548	190	24	422	9880	168	46	5	7099	900
3	233	497	11543	244	211	333	14177	706	254	17	12588	1360
4	348	163	6162	612	772	167	9561	1178	931	85	9381	2200
5	700	122	799	524	280	192	241	525	773	535	1276	1547
6	389	19	80	274	141	254	158	210	485	501	745	402
7	57	163	296	273	107	620	486	316	130	1218	452	145
8	8	215	218	23	102	247	160	221	60	103	128	119
9	5	95	135	5	4	157	91	14	17	138	99	38
n	2332	3446	33845	2260	1644	2427	35216	3394	2702	2605	34860	11147

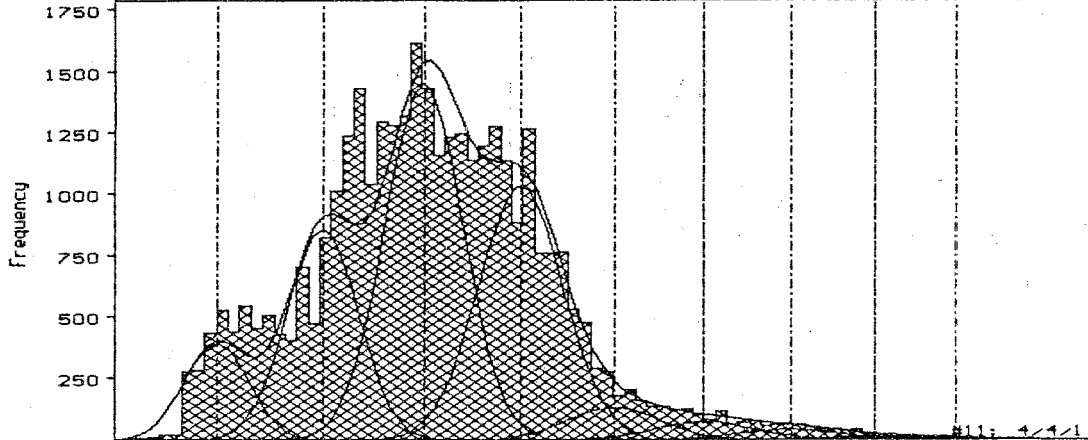




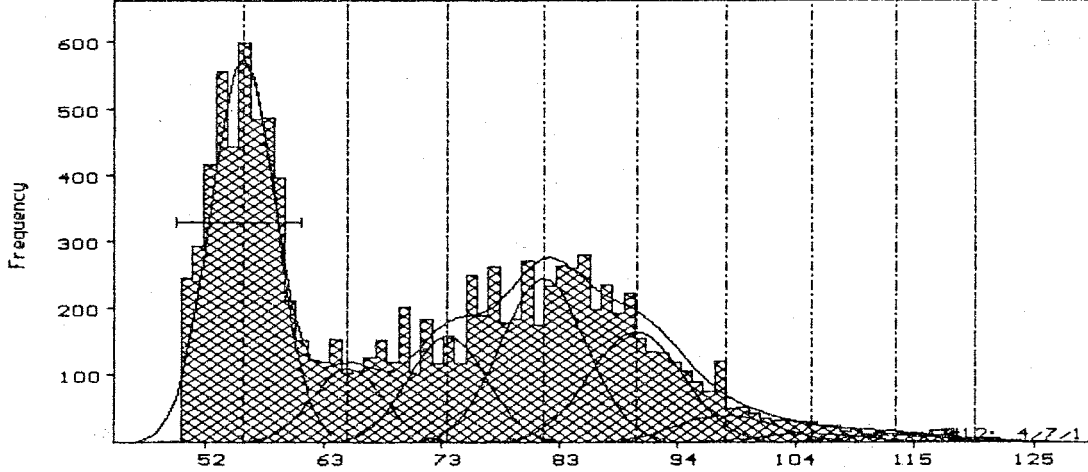
83 Q1



83 Q2



83 Q3



83 Q4

The hypothesis flags for search B00 are
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The hypothesis flags for search B04 are
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The hypothesis flags for search B03 are
 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

non standard search in PAR file P1A for search B03

This means that systematic search B03 will not be included in this analysis

different global hypothesis in PAR file 1A for search 03

The difference is at switch 42different global hypothesis in PAR file 1A for search 03

The hypothesis flags for search B01 are
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The hypothesis flags for search B02 are
 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

non standard search in PAR file P10 for search B02

This means that systematic search B02 will not be included in this analysis

different global hypothesis in PAR file 10 for search 02

The difference is at switch 42different global hypothesis in PAR file 10 for search 02

The hypothesis flags for search B05 are
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The hypothesis flags for search B06 are
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The hypothesis flags for search B07 are
 1 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

**** The Hypothesis Tree ****

	B01	B05	B07
B01	*	1	1
B05	-1	*	1
B07	-1	-1	*

**** The Reduced Hypothesis Tree ****

	B01	B05	B07
B01	*	1	1
B05	-1	*	1
B07	-1	-1	*

B00	PAR	opt_flag	worse than	not_better than	function value	number of parameters
B01	P07	0	P09		16535.28	88
B01	P08	0	POA		16081.60	88
B01	P09	0	POB		16682.13	100
B01	POA	0	POC		16267.84	100
B01	POB	0	P25		16731.31	112
B01	P0C	0		P07	16364.87	112
B05	P21	0	P23		16682.30	89
B05	P22	0	P24		16255.39	89
** B05	P23	1			16754.42	101
B05	P24	0	P26		16368.71	101
B05	P25	0		P23	16770.70	113
B05	P26	0		P21	16457.04	113
B07	P2D	0	P2F		16682.30	90
B07	P2E	0	P30		16345.55	90
B07	P2F	0		P23	16754.42	102
B07	P30	0		P2D	16434.78	102
B07	P31	0		P2F	16770.00	114
B07	P32	0		P2E	15917.58	112

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File: all8486: Albacore international catch ALL 84-86 (N/100)

Fit: 25

Objective function value = 16095.86035; total penalty = 3.85794

Maximum gradient component = 0.00133

Number of non-empty length intervals: 949; Number of estimated parameters: 114

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 835

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.183 (1/year); L infinity = 133.6

First Length = 47.316; Last Length = 117.009; Brody rho = 0.833 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.39 years.

First month mean length sampling bias for first age class: 3.870

Mean length at age in month 1:

50.86 61.76 73.79 83.80 92.14 99.08 104.86 109.67 113.67 117.01

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

3.19 3.44 3.67 3.87 4.05 4.20 4.33 4.44 4.54 4.62

Average Standard Deviation = 3.838; ratio of first to last S.D. = 1.448

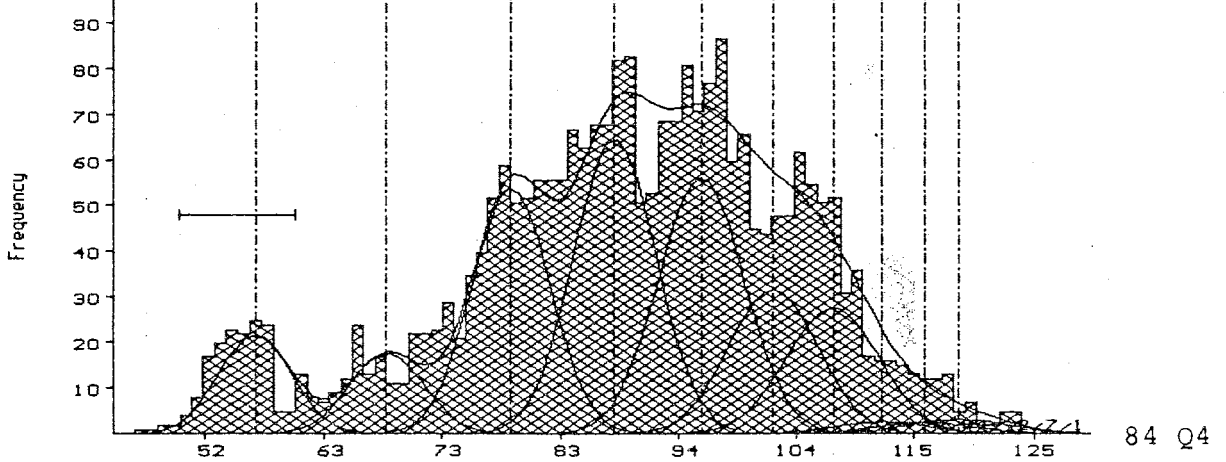
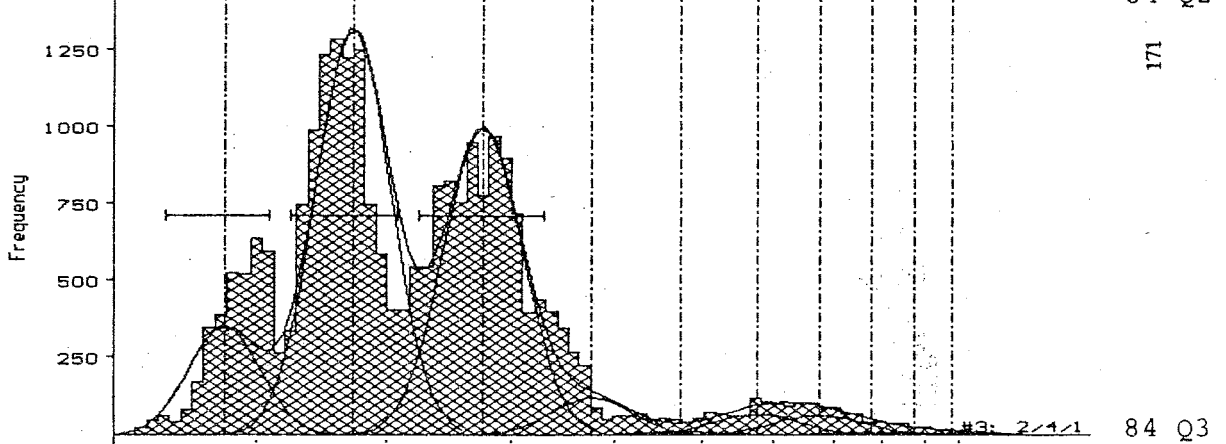
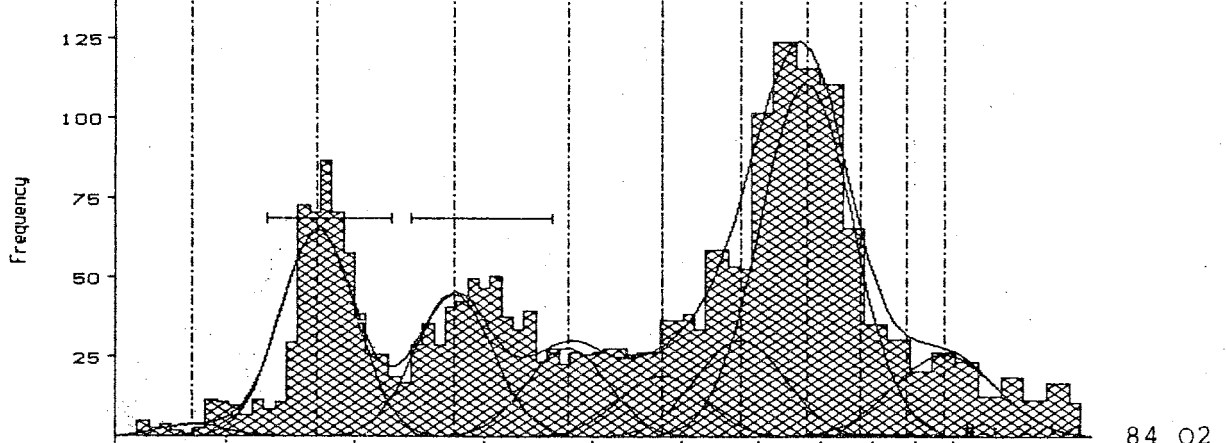
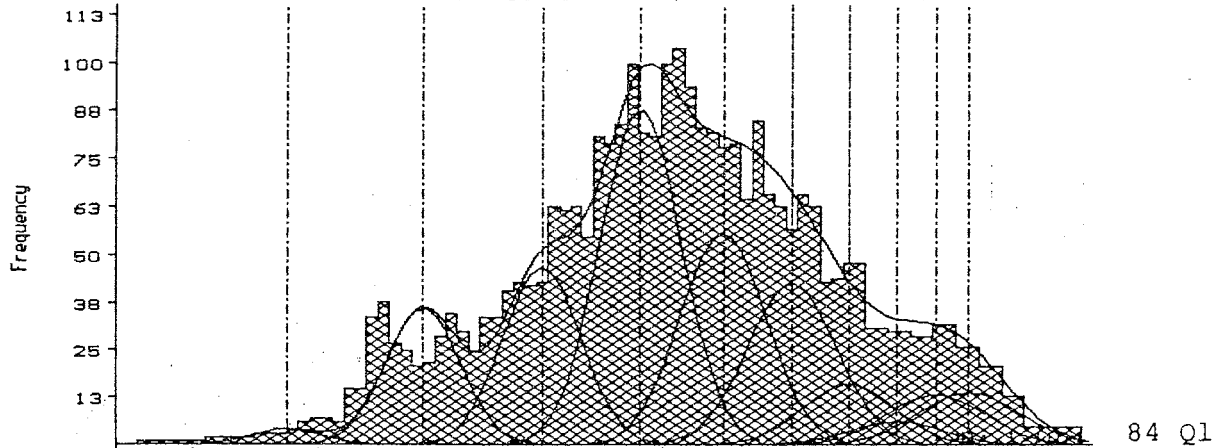
Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.01	0.01	0.11	0.07	0.01	0.00	0.28	0.37	0.02	0.02	0.20	0.15
2	0.11	0.18	0.44	0.06	0.06	0.13	0.35	0.20	0.02	0.32	0.37	0.20
3	0.14	0.13	0.34	0.19	0.14	0.23	0.30	0.15	0.18	0.15	0.31	0.37
4	0.27	0.08	0.04	0.23	0.22	0.10	0.03	0.10	0.29	0.06	0.06	0.15
5	0.17	0.06	0.00	0.20	0.27	0.05	0.01	0.07	0.15	0.08	0.01	0.10
6	0.14	0.09	0.03	0.12	0.13	0.20	0.01	0.06	0.21	0.14	0.03	0.01
7	0.05	0.35	0.02	0.10	0.07	0.18	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.09	0.00	0.00
8	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.09	0.01	0.01
9	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.00
10	0.05	0.09	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	37	34	2849	184	18	5	8012	2813	97	109	5649	1829
2	317	579	11017	153	164	382	9763	1532	93	1461	10268	2377
3	420	410	8531	481	371	671	8410	1175	718	683	8600	4389
4	807	262	1070	590	580	308	827	750	1154	283	1678	1749
5	525	184	123	523	707	156	249	563	616	378	285	1133
6	408	298	634	302	332	578	354	470	853	655	820	139
7	158	1096	603	268	182	528	226	101	270	402	119	59
8	63	13	92	26	60	80	100	142	185	415	152	60
9	136	10	76	26	61	137	93	71	31	180	127	44
10	143	272	74	33	126	118	88	27	15	14	80	31
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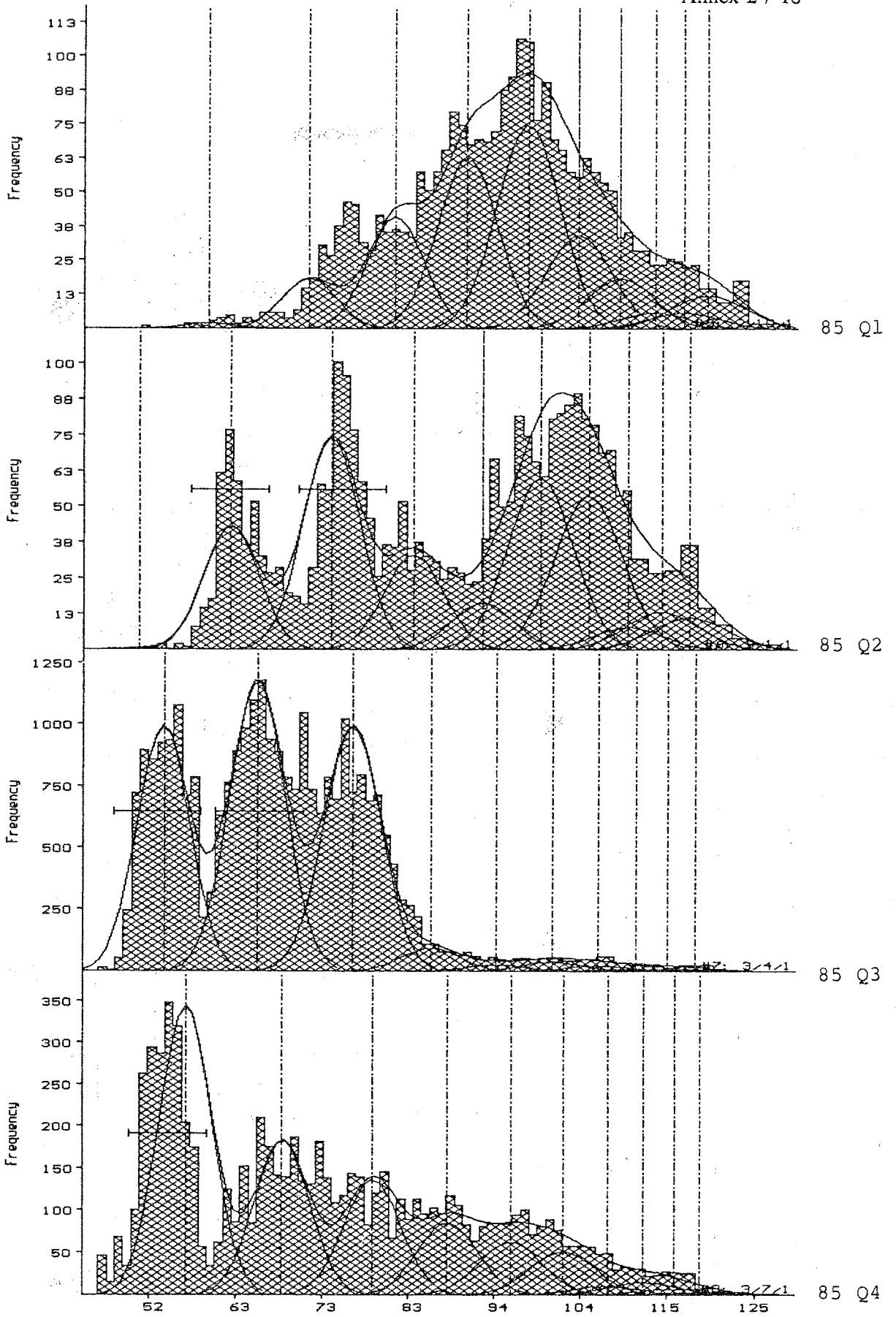
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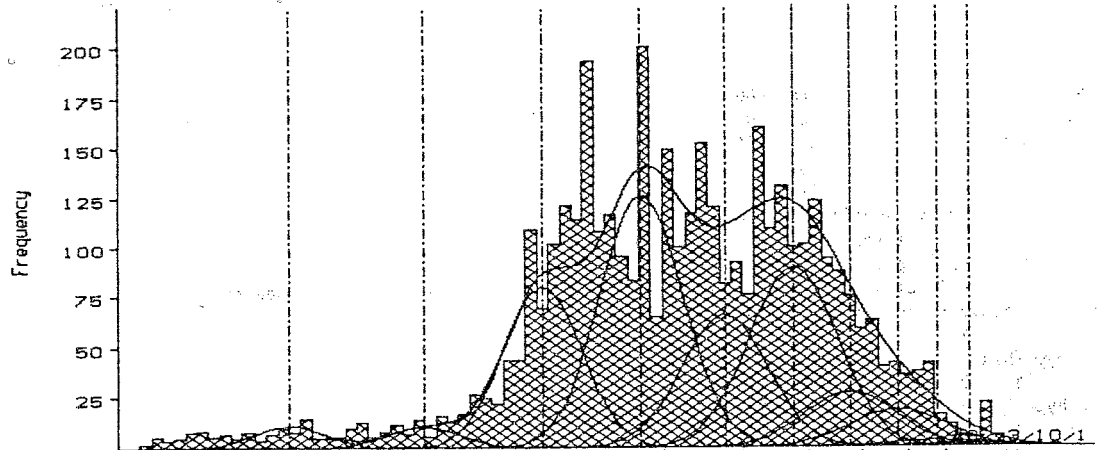
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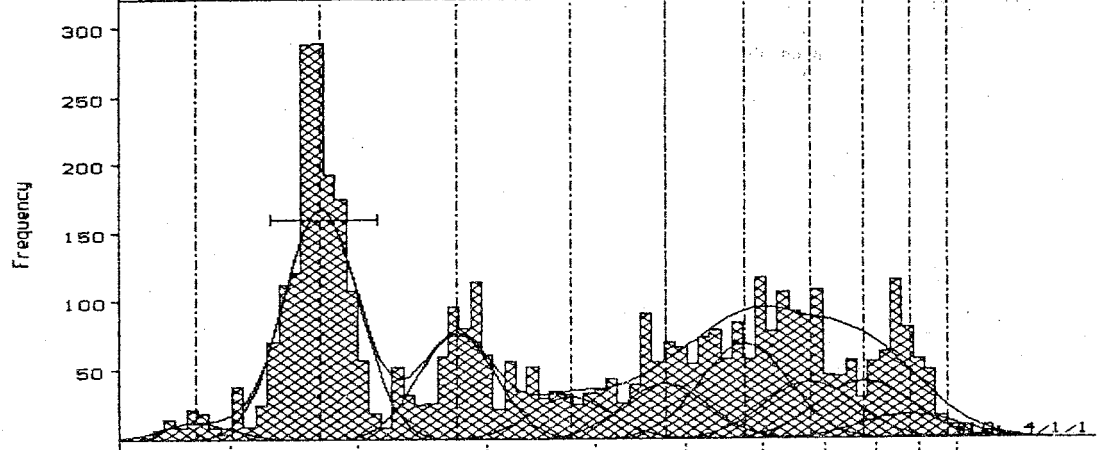
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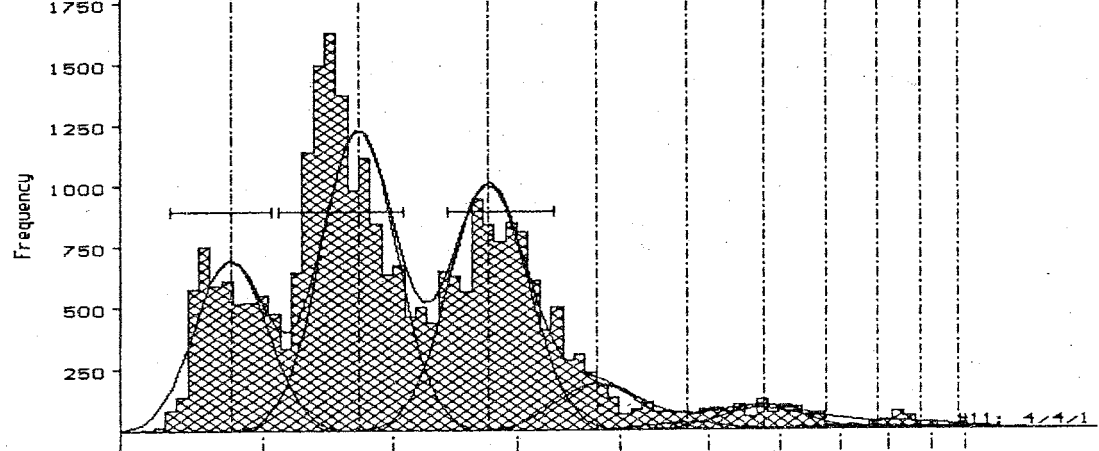




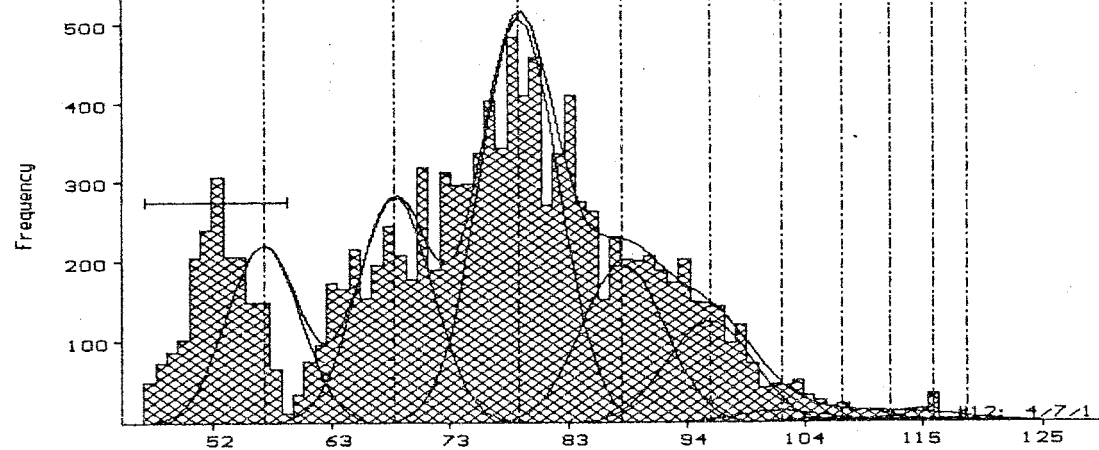
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86 Q2



86 Q3



86 Q4

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The hypothesis flags for search B00 are
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 This means that systematic search B01 will not
 be included in this analysis
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 The difference is at switch 42different global hypothesis in PAR file 0A for search 01
 The hypothesis flags for search B02 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B03 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B04 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B05 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B06 are
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 **** The Hypothesis Tree ****

	B02	B04	B06
B02	*	1	1
B04	-1	*	1
B06	-1	-1	*

**** The Reduced Hypothesis Tree ****

	B02	B04	B06
B02	*	1	1
B04	-1	*	1
B06	-1	-1	*

	PAR	opt_flag	worse than	not_better than	function value	number of parameters
B02	P0B	0	P0D		16008.38	100
B02	P0C	0	P0E		15955.23	100
B02	P0D	0	P25		16039.67	112
B02	P0E	0	P10		16023.43	112
B02	P0F	0		P0D	16049.41	124
B02	P10	0		P0D	16046.10	124
B04	P17	0	P19		16006.29	101
B04	P18	0	P1A		15957.76	101
B04	P19	0		P0D	16040.03	113
B04	P1A	0		P17	16023.81	113
B04	P1B	0		P19	16052.58	125
B04	P1C	0		P18	15668.42	123
B06	P23	0	P25		16062.18	102
B06	P24	0	P26		16054.41	102
** B06	P25	1			16095.86	114
B06	P26	0	P25		16090.13	114
B06	P27	0		P25	16109.53	126
B06	P28	0		P24	15668.42	123

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 File: all8789: Albacore international catch ALL 87-89 (N/100)

Fit: 1D
 Objective function value =16058.19043; total penalty =24.06070
 Maximum gradient component = 0.01073
 Number of non-empty length intervals: 771; Number of estimated parameters: 125
 Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 646

Number of age classes: 11

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.115 (1/year); L infinity = 142.1
 First Length = 52.039; Last Length = 113.487; Brody rho = 0.892 (1/year).
 Estimated age of the first age class = 3.98 years.
 Mean length at age in month 1:

52.04 61.80 70.49 78.25 85.17 91.34 96.84 101.74 106.11 110.01 113.49

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19 3.19

Average Standard Deviation = 3.187; ratio of first to last S.D.= 1.001

Proportions at Age:

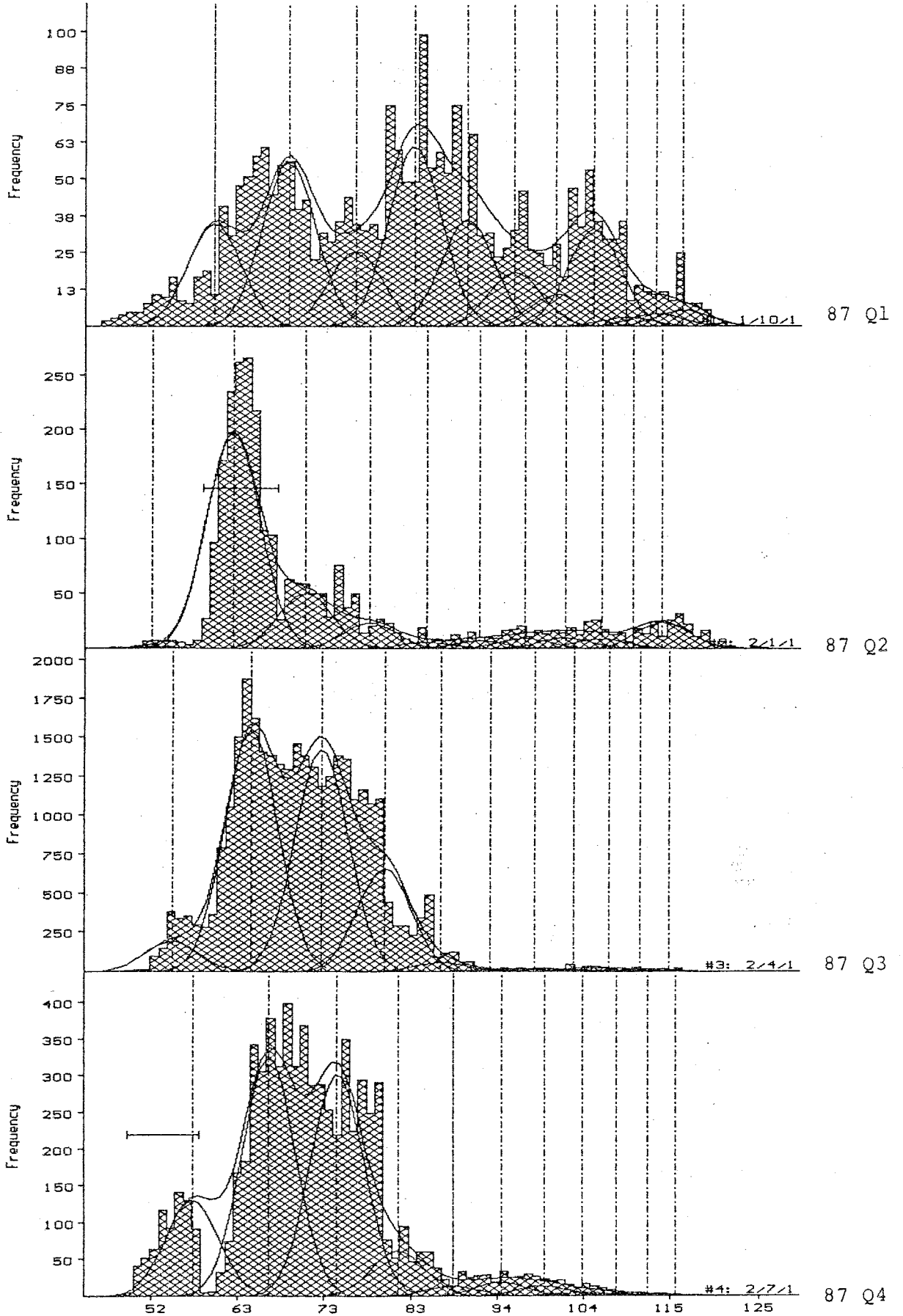
Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.12	0.01	0.05	0.15	0.00	0.05	0.32	0.50	0.00	0.04	0.16	0.38
2	0.19	0.57	0.39	0.37	0.01	0.28	0.35	0.25	0.00	0.58	0.42	0.09
3	0.09	0.15	0.36	0.34	0.05	0.13	0.14	0.12	0.00	0.16	0.26	0.21
4	0.21	0.07	0.17	0.07	0.21	0.28	0.14	0.09	0.75	0.08	0.16	0.29
5	0.13	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.07	0.03	0.01	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.01
6	0.06	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.35	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.00	0.01
7	0.04	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.15	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.00
8	0.11	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.13	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00
9	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00
10	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	0.02	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

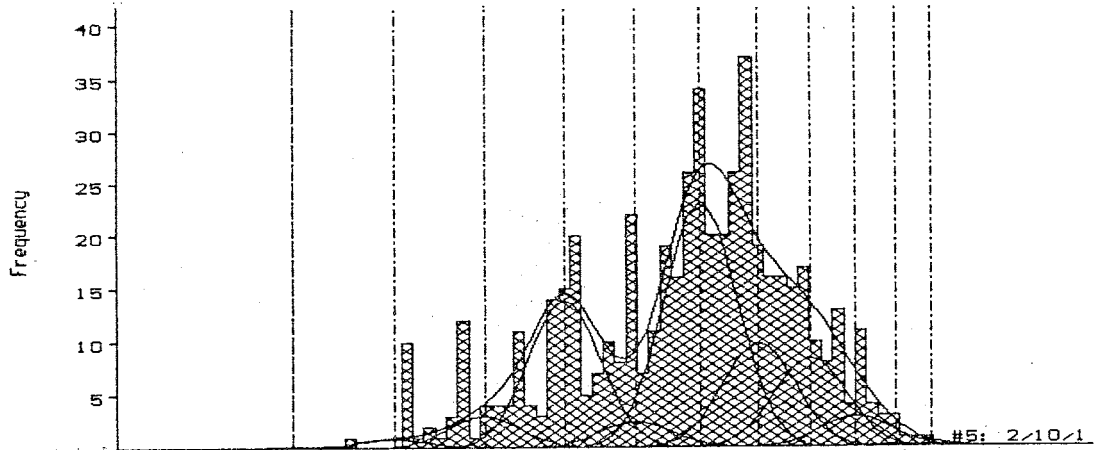
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Numbers at Age:

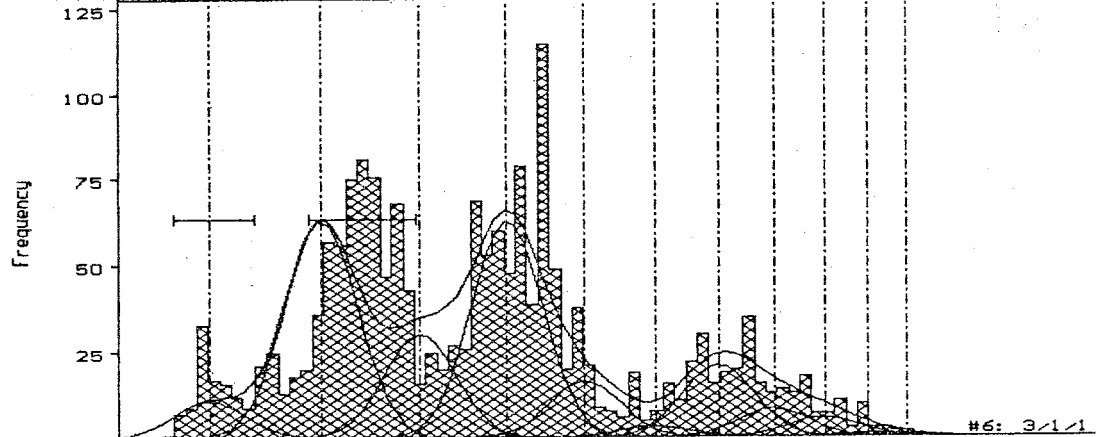
Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	280	17	1572	1047	1	88	12559	7767	1	78	4629	4485
2	449	1580	12371	2597	7	503	13675	3959	1	1200	12276	1014
3	206	410	11395	2418	24	242	5611	1829	2	343	7557	2527
4	487	193	5322	501	111	503	5349	1386	478	162	4604	3449
5	290	49	475	113	20	133	1111	174	115	6	112	152
6	148	60	95	154	184	27	322	255	24	72	95	111
7	88	79	93	112	79	169	107	74	7	119	69	37
8	265	84	110	44	67	68	93	60	2	42	56	39
9	26	75	94	22	23	47	78	46	1	46	53	34
10	35	10	78	15	2	10	70	36	1	8	52	29
11	45	196	78	13	1	5	70	31	1	4	53	27
n	2320	2753	31683	7037	520	1793	39046	15616	635	2081	29556	11905

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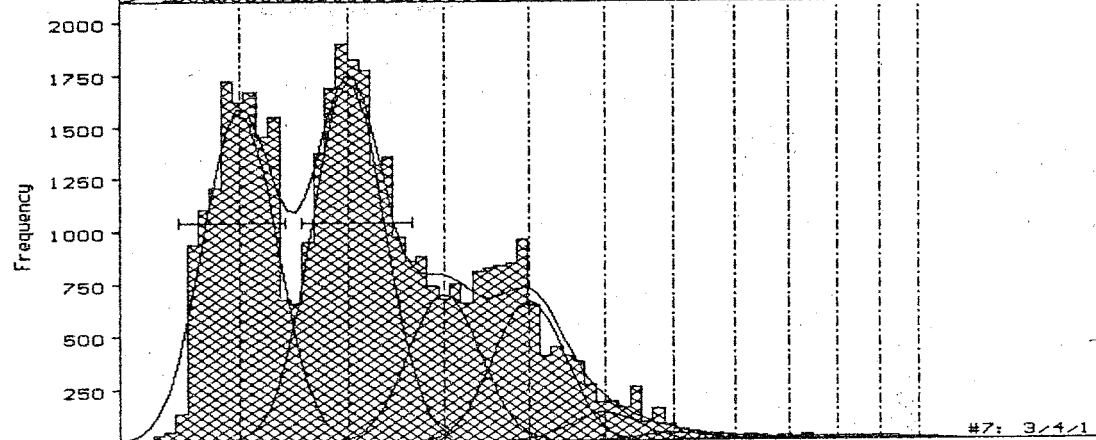




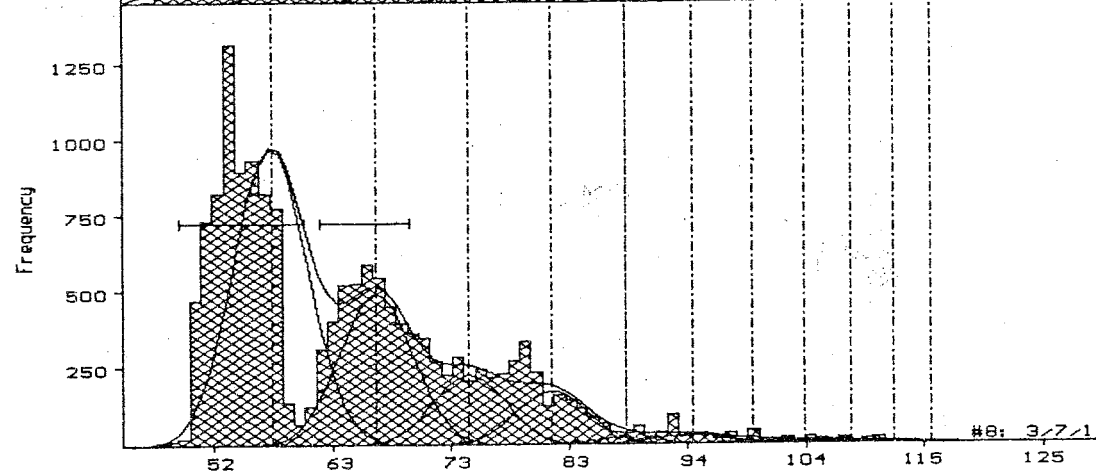
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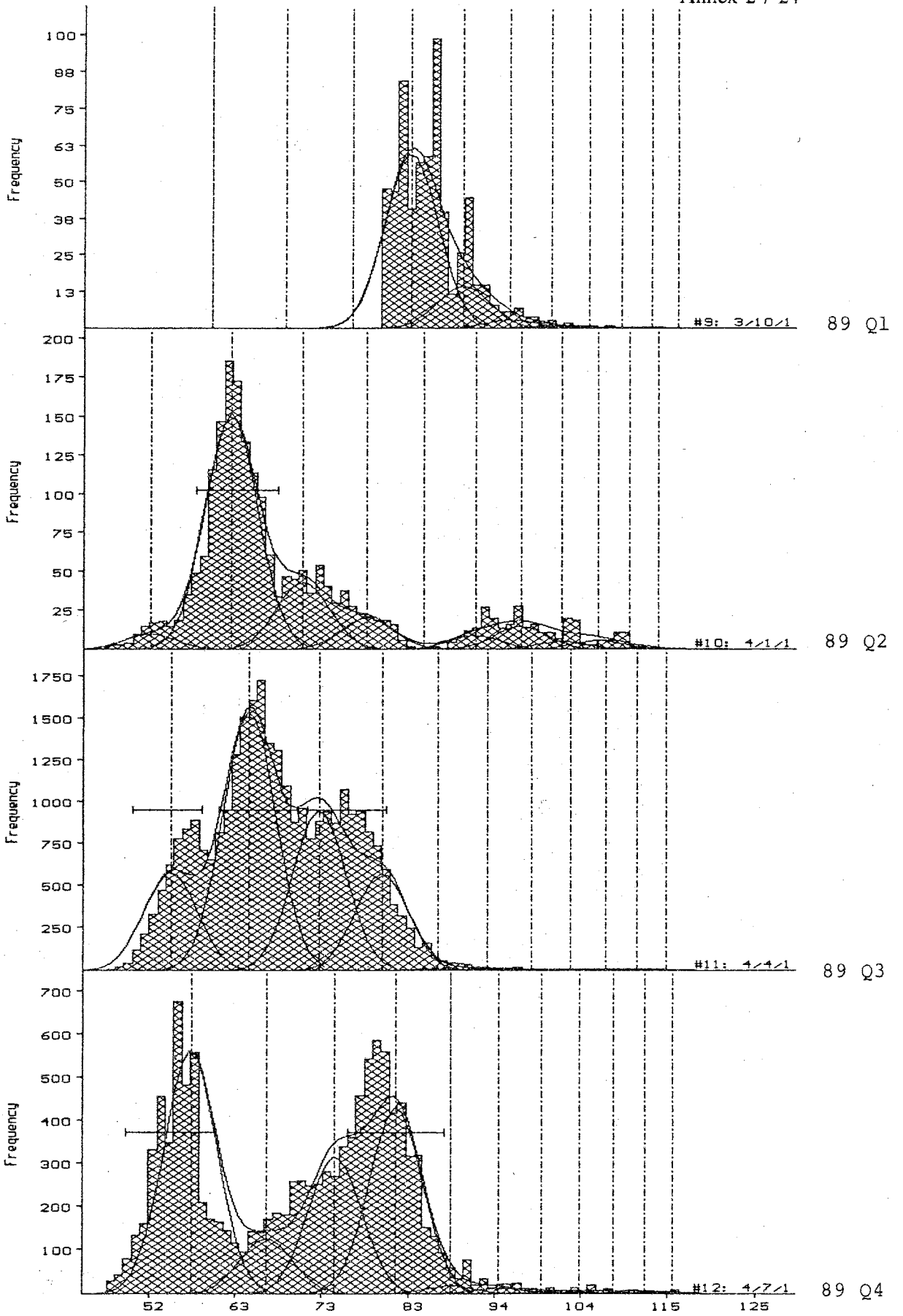


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88 Q4

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The hypothesis flags for search B00 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B01 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B02 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B03 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B04 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B05 are
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 The hypothesis flags for search B06 are
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**** The Hypothesis Tree ****

	B01	B02	B04	B06
B01	*	2	1	1
B02	2	*	1	1
B04	-1	-1	*	1
B06	-1	-1	-1	*

Systematic search B01 appears to be duplicate of search B02 ... removing it

**** The Reduced Hypothesis Tree ****

	B02	B04	B06
B02	*	1	1
B04	-1	*	1
B06	-1	-1	*

B00	PAR	opt_flag	worse than	not_better than	function value	number of parameters
B02	P0D	0	P0F		15859.65	99
B02	P0E	0	P10		15514.29	99
B02	P0F	0	P11		15910.54	111
B02	P10	0	P12		15557.75	111
B02	P11	0	P1D		15955.22	123
B02	P12	0		P0D	15581.07	123
B04	P19	0	P18		16008.64	101
B04	P1A	0	P1C		15927.16	101
B04	P1B	0	P1D		16038.72	113
B04	P1C	0	P1E		15959.73	113
** B04	P1D	1			16058.19	125
B04	P1E	0		P19	15981.34	125
B06	P25	0	P27		16008.26	102
B06	P26	0	P28		15938.36	102
B06	P27	0	P29		16032.65	114
B06	P28	0		P25	15970.30	114
B06	P29	0		P18	16058.19	126
B06	P2A	0		P26	15581.07	123

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 File: all7577: Albacore international catch ALL 75-77 (N/100)

Fit: 11

Objective function value =16130.91992; total penalty =10.66502

Maximum gradient component = 0.00061

Number of non-empty length intervals: 866; Number of estimated parameters: 110

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 756

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 128.3

First Length = 45.560; Last Length = 114.600; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.19 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

45.56 60.55 72.83 82.88 91.11 97.84 103.36 107.88 111.57 114.60

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

2.95 3.36 3.74 4.08 4.38 4.64 4.87 5.07 5.23 5.37

Average Standard Deviation = 3.981; ratio of first to last S.D.= 1.819

Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.00	0.16	0.03	0.06	0.00	0.34	0.04	0.18	0.00	0.13	0.02	0.16
2	0.01	0.27	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.48	0.50	0.03	0.03	0.50	0.53	0.07
3	0.27	0.21	0.56	0.07	0.08	0.03	0.21	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.36	0.20
4	0.40	0.08	0.05	0.21	0.53	0.02	0.18	0.16	0.16	0.04	0.06	0.18
5	0.11	0.05	0.00	0.15	0.27	0.03	0.02	0.26	0.48	0.07	0.00	0.18
6	0.15	0.10	0.01	0.47	0.08	0.04	0.03	0.24	0.21	0.10	0.01	0.19
7	0.02	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.01
8	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
9	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	4	567	633	394	11	3503	1407	1524	9	1057	807	1293
2	30	950	7363	34	21	4987	17241	267	111	4048	19223	619
3	613	746	12545	485	375	358	7060	833	415	858	12841	1648
4	905	296	1093	1410	2336	177	6270	1378	637	319	2216	1476
5	255	175	89	1042	1176	311	745	2155	1930	580	178	1503
6	345	338	318	3163	339	407	1201	2015	858	781	381	1532
7	56	400	268	188	117	513	234	105	42	353	174	107
8	14	51	75	24	21	49	103	30	16	108	110	30
9	13	17	57	20	16	28	83	24	15	37	85	24
10	19	15	51	21	14	23	74	21	13	29	76	22
n	2254	3556	22493	6779	4425	10356	34419	8353	4046	8170	36090	8256

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 File: all8183: Albacore international catch ALL 81-83 (N/100)

Fit: 1F
 Objective function value =16163.75977; total penalty = 9.18600
 Maximum gradient component = 0.00471
 Number of non-empty length intervals: 914; Number of estimated parameters: 109
 Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 805

Number of age classes: 10
 Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 128.3
 First Length = 45.560; Last Length = 114.600; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).
 Estimated age of the first age class = 2.19 years.
 Mean length at age in month 1:
 45.56 60.55 72.83 82.88 91.11 97.84 103.36 107.88 111.57 114.60
 Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:
 3.21 3.69 4.14 4.54 4.90 5.22 5.50 5.73 5.93 6.10
 Average Standard Deviation >= 4.426; ratio of first to last S.D.= 1.900

Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.05	0.07	0.34	0.08	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.39
2	0.26	0.63	0.27	0.12	0.03	0.25	0.40	0.11	0.04	0.00	0.36	0.14
3	0.09	0.12	0.30	0.20	0.43	0.13	0.50	0.38	0.24	0.01	0.44	0.19
4	0.30	0.04	0.07	0.27	0.29	0.07	0.06	0.25	0.42	0.12	0.11	0.20
5	0.20	0.01	0.00	0.15	0.07	0.07	0.00	0.05	0.13	0.22	0.01	0.05
6	0.09	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.11	0.00	0.06	0.13	0.21	0.02	0.02
7	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.10	0.03	0.23	0.01	0.05	0.02	0.36	0.01	0.00
8	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.02	0.00	0.05	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00
9	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01
10	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	108	242	11609	188	3	25	283	52	5	6	1550	4306
2	612	2162	9054	279	53	613	14136	366	102	6	12565	1548
3	216	409	10136	457	710	326	17770	1285	652	36	15456	2102
4	692	150	2355	611	484	181	2135	865	1122	325	3808	2218
5	456	29	81	337	122	168	99	159	340	577	396	530
6	209	29	93	127	70	274	141	191	349	559	564	227
7	17	147	154	223	55	561	319	178	42	933	215	52
8	8	129	134	24	84	45	135	172	18	15	109	54
9	7	45	114	8	56	22	102	107	39	10	97	60
10	6	104	114	6	7	212	96	19	33	138	100	50
n	2332	3446	33845	2260	1644	2427	35216	3394	2702	2605	34860	11147

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File: all7880: Albacore international catch ALL 78-80 (N/100)

Fit: 04

Objective function value =14084.50000; total penalty =15.48692

Maximum gradient component = 0.00182

Number of non-empty length intervals: 863; Number of estimated parameters: 109

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 754

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 128.3

First Length = 45.560; Last Length = 114.600; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.19 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

45.56 60.55 72.83 82.88 91.11 97.84 103.36 107.88 111.57 114.60

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

2.81 3.23 3.62 3.98 4.29 4.57 4.81 5.02 5.19 5.34

Average Standard Deviation = 3.874; ratio of first to last S.D. = 1.900

Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.00	0.11	0.40	0.48	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.43	0.00	0.01	0.28	0.26
2	0.00	0.30	0.35	0.15	0.04	0.34	0.61	0.11	0.02	0.54	0.29	0.02
3	0.10	0.01	0.16	0.15	0.13	0.18	0.33	0.26	0.35	0.14	0.36	0.50
4	0.29	0.18	0.07	0.09	0.14	0.06	0.02	0.11	0.25	0.09	0.04	0.19
5	0.38	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.22	0.09	0.00	0.03	0.11	0.07	0.00	0.02
6	0.20	0.25	0.00	0.03	0.31	0.17	0.00	0.03	0.17	0.03	0.00	0.01
7	0.00	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.05	0.00	0.00
8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00
9	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.00
10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	6	379	24241	5352	6	8	1489	2698	6	32	12709	1650
2	10	1003	21345	1626	78	867	34480	693	42	1477	13322	126
3	324	33	9954	1696	282	457	18732	1605	714	384	16457	3252
4	919	598	4118	1026	307	145	1314	710	515	233	1929	1196
5	1185	73	233	896	471	221	175	180	225	182	171	117
6	640	840	248	314	657	442	147	187	347	70	137	37
7	14	400	168	53	237	94	128	76	61	133	129	20
8	9	16	131	35	73	105	124	30	30	52	112	16
9	8	12	122	29	23	182	125	31	53	36	103	15
10	7	11	119	27	11	30	121	76	49	127	102	14
n	3123	3366	60678	11052	2145	2551	56834	6286	2043	2725	45172	6443

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Fit: 13

Objective function value =15885.28027; total penalty = 1.68827

Maximum gradient component = 0.00155

Number of non-empty length intervals: 949; Number of estimated parameters: 109

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 840

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 127.6

First Length = 45.560; Last Length = 114.000; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.21 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

45.56 60.42 72.59 82.55 90.71 97.39 102.86 107.33 111.00 114.00

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

3.18 3.65 4.09 4.49 4.85 5.17 5.44 5.67 5.87 6.04

Average Standard Deviation = 4.379; ratio of first to last S.D. = 1.900

Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.01	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.27	0.32	0.02	0.02	0.23	0.17
2	0.10	0.19	0.44	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.33	0.22	0.02	0.33	0.37	0.17
3	0.11	0.12	0.39	0.16	0.17	0.26	0.32	0.16	0.09	0.14	0.28	0.36
4	0.25	0.10	0.07	0.23	0.15	0.12	0.04	0.10	0.35	0.07	0.07	0.15
5	0.18	0.03	0.00	0.19	0.29	0.02	0.00	0.07	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.11
6	0.17	0.02	0.01	0.14	0.17	0.15	0.01	0.07	0.21	0.13	0.02	0.01
7	0.04	0.40	0.04	0.12	0.05	0.24	0.01	0.02	0.13	0.08	0.01	0.00
8	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.05	0.12	0.00	0.00
9	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.00
10	0.10	0.12	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	20	18	887	167	10	7	7731	2461	94	87	6408	1980
2	301	607	11129	143	119	186	9263	1677	90	1495	10205	2063
3	338	371	9681	414	442	759	9064	1250	377	639	7789	4295
4	754	318	1632	584	385	358	1052	738	1416	298	2050	1783
5	549	94	102	481	762	68	140	542	437	290	123	1344
6	498	67	275	356	430	449	316	539	831	582	661	148
7	115	1263	1046	305	126	714	238	148	525	373	220	52
8	35	38	129	64	49	99	113	119	192	528	123	52
9	98	13	91	33	75	66	103	132	52	267	111	50
10	305	367	98	38	203	254	101	37	18	20	89	43
n	3013	3157	25070	2586	2601	2962	28122	7643	4032	4580	27779	11809

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Fit: 15

Objective function value = 3512.54810; total penalty = 22.37806

Maximum gradient component = 0.00099

Number of non-empty length intervals: 771; Number of estimated parameters: 109

Approximate number of degrees of freedom: 662

Number of age classes: 10

Parameter Estimates:

von Bertalanffy K = 0.200 (1/year); L infinity = 128.3

First Length = 45.560; Last Length = 114.600; Brody rho = 0.819 (1/year).

Estimated age of the first age class = 2.19 years.

Mean length at age in month 1:

45.56 60.55 72.83 82.88 91.11 97.84 103.36 107.88 111.57 114.60

Standard Deviations of length at age in month 1:

3.12 3.58 4.02 4.41 4.76 5.07 5.33 5.56 5.76 5.92

Average Standard Deviation >= 4.296; ratio of first to last S.D. = 1.900

Proportions at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	0.09	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.00	0.02	0.28	0.49	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.30
2	0.23	0.58	0.48	0.48	0.02	0.22	0.42	0.31	0.00	0.63	0.54	0.15
3	0.19	0.21	0.46	0.35	0.15	0.39	0.22	0.15	0.62	0.21	0.38	0.48
4	0.23	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.11	0.19	0.06	0.03	0.35	0.01	0.02	0.05
5	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.41	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00
6	0.09	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.28	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.08	0.00	0.00
7	0.10	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00
8	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	0.00	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Numbers at Age:

Age	Sample											
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	208	8	241	752	1	39	10926	7585	1	18	1573	3537
2	542	1596	15271	3352	10	403	16414	4917	2	1316	15862	1838
3	451	578	14657	2487	80	707	8609	2326	395	446	11200	5676
4	541	82	973	74	56	332	2510	419	223	30	510	638
5	62	58	101	208	215	22	146	151	6	51	86	45
6	215	103	96	91	144	207	109	61	2	167	75	39
7	233	52	95	24	9	65	92	47	2	33	65	38
8	48	56	88	18	2	7	83	40	1	8	62	34
9	10	151	84	16	2	5	80	35	1	6	61	31
10	8	69	77	15	1	5	79	33	1	5	61	29
n	2320	2753	31683	7037	520	1793	39046	15616	635	2081	29556	11905

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