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Re: Division of Subsistence Analysis of August 2015 Agenda Change Requests

Due to the short turnaround allowed for review of the Agenda Change Requests (ACRs) before the board at the August 7, 2015 meeting, the Division of Subsistence analysis was not included in the versions that were sent. Following please find comments for the board's consideration.

ACR 8 (snowy owls) and ACR 9 (cormorants): A customary and traditional (C&T) use determination has not been made for either snowy owls or cormorants in Alaska to cover the fall season regulated by the Alaska Board of Game. An attachment to this letter is the 1993 customary and traditional use worksheet for migratory birds. The figures and tables are difficult to read and there is abundant new information available to ADF&G through the Division of Subsistence migratory bird harvest monitoring program. Should the board agree to take up this ACR, the division recommends addressing the lack of C&T findings. In addition, the board may wish to add GMUs 6 and 8 to the list of open areas for cormorants.

ACR 10 (Mulchatna caribou). There's a positive C&T finding in GMUs 9A, 9B, 17, 19A south of the Kuskokwim River, and 19B, and an amount reasonably necessary for subsistence of 2,100–2,400. However, management reports indicate that a good portion of the harvest of Mulchatna caribou now takes place in GMU 18, which is not listed in regulation. This availability is good news for subsistence users in GMU 18 and elsewhere; however, during division research on Lower Kuskokwim big game, local residents did express conservation concerns. Should the board agree to take up this ACR, the board may wish to also address the lack of C&T finding in GMU 18.

ACR 11 (GMU 22 brown bears). There's a positive C&T finding for brown bears in GMUs 21 and 22 combined, with an amount reasonably necessary for subsistence (ANS) of 20–25 combined for both units. Residents of Nome and White Mountain have expressed concerns over brown bears breaking into cabins and raiding fish racks.

ACR 12 (GMU 16B moose). In most years, there are more Tier II permit applications than Tier II permits awarded each year in the three Tier II hunts the board has authorized for 16B moose (TM 565,

567, and 569). Therefore, should the board agree to take up this ACR, another option to increase harvest during the winter hunt would be to increase the number of Tier II permits awarded. Additionally, another option would be to extend the Tier II season. The ANS and 2014 Tier II results are as follows:

- 1. 16B, Redoubt Bay drainages: ANS = 10. Most closely aligns with TM569. Applications received = 104. Permits available: 80 (88% awarded).
- 2. 16B south of the Beluga River and north of Redoubt Bay: ANS = 29–37. Most closely aligns with TM567. Applications received = 226. Permits available = 80 (35% awarded).
- 3. 16B north of the Beluga River: ANS = 160-180. Most closely aligns with TM565. Applications received = 284. Permits available = 100 (35% awarded).

Please note that although Winfonet data overall may show more harvest in February, in the communities of Susitna/Alexander in 2012, out of 7 bulls harvested, 6 were harvested in December. In Skwentna, out of 8 bulls harvested in 2012, 2 were in January, 4 in February, one in September, and one in December. The division has more information in *The harvest and use of wild resources in Cantwell, Chase, Talkeetna, Trapper Creek, Alexander/Susitna, and Skwentna, Alaska, 2012* (Technical Paper No. 385), available on line at http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/techpap/TP%20385.pdf.

In Tyonek in 2006 there were 9 moose harvested in September, 4 in November, 3 in December, 2 in January, and 1 in February. A more recent harvest assessment (2013), however, shows a majority harvested in September. Survey respondents report that this is mainly due to snow conditions. Winter hunting opportunity is highly varied from year to year based on snow conditions for travel. A more liberal season may mean fewer adjustments inseason or having to extend the season by emergency order.

ACR 13 (GMU 20A moose). There is a positive C&T for moose in 20A outside the Fairbanks Nonsubsistence Area, and an ANS of 50–75.

Thank you for your consideration,

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CLISTOMARY AND TRADITIONAL USE WORKSHEET

MIGRATORY BIRDS - STATEWIDE

Prepared by the Division of Subsistence Alaska Department of Fish and Game

January 1993

Criterion 1. A long-term consistent pattern of use and reliance on the fish stock or game population that has been established over a reasonable period of time, excluding interruption by circumstances beyond the user's control, such as unavailability of the fish or game caused by migratory patterns.

Residents of Alaska have used migratory birds as part of their annual cycle of hunting and fishing activities for hundreds of years. This use continues to the present (Wolfe et al. 1990). The total estimated annual harvest of migratory birds by Alaska residents during the mid-to-late 1980s was about 363,364 birds: 84,608 geese (23.3 percent), 259,741 ducks (71.5 percent), 5,955 cranes (1.6 percent), 6,894 swans (1.9 percent), and 6,166 "other", primarily shore and sea birds (1.7 percent) (see Fig. 3, Tables 4-8). The estimated annual harvest of migratory bird eggs was 83,603 eggs, of which the majority were gull eggs (68.8 percent) or "other sea bird" eggs (16.8 percent) (Table 8). Bird harvests by hunters from rural areas comprised 84.6 percent of the total Alaska harvest, while hunters from urban areas comprised 15.4 percent of the take (see Fig. 3). However, bird harvests, aspecially at the species level, are variable from year-to-year, particularly due to natural environmental factors such as cycles in species abundance and weather-influenced migration petterns.

At least 32 types of birds have been documented as used by rural resident hunters (Table 15); however the precise species composition has not been precisely determined by current harvest survey methods. During the mid-to-late 1980s, the five most commonly harvested types of birds as determined by their mean rank order for reporting rural areas were mallard, scoter, "other Canada", pintail, and teal (Fig. 28). Other harvested geese species included cackling Canada geese, snow geese, white-fronted geese, black brant, and emperor geese. Other duck species included the elder, wigeon, oldsquaw, scaup, merganser, shoveler, gadwall, bufflehead; and harlequin. Other birds reported taken include tundra swan, sandhill crane, puffin, murre, loon, guli, and term. The geographic range of species is highly correlated with the types of birds taken by residents of particular regions and areas of the state. Harvests by community are shown in Appendix Table 1.

Criterion 2. A use pattern recurring in specific seasons of each year.

There appear to be four distinct seasonal patterns of bird hunting in Alaska (Fig. 25). A <u>September through December</u> hunting period characterizes urbanized areas (Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, and the Kenai Peninsula), the southeast region, Cordova, Copper Basin, Kodiak City, the Parks Highway, and perhaps the Upper Tanana area. A <u>September through May</u> hunting period characterizes the Pacific-Aleutian rural areas, including Tatitlek, Chenega Bay, Port Graham, English Bay, Kodiak Island villages, south Alaska Peninsula, St. Paul, St. George, and the Aleutian Islands. A split hunting period, from <u>April through early June and mid-August through October</u> characterizes the subarctic coast and interior rural areas, including north Alaska Peninsula, Bristol Bay-Illamna, Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta, south Norton Sound, Tyonek-Skwentna, upper Kuskokwim, Yukon-Koyukuk area, lower Tanana, and perhaps the upper Tanana. An <u>April through October</u> hunting period characterizes the arctic rural areas, including the Seward Peninsula-Bering Strait, northwest Arctic, and arctic slope. Some hunting takes place outside these seasonal periods, but by and large, the seasons depicted above appear to the be most usual hunting periods for communities of the areas.

The number of birds taken by seasonal period has not been adequately documented. Based on a sample of reporting areas during the mid-to-late 1980s, it is estimated that 51.4 percent of the rural bird harvest (157,800 birds) was taken during the "spring-early summer" period, 4.4 percent (13,400 birds) during the "mid-summer" period, and 44.3 percent (136,000 birds) during the "late-summer-fall-winter" period (Wolfe et al 1990). Almost all of the urban bird harvest was taken during the "fall-winter" period.

Criterion 3. A use pattern consisting of methods and means of harvest which are characterized by efficiency and economy of effort and cost.

At historic contact, migratory birds were taken by darting spear, bow and arrow, nets, boias, and drives of flightless birds, depending upon the area. Hunters have used guns to harvest migratory birds in Alaska for over a hundred years. During the mid-to-late 1980s, for hunters in rural areas, most hunting occurred in areas immediately surrounding the community. Some resident hunters, especially from urbanized areas, travelled longer distances for bird hunting. Residents of rural areas used snowmachines, boats, and other ground transportation, depending upon the season, but generally did not use aircraft. Residents of urban areas used boats, cars, trucks, and aircraft for accessing hunting areas.

Criterion 4. The area in which the noncommercial long-term and consistent pattern of taking, use, and reliance upon the fish stock or game population has been established.

Most rural residents harvested birds in areas close to their home communities. Most urban residents also hunted in close proximities to their communities, however some urban hunters also traveled longer distances to hunt. The approximately 307,000 birds harvested annually by rural residents were distributed among the following areas: Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta (91,200 birds), the Yukon-Koyukuk-Lower Tanana area (60,900 birds), Seward Peninsula-Norton Sound area (41,200 birds), the rural Southeast (26,000 birds), the Arctic Slope (16,600 birds), the Alaska Peninsula (16,500 birds), Northwest Arctic (13,200 birds), Kodiak Island (12,300 birds), Britol Bay-Illamna (11,000 birds), Upper Kuskokwim (6,500 birds), Upper Tanana (4,700 birds), rural Prince William Sound (3,000 birds), and other rural areas (4,200 birds) (Table 7). The harvest of urban residents (56,122 birds) was distributed as follows: Anchorage Borough (30,872 birds), Upper Kenal Peninsula (8,019 birds), Matanuska-Susitna Borough (6,484 birds), Fairbanks North Star Borough (5,572 birds), Juneau Borough (3,463 birds), Ketchikan Gateway Borough (707 birds), and Valdez-Whittier (54 birds) (Table 6).

Criterion 5. The means of handling, preparing, preserving, and storing fish or game which has been traditionally used by past generations, but not excluding recent technological edvances where appropriate.

In many rural areas, the bodies, heads, and feet of migratory birds commonly are cooked in soups. In other areas, only the meat and certain internal organs are eaten. Depending upon the area, birds may be used fresh, frozen, saited, or stored in seal oii. In many rural areas, the feathers and down of birds are used in crafted items. A more limited number of households use webbed feet and beaks in hand-crafted items. The lower portion of wings are used as whisk brooms in some regions. The eggs of birds historically were gathered and eaten in many areas of the state, a pattern which continues to the present in some places (Table 8).

Criterion 6. A use pattern which includes the handing down of knowledge of fishing or hunting skills, values, and lore from generation to generation.

Bird hunting has been practiced in Alaska since before historic contact to the present. Hunting for migratory birds is generally done by men alone or in small groups; some women also hunt migratory birds.

in Alaska, hunters commonly learn to hunt as young boys by observing relatives on trips. To practice hunting, a young boy may be given a few shells by a father or uncle. The first kills of a boy are ritually celebrated in some regions (such as the southwest, western, and arctic), and are commonly given away so as to ensure future luck. Other people learn to hunt as eduits, generally accompanying hunting groups. In some areas, some people learn to shoot and hunt birds as part of hunting clubs.

There are many stories about migratory birds in the oral traditions and mythology of indigenous Alaska cultural groups. In the western region, bird images figure prominently in dances and masks.

Criterion 7. A pattern of taking, use, and religince where the harvest effort or products of that harvest are distributed or shared, including customary trade, barter, and gift-giving.

Birds are commonly shared between households, as indicated by the Figs. 22-24 lilustrating the percent of households using, harvesting, giving, and receiving migratory birds by region. For instance, in the median community in the Bristol Bay area, 78.6 percent of households used migratory birds while 47.4 percent harvested migratory birds. In most regions, the percent of households using migratory birds is significantly larger than households harvesting migratory, indicating that many non-hunting households receive birds from others.. In general, most sharing occurs between households linked by kinship relationships, such as along parent-child and sibling-sibling lines.

Criterion 6. A pattern that includes taking, use, and reliance for subsistence purposes upon a wide variety of the fish and game resources and that provides substantial economic, cultural, social, and nutritional siements of the subsistence way of life.

Migratory birds are highly valued foods in Alaska. One indication of their high value is the fact that families in many areas continue to harvest migratory birds during seasons closed by international Treaty (see Criteria 2), risking arrest by following historic hunting patterns. Historically as today, the arrival of birds in spring in many areas of the state is a sign of hope, and brings joy and optimism for residents.

In Alaska, harvesting migratory birds is one type of activity for producing wild foods that occurs during a annual cycle. Migratory birds are pert of a larger mix of resources taken seasonally, which differs across rural areas. In the mid-to-late 1980s, the annual harvest provided about 762,000 lbs of food to rural areas annually (including about 13,000 lbs of eggs), or about 7 lbs of food per rural resident (2.8 birds per rural resident) (Wolfe et al 1990). Generally, migratory birds comprised about 1 to 4 percent of a rural community's annual wild food harvest by weight (Fig. 30).

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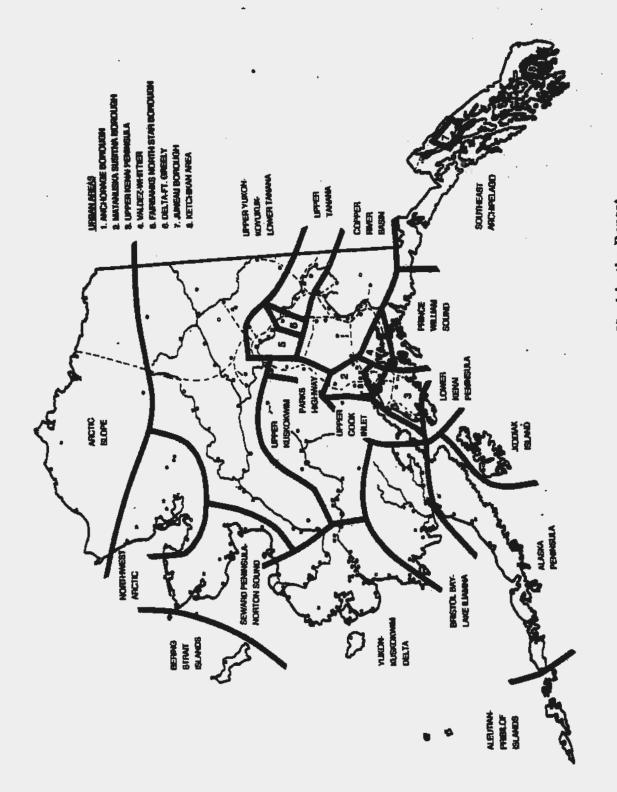
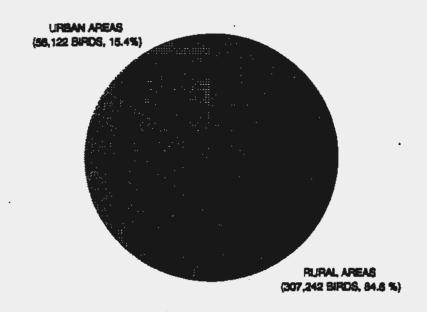


Fig. 1. Map of Rural and Urban Areas Used in the Report

FIGURE 3. TOTAL ANNUAL MIGRATORY BIRD HARVEST BY ALASKA RURAL AND URBAN AREAS, MID-TO-LATE 1980s (NUMBER AND PERCENT OF BIRDS)



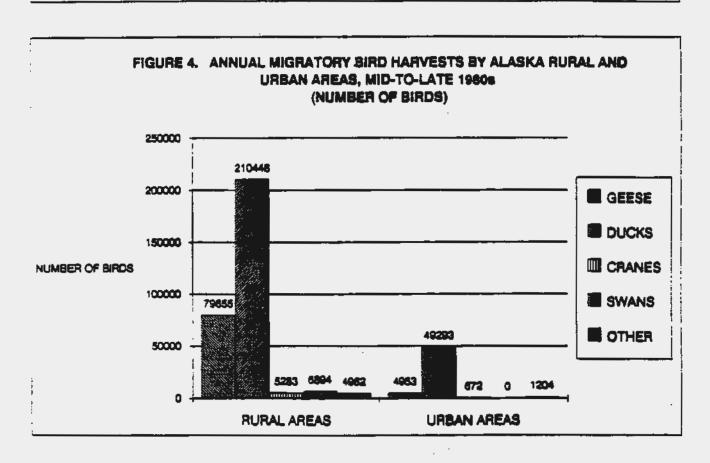


Table 4. Total annual harvest of migratory birds (number of birds) by rural and urban alaska areas, circa 1980s

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TABLE 5. TOTAL ANNUAL HARVEST OF MIGRATORY BIRDS (NUMBER OF BIRDS) BY URBAN ALASKA AREAS, 1988-89

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Valdez-Whittler	6	48	٥	Ó	-0	54
Delta Junction-Ft. Greely	76	704	171	0	10	961
Ketchikan Borough	88	369	22	٥	215	707
Juneau Borough	248	3064	35	0	108	3453
Fairbanks North Star Borough	424	5054	94	0	0	5572
Matanuska-Sugitna Borough	629	5685	21	0	149	5484
Upper Kenal Peninsula	294	7688	28	0	9	8019
Anchorage Borough	3178	26681	301	0	712	30672
Total	4953	49293	672	٥	1204	56122
Percent	8.8	87.8	1.2	0.0	21	100.0

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TOTAL HARVESTS OF MIGRATORY BIRDS BY RURAL AREA, 1985 (NUMBER OF BIRDS)

RURAL AREAS	Geese	Ducks	Cranes	Swans	Other	Total
Upper Cook Inlet	28	394	Ō	0	0	422
Parka Highway	35	815	4	0	0	854
Lower Kenni Pentreula	9	1179	0	0	210	1398
Copper River Basin	121	1481	\$5	2	0	1699
Prince William Sound	257	2754	13	0	0	3024
Upper Tanàna	191	4482	17	0	0	4670
Upper Kuskokerim	. 1204	5179	121	0	0	8504
Bristol Bay-illamna Lake	1920	8842	170	98	0	11030
Kodiak Island	829	11427	0	0	a	12258
Northwest Arctic	3584	9471	33	0	89	13178
Alaska Peninsula	2920	12852	221	70	472	16535
Arctic Slope	9005	7590	. 0	0	4	16598
Southeast Archipelago	3717	20393	0	O C	1846	25958
Saward Peninsula-Norton Sound	17913	20675	2253	381	3	41225
Upper Yukon-Koyukuk-Lower Tanana	18381	42162	292	58	0	60873
Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta	19561	60972	2064	6285	2338	91220
Total Harvest	79655	210448	5283	6894	4962	307242
Percent	25.9	68.5	1.7	2.2	1.8	100.0

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TOTAL EGG HARVESTS BY RURAL AREA, 1985 (NUMBER OF EGGS)

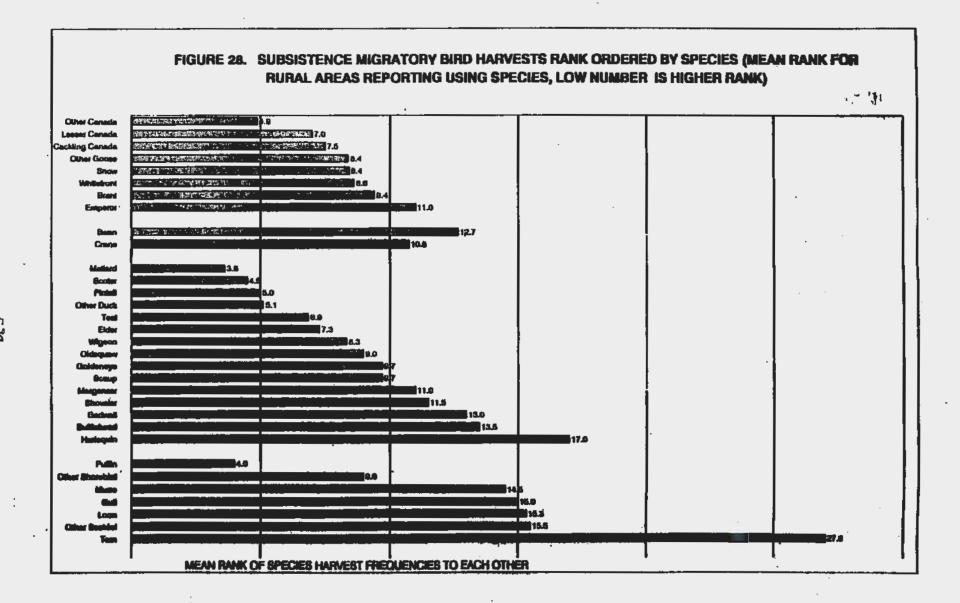
RURAL AREA	Geese	Ducks	Gull	Other	Total
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Upper Cook inlet	0	0	a	0	0
Upper Kuskokwim	0	0	0	٥	0
Copper River Basin	0	O	0	0	٥
Parks Highway	a	0	0	0	0
Upper Tanana	0	0	0	53	53
Lower Kenai Peninsula	0	0	333	41	374
Prince William Sound	•	•	•	•	1877
Southeast Archipelago	0	0	D	2819	2819
Yukon-Kuskokwim Delta	541	1349	506	1427	3823
Kodlek island	•	•	•	•	5865
Bristoi Bay-illamne Leke	279	884	7867	323	9333
Northwest Arctic	*	*	•	•	13428
Seward Peninsula-Norton Sound	137	3733	8209	1885	13964
Arctic Slope	*		•		14227
Aleska Peninsula	8	841	16269	1122	18040
Total Harvest					83603
Percent	2.0	13.6	68.6	15.8	100.0
*Egg type not reported					

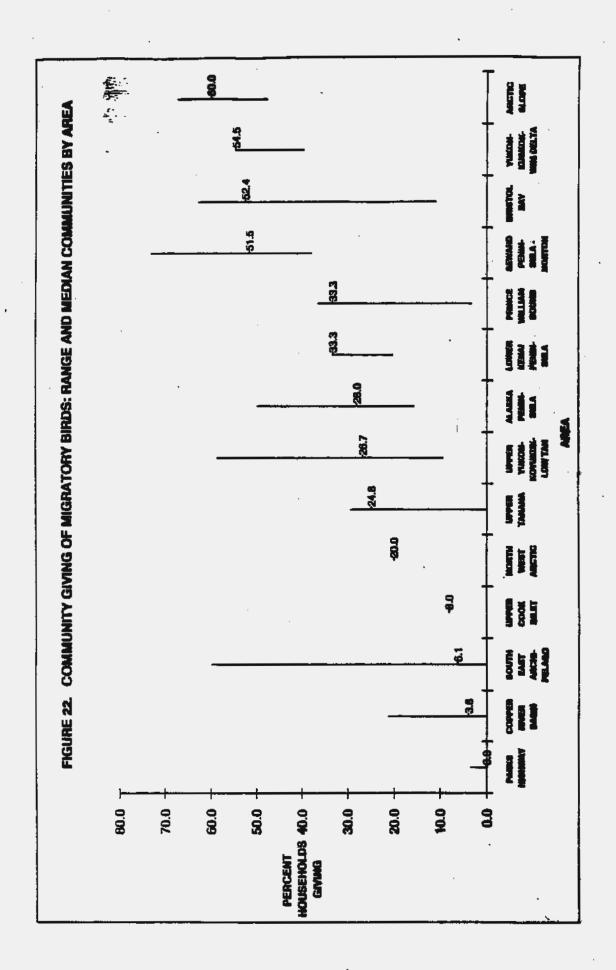
TABLE 15. SUBSISTENCE MIGRATORY BIRD HARVESTS BY SPECIES RANK ORDERED BY AREA

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Cackling Canada		4	11									2	
Other Goose	16	10				4		8			4	5	8.4
Snow	19	11	6	5	4	8	6					7	8.4
Whitefront	14	8	10	. 8		2	5	12	10			8	8.6
Brant	8	13	20	1	3	3	18					7	9.4
Emperor	4	9	19	12								4	11.0
Swan and Crane								•					
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Crane	10	12	17	7	10		12	11	7			8	104
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Pintell	5	3	1	2	7	9	3	4	6	10		10	5.1
Other Duck	1	1		14	5	7	9	1	3			6	5.
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Elder	17	6	9	10	1	1				7		7	7
Wigeon	13		12				7	3	2	13		6	8.
Oldsquaw			13		9	8	8					4	9.0
Goldeneye	7		16		•	•	15	10	12	3	5	7	9.7
Scaup	15		5	9			10	13	4	12		7	9.7
Merganser			21				16			5	2	4	114
Shoveler			15				13	7	11			4	11.
Gadwall	12		14									2	13.0
Bullishead			25				18	9	9	14	8	6	13.6
Harlequin			26				17.			8		3	17.0

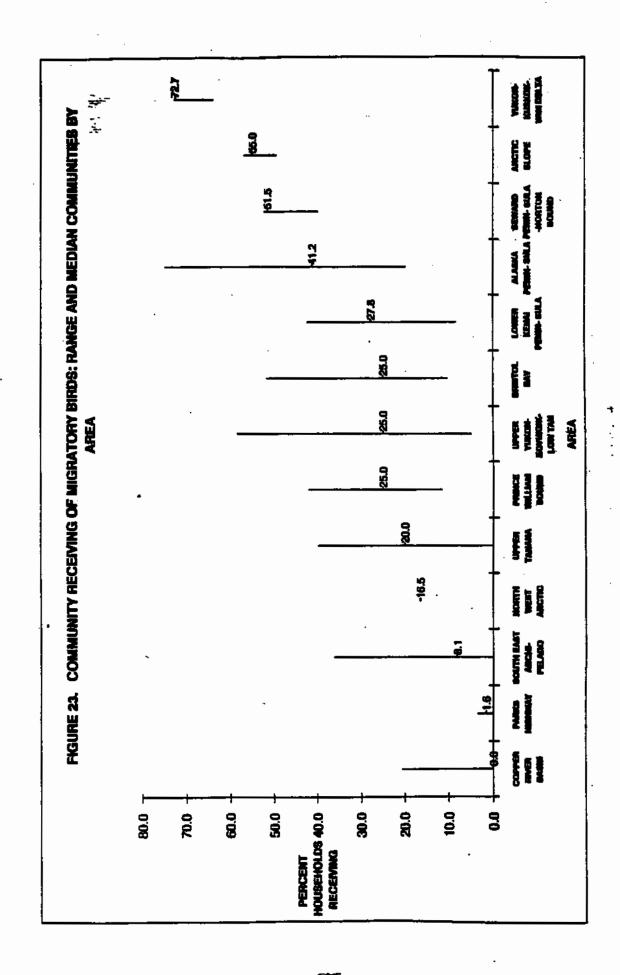
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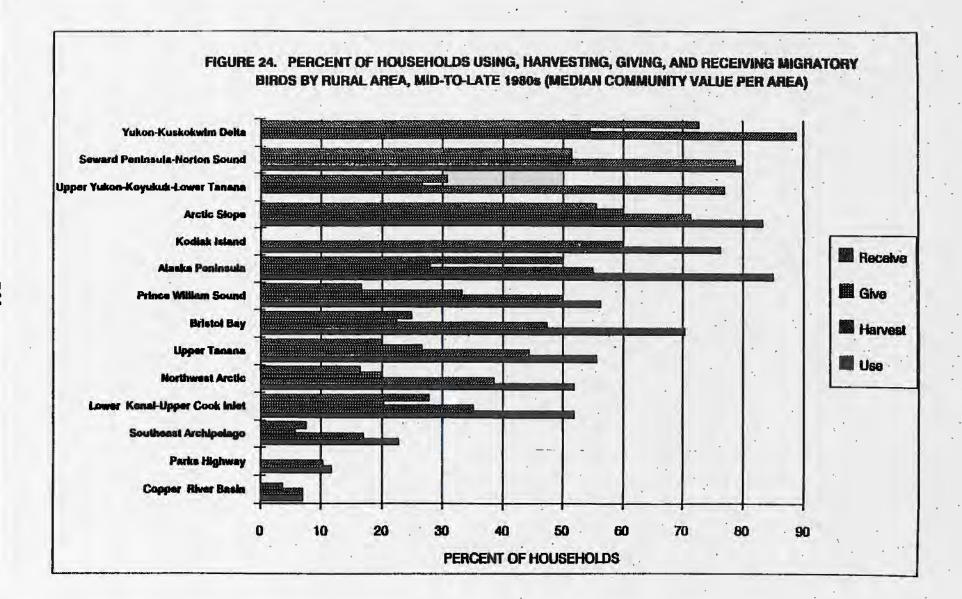
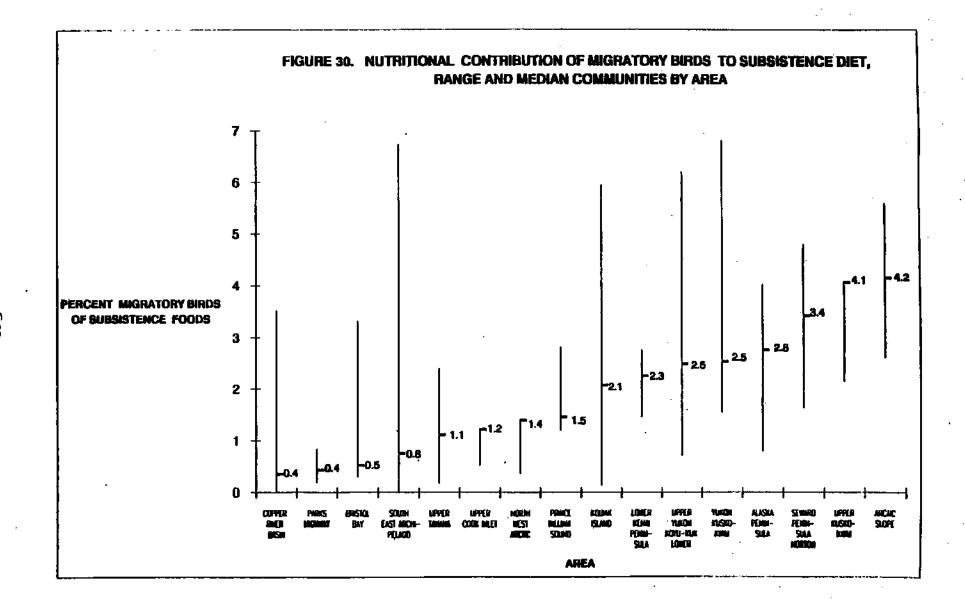


FIGURE 25. SEASONALITY OF MIGRATORY BIRD HARVESTS BY REGION AND AREA, 1880s

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APPENDIX TABLE 1

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF MIGRATORY BIRDS AND EGGS HARVESTED BY RURAL ALASKA COMMUNITIES, EXPANDED TO 1986 COMMUNITY POPULATIONS

	NUMBER	OF BIRD	S				NUMBER	OF EG	G 8		
						TOTAL					TOTAL
	GEESE	DUCKS	CRANES	SWANS	OTHER	BIROS	GOOSE	DUCK	GNITT	OTHER	EGGS
SOUTHEAST ARCHIPELAGO	46	242	0	0	0	288				•	
Angoon	41	218	0	0	14	271				0	0
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Beecher Pass Cape Pole	281	1000	٥	ŏ	625	1906				ŏ	0
Coffman Cove	12	228	ō	ō	0	240				a	ŏ
Craig .	57	455	ŏ	ŏ	172	685				ŏ	ŏ
Edna Bey	15	152	ō	ŏ	54	221				24	24
Effin Cove	ō	0	ō	Ö	0	0				Ö	0
Guetavus	21	256	0	0	10	287				Ŏ	ō
Haines	0	654	0	0	74	727				Ō	Ö
Hollis	3	23	0	0	11	37				0	0
Hoonah	83	774	0	0	7	863				295	295
Hydaburg	29	151	٥	0	0	181				643	643
Hyder	68	106	0	0	43	216				0	0
Kaice	9	252	0	0	0	260				0	0
Kassan	0	25	0	0	0	25		1		. 0	Q
Klawook	73	188	0	0	0	258				571	571
Klukwan	14	36	0	0	0	49				0	0
Metiakatia	241	1024	0	٥	14	1278				0	٥
Meyers Chuck	53	212	0	0	88	353				0	Q
North Whale Pase	8	42	0	0	0	50				0	0
Pelican	33	191	0	0	23	248				57	57
Petersburg	1851	5498	0	0	125	7274				0	0
Point Baker	17	49	0	0	0	66				0	0
Port Protection	8	89	0	0	9	106				0	0
Port Alexander	9	103	0	٥	0	111				0	0
Sexmen	2	79	0	0	39	120				0	0
Sitica	197	3950 89	0	0	245	4394 95				0	0
Skagway Tangkan Sadaga	7 37	166	0	. 0	0 19	218				0	0
Tenakee Springs Thorne Bay	22	377	٥	0	13	412				_	0
•	422	1775	0	٥	197	2394				0	0
Wrangell Yakutat	145	1010	0	Ö	57	1211				1183	1183
TOTAL FOR REGION	3717	20393	ō	ŏ	1846	25955				2819	2819
- Undi Cittiguioit	J		•	•						-0.4	
PRINCE WILLIAM SOUND											
Chanega Bay	6	151	0	0	0	157					32
Cordova (includes Eyak)	232	2226	13	ō	ō	2471					1358
San Juan Bay	0	66	0	ō	ō	88					0
Tatitiek	19	311	ō	0	ō	330	0	89	257	142	487
TOTAL FOR REGION	257	2754	13	0	0	3024			_		1877
LOWER KENAI PENINSULA											
English Bay	0	498	0	0	179	678	Q	0	203	28	231
Port Graham	0	554	0	0	30	584	0	0	130	13	141
Seldovia	9	127	Q	0	0	136	0	٥	0	0	Q
TOTAL FOR REGION	9	1179	0	0	210	1 397	0	0	333	41	372

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ESTIMATED NUMBER OF MIGRATORY BIFDS AND EGGS HARVESTED BY PURAL ALASKA COMMUNITIES, EXPANDED TO 1985 COMMUNITY POPULATIONS

	NUMBER	OF BUFE	15				NUMBE	R OF EG	GS ·		
•	Geese	DUCKS	CRANES	SWANS	OTHER	TOTAL SIROS	GOOSE	DUCK	CHILL	OTHER	TOTAL EGGS
New Stuyahok	198	891	6	2	0	897	0	0	277	0	277
Newhalen	16	147	ō	7	ŏ	169	ŏ	37	908	32	977
Nondalton	78	511	ō	4	0	593	ō	26	181	71	277
Pedro Say	6	131	0	0	0	137	0	19	484	18	501
Port Aleworth	21	88	0	0	0	109	0	0	0	Q	0
Portage Creek *	14	63	1	t	٥	79	2	6	. 54	3	54
Togiak *	218	1008	19	11	0	1254	28	89	861	43	1021
Twin Hills*	17	80	1	1	0	99	. 2	7	68	3	81
TOTAL FOR REGION	1920	6842	170	96	0	11030	279	884	7867	323	9333
YUKON-KUSKOKWIM DELTA SOUTH COAST											
Eek *	313	1121	83	160	130	1808	8	22	11	100	139
Kipnuk *	497	1780	132	255	207	2870	9	35	18	158	220
Kongigenek *	354	1270	94	182	147	2047	е	26	13	113	157
Kwigillingok *	297	1085	79	152	124	1716	. 5	21	11	95	132
Tuntutuliak .	357	1278	95	183	145	2081	8	25	13	114	158
Total for Subregion	1817	6514	483	932	758	10503	33	128	65	579	805
ADDITIONAL SOUTH COAST							'				
Goodnews Bay *	585	558	5	. 8	0	1155	5	21	11	93	130
Platinum *	158	150	1	2	0	312	1	5	3	25	35
Quinhagak	1100	1048	9	17	0	2174	10	39	20	178	244
Total for Subregion	1843	17,58	14	28	0	3642	17	65	33	294	409
MID COAST											
Chefornak *	550	1078	56	150	85	1917	25	33	34	33	125
Chevak	1056	2066	107	288	184	3581	48	53	65	54	240
Hooper Bay	1362	2565	138	371	212	4747	52	81	84	63	310
Mekoryuk *	302	590	31	82	47	1052	14	18	19	18	69
Newtok*	411	804	42	112	84	1432	19	24	25	25	94
Nightmute *	304	594	31	83	47	1050	14	18	19	18	69
Scammon Bay	603	1181	61	164	94	2104	27	38	37	37	137
Toksook Bay * Tununak	719 631	1405 1235	73	198	112	2505 2200	33	43	44	44	164
Total for Subregion	5937	11518	64 603	172 1817	96 922	20897	29 270	38 354	39 367	38 360	144 1352
NORTH COAST											
Alekanuk *	1238	1351	108	214	4	2914	84	29	0	6	98
Emmonak	1365	1489	119	236	5	3213	70	32	ō	8	108
Kodik	911	993	79	157	3	2144	47	21	ā	4	72
Sheldon Point *	278	301	24	48	1	650	14	7	ā	1	22
Totals for Subregion	3789	4134	330	655	13	8922	198	89	ŏ	17	301
LOWER KUSKOKWIM RIVER											
Akiachak *	398	3078	48	199	48	3767	3	80	Q	7	79
Akiak =	250	1938	29	125	29	2372	2	43	ō	4	50
Aniak	417	3226	48	208	48	3947	3	72	ō	7	83
Atmauduak *	203	1569	23	101	23	1820	2	35	ō	4	40
Kasigluk*	351	2716	40	175	41	3323	3	61	ō	6	70

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ESTIMATED NUMBER OF MIGRATORY BIRDS AND EGGS HARVESTED BY FILIRAL ALASKA COMMUNITIES, EXPANDED TO 1986 COMMUNITY POPULATIONS

(5,000 Swamp

APPENDIX TABLE 1 (CONTINUED)

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF MIGRATORY BIRDS AND EGGS HARVESTED BY RUPAL ALASKA COMMUNITIES, EXPANDED TO 1985 COMMUNITY POPULATIONS

			_	7913	BENNING!	B WILL	Ta y .				
		OF BIPC	8	7911	DE XVE	B MAG	NUMBER	OF EQ	<u>GS</u>	,	
	GEESE	DUCKS	CRANES	SWANS	OTHER	TOTAL SIRDS	GOOSE	DUCK	GULL	OTHER	TOTAL EGG8
Stephins	1798	2913	413	77	0	5198	13	353	791	182	1344
Teller*	900	1031	112	21	ō	2084	9	238	525	121	892
Urniskleet*	2765	3169	344	63	ŏ	6342	27	731	1614	371	2792
Wales*	521	597	65	12	. 0	1196	. 5	138	304	70	517
White Mountain*	597	485	74	. 1.6		1370	6	158	349	80	592
TOTAL FOR REGION	17913	20575	2253	(381) 3	41224	137	3733	8209	1885	13962
BERING STRAITS											
Diomede											
Gambeli	3953	7713	0	0	37382	49048	1				
Savoonga			_								
TOTAL FOR REGION				•							
NORTHWEST ARCTIC											
Ambier*	158	418	1	0	4	581					593
Ballof Northwest Arctio Bor.CA*	53	139	0	٥	1	194					198
Buckland*	153	406	1	0	4	565	ı				576
Deering*	95	251	1	0	2	349					358
Klana*	242	842	2	0	8	893	1				911
Kivalina	221	222	1	0	46	490	۰ ٥	0	21	274	296
Kobuk*	40	107	٥	0	1	146					151
Kotzebue	1587	4543	16	0	٥	6146					8459
Noatak*	204	541	2	0	5	752					787
Noorvik*	327	887	3	0	8	1205					1229
Selawik*	384	565	3	ο,	9	1342					1369
Shungnak*	140	370	1	0	3	515					525
TOTAL FOR REGION	3584	9471	33	0	69	13178					13428
ARCTIC SLOPE							•				
Anaktuvuk Pass*	399	344	0	0	. 0	744					833
Atqasuk*	319	275	0	0	0	594					505
Bal.of Barrow-Point Hope CSA™	32	27	0	0	0	59					51
Ballof Prudhoe Bay-Kaktovik CSA	170	148	0	0	0	316					269
Barrow	3047	4122	0	0	0	7169					8178
Cape Lisburne*	18	18	0	0	0	34					29
Deadhorse*	. 0	0	0	0	0	0					0
Kaktovik	719	352	0	0	0	1072					558
Nuigsut	1134	327	0	0	0	1461					221
Point Hope*	1002	884	0	0	1	1866					1587
Point Lay	669	668	0	0	3	1341					651
Prudhoe Bay*	.0	0	0	0	0	0					0
Wainwright	1495	448	٥	0	0	1943					1351
TOTAL FOR REGION	9005	7590	0	Ō	4	16598					14227
COPPER RIVER BASIN											
Chistochina	10	46	10	Q	0	65					0
Chitine	2	24	0	0	٥	26					0
Copper Center	45	183	15	0	0	243					0
East Gienn Highway	13	146	33	0	0	191					0
Gakona	0	140	0	0	0	140					0

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF MIGRATORY BIFDS AND EGGS HARVESTED BY FURAL ALASKA COMMUNITIES, EXPANDED TO 1985 COMMUNITY POPULATIONS

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Unsurveyed communities for which harvests were extrapolated from surveyed communities.

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