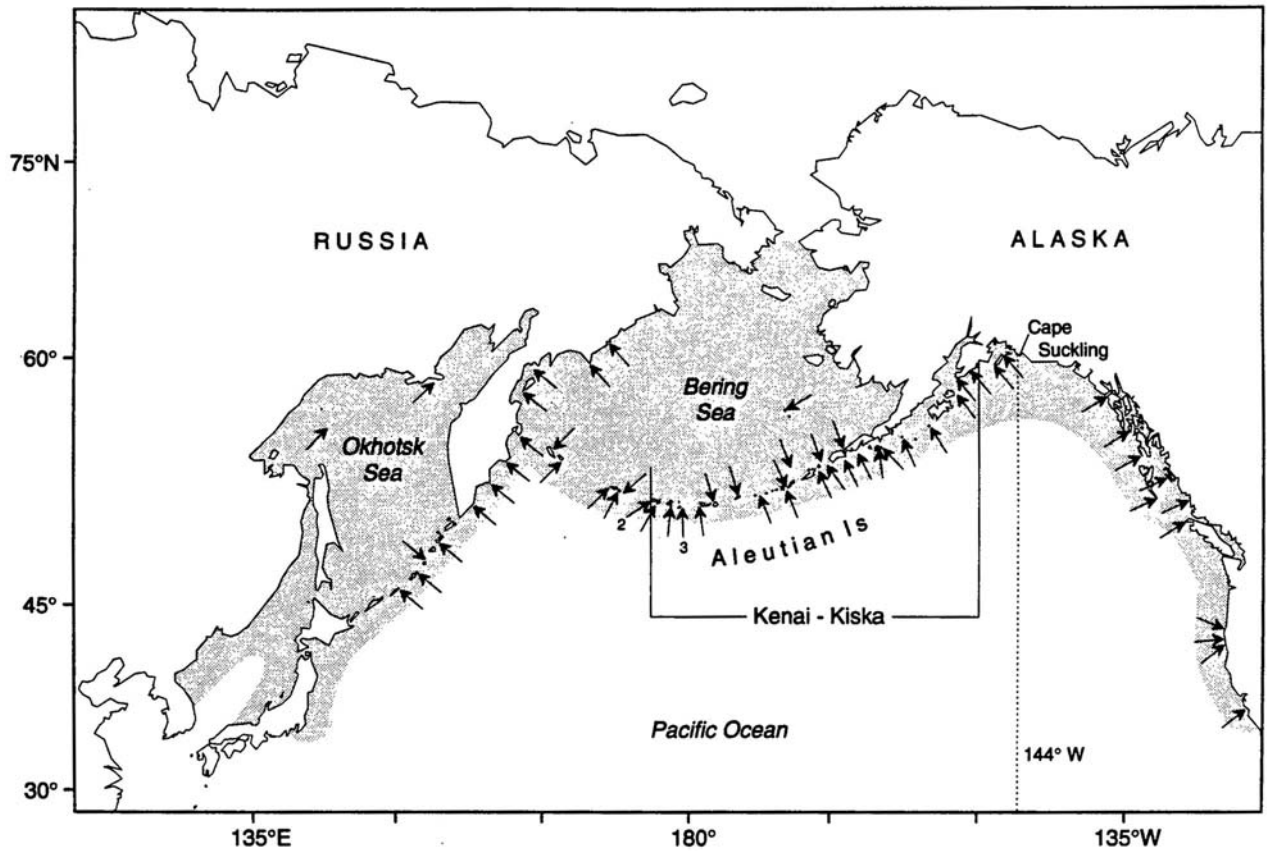
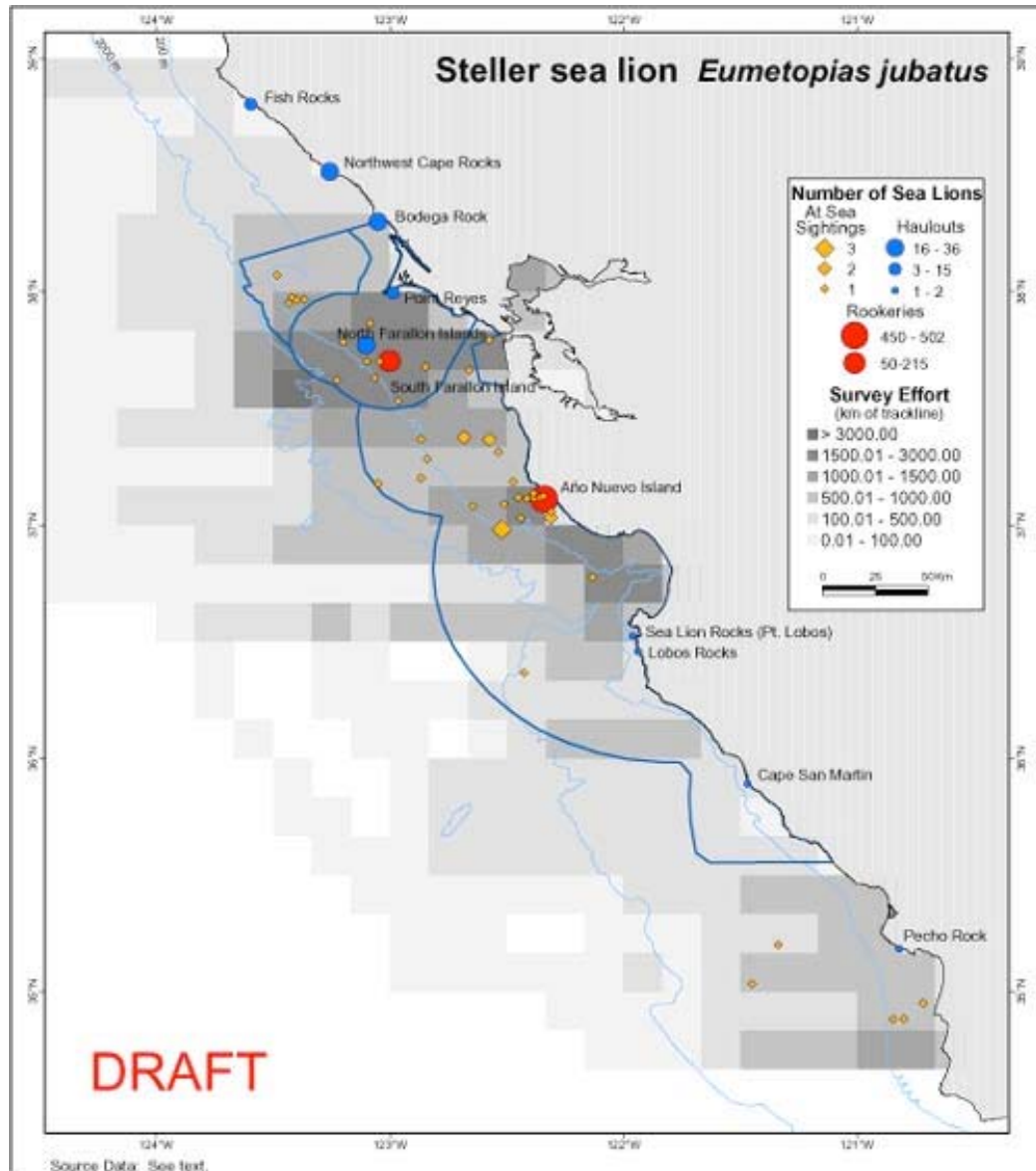


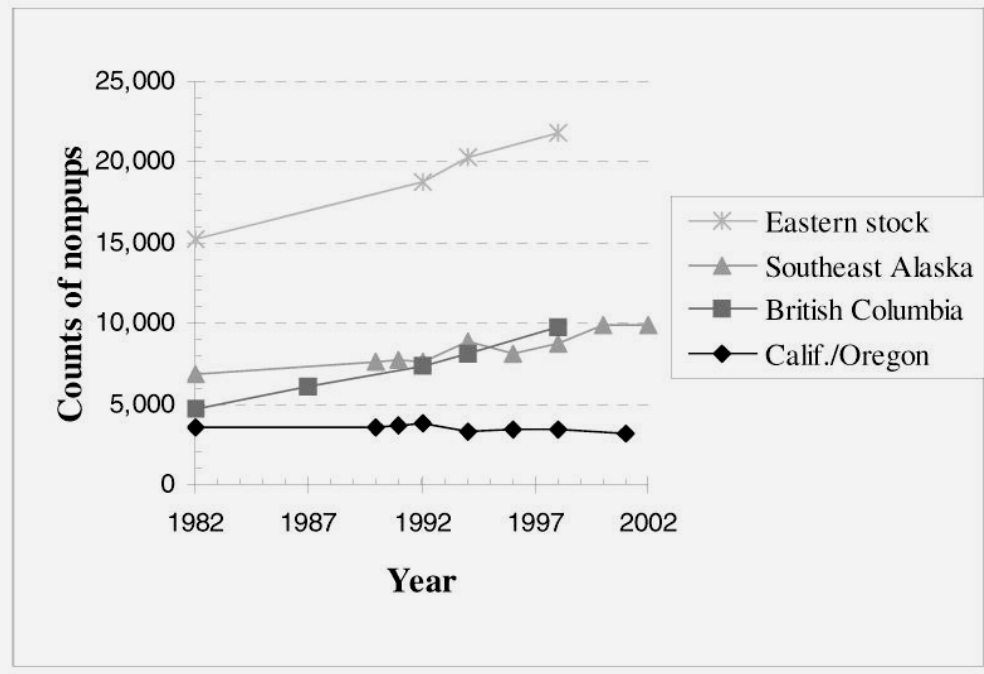
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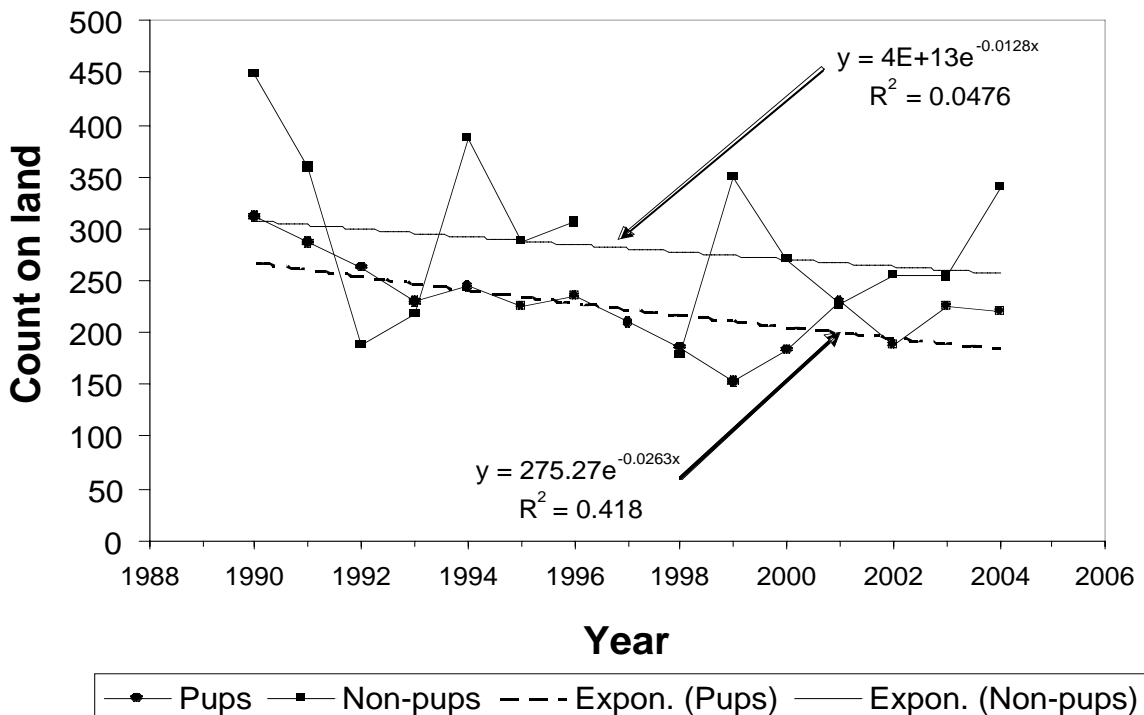
**FIGURE 1.** The distribution of the Steller sea lion (*Eumetopias jubatus*). This species has two distinct populations separated at 144° W longitude. The western population is listed as endangered and the eastern population is listed as threatened under the Endangered Species Act (from NOAA-AFSC [http://www.afsc.noaa.gov/Quarterly/Features/feature\\_jfm96.pdf](http://www.afsc.noaa.gov/Quarterly/Features/feature_jfm96.pdf)).



**FIGURE 2.** The location of rookeries and at-sea sightings of Steller sea lions (*Eumetopias jubatus*) in the Monterey Bay, Gulf of the Farallones, and Cordell Bank Marine Sanctuaries. At sea sightings are based on data from seven survey programs conducted in 1980-2001 (from [6]NCCOS 2003).



**FIGURE 3.** Counts of adult and juvenile Steller sea lions at rookery and haul-out trend sites throughout the range of the eastern U. S. stock, 1982-2002 (reprinted from [12]Angliss and Lodge 2004).



**FIGURE 4.** Abundance of pup and non-pup Steller sea lions at Año Nuevo Island, 1990-2004, based on counts in July. Both pup and non-pup population sizes declined over the survey period ([15]M. Lowry, USGS, pers. comm.).