

Introduction to Electric Dispersal Barriers

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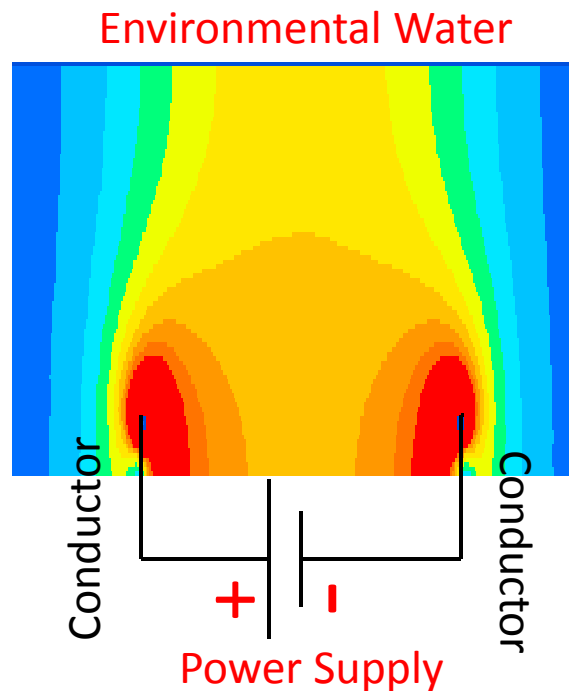


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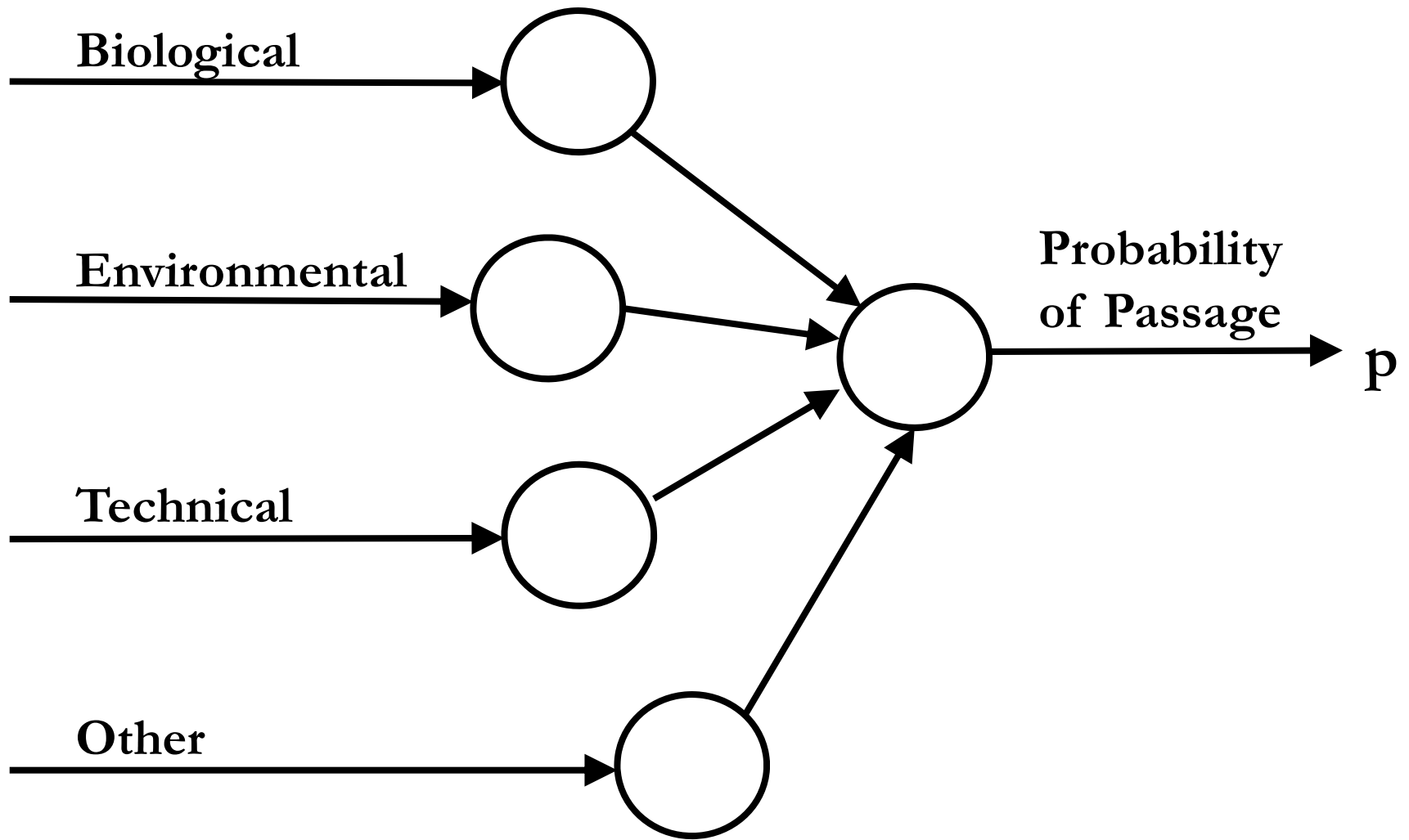
- What are they?
- Conceptual Model
- How do they work?
- Size Selection
- Environmental Factors Influencing Risk for Fish Passage
 - Water Depth
 - Water Velocity
 - Water Conductivity
 - Water Temperature

Electric Dispersal Barrier

Waterborne electric field used to guide movement or deter passage of fish.



EDB Risk Model



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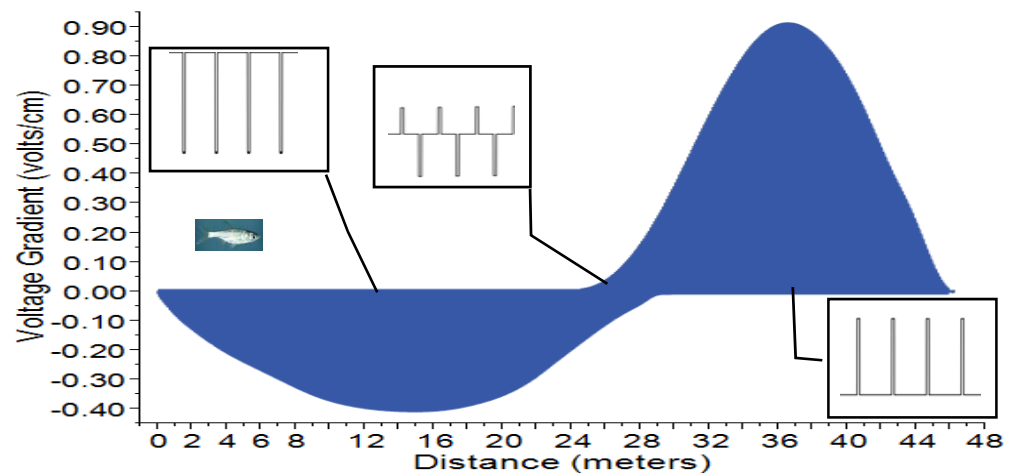
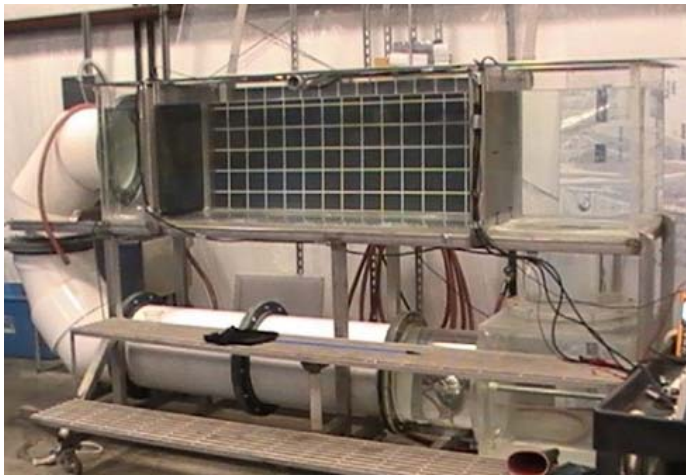
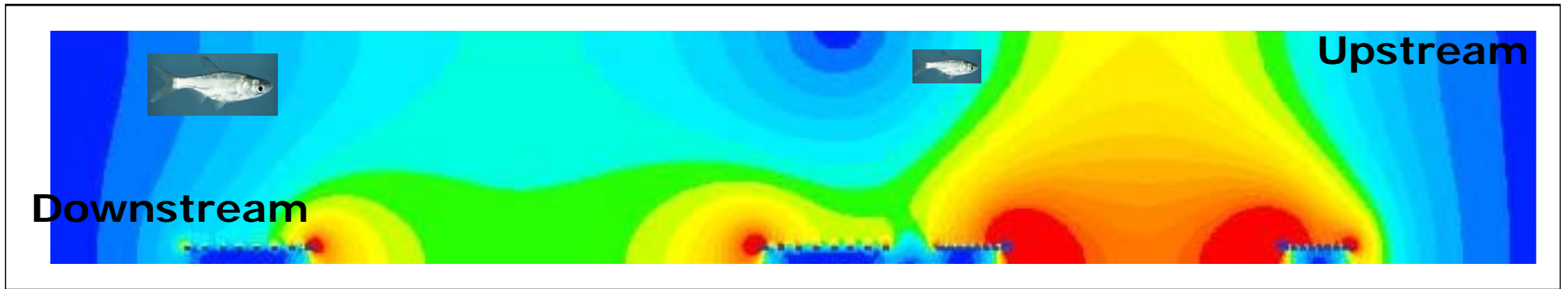
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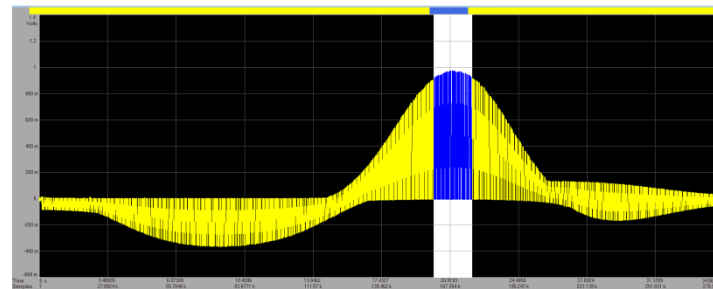
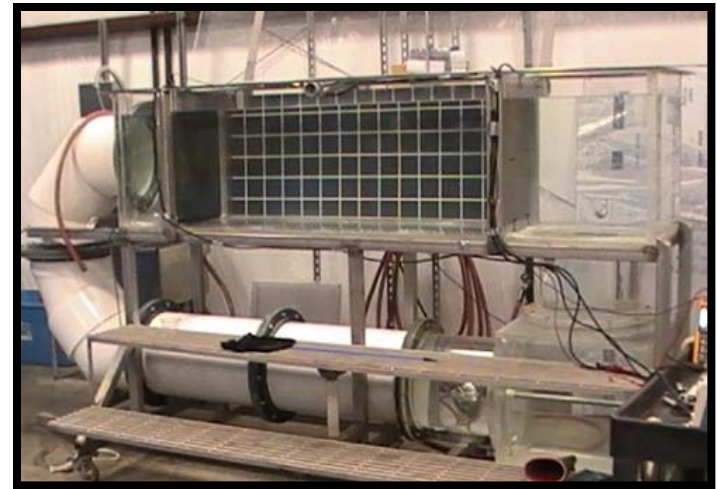
Modeling and Simulation

Scaled Model Approach



Modeling and Simulation

- Modeling and Simulation
 - Scaled Model
 - Physical Model
 - Based on field data or model data
 - Cheaper
 - Safer
 - Faster
 - Flexible



Electric Dispersal Barriers

Theory

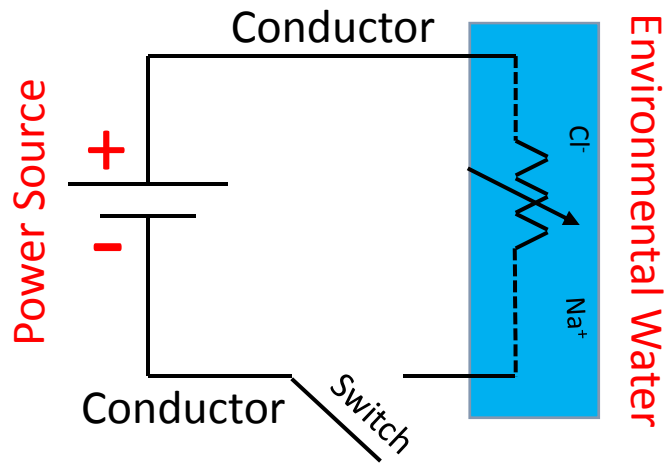
- Behavioral Barrier.
- Electric field of increasing intensity.
- Gradually introduced to increasingly unpleasant sensation.
- Fish can penetrate as far as they are able.
 - Large fish stop at an early stage.
 - Small fish intrude further.
- Biological/Physiological Barrier.

Electric Dispersal Barrier

- Wide range of sizes & complexity
 - Irrigation ditch
 - Chicago Sanitary Ship Canal
- Three primary components
 - Physical structures
 - Electrode system
 - Power supply



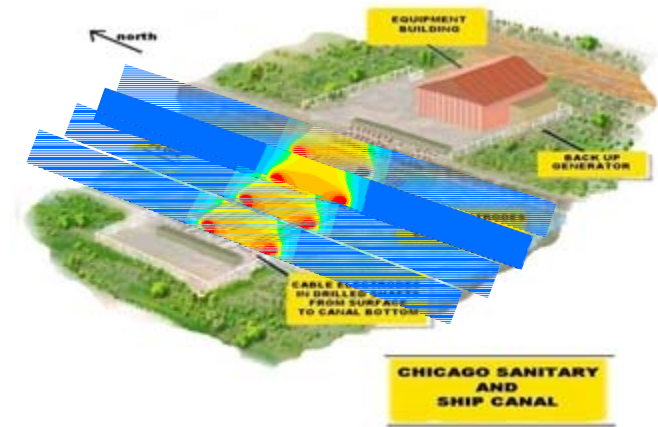
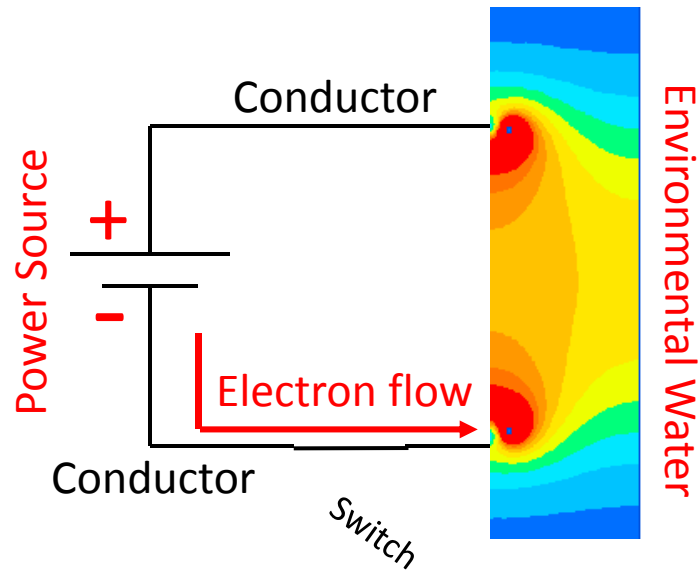
Waterborne Electric Field



Moy et al. 2011

- Ions are the charge carriers.
- The concentration of ions in the water and water temperature determines the resistance for the circuit.
- Water conductivity
 - Specific conductivity – temperature effects removed (usu. ref. to 25^o C).
 - Ambient conductivity – similar to electrical conductivity.

Waterborne Electric Field



Moy et al. 2011

Electrical potential applied to submersed electrodes causes electric current to flow through environmental water creating a waterborne electric field.

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Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

Strength
 E (V/m)

Fish Size

Field Strength (V/m), 500 Volts Applied



Current Density (A/m^2)



Field Strength (V/m), 0 Volts Applied



Current Density (A/m^2)



Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

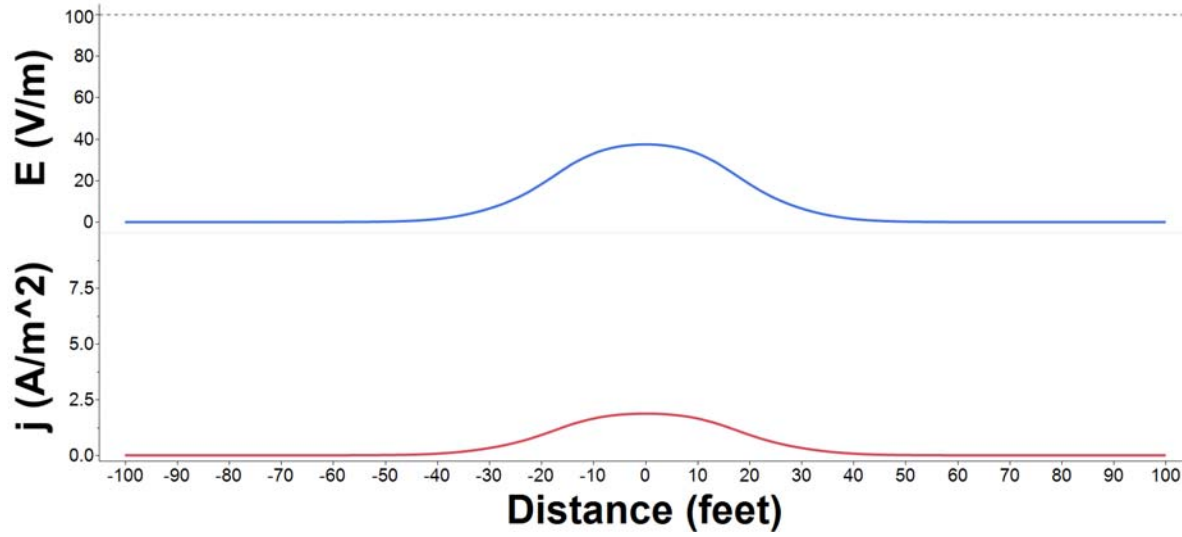
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Fish Size

Field Strength (V/m), 500 Volts Applied



Current Density (A/m^2), 500 Volts Applied



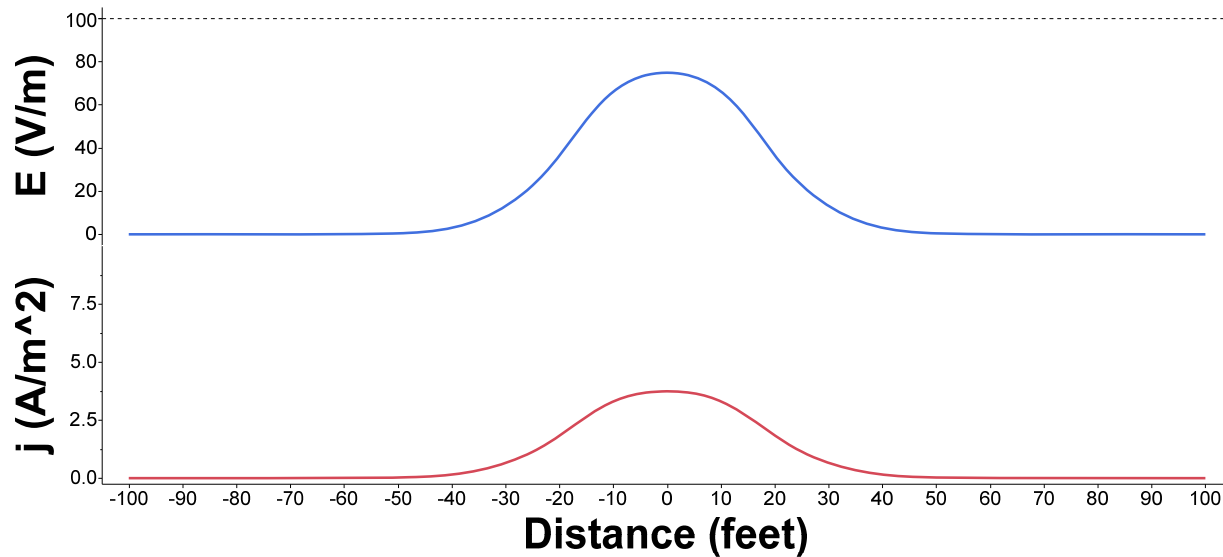
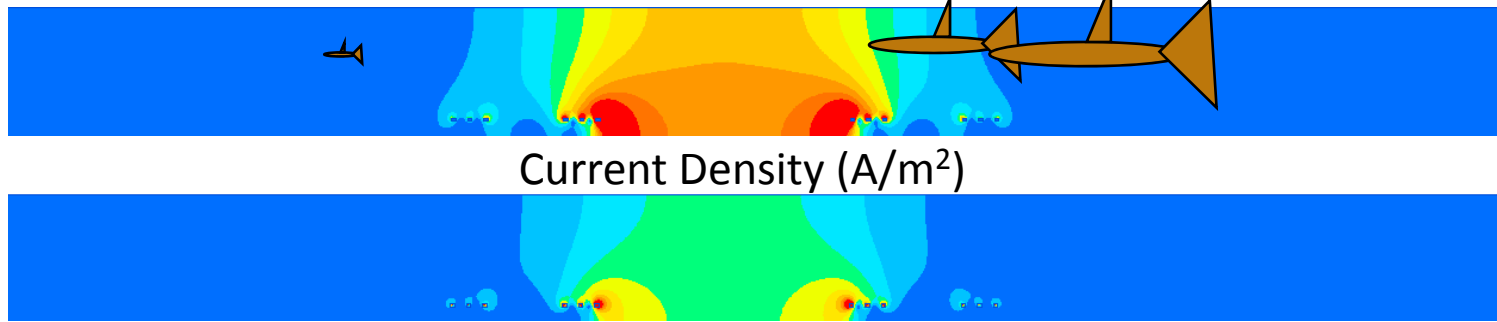
Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

Strength
 E (V/m)

Fish Size

Field Strength (V/m), 1000 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)



Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

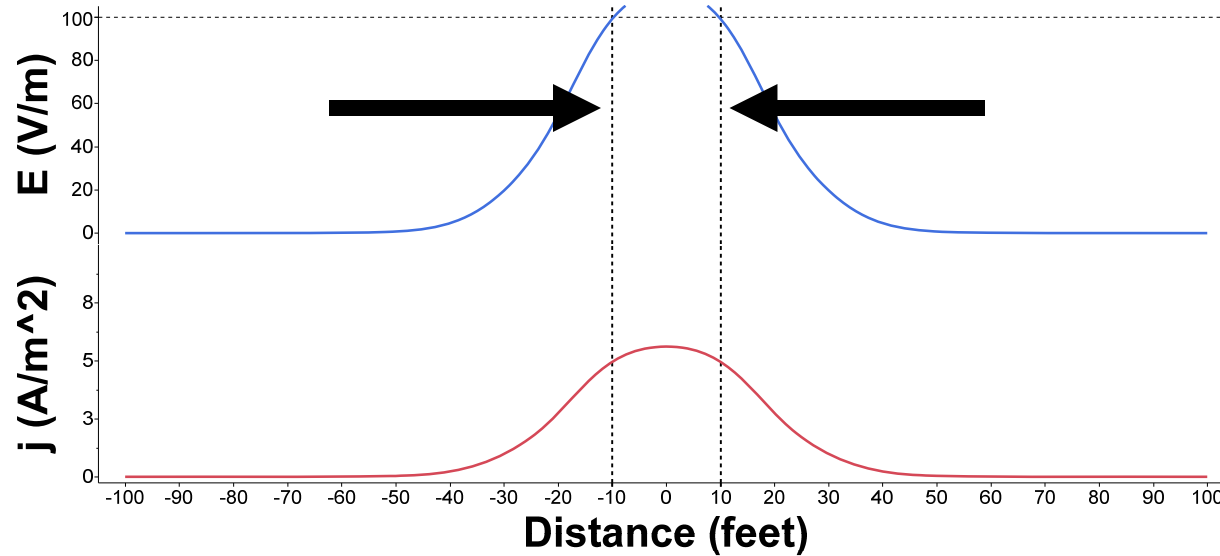
Strength
 E (V/m)

Fish Size

Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

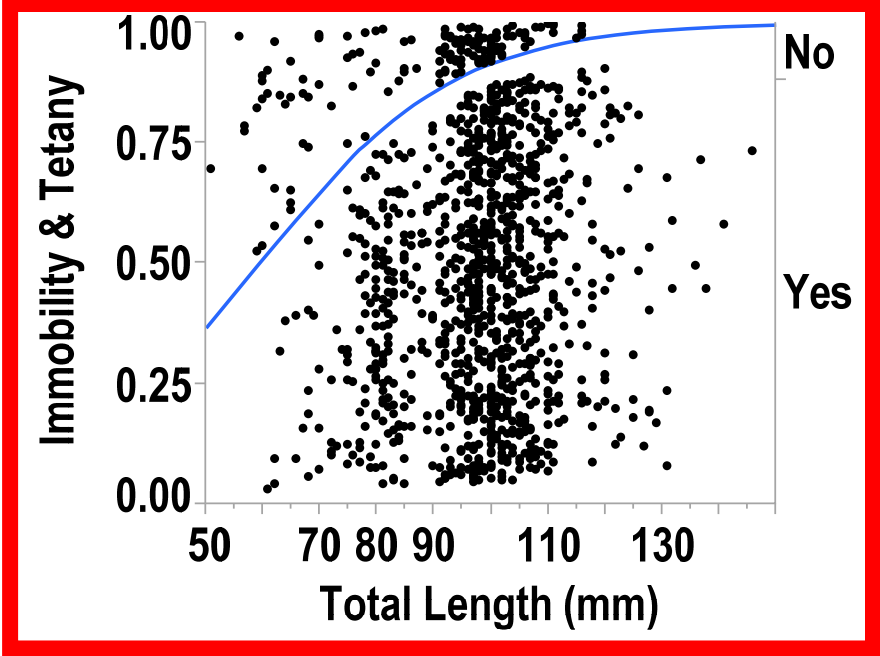
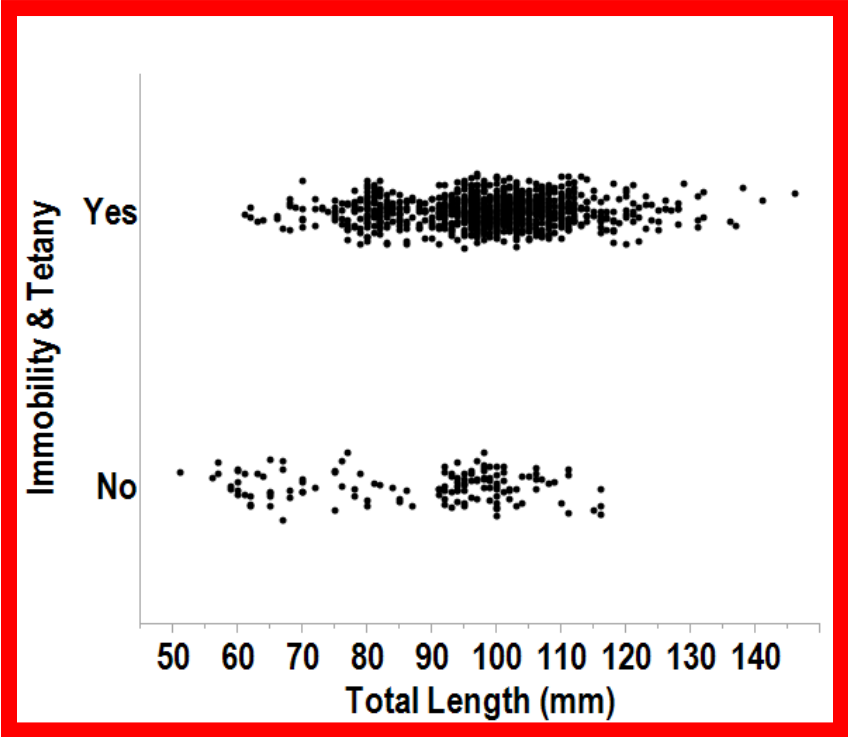


Current Density (A/m^2), 1500 Volts Applied



Modeling and Simulation

Fish Size



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Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

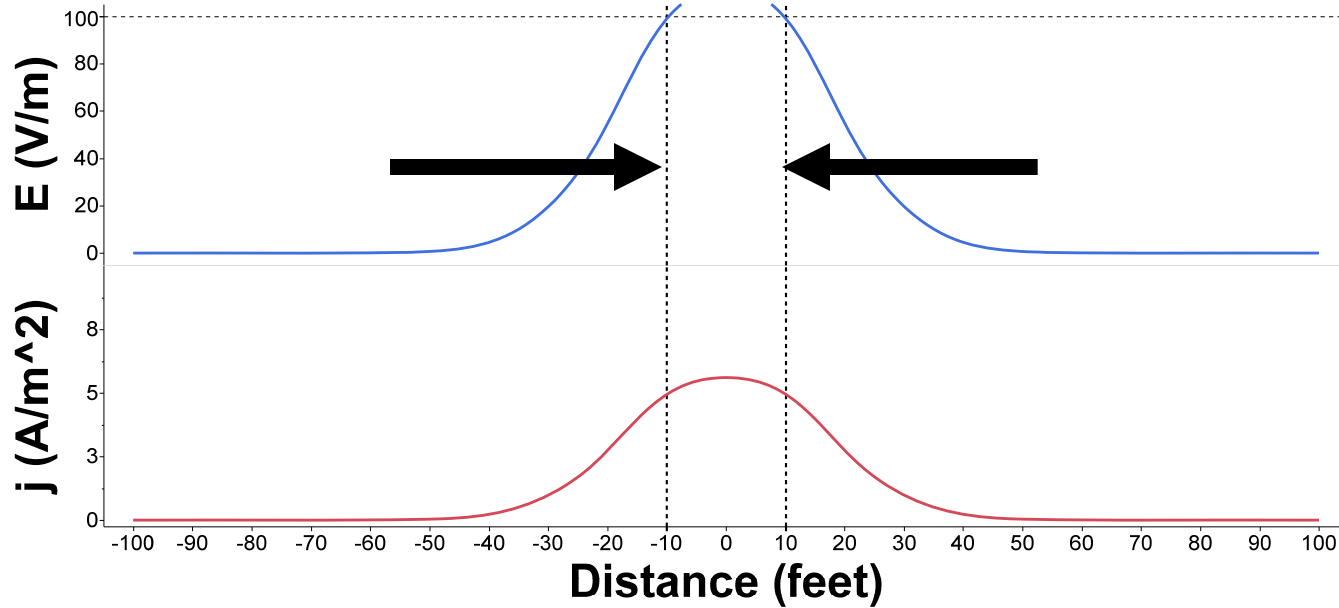
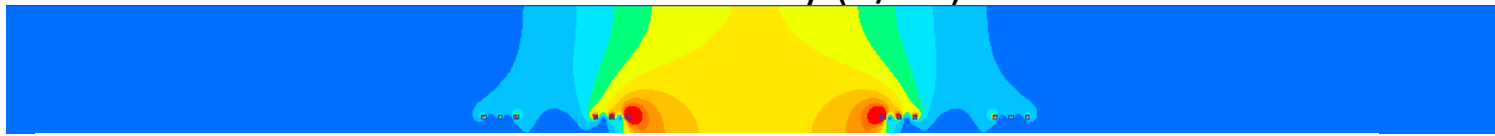
Water Depth

Strength
 E (V/m)

Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied



Current Density (A/m^2)



Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

Water Depth

Strength
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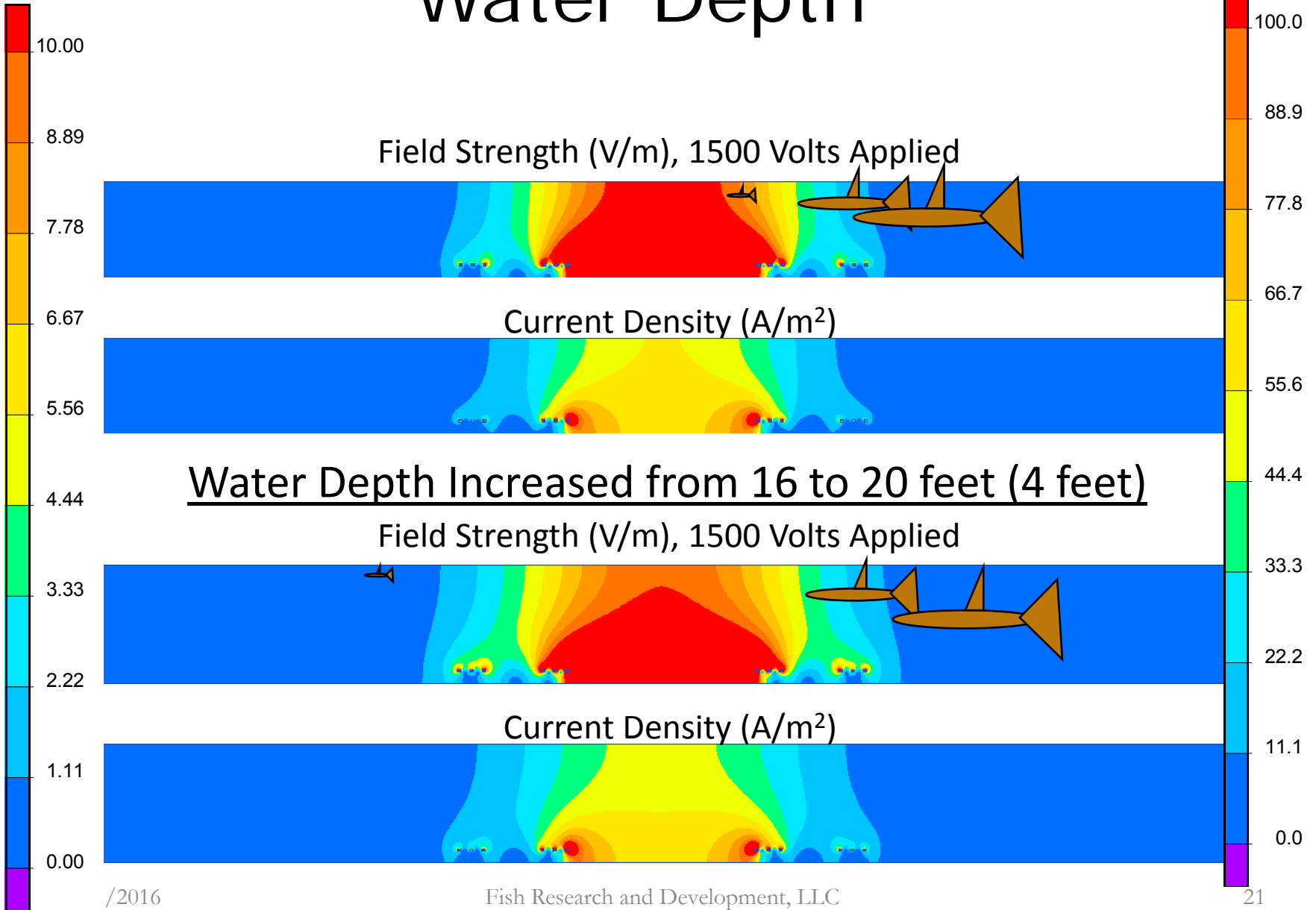
Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)

Water Depth Increased from 16 to 20 feet (4 feet)

Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)



Current Density

J (A/m²)

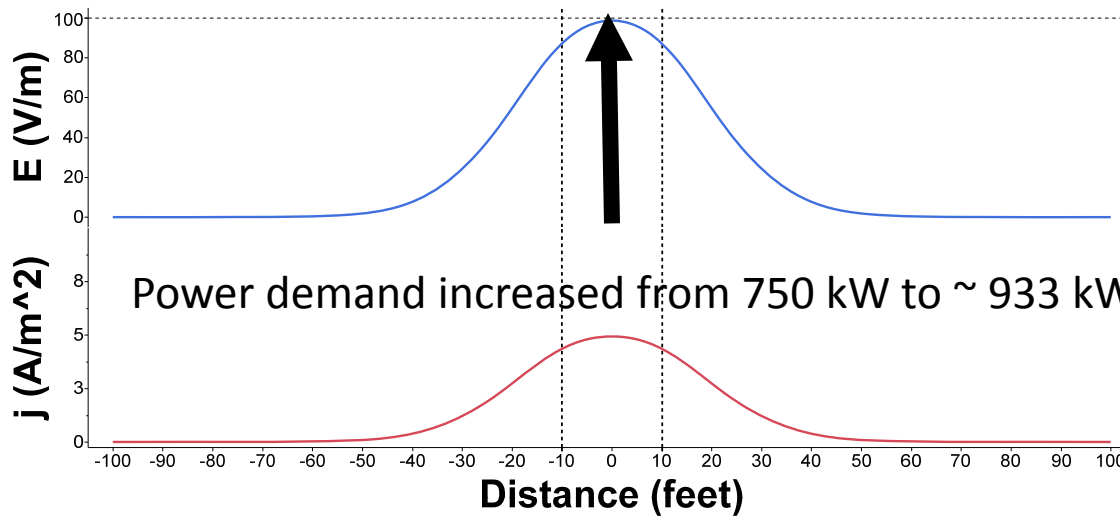
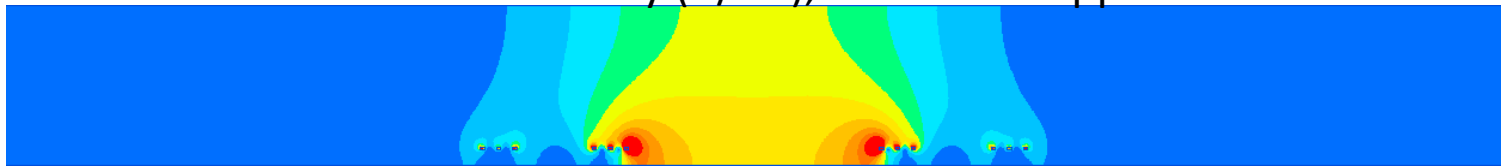
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Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied



Current Density (A/m²), 1500 Volts Applied



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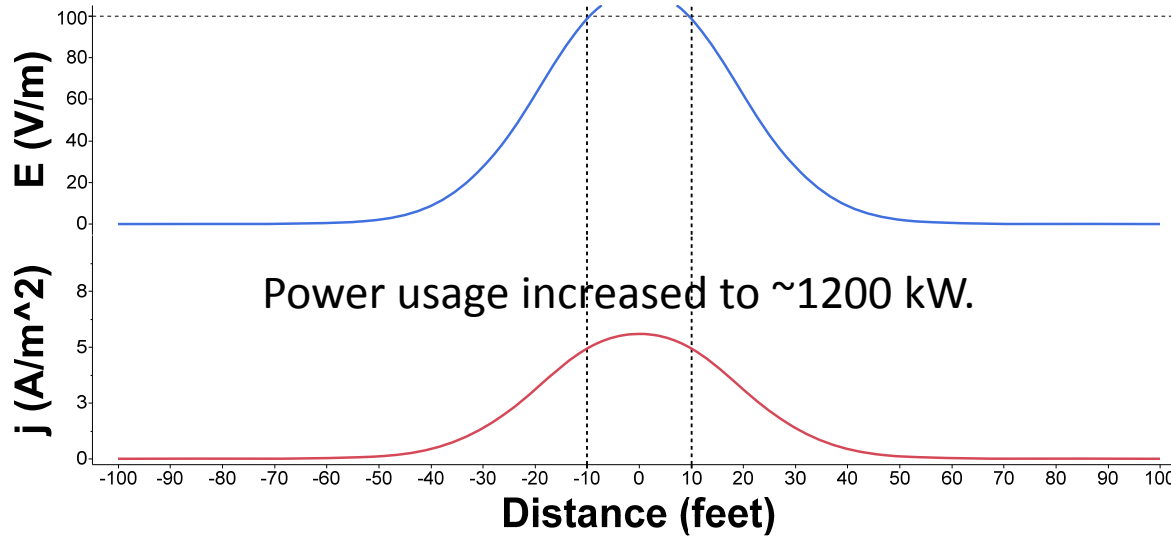
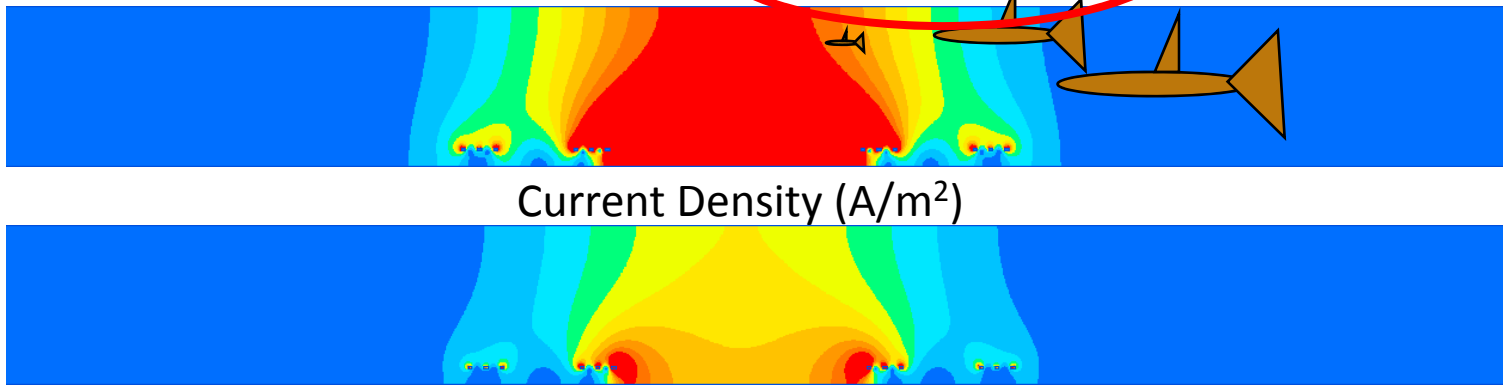
Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

Water Depth

Strength
 E (V/m)

Field Strength (V/m), 1700 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)



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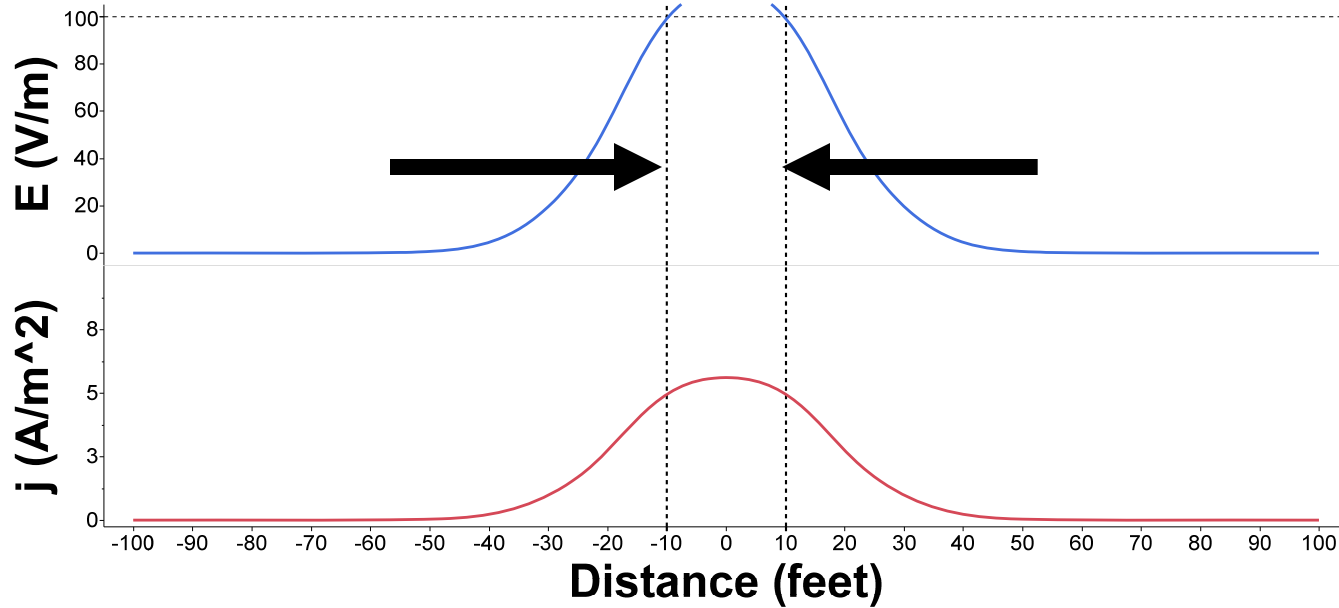
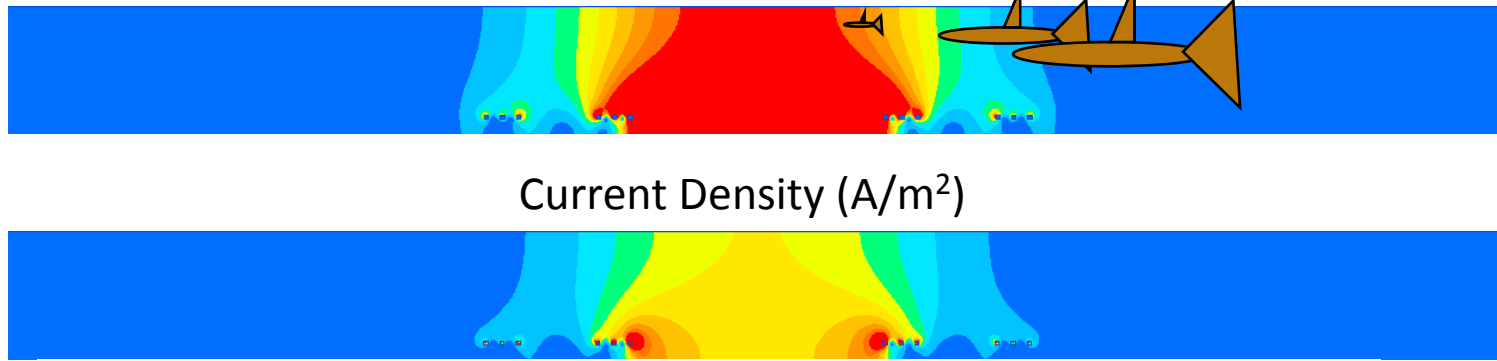
Water Velocity

Current Density
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Strength
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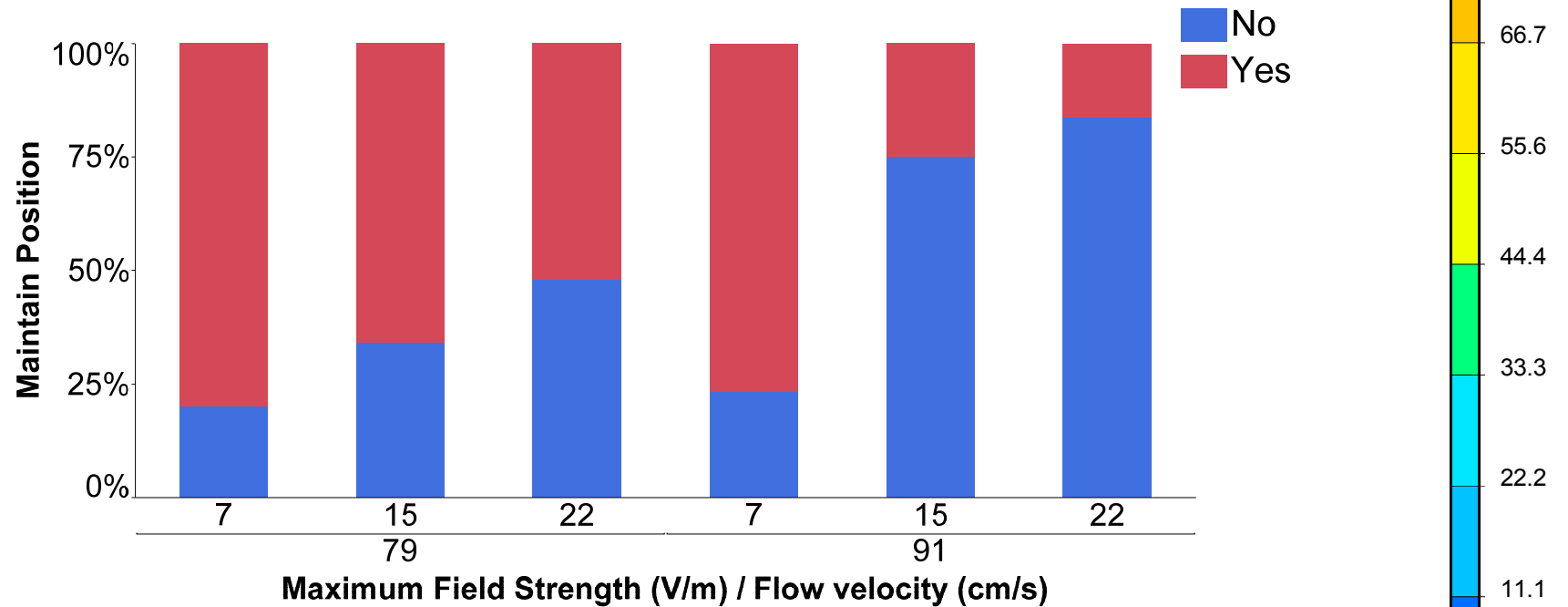
Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)



Water Velocity

Modeling and Simulation



Based on outcomes of experiment with juvenile bighead carp increased flow is expected to reduce risk for fish to breach barrier.

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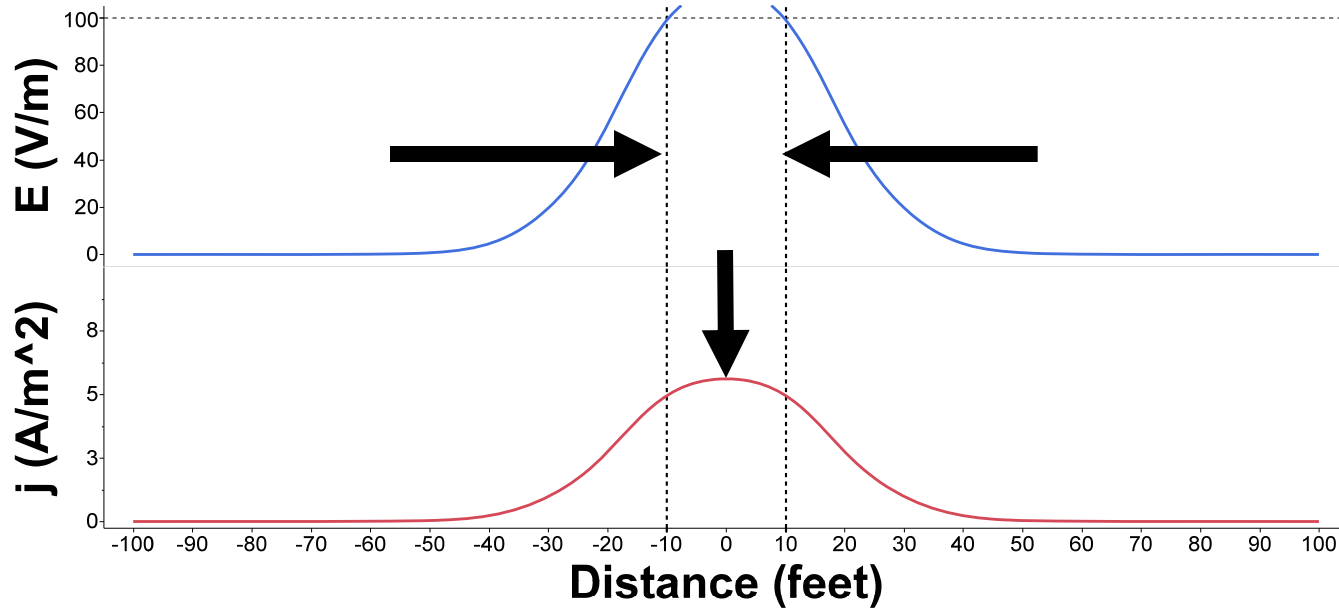
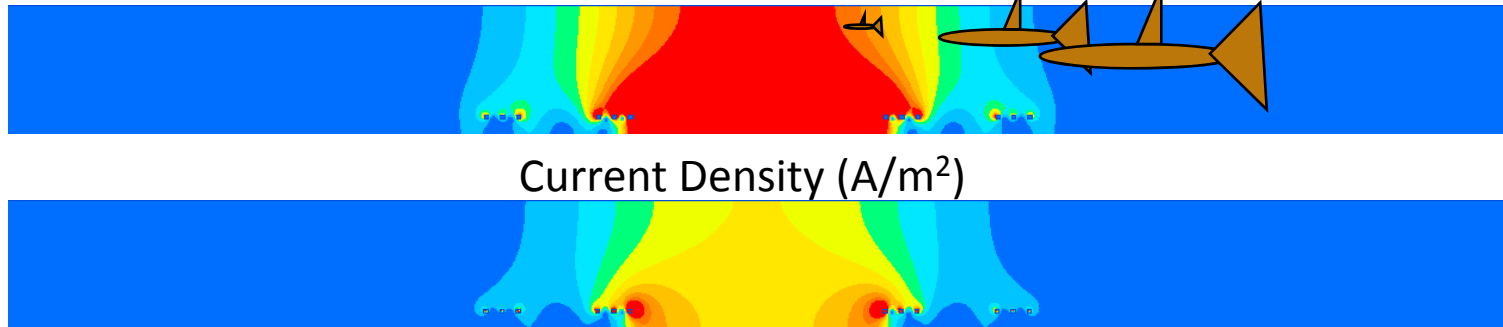
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Water Conductivity

Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2)



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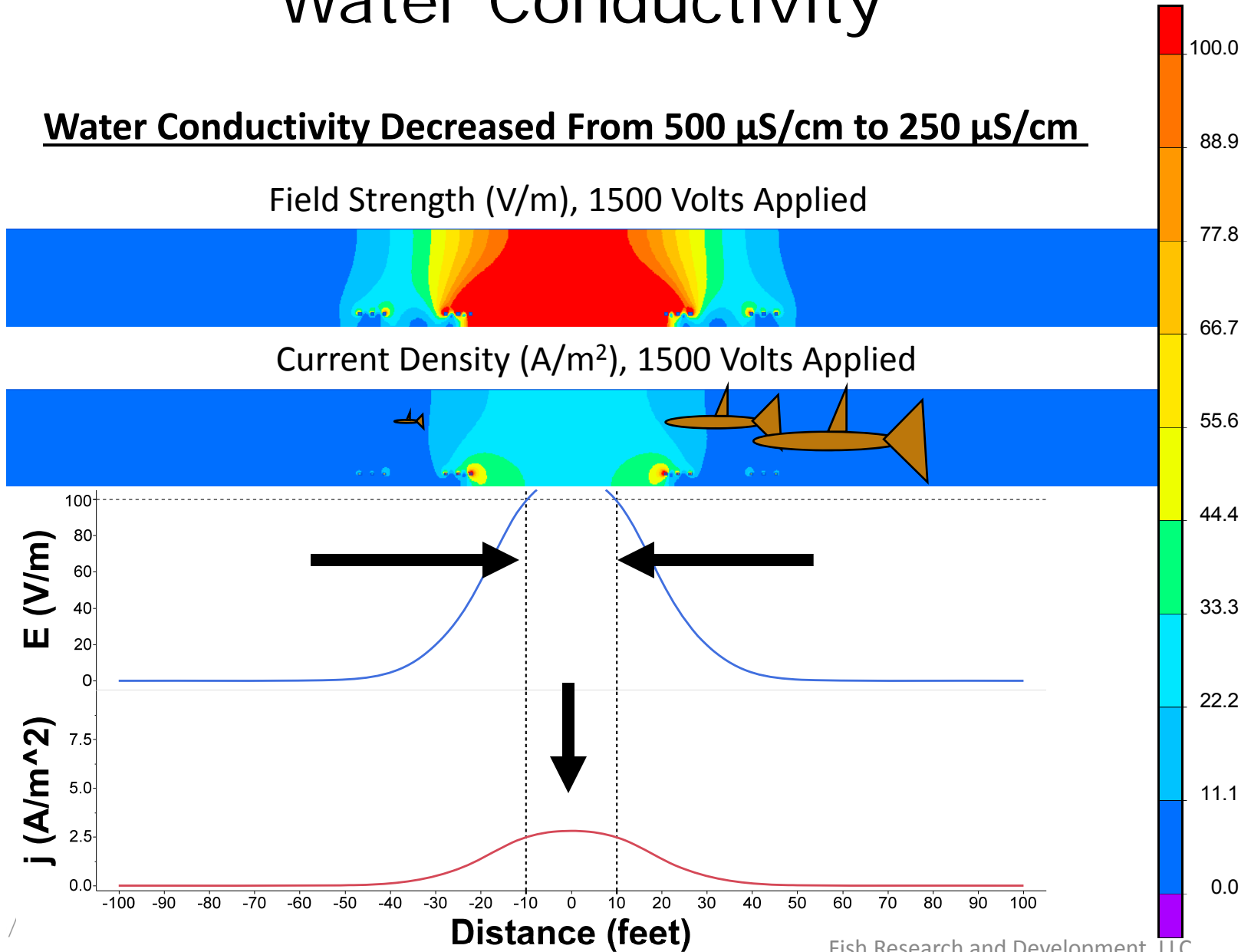
Water Conductivity

Strength
 E (V/m)

Water Conductivity Decreased From 500 $\mu S/cm$ to 250 $\mu S/cm$

Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied

Current Density (A/m^2), 1500 Volts Applied

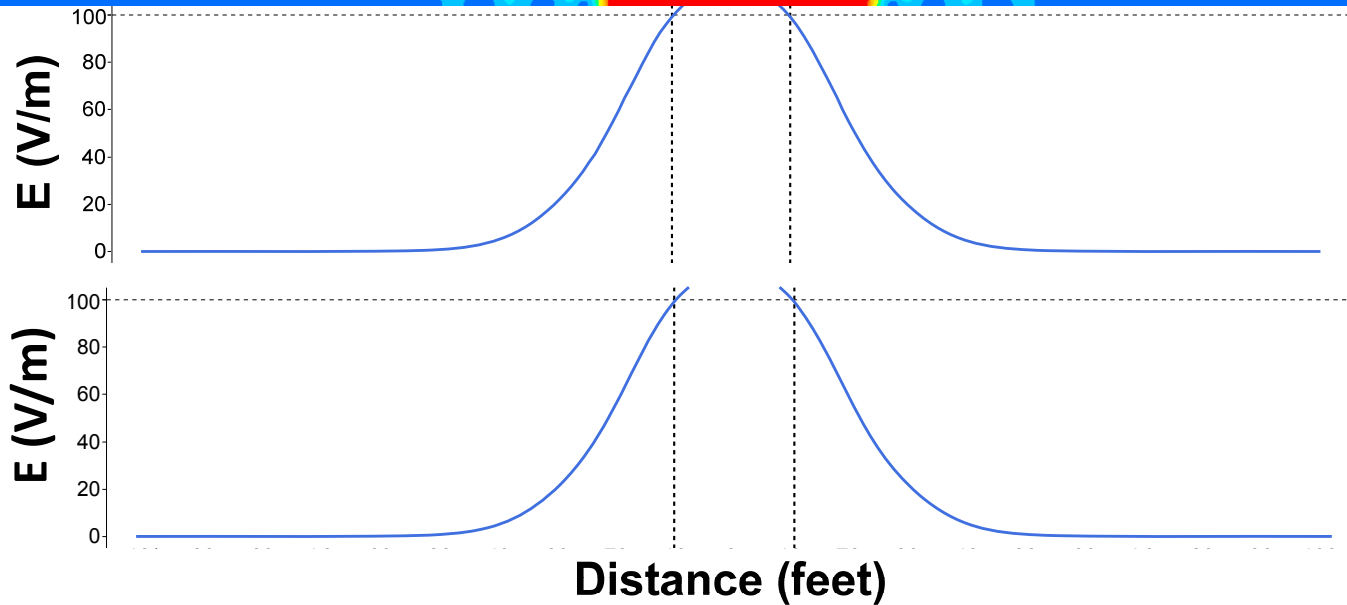


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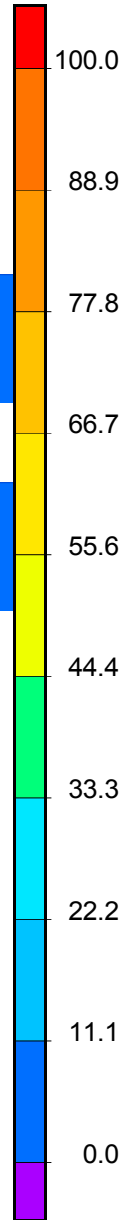
Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied, 250 $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$



Field Strength (V/m), 1500 Volts Applied, 500 $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$



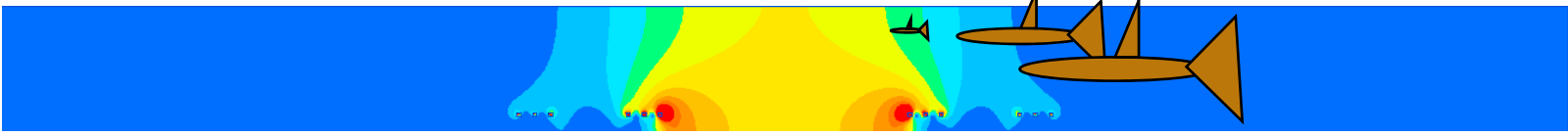
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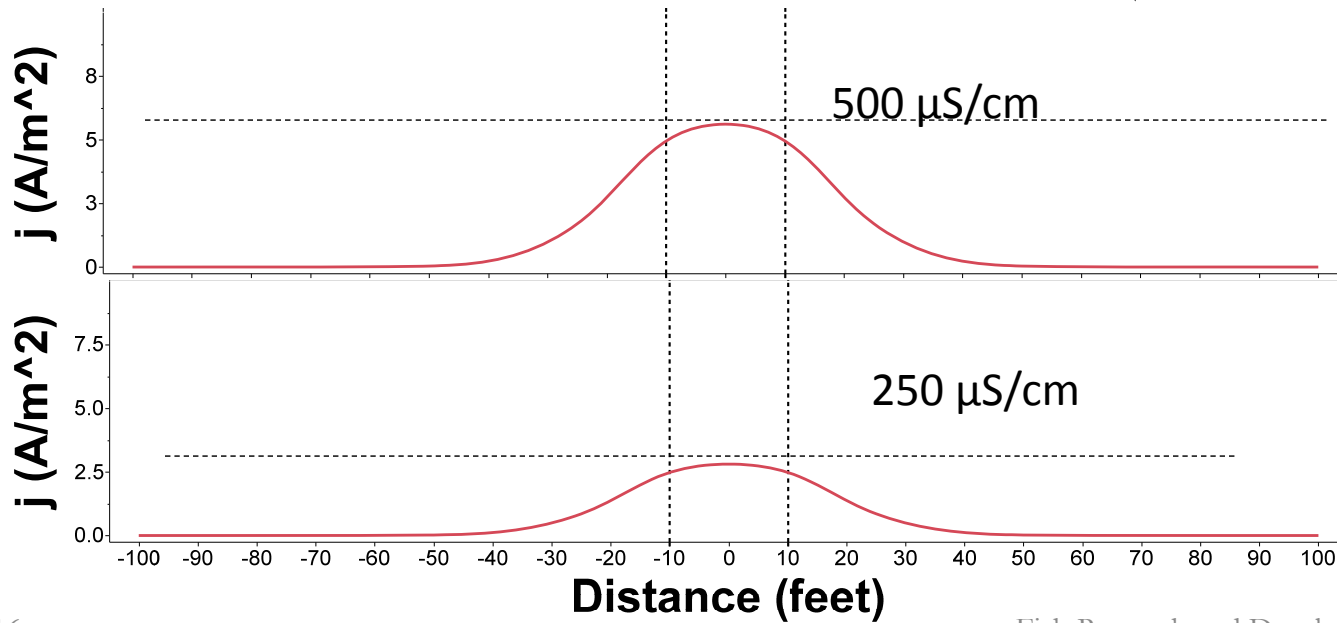
Current Density
 J (A/m^2)

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Current Density (A/m^2), 500 $\mu S/cm$



Current Density (A/m^2), 250 $\mu S/cm$



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Power Transfer Theory

- Applied Power (first form)
- In-water Power (second form)
- Applied Power
 - $C_w = 500 \text{ uS/cm}$, $P_t = 750 \text{ kW}$
 - $C_w = 250 \text{ uS/cm}$, $P_t = 375 \text{ kW}$
- New Power Goal = 510.4 kW need to increase voltage to 1750 volts

First form		Second form
$V = I \times R$	Ohm's Law	$E = J/\delta$
$P = I \times V$	Power equation	$D = J \times E$
$P = I^2 \times R$	Power equation	$D = J^2/\delta$
$P = V^2/R$	Power equation	$D = E^2 \times \delta$
V	Voltage gradient	E
I	Current density	J
R	Resistivity	$1/\delta$

Kolz 1989; Burkhardt & Gutreuter 1995; Miranda 2009

$$P_t' = P_t \frac{\left(1 + \frac{C_f}{C_w}\right)^2}{\left(4 \times \frac{C_f}{C_w}\right)}$$

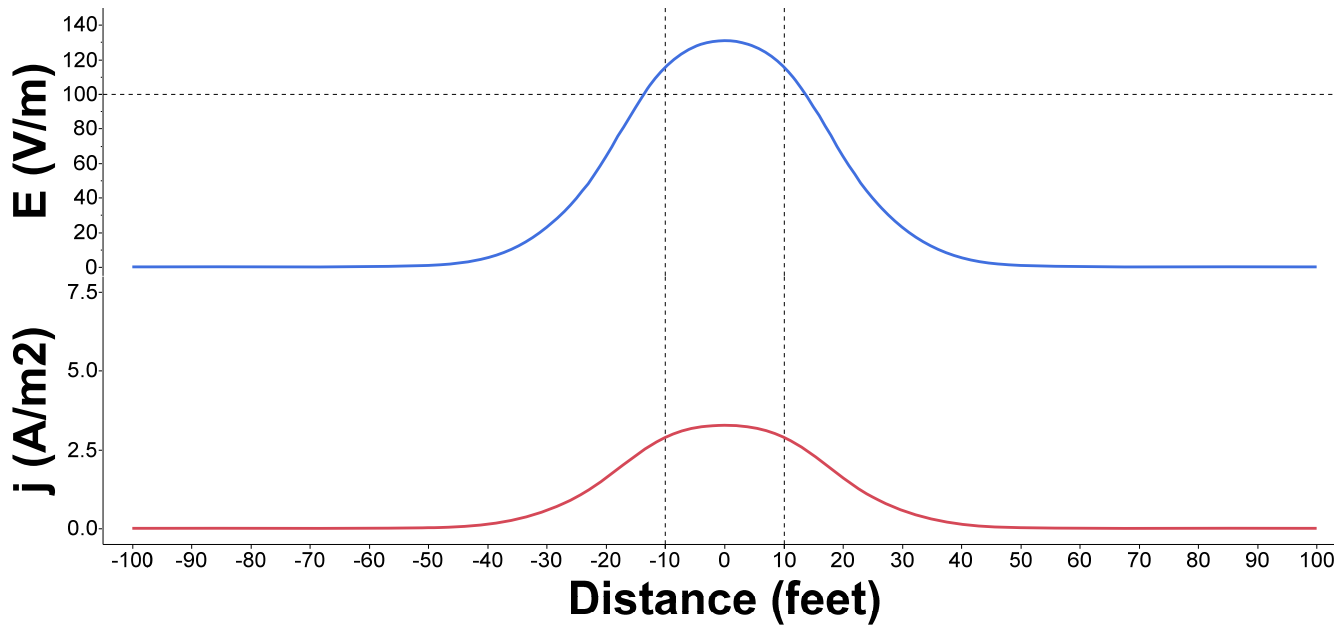
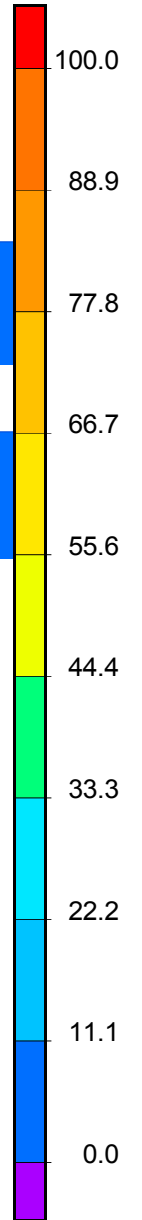
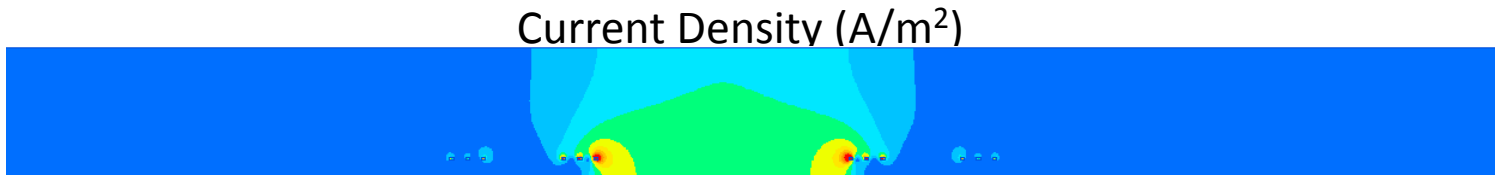
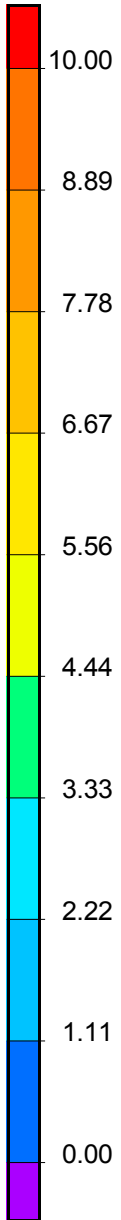
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Water Conductivity

Output Adjusted via PTT

Field Strength (V/m), 1750 Volts Applied

Strength
 E (V/m)



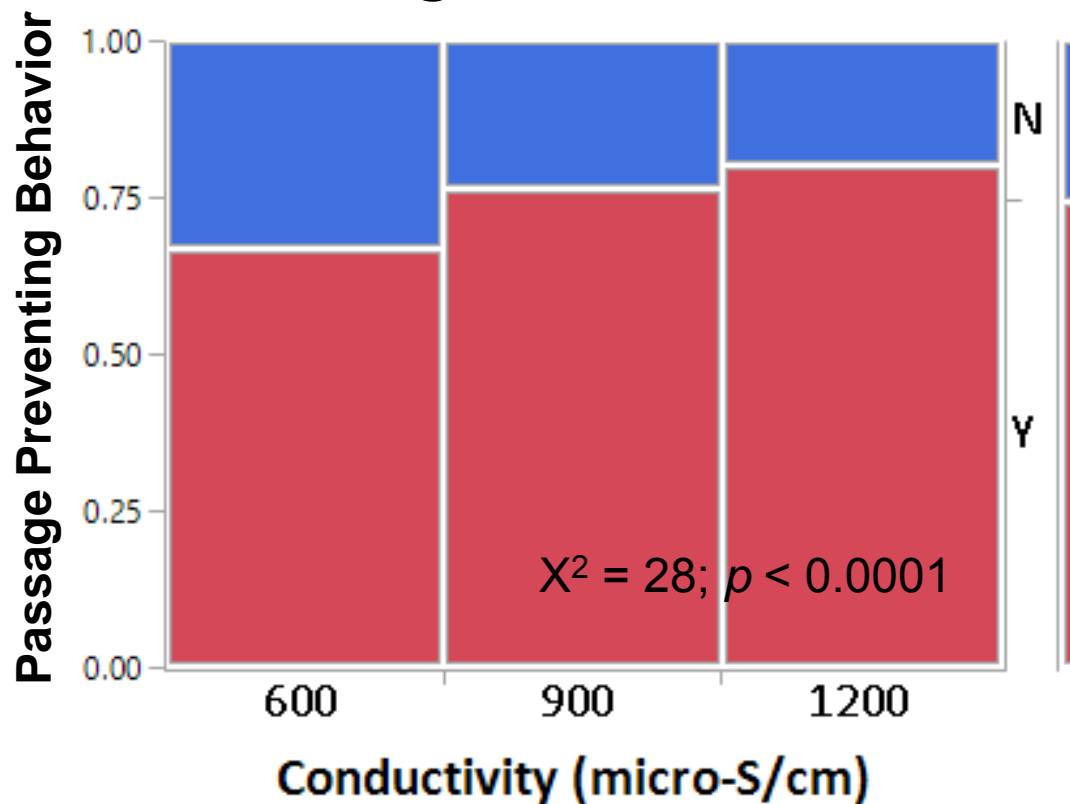
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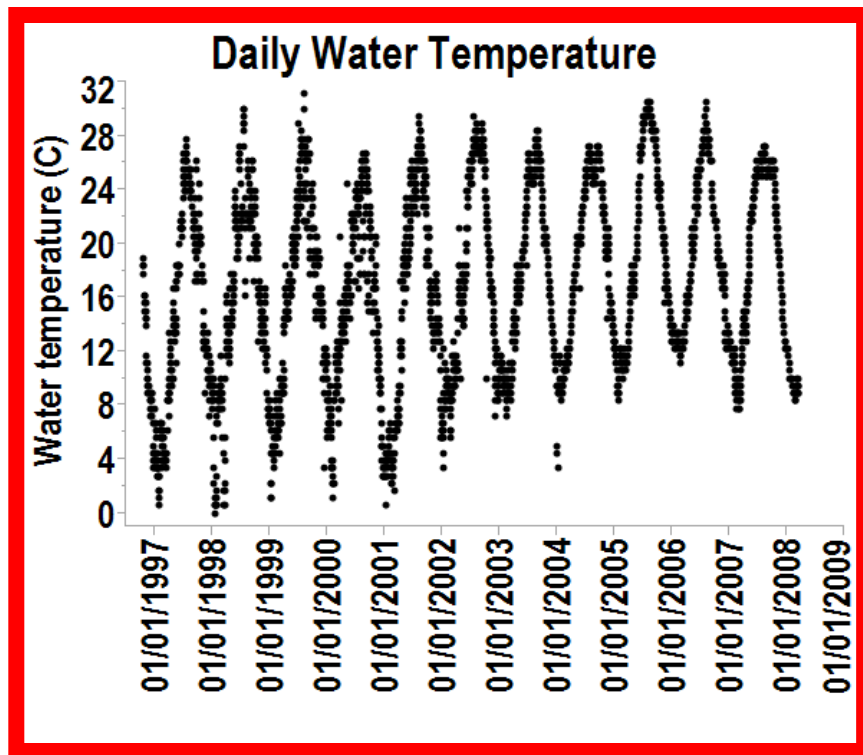
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Water Temperature



Extensive research on the various effects that water temperature has on fish but not on temperature and electroshock-induced behaviors.

Anecdotal reports of
↑ susceptibility with ↓ T

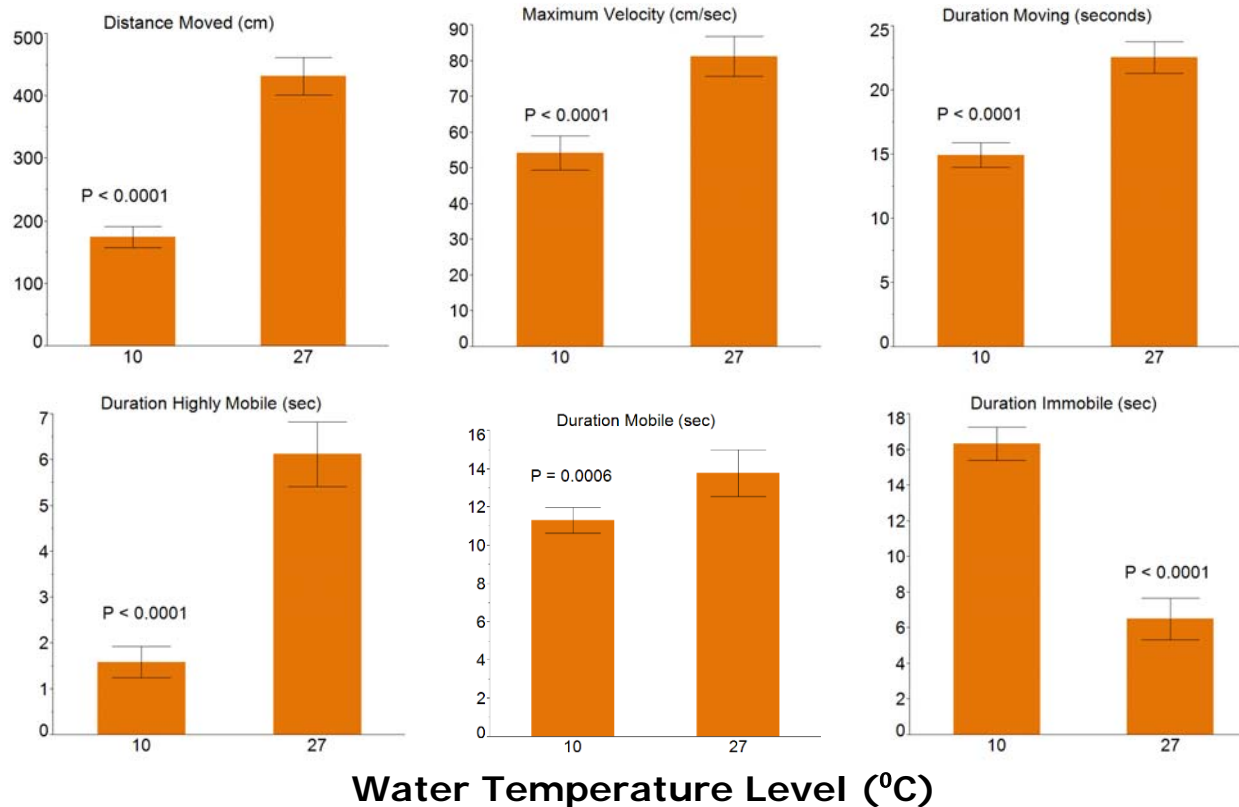
(Zalewski and Cowx 1990)

Susceptibility ↓ as T ↑

(Penaz and Prokes 1973)

Water Temperature Modeling and Simulation

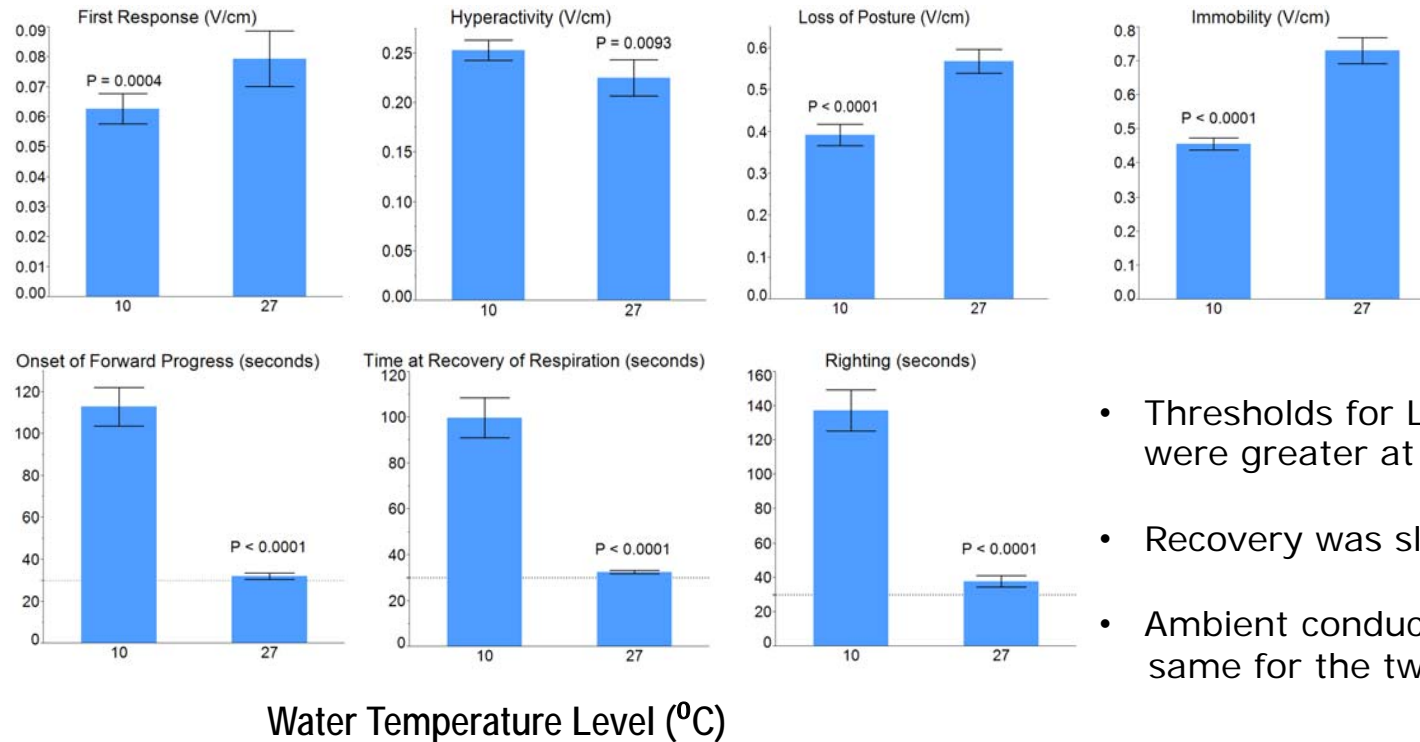
Metrics of Swimming Performance During the Electrical Exposures Differed Significantly Between Temperatures



Activity and locomotion were significantly greater at 27^o C.

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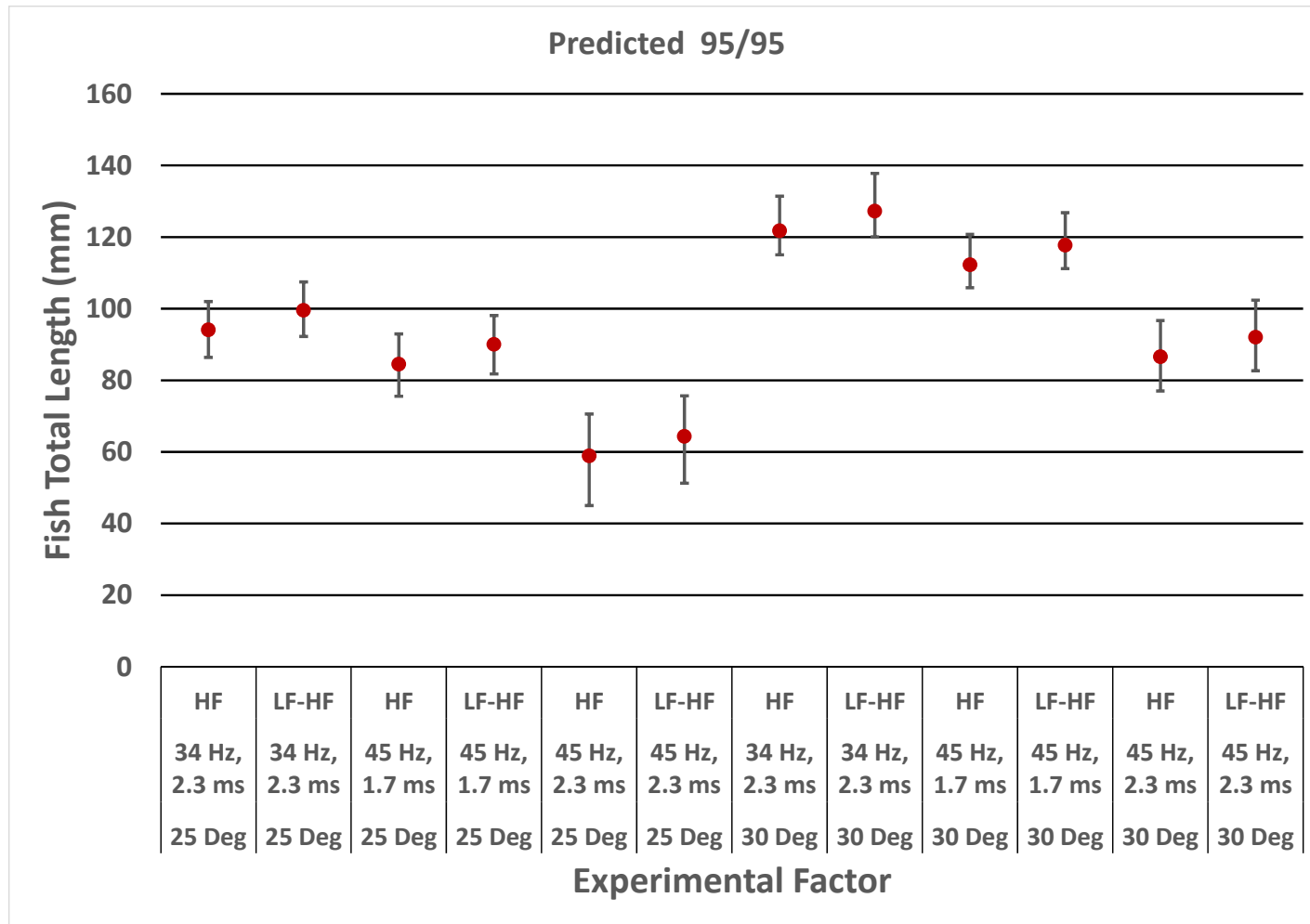
Threshold Voltage Gradients for Behavioral Endpoints & Indexes of Recovery Differed Significantly Between Temperatures



- Thresholds for LOP & Immobility were greater at 27° C.
- Recovery was slower at 10° C.
- Ambient conductivity was the same for the two temperatures.

Water Temperature

Predicted Fish Length (& 95% CI) at 95% Probability of Immobility



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Questions?