

Columbia River Fish Runs and Fisheries

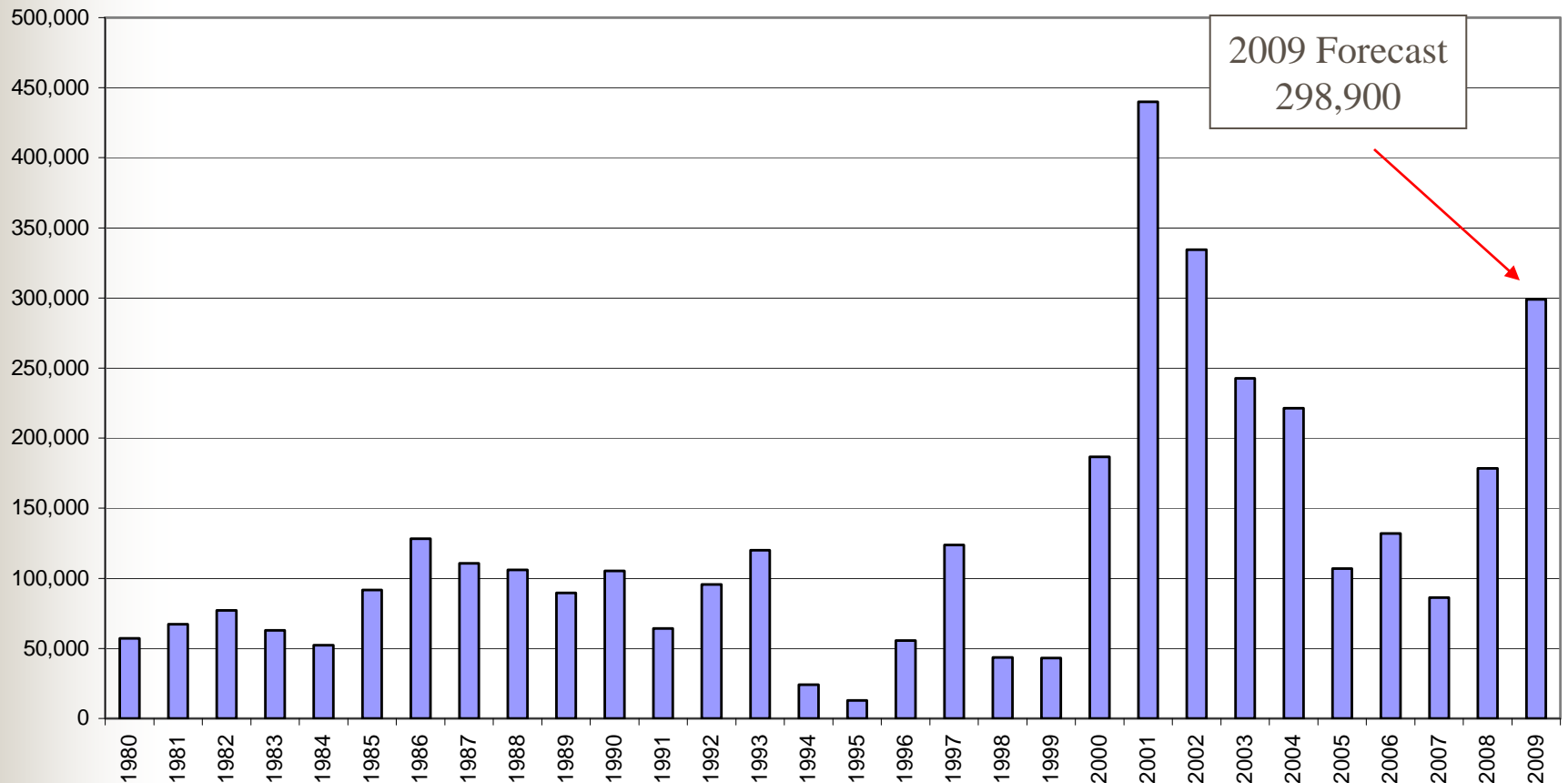
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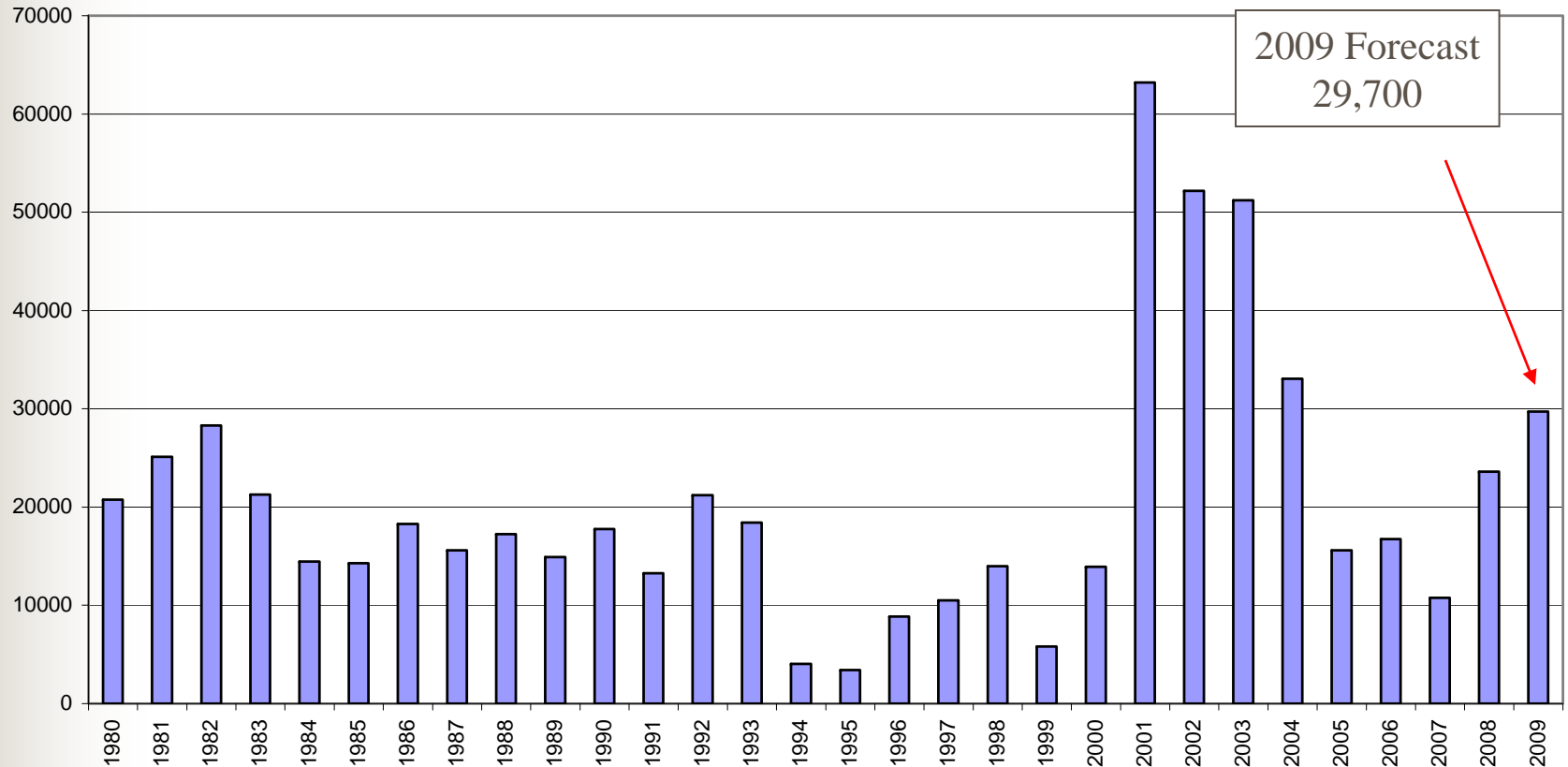
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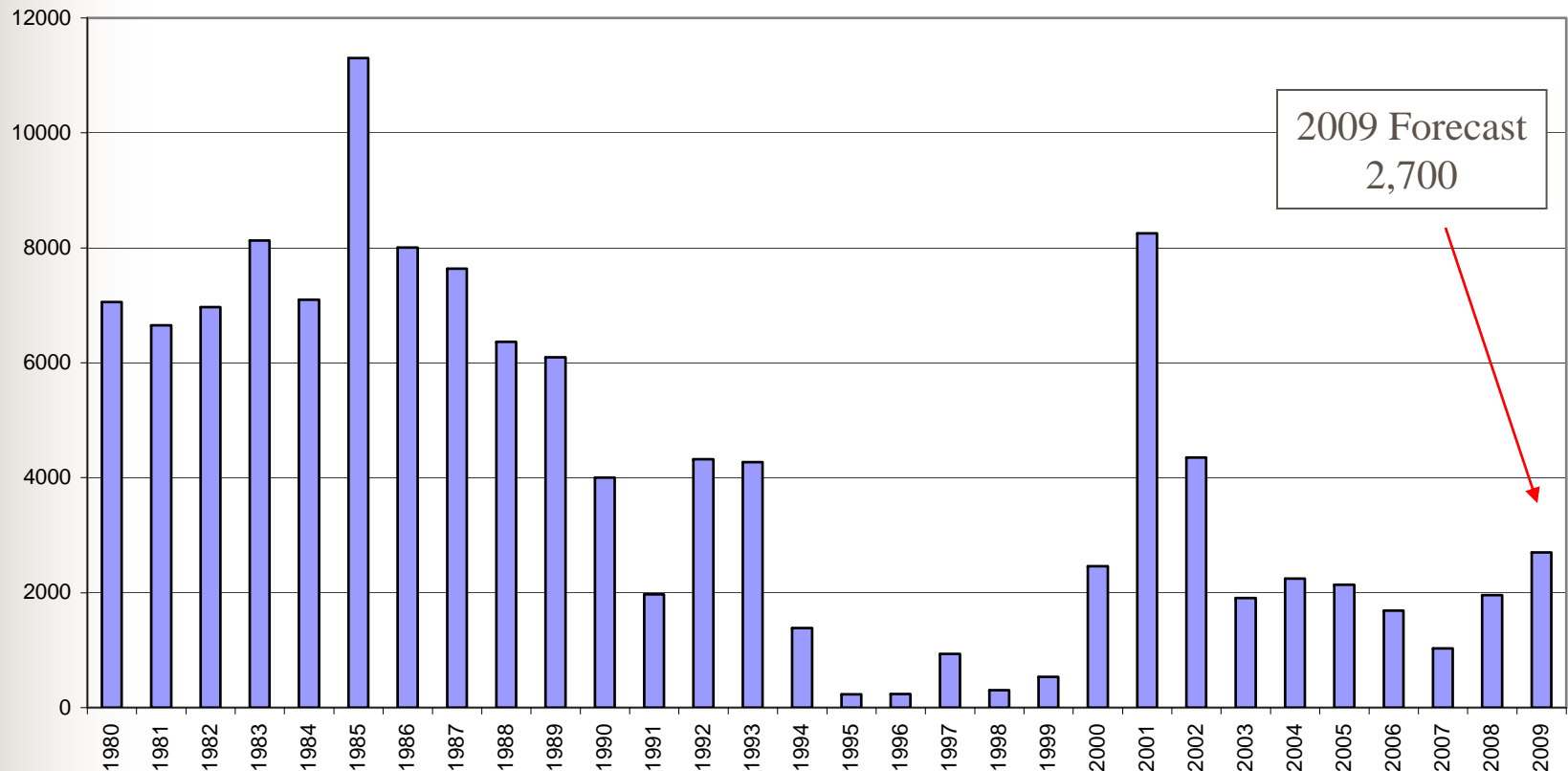
Upriver Spring Chinook



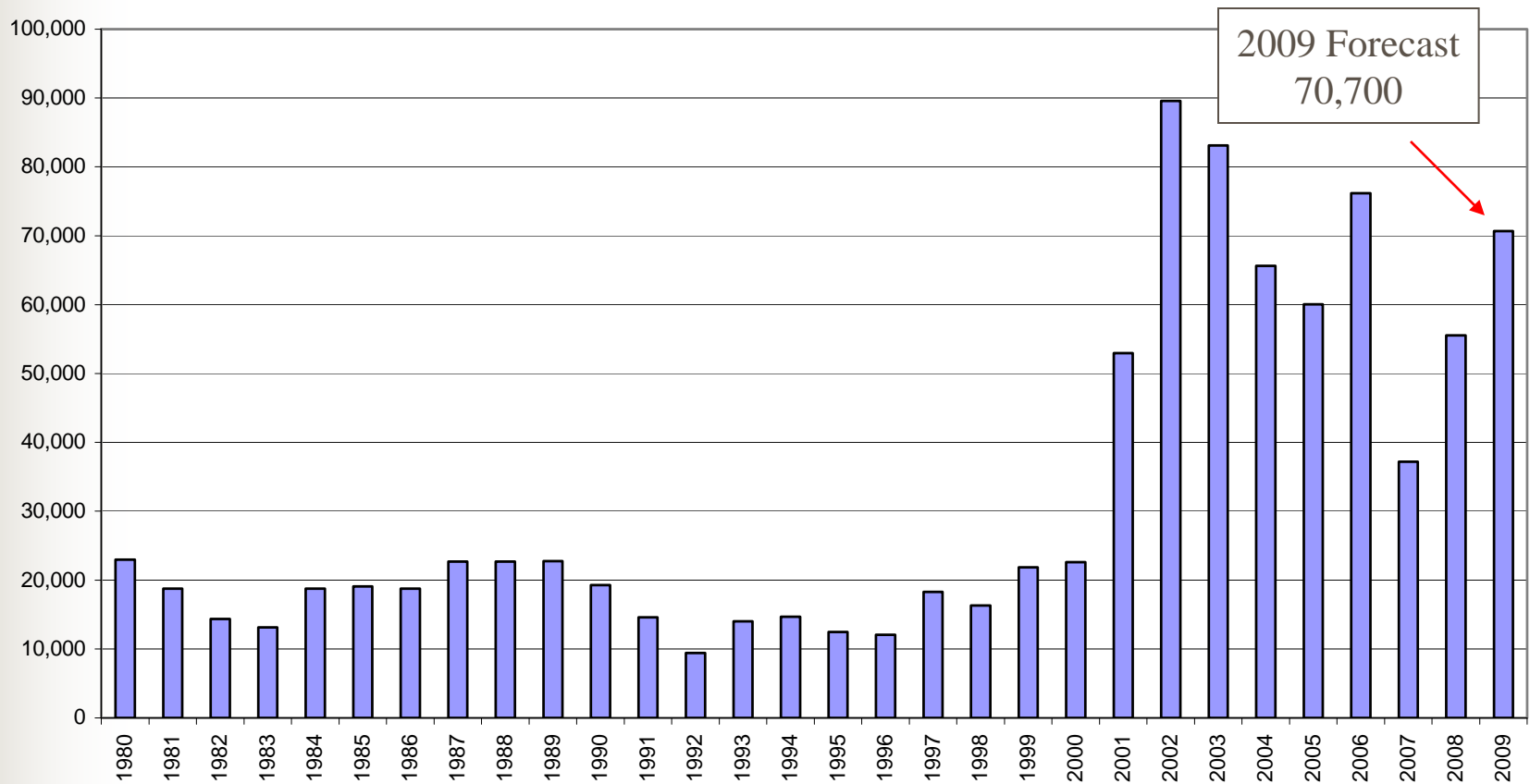
Snake River Wild Spring/Summer Chinook



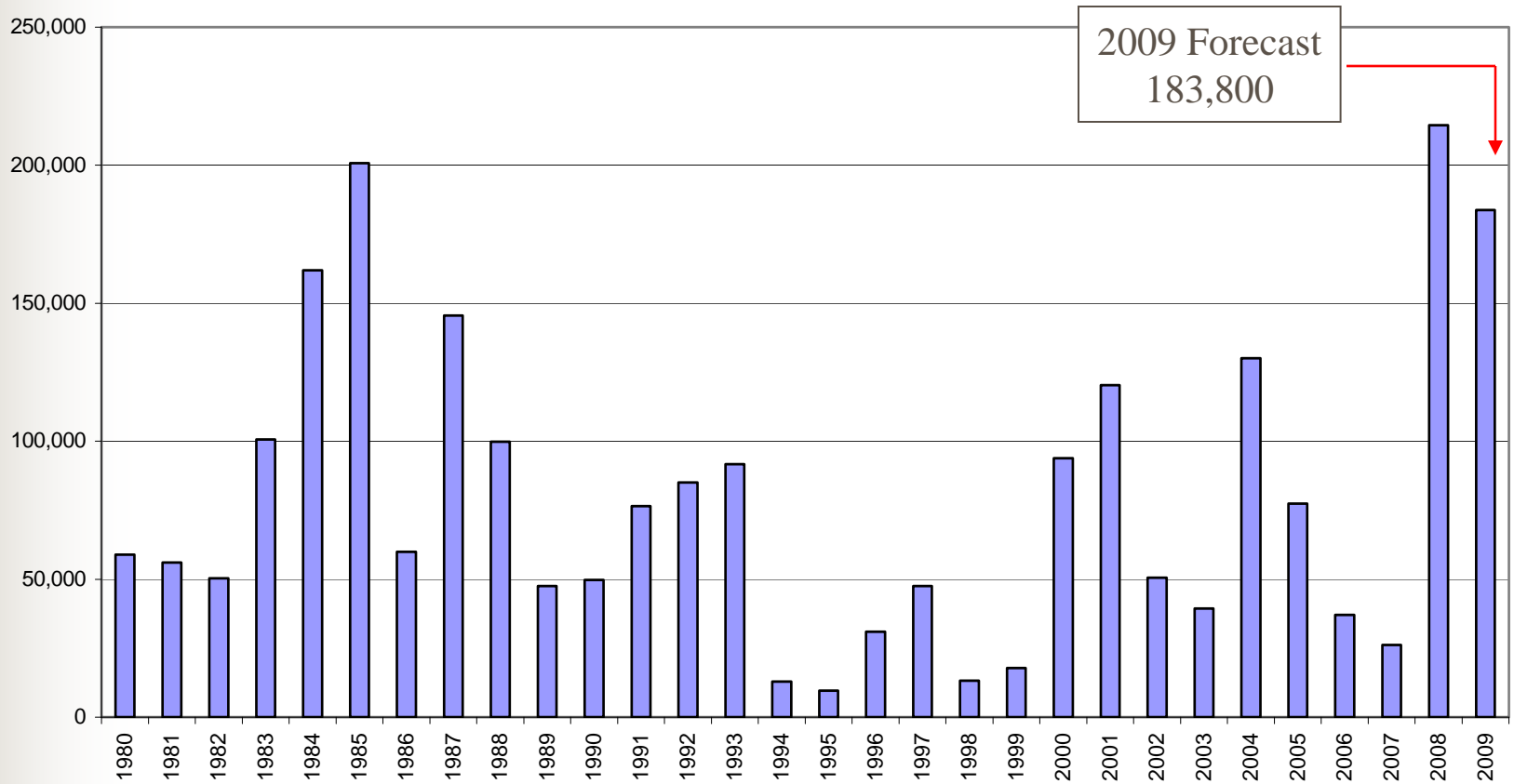
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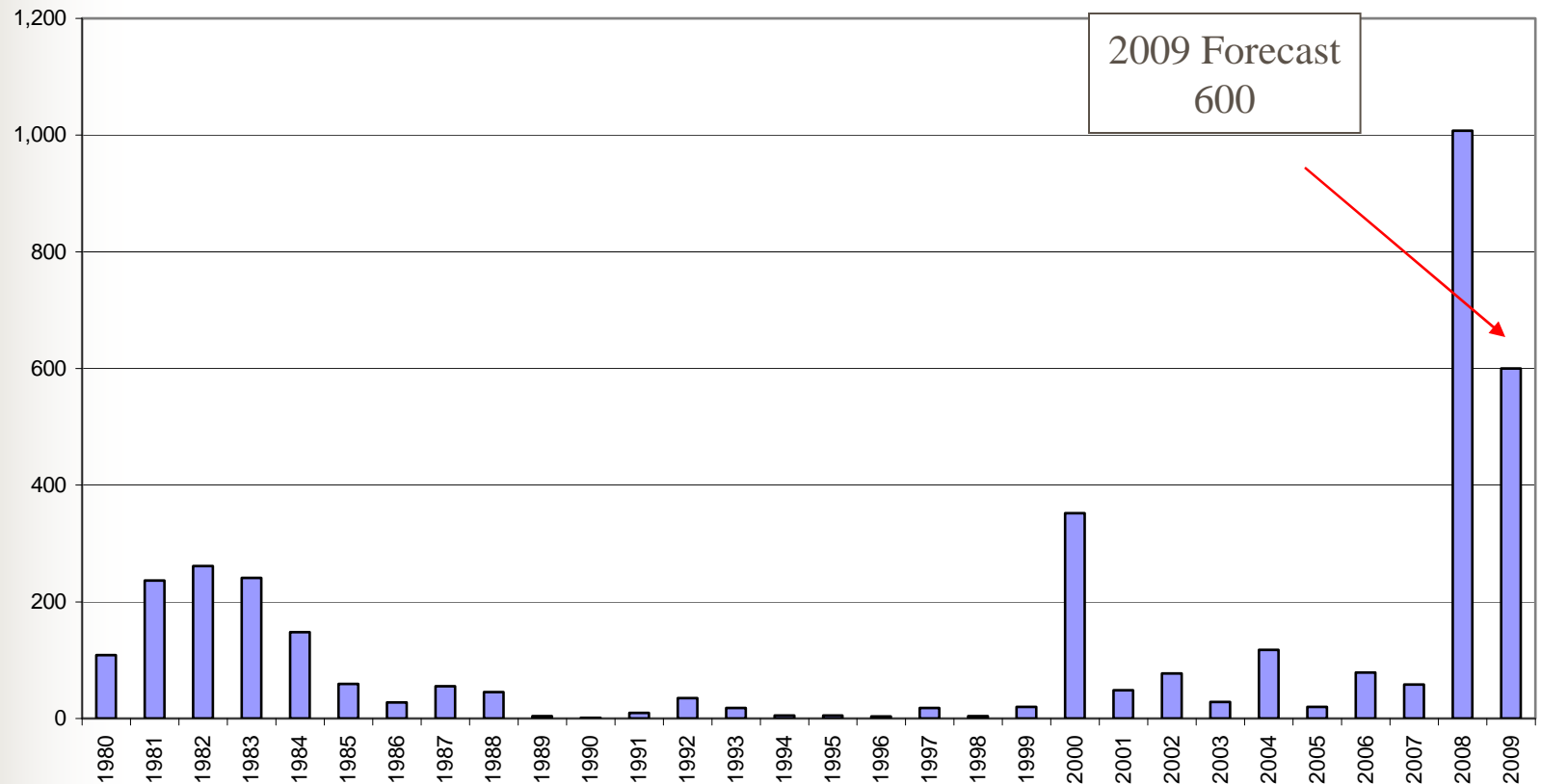
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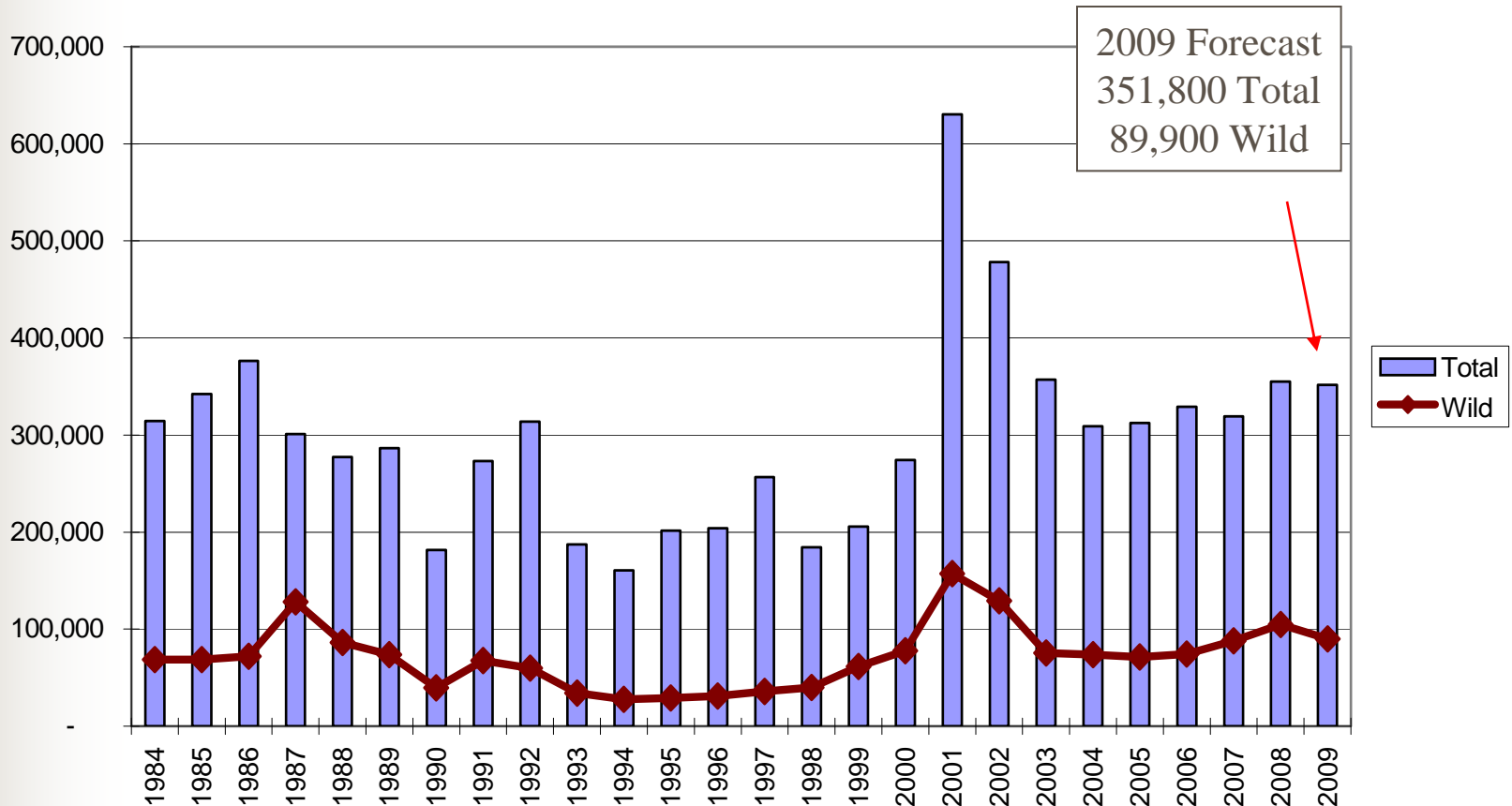
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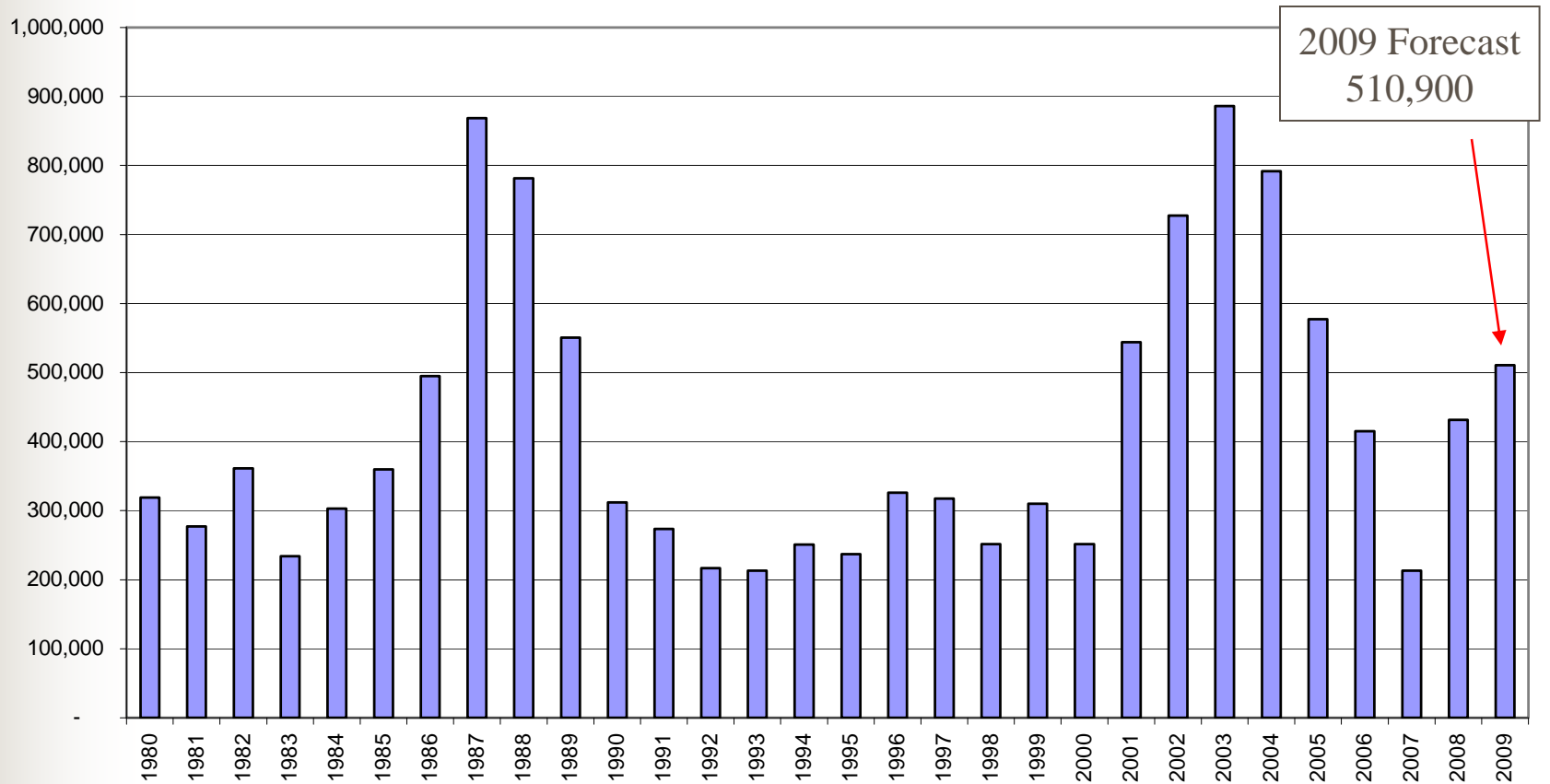
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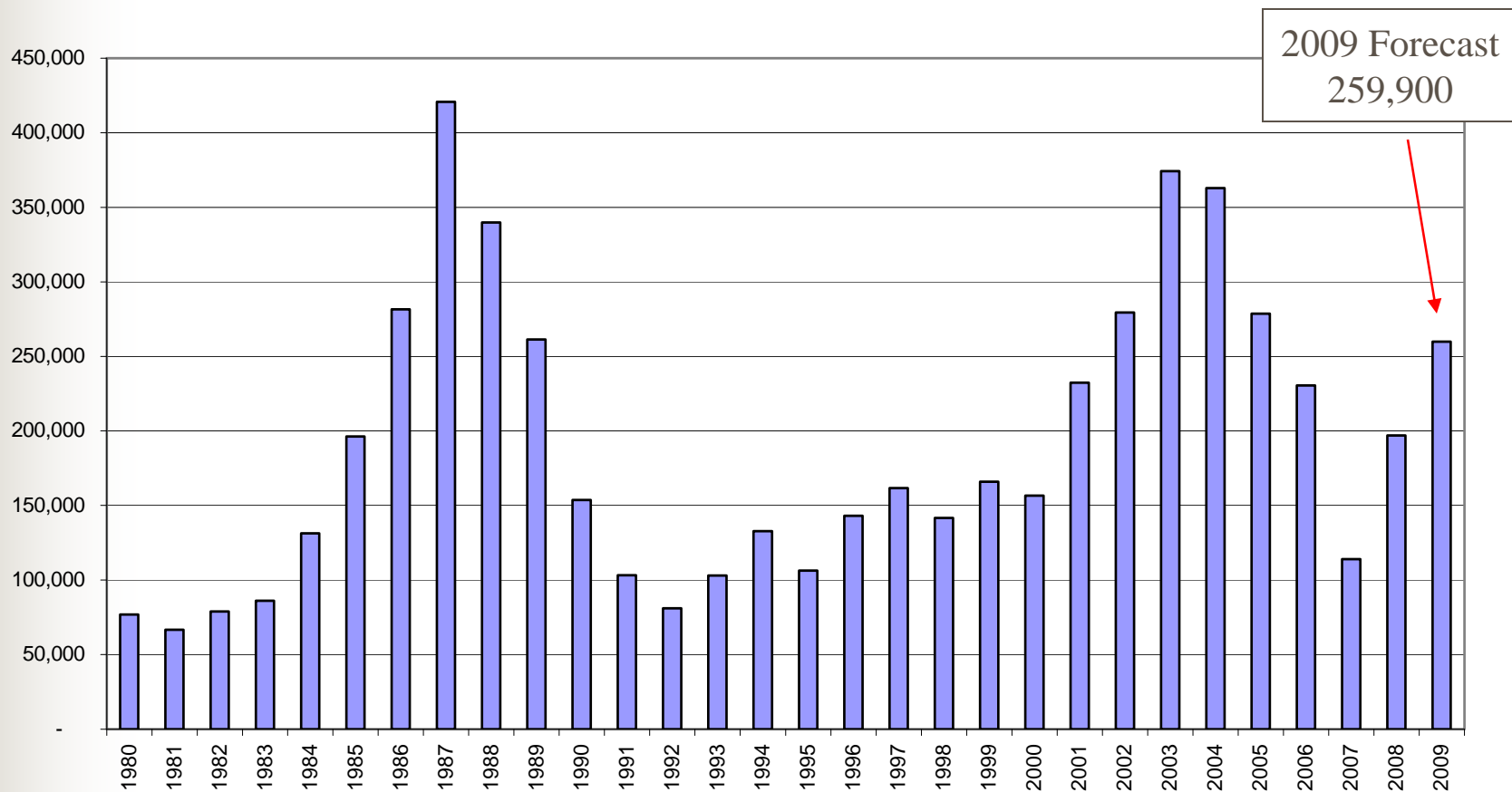
Upriver Summer Steelhead



Total Fall Chinook

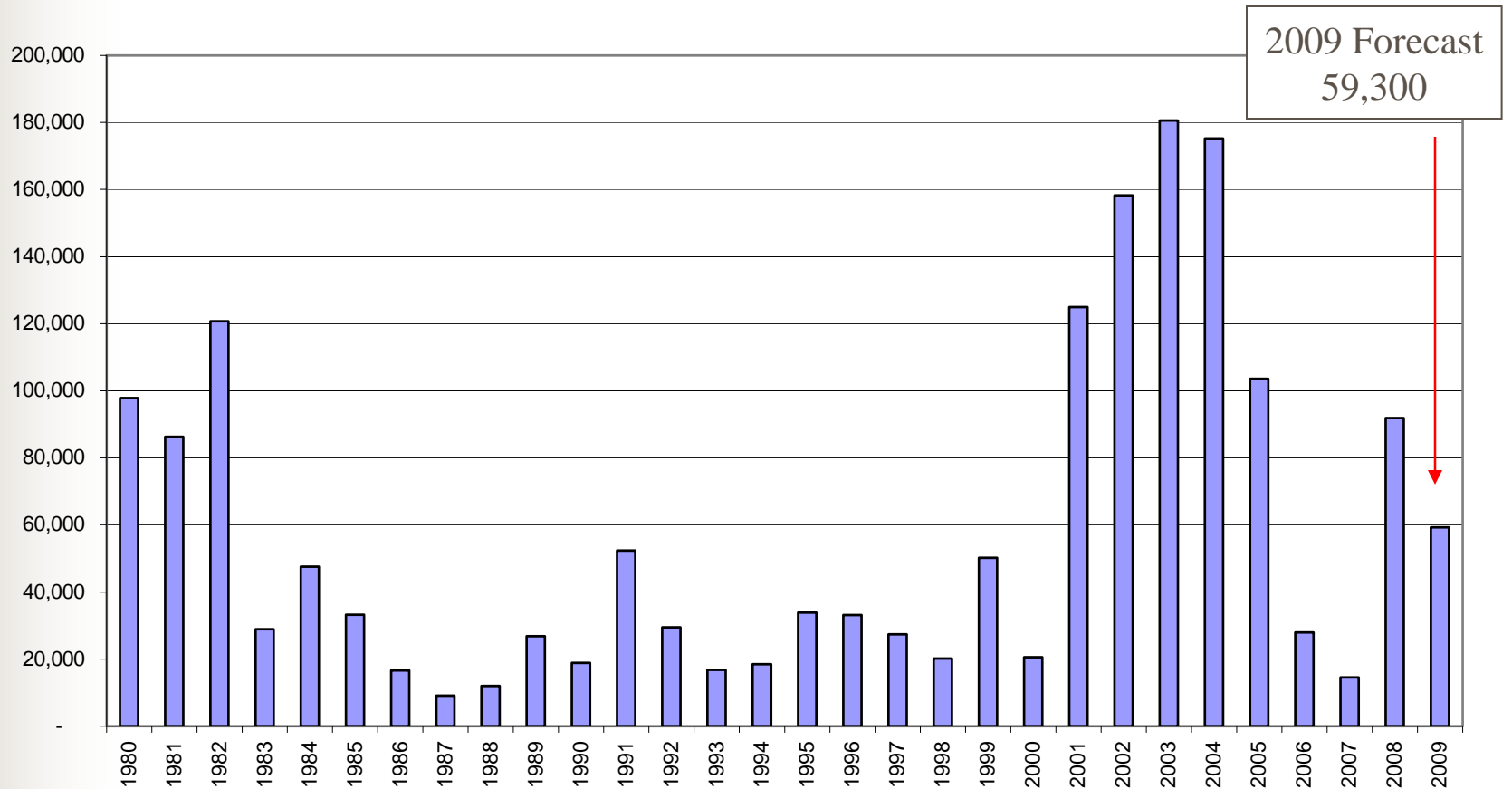


Upriver Bright Fall Chinook

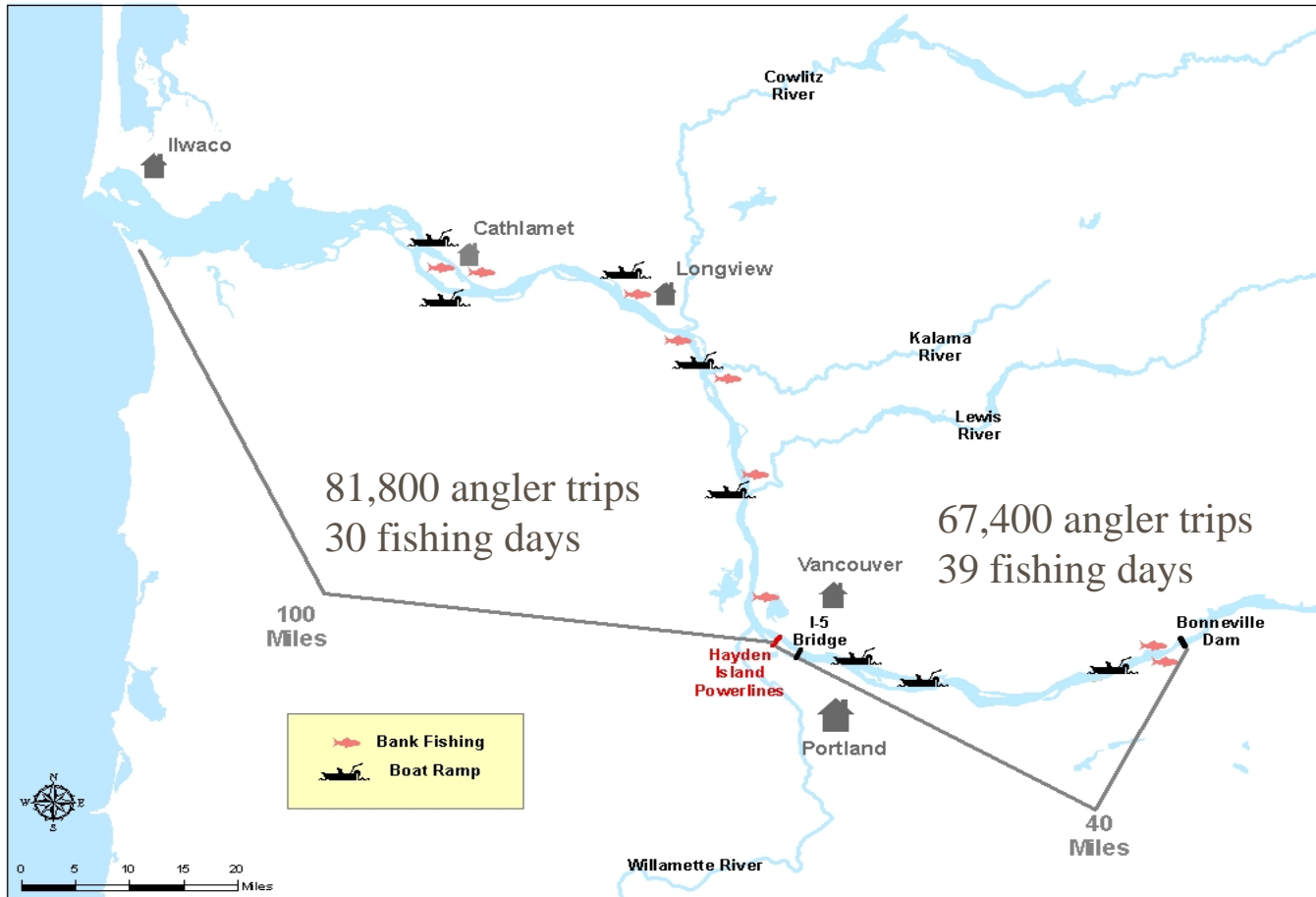


Bonneville Pool Hatchery

Fall Chinook



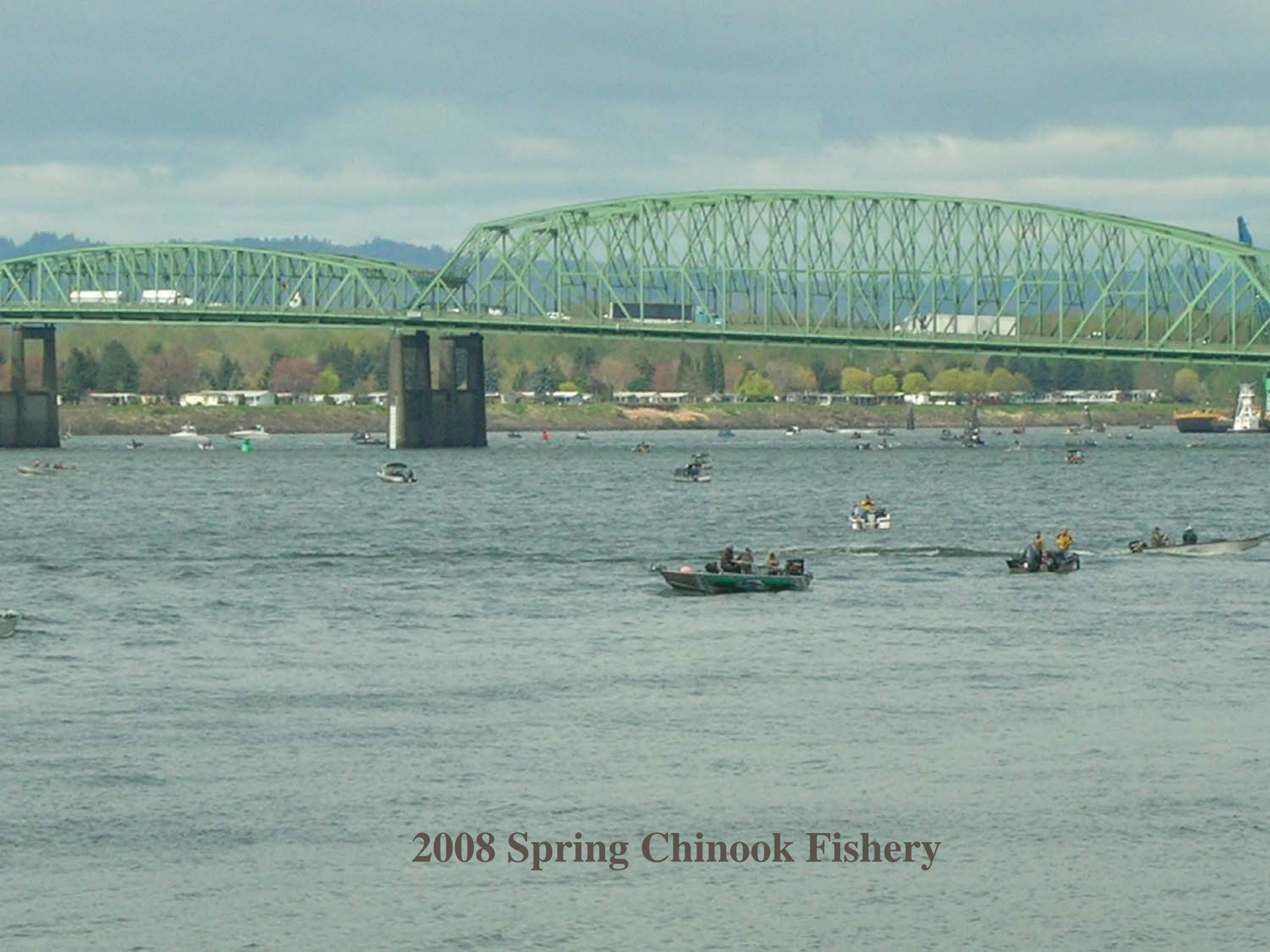
Spring Chinook Fishery





Summer and Fall Season Fisheries

- Summer Chinook seasons likely – late June and July – will be discussed in March/April
- Fall seasons discussions during March/April North of Falcon meetings
- Fall Chinook may be similar to recent years
- Coho forecast strong – over 1 million Columbia River – good ocean and Buoy 10



2008 Spring Chinook Fishery