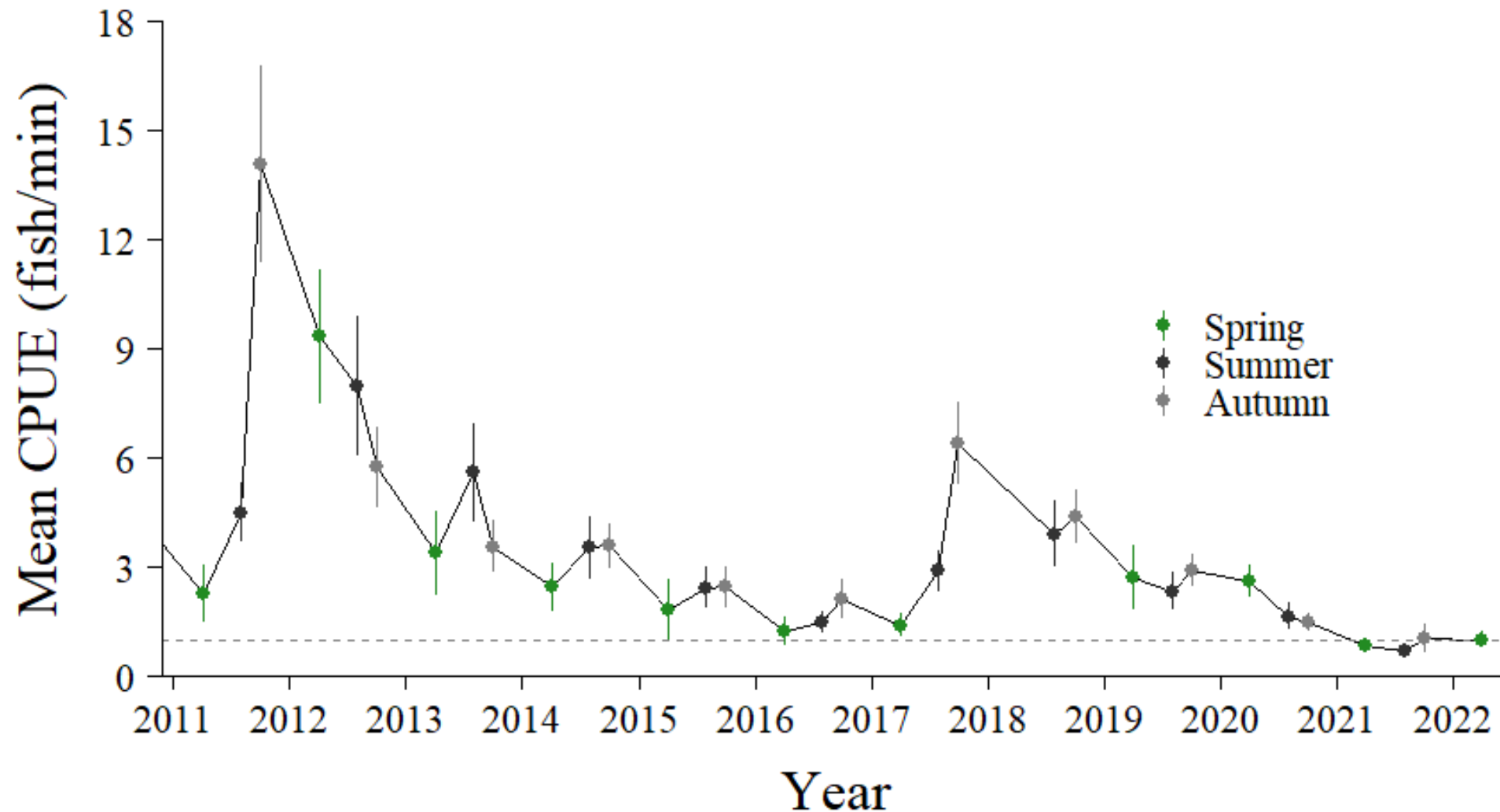


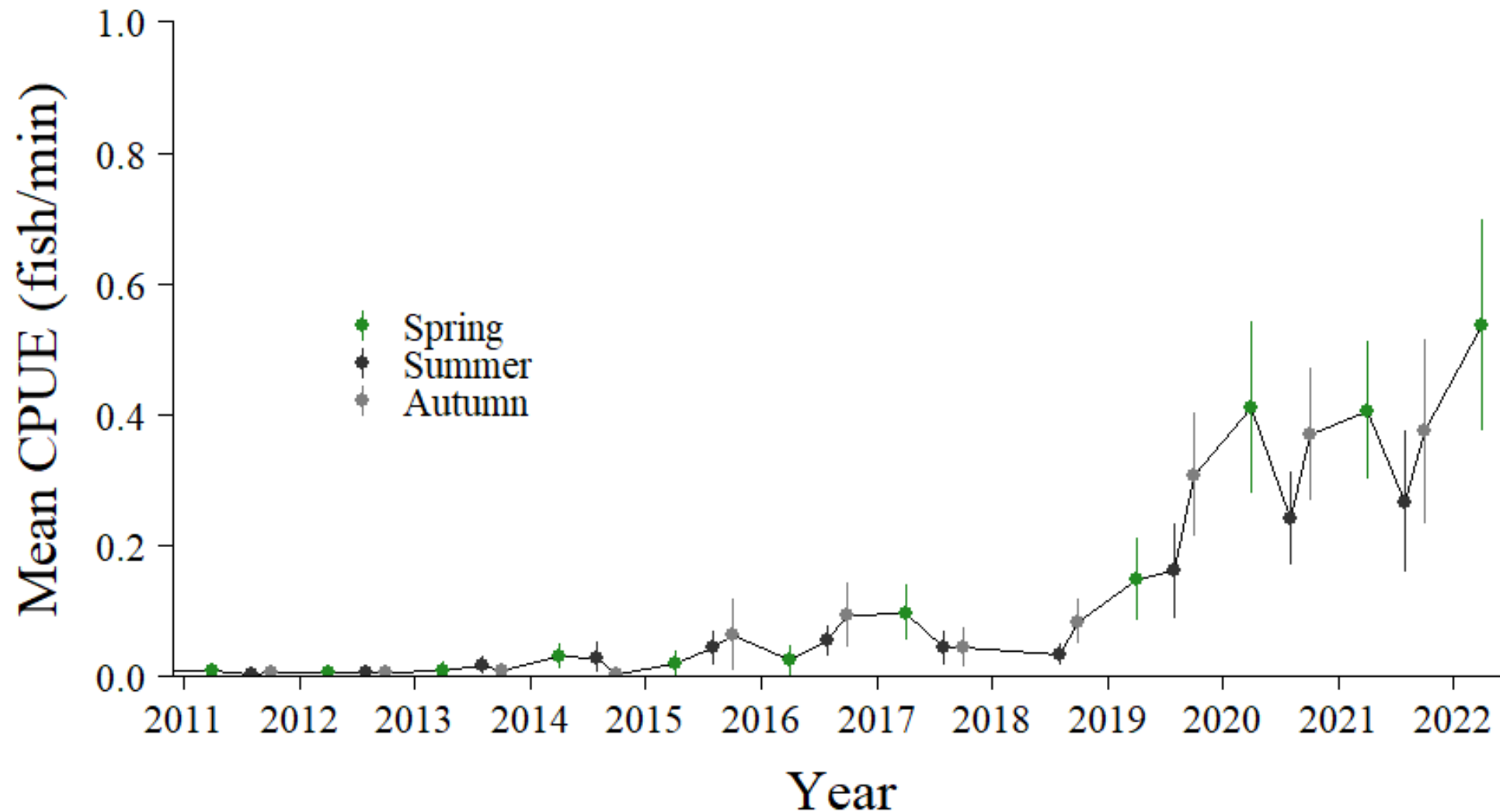
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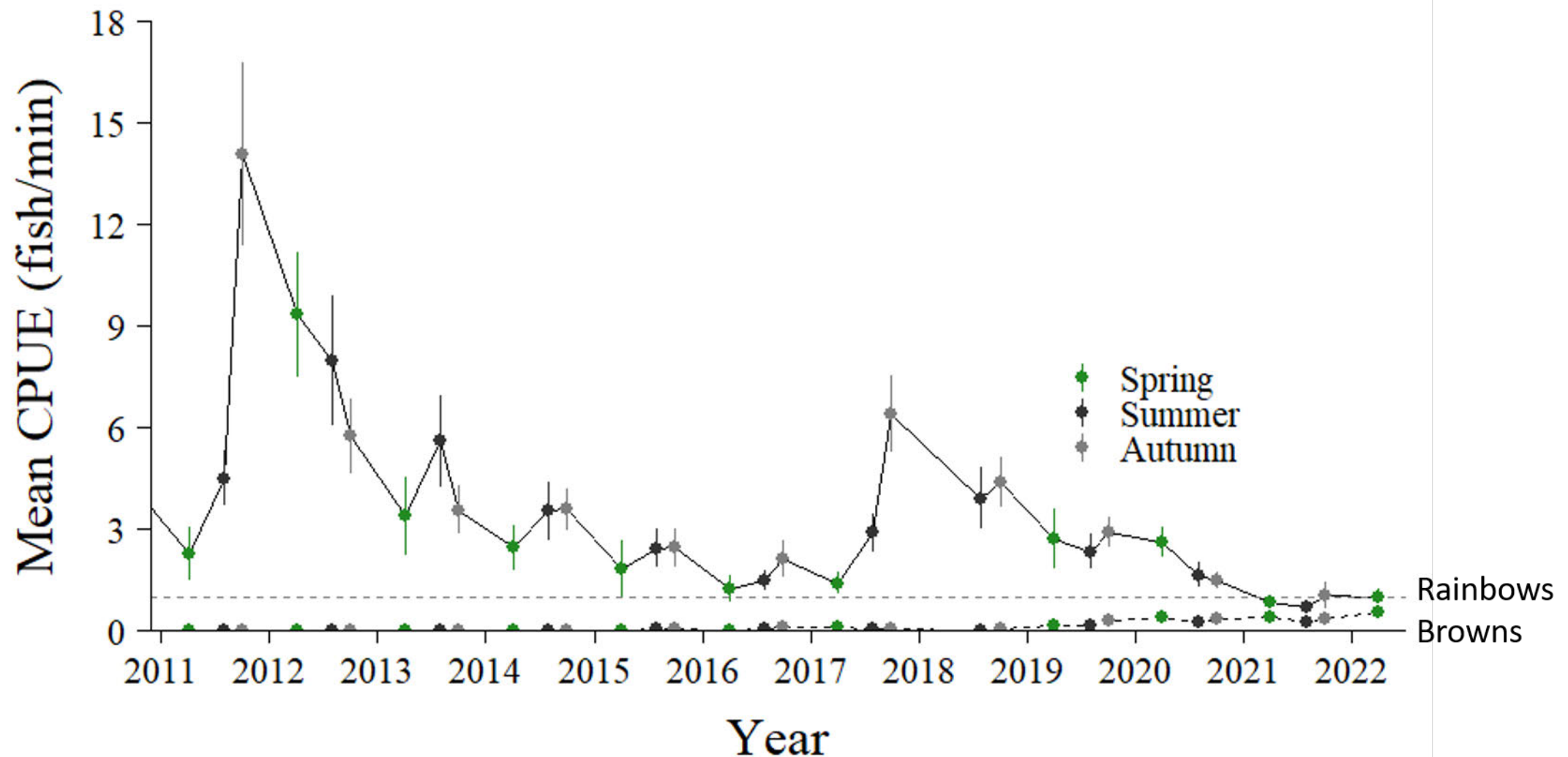
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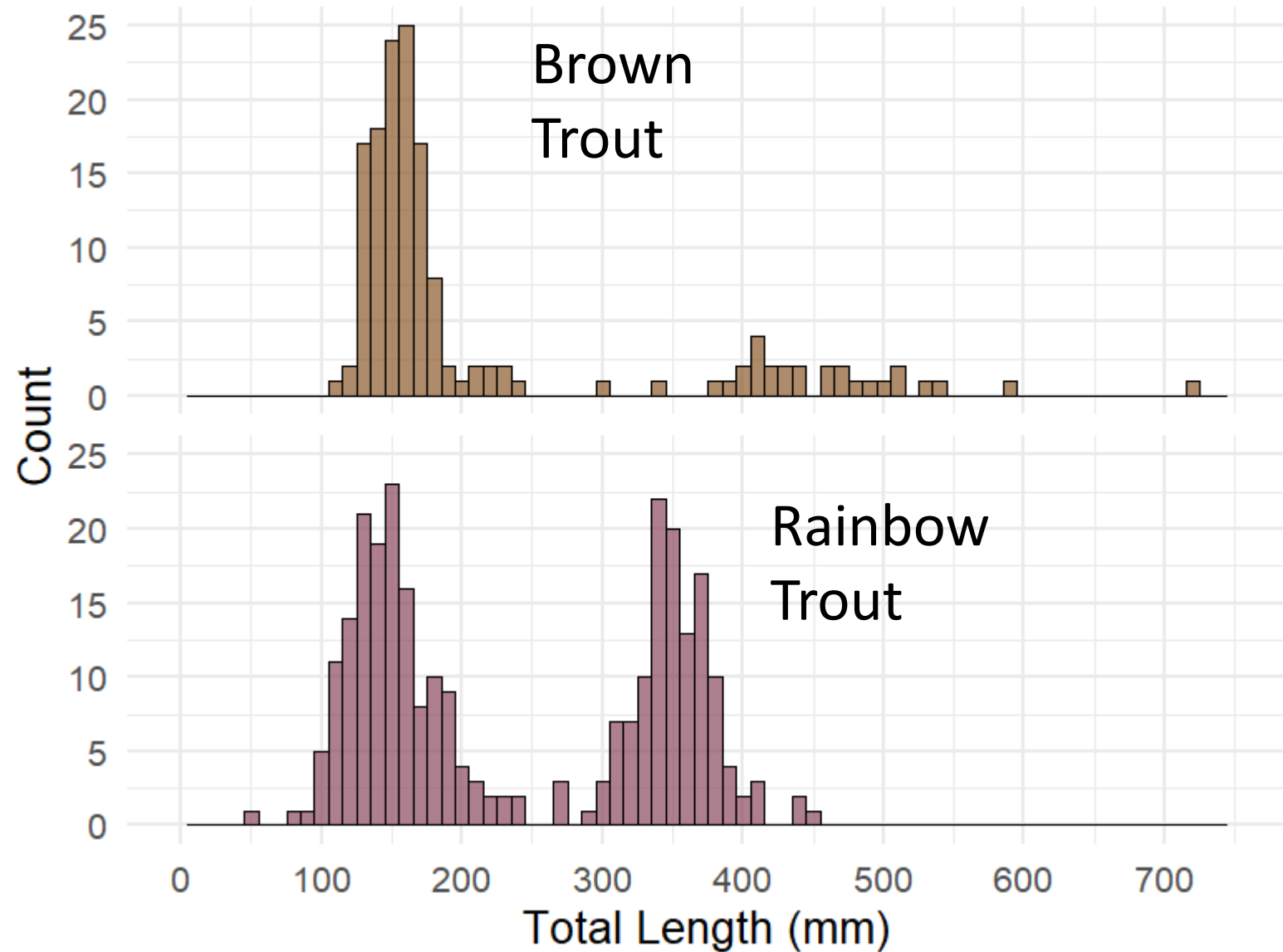
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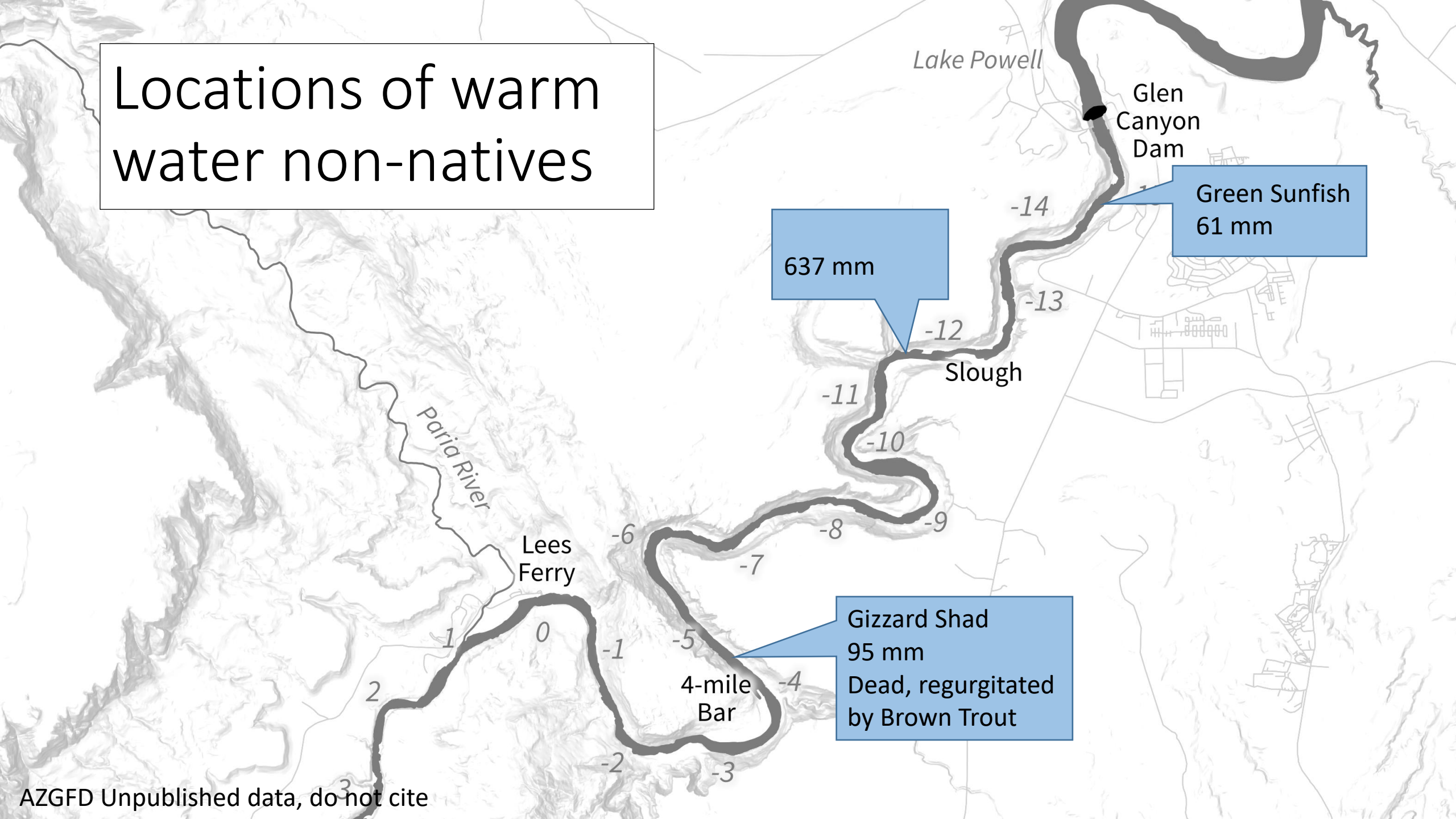
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# Spring 2022 trout size structure



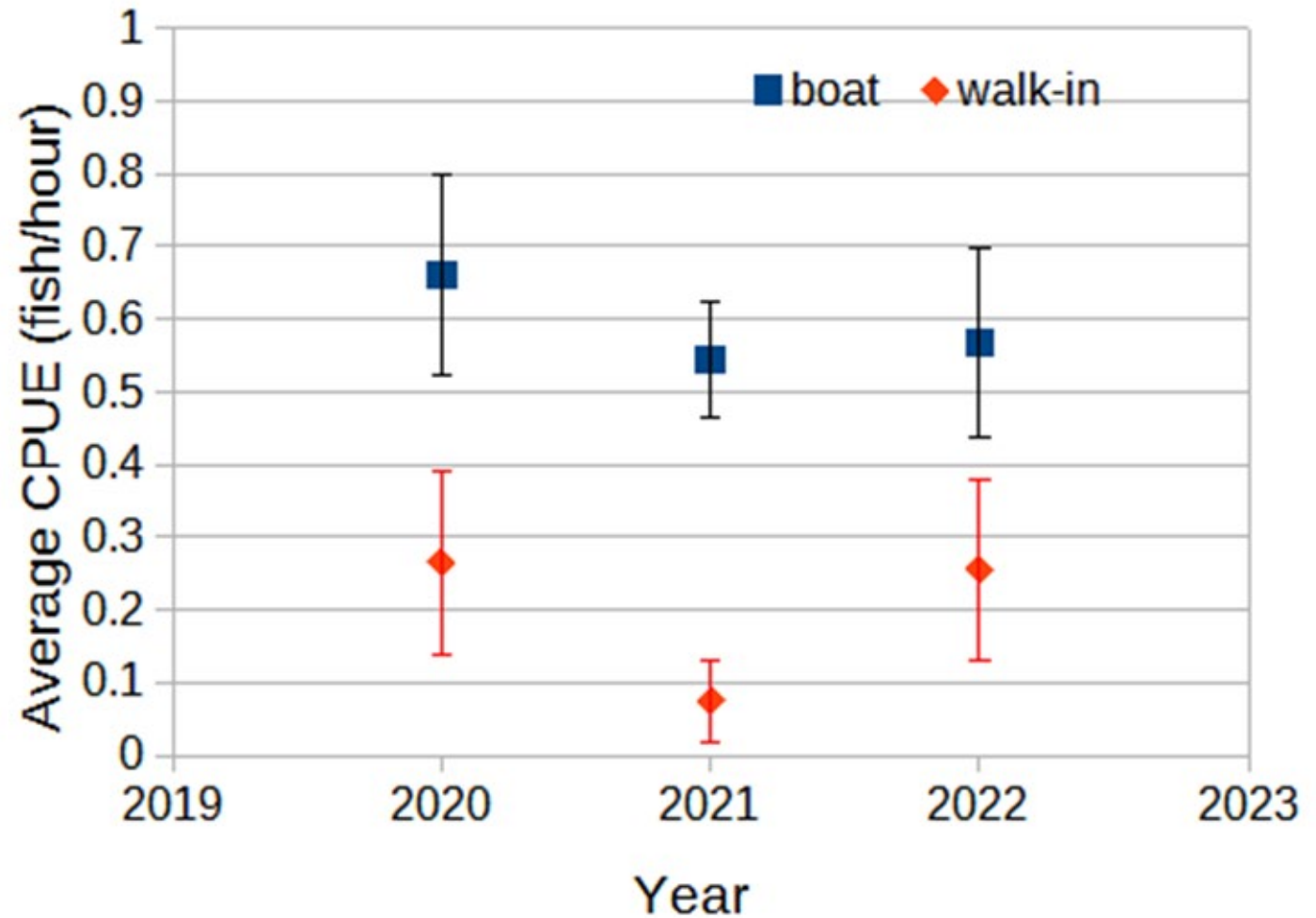
# Locations of warm water non-natives



# Creel Results 2022

- Boat
  - 118 anglers interviewed
  - RBT CPUE 0.568 [0.438, 0.697], 445 RBT captured total
  - 19 anglers caught 63 BNT, harvested 19
- Roving
  - 31 anglers interviewed
  - RBT CPUE 0.257 [0.132, 0.381], 36 RBT captured total
  - 2 anglers caught and harvested 4 BNT

# Spring (Jan-Mar) Angler Catch Rates





# General Conclusions

- Rainbow trout population low, but stable
- Brown trout increase in relative abundance
- Fishery is falling below our management goals
  - Relative abundance
  - Angler catch rates
- Future projections concerning
  - Dissolved oxygen
  - Increased temperatures
  - Affect growth, condition, and survival

