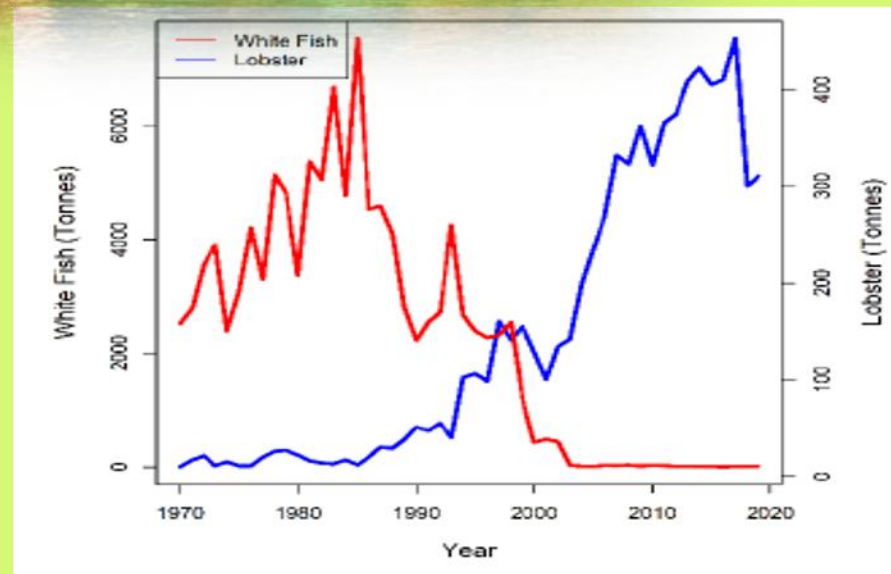


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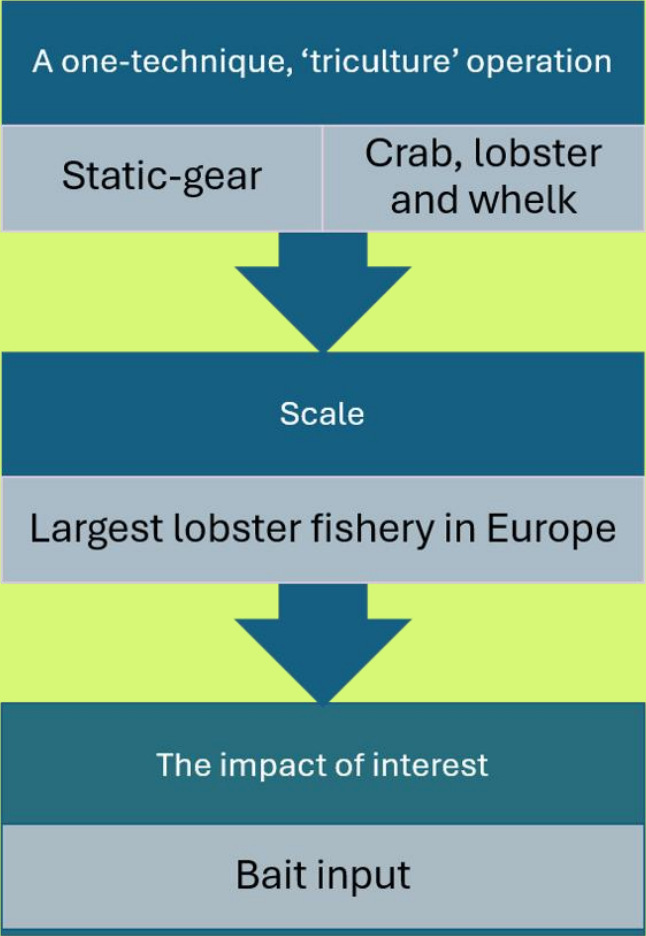


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The status quo....



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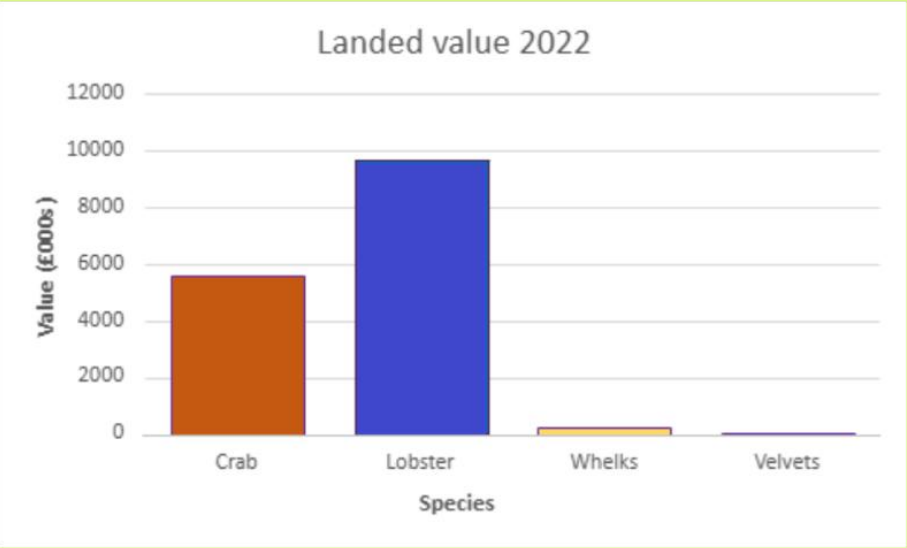
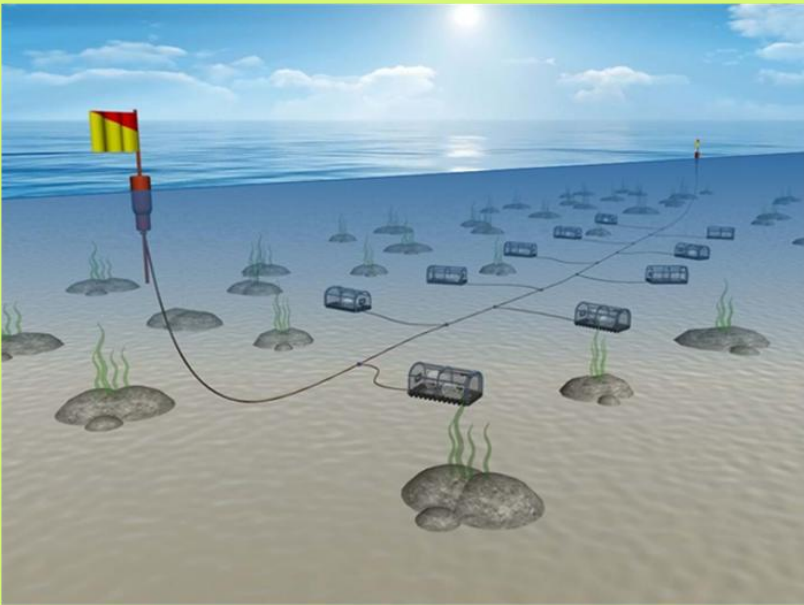
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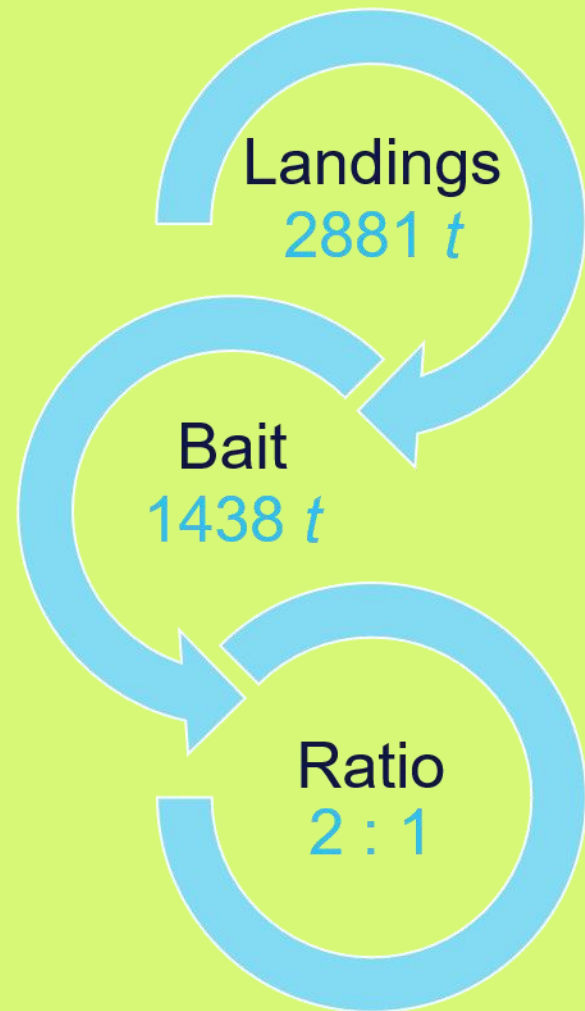


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(Nuyttens, 2006; FAO, 2007; Hiscock, 2008; Hillewaert, 2010)

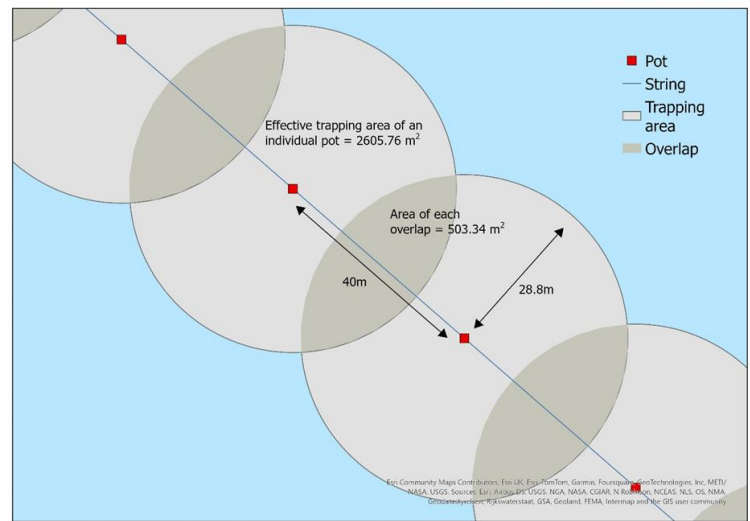
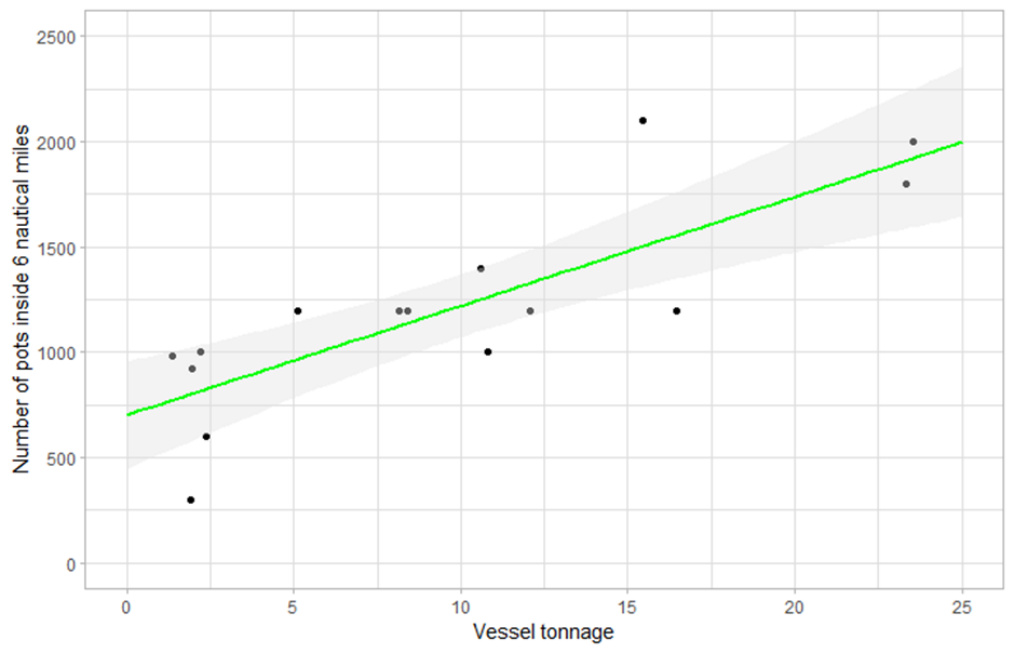
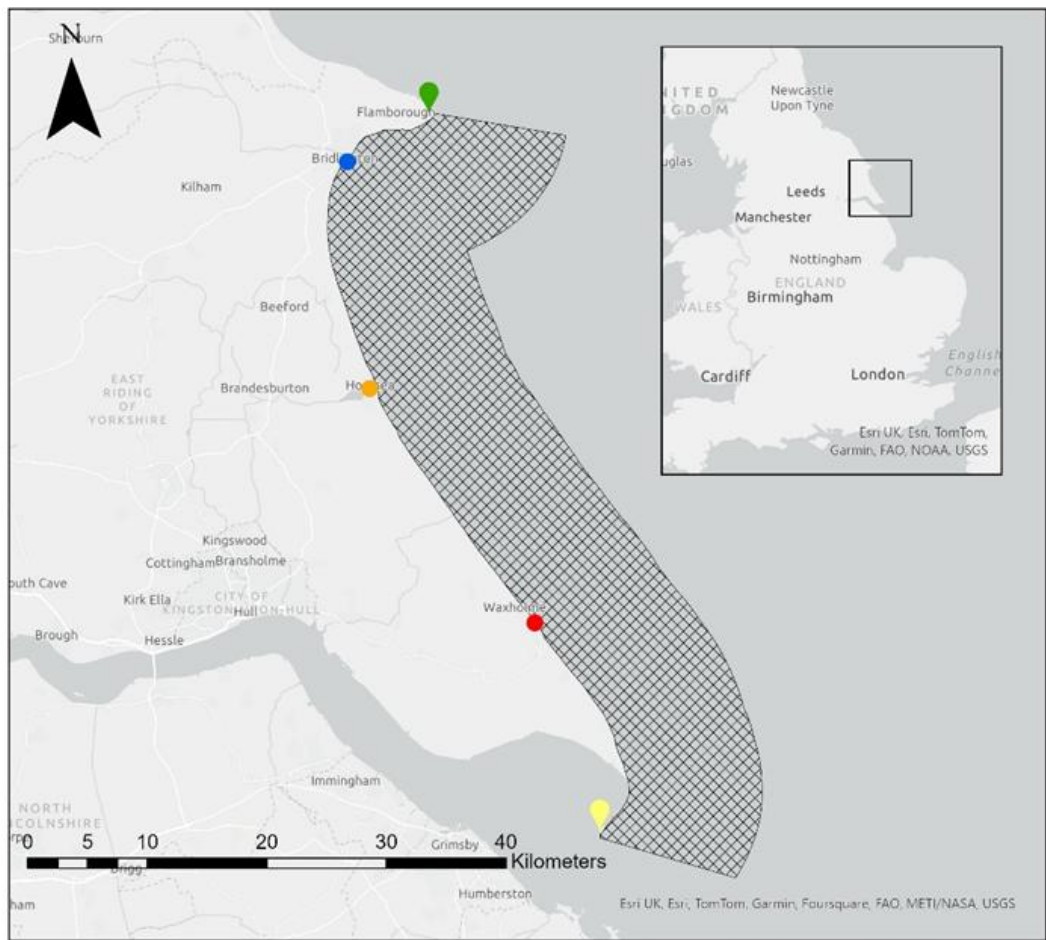
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A deeper dive....

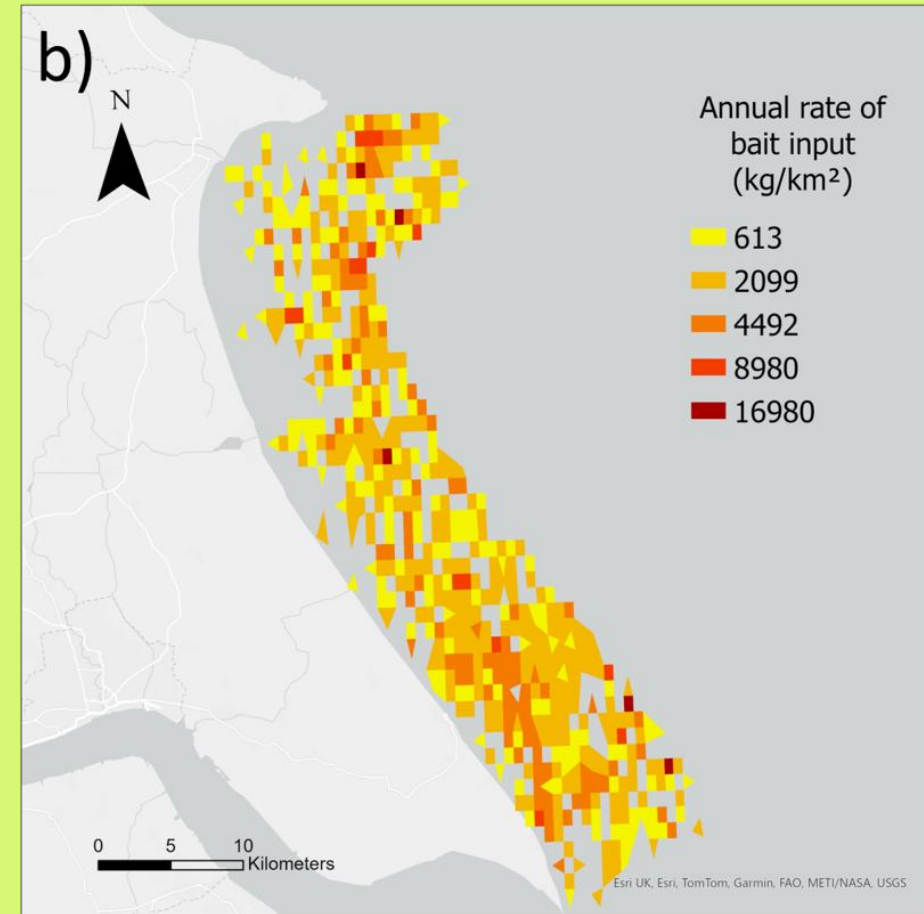
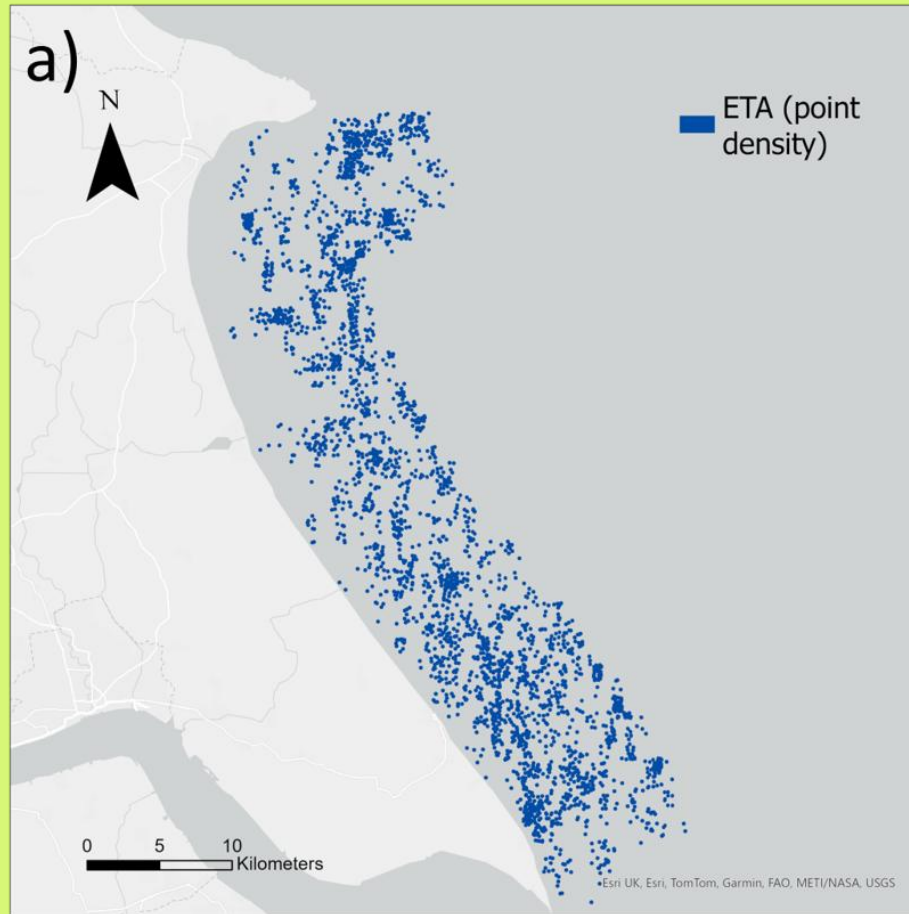
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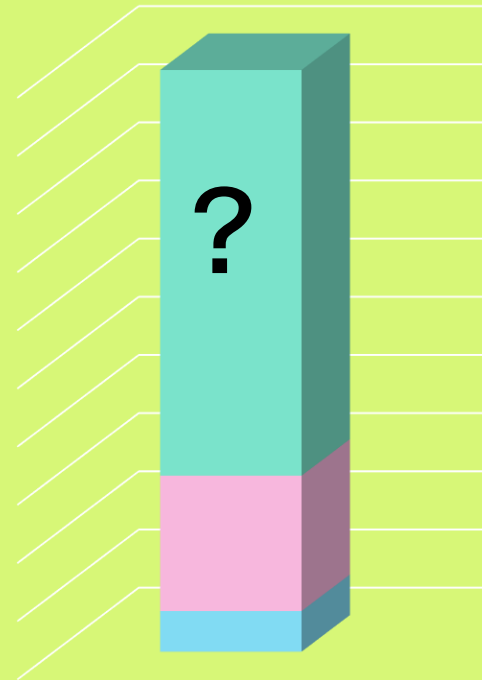
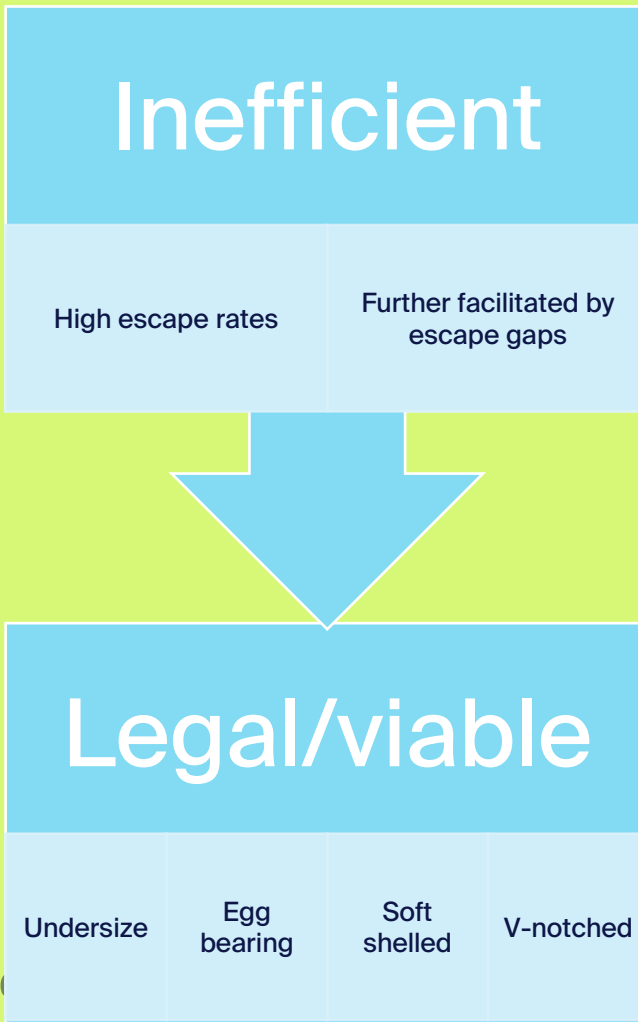
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Proportion of area subject to bait influence =

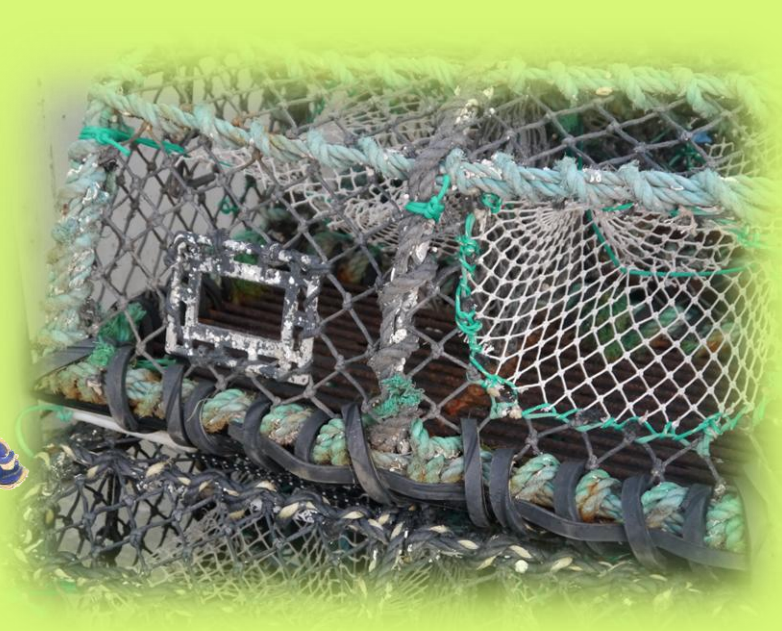
22.5%



Free meal ticket....



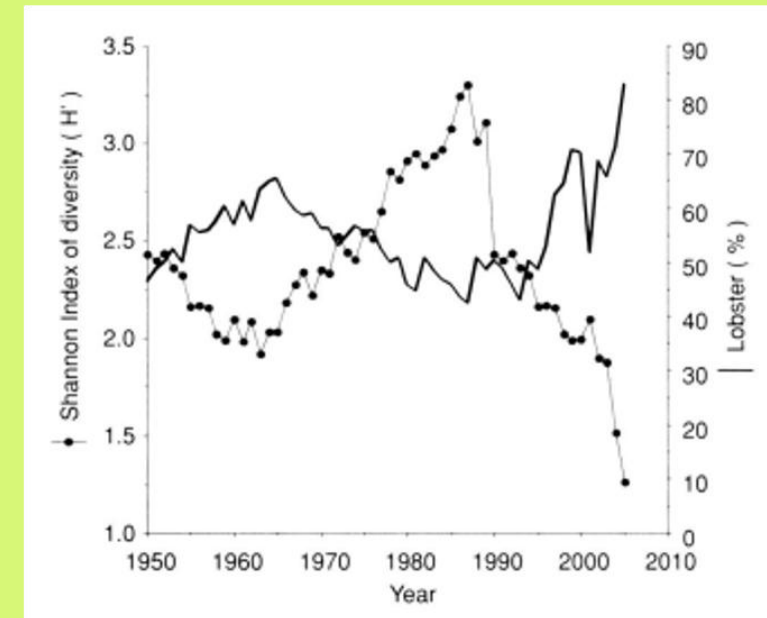
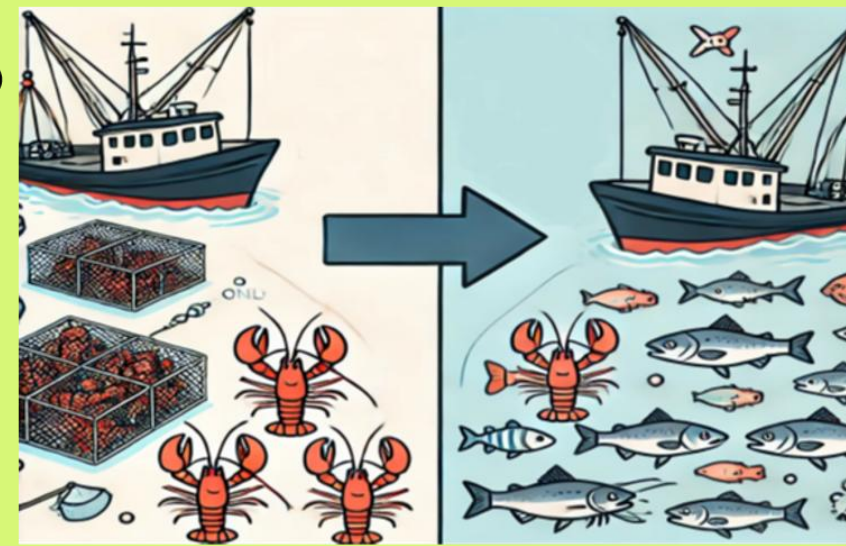
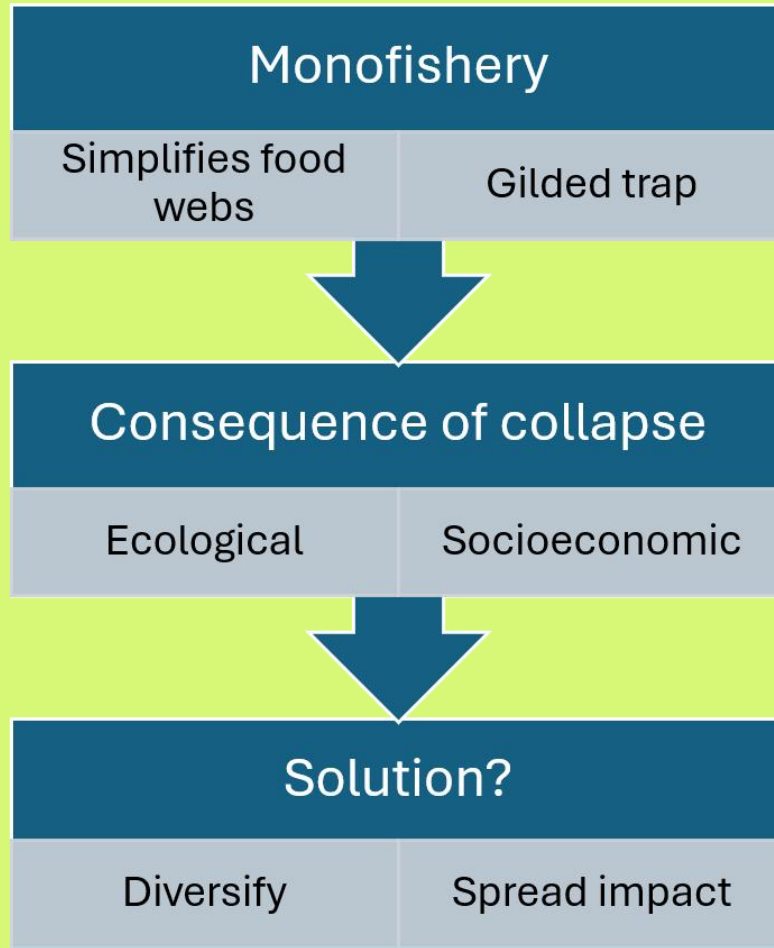
- Never reach deck
- Discarded
- Landed



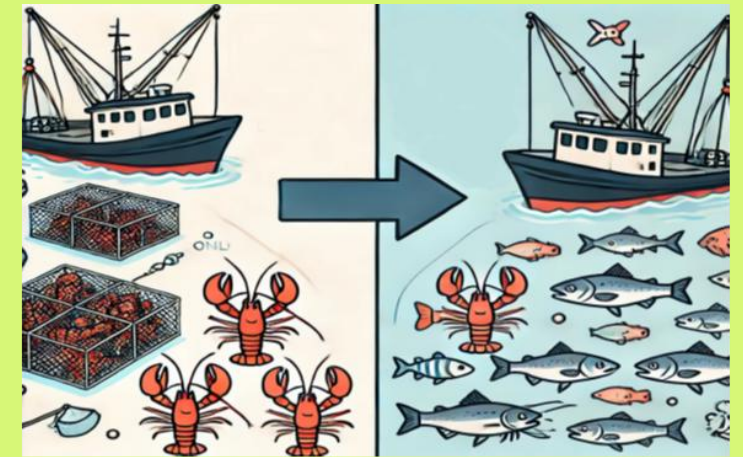
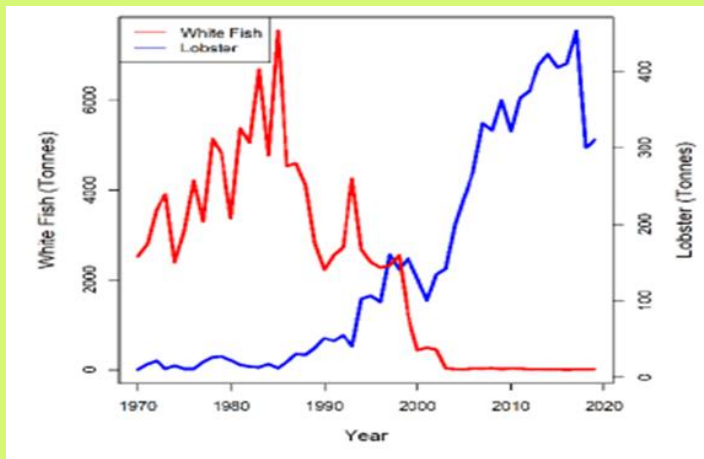
Lobster = 0.292

Crab = 0.287

All our eggs in one basket?



(Saila et al., 2002; Steneck et al., 2011)



Thank you for listening!