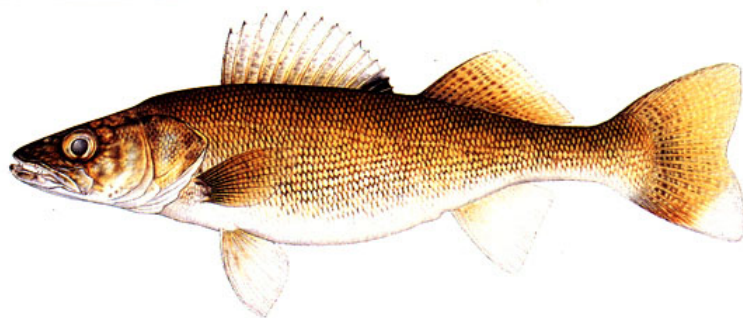


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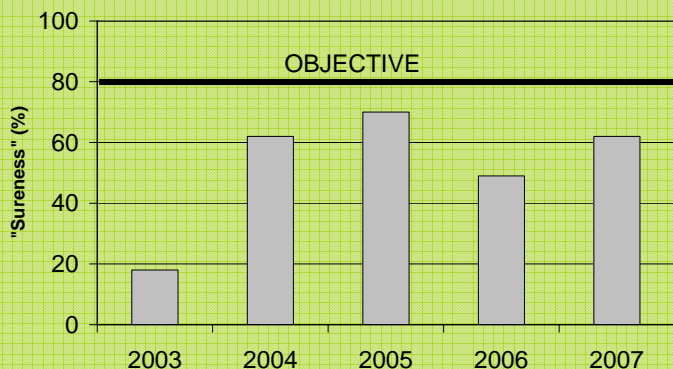


This update assesses if our management tactics are on track to achieve the 4 objectives for the Walleye population outlined in our Fisheries Management Plan. The last data review took place in 2004; we will conduct a broader, more formal review in 2010.



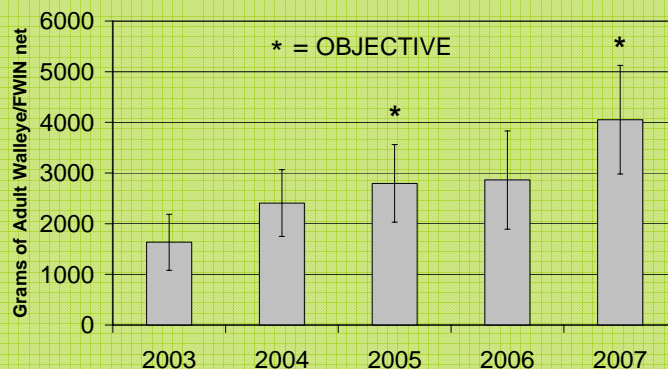
Objective #1: To be 80% sure there is a sustainable number of walleye greater than 30cm by 2010

Walleye >30cm



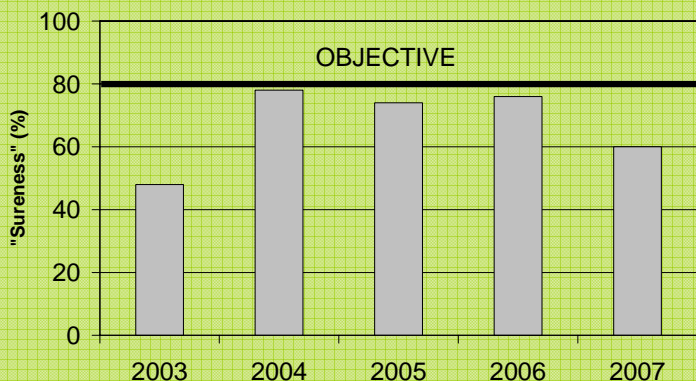
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Adult Walleye Weight



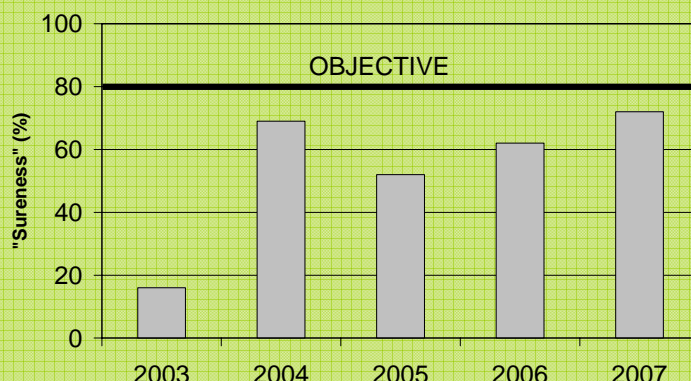
Objective #2: To be 80% sure the adult female walleye mortality (death) rate is sustainable from 2007-2010

Adult Female Walleye Mortality



Objective #4: To be 80% sure the total adult walleye mortality rate is no greater than 40% for each of the next 4 years (2007-2010)

Total Adult Walleye Mortality



Improvements in the walleye population have been observed since 2003; however it is uncertain whether we will meet all of our management objectives by 2010. At that time we will re-assess the status of the walleye population, the fishery, and our objectives.

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