

PENAEID SHRIMP MONITORING OFF THE
CENTRAL TEXAS COAST, 1977-1981

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ABSTRACT

From October 1977 through March 1981 the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's (TPWD) research vessel Western Gulf took 256 trawl samples in the Gulf of Mexico as part of a continuing program to monitor commercial penaeid shrimp stocks for movement, size and abundance. Night samples were collected off the central Texas coast during May-August at depths of 11-18, 20-27, 29-37 and 38-46 m. An additional transect out to a depth of 55 m was added in 1980 off the south Texas coast. Day samples were collected in 5-9, 11-18 and 20-27 m depth zones off Port Aransas and Pass Cavallo from October 1977 through March 1978 with supplementary samples from April 1978 to March 1981.

There was no indication of a major movement of brown shrimp (Penaeus aztecus) into the Gulf before the closed season in 1978, 1979 or 1980. During 1978 and 1980 emigrating brown shrimp were most abundant in the 11-18 m depth zone in June corresponding with the start of the 1 June-15 July Gulf closed season in Texas waters. Limited sampling during 1979 indicated that brown shrimp abundance was below average in all zones until August. Texas shrimp landings and TPWD shrimp samples were highest during 1978 and lowest during 1979. The mean size of brown shrimp generally increased with depth and all shrimp caught beyond 18 m met legal count (39/1b, heads-on) by August.

During 1980 brown shrimp were more abundant during May off south Texas (346/h) than off central Texas (16/h). Catch rates were generally high (1654-2868/h) in the 11-18 m zone in both areas from June through August.

White shrimp (P. setiferus) were most abundant during November and December. The mean sizes were smallest during December and January corresponding with the winter (15 December-1 February) closed season.

INTRODUCTION

In recent years the need for current information on the commercial penaeid shrimp (Penaeus aztecus, P. setiferus and P. duorarum) stocks of Texas has been re-emphasized by legislation at both the state and federal levels.

In Texas the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) Commission has the authority to set the summer closed shrimp season in the Gulf of Mexico. The closed season is ordinarily from 1 June to 15 July and allows a portion of the emigrating shrimp an opportunity to reach a larger size before harvest. In 1975 the Texas Shrimp Conservation Act was amended by the 64th Texas Legislature to provide greater flexibility in the management of penaeid shrimp resources. Chapter 77 of the Parks and Wildlife Code provides that the Parks and Wildlife Commission (or its Executive Director) may, based on sound biological data, change the opening and closing dates of the 1 June-15 July closed season to provide for an earlier, later or longer season not to exceed 60 days.

The Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976 (Public Law 94-265) established a 200-mi Fishery Conservation Zone (FCZ) around the United States and created eight regional management councils responsible for the preparation of plans to manage the fishery resources within this zone. Using the best available biological, sociological and economic data the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council developed a plan to manage shrimp in the FCZ in 1981. Measure 2 of the plan provided for a closure of the FCZ off Texas during the same period that Texas closes its territorial sea. By providing additional time and area for growth before harvest and by minimizing waste caused by discarding of undersized shrimp, this measure should increase the total yield of the shrimp harvest in both weight and value. As with all fishery plans developed by the regional councils, the Shrimp Management Plan will continue to be evaluated for effectiveness and updated or modified as needed.

The purpose of this study was to monitor penaeid shrimp in the Gulf of Mexico along the south-central coast of Texas for movement, growth and relative abundance to formulate management recommendations that result in the capture of larger, more valuable shrimp without excessive discarding of smaller shrimp. Specific objectives were:

- o to determine when the major movement of shrimp into the Gulf occurred,
- o to estimate the size of shrimp before, during and after the closed season and
- o to monitor the relative abundance of penaeid shrimp by month, depth zone and for the total sampling period.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

In October 1977 TPWD established a penaeid shrimp monitoring program in the Gulf of Mexico similar to that conducted during 1975-1977 (Cody et al. 1978). Samples were collected along transects off the central and south Texas coast between Pass Cavallo and Port Mansfield (Figure 1).

Although sampling design changed during the study the basic program remained the same (Cody and Rice 1979, Cody and Avent 1980). Night samples were collected from May through August to monitor brown shrimp (Penaeus aztecus) emigration from the bays and size and relative abundance during the summer closed season in the Gulf. Samples were collected off Port Aransas during 1978, 1979 and 1980 and off Port Mansfield during 1980. The depth zones sampled were 11-18, 20-27, 29-37 and 38-46 m off Port Aransas and Port Mansfield, with an additional zone (48-55 m) off Port Mansfield.

Day samples were collected mainly from November through February to monitor white shrimp (P. setiferus) emigration from the bays and size and relative abundance during the winter (16 December-1 February) closed season in the Gulf. Samples were collected off Pass Cavallo during 1977-78 and off Port Aransas during 1977-78, 1978-79, 1979-80 and 1980-81. The depth zones sampled were 5-9, 11-18 and 20-27 m during 1977-78 and 5-9 and 11-18 m during 1978-79, 1979-80 and 1980-81. Supplemental day samples were also collected during other months.

Sampling was conducted aboard the research vessel Western Gulf, a 21.9-m steel-hull shrimp trawler operated out of TPWD's Marine Laboratory at Rockport. Shrimp samples were collected with a 13.7-m wide otter trawl with 5.1-cm stretched mesh. Nets were equipped with tickler chains and were spread by wooden doors 0.9 m high and 2.1 m long.

Bottom trawling time ranged from 10 to 60 min. Samples were processed on the afterdeck of the Western Gulf after each trawl by culling shrimp from the catch and dividing the shrimp into groups according to species. For each species, all shrimp were divided by sex and weighed en masse if <50 shrimp were captured; individual shrimp were then measured. If >50 shrimp of one species were caught a subsample of at least 50 shrimp was divided by sex, weighed en masse and individually measured. The remainder of this species was weighed and a ratio used to estimate the total number of shrimp caught.

Weights were measured to the nearest 10 g using platform scales. Total lengths of individual shrimp were measured to the nearest mm. Bottom and surface hydrological data were taken at each sample station and were accurate to $\pm 1^{\circ}\text{C}$ and $\pm 1\text{o/o}$. Bottom water samples were taken with a Nansen bottle. An A.O. refractometer was used to determine salinities. Standard lab-grade thermometers were used to determine temperatures. Station locations were estimated using LORAN-A station 3H3 and depth.

In Texas the minimum commercial legal size for penaeid shrimp is 86 whole shrimp per kg (39/lb) or 143 tails per kg (65/lb). Throughout this report the term "count" refers to the number of whole shrimp per lb and "legal-count" refers to shrimp counts $>86/\text{kg}$ (39/lb heads-on). Shrimp with a mean size $\geq 110 \text{ mm}$ approximate legal count (Fontaine 1971).

RESULTS

From October 1977 through March 1981, 256 shrimp trawl samples were collected in the Gulf of Mexico (Appendix A).

Brown Shrimp--Night Samples

1978--May to August Season, Port Aransas

Mean catch rates were highest during June (3523/h) in the 11-18 m depth zone and during June (2330/h) and July (3984/h) in the 20-27 m depth zone (Table 1). The mean catch rate for all samples combined was $14.33 \pm 2.38 \text{ kg/h}$ (Figure 2).

Mean sizes were $< 110 \text{ mm}$ in the 11-18, 20-27 and 29-37 m depth zones from May through July (Figure 3). By August mean sizes were $\geq 115 \text{ mm}$ in all zones except 11-18 m.

1979--May to August Season, Port Aransas

The highest mean catch rates of the season occurred during July (1560/h) in the 20-27 m depth zone and August (4675/h) in the 11-18 m zone (Table 1). The mean catch rate for all samples combined was $6.48 \pm 2.04 \text{ kg/h}$ (Figure 2).

The mean sizes were $< 110 \text{ mm}$ in the 11-18 m depth zone during May, July and August and in the 20-27 m zone during July (Figure 3). The mean sizes in the 29-37 and 38-46 m zones exceeded 120 mm throughout the season.

1980--May to August Season, Port Aransas

Mean catch rates were highest during June (2607/h) and July (2342/h) in the 11-18 m depth zone (Table 1). No other monthly mean catch rates exceeded 2000/h. The mean catch rate for all samples combined was $9.28 \pm 2.12 \text{ kg/h}$ (Figure 2).

Mean sizes were $< 110 \text{ mm}$ in the 11-18 m depth zone throughout the season and in the 20-27 m zone and 29-37 m zone during June (Figure 3). By August mean sizes were $> 120 \text{ mm}$ in all zones except 11-18 m.

1980--May to August Season, Port Mansfield

Highest catch rates for the season occurred in 11-18 m depth zone during July (2868/h) and August (2710/h) and in the 29-37 m zone during July (2308/h) (Table 2). Mean catch rates for all samples combined were $716 \pm 201/h$ and $8.20 \pm 2.16 \text{ kg}/h$.

During May, June and July mean sizes ranged from 72 to 78 mm in the 11-18 m depth zone and 90 to 98 mm in the 20-27 m zone (Table 2). By August mean sizes were >110 mm in all depth zones.

Brown shrimp did not meet legal count in the 11-18 m depth zone and the 20-27 m zone from May through July. The highest counts within the season occurred in the 11-18 m zone during May (207/1b) and July (113/1b). By August all samples exceeded legal count.

White Shrimp and Pink Shrimp--1980 Night Trawls

During 1980 white shrimp were collected in eight samples off Port Aransas and in three samples off Port Mansfield (Appendix B, Table 3). The highest catch rates occurred at 15 m off Port Aransas during June (222/h, 8.74 kg/h). At no other time did the catch exceed 28/h or 0.86 kg/h. Mean sizes ranged from 129 to 194 mm and counts ranged from 6 to 23/1b.

During 1980 pink shrimp (*P. duorarum*) were collected in 13 samples off Port Aransas and in seven samples off Port Mansfield (Appendix B, Table 3). The only catches over 100/h or 1 kg/h occurred off Port Mansfield. Highest catch rates occurred during late May at 11 m (174/h) and 20 m (238/h). Mean sizes ranged from 80 to 172 mm and count sizes ranged from 10 to 101/1b.

White Shrimp--Day Trawls

1977-1978--November to February Season

Mean catch rates were highest during November (479/h) and December (532/h) in the 5-9 m depth zone and during December (464/h) in the 11-18 m zone (Table 3). All other catch rates were <400/h. The mean catch rate for all samples combined was $4.20 \pm 0.78 \text{ kg}/h$ (Figure 4).

Mean sizes were <110 mm during January and February in the 5-9 m depth zone and during February in the 11-18 m zone. Shrimp approached or exceeded legal count at all other times (Table 3).

1978-1979--November to February Season

The highest mean catch rates occurred during November (2605/h) and December (2556/h) in the 5-9 m depth zone (Table 3). Catch rates did not exceed 400/h during any other sampling period. The mean catch rate for all samples combined was 8.89 ± 3.86 kg/h (Figure 4).

Mean sizes were <110 mm during November and December in the 5-9 m depth zone and during January in the 11-18 m zone. These were the only months during which white shrimp did not meet legal count (Table 3).

1979-1980--November to February Season

Mean catch rates were highest during December in the 5-9 m depth zone (1128/h) and the 11-18 m zone (716/h) (Table 3). The mean catch rate for all samples combined was 3.47 ± 0.66 kg/h (Figure 4).

Mean sizes were <110 mm in the 5-9 m depth zone during December, January and February and in the 11-18 m zone during December. Shrimp did not meet legal count in the 5-9 m zone during the November-February season (Table 3).

Brown shrimp outnumbered white shrimp in day samples only twice during December 1979-July 1980 (Appendix C, Table 3). On 5 June 1980 brown shrimp and white shrimp were collected at rates of 252 and 44/h, respectively. On 25 June the brown shrimp catch was 1788/h, the white shrimp catch was 444/h, and the pink shrimp catch was 76/h.

1980-1981--November to March Season

Mean catch rates were highest during December (238/h) in the 5-9 m depth zone and during November (204/h) in 11-18 m zone (Table 3). Mean catch rates for all samples combined were 195 ± 39 /h and 2.48 ± 0.50 kg/h (Figure 4).

Mean sizes were <110 mm only during February in the 11-18 m depth zone. White shrimp did not meet legal count during November in 5-9 m and during February in the 11-18 m zone (Table 3).

During the November 1980-March 1981 season brown shrimp outnumbered white shrimp in day samples only once--on 30 March 1981 at 7 m the brown shrimp catch was 12/h and the white shrimp catch was 6/h (Appendix C, Table 4).

DISCUSSION

During 1978 and 1980, sampling indicated that the Texas closed season from 1 June through 15 July protected the largest number of undersize brown shrimp within the State's territorial sea. During 1979 the major movement of small brown shrimp did not appear in the samples until August; however, this may not have been representative of actual conditions on the shrimp grounds since two of the three cruises scheduled during the closed season were cancelled because of bad weather and mechanical breakdowns. Because of these sampling problems, an earlier emigration of brown shrimp during 1979 may have been missed. Catch rates in Aransas Bay indicated the major movement of brown shrimp into the Gulf occurred during the 1979 closed season (Benefield and Baker 1980). There was no indication of a major movement into the Gulf before the 1 June closing date during 1978, 1979 or 1980.

In general the mean size of brown shrimp increased with depth during the May-August season. With the exception of June 1979 when the catch rate was extremely low (4/h) monthly mean sizes of brown shrimp in the 11-18 m depth zone were <110 mm and did not meet legal count. However, even after the season opens (generally on 16 July) these small shrimp are still protected by a law that closes Gulf waters within the 12.8 m (7 fm) depth zone at night year-round. Also, after June, shrimp are available in deeper waters and fishing pressure on small shrimp in the shallower waters is diminished. Beyond 27 m brown shrimp nearly always approached or exceeded legal count.

During 1980 count size was generally higher (indicating a smaller mean size of shrimp) off Port Mansfield than off Port Aransas.

Catches of white shrimp and pink shrimp had little effect on overall catch rates or mean size of mixed penaeids during 1980. Only three times was count changed from non-legal (for brown shrimp only) to legal status (for all species combined) by the addition of white shrimp and pink shrimp to the brown shrimp catch.

Monthly catch rates by depth zones for brown shrimp indicated a great deal of variation between years. Much of the variation was probably due to natural changes in the amount of shrimp available and the movement patterns induced by environmental conditions. Other factors that may also have contributed to this apparent variation between years are changes in the sampling program that have led to uneven sample sizes and non-randomly selected stations.

Total Texas shrimp landings showed the same general pattern of relative abundance as the mean catch (kg/h) in TPWD samples for 1978-1980. Total landings and TPWD catch rates were highest during 1978, lowest during 1979 and intermediate during 1980. A similar pattern was also evident in the 29-37 and 38-46 m zones.

White shrimp samples indicated that the major movement of white shrimp into the Gulf of Mexico occurred during November and December 1977-81. With the exception of the 1980-81 season (which may have been affected by Hurricane Allen during August 1980), most white shrimp caught during November approached or exceeded legal count while those caught during December and January failed to meet legal count. These data indicated that closing the Gulf season from 16 December through 1 February protected part of the white shrimp population that emigrated to the Gulf during the winter from the bays along the central Texas coast.

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Table 1. Trends in relative abundance and size, by month and depth, of brown shrimp (*Penaeus aztecus*) collected in night samples with a 13.7-m otter trawl in the Gulf of Mexico off the central Texas coast (1976-80).^a

Month	Year	Depth zones											
		11-18 m (6-10 fm)		20-27 m (11-15 fm)		29-37 m (16-20 fm)		38-46 m (21-25 fm)					
		Kg/h	No./h	Mean (mm)	Kg/h	No./h	Mean (mm)	Kg/h	No./h	Mean (mm)			
May	1976	9.58	1890	88	5.75	663	100	1.10	42	145	1.44	43	149
	1977 ^b	3.42	681	88	3.50	457	99	3.61	359	118	2.73	139	130
1978 ^b	8.48	1262	92	12.04	1472	99	0.56	44	110	1.02	34	146	9
1979	3.18	505	91	0.81	45	121	0.68	19	154	0.87	21	160	160
1980 ^b	0.16	16	95	0.34	14	136	0.52	18	151	1.70	48	156	156
June	1976	3.77	432	99	27.53	3714	96	6.55	537	111	2.84	205	117
	1977	9.09	1155	95	14.33	1298	106	9.58	1046	102	3.91	186	135
1978	20.68	3523	88	20.92	2330	100	7.82	699	108	7.07	604	108	108
1979 ^b	0.08	4	135	4.80	358	120	1.42	94	122	1.74	80	132	132
1980	24.80	2607	104	14.16	1558	95	8.50	754	109	1.60	91	130	130
July	1976	22.76	2524	103	26.91	2333	110	23.87	2513	104	16.18	1225	119
	1977	31.67	2784	108	15.67	1418	114	26.14	2321	107	35.92	2611	115
1978	8.96	1112	97	35.48	3984	98	12.60	1126	109	18.16	1400	115	115
1979 ^b	9.30	850	109	16.34	1560	109	5.31	342	121	1.88	108	128	128
1980	19.26	2342	95	5.42	393	116	9.28	595	123	7.19	411	123	123
August	1976	3.77	459	100	ND	-	-	ND	-	ND	-	-	-
	1977	4.50	598	96	14.92	968	122	24.31	1539	120	22.14	1681	111
1978	1.85	215	99	7.65	498	120	3.24	236	115	10.01	636	120	120
1979	34.16	4675	92	10.08	749	115	5.04	269	130	4.82	214	137	137
1980	15.35	1654	98	8.37	463	122	4.08	167	135	8.98	337	139	139

^a 1976 & 1977 samples were taken off Port Aransas, Corpus Christi Pass, Cedar Bayou, and Pass Cavallo; 1978 samples were taken off Port Aransas and Cedar Bayou, and 1979 and 1980 samples were taken off Port Aransas only.

^b Samples taken last two days of the month only.

ND = No Data

Table 2 . Abundance and size of brown shrimp (Penaeus aztecus) in night shrimp trawls off Port Mansfield, Texas (May-August 1980).

Sampling period			Depth zones											
Month	Day	Year	11-18 m			(6-10 fm)			20-27 m			(11-15 fm)		
			No. ^a	range (mm)	mean (mm)	ct. ^b	No./h	kg/h	No.	range (mm)	mean (mm)	ct.	No./h	kg/h
May	20-21	1980	1	57-142	72	207	346	0.76	1	72-133	90	71	616	3.94
June	17-18	1980	1	62-114	76	82	80	0.44	1	65-135	90	57	1186	9.44
July	23-24	1980	1	62-128	78	113	2868	11.48	1	73-128	98	47	984	9.48
August	25-26	1980	1	78-144	113	32	2710	39.01	1	100-173	131	23	990	19.20

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29-37 m			Depth zones (cont'd.)						16-20 fm			38-46 m			21-25 fm		
No.	range (mm)	mean (mm)	16-20 fm			38-46 m			21-25 fm			48-55 m			26-30 fm		
			ct.	No./h	kg/h	No.	range (mm)	mean (mm)	ct.	No./h	kg/h	No.	range (mm)	mean (mm)	ct.	No./h	kg/h
1	79-180	137	18	200	5.02	1	152-177	167	10	44	1.96	1	134-188	169	11	32	1.36
1	82-198	114	48	414	3.98	1	110-194	158	13	40	1.40	1	142-158	150	9	8	0.42
1	83-142	108	41	2308	25.40	1	96-176	120	30	480	7.20	1	123-192	150	15	140	4.20
1	105-184	135	23	482	9.66	1	101-176	137	20	280	6.46	1	109-183	146	16	118	3.32

a Number of samples

b Count is the number of shrimp per pound (heads-on)

Table 3. Trends in relative abundance and count size by month and depth of white shrimp (Penaeus setiferus) collected in day samples with a 13.7-m otter trawl in the Gulf of Mexico off the central Texas coast (1975-1981).

Month	Year	Depth zones										Mean Count (mm)	Mean Count (mm)	Mean Count (mm)			
		5-9 m (3-5 fm)					11-18 m (6-10 fm)										
		Kg/h	No./h	Mean (mm)	Count ^a	Kg/h	No./h	Mean (mm)	Count	Kg/h	No./h						
November	1975	4.35	479	108	50	6.86	438	122	29	0.45	22	145	22	22			
	1976	9.37	790	116	38	6.98	363	132	24	0.04	2	145	22	22			
	1977	7.57	479	124	29	6.74	394	132	27	2.34	83	151	16	16			
	1978	26.31	2605	107	45	4.28	388	110	41	4.28	196	138	21	21			
	ND					ND				ND							
	1979																
	1980	2.28	276	112	55	3.18	204	126	29	ND							
December	1975	5.09	974	91	89	5.32	577	113	49	2.33	116	147	23	23			
	1976	4.22	504	105	54	1.15	92	118	36	0.39	28	122	33	33			
	1977	5.61	532	114	43	6.13	464	119	34	2.96	137	142	21	21			
	1978	20.87	2556	103	56	1.74	132	120	34	2.59	130	135	23	23			
	ND					ND				ND							
	1979																
	1980	2.76	238	113	39	1.32	114	114	39	ND							
January	1976	4.12	578	102	64	0.67	60	117	41	0.29	12	145	19	19			
	1977	0.43	67	102	71	0.65	53	118	37	0.18	6	152	15	15			
	1978	0.15	26	85	79	ND				ND							
	ND					ND				ND							
	1979																
	1980	1.58	238	97	68	1.92	148	118	35	ND							
	1981	1.38	108	110	36	0.42	27	117	29	ND							
February	1976	2.61	183	120	32	1.45	81	127	25	1.02	28	159	12	12			
	1977	1.39	174	102	57	0.92	85	115	42	0.34	14	140	19	19			
	1978	0.42	78	91	84	3.10	323	105	47	4.10	297	120	33	33			
	ND					ND				ND							
	1979																
	1980	3.76	389	105	47	4.46	422	113	40	ND							
	1981	0.09	6	118	30	3.12	291	108	42	ND							

^aCount = Number per pound (heads-on).

ND = No Data

Figure 1. Penaeid shrimp sampling areas off the coast of Texas (1977-1981).

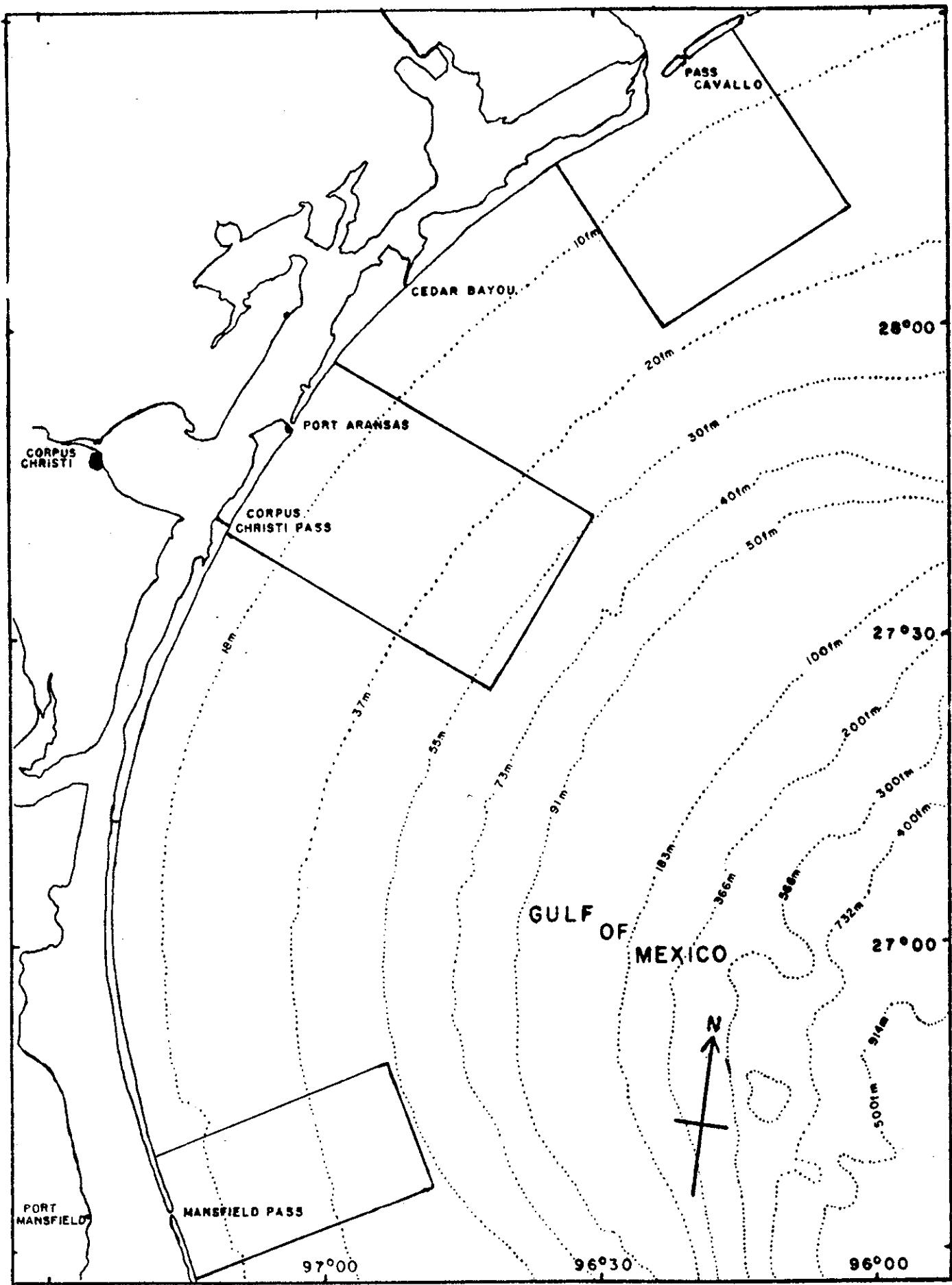


Figure 2. Total Texas landings and seasonal catch rates for brown shrimp (Penaeus aztecus) collected during May-August off the central Texas coast.

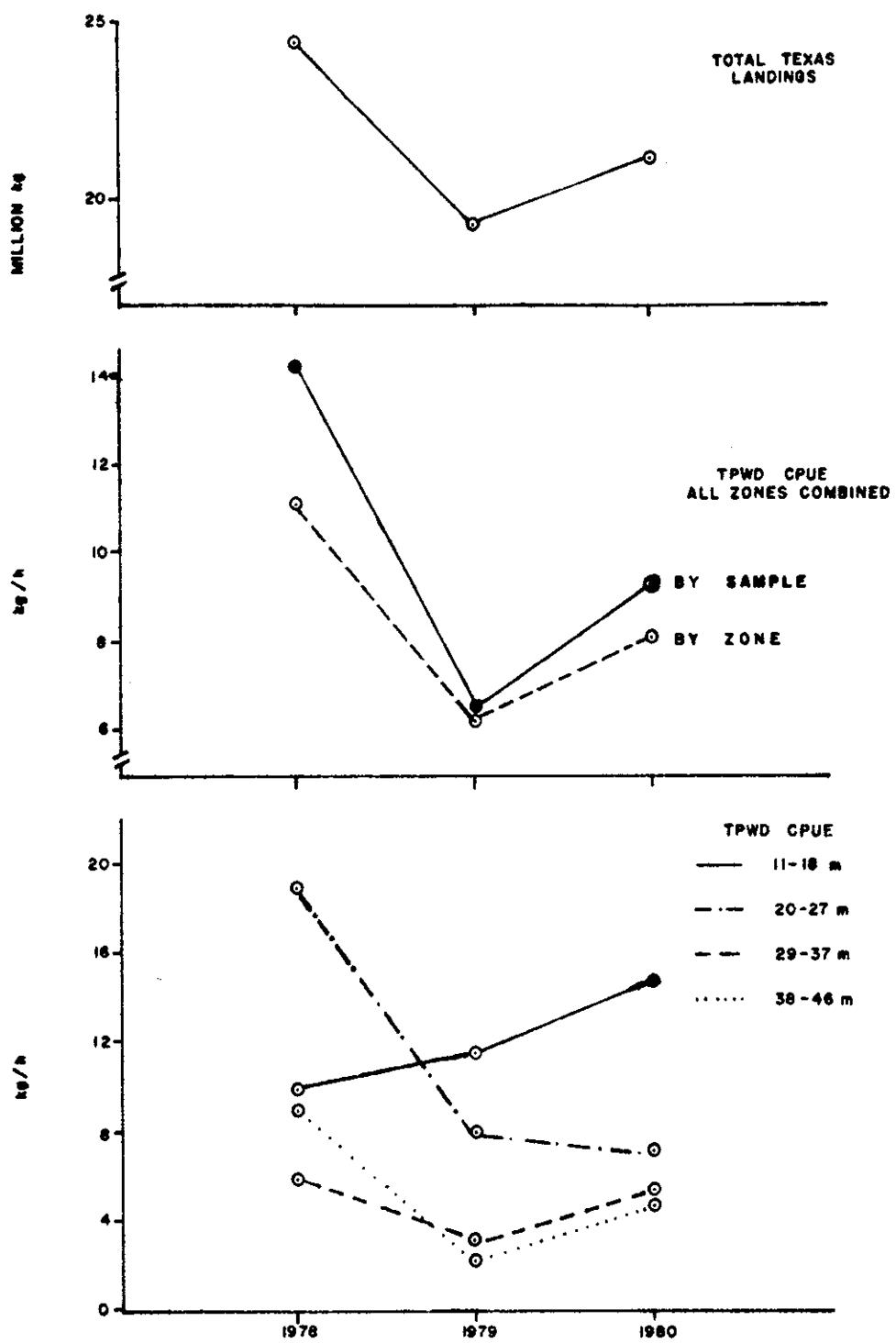


Figure 3. Mean size of brown shrimp (Penaeus aztecus) by month and depth in night shrimp trawl samples taken off the central Texas coast.

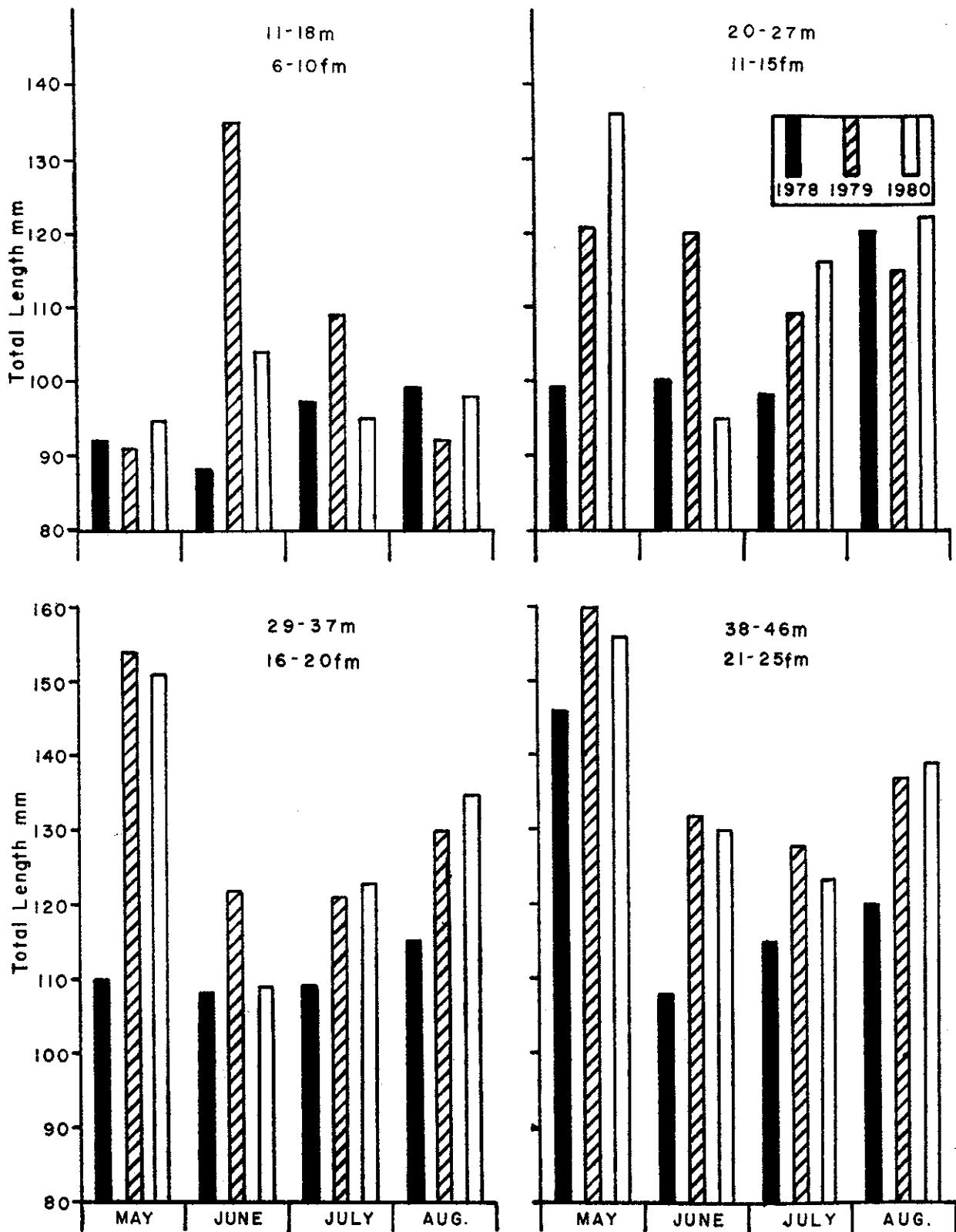
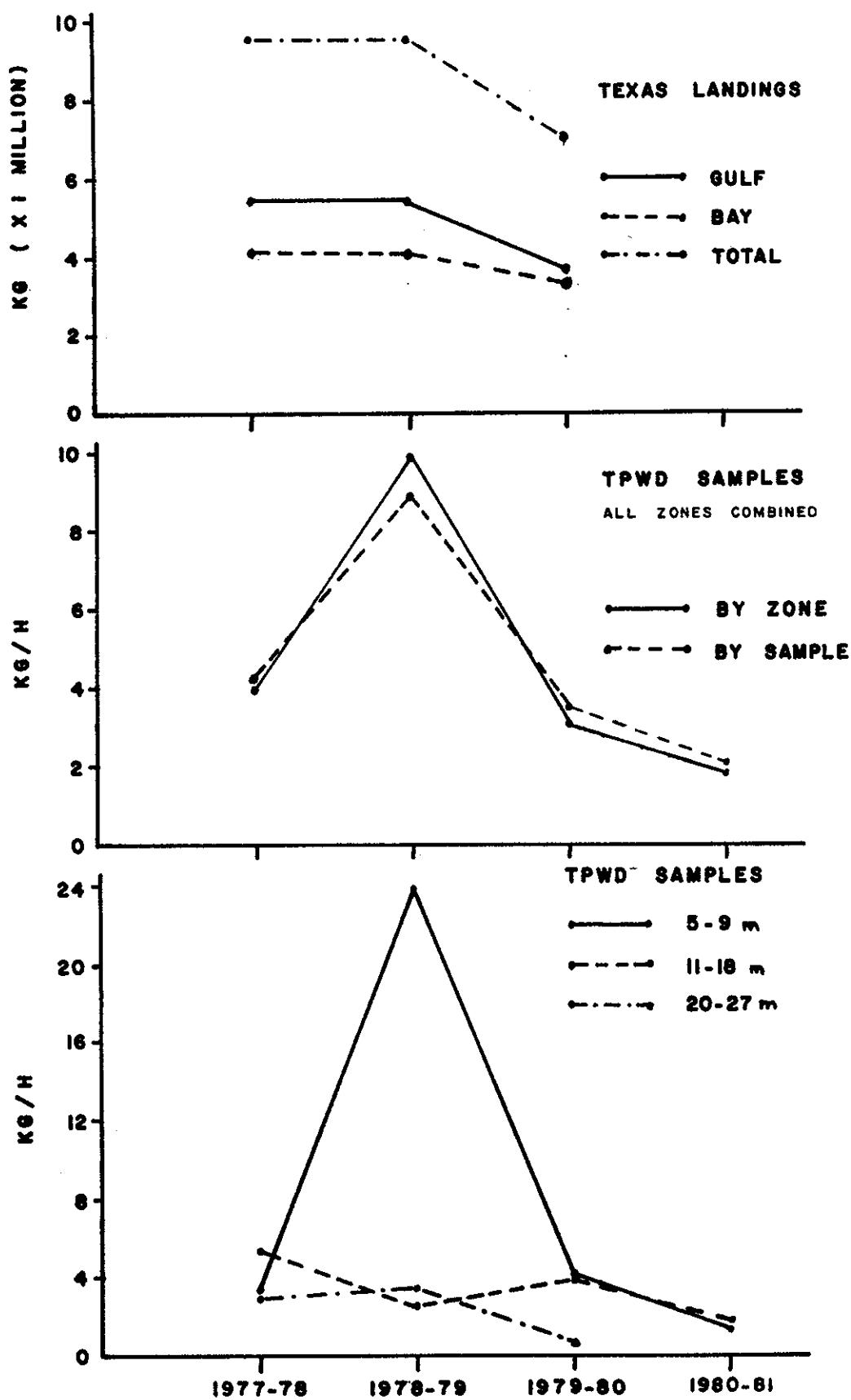


Figure 4. Total Texas landings and seasonal catch rates for white shrimp (Penaeus setiferus) collected during November-February off the central Texas coast.



Appendix A. Station list with hydrological data for all samples collected during October 1977-March 1981.

Table A-1. Station list with hydrological data for samples taken during segments 1, 2, & 3 (October 1977–March 1981).

Species	Location	Latitude	Longitude	LORAN-A (3H3)	Depth m	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Hydrology		Temp. Bottom (°C)	Temp. Surface (°C)	Sal. (‰)
								Tow direction degrees	Bottom Temp. (°/oo)			
mo-day-yr	Date	Time (D/N)	Latitude	Longitude	Depth m	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction degrees	Bottom Temp. (°/oo)	Temp. Bottom (°C)	Temp. Surface (°C)	Sal. (‰)
77-01-01	10-05-77	1533 (D)	27°42.6'	97°04.4'	2124	7	4	FL	30	210	28.5	31.8
77-01-02	10-05-77	1635 (D)	27°44.2'	97°03.8'	2105	15	8	FL	30	210	28.0	38.8
77-01-03	10-05-77	1806 (D)	27°39.4'	96°59.6'	2070	22	12	FL	30	025	28.5	37.8
77-01-04	10-05-77	2020 (N)	27°34.2'	96°47.6'	2072	38	21	FL	30	200	27.5	38.8
77-01-05	10-05-77	2122 (N)	27°37.6'	96°51.4'	2094	29	16	FL	30	025	27.5	B,W
77-01-06	10-05-77	2318 (N)	27°39.8'	96°59.8'	2075	22	12	FL	30	025	27.5	B,W,P
77-01-07	10-06-77	0049 (N)	27°45.8'	97°03.6'	2119	11	6	FL	30	025	27.5	B,W,P
77-02-01	10-25-77	1617 (D)	28°05.0'	96°20.6'	2540	27	15	FL	30	040	25.0	35.5
77-02-02	10-25-77	1805 (D)	28°09.8'	96°30.2'	2580	18	10	FL	30	040	23.5	32.8
77-02-03	10-25-77	1925 (D)	28°16.6'	96°25.6'	2620	11	6	FL	30	040	23.5	32.2
77-02-04	10-26-77	1008 (D)	28°20.0'	96°23.2'	2670	7	4	FL	30	210	23.7	-
77-03-01	11-10-77	1740 (D)	27°48.4'	97°03.2'	2148	7	4	FL	30	210	20.7	34.4
77-03-02	11-10-77	1825 (N)	27°46.6'	97°03.4'	2132	11	6	FL	30	020	19.6	32.2
77-03-03	11-11-77	1050 (D)	27°44.2'	96°53.6'	2140	24	13	FL	30	220	23.3	35.0
77-03-04	11-11-77	1215 (D)	27°43.2'	96°57.8'	2118	20	11	FL	30	210	23.0	35.0
77-03-05	11-11-77	1315 (D)	27°42.2'	97°01.4'	2090	18	10	FL	30	020	22.5	W,B,P
77-03-06	11-11-77	1430 (D)	27°45.0'	97°04.4'	2110	13	7	FL	30	030	20.5	35.0
77-05-01	11-30-77	1342 (D)	28°2.4'	96°13.2'	2655	24	13	FL	30	210	20.7	32.7
77-05-02	11-30-77	1522 (D)	28°15.8'	96°21.0'	2643	20	11	FL	30	030	20.0	32.2
77-05-03	11-30-77	1623 (D)	28°17.6'	96°20.0'	2665	18	10	FL	30	19.9	19.7	30.5
77-05-04	11-30-77	1723 (D)	28°19.8'	96°20.8'	2681	13	7	FL	30	19.5	19.3	30.0
77-05-05	11-30-77	1931 (N)	28°21.2'	96°21.2'	2693	11	6	FL	30	035	18.9	30.0
77-05-06	12-01-77	0746 (D)	28°23.4'	96°20.4'	2720	7	4	FL	30	210	19.0	29.4
77-05-07	12-01-77	1245 (D)	27°48.4'	96°49.2'	2211	24	13	FL	30	210	21.1	31.0
77-05-08	12-01-77	1400 (D)	27°47.0'	96°56.2'	2161	20	11	FL	30	030	21.1	30.5
77-05-09	12-01-77	1501 (D)	27°47.2'	96°57.6'	2159	18	10	FL	30	220	21.1	33.9
77-05-10	12-01-77	1610 (D)	27°47.2'	97°02.2'	2137	13	7	FL	30	210	20.0	33.3
77-05-11	12-01-77	1715 (D)	27°46.4'	97°05.4'	2117	7	4	FL	30	030	19.9	33.3
77-05-12	12-01-77	1858 (N)	27°46.6'	97°03.8'	2127	11	6	FL	30	030	20.1	32.8
77-06-01	12-12-77	2050 (N)	28°15.0'	96°21.8'	2630	11	6	FL	30	030	18.7	31.1
77-06-02	12-14-77	0803 (D)	28°24.0'	96°20.0'	2725	7	4	FL	30	220	17.7	27.8
77-06-03	12-14-77	0834 (D)	28°20.4'	96°20.2'	2690	13	7	FL	30	210	18.0	31.1
77-06-04	01-27-78	1135 (D)	27°46.8'	97°04.6'	2128	7	4	FL	30	210	10.0	28.3
77-06-05	02-14-78	1115 (D)	27°48.0'	97°04.2'	2143	7	4	FL	30	210	8.8	26.6
77-06-06	02-14-78	1225 (D)	27°44.6'	97°02.8'	2110	15	8	FL	30	220	9.9	26.1
77-06-07	02-14-78	1505 (D)	27°39.6'	97°00.2'	2076	22	12	FL	30	025	11.0	32.2
77-06-08	02-14-78	1905 (N)	27°46.0'	97°04.4'	2118	11	6	FL	30	025	9.2	26.6
77-06-09	02-16-78	1405 (D)	28°24.6'	96°20.0'	2730	7	4	FL	30	210	9.9	26.6
77-06-10	02-16-78	1500 (D)	28°20.0'	96°19.8'	2688	15	8					10.0

Table A.1. (Cont'd.).

Station	Date	Time (D/N*)	Location		Depth m	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction		Hydrology		Species c
			Latitude (N)	Longitude (N)				Bottom Temp. (°/oo)	Sal. (°/oo)	Temp. (C)	Sal. (‰)	
77-09-03	02-16-78	1625 (D)	28°15.0'	96°15.2'	2674	22	12	FL	30	030	11.1	33.3
77-09-04	02-16-78	1845 (N)	28°16.6'	96°26.2'	2620	11	6	FL	30	050	9.8	27.2
77-11-01	03-08-78	1400 (D)	27°43.2'	96°56.2'	2126	22	12	FL	30	210	14.4	35.5
77-11-03	03-08-78	1520 (D)	27°45.0'	96°59.5'	2132	18	10	FL	30	020	13.4	35.5
77-11-05	03-08-78	1635 (D)	27°44.4'	97°02.2'	2108	15	8	FL	30	215	13.1	34.4
77-11-07	03-08-78	1745 (D)	27°44.2'	97°06.8'	2092	7	4	FL	30	020	12.6	31.6
77-11-09	03-08-78	2100 (N)	27°46.0'	97°04.2'	2120	11	6	FL	30	015	12.9	31.6
77-11-09	03-08-78	0455 (N)	28°17.8'	96°13.8'	2705	11	6	FL	30	210	13.7	30.0
77-12-06	03-17-78	0707 (D)	28°17.4'	96°26.2'	2630	7	4	FL	30	240	13.4	30.0
77-12-07	03-17-78	0805 (D)	28°14.8'	96°26.5'	2602	15	8	FL	30	220	13.9	33.3
77-12-08	03-17-78	0927 (D)	28°08.0'	96°24.6'	2555	22	12	FL	30	220	14.2	36.6
77-12-09	03-17-78	1440 (D)	27°48.8'	97°03.2'	2149	7	4	FL	30	210	28.4	32.2
77-16-01	05-30-78	1530 (D)	27°47.4'	97°02.6'	2135	11	6	FL	15	005	27.4	33.3
77-16-02	05-30-78	1620 (D)	27°47.4'	97°00.8'	2147	15	8	FL	30	010	27.0	33.3
77-16-03	05-30-78	1725 (D)	27°46.6'	96°57.6'	2152	18	10	FL	30	200	25.6	34.4
77-16-04	05-30-78	1840 (D)	27°43.4'	96°55.4'	2135	22	12	FL	30	210	22.7	36.1
77-16-05	05-30-78	2100 (N)	27°35.2'	96°46.4'	2090	38	21	FL	30	215	21.7	38.9
77-16-06	05-30-78	2220 (N)	27°38.0'	96°49.4'	2104	31	17	FL	15	030	21.2	35.5
77-16-07	05-30-78	2330 (N)	27°40.8'	96°33.2'	2117	26	14	FL	15	030	21.3	34.4
77-16-08	05-30-78	0020 (N)	27°43.4'	96°55.6'	2130	22	12	FL	15	030	22.0	35.5
77-16-09	05-31-78	0140 (N)	27°41.2'	97°01.2'	2140	15	8	FL	15	030	26.0	32.2
77-16-10	05-31-78	0220 (N)	27°47.2'	97°02.2'	2143	31	17	FL	15	030	26.7	33.3
77-16-11	05-31-78	2215 (N)	27°47.6'	96°41.2'	2175	38	21	FL	30	220	20.4	36.6
77-19-01	06-08-78	0015 (N)	27°40.6'	96°47.2'	2150	31	17	FL	30	220	28.6	36.6
77-19-02	06-08-78	2325 (N)	27°41.2'	96°52.4'	2134	26	14	FL	30	030	21.5	36.1
77-19-03	06-09-78	0040 (N)	27°42.0'	96°52.4'	2141	15	8	FL	15	030	22.5	36.6
77-24-01	06-13-78	2130 (N)	27°45.2'	96°53.4'	2162	22	12	FL	30	030	22.4	35.5
77-24-02	06-13-78	2305 (N)	27°49.0'	96°59.0'	2164	15	8	FL	30	030	26.2	33.3
77-24-03	06-14-78	0015 (N)	27°48.0'	97°02.6'	2143	11	6	FL	15	220	28.2	34.4
77-24-04	06-14-78	0940 (D)	27°48.6'	97°03.4'	2148	7	4	FL	15	030	27.6	34.4
77-24-05	06-14-78	1025 (D)	27°48.6'	97°01.4'	2135	15	8	FL	15	220	22.8	36.6
77-24-06	06-14-78	1135 (D)	27°44.2'	96°54.8'	2145	22	12	FL	15	210	27.8	35.5
77-24-07	06-28-78	1235 (D)	27°48.2'	97°03.5'	2146	7	4	FL	15	030	26.0	38.9
77-27-02	06-28-78	1330 (D)	27°46.4'	97°01.4'	2136	15	8	FL	15	030	25.6	37.2
77-27-03	06-28-78	1500 (D)	27°46.4'	96°55.8'	2162	20	11	FL	15	030	25.2	35.5
77-27-04	06-28-78	1010 (N)	27°45.4'	96°56.8'	2146	20	11	FL	15	030	26.5	35.5
77-27-05	06-28-78	1125 (N)	27°46.8'	97°01.0'	2139	15	8	FL	15	215	28.0	33.9
77-27-07	06-28-78	0020 (N)	27°48.2'	97°02.4'	2148	11	6	FL	15	030	20.8	33.3
77-27-08	06-29-78	2130 (N)	27°38.5'	96°34.8'	2189	53	29	FL	15	030	27.7	32.8

Table A.1. (Cont'd.).

Species	Hydrology										Surface			
	Bottom		Temp.		Sal.		Tow		direction		Bottom		Temp.	
		Temp.	Sat.	(°/oo)	(C)	(C)	(°/oo)	(°/oo)	degrees	degrees	Temp.	Sat.	(°/oo)	(C)
Cont d. I.	mo-day-yr	Station	Date	Time (D/N ^a)	Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)	LORAN-A (3H3)	Depth m	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction	Bottom	Temp. (°/oo)	Sal. (C)
77-27-13	06-29-78	2315 (N)	27°42.8'	96°38.0'	2213	40	22	FL	15	210	22.3	35.5	28.2	33.3 B
77-27-14	06-29-78	2345 (N)	27°44.4'	96°41.6'	2217	33	18	FL	15	040	22.8	36.6	29.0	33.3 B
77-27-15	06-30-78	0115 (N)	27°49.6'	96°49.6'	2223	22	12	FL	15	210	25.7	35.5	29.0	33.3 B
77-27-16	07-12-78	2240 (N)	27°38.2'	96°33.8'	2193	55	30	FL	15	210	20.2	37.7	28.5	36.6 B
77-29-01	07-13-78	0010 (N)	27°41.0'	96°39.4'	2190	40	22	FL	15	210	22.0	36.1	27.9	36.1 B
77-29-02	07-13-78	0125 (N)	27°41.4'	96°44.6'	2168	33	18	FL	15	035	23.0	37.7	27.9	36.6 B
77-29-03	07-13-78	0120 (N)	27°45.4'	96°53.4'	2160	22	12	FL	15	035	23.0	37.7	27.2	36.6 B
77-29-04	07-13-78	0115 (N)	27°46.8'	96°55.4'	2167	20	11	FL	15	210	28.0	36.6	29.7	36.1 -
77-29-05	07-13-78	0400 (N)	27°48.0'	97°04.0'	2136	7	4	FL	15	040	25.4	37.2	28.5	37.2 W,B
77-30-01	07-14-78	1850 (D)	27°46.6'	97°01.4'	2135	15	8	FL	15	040	23.3	37.8	28.2	37.2 B
77-30-02	07-14-78	1940 (D)	27°46.0'	96°52.0'	2155	20	11	FL	15	040	23.0	36.6	28.1	36.6 B,W,P
77-30-03	07-14-78	2040 (D)	27°46.0'	97°00.2'	2142	15	8	FL	15	040	27.0	36.6	28.1	36.6 B,W,P
77-30-04	07-14-78	2330 (N)	27°46.6'	97°00.2'	2142	11	6	FL	15	040	27.0	36.6	28.3	36.1 B
77-30-05	07-15-78	0030 (N)	27°47.2'	97°03.0'	2140	22	12	FL	15	040	27.0	37.7	29.4	37.7 B
77-33-01	07-17-78	1835 (D)	27°46.0'	96°53.2'	2168	22	12	FL	15	040	27.0	37.1	28.2	36.6 B
77-33-02	07-17-78	2055 (N)	27°44.2'	96°38.0'	2229	38	21	FL	15	040	24.2	37.7	27.5	37.1 B
77-33-03	07-17-78	2200 (N)	27°45.2'	96°41.6'	2223	33	18	FL	15	040	23.0	37.1	28.5	35.5 B
77-33-04	07-17-78	2345 (N)	27°46.2'	96°52.4'	2175	22	12	FL	15	040	24.4	37.7	29.2	36.0 B
77-33-05	07-18-78	0038 (N)	27°46.6'	96°55.4'	2169	20	11	FL	15	040	27.0	37.7	28.5	37.7 B
77-35-01	07-19-78	1830 (D)	27°47.6'	97°04.2'	2133	7	4	FL	15	040	27.0	37.7	28.2	38.3 B
77-35-02	07-19-78	1915 (D)	27°46.4'	97°01.6'	2135	15	8	FL	15	040	26.0	38.8	30.0	37.8 W,P,B
77-35-03	07-19-78	2200 (N)	27°45.2'	96°41.6'	2223	33	18	FL	15	040	23.0	37.8	29.0	37.1 B
77-37-01	08-08-78	1610 (D)	27°48.6'	97°03.0'	2150	7	4	FL	15	040	24.4	37.7	29.0	37.2 B
77-37-02	08-08-78	1725 (D)	27°44.4'	97°02.8'	2110	15	8	FL	15	030	27.8	37.2	28.0	37.2 B
77-37-03	08-09-78	2100 (N)	27°40.2'	96°55.8'	2097	24	13	FL	15	030	29.2	37.7	29.5	37.7 B
77-37-10	08-10-78	1315 (N)	27°44.8'	97°04.8'	2105	11	6	FL	15	040	25.5	36.6	29.2	37.7 B
77-37-21	08-10-78	2030 (N)	27°39.4'	96°43.2'	2152	38	21	FL	15	020	27.0	36.6	29.2	37.7 B
77-37-24	08-10-78	2130 (N)	27°39.6'	96°48.2'	2132	31	17	FL	15	020	31.0	37.6	30.5	37.6 W,B
77-37-25	08-10-78	0125 (N)	27°48.0'	97°03.6'	2145	7	4	FL	15	010	29.8	35.0	36.1	36.6 B
77-38-09	08-16-78	1525 (D)	27°40.2'	96°55.8'	2149	15	8	FL	15	030	28.5	36.1	30.0	36.6 B
77-38-10	08-16-78	1620 (D)	27°47.6'	97°01.2'	2149	22	12	FL	15	030	28.0	37.2	29.0	37.8 B
77-38-11	08-16-78	1730 (D)	27°45.2'	96°53.8'	2161	27	15	FL	15	030	26.0	36.1	29.2	35.5 B
77-38-12	08-16-78	2030 (N)	27°40.4'	96°52.4'	2120	9	5	FL	15	010	28.8	36.6	29.4	36.6 B
77-38-18	08-17-78	0125 (N)	27°48.0'	97°02.2'	2150	11	6	FL	15	010	29.8	35.0	34.4	- W
77-40-01	09-21-78	1330 (D)	27°50.4'	97°02.2'	2175	7	4	FL	15	010	29.8	36.1	30.0	36.6 B
77-40-02	09-21-78	1425 (D)	27°50.4'	97°00.8'	2180	11	6	FL	15	030	29.2	35.5	29.8	35.0 B
77-40-03	09-21-78	1630 (D)	27°45.4'	96°53.0'	2166	22	12	FL	15	010	26.8	37.8	27.0	34.4 B
77-41-01	09-29-78	1615 (D)	27°50.0'	97°01.4'	2172	9	5	FL	15	010	27.2	37.8	27.4	32.2 B
77-41-02	09-29-78	1725 (D)	27°50.4'	96°56.6'	2197	15	8	FL	15	010	29.2	36.1	27.3	32.2 B
77-41-03	09-29-78	1840 (D)	27°48.4'	96°54.6'	2194	20	11	FL	15	030	27.2	35.0	27.5	34.4 B
77-41-04	09-29-78	2050 (N)	27°42.0'	96°40.8'	2196	38	21	FL	15	030	27.8	37.8	27.0	34.4 B

Table A.1. (Cont'd.).

Station mo-da-yr	Date	Time (D/N ^a)	Location			Depth m	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction degrees	Hydrology		Species ^c (#/oo)
			Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)	LORAN-A (3H13)					Bottom Temp. (C)	Surface Temp. (C)	
77-41-05	09-29-78	2135 (N)	27°43.4'	96°42.6'	2198	33	18	FL	15	230	27.8	33.3
77-41-06	09-29-78	2300 (N)	27°37.8'	96°57.8'	2164	24	13	FL	15	220	27.7	33.3
77-41-07	09-30-78	0030 (N)	27°47.0'	97°03.0'	2140	11	6	FL	15	030	27.0	27.2
77-41-08	09-30-78	0120 (N)	27°47.8'	97°04.2'	2140	7	4	FL	15	020	27.4	27.2
78-04-02	11-08-78	1425 (D)	27°48.5'	97°01.8'	2150	7	4	F1	30	210	21.4	31.6
78-04-03	11-08-78	1520 (D)	27°46.1'	97°02.0'	2127	13	7	F1	30	020	22.3	32.2
78-04-05	11-08-78	1645 (D)	27°44.4'	96°57.1'	2134	20	11	F1	30	210	22.3	31.6
78-06-01	12-12-78	0855 (D)	27°47.7'	97°02.0'	2140	9	5	F1	30	210	14.9	30.0
78-06-02	12-12-78	1005 (D)	27°44.7'	96°58.1'	2110	15	8	F1	30	210	15.9	30.0
78-06-04	12-12-78	1405 (D)	27°38.9'	97°00.0'	2070	22	12	F1	30	030	17.8	32.8
78-07-03	01-17-79	1730 (D)	27°50.1'	96°58.0'	2184	15	8	F1	50	280	12.4	32.2
78-11-01	03-05-79	1730 (D)	27°50.7'	97°01.0'	2176	9	5	F1	45	020	13.9	28.9
78-11-02	03-05-79	1830 (D)	27°51.0'	96°59.6'	2184	11	6	F1	40	050	13.9	28.9
78-12-01	05-15-79	1620 (D)	27°47.8'	97°02.1'	2144	7	4	SB	30	210	24.2	22.8
78-12-02	05-15-79	2035 (N)	27°31.9'	96°43.0'	2070	49	27	SB	30	025	20.5	36.6
78-12-03	05-15-79	2155 (N)	27°37.3'	96°42.7'	2083	40	22	SB	30	022	23.0	33.5
78-12-04	05-15-79	2120 (N)	27°36.5'	96°49.5'	2092	33	18	SB	30	025	22.5	35.0
78-12-05	05-16-79	1240 (D)	27°49.2'	97°00.2'	2168	9	5	SB	30	020	23.8	26.6
78-12-06	05-16-79	1335 (D)	27°50.3'	96°59.0'	2180	13	7	SB	30	025	23.5	28.9
78-12-07	05-16-79	1516 (D)	27°46.9'	96°53.6'	2176	20	11	SB	30	210	23.5	29.4
78-12-08	05-16-79	1640 (D)	27°46.0'	96°50.5'	2182	24	13	SB	30	020	23.4	30.0
78-12-09	05-16-79	2050 (N)	27°47.1'	96°49.4'	2200	24	13	SB	30	035	23.3	28.9
78-12-10	05-16-79	2215 (N)	27°51.5'	96°56.2'	2210	15	8	SB	30	030	23.6	25.5
78-12-11	05-16-79	2326 (N)	27°53.3'	96°58.5'	2221	11	6	F1	30	030	24.0	20.0
78-12-12	05-17-79	0026 (N)	27°53.7'	96°59.4'	2220	7	4	F1	30	210	24.2	20.5
78-13-01	05-23-79	1346 (D)	27°47.2'	96°58.5'	2153	16	9	SB	30	210	23.4	33.3
78-13-02	05-23-79	1505 (D)	27°43.6'	96°55.4'	2132	22	12	SB	30	020	28.3	36.1
78-13-03	05-23-79	2050 (N)	27°36.7'	96°43.5'	2128	40	22	SB	30	210	21.7	35.5
78-13-04	05-23-79	2155 (N)	27°37.8'	96°48.1'	2110	33	18	SB	30	210	23.7	33.3
78-13-05	05-23-79	2320 (N)	27°39.3'	96°56.0'	2085	24	13	SB	30	030	23.3	25.0
78-13-06	05-24-79	0043 (N)	27°44.4'	97°01.4'	2112	16	9	SB	30	020	23.8	25.4
78-13-07	05-24-79	0207 (N)	27°45.8'	97°03.0'	2120	11	6	SB	30	020	25.0	27.2
78-13-08	05-24-79	1233 (D)	27°48.6'	97°02.9'	2147	7	4	SB	30	210	25.6	27.2
78-13-09	05-24-79	1325 (D)	27°45.2'	97°03.5'	2106	11	6	SB	30	180	24.5	26.3
78-14-01	06-21-79	2107 (N)	27°37.9'	96°43.4'	2138	38	21	SB	30	030	23.8	28.3
78-14-02	06-21-79	2238 (N)	27°40.0'	96°47.8'	2138	31	17	SB	30	210	25.0	34.4
78-14-03	06-22-79	0016 (N)	27°41.2'	96°54.3'	2119	24	13	SB	30	030	24.4	33.0
78-14-04	06-22-79	0210 (N)	27°45.4'	97°01.5'	2137	15	8	SB	30	030	27.9	27.8

Table A.1. (Cont'd.).

Station	Date	Time (D/N ^a)	Location		Depth m fm	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction degrees	Hydrology		Surface Temp. (°C)	Surface Sal. (‰)	Species ^c
			Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)					Tow Temp. (°C)	Bottom Temp. (°C)			
			mo-day-yr										
78-15-01	07-30-79	1600 (D)	27°51.3'	97°01.6'	2175	7	4	SB	30	030	29.3	29.5	B, W
78-15-02	07-30-79	1725 (D)	27°51.3'	96°38.7'	2195	1.3	7	SB	30	030	28.5	29.2	B, W, P
78-16-01	08-02-79	1610 (D)	27°48.4'	97°01.3'	2155	9	5	SB	30	200	28.8	36.6	B, W, P
78-16-02	08-02-79	2035 (N)	27°39.2'	96°41.2'	2164	40	22	SB	30	210	25.5	36.6	B, W
78-16-03	08-02-79	2205 (N)	27°41.2'	96°46.9'	2150	31	17	SB	30	210	28.8	35.5	B
78-16-04	08-02-79	2325 (N)	27°42.8'	96°53.5'	2139	24	13	SB	30	210	28.9	28.3	B, P
78-16-05	08-03-79	0110 (N)	27°40.7'	97°01.2'	2135	15	8	SB	30	030	28.4	28.7	B, W, P
78-17-01	08-09-79	1704 (D)	27°48.2'	97°00.7'	2155	1.1	6	SB	30	210	29.9	33.3	B, W
78-17-03	08-09-79	2100 (N)	27°43.7'	96°57.2'	2125	20	11	SB	30	220	29.2	35.5	B
78-17-05	08-09-79	2300 (N)	27°46.8'	97°01.5'	2142	13	7	SB	30	230	29.7	33.9	B
78-17-10	08-10-79	2236 (N)	27°37.9'	98°43.4'	2139	38	21	SB	30	210	24.2	38.9	B
78-17-11	08-10-79	2356 (N)	27°37.8'	96°48.1'	2112	33	18	SB	30	210	28.3	36.6	B
78-18-09	08-23-79	0053 (N)	27°49.2'	97°00.3'	2166	13	7	SB	60	030	-	30.0	B
78-18-10	08-23-79	0315 (N)	27°49.7'	96°51.8'	220	20	11	SB	30	210	29.5	34.4	B
78-18-11	08-23-79	2003 (N)	27°38.8'	96°42.5'	2150	38	21	SB	30	220	26.7	37.2	B
78-18-12	08-23-79	2116 (N)	27°39.6'	96°48.3'	2128	31	17	SB	30	210	29.3	34.4	B
79-03-01	12-19-79	0925 (D)	27°48.4'	97°02.0'	2150	7	4	SB	20	220	13.6	25.5	B, W, P
79-03-02	12-19-79	1010 (D)	27°47.0'	97°01.8'	2140	13	7	SB	15	030	14.9	26.6	B, W
79-03-06	12-20-79	0840 (D)	27°45.3'	96°56.2'	2147	20	11	SB	30	200	17.3	30.5	B
79-03-09	12-20-79	1230 (D)	27°38.2'	96°47.8'	2115	33	18	SB	30	210	17.9	31.6	B
80-01-01	01-15-80	1225 (D)	27°48.3'	97°03.1'	2145	7	4	SB	30	200	15.1	31.2	B, W
80-01-04	01-15-80	1755 (D)	27°43.0'	97°03.5'	2087	15	8	SB	60	020	14.7	29.1	B, W, P
80-03-01	02-21-80	1340 (D)	27°48.2'	97°03.7'	2148	7	4	F1	30	205	13.6	32.2	B, W, P
80-03-02	02-21-80	1340 (D)	27°48.2'	97°03.7'	2148	7	4	SB	30	205	13.6	32.2	B, W, P
80-03-03	02-21-80	1430 (D)	27°45.7'	97°03.0'	2120	13	7	F1	30	020	-	-	B, W, P
80-03-04	02-21-80	1430 (D)	27°45.7'	97°03.0'	2120	13	7	SB	30	020	-	-	B, W, P
80-03-05	02-21-80	1520 (D)	27°46.6'	97°03.0'	2135	11	6	F1	60	245	14.0	34.4	B, W, P
80-03-06	02-21-80	1520 (D)	27°46.6'	97°03.0'	2135	11	6	SB	60	245	14.0	34.4	B, W, P
80-06-01	05-19-80	2045 (N)	27°35.5'	96°45.0'	2107	40	22	SB	30	210	23.2	33.3	B, P
80-06-02	05-19-80	2205 (N)	27°36.8'	96°50.6'	2089	31	17	SB	30	210	23.2	33.3	B, P
80-06-03	05-19-80	2350 (N)	27°42.5'	96°56.5'	2120	22	12	SB	30	025	23.5	32.8	B, W, P
80-06-04	05-20-80	0140 (N)	27°45.6'	97°02.8'	2122	13	7	SB	30	025	24.6	31.6	B, W, P
80-06-05	05-20-80	2105 (N)	26°40.0'	96°51.8'	1480	48	26	SB	30	155	20.8	36.1	B
80-06-06	05-20-80	2220 (N)	26°37.2'	96°56.0'	1432	40	22	SB	30	155	23.3	34.4	B
80-06-07	05-21-80	0020 (N)	26°31.6'	97°03.4'	1329	29	16	SB	30	340	23.5	33.3	B, W, P
80-06-08	05-21-80	0130 (N)	26°32.5'	97°09.4'	1316	20	11	SB	30	340	24.2	33.3	B, W, P
80-06-09	05-21-80	0130 (N)	26°31.5'	97°14.5'	1287	11	6	SB	30	340	24.8	33.9	B, W, P

Table A.J. (Cont'd.).

Station	Date	Time (D/N ^a)	Location		Depth m fm	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction degrees	Hydrography		Species ^c (o/oo)
			Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)					Tow Temp. (C)	Bottom Temp. (C)	
mo-da-yr											
80-08-01	06-05-80	1550 (D)	27°51.0'	97°02.0'	2175	7	4	SB	040	28.1	29.4 B,W
80-08-02	06-05-80	1640 (D)	27°48.6'	97°03.8'	2148	7	4	SB	15	28.1	31.1
			27°37.2'	96°43.6'	2127	40	22	SB	30	23.0	30.0
80-08-03	06-05-80	2110 (N)	27°83.2'	96°48.1'	2114	33	18	SB	210	23.5	27.5
80-08-04	06-05-80	2220 (N)	26°40.3'	96°55.6'	2100	24	13	SB	030	25.1	35.0
80-08-05	06-05-80	2400 (N)	27°46.3'	97°01.8'	2131	15	8	SB	030	27.5	33.3
80-08-06	06-06-80	0155 (N)	26°37.2'	96°49.5'	1460	48	26	SB	30	23.5	30.0
80-08-07	06-07-80	2220 (N)	26°37.6'	96°56.2'	1436	40	22	SB	30	160	27.8
80-09-02	06-17-80	2350 (N)	26°37.2'	97°05.6'	1383	31	17	SB	30	330	27.0
80-09-03	06-18-80	0145 (N)	26°36.6'	97°08.6'	1372	22	12	SB	30	160	27.5
80-09-04	06-18-80	0250 (N)	26°37.0'	97°15.4'	1352	13	7	SB	30	165	-
80-09-05	06-18-80	0455 (N)	27°34.5'	96°44.0'	2098	42	23	SB	025	23.5	36.6
80-09-06	06-18-80	2214 (N)	27°38.3'	96°48.7'	2117	31	17	SB	30	025	28.5
80-10-01	06-22-80	0935 (D)	North of Port Aransas	Jetties	2173	7	4	SB	15	030	-
80-13-01	06-25-80	1204 (D)	27°50.6'	97°02.3'	2148	22	12	SB	30	025	24.5
80-14-02	06-26-80	2105 (N)	27°44.5'	96°54.8'	2143	13	7	SB	30	025	24.5
80-14-03	06-26-80	2237 (N)	27°46.5'	97°02.2'	2120	44	24	SB	30	210	24.0
80-15-01	07-07-80	2121 (N)	27°35.7'	96°42.1'	2122	35	19	SB	30	030	22.0
80-15-02	07-07-80	2240 (N)	27°38.1'	96°46.5'	2135	26	14	SB	30	210	23.5
80-15-03	07-08-80	0038 (N)	27°41.8'	96°52.2'	2127	16	9	SB	15	030	26.0
80-15-04	07-08-80	0225 (N)	27°45.1'	97°00.7'	2153	7	4	SB	15	210	29.0
80-15-05	07-09-80	1347 (D)	27°48.5'	97°02.5'	2174	7	4	SB	15	000	26.3
80-19-01	07-19-80	1750 (D)	27°50.8'	97°01.7'	2165	20	11	SB	15	025	24.5
80-22-80	07-22-80	2045 (N)	27°46.4'	96°55.6'	1523	48	26	SB	15	170	23.0
80-23-02	07-23-80	2144 (N)	26°45.5'	96°55.2'	2127	38	21	SB	15	170	37.2
80-23-03	07-23-80	2245 (N)	26°42.6'	97°00.7'	1461	38	21	SB	15	030	26.5
80-23-04	07-24-80	0030 (N)	26°37.6'	97°05.7'	1378	29	16	SB	15	170	23.5
80-23-05	07-24-80	0125 (N)	26°34.5'	97°09.7'	1337	20	11	SB	15	170	24.5
80-24-01	08-14-80	1955 (N)	27°33.3'	97°14.2'	1312	11	6	SB	15	335	37.2
80-24-02	08-14-80	2140 (N)	27°37.3'	96°45.6'	2127	38	21	SB	15	030	24.0
80-24-03	08-14-80	2128 (N)	27°40.7'	96°49.3'	2137	29	16	SB	15	030	26.6
80-24-04	08-15-80	0120 (N)	27°47.3'	97°02.5'	2139	11	6	SB	15	015	37.2
80-25-01	08-25-80	2040 (N)	27°44.7'	96°44.7'	2110	40	22	SB	30	210	27.8
80-25-02	08-25-80	2215 (N)	27°47.1'	96°53.0'	1550	53	29	SB	30	170	23.9
			26°44.8'	96°56.5'	1510	44	24	SB	30	065	36.6

Table A.1. (Cont'd.).

Station	Date	Time (D/N ^a)	Location		Depth m f'm	Gear ^b	Effort (min)	Tow direction degrees	Hydrology		Surface Temp. (°/oo) (C)	Species Sal. (°/oo)
			Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)					LORAN-A (3H3)	Bottom Temp. (C)		
80-25-03	08-25-80	2345 (N)	26°35.0'	97°00.9'	1420	35	19	SB	30	355	25.2	36.1
80-25-04	08-26-80	0135 (N)	26°39.2'	97°07.6'	1398	26	14	SB	30	165	26.5	28.3
80-25-05	08-26-80	0300 (N)	26°36.3'	97°12.7'	1348	16	9	SB	30	165	27.8	35.5
80-25-06	08-26-80	2055 (N)	27°34.5'	96°43.4'	2100	46	25	SB	30	210	23.9	36.6
80-25-07	08-26-80	2220 (N)	27°36.2'	96°46.8'	2101	37	20	SB	30	025	25.7	36.6
80-25-08	08-26-80	2355 (N)	27°39.4'	96°53.0'	2105	27	15	SB	30	025	27.5	36.1
80-25-09	08-27-80	0145 (N)	27°43.5'	97°00.6'	2115	57	30	SB	30	025	28.2	35.5
80-26-01	11-03-80	1127 (D)	27°48.2'	97°03.1'	2144	7	4	SB	10	210	20.1	31.6
80-26-02	11-03-80	1159 (D)	27°46.7'	97°02.8'	2123	13	7	SB	10	210	21.0	32.8
80-26-03	11-03-80	1315 (D)	27°49.1'	96°59.2'	2176	15	8	SB	10	025	20.2	32.8
80-26-04	11-03-80	1347 (D)	27°49.8'	97°01.0'	2173	11	6	SB	10	205	20.2	32.2
80-27-01	12-18-80	1045 (D)	27°51.8'	97°01.6'	2183	7	4	SB	10	005	16.8	33.3
80-27-02	12-18-80	1117 (D)	27°51.3'	96°59.5'	2190	11	6	SB	10	010	16.8	33.3
80-27-03	12-18-80	1205 (D)	27°51.6'	96°58.0'	2203	13	7	SB	10	010	16.8	33.9
80-27-04	12-18-80	1243 (D)	27°51.8'	97°00.7'	2197	9	5	SB	10	010	16.8	33.9
80-27-05	12-18-80	1318 (D)	27°52.3'	97°01.4'	2193	7	4	SB	30	205	16.8	33.3
81-01-01	01-14-81	1159 (D)	27°47.3'	96°59.1'	2155	15	8	SB	10	205	14.2	31.6
81-01-02	01-14-81	1251 (D)	24°47.6'	97°02.0'	2140	9	5	SB	10	005	13.6	31.1
81-01-03	01-14-81	1342 (D)	27°50.9'	97°01.8'	2176	7	4	SB	10	010	13.6	31.1
81-01-04	01-14-81	1411 (D)	27°50.7'	97°00.2'	2180	11	6	SB	10	200	13.7	31.1
81-02-01	02-17-81	1145 (D)	27°50.5'	97°02.0'	2170	7	4	SB	10	010	11.8	31.6
81-02-02	02-17-81	1233 (D)	27°50.9'	96°56.8'	2190	13	7	SB	10	210	11.5	32.8
81-02-03	02-17-81	1315 (D)	27°48.1'	97°00.0'	2158	13	7	SB	10	210	11.3	32.8
81-02-04	02-17-81	1355 (D)	27°47.9'	97°02.6'	2142	9	5	SB	10	030	11.8	32.2
81-03-01	03-30-81	1158 (D)	27°50.3'	97°01.7'	2170	9	5	SB	10	010	20.0	34.4
81-03-02	03-30-81	1230 (D)	27°50.2'	96°59.4'	2182	15	8	SB	10	210	18.5	36.6
81-03-03	03-30-81	1315 (D)	27°47.7'	97°00.3'	2150	13	7	SB	10	210	19.0	35.5
81-03-04	03-30-81	1358 (D)	27°47.5'	97°02.9'	2136	7	4	SB	10	010	20.5	35.0

^aD = day, N = night^bF1 = 51 mm mesh flat net, 13.7 m; SB = 51 mm mesh semiballoon net^cB = brown shrimp (*P. aztecus*), W = white shrimp (*P. duorarum*), P = pink shrimp (*P. setiferus*)

Appendix B. Abundance and size of penaeid shrimp in night shrimp trawls by station (October 1977-August 1980).

Table B.1. Abundance and size of Penaeid shrimp collected in individual night trawl samples off the central coast of Texas during October 1977-September 1978. (Blanks = no shrimp caught.)

Date	Area	Effort	Depth	<i>Penaeus setiferus</i>			<i>Penaeus duorarum</i>			<i>Penaeus japonicus</i>			
				min.	m	fm	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h
mo.-da.-yr	Station			TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)
77-01-04	10-05-77	PA	30	38	21	222	7.70	100-178	158	13	2	0.04	-
77-01-05	10-05-77	PA	30	29	16	126	3.82	85-177	145	15	42	1.22	128-170
77-01-06	10-05-77	PA	30	22	12	120	1.52	77-164	113	36	20	0.26	94-155
77-01-07	10-06-77	PA	30	11	6	26	0.24	59-119	87	49	94	0.94	75-155
77-02-03	11-10-77	PA	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	508	7.68	104-181
77-03-02	11-10-77	PC	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	1432	19.76	90-160
77-05-05	11-30-77	PA	30	11	6	126	0.60	65-101	81	110	126	1.56	98-140
77-07-12	12-01-77	PA	30	11	6	126	0.60	65-101	81	110	558	5.12	80-129
77-06-01	12-12-77	PC	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	48	0.28	73-109
77-08-08	02-14-77	PA	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	68	0.54	74-113
77-09-04	02-16-78	PC	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	68	0.54	74-113
77-11-09	03-08-78	PA	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	354	3.26	90-128
77-12-06	03-17-78	PC	30	11	6	146	0.60	65-101	81	110	62	1.02	85-143
77-16-06	05-30-78	PA	30	38	21	34	1.02	110-175	146	15	52	2.08	145-181
77-16-07	05-30-78	PA	15	31	17	44	0.56	93-149	110	36	48	2.14	141-194
77-16-08	05-30-78	PA	15	26	14	204	2.20	81-156	106	42	52	2.08	145-181
77-16-09	05-31-78	PA	15	22	12	2740	21.88	85-112	99	57	48	2.14	141-194
77-16-10	05-31-78	PA	15	15	8	2028	14.20	81-112	94	65	52	2.08	145-181
77-16-11	05-31-78	PA	15	11	6	496	2.76	66-120	84	82	52	2.08	145-181
77-19-01	06-08-78	PA	30	38	21	70	1.06	87-176	115	30	196	1.52	145-181
77-19-02	06-08-78	PA	30	31	17	146	1.28	82-163	102	52	192	1.52	145-181
77-19-03	06-09-78	PA	30	26	14	192	1.52	57-165	98	57	196	1.52	145-181
77-24-01	06-13-78	PA	30	22	12	4208	38.72	78-138	100	49	4208	38.72	78-138
77-24-02	06-13-78	PA	30	15	8	2854	18.19	75-132	91	71	6	0.26	164-189
77-24-03	06-14-78	PA	30	11	6	4798	26.44	66-103	86	82	76	3.30	152-192
77-27-06	06-28-78	PA	15	20	11	4216	35.40	71-140	97	54	4	0.12	-
77-27-07	06-28-78	PA	15	15	8	2704	16.00	74-125	90	77	3.44	160-202	173
77-27-08	06-29-78	PA	15	11	6	3132	18.80	71-136	88	76	156	6.76	158-191
77-27-12	06-29-78	PA	15	53	29	332	6.32	102-192	130	24	1672	19.08	70-140
77-27-13	06-29-78	PA	15	40	22	1672	19.08	70-140	108	40	1804	20.92	75-132
77-27-14	06-29-78	PA	15	33	18	1804	20.92	75-132	109	39	4	0.08	-
77-27-15	06-30-78	PA	15	22	12	964	9.64	80-143	102	45	112	23	9.72

Table B.1. (Cont'd.).

Station	Date	Area	Effort	Depth min. m	<i>Penaeus aztecus</i>			<i>Penaeus setiferus</i>			<i>Penaeus duorarum</i>			Mixed <i>Penaeus</i> spp.					
					No./h	kg/h	range TL. (mm)	mean TL. (mm)	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range TL. (mm)	mean TL. (mm)	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range TL. (mm)		
mo.-da.-yr																			
77-29-01	07-12-78	PA	15	55	30	252	6.16	110-200	141	19					252	6.16	110-200	141	
77-29-02	07-13-78	PA	15	40	22	1728	22.80	98-153	116	34					1728	22.80	98-153	116	
77-29-03	07-13-78	PA	15	33	18	1028	11.76	82-147	107	40					1028	11.76	82-147	107	
77-29-04	07-13-78	PA	15	22	12	1392	14.02	78-158	103	45					1392	14.02	78-158	103	
77-29-05	07-13-78	PA	15	20	11	7688	70.84	82-142	99	49					7688	70.84	82-142	99	
77-30-04	07-14-78	PA	15	8	1404	10.04	71-125	94	63	12	0.64	184-193	188	8	4	0.02	83	91	
77-30-05	07-15-78	PA	15	11	6	820	7.88	78-160	103	47	56	2.92	170-197	181	9	8	0.04	81-84	82
77-33-02	07-17-78	PA	15	38	21	1072	13.52	76-153	113	36					1072	13.52	76-153	113	
77-33-03	07-17-78	PA	15	33	18	1224	13.44	84-161	110	41					1224	13.44	84-161	110	
77-33-04	07-17-78	PA	15	22	12	2096	18.04	78-161	99	53					2096	18.04	78-161	99	
77-33-05	07-18-78	PA	15	20	11	4760	39.04	74-115	95	55					4760	39.04	74-115	95	
77-37-13	08-09-78	PA	15	24	13	408	6.08	84-157	116	30					408	6.08	84-157	116	
77-37-21	08-10-78	PA	10	11	6	204	1.92	75-135	103	48	12	0.50	153-172	164	11	4	0.04	-	97
77-37-24	08-10-78	PA	15	38	21	636	10.00	105-170	120	29					636	10.00	105-170	120	
77-37-25	08-10-78	PA	15	31	17	236	3.24	88-158	115	33					236	3.24	88-158	115	
77-38-12	08-16-78	PA	15	27	15	588	9.22	96-158	122	29					588	9.22	96-158	122	
77-38-18	08-17-78	PA	15	11	6	224	1.82	64-141	96	56					224	1.82	64-141	96	
77-41-04	09-29-78	PA	15	38	21	52	1.40	115-160	140	17					52	1.40	115-160	140	
77-41-05	09-29-78	PA	15	33	18	24	0.88	112-163	142	12					24	0.88	112-163	142	
77-41-06	09-29-78	PA	15	24	13	224	3.20	78-150	112	32	8	0.12	96-128	112	30				
77-41-07	09-30-78	PA	15	11	6	36	0.36	86-105	97	45	188	1.28	59-120	83	67	232	1.80	59-158	87
77-41-08	09-30-78	PA	15	7	4	8	0.10	89-110	100	36	24	0.60	97-165	139	18	40	0.16	57-71	69
											72	0.86	57-165	96	38				

Table B.2. Abundance and size of penaeid shrimp collected in individual night trawl samples off the central coast of Texas during May-August 1979. (Blanks = no shrimp caught.)

Station no.-day-yr	Date	Area	Effort	Depth min. m	<i>Penaeus aztecus</i>			<i>Penaeus setiferus</i>			<i>Penaeus duorarum</i>			Mixed <i>Penaeus</i> spp.					
					No./h	kg/h	range TL (mm)	No./h	kg/h	range TL (mm)	No./h	kg/h	range TL (mm)	No./h	kg/h	range TL (mm)			
					ct.	TL (mm)	ct.	TL (mm)	ct.	TL (mm)	ct.	TL (mm)	ct.	TL (mm)	ct.	TL (mm)			
78-12-02	05-15-79	PA	30	49	27	18	0.58	138-181	153	14	18	0.58	138-181	153	14	10	0.30	135-182	153
78-12-03	05-15-79	PA	30	40	22	10	0.30	135-182	153	15	8	0.22	137-161	150	17	16	0.40	100-180	134
78-12-04	05-15-79	PA	30	33	18	8	0.22	137-161	150	17	250	0.76	87-157	115	30	70	1.23	86-170	119
78-12-09	05-16-79	PA	30	24	13	6	0.24	158-180	168	11	50	0.76	94-131	114	34	294	3.72	78-131	111
78-12-10	05-16-79	PA	30	15	8	12	0.15	86-164	107	36	8	0.32	155-170	162	11	650	7.54	92-132	109
78-12-11	05-16-79	PA	30	11	6	44	0.38	78-112	93	52	250	3.34	94-131	114	34	842	8.86	73-132	104
78-12-12	05-17-79	PA	30	7	4	192	1.32	73-114	89	66	650	7.54	92-132	109	39	32	1.44	137-185	162
78-13-03	05-23-79	PA	30	40	22	32	1.44	137-185	162	10	30	1.14	135-180	155	12	30	1.14	135-180	155
78-13-04	05-23-79	PA	30	33	18	30	1.14	135-180	155	12	82-169	121	25	92	1.68	82-169	121		
78-13-05	05-23-79	PA	30	24	13	90	1.62	82-169	121	25	2	0.06	—	140	15	92	1.68	81-196	94
78-13-06	05-24-79	PA	30	16	9	1306	8.20	81-107	91	72	54	2.26	153-196	166	11	14	0.22	92-135	112
78-13-07	05-24-79	PA	30	11	6	658	4.00	74-116	90	75	42	1.40	151-175	159	14	22	0.24	91-138	108
78-14-01	06-21-79	PA	30	38	21	80	1.74	98-176	132	21	94	1.42	98-167	122	30	80	1.74	98-176	132
78-14-02	06-21-79	PA	30	31	17	94	1.42	98-167	122	30	358	4.80	96-144	120	34	42	0.24	91-138	108
78-14-03	06-22-79	PA	30	24	13	358	4.80	96-144	120	34	4	0.08	129-141	135	23	120	2.32	110-164	130
78-14-04	06-22-79	PA	30	15	8	4	0.08	129-141	135	23	342	5.31	82-166	121	29	342	5.31	82-166	121
78-16-02	07-02-79	PA	30	40	22	108	1.88	110-164	128	26	12	0.44	148-161	155	12	262	5.98	74-157	109
78-16-03	07-02-79	PA	30	31	17	342	5.31	82-166	121	29	4	0.14	133-149	141	13	1564	16.48	74-157	109
78-16-04	07-02-79	PA	30	24	13	1560	16.34	74-157	109	43	24	1.24	158-201	175	9	2	0.06	—	145
78-16-05	07-03-79	PA	30	15	8	850	9.30	78-148	109	41	876	10.60	78-201	111	38	876	10.60	78-201	111
78-17-03	08-09-79	PA	30	20	11	1232	15.68	86-149	114	36	1232	15.68	86-149	114	36	1232	15.68	86-149	114
78-17-05	08-09-79	PA	30	13	7	7436	50.00	66-127	91	68	7436	50.00	66-127	91	68	7436	50.00	66-127	91
78-17-10	08-10-79	PA	30	38	21	262	5.98	108-168	138	20	61	1.43	—	—	19	3356	27.67	—	55
78-17-11	08-10-79	PA	30	33	18	364	6.34	88-166	128	26	226	4.48	80-158	118	27	226	4.48	80-158	118
78-18-09	08-23-79	PA	60	13	7	3295	26.24	56-139	95	57	166	3.66	106-171	136	21	166	3.66	106-171	136
78-18-10	08-23-79	PA	30	20	11	226	4.48	80-158	118	27	174	3.74	98-174	135	21	174	3.74	98-174	135
78-18-11	08-23-79	PA	30	38	21	166	3.66	106-171	136	21	174	3.74	98-174	135	21	174	3.74	98-174	135
78-18-12	08-23-79	PA	30	31	17	174	3.74	—	—	—	174	3.74	—	—	174	3.74	—	—	174

Table B.3. Abundance and size of penaeid shrimp collected in individual night trawl samples off the central coast of Texas during May-August 1980. (Blanks = no shrimp caught.)

Station	Date	Area	Effort	Depth	<i>Penaeus aztecus</i>			<i>Penaeus setiferus</i>			<i>Penaeus duorarum</i>			Mixed <i>Penaeus</i> spp.								
					min.	m	fm	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.					
mo-da-yr																						
80-06-01	05-19-80	PA	30	40	22	48	1.70	134-183	156	13	2	0.04	-	136	23	50	1.74	134-183	155	13		
80-06-02	05-19-80	PA	30	31	17	18	0.52	134-168	151	16	16	0.34	88-158	124	21	34	0.86	88-168	138	18		
80-06-03	05-19-80	PA	30	22	12	14	0.34	115-159	136	19	8	0.36	151-176	164	10	8	0.82	78-176	134	17		
80-06-04	05-20-80	PA	30	13	7	16	0.16	69-138	95	14	0.50	149-168	157	13	60	0.78	68-146	108	35			
80-06-05	05-20-80	PM	30	48	26	32	1.36	143-188	169	11	152-177	167	10	44	1.44	68-168	113	28				
80-06-06	05-20-80	PM	30	40	22	44	1.96	79-180	137	18	4	0.16	163-177	170	11	18	0.32	100-148	126	26		
80-06-07	05-21-80	PM	30	29	16	200	5.02	79-180	137	18	238	3.44	73-167	109	31	222	5.50	79-180	137	18		
80-06-08	05-21-80	PM	30	20	11	616	3.94	72-133	90	71	174	2.96	60-176	119	27	854	7.38	72-167	95	52		
80-06-09	05-21-80	PM	30	11	6	346	0.76	57-142	72	207	2	0.06	-	166	15	522	3.78	57-176	88	63		
80-06-09	05-21-80	PM	30	40	22	32	0.90	73-166	137	16	180	3.98	77-183	132	21	32	0.90	73-166	137	16		
80-08-03	06-05-80	PA	30	33	18	180	3.98	77-183	132	21	2476	20.64	72-139	92	54	180	3.98	77-183	132	21		
80-08-04	06-05-80	PA	30	24	13	2476	20.64	72-139	92	54	356	9.54	68-188	135	17	356	9.54	68-188	135	17		
80-08-05	06-05-80	PA	30	15	8	106	0.56	222	8.74	138-188	164	12	28	0.24	70-133	97	53	8	0.42	142-158	150	9
80-08-06	06-05-80	PA	30	48	26	8	0.42	142-158	150	9	40	1.40	110-194	158	13	40	1.40	110-194	158	13		
80-09-01	06-17-80	PM	30	48	26	8	0.42	142-158	150	9	414	3.90	82-198	114	48	1266	11.18	65-161	93	51		
80-09-02	06-17-80	PM	30	40	22	40	1.40	110-194	158	13	414	3.90	82-198	114	48	1266	11.18	65-157	93	39		
80-09-03	06-18-80	PM	30	31	17	414	3.90	82-198	114	48	80	1.74	101-161	130	21	118	1.36	89-179	128	23		
80-09-04	06-18-80	PM	30	22	12	1186	9.44	65-135	90	57	38	0.92	97-157	128	19	118	2.30	89-179	128	23		
80-09-05	06-18-80	PM	30	13	7	80	0.44	62-114	76	82	1330	13.11	78-172	106	46	642	7.72	92-142	108	38		
80-09-06	06-18-80	PA	30	42	23	118	2.30	89-179	128	23	2	0.09	-	110	23	642	7.72	92-142	108	38		
80-09-07	06-18-80	PA	30	31	17	1328	13.02	78-168	106	46	2	0.04	-	110	23	5152	50.46	81-176	104	46		
80-14-02	06-26-80	PA	30	22	12	640	7.68	92-142	108	38	26	0.56	104-145	126	21	184	3.84	101-183	135	22		
80-14-03	06-26-80	PA	30	13	7	5108	49.04	81-135	104	47	18	0.86	156-176	168	10	4012	33.40	77-151	95	54		
80-15-01	07-07-80	PA	30	44	24	184	3.84	101-183	135	22	480	7.04	82-158	116	31	140	4.20	123-192	150	15		
80-15-02	07-07-80	PM	15	19	668	10.30	92-163	123	29	350	4.62	88-198	117	34	668	10.30	92-163	123	29			
80-15-03	07-08-80	PA	30	26	14	350	4.62	88-198	117	34	4012	10.96	73-165	100	44	480	7.04	82-158	116	31		
80-15-04	07-08-80	PA	15	16	9	3988	32.72	77-144	95	55	24	0.68	122-151	140	16	1052	10.96	73-165	100	44		
80-22-01	07-22-80	PA	15	20	11	480	7.04	82-158	116	31	24	0.68	122-151	140	16	2868	11.48	62-128	78	113		
80-23-02	07-23-80	PM	15	48	26	140	4.20	123-192	150	15	480	7.20	96-176	120	30	864	13.88	95-156	120	28		
80-23-03	07-23-80	PM	15	38	21	480	7.20	96-176	120	30	448	7.24	90-161	123	28	712	6.56	72-182	98	49		
80-23-04	07-24-80	PM	15	29	16	2308	25.40	83-142	108	41	68	1.48	119-165	134	21	446	12.50	113-180	138	16		
80-23-05	07-24-80	PM	15	11	984	9.48	73-128	98	47	2	0.06	-	130	15	446	12.50	113-180	138	16			
80-23-06	07-24-80	PM	15	11	6	2868	11.48	62-128	78	113	32	1.36	143-188	169	11	446	12.50	113-180	138	16		
80-23-07	07-24-80	PA	15	38	21	864	13.88	95-156	120	28	446	7.24	90-161	123	28	864	13.88	95-156	120	28		
80-23-08	07-24-80	PA	15	29	16	448	7.24	90-161	123	28	2308	25.40	83-142	108	41	712	6.56	72-182	98	49		
80-23-09	07-25-80	PA	15	11	6	696	5.80	72-141	96	54	16	0.76	164-182	174	10	2	0.06	-	130	15	446	
80-24-01	08-14-80	PA	30	40	22	444	12.44	113-180	138	16	446	12.50	113-180	138	16	446	12.50	113-180	138	16		

Table B.3. (Cont'd.).

Station mo.-da.-yr.	Date	Area	Effort	Depth min. m	<i>Peneus setiferus</i>				<i>Peneus duorarum</i>				Mixed Penaeus spp.							
					No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range			
																TL (mm)				
80-24-02	08-14-80	PA	30	31	17	86	2.43	91-171	139	16	4	0.19	159-168	164	10	90	2.62	91-171	140	16
80-24-03	08-14-80	PA	30	22	12	506	8.72	76-153	115	26	-	-	-	-	-	506	8.72	76-153	115	26
80-24-04	08-15-80	PA	30	15	8	242	1.88	58-134	88	58	16	0.32	85-160	129	23	260	2.24	58-160	91	33
80-25-01	08-25-80	PM	30	53	29	118	3.32	109-183	146	16	-	-	-	-	-	118	3.32	109-183	146	16
80-25-02	08-25-80	PM	30	44	24	280	6.46	100-176	137	20	-	-	-	-	-	280	6.46	100-176	137	20
80-25-03	08-25-80	PM	30	35	19	482	9.66	105-184	135	23	-	-	-	-	-	482	9.66	105-184	135	23
80-25-04	08-26-80	PM	30	26	14	990	19.20	100-173	131	23	-	-	-	-	-	990	19.20	100-173	131	23
80-25-05	08-26-80	PM	30	16	9	2710	39.01	78-144	113	32	4	0.28	186-201	194	6	116	1.76	58-157	96	30
80-25-06	08-26-80	PA	30	46	25	230	5.52	86-178	141	19	-	-	-	-	-	230	5.52	86-178	141	19
80-25-07	08-26-80	PA	30	37	20	248	5.72	73-173	134	20	-	-	-	-	-	248	5.72	73-173	134	20
80-25-08	08-26-80	PA	30	27	15	420	8.02	102-168	131	24	4	0.08	128-133	131	23	424	8.10	102-168	131	24
80-25-09	08-27-80	PA	30	18	10	2824	28.82	68-176	99	44	28	0.84	97-197	147	15	4	0.02	77-82	80	101
																2856	29.68	68-197	99	44

Appendix C. Abundance and size of penaeid shrimp in day shrimp trawls by station (October 1977-March 1981).

Table C.1. (Cont'd.).

Iteration	Date	Area	Effort	Depth	<i>Penaeus aztecus</i>			<i>Penaeus setiferus</i>			<i>Penaeus duorarum</i>			Mixed Penaeus spp.								
					No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.	No./h	kg/h	range	mean	ct.			
mo-da-yr					TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)	TL (mm)				
77-11-05	03-08-78	PA	30	15	8	20	0.20	97-122	110	45	2	0.03	70-100	82	68	22	0.23	97-132	112	43		
77-16-01	05-30-78	PA	30	7	4	774	4.80	78-113	95	73	6	0.04	70-100	82	68	780	4.84	70-113	95	73		
77-16-02	05-30-78	PA	15	11	6	64	1.08	115-147	127	27						64	1.08	115-147	127	27		
77-16-03	05-30-78	PA	30	15	8	1032	6.20	73-101	87	76	10	0.38	152-174	167	12	30	0.40	98-146	127	34		
77-16-04	05-30-78	PA	30	18	10	214	1.18	69-104	86	82	2	0.06	-	146	15	4	0.08	121-162	142	23		
77-12-09	03-17-78	PC	30	22	12	4										No Shrimp	Caught					
77-16-01	05-30-78	PA	30	7	4											68	0.58	68-180	91	53		
77-16-02	05-30-78	PA	15	11	6											1042	6.58	73-174	88	72		
77-16-03	05-30-78	PA	30	15	8											216	1.24	69-146	87	79		
77-16-04	05-30-78	PA	30	18	10											788	4.26	78-101	89	84		
77-16-05	05-30-78	PA	30	22	12	788	4.26	78-101	89	84						16	0.16	89-128	109	45		
06-14-78	PA	15	7	4	16	0.16	89-128	109	45							384	2.84	74-141	97	61		
06-14-78	PA	15	15	8	384	2.84	74-161	97	61							44	0.32	83-125	99	62		
06-14-78	PA	15	22	12	44	0.32	83-125	99	62							156	1.28	65-189	93	55		
06-14-78	PA	15	7	4	140	0.68	65-108	83	93	16	0.60	179-189	184	12			2036	16.80	73-172	95	55	
06-28-78	PA	15	15	8	1988	14.80	73-145	93	61	44	1.88	152-172	166	11	4	0.12	-	144	15	224		
06-28-78	PA	15	20	11	220	1.48	76-118	92	67	4	0.28	-	173	6				1.76	76-173	93	58	
06-28-78	PA	15	7	4	148	1.40	78-132	104	48	4	0.16	-	181	11								
07-14-78	PA	15	15	8	4840	41.08	82-137	101	53							152	1.56	78-181	106	44		
07-14-78	PA	15	20	11	4840	41.08	82-137	101	53							4840	41.08	82-137	101	53		
07-17-78	PA	15	22	12	48	0.48	87-114	100	45							48	0.48	87-114	100	45		
07-19-78	PA	15	7	4												No Shrimp	Caught					
07-19-78	PA	15	15	8	48	0.53	98-170	120	41							48	0.53	98-170	120	41		
07-31-01	08-08-78	PA	30	7	4	34	0.42	91-125	110	37	16	0.59	80-196	139	12	2	0.10	-	192	9		
07-31-02	08-08-78	PA	30	15	8	134	1.48	80-176	108	41						62	1.51	80-196	126	19		
07-31-01	08-08-78	PA	30	15	8	36	0.32	85-135	99	51	208	6.40	123-195	155	15	78	0.76	65-161	95	47		
07-31-11	08-09-78	PA	15	22	12	4	0.04	-	120	45						4	0.04	-	120	45		
07-31-11	08-09-78	PA	15	7	4	52	0.56	78-135	101	42	20	0.78	127-196	161	12			72	1.34	78-196	118	24
07-38-09	08-16-78	PA	15	8	84	0.96	80-145	107	40							84	0.96	80-145	107	40		
07-38-10	08-16-78	PA	15	8	4	0.04	-	116	45							4	0.04	-	116	45		
08-16-78	PA	15	22	12	4											4	0.12	153-158	156	15		
08-16-78	PA	15	7	4												136	1.58	80-192	109	39		
08-16-78	PA	15	11	6												4	0.04	-	120	45		
08-16-78	PA	30	11	6												72	1.34	78-196	118	24		
09-21-78	PA	30	22	12	86	1.10	72-158	113	35							84	0.96	80-145	107	40		
09-21-78	PA	30	9	5	8	0.06	85-97	90	60	138	4.04	82-184	151	15	8	0.06	83-100	91	60			
09-29-78	PA	15	8													154	4.16	82-184	145	17		
09-29-78	PA	15	20	11												No Shrimp	Caught					
09-29-78	PA	15	20	11												20	0.30	99-120	110	30		
09-29-78	PA	15	20	11												20	0.30	99-120	110	30		