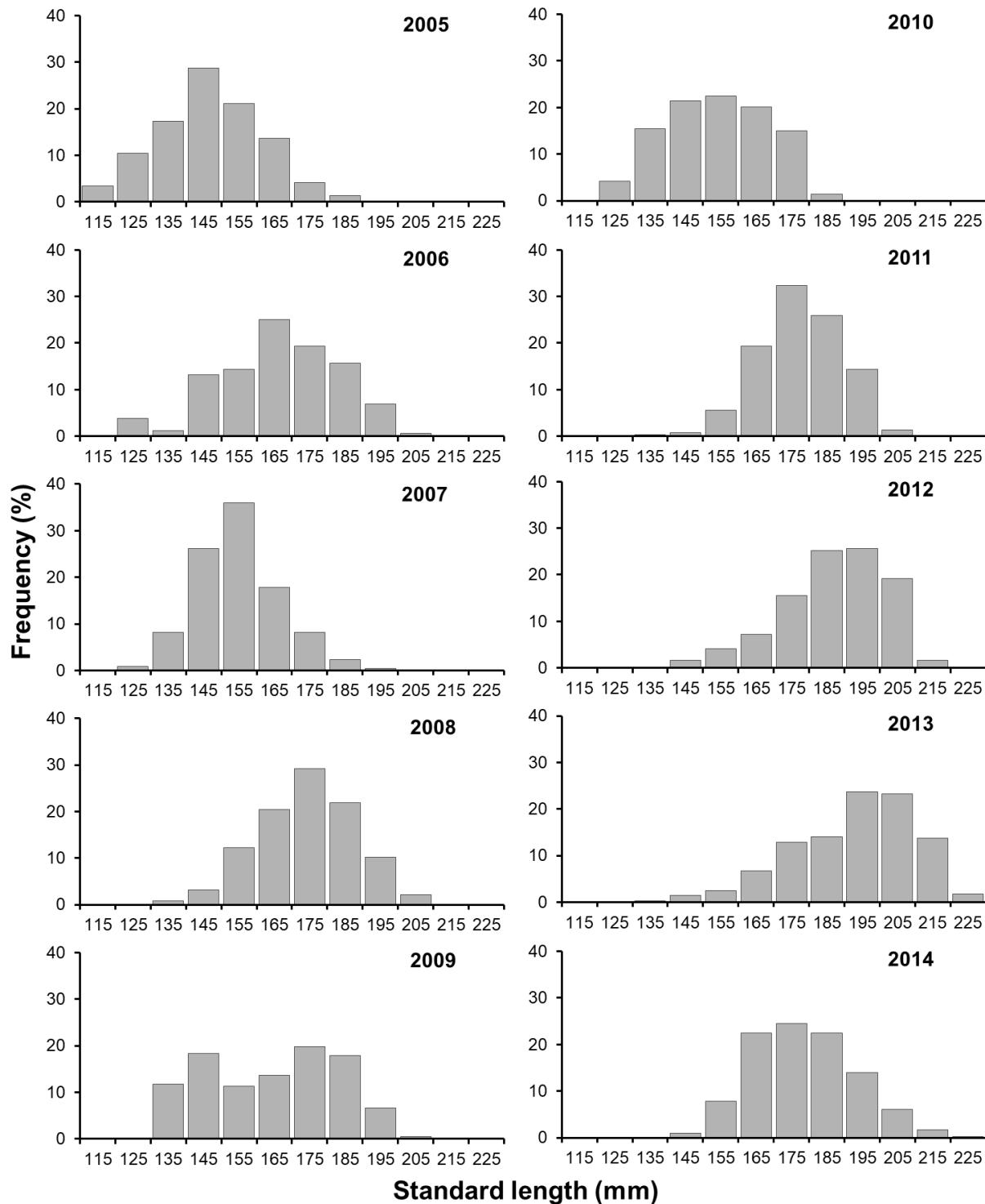


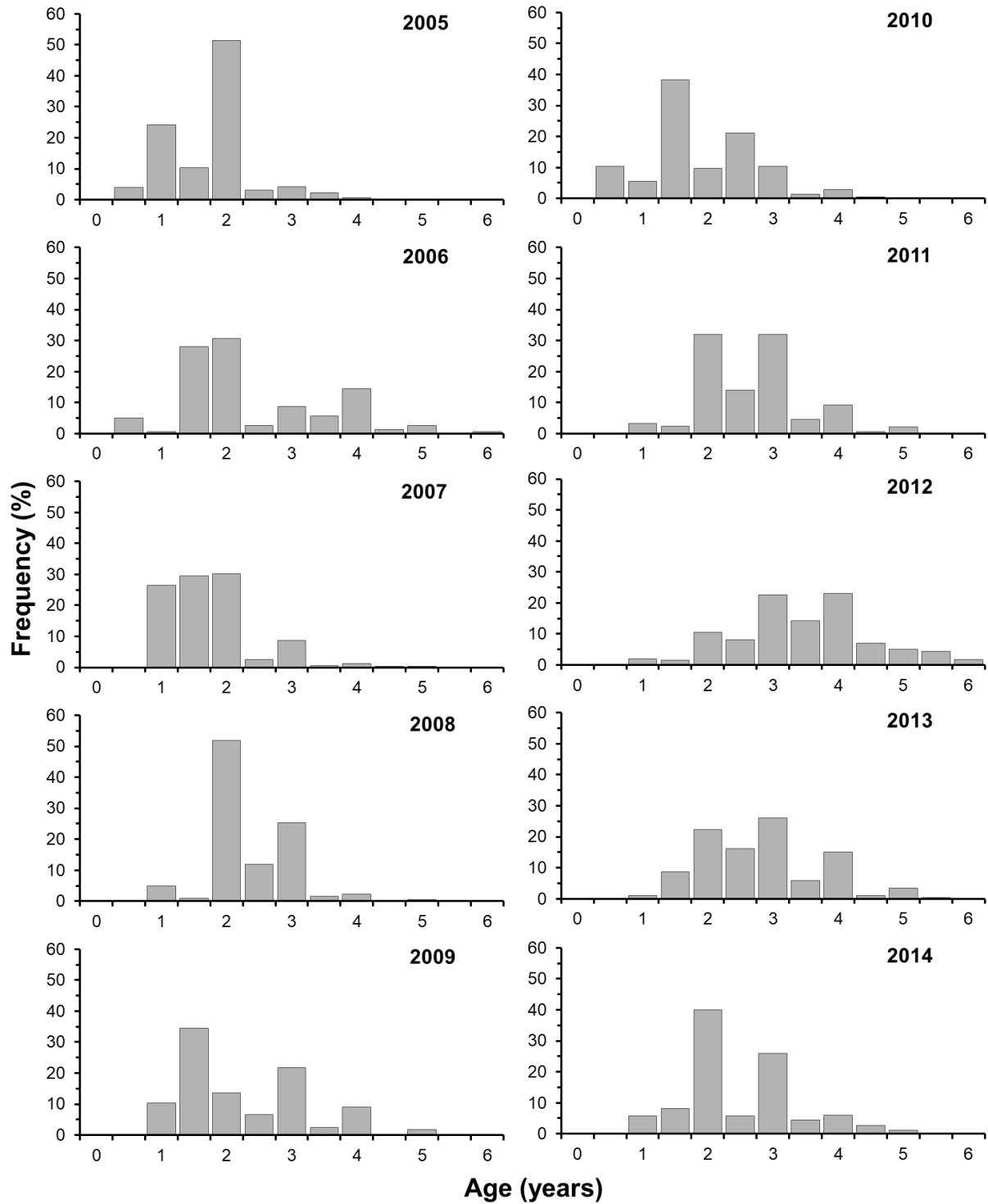
## **Supplementary Material**

### **Allometry and individual growth of the temperate Pacific sardine (*Sardinops sagax*) stock in the southern California Current System**

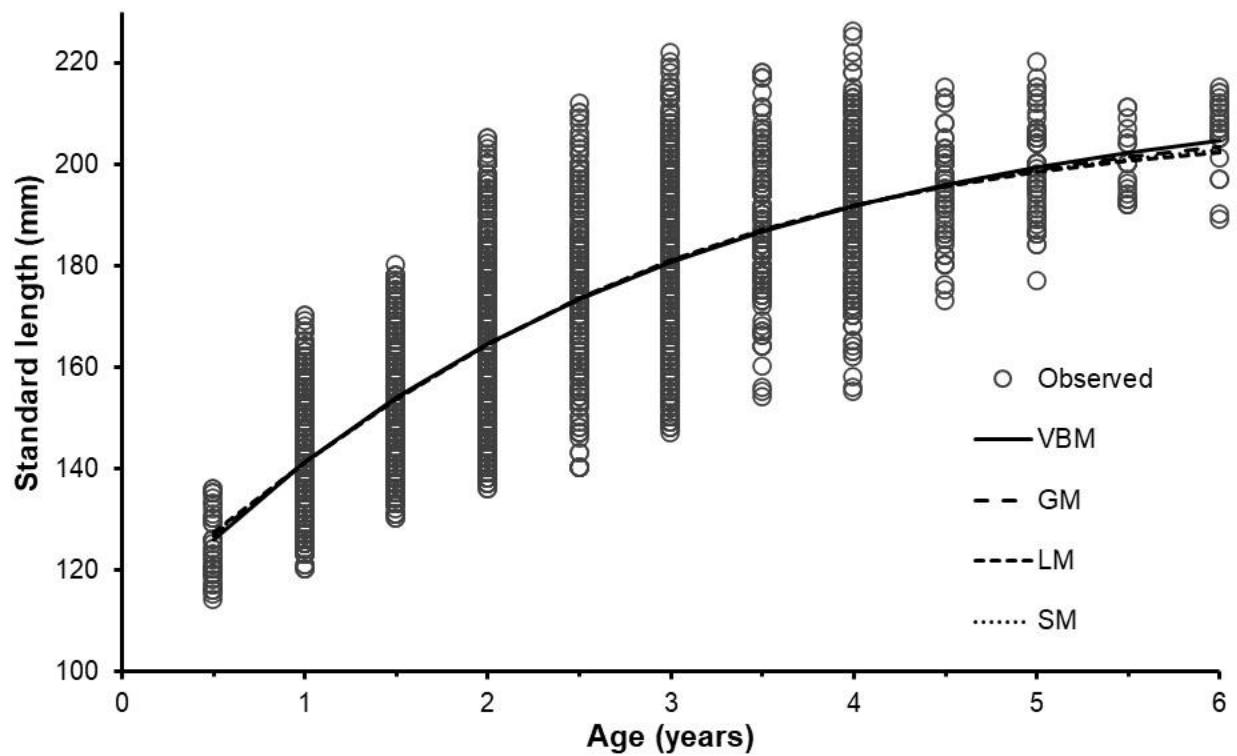
Concepción Enciso-Enciso, Manuel Otilio Nevárez-Martínez, Rebeca Sánchez-Cárdenas, Emigdio Marín-Enríquez, Luis A. Salcido-Guevara, Carolina Minte-Vera



**Figure S1.** Standard-length frequency distribution by year of the temperate *Sardinops sagax* stock in the southern of California Current System (CCS).



**Figure S2.** Age frequency distribution by year the temperate *Sardinops sagax* stock in the southern of California Current System (CCS).



**Figure S3.** Growth models adjusted to age-at-length raw data of the temperate *Sardinops sagax* stock in the southern California Current System (CCS) during study period (2005-2014).

**Table S1.** Values and 95% confidence intervals (CI;  $\alpha = 0.05$ ) of parameters  $a$  and  $b$  obtained by adjusting, to raw *TM-SL* data bolstered by simulated values, the potential model for each year from 2005-2014 of the temperate *Sardinops sagax* stock and growth type (GT; +H, hyper-allometry; -H, hypo-allometry).

Year	CI <sub>inf</sub>	a <sub>mean</sub>	CI <sub>sup</sub>	CI <sub>inf</sub>	b <sub>mean</sub>	CI <sub>sup</sub>	n	GT
2005	$2.958 \times 10^{-6}$	$3.095 \times 10^{-6}$	$3.210 \times 10^{-6}$	3.311	3.321	3.330	583	+H
2006	$2.313 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.347 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.376 \times 10^{-5}$	2.919	2.924	2.928	334	-H
2007	$8.824 \times 10^{-6}$	$9.209 \times 10^{-6}$	$9.608 \times 10^{-6}$	3.102	3.104	3.107	700	+H
2008	$2.490 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.522 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.545 \times 10^{-5}$	2.912	2.914	2.916	539	-H
2009	$1.752 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.772 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.793 \times 10^{-6}$	3.419	3.421	3.424	332	+H
2010	$2.665 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.729 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.755 \times 10^{-5}$	2.894	2.899	2.903	358	-H
2011	$1.097 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.110 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.122 \times 10^{-5}$	3.080	3.082	3.084	459	+H
2012	$5.230 \times 10^{-5}$	$3.465 \times 10^{-5}$	$5.319 \times 10^{-5}$	2.788	2.867	2.791	588	-H
2013	$4.234 \times 10^{-6}$	$4.269 \times 10^{-6}$	$4.328 \times 10^{-6}$	3.251	3.254	3.258	466	+H
2014	$1.595 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.610 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.622 \times 10^{-5}$	2.988	2.989	2.991	556	-H