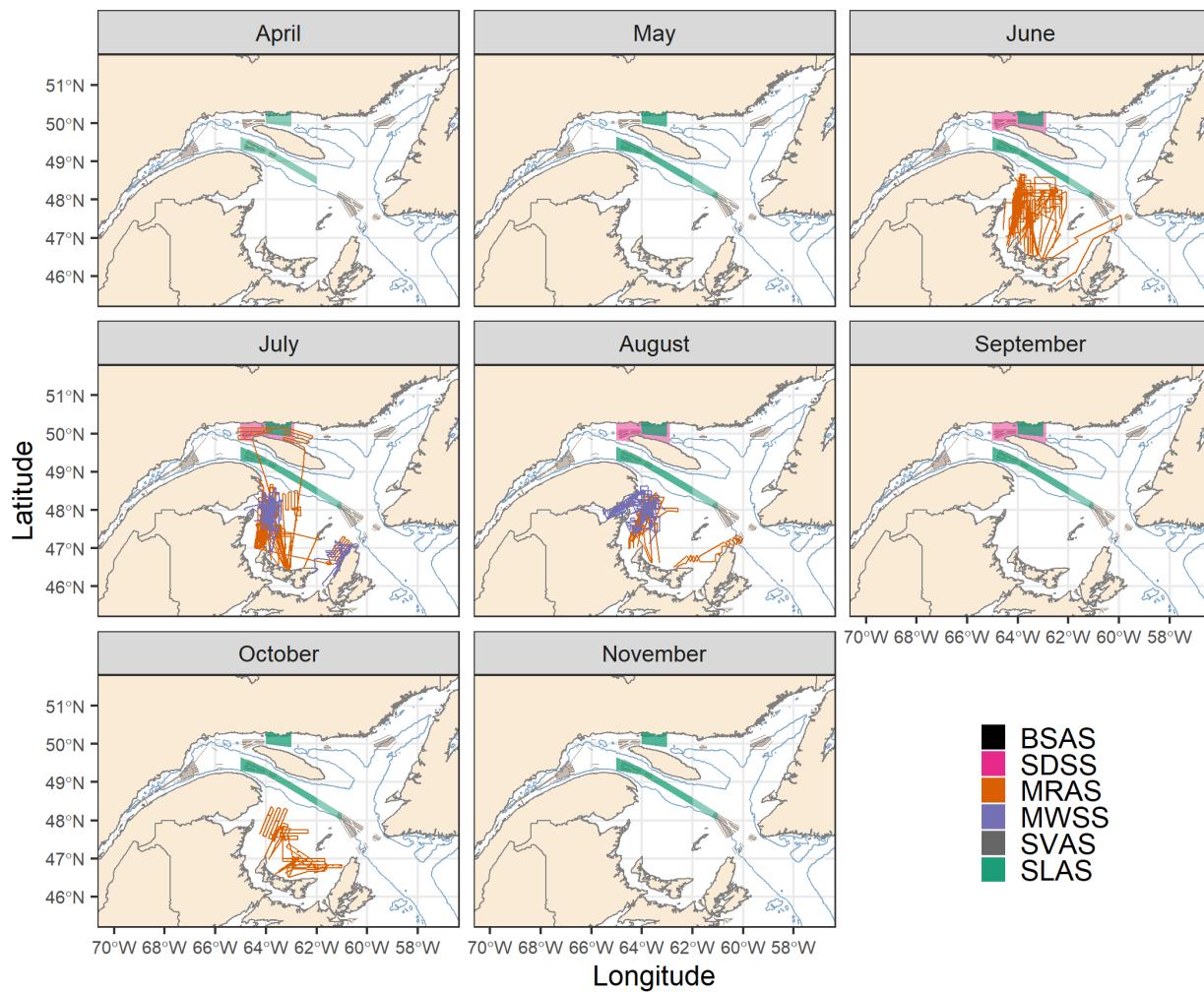


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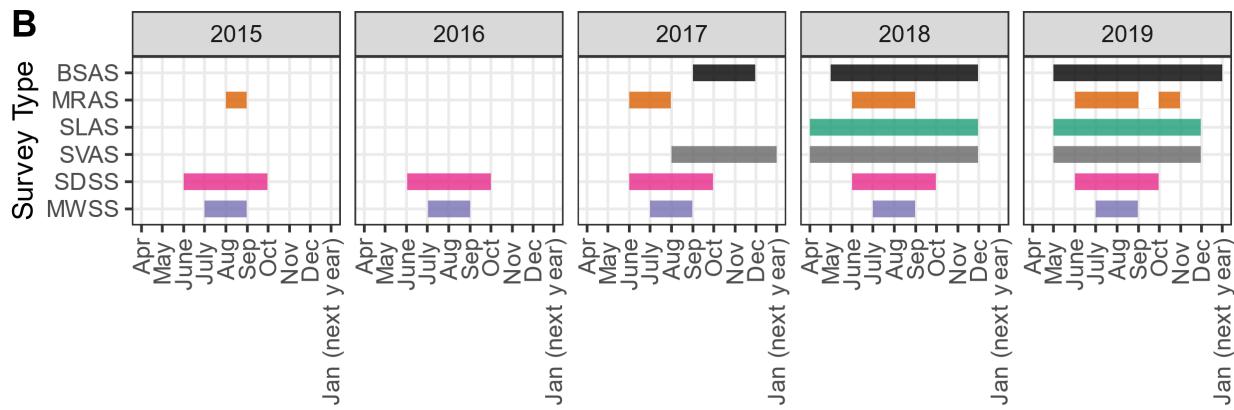


Fig. S1.

Effort details for the different dedicated right whale survey efforts in the GSL that contributed photo data to this study, 2015–2019. Aerial surveys included broad-scale (BSAS), mark-recapture (MRAS), surveillance in the shipping lanes and corridor (SLAS), and surveillance throughout the entire GSL (SVAS). Shipboard surveys included single-day shipboard surveys (SDSS), and multi-week shipboard surveys (MWSS). The 2019 data used in this study only includes data from BSAS, SVAS and SLAS that occurred before June, in September, and after October.

- A) Available monthly effort details including all trackline data for MRAS, trackline data for the MWSS efforts included in this study, and general target areas for SDSS and SLAS efforts. For effort details on BSAS and SVAS efforts, see DFO (2020) and Johnson (2018).
- B) Yearly timelines indicating the months when the different dedicated surveys occurred.

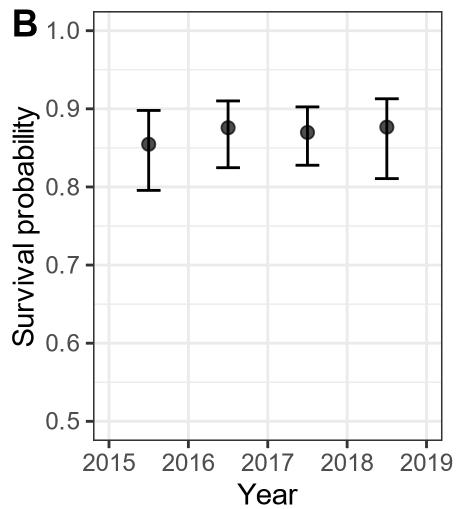


Fig. S2. Model averaged estimates of survival probability across all years (2015–2019).

Results

Goodness of fit results for each dataset used to estimate abundance.

```
library(R2ucare)

GOF_CJS<-function(x){

  n<-as.matrix(x[1])
  n[n==0]<-1

  overall_gof<-overall_CJS(as.matrix(x), n)
  trap<-test2ct(as.matrix(x), n) # test of trap dependence
  trans<-test3sr(as.matrix(x), n) # test of transience
  # tests of over-dispersion
  od1<-test2cl(as.matrix(x), n)
  od2<-test3sm(as.matrix(x), n)

  list(overall_gof=overall_gof,trap=trap,trans=trans,od1=od1,od2=od2)
}

#MRAS 2017
GOF_CJS(ch.MRAS17)

## $overall_gof
##                               chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 4.64                  4    0.326
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct
##       stat      df     p_val sign_test
##     1.208    1.000   0.272   -1.099
##
## $trap$details
##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test  test_perf
## 1           2 1.208 0.272      -1.099 Chi-square
##
## $trans
## $trans$test3sr
##       stat      df     p_val sign_test
##     2.782    2.000   0.249    0.115
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test  test_perf
## 1           2 1.582 0.209      1.258 Chi-square
## 2           3 1.2  0.273      -1.095 Chi-square
##
## $od1
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## $od1$test2cl
##   stat      df p_val
##     0       0    1
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof stat p_val test_perf
## 1           2   0   0     0      None
##
##
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat      df p_val
## 0.65  1.00  0.42
##
## $od2$details
##   component stat df p_val test_perf
## 1           2 0.65  1  0.42 Chi-square
## 2           3   0   0     0      None

#MRAS 2018
GOF_CJS(ch.MRAS18)

## $overall_gof
##                               chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 23.815                  19   0.203
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct
##   stat      df      p_val sign_test
## 8.970    4.000    0.062   -0.346
##
## $trap$details
##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1           2   1 2.446  0.118      1.564 Chi-square
## 2           3   1 0.191  0.662     -0.437 Chi-square
## 3           4   1 5.949  0.015     -2.439 Chi-square
## 4           5   1 0.384  0.536      0.62  Chi-square
##
##
## $trans
## $trans$test3sr
##   stat      df      p_val sign_test
## 2.443    4.000    0.655   0.785
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1           2 0.434  0.51     -0.659    Fisher
## 2           3 1.012  0.315     1.006    Fisher
## 3           4 0.565  0.452     0.752    Fisher
## 4           5 0.432  0.511     0.657 Chi-square

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## 5       6     0     0      0      None
##
## $od1
## $od1$test2cl
##   stat    df p_val
## 11.503 5.000 0.042
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof  stat p_val test_perf
## 1           2  2 6.346 0.042 Chi-square
## 2           3  2 4.917 0.086 Chi-square
## 3           4  1 0.24 0.624 Fisher
##
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat    df p_val
## 0.899 6.000 0.989
##
## $od2$details
##   component stat df p_val test_perf
## 1           2 0.215 3 0.975 Chi-square
## 2           3 0.366 1 0.545 Chi-square
## 3           4 0.316 1 0.574 Fisher
## 4           5 0.002 1 0.968 Chi-square
## 5           6 0 0 0      None

#MRAS 2019
GOF_CJS(ch.MRAS19)

## $overall_gof
##                               chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 22.638          20  0.307
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct
##   stat      df    p_val sign_test
## 7.893    5.000  0.162 -1.411
##
## $trap$details
##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1           2  1 2.73 0.099      -1.652 Chi-square
## 2           3  1 0.358 0.55      -0.598 Chi-square
## 3           4  1 0.109 0.742      -0.33 Chi-square
## 4           5  1 3.214 0.073      -1.793 Chi-square
## 5           6  1 1.482 0.223      1.217 Chi-square
##
## $trans

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## $trans$test3sr
##      stat      df      p_val sign_test
##    7.474    6.000    0.279    0.432
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1          2     0     1           0 Fisher
## 2          3 3.114 0.078      -1.765 Chi-square
## 3          4 3.403 0.065      1.845 Fisher
## 4          5     0     1           0 Fisher
## 5          6 0.957 0.328      0.978 Fisher
## 6          7     0     1           0 Fisher
##
## $od1
## $od1$test2cl
##   stat      df p_val
## 6.520 4.000 0.164
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof  stat p_val test_perf
## 1          2 1 1.597 0.206 Fisher
## 2          3 1 1.518 0.218 Fisher
## 3          4 1 3.333 0.068 Chi-square
## 4          5 1 0.072 0.789 Chi-square
##
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat      df p_val
## 0.751 5.000 0.980
##
## $od2$details
##   component stat df p_val test_perf
## 1          2 0.001 1 0.972 Chi-square
## 2          3 0.75  2 0.687 Chi-square
## 3          4     0  1     1 Fisher
## 4          5     0  1     1 Fisher
## 5          6     0  0     0 None
## 6          7     0  0     0 None

#ALL data 2017
GOF_CJS(ch.alldata_s17)

## $overall_gof
##                  chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 4.811                 4  0.307
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct

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##      stat      df   p_val sign_test
## 1.060    1.000   0.303   -1.030
##
## $trap$details
##   component dof stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1           2 1.06 0.303       -1.03 Chi-square
##
## $trans
## $trans$test3sr
##      stat      df   p_val sign_test
## 1.492    2.000   0.474   0.356
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1           2 1.162 0.281       1.078 Chi-square
## 2           3 0.33 0.566      -0.574 Chi-square
##
## $od1
## $od1$test2cl
##   stat      df p_val
## 0     0      1
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof stat p_val test_perf
## 1           2 0 0 0      None
##
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat      df p_val
## 2.259 1.000 0.133
##
## $od2$details
##   component stat df p_val test_perf
## 1           2 2.259 1 0.133 Chi-square
## 2           3 0 0 0      None

#ALL data 2018
GOF_CJS(ch.alldata_s18)

## $overall_gof
##                               chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 25.749                      18  0.106
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct
##      stat      df   p_val sign_test
## 10.580    4.000   0.032   -0.210

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## 
## $trap$details
##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1          2    1 4.648 0.031      2.156 Chi-square
## 2          3    1 0.075 0.784     -0.274 Chi-square
## 3          4    1 5.844 0.016     -2.417 Chi-square
## 4          5    1 0.013 0.909      0.114 Chi-square
##
## 
## $trans
## $trans$test3sr
##   stat      df      p_val sign_test
## 4.690    4.000    0.321    1.024
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1          2 0.406 0.524     -0.637 Fisher
## 2          3 2.083 0.149      1.443 Fisher
## 3          4 2.201 0.138      1.484 Fisher
## 4          5    0    1        0 Fisher
## 5          6    0    0        0 None
##
## 
## $od1
## $od1$test2cl
##   stat      df p_val
## 8.520 4.000 0.074
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof  stat p_val test_perf
## 1          2    1 4.929 0.026 Chi-square
## 2          3    2 2.355 0.308 Chi-square
## 3          4    1 1.236 0.266 Fisher
##
## 
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat      df p_val
## 1.959 6.000 0.923
##
## $od2$details
##   component stat df p_val test_perf
## 1          2 0.166 3 0.983 Chi-square
## 2          3 0.013 1 0.909 Chi-square
## 3          4    0    1    1 Fisher
## 4          5 1.78  1 0.182 Fisher
## 5          6    0    0    0 None

#ALL data 2019
GOF_CJS(ch.alldata_s19)

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## $overall_gof
##                               chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value
## Gof test for CJS model: 22.205                      19   0.274
##
## $trap
## $trap$test2ct
##      stat      df    p_val sign_test
##     8.225    5.000    0.144   -1.054
##
## $trap$details
##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1          2    1 0.688 0.407      -0.829 Chi-square
## 2          3    1 0.519 0.471      -0.72 Chi-square
## 3          4    1 0.505 0.477      -0.711 Chi-square
## 4          5    1 3.431 0.064     -1.852 Chi-square
## 5          6    1 3.082 0.079      1.756 Chi-square
##
## $trans
## $trans$test3sr
##      stat      df    p_val sign_test
##     3.847    6.000    0.697   1.316
##
## $trans$details
##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf
## 1          2    0    1      0    Fisher
## 2          3 0.211 0.646     -0.459    Fisher
## 3          4 1.709 0.191      1.307    Fisher
## 4          5 0.51  0.475      0.714    Fisher
## 5          6 0.936 0.333      0.967    Fisher
## 6          7 0.481 0.488      0.694    Fisher
##
## $od1
## $od1$test2cl
##   stat      df p_val
## 6.602 4.000 0.158
##
## $od1$details
##   component dof  stat p_val test_perf
## 1          2    1 1.465 0.226    Fisher
## 2          3    1 3.637 0.057    Fisher
## 3          4    1 1.5  0.221 Chi-square
## 4          5    1    0    1    Fisher
##
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat      df p_val
## 3.531 4.000 0.473

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##  

## $od2$details  

##   component stat df p_val test_perf  

## 1          2 0.291 1 0.59 Chi-square  

## 2          3 2.434 1 0.119 Chi-square  

## 3          4 0.806 1 0.369 Fisher  

## 4          5 0 1 1 Fisher  

## 5          6 0 0 0 None  

## 6          7 0 0 0 None  

#ALL years  

GOF_CJS(ch.allyears)  

## $overall_gof  

##                                chi2 degree_of_freedom p_value  

## Gof test for CJS model: 4.346                      7 0.739  

##  

##  

## $trap  

## $trap$test2ct  

##      stat      df      p_val sign_test  

##      1.118    2.000    0.572    0.747  

##  

##  

## $trap$details  

##   component dof  stat p_val signed_test test_perf  

## 1          2 1 1.118 0.29      1.057 Fisher  

## 2          3 1 0 1 0 Fisher  

##  

##  

## $trans  

## $trans$test3sr  

##      stat      df      p_val sign_test  

##      1.228    3.000    0.746    0.471  

##  

##  

## $trans$details  

##   component stat p_val signed_test test_perf  

## 1          2 0.273 0.601 -0.522 Fisher  

## 2          3 0.246 0.62 0.496 Chi-square  

## 3          4 0.709 0.4 0.842 Fisher  

##  

##  

## $od1  

## $od1$test2cl  

##   stat      df p_val  

##   0 0 1  

##  

##  

## $od1$details  

##   component dof stat p_val test_perf  

## 1          2 0 0 0 None  

##  

##
```

```
## $od2
## $od2$test3sm
##   stat    df p_val
## 2.000 2.000 0.368
##
## $od2$details
##   component   stat df p_val test_perf
## 1           2 0.329 1 0.566 Fisher
## 2           3 1.671 1 0.196 Chi-square
## 3           4     0  0     0      None
```

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