

International Aquaculture Science And Research Day

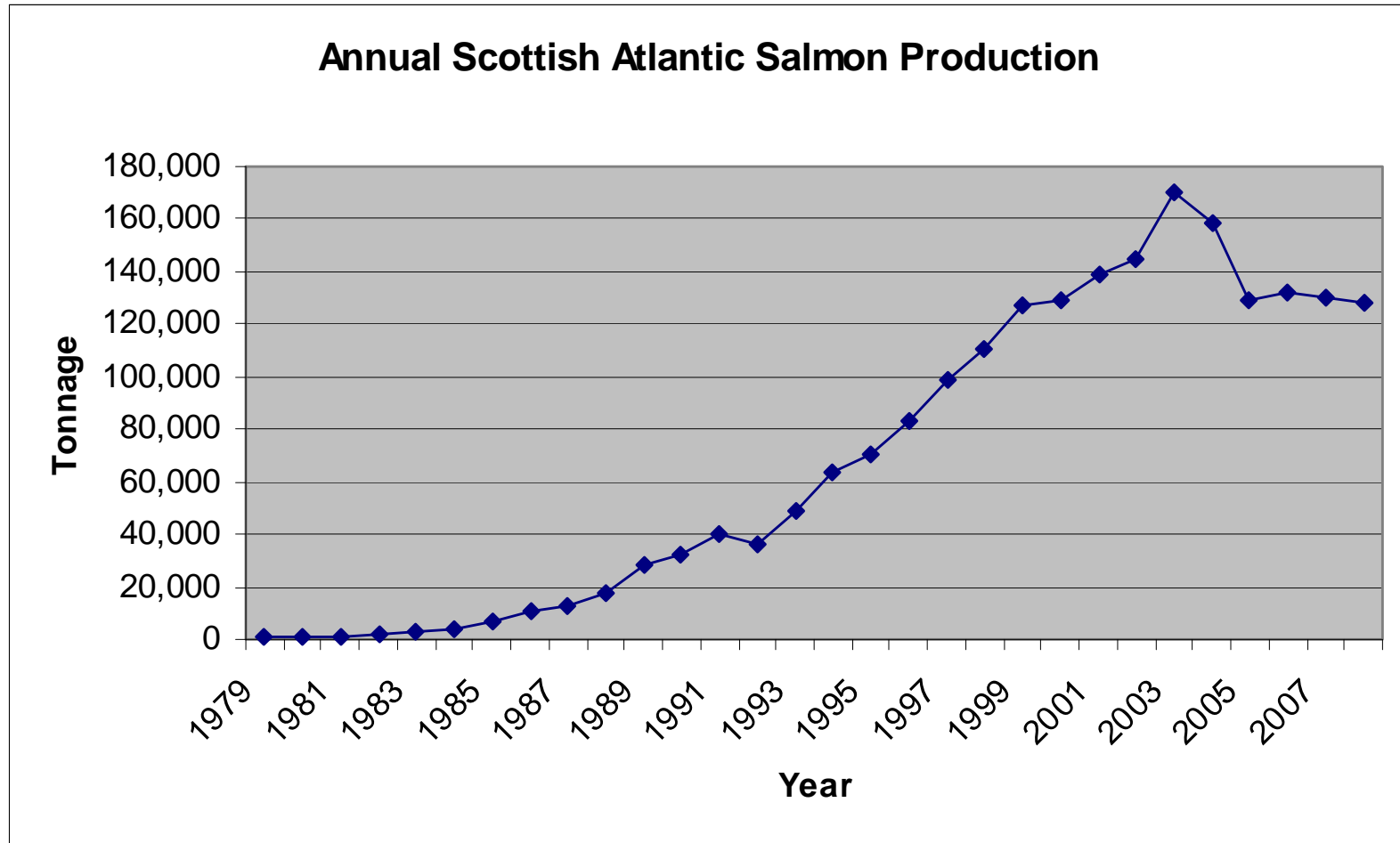
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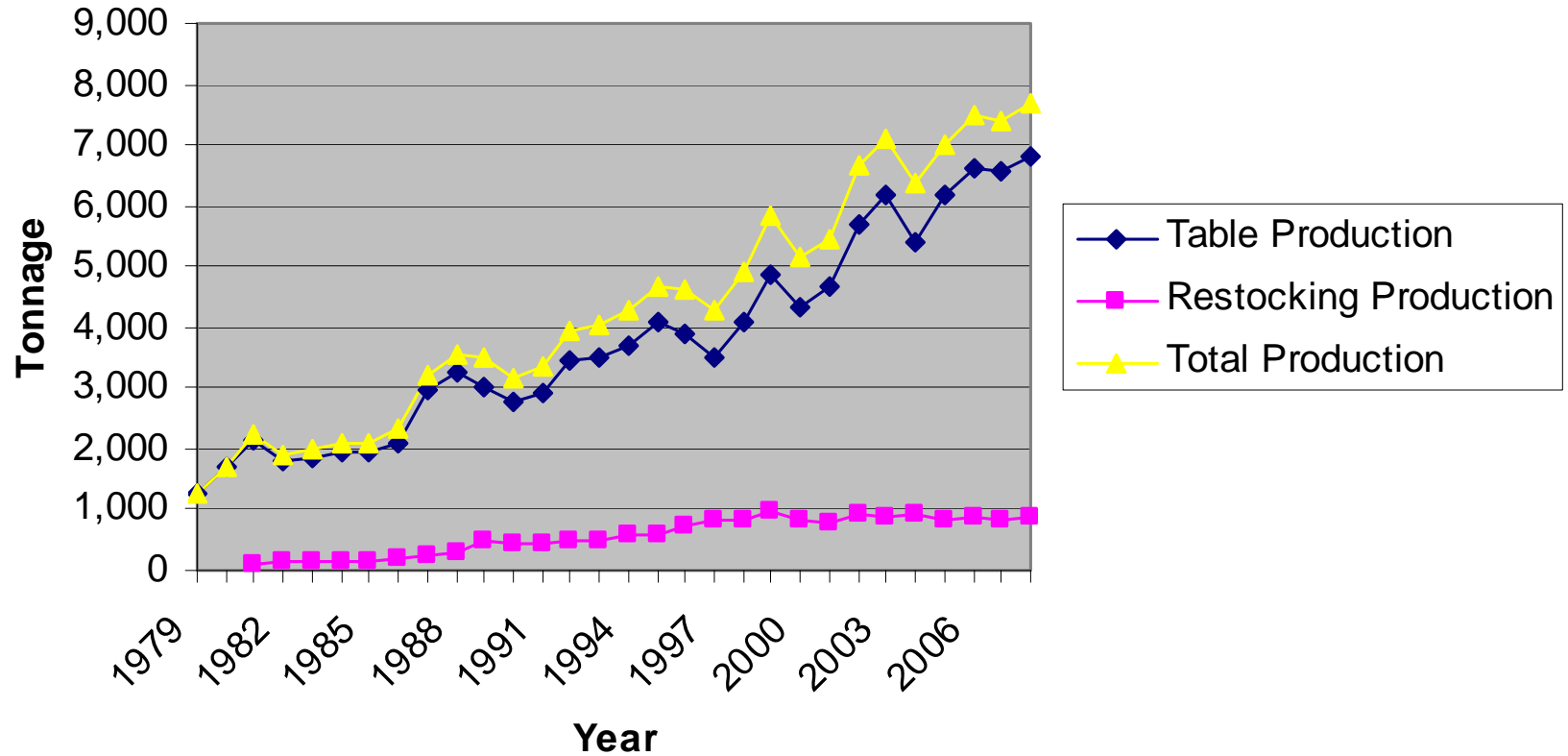
Aim of today!

To provide a better understanding of what research is required and how this can be provided to promote sustainable aquaculture

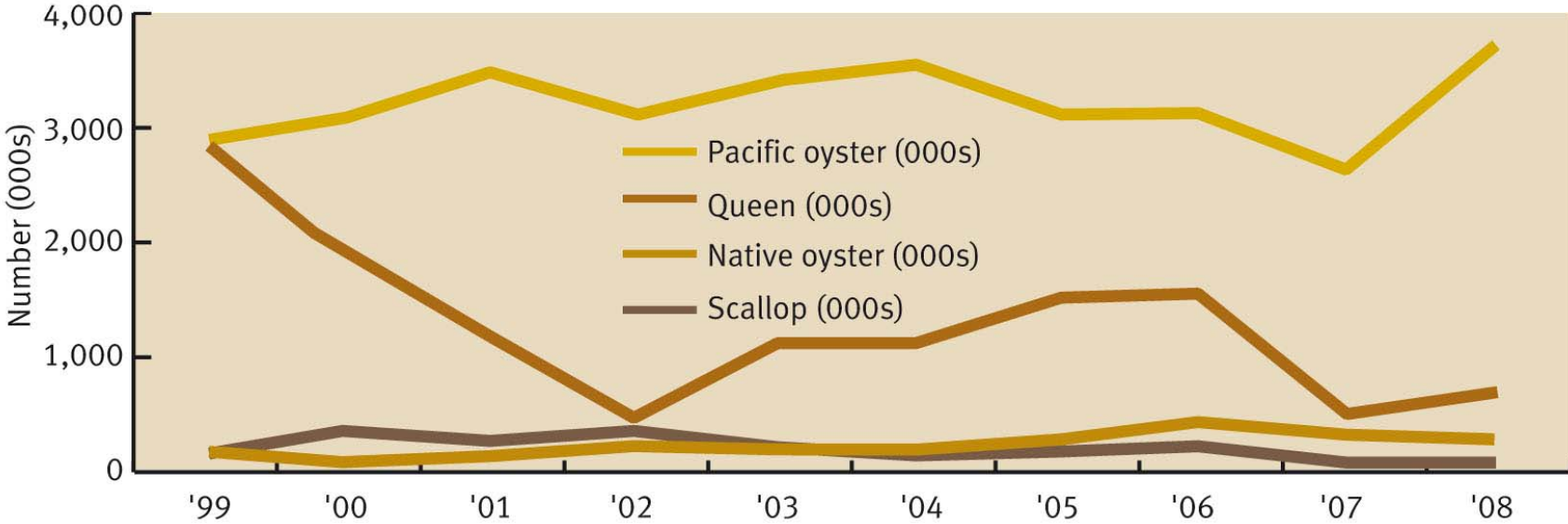
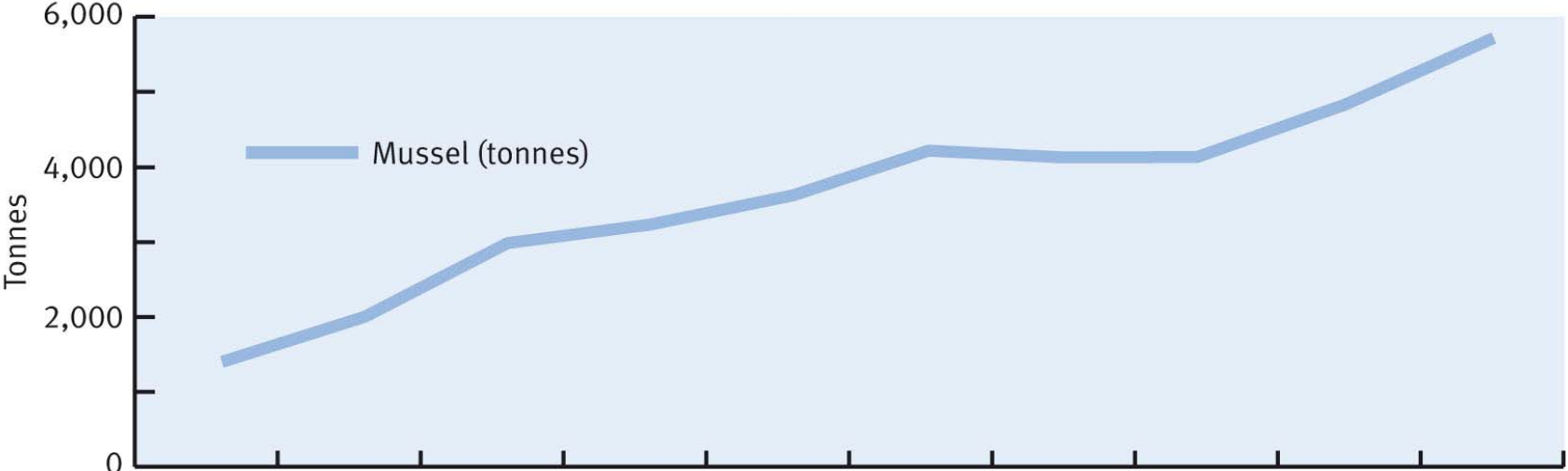
Aquaculture in Scotland and UK is dominated by Atlantic salmon



Annual Scottish Rainbow Trout Production



Shellfish



Demand for these aquaculture products

- World population
- Food security
- Future?
 - Biomass for energy production
 - Non-food commodities
- Sustainability



How will we work?

- Programme for the day
- Presentations – what is happening
 - “Fresh Start” Initiative
 - Industry Priorities
 - How aquaculture fits into Marine Alliance for Science & Technology for Scotland (MASTS) –
 - Aquaculture Research in the UK –
 - The Strategic Research Agenda of the European Aquaculture Technology and Innovation Platform –

Open space - participation by you

- Identify your concerns
- What should be happening?
 - You may fund research
 - Carry out research
 - Use outputs from research



Address these concerns – suggested actions

- E.g. What research themes and priorities?
 - Importance, urgency, priority
- How do we work collectively?
- Barriers to progressing research
- Funding process
 - Who decides what is funded?
 - How is research funded?
- Today - take documented output with specific suggested actions
- Marine Scotland report on today's event and how we will act
 - E.g. Available for use in planning and commissioning research