



# 2025 Red Snapper Season & Greater Amberjack Update

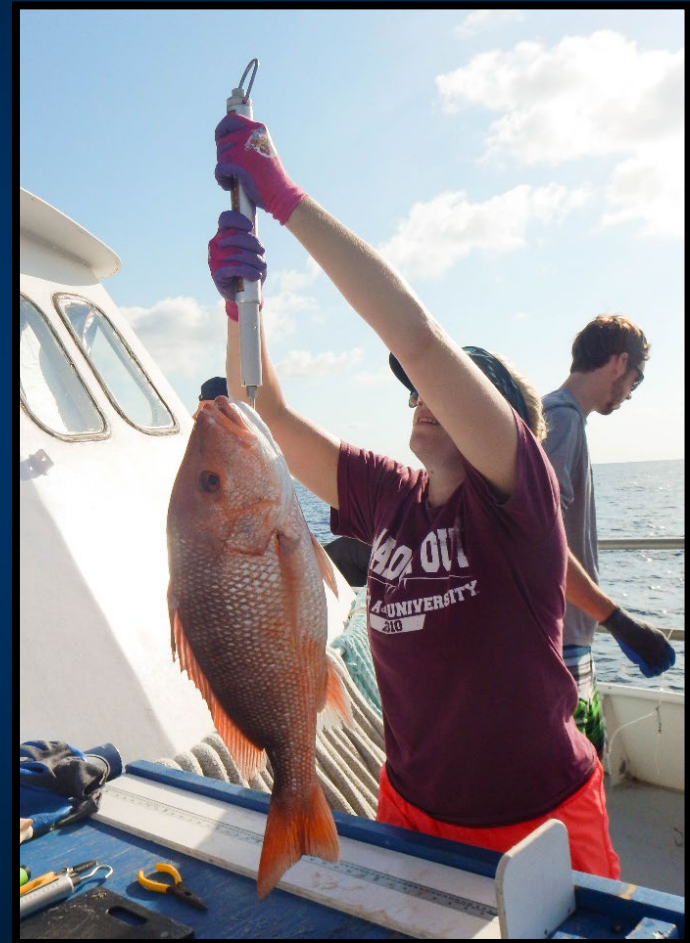
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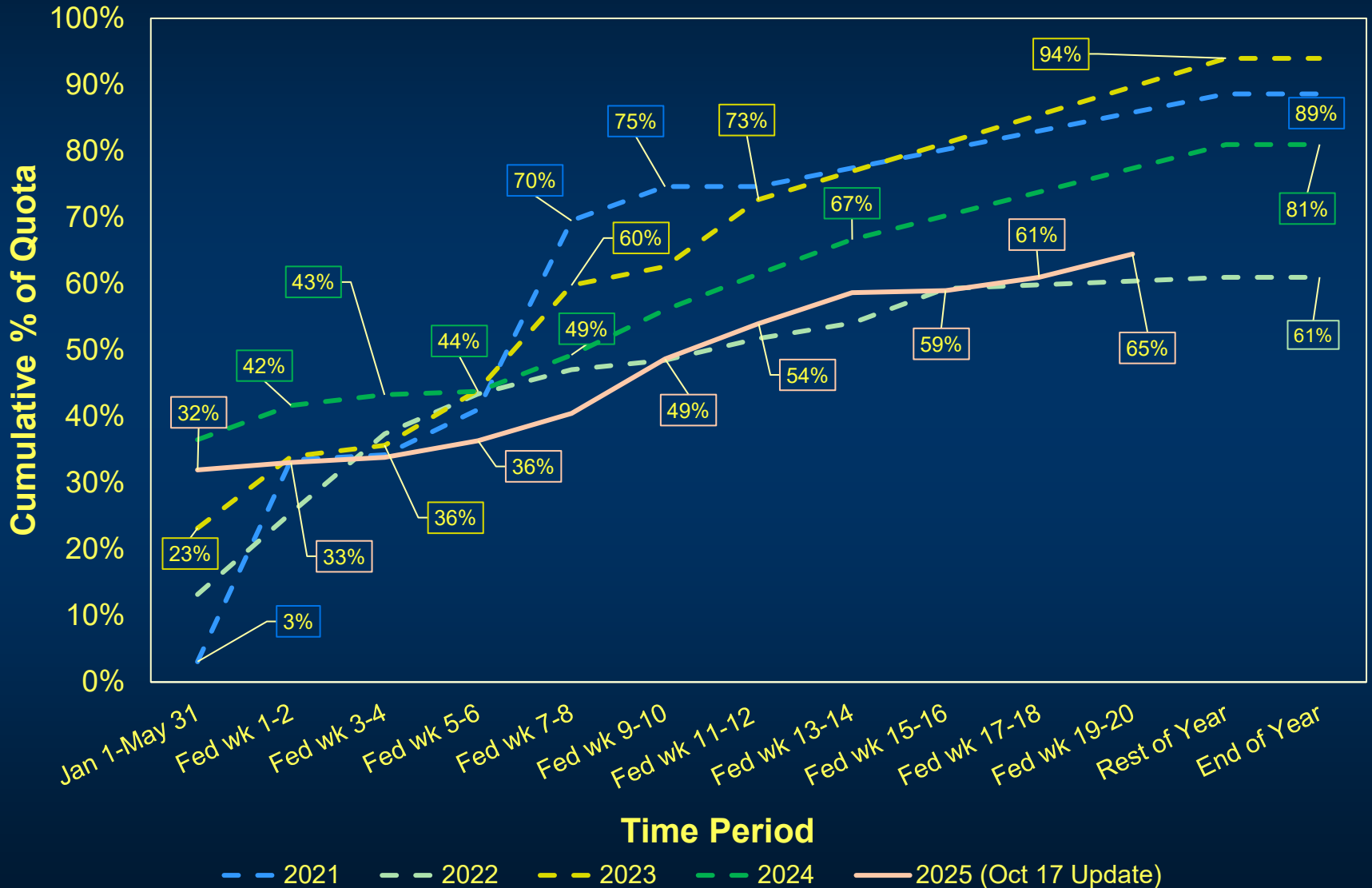
# 2025 Red Snapper Season



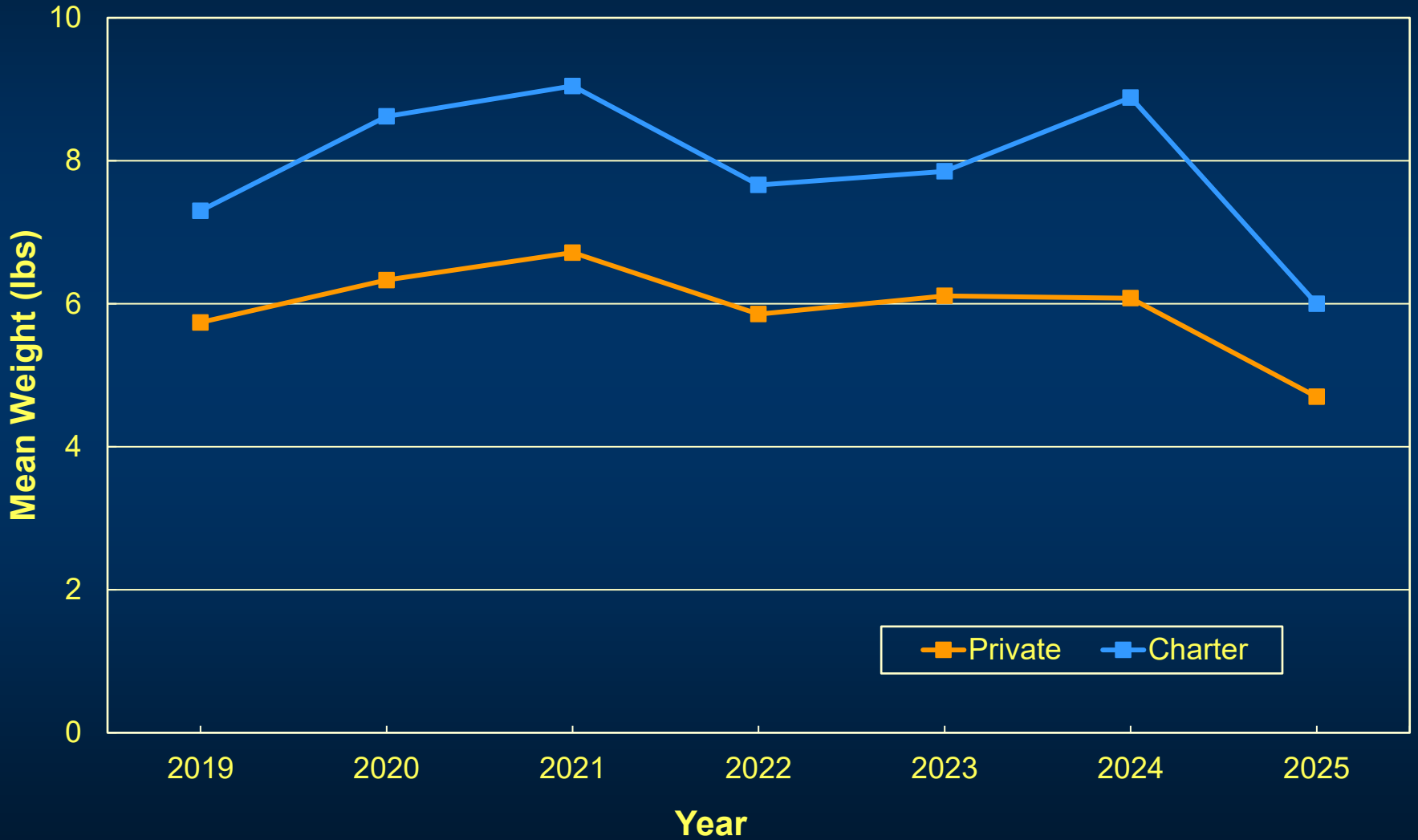
- Texas quota of 286,363 lbs for '25 season
- State waters opened January 1<sup>st</sup>
- 172 day projected Federal Season;
  - June 1<sup>st</sup> - November 20<sup>th</sup>
- As of Oct 17<sup>th</sup>, 65% of the quota has been landed
  - 175,003 lbs Private Rec
  - 9,658 lbs TX Headboat



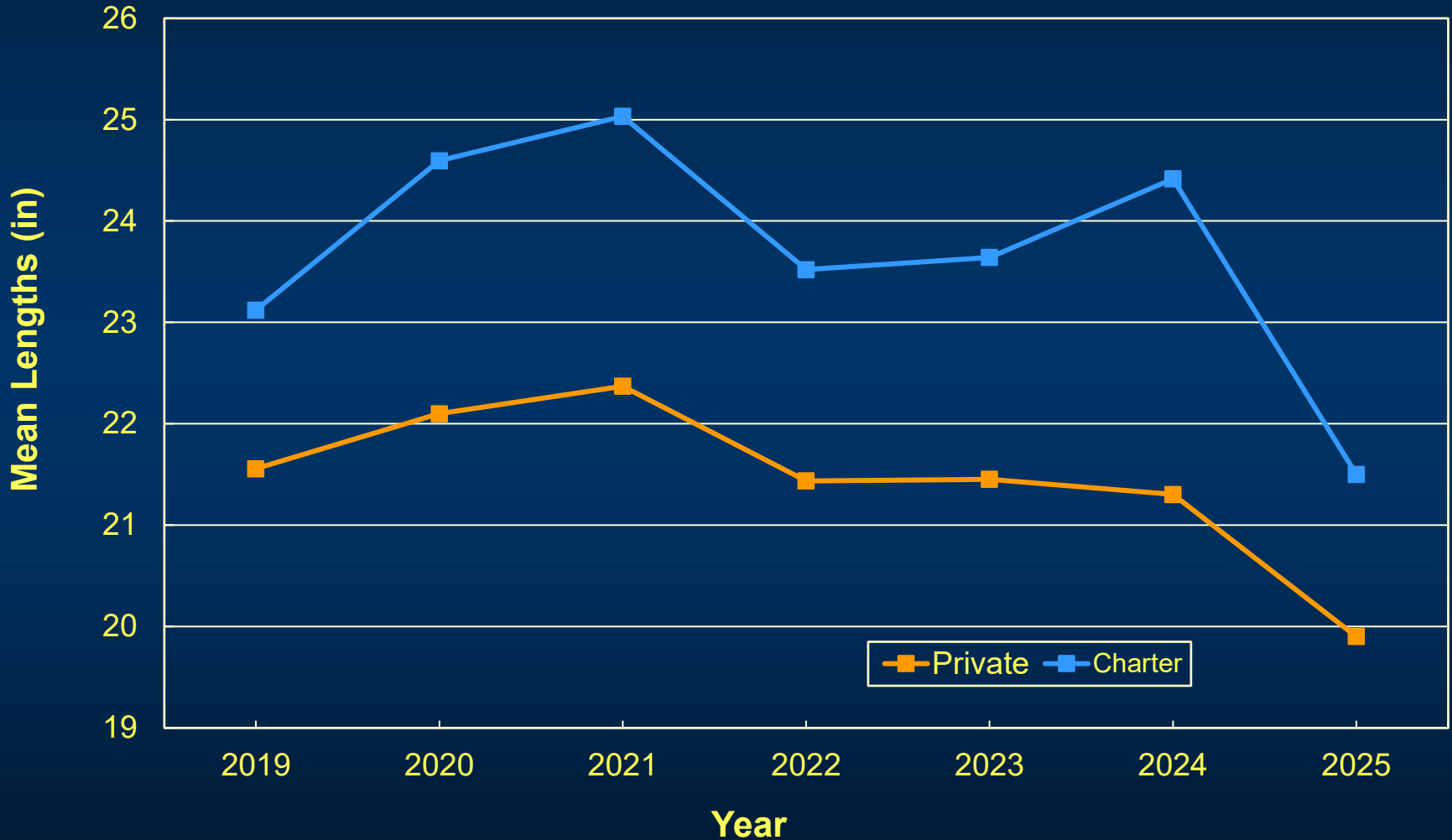
# Red Snapper Landing Estimates



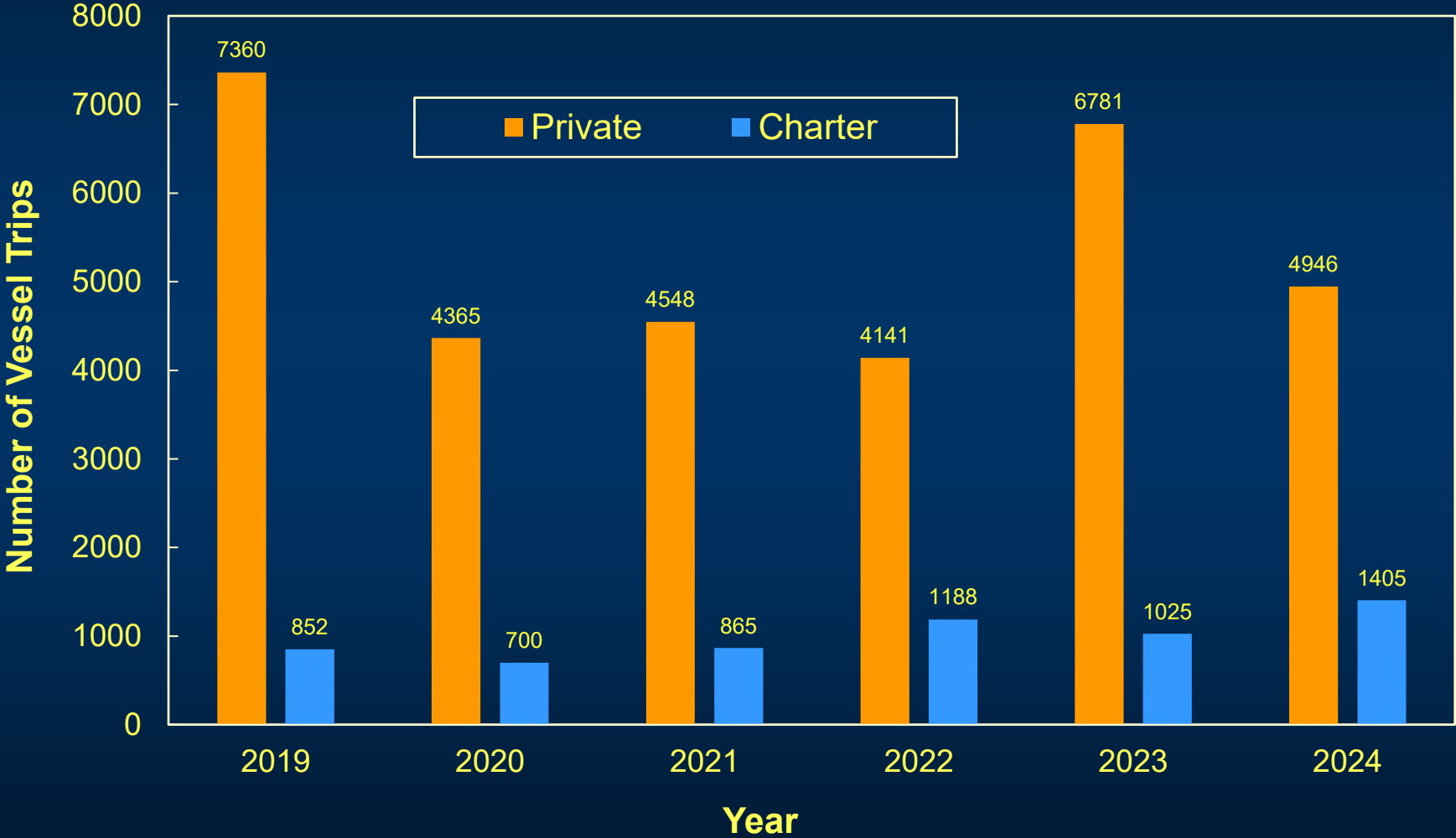
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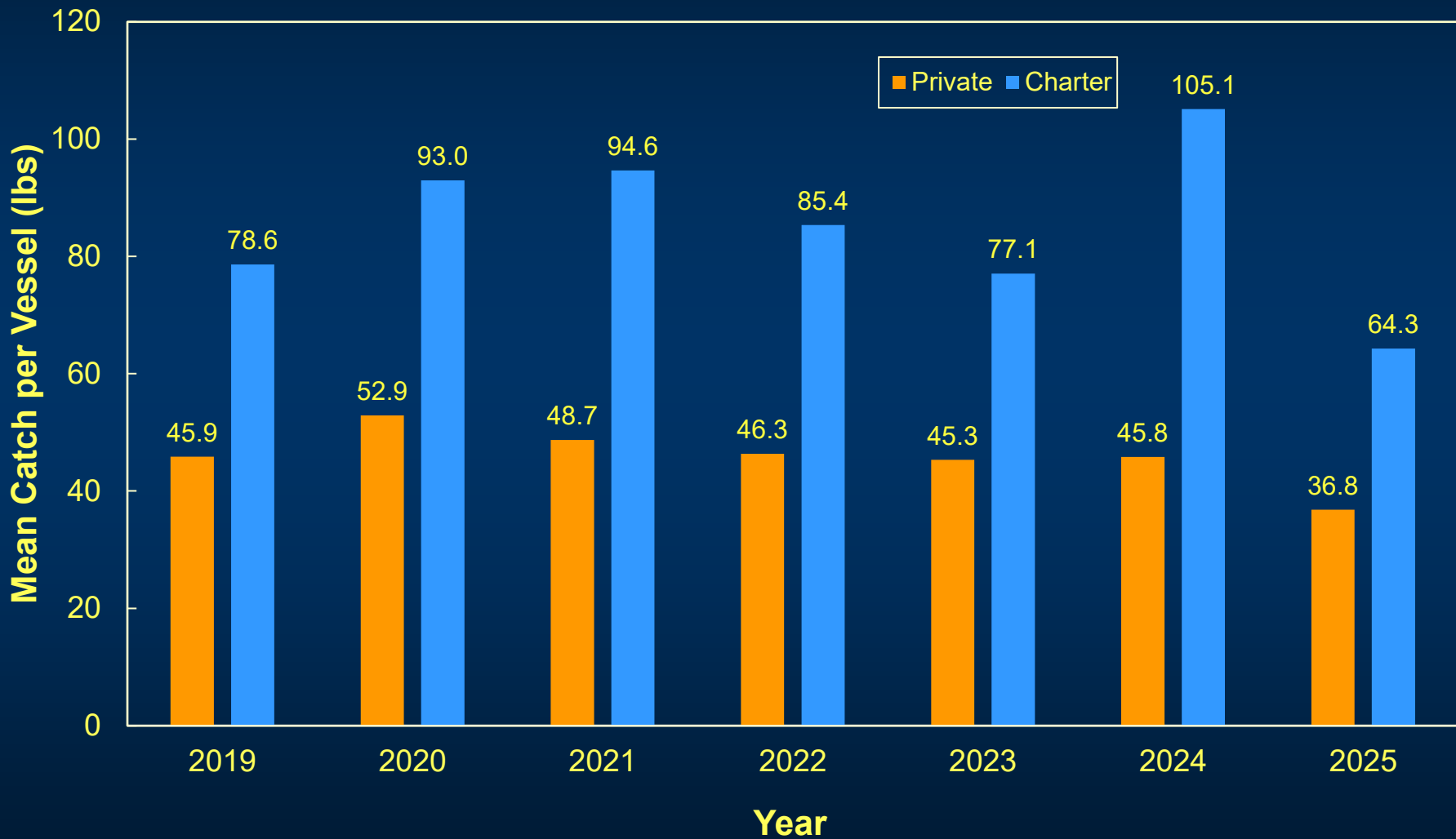
# Red Snapper Average Length



# Red Snapper Vessel Trips Per Year



# Red Snapper Average Catch per Vessel (lbs)

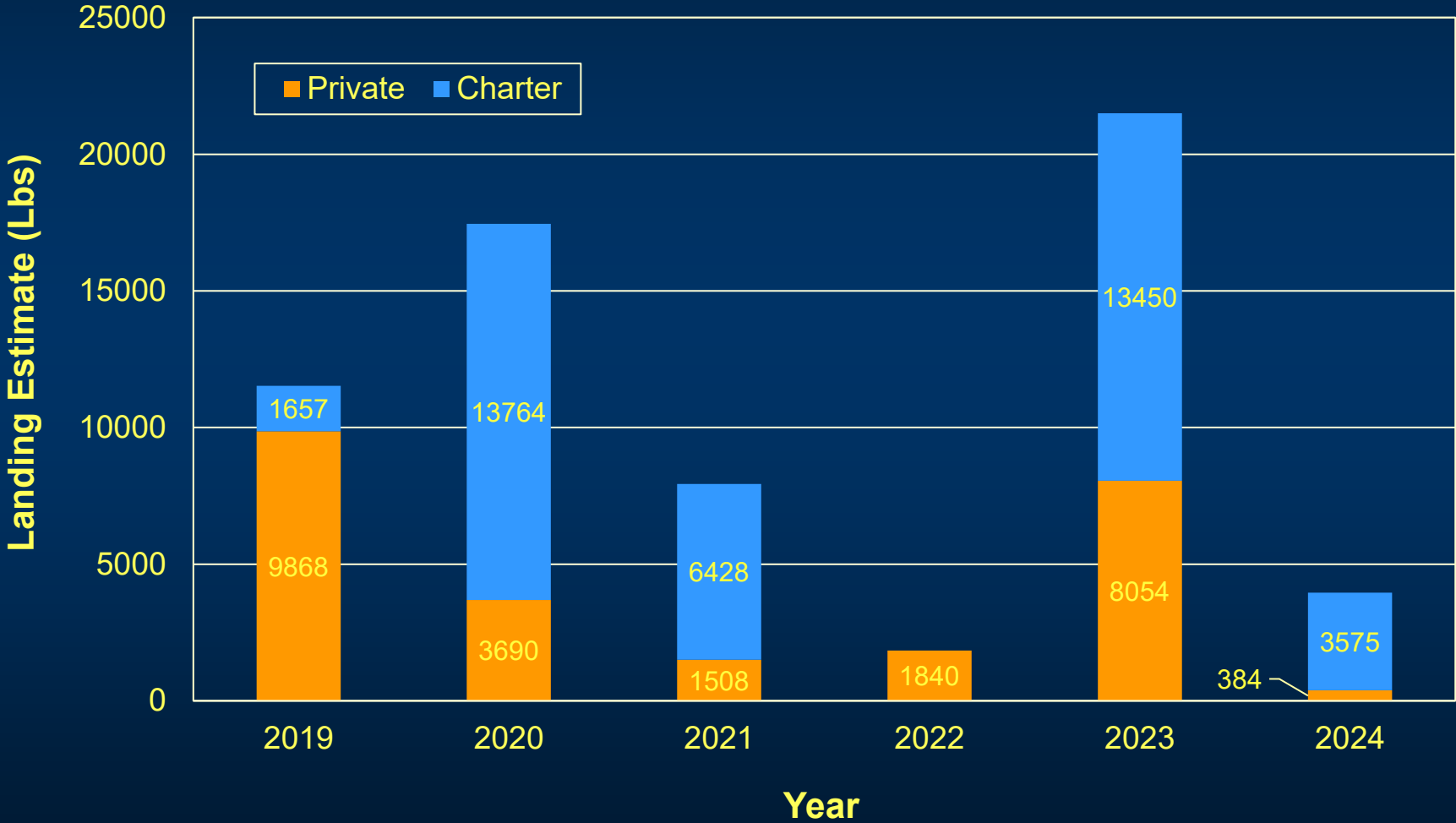


# Greater Amberjack

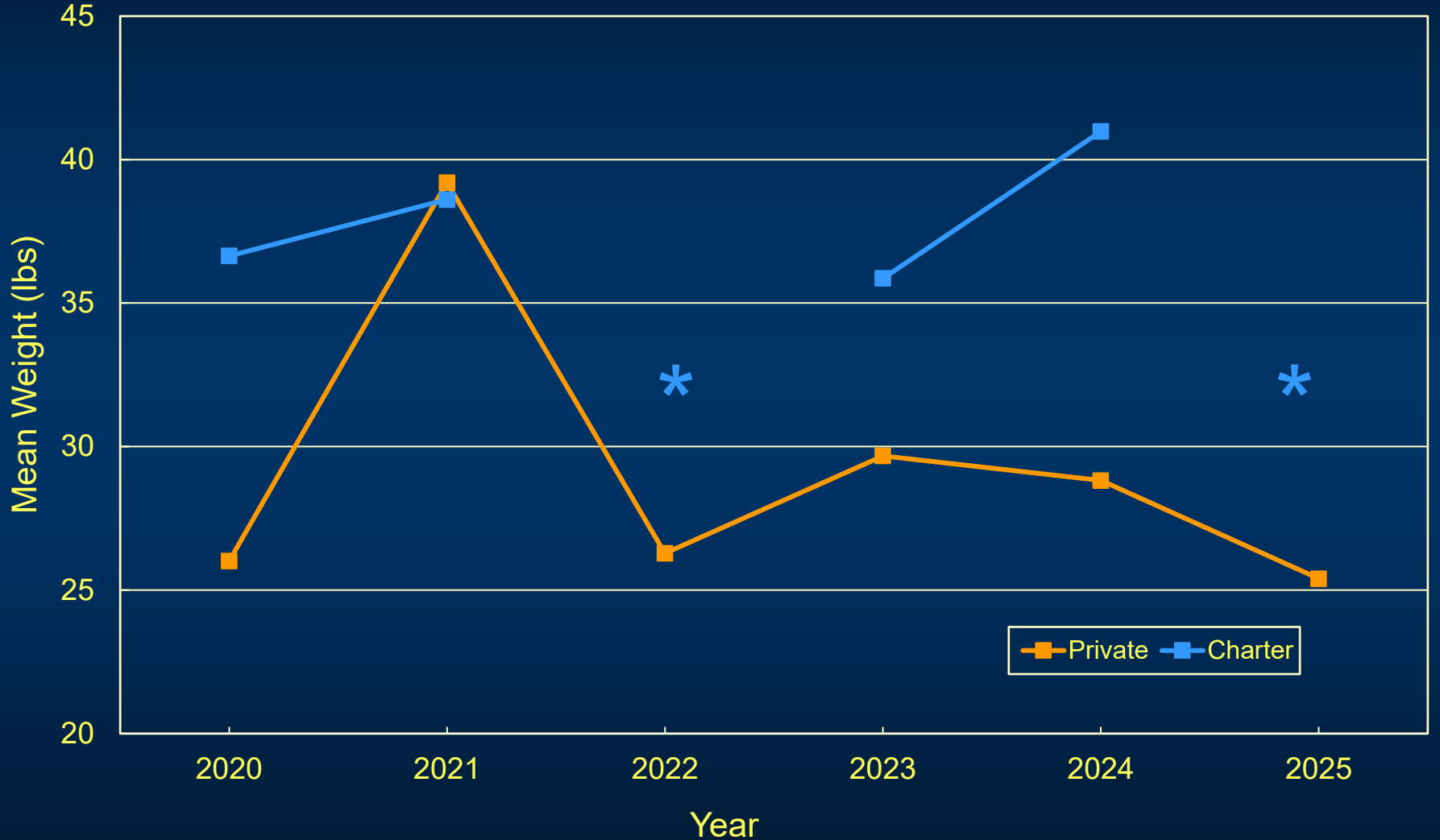
- Texas GAJ Regs
  - Daily Bag Limit = 1
  - Min Length = 38 TL
- 2023 Highest recreational landings in the past 5yrs (21,504 lbs)



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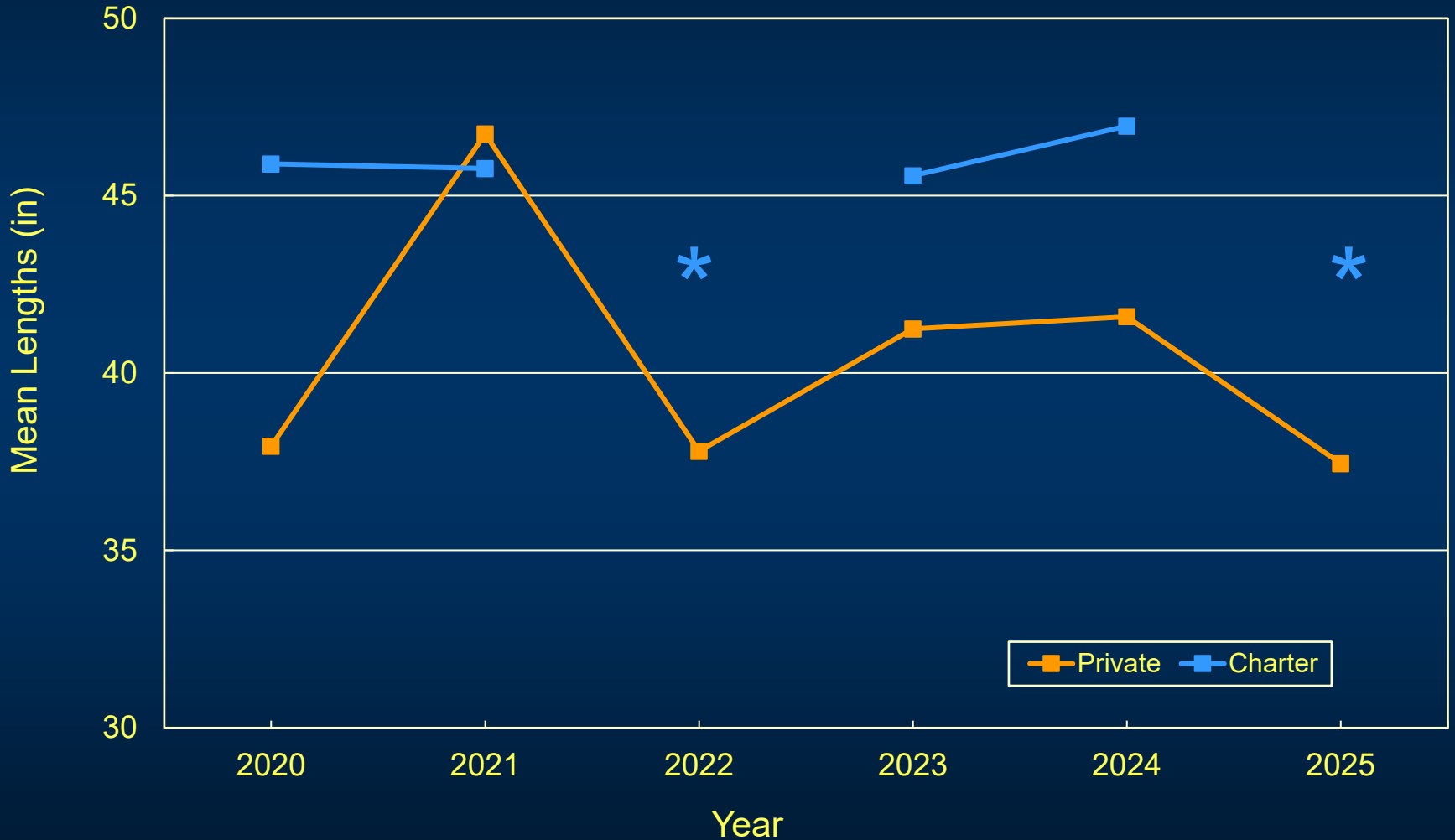


# Average GAJ Weights



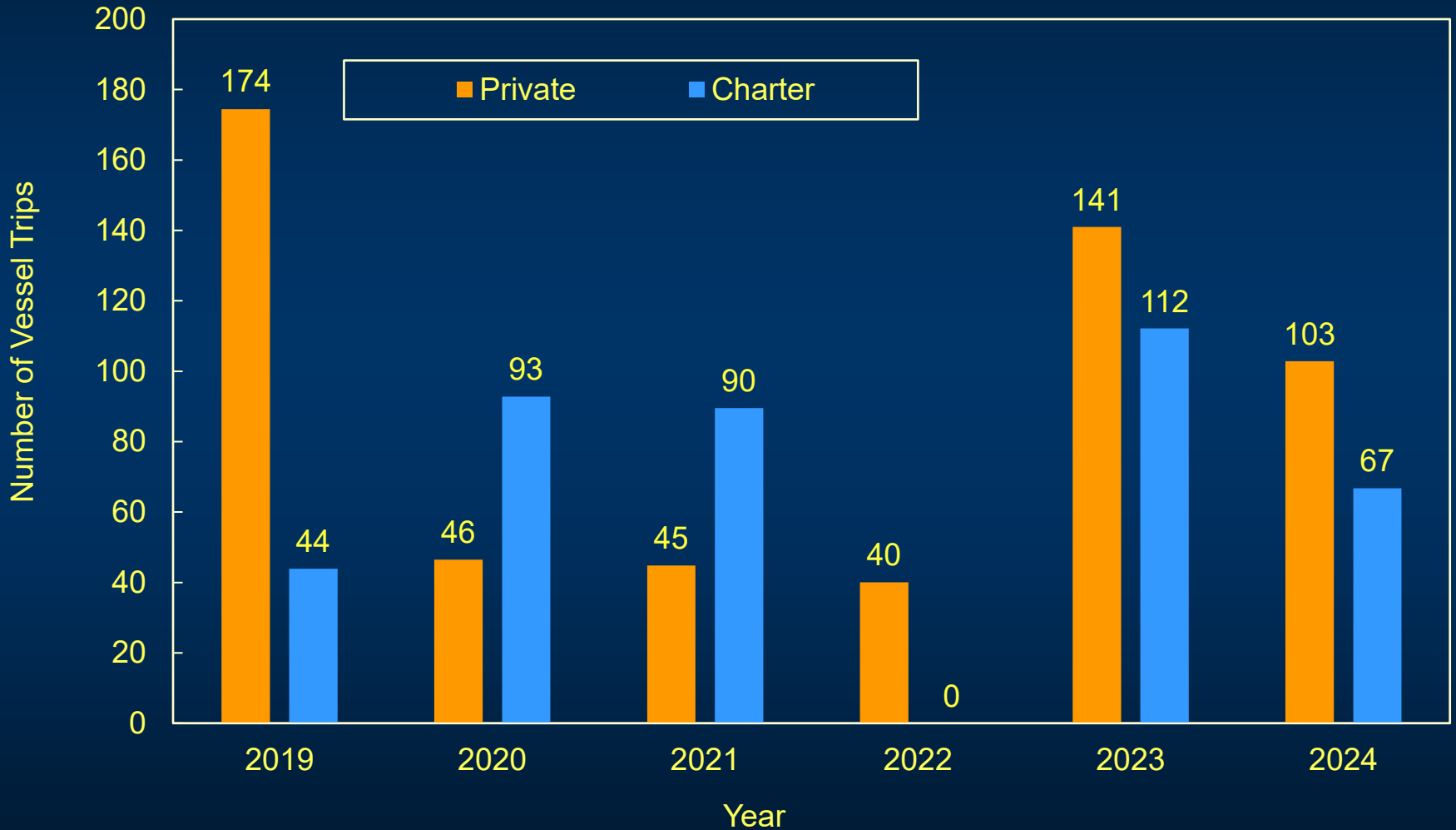
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# Average GAJ Lengths



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# GAJ Vessel Trips Per Year



# GAJ Mean Catch per Vessel (lbs)



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