

# The Role of Season, Tide, and Diel Period in the Presence of Harbor Seal (*Phoca vitulina*) Breeding Vocalizations in Glacier Bay National Park and Preserve, Alaska

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## Supplemental Tables

**Supplemental Table 1.** The pairwise comparisons of the hours per day in which harbor seal roar vocalizations were detected in different months indicate that June and July are significantly different than all other months. There was also a significant comparison between August and September, likely due to the “cool down” phase of vocalizations after the breeding season. \* indicates statistical significance at  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

| Contrasts   | Estimate  | SE   | df     | t ratio | p value  |
|-------------|-----------|------|--------|---------|----------|
| Jan-Feb     | -3.57e-02 | 0.77 | 395.22 | -0.05   | 1.00     |
| Jan-March   | -3.22e-02 | 0.75 | 395.22 | -0.04   | 1.00     |
| Jan-April   | -4.33e-01 | 0.75 | 395.22 | -0.57   | 1.00     |
| Jan-May     | -1.35     | 0.72 | 329.25 | -1.87   | 0.78     |
| Jan-June    | -10.73    | 0.75 | 372.79 | -14.26  | < 0.001* |
| Jan-July    | -16.98    | 0.73 | 346.97 | -23.26  | < 0.001* |
| Jan-Aug     | -2.27     | 0.71 | 318.99 | -3.18   | 0.07     |
| Jan-Sept    | 6.78e-01  | 0.76 | 387.73 | 0.90    | 1.00     |
| Jan-Oct     | -2.83e-01 | 0.89 | 643.03 | -0.32   | 1.00     |
| Jan-Nov     | -2.83e-01 | 0.90 | 645.27 | -0.32   | 1.00     |
| Jan-Dec     | -2.83e-01 | 0.89 | 643.03 | -0.32   | 1.00     |
| Feb-March   | 3.46e-03  | 0.77 | 395.22 | 0.004   | 1.00     |
| Feb-April   | -3.98e-01 | 0.78 | 395.22 | -0.51   | 1.00     |
| Feb-May     | -1.31     | 0.74 | 332.56 | -1.77   | 0.83     |
| Feb-June    | -10.69    | 0.77 | 373.89 | -13.84  | < 0.001* |
| Feb-July    | -16.94    | 0.75 | 349.40 | -22.58  | < 0.001* |
| Feb-Aug     | -2.23     | 0.73 | 322.82 | -3.04   | 0.10     |
| Feb-Sept    | 7.13e-01  | 0.78 | 388.10 | 0.92    | 1.00     |
| Feb-Oct     | -2.48e-01 | 0.91 | 633.64 | -0.27   | 1.00     |
| Feb-Nov     | -2.48e-01 | 0.92 | 636.01 | -0.27   | 1.00     |
| Feb-Dec     | -2.48e-01 | 0.91 | 633.64 | -0.27   | 1.00     |
| March-April | -4.01e-01 | 0.76 | 395.22 | -0.52   | 1.00     |
| March-May   | -1.31     | 0.72 | 329.25 | -1.83   | 0.80     |
| March-June  | -10.70    | 0.75 | 372.79 | -14.21  | < 0.001* |

|            |           |      |        |        |          |
|------------|-----------|------|--------|--------|----------|
| March-July | -16.94    | 0.73 | 346.97 | -23.22 | < 0.001* |
| March-Aug  | -2.24     | 0.71 | 318.99 | -3.14  | 0.08     |
| March-Sept | 7.10e-01  | 0.76 | 387.73 | 0.94   | 1.00     |
| March-Oct  | -2.51e-01 | 0.89 | 643.03 | -0.28  | 1.00     |
| March-Nov  | -2.51e-01 | 0.90 | 645.27 | -0.28  | 1.00     |
| March-Dec  | -2.51e-01 | 0.89 | 643.03 | -0.28  | 1.00     |
| April-May  | -9.14e-01 | 0.73 | 330.31 | -1.26  | 0.98     |
| April-June | -10.30    | 0.76 | 373.14 | -13.57 | < 0.001* |
| April-July | -16.54    | 0.74 | 347.75 | -22.47 | < 0.001* |
| April-Aug  | -1.83     | 0.72 | 320.23 | -2.55  | 0.31     |
| April-Sept | 1.11      | 0.76 | 387.85 | 1.46   | 0.95     |
| April-Oct  | 1.50e-01  | 0.90 | 640.05 | 0.17   | 1.00     |
| April-Nov  | 1.50e-01  | 0.91 | 642.33 | 0.17   | 1.00     |
| April-Dec  | 1.50e-01  | 0.90 | 640.05 | 0.167  | 1.00     |
| May-June   | -9.38     | 0.69 | 257.41 | -13.63 | < 0.001* |
| May-July   | -1.56e+01 | 0.66 | 219.25 | -23.84 | < 0.001* |
| May-Aug    | -9.20e-01 | 0.65 | 214.41 | -1.41  | 0.96     |
| May-Sept   | 2.02      | 0.68 | 252.45 | 2.96   | 0.13     |
| May-Oct    | 1.06      | 0.86 | 594.02 | 1.23   | 0.99     |
| May-Nov    | 1.06      | 0.87 | 597.55 | 1.22   | 0.99     |
| May-Dec    | 1.06      | 0.86 | 594.02 | 1.23   | 0.99     |
| June-July  | -6.25     | 0.68 | 240.10 | -9.24  | < 0.001* |
| June-Aug   | 8.46      | 0.69 | 252.15 | 12.33  | < 0.001* |
| June-Sept  | 11.41     | 0.71 | 274.50 | 16.17  | < 0.001* |
| June-Oct   | 10.45     | 0.89 | 616.92 | 11.73  | < 0.001* |
| June-Nov   | 10.45     | 0.90 | 619.76 | 11.61  | < 0.001* |
| June-Dec   | 10.45     | 0.89 | 616.92 | 11.73  | < 0.001* |
| July-Aug   | 14.71     | 0.65 | 211.14 | 22.64  | < 0.001* |
| July-Sept  | 17.65     | 0.66 | 225.37 | 26.62  | < 0.001* |
| July-Oct   | 16.69     | 0.86 | 592.79 | 19.38  | < 0.001* |
| July-Nov   | 16.69     | 0.87 | 596.38 | 19.18  | < 0.001* |
| July-Dec   | 16.69     | 0.86 | 592.79 | 19.38  | < 0.001* |
| Aug-Sept   | 2.95      | 0.68 | 242.98 | 4.36   | 0.0012*  |
| Aug-Oct    | 1.98      | 0.86 | 585.29 | 2.32   | 0.46     |
| Aug-Nov    | 1.98      | 0.87 | 589.09 | 2.29   | 0.48     |
| Aug-Dec    | 1.98      | 0.86 | 585.29 | 2.32   | 0.46     |
| Sept-Oct   | -9.61e-01 | 0.88 | 610.71 | -1.09  | 0.99     |
| Sept-Nov   | -9.61e-01 | 0.89 | 613.77 | -1.08  | 1.00     |
| Sept-Dec   | -9.61e-01 | 0.88 | 610.71 | -1.09  | 0.99     |
| Oct-Nov    | 5.55e-16  | 0.99 | 739.17 | 0.00   | 1.00     |
| Oct-Dec    | 5.55e-17  | 0.98 | 739.17 | 0.00   | 1.00     |
| Nov-Dec    | -5.00e-16 | 0.99 | 739.17 | 0.00   | 1.00     |

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**Supplemental Table 2.** The pairwise comparisons of different years indicate that nonsequential years are significantly different. \* indicates statistical significance at  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

| Contrasts | Estimate | SE   | df     | t ratio | p value  |
|-----------|----------|------|--------|---------|----------|
| 2001-2002 | -0.57    | 0.34 | 472.68 | -1.68   | 0.34     |
| 2001-2007 | -2.60    | 0.45 | 499.66 | -5.74   | < 0.001* |
| 2001-2008 | -1.79    | 0.43 | 465.61 | -4.25   | < 0.001* |
| 2002-2007 | -2.03    | 0.48 | 491.78 | -4.2    | < 0.001* |
| 2002-2008 | -1.23    | 0.46 | 489.09 | -2.68   | 0.04*    |
| 2007-2008 | 0.81     | 0.49 | 506.82 | 1.66    | 0.35     |

**Supplemental Table 3.** Results from the generalized linear mixed effects model for the tidal and diel analysis show significance (indicated by \*) during different light regimes at  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

|                | Variable name     | Variance | SD   |         |          |
|----------------|-------------------|----------|------|---------|----------|
| Random effects | Day:(Month:Year)  | 2.49     | 1.57 |         |          |
|                | Month:Year        | 1.67     | 1.29 |         |          |
|                | Year              | 0.00     | 0.00 |         |          |
|                | Variable name     | Estimate | SE   | Z value | p value  |
| Fixed effects  | Intercept         | 1.19     | 0.53 | 2.26    | 0.024*   |
|                | Light (Day)       | -0.39    | 0.19 | -2.04   | 0.042*   |
|                | Light (Sunset)    | 0.66     | 0.32 | 2.10    | 0.036*   |
|                | Light (Night)     | 1.34     | 0.25 | 5.31    | < 0.001* |
|                | Tide              | 0.09     | 0.07 | 1.33    | 0.184    |
|                | Tide*Time         | -0.01    | 0.01 | -1.80   | 0.073    |
|                | Current Direction | 0.03     | 0.35 | 0.07    | 0.94     |
|                | Spring vs Neap    | -0.65    | 1.07 | -0.61   | 0.54     |

**Supplemental Table 4.** The pairwise comparisons of different light regimes indicate that day and night were significantly different than sunrise and sunset. \* indicates statistical significance at  $\alpha = 0.05$ .

| Contrasts      | Estimate | SE   | z ratio | p value  |
|----------------|----------|------|---------|----------|
| Sunrise–Day    | 0.39     | 0.19 | 2.04    | 0.17     |
| Sunrise–Sunset | -0.66    | 0.32 | -2.10   | 0.15     |
| Sunrise–Night  | -1.34    | 0.25 | -5.31   | < 0.001* |
| Day–Sunset     | -1.05    | 0.19 | -5.57   | < 0.001* |
| Day–Night      | -1.73    | 0.30 | -5.81   | < 0.001* |
| Sunset–Night   | -0.68    | 0.40 | -1.68   | 0.34     |