Table 1 Frequency distribution of fork length of pink salmon caught (Ishida[6])

Length class, l_j (cm)	Mesh size, m_i (cm) 7.6	9.6	10.6	12.1	12.7	13.6	Total
41.5	15	60	57	18	0	5	155
42.5	21	103	160	42	1	4	331
43.5	23	100	190	72	1	9	395
44.5	10	84	198	135	2	11	440
45.5	7	40	135	158	2	9	351
46.5	5	29	2	133	6	7	182
47.5	0	18	11	100	2	13	144
Number of net used, x_i	70	98	136	331	71	209	915
Relative catch effort ($x_i / \Sigma_i x_i$)	0.077	0.107	0.149	0.362	0.078	0.228	

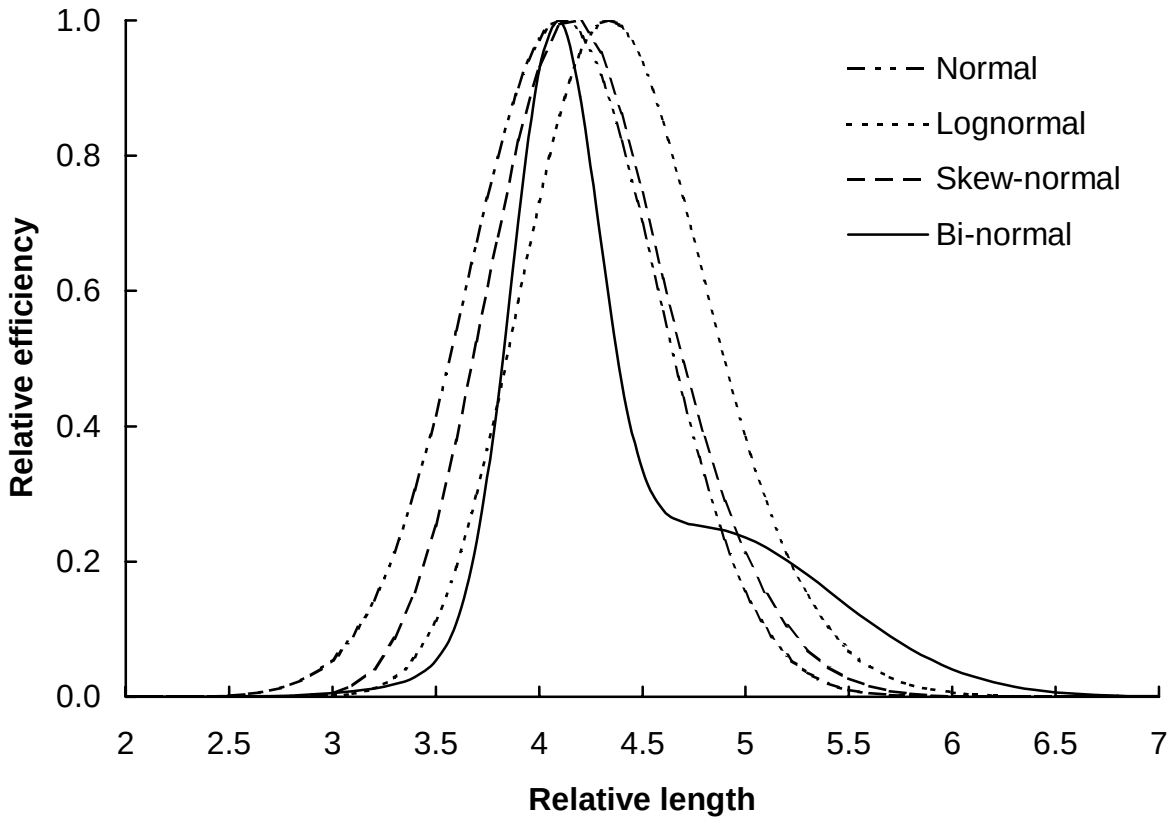
Table 2 The parameters of master curve of selectivity and the values of model deviance

Model		Parameters										MLL	d.f.	Model deviance
		$R_0(R_a, R_b)^2$	σ	η^1, ω^2	δ^2	p_1	p_2	p_3	p_4	p_5	p_6			
Normal														
	p_i estimated	4.1108	0.4612	-	-	0.9161	0.0226	0.0228	0.0294	0.0010	0.0081	-2538.6	29	428.0
	p_i fixed	4.5487	0.5478	-	-	0.0765	0.1071	0.1486	0.3617	0.0776	0.2284	-2647.2	34	617.7
Lognormal														
	p_i estimated	4.3378	0.1026	-	-	0.3183	0.0561	0.0935	0.2745	0.0132	0.2444	-2505.2	29	337.8
	p_i fixed	4.4310	0.1218	-	-	0.0765	0.1071	0.1486	0.3617	0.0776	0.2284	-2586.0	34	528.9
Skew-normal														
	p_i estimated	4.2290	0.4375	1.1401	-	0.7385	0.0508	0.0571	0.0984	0.0038	0.0514	-2512.9	28	354.7
	p_i fixed[3]	-	-	-	-	0.0765	0.1071	0.1486	0.3617	0.0776	0.2284	-	33	-
Bi-normal														
	p_i estimated	4.0638 4.7719	0.2141 0.6397	0.2662	1.1370	0.1222	0.1380	0.0913	0.2742	0.0181	0.3562	-2427.0	25	115.6
	p_i fixed	4.0575 4.8084	0.2111 0.6331	0.6744	1.3393	0.0765	0.1071	0.1486	0.3617	0.0776	0.2284	-2470.6	30	228.9

[1] The parameter of skew-normal model.

[2] The parameter of bi-normal model.

[3] Parameters were not converged.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2
2.5
3
3.5
4
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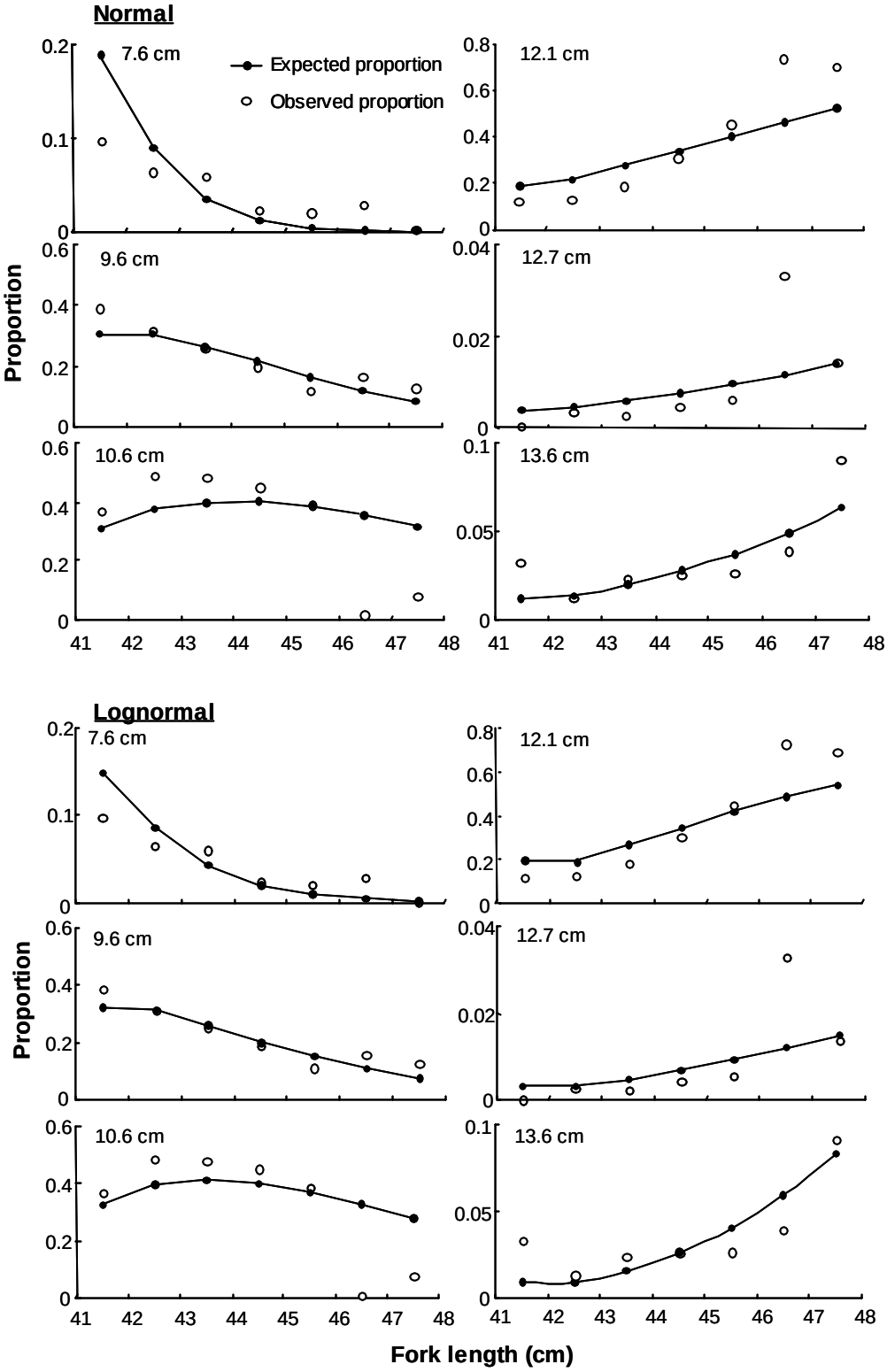
5
5.5
6
6.5
7
Relative length
Normal
Lognormal
Skew-normal
Bi-normal

Fig. 1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Expected proportion
Observed proportion
12.1 cm
9.6 cm
12.7 cm
10.6 cm
13.6 cm
Proportion
Lognormal
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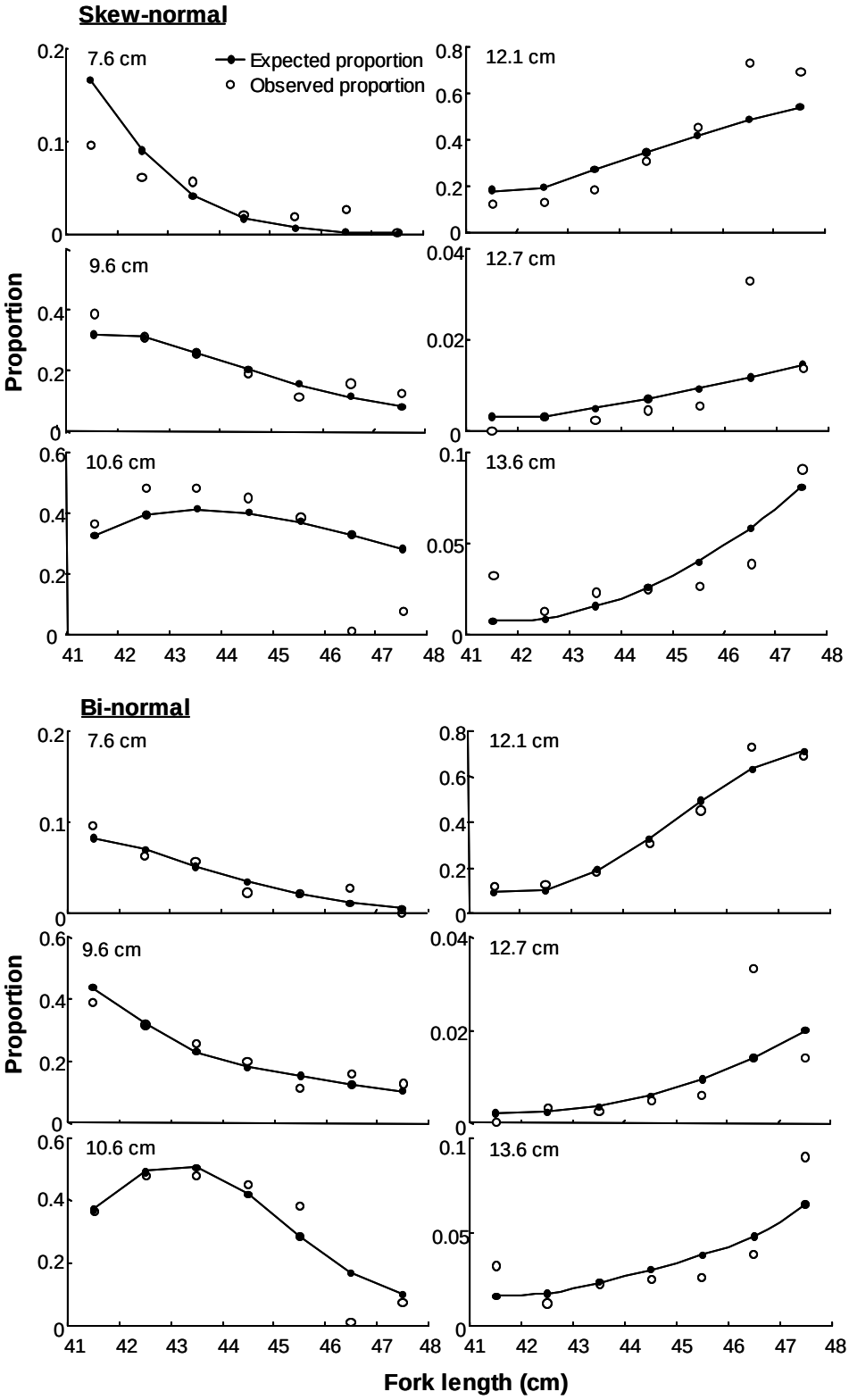
12.1 cm
9.6 cm
12.7 cm
10.6 cm
13.6 cm
Proportion
Fork length (cm)

Fig. 2(a)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Observed proportion
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10.6 cm
12.1 cm
12.7 cm
13.6 cm
Proportion
Bi-normal
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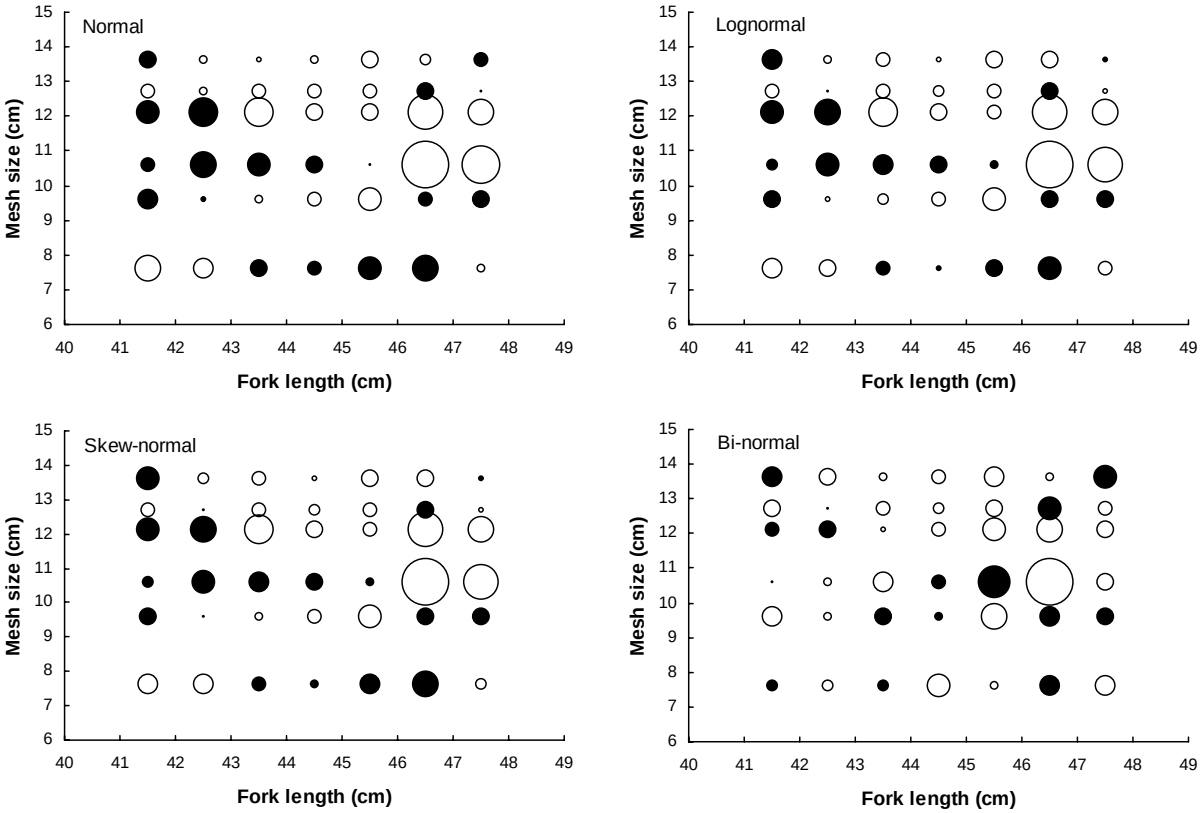
9.6 cm
10.6 cm
12.1 cm
12.7 cm
13.6 cm
Proportion
Fork length (cm)

Fig. 2(b)


Normal
Lognormal
Skew-normal
Bi-normal
Mesh size (cm)
Fork length (cm)
15
14
13
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6
40
41
42
43
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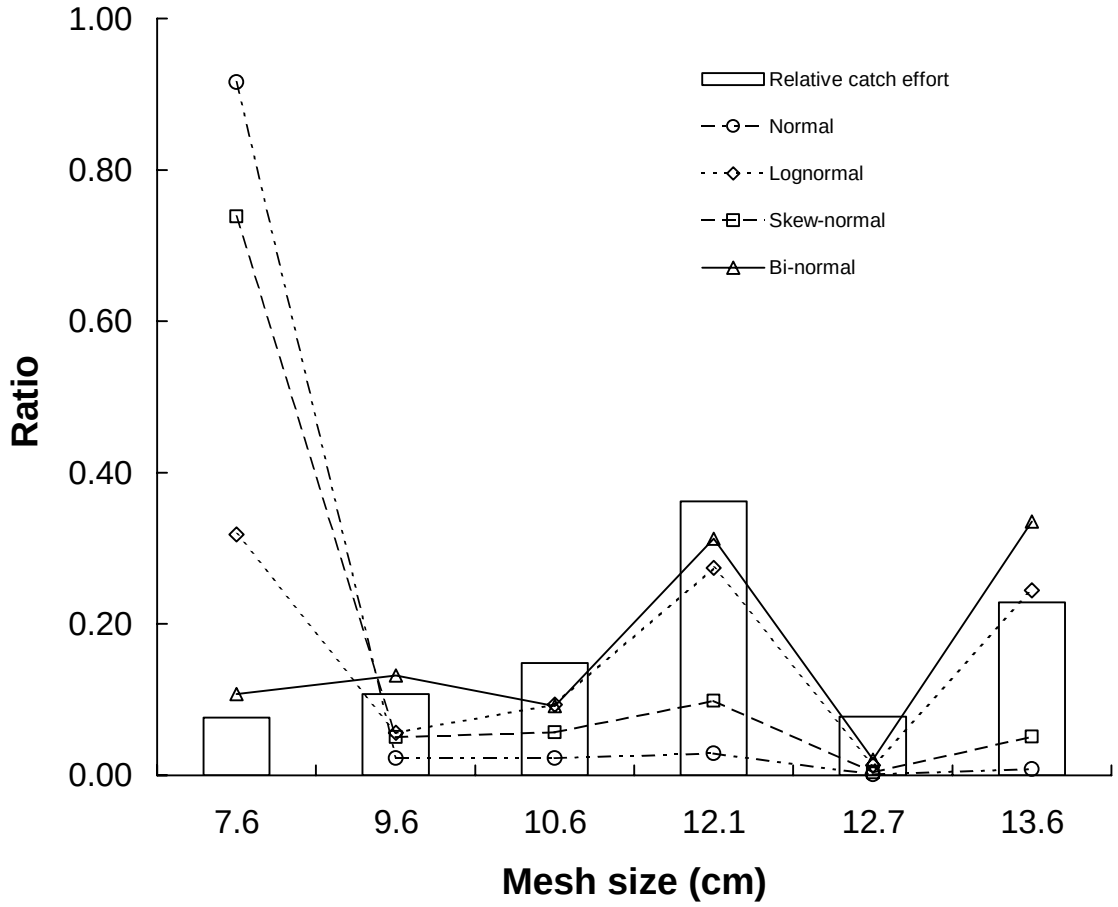
Fig. 3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Ratio
Relative catch effort
Normal
Lognormal
Skew-normal
Bi-normal
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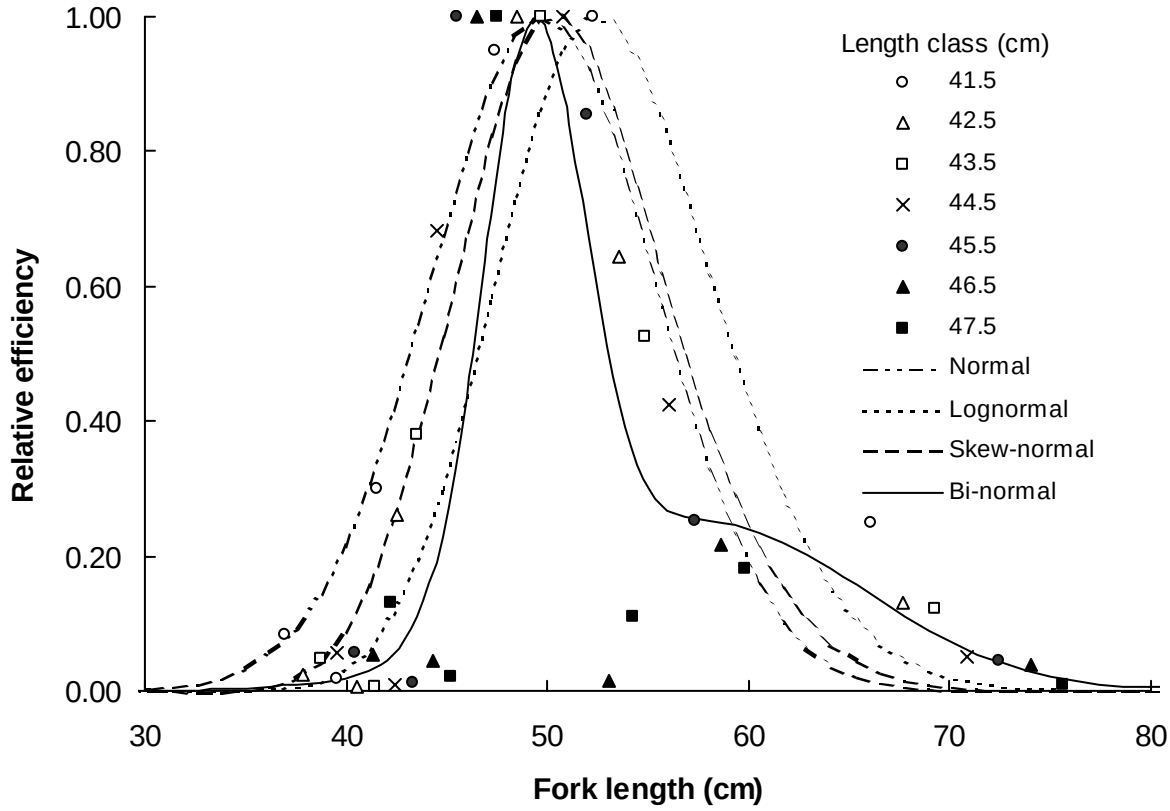
9.6
10.6
12.1
12.7
13.6
Mesh size (cm)

Fig. 4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0.00
Relative efficiency
30
40
50
60
70
80
Fork length (cm)
Length class (cm)
41.5
42.5
43.5
44.5
45.5
46.5
47.5
Normal
Lognormal
Skew-normal
Bi-normal

Fig. 5