

Appendix 4

Species salience data derived from the first freelist task of the protocol

This is based on the formula:

$$S = ((\sum(L - R_j + 1))/L)/N$$

where S is the average rank of an item across all lists in the sample, weighted by the lengths of the lists in which the item actually occurs; L = the length of (number of items in) a list; R_j = the rank of an item in the list (first = 1); and N = the number of lists in the sample" (Smith and Borgatti 1997, 208-209).

(Table lengths reflect the point at which notable patterns of differences are observable in the results)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Bear	1	0.480
Halibut	2	0.444
Cougar	3	0.401
Wolf	4	0.394
Eagle	5	0.377
Sea otter	6	0.367
Salmon	7	0.366
Clam	8	0.309
Sea lion	9	0.291
Grey whale	10	0.285

Table A4.1 Most cognitively accessible species: civilian locals (top 10)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Giant kelp	1	0.712
Sea otter	2	0.624
Bull kelp	3	0.619
Chinook salmon	4	0.480
Sockeye salmon	5	0.459
Coho salmon	6	0.448
Chum salmon	7	0.432
Sea lettuce	8	0.411
Abalone	9	0.406
Humpback whale	10	0.404

Table A4.2 Most cognitively accessible species: government managers (top 10)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Bear	1	0.587
Cougar	2	0.575
Wolf	3	0.572
Eagle	4	0.449
Sea otter	5	0.422
Grey whale	6	0.371
Urchin	7	0.367
Clam	8	0.364
Oyster	8	0.364
Sea lion	9	0.345
Crow	10	0.345
Gull	11	0.323
Killer whale	12	0.302
Crab	13	0.301
Halibut	14	0.294
Steller's jay	15	0.293
Salmon	16	0.284
Humpback whale	16	0.284
Whale	17	0.272
Deer	18	0.254

Table A4.3 Most cognitively accessible species: females (top 20)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Halibut	1	0.558
Salmon	2	0.429
Bear	3	0.398
Lingcod	4	0.369
Sea otter	5	0.325
Eagle	6	0.322
Coho salmon	7	0.289
Sockeye salmon	8	0.283
Clam	9	0.267
Cougar	9	0.267
Wolf	10	0.258
Killer whale	11	0.255
Sea lion	12	0.250
Deer	13	0.242
Rockfish	14	0.239
Crab	15	0.237
Herring	16	0.225
Grey whale	17	0.219
Yelloweye rockfish	17	0.219
Urchin	18	0.212

Table A4.4 Most cognitively accessible species: males (top 20)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Halibut	1	0.467
Bear	2	0.432
Wolf	3	0.418
Urchin	4	0.406
Cougar	5	0.405
Sockeye salmon	6	0.397
Deer	7	0.395
Clam	8	0.361
Eagle	9	0.333
Sea otter	10	0.264
Killer whale	11	0.241
Oyster	12	0.237
Salmon	13	0.231
Chiton	14	0.229
Coho salmon	15	0.226
Crab	16	0.224
Spring salmon	17	0.221
Crow	18	0.206
Herring	19	0.186
Cod	19	0.186

Table A4.5 Most cognitively accessible species: First Nations (top 20)

SPECIES	RANK BY S	SMITH'S SALIENCE INDEX (S)
Bear	1	0.510
Salmon	2	0.452
Sea otter	3	0.432
Halibut	4	0.429
Eagle	5	0.405
Cougar	6	0.398
Wolf	7	0.379
Sea lion	8	0.375
Grey whale	9	0.357
Gull	10	0.324
Oyster	11	0.297
Killer whale	11	0.297
Crab	12	0.290
Humpback whale	13	0.281
Clam	14	0.276
Lingcod	15	0.269
Crow	16	0.265
Whale	17	0.254
Red cedar	18	0.230
Hemlock	20	0.229

Table A4.6 Most cognitively accessible species: non-First Nations (top 20)