

Agenda Item 15

Elk General Seasons and Elk Special Permits



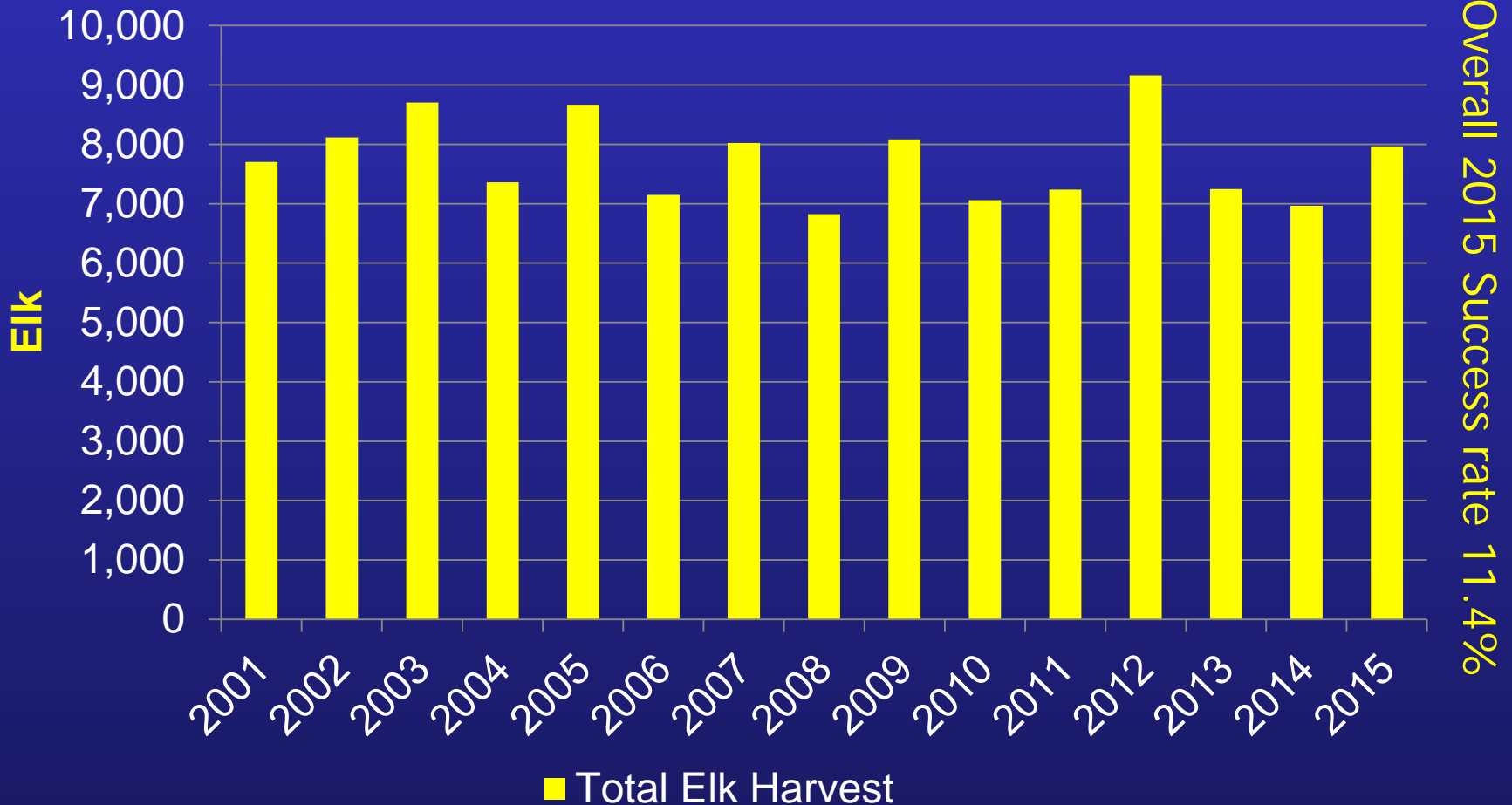
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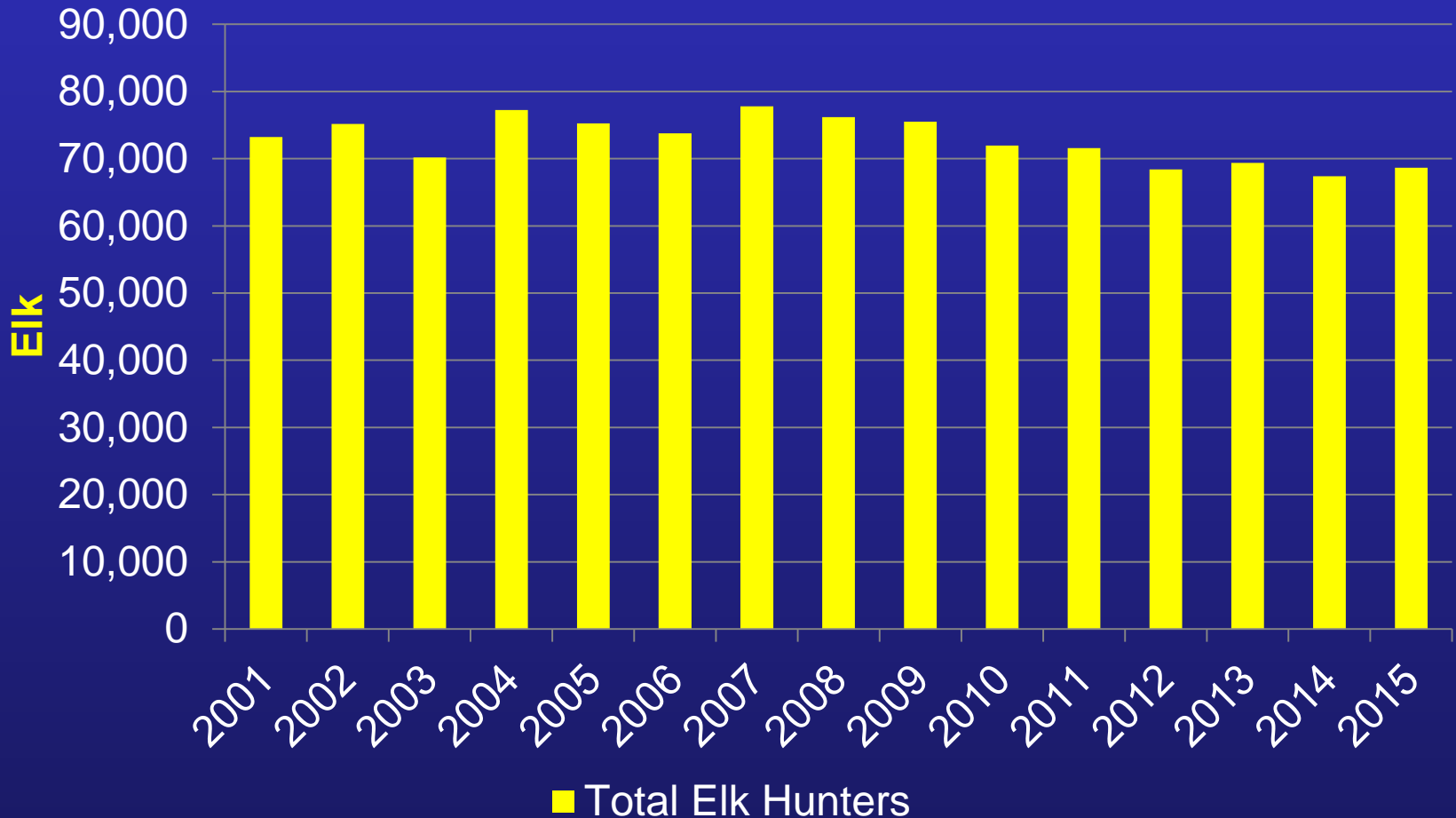
Elk Harvest 2001 to 2015

General Season and Special Permit Combined



Elk Hunters 2001 to 2015

General Season and Special Permit Combined



Elk General Seasons

WAC 232-28-358

- Second year of a 3-year package
- Minor changes being recommended
- Propose making the archery and muzzleloader seasons in GMU 204 the same as neighboring GMU 101
 - The change is consistent with the Selkirk Elk Herd Management Plan
 - Change addresses some concerns Regional staff heard from landowners in GMU 204

Questions on WAC 232-28-358



Elk Special Permits

WAC 232-28-360

- Quality and Bull permits adjusted using the special permit allocation formula
- Increase Colockum Quality permits for bulls
- Colockum antlerless permits remain as proposed
- Yakima antlerless permits adjusted by location but net change is nominal

Questions on WAC 232-28-360

