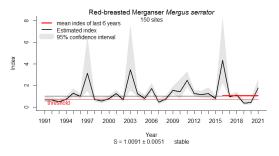


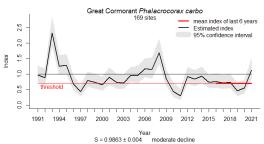


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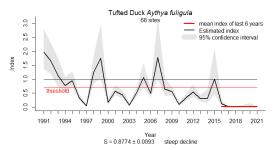
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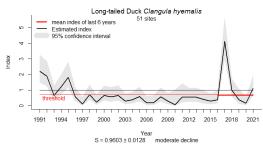
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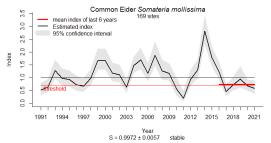


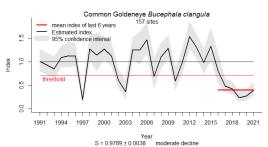


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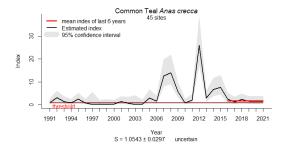


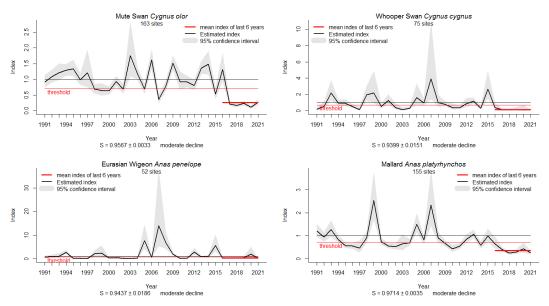






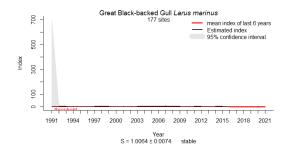
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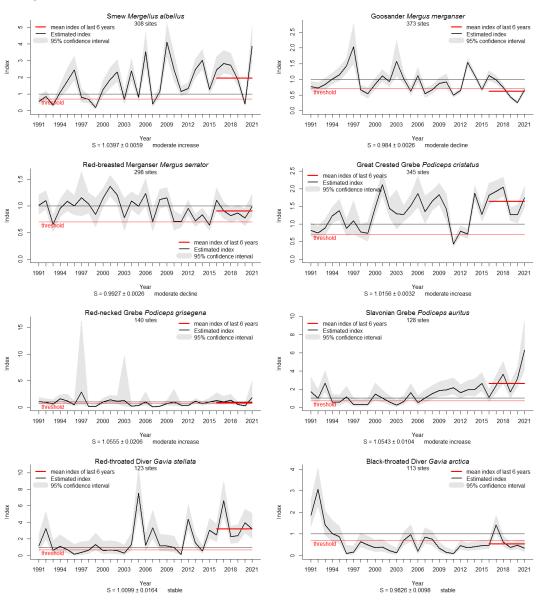


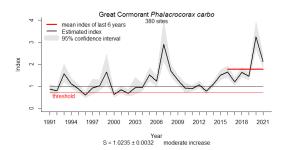
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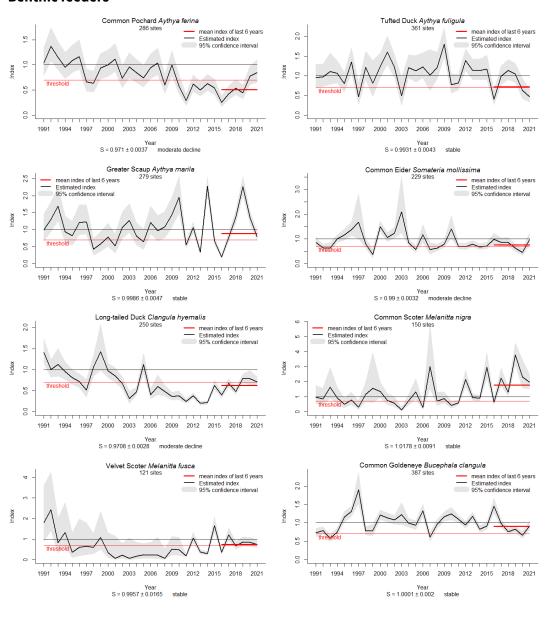


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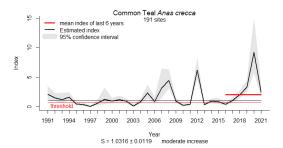


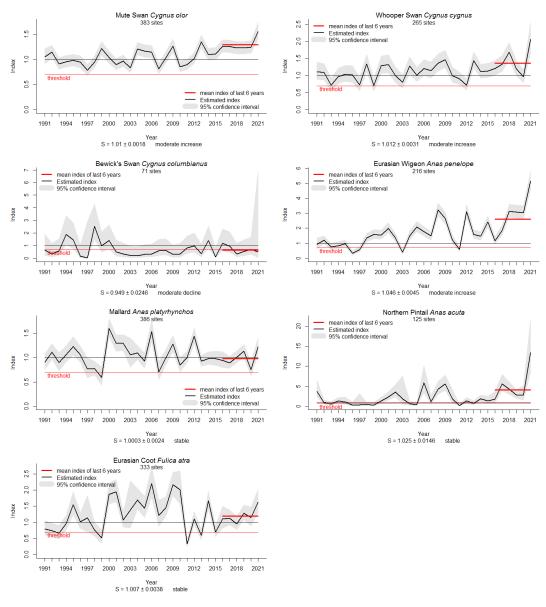


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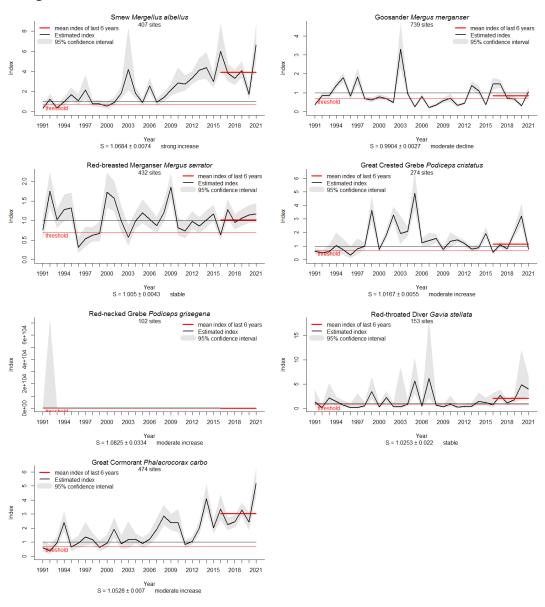




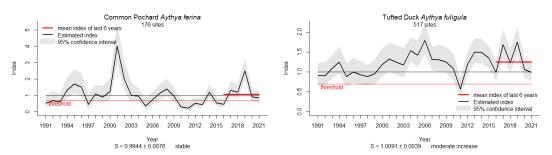
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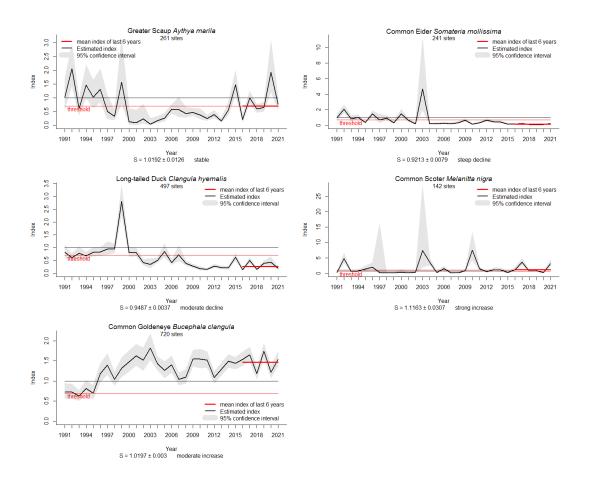
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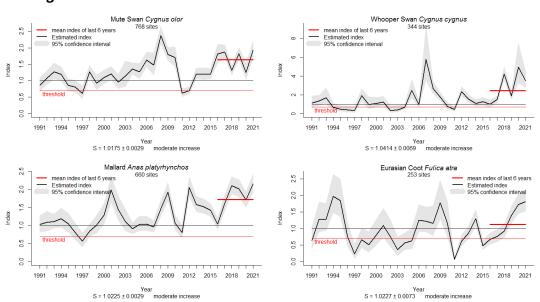
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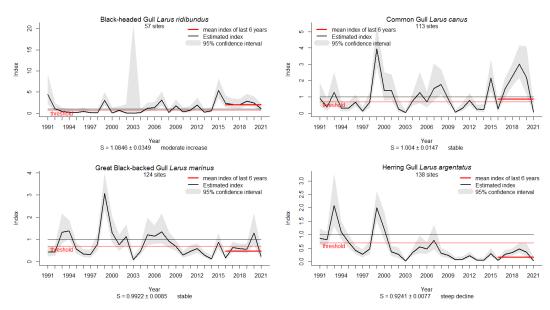




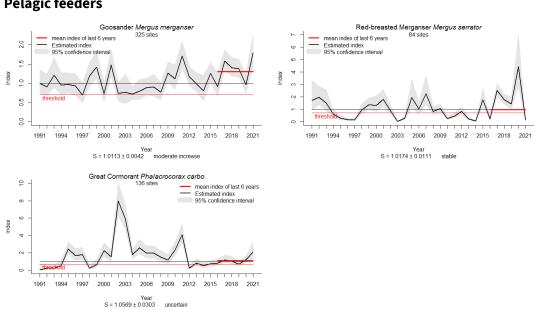
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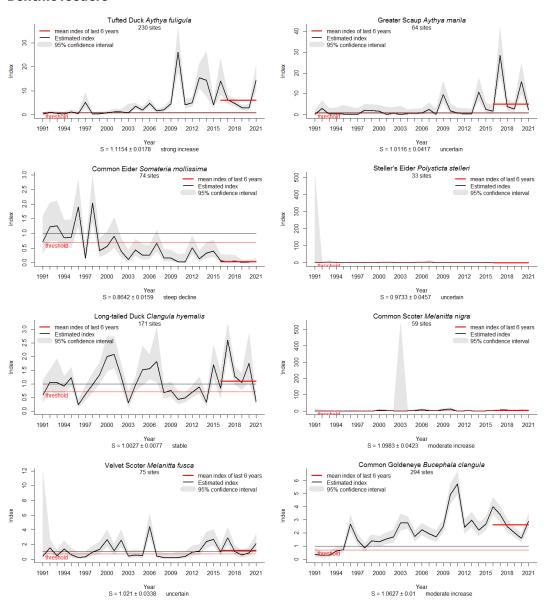
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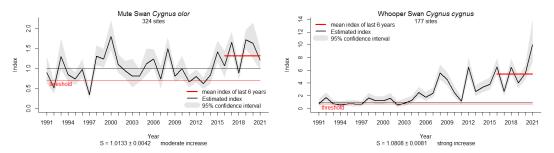


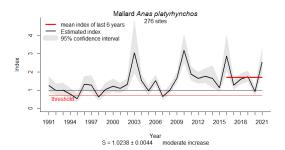
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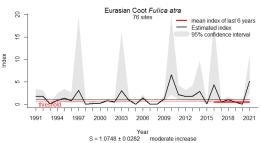


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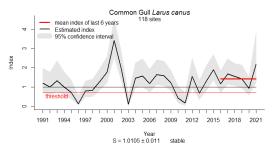


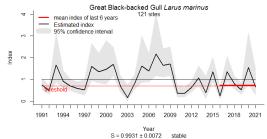


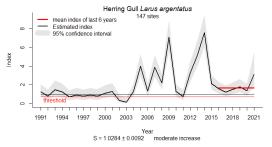


Results figure 6: Index graphs showing annual index values for wintering waterbirds in the Åland Group (Northern Baltic Prober, Åland Sea; black line) and 95% confidence intervals (grey shading) resulting from GAM analyses with reference level where average of index values 1991-2000 is 1 (thin black line). Further shown are thresholds for good status (70% of baseline, 80% of baseline in species laying only one egg per year, thin red line) and the average index values 2016-2021 (geometric mean) used for the evaluation (red line). In addition, trend slopes and s.e. as well as the status of the species are given below the graphs. Models for black-headed gull, great cormorant, greater scaup, common eider, common scoter, velvet scoter, common goldeneye and whooper swan do not include temperature as a covariate.

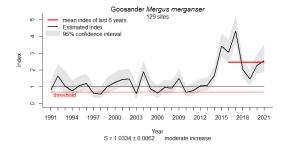
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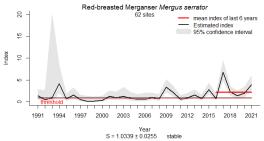


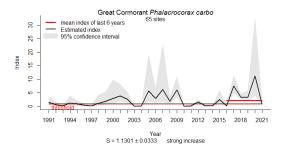




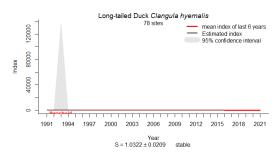
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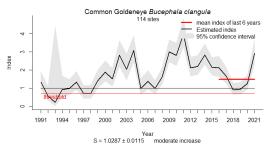




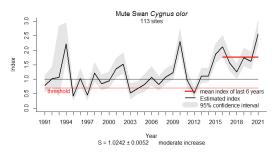


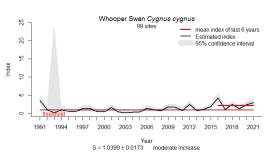
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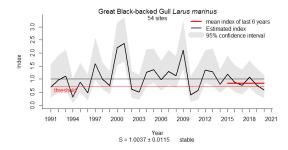
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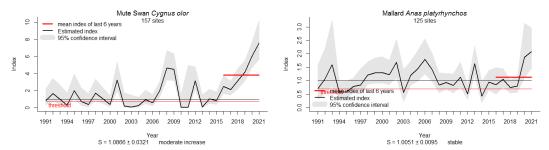


**Results figure 7:** Index graphs showing annual index values for wintering waterbirds in the **Gulf of Finland** (black line) and 95% confidence intervals (grey shading) resulting from GAM analyses with reference level where average of index values 1991-2000 is 1 (thin black line). Further shown are thresholds for good status (70% of baseline, 80% of baseline in species laying only one egg per year, thin red line) and the average index values 2016-2021 (geometric mean) used for the evaluation (red line). In addition, trend slopes and s.e. as well as the status of the species are given below the graphs. Except for great black-backed gull and great cormorant, all models do not include temperature as a covariate.

#### **Surface feeders**







**Results figure 8:** Index graphs showing annual index values for wintering waterbirds in the **Bothnian Group** (Bothnian Sea, The Quark, Bothnian Bay; black line) and 95% confidence intervals (grey shading) resulting from GAM analyses with reference level where average of index values 1991-2000 is 1 (thin black line). Further shown are thresholds for good status (70% of baseline, 80% of baseline in species laying only one egg per year, thin red line) and the average index values 2016-2021 (geometric mean) used for the evaluation (red line). In addition, trend slopes and s.e. as well as the status of the species are given below the graphs. Models for great black-backed gull and mute swan do not include temperature as a covariate.