

1 Evidence for divergent selection and spatial differentiation in a putative zona pellucida
2 gene is indicative of local adaptation in Pacific cod

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14 Divergent selection of ZP3 in Pacific cod

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19 **Abstract**

20 Genetic differentiation has been observed in marine species even when no obvious
21 barriers to gene flow exist. The study of highly differentiated outlier loci can provide
22 information on how genetic variation might contribute to local adaptation. A locus which
23 aligned to a predicted zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3 gene (ZP3) in Atlantic cod
24 was previously identified in Pacific cod populations as a high differentiation outlier. In
25 other marine species, ZP3 is involved in reproductive isolation, local adaptation, and has
26 neofunctionalized as an antifreeze gene, but the function of this genomic region is not
27 understood in Pacific cod. We sequenced a 544 bp region of ZP3 in 230 Pacific cod
28 collected from throughout their geographic range. Here we show that ZP3 haplotypes
29 exhibit strong spatial structure and there is evidence for divergent selection at this locus
30 in samples collected from the Bering Sea region. The potential for adaptation to different
31 thermal regimes is particularly relevant given that Pacific cod have demonstrated high
32 natural mortality during recent ocean warming events.

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34 **Introduction**

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36 Genetic differentiation across the genome is the result of complex interactions between
37 genetic drift, selection, migration and recombination (Nosil et al., 2009). Natural
38 selection may override the homogenizing effects of gene flow, and is one of the
39 fundamental forces driving divergence, not only at loci under selection but also at linked
40 loci, often leading to ‘genomic islands of divergence’, i.e. sections of the genome where
41 differentiation is much higher than elsewhere (Nosil, Funk, & Ortiz-Barrientos, 2009; Via

2012). Genomic islands of divergence caused by hitchhiking selection and chromosomal inversions may be particularly common in marine species, as large population sizes lead to little genetic drift and few physical barriers result in relatively high connectivity between populations (Hauser & Carvalho 2008). Chromosomal inversions reduce the rate of recombination and have recently been found to be a major factor facilitating divergence despite ongoing gene flow (Wellenreuther & Bernatchez 2018). In Atlantic cod, for example, islands of genomic divergence were observed on several chromosomes that contained large blocks of linkage disequilibrium and likely represent inversions (Sodeland et al 2016; Berg et al. 2017). Outlier loci with particularly high F_{ST} values not only provide the opportunity to evaluate selection, but may also allow population assignment in high gene flow marine species, which can then be used to trace fish products (Nielsen et al. 2012), estimate population contributions to mixed fisheries (Bekkevold et al. 2015; Dahle, Johansen, Westgaard, & Aglen, 2018) identify migrating individuals (Fisher et al, in review) and examine selective forces that maintain population diversity (Petrrou et al. 2021).

Pacific cod provide an interesting case study to investigate the effects of selective differentiation in a species characterized by low levels of genome-wide genetic drift. Studies of neutrally evolving loci have identified genetically differentiated populations of Pacific cod ($F_{ST} < 0.02$) throughout the North Pacific that display a general isolation-by-distance pattern indicating limited dispersal (e.g. Cunningham, Canino, Spies, & Hauser, 2009; Spies et al., 2012; Drinan et al., 2018; Smirnova et al., 2018). Populations at the southern edges of both the eastern and western Pacific show deep genetic divergence from northern populations. This pattern likely originated from secondary contact between

cod lineages occupying distinct glacial refugia but is maintained by differential selection between heterogenous environments (Canino, Spies, Cunningham, Hauser, & Grant, 2010; Drinan et al., 2018; Fisher et al., in review).

On annual scales, Pacific cod are believed to return to their natal spawning areas during winter months, punctuated by feeding migrations that are not well understood (Neidetcher, Hurst, Ciannelli, & Logerwell, 2014; Rand, Munro, Neidetcher, & Nichol, 2014). While many of the genetic differences between Pacific cod populations can be explained by isolation mediated by strong homing behavior, the effects of selection have not been specifically explored. Furthermore, recent ocean warming events have resulted in steep declines in Gulf of Alaska populations (Barbeaux, Holsman, & Zador, 2020a), and anomalous northward summer feeding migrations into the northern Bering Sea (Spies et al., 2020). These observations suggest that populations of Pacific cod are locally adapted to specific temperature regimes.

A previous population genetic study of Pacific cod using restriction site-associated DNA sequencing (RADseq) identified a locus with high differentiation that aligned to the gene encoding for a predicted zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3 (ZP3) in Atlantic cod (Table S1, Drinan et al., 2018). Although we do not yet understand the function of the putative zona pellucida gene, hereafter referred to as ZP3, egg coat proteins include the family of zona pellucida genes, which are a central to reproductive isolation (Shu et al., 2015). In general, genes coding for proteins on gamete surfaces appear to evolve quickly and be subject to positive selection (Palumbi, 2009). Zona pellucida genes code for glycoproteins that are part of the chorion, enveloping and protecting vertebrate oocytes (Conner, Lefievre, Hughes, & Barratt, 2005; Sano et al.,

2017). Zona pellucida egg coat proteins function in a range of capacities such as protecting the embryo and mediating fertilization. Furthermore, copy number variants of zona pellucida genes have neofunctionalized to produce antifreeze proteins in the eggs of Antarctic notothenioid fishes (Gupta et al., 2012; Cao et al., 2016).

Egg coat proteins have been shown to drive intraspecific diversification and provide potential for populations to adapt to environmental change over relatively short time scales (Shu et al., 2015). Zona pellucida comprises a multi-gene family that prevents polyspermy in mammals, but may have more complicated functions in fish (Conner et al., 2005; Wassarman, 2008). Experiments in Japanese medaka (*Oryzias latipes*) show that ZP3 acts to guide sperm to micropyles, narrow canals that permit entry for fertilization (Iwamatsu, Yoshizaki, & Shibata, 1997). Following fertilization, the chorion hardens and glycoproteins are inactivated, resulting in no further sperm entry (Iwamatsu et al., 1997). ZP3 may also be functionally important for species-specific sperm-egg interactions (Swanson, Yang, Wolfner, & Aquadro, 2001; Conner et al., 2005); matching sperm and egg proteins have been identified in abalone (Swanson & Vacquier, 1997; Aagaard, Vacquier, MacCoss, & Swanson, 2010) and sea urchin (Kamei & Glabe, 2003).

Reproductive incompatibility due to a sperm defect in penetration of the zona pellucida of eggs has also been observed among mice strains (Oka et al., 2007). Phenotypic changes in the zona pellucida have been shown to arise as a result of sequence variation in genes coding for ZP2 and ZP3 in humans; therefore, differences observed in zona pellucida coding sequences may have functional significance (Pökkylä, Lakkakorpi, Nuojua-Huttunen, & Tapanainen, 2011). ZP3 has been found to evolve faster than proteins in the inner portion of the zona pellucida matrix (Jagadeeshan & Singh, 2007),

and divergent selection may act to increase variation in that region (Swanson & Vaquier, 2002).

In this study, we used DNA sequence data to assess geographic variation in the ZP3 coding gene throughout the range of Pacific cod. Our study had two specific aims: (i) to assess spatial patterns of differentiation to identify isolated populations, and (ii) to confirm elevated differentiation among Pacific cod populations and test for signals of selection at this gene. We hypothesized that patterns of diversification in this putative ZP3 gene would provide clues to its functional significance.

Materials and Methods

Fin clips from Pacific cod were collected from 16 spawning locations across the species range and preserved in 95% ethanol (Table 1). Samples were taken during the winter spawning season (December through May) to take advantage of spawning site fidelity and avoid sampling of population mixtures. DNA was extracted using Qiagen Blood and Tissue kits following manufacturers' instructions (Qiagen, Inc., Valencia, CA).

Four sets of DNA primers were designed to screen for variation in exon regions aligning with the ZP3 coding region in Pacific cod (Table S2). Five individuals of Pacific cod from the Hecate Strait, Prince William Sound, Washington (WA) Coast, and Kodiak Island collections were sequenced for initial screening (Table 1, Table S2). Following this initial screening, a single set of primers was designed to focus on variable regions in the Pacific cod ZP3 coding region (primer ZP_GM, Table S2). All primers were designed using Primer3 v. 0.4.0 (Koressaar & Remm, 2007).

Polymerase chain reactions (PCRs) for the first four sets of primers were carried out in 40µl volume with 10µM forward and reverse primers using the Qiagen Taq PCR Master Mix kit and approximately 200ng DNA (Table S2). Thermal cycling conditions were 95°C for 15 minutes, followed by 35 cycles of 94°C for 30 seconds, T_M for 90 seconds, and 72°C for 60 seconds, and a final elongation at 72°C for 30 seconds. PCRs for the variable region (primer ZP_GM, Table S2) were carried out in a 25 µl volume, with Phusion 5X buffer (New England Biolabs, Ipswich, MA), 10mM dNTPs, 10µM forward and reverse primers, 0.2µL Phusion *Taq* polymerase and approximately 200ng DNA. Thermal cycling conditions were 98°C for 30 sec, followed by 5 cycles of 98°C for 10 sec, 63-59°C touchdown for 30 seconds (-1°C each cycle for 5 cycles) and 72°C for 30 seconds, and then by 30 cycles of 98°C for 10 seconds, 58°C for 30 seconds and 72°C for 30 seconds, and concluded at 72°C for 5 minutes.

Sanger sequencing was performed bidirectionally using forward and reverse primers at MCLAB (320 Harbor Way, South San Francisco, CA). Contigs were aligned using Sequencher v. 5.0 (Gene Codes Corporation, Ann Arbor, MI) and scores below 80% quality were discarded. Sequence calls were double checked and confirmed by two readers when ambiguities were present. Consensus sequences were aligned in BioEdit v. 7.2 (Hall, 1999).

A total of 230 Pacific cod were sequenced to screen the variable region of ZP3 using primers ZP_GM (Table 1). Haplotypes for ambiguous (heterozygous) nucleotides at ZP3 segregating sites were inferred using Bayesian methodology with a priori expectations based on coalescent theory in PHASE v2.1.1 and SeqPHASE (Stephens, Smith, & Donnelly, 2001; Flot, 2010). This software transformed unphased sequences to

fasta files with two haplotypes for all individuals. The most likely pair of haplotypes was selected for each individual based on the highest posterior probability.

In order to ensure our sequenced region was indeed ZP3 and to correctly identify synonymous and non-synonymous substitutions, sequences were aligned to the Atlantic cod genome in GenBank using BLASTn (Sayers et al., 2019). The predicted zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3 (ZP3) spans a 3,407 bp DNA sequence of the GadMor3 annotated genome. It is located on linkage group 9 (LG09) and spans nucleotides 2,454,601-2,458,007 (GenBank Accession ID: GCF_902167405.1, NC_044056.1). The zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3-like of Atlantic cod based on the GadMor3 (GCF 902167405.1) assembly on chromosome 9 was used to identify intron and exon regions [Gene ID: 115551355, updated Nov. 22, 2020]. DNA sequence from the variable region obtained during the second round of sequencing were aligned to the reverse complemented GadMor3.0 assembly on chromosome 9 using BioEdit to identify reading frame, introns, and exons.

Haplotype networks were generated in the R package *pegas* (Paradis, 2010), using R version 4.03 (R Core Team, 2019) based on haplotypes observed in each collection. Pairwise distances were computed among the 14 unique DNA haplotypes and the complementary 544 bp sequence in Atlantic cod, based on GadMor3, to understand which haplotypes appeared most similar to Atlantic cod, using the R package *ape* v.5.4.1 (Paradis & Schliep, 2019) and *phanghorn* (Schliep, Potts, Morrison, & Grimm, 2017). The model of nuclear evolution that best fit the data was determined based on the lowest Akaike information criterion score (AIC, Akaike, 1978).

We quantified the d_N/d_S ratios for all segregating sites in exons, and calculated

180 expected heterozygosity (H_e) per population using the estimator θ_H , which corrects for
 181 potential overestimation when few loci are present, in Arlequin v. 3.5 (Excoffier &
 182 Lischer, 2010). Observed heterozygosity (H_o) was calculated as the proportion of
 183 heterozygous individuals (individuals with different ZP3 haplotypes), out of the total
 184 number sequenced. Haplotype (h) and nucleotide diversity (π) were calculated in the R
 185 package *pegas*. We also performed tests for selective neutrality in Arlequin v. 3.5 with
 186 16,000 simulated samples: the Ewens-Watterson homozygosity test and an exact test
 187 based on Ewens' sampling theory. The Ewens-Watterson homozygosity test (Watterson,
 188 1986) is based on Ewens sampling theory (Ewens, 1972), while the exact test based on
 189 Ewens' sampling theory (Slatkin, 1996) compares the probability of the observed sample
 190 with that of a random neutral sample with the same number of alleles and identical size.
 191 For the exact test and the Ewens-Watterson homozygosity test, small p -values indicate
 192 balancing selection ($p \leq 0.05$ considered significant and $p \leq 0.10$ marginally significant),
 193 while large values indicate directional or divergent selection ($p \geq 0.95$ considered
 194 significant and $p \geq 0.9$ marginally significant). Tajima's D test was calculated in *pegas*,
 195 and p -values were calculated based on the assumption that D follows a beta distribution
 196 scaled from 0 to 1. This test was used to identify whether sequences fit the neutral theory
 197 model at equilibrium between mutation and genetic drift. A negative value of Tajima's D
 198 indicates population size expansion, such as after a bottleneck or a selective sweep and/or
 199 purifying selection, while a positive value indicates balancing selection or decrease in
 200 population size. F_{IS} was calculated by haplotype as $F_{IS}=1-H_o/H_e$ (Nei, 1986). Fisher's
 201 exact test was used to test for significant deviations from Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium
 202 for each collection using the R package *stats* (fisher.exact) and 10^7 Markov Chain

203 replicates.

204 Global and pairwise G_{ST} (Nei, 1973) were calculated using the R package *mmod*,
205 and confidence intervals were generated with 1,000 bootstrap replicates. Dendrograms of
206 hierarchical clusters of sample collections were generated based on pairwise G_{ST} using the
207 *pvclust* package, and support for each cluster was based on 10,000 bootstrap replicates
208 (Suzuki & Simodaira, 2006). Dendrogram probabilities were presented as bootstrap
209 probabilities (BP, green) and approximately unbiased values (AU, red), which is
210 considered more accurate than bootstrap values (Suzuki & Simodaira, 2006).

211 Analysis of molecular variance (AMOVA) was performed on SNP data
212 downloaded from <https://datadryad.org/stash/dataset/doi:10.5061/dryad.402sb71>
213 previously published in Drinan et al. (2018) using the R package *poppr* (Kamvar,
214 Tabima, & Grünwald, 2014). The SNP found within ZP3 was removed, leaving 6,424
215 SNPs and data from 8 collection locations of interest: Adak, Hecate St., Strait of Juan de
216 Fuca, Kodiak Is., Prince William Sound, Salish Sea, Unimak Pass, and WA Coast.
217 AMOVA was performed with collection locations grouped into two regions, changing
218 only the position of the Prince William Sound (PWS) collection. The first grouping was
219 (Region 1=Adak, Kodiak, Unimak, PWS; Region 2 = Hecate St., Juan de Fuca, Salish
220 Sea, WA Coast); and the second grouping was (Region 1=Adak, Kodiak, Unimak,
221 Region 2 = PWS, Hecate Juan de Fuca, Salish Sea, WA Coast). The results were
222 compared to assess whether neutral loci indicated a distinct pattern from ZP3.

223 We used RAD sequence data from Drinan et al. (2018) to visualize per-locus F_{ST}
224 and estimate linkage disequilibrium along LG09. First, RAD loci reported in Drinan et al.
225 (2018) were aligned GadMor3 using software bowtie2 v. 2.2.6 (--sensitive alignment)

(Langmead and Salzberg 2012). Loci were retained in the data set if they had mapping quality ≥ 20 and contained SNPs (i.e., indels were removed). Subsequently, linkage disequilibrium along LG09 was estimated using the R package *genetics* v. 1.3.8 (Warnes et al. 2019), and per-locus F_{ST} was measured in the R package *genepop* (Rousset, 2008).

Results

Our initial screening efforts revealed no differences in DNA sequence within Exons 1, 5, 6, or 8, which were sequenced using primers ZP_L1, ZP_L3, or ZP_L4. However, variation was observed in Exons 2, 3, and 4 in sequences generated using primers ZP_L2 (GenBank Accession numbers MW468336-MW468402). New primers (ZP_GM) were designed to sequence this region because primer ZP_L2 did not amplify in all collections (Table 1, Table S2). Data for the 230 Pacific cod sequenced using primers ZP_GM are available at Genbank (Accession numbers MW468106-MW468335). The number of individuals sequenced per collection ranged from 1 to 26 (Table 1). Samples from Puget Sound collected in 2003 and 2012 were combined for all analyses due small sample sizes.

Sequences were trimmed to 544 bp, which included 40 amino acid residues from Exon 2, 35 amino acid residues from Exon 3, and 4 amino acid residues from Exon 4. There were nine variable sites; three were located in exons and six in introns (Table 2). Variable sites at location 313 and 339 bp were located in Exon 3 and the variable site at location 542 was in Exon 4 (Table 2). No synonymous substitutions were observed within variable amino acid site so the d_N/d_S ratio could not be calculated (it was infinity).

248 All Bayesian probabilities for inference of heterozygote phasing were ≥ 0.9 , with
249 the exception of one individual. There were three possible haplotypes for a sample from
250 Prince William Sound (Genbank Accession MW468263), with probabilities of 0.272,
251 0.256, and 0.469. This was a unique case with two heterozygous sites and probabilities
252 were constrained to sum to 1. While 0.469 appears low, it was twice as likely as the other
253 haplotypes; therefore the haplotype with the highest probability was selected.

254 There were 14 unique DNA haplotypes present among all sample collections
255 (Table 3, Table S3). The most frequent, Haplotype 1, was found in over 85% of
256 individuals collected from the Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Shumagin Islands, and
257 Kodiak Island (Table 3, Table S3, Figure 1). Haplotype 1 was also found in 54% of the
258 samples from Japan and a single individual from the Strait of Georgia, but in no other
259 collections. Haplotype 13 was the second most commonly observed, found in 99 haploid
260 sequences, and was only found in samples from Korea, Japan, Prince William Sound,
261 Hecate Strait, Washington Coast, Strait of Georgia, and Puget Sound (Figure 1).
262 Haplotype 2 was unique to the Kiska collection, and was found in 11% of those
263 sequences (Figure 1, Figure 2, Figure 3a).

264 Variation in coding regions resulted in eight segregating polypeptide sequences
265 (Table 4), with the most common (Variant I) present exclusively in Bering Sea, Kodiak
266 Island, Japan, Aleutian Islands, and a single individual from the Strait of Georgia (Table
267 S4, Figure 2). The second most common polypeptide (Variant II) was the only variant in
268 samples from Korea, and was also observed in samples from the Strait of Georgia, Hecate
269 Strait, Japan, Puget Sound, Prince William Sound, and Washington Coast, as well as a

270 single individual from Kiska (Figure 3b, Table S4). Genotypes for each individual are
271 listed in Table S5.

272 The model of nuclear evolution with the lowest AIC score was the generalized
273 time reversible model, with invariant sites and gamma distributed rate variation among
274 sites (GTR+G+I). We selected the Jukes Cantor model (Jukes and Cantor 1969) with
275 equal base and mutation rates to calculate the distance matrix (Table 3). Haplotype 13
276 was most similar to Atlantic cod, followed by haplotypes 5, 9, 11, and 12, while
277 Haplotype 6 was the most different, followed by Haplotypes 5 and 1. Haplotype 13 was
278 identical to Atlantic cod at the nine segregating sites but did differ at other sites within
279 the 544 bp sequence (Table 3).

280 Global G_{ST} was 0.551, with 95% confidence intervals 0.514-0.588. The 120
281 pairwise G_{ST} comparisons summarized in the dendrogram showed 100% support for
282 clustering of Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, and Kodiak collections (Table S6, Figure 4).
283 Collections from Korea clustered with 100% support, and eastern North Pacific
284 populations also clustered with 100% support. The collections from Korea, Japan, eastern
285 North Pacific and the Gulf of Alaska clustered but with lower support, and the placement
286 of Japan within the Korean/eastern North Pacific cluster also appeared uncertain.

287 There were regional differences in heterozygosity and haplotypic diversity. The
288 region with the lowest haplotypic diversity was Korea, with only a single haplotype
289 identified in 21 sequenced individuals from three collections. Samples from the
290 Shumagin Islands, Kodiak Island, and Aleutian Islands and Bering Sea also had relatively
291 few haplotypes ($N_H = 6$). These collections were also all in HWE, with the exception of
292 the Kiska collection. The highest number of haplotypes (10) were observed in Prince

293 William Sound and the eastern North Pacific collections. All collections except the
294 Washington Coast sample deviated significantly from HWE (Table 5). In these
295 collections that deviated from HWE, there was no pattern of deviations due to either
296 excess or deficit of heterozygotes (Table 5). The collection from Japan also deviated from
297 HWE and contained high haplotype diversity ($N_H = 5$).

298 Patterns of selection varied by region. The combined Bering Sea collection
299 showed strong indication of divergent selection (>0.95). Within the Bering Sea
300 collections, Kodiak had the highest signal of divergent selection, followed by the
301 Shumagin collection, while Near and Kiska also had high but non-significant values. All
302 of these collections presented negative values of Tajima's D , and Tajima's D over all
303 Bering collections was marginally significant ($p = 0.061$). Conversely, Tajima's D for the
304 Sea of Okhotsk sample was significantly positive.

305 AMOVA results based on 6,424 SNP loci (excluding ZP3) indicated stronger
306 support for the Prince William Sound as part of the Bering Sea (grouping with Adak,
307 Kodiak, and Unimak), rather than part of the Eastern Pacific, grouping with samples
308 further south from Hecate Strait, Strait of Juan de Fuca, the Salish Sea, and Washington
309 Coast (Table S7).

310 In total, we retained 177 SNPs from the RAD data on LG09 after aligning to
311 GadMor3 as described. The only SNP with $F_{ST} > 0.01$ was found in the short read
312 sequence identified in Drinan et al. that aligned to the predicted ZP3 gene (2018; Table
313 S1). The F_{ST} associated with that SNP was 0.71. Linkage disequilibrium decayed quickly
314 along LG09, and only 7 SNPs that were <0.025 Mb apart had R^2 values > 0.20 .

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Discussion

Multiple studies have documented neutral genetic diversity and limited gene flow in Pacific cod, but mechanisms for local adaptation are unknown. Our goal was to assess spatial variation in the putative ZP3 gene in Pacific cod to understand whether there was evidence for selection across a large geographic range. Significant recent declines have occurred in this species due to anomalously warm conditions in the Gulf of Alaska, and results were intended to assist in conservation and management of these stocks. We hypothesized that the ZP3 gene may show evidence for selection and patterns of population structure that differ from those of neutrally evolving markers and provide insight into its functional diversity.

Our first significant finding, based on DNA sequence data of the ZP3 variable region, was that sequence variation clustered into two broad geographic groups: samples within and adjacent to the Bering Sea, and collections further south (Fig. 3). Expressed sequences found in the Bering Sea group (collections from the Aleutian Islands, Bering Sea, Shumagins, and Kodiak Island collections) in the north were replaced by an almost completely different and diverse set of expressed sequences from Prince William Sound and southward. The inclusion of the Kodiak Island and Shumagin Islands collections in the Bering Sea group is notable from a management perspective, as the United States federal fishery for Pacific cod currently includes Kodiak Island and the Shumagin Islands region in the Gulf of Alaska management area (Figure 4; NPFMC 2020). Moving southward from the Bering Sea on the western side of the Pacific Ocean, Japan appeared to be a transition region, sharing expressed sequences with the Bering Sea, and it could

be considered part of the Bering Sea group. Samples from Korea exhibited only a single expressed sequence type, and could be considered a third sub-group (Polypeptide II) (Figure 3). This work provides new insight into adaptation in Pacific cod, as the geographical pattern observed in ZP3 differed from patterns observed with SNPs (Table S7).

Our second main finding was high differentiation in ZP3 (global $G_{ST} = 0.551$) and evidence for strong divergent selection in the Bering Sea collection. The signal of divergent selection was strongest in collections at the southern end of this region that may be more likely to be subjected to gene flow from the Eastern Pacific region (Table 5). Negative and marginally significant Tajima's D is also consistent with a population expansion in the Bering Sea region following a selective sweep. Selection was not apparent in other regions, although Tajima's D was positive and significant in the sample from the Sea of Okhotsk. While a positive Tajima's D can be an indicator of balancing selection, it can also represent a signal of recent population decline. Overfishing has been reported in Pacific cod off Japan (Seafoodwatch.org) and Korean cod appear to have suffered recent declines (Fisher et al., 2021).

The geographic pattern of expressed haplotypes coupled with high levels of differentiation indicates that ZP3 may be driving local adaptation. While our experiment was not designed to examine functional significance directly, geographic patterns and known gene function in other species allow us to speculate on environmental factors leading to observed patterns. ZP3 appears to have undergone neofunctionalization in fish species as antifreeze glycoproteins for cold-water adaptation (Conner & Hughes, 2003; Cao et al., 2016). Experiments have shown that zona pellucida proteins can non-

362 colligatively lower the freezing and melting point of a solution (Cao et al., 2016). Zona
363 pellucida paralogues as antifreeze glycoproteins are expressed in the exocrine pancreas in
364 adult fishes, circulated throughout the body, and may aid in reducing body ice load (Cao
365 et al., 2016). The collections in the Bering Sea group were situated within or adjacent to
366 the southeastern Bering Sea, an ecosystem structured by cold pool water $<2^{\circ}\text{C}$ that
367 remains following retreat of the Bering Sea ice sheet (Stevenson & Lauth, 2019).
368 Residence within colder water may be consistent with selective adaptation to colder
369 temperatures via ZP3 as antifreeze glycoproteins, but further testing is needed to
370 substantiate this hypothesis.

371 Other studies have shown a relationship between temperature and adaptation in
372 cod from the Korean peninsula (Fisher et al., in review). Evidence that cod from Kodiak
373 Island have been shown to hatch within a narrow thermal window ($3\text{-}6^{\circ}\text{C}$) has been
374 attributed to high mortality in the Gulf of Alaska during recent marine heat waves (Laurel
375 & Rogers, 2020). Given the differences in ZP3 throughout the Gulf of Alaska, further
376 investigation of the thermal window tolerated for hatching among cod from the eastern
377 Gulf of Alaska may be of interest for management and conservation under climate
378 change. Population dynamics trajectories may also indicate a difference in adaptation to
379 temperature within the Gulf of Alaska. During and after the warm blob in the Gulf of
380 Alaska (2014-2016), the population size of the Eastern Gulf of Alaska cod stock
381 remained low but stable. However, the cod stock in the Central Gulf of Alaska dropped
382 by about 30% per year, and by 23% per year in the Western Gulf of Alaska. Since
383 2017, the central region has come back faster with a 35% increase per year since 2018
384 while the Western GOA has continued to drop about 17% per year in the same time

frame. These population trajectories are consistent with different thermal tolerances related to ZP3 haplotypes, but this remains to be tested (Barbeaux et al., 2020a; Barbeaux et al., 2020b).

Our data suggest that as cod recolonized the north Pacific and Bering Sea, a selective sweep occurred in the putative ZP3 gene that was advantageous for northern climates. Bering Sea collections presented negative values of Tajima's D, suggestive of a population expansion following a selective sweep. Results support previous studies indicating that Korea and the eastern North Pacific were once located within glacial refugia for Pacific cod, and that more recent colonization occurred into the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands and Western Gulf of Alaska (Canino et al., 2010). This is evidenced by the prevalence of Haplotype 13 in those regions, which is the most similar to Atlantic cod (Table 3). In the Western Pacific Ocean, low diversity is consistent with cyclical patterns of abundance or historical population bottlenecks (Nei, Maruyama, & Chakraborty, 1975).

While one premise of this paper was to examine the putative ZP3 gene for evidence of selective diversification, the actual gene function and whether it represents a reproductive gene cannot be tested without laboratory experimentation. DNA regions that code for a reproductive protein have been found to act as a barrier to reproduction in other species, but we do not know whether observed differences in ZP3 act as a barrier without controlled laboratory experiments. These studies would help provide insight into the implications of diversification of ZP3 in Pacific cod. Also, we do not understand fine-scale patterns of ZP3 within the Gulf of Alaska and the western Pacific, which may have important management implications. The implications of this research would benefit

408 from more research on RNA transcriptomics or gene expression of ZP3 in the ovary and
409 other organs in Pacific cod to illuminate whether or how ZP3 provides protection from
410 cold temperatures. In addition, the unique expressed variant (Polypeptide VIII) found in
411 the Kiska Island region merits further exploration, which may be related to the unique
412 environment of the Eastern Aleutian Islands (Ladd, Hunt, Mordy, Salo, & Stabeno,
413 2005).

414 In Atlantic cod, genetic divergence among ecotypes has been shown occur within
415 large genomic inversions on linkage groups 1, 2, 7, and 12, each of which span several
416 Mb (Berg et al. 2017; Kirubakaran et al. 2017). The bi-allelic gene pantophysin, which
417 appears to be under such divergent selection in Atlantic cod and has been used to
418 discriminate among ecotypes, has been identified as residing within a large inversion on
419 linkage group 1 (Dahle et al., 2018; Otterå et al., 2020). While RADseq data is not
420 considered reliable for identifying small genomic inversions, we would expect to see
421 additional F_{ST} outliers and more linkage disequilibrium extending over greater genomic
422 distances if a large genomic inversion existed on linkage group 9 (Huang, Andrew,
423 Owens, Ostevik, & Rieseberg, 2020). Only one SNP out of 177 SNPs on linkage group 9
424 had an F_{ST} over 0.01, and linkage disequilibrium was minimal. ZP3 was identified as the
425 largest F_{ST} outlier, and further work is needed to resolve whether it resides within a
426 genomic island of divergence or a small inversion. Nevertheless, our results provide
427 insight into a distinction between adaptive differentiation in Pacific cod and Atlantic cod.
428 The specific mechanism driving selection and diversification in Pacific certainly merits
429 further research.

Overall this work provides evidence for the maintenance of different expressed haplotypes of the putative ZP3 gene through selection in Pacific cod. We found evidence for strong directional selection in the Bering Sea (Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Shumagin Islands, and Kodiak Island), and large regional differences among ZP3 haplotype frequencies between the Bering Sea group and regions further south. Results are also indicative of a selective sweep and selection currently acting on northern collections, as well as local adaptation driven by differences in ZP3. This work supports the idea that Korea and the eastern North Pacific were once glacial refugia for Pacific cod, based on the low diversity in Korean samples and the presence of variants that appear most similar to Atlantic cod. While further work is needed to understand the functional advantage of selected types of ZP3 in Pacific cod, we hypothesize that it may act as an antifreeze glycoprotein and provide protection from cold conditions at the egg or adult stages, possibly benefitting populations that occupy the cold pool of the Bering Sea.

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702 Table 1. Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*) samples used in this study, listed in
703 clockwise order around the Pacific Rim, including location name, region, and date
704 sampled. Sample names refer to a nearby landmark. Sampling locations are considered
705 within three broad regions: Western Pacific (including Korea and Japan), Bering Sea
706 (including Aleutian Islands, Bering Sea, and Western Gulf of Alaska), and Eastern
707 Pacific (eastern Gulf of Alaska southward to Washington State).
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Location	Region	Date	Latitude	Longitude
Geoje, Korea	Western Pacific	Jan. 2015	34° 51' N	128° 35' E
Yellow Sea, Korea	Western Pacific	Feb. 2015	35° 12' N	124° 40' E
Jukbeon, Korea	Western Pacific	Dec. 2007	37° 04' N	129° 25' E
Sea of Okhotsk, Japan	Western Pacific	May 2005	44° 20' N	145° 52' E
Near Islands	Bering	Feb. 2005	52° 34' N	174° 17' E
Kiska Island	Bering	Mar. 2005	51° 48' N	177° 47' E
Pervenets Canyon	Bering	Mar. 2016	59° 21' N	177° 13' W
Adak Island	Bering	Mar. 2006	51° 40' N	176° 36' W
Unimak Pass	Bering	Feb. 2018	54° 35' N	165° 15' W
Shumagin Is.	Bering	Mar. 2019	55° 15' N	159° 30' W
Kodiak Island	Bering	Mar. 2003	57° 48' N	152° 31' W
Prince William S.	Eastern Pacific	Mar. 2012	60° 32' N	147° 04' W
Hecate Strait	Eastern Pacific	Mar. 2004	53° 13' N	130° 57' W
Strait of Georgia	Eastern Pacific	Apr. 2003	48° 54' N	123° 06' W
Puget Sound	Eastern Pacific	Mar. 2003	47° 35' N	122° 30' W
Puget Sound	Eastern Pacific	May 2012	48° 14' N	122° 40' W
Washington Coast	Eastern Pacific	Feb. 2005	47° 55' N	125° 33' W

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711 Table 2. The position of each segregating site in the 544 bp sequence of Pacific cod
712 (*Gadus macrocephalus*), and its position on the zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3
713 DNA coding region of linkage group 9 in the GadMor3 alignment (NC_044056.1). Also
714 shown are its codon position (1, 2, or 3), location in an intron or exon, and resulting
715 amino acid change.

Position in sequence	Position on Gadmor3	Reading frame	Intron or Exon	Amino acid change
17	2,455,229	-	Intron	
313	2,455,525	2	Exon 3	AGG (Arg) or ATG (Met)
339	2,455,551	1	Exon 3	GAC (Asp) or AAC (Asn)
447	2,455,649	-	Intron	
448	2,455,650	-	Intron	
449	2,455,651	-	Intron	
451	2,455,653	-	Intron	
452	2,455,654	-	Intron	
542	2,455,754	2	Exon 4	TAC (Tyr) or TTC (Phe)

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Table 3. There were 14 inferred haplotypes of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*), at nine segregating sites at 17, 313, 339, 447, 448, 449, 451, 452, 542 bp along the 544 bp sequence. *N* refers to the number of each haplotype observed, for 230 diploid individuals (460 sequences), and the pairwise distance calculated between each haplotype and the ZP3 sequence from Atlantic cod. The haplotype designations listed here are used throughout. *The haplotype from A. cod was taken from the GadMor3 alignment.

Designation	Haplotype	<i>N</i>	Pairwise Distance with A. cod
1	GTATATGCT	265	0.0436
2	GTATATGCA	5	0.0417
3	GGATATGCT	3	0.0417
4	GGGTATGCT	10	0.0397
5	GGGTATGCA	3	0.0378
6	GGGCGATTT	1	0.0495
7	GGGCGATTA	1	0.0475
8	ATGTATGCT	11	0.0397
9	ATGTATGCA	1	0.0378
10	AGATATGCT	13	0.0397
11	AGATATGCA	5	0.0378
12	AGGTATGCT	6	0.0378
13	AGGTATGCA	99	0.0358
14	AGGCGATTA	37	0.0456
A. cod*	AGGTATGCA	-	-

730 Table 4. Segregating sites located in ZP3 exons of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*)
731 resulting in non-synonymous amino acid changes at 313, 339, and 542 bp. Designations
732 for each polypeptide are listed and are consistent throughout.
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Designation	1	2	3	<i>N</i>
I	Met	Asn	Phe	265
II	Arg	Asp	Tyr	140
III	Arg	Asp	Phe	17
IV	Met	Asp	Phe	11
V	Arg	Asn	Phe	16
VI	Met	Asp	Tyr	1
VII	Arg	Asn	Tyr	5
VIII	Met	Asn	Tyr	5

Table 5. The number of individuals (N), number of distinct haplotypes present (N_H), haplotype diversity (h), nucleotide diversity (π), observed (H_o) and expected (H_e) heterozygosity, F_{IS} , and probability that collections conform to Hardy Weinberg equilibrium (P_{HWE}) for each collection. Collections are listed by region, and the Bering and E. Pacific collections are summarized (shaded in grey). Ewens-Watterson and Tajima's D results are shown: observed F (Obs. F), expected F (Exp. F), Ewens-Watterson p -value (E-W p), and Slatkin's test p -value, the number of segregating sites in the sample (S), Tajima's D, and the associated p -value under a beta distribution. Dash (-) indicates not applicable.

Location	N	N_H	h	π	H_e	H_o	F_{IS}	P_{HWE}	Obs. F	Exp. F	E-W p	Slatkin's p	S	Tajima's D (p)
Geoje	10	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Yellow Sea	2	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Jukbeon	9	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Sea of Okhotsk	12	5	0.6522	0.0036	0.625	0.167	0.733	0.000	0.375	0.376	0.609	0.631	4	2.232 (0.027)
Near	22	2	0.0888	0.0003	0.087	0.091	-0.046	1.000	0.913	0.768	0.791	0.791	2	-1.130 (0.268)
Kiska	22	3	0.2463	0.0006	0.137	0.045	0.672	0.002	0.759	0.610	0.794	0.814	3	-1.105 (0.280)
Pervenets	21	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Adak	7	1	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Unimak	14	2	0.1984	0.0007	0.191	0.214	-0.120	1.000	0.809	0.755	0.578	0.578	2	-0.477 (0.675)
Shumagin	23	4	0.2773	0.0012	0.271	0.304	-0.122	1.000	0.729	0.519	0.886	0.855	7	-1.543 (0.108)
Kodiak	26	2	0.0385	0.0001	0.038	0.038	0.000	1.000	0.962	0.785	1.000	1.000	2	-1.460 (0.133)
(Bering Combined)	135	6	0.0004	0.1345	0.134	0.104	0.220	0.000	0.866	0.489	0.974	0.969	8	-1.692 (0.061)
PWS	12	6	0.7246	0.0040	0.694	0.250	0.640	0.040	0.306	0.311	0.579	0.326	9	-0.301 (0.803)
Hecate	13	5	0.6831	0.0055	0.657	0.846	-0.288	0.001	0.343	0.387	0.419	0.566	7	1.873 (0.070)
St. of Georgia	6	5	0.7273	0.0028	0.667	0.333	0.501	0.050	0.333	0.304	0.810	0.810	4	0.466 (0.656)
PugSnd	9	5	0.7516	0.0043	0.710	0.111	0.844	0.002	0.290	0.345	0.351	0.292	8	0.011 (0.966)
WA Coast	22	6	0.5973	0.0052	0.584	0.727	-0.245	0.627	0.416	0.362	0.741	0.953	9	1.047 (0.313)
(E. Pacific Combined)	62	10	0.7260	0.0055	0.726	0.525	0.277	0.000	0.280	0.286	0.578	0.781	9	-1.908 (0.072)

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749 Data Availability Statement

750 The data that support the findings of this study are openly available in GenBank at
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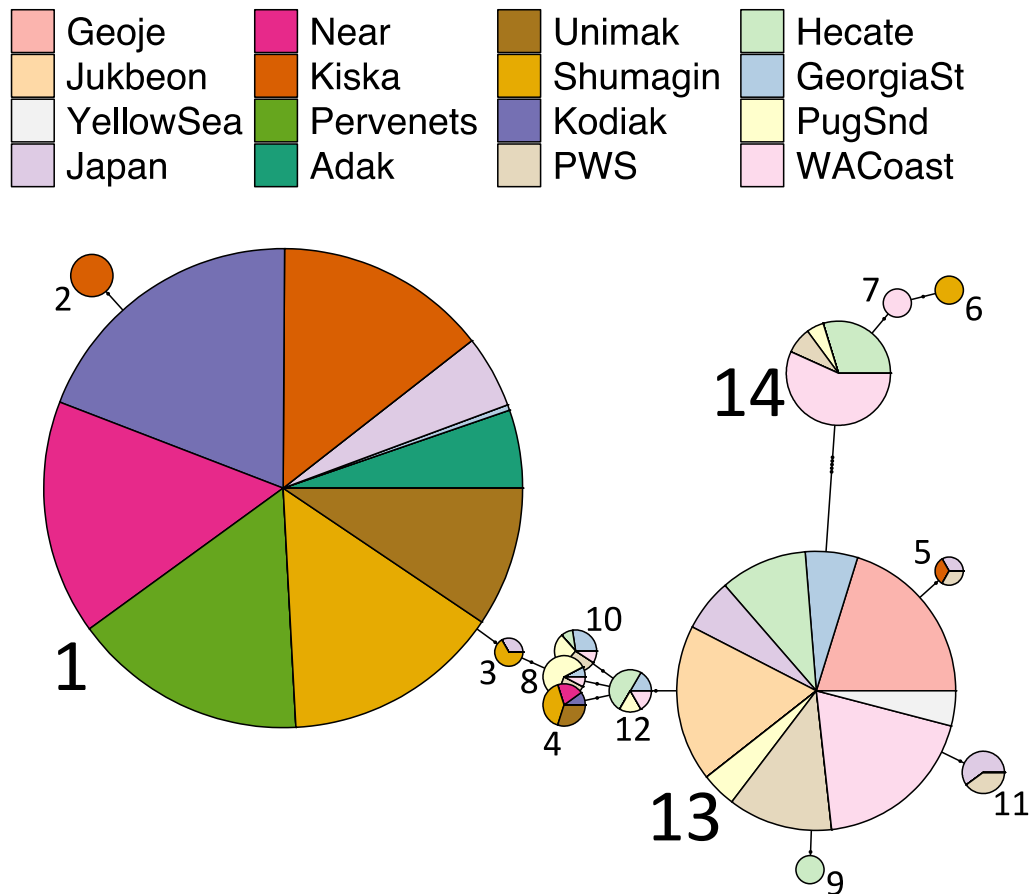
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763 Figure 1. Haplotype network of phased ZP3 sequences of Pacific cod (*Gadus*
764 *macrocephalus*), circles represent haplotypes and pie slices represent contribution by
765 sample collection. The size of each circle is relative to the haplotype frequency, although
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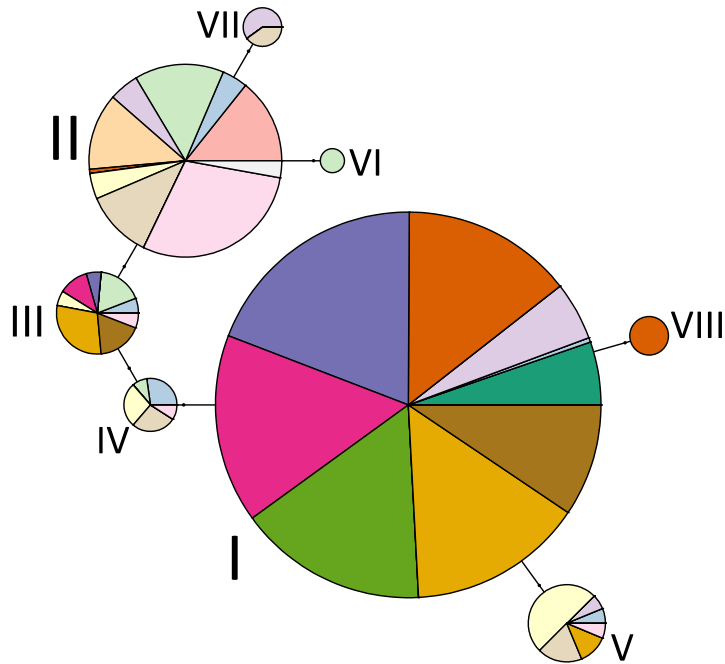


Figure 2. Network of ZP3 amino acid compositions (polypeptides) of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*). Circles represent amino acid sequences and pie slices represent contribution by sample collection. There were eight unique protein coding amino acid combinations among three sites, which are specified along with frequency in Table 4. The size of each circle is relative to the number observed, although the scale ratio was adjusted for clarity. Polypeptide designations are listed adjacent to each circle in roman numerals.

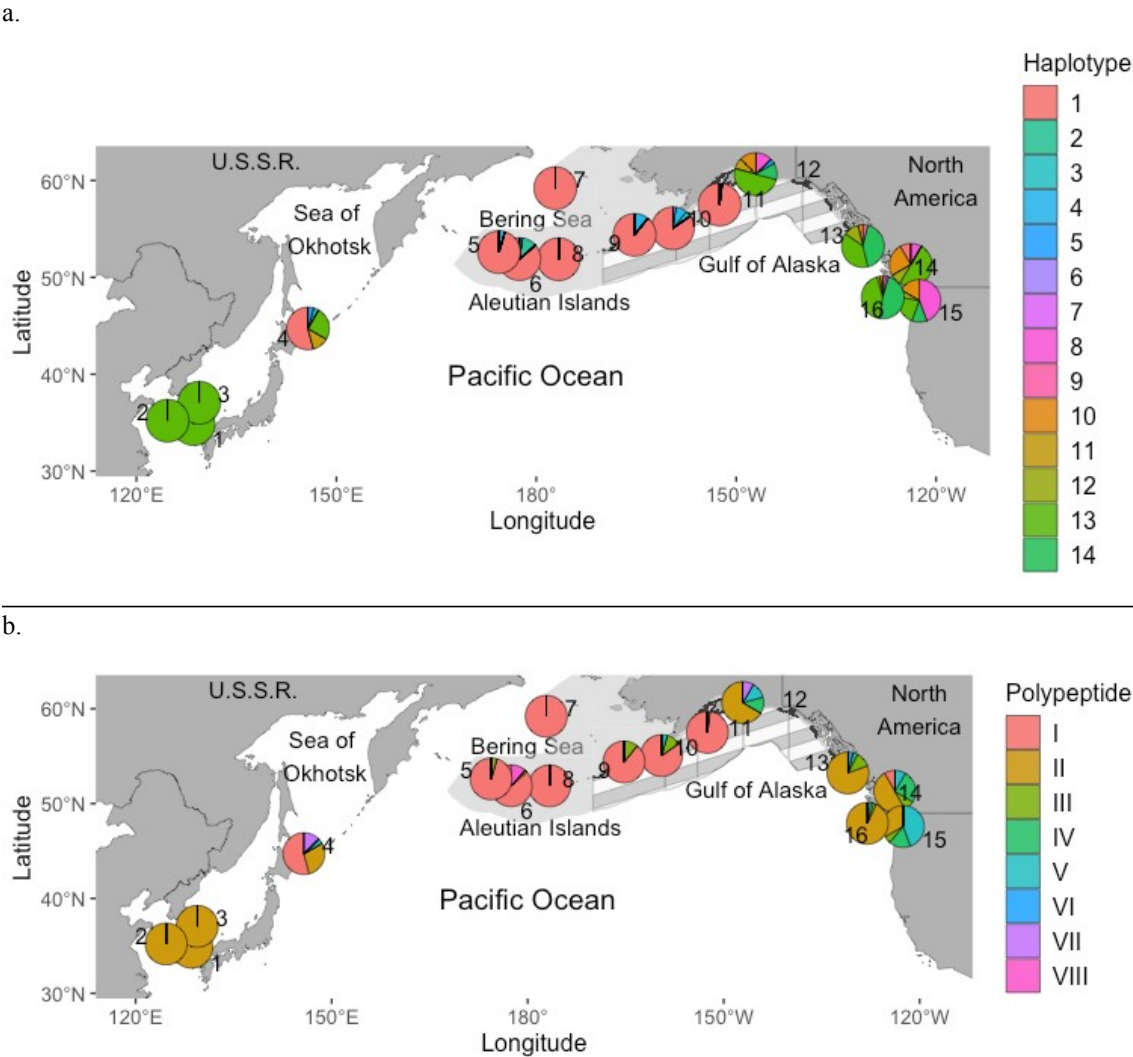


Figure 3. Map with pie charts showing a. relative haplotype frequencies between all collections, and b. amino acid sequences based on non-synonymous changes in the ZP3 DNA coding region. The haplotype numbers correspond to Table 3, and roman numerals indicate polypeptide designation, as shown in Table 4. Numbers on map represent the name of the collection, west to east: 1. Geoje, Korea, 2. Yellow Sea, Korea, 3. Jukbyeon, Korea, 4. Sea of Okhotsk, Japan, 5. Near Islands, 6. Kiska Island, 7. Pervenets Canyon, 8. Adak Island, 9. Unimak Island, 10. Shumagin Islands, 11. Kodiak Island, 12. Prince William Sound, 13. Hecate Strait, 14. Strait of Georgia, 15. Puget Sound, 16. Washington Coast. The spatial area comprising the Gulf of Alaska Fishery Management Plan is shown with grey stripes and the area comprising the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Fishery Management Plan is light grey.

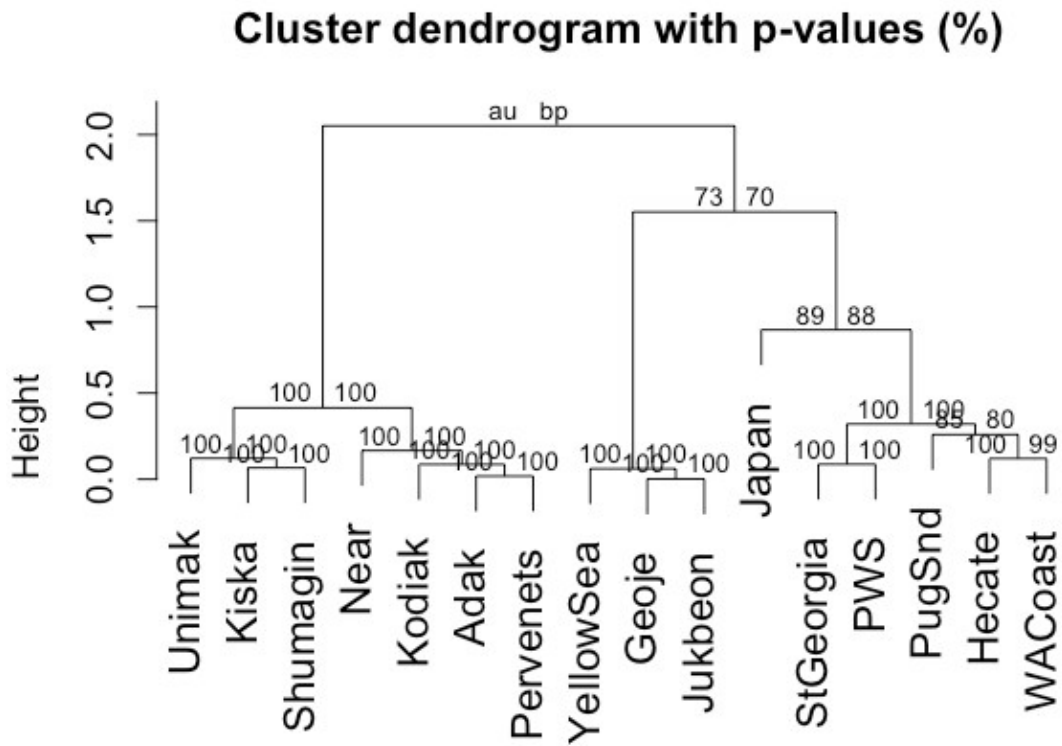


Figure 4. Dendrogram of hierarchical clusters of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*) based on pairwise G_{ST} for phased ZP3 haplotypes. Numbers represent probabilities for cluster support based on 10,000 bootstrap replicates, and are presented as AU (left, approximately unbiased) p-values and BP (right, bootstrap probability) values.

Appendix

Table S1. Short read sequence (95bp) associated with the highest F_{ST} based on RAD sequencing (Drinan et al., 2018).

5' TGCAGGAGGCATAACGTGAGCAGTCTGGCCCTGGACCCGATCTTCA
CCCCGTTCTCGGCCATCAAAGTGTCCGAGGAGCTTTTGCACCTTCAGTTT 3'

Table S2. Primer sets ZP_L1, ZP_L2, ZP_L3, and ZP_L4 were used to screen for variation across the DNA sequence coding for the zona pellucida sperm-binding protein 3 in samples of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*). Primer set GP_GM was used to amplify a variable region. The annealing temperature, T_M (°C), used in polymerase chain reaction is shown for each primer set. The position of the forward and reverse primer on the GadMor3 sequence is shown, as well as which exons are included in the intervening sequence.

Primer name	Forward	Reverse	T_M (°C)	F pos.	R pos.	Exon
ZP_L1	gagcccgctagatcacttgt	tgtaatctggtgggcagcta	56.5	1	592	1
ZP_L2	agctgccaccagattacat	gattgcgtgcgctatactga	62.5	574	1372	2,3,4
ZP_L3	aatgtttgttccgcactca	ccgcatacaaacacacacat	57	1416	1766	5,6
ZP_L4	ttgcaggcttcaaaaagtca	catcatagcaagggcatgaa	56	3223	3242	8
ZP_GM	gcaatctgaggtaggacca	aacgcagtgatccacaaaga	58	612	1153	2,3,4

816 Table S3. Frequency of observed nucleotide haplotypes in sample collections of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*). The Haplotype
817 number (No.) from 1 to 14 is shown with the number of inferred haplotypes from each sample collection (Georgia = Strait of Georgia,
818 Hecate = Hecate Strait, Perv. = Pervenets, PS = Puget Sound, Shum. = Shumagins, WA = Washington Coast, YS = Yellow Sea, Japan
819 = Sea of Okhotsk).
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No.	Geoje	Jukbeon	YS	Japan	Near	Kiska	Perv.	Adak	Unimak	Shum.	Kodiak	PWS	Hecate	Georgia	PS	WA	Tot.
1	0	0	0	13	42	38	42	14	25	39	51	0	0	1	0	0	265
2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	8	1	13
9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	3	1	11
11	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	6
13	20	18	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	10	6	4	19	99
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	11	0	2	21	37

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822 Table S4. Frequency of segregating polypeptide sequences in sample collections of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*). The Variant
823 number (No.) from I through VIII is shown with the number of inferred polypeptide sequences from each sample collection (Georgia
824 = Strait of Georgia, Hecate = Hecate Strait, Perv. = Pervenets, PS = Puget Sound, Shum. = Shumagins, WA = Washington Coast, YS
825 = Yellow Sea, Japan = Sea of Okhotsk).

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o.	Geoje	YS	Jukbeon	Japan	Near	Kiska	Perv.	Adak	Unimak	Shum.	Kodiak	PWS	Hecate	Georgia	PS	WA	Tot.
I	0	0	0	13	42	38	42	14	25	39	51	0	0	1	0	0	265
II	20	4	18	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	21	6	6	41	140
III	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	5	1	0	3	1	1	1	17
IV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	3	1	11
V	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	8	1	16
VI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
VII	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
VII I	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5

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831 Table S5. Diploid genotypes by collection of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*), consisting of Haplotype A/Haplotype B, followed
832 by the number of individuals (in parentheses) in which it was observed.

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Collection	Haploid genotypes (frequency)
Geoje	13/13 (10)
Yellow Sea	13/13 (2)
Jukbeon	13/13 (9)
Sea of Okhotsk	1/1 (6), 1/5 (1), 3/11 (1), 11/11 (1), 13/13 (3)
Near Islands	1/1 (20), 1/4 (2)
Kiska Island	1/1 (19), 2/2 (2), 2/5 (1)
Pervenets Canyon	1/1 (21)
Hecate Strait	8/12 (1), 9/13 (1) 12/13 (2), 13/14 (7), 14/14 (2)
Adak Island	1/1 (7)
Unimak Pass	1/1 (11), 1/4 (3)
Shumagin Islands	1/1 (16), 1/3 (2), 1/4 (4), 1/6 (1)
Kodiak Island	1/1 (25), 1/4 (1)
Prince William S.	5/8 (1), 8/8 (1), 10/10 (1), 11/11 (1), 10/13 (1), 13/13 (5), 13/14 (1), 14/14 (1)
Puget Sound	8/8 (1), 10/10 (4), 8/12 (1), 13/13 (2), 14/14 (1)
Washington Coast	7/14 (1), 8/14 (1), 10/14 (1), 12/13 (1), 13/13 (3), 13/14 (12), 14/14 (3)

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836 Table S6. Pairwise G_{ST} among collections of Pacific cod (*Gadus macrocephalus*): Georgia = Strait of Georgia, PWS = Prince William
837 Sound, PugSnd = Puget Sound, WACoast = Washington Coast.

	Adak	Geoje	Georgia	Hecate	Japan	Jukbeon	Kiska	Kodiak	Near	PWS	Pervenets	PugSnd	Shumagin	Unimak	WACoast
Geoje	1.0000														
Georgia	0.4511	0.1837													
Hecate	0.4951	0.2939	0.0720												
Japan	0.1753	0.4021	0.1090	0.1604											
Jukbeon	1.0000	0.0000	0.1830	0.2932	0.4015										
Kiska	0.0505	0.7816	0.3314	0.3739	0.0940	0.7813									
Kodiak	0.0018	0.9623	0.4351	0.4789	0.1643	0.9623	0.0418								
Near	0.0113	0.9154	0.4080	0.4518	0.1435	0.9152	0.0293	0.0002							
PWS	0.4735	0.1691	0.0041	0.0421	0.1231	0.1684	0.3553	0.4580	0.4316						
Pervenets	0.0000	1.0000	0.4560	0.4997	0.1812	1.0000	0.0565	0.0043	0.0174	0.4782					
PugSnd	0.4635	0.3617	0.0609	0.0997	0.1599	0.3611	0.3470	0.4483	0.4222	0.0520	0.4683				
Shumagin	0.0457	0.7573	0.3173	0.3595	0.0841	0.7570	0.0169	0.0332	0.0156	0.3417	0.0518	0.3331			
Unimak	0.0431	0.8219	0.3535	0.3966	0.1074	0.8217	0.0216	0.0257	0.0061	0.3778	0.0491	0.3688	0.0021		
WACoast	0.5398	0.3131	0.0935	0.0011	0.1844	0.3124	0.4115	0.5221	0.4936	0.0506	0.5441	0.1178	0.3964	0.4355	
YellowSea	1.0000	0.0000	0.1579	0.2697	0.3798	0.0000	0.7712	0.9604	0.9110	0.1435	1.0000	0.3386	0.7459	0.8132	0.2893

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840 Table S7. Results of AMOVA among 6,424 SNPs previously published in Drinan et al. (2018), with the SNP for ZP3 removed.
841 AMOVA was performed such that the Prince William Sound (PWS) collection was arranged two ways; “PWS with Bering Sea”
842 (Group 1=Adak, Kodiak, Unimak, PWS; Group 2 = Hecate St., Juan de Fuca, Salish Sea, WA Coast); “PWS with Eastern Pacific”
843 (Group 1=Adak, Kodiak, Unimak, Group 2 = PWS, Hecate Juan de Fuca, Salish Sea, WA Coast). Sigma (σ) represents the variance
844 for each hierarchical level, and the percent of the total, *Phi* Φ represents population differentiation (higher *Phi* represents higher
845 differentiation).

Test	PWS with Bering Sea				PWS with Eastern Pacific			
	d.f.	Sum Sq.	Mean Sq.		d.f.	Sum Sq.	Mean Sq.	
Between Regions	1	3809.958	3809.9578		1	2907.828	2907.8277	
Between Collections within Regions	6	5996.927	999.4878		6	6899.057	1149.8428	
	Phi Φ				Phi Φ			
Phi-Collection-Region	0.0065				0.0097			
Phi-Region-total	0.0148				0.0092			
Test	Sigma σ	%	Std.Obs	<i>p</i> -value	Sigma σ	%	Std.Obs	<i>p</i> -value
Variations within samples	673.0099		-3.3786	<0.000999	673.0099		-3.3899	<0.001998
Variations between samples	11.1099		1.7388	>0.052947	11.1099		1.8297	>0.035964
Variations between Regions	10.3613	1.48	4.5071	>0.026973	6.4321	0.92	2.6496	>0.043956
Variations between collections within Regions	4.4674	0.64			6.7269	0.96		

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