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## **Summary**

The data about numbers, distribution, timing of migrations, sex-age composition and mortality of Pacific walrus at Wrangel Island in 1995 is submitted. Retreat of the ice edge in September to the north has ensured to formation of coastal haulouts on traditional sites. The main numbers of walruses (to 22 000) was concentrated on Cape Blossom, and insignificant numbers of walruses hauled out to Somnitelnaya Spit times only. By reason for it the strong disturbing pressure from polar bears on Somnitelnaya Spit in initial period of the formation of haulouts has served. At this time there were not of bears on Cape Blossom. Hunting and investigative activity of polar bears caused to death of 56 walruses. The main part of them was crushed during a panic, and 1 calf on Somnitelnaya Spit, certainly, has been killed by polar bear. The analysis of sex-age composition of haulouts and dead walruses has shown the reduction of number calves of the year and sharp increase of yearlings and 2-year-olds as well as young animals to 10 year-olds in samples. The autumn migration of walruses to the east during the all period of walrus concentration at the haulouts was observed. Thus the total period of walrus stay in the Wrangel Island region was for 96 days from July 17 to October 20.