

FIELDNOTES 2024 - 2025: Collaboration Visualizer

Each year DFO Science staff team up with a broad range of regional, provincial, national and international collaborators for the planning, design, delivery, and evaluation of field research and monitoring.

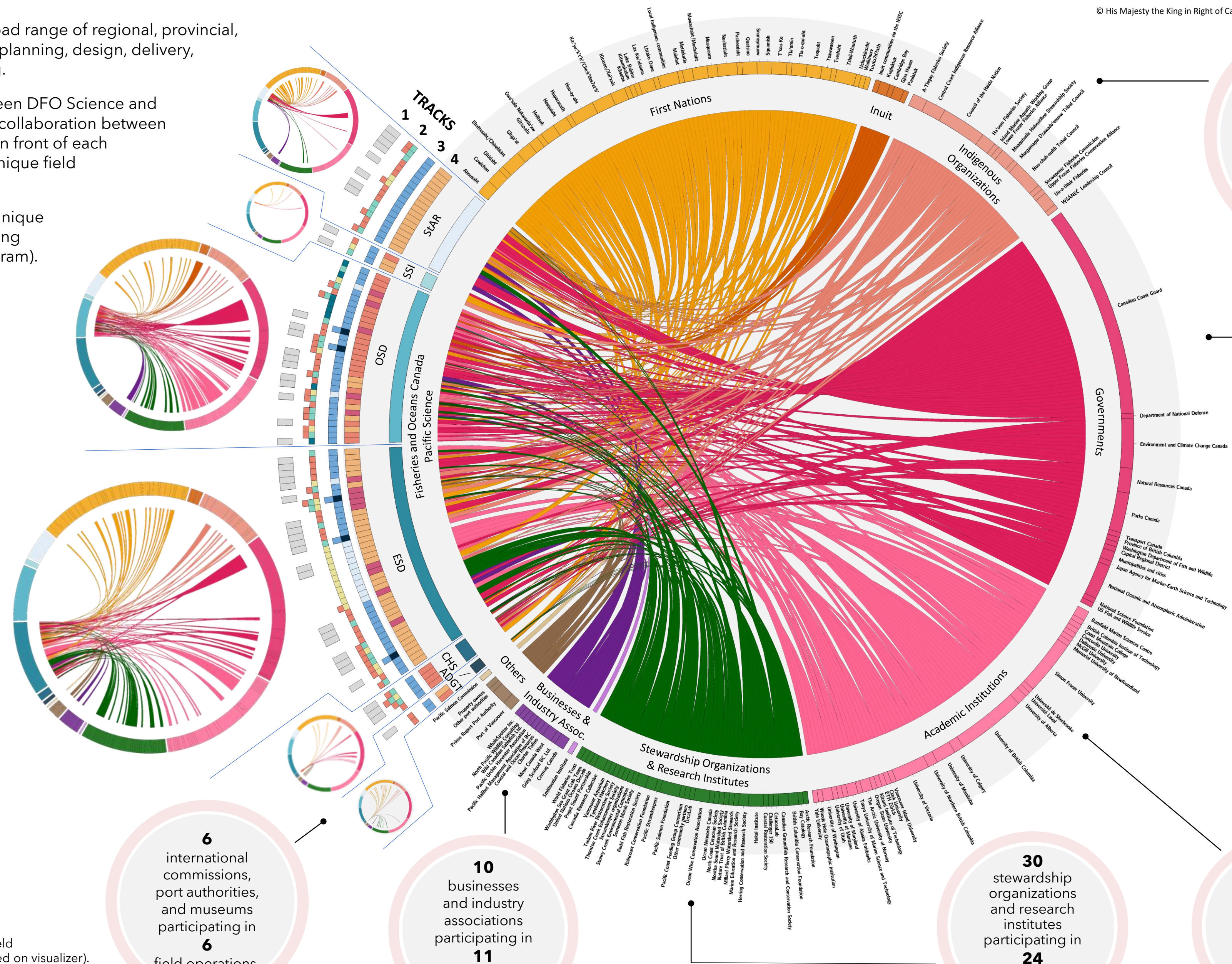
Chord diagrams illustrate the connection between DFO Science and collaborators. Each strand represents a unique collaboration between DFO and a collaborator. The length of the box in front of each collaborator is proportional to the number of unique field operations engaged in by that collaborator.

In 2024-2025, we expect to team up with **153** unique collaborators to advance research and monitoring through **99** field operations (largest chord diagram).

The smaller chord diagrams help visualize the collaborations of the **6** Science Divisions and are sized proportionally to the number of field operations each Division is engaged in.

99 FIELD OPERATIONS		Count
Track 1	Under the leadership of women scientists and biologists	45
	Fraser River and Interior	25
Track 2	South Coast	67
	North Coast	33
	Arctic	8
Track 3	Marine	85
	Estuarine	5
Track 4	Freshwater	14
	Human impacts and research monitoring	14
	Hydrographic and oceanographic surveys	27
Science Divisions	Population and ecosystem assessments	58
	Stock Assessment and Research (StAR)	18
	Strategic Science Initiatives (SSI)	3
	Ocean Sciences (OSD)	31
	Ecosystem Science (ESD)	41
	Canadian Hydrographic Service (CHS)	4
Aquatic Diagnostics, Genomics and Technology (ADGT)	2	

An additional 240 area-based [salmon stock assessment](#) field operations are planned for 2024 and 2025 (not represented on visualizer).



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First Nations, Inuit communities and Indigenous organizations participating in **44** field operations.

14 governments participating in **57** field operations.

99 field operations
6 DFO Science Divisions
153 Unique collaborators
351 Collaborations in total
3.5 Average number of collaborators per field operation
2.3 Average number of collaborations engaged in by each collaborator

6 international commissions, port authorities, and museums participating in **6** field operations.

10 businesses and industry associations participating in **11** field operations.

30 stewardship organizations and research institutes participating in **24** field operations.

37 academic institutions participating in **33** field operations.