

23rd Annual Game Count



2025

Game Count Routes

Route 1: Frankfurt plains

Route 2: Kanebis & Altdorn

Route 3: Klein Karios plains

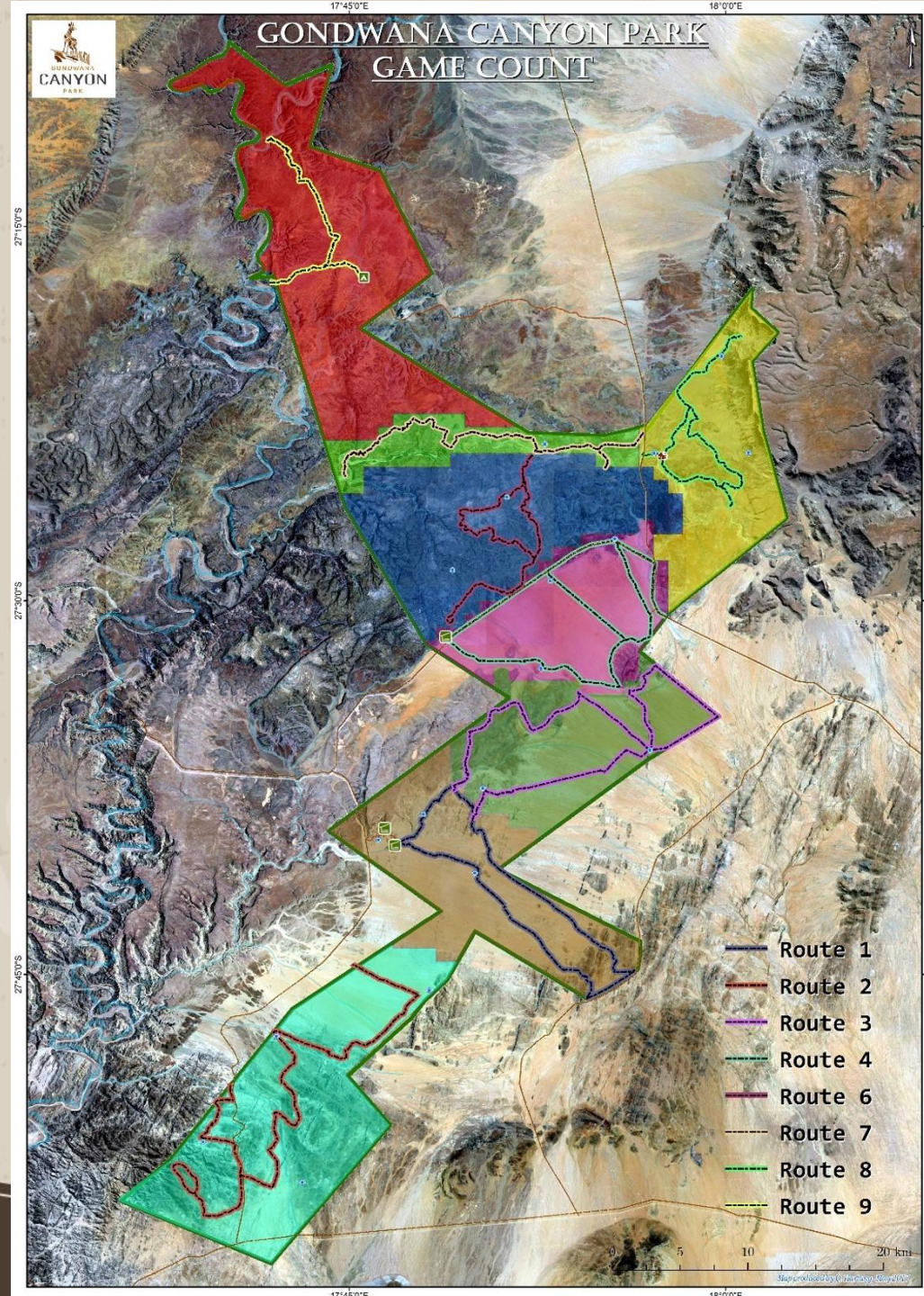
Route 4: Roadhouse plains

Route 6: Jakkalsdam

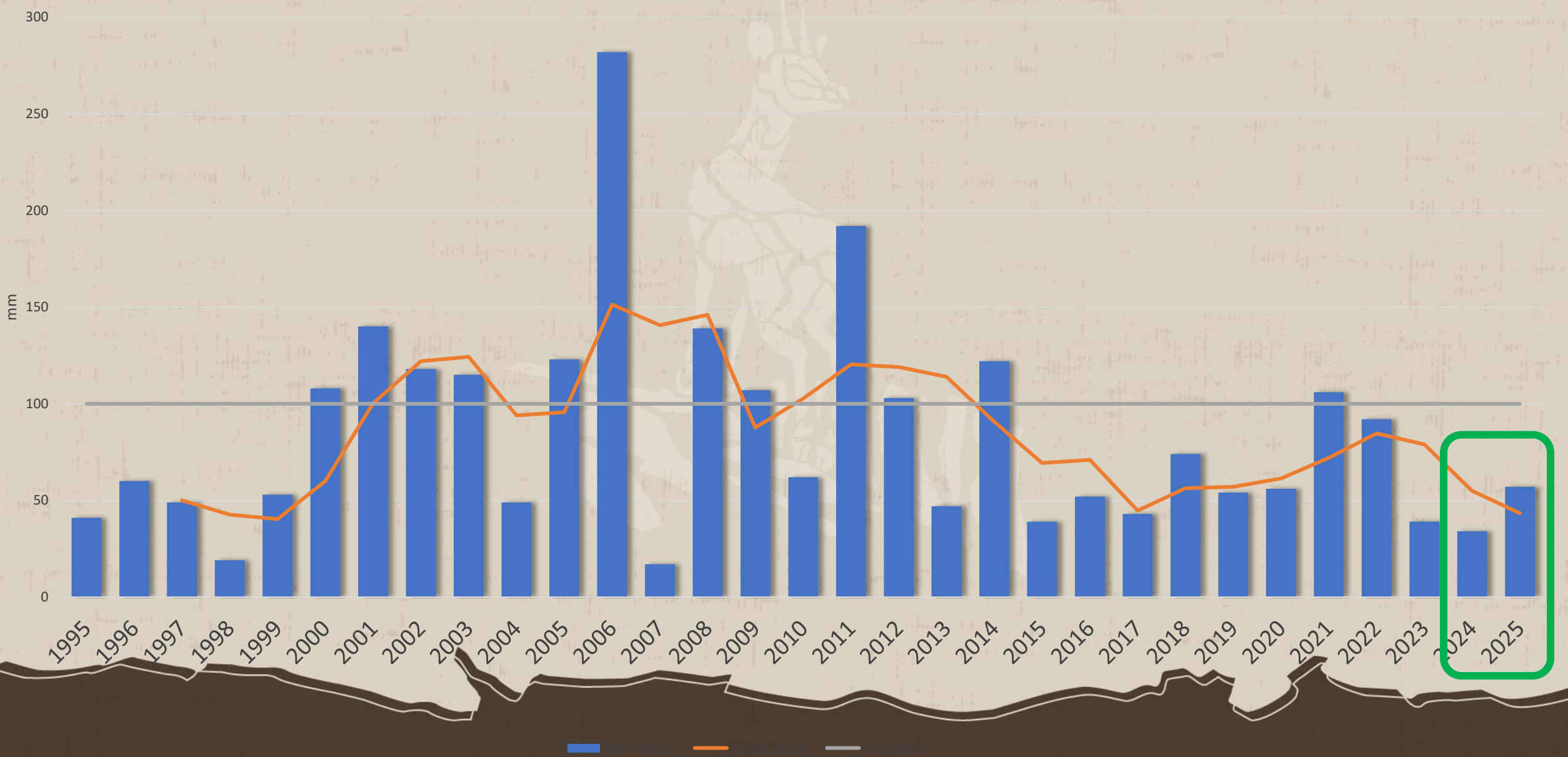
Route 7: Gaap river

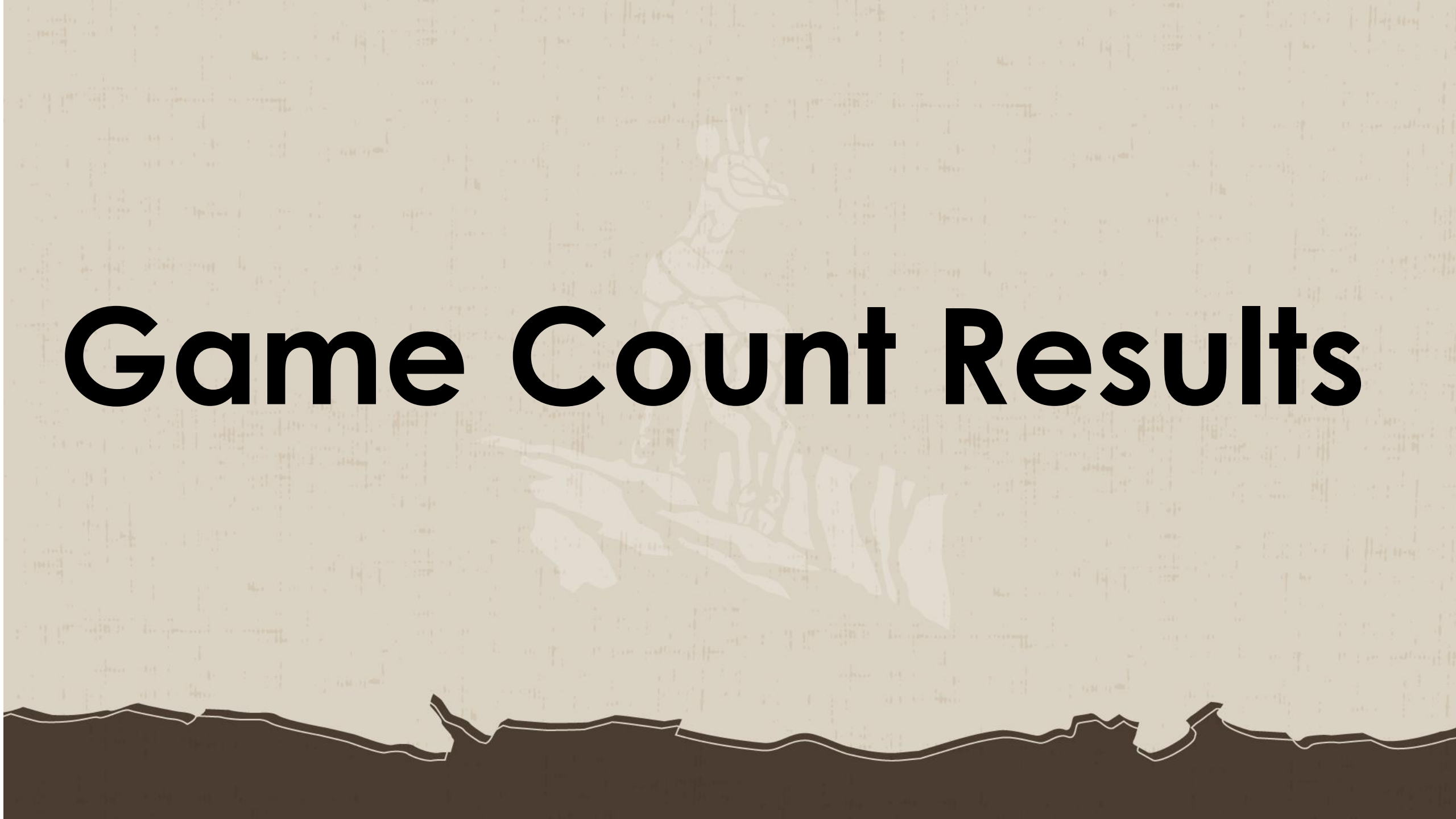
Route 8: Holoog

Route 9: Mule Station



GCP Annual Average Rainfall

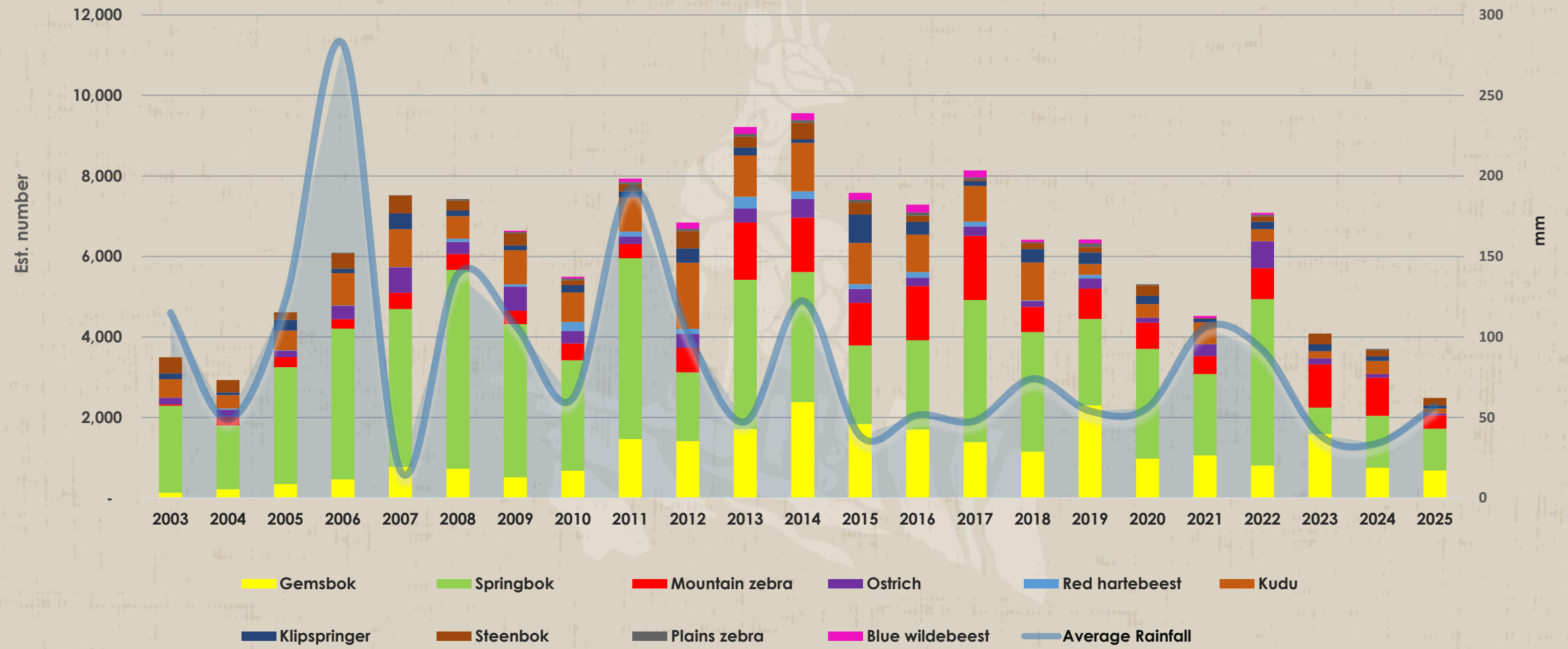




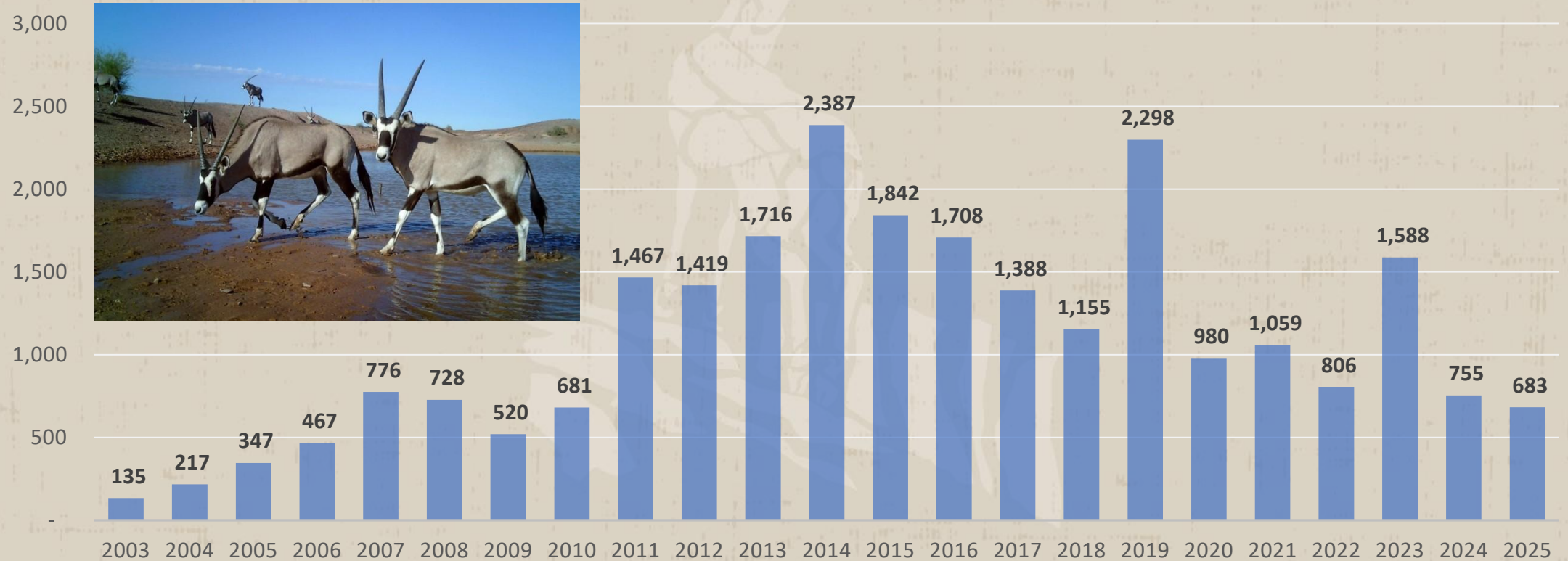
Game Count Results

Gondwana Canyon Park Game Populations 2003 - 2025																								
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Change 2024 - 2025
Gemsbok	135	217	347	467	776	728	520	681	1,467	1,419	1,716	2,387	1,842	1,708	1,388	1,155	2,298	980	1,059	806	1,588	755	683	-10%
Springbok	2,158	1,583	2,906	3,741	3,916	4,937	3,801	2,739	4,487	1,701	3,704	3,226	1,950	2,210	3,528	2,968	2,148	2,726	2,020	4,133	659	1,290	1,037	-20%
Mountain zebra	33	216	247	235	407	399	330	420	355	612	1,424	1,351	1,059	1,347	1,596	625	756	649	452	773	1,071	942	334	-65%
Ostrich	168	174	155	331	631	300	600	307	181	346	344	460	340	202	235	141	252	123	284	658	154	92	49	-47%
Red hartebeest		32	12	9	5	79	57	228	130	122	296	193	123	149	120	19	91	-	10	10	-	-	-	#DIV/0!
Kudu	459	332	492	802	940	560	846	729	844	1,643	1,025	1,202	1,021	928	886	943	268	338	536	295	175	329	121	-63%
Klipspringer	142	73	270	115	396	138	121	185	149	357	198	94	706	315	120	336	285	204	93	191	168	108	76	-30%
Steenbok	404	303	183	377	440	245	301	122	188	427	269	405	297	153	32	147	134	260	18	131	272	162	187	15%
Plains zebra	-	-	-	16	13	38	30	41	45	60	71	71	71	85	60	20	91	31	-	38	-	29	18	-38%
Blue wildebeest	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	46	86	155	170	170	170	190	170	60	100	-	50	50	-	-		#DIV/0!
Giraffe	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	18	20	21	22	23	26	30		15%
Total	3,499	2,930	4,612	6,093	7,524	7,424	6,639	5,498	7,932	6,842	9,217	9,559	7,579	7,287	8,135	6,414	6,423	5,311	4,522	7,085	4,087	3,733	2,535	-32%
Average Rainfall	115	49	123	282	17	139	107	62	192	103	47	122	39	52	48	74	54	56	106	92	39	34	57	
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Gondwana Canyon Park Game Populations 2003- 2025 vs Rainfall

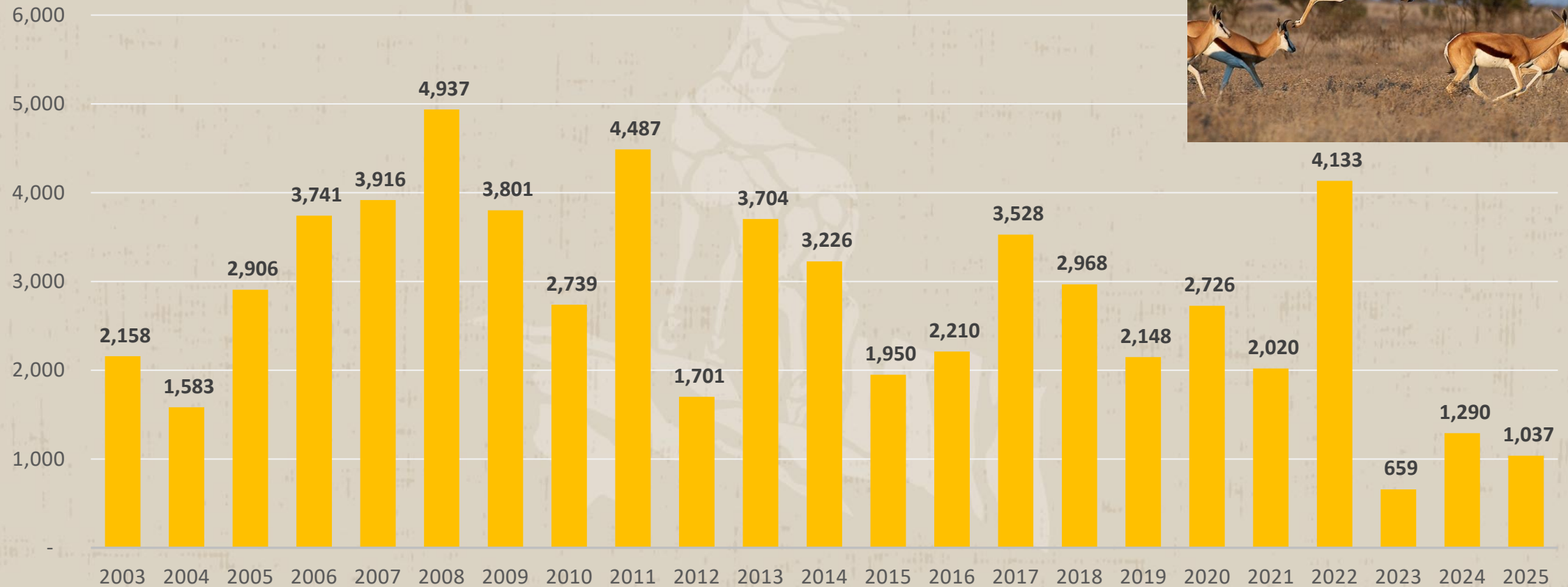


Gemsbok estimates



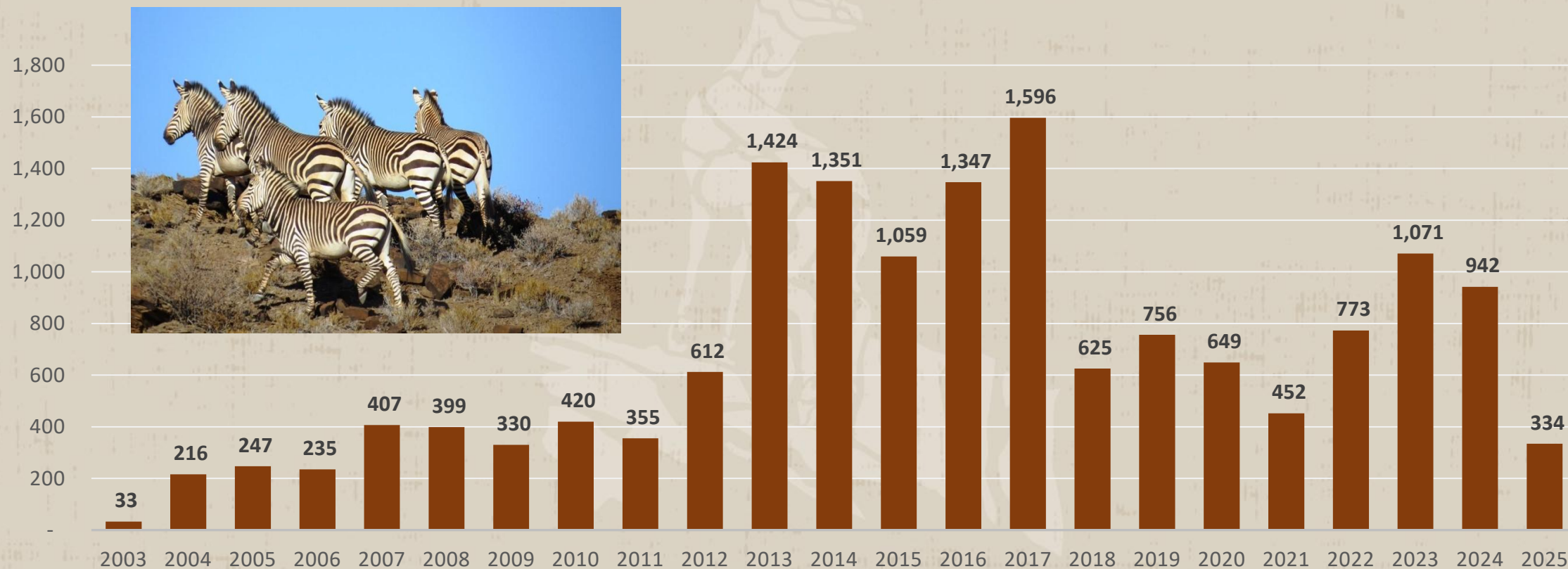
2024-2025 = -10%

Springbok estimates



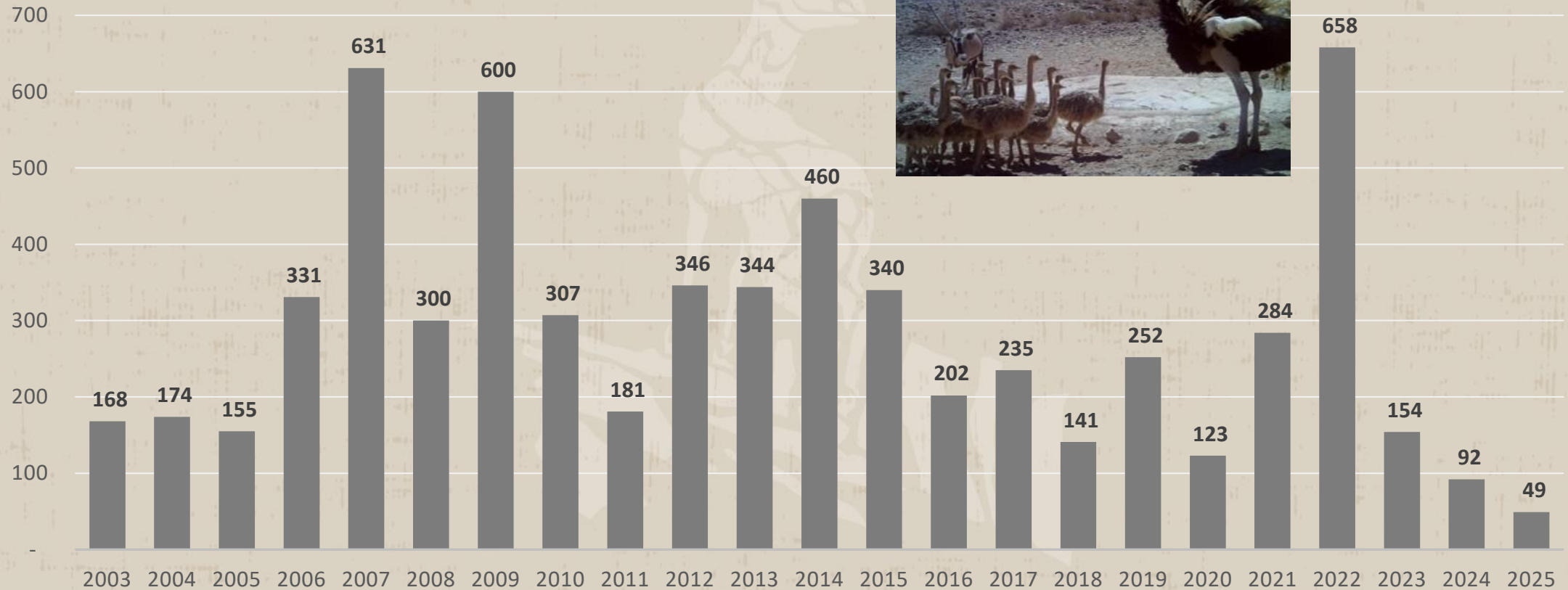
2024-2025 = -20%

Mountain Zebra estimates



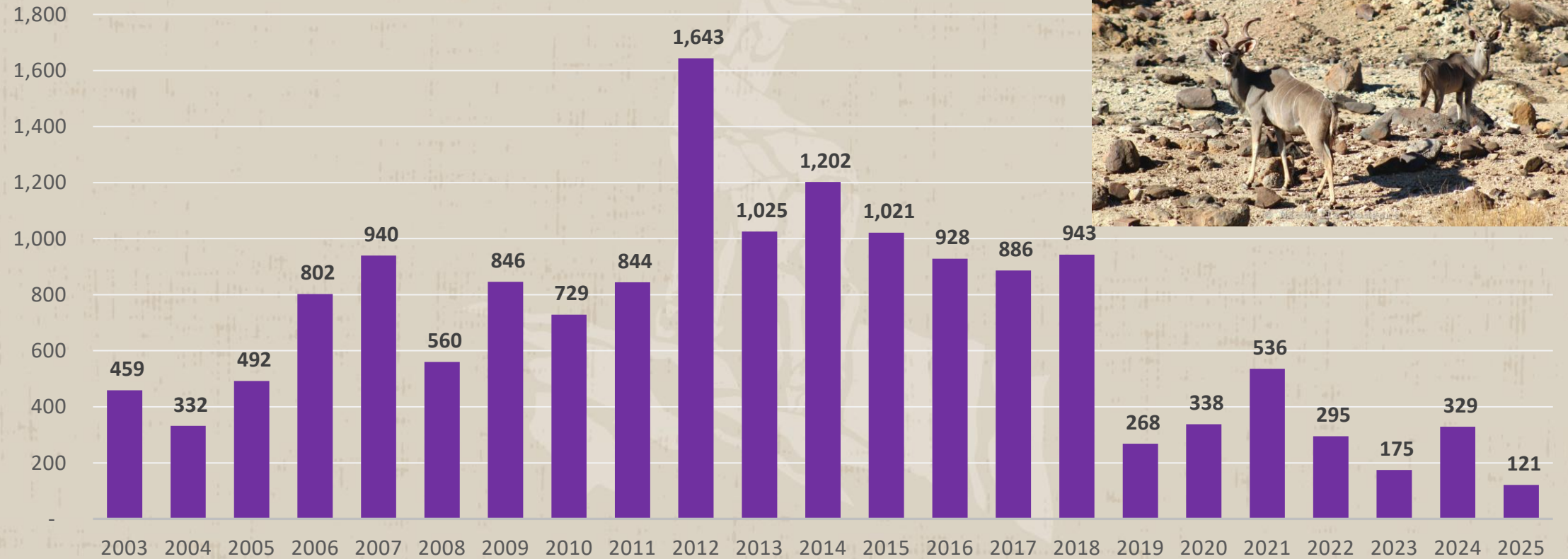
2024-2025 = -65%

Ostrich estimates



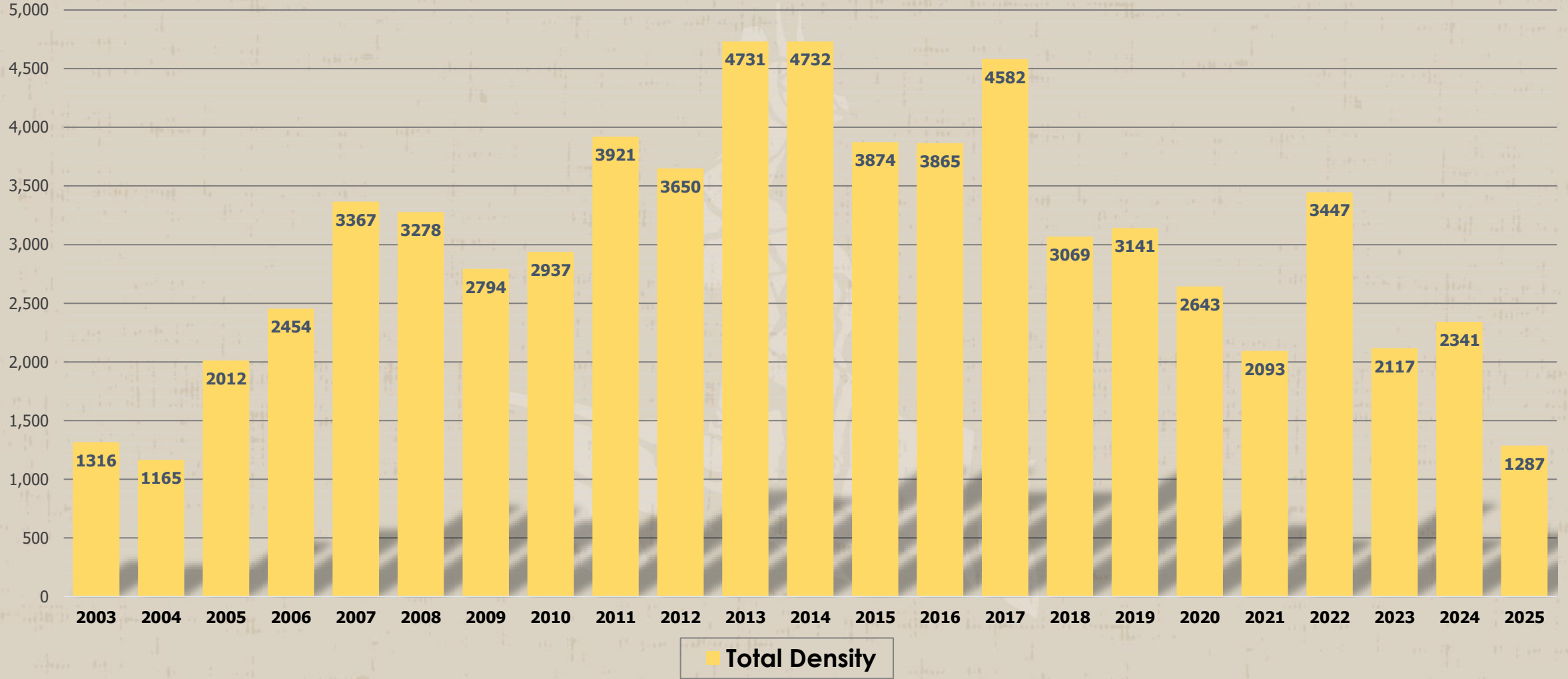
2024-2025 = -47%

Kudu estimates

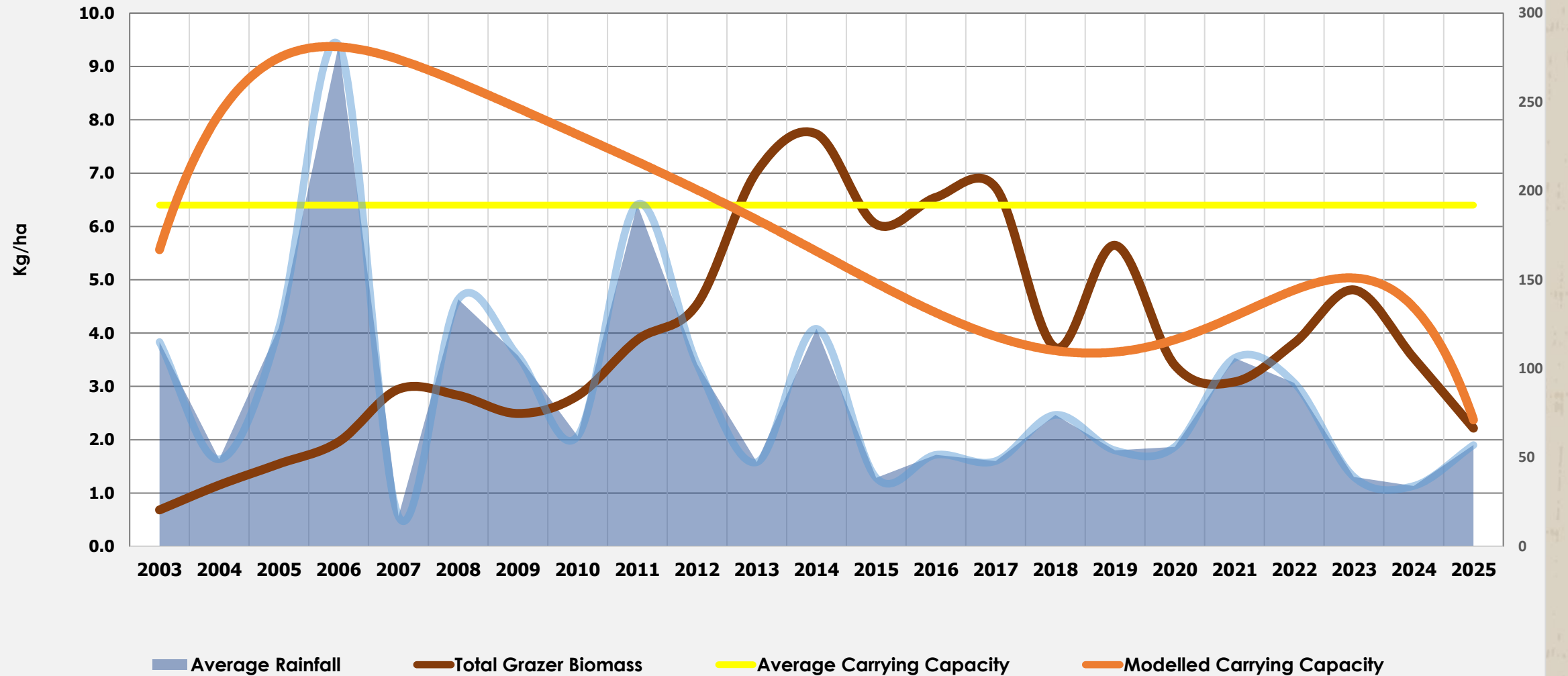


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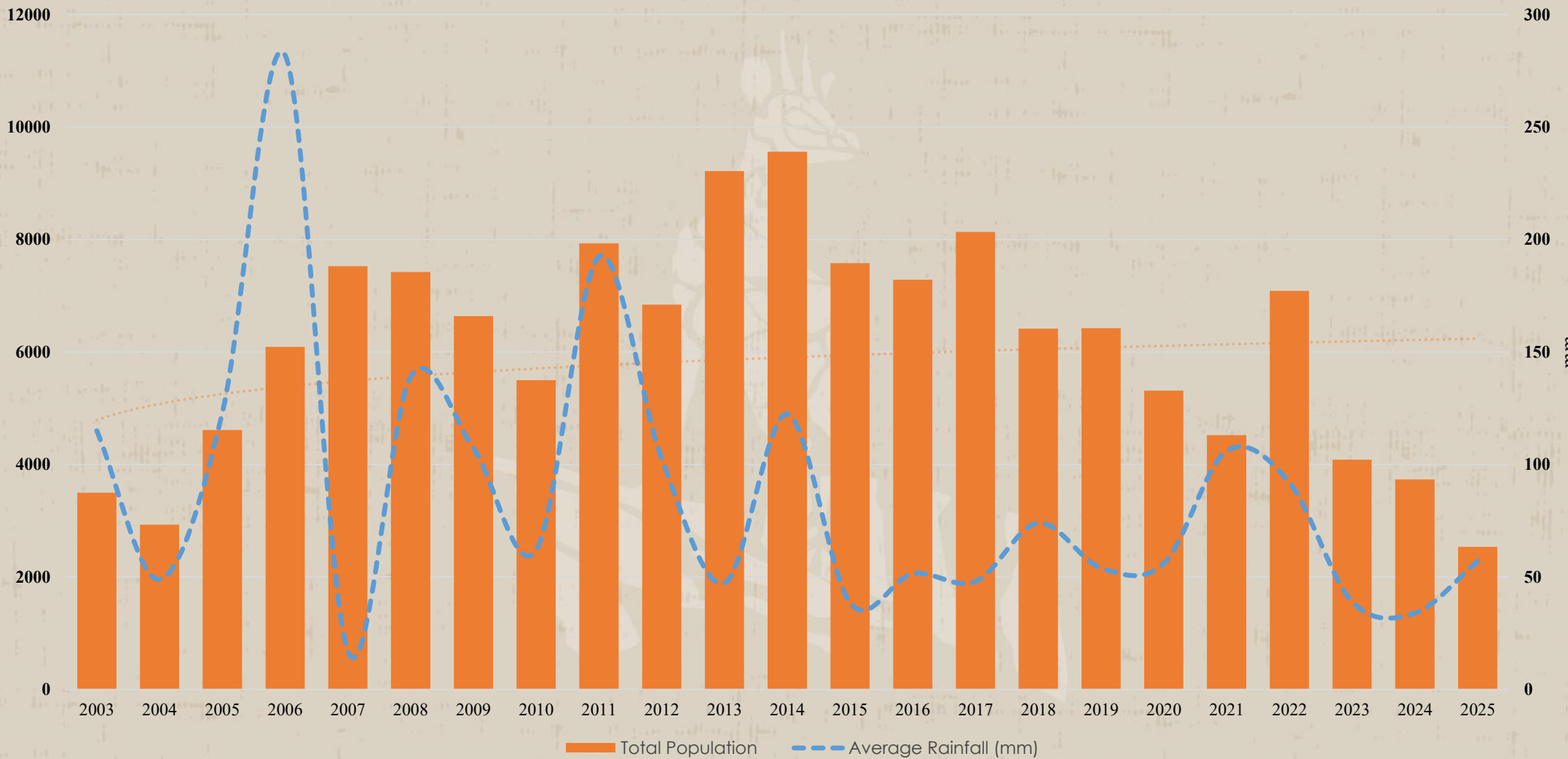
Total Density - Animals per 100km



Grazer biomass estimate 2003 - 2025



Total Population estimates vs Average rainfall



Total estimated numbers of game 2024		
Species	No. Counted	Estimate 2024
Gemsbok	265	755
Springbok	333	1290
Mountain Zebra	373	942
Ostrich	30	92
<i>Hartebeest</i>	0	0
Kudu	58	329
Klipspringer	15	108
Steenbok	10	162
<i>Plains zebra</i>	6	29
<i>Blue Wildebeest</i>	0	0
Total	1090	3707

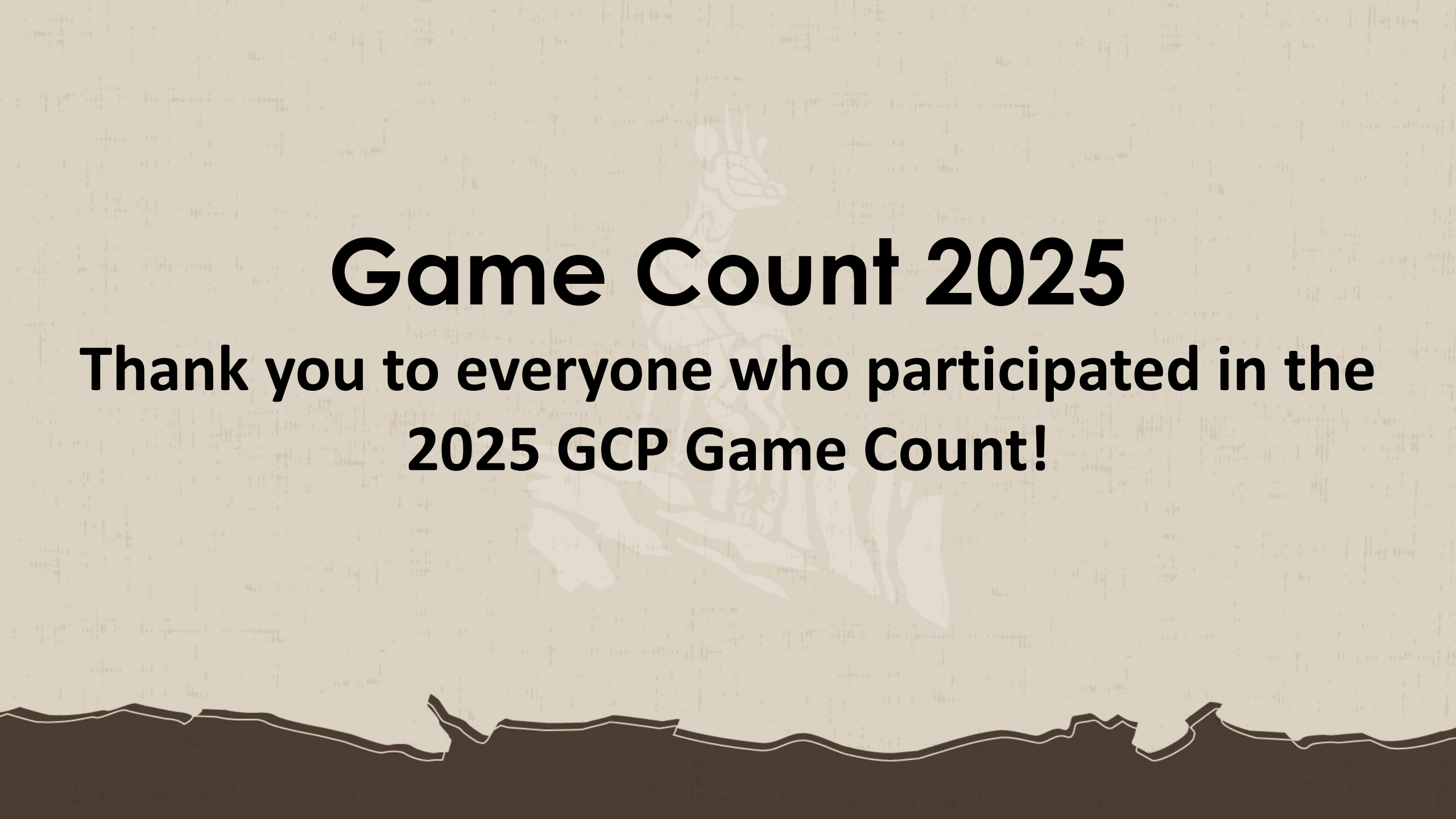
Total estimated numbers of game 2025		
Species	No. Counted	Estimate 2025
Gemsbok	171	683
Springbok	242	1037
Mountain Zebra	106	334
Ostrich	14	49
<i>Hartebeest</i>	0	0
Kudu	21	121
Klipspringer	13	76
Steenbok	7	187
<i>Plains zebra</i>	6	18
<i>Blue Wildebeest</i>	0	0
Total	580	2505
	-47%	-32%

Central Plains (routes 1, 3, & 4)							
Total estimated numbers of game 2024			Total estimated numbers of game 2025				
Species	No. Counted	Estimate 2024	Species	No. Counted	Estimate 2025	No. Counted change	Estimate 2025 Change
Gemsbok	238	593	Gemsbok	102	331	-57%	-44%
Springbok	332	1281	Springbok	231	973	-30%	-24%
Mountain Zebra	285	526	Mountain Zebra	72	193	-75%	-63%
Ostrich	30	92	Ostrich	8	24	-73%	-74%
Hartebeest	0	0	Hartebeest	0	0	0%	0%
Kudu	47	184	Kudu	11	70	-77%	-62%
Klipspringer	7	45	Klipspringer	0	0	-100%	-100%
Steenbok	7	62	Steenbok	4	103	-43%	66%
Plains zebra	0	0	Plains zebra	6	18	0%	0%
Blue Wildebeest	0	0	Blue Wildebeest	0	0	0%	0%
Total	946	2783	Total	434	1712	-54%	-38%
				-54%	-38%		





Route 4 Game Count starting off well!



Game Count 2025

**Thank you to everyone who participated in the
2025 GCP Game Count!**