## CRUISE REPORT

## ALPHA HELIX CRUISE 200

## 27 August 1997 to 12 September 1997

I. Project Title: Collaborative Research: Prolonged production and trophic transfer to predators: Processes at the Inner Front of the Southeastern Bering Sea

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II. Scientific Purpose: It is hypothesized that elevated primary production at the inner front of the southeastern Bering Sea continues longer than in the upper mixed layer of non-frontal waters, and that this production provides an energy source throughout the summer for a food web that supports shearwaters, salmon, and their zooplankton prey. To test this hypothesis, we collected observations on physical and biological features in the vicinity of the inner front to determine: 1) the availability of nutrients in the euphotic zone, 2) the physical processes responsible for enhanced vertical flux of nutrients, 3) primary production, 4) the distribution, abundance and trophic ecology of near-surface swarms of euphausiids and other zooplankton, and 5) the distribution, abundance, and foraging ecology of shearwaters, and 6) by stable isotope enrichment, trophic pathways from phytoplankton to shearwaters at and away from the front. This cruise was the second of four planned for 1997 and 1998.

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## IV. Cruise Schedule

DATE TIME ACTIVITY
August 27 10:00 Depart Dutch

August $28 \quad$ 12:00 Arrive at Nunivak Island Grid; commence CTD grid at NIA-20
August 30- Weather Days
September 1
September 2- 14:00 Complete studies in Nunivak Island Grid
September 5
September 6, 7 Weather Days
September 8- Slime Bank Grid
September ..... 11
September 12 06:00 Arrive Dutch Harbor

## V. Results

## Overview:

The most remarkable findings of this cruise were the documentation of a coccolithophorid bloom that extended from St Paul Island, Pribilof Islands, to Nunivak Island and south through the middle domain to the top edge of the Slime Bank Grid, a major die-off of shearwaters, and detailed documentation of the breakdown of stratification and the inner front by storms. The coccolithophorid bloom turned the water a greenish blue, and where the bloom was strongest, the water was an opaque milky-green. Visual evidence of the bloom was absent along the cruise track between the Pribilofs and the northwest corner of the Slime Bank Grid.

We documented a major die-off of short-tailed shearwaters (Puffinnus tenuirostris). Shearwater numbers were lower than expected, particularly in the Nunivak Island Grid, where many dead shearwaters were recorded floating in the water. Corpses were particularly conspicuous in areas of milky-green water where the dark birds could be easily seen. Both dead and living shearwaters had significantly reduced body mass when compared with birds collected during our June cruise, and diets of birds collected in September were more diverse than in June, with fish and squid occurring in a number of birds.

We were also able to document the breakdown of the summer stratification, particularly in the Nunivak Island Grid. Shortly after we completed the CTD grid, a strong storm with sustained winds of 35 knots mixed the inner domain and deepened the pycnocline by 10 to 15 m . Although we did not survey pre-storm conditions at the Slime Bank Grid, our survey there revealed that the two storms in early September had mixed the water to nearly 100 m depth, effectively destroying the inner front. Our observations show that the structure of the inner front and inner domain can be altered remarkably quickly if they are subjected to sufficiently strong wind forcing.

We interpret the presence of the coccolithophorid bloom and the die-off of shearwaters as resulting from the early and strong stratification of the middle domain and the presence of stratified water in what is normally the well-mixed inner domain. We hypothesize that the stratification resulted in the depletion of
nutrients to a depth of 60 m or more, as seen in the June cruise, and the cessation of the hypothesized nutrient pump that we expected to see in the inner front. There was little or no inshore chlorophyll in June, and by September, there were few adult euphausiids in waters less than 60 m depth. In September, the scattered aggregations of euphausiids found in water less than 50 m depth consisted mostly of juveniles. We expect to find that the energy content of these juveniles is low in comparison to that of adults. Thus, we hypothesize that shearwaters were starving because there were insufficient adult euphausiids in shallow water. Additionally, foraging shearwaters appeared to avoid areas with milky-green water, in which the shearwaters may have had difficulty in detecting and capturing euphausid prey.

## Physical Oceanography (Nancy Katchel)

At Nunivak Island, we occupied a grid of 55 CTD stations on five grid lines starting at 1800 GMT, August 28, and ending at 1630 GMT, August 30 (Figures 1, 2; Table 1; and Appendix A). We began our sampling of the NIA-line at NIA-24, near St. Paul Island, thereby obtaining a profile of the cold pool (Figure 3). Strong thermal stratification of 6 to $9^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ was observed in the mid-shelf region where bottom depths were greater then approximately 55 m (Figures $3-7$ ). The thermocline was located at approximately 12 - 18 m . At bottom depths of approximately $40-45 \mathrm{~m}$, the temperature difference had declined to $2-3^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. On the E-line, which was extended shoreward to 30 m depth, we found unstratified water at and inshore of the 40 m bottom contour (Figure 7).

Shortly after we finished the Nunivak Island Grid, a storm with sustained winds of 35 knots moved into the area for three days. This provided an opportunity to document the effects of a single storm event in breaking down the stratification built up during the exceptionally calm summer months of 1997. We were able to reoccupy the NIC and NIA lines on September 2-4, and complete an XBT survey on September 6 along the $C$ line. A breakdown in stratification can be seen by comparison of before and after sections of temperature, salinity , sigma-t and fluorescence across the inner front in Figures 8-11. These sections show only those portions of the $A$ and $C$ lines that were occupied during both surveys. The thermocline had deepened to $25-30 \mathrm{~m}$. The waters above it had cooled by approximately $3^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, while there was some warming of the waters below the
thermocline as isotherms appear to be pushed into deeper water. The density sections (sigma-t) reflect the change in temperature, as cooler water on top increased in density, and warming of the bottom water decreases it.

At Slime Bank, a total of twenty five CTD stations were taken on the A, C, and E lines on September 9-10, 1997 (Figures 12-15; Table 1, and Appendix B). In addition, a line of 35 XBT's were used on the C line on September 11. The storms that detained us at Nunivak Island and again at St. Paul Island had caused extensive mixing of the water column at every station. The nearshore zone was uniform. Offshore, there was a temperature gradient of $3-4{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ between the poorly defined surface layer and the bottom. The layer of transition extended to 75 - 90 m in the water column. Structure of this type is commonly found in the autumn after significant storm mixing has occurred. Laterally, the change in the profiles of T, S, and sigma-t was extremely gradual. No Inner front could be defined.

Nutrient and Pigment Studies (Gretchen Westrick, Dean Stockwell):

Samples were taken at 10 meter intervals and at the fluorescence maximum, if present, and were analyzed for nitrite, nitrate, ammonium, phosphate, and silicate on shipboard with an Alpkem RFA 300.

We sampled nutrients at 58 stations on the Nunivak Island Grid for a total of approximately 300 samples. Samples were taken on transects $A, C$, and $E$ before the storm (Figures 16, 18), and on transects $A$ and $C$ after the storm (Figures 19, 20). In addition 319 water samples were filtered for chlorophyll analysis and 35 for HPLC analysis of plant pigments. Transect A before the storm showed a depletion of all nutrients in the surface layer with a small concentration below the pycnocline on the middle shelf region (Figure 15). Transect C pre-storm showed a similar trend as the $\mathbf{A}$ line, nutrient depletion from the surface down to about 20 meters (pycnocline) and low concentrations in the deeper waters of the middle shelf (Figure 16). In September, nitrate and phosphate were present in higher concentrations than in the spring/early summer cruise and were also found closer inshore. Our survey of the $C$ line after the storm showed that the storm had mixed the water
column and broken down the stratification of nutrients (Figure 19). Nitrate was found in higher concentrations toward the inner shelf, but overall had lower concentrations after the mixing. Ammonium was found in higher concentrations after the mixing. Transect NIE, pre-storm (Figure 17), follows the same trend as the NIA-line pre-storm (Figure 15), with depleted nutrients in the surface waters and nutrient concentrations following the physical stratification with a nutrient pool of low concentration at the bottom. The presence inshore of a small pool of water with higher nutrients than the surrounding area suggests the presence of a possible cross shelf current in the inner shelf region. The silicate data on the pre-storm stations should be disregarded due to contamination; the post-storm silicate data are reliable.

At the Slime Bank Grid, we sampled 23 stations for nutrients and obtained a total of 165 nutrient samples. An additional 113 water samples were filtered for chlorophyll analysis and 15 were filtered for HPLC examination of pigments. The nitrate, nitrite, and silicate concentrations on transects $A, C$, and $E$, were higher than any samples taken on the Nunivak Island Grid. The phosphate and ammonium had similar numbers to Nunivak Island Grid. The concentrations of the nutrients were high throughout the water column, suggesting strong wind mixing.

## Productivity Sampling (Steve Zeeman, Melissa Jump, Marie DesLauriers, and Dean Stockwell).

At the Nunivak Island Grid, primary productivity experiments were conducted at nine sites. At four of these sites we conducted both in situ and on-deck incubator experiments. At the remainder of the sites we performed incubator experiments only. The on-deck incubations measure photosynthesis vs. irradiance curves, while the in situ experiments measure actual photosynthetic rates in the water column. A significant wind event intervened during the sampling which altered the water column stratification and water mass distribution. The storm also impacted the phytoplankton community, redistributing it both horizontally and vertically. At the seaward extent of the transects, this seemed to have minimal effect. Near the front, at Stations NIC-1 - NIC-3, light-saturated photosynthetic rates nearly doubled after the storm. In contrast, at the inshore end of the
transects, after the storm, the light-saturated photosynthetic rates decreased by about one third.

Within the Nunivak Island Grid, a coccolithophorid bloom covered both the inshore and offshore ends of the transects, with only a small area between where the bloom was not present. There was no distinct temperature - salinity signature associated with this bloom, and it is unclear how it was maintained. Nutrients were higher in fall than they were in spring. Interestingly, on the NIE-line before the storm, nitrate was abundant both inshore and offshore, with a nitrate low between them.

In addition to the primary production experiments within the Nunivak Island Grid, we conducted three 15 N experiments, each of which was coupled with three nutrient limitation experiments. We also measured ${ }^{15} \mathrm{~N}$ uptake while at anchor near Cape Mendenhall. Nitrate showed a decline of nearly one third the starting concentration of about 3 micro molar. The stable isotope concentrations await analysis at $U$. Texas.

Primary production at Slime Bank was measured at three sites SBE-2, SBA10 and SBA-5. At each of these sites in situ measurements were made along with on-deck incubations of ${ }^{14} \mathrm{C}$. We also conducted ${ }^{15} \mathrm{~N}$ uptake and nutrient limitation experiments at the latter two stations.

On one transect in each of the two grids (the NIA-line at Nunivak and the SBC-line at Slime Bank), we collected water samples at several depths. These were filtered and frozen for later analysis using excitation-emission spectrofluorometry to examine dissolved organic matter.

Nunivak Island - Productivity Stations

|  | Offshore | Frontal Zone | Inshore |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| pre-storm | NIA-24 | NIC-01 | NIE-X12 |
|  | NID-09 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | NIA-13 | NIC-03 | NIC-X10 |
|  |  | NIA-05 | NIC-X04 |

## Slime Bank - Productivity Stations

| Offshore | Shearwater Feeding | Inshore |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SBA-10 | SBA-5 | SBE-2 |

## Zooplankton (Ken Coyle, Alexey Pinchuk):

To assess the distribution and abundance of zooplankton, in particular the distribution and abundance of the euphausiid Thysanoessa rachii, we used acoustic surveys to detect broad distribution patterns, and MOCNESS tows to establish the specific composition of the plankton responsible for the echo return. To sample smaller species and small life stages of $T$. raschii, we deployed CaIVET nets at CTD stations along the length of the C -line in each grid. To establish trophic relations between taxa, samples of representative taxa were obtained for stable isotope and HPLC analyses.

In the Nunivak Island Grid, acoustic data were collected at 43 and 120 kHz along transects NIC and NIA. Scattering intensity appeared to be similar in both frequencies, suggesting that the majority of the scattering was due to fish. The predominant fish in the MOCNESS tows was zero class pollock. However, much of the scattering was probably from targets which were not collected by the MOCNESS. Detailed analysis of acoustic data will be done in the laboratory in conjunction with results from the net tows.

In the Nunivak Island Grid, we made nine MOCNESS and 14 CaIVET tows. The CaIVET tows were done along transect NIC concurrently with CTD casts at the stations listed in Table 2. MOCNESS tows 1, 2, 3 and 8 were done inside the front, tows 4, 5 and 6 were done on the stratified side of the front, and tows 7 and 9 were done in the frontal region. Euphausiids were rare or absent on the mixed side of the front, where the community was dominated by mysids and crangonid shrimp. Euphausiids were abundant on the stratified side of the front and in the frontal region. Samples collected for isotope and HPLC analysis are listed in the Table 3.

At the Slime Bank Grid, acoustic transects were run on the SBA, SBE and SBC lines. Preliminary observations indicate the presence of large targets, probably
cod or pollock and gelatinous zooplankton. Scattering was observed from dense aggregates of juvenile euphausiids observed in the upper 10 m near an area of elevated fluorescence on the SBA line. When we stopped the ship to collect birds and retrieve the MOCNESS, it was possible to see from the deck a dense layer of juvenile euphausiids within a meter or two of the surface. Shearwaters and other seabird species crowded around the ship to feed on these organisms.

An the Slime Bank Grid, 11 CalVET and 7 MOCNESS tows were taken . Three MOCNESS tows were taken in water 40 to 50 m deep, 2 in shallow, well mixed water and 2 in deep, weakly stratified water. All euphausiids examined were juveniles. The dominant species was Thysanoessa inermis, with lesser amounts of T. raschii and T. spinifera. Young of the year Pacific cod or pollock were common. Jelly fish included Chrysaora melanaster, Aequorea sp., Aurelia aurita and Cuspedilla mertensi. The pteropods Limacina helicina and Clione limacina were also abundant. The MOCNESS tows on the unstratified side of the front contained almost exclusively jellyfish.

Marine Ornithology (George Hunt, Cheryl Baduini, David Hyrenbach, Heather
Revillee).

Bird observations were made when the ship was underway at speeds of 5 knots or greater. All birds within an arc of $90^{\circ}$ from the bow to the side with the best visibility were counted from the bridge, and were recorded on a laptop computer for later analysis. Behaviors of all birds were recorded, with particular attention being paid to whether shearwaters were feeding at the surface by hydroplaning or diving deep.

Birds were collected in each study area, both in the early morning and later in the day. Stomach contents were removed from birds within 1 hour of collection, and stored in $80 \%$ ETOH. Additionally, samples of fat were taken from each bird for identification of the fatty acids present, and brain, pectoral muscle, liver and gut were sampled for stable isotope analysis.

Shearwaters were less common at the Nunivak Island Grid than expected. Instead of the tens to hundreds of thousands expected on the basis of historical
records, numbers were in the tens to hundreds, with few observations of birds foraging (Figures 21-26). A first impression was that foraging activity was mostly confined to areas of water that were not milky green, that is, little foraging occurred in the areas where the coccolithophore bloom was densest. The largest aggregation of foraging shearwaters was found after the storm on the NIA-line near an area of enhanced near-surface fluorescence (Figure 26).

At the Slime Bank Grid, shearwaters were also not abundant (Figures 27-30), and most sightings of feeding flocks were of aggregations of a few hundred or less (Figure 28, 30). The largest aggregation was associated with an area of enhanced fluorescence on the SBA-line, where, when we stopped to conduct tows, birds crowded about the vessel and foraged on a near-surface aggregation of juvenile euphausiids that could be seen from the deck one or two meters below the surface.

We collected 22 shearwaters at the Nunivak Island grid and 33 at the Slime Bank Grid for analysis of diets, composition of fatty acids and stable isotope analysis. Cursory examination of stomach contents showed that the shearwaters, particularly early in the cruise at Nunivak Island, were using squid and fish in addition to the expected diet of euphausiids. Shearwaters foraging at the Nunivak Island Grid had obtained some adult euphausiids, but those at Slime Bank Grid were taking juvenile euphausiids. We hypothesize that in August and September 1997, Shearwaters were taking a broader and less energy dense diet than is usual for this species in the Bering Sea.

The condition of the shearwaters collected during the fall cruise suggested that they were severely underweight (Table 4). Shearwaters were significantly lighter than they were in Spring, 1997, and appeared lighter than the average values obtained in August, 1989, near the Pribilof Islands. Meals obtained from birds in Fall, 1997, were much lighter than those obtained in Spring, 1997, though similar to values obtained in August, 1989, near the Pribilofs. Care must be used in interpreting the values for the mass of stomach contents, as these will be very sensitive to the time of day that the birds were collected and whether they were collected from a long-active foraging flock. Nevertheless, the sum of our observations suggest that in Fall 1997, short-tailed shearwaters in the southeastern Bering Sea were near starvation. This impression was reinforced by the observation of numerous dead shearwaters floating in the ocean, which were
particularly conspicuous in the areas of milky-green water. Four dead birds retrieved near the Slime Bank Grid varied in mass between 640 an 410 g (mean 535 g ), with the freshest, least waterlogged specimen weighing 410 g .

We also observed an unexpected shift in the sex-ratio of shearwaters collected in Fall, 1997, compared to previous times. In both Spring, 1997 and early August, 1989, females predominated among the birds collected, whereas in Fall, 1997, males were the predominant sex (Table 4). We do not know the significance of this finding.

Table 1. Record of CTD casts made during HX200.

ctdO14 29-Aug- 628 NIB $5848.64 \quad 168 \quad 10.32$ ocean getting a lot 973
ctdO15 29-Aug- 715 NIB ..... 5843.9516821 .59975
ctd016 29-Aug- ..... 742 NIB
97 ..... 6
ctd017 29-Aug- 808 NIB $58 \quad 39.39 \quad 168 \quad 26.53$
97 ..... 07
ctd018 29-Aug- 853 NIA $\quad 5834.66 \quad 168 \quad 31.8$9709
ctd019 29-Aug- 940 NIB $\quad 58 \quad 29.89 \quad 168 \quad 36.95$9711
ctdO20 29-Aug- 1021 NIC $58 \quad 26.15 \quad 168 \quad 34.29$9712
ctd021 29-Aug 1045 NIC 5828.3216831 .759711
ctdO22 29-Aug- 1115 NIC $5829.16 \quad 168 \quad 29.16$ no salts taken9710
ctdO23 29-Aug- 1143 NIC $58 \quad 30.65 \quad 168 \quad 26.51$10
97 ..... 09
ctdO24 29-Aug- 1212 NIC9708
$5835.39 \quad 168 \quad 24.04$ seas and wind morecalm
5837.7116821 .43 spike in Fluor ~27-
$\begin{array}{rrr}\text { ctd025 } & \text { 29-Aug- } & 1249 \text { NIC } \\ 97 & 07\end{array}$ ..... 0730 m on downcast, notevident on upcast
ctdO26 29-Aug- 1320 NIC 5840.0316818 .79 no salts taken

97
06
1347 NIC $\quad 5842.41 \quad 168 \quad 16.19$
05
1418 NIC $\quad 5844.79 \quad 168 \quad 13.59$
04
1448 NIC $5847.09 \quad 168 \quad 10.99$ no salts taken 97 03 1516 NIC 5849.391688.4102

| ctd031 | 29-Aug- | 1544 |  | 58 | 51.7 | 168 | 5.755 bottles prod water |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 97 |  | 01 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd032 | 29-Aug- | 1626 | NID | 58 | 47.79 | 168 | 2.91 |
|  | 97 |  | 02 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd033 | 29-Aug- | 1655 | NID | 58 | 45.44 | 168 | 5.45 |
|  | 97 |  | 03 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd034 | 29-Aug- | 1740 | NID | 58 | 40.78 | 168 | 10.69 no salts taken |
|  | 97 |  | 05 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd035 | 29-Aug- | 1807 | NID | 58 | 38.42 | 168 | 13.3 |
|  | 97 |  | 06 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd036 | 29-Aug- | 1834 | NID | 58 | 36.06 | 168 | 15.9 |
|  | 97 |  | 07 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd037 | 29-Aug- | 1918 | NID | 58 | 31.41 | 168 | 21.156 bottles prod water; |
|  | 97 |  | 09 |  |  |  | no salts taken |
| ctd038 | 29-Aug- | 2228 | NID | 58 | 26.78 | 168 | 26.24 water is darker color, |
|  | 97 |  | 11 |  |  |  | can see green ahead |
| ctd039 | 29-Aug- | 2249 | NID | 58 | 27.34 | 168 | 26.68 green water, not so |
|  | 97 |  | 11 |  |  |  | strong front, |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | speculation is that color is due to |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | coccolithophorids |
| $\operatorname{ctd} 040$ | 29-Aug- | 2327 | NIE | 58 | 25.2 | 168 | 21.08 green again, no salts |
|  | 97 |  | 11 |  |  |  | taken |
| ctd041 | 30-Aug- | 8 | NIE | 58 | 29.79 | 168 | 15.75 light green transitional |
|  | 97 |  | 09 |  |  |  | to darker water |
| ctd042 | 30-Aug- | 50 | NIE | 58 | 34.44 | 168 | 10.58 dark water, no salts |
|  | 97 |  | 07 |  |  |  | taken |
| ctd043 | 30-Aug- | 142 | NIE | 58 | 36.82 | 168 | 7.97 |
|  | 97 |  | 06 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd044 | 30-Aug- | 513 | NIE | 58 | 39.4 | 168 | 5.19 |
|  | 97 |  | 05 |  |  |  |  |


ctdO58 9/2/97 1732 NIC $5914.99 \quad 167 \quad 39.81$ green

| ctd059 | 9/2/97 | 1826 | NIC | 59 | 10.31 | 167 | 44.98 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | X08 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd060 | 9/2/97 | 1917 | NIC | 59 | 5.68 | 167 | 50.12 |
|  |  |  | X06 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd061 | 9/2/97 | 2006 | NIC | 59 | 1.01 | 167 | 55.42 |
|  |  |  | X04 |  |  |  |  |
| ctde06 | 9/2/97 | 2055 | NIC | 58 | 56.36 | 168 | 0.59 |
| 2 |  |  | $\times 02$ |  |  |  |  |
| ctd063 | 9/2/97 | 2142 | NIC | 58 | 51.7 | 168 | 5.72 |
|  |  |  | 01 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd064 | 9/2/97 | 2214 | NIC | 58 | 49.37 | 168 | 8.34 no salts taken |
|  |  |  | 02 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd065 | 9/2/97 | 2241 | NIC | 58 | 47.05 | 168 | 10.98 |
|  |  |  | 03 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd066 | 9/2/97 | 2311 | NIC | 58 | 47.04 | 168 | 11.05 |
|  |  |  | 03 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd067 | 9/3/97 | 104 | NIC | 58 | 44.71 | 168 | 13.57 no salts taken |
|  |  |  | 04 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd068 | 9/3/97 | 130 | NIC | 58 | 42.37 | 168 | 16.15 |
|  |  |  | 05 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd069 | 9/3/97 | 204 | NIC | 58 | 40.05 | 168 |  |
|  |  |  | 06 |  |  |  | green |
| $\operatorname{ctd} 070$ | 9/3/97 | 232 | NIC | 58 | 37.76 | 168 | 21.32 dark green not murky |
|  |  |  | 07 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd071 | 9/3/97 | 306 | NIC | 58 | 35.48 | 168 | 23.87 spikes due to rolling, |
|  |  |  | 08 |  |  |  | no salts taken |
| $\operatorname{ctd} 072$ | 9/3/97 | 334 | NIC | 58 | 33.07 | 168 | 26.51 dark green |
|  |  |  | 09 |  |  |  |  |
| ctd073 | 9/3/97 | 411 | NIC | 58 | 30.75 | 168 | 29.06 murky light green, no |
|  |  |  | 10 |  |  |  | salts |
| ctd074 | 9/3/97 | 438 | NIC | 58 | 28.37 | 168 | 31.65 murky light green |
|  |  |  | 11 |  |  |  |  |


| ctd075 | $9 / 3 / 97$ | 516 NIC | 58 | 26.06 | 168 | 34.22 murky green, no salts |
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| taken |  |  |  |  |  |  |





Table 2. List of Zooplankton Net Tows and Acoustic surveys.

| Event | Date | Time (GMT) | Sta.ID | Lat (deg) | (min) <br> North | Long (deg) | (min) <br> West |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CalVet\#1/ctd 057 | 2-Sep | 753.00 | NICX12 | 59 | 24.44 | 167 | 29.44 |
| CalVet\#2/ctd 058 | 2-Sep | 932.00 | NICX10 | 59 | 14.99 | 167 | 39.81 |
| CalVet\#3/ctd 059 | 2-Sep | 1026.00 | NICX08 | 59 | 10.31 | 167 | 44.98 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CalVet\#4/ctd } \\ & 060 \end{aligned}$ | 2-Sep | 1117.00 | NICX06 | 59 | 5.68 | 167 | 50.12 |
| CalVet\#5/ctd 061 | 2-Sep | 1206.00 | NICX04 | 59 | 1.01 | 167 | 55.42 |
| CalVet\#6/ctd 062 | 2-Sep | 1255.00 | NICXO2 | 58 | 56.36 | 168 | 0.59 |
| CalVet\#7/ctd 063 | 2-Sep | 1342.00 | NICO1 | 58 | 51.7 | 168 | 5.72 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CalVet\#8/ctd } \\ & 065 \end{aligned}$ | 2-Sep | 1441.00 | NICO3 | 58 | 47.05 | 168 | 10.98 |
| CalVet\#9/ctd 068 | 3-Sep | 1730.00 | NICO5 | 58 | 42.37 | 168 | 16.15 |
| CalVet\#10/ctd 070 | 3-Sep | 1832.00 | NICO7 | 58 | 37.76 | 168 | 21.32 |
| CalVet\#11/ctd $072$ | 3-Sep | 1934.00 | NICO9 | 58 | 33.07 | 168 | 26.51 |
| CalVet\#12/ctd $074$ | 3-Sep | 2038.00 | NIC11 | 58 | 28.37 | 168 | 31.65 |
| CalVet\#13/ctd $076$ | 3-Sep | 2200.00 | NIC13 | 58 | 21.4 | 168 | 39.41 |
| CalVet\#14/ctd 103 | 9-Sep | 1822.00 | SBC12 | 55 | 35.02 | 164 | 15.46 |
| CalVet\#15/ctd 104 | 9-Sep | 1915.00 | SBC11 | 55 | 30.23 | 164 | 11.45 |


| CalVet\#16/ctd 105 | 9-Sep | 1955.00 | SBC10 | 55 | 27.77 | 164 | 9.44 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { CalVet\#17/ctd } \\ & 106 \end{aligned}$ | 9-Sep | 2030.00 | SBC9 | 55 | 25.3 | 164 | 7.34 |
| CalVet\#18/ctd 107 | 9-Sep | 2107.00 | SBC8 | 55 | 22.93 | 164 | 5.44 |
| CalVet\#19/ctd 108 | 9-Sep | 2144.00 | SBC7 | 55 | 20.45 | 164 | 3.42 |
| CalVet\#20/ctd 109 | 9-Sep | 2217.00 | SBC6 | 55 | 17.99 | 164 | 1.43 |
| CalVet\#21/ctd 110 | 9-Sep | 2251.00 | SBC5 | 55 | 15.58 | 163 | 59.41 |
| CalVet\#22/ctd 111 | 9-Sep | 2321.00 | SBC4 | 55 | 13.15 | 163 | 57.33 |
| CalVet\#23/ctd 112 | 9-Sep | 2353.00 | SBC3 | 55 | 10.69 | 163 | 55.36 |
| CalVet\#24/ctd 113 | 9-Sep | 28.00 | SBC2 | 55 | 8.25 | 163 | 53.42 |
| CalVet\#25/ctd 114 | 9-Sep | 101.00 | SBC1 | 55 | 5.75 | 163 | 51.36 |
| MOCNESS\#1 | 30-Aug | $\begin{aligned} & 0117- \\ & 0152 \end{aligned}$ | NIEX12 | 59 | 23.85 | 167 | 20.52 |
| MOCNESS\#2 | 30-Aug | $\begin{aligned} & 0405- \\ & 0439 \end{aligned}$ | NIEX12 | 59 | 27.07 | 167 | 31.22 |
| MOCNESS\#3 | 2-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0350- \\ & 0428 \end{aligned}$ | NICX06 | 59 | 4.85 | 167 | 45.77 |
| MOCNESS\#4 | 2-3 Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 2357- \\ & 0036 \end{aligned}$ | NIC13 | 58 | 21.41 | 168 | 39.22 |
| MOCNESS\#5 | 3-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0122- \\ & 0137 \end{aligned}$ | NIC13 | 58 | 21.58 | 168 | 43.68 |
| MOCNESS\#6 | 3-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 0249- \\ 0331 \end{gathered}$ | NIA12 | 58 | 28.33 | 168 | 43.7 |
| MOCNESS\#7 | 3-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 1639- \\ & 1719 \end{aligned}$ | NIA11 | 58 | 31.86 | 168 | 42.25 |
| MOCNESS\#8 | 4-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 0040- \\ 0156 \end{gathered}$ | NIA08 | 59 | 39.88 | 168 | 33.99 |


| MOCNESS\#9 | 4-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 0312 \\ 0345 \end{gathered}$ | NIA05 | 58 | 45.64 | 168 | 27.75 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MOCNESS\#10 | 8-9 Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 2353- \\ & 0031 \end{aligned}$ | SBE6 | 55 | 14.46 | 164 | 11.1 |
| MOCNESS\#11 | 9-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0259- \\ & 0332 \end{aligned}$ | SBE5 | 55 | 14.15 | 164 | 11.17 |
| MOCNESS\#12 | 9-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0510- \\ & 0535 \end{aligned}$ | SBE2 | 55 | 4.95 | 164 | 3.82 |
| MOCNESS\#13 | 9-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0709- \\ & 0728 \end{aligned}$ | SBC2 | 55 | 8.16 | 163 | 53.74 |
| MOCNESS\#14 | 10-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 0637- \\ 0708 \end{gathered}$ | SBA10 | 55 | 29.77 | 163 | 59.38 |
| MOCNESS\#15 | 10-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 1843- \\ 1916 \end{gathered}$ |  | 55 | 17.6 | 163 | 48.92 |
| MOCNESS\#16 | 11-Sep | $\begin{gathered} 0010- \\ 1246 \end{gathered}$ |  | 55 | 34.89 | 164 | 15.76 |
| MOCNESS\#17 | 11-Sep | $\begin{aligned} & 0320- \\ & 0352 \end{aligned}$ |  | 55 | 17.41 | 164 | 1.3 |

Acoustic
Transect
NIA Line 3-Sep 1237- NIA132337 X2
NIC Line $\quad 5-$ Sep $0841-\quad$ NICX12 2031 -13
SBE Line 8-Sep 1757- SBE1022031

SBA Line 10-Sep 1236- SBA1016231
foraging flock 10-Sep 2032-

SBC Line 11-Sep 1249- SBC11811 C12

Table 3. List of zooplankton taken for chemistry samples during HX200.

| No | Gear | Species | Location |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | MOCNESS 1 | Pandalus goniurnus | inside |
| 2 | MOCNESS 1 | Neomysis rayi | inside |
| 3 | MOCNESS 1 | Neomysis rayi | inside |
| 4 | MOCNESS 1 | Acanthomysis alaskensis | inside |
| 5 | MOCNESS 1 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 6 | MOCNESS 1 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 7 | MOCNESS 1 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 8 | MOCNESS 1 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 9 | MOCNESS 1 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 10 | MOCNESS 1 | Thysanoessa raschii | inside |
| 11 | MOCNESS 2 | Flatfish | inside |
| 12 | MOCNESS 2 | Thysanoessa raschii | inside |
| 13 | MOCNESS 2 | Crab megalopa (small) | inside |
| 14 | MOCNESS 2 | Crab megalopa (large) | inside |
| 15 | MOCNESS 2 | Fish juvenile | inside |
| 16 | MOCNESS 2 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 17 | MOCNESS 2 | Priapulida sp. | inside |
| 18 | MOCNESS 1 | Priapulida sp. | inside |
| 19 | MOCNESS 3 | Thysanoessa raschii | inside |
| 20 | MOCNESS 3 | Calanus marshallae | inside |
| 21 | MOCNESS 3 | Neomysis rayi | inside |
| 22 | MOCNESS 3 | Acanthomysis dybowski | inside |
| 23 | MOCNESS 3 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 24 | MOCNESS 4a | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |
| 25 | MOCNESS 4a | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |
| 26 | MOCNESS 4a | Thysanoessa raschii | outside (HPLC) |
| 27 | MOCNESS 4a | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |
| 28 | MOCNESS 4a | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |
| 29 | MOCNESS 6 | Thysanoessa inermis | outside |
| 30 | MOCNESS 6 | Thysanoessa inermis | outside |
| 31 | MOCNESS 6 | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |


| 32 | MOCNESS 6 | Parathemisto libellula | outside |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 33 | MOCNESS 6 | Calanus marshallae | outside |
| 34 | MOCNESS 8 | Crangon sp. | inside |
| 35 | MOCNESS 8 | Acanthomysis dybowski | inside |
| 36 | MOCNESS 8 | Neomysis rayii | inside (HPLC) |
| 37 | MOCNESS 9 | Thysanoessa raschii | front (HPLC) |
| 38 | MOCNESS 10 | Clione limicina | front |
| 39 | MOCNESS 10 | Pacific cod | front |
| 40 | MOCNESS 11 | Pacific cod | front |
| 41 | MOCNESS 11 | Pacific cod | front |
| 42 | MOCNESS 14 | Clione limacina | outside |
| 43 | MOCNESS 14 | Thysanoessa raschii | outside |
| 44 | MOCNESS 14 | Thysanoessa spinifera | outside |
| 45 | MOCNESS 14 | Limacina helicina | outside |
| 46 | MOCNESS 14 | Pandalas goniurus | outside |
| 47 | MOCNESS 16 | Pacific cod | outside |
| 48 | MOCNESS 16 | Branchirynchus (crab megal) | outside |
| 49 | MOCNESS 16 | Clione limacina | outside |
| 50 | MOCNESS 17 | Pacific cod | front |
| 51 | MOCNESS 17 | Pacific cod | front |
| 52 | MOCNESS 17 | Clione limacina | front |
| 53 | MOCNESS 17 | Thysanoessa inermis | front |
| 54 | MOCNESS 17 | Thysanoessa spinifera | front |

Table 4. Gross mass, mass of gut contents, net mass, and sex ratios of short-tailed shearwaters collected in the southeastern Bering Sea.

| Date | sample <br> size | mean <br> gross <br> mass g | mean mass <br> of gut <br> contents g | mean net <br> mass g | $\%$ birds <br> $<500 \mathrm{~g}$ <br> net mass | M/F <br> ratio |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| June <br> 1997 | 39 | 656 | 57.5 | 598 | 00 | $10 / 25$ |
| Sept. <br> 1997 | 55 | 535 | 18.9 | 517 | 42 | $36 / 17$ |
| Aug. <br> 1989 | 26 | 572 | 14.4 | 559 | $? ?$ | $7 / 17$ |

## APPENDIX A

Nunivak Island Grid Positions

| name | Lat. | Long. | Lat. |  | Long. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A-Line |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NIA-24 | 57.5546 | 169.7850 | 57 | 33.28 | 169 | 47.10 |
| NIA-23 | 57.6324 | 169.6988 | 57 | 37.95 | 169 | 41.93 |
| NIA-22 | 57.7102 | 169.6126 | 57 | 42.61 | 169 | 36.76 |
| NIA-21 | 57.7880 | 169.5264 | 57 | 47.28 | 169 | 31.59 |
| NIA-20 | 57.8658 | 169.4402 | 57 | 51.95 | 169 | 26.41 |
| NIA-19 | 57.9436 | 169.3541 | 57 | 56.62 | 169 | 21.24 |
| NIA-18 | 58.0214 | 169.2679 | 58 | 01.29 | 169 | 16.07 |
| NIA-17 | 58.0992 | 169.1817 | 58 | 05.95 | 169 | 10.90 |
| NIA-16 | 58.1770 | 169.0955 | 58 | 10.62 | 169 | 05.73 |
| NIA-15 | 58.2548 | 169.0093 | 58 | 15.29 | 169 | 00.56 |
| NIA-14 | 58.3326 | 168.9232 | 58 | 19.96 | 168 | 55.39 |
| NIA-13 | 58.4104 | 168.8370 | 58 | 24.62 | 168 | 50.22 |
| NIA-12 | 58.4882 | 168.7508 | 58 | 29.292 | 168 | 45.049 |
| NIA-11 | 58.5271 | 168.7077 | 58 | 31.626 | 168 | 42.460 |
| NIA-10 | 58.5660 | 168.6645 | 58 | 33.960 | 168 | 39.871 |
| NIA-09 | 58.6049 | 168.6214 | 58 | 36.294 | 168 | 37.283 |
| NIA-08 | 58.6438 | 168.5782 | 58 | 38.628 | 168 | 34.695 |
| NIA-07 | 58.6827 | 168.5351 | 58 | 40.962 | 168 | 32.106 |
| NIA-06 | 58.7216 | 168.4919 | 58 | 43.296 | 168 | 29.514 |
| NIA-05 | 58.7605 | 168.4488 | 58 | 45.630 | 168 | 26.928 |
| NIA-04 | 58.7994 | 168.4057 | 58 | 47.964 | 168 | 24.340 |
| NIA-03 | 58.8383 | 168.3625 | 58 | 50.298 | 168 | 21.751 |
| NIA-02 | 58.8772 | 168.3194 | 58 | 52.632 | 168 | 19.162 |
| NIA-01 | 58.9161 | 168.2762 | 58 | 54.966 | 168 | 16.574 |
| NIA-X2 | 58.9939 | 168.1900 | 58 | 59.63 | 168 | 11.40 |
| NIA-X4 | 59.0717 | 168.1038 | 59 | 04.30 | 168 | 06.23 |
| NIA-X6 | 59.1495 | 168.0177 | 59 | 08.97 | 168 | 01.06 |
| NIA-X8 | 59.2273 | 167.9315 | 59 | 13.64 | 167 | 55.89 |


| NIA-X10 | 59.3051 | 167.8453 | 59 | 18.31 | 167 | 50.72 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NIA-X11 | 59.3829 | 167.7591 | 59 | 22.97 | 167 | 45.55 |
| NIA-X12 | 59.4607 | 167.6729 | 59 | 27.64 | 167 | 40.38 |
| NIA-X13 | 59.5385 | 167.5867 | 59 | 32.31 | 167 | 35.20 |
| NIA-X14 | 59.6163 | 167.5006 | 59 | 36.98 | 167 | 30.03 |
| NIA-X15 | 59.6941 | 167.4144 | 59 | 41.64 | 167 | 24.86 |
| NIA-X16 | 59.7719 | 167.3282 | 59 | 46.31 | 167 | 19.69 |
| NIA-X17 | 59.8497 | 167.2420 | 59 | 50.98 | 167 | 14.52 |


| B-Line <br> NIB-12 | 58.4613 | 168.6612 | 58 | 27.678 | 168 | 39.670 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NIB-11 | 58.5002 | 168.6180 | 58 | 30.012 | 168 | 37.081 |
| NIB-10 | 58.5391 | 168.5749 | 58 | 32.346 | 168 | 34.492 |
| NIB-09 | 58.5780 | 168.5317 | 58 | 34.680 | 168 | 31.902 |
| NIB-08 | 58.6169 | 168.4886 | 58 | 37.014 | 168 | 29.313 |
| NIB-07 | 58.6558 | 168.4454 | 58 | 39.348 | 168 | 26.724 |
| NIB-06 | 58.6947 | 168.4022 | 58 | 41.682 | 168 | 24.132 |
| NIB-05 | 58.7336 | 168.3591 | 58 | 44.016 | 168 | 21.546 |
| NIB-04 | 58.7725 | 168.3159 | 58 | 46.350 | 168 | 18.957 |
| NIB-03 | 58.8114 | 168.2728 | 58 | 48.684 | 168 | 16.368 |
| NIB-02 | 58.8503 | 168.2296 | 58 | 51.018 | 168 | 13.779 |
| NIB-01 | 58.8892 | 168.1865 | 58 | 53.352 | 168 | 11.190 |

## C-Line

| NIC-24 | 57.5010 | 169.6082 | 57 | 30.06 | 169 | 36.49 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NIC-23 | 57.5788 | 169.5219 | 57 | 34.73 | 169 | 31.31 |
| NIC-22 | 57.6566 | 169.4355 | 57 | 39.40 | 169 | 26.13 |
| NIC-21 | 57.7344 | 169.3491 | 57 | 44.07 | 169 | 20.94 |
| NIC-20 | 57.8122 | 169.2627 | 57 | 48.73 | 169 | 15.76 |
| NIC-19 | 57.8900 | 169.1763 | 57 | 53.40 | 169 | 10.58 |
| NIC-18 | 57.9678 | 169.0899 | 57 | 58.07 | 169 | 05.39 |
| NIC-17 | 58.0456 | 169.0035 | 58 | 02.74 | 169 | 00.21 |
| NIC-16 | 58.1234 | 168.9171 | 58 | 07.40 | 168 | 55.03 |
| NIC-15 | 58.2012 | 168.8307 | 58 | 12.07 | 168 | 49.84 |


| NIC-14 | 58.2790 | 168.7443 | 58 | 16.74 | 168 | 44.66 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NIC-13 | 58.3568 | 168.6579 | 58 | 21.41 | 168 | 39.47 |
| NIC-12 | 58.4346 | 168.5715 | 58 | 26.079 | 168 | 34.287 |
| NIC-11 | 58.4735 | 168.5283 | 58 | 28.410 | 168 | 31.698 |
| NIC-10 | 58.5123 | 168.4852 | 58 | 30.741 | 168 | 29.109 |
| NIC-09 | 58.5512 | 168.4420 | 58 | 33.072 | 168 | 26.520 |
| NIC-08 | 58.5900 | 168.3988 | 58 | 35.403 | 168 | 23.931 |
| NIC-07 | 58.6289 | 168.3557 | 58 | 37.734 | 168 | 21.342 |
| NIC-06 | 58.6678 | 168.3125 | 58 | 40.068 | 168 | 18.750 |
| NIC-05 | 58.7066 | 168.2694 | 58 | 42.396 | 168 | 16.164 |
| NIC-04 | 58.7455 | 168.2262 | 58 | 44.727 | 168 | 13.575 |
| NIC-03 | 58.7843 | 168.1831 | 58 | 47.058 | 168 | 10.985 |
| NIC-02 | 58.8232 | 168.1399 | 58 | 49.389 | 168 | 08.396 |
| NIC-01 | 58.8620 | 168.0968 | 58 | 51.720 | 168 | 05.807 |
| NIC-X2 | 58.9398 | 168.0104 | 58 | 56.39 | 168 | 00.62 |
| NIC-X4 | 59.0176 | 167.9240 | 59 | 01.06 | 167 | 55.44 |
| NIC-X6 | 59.0954 | 167.8376 | 59 | 05.72 | 167 | 50.26 |
| NIC-X8 | 59.1732 | 167.7512 | 59 | 10.39 | 167 | 45.07 |
| NIC-X10 | 59.2510 | 167.6648 | 59 | 15.06 | 167 | 39.89 |
| NIC-X11 | 59.3288 | 167.5784 | 59 | 19.73 | 167 | 34.71 |
| NIC-X12 | 59.4066 | 167.4920 | 59 | 24.39 | 167 | 29.52 |
| NIC-X13 | 59.4844 | 167.4056 | 59 | 29.06 | 167 | 24.34 |
| NIC-X14 | 59.5622 | 167.3192 | 59 | 33.73 | 167 | 19.15 |
| NIC-X15 | 59.6400 | 167.2328 | 59 | 38.40 | 167 | 13.97 |
| NIC-X16 | 59.7178 | 167.1465 | 59 | 43.07 | 167 | 08.79 |
| NIC-X17 | 59.7956 | 167.0601 | 59 | 47.73 | 167 | 03.60 |


| D-Line |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NID-12 | 58.4078 | 168.4818 | 58 | 24.465 | 168 | 28.906 |
| NID-11 | 58.4466 | 168.4386 | 58 | 26.796 | 168 | 26.317 |
| NID-10 | 58.4855 | 168.3955 | 58 | 29.127 | 168 | 23.728 |
| NID-09 | 58.5243 | 168.3523 | 58 | 31.458 | 168 | 21.139 |
| NID-08 | 58.5632 | 168.3092 | 58 | 33.789 | 168 | 18.549 |
| NID-07 | 58.6020 | 168.2660 | 58 | 36.120 | 168 | 15.960 |
| NID-06 | 58.6408 | 168.2228 | 58 | 38.448 | 168 | 13.368 |


| NID-05 | 58.6797 | 168.1797 | 58 | 40.782 | 168 | 10.782 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NID-04 | 58.7185 | 168.1366 | 58 | 43.113 | 168 | 08.193 |
| NID-03 | 58.7574 | 168.0934 | 58 | 45.444 | 168 | 05.604 |
| NID-02 | 58.7962 | 168.0502 | 58 | 47.775 | 168 | 03.015 |
| NID-01 | 58.8351 | 168.0071 | 58 | 50.106 | 168 | 00.426 |

## E-line

| NIE-24 | 57.4469 | 169.4288 | 57 | 26.82 | 169 | 25.73 |
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| NIE-23 | 57.5247 | 169.3425 | 57 | 31.48 | 169 | 20.55 |
| NIE-22 | 57.6025 | 169.2561 | 57 | 36.15 | 169 | 15.36 |
| NIE-21 | 57.6803 | 169.1697 | 57 | 40.82 | 169 | 10.18 |
| NIE-20 | 57.7581 | 169.0833 | 57 | 45.49 | 169 | 05.00 |
| NIE-19 | 57.8359 | 168.9969 | 57 | 50.16 | 168 | 59.81 |
| NIE-18 | 57.9137 | 168.9105 | 57 | 54.82 | 168 | 54.63 |
| NIE-17 | 57.9915 | 168.8241 | 57 | 59.49 | 168 | 49.44 |
| NIE-16 | 58.0693 | 168.7377 | 58 | 04.16 | 168 | 44.26 |
| NIE-15 | 58.1471 | 168.6513 | 58 | 08.83 | 168 | 39.08 |
| NIE-14 | 58.2249 | 168.5649 | 58 | 13.49 | 168 | 33.89 |
| NIE-13 | 58.3027 | 168.4785 | 58 | 18.16 | 168 | 28.71 |
| NIE-12 | 58.3805 | 168.3921 | 58 | 22.830 | 168 | 23.524 |
| NIE-11 | 58.4194 | 168.3489 | 58 | 25.164 | 168 | 20.934 |
| NIE-10 | 58.4583 | 168.3058 | 58 | 27.498 | 168 | 18.345 |
| NIE-09 | 58.4972 | 168.2626 | 58 | 29.832 | 168 | 15.756 |
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| NIE-06 | 58.6139 | 168.1331 | 58 | 36.834 | 168 | 07.986 |
| NIE-05 | 58.6528 | 168.0900 | 58 | 39.168 | 168 | 05.400 |
| NIE-04 | 58.6917 | 168.0468 | 58 | 41.502 | 168 | 02.811 |
| NIE-03 | 58.7306 | 168.0037 | 58 | 43.836 | 168 | 00.222 |
| NIE-02 | 58.7695 | 167.9605 | 58 | 46.170 | 167 | 57.632 |
| NIE-01 | 58.8084 | 167.9174 | 58 | 48.504 | 167 | 55.043 |
| NIE-X2 | 58.8862 | 167.8310 | 58 | 53.17 | 167 | 49.86 |
| NIE-X4 | 58.9640 | 167.7446 | 58 | 57.84 | 167 | 44.68 |
| NIE-X6 | 59.0418 | 167.6582 | 59 | 02.51 | 167 | 39.49 |
| NIE-X8 | 59.1196 | 167.5718 | 59 | 07.18 | 167 | 34.31 |


| NIE-X10 | 59.1974 | 167.4854 | 59 | 11.84 | 167 | 29.13 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| NIE-X11 | 59.2752 | 167.3990 | 59 | 16.51 | 167 | 23.94 |
| NIE-X12 | 59.3530 | 167.3126 | 59 | 21.18 | 167 | 18.76 |
| NIE-X13 | 59.4308 | 167.2262 | 59 | 25.85 | 167 | 13.57 |
| NIE-X14 | 59.5086 | 167.1398 | 59 | 30.51 | 167 | 08.39 |
| NIE-X15 | 59.5864 | 167.0535 | 59 | 35.18 | 167 | 03.21 |
| NIE-X16 | 59.6642 | 166.9671 | 59 | 39.85 | 166 | 58.02 |
| NIE-X17 | 59.7420 | 166.8807 | 59 | 44.52 | 166 | 52.84 |

## Slime Bank Station Positions

Station Lat Long Lat Long Comment
Name

| SBC-0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SBC-1 | 55.0965 | 163.8570 | 55 | 5.79 | 163 | 51.42 |
| SBC-2 | 55.1371 | 163.8903 | 55 | 8.23 | 163 | 53.42 |
| SBC-3 | 55.1777 | 163.9236 | 55 | 10.66 | 163 | 55.42 |
| SBC-4 | 55.2184 | 163.9568 | 55 | 13.10 | 163 | 57.41 |
| SBC-5 | 55.2591 | 163.9901 | 55 | 15.55 | 163 | 59.41 |
| SBC-6 | 55.2998 | 164.0234 | 55 | 17.99 | 164 | 01.40 |
| SBC-7 | 55.3405 | 164.0567 | 55 | 20.43 | 164 | 03.40 |
| SBC-8 | 55.3811 | 164.0900 | 55 | 22.87 | 164 | 05.40 |
| SBC-9 | 55.4218 | 164.1233 | 55 | 25.31 | 164 | 07.40 |
| SBC-10 | 55.4625 | 164.1566 | 55 | 27.75 | 164 | 09.40 |
| SBC-11 | 55.5032 | 164.1899 | 55 | 30.19 | 164 | 11.39 |
| SBC-12 | 55.5844 | 164.2565 | 55 | 35.06 | 164 | 15.39 |
| SBC-13 | 55.6656 | 164.3231 | 55 | 39.94 | 164 | 19.38 |
| SBC-14 | 55.7468 | 164.3897 | 55 | 44.81 | 164 | 23.38 |
| SBC-15 | 55.8280 | 164.4563 | 55 | 49.68 | 164 | 27.38 |
| SBC-16 | 55.9092 | 164.5228 | 55 | 54.55 | 164 | 31.37 |
| SBC-17 | 55.9904 | 164.5894 | 55 | 59.42 | 164 | 35.37 |
| SBC-18 | 56.0716 | 164.6560 | 56 | 04.30 | 164 | 39.36 |
| SBC-19 | 56.1528 | 164.7226 | 56 | 09.17 | 164 | 43.36 |


| SBE-10 | 55.4170 | 164.3279 | 55 | 25.02 | 164 | 19.67 |
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| SBE-8 | 55.3356 | 164.2613 | 55 | 20.14 | 164 | 15.68 |
| SBE-6 | 55.2543 | 164.1947 | 55 | 15.26 | 164 | 11.68 |
| SBE-5 | 55.2136 | 164.1615 | 55 | 12.81 | 164 | 09.69 |
| SBE-4 | 55.1729 | 164.1282 | 55 | 10.37 | 164 | 07.69 |
| SBE-2 | 55.0915 | 164.0616 | 55 | 05.49 | 164 | 03.70 |
| SBE-1 | 55.0508 | 164.0283 | 55 | 03.05 | 164 | 01.70 |


| SBD-1 | 55.0736 | 163.9426 | 55 | 04.42 | 163 | 56.56 |
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| SBD-2 | 55.1143 | 163.9759 | 55 | 06.86 | 163 | 58.56 |
| SBD-4 | 55.1957 | 164.0425 | 55 | 11.74 | 164 | 02.55 |
| SBD-5 | 55.2363 | 164.0758 | 55 | 14.18 | 164 | 04.55 |
| SBD-6 | 55.2770 | 164.1091 | 55 | 16.62 | 164 | 06.55 |
| SBD-7 |  |  | 55 | 19.06 | 164 | 08.54 |
| SBD-8 | 55.3584 | 164.1757 | 55 | 21.50 | 164 | 10.54 |
| SBD-10 | 55.4397 | 164.2422 | 55 | 26.38 | 164 | 14.53 |
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| SBB-10 | 55.4853 | 164.0709 | 55 | 29.12 | 164 | 04.26 |
| SBB-8 | 55.4039 | 164.0043 | 55 | 24.23 | 164 | 00.26 |
| SBB-7 |  |  | $55 . .21 .92$ | 163 | 58.38 |  |
| SBB-6 | 55.3225 | 163.9378 | 55 | 19.35 | 163 | 56.27 |
| SBB-5 | 55.2819 | 163.9045 | 55 | 16.91 | 163 | 54.27 |
| SBB-4 | 55.2412 | 163.8712 | 55 | 14.47 | 163 | 52.27 |
| SBB-3 |  |  | 55 | 12.03 | 163 | 50.28 |
| SBB-2 | 55.1598 | 163.8046 | 55 | 09.59 | 163 | 48.28 |
| SBB-1 | 55.1191 | 163.7713 | 55 | 07.15 | 163 | 46.28 |
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| SBA-0 |  |  | 55 | 06.13 | 163 | 39.10 |
| SBA-1 | 55.1419 | 163.6856 | 55 | 08.51 | 163 | 41.14 |
| SBA-2 | 55.1826 | 163.7189 | 55 | 10.96 | 163 | 43.14 |
| SBA-4 | 55.2640 | 163.7855 | 55 | 15.84 | 163 | 47.13 |
| SBA-5 | 55.3046 | 163.8188 | 55 | 18.28 | 163 | 49.13 |
| SBA-6 | 55.3453 | 163.8521 | 55 | 20.72 | 163 | 51.13 |
| SBA-8 | 55.4267 | 163.9187 | 55 | 25.60 | 163 | 55.12 |
| SBA-10 | 55.5080 | 163.9853 | 55 | 30.48 | 163 | 59.12 |

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Stations 1 to 13 A-line Nunivak Is.

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Figure 7
Stations 7 to 12 A-line Nunivak Is.,28-29 August 1997

Stations 91 to 85 A-line Nunivak Is.,4-September 1997


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E Line, Stations 40 to 53, 29-30 AUGUST-1997

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Short-tailed shearwaters, all behaviors, Nunivak Island, 28 Aug 1997, Stations A24-A3


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t

Figure 21


Short-tailed shearwaters, feeding and on the water, Nunivak Island, 28 Aug 1997, Stations A24-A3


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


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Short-tailed shearwaters, all behaviors, Nunivak Island, 02 Sept 1997, Stations C13-CX12


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Figure 23

Short-tailed shearwaters, feeding and on the water, Nunivak Island, 02 Sept 1997, Stations C13-CX12


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Fia re 24 Distance (km)

Short-tailed shearwaters, all behaviors, Nuñivak Island, 04 Sept 1997, Stations A9-AX4


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Ficure 76

Short-tailed shearwaters, feeding and on the water, Nunivak Island, 04 Sept 1997, Stations A9-AX4


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Fic,ire $7(, \quad$ Distance (km)

Short-tailed shearwaters, all behaviors, Slime Bank, 10 Sep 1997, Stations A10-A2


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Short-tailed shearwaters, feeding and sitting on water, Slime Bank, 10 Sep 1997, Stations A10-A2


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Fiaure $28 \quad$ Distance (km)

Short-tailed shearwaters, all behaviors, Slime Bank, 09 Sep 1997, Stations E10-E1


Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


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Fluorescence (volts)


Sigma-t


Figure 30

