

Appendices

Assessment of Environmental Contaminants Associated with the National Defense Reserve Fleet In Suisun Bay, California

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Appendix 10.1

MARAD Report 2007 Executive Summary

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National Defense Reserve Fleet (NDRF), Suisun Bay, CA VESSEL
ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

ES.1 PROJECT OBJECTIVES

Under a contract with the United States Maritime Administration (MARAD), R&M Environmental and Infrastructure Engineering, Inc. (R&M) sampled and analyzed paint chips from 40 vessels of the Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet (SBRF) anchored in Suisun Bay, California. In addition, R&M collected and analyzed sediment samples from locations near the vessels. This sampling program has had the following objectives:

- Document the condition of paints on vessel surfaces.
- Determine the nature and concentrations of hazardous metals in the paint chip.
- Estimate quantities of hazardous paint constituents that (a) may have been lost to the environment to date and (b) still remain and are likely to be released to the environment in the future.
- Characterize the bottom sediments from within and outside the general area where the vessels have been anchored and compare the quality of these sediments with those reported for sediments in other locations in San Francisco Bay.
- Provide a preliminary assessment of the environmental significance of the collected data.

ES.2 PAINT CHIP SAMPLING, SAMPLE ANALYSIS, AND DATA EVALUATION

ES.2.1 Paint Chip Sampling and Field Observations

Paint chip sampling and field observations were performed on August 22-24, 2006. The 40 vessels from which paint chip samples were collected had been chosen at random by MARAD from among the vessels anchored in 7 groups, designated as Rows “E” through “L,” at Suisun Bay. For each vessel, three composite samples were obtained representing deck, inboard, and outboard surfaces. A total of 130 composite paint chip samples (including duplicates) were collected. Paint chip samples were obtained from exfoliated/loose paint or directly from the surface using a small scraper. The approximate surface area represented by each sample and the degree of paint exfoliation on the surfaces were estimated during sampling. These estimates were subsequently used, along with the estimates of ships’ surface areas provided by MARAD,

to develop quantitative estimates of paint constituents lost from and remaining on vessel surfaces.

For the 40 vessels sampled, estimates of the percentages of surface with exfoliated/lost paint averaged 16% for inboard vertical surfaces, 17% for outboard vertical surfaces, and 58% for deck surfaces. There were differences in the type and physical characteristics of the paint, such as color, number of and thickness of overlapping layers, suggesting variation in the type and age of each coating layer.

ES.2.2 Analytical Results for Paint Chip Samples

All paint chip samples were analyzed for the 17 metals (CAM-17) that are classified as toxic substances by virtue of being environmentally persistent and bioaccumulative. Depending on the concentrations of these metals in a waste or substance, such material could be classified as hazardous waste for disposal purposes. Ten of the samples were also analyzed for hexavalent chromium, which is the more toxic form of chromium, for total tin, and for lead and arsenic bioaccessibility via physiologically-based extraction tests (PBET).

CAM-17 analytical results indicated high concentrations of many toxic substances in the paint chip samples, with values as high as 33% for copper, 23% for zinc, 6.6% for lead, and 1.2% for total chromium. Based on regulatory standards, the sampled paints would be classified as hazardous waste with respect to:

- Zinc (110 samples from all 40 vessels).
- Lead (at least 83 samples from 33 vessels).
- Copper (at least 29 samples from 27 vessels).
- Chromium (at least 33 samples from 22 vessels).
- Mercury (at least 2 samples from 2 vessels).
- Cadmium (at least 2 samples from 2 vessels).
- Barium (at least 1 sample from 1 vessel)

The number of samples exceeding hazardous waste criteria may be higher, depending on results from additional tests, which were not conducted in this project.

Hexavalent chromium concentrations ranged from 430 mg/kg to 8,500 mg/kg and accounted for 7% to 71% of the total chromium in the samples examined. Total tin, possibly originating from the use of organotin compounds as biocides in antifouling marine paint formulations, was not detected in 4 of the 10 samples and was at fairly low levels (8.6 to 100 mg/kg) in the remaining 6 samples. PBET results indicated percent bioaccessibility values ranging from less than 0.2% to 82.3% for arsenic and from 7.6% to 31.7% for lead.

ES.2.3 Estimated Quantities of Metals Lost/Remaining

The estimated quantities of CAM-17 metals in paints lost from and remaining on surfaces varied widely among the 40 vessels sampled, with the following highest quantities for chromium, copper, lead, and zinc:

Metals	Ranges of Estimated Quantities, kg/vessel		Estimated Total Quantities, all 40 Vessels, kg	
	Lost	Remaining	Lost	Remaining
Chromium	0.00-60	0.06-133	596	905
Copper	0.01-766	0.43-6,773	2,864	26,045
Lead	0.00-7,86	0.10-700	4,045	4,589
Zinc	1.36-1,679	31-2,972	10,766	25,640

The following data limitations should be considered in evaluating the significance of and any use of the above estimates:

- Not all the missing paints have necessarily been lost at the present locations of the vessels in Suisun Bay.
- Remaining (weathered) paint may be different in composition and not as easily exfoliated as that which has already been lost.
- Visually estimating surface areas represented by a paint chip sample and the fractions of the deck, inboard, and outboard surfaces from which paint has been completely exfoliated is a highly subjective process and would most likely vary with the individual observer.

- Estimates of deck, inboard, and outboard surface area may not be very accurate.
- Paint samples obtained from a few square inches may not be representative of the large surface areas to which the data is extrapolated, particularly in the light of variations noted in the apparent physical characteristics of the paint on such surfaces.
- The 40 Vessels sampled in this project had been selected at random and may not be representative of NDRF vessels at Suisun Bay.

ES.3 SEDIMENT SAMPLING, SAMPLE ANALYSIS, AND DATA EVALUATION

ES.3.1 Sediment Sampling and Field Observations

Sediment sampling, performed on September 12 and 13, 2006, consisted of collecting samples of surface sediments (maximum depth of approximately 5 cm) sediments from 24 locations.

Twenty two of the locations were in and around the vessels and two locations were approximately 1,000 yards north and south of the vessels. Visual inspection of the sediment samples as they were brought to the surface indicated variation in sediment sample thickness, appearance, grain size, and support base.

ES.3.2 Analytical Results for Sediment Samples

All sediment samples were analyzed for CAM-17 metals, percent solids, and trace mercury. In addition, the porewater removed from six of the samples were tested for acid-volatile sulfide (AVS), simultaneously extracted metals (SEM), ammonia, and hexavalent chromium. Results indicated that the same metals that were found in high concentrations in the paint chip samples were also present in high concentrations in the sediment samples. The metals with average concentrations (dry-weight basis) above 5 mg/kg were zinc (78 mg/kg), nickel (77 mg/kg), chromium (73 mg/kg), vanadium (73 mg/kg) barium (58 mg/kg), copper (34 mg/kg), cobalt (18 mg/kg), lead (13 mg/kg), and arsenic (7.7 mg/kg). Samples collected approximately 1,000 yards north and 1,000 yard south of the vessels showed metal concentrations that fell within the observed ranges of concentration for the 22 other sediment samples collected in the immediate vicinity of the vessels.

The SEM/AVS molar ratio in sediment porewater is believed to provide an indication of bioavailability and toxicity of certain metals in the porewater. A ratio of one or lower suggests

unavailability of metals for biological uptake. For the six samples tested, this ratio ranged from 11 to 38, which are significantly higher than values commonly observed for contaminated sediments. No explanation can be offered for this apparent anomaly, which needs to be further investigated.

Measured ammonia nitrogen and dissolved chromium concentrations in sediment porewater ranged from 1.1 to 4 mg/L and 0.006 to 0.0195, respectively. These ammonia concentrations are generally within the range of observed concentrations in San Francisco Bay. The chromium concentrations were below the 0.05 mg/L 4-day average water quality criteria (WQC) for dissolved chromium in saltwater.

ES.3.3 Sediment Quality Assessment

The National Oceanic and Space Administration (NOAA), has developed numerical sediment quality guidelines (SQG) for interpreting and assessing sediment data. When a substance is present in the sediment at a concentration below the level established by NOAA's SQG as "Effects Range-Low (ERL)", adverse effects are not be anticipated; however, concentrations exceeding what is established as "Effects Range-Median (ERM)" can be indicative of adverse effects.

Comparison of the metal concentrations in the 24 collected sediment samples with the NOAA's ERL and ERM guidelines indicated that, except for nickel, for which all sediment samples concentrations exceeded the ERM value of 51.6 ppm, all metal concentrations were below their respective ERM values, and with only a few exceptions, are also below the ERL levels. In the few cases where ERLs were exceeded, the actual concentrations are much closer to ERLs than to ERMs.

ES.3.4 Comparison of Results with those for Sediment Samples from Other Bay Locations

The fact that sediment samples collected from the bottom of Suisun Bay at locations in and around the SBRF vessels contain the same metals that are found in the paint chip samples from vessel surfaces cannot be interpreted to implicate the paint as the only source or even a partial contributor to the observed sediment contamination. Sediment contamination may result from a

variety of sources, including industrial and municipal wastewater discharges, non-point source surface runoff, and atmospheric deposition. The possible contributions from these other sources to the observed contamination of surface sediment in and around SBRF vessels was evaluated in this project in an indirect manner by comparing the metal concentrations in the 24 collected sediment samples with the measured ambient concentration for select sites immediately upstream (Honker Bay and Grizzly Bay) and downstream (San Pablo Bay) of the SBRF in Suisun Bay. This comparison indicated that, with minor exceptions, all metal concentrations were below the range of measured ambient metals concentrations in San Francisco Bay.

ES.4 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Analysis of paint chip samples collected from exposed outside surfaces of 40 SBRF vessels indicate presence of high concentrations of toxic metals in the exfoliating/exfoliated paint. Although the metal concentrations in the surface sediment samples collected within the area where the SBRF vessels are anchored are generally below ERL and/or the range of measured ambient metals concentrations observed in San Francisco Bay, this does not exclude the potential for ecological risk to be present at the site. While the data suggest that the sediment metals concentrations observed at the SBRF site are consistent with the upper reaches of San Francisco Bay, as opposed to being indicative of localized site-specific inputs, the data cannot be interpreted to imply that releases of toxic metals from these vessels have not occurred in the past and/or are not currently taking place. Once released to the aquatic environment, such releases are subject to dispersion and translocation via tidal action and ecosystem processes.

Significant exfoliation of paints has occurred and will continue to occur due to weathering. Exfoliated paint is subject to environmental dispersion with potential impact on ecosystem and site maintenance personnel, visitors, and salvage crews. Corrective actions to arrest further exfoliation and loss of exfoliated paint to the environment are highly warranted and are recommended.

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Bathymetric Change Analysis (USGS and NOAA)

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1. Bathymetric Change Analysis (USGS 1942-1990)

This section summarizes the bathymetric change analysis for the Reserve Fleet sampling area (2216 acres) based on USGS 1942-1990 bathymetric change grid.

NOAA performed analysis using the USGS bathymetric change data to estimate the net sedimentation rate at the planned sediment sampling stations (Map 1 shows sampled stations in the Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet). The average depth of accretion at planned subsurface sediment stations within the Reserve Fleet, which includes 11 stations in areas of accretion and three stations in areas of erosion, is 154 cm (approx. 5 feet) and the average rate of accretion is 3.2 cm/year. Table 1 summarizes depth change with percent area. NOAA's subsurface sampling plan was designed in part using this bathymetric change analysis to collect subsurface sediments in areas that are likely to have been depositional over the time period that the Reserve Fleet has been moored in Suisun Bay. The average depth of accretion at all stations (surface and subsurface sediment) within the Reserve Fleet sampling area is 52 cm (1.7 feet) and the average rate of deposition for these stations is 1.1 cm/year (see Table 3). The average depth of net accumulated sediment over the entire Reserve Fleet sampling area (2216 acres) as defined by NOAA for this study is 84.4 cm and the average rate of deposition is 1.75 cm/year for the time period 1942-1990. The Reserve Fleet sampling area experiences dynamic sediment transport and this average rate of deposition does not necessarily indicate the age of sediment at a location.

Table 1. Percent are change by accretion (+) and erosion (-) intervals for the Reserve Fleet Sampling Area from 1942-1990 (USGS data).

Depth Change (m)	Area (m ²)	Percent Area
-10-5	16875	0.2%
-5-3	291875	3.3%
-3-2	995625	11.1%
-2-1	1273125	14.2%
-1- -0.10	1315000	14.7%
No Change	207500	2.3%
0.10 – 1.0	748750	8.3%
1.0-2.0	1280000	14.3%
2.0-3.0	936875	10.4%
3.0-4.0	523750	5.8%
4.0-5.0	570625	6.4%
5.0-6.0	671250	7.5%
6.0-7.0	125000	1.4%
7.0-8.0	5000	0.1%
8.0-9.0	3750	0.0%
9.0-10.0	1250	0.0%
10.0-12.0	2500	0.0%

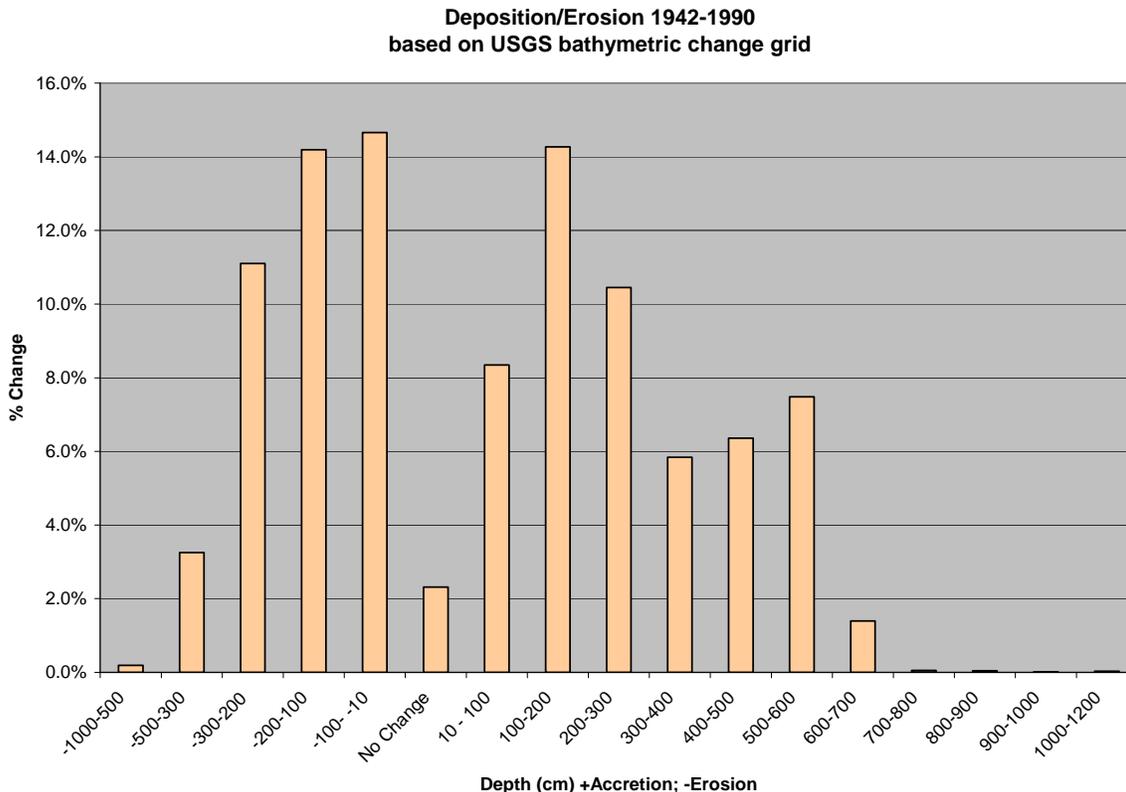


Figure 1. Percent change by accretion (+) and erosion (-) intervals for the Reserve Fleet Sampling Area from 1942-1990.

2. Bathymetric Change Analysis (USGS 2002/NOAA 2007)

To better understand recent erosion and deposition in the Reserve Fleet area, NOAA performed a bathymetric change analysis of multi-beam bathymetric data collected by NOAA’s Office of Coast Survey (OCS) in 2007 for the MARAD fleet and USGS 2002 bathymetric data. The NOAA OCS data are provisional and may contain some minor positional errors; however these are the most recent bathymetric data for the Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet area and provide insight into the hydrodynamics of the area. The 2007 bathymetric survey extent of 1295 acres covers the majority of the charted anchorage (Map 2) with less coverage in the Northwest corner of the anchorage beyond where ships have been anchored and where there is shoaling.

The average depth of erosion at the 32 surface and subsurface sediment stations that are within the most recent bathymetric change analysis for the Reserve Fleet is 55.43 cm (approx. 1.8 feet). This is an average rate of erosion of 11.1 cm/year (Map 2 shows sampled stations in the Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet). The average depth of erosion at only the 12 subsurface (core) stations within the Reserve Fleet and the extent of the 2007 bathymetric survey is 46.6 cm (approx. 1.5 feet), with an average rate of erosion of 9.3 cm/year. Table 2 shows the depth change with percent area for the entire Reserve Fleet area with bathymetric change data; Table 3 shows all sediment sampling stations with bathymetric change based on the analyses. Two subsurface stations (RF09 and RF21) were in areas of accretion over the 5 year time period, with 177.4 cm (5.8 feet) and 137.5 cm (4.5 feet) respectively. Three additional surface sediment stations (RF03, RF19T, and RF31) were in areas of accretion with 135.4 cm (4.4 feet), 42.4 cm (1.4 feet), and 25.1 cm (0.8) respectively. Hard metal debris but no paint was noted at station RF31.

Table 2. Percent change by accretion (+) and erosion (-) intervals for the Reserve Fleet Sampling Area from approximately 2002 – 2007 (USGS/NOAA data).

Depth Change (m)	Area (m²)	Percent Area
-10- -5	1,200.00	0.02%
-5 - -3	19,100.00	0.36%
-3 - -2	100,600.00	1.92%
-2 - -1	1,935,300.00	36.94%
-1 - -0.75	1,009,600.00	19.27%
-0.75 - 0.50	560,200.00	10.69%
-0.5 - -0.25	388,200.00	7.41%
-0.25 - -0.10	180,500.00	3.45%
No Change	191,700.00	3.66%
0.1 - 0.25	117,800.00	2.25%
0.25 - 0.50	158,000.00	3.02%
0.50 - 0.75	118,000.00	2.25%
0.75 - 1.0	95,600.00	1.82%
1.0 - 1.5	216,600.00	4.13%
1.5 - 2.0	111,300.00	2.12%
2.0 - 3.0	6,200.00	0.12%
3.0 - 4.0	29,300.00	0.56%

Figure 2. Bathymetric change analysis (NOAA) Percent change by accretion (+) and erosion (-) intervals for the Reserve Fleet Sampling Area from 2002-2007.

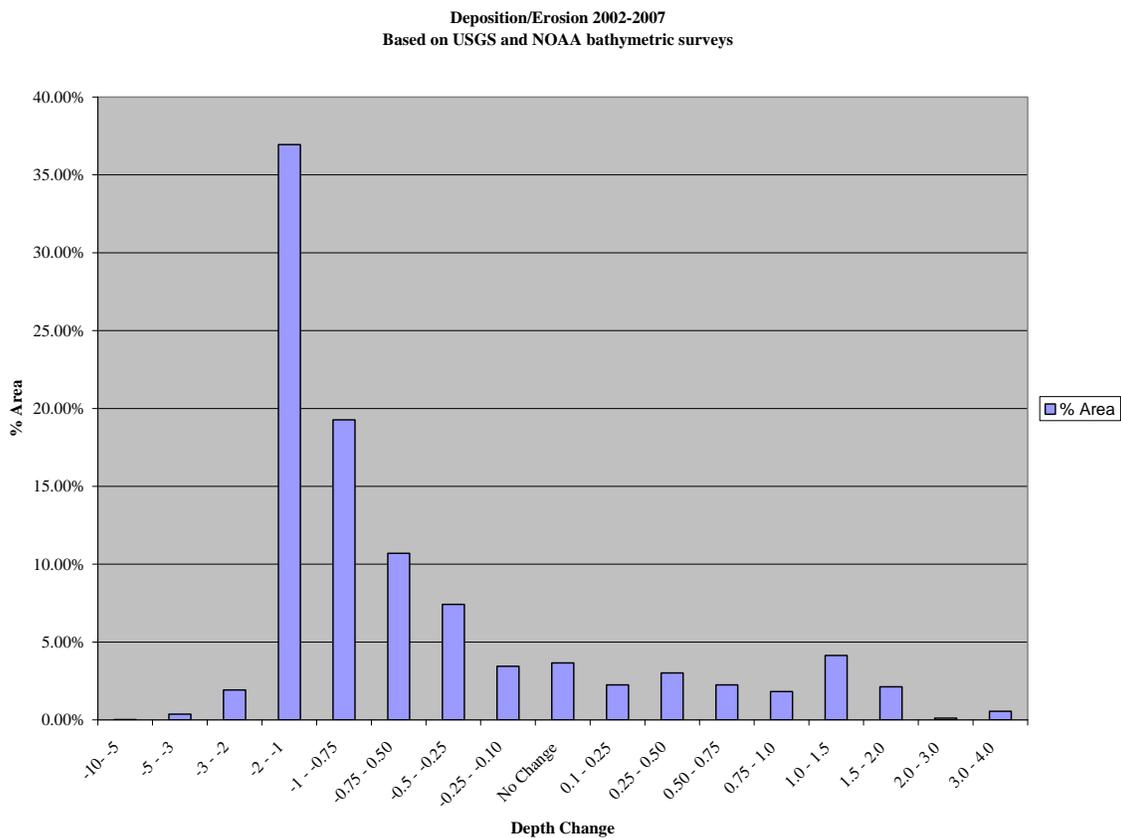


Table 3. Bathymetric change deposition/erosion based on USGS 1942-1990 analysis and NOAA/USGS 2002-2007 analysis

Station ID	Sample Type	Latitude	Longitude	Erosion (-)/Deposition (+)		Water Depth MLLW ^c
				1942-1990 Meters MLLW ^a	2002-2007 Meters MLLW ^b	
CS01A	Surface Sediment	38.0490	-122.1800	273.000	No Data	-22.688
CS01B	Surface Sediment	38.0486	-122.1796	256.000	No Data	-23.419
CS01C	Surface Sediment	38.0486	-122.1804	314.000	No Data	-21.895
CS01T	Surface Sediment	38.0422	-122.1571	665.000	No Data	-0.041
CS02	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0446	-122.1288	308.000	No Data	-13.483
CS03	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0256	-122.1485	65.000	No Data	-2.083
CS03T	Surface Sediment	38.0272	-122.1625	334.000	No Data	0.233
GB01	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.1150	-122.0157	No Data	No Data	-0.925
GB01A	Surface Sediment	38.1148	-122.0164	No Data	No Data	-0.895
GB01B	Surface Sediment	38.1145	-122.0169	No Data	No Data	-0.834
GB01C	Surface Sediment	38.1152	-122.0166	No Data	No Data	-0.925
GB01T	Surface Sediment	38.1021	-122.0063	No Data	No Data	0.507
GB02	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0987	-122.0255	No Data	No Data	-5.741
GB02A	Surface Sediment	38.0985	-122.0258	No Data	No Data	-6.198
GB02B	Surface Sediment	38.0991	-122.0255	No Data	No Data	-4.339
GB02C	Surface Sediment	38.0985	-122.0252	No Data	No Data	-5.772
GB02T	Surface Sediment	38.0952	-122.0380	No Data	No Data	-0.224
GB03	Surface Sediment	38.1051	-122.0459	No Data	No Data	-2.236
RF01	Surface Sediment	38.0971	-122.0754	No Data	No Data	-0.468
RF02	Surface Sediment	38.0941	-122.0798	550.000	No Data	-0.651
RF03	Surface Sediment	38.0940	-122.0747	516.000	135.429	-4.004
RF04	Surface Sediment	38.0939	-122.0701	-121.000	No Data	-8.362
RF05	Surface Sediment	38.0901	-122.0868	375.000	No Data	1.513
RF06	Surface Sediment	38.0903	-122.0823	504.000	No Data	-2.876
RF07	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0902	-122.0773	-72.000	-65.372	-8.484
RF08	Surface Sediment	38.0901	-122.0725	-365.000	No Data	-7.844
RF09	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0853	-122.0889	402.000	177.423	-3.699
RF10	Surface Sediment	38.0864	-122.0846	114.000	-85.496	-6.686
RF11	Surface Sediment	38.0863	-122.0798	-40.000	-84.604	-8.210
RF12	Surface Sediment	38.0862	-122.0751	-41.000	No Data	-6.168
RF13	Surface Sediment	38.0820	-122.0933	364.000	-17.952	-3.607
RF14	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0826	-122.0871	48.000	-59.140	-7.235
RF15	Surface Sediment	38.0825	-122.0823	-86.000	-6.540	-8.759
RF16	Surface Sediment	38.0788	-122.0993	257.000	No Data	-2.175
RF17	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0788	-122.0946	220.000	-114.500	-5.101
RF18	Surface Sediment	38.0788	-122.0895	110.000	-72.476	-6.381
RF19	Surface Sediment	38.0788	-122.0846	-237.000	No Data	-8.210
RF20	Surface Sediment	38.0750	-122.1018	245.000	-28.212	-3.760
RF21	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0750	-122.0969	175.000	137.480	-5.406
RF22	Surface Sediment	38.0750	-122.0921	-146.000	-105.976	-8.545
RF23	Surface Sediment	38.0751	-122.0872	-83.000	No Data	-5.406
RF24	Surface Sediment	38.0712	-122.1092	541.000	No Data	1.848
RF25	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0712	-122.1044	279.000	-88.644	-4.248
RF26	Surface Sediment	38.0713	-122.0994	151.000	-29.728	-5.528
RF27	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0711	-122.0946	-223.000	-119.984	-8.667
RF28	Surface Sediment	38.0711	-122.0894	-50.000	No Data	-4.187
RF29	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0676	-122.1102	392.000	No Data	-2.023
RF30	Surface Sediment	38.0674	-122.1068	159.000	-120.100	-5.101
RF31	Surface Sediment	38.0673	-122.1018	-86.000	25.088	-7.570
RF32	Surface Sediment	38.0673	-122.0970	-197.000	No Data	-8.972

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RF33	Surface Sediment	38.0635	-122.1140	463.000	No Data	-1.382
RF34	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0636	-122.1092	165.000	-74.316	-5.223
RF35	Surface Sediment	38.0635	-122.1044	-215.000	-89.228	-9.338
RF36	Surface Sediment	38.0633	-122.0995	-326.000	No Data	-8.271
RF37	Surface Sediment	38.0596	-122.1165	238.000	-30.876	-3.973
RF38	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0597	-122.1116	114.000	-29.616	-6.046
RF39	Surface Sediment	38.0597	-122.1071	-232.000	-115.744	-9.582
RF40	Surface Sediment	38.0596	-122.1021	-185.000	No Data	-6.991
RF41	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0559	-122.1191	153.000	-103.040	-4.949
RF42	Surface Sediment	38.0560	-122.1142	-9.000	-141.060	-7.539
RF43	Surface Sediment	38.0555	-122.1095	-160.000	-106.844	-9.582
RF44	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0521	-122.1216	216.000	-118.240	-5.711
RF45	Surface Sediment	38.0520	-122.1165	-24.000	-123.200	-9.673
RF46	Surface Sediment	38.0520	-122.1118	-113.000	No Data	-8.789
RF48	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0482	-122.1191	-102.000	-88.860	-12.111
RF49	Surface Sediment	38.0482	-122.1141	-157.000	No Data	-8.545
RF51	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0513	-122.1246	355.000	No Data	-2.266
RF52	Surface Sediment	38.0833	-122.0849	3.000	-138.208	-7.417
RF53	Surface Sediment	38.0643	-122.1063	30.000	-59.812	-6.046
SB01	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0999	-122.0684	No Data	No Data	-3.150
SB02	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0825	-122.0770	-7.000	No Data	-0.438
SB03	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0421	-122.1059	-78.000	No Data	-2.114
SB04	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0871	-122.0403	211.000	No Data	-0.834
SB04A	Surface Sediment	38.0870	-122.0406	163.000	No Data	-0.864
SB04B	Surface Sediment	38.0869	-122.0400	179.000	No Data	-0.834
SB04C	Surface Sediment	38.0874	-122.0405	147.000	No Data	-0.742
SB06	Surface Sediment	38.0581	-122.0052	-174.000	No Data	-10.892
SB07	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0684	-122.0461	9.000	No Data	-0.773
SB07A	Surface Sediment	38.0693	-122.0446	19.000	No Data	-1.230
SB07B	Surface Sediment	38.0693	-122.0451	-17.000	No Data	-1.352
SB07C	Surface Sediment	38.0689	-122.0444	143.000	No Data	-0.590
SB08	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0704	-121.9852	175.000	No Data	-5.101
SB08A	Surface Sediment	38.0703	-121.9851	187.000	No Data	-5.253
SB08B	Surface Sediment	38.0704	-121.9857	151.000	No Data	-5.406
SB08C	Surface Sediment	38.0709	-121.9849	216.000	No Data	-4.552
SB09	Surface and Subsurface Sediment	38.0714	-122.0857	337.000	No Data	-1.992
SB10	Surface Sediment	38.0578	-122.0977	196.000	No Data	-0.285
SB11	Surface Sediment	38.0924	-122.0523	77.000	No Data	-1.169
SB12T	Surface Sediment	38.1081	-122.0561	No Data	No Data	-2.023

^a Erosion/deposition from bathymetric change analysis 1942-1990 (Cappiella et. al USGS 1999).

^b Erosion/deposition from bathymetric change analysis by NOAA (NOAA 2007/USGS 2002 bathymetry)

^c Depth in meters referenced to Mean Lower Low Water (MLLW)

Map 1. Bathymetric Change Analysis USGS 1942-1990

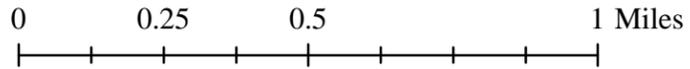
Sampling Stations

- + Surface Sediment
- + Surface and Subsurface Sediment
- Subsurface Sediment
- + Surface Sediment; Mytilus
- + Surface and Subsurface Sediment; Mytilus
- Mytilus
- + Surface Sediment and Corbula
- Corbula
- + Surface Sediment; Mytilus; Corbula
- Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet 2003 (7 rows)

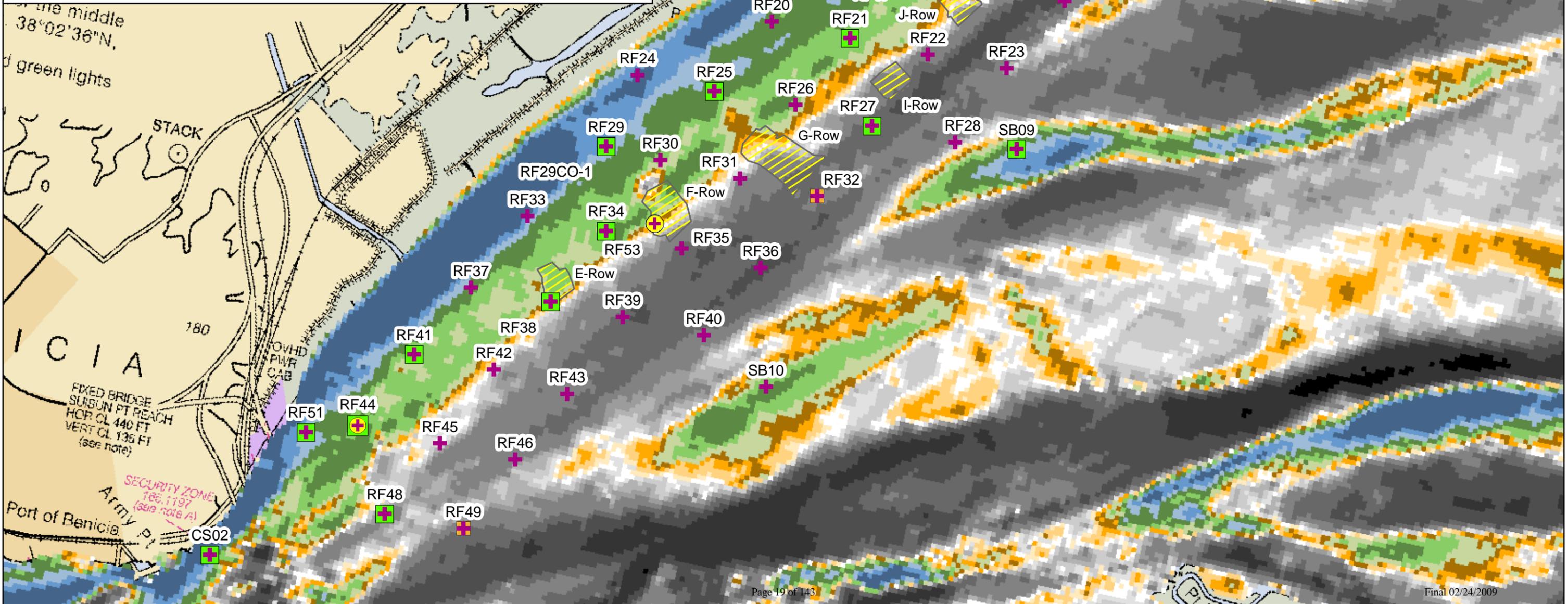
USGS 1942-1990 Bathymetric Change

accretion (+)/erosion (-) Meters MLLW	
-14 - -10	.10 - 0.25
-10 - -5	0.25 - 0.50
-5 - -3	0.50 - 0.75
-3 - -2	0.75 - 1
-2 - -1	1 - 1.5
-1 - -0.75	1.5 - 2
-0.75 - -0.50	2 - 3
-0.5 - -0.25	3 - 4
-0.25 - -0.10	4 - 5
No Change	5 - 12

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Map 2. Bathymetric Change Analysis NOAA 2007/USGS 2002

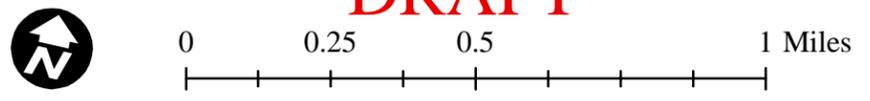
Sampling Stations

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- + Surface and Subsurface Sediment
- + Subsurface Sediment
- + Surface Sediment; Mytilus
- + Surface and Subsurface Sediment; Mytilus
- Mytilus
- + Surface Sediment and Corbula
- + Corbula
- + Surface Sediment; Mytilus; Corbula
- Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet 2003 (7 rows)

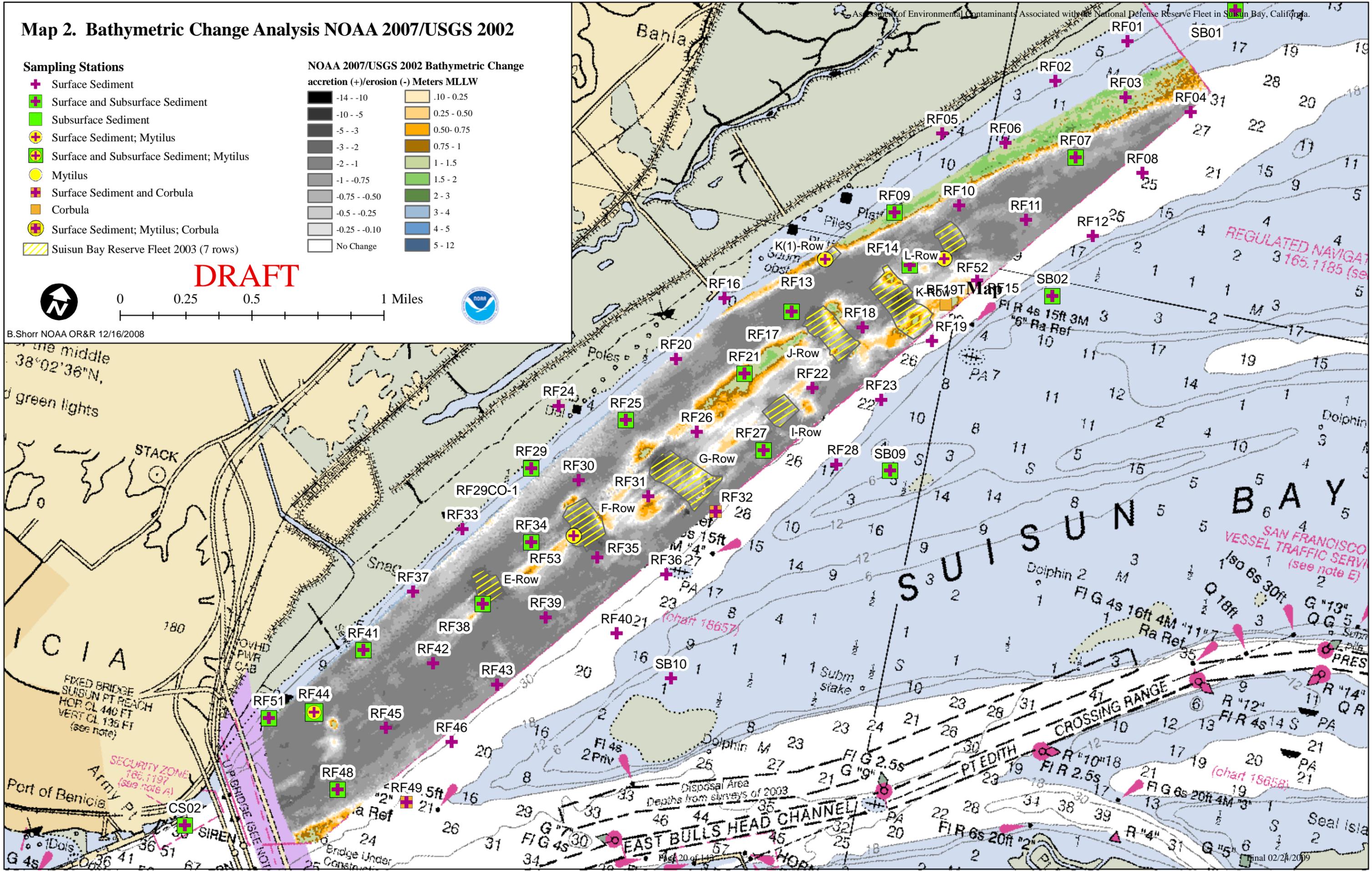
NOAA 2007/USGS 2002 Bathymetric Change accretion (+)/erosion (-) Meters MLLW

	-14 - -10		.10 - 0.25
	-10 - -5		0.25 - 0.50
	-5 - -3		0.50 - 0.75
	-3 - -2		0.75 - 1
	-2 - -1		1 - 1.5
	-1 - -0.75		1.5 - 2
	-0.75 - -0.50		2 - 3
	-0.5 - -0.25		3 - 4
	-0.25 - -0.10		4 - 5
	No Change		5 - 12

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Appendix 10.3

**Query Manager San Francisco Bay Contaminant
Data Sets and Maps**

Query Manager™ is a database program, developed by NOAA's Office of Response and Restoration, that can be used to access sediment chemistry (surface and subsurface), sediment toxicity, and tissue chemistry data from a relational database for individual watersheds areas. The application enables users to select from a menu of queries that sort and analyze these data in a variety of ways to produce output tables. The selected data can be immediately displayed on maps using MARPLOT® and/or the query output tables can be saved in a variety of formats for use with other mapping software (e.g. ArcGIS®) or other applications (e.g., spreadsheets, statistics packages, word processors).

MARPLOT (Mapping Application for Response, Planning, and Local Operational Tasks) is a general-purpose, desktop mapping program that allows users to create, view, and modify maps quickly and easily and to link objects on maps to data in other programs.

The Query Manager application and the existing San Francisco Bay (which includes Northern California) database may be downloaded at: <http://response.restoration.noaa.gov/querymanager>

Collected Regional Datasets in Query Manager

Sediment Chemistry (surface) 92 Separate studies

Study Names

Alameda Naval Air - Seaplane Lagoon
Alameda Navy 1991-1998 Sediment Data
Benicia Marina 1996, 1997, 2001
BPTCP San Fran 1991/92 Pilot Project
BPTCP San Fran 1994/95 Reference Sites
BPTCP San Fran 1995 Screen-Legs 38-41
BPTCP San Fran 1996 Screen-Leg 44
BPTCP San Fran 1997 Confirm-Leg 50
BPTCP San Fran 1997 Screen (Stege Marsh)
Bulls Head Channel Dredging 1994
CISNET San Pablo Bay Stress Indicators
Clipper Yacht Harbor 2002
Coyote Point Marina Dredging 202
Ecological Invest Richmond Harbor 1991
Emery Cove Marina Dredging 2000
Humboldt Bay Baseline Baseline Survey 1994-1995
Humboldt Eureka Expansion Channel 1993
Hunters Point EPA Parcel F 2001
Islais Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
John F. Baldwin Ship Channel Phase III
Kappas Marina Dredging Sausalito 1997
Larkspur Landing Ferry Terminal 1999
Local Effects Monitoring Program (BADA)
Loch Lomond Marina San Rafael 2001
MARAD (REMI) 2007

Marina Vista Homeowners Assoc 1998
Mission Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
NOAA/EMAP San Fran Bay 2000 Mag-Extent
NOAA San Fran Bay 2001 Mag and Extent
NOAA NS&T San Fran 1986-1995 Benthic Surv.
NOAA NS&T San Fran 1986-1987 Mussel Watch
NOAA Suisun Bay 2008 Core Sampling
NOAA Suisun Bay 2008 Grab Sampling
Oakland Harbor 38-Foot Phase III 1990
Oakland Harbor 42 Foot Phase IIIA 1990
Oakland Harbor 42 Foot Phase IIIB 1990
Oyster Point Marina 1998
Pinole Shoals Navigation Channel 2003
Pittsburg Power Plant Intake 2000
Point San Pablo Yacht Harbor 2002
Port of Richmond Terminal 1 Retest 1994
Port of San Francisco Pier 35 West 2002
Port of San Francisco Berth 35 E 2003
Port of Oakland 50 Ft Deepening 1998
Richmond Harbor Deepen/Turn Basin 1995
Richmond Harbor Ecotox Changes 1996-98
Richmond Harbor Terminals 1 and 4 1992
Richmond Harbor USACE Dredging Oct 1991
SF Airport Sediment Character 2000
SFEI 1993-2006 Regional Monitoring Program
SFOBB East Span Project 1999
Suisun City Launch Ramp 1999
United Heckathorn Superfund Site 1992
UNOCAL Corporation Terminal 1996
URS Evaluation of US Steel Seds 1999
USCG Baker East Facility 1999
USCG Yerba Buena Island 1999
USGS Trace Metals in Sediment and Clams
Vallejo Ferry Terminal 2003
Yosemite Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000

Tissue Chemistry– 47 Separate studies with various analytes

Study Names:

Alameda Naval Air - Seaplane Lagoon
CISNET San Pablo Bay Stress Indicators
Ecological Invest Richmond Harbor 1991
Humboldt Bay Baseline Survey 1993
Hunters Point EPA Parcel F 2001
Islais Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
John F. Baldwin Ship Channel Phase III

Mission Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
NOAA NS&T San Fran 1984-1991 Benthic Surv.
NOAA NS&T San Fran 1986-1995 Mussel Watch
Oakland Harbor 38-Foot Phase III 1990
Oakland Harbor 42 Foot Phase IIIB 1990
Port of Richmond Terminal 1 Retest 1994
Richmond Harbor Ecotox Changes 1996-98
Richmond Harbor USACE Dredging Oct 1991
Richmond Harbor Deepen/Turn Basin 1995
SFEI 1997-2005 Regional Monitoring Program
SFOBB East Span Project 1999
United Heckathorn Superfund Site 1992
USGS Trace Metals in Sediment and Clams
Yosemite Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000

Sediment Bioassays – 72 Separate studies with various toxicity endpoints

Study Names:

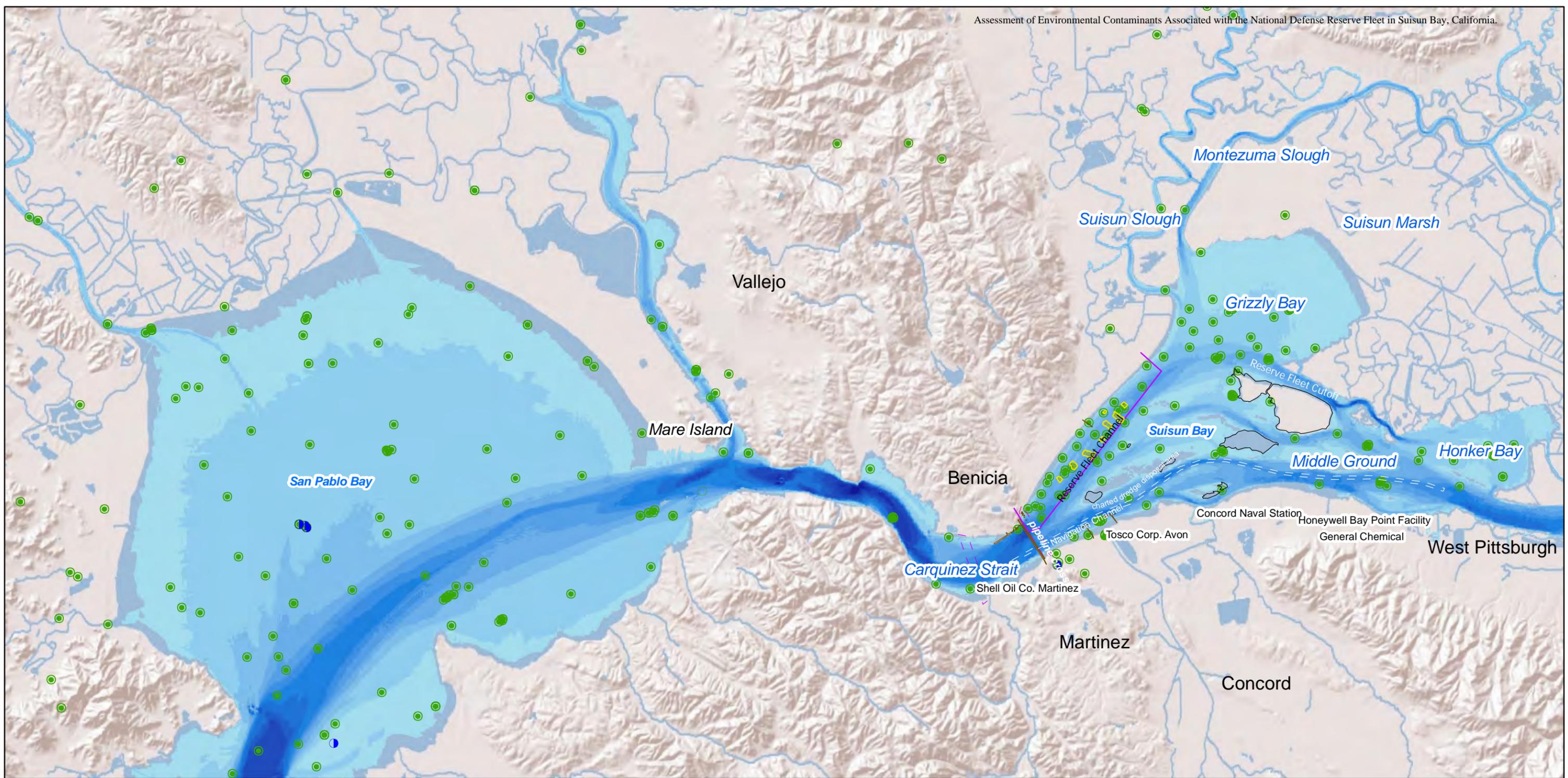
Alameda Naval Air - Seaplane Lagoon
Arques Shipyard and Marina 1998
Benicia Marina 1996, 1997, 2001
BPTCP San Fran 1994/95 Reference Sites
BPTCP San Fran 1995 Screen-Legs 38-41
BPTCP San Fran 1996 Screen-Leg 44
BPTCP San Fran 1997 Confirm-Leg 50
BPTCP San Fran 1997 Screen (Stege Marsh)
Bulls Head Channel Dredging 1994
CISNET San Pablo Bay Stress Indicators
Clipper Yacht Harbor 2002
Coyote Point Marina Dredging 202
Ecological Invest Richmond Harbor 1991
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Humboldt Bay Baseline Baseline Survey 1994-1995
Humboldt Eureka Expansion Channel 1003
Hunters Point EPA Parcel F 2001
Islais Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
John F. Baldwin Ship Channel Phase III
Kappas Marina Dredging Sausalito 1997
Larkspur Landing Ferry Terminal 1999
Loch Lomond Marina San Rafael 2001
Marina Vista Homeowners Assoc 1998
Martinez Marina Dredging 2000
Mission Creek SFPUC Sed 1998-2000
Moss Landing Harbor Dredging 2002
NOAA/EMAP San Fran Bay 2000 Mag-Extent
NOAA San Fran Bay 2001 Mag and Extent

Oakland Harbor 38-Foot Phase III 1990
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SF Airport Sediment Character 2000
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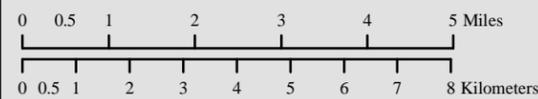
The relevant regional datasets listed above were used to examine contaminant levels within Suisun Bay. The following maps were generated using Query Manager data for studies located within or near to Suisun Bay and are intended to aid in the understanding of the results of the NOAA 2008 Suisun Fleet investigation.

The contaminant data from San Francisco Bay regional datasets (Query Manager database) include surface sediment studies from 0 - 30 cm. The NOAA 2008 Sampling data shown in this appendix are the grab samples, which are 0 - 5 cm.

Map 1. Total PAHs (PPB) in surface sediment compared to ERL/ERM
Map 2. Total PCBs (PPB) in surface sediment compared to ERL/ERM



Map 1. Total PAHs (PPB) in surface sediment compared to ERL/ERM

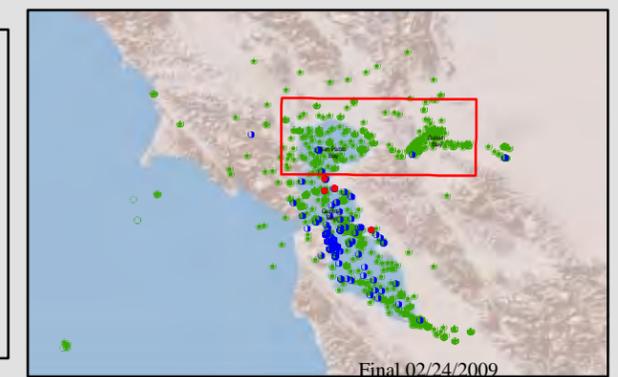
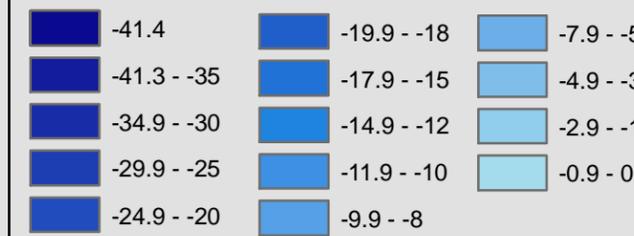


Total PAHs PPB ERL-ERM

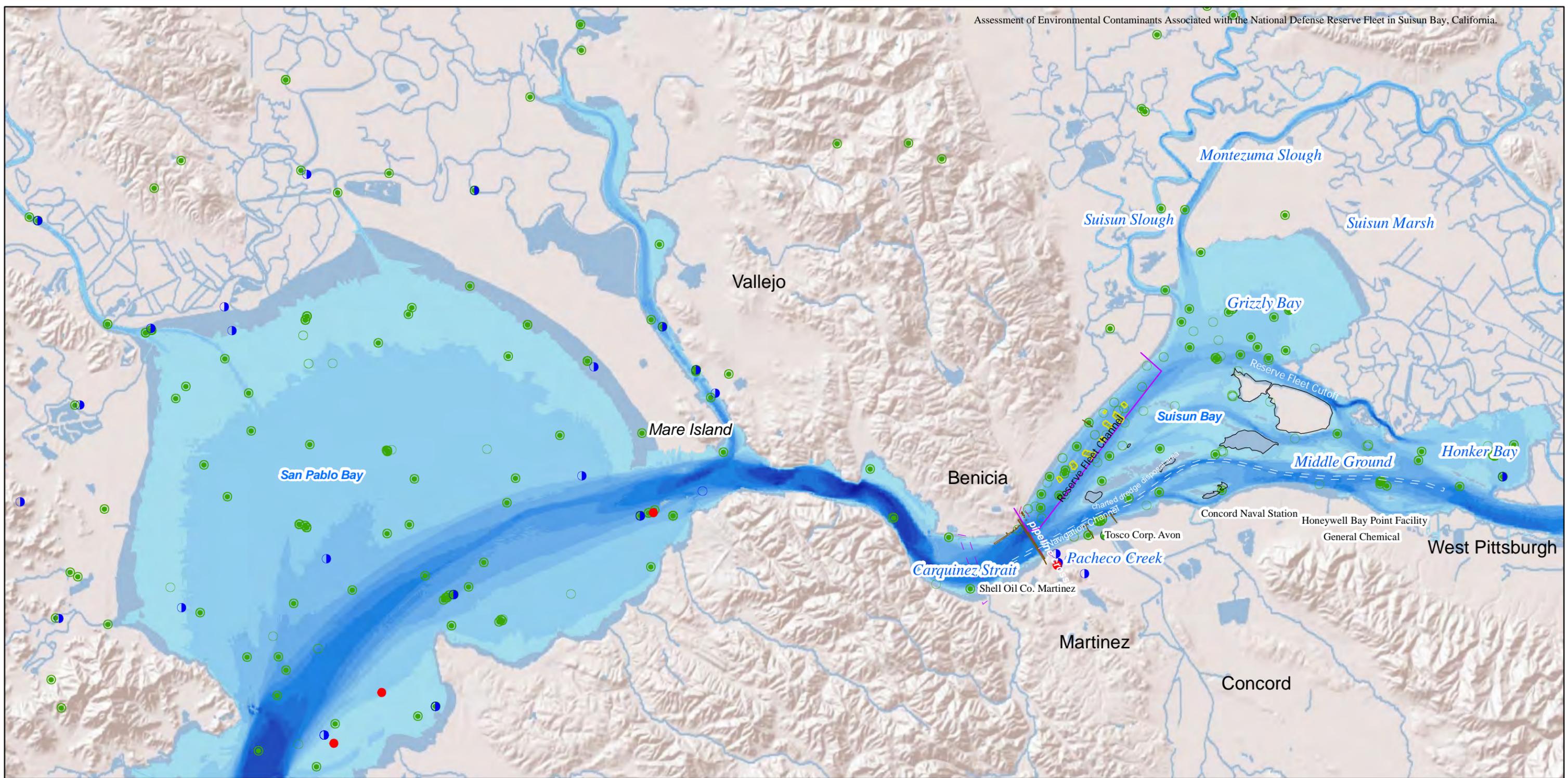
- Non-Detect (DL < ERL)
- Non-Detect (ERL < DL < ERM)
- Non-Detect (DL > ERM)
- < ERL (4022)
- ERL - ERM
- > ERM (44792)

- ▨ Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet (2003)
- Navigation Channel (NOAA Chart 18656)
- ▭ Regulated Navigation Area (NOAA Chart 18652)
- ▭ Pipeline Area (NOAA Chart 18656)
- islands (NOAA Chart 18656)
- ▭ disposal area (NOAA Chart 18656)
- ▭ Docks and Bridges

**Bathymetry: Suisun Bay USGS compilation 2002
San Pablo Bay NOAA SPO Estuarine Bathymetry 1971-1993
Meters MLLW**



Data sources include NOAA, ESRI, USGS, SFEL, CA State, MARAD. Contaminant data from NOAA Query Manager SF Bay including NOAA Suisun Bay 2008 (update 12/22/2008). ERL/ERM = Effects Range-Low, Effects Range-Medium. NOAA OR&R | ARD Ben Shorr 2/3/2009. © gis/projects/SuisunBay/Suisun_Bay_2009_contaminant.mxd



Map 2. Total PCBs (PPB) in surface sediment compared to ERL/ERM

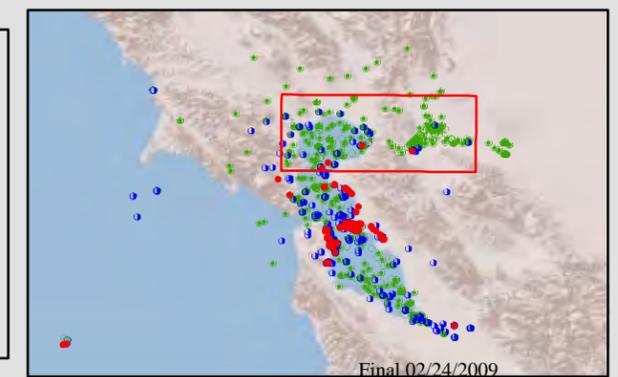
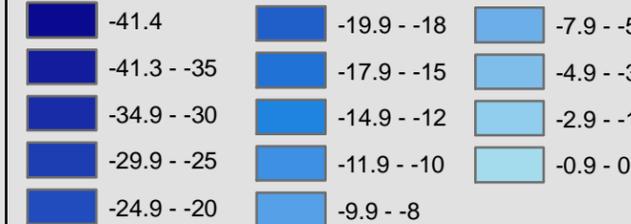


Total PCBs PPB ERL-ERM

- Non-Detect (DL < ERL)
- Non-Detect (ERL < DL < ERM)
- Non-Detect (DL > ERM)
- < ERL (22.7)
- ERL - ERM
- > ERM (180)

- Suisun Bay Reserve Fleet (2003)
- Navigation Channel (NOAA Chart 18656)
- Regulated Navigation Area (NOAA Chart 18652)
- Pipeline Area (NOAA Chart 18656)
- islands (NOAA Chart 18656)
- disposal area (NOAA Chart 18656)
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Appendix 10.4

NOAA Suisun Bay Project Field Datasheet

Station Occupation Data Sheet: Suisun Bay NOAA | NOS | OR&R

Station ID: _____
Sample ID: _____
Arrival Time: _____
Sample Time: _____
Departure Time: _____
Water Depth (m): _____
Salinity (ppt): _____

Date: ____ / ____ / 2008 
Field Crew: _____

Recorder: _____

Navigation Type (circle one): DGPS GPS

Accuracy (ft): _____

Latitude Decimal Degrees (xx.xxxxx)

Longitude Decimal Degrees (-xxx.xxxxx)

Field Pictures Numbers and Description:

Habitat Type (circle one):

- Open Water
- Tidal flat: mud
- Tidal flat: sand
- Other : _____

Collection Method:

Surface Sediment
 Van Veen (# grabs) _____

Samples Collected:

- Surface Sediment
- Subsurface Sediment
- Paint Chip Sample
- Corbula
- Mytilus (deployed/collected)

Subsurface Core (cm): Sample ID:

0-15	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
15-30	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
30-45	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
45-60	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
60-90	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
90-120	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
120-240	<input type="checkbox"/>	archive

Sample Observations: (circle)

- Paint Chips Visible?: Yes No _____
- Sed Odor (circle one): None, Sulfides, Sewage, Petroleum, Mixed, Other _____
- Sed Color (circle one): Brown, Colorless, Green, Yellow _____
- Oily Sheen?: Yes No _____
- Debris in Sample: _____

Station Comments:

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Appendix 10.5

Paint chip Sample Photo Documentation

Field photos of surface sediment grab samples taken July 7-16, 2008. Samples were photographed on board the sampling vessels at time of retrieval. The surface of grab samples was visually inspected by field staff before either sediment chemistry sample or paint chip core was taken and any comments of interest were noted on the field sheet.



Station CS01 Grab



Station CS01T Grab



Station CS02 Grab



Station CS03 Grab



Station CS03T Grab



Station GB01 Grab



Station GB01T Grab



Station GB02 Grab



Station GB02T Grab



Station GB03 Grab



Station RF01 Grab



Station RF02 Grab



Station RF03 Grab



Station RF04 Grab



Station RF05 Grab



Station RF06 Grab



Station RF07 Grab



Station RF08 Grab



Station RF09 Grab



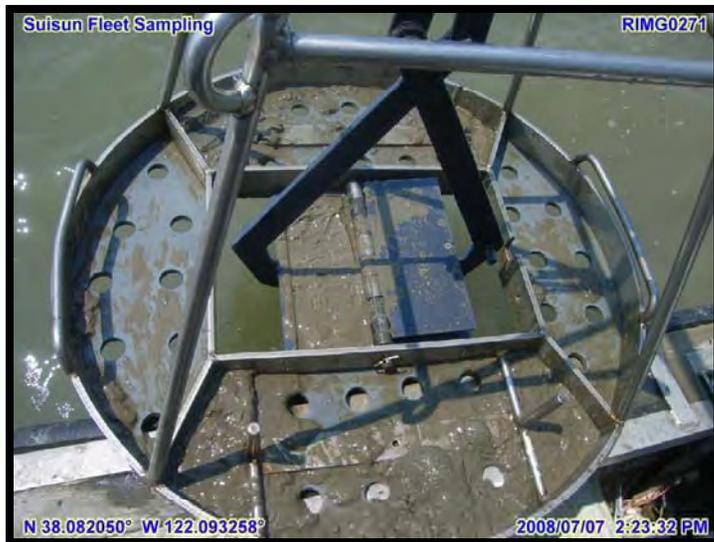
Station RF10 Grab



Station RF11 Grab



Station RF12 Grab



Station RF13 Grab



Station RF15 Grab



Station RF16 Grab



Station RF17 Grab



Station RF18 Grab



Station RF19 Grab



Station RF20 Grab



Station RF22 Grab



Station RF23 Grab



Station RF24 Grab



Station RF26 Grab



Station RF27 Grab



Station RF28 Grab



Station RF29 Grab



Station RF30 Grab



Station RF31 Grab



Station RF32 Grab



Station RF33 Grab



Station RF34 Grab



Station RF35 Grab



Station RF36 Grab



Station RF37 Grab



Station RF38 Grab



Station RF39 Grab



Station RF40 Grab



Station RF42 Grab



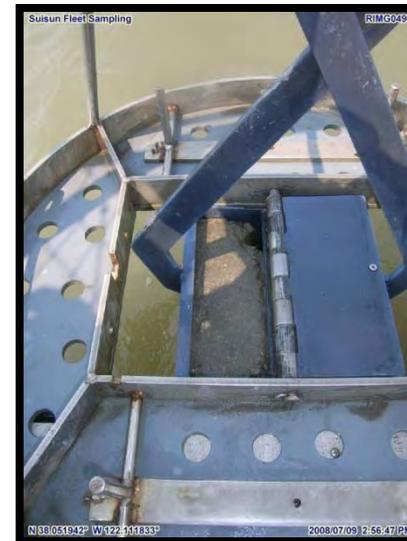
Station RF43 Grab



Station RF44 Grab



Station RF45 Grab



Station RF46 Grab



Station RF48 Grab



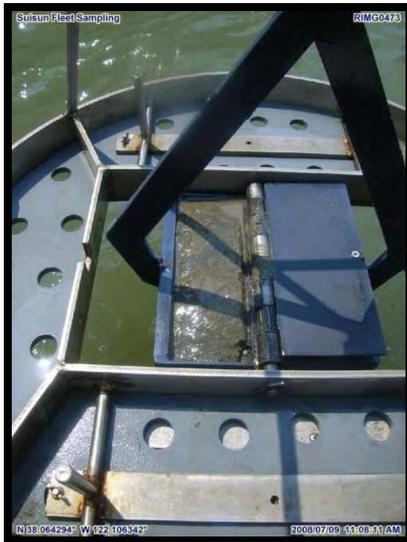
Station RF49TTC Grab



Station RF51 Grab



Station RF52 Grab



Station RF53 Grab



Station SB01 Grab



Station SB02 Grab



Station SB03 Grab



Station SB04 Grab



Station SB06 Grab



Station SB07 Grab



Station SB08 Grab



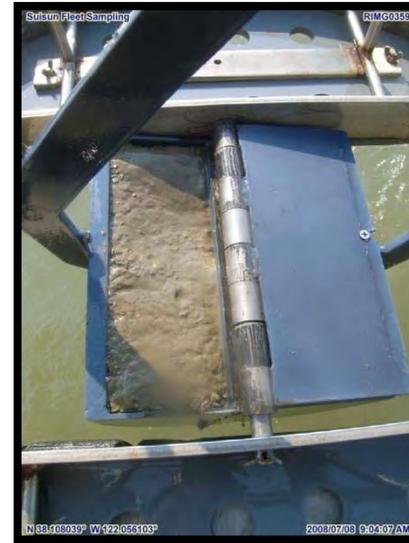
Station SB09 Grab



Station SB10 Grab



Station SB11 Grab



Station SB12 Grab

The following photos include samples that were sieved on board the sampling vessels after sediment core had been taken from sediment grab. On occasion, field photos were not logistically feasible for all paint chip samples during processing; however, all paint chip samples were sieved by 1mm mesh sieve and processed as according to the SAP (NOAA 2008b).



Station CS01 Sieve



Station CS01T Sieve



Station GB01 Sieve



Station GB01T Sieve



Station GB02 Sieve



Station GB02T Sieve



Station GB03 Sieve



R19F Sieve



Station RF01 Sieve



Station RF02 Sieve



Station RF03 Sieve



Station RF04 Sieve



Station RF06 Sieve



Station RF08 Sieve



Station RF10 Sieve



Station RF12 Sieve



Station RF13 Sieve



Station RF15 Sieve



Station RF16 Sieve



Station RF18 Sieve



Station RF20 Sieve



Station RF22SS Sieve



Station RF23 Sieve



Station RF24 Sieve



Station RF25 Sieve



Station RF26 Sieve



Station RF28 Sieve



Station RF30 Sieve



Station RF31 Sieve



Station RF32 Sieve



Station RF32 Sieve



Station RF33 Sieve



Station RF35 Sieve



Station RF36 Sieve



Station RF37 Sieve



Station RF39 Sieve



Station RF40 Sieve



Station RF42 Sieve



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Station RF53 Sieve



Station SB06 Sieve



Station SB07 Sieve

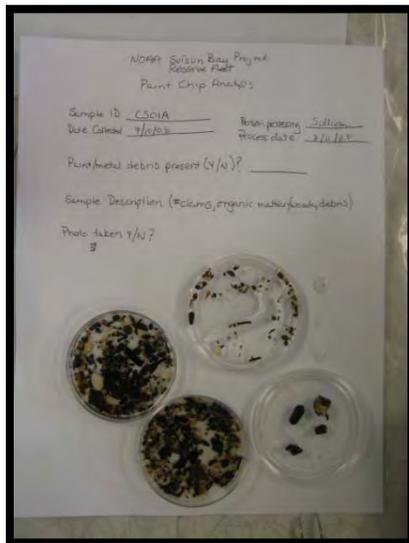


Station SB10 Sieve



Station SB11 Sieve

The following pages are lab photos of sieved surface sediment grab samples, which were archived during field sampling for being of note for containing either visible paint chips, metal debris, or unknown material. Samples were photographed in 5cm petri dishes, provided this magnification level offered any visible detail. Several samples were only photographed under the microscope because fragments were too small to be visible without greater magnification. For details on classification of these samples, refer to Table 11 or Map 26.



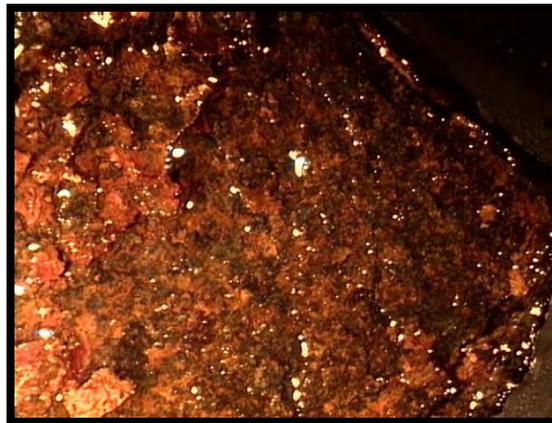
Station CS01 PC sample



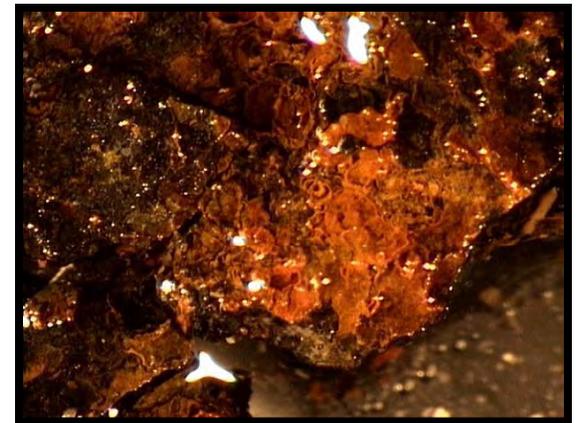
Sample CS01 PC



Sample RF10 PC



RF10 PC at 10x magnification



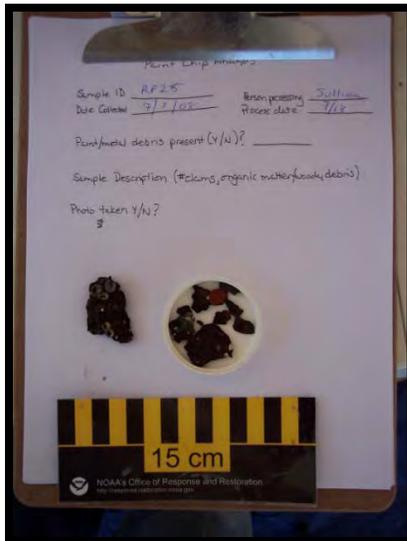
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Station RF14 sample



Sample RF14 PC



Station RF25 sample



Sample RF25 sample



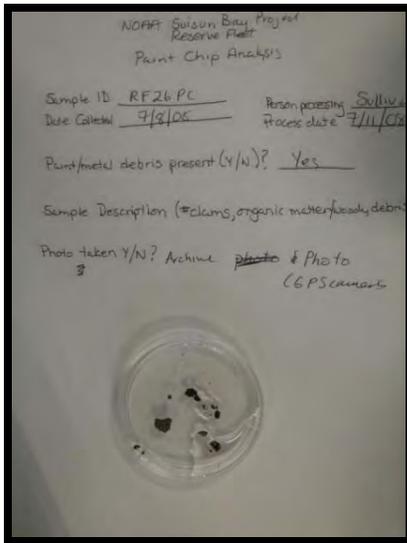
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RF25 PC at 10x magnification



RF25 PC at 25x magnification



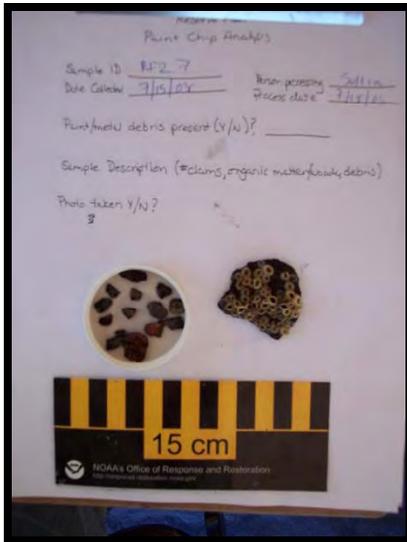
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Sample RF26 PC



RF26 PC at 10x magnification



Station RF27 sample



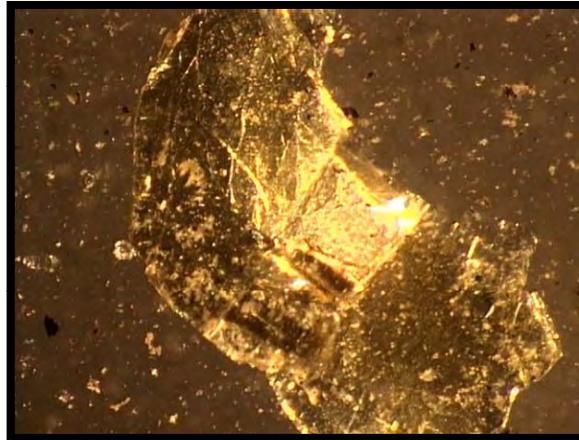
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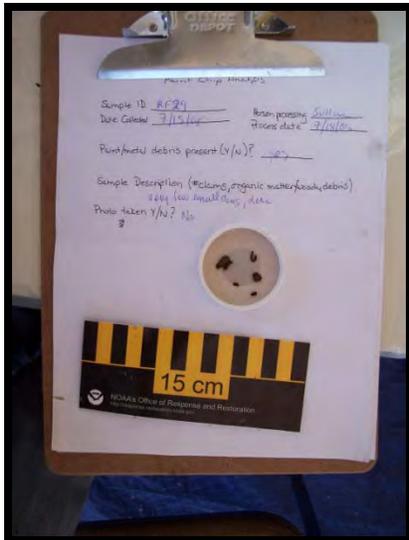
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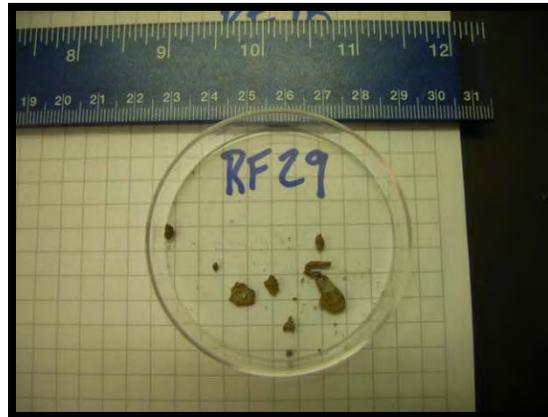
RF27 PC at 25x magnification



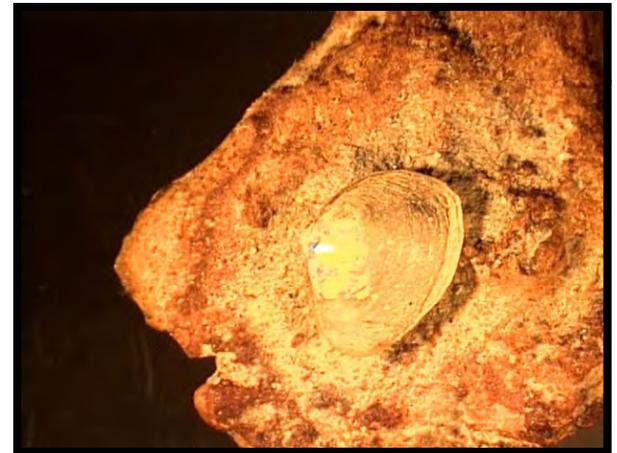
RF28 PC at 25x magnification



Station RF29 sample



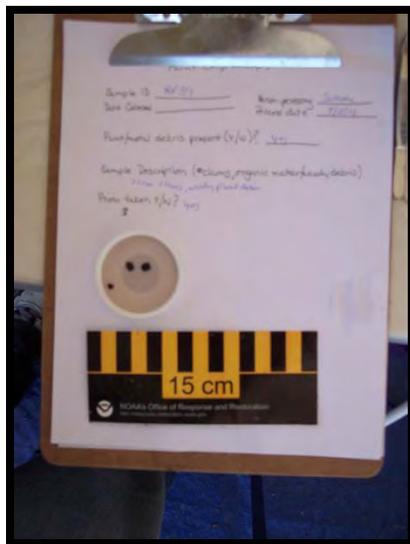
Sample RF29 PC



RF29 PC at 10x magnification



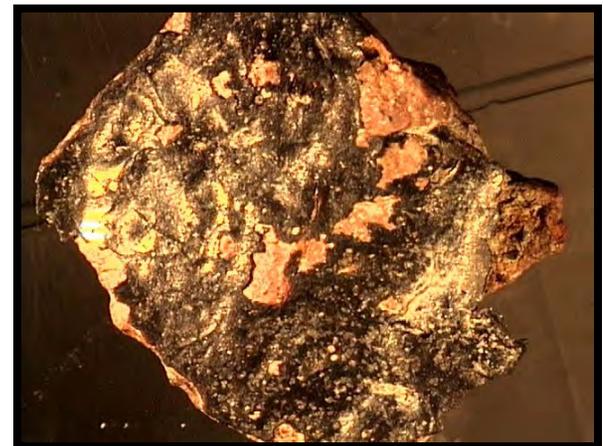
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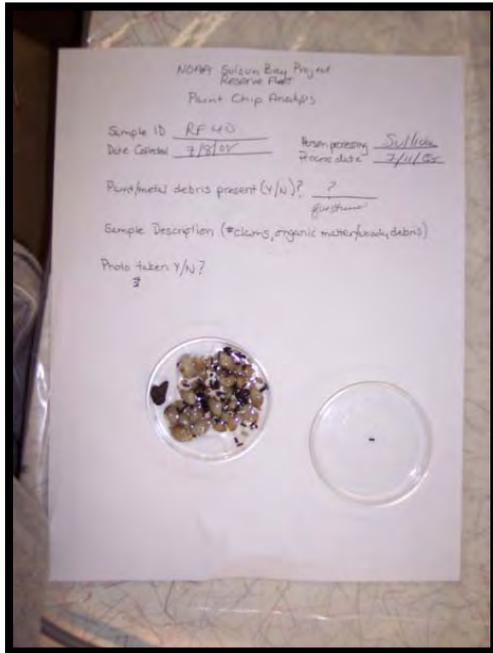
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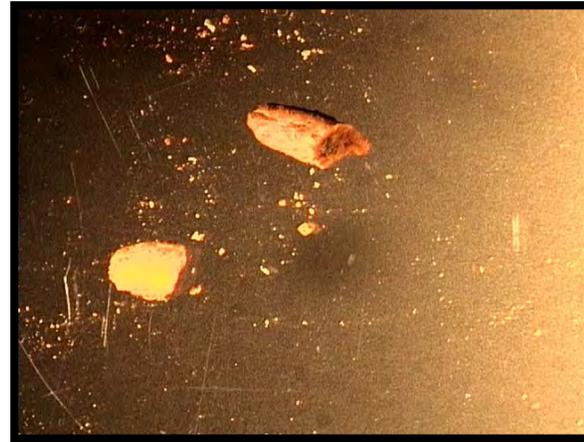
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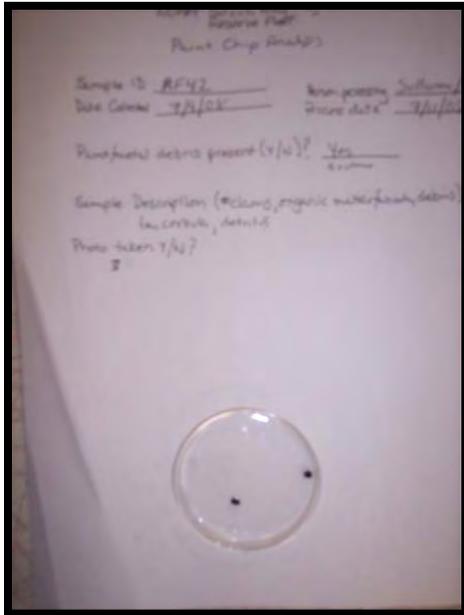
RF39 PC at 10x magnification



Station RF40 sample



RF40 PC at 10x magnification



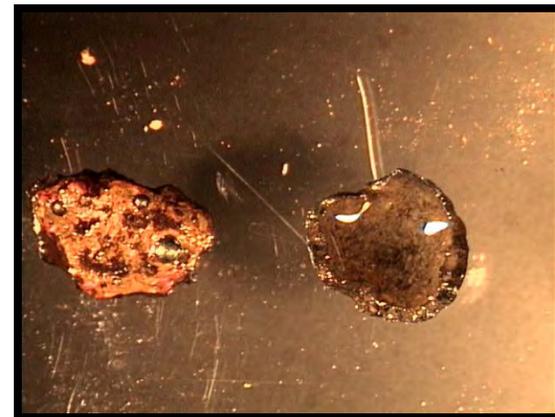
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Sample RF42 PC



RF42 PC 25x



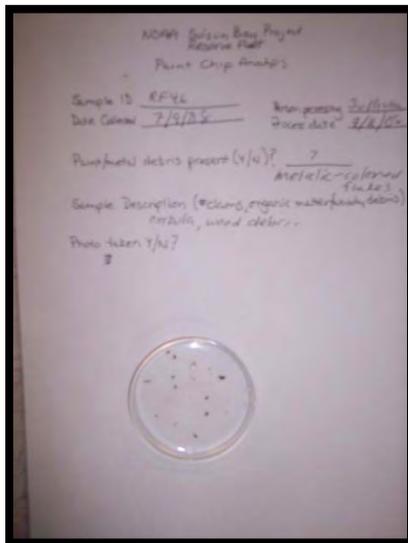
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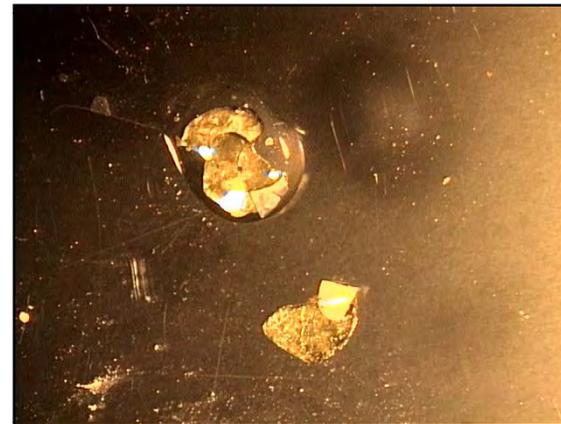
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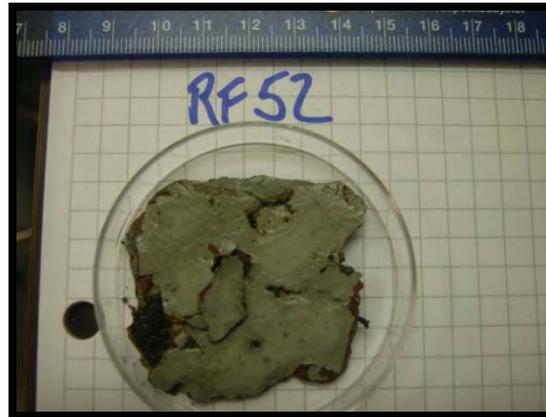
RF45 PC 10x



Station RF46 sample



RF46 PC



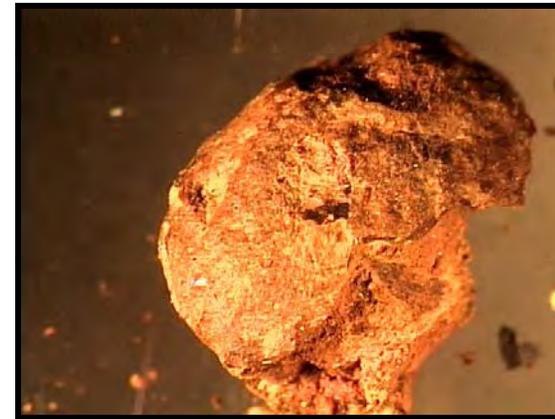
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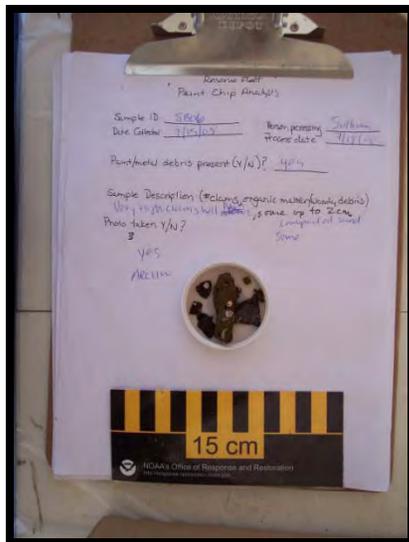
RF 52 at 25x with multiple views



Sample RF49 PC



RF49 PC



Station SB06 sample



Sample SB06 PC

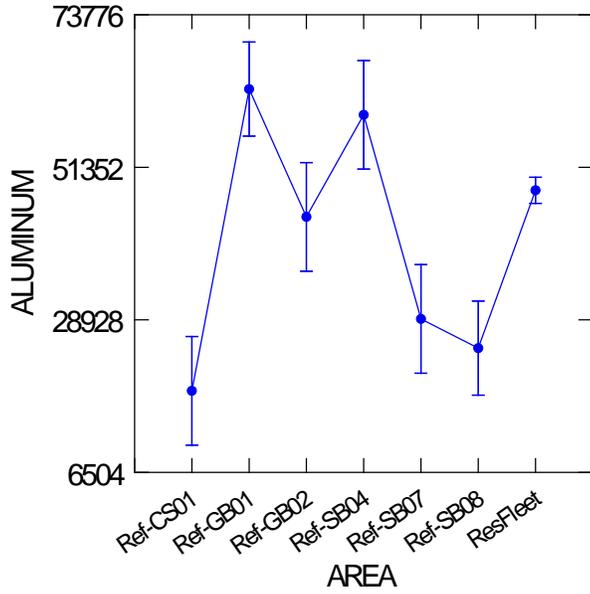
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Appendix 10.6

Statistical Analyses

Surface grab sample statistical analyses

Aluminum



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	13
GB01	3	117.5
GB02	3	95.
ResFleet	51	1971.5
SB04	3	150
SB07	3	47
SB08	3	21

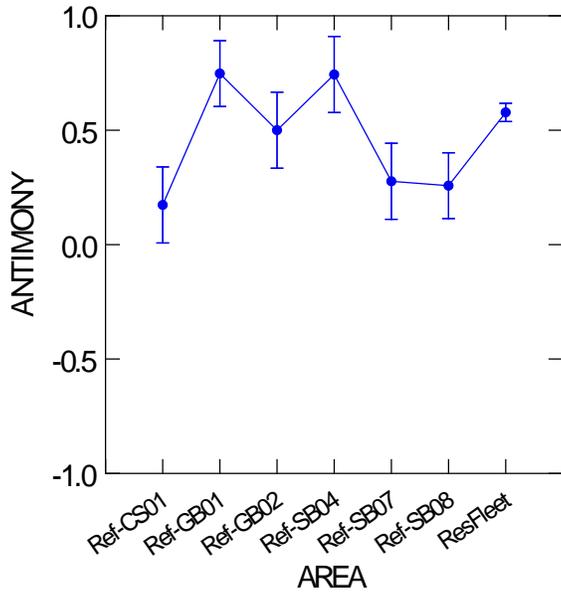
Kruskal-Wallis H Test Statistic = 22.6414

Probability is 0.0009 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
10.4477	12.3697	0.844623	3.548	ns

Antimony



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

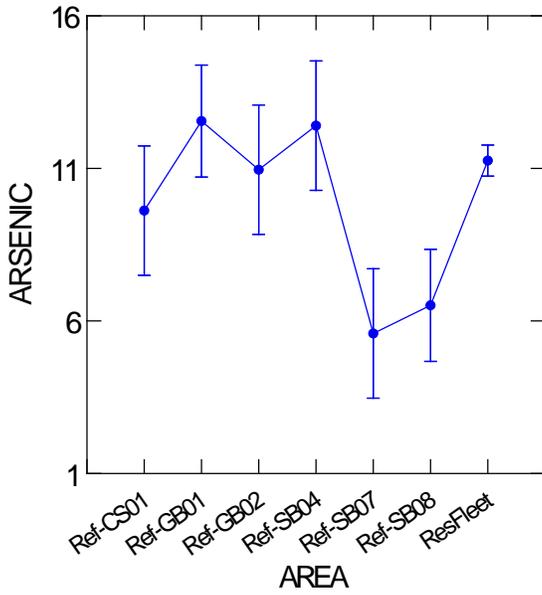
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	12
GB01	3	108
GB02	3	108.5
ResFleet	51	1961.5
SB04	3	161
SB07	3	39.5
SB08	3	24.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 24.538
 Probability is 0.00 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
9.80882	12.3654	0.793249	3.54846	ns

Arsenic



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

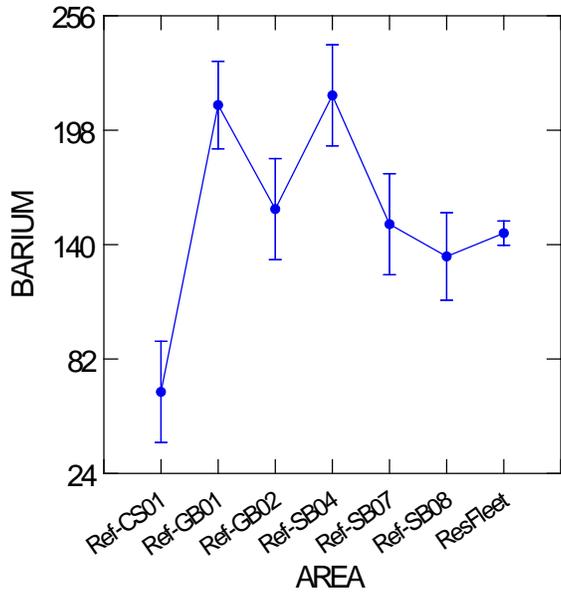
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	90.5
GB01	3	97
GB02	3	113
ResFleet	51	1947
SB04	3	132.5
SB07	3	15
SB08	3	20

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 15.6754
 Probability is 0.016 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
9.39542	5.49979	1.70832	3.54846	ns

Barium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

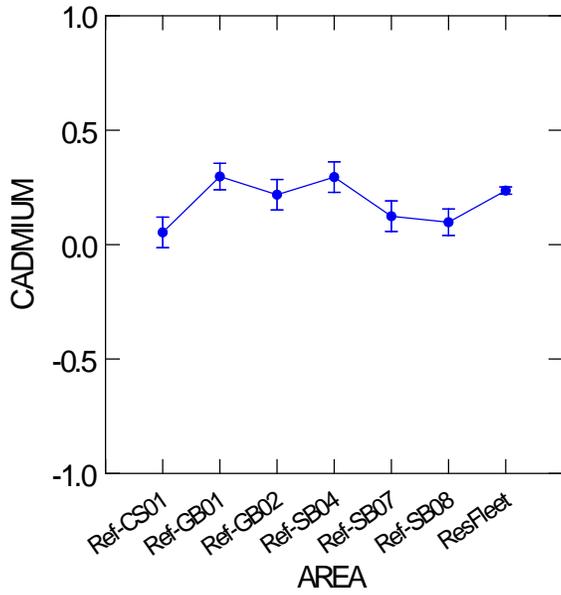
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	12
GB01	3	114
GB02	3	129.5
ResFleet	51	1802
SB04	3	184
SB07	3	116.5
SB08	3	57

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 17.9892
 Probability is 0.006 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
-4.05882	12.369	0.328145	3.54846	ns

Cadmium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

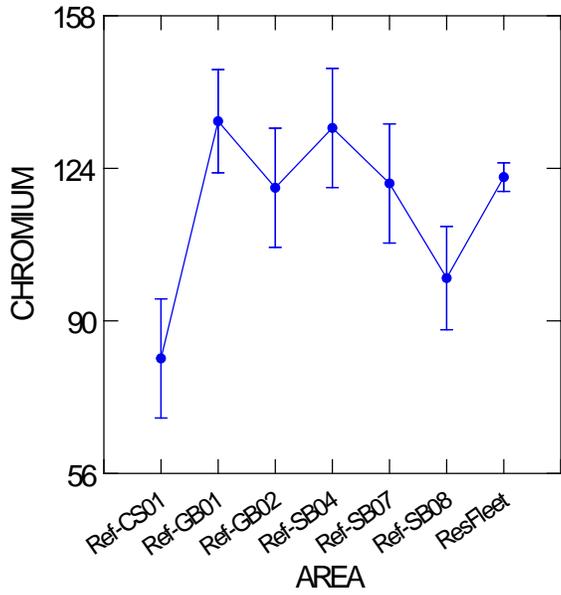
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	12
GB01	3	117
GB02	3	108.5
ResFleet	51	1931
SB04	3	176
SB07	3	48.5
SB08	3	22

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 24.0827
 Probability is 0.0005 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df
 SB08_vs_CS01 7.33333 16.38 0.447701

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
6.83987	12.3695	0.552965	3.54846	ns

Chromium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

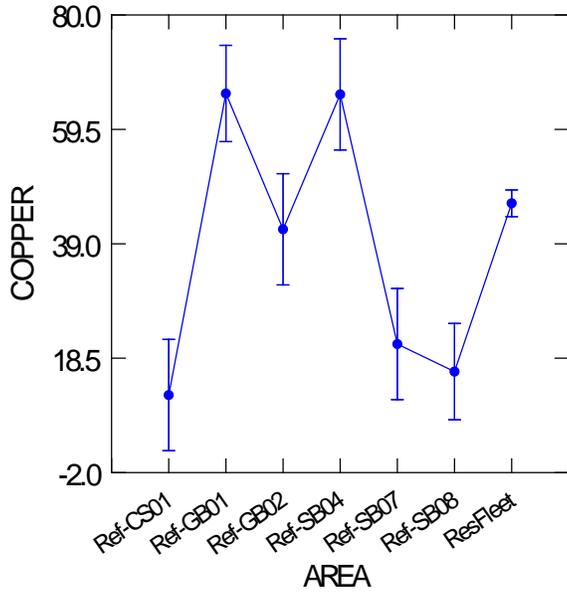
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	15
GB01	3	105.5
GB02	3	98
ResFleet	51	1923
SB04	3	149
SB07	3	88.5
SB08	3	36.

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 14.3431
 Probability is 0.026 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
6.38889	12.3666	0.516623	3.54846	ns

Copper



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

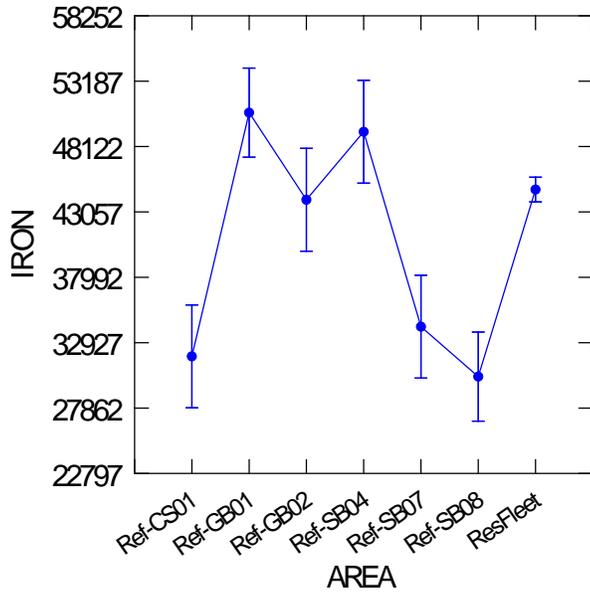
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	13
GB01	3	114
GB02	3	103
ResFleet	51	1962
SB04	3	166.5
SB07	3	38
SB08	3	18.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 24.9474
 Probability is 0.0003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
10.0719	12.3697	0.814241	3.54846	ns

Iron



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

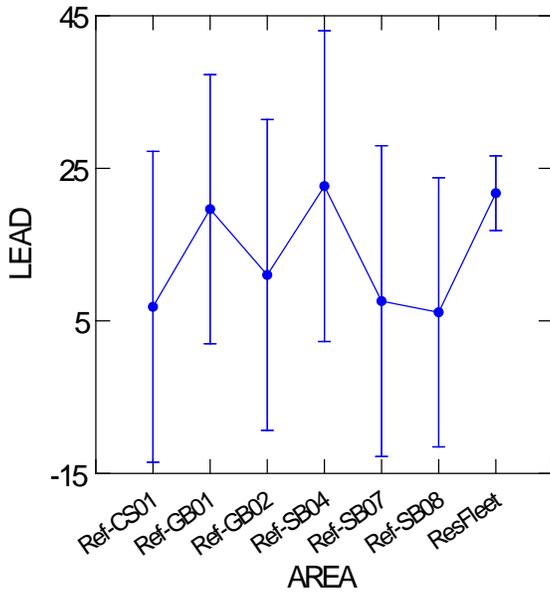
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	28
GB01	3	117
GB02	3	90
ResFleet	51	1973.5
SB04	3	152.5
SB07	3	37
SB08	3	17

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 21.6441
 Probability is 0.001 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
10.4853	12.3689	0.847715	3.54846	ns

Lead



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

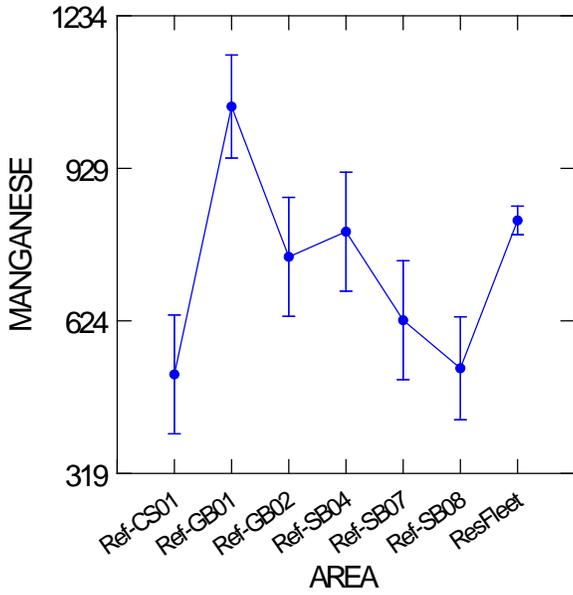
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	32.5
GB01	3	102
GB02	3	98
ResFleet	51	1942.5
SB04	3	178
SB07	3	51
SB08	3	11

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 21.2821
 Probability is 0.001 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
8.45588	12.3698	0.683591	3.54846	ns

Manganese



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

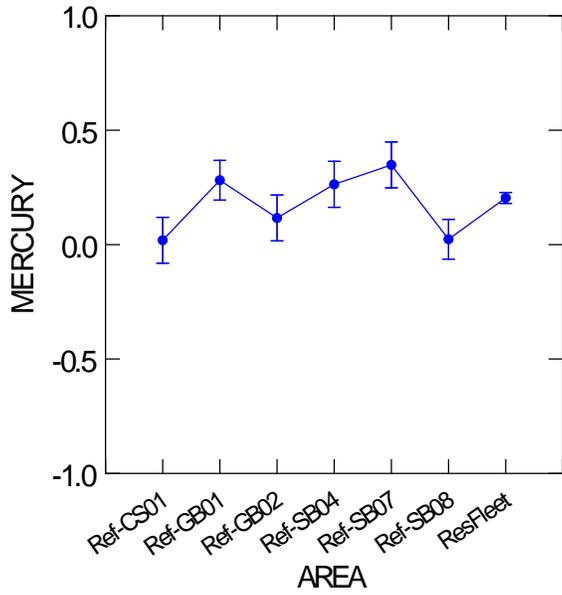
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	26
GB01	3	120.5
GB02	3	97.5
ResFleet	51	1975
SB04	3	117
SB07	3	61
SB08	3	18

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 18.6649
 Probability is 0.005 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
10.4853	12.3693	0.847684	3.54846	ns

Mercury



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

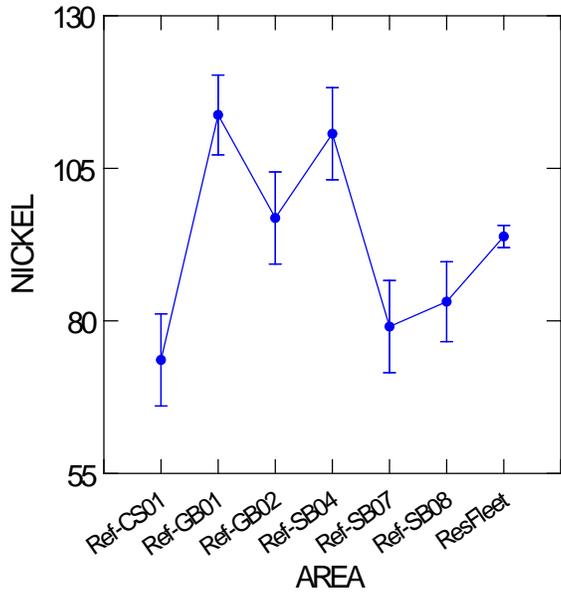
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	26
GB01	3	120.5
GB02	3	97.5
ResFleet	51	1975
SB04	3	117
SB07	3	61
SB08	3	18

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 20.2884
 Probability is 0.002 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
8.94444	12.3696	0.723101	3.54846	ns

Nickel



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

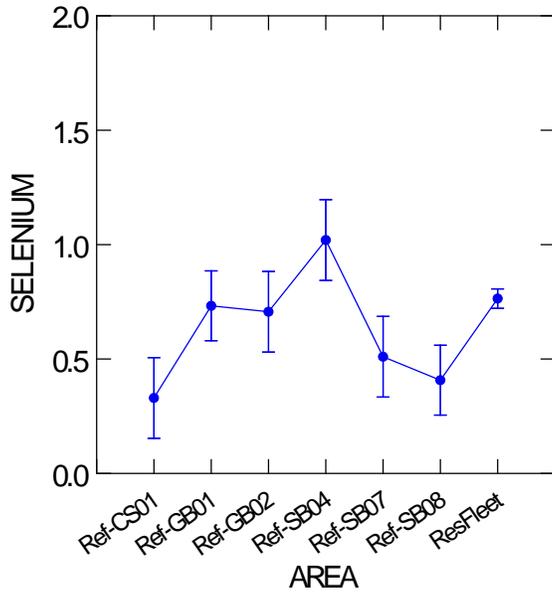
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	31
GB01	3	133.5
GB02	3	121
ResFleet	51	1869
SB04	3	172.5
SB07	3	47
SB08	3	41

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 19.7181
 Probability is 0.003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
1.27778	5.49879	0.232374	3.54846	ns

Selenium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

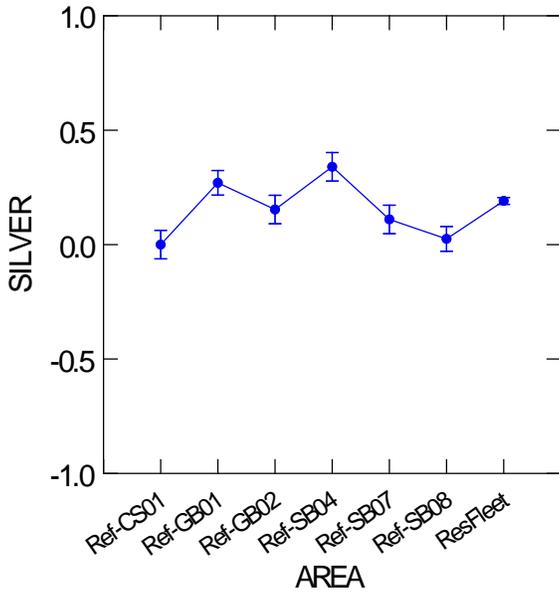
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	43.5
GB01	3	92.5
GB02	3	97.5
ResFleet	51	1953.5
SB04	3	156
SB07	3	56.5
SB08	3	15.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 12.8749
 Probability is 0.045 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
9.88399	12.367	0.799225	3.54846	ns

Silver



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

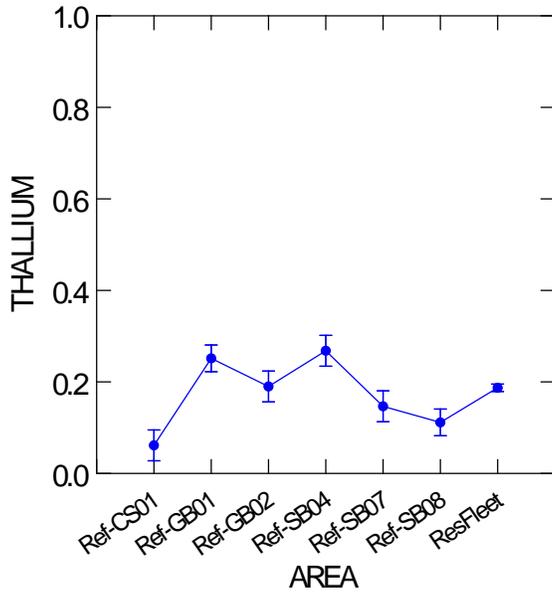
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	13.5
GB01	3	111.5
GB02	3	101
ResFleet	51	1913
SB04	3	189.5
SB07	3	64
SB08	3	22.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 23.6523
 Probability is 0.0006 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
6.53922	12.3576	0.529166	3.54846	ns

Thallium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

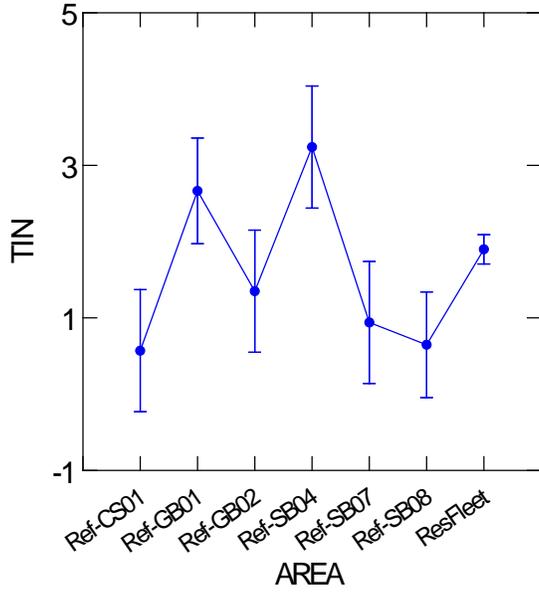
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	13
GB01	3	110.5
GB02	3	114
ResFleet	51	1895
SB04	3	179.5
SB07	3	71
SB08	3	32.

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 19.8901
 Probability is 0.003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
4.05882	5.49969	0.738009	3.54846	ns

Tin



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

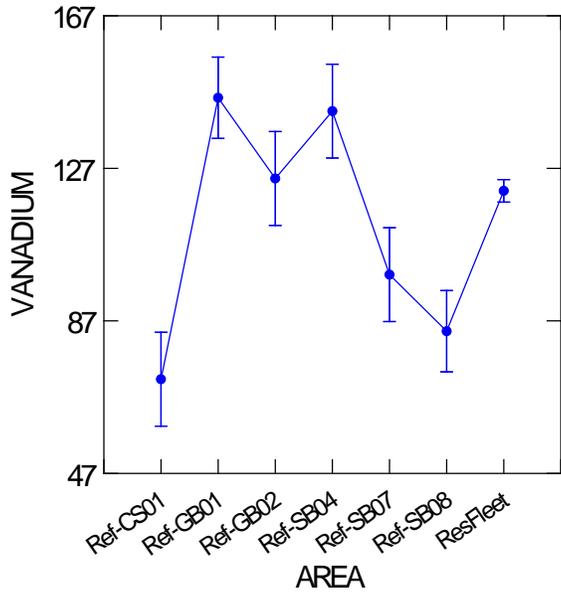
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	21
GB01	3	118
GB02	3	105
ResFleet	51	1896.5
SB04	3	190
SB07	3	64.5
SB08	3	20

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 23.4638
 Probability is 0.0007 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
4.13399	12.3695	0.334209	3.54846	ns

Vanadium



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

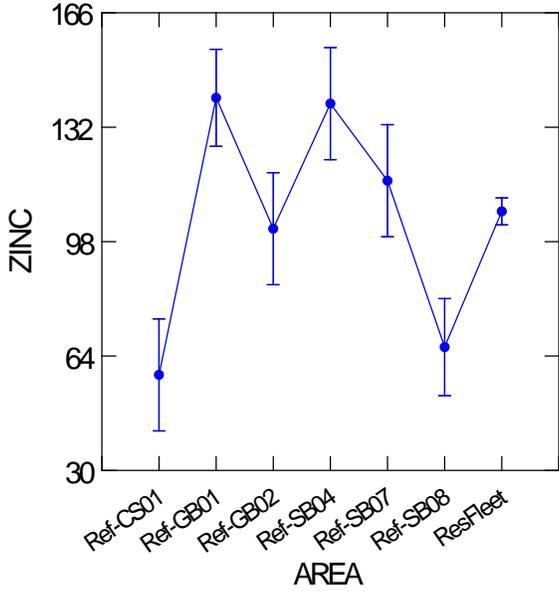
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	16
GB01	3	122
GB02	3	108
ResFleet	51	1919
SB04	3	164.5
SB07	3	59.5
SB08	3	26

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 21.3727
 Probability is 0.002 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
6.08824	12.3665	0.492316	3.54846	ns

Zinc



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

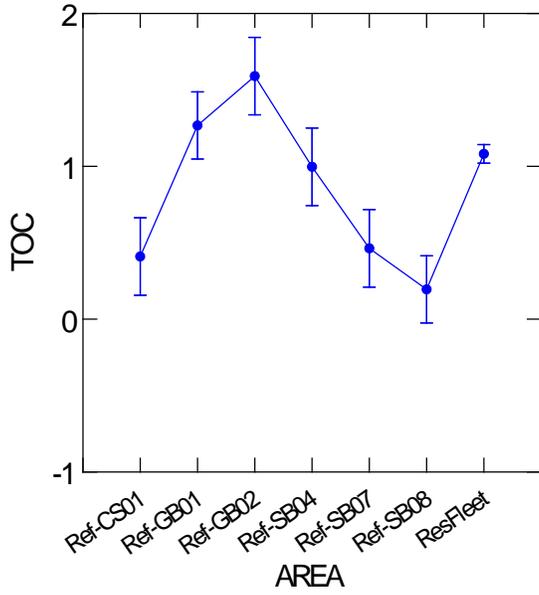
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	15
GB01	3	118
GB02	3	107
ResFleet	51	1886
SB04	3	165
SB07	3	104
SB08	3	20

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 19.6433
 Probability is 0.003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
3.94608	12.3683	0.319047	3.54846	ns

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Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 69 cases

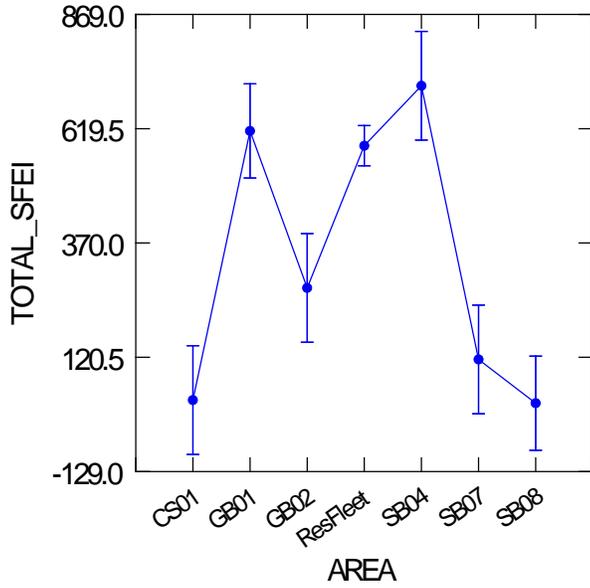
Group	Count	Rank Sum
GB01	3	111.5
GB02	3	121
ResFleet	51	1998
SB04	3	101.5
SB07	3	37
SB08	3	15.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 19.4597
 Probability is 0.003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
13.8301	12.3685	1.11816	3.54846	ns

Total PAHs (SFEI)



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 42 cases

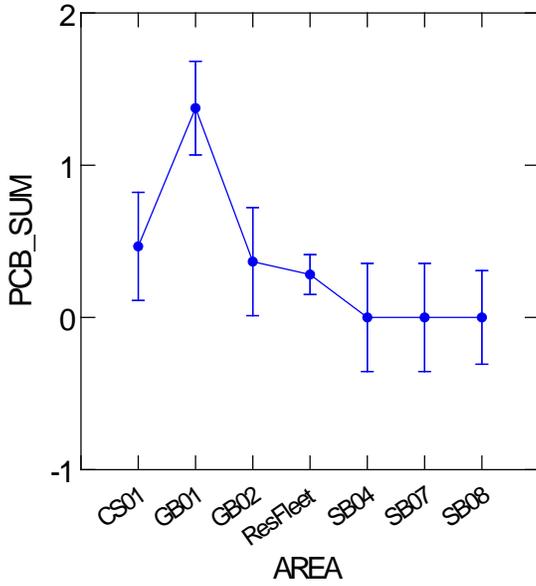
Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	12
GB01	5	107
GB02	3	46
ResFleet	24	595
SB04	3	97
SB07	3	30
SB08	4	16

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 25.206
 Probability is 0.0003 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
11.6427	7.52513	1.54717	3.54846	ns

PCBs



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 42 cases
 Dependent variable is PCB_SUM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
CS01	3	71.000
GB01	4	136.000
GB02	3	68.500
ResFleet	22	457.500
SB04	3	51.000
SB07	3	51.000
SB08	4	68.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 11.067
 Probability is 0.086 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 12.59
 Probability is 0.46 assuming Chi-square distribution with 6 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
-1.12121	3.80842	0.294403	3.54846	ns

Core surface (0 – 15 cm) Statistical Analyses

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	86.000
Ref	8	117.000
ResFleet	15	232.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.097
 Probability is 0.952 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases

Dependent variable is ANTIMONY

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	76.500
Ref	8	98.000
ResFleet	15	260.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.415
 Probability is 0.299 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	58.000
Ref	8	118.500
ResFleet	15	258.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.391
 Probability is 0.184 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	81.000
Ref	8	137.000
ResFleet	15	217.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.743
 Probability is 0.690 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	70.000
Ref	8	105.500
ResFleet	15	259.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.377
 Probability is 0.305 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	76.000
Ref	8	132.000
ResFleet	15	227.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.704
 Probability is 0.703 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is COPPER

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	81.000
Ref	8	100.000
ResFleet	15	254.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.649
 Probability is 0.438 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is IRON

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	91.000
Ref	8	94.000
ResFleet	15	250.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.743
 Probability is 0.418 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is LEAD

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	89.000
Ref	8	94.000
ResFleet	15	252.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.839
 Probability is 0.399 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	86.000
Ref	8	63.500
ResFleet	15	285.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 8.913
 Probability is 0.012 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 31 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	91.000
Ref	7	78.000
ResFleet	18	327.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.070
 Probability is 0.215 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is NICKEL

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	92.000
Ref	8	93.500
ResFleet	15	249.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.773
 Probability is 0.412 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	95.000
Ref	8	111.000
ResFleet	15	229.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.212
 Probability is 0.899 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is SILVER

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	92.000
Ref	8	87.500
ResFleet	15	255.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.692
 Probability is 0.260 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	78.000
Ref	8	120.500
ResFleet	15	236.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.453
 Probability is 0.797 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is TIN

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	85.000
Ref	8	104.000
ResFleet	15	246.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.904
 Probability is 0.636 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	87.000
Ref	8	120.500
ResFleet	15	227.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.027
 Probability is 0.987 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is ZINC

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	85.500
Ref	8	93.500
ResFleet	15	256.000

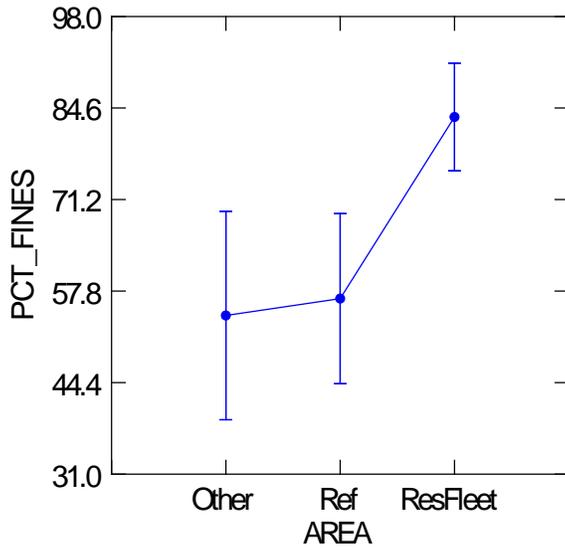
Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.142
 Probability is 0.343 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 33 cases
 Dependent variable is TOC

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	68.000
Ref	9	154.000
ResFleet	18	339.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.716
 Probability is 0.257 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

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Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is PCT_FINES

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	4	37.000	9.25
Ref	6	50.500	8.3
ResFleet	15	237.500	15.8

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.591
 Probability is 0.061 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Multiple Contrasts: ResFleet vs. Refs

Contrast	SE	S	Critical Chi	Conclusion
6.125	3.629	1.68779	2.44775	ns

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 29 cases
 Dependent variable is TOC
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	65.000
Ref	6	85.000
ResFleet	17	285.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.231
 Probability is 0.328 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Sum Organo-tins

Top of Cores

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 27 cases – only one detection
 Dependent variable is TOTALTIN
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	94.500
Ref	6	81.000
ResFleet	15	202.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.500
 Probability is 0.174 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Sum PCBs

Top of Cores

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 18 cases – only one detection
 Dependent variable is PCBs
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	45.000
Ref	3	27.000
ResFleet	10	99.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.800
 Probability is 0.670 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

SFEI PAHs

Top of Cores

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 18 cases
 Dependent variable is SFEI_PAHS
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	52.000
Ref	3	25.000
ResFleet	10	94.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.289
 Probability is 0.866 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Core Subsurface Statistical Analyses

SFEI PAHs

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is SFEI_PAH
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	42
Ref	3	17
ResFleet	8	77

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.511
 Probability is 0.47 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 14 cases
 Dependent variable is SFEI_PAH
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	39
Ref	2	15
ResFleet	7	51

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.044
 Probability is 0.978 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 30-45 cm TOC normalized

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is PAHS_NORM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	49
Ref	3	23
ResFleet	8	64

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.553
 Probability is 0.758 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm TOC normalized

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 15 cases
 Dependent variable is PAHS_NORM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	39
Ref	3	30
ResFleet	7	51

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.789
 Probability is 0.674 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Sum PCBs

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is PCBS
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	39.000
Ref	3	29.000
ResFleet	8	68.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.497
 Probability is 0.780 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is PCBS
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	40.500
Ref	2	11.000
ResFleet	7	53.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.891
 Probability is 0.640 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 30-45 cm TOC normalized

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is PCBS/TOC
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	35.000
Ref	3	30.000
ResFleet	8	71.000

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.816
 Probability is 0.403 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm TOC normalized

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 16 cases
 Dependent variable is PCBS/TOC
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	47.500
Ref	2	13.000
ResFleet	9	75.500

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.998
 Probability is 0.607 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Sum Organo-tins

Cores: 15-30 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is TOTAL_OT
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	87.5
Ref	5	62.5
ResFleet	14	175

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.167
 Probability is 0.205 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is TOTAL_OT
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	84
Ref	5	60
ResFleet	13	156

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3
 Probability is 0.223 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 45-60 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases
 Dependent variable is TOTAL_OT
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	4	50
Ref	4	40
ResFleet	12	120

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4
 Probability is 0.135 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 60-90 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is TOTAL_OT
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	63
Ref	4	42
ResFleet	12	126

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.200
 Probability is 0.202 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases
 Dependent variable is TOTAL_OT
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	60
Ref	4	40
ResFleet	11	110

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3
 Probability is 0.223 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

TOC

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is TOC
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	52
Ref	5	58
ResFleet	13	190

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.009
 Probability is 0.222 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Fines

Cores: 15-30 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is FINES
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	63.5
Ref	5	49
ResFleet	14	212.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.821
 Probability is 0.244 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is FINES
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	53
Ref	5	46.5
ResFleet	13	200.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.861
 Probability is 0.088 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Other	6.58974	3.48915	1.88864	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	6.12308	3.72023	1.64589	2.39398	
Ref_vs_Other	0.46667	4.28081	0.109014	2.39398	

Cores: 45-60 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is FINES
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	40
Ref	4	32
ResFleet	12	159

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.682
 Probability is 0.159 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 60-90 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is FINES
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	36
Ref	4	35
ResFleet	12	160

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.098
 Probability is 0.129 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases
 Dependent variable is FINES
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	37
Ref	4	35
ResFleet	11	138

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.038
 Probability is 0.219 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Trace Elements

Cores: 15-30 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is ALUMINUM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	56
Ref	5	84
ResFleet	14	185

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.834
 Probability is 0.242 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is ANTIMONY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	55.5
Ref	5	62
ResFleet	14	207.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.454
 Probability is 0.293 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is ARSENIC
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	52
Ref	5	65
ResFleet	14	208

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.973
 Probability is 0.226 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is BARIUM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	63
Ref	5	77
ResFleet	14	185

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.236
 Probability is 0.539 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is CADMIUM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	62
Ref	5	49
ResFleet	14	214

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.088
 Probability is 0.214 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	52
Ref	5	77
ResFleet	14	196

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.880

Probability is 0.237 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	62
Ref	5	55
ResFleet	14	208

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.048

Probability is 0.359 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is IRON

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	51
Ref	5	56.5
ResFleet	14	217.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.175

Probability is 0.124 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is LEAD

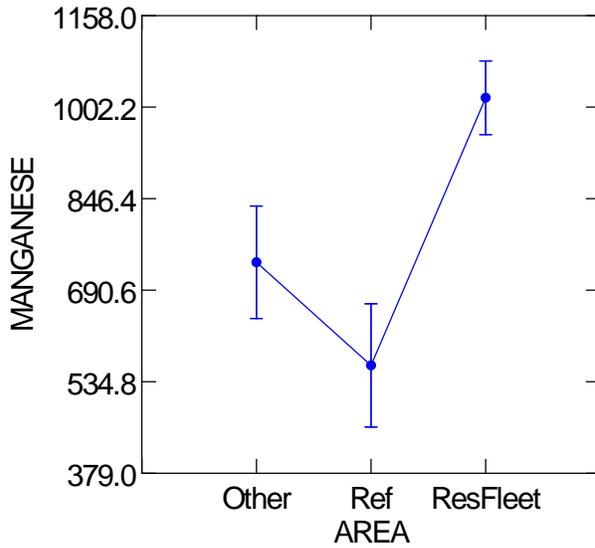
Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	66
Ref	5	41
ResFleet	14	218

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.279

Probability is 0.118 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	61.5	10.25
Ref	5	30	6
ResFleet	14	233.5	16.67

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 8.862
 Probability is 0.012 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	10.6786	3.83363	2.7855	2.39398	*
ResFleet_vs_Other	6.42857	3.59052	1.79043	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	4.25	4.45572	0.953829	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	66
Ref	5	56
ResFleet	14	203

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.324
 Probability is 0.516 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is NICKEL

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	63.5
Ref	5	51
ResFleet	14	210.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.443

Probability is 0.295 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	63.5
Ref	5	52
ResFleet	14	209.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.272

Probability is 0.321 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is SILVER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	78.5
Ref	5	36
ResFleet	14	210.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.190

Probability is 0.123 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	57.5
Ref	5	67
ResFleet	14	200.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.760

Probability is 0.415 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is TIN

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	68
Ref	5	43
ResFleet	14	214

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.445

Probability is 0.179 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	49.5
Ref	5	86
ResFleet	14	189.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.205

Probability is 0.122 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is ZINC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	65
Ref	5	42
ResFleet	14	218

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.184

Probability is 0.123 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 25 cases

Dependent variable is TOC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	73
Ref	5	58
ResFleet	14	194

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.448

Probability is 0.799 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 30-45 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	50
Ref	5	58
ResFleet	13	192

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.506

Probability is 0.173 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is ANTIMONY

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	57	9.5
Ref	5	41.5	8.3
ResFleet	13	201.5	15.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.189

Probability is 0.075 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	6.96923	3.71942	1.87374	2.39398	1
ResFleet_vs_Ref	6.96923	3.71942	1.87374	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Other	5.26923	3.48839	1.5105	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	1.7	4.27988	0.397207	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	47.5	7.9
Ref	5	49	9.8
ResFleet	13	203.5	15.6

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.839

Probability is 0.054 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Other	7.73718	3.48915	2.21749	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	5.85385	3.72023	1.57352	2.39398	
Ref_vs_Other	1.88333	4.28081	0.439948	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	61
Ref	5	57
ResFleet	13	182

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.359

Probability is 0.507 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	61
Ref	5	49
ResFleet	13	190

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.546

Probability is 0.280 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	45	7.5
Ref	5	58	11.6
ResFleet	13	197	15.2

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.914

Probability is 0.086 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Other	7.65385	3.48915	2.19361	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	3.55385	3.72023	0.955275	2.39398	
Ref_vs_Other	4.1	4.28081	0.957762	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

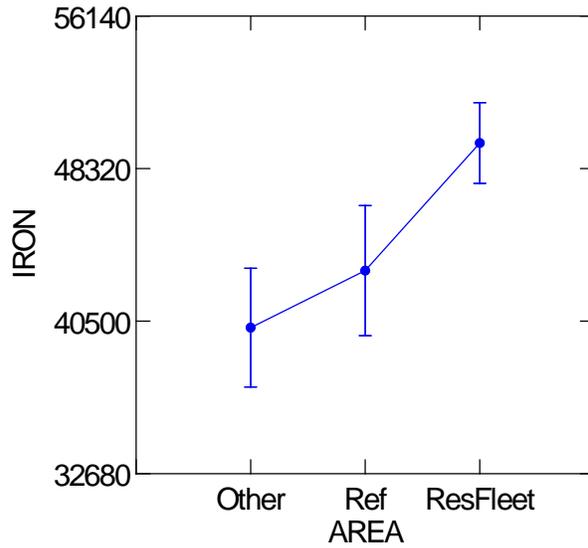
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Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	55
Ref	5	48
ResFleet	13	197

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.005

Probability is 0.135 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is IRON
 Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	45	7.5
Ref	5	51	10.2
ResFleet	13	204	15.7

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 6.179
 Probability is 0.046 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Other	8.19231	3.48991	2.34743	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	5.49231	3.72104	1.47601	2.39398	
Ref_vs_Other	2.7	4.28174	0.630584	2.39398	

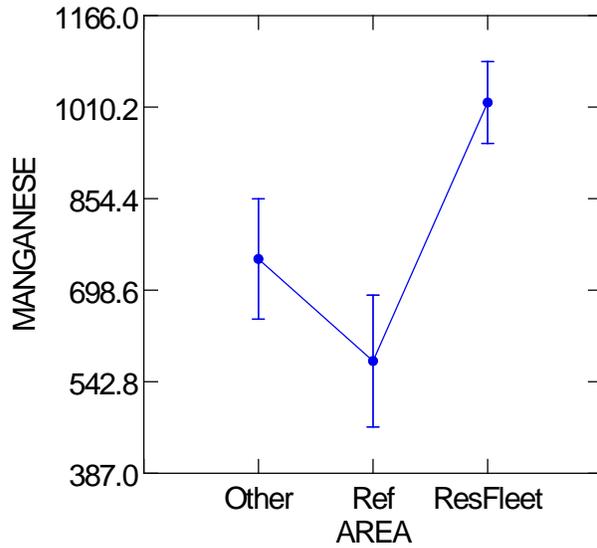
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 Dependent variable is LEAD
 Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	61	10.2
Ref	5	39	7.8
ResFleet	13	200	15.4

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.028
 Probability is 0.081 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	7.66154	3.72023	2.05942	2.39398	1
ResFleet_vs_Other	5.46154	3.48915	1.56529	2.39398	1
Other_vs_Ref	2.2	4.28081	0.513921	2.39398	1

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	62.5	10.4
Ref	5	30.5	6.1
ResFleet	13	207	15.9

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 7.670
 Probability is 0.022 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	9.82308	3.71942	2.64102	2.39398	*
ResFleet_vs_Other	5.50641	3.48839	1.57849	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	4.31667	4.27988	1.00859	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	57.5
Ref	5	58
ResFleet	13	184.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.847
 Probability is 0.397 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is NICKEL

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	51
Ref	5	52
ResFleet	13	197

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.196

Probability is 0.123 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	71.5
Ref	5	64
ResFleet	13	164.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.056

Probability is 0.972 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is SILVER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	69.5
Ref	5	40
ResFleet	13	190.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.344

Probability is 0.188 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	59.5
Ref	5	56.5
ResFleet	13	184

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.657

Probability is 0.437 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is TIN

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	56	9.3
Ref	5	41	8.2
ResFleet	13	203	15.6

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.576

Probability is 0.062 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	7.26154	3.72104	1.95148	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Other	5.79487	3.48991	1.66046	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	1.46667	4.28174	0.34254	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

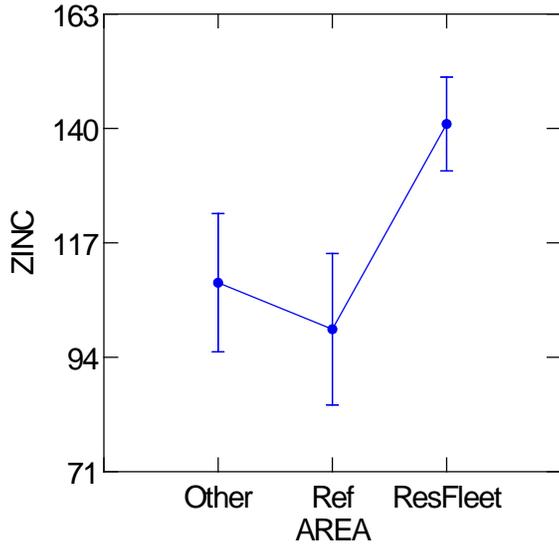
Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	49
Ref	5	57.5
ResFleet	13	193.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.837

Probability is 0.147 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is ZINC
 Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	6	55	9.2
Ref	5	40	8
ResFleet	13	205	15.8

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 6.140
 Probability is 0.046 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	7.76923	3.72023	2.08837	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Other	6.60256	3.48915	1.89231	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	1.16667	4.28081	0.272534	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 24 cases
 Dependent variable is TOC
 Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	6	53
Ref	5	59
ResFleet	13	188

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.664
 Probability is 0.264 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 45-60 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	50.5
Ref	4	43.5
ResFleet	12	137

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.161

Probability is 0.923 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ANTIMONY

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	48
Ref	4	43
ResFleet	12	140

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.400

Probability is 0.819 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	38
Ref	4	52
ResFleet	12	141

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.092

Probability is 0.351 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	39.5
ResFleet	12	134.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.166

Probability is 0.920 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	46
Ref	4	32
ResFleet	12	153

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.310

Probability is 0.315 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	48
Ref	4	37.5
ResFleet	12	145.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.926

Probability is 0.629 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	50
Ref	4	29
ResFleet	12	152

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.458

Probability is 0.293 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is IRON

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	44
Ref	4	34.5
ResFleet	12	152.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.128

Probability is 0.345 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is LEAD

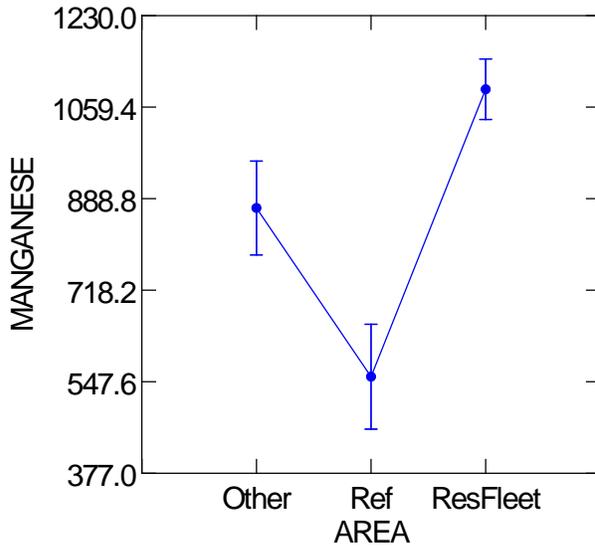
Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	52
Ref	4	27
ResFleet	12	152

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.789

Probability is 0.248 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.789
 Probability is 0.248 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	48	9.6
Ref	4	12	3
ResFleet	12	171	14.2

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 10.196
 Probability is 0.006 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

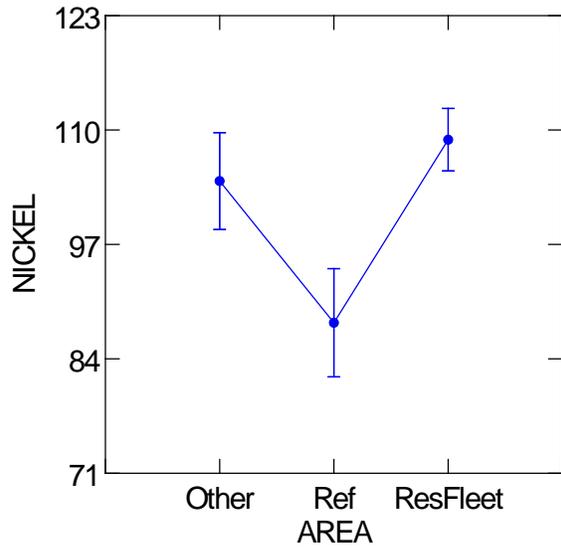
Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	11.25	3.58236	3.14038	2.39398	*
ResFleet_vs_Other	4.65	3.30278	1.40791	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	6.6	4.16233	1.58565	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	40
Ref	4	37
ResFleet	12	154

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.536
 Probability is 0.281 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is NICKEL
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	61	12.2
Ref	4	19	4.8
ResFleet	12	151	12.6

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 5.033
 Probability is 0.081 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	7.83333	3.58004	2.18806	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Other	0.383333	3.30063	0.116139	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	7.45	4.15963	1.79103	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is SELENIUM
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	54
Ref	4	47
ResFleet	12	130

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.072
 Probability is 0.964 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is SILVER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	24.5
ResFleet	12	149.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.165

Probability is 0.205 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	49.5
Ref	4	40
ResFleet	12	141.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.457

Probability is 0.796 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is TIN

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	25
ResFleet	12	149

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.990

Probability is 0.224 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	52.5
Ref	4	43.5
ResFleet	12	135

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.054

Probability is 0.974 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ZINC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	50
Ref	4	25
ResFleet	12	156

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.721

Probability is 0.156 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is TOC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	35.5
Ref	4	43.5
ResFleet	12	152

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.845

Probability is 0.241 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 60-90 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	43
Ref	4	50
ResFleet	12	138

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.060

Probability is 0.589 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ANTIMONY

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	49
Ref	4	38
ResFleet	12	144

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.733

Probability is 0.693 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	41
Ref	4	51
ResFleet	12	139

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.442

Probability is 0.486 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	47
Ref	4	48
ResFleet	12	136

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.471

Probability is 0.790 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Grouping variable is AREAS\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	49.5
Ref	4	35
ResFleet	12	146.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.139

Probability is 0.566 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREAS\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	42
Ref	4	46
ResFleet	12	143

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.168

Probability is 0.558 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

Grouping variable is AREAS\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	49
Ref	4	34
ResFleet	12	148

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.390

Probability is 0.499 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is IRON

Grouping variable is AREAS\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	43
Ref	4	45
ResFleet	12	143

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.016

Probability is 0.602 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is LEAD

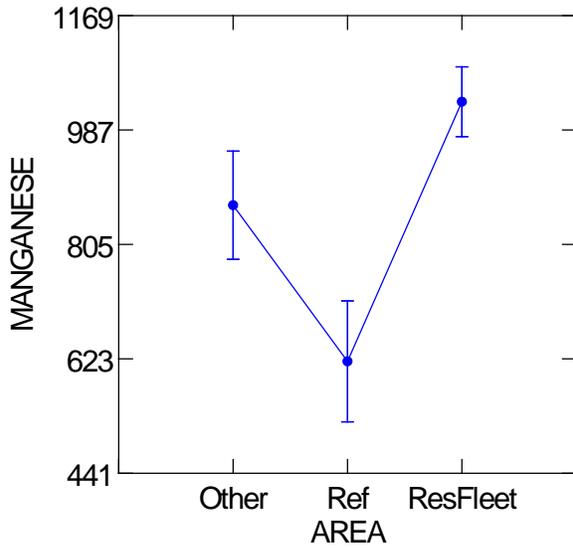
Grouping variable is AREAS\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	29.5
ResFleet	12	144.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.725

Probability is 0.422 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	47.5	9.5
Ref	4	17	4.2
ResFleet	12	166.5	13.9

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 7.607
 Probability is 0.022 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	9.625	3.5812	2.68765	2.39398	*
ResFleet_vs_Other	4.375	3.3017	1.32507	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	5.25	4.16098	1.26172	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	45
Ref	4	36
ResFleet	12	150

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.637
 Probability is 0.441 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is NICKEL

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	60.5
Ref	4	25
ResFleet	12	145.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.901

Probability is 0.234 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	36
ResFleet	12	138

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.515

Probability is 0.773 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is SILVER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	57
Ref	4	23
ResFleet	12	151

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.675

Probability is 0.159 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	47
Ref	4	45
ResFleet	12	139

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.445

Probability is 0.800 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is TIN

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	63
Ref	4	25
ResFleet	12	143

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.939

Probability is 0.230 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	42
Ref	4	51
ResFleet	12	138

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.275

Probability is 0.529 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is ZINC

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	51.5
Ref	4	26
ResFleet	12	153.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.170

Probability is 0.205 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 21 cases

Dependent variable is TOC

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	41
Ref	4	35
ResFleet	12	155

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.689

Probability is 0.261 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Cores: 90-120 cm

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINUM

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	35
Ref	4	41
ResFleet	11	134

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.646

Probability is 0.266 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is ANTIMONY

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	47.5
Ref	4	38
ResFleet	11	124.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.468

Probability is 0.791 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	38.5
Ref	4	46
ResFleet	11	125.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.495

Probability is 0.474 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	37
Ref	4	46
ResFleet	11	127

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.831

Probability is 0.400 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	53
Ref	4	29
ResFleet	11	128

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.614

Probability is 0.446 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	43.5
Ref	4	42
ResFleet	11	124.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.674

Probability is 0.714 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	43
Ref	4	27
ResFleet	11	140

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.682

Probability is 0.159 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is IRON

Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	39
Ref	4	40
ResFleet	11	131

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.694

Probability is 0.429 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is LEAD

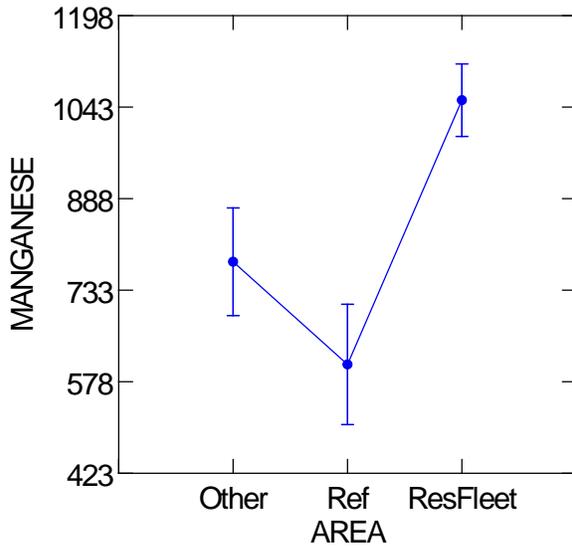
Grouping variable is AREAS

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	51.5
Ref	4	27
ResFleet	11	131.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.280

Probability is 0.320 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Least Squares Means



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases
 Dependent variable is MANGANESE
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	41	8.2
Ref	4	17	4.2
ResFleet	11	152	13.8

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 8.680
 Probability is 0.013 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Ref	9.56818	3.45425	2.76998	2.39398	*
ResFleet_vs_Other	5.61818	3.1909	1.76069	2.39398	
Other_vs_Ref	3.95	3.96863	0.995306	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases
 Dependent variable is MERCURY
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	46	9.2
Ref	4	22	5.5
ResFleet	11	142	12.9

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.923
 Probability is 0.085 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
Other_vs_Ref	8.85	3.96713	2.23083	2.39398	
Other_vs_ResFleet	0.6	3.1897	0.188106	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	8.25	3.45295	2.38926	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is NICKEL

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	44
Ref	4	26
ResFleet	11	140

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.803

Probability is 0.149 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	55
Ref	4	39
ResFleet	11	116

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.101

Probability is 0.951 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is SILVER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	60.5
Ref	4	20.5
ResFleet	11	129

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.147

Probability is 0.126 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is THALLIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	39
Ref	4	41.5
ResFleet	11	129.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.553

Probability is 0.460 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is TIN

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	5	63	
Ref	4	15	
ResFleet	11	132	

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 6.549

Probability is 0.038 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
Other_vs_Ref	8.85	3.96713	2.23083	2.39398	
Other_vs_ResFleet	0.6	3.1897	0.188106	2.39398	
ResFleet_vs_Ref	8.25	3.45295	2.38926	2.39398	

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	38.5
Ref	4	48.5
ResFleet	11	123

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.570

Probability is 0.456 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is ZINC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	46.5
Ref	4	26
ResFleet	11	137.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.304

Probability is 0.192 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 20 cases

Dependent variable is TOC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	5	59
Ref	4	39
ResFleet	11	112

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.338

Probability is 0.844 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

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Tissue Residues

Organo-tins

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is Organo-Tins

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	10.5
Ref	2	12
ResFleet	4	13.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.022

Probability is 0.364 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Same exact results when normalized to lipid.

PCBs

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is PCB

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	7
Ref	2	7
ResFleet	4	22

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 2.286

Probability is 0.319 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Same exact results when normalized to lipid.

SFEI PAHs

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is PAHs

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Normalized to Lipids

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is PAHs./LIPID

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	9
ResFleet	4	18

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0

Probability is 1.000 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Trace Elements

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is ALUMINIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

<u>Group</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>Rank Sum</u>
Other	2	9
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is ARSENIC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

<u>Group</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>Rank Sum</u>
Other	2	10
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	18

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.167

Probability is 0.920 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is BARIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

<u>Group</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>Rank Sum</u>
Other	2	9
Ref	2	7
ResFleet	4	20

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.5

Probability is 0.779 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is CADMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

<u>Group</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>Rank Sum</u>
Other	2	13
Ref	2	7
ResFleet	4	16

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.833

Probability is 0.400 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is CHROMIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

<u>Group</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>Rank Sum</u>
Other	2	8
Ref	2	9
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is COPPER

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is IRON

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	7
ResFleet	4	20

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.5

Probability is 0.779 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is LEAD

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	8
Ref	2	6.5
ResFleet	4	21.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1.128

Probability is 0.569 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is MANGANESE

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is MERCURY

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	8
Ref	2	12
ResFleet	4	16

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 1

Probability is 0.607 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is NICKEL

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	8
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is SELENIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	8
Ref	2	9
ResFleet	4	19

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.125

Probability is 0.939 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is VANADIUM

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum
Other	2	9
Ref	2	7.5
ResFleet	4	19.5

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 0.285

Probability is 0.867 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 8 cases

Dependent variable is ZINC

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count	Rank Sum	Mean Rank
Other	2	13	6.5
Ref	2	3	1.5
ResFleet	4	20	5

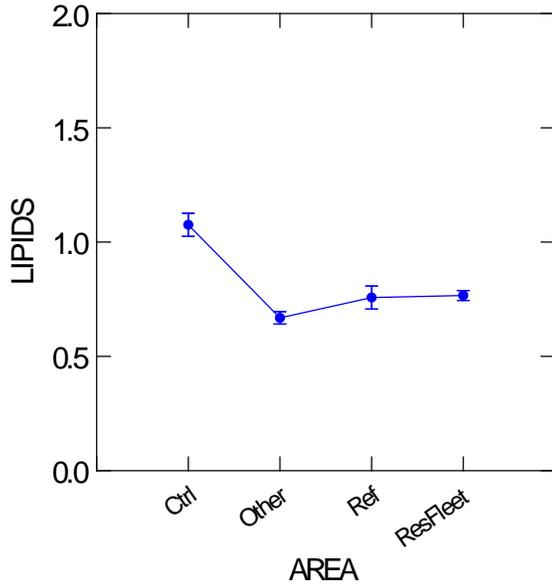
Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.5

Probability is 0.1054 assuming Chi-square distribution with 2 df

Comparison	Difference	SE	Q	Q _c	Conclusion
ResFleet_vs_Other	1.5	2.12	0.707107	2.39398	ns
ResFleet_vs_Ref	3.5	2.12	1.64992	2.39398	ns
Ref_vs_Other	5	2.5	2.04124	2.39398	ns

LIPIDS

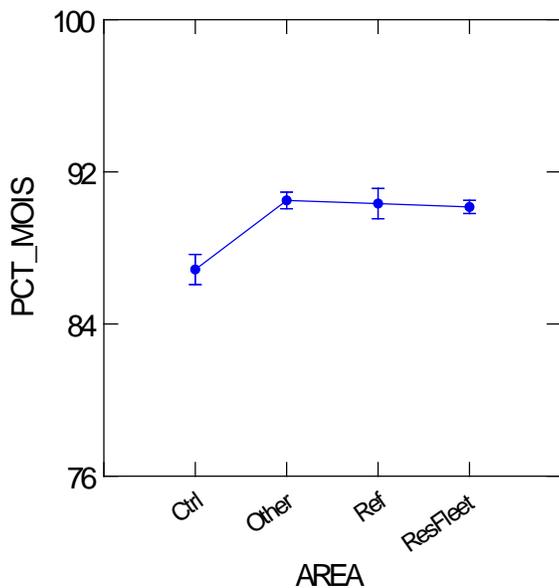
Here are the K-W results for mussel characteristics, along with graphical presentation:



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 66 cases
 Dependent variable is LIPIDS
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count
Ctrl	1
Other	3
Ref	4
ResFleet	1

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 6.4
 Probability is 0.09 assuming Chi-square distribution with 3 df



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 32 cases

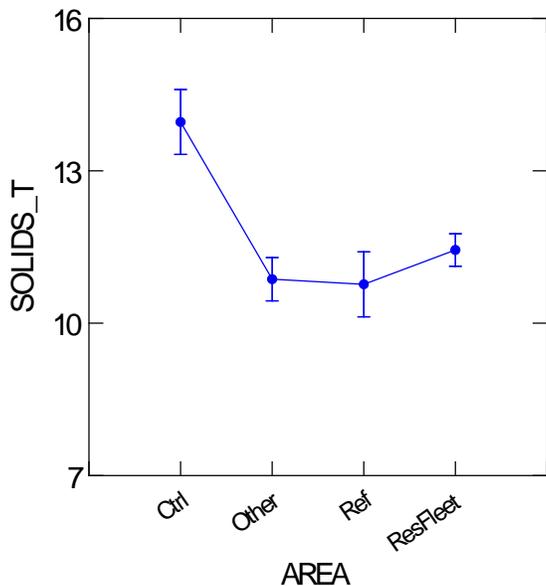
Dependent variable is PCT_MOISTURE

Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count
Ctrl	1
Other	3
Ref	4
ResFleet	1

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 3.2777

Probability is 0.35 assuming Chi-square distribution with 3 df



Kruskal-Wallis One-Way Analysis of Variance for 33 cases
 Dependent variable is SOLIDS_T
 Grouping variable is AREA\$

Group	Count
Ctrl	1
Other	3
Ref	1
ResFleet	4

Kruskal-Wallis Test Statistic = 4.344
 Probability is 0.2265 assuming Chi-square distribution with 3 df

These tests fail to indicate significant differences, except for lipids. Graphically however, what can be easily discerned is that the initial set of mussels collected, the control, is behaving differently from all deployed mussels. For lipids, the K-W indicated significant differences, however the multiple comparison test was unable to distinguish between areas. This incapacity may well be due to the lack of replication and extremely low sample sizes