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Identification Information:

Citation:

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Originators: Michele Masuda, Marie Larsen, Jacek Maselko, Mark Carls, AFSC

Title:

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Online linkage: <u>http://www.afsc.noaa.gov/ABL/Habitat/ablhab_exxonvaldez_hydrocarbon_database.htm</u>

Description:

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Purpose:

This database contains sample collection information (table Sample) and analytical hydrocarbon analyses of those samples in tables Alkane, PAH, and Biomarker together with quality control codes for each analyte (tables QC code Alkane and QC code PAH).

Time period of content:

Time period information: Range of dates/times: Beginning date: 19890323 Ending date: 2010

Currentness reference: ground condition

Status:

Progress: In work Maintenance and update frequency: As needed

Spatial domain:

Description of geographic extent: Prince William Sound, Alaska

Bounding coordinates:

West bounding coordinate: -148.71027 East bounding coordinate: -145.61536 North bounding coordinate: 61.2702 South bounding coordinate: 59.76364

Keywords:

Theme: Theme keywords: Biota, 002 Theme keyword thesaurus: ISO 19115 Topic Categories

Theme:

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Theme keywords: hydrocarbon, Exxon Valdez, Ecological dynamics Theme keyword thesaurus: None

Place:

Place keywords: Alaska, AK, Prince William Sound Place keyword thesaurus: Geographic Names Information System

Access constraints: There are no legal restrictions on access to the data. They reside in public domain and can be freely distributed.

Use constraints:

User must read and fully comprehend the metadata prior to use. Data should not be used beyond the limits of the source scale. Acknowledgement of NOAA, as the source from which these data were obtained, in any publications and/or other representations of these data is suggested.

Point of contact:

Contact information:

Contact person primary:

Contact person: Michele Masuda

Contact organization: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Alaska Fisheries Science Center (AFSC) Auke Bay Laboratories (ABL)

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Contact instructions:

The e-mail address directs you to the person most knowledgeable about this data. If an alternative contact person becomes necessary, use the voice phone number for referral.

Data set credit:

We thank the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council for support of this database for many years. We also thank the developers of the original versions of this database, including Sid Korn, Carol-Ann Manen, Jeffrey W. Short, Bonita D.

Nelson, Ron A. Heintz, and Marshal Kenziorek.

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Data Quality Information:

Logical consistency report: N/A

Completeness report:

N/A

Lineage:

Process step:

Process description:

See User's Manual for process and database table descriptions. This manual is available online with the downloadable database.

Process date: Unknown

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Resource description: Downloadable data

Distribution liability:

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Metadata Reference Information:

Metadata date: 20100129 Metadata review date: 20100129

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Metadata standard name: FGDC Biological Data Profile of the Content Standard for Digital Geospatial Metadata Metadata standard version: FGDC-STD-001.1-1999

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