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## **Project Instructions**

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Platform:	NOAA Ship Bell M. Shimada
Project Number:	SH-17-09 (OMAO)
Project Title:	Advanced Technologies to Survey Rockfishes
Project Dates:	October 5, 2017 to October 25, 2017

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# I. Overview

# A. Brief Summary and Project Period

Many species of rockfishes live in complex rocky habitats, have been over-fished, and are difficult or impossible to accurately survey using conventional bottom-trawl gear. Our ability to count these species in rocky habitats and to delineate the distribution and extent of these habitats is critical to the estimation of absolute abundance of these species for stock assessments. To that end, NMFS is pursuing the Untrawlable Habitat Strategic Initiative (UHSI) field research in the Southern California Bight. Associated with the goals of the UHSI, NMFS also recognizes the need for more high-resolution mapping of the seafloor in order to delineate and quantify rockfish habitats. Research planned for October 2017 on the *B. Shimada* represents year-2 of the UHSI project in Southern California. We are using the results from our year-1 study off the *R. Lasker* in October 2016 in Southern California to inform the experiments we will conduct in this second year from the *B. Shimada*. We also will continue our plan to map the seafloor at priority sites in and around the Channel Islands.

During this mission, we will 1) rendezvous with R/V *Velero IV* (contracted through NMFS) and use NMFS's Seabed autonomous underwater vehicle (AUV) as part of an underwater experiment to observe and quantify the behavior of rockfishes in reaction to mobile survey vehicles; 2) acquire high-resolution bathymetric data around the northern Channel Islands using the vessel's ME70 sonar; 3) survey rockfishes and habitats visually using the AUV; 4) deploy and retrieve small drop cameras to observe fishes on the seafloor.

This is a multi-year collaboration among researchers from the NMFS SWFSC, NWFSC, SEFSC, and AFSC, and complements ongoing similar surveys being conducted in the Gulf of Mexico as well as ongoing seafloor mapping and habitat surveys being conducted by NOAAs Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary. The results of this mission will lead to more accurate estimates of demersal fish populations and associated habitats in deep-water, thereby supporting NOAA's objectives to achieve sustainable fisheries and improve our understanding of marine ecosystems. Our findings will improve stock assessments of species in untrawlable habitats, and will assist in the interpretation and understanding of the use of deepwater habitats by demersal fishes.

B. Days at Sea (DAS)

Of the 21 DAS scheduled for this project, 0 DAS are funded by an OMAO allocation, 21 DAS are funded by a Line Office Allocation, 0 DAS are Program Funded, and 0 DAS are Other Agency funded.

C. Operating Area

The operational area will include the waters in and around the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary (Santa Rosa, Santa Cruz, Anacapa Islands); see Appendix 1. The majority of operations will be conducted between 50m and 350m.

# D. Summary of Objectives

There are five objectives associated with this project:

1) To collect high-resolution bathymetry data using the ship's ME70.

- 2) To groundtruth bathymetric data using NMFS' Seabed AUV
- 3) To conduct visual surveys of groundfishes using NMFS' Seabed AUV.
- 4) Rendezvous with R/V *Velero IV* (contracted by NMFS) at Footprint study site (Appendix 2), during which time the AUV will operate as part of an underwater experiment to observe and quantify the behavior of rockfishes in reaction to mobile survey vehicles.
- 5) To deploy and retrieve small drop cameras (Trigcams) at the Footprint study site to observe and quantify rockfishes associated with rocky habitats.
  - E. Participating Institutions

NOAA: NMFS – Southwest Fisheries Science Center; Northwest Fisheries Science Center; Alaska Fisheries Science Center; Alaska Fisheries Region; Southeast Fisheries Science Center; Deep Sea Coral Research and Technology Program; Untrawlable Habitat Strategic Initiative. NOS – Office of National Marine Sanctuaries; National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science; Office of Coast Survey.

Name (Last, First)	Title	Date Aboard	Date Disembark	Gender	Affiliation	Natio nality
Anderson, Jeff	Scientist, AUV	10/3/2017	10/27/2017	Male	Contractor	USA
Clarke, Elizabeth (Liz)	Scientist, AUV, P.I.	10/3/2017	10/27/2017	Female	NOAA NMFS	USA
Fruh, Erica	Scientist, AUV	10/3/2017	10/27/2017	Female	NOAA NMFS	USA
Chris Rooper	Scientist, Trigcam	10/9/2017	10/25/2017	Male	NOAA NMFS	USA
Kresimir Williams	Scientist, Trigcam	10/9/2017	10/13/2017	Male	NOAA NMFS	USA
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Watters, Diana	Fishery Biologist/seafloor mapping	10/3/2017	10/26/2017	Female	NOAA NMFS	USA
Whitmire, Curt	Scientist, AUV	10/3/2017	10/27/2017	Male	NOAA NMFS	USA
Yoklavich, Mary	Chief Scientist, Fisheries Biologist	10/3/2017	10/26/2017	Female	NOAA NMFS	USA

F. Personnel/Science Party: name, title, gender, affiliation, and nationality

#### G. Administrative

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2. Diplomatic Clearances

None Required.

3. Licenses and Permits

This project will be conducted under a Scientific Research Permit (U.S.) that is currently being reviewed for issuance to Mary Yoklavich by NOAAs Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary. We will provide the ship with a pdf of this permit prior to sailing.

#### II. Operations

The Chief Scientist is responsible for ensuring the scientific staff are trained in planned operations and are knowledgeable of project objectives and priorities. The Commanding Officer is responsible for ensuring all operations conform to the ship's accepted practices and procedures.

#### A: Project Itinerary:

Most science party will board the *Shimada* in Newport, OR on 3 October 2017. We will begin transit to the Channel Islands from Newport, OR on October 5, 2017. The ME70 will require some testing that could be performed in transit to our study site. Two scientists will join the cruise once the Shimada arrives in the Santa Barbara area (ETA: 1500 on 9 October 2017); this personnel transfer will be accomplished using the ship's small boat. One of these scientists (KW) will need to deboard the *Shimada* and return to Santa Barbara on 13 October 2017; we propose to transfer this scientist via small boat from the *Shimada* to the R/V *Velero* while on our study site, after which the *Velero* will transport the scientist to Santa Barbara.

Upon arrival at study site in Channel Islands, a patch test of the ME70 and a shakedown deployment of the AUV will take place at a selected location. Following successful testing, mapping operations will commence in one of our priority polygons (Appendix 1) during nighttime hours (1700-0700). Survey waypoint for line plans in priority areas are included in Appendix 3; selection of areas and lines for mapping each night will be based on sea-state, holidays in multibeam echosounder coverage, and remaining gaps. Selection will be finalized and made available to the Operations Officer during daily operations meeting. In Appendix 4 we provide a summary of length of lines and estimated time to complete the bathymetric survey in each priority area.

The majority of the AUV dives will be conducted in conjunction with research being carried out from a contracted research vessel (Velero IV) at 100-150 m depth on the Footprint seamount in the gap between Santa Cruz and Anacapa Islands (Appendix 2). A long baseline (LBL) acoustic positioning system will be used, which includes three seafloor transponders as reference points for improved navigation of the AUV relative to experimental camera systems being deployed from the R/V Velero IV. Two LBL transponders will be deployed in association with the camera systems from the Velero IV; the other LBL beacon will be deployed from the Shimada prior to AUV dives (Appendix 5A and B). Prior to deploying the AUV, each of the three transponders will need to be "surveyed in". This requires the Shimada to circle the location of the transponders while the AUV team collects position and acoustic data. Once the AUV surveys on the Footprint are complete, the AUV team will acoustically release the single transponder that was deployed from the Shimada. This transponder will float to the sea surface and be retrieved by the Shimada likely using the ship's small workboat. Also, use of the ship's small workboat may be required once or twice during the cruise to transfer one of the scientists from the Shimada to the Velero IV in order to assist with technical issues that may occur with the camera systems being used on the Velero.

We also will deploy about eight independent small drop cameras (trigcams; Appendix 6) onto the seafloor primarily at our Footprint study site each day prior to nighttime mapping operations. These cameras will be left on the seafloor for approximately 24 hrs, retrieved in late afternoon to swap out batteries and download data, and then re-deployed. Retrieval and redeployment of 8 trigcams each evening could take an estimated 3 hrs total; we will adjust the number of camera systems being used each night, based on amount of time required for deployment/retrieval.

#### B. Staging and Destaging:

We request a meeting with the operations officer and the survey techs one day prior to departure (October 4, 2017). This meeting will cover status and operation of the ME70 and Hypack/Hysweep software, and launch/retrieval protocols for the AUV and trigcams. AUV equipment will be loaded on the vessel by ship's crane in Newport, OR during the days prior to departure (beginning 2 October). The gear will be palletized and staged at dockside and crane operations should take less than 45 min. Destaging of the AUV will occur by ship's crane upon arrival at dock in San Diego on October 25-27, 2017, and all science gear will be removed from the vessel by October 27, 2017. Destaging of AUV gear will require the use of a forklift.

#### C. Operations to be Conducted:

#### ME70 Testing and Data Acquisition for Seafloor Mapping.

We will use the ship's ME70 sonar integrated with Hypack/Hysweep software for data collection, which results in real-time bathymetry, efficient line planning, and good communication with the bridge. This requires the configuration of a remote Hypack display monitor on the bridge so that personnel on the bridge and in the acoustics lab can simultaneously view survey line plans. A first order task will be to verify installation parameters and ME70 setup. DGPS, POS MV, ME70 and software configurations will be reviewed with survey and electronics technicians to assess DGPS integration with POS MV; reference points / vessel offsets; status of surface sound speed sensor (integration and calibration) and Hypack integration. Specifically, POS MV offsets showing lever arms and mounting angles and sensor mounting will be examined, as well as ME70 offsets applied in the ME70 control software (transducer, GPS and MRU offsets). Ship maneuvers will be required to complete ME70 patch tests – navigation timing, pitch and yaw over a distinct feature and roll over a flat surface with results analyzed in Caris. In addition, comparisons with a

reference surface and a GAMS calibration will be conducted. Real time surface sound speed will be checked against water column sound speed from XBT and CTD casts (sound speed corrections to the ME70 will be examined). Water column sound speed will be collected via XBT every four hours or as water conditions change during seafloor mapping. Data processing will include tide corrections and computing total propagated uncertainty. The Caris vessel file will be appended. A survey tech should be available during nighttime mapping as XBT casts will be conducted. To maintain data quality, it is requested that visiting scientists on the mapping shift be permitted access to the ship's science network to allow for access across the ME70, XBT, and CTD computers. To avoid acoustic interference, ADCP and other sounders will need to be secured during mapping operations.

#### Seabed AUV Data Acquisition.

We will use the NMFS Seabed AUV and attached cameras and sensors during daytime to quantitatively survey fishes and habitats in priority areas as designated by the scientific staff. Images of the seafloor will be collected from the AUV using HD downward looking and forwardangled cameras. The AUV will be programmed to survey at a height three meters from the seafloor. Images will be retrieved at the end of each mission. Initial scanning of the images to assess habitat and biota prior to the next day's operation will be the goal. AUV ops will be conducted for approx. 6-7 hrs per deployment (dependent on battery life). Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for AUV operations, including pictures of the AUV, can be reviewed in the accompanying file (see March29\_AUV\_SOP\_Ver2.pdf); the SOP will be supplied to the ship. All personnel participating in AUV operations should review the SOP. An operational risk assessment for AUV operations also will be provided. The SOP should be reviewed and discussed between AUV team, the ship's operations officer and other appropriate personnel so that any questions about operations can be clarified. At the beginning of the cruise and before all AUV operations, a meeting will occur with all personnel participating in AUV operations to review procedures and risks and to walk through AUV operations. On the first day of the cruise a trial deployment and ballasting of the AUV should be conducted. Prior to each deployment of the AUV a standard "GAR" (green-amber-red) review will be conducted with all personnel participating in AUV operations to assess and review current risks.

Under normal operations there is no requirement for the ship to maintain a specific station during AUV operations. However, in order to maintain communication with the AUV's acoustic modem and navigational system, the ship may be asked to make adjustments to their position relative to the AUV in order to achieve better communication with the AUV. A monitor that will show the relative position of the AUV and ship will be placed on the bridge to facilitate communication between the bridge and AUV operator. The AUV Team uses two modes of acoustic communications during an AUV mission. One form is an ultra-short baseline (USBL) relative navigation system. We use a Link Quest, Inc. TrackLink 1500MA system, which includes a transceiver mounted on the ship below the water line, and a transponder mounted on the AUV. The USBL system provides measures of relative range and bearing to the ship along with estimates of vehicle depth, via transducers operating at a frequency range of 31.0 - 43.2 kHz. The transceiver is ideally mounted in a location free from any line-of-sight obstructions (e.g., ship's keel) and in a location where bubbles are minimized (e.g., hyrdrophone pole, keel center board). For the NOAA Ship Shimada (as with the NOAA ship Lasker), we prefer to use the ship's center board as installation because it is most secure, minimizes potential entanglements with other equipment deployed aside the ship, and provides optimum line-of-sight communications. We hope to use the spare transducer-mounting hole in the centerboard trunk (aft section). The AUV team will provide a Delrin adapter plate, fabricated to specifications provided by David Murfin (NOAA-SWFSC) that will allow our transceiver to be mounted such that the transducer face is flush with the bottom plate of the centerboard. An electrical cable that runs from the

centerboard up through the multi-cable transit and into the Chem Lab will provide power and communications. The dry end of the cable, located in the Chem Lab, will be connected to a power supply and network interface provided by the AUV Team. This set up was used during a cruise aboard the *Shimada* in September 2015.

The second form of acoustic communications is an acoustic modem to provide control and telemetry packets to and from the AUV topside electronics unit and AUV onboard computers. We typically use paired ITC-3013 model transducers. Similar to the USBL, one transducer is mounted on the ship below the water line, while another one is mounted on the AUV. As with the USBL communications, optimum installation should be in a location to provide line-of-sight and minimization of bubbles. During a cruise aboard the *Shimada* in September 2015, we were able to use the EdgeTech 8012A transducer for one of the modem pairs. It was mounted on the aft section of the ship's centerboard. In our topside electronics set up, we use a Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (WHOI) built ACOMMS communications terminal to connect the electrical cables providing power and communications to the acoustic modem. We attach pigtails to the electrical cable routed from the centerboard up to the Chem Lab, so that we can connect it to our WHOI ACOMMS terminal box. We also have a mooring whip where we can dangle one of our ITC-3013 transducers over the side of the ship to provide acoustic modem communications. While this is not our preferred set up, we did successfully implement this on the *Shimada* in September 2015.

During a cruise aboard the *Lasker* in October 2016, one LBL beacon was deployed from the side CTD winch. The LBL beacon is housed in a glass ball protected by a "hard hat" cover (Appendix 5A). It will be anchored to the bottom with two concrete blocks (70 lbs. each; Appendix 5B) and a small float will be attached to the hard hat about two meters above it. The beacon will be released after several days by the means of an acoustic burn wire release. The beacon will float to the surface and be retrieved by the *Shimada's* small boat. The concrete anchor blocks will remain on the seafloor until retrieved by the submersible on the *Velero IV* at the end of the cruise.

AUV mission plans, including launch and recovery locations, expected surfacing locations, and dive duration will be made available to the ship's and science crews prior to launch. It is expected that AUV launch operations will require approximately 45 minutes once all crew is mustered and the ship is on station. Recovery operations can be expected to take 60 minutes depending on sea state. It is requested that a CTD cast be conducted in the AUV's operating area prior to launch and the cast data be provided to the AUV team for programming of the AUV.

Data products generated by the AUV will be coordinated with the science staff.

#### TrigCam Data Collection

The TrigCam is a low-cost still image stereo–camera system optimized for long duration deployments. It is capable of operating in "triggered" mode where images are only captured when motion is detected in the view field. In this project, the cameras will be configured to collect an image pair every 60 seconds. The TrigCams consist of two small USB3 machine-vision cameras and an ARM-based host PC (ODroid UX4, Appendix 6). Lighting is provided by LED strobes. The units are powered by a 24 V 10 Ah battery placed in a separate housing, allowing the units to collect images for up to 24 h per deployment at a rate of 0.1 Hz (10 s interval between shots). The camera, strobe, and battery units are contained within a small aluminum cage, with a 12" Trawl float attached to the top of the cage and a 25 lb lead weight attached to the bottom via a "weak link" designed to break off if the unit becomes snagged on the seafloor (Appendix 6). Each unit weighs less than 50 lbs in air.

During each afternoon, up to eight TrigCams will be deployed at randomly selected locations on the Footprint Bank. Deployment of the TrigCams will be accomplished by lowering the camera unit over the side of the *Shimada* using a doubled up 3/8 inch line until the unit rests on the seafloor. The line will then be retrieved by pulling up one end and the unit left on the seafloor for 24 hours. The total time for deployment of each unit should be less than 15 minutes upon reaching the deployment location.

Each unit will be retrieved using an acoustically released float. The acoustically released float and 150 m of small dimension spectra rope will be contained in a canister attached to the outside of the TrigCam frame. The ARC-1XD acoustic release (<u>http://www.desertstar.com/page/arc-1xd</u>) will be triggered using a deck mounted interrogation box. Upon release, the float will rise to the surface and be retrieved by the *Shimada*. The line and TrigCam unit will be retrieved using a small electric line-hauler.

Data from each unit will be downloaded, the battery changed out, and then redeployed at a new station. The total time of retrieval and redeployment for each unit should be 15-30 minutes.

### D. Dive Plan

All dives are to be conducted in accordance with the requirements and regulations of the NOAA Diving Program (<u>http://www.ndc.noaa.gov/dr.html</u>) and require the approval of the ship's Commanding Officer.

Dives are not planned for this project.

E. Applicable Restrictions

Conditions that preclude normal operations: Equipment failure: Mitigation – at sea repair, refocus acquisition to remaining systems. Poor weather: Mitigation – switch to more protected area or suspend operations. Safety concerns: Mitigation – discuss at safety briefing or with ship's command.

## III. Equipment

- A. Equipment and Capabilities provided by the ship (itemized)
- 1) Dynamic Positioning Capability
- 2) Hand held radios for communications among science crew, bridge and deck.
- 3) Capability for science party to communicate with another research vessel to coordinate operations between the two vessels.
- 4) Monitor, computer, keyboard and launcher for XBT. WinMK21 software (associated with launcher) for capturing XBT data. Pydro/Velocipy software, installed on computer in acoustics lab network, to convert sound velocity profiles.
- 5) Simrad ME70 sonar
- 6) Access to information on DGPS integration with POS MV; reference points / vessel offsets; ship surveys; status of surface sound speed sensor (integration and calibration) and Hypack integration with ME70.
- 7) Configuration of a remote Hypack display monitor on the bridge; latest version of Hypack and patches installed.
- 8) Access to the ship science network across the ME70, XBT and CTD computers.
- 9) Survey support (24 hours) to conduct CTD and XBT casts (every 4 hours while mapping is in progress), AUV and trigcam launch/recovery, and data processing.

- 10) Ship's time server
- 11) CTD and CTD Winch
- 12) Gantry winch (starboard side) for daily launch and recovery of AUV
- 13) ADCP required for AUV ops.
- 14) AUV needs separate serial NMEA GPS (GGA) and heading (HDT) feeds to Chem lab.
- 15) Will need ship's workboat to assist in personnel transfers and perhaps retrieval of AUV
- 16) Access to the ship's centerboard to mount AUV USBL transceiver (AUV team to provide mounts), which will plug into ship's existing USBL wire (run previously by SWFSC to lab area). Details in previous section.
- 17) Access in lab area to unterminated end of wire from Edgetech acoustic release that is mounted in the ship's centerboard. AUV team will provide deck box and connectors to the unterminated cable.
- B. Equipment and Capabilities provided by the scientists (itemized)
- 1) Seabed AUV: 6'H X 4.5'W X 6.5'L; 650 lbs.
  - a. Two banks of 16 14.4V Lithium Ion Batteries enclosed in aluminum housings and 2 spare batteries contained in sturdy plastic container and wrapped in bubble wrap
- 2) Transducers (2) to track and communicate with AUV, mounted to ship (details on p. 6).
- 3) 2-3 VHF antennas will be mounted on ship to track AUV at surface. Wire will be run (and secured out of the way using cable ties) to high points on the vessel (both port and starboard), and the antennas will be securely attached with cable ties.
- 4) Long baseline (LBL) transponder to improve AUV navigation (see Appendix 5)
- 5) AUV crew supplied handheld radios
- 6) Charging Console
  - a. Dimensions: 1m x 1m x 1m
  - b. Power Requirements: Clean 120 VAC
  - c. Cable Connection: Standard Ethernet
- 7) Equipment for AUV operation and other assorted spares (see Appendix 7)
- 8) Mission Planning and Data Processing laptop computers, Ethernet cables to connect to ship's science network
- 9) software: CARIS, ArcGIS, Fledermaus
- 10) 8 TrigCams, weights, acoustic releases, line and floats (see Appendix 6)
- 11) 16 24V NiMH battery packs
- 12) Wifi router for networking cameras
- 13) 3 Battery charging units
- 14) Acoustic release deck box and transponder
- 15) Electric line puller
- 16) 350 m of 3/8 line for TrigCam deployment

### IV. Hazardous Materials

#### A. Policy and Compliance

The Chief Scientist is responsible for complying with FEC 07 Hazardous Materials and Hazardous Waste Management Requirements for Visiting Scientific Parties (or the OMAO procedure that supersedes it). By Federal regulations and NOAA Marine and Aviation Operations policy, the ship may not sail without a complete inventory of all hazardous materials by name and quantity, MSDS, appropriate spill cleanup materials (neutralizing agents, buffers, or absorbents) in amounts adequate to address spills of a size equal to the amount of chemical

brought aboard, and chemical safety and spill response procedures. Documentation regarding those requirements will be provided by the Chief of Operations, Marine Operations Center, upon request.

Per OMAO procedure, the scientific party will include with their project instructions and provide to the CO of the respective ship 30 days before departure:

- List of chemicals by name with anticipated quantity
- List of spill response materials, including neutralizing agents, buffers, and absorbents
- Chemical safety and spill response procedures, such as excerpts of the program's Chemical Hygiene Plan or SOPs relevant for shipboard laboratories
- For bulk quantities of chemicals in excess of 50 gallons total or in containers larger than 10 gallons each, notify ship's Operations Officer regarding quantity, packaging and chemical to verify safe stowage is available as soon as chemical quantities are known.

Upon embarkation and prior to loading hazardous materials aboard the vessel, the scientific party will provide to the CO or their designee:

- An inventory list showing actual amount of hazardous material brought aboard
- An MSDS for each HAZMAT material will be maintained in the chem lab.
- Confirmation that neutralizing agents and spill equipment were brought aboard sufficient to contain and cleanup all of the hazardous material brought aboard by the program
- Confirmation that chemical safety and spill response procedures were brought aboard

Upon departure from the ship, scientific parties will provide the CO or their designee an inventory showing that all chemicals were removed from the vessel. The CO's designee will maintain a log to track scientific party hazardous materials. MSDS will be made available to the ship's complement, in compliance with Hazard Communication Laws.

Scientific parties are expected to manage and respond to spills of scientific hazardous materials. Overboard discharge of hazardous materials is not permitted aboard NOAA ships.

Common Name of Material	Qty	Notes	Trained Individual	Spill control
Lithium Ion Batteries 12-cell NL2044 family	34	32 contained in aluminum housings, 2 contained in sturdy plastic container and wrapped in bubble wrap	Elizabeth Clarke	В
Parker O Ring lube	500ml	O ring lube	Elizabeth Clarke	В
Ethanol	1 liter	Cleaning O rings	Elizabeth Clarke	В
Corrosion X	500ml	Clean connectors	Elizabeth Clarke	В
Dow Corning 11 Valve Lubricant	500ml	Lubricating Underwater connectors	Elizabeth Clarke	В

#### B. Inventory

Common Name	Qty	Notes	Trained	Spill
of Material			Individual	control
AquaShield	500ml	Protecting underwater connectors	Elizabeth	В
lubricant			Clarke	
LPS	250ml	Protecting and cleaning electronic	Elizabeth	В
		connections	Clarke	

C. Chemical safety and spill response procedures

Spill Control B:

Inhalation: Remove from exposure, rest and keep warm.

Skin contact: Wash off skin thoroughly with water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Eye contact: Irrigate thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes

□Ingestion: Wash out mouth thoroughly with water and give plenty of water to drink. □Fire:

- Extinguishing Media Use appropriate extinguishing agent for surrounding fire. For damaged or ruptured cells, use Class D extinguisher or other appropriate agent. Class C fire extinguishers should be used to extinguish electrical fires. Do not use water to extinguish electrical or ruptured cell related fires. Firefighters should wear full protective gear.

Spill: Clean-Up Procedures: Absorb spill with inert absorbent material (cat litter).

Shovel material into appropriate container for disposal. Clean spill area with detergent and water; collect wash water for proper disposal.

Inventory of Spill Kit supplies

Product Name	Amount	Chemicals it is useful against	Amount it can clean up
Kat Litter	10 lbs	Lithium Ion Batteries, liquid	24 kg
		spills	

#### D. Radioactive Materials

No Radioactive Isotopes are planned for this project.

## V. Additional Projects

A. Supplementary ("Piggyback") Projects

No supplementary projects are planned.

B. NOAA Fleet Ancillary Projects

No NOAA Fleet Ancillary Projects are planned.

## VI. Disposition of Data and Reports

Disposition of data gathered aboard NOAA ships will conform to NAO 216-101 *Ocean Data Acquisitions* and NAO 212-15 *Management of Environmental Data and Information*. To guide the implementation of these NAOs, NOAA's Environmental Data Management Committee (EDMC) provides the *NOAA Data Documentation Procedural Directive* (data documentation) and *NOAA Data Management Planning Procedural Directive* (preparation of Data Management Plans). OMAO is developing procedures and allocating resources to manage OMAO data and Programs are encouraged to do the same for their Project data.

- A. Data Classifications: Under Development
  - a. OMAO Data
  - b. Program Data
- B. Responsibilities: Under Development

The mapping science party will require access to the science network for transferring data. Up to 2 Government computers provided by the project science team will need network access so that data can be moved from the ME70 acquisition computer to the science computers for data post-processing.

## VII. Meetings, Vessel Familiarization, and Project Evaluations

- A. <u>Pre-Project Meeting</u>: The Chief Scientist and Commanding Officer will conduct a meeting of pertinent members of the scientific party and ship's crew prior to departure, to discuss required equipment, planned operations, concerns, and establish mitigation strategies for all concerns. The ship's Operations Officer usually is delegated to assist the Chief Scientist in arranging this meeting.
- B. <u>Vessel Familiarization Meeting</u>: The Commanding Officer is responsible for ensuring scientific personnel are familiarized with applicable sections of the standing orders and vessel protocols, e.g., meals, watches, etiquette, drills, etc. A vessel familiarization meeting shall be conducted in the first 24 hours of the project's start and is normally presented by the ship's Operations Officer.
- C. <u>Post-Project Meeting</u>: The Commanding Officer is responsible for conducting a meeting no earlier than 24 hrs before or 7 days after the completion of a project to discuss the overall success and short comings of the project. Concerns regarding safety, efficiency, and suggestions for future improvements shall be discussed and mitigations for future projects will be documented for future use. This meeting shall be attended by the ship's officers, applicable crew, the Chief Scientist, and members of the scientific party and is normally arranged by the Operations Officer and Chief Scientist.
- D. Project Evaluation Report

Within seven days of the completion of the project, a Customer Satisfaction Survey is to be completed by the Chief Scientist. The form is available at <u>https://sites.google.com/a/noaa.gov/omao-intranet-dev/operations/marine/customer-satisfaction-survey</u> and provides a "Submit" button at the end of the form. It is also located

at <u>https://docs.google.com/a/noaa.gov/forms/d/1a5hCCkgIwaSII4DmrHPudAehQ9HqhRqY3J\_FXqbJp9g</u>/<u>viewform</u>. Submitted form data is deposited into a spreadsheet used by OMAO management to analyze the information. Though the complete form is not shared with the ships, specific concerns and praises are followed up on while not divulging the identity of the evaluator.

## VIII. Miscellaneous

## A. Meals and Berthing

The ship will provide meals for the scientists listed above. Meals will be served 3 times daily beginning one hour before scheduled departure, extending throughout the project, and ending two hours after the termination of the project. Since the watch schedule is split between day and night, the night watch may often miss daytime meals and will require adequate food and beverages (for example a variety of sandwich items, cheeses, fruit, milk, juices) during what are not typically meal hours. Special dietary requirements for scientific participants will be made available to the ship's command at least seven days prior to the project.

Berthing requirements, including number and gender of the scientific party, will be provided to the ship by the Chief Scientist. The Chief Scientist and Commanding Officer will work together on a detailed berthing plan to accommodate the gender mix of the scientific party taking into consideration the current make-up of the ship's complement. The Chief Scientist is responsible for ensuring the scientific berthing spaces are left in the condition in which they were received; for stripping bedding and linen return; and for the return of any room keys which were issued. The Chief Scientist is also responsible for the cleanliness of the laboratory spaces and the storage areas utilized by the scientific party, both during the project and at its conclusion prior to departing the ship.

All NOAA scientists will have proper travel orders when assigned to any NOAA ship. The Chief Scientist will ensure that all non-NOAA or non Federal scientists aboard also have proper orders. It is the responsibility of the Chief Scientist to ensure that the entire scientific party has a mechanism in place to provide lodging and food and to be reimbursed for these costs in the event that the ship becomes uninhabitable and/or the galley is closed during any part of the scheduled project.

All persons boarding NOAA vessels give implied consent to comply with all safety and security policies and regulations which are administered by the Commanding Officer. All spaces and equipment on the vessel are subject to inspection or search at any time. All personnel must comply with OMAO's Drug and Alcohol Policy dated May 17, 2000, which forbids the possession and/or use of illegal drugs and alcohol aboard NOAA Vessels.

B. Medical Forms and Emergency Contacts

The NOAA Health Services Questionnaire (NHSQ, NF 57-10-01 (3-14)) must be completed in advance by each participating scientist. The NHSQ can be obtained from the Chief Scientist or the NOAA website <a href="http://www.corporateservices.noaa.gov/noaaforms/eforms/nf57-10-01.pdf">http://www.corporateservices.noaa.gov/noaaforms/eforms/nf57-10-01.pdf</a>.

All NHSQs submitted after March 1, 2014 must be accompanied by <u>NOAA Form (NF) 57-10-02</u> - Tuberculosis Screening Document in compliance with <u>OMAO Policy 1008</u> (Tuberculosis Protection Program).

The completed forms should be sent to the Regional Director of Health Services at the applicable Marine Operations Center. The NHSQ and Tuberculosis Screening Document should reach the Health Services Office no later than 4 weeks prior to the start of the project to allow time for the participant to obtain and submit additional information should health services require it, before clearance to sail can be granted. Please contact MOC Health Services with any questions regarding eligibility or completion of either form. Ensure to fully complete each form and indicate the ship or ships the participant will be sailing on. The participant will receive an email notice when medically cleared to sail if a legible email address is provided on the NHSQ.

The participant can mail, fax, or email the forms to the contact information below. Participants should take precautions to protect their Personally Identifiable Information (PII) and medical information and ensure all correspondence adheres to DOC guidance (http://ocio.os.doc.gov/ITPolicyandPrograms/IT\_Privacy/PROD01\_008240).

The only secure email process approved by NOAA is <u>Accellion Secure File Transfer</u> which requires the sender to setup an account. <u>Accellion's Web Users Guide</u> is a valuable aid in using this service, however to reduce cost the DOC contract doesn't provide for automatically issuing full functioning accounts. To receive access to a "Send Tab", after your Accellion account has been established send an email from the associated email account to accellionAlerts@doc.gov requesting access to the "Send Tab" function. They will notify you via email usually within 1 business day of your approval. The 'Send Tab" function will be accessible for 30 days.

Contact information:

Regional Director of Health Services Marine Operations Center – Pacific 2002 SE Marine Science Dr. Newport, OR 97365 Telephone 541-867-8822 Fax 541-867-8856 Email <u>MOP.Health-Services@noaa.gov</u>

Prior to departure, the Chief Scientist will provide an electronic listing of emergency contacts to the Executive Officer for all members of the scientific party, with the following information: contact name, address, relationship to member, and telephone number.

C. Shipboard Safety

Hard hats are required when working with suspended loads. Work vests are required when working near open railings and during small boat launch and recovery operations. Hard hats and work vests will be provided by the ship when required.

Wearing open-toed footwear or shoes that do not completely enclose the foot (such as sandals or clogs) outside of private berthing areas is not permitted. At the discretion of the ship CO, safety shoes (i.e. steel or composite toe protection) may be required to participate in any work dealing with suspended loads, including CTD deployment and recovery. The ship does not provide safety-toed shoes/boots. The ship's Operations Officer should be consulted by the Chief Scientist to ensure members of the scientific party report aboard with the proper attire.

### D. Communications

A progress report on operations prepared by the Chief Scientist may be relayed to the program office. Sometimes it is necessary for the Chief Scientist to communicate with another vessel, aircraft, or shore facility. Through various means of communications, the ship can usually accommodate the Chief Scientist. Special radio voice communications requirements should be listed in the project instructions. The ship's primary means of communication with the Marine Operations Center is via email and the Very Small Aperture Terminal (VSAT) link. Standard VSAT bandwidth at 128kbs is shared by all vessels staff and the science team at no charge. Increased bandwidth in 30 day increments is available on the VSAT systems at increased cost to the scientific party. If increased bandwidth is being considered, program accounting is required and it must be arranged through the ship's Commanding Officer at least 30 days in advance.

## E. IT Security

Any computer that will be hooked into the ship's network must comply with the *OMAO Fleet IT Security Policy* 1.1 (November 4, 2005) prior to establishing a direct connection to the NOAA WAN. Requirements include, but are not limited to:

(1) Installation of the latest virus definition (.DAT) file on all systems and performance of a virus scan on each system.

- (2) Installation of the latest critical operating system security patches.
- (3) No external public Internet Service Provider (ISP) connections.

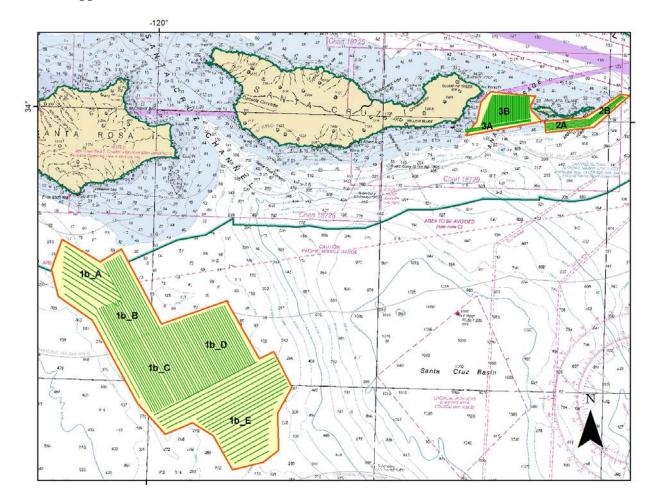
Completion of the above requirements prior to boarding the ship is required.

Non-NOAA personnel using the ship's computers or connecting their own computers to the ship's network must complete NOAA's IT Security Awareness Course within 3 days of embarking.

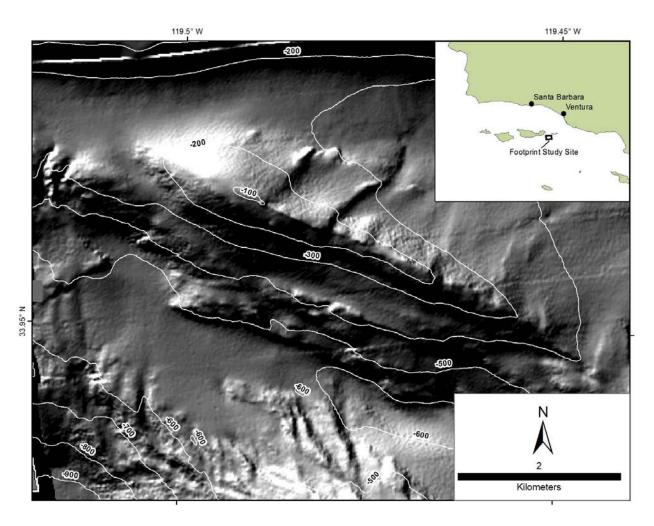
F. Foreign National Guests Access to OMAO Facilities and Platforms

Foreign National access to the NOAA ship or Federal Facilities is not required for this project.

# IX. Appendices



Appendix 1. Study area in vicinity of northern Channel Islands in Southern California Bight. We will conduct seafloor mapping using the ME70 and visual surveys using an autonomous underwater vehicle (AUV) off on Santa Rosa Flats (1bA-E), south of Anacapa Island (2A, 2B), and in the Anacapa Passage (3A, 3B).



Appendix 2. Footprint Seamount study area located in the gap between Santa Cruz and Anacapa Islands in Southern California Bight. We will conduct visual surveys with an autonomous underwater vehicle (AUV) at depths 100-150 m and deploy a Long Baseline Beacon and trigcams at this site.

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Appendix 3. Waypoints for line plans of priority polygons for mapping survey to be conducted in the southern Channel Islands.

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63	90_63	90	33.57412793	-119.8771173
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65	91_65	91	33.57011928	-119.8714383
66	91_66	91	33.59398368	-119.822514
67	92_67	92	33.57287063	-119.8486989
68	92_68	92	33.58609235	-119.8215867

# Polygon2A

ID No.	Wypt_Name	2A_line	Lat	Long
0	1_0	1	33.99452359	-119.3617573
1	1_1	1	33.98770138	-119.4253519
2	2_2	2	33.99589183	-119.3620497
3	2_3	2	33.98908214	-119.4255268
4	3_4	3	33.99726008	-119.3623419
5	3_5	3	33.9904629	-119.4257018
6	4_6	4	33.99862833	-119.3626343
7	4_7	4	33.99184366	-119.4258767
8	5_8	5	33.99999657	-119.3629266
9	5_9	5	33.99322441	-119.4260516
10	6_10	6	34.00136472	-119.363219
11	6_11	6	33.99460517	-119.4262266
12	7_12	7	34.00273296	-119.3635114
13	7_13	7	33.99598601	-119.4264015

# Polygon2B

ID No.	Wypt_Name	2B_line	Lat	Long
0	1_0	1	34.0200796	-119.3239616
1	1_1	1	33.99539614	-119.3614765
2	2_2	2	34.03087639	-119.3102306
3	2_3	2	33.9968079	-119.3620197
4	3_4	3	34.03139049	-119.3121392
5	3_5	3	33.99821965	-119.3625629
6	4_6	4	34.03190446	-119.3140477
7	4_7	4	33.99963131	-119.3631061
8	5_8	5	34.0324184	-119.3159563
9	5_9	5	34.00104305	-119.3636494

# Polygon3A

Wypt_Name	3A_line	Lat	Long
) 1_0	1	33.98689104	-119.5188425
1_1	1	33.98297502	-119.544416
2_2	2	33.99877316	-119.4485359
2_3	2	33.98406071	-119.5448065
3_4	. 3	33.99984564	-119.4490133
3_5	3	33.9851464	-119.5451968
6 4_6	4	34.0009183	-119.4494908
4_7	4	33.98630953	-119.5450819
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# Polygon3B

ID No.	Wypt_Name	3B_line	Lat	Long
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3	2_3	2	33.99459832	-119.5214114
4	3_4	3	33.99174621	-119.5199741
5	3_5	3	33.9975758	-119.5201464
6	4_6	4	33.99194754	-119.5186272
7	4_7	4	34.00055326	-119.5188814
8	5_8	5	33.99214877	-119.5172801
9	5_9	5	34.00353071	-119.5176161
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11	6_11	6	34.00650815	-119.5163509
12	7_12	7	33.99255136	-119.514586
13	7_13	7	34.00948559	-119.5150854
14	8_14	8	33.99275254	-119.5132391
15	8_15	8	34.01246301	-119.5138201
16	9_16	9	33.9929538	-119.5118921
17	9_17	9	34.01544042	-119.5125546
18	10_18	10	33.99315504	-119.510545
19	10_19	10	34.01841782	-119.511289
20	11_20	11	33.99335618	-119.5091979
21	11_21	11	34.0213953	-119.5100233
22	12_22	12	33.9935574	-119.5078508
23	12_23	12	34.02437269	-119.5087574
24	13_24	13	33.9937586	-119.5065037

25	13_25	13	34.02735006	
26	14_26	14	33.9939597	-119.5051566
27	14_27	14	34.02953956	-119.5062024
28	15_28	15	33.99416087	
29	15_29	15	34.02952218	-119.5048484
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31	16_31	16	34.02950478	-119.5034943
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33	17_33	17	34.02948746	-119.5021403
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35	18_35	18	34.02947004	-119.5007862
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37	19_37	19	34.0294526	-119.4994322
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39	20_39	20	34.02943514	-119.4980781
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43	22_43	22	34.02940027	-119.49537
44	23_44	23	33.99576954	-119.4930327
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47	24_47	24	34.02936526	-119.4926617
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53	27_53	27	34.02931271	-119.4885995
54	28_54	28	33.99677442	-119.4862968
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64	33_64	33		
65	33_65	33		
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70	36_70	36	33.99838149	-119.475519
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72	37_72	37	33.99858235	-119.4741717
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76	39_76	39	33.99898401	-119.4714772
77	39_77	39	34.02910109	-119.4723506
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81	41_81	41	34.02906556	-119.4696425
82	42_82	42	33.9995863	-119.4674353
83	42_83	42	34.02904787	-119.4682883
84	43_84	43	33.99978698	-119.4660882
85	43_85	43	34.02903007	-119.4669344
86	44_86	44	33.99998773	-119.4647409
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89	45_89	45	34.02899443	-119.4642262
90	46_90	46	34.0003891	-119.4620462
91	46_91	46	34.02897667	-119.4628721
92	47_92	47	34.00058981	-119.4606989
93	47_93	47	34.02895881	-119.461518
94	48_94	48	34.0007905	-119.4593515
95	48_95	48	34.02894094	-119.4601638
96	49_96	49	34.00099109	-119.4580041
97	49_97	49	34.02892305	-119.4588098
98	50_98	50	34.00119175	-119.4566568
99	50_99	50	34.02890524	-119.4574557
100	51_100	51	34.0013924	-119.4553094
101	51_101	51	34.02888732	-119.4561016
102	52_102	52	34.00159295	-119.4539622
103	52_103	52	34.02886938	-119.4547476
104	53_104	53	34.00179357	-119.4526147
105	53_105	53	34.02885143	-119.4533934
106	54_106	54	34.00199417	-119.4512675

107	54_107	54	34.02883347	-119.4520394
108	55_108	55	34.00219477	-119.44992
109	55_109	55	34.00743148	-119.4500704

	Min depth (fa)	Min depth (m)	LineSet	# Lines	Total Length (km)	Ave. Length (km)	Total Length (nmi)	Ave. Length (nmi)	Est. time (hrs) @ 6 kts	Total time (hrs) plus 10%	Description
1b_A	100	183	1b_A_SH1801	9	72.2	8.0	39.0	4.3	6.5	7.2	NW Santa Rosa Flats
1b_B	60	110	1b_B_SH1801	30	179.7	6.0	97.0	3.2	16.2	17.8	NW Santa Rosa Flats
1b_C	55	101	1b_C_SH1801	27	267.7	9.9	144.5	5.4	24.1	26.5	SW Santa Rosa Flats
1b_D	65	119	1b_D_SH1801	27	252.4	9.3	136.3	5.0	22.7	25.0	SE Santa Rosa Flats
1b_E	70	128	1b_E_SH1801	34	217.6	6.4	117.5	3.5	19.6	21.6	S Santa Rosa Flats
2A	15	27	SAnacapa_1	7	41.2	5.9	22.3	3.2	3.7	4.1	S Anacapa
2B	20	36.6	SAnacapa_2	5	27.8	5.6	15.0	3.0	2.5	2.8	SE Anacapa
ЗA	15	27	AnacapaPassage_A	4	29.5	7.4	15.9	4.0	2.7	3.0	S Anacapa Passage EW
3B	15	27	AnacapaPassage_B	55	167.0	3.0	90.2	1.6	15.0	16.5	Anacapa Passage NS

Appendix 4. Summary of line planning information for priority areas of the bathymetric survey.

Appendix 5. (A) Specifications of the Teledyne Benthos Long Baseline (LBL) undersea positioning beacon, and (B) underwater image of beacon and concrete anchors on seafloor (two green laser dots are 20 cm apart).

#### A.



#### PRODUCT FEATURES

- Integrated system for easy deployment, recovery and storage
- Enables real-time communication with your subsea instrument
- Functions as an LBL node or acoustic network repeater
- Supports multiple sensors and instruments

#### APPLICATIONS

- Environmental monitoring (physical oceanographic and bio-geochemical sensors available)
- Undersea positioning (Standard long-baseline configurations)

TELEDYNE BENTHOS Everywhereyoulook"

 Geophysical exploration (compatible with geophones for seismic studies)

A Teledyne Marine Systems Company

# SM-975/976 Subsea Nodes

#### TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

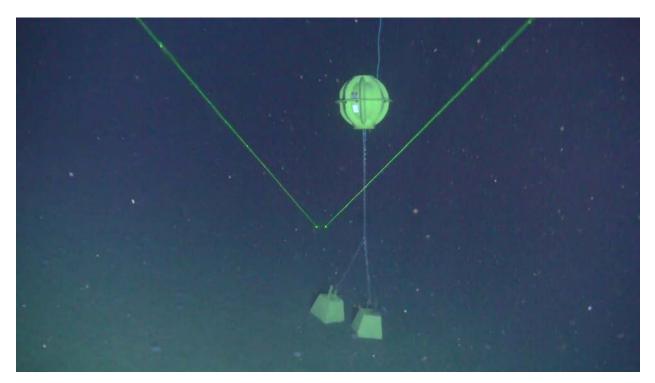
Models	33 cm or 43 cm sphere (13 in or 17 in)	Transducer
Connectivity	RS-232 port on outside of sphere	
Vacuum	Titanium vacuum port	
Depth	6700 meters (maximum) (21,982 ft)	Batteries
Life	SM-975 Up to 2 years (depending on usage)	Hodem PCB
	SM-976 Up to 1 year (depending on usage)	Vacuum Port Data
Batteries	SM-975	Connector
	30 D-cell alkaline batteries (Dual battery pack, 17 inch)	Release Mechanism
	SM-976 Rechargeable Lithium ion	Charles and the second s
Weight	SM-975	
(Not including anchor)	33 cm = 18 kg, 43 cm = 32 kg	<b>E</b> (a) 9
	(13 in = 40 lbs, 17 in = 70 lbs)	SM 075/076
	SM-976	SM-975/976
	33 cm = 18 kg, 43 cm = 27 kg (13 in = 40 lbs, 17 in = 60 lbs)	Smart Modem
Net buoyancy	SM-975	
Net buoyancy	33 cm = 2 kg, 43 cm = 9 kg (13 in = 5 lbs; 17 in = 20 lbs)	
	SM-976	
	33 cm = 2 kg, 43 cm = 17 kg (13 in = 5 lbs; 17 in = 38 lbs)	
Acoustic slant range	Up to 10 km (6 mi)	
Frequency	9-14 kHz, 16-21 kHz, 22-27 kHz	
Transducer pattern	Omnidirectional from upper hemisphere	
Release	Electrolytic dissolving wire (upon receipt of correct command)	
Hard hat	Super yellow ribbed hard hat	
Topside controller	ATM-900 Series modems and UDB-9400 Deck Box	
Data Retrieval	Vessel, AUV/UUV, Gateway Buoy	



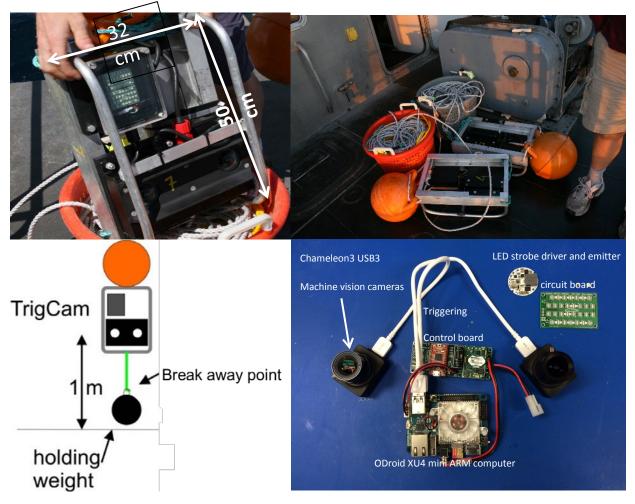
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Appendix 6. Individual Trig-Cams to be deployed in 100-150 m water depth on the Footprint study site in southern California Channel Islands. Upper image shows a TrigCam Unit with the LED strobe in the upper left corner, the camera housing in the lower center, mounted in an aluminum cage. Upper right image shows two units with trawl floats attached to the tops of the frames, and the associated buoy line. Lower left diagram shows the deployment rigging. Lower right image shows the components used for the TrigCam camera system.



Appendix 7. Packing list for AUV equipment and spares, including three coffin cases (94"Lx27"Wx34"H), four bulk containers (47"Lx39"Wx42"T), and two fish totes (43"Lx48"Wx31"H).

Item	stock	model_number	CD number
AUV01 (gray coffin) 94"x27"x34"H			
line- poly and nylon	-		
AUV frame top pontoon	1		CD0004092881
Chassis (CPU)	1		CD0004092884
CPU housing	1		CD0004092882
Octans	1	CT-1489	CD0001674020
Octans Housing	1		CD0004074983
Props - Mejzlik Modellbau 24 x 12W	3	PMK2412WT	
6' to 14' boat hooks with hook adapter	7		
59in to 144in boat hook with happy hooker attached	1		
Thruster	1		CD0004074984
Thruster	1		CD0004074977
Skins- molded plastic	4		
Ship RF antenna	2		
AUV RF antenna	1		
		V102 (PN804-	
Hemisphere GPS	1	0075-000#RevB)	
AUV02 (black coffin) 94"x27"x34"H			
AUV frame bottom pontoon	1		CD0004092881
Parosci	1	118756	CD0004074979
11 mp Nikon DX camera (C5)	1	GE4000C	CD0001724939
RF antennas pouch(CRED16)	1		
wooden cradle board	1		
		WHN1200-1-	650004074060
ADCP (Teledyne RDI)	1	UG48	CD0004074963
USBL to AUV mounting kit (2parts and hose clamps)	1		
Acoustic Modem transducer head (on vehicle)	1		650004074005
Thruster	1		CD0004074985
strobe in housing	1		
<u>connectors toolbox (pins and crimps)</u>			
Brother Ptouch label maker (1/4 to 3/4 tz tapes)	20		
C', AA and AAA alkaline batteries- NOT RESTRICTED	20		
CPC connectors, pins and crimpers			
Gige vision camera - Allied Vision	1	GC2440C	CD0004074972
Gige vision camera - Allied Vision	1	GC2440C	CD0004074970
Acoustic Modem transducer head with cable for	1		

pole			
struts containing cables	2		
line - poly and nylon	2		
USBL cable for pole	1		
RF coax cable	1		
	-		
AUV03 (purple coffin) 94"x27"x34"H			
Teledyne TR-6001-17 Transponder (Larry)	1	TR-6001	CD0004074967
Teledyne TR-6001-17 Transponder (Moe)	1	TR-6001	CD0004074968
Teledyne TR-6001-17 Transponder (Curly)	1	TR-6001	CD0004074969
spectra line (400')	1		
floats	1		
LBL manual and spare parts	1		
Tata 205 (black) 47"-20"-42"-11			
Tote 305 (black) 47"x39"x42"H			
USBL Black case (TrackLink 1500 USBL)	1		CD0001(00202)
Transceiver (TC1500MA)	1		CD000160323?
Transponder (TN1510B)	1		CD00016092??
cable (power/serial to USBL) (short)	1	1762012	CD0004074080
Acoustic Modem transducer head (Y)	1	ITC3013	CD0004074980
Acoustic Modem transducer head (Z)	1	ITC3013	CD0004074981
Monitor pelican case	4		
HP Officejet H470	1		000000000000000000000000000000000000000
Monitor	1		CD0001733799
UPS	1		
Spare Cable Pelican	c		
spare vehicle cables	6		
dummy plugs	20		
CTD wire whips	2	SBE 17031	
aluminum calibration target and bag	1		
spare Thruster	1		
spare Thruster	1		
spare Thruster	1		
stools	4		
aluminium mounts	8		
Tote 304 (white) 43"x48"x31"H			
Control Box for LBL	1		CD0000475004
stainless steel hardware	1000		
raingear and clothing	2		
Prop case	1		
Props - Mejzlik Modellbau 24 x 12W	10	PMK2412WT	
Box of kimwipes	2		

PPE	8
spare electronics chassis- parts only	1
Vacuum Pump- Gast (PIFSC)	1
Electronics Toolbox (CRED09)	
Multi-Tester	1
Soldering Iron	1
Wedges for opening housings (plastic)	2
Solder (60 tin 40 lead)	2
Scotch Linerless Rubber Splicing Tape	1
hard hat	4
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Tote 306 (black) 47"x39"x42"H	
Deck Cable Pelican	
spare deck cables	3
rolled steel drop weights	12
Square Pelican	
shrink wrap (various sizes)	1
Wire assorted sizes and colors	1
Pipe Cleaners	4
Banana Connectors	9
Alligator Clips	10
hose clamps	60
Electronics Pelican	
USB to serial adapters	8
Wire multipurpose	8
null modem adapter (M to F)	8
gender changers (9-pin F to M)	8
gender changers (9-pin to F)	8
USB cables	8
Serial 9-pin F to serial 25-pin M	8
serial 9-pin M to serial 25-pin F	8
shear pins for props (Formalium)	8
backing screws to hold thruster together	_
(#6x32x3/4)	8
cotter pins	8
bearings (full ceramic)	8
Ethernet cables	8
Monitor Cable (VGA male male 25ft)	1
EdgePort serial hub (8 ports)	1
ethernet gigabit (8 port)	1
Dlink USB hub (4 ports)	1
Netgear 54 gigabit ethernet hub (5 ports)	1
Moxa serial hub (8 ports)	1

Galvanic Timed Releases (various times)			
LBL Transducer Pelican			
LBL transducer and cable	1		
BluView Pelican			
BluView sonar	1	P900-130	
Tote 302 (white) 43"x48"x31"H			
various tarps	2		
ARGOS tag and accessories	1		
TOPSIDE-Electronics Rack case			
Edgeport netgear cables pouch(CRED14)	1		
DC Power Supply- spare	1	XTR 60-14	
DC Power Supply- Deck	1	XTR 60-14	
DC Power Supply- USBL	1	XTR 60-14	
DC Power Supply- Batteries	1	XTR 60-14	
EdgePort serial hub (8 ports)	1		
power strips	4		
Whoi-acoms acoustic modem box	1	256020	
Netgear 54 gigabit ethernet hub (5 port)	1	GS105 v2	
FreeWave RF modem	1	FGR2-CE-U	
Garmin GPSmap 76CS x (Aax2)	1		
Garmin GPSmap 76CS x (Aax2)	1		
GPS dash mount	1		
GPS antennas + cable 10'	2		
GPS Integrated power supply and data cable (12v)			
7ft	1		
Action Packer			
Orings - spares (in notebooks)	500		
spare battery controller cards	2		
Whoi-acoms acoustic modem box	1	256020	CD0004074978
USBL 1510 removable head		TN1510BHR	CD0004092896
anti-static mat	1		
Aqua Shield (14 oz)	1		
Dow corning 111 (14 oz)	1		
DC 4 (5.3 oz)	1		
Parker O-ring lube	1		

aluminium pole mounts

Tote 303 (black tall) 47"x39"x44"H	
gray case (3x3x2) (CRED05)	
Makita Tool bag (CRED07)	1
Black Socket Set case (CRED04)	1
zip ties (assorted)	1000

extension cords	6		
Y Push heads	о З		
	3		
West Marine SS hook (small recovery hooks)	3		
line and straps- poly and nylon	50		
Drill bits	50		
Box of wood screws (3 1/2in)	1		
Red Toolbox (CRED08)			
hand tools general	35		
tape various types	1		
Assorted dummy plugs	40		
Dremel tool kit	1		
small wooden crate			
SBE 49 CTD	1	SBE 49 Fastcat	
Novatech ST-400AR - Xenon Flasher battery housing	1	ST-400AR	
Novatech ST-400AR - Xenon Flasher battery housing	1	ST-400AR	
<u>large wooden crate</u>			
Delta T multibeam	1	837-000-201	CD0001674014
spare strobe			
black camera DSPL camera housings	2		
11 mp Nikon DX camera (C6)	1	GE4000C	CD0001724938
DSPL green laser	1		
Yellow bag - block and tackle	1		
tarp	2		
USBL Pelican			
USBL tranceiver DEEP	1		CD0004075003
USBL tranceiver DEEP	1		
USBL Pelican			
USBL transponder DEEP	1		CD0004075002
USBL transponder DEEP	1		
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Spare Battery Bank and Housing	1		CD0004074976
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