OKEANOS EXPLORER ROV DIVE SUMMARY

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Site Name	Makapuu Preciou	s Coral Bed			
ROV Lead/Expedition Coordinator	Brian Bingham Kelley Elliott			The American	
Science Team Leads	Frank Parrish (Biology) Christopher Kelley (Biology)				
General Area Descriptor	Main Hawaiian Islands		40.5		
	Cruise Season	Leg		Dive Number	
ROV Dive Name	EX1504	3		DIVE01	
Equipment Deployed	ROV:	Deep Discoverer		iscoverer	
	Camera Platform:	Seirios			
ROV Measurements	⊠ CTD	□ Depth □			
	Scanning Sonar	☐ USBL Position		⊠ Heading	
	⊠ Pitch	⊠ Roll		⊠ HD Camera 1	
	⊠ HD Camera 2	⊠ Low Res Cam 1		□ Low Res Cam 2	
	⊠ Low Res Cam 3	☐ Low Res Cam 4		⊠ Low Res Cam 2	
Equipment Malfunctions	There was a problem with the A-frame immediately after the ROV was deployed which prompted its recovery. The dive was aborted at the surface without descending.				
ROV Dive Summary (From processed ROV data)	The dive was aborted at the surface immediately after deployment.				
Special Notes					
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Purpose of the Dive

This dive will drop at the south edge of the Makapuu precious coral bed. The objectives are to (1) recover two flow meters placed at the edge of the bed and (2) to proceed into the bed and survey the community along the southern edge. Most of the Makapuu bed is a continuous, even carbonate pavement but roughly half a km inside the southern edge there is a spur of relief that contrasts the rest of the bed. The start position is the location of the flow meters and when instrument recovery is complete we will conduct the survey north into the bed for the remaining time available. Surveys at Makapuu are always of interest as this area has been the primary focus of the precious coral fishery throughout its history and the southern edge has received less attention than other areas of the bed.

Description of the Dive:

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Overall Map of Dive Area		Actual track of ROV dive
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Bathymetry data for the dive site. Planned dive start and end points are shown as green and red dots, respectively.		bathymetry data for the dive site showing tracking positions
Representative Phot	os of the Dive	
Samples Collected		
Sample ID		
Date (UTC)		
Time (UTC)		
Depth (m)		
Temperature (°C)		
Oxygen (mL/L)		
Field ID(s)		
Comments		
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