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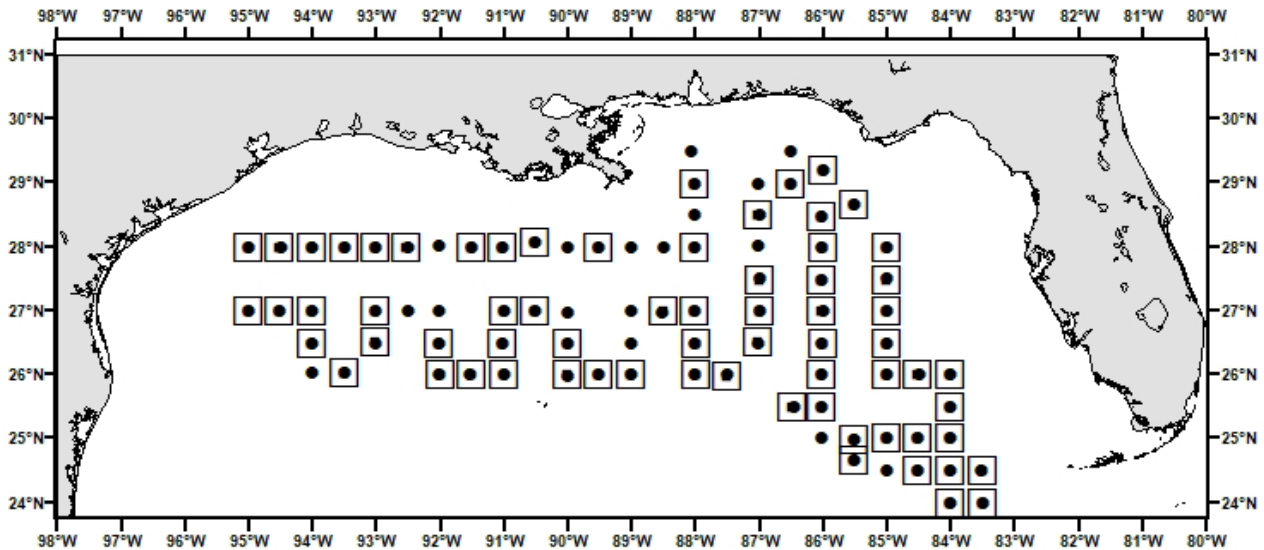
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CRUISE RESULTS  
Southeast Area Monitoring and Assessment Program  
(SEAMAP) 2023 Spring Plankton Survey

NOAA Ship *Oregon II* Cruise R2-23-01 (347)  
May 3 - May 27, 2023



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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Ship *Oregon II* departed Pascagoula, MS on 3 May 2023 to initiate the Southeast Area Monitoring and Assessment Program (SEAMAP) Spring Ichthyoplankton Survey in the Gulf of Mexico (GOM). The SEAMAP Program is a cooperative State/Federal/University program designed to collect biological and environmental data from waters of the U.S. GOM. During the spring survey, plankton samples are collected from a systematic grid of stations to assess distribution, occurrence and abundance of the early life stages of a variety of species of fishes and invertebrates, specifically targeting larval Atlantic bluefin tuna (*Thunnus thynnus*). A total of 23 successful sea days were worked over two legs during the cruise: Leg I, May 3 - 10; Leg II, May 12 – 27.

The original departure date was 26 April 2023, but due to ship personnel issues the ship could not depart until May 3, 2023. The objective of the first leg was to sample as many stations in the eastern Gulf of Mexico as possible before returning back to port on 10 May 2023. Due to the personnel issue, the ship was not able to perform certain at-sea Operation Readiness Trial (ORT) requirements prior to departure. Therefore, 24 hours were needed after departure to perform the tasks prior to any plankton sampling. On the way to conduct ORT requirements, two wooden drifters were deployed as part of a NOAA Fisheries turtle drift study. Plankton sampling started on May 4 and the ship returned back to Pascagoula on May 10.

Due to the 7-day delay on Leg I, the commanding officer reduced the in-port time between the survey legs by one day and Leg II departed May 12. Sampling began on May 13, but on May 15 an issue arose with one of the ship's generators and the ship had to return to port in Pascagoula. The ship arrived on May 16, repairs were made at the dock, and the ship departed on May 17 to finish up the survey. The ship completed the survey and returned to the dock on May 27 with 85 of the planned 97 stations.

## OBJECTIVES

1. Assess the occurrence, abundance and geographical distribution of the early life stages of spring spawning fishes, especially Atlantic bluefin tuna, from mid-continental shelf to deep GOM waters using a bongo frame fitted with 0.335 mm nets, a neuston frame fitted with a 0.950 mm net, and a second bongo frame fitted with two 0.505 mm nets at selected SEAMAP stations in support of annual stock assessments.
2. Describe the pelagic habitat of fish larvae through measurements of various physical and biological parameters:
  - a. Record profiles through the water column of temperature, salinity, fluorescence, dissolved oxygen, and turbidity using a CTD at SEAMAP stations.
  - b. Measure chlorophyll *a* in replicate water samples taken at surface, mid or maximum chlorophyll layer and near bottom (to a maximum of 200 m)

depths using bench top fluorometry.

3. Collect detailed observations (i.e. identification, number, volume, bell diameter) of net-caught jellyfish and ctenophores.
4. Collect volumetric measurements of net caught *Sargassum* spp.

## **SURVEY RESULTS**

### **Ichthyoplankton Data**

#### Survey Design

A predefined cruise track of 97 standard Spring SEAMAP stations, approximately 30 nm apart in a systematic grid, were targeted. Standard SEAMAP plankton gear used at each station consisted of a bongo net, a neuston net, a shallow bongo net, and a CTD. Originally MOCNESS tows were scheduled to be conducted during the Leg II of the survey, however, due to the shortened Leg 1, it was decided that the MOCNESS tows had to be dropped in order to insure spatial coverage of the survey.

#### Sampling Methodology

Samples and data collection were implemented in accordance with procedures outlined in the SEAMAP data collections manual. SEAMAP plankton samples were taken with the standard SEAMAP 61 cm bongo frame outfitted with two 0.335 mm mesh nets and towed in an oblique path from near bottom or 200 m maximum depth to the surface. A SBE19 SEACAT Profiler was attached on the towing wire above the frame to provide real time depth readings along with temperature and salinity. A flowmeter mounted inside each side of the bongo frame measured the volume filtered during the tow. SEAMAP plankton samples were also taken using a 0.950 mm mesh neuston net attached to a 1 x 2 m metal frame that was towed for 10 min at a vessel speed (~ 2 kt) sufficient to keep the net opening half submerged in the water maintaining a sampling depth of 0.5 m. In areas with a high density of *Sargassum* spp. or jellyfish, the total tow time was reduced to 5 min. Shallow bongo samples were taken with 0.505 mm mesh nets attached to a 61 cm bongo frame that was towed for 10 min. The shallow bongo was lowered to a depth of 10 m, returned to the surface, lowered again, and bounced throughout the 10 min tow period.

Preservation protocol called for the left bongo samples to be preserved in 10% formalin and then transferred to fresh 95% ETOH after 36 h. The right bongo, neuston, and both shallow bongo samples, were initially preserved in 95% ETOH and then transferred to fresh 95% ETOH after 24 h.

CTD casts were conducted at each station and water was collected at the surface, chlorophyll maximum depth, and bottom depth, which was then used for chlorophyll extraction and measurement.

### Collection Summary

Ichthyoplankton samples were collected at 85 stations (Figures 1 and 2). A total of 23 stations were sampled during Leg I resulting in 23 right bongo, 22 left bongo, 20 neuston, 23 right shallow bongo, and 23 left shallow bongo (Tables 1 and 2) samples. Sixty-two stations were sampled during Leg II resulting in 62 right bongo, 61 left bongo, 48 neuston, 61 right shallow bongo, and 62 left shallow bongo (Tables 1 and 2) samples. Neuston tows were dropped at 6 stations over the course of the survey due to large amounts of *Sargassum* spp. impacting our ability to collect a valid sample. The left bongo and neuston sample from the first station were discarded due to both samples being rinsed in freshwater prior to preservation. At station 66, the right shallow bongo sample was spilled so the left was sent to Poland and the right sample was saved as a non-quantitative outreach sample.

A total of 97 stations were planned for standard gear, so 12 bongo, shallow bongos, and neuston samples were not collected at those stations dropped due to ship delays. Twenty MOCNESS stations were planned for the entire survey, but all of them had to be dropped resulting in 172 samples not collected. Additionally, 60 shallow bongo samples for Close-Kin-Mark-Recapture studies were dropped in order to allow for time to complete the standard survey due to ship delays.

Jellyfish, ctenophores, and larger juvenile fish collected in bongo and neuston nets were thoroughly rinsed, removed from the plankton samples, and noted in the database. These organisms were identified, counted, and measured.

*Sargassum* spp. collected in bongo and neuston nets were thoroughly rinsed, removed from the plankton sample, and volume measured. The amount of *Sargassum* spp. in each net was recorded in the database.

### Archival Storage

Plankton samples were assigned SEAMAP numbers at sea (Table 2). Right bongo, neuston, and right shallow bongo will be shipped to the Sea Fisheries Institute, Plankton Sorting and Identification Center, Gdynia, Poland for sorting. The left bongos will be deposited in the SEAMAP Invertebrate Archive at GCRL, USM, Ocean Springs, MS. Data on gelatinous organisms and *Sargassum* spp. collected during the cruise will be archived at NMFS Pascagoula Laboratory for future analysis.

## **Environmental Data**

Environmental data were collected with a Seabird SBE 9/11 Plus CTD at a total of 85 stations during the survey. The SBE 9/11 plus CTD profiles were processed at sea by the FPC and Watch Leaders using Seabird's SEASAVE processing software. Information from shipboard sensors was accessed via the Scientific Computer System

(SCS), which continuously displayed and recorded the ship's position, heading, speed, wind direction, wind speed, barometric pressure, sea surface temperature, air temperature and water depth. All environmental data and data from the ship's SCS were returned to the NMFS Pascagoula Laboratory for editing, analysis and archival storage. CTD profiles were taken to a maximum of 200 m or to near-bottom.

Water samples for chlorophyll analysis were taken at 84 stations where the Seabird SBE 9/11 Plus CTD was deployed, using niskin bottles attached to a SBE Carousel sampler. Standard SEAMAP target sampling depths were: surface, chlorophyll maximum, and near-bottom (up to 200 m maximum). Samples were analyzed for chlorophyll *a* concentrations ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ) at sea using a Turner Designs Trilogy Laboratory Fluorometer equipped with a Chlorophyll *a* Non-Acidification module (Table 3). Standard protocol for SEAMAP stations calls for analysis of duplicate water samples from each of the three target depths. However, at shallower stations where the water column was well mixed and no chlorophyll maximum was present, only surface and bottom samples were taken. All replicates at each sample depth were averaged and entered into the Microsoft Access database.

Temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), salinity (PSU), dissolved oxygen ( $\text{mg/L}$ ), fluorescence ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ), and transmissivity were recorded from the CTD sensors for the same depths as water samples for the chlorophyll *a* measurements.

## CRUISE PARTICIPANTS

### Leg I (3 May – 10 May 2023)

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### Leg II (12 May – 27 May 2023)

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**Table 1.** Summary of valid SEAMAP ichthyoplankton collections taken during the 2023 Spring SEAMAP Plankton survey aboard NOAA Ship *Oregon II* R2-23-01 (347) May 3-27, 2023.

Leg	CTD Casts	Right Bongo	Left Bongo	Neuston	Right SB	Left SB
		(0.335 mm)	(0.335 mm)	(0.950 mm)	(0.505 mm)	(0.505 mm)
I	23	23	22	20	23	23
II	62	62	61	48	61	62
<b>Total</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>85</b>

**Table 2.** Summary of plankton sampling effort during the Spring 2023 SEAMAP Plankton Survey conducted from NOAA Ship *Oregon II*, cruise R2-23-01 (347) May 3-27, 2023. Station = Pascagoula station number; SEAMAP = SEAMAP station number; Sample # = SEAMAP sample number; RB = Right Bongo; LB = Left Bongo; NN = Neuston; RSB = Right Shallow Bongo; LSB = Left Shallow Bongo; Preservative = Initial preservative; Form = Formalin; ETOH = Ethanol; Lat = Latitude of sample in decimal degrees; Lon = Longitude of sample in decimal degrees

001	B169	55522	RB	95% ETOH	5/4/2023	29.51	-86.50
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001	B169	55526	LSB	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	29.50	-86.50
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002	B165	55528	LB	10% Form	5/5/2023	29.20	-86.00
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003	B160	55534	NN	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	28.67	-85.50
003	B160	55535	RSB	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	28.67	-85.50
003	B160	55536	LSB	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	28.67	-85.50
004	B153	55537	RB	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	28.00	-84.98
004	B153	55538	LB	10% Form	5/5/2023	28.00	-84.98
004	B153	55539	NN	95% ETOH	5/5/2023	28.00	-84.99
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006	B151	55551	LSB	95% ETOH	5/6/2023	27.01	-85.00
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081	B250	55909	RB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.49
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082	B082	55913	RB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.01
082	B082	55914	LB	10% Form	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.01
082	B082	55915	NN	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.01
082	B082	55916	RSB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.01
082	B082	55917	LSB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.00	-88.01

Station							
083	B081	55918	RB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.50	-88.01
083	B081	55919	LB	10% Form	5/26/2023	28.50	-88.01
083	B081	55920	RSB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.50	-88.01
083	B081	55921	LSB	95% ETOH	5/26/2023	28.50	-88.01
084	B001	55922	RB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.00	-88.00
084	B001	55923	LB	10% Form	5/27/2023	29.00	-88.00
084	B001	55924	NN	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.00	-88.01
084	B001	55925	RSB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.00	-88.01
084	B001	55926	LSB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.00	-88.01
085	B176	55927	RB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.50	-88.05
085	B176	55928	LB	10% Form	5/27/2023	29.50	-88.05
085	B176	55929	RSB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.50	-88.06
085	B176	55930	LSB	95% ETOH	5/27/2023	29.50	-88.06

**Table 3.** Summary of average chlorophyll *a* measurements at three depths (surface, chlorophyll maximum, and bottom) for each station where the CTD was deployed during the 2023 Spring SEAMAP Plankton Survey conducted from NOAA Ship *Oregon II* cruise R2-23-01 (347) May 3-27, 2023. Station = Pascagoula station number; SEAMAP = SEAMAP station number; Depth = Depth of actual water sample (meters); Sample Depth = Sample location (S = Surface, MAX = Chlorophyll maximum, B = Bottom); Chl-*a* = Chlorophyll *a* measurement ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ ).

Station				
001	B169	0.77	S	0.13
001	B169	77.45	MAX	-
001	B169	200.73	B	0.01
002	B165	2.31	S	0.11
002	B165	72.26	MAX	0.88
002	B165	189.94	B	0.01
003	B160	2.18	S	0.10
003	B160	65.10	MAX	1.92
003	B160	176.84	B	0.01
004	B153	1.43	S	0.09
004	B153	79.01	MAX	0.87
004	B153	200.47	B	0.00
005	B152	1.30	S	0.10
005	B152	81.95	MAX	0.96
005	B152	209.49	B	0.00
006	B151	2.36	S	0.11
006	B151	86.77	MAX	0.46

Station				
006	B151	200.82	B	0.00
007	B150	1.69	S	0.10
007	B150	89.64	MAX	0.85
007	B150	200.26	B	0.05
008	B149	1.98	S	0.11
008	B149	90.60	MAX	0.72
008	B149	200.37	B	-
009	B147	2.54	S	0.10
009	B147	78.57	MAX	0.61
009	B147	199.74	B	0.01
010	B131	0.93	S	0.10
010	B131	84.66	MAX	1.01
010	B131	136.74	B	0.11
011	B130	1.04	S	0.11
011	B130	94.63	MAX	0.89
011	B130	136.98	B	0.10
012	B129	1.50	S	0.09
012	B129	58.21	MAX	0.73
012	B129	125.68	B	0.10
013	B128	2.45	S	0.12
013	B128	76.08	MAX	0.68
013	B128	199.96	B	0.01
014	B125	1.58	S	0.14
014	B125	51.02	MAX	1.21
014	B125	198.93	B	0.00
015	B126	1.17	S	0.44
015	B126	75.48	MAX	1.13
015	B126	202.41	B	0.01
016	B127	3.73	S	0.08
016	B127	76.27	MAX	0.95
016	B127	200.74	B	0.07
017	B263	1.93	S	0.21
017	B263	33.22	MAX	0.82
017	B263	200.01	B	0.01
018	B262	1.90	S	0.11
018	B262	63.21	MAX	0.50
018	B262	199.28	B	0.00
019	B007	2.95	S	0.11
019	B007	53.93	MAX	1.26
019	B007	199.30	B	0.01

Station				
020	B072	1.56	S	0.12
020	B072	80.54	MAX	0.63
020	B072	200.80	B	0.00
021	B266	1.87	S	0.16
021	B266	89.17	MAX	1.05
021	B266	201.87	B	0.00
022	B261	1.88	S	0.10
022	B261	75.55	MAX	0.88
022	B261	199.95	B	0.01
023	B008	1.78	S	0.10
023	B008	123.67	MAX	0.68
023	B008	199.90	B	0.02
024	B270	2.17	S	0.02
024	B270	104.75	MAX	0.93
024	B270	201.52	B	0.06
025	B074	2.48	S	0.07
025	B074	116.98	MAX	0.71
025	B074	199.38	B	0.01
026	B006	2.47	S	0.08
026	B006	121.56	MAX	0.77
026	B006	201.42	B	0.01
027	B077	1.61	S	0.07
027	B077	109.89	MAX	0.84
027	B077	200.20	B	0.01
028	B005	1.60	S	0.14
028	B005	105.97	MAX	0.80
028	B005	200.07	B	0.03
029	B078	1.00	S	0.13
029	B078	53.88	MAX	1.02
029	B078	200.77	B	0.01
030	B163	1.96	S	0.15
030	B163	73.00	MAX	1.01
030	B163	200.94	B	0.02
031	B164	1.97	S	0.28
031	B164	75.18	MAX	0.49
031	B164	201.43	B	0.00
032	B170	1.37	S	0.22
032	B170	73.81	MAX	0.81
032	B170	202.28	B	0.00
033	B002	1.50	S	0.09

Station				
033	B002	84.09	MAX	0.84
033	B002	201.47	B	0.00
034	B080	0.73	S	0.13
034	B080	60.28	MAX	0.97
034	B080	201.83	B	0.01
035	B003	1.41	S	0.16
035	B003	88.98	MAX	0.70
035	B003	202.72	B	0.00
036	B079	1.74	S	0.15
036	B079	86.67	MAX	0.87
036	B079	200.83	B	0.01
037	B004	1.90	S	0.09
037	B004	99.76	MAX	0.83
037	B004	200.01	B	0.00
038	B076	1.99	S	0.13
038	B076	131.64	MAX	3.47
038	B076	201.13	B	0.02
039	B273	1.90	S	0.08
039	B273	128.33	MAX	0.64
039	B273	201.19	B	0.16
040	B010	1.96	S	0.11
040	B010	111.40	MAX	0.72
040	B010	200.36	B	0.02
041	B066	2.16	S	0.32
041	B066	131.46	MAX	0.92
041	B066	200.84	B	0.08
042	B011	1.04	S	0.16
042	B011	102.17	MAX	0.83
042	B011	200.52	B	0.02
043	B288	0.85	S	0.18
043	B288	64.97	MAX	1.15
043	B288	201.22	B	0.02
044	B012	0.93	S	0.10
044	B012	59.16	MAX	1.10
044	B012	201.02	B	0.00
045	B063	1.38	S	0.13
045	B063	108.60	MAX	0.84
045	B063	194.18	B	0.02
046	B013	2.06	S	0.07
046	B013	109.21	MAX	0.76

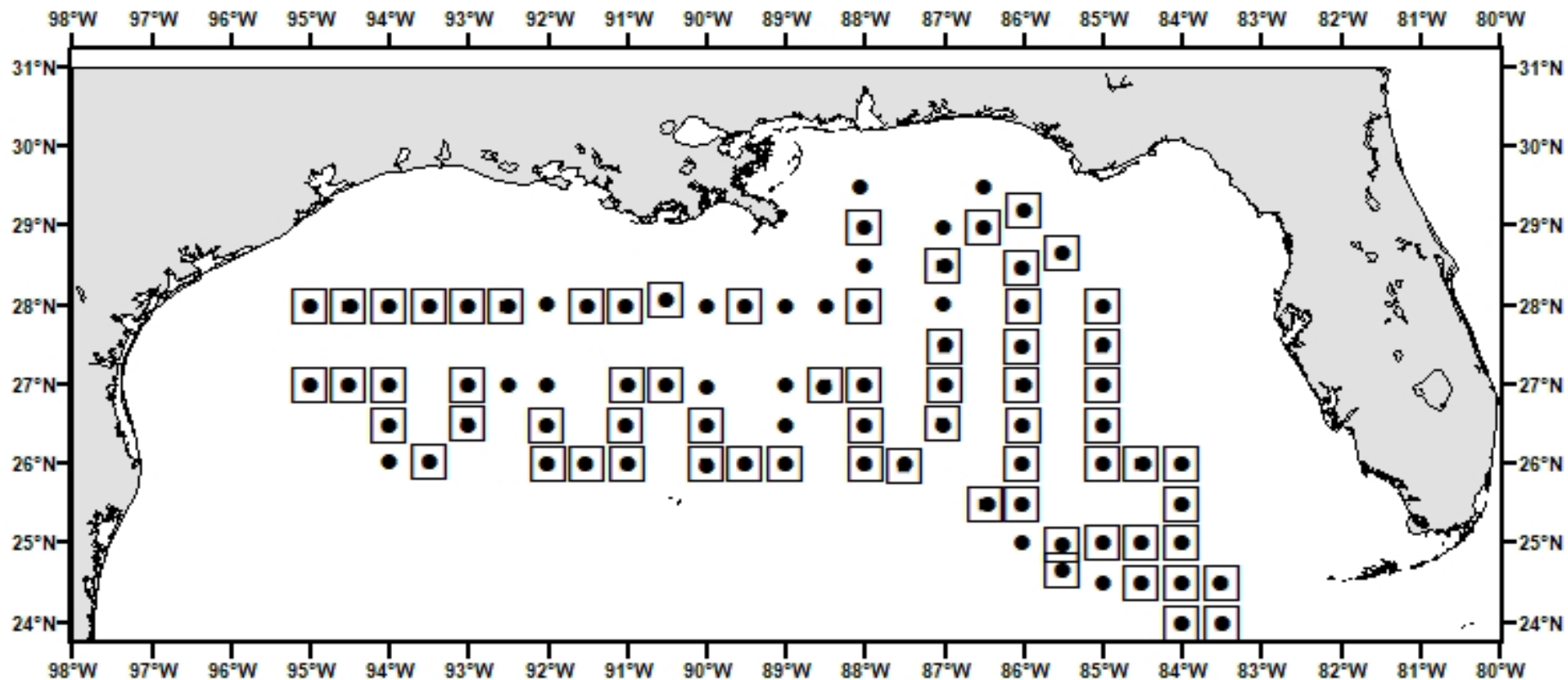
Station				
046	B013	200.91	B	0.00
047	B291	0.96	S	0.09
047	B291	92.54	MAX	0.69
047	B291	201.46	B	0.00
048	B014	0.88	S	0.07
048	B014	65.18	MAX	1.96
048	B014	201.57	B	0.01
049	B062	1.29	S	0.19
049	B062	83.44	MAX	0.98
049	B062	200.98	B	0.01
050	B015	1.72	S	0.11
050	B015	66.85	MAX	0.84
050	B015	200.52	B	0.01
051	B296	1.90	S	0.14
051	B296	78.96	MAX	1.02
051	B296	200.24	B	0.01
052	B018	1.83	S	0.19
052	B018	86.67	MAX	0.88
052	B018	200.03	B	0.00
053	B059	1.48	S	0.21
053	B059	90.82	MAX	0.64
053	B059	200.46	B	0.01
054	B018	0.74	S	-
054	B018	78.63	MAX	0.93
054	B018	201.13	B	0.01
055	B299	0.61	S	0.12
055	B299	81.74	MAX	0.99
055	B299	200.63	B	0.00
056	B020	2.22	S	0.08
056	B020	74.43	MAX	0.77
056	B020	201.56	B	0.00
057	B058	1.51	S	0.11
057	B058	78.30	MAX	0.79
057	B058	205.29	B	0.01
058	B021	1.21	S	0.22
058	B021	78.89	MAX	0.83
058	B021	200.08	B	0.00
059	B304	1.16	S	0.30
059	B304	69.65	MAX	1.13
059	B304	200.44	B	0.00

Station				
060	B024	1.32	S	0.23
060	B024	63.21	MAX	1.21
060	B024	201.27	B	0.00
061	B055	1.36	S	0.17
061	B055	73.46	MAX	0.77
061	B055	200.65	B	0.00
062	B307	1.72	S	0.19
062	B307	88.15	MAX	0.86
062	B307	201.00	B	0.01
063	B026	1.61	S	0.23
063	B026	116.47	MAX	0.65
063	B026	201.73	B	0.05
064	B054	1.58	S	0.15
064	B054	84.87	MAX	0.62
064	B054	202.06	B	0.01
065	B027	0.89	S	0.26
065	B027	88.33	MAX	0.99
065	B027	199.89	B	0.02
066	B312	0.64	S	0.20
066	B312	87.88	MAX	0.75
066	B312	200.87	B	0.00
067	B028	1.31	S	0.14
067	B028	90.90	MAX	0.92
067	B028	201.33	B	0.01
068	B223	1.64	S	0.21
068	B223	82.41	B/MAX	0.60
069	B217	2.44	S	0.22
069	B217	68.94	B/MAX	0.74
070	B216	1.41	S	0.23
070	B216	81.41	B/MAX	1.32
071	B209	1.86	S	0.17
071	B209	66.68	MAX	1.14
071	B209	98.23	B	0.48
072	B023	0.96	S	0.15
072	B023	74.72	MAX	1.50
072	B023	108.57	B	0.32
073	B202	1.42	S	0.13
073	B202	65.67	MAX	1.00
073	B202	108.74	B	0.45
074	B022	2.06	S	0.16

Station				
074	B022	74.29	MAX	0.80
074	B022	118.58	B	0.27
075	B195	2.43	S	0.17
075	B195	71.53	MAX	0.84
075	B195	168.18	B	0.03
076	B017	2.31	S	0.24
076	B017	79.77	MAX	0.73
076	B017	143.75	B	0.03
077	B190	2.49	S	0.21
077	B190	76.73	MAX	1.03
077	B190	148.76	B	0.06
078	B016	2.53	S	0.47
078	B016	58.27	MAX	1.20
078	B016	200.50	B	0.01
079	B185	1.88	S	0.36
079	B185	77.00	MAX	0.80
079	B185	200.54	B	0.01
080	B083	2.36	S/MAX	0.45
080	B083	200.68	B	0.00
081	B250	1.20	S	0.14
081	B250	76.34	MAX	0.80
081	B250	198.10	B	0.00
082	B082	1.38	S	0.09
082	B082	61.51	MAX	1.05
082	B082	200.68	B	0.00
083	B081	2.98	S	0.12
083	B081	71.51	MAX	0.95
083	B081	201.73	B	0.00
084	B001	2.77	S	0.10
084	B001	81.48	MAX	0.55
084	B001	201.01	B	0.00
085	B176	2.10	S	-
085	B176	26.26	MAX	-
085	B176	44.42	B	-



**Figure 1.** Locations of plankton stations completed during the SEAMAP Spring plankton Survey aboard the NOAA Ship *Oregon II* cruise R2-23-01 (347) May 3-27, 2023. Solid circles are stations where standard bongo tows and CTD casts were completed. Squares are stations where neuston tows were completed.



**Figure 2.** Locations of plankton stations completed during the SEAMAP Spring plankton Survey aboard the NOAA Ship *Oregon II* cruise R2-23-01 (347) May 3-27, 2023. Solid crosses are stations where shallow bongo tows were completed.

