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Form 504 U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY	
DESCRIPTIVE REPORT	
Type of Survey	Hydrographic
Field No.	ECFP-1359
Office No.	H-
LOCALITY	
State	Maine
General locality	East of Petit Manan Island
Locality	Machias River
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CHIEF OF PARTY	
Howard S. Cole	
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DATE	

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

The Hydrographic Sheet should be accompanied by this form, filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.

REGISTER NO. H-

Field No. ECFP-1359

State Maine

General locality East of Petit Manan Island - Maine Coast

*see also other title sheet*

Locality Machias River

Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey 10 August-26 August 1959

Instructions dated 222/MEK, S-2-WA & HI, FP-EAST COAST 19 December 1958

Vessel CS-183

Chief of party Howard S. Cole, CDR

Surveyed by LT(jg) John J. McCoy, LT(jg) Phillip R. Rotondo, ENS Arthur H. Goldberg

Soundings taken by fathometer, ~~graphic recorder, hand lead, wire~~

Fathograms scaled by Party personnel

Fathograms checked by Party personnel

Protracted by \_\_\_\_\_

Soundings penciled by \_\_\_\_\_

Soundings in ~~fathoms~~ feet at MLW ~~MLLW~~

REMARKS: Little Kennebec Bay will be surveyed on this sheet at

a later date. This report only includes the Machias River portion

of the sheet.

*Applied to sheet 10/11/77  
CS - Cat. 3 No further processing to be done*

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT  
TO ACCOMPANY

Hydrographic Survey H- , Field No. ECFP-1259  
Machias River and Little Kennebec Bay  
Vicinity of Machias, Maine

PROJECT: CS-408 SCALE: 1:10,000  
EAST COAST FIELD PARTY HOWARD S. COLE, CHIEF OF PARTY  
SURVEYED BY: LT (jg) John J. McCoy  
LT (jg) Phillip R. Rotondo  
ENS Arthur H. Goldberg

A. PROJECT

Work on project CS-408 was executed in accordance with Instructions 222/MEK, S-2-WA & HI, FP-EAST COAST, dated 19 December, 1958.

B. SURVEY LIMITS AND DATES

The area covered by this survey is the Machias River and Little Kennebec Bay, in the vicinity of Machias, Maine.

Work on the Machias River portion was started on 10 August 1959 and ended 26 August 1959. This area extends from a line (longitude ~~67°~~ 23.00'W) to the head of Navigation on the Machias River (latitude 44° 42.85'N, longitude 67° 27.45'W), and to a point on the East Machias River (latitude 44° 43.86'N, longitude 67° 23.39'W), a tributary of the Machias River. This portion makes junction with contemporary survey H-8482 1959, ECFP-1259, to the east.

Work of the Little Kennebec Bay portion will be executed during the next survey season in Maine.

C. VESSELS AND EQUIPMENT

Launch CS-183 was used on the entire survey, which was based at Machiasport, Maine. This is a 33-foot, wooden-hulled, cabin-type craft, with a turning radius of 25 meters at half rudder and standard speed.

An Edo-type fathometer, No. 255C-16 was used on the entire survey. Launch CS-183 was equipped with two transducer hull fittings, one on each side of the keel, in accordance with C&GS Specification FU-2053. A Kato convertor was used to convert to A.C. power.

D. TIDE AND CURRENT STATIONS

The tide station used for control on the entire Machias River portion of the survey was a portable automatic tide gage, located on the end of Stimson's Wharf at Machiasport, Maine (latitude 44° 41.87'N, longitude 67° 23.63'W).

Data for reduction of sounding volumes may be taken directly from the station records without time or range correction.

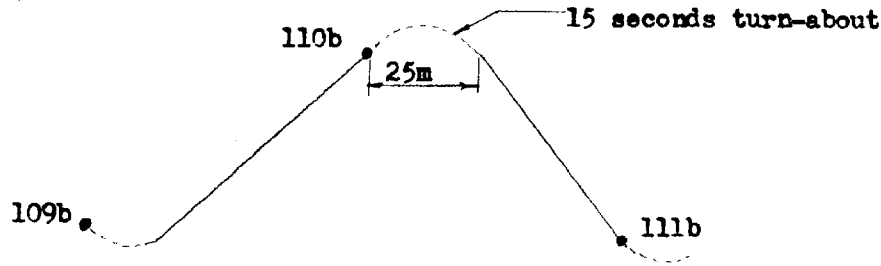
There were no current stations within the limits of the survey.

E. SMOOTH SHEET

When plotting the soundings on the smooth sheet for the "saw-tooth" river crossings of the survey, the following data should be taken into account:

- a. The launch made turns-about in fifteen seconds time
- b. The turns were 25 meters in diameter
- c. Regular sounding spacing (time) was maintained around the turns

Example:



F. CONTROL STATIONS

The following triangulation stations were used for this survey:

<u>STATION</u>	<u>SIGNAL</u>	<u>G.P.VOL.*PGE</u>	<u>CH.OF PTY</u>
Fletcher, recovered 1959	LET	1-194	CHB, 1882
Machiasport Old Church, recovered 1959	OID	1-222	FPW, 1862
Machiasport Town Hall, recovered 1959	HAL	1-220	CHB, 1882
Burnham Captain House Chimney, recovered 1959	CAPT	1-220	FPW, 1862

The following topographic signals were employed as control for this survey:

<u>STATION</u>	<u>SIGNAL NAME</u>	<u>MANUSCRIPT</u>
Chimney, 1946	CHI	T-8795 N/2
Cupola, 1946	CUP	T-8795 N/2
Gable, 1946	MEN	T-8795 N/2
Spire, 1946	SPY	T-8795 N/2
Chimney, 1946	YOU	T-8795 N/2
Gable, 1946	TIN	T-8795 N/2
Gable, 1946	PRO	T-8795 S/2
Chimney, 1946	SAG	T-8795 N/2

G. SHORELINE AND TOPOGRAPHY

Shoreline and topographic details were obtained from photographic manuscripts T-8795 N/2 and T-8795 S/2.

There were no discrepancies found during the hydrographic survey regarding shoreline and topography. Due to the large range of tide, with the resulting mud flats baring at low water, all cross-river lines were run at fairly high water, and were stopped when the hydrographer knew he had established the zero-depth curve.

#### H. SOUNDINGS

All soundings were taken by Edo 255C-16 fathometer, which was operated at a frequency of 60.5 cycles per second. All bar checks were also taken daily at this frequency.

#### I. CONTROL OF HYDROGRAPHY

All hydrographic control was accomplished by standard visual methods with sextant angles taken on shore objects. Most positions were taken at one-minute intervals.

#### J. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY

The Machias River portion of this survey is considered complete and is adequate to supercede prior surveys for charting. The Little Kennebec Bay portion will be surveyed during a future season.

#### K. CROSSLINES

The river was developed by lines approximately perpendicular to the channel. The channel was further developed by three lines parallel to it, one down the center and one along each edge. These channel lines are to be considered as crosslines, which far exceed the ten percent required in the project instructions.

#### L. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS

A comparison with C&GS Sheet (register number) 1687, September-October, 1885 shows a general agreement of depth curves. West of the Machiasport Swing Bridge (latitude  $44^{\circ} 42.88'N$ , longitude  $67^{\circ} 24.25'W$ ), prior survey data was not available when this report was written. However, the depth curves at the bridge agree satisfactoraly.

The zero-depth curve in the East Machias River agrees with the prior survey, extending north to latitude  $44^{\circ} 43.85'N$ . The six-foot-depth curve on this survey extends about 600 meters further upstream than on the prior survey. However, the channel enclosed by the six-foot curve west of longitude  $67^{\circ} 23.5'W$  is only about ten meters wide.

#### M. COMPARISON WITH CHART

A comparison with C&GS Chart 304. 5th edition, 18 May 1959 shows a general agreement of depth curves. The zero-depth curve outlining the Randall Point Flats (latitude  $44^{\circ} 41.2'$ , longitude  $67^{\circ} 23.5'W$ ) has shifted about 350 meters east at latitude  $44^{\circ} 41.2'N$ .

A shoal in the west branch of the Machias River (latitude  $44^{\circ} 43.16'N$ , longitude  $67^{\circ} 26.78'W$ ) is shown in the same position on the chart.

#### N. DANGERS AND SHOALS

Clearance was measured at the Machiasport Swing Bridge on 26 August 1959, (lg day), and the ~~swing~~ was found:

Field data: clearance = 8.9' at 14:55, 26 August 1959

From marigram: tide = 11.3' above MLW at 14:55

From tide tables, C&GS, 1959, page 659:

Mean spring HW =  $6.5 + \frac{1}{2}(14.8) = 13.9$  above MLW  
MHW = 13.0 above MLW

Computations:

Clearance at MHW =  $8.9 - (13.0 - 11.3) = 7.2'$   
Clearance at mean spring HW =  $8.9 - (13.9 - 11.3) = 6.3'$   
Clearance at MLW =  $8.9 - (11.3) = 20.2'$

C&GS Chart 304 shows a vertical clearance of four feet, which is conservative.

Position 12c day, 12 August 1959 (latitude  $44^{\circ} 42.31'$ , longitude  $67^{\circ} 23.64'$ ) marks the offshore end of an abandoned fish weir, which is bare 0.5' at low water, but submerged at high water. This is considered a dangerous area.

A shoal has extended in a southwesterly direction past the channel marked by nun buoys no. 6 and no.8. To follow the channel to Machiasport, the course should be  $290^{\circ}$  (true) from buoy no. 6 for 450 meters, and then  $321^{\circ}$  (true) until you pass buoy no. 8.

A sand bar splits the channel (latitude  $44^{\circ} 43.16'N$ , longitude  $67^{\circ} 26.78'W$ ) in the vicinity of Machias. It is recommended that you keep the bar to port running upstream.

#### O. COAST PILOT INFORMATION

There is only one addition or change to the Coast Pilot to report in the Machias River. See paragraph 3 of section N, regarding buoys no. 6 and 8.

#### P. AIDS TO NAVIGATION

<u>Buoy Name</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>
Nun buoy no. 8	N $44^{\circ} 41.16'$	W $67^{\circ} 23.54'$	29.8'	1a	10 Aug.1959
Nun buoy no. 6	N $44^{\circ} 40.87'$	W $67^{\circ} 23.06'$	31.4'	2a	10 Aug.1959

#### Q. LANDMARKS FOR CHARTS

No new landmarks are recommended for charting within this portion of the survey.

#### R. GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

There are no new geographic names to report.

#### S. SILTED AREAS

Silted areas were not encountered in the survey area

T. BY-PRODUCT INFORMATION

None

U-Y. MISCELLANEOUS

No difficulties were encountered.

Respectfully submitted,

*Arthur H. Goldberg*

Arthur H. Goldberg  
ENS, C & G S

Appendix Attachments

- A. List of Control Stations
- B. Statistics
- C. Velocity Corrections
- D. Tidal Notes
- E. Approval Sheet

APPENDIX A  
LIST OF CONTROL STATIONS  
Hydrographic Sheet H- (ECFP-1359)

<u>STATION</u>	<u>ORIGIN</u>	<u>MANUSCRIPT</u>
TRIANGULATION:		
LET	Fletcher, 1882	T-8795 N/2
OLD	Machiasport Old Church, 1882	T-8795 N/2
HAL	Machiasport Town Hall, 1882	T-8795 N/2
CAPT	Burnham Captain House Chimney, 1862	T-8795 N/2

TOPOGRAPHIC:		
CHI	Chimney, 1946	T-8795 N/2
<del>CHI</del>	Cupola, 1946	T-8795 N/2
MEN	Gable, 1946	T-8795 N/2
SPY	Spire, 1946	T-8795 N/2
YOU	Chimney, 1946	T-8795 N/2
SAG	Chimney, 1946	T-8795 N/2
TIN	Gable, 1946	T-8795 N/2
PRO	Gable, 1946	T-8795 S/2

PHOTO-HYDRO:

Manuscript T-8795 N/2

DIM	MAG	TOT	SIM	ZON	BUT
DOC	BED	OAK	MIS	CUM	WED
ELF	BIO	SEE	RAY	GIN	BEN
SAM	GAM	YEL	HOE	TRY	SET
WAX	ORE	WAR	GOV	SAX	REB
RIN	TED	TAC	HIS	HER	HIT
MIN	RAF	JON	BIT	MAC	BAA
<del>CHI</del>	ALP	LEO	WOT	HAD	POT

Manuscript T-8795 S/2

REC  
PIN  
JUN

HYDRO-SIGNALS:

	Vol. No.	Page
RIV	2	28
WEL	2	28
POL	2	28
TIP	2	28
SUE	1	67



APPENDIX B  
 STATISTICS TO ACCOMPANY  
 Hydrographic Sheet H- (ECP-1359)  
 Launch CS-183

<u>1959</u> <u>DATE</u>	<u>VOL. NO.</u>	<u>DAY LTR.</u>	<u>NO. D. P.</u>	<u>FATH. POS.</u>	<u>NAUTICAL MILES SOUNDING</u>
Aug. 10	1	a	2	65	6.8
Aug. 11	1	b	2	158	13.8
Aug. 12	1 & 2	c	4	99	15.2
Aug. 13	2	d	0	48	3.7
Aug. 18	2	e	0	101	8.8
Aug. 20	3	f	7	55	4.5
Aug. 26	3	g	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Totals			25	526	53.8

Square nautical miles of sounding = 1.8

CORRECTIONS IN FEET, FATHOMS

**APPENDIX C**  
**VELOCITY CORRECTIONS**

U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey

Ship: **East Coast Field Party** Comdg.  
**Robert S. Cole**

These corrections are to be used  
between **10 Aug. 19 59** and **20 Aug. 19 59**  
in the locality **Machias River, Maine**

for hydrographic surveys Nos. **1337-1359**

**LAUNCH CS-183**

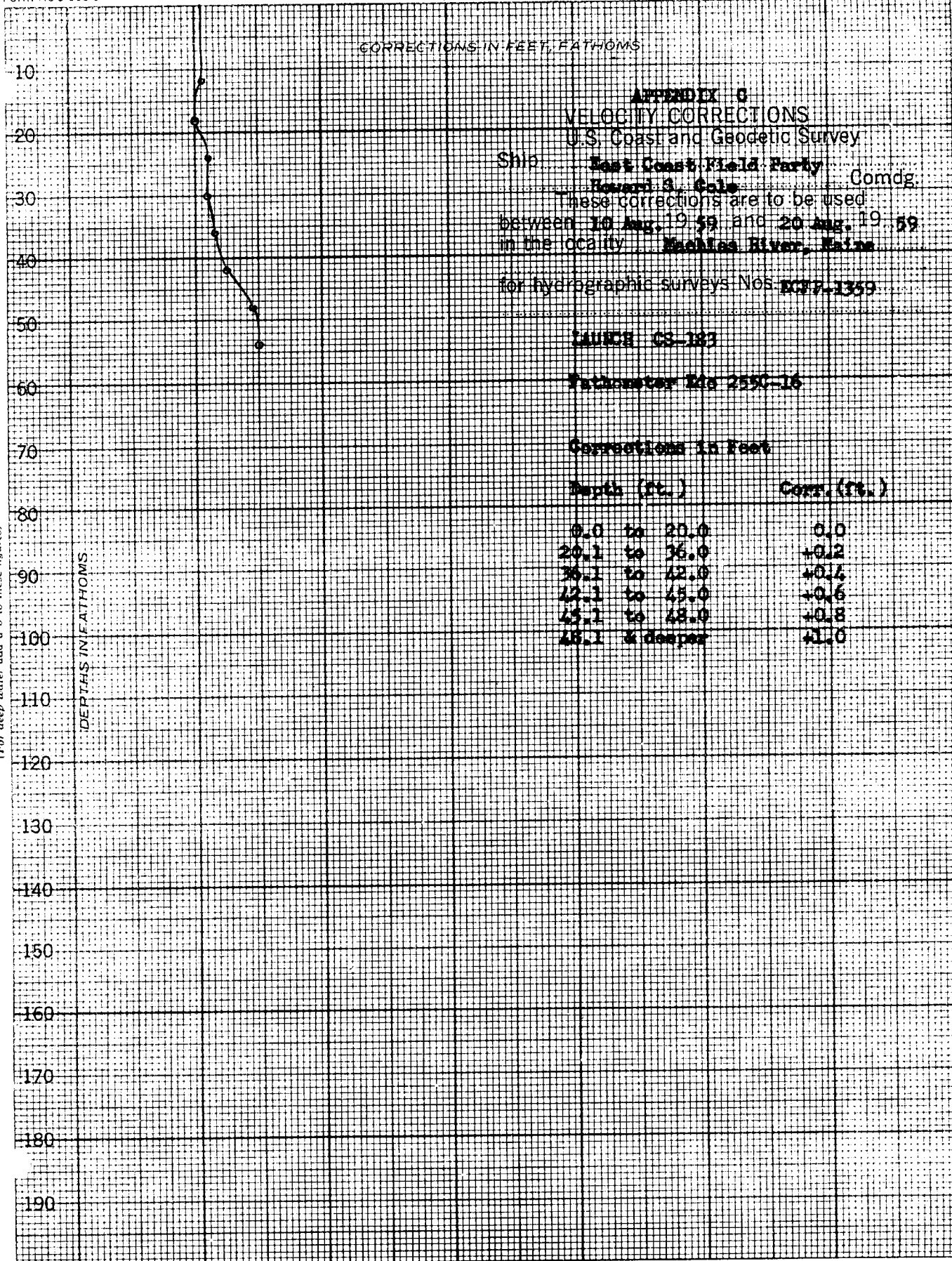
**Fathometer No 2550-16**

**Corrections 1/2 Foot**

Depth (ft.)	Corr. (ft.)
0.0 to 20.0	0.0
20.1 to 36.0	+0.2
36.1 to 42.0	+0.4
42.1 to 45.0	+0.6
45.1 to 48.0	+0.8
48.1 & deeper	+1.0

(For deep water add a 0 to these figures)

DEPTH IN FATHOMS



U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY  
AND NOT THE SIGNER OF THIS LETTER

AND REFER TO NO.  
36-283-15b

29 July 1959

To: Officer in Charge  
East Coast Field Party  
Coast and Geodetic Survey  
P. O. Box 282  
Machias, Maine


Subject: Tide Data

The planes of reference requested in your letter  
of 24 July 1959 are as follows:

<u>Location</u>	<u>MLW on Staff (Feet)</u>
Cutler	4.8
Shoppee Point	5.2

The mean range of the tide for the respective  
gage locations and time differences referred to Starboard  
Island are given below:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Mean Range (Feet)</u>	<u>Time Difference</u>
Starboard Island	12.4	0
Cutler	13.5	+10 minutes
Shoppee Point	12.2	+10 minutes

  
K. G. Crosby, Chief  
Tides & Currents Division

APPENDIX D  
TIDAL NOTES FOR  
Hydrographic Survey H- (ECFP-1359)

Gage location: Latitude =  $44^{\circ} 41.87'$  N  
Longitude =  $67^{\circ} 23.63'$  W

Staff: Mean low water corresponds to 1.8 feet on the staff.

Correction: No time or height correction was applied to the  
results obtained from the gage in reducing soundings.

APPENDIX E  
APPROVAL SHEET TO ACCOMPANY  
Hydrographic Survey H- (ECFP-1359)  
Project CS-408

The record, corrections, fathograms, scanning, and all field work ~~was~~ supervised by CDR Howard S. Cole.

The fathograms were scanned prior to plotting the soundings on the boat sheet, and no further scanning is necessary.

The descriptive report was written by ENS Arthur H. Goldberg under the supervision of CDR Cole.

The report and the records for this survey are complete and adequate to the best of my knowledge.

Approved and forwarded,

Howard S. Cole  
CDR, C & G S  
Chief of Party

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FORM C&GS-504	
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES ADMINISTRATION COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY	
DESCRIPTIVE REPORT	
Type of Survey	Hydrographic
Field No.	ECFP-1159
Office No.	H-
LOCALITY	
State	Maine
General locality	Northeast of Cross Island, Maine
Locality	Machiasport, Maine
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CHIEF OF PARTY	
Howard S. Cole	
LIBRARY & ARCHIVES	
DATE	1959

**HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET**

INSTRUCTIONS - The Hydrographic Sheet should be accompanied by this form, filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.

FIELD NO.

ECFP-1159

State Maine

General locality Northeast of Cross Island, Maine

Locality Machiasport, Maine

Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey 28 July 1959-24 August 1959.

Instructions dated 19 December 1958 Project No. CS-408

222/MEK; S-2-WA & HI, FP-East Coast

Vessel CS-1177

Chief of party Howard S. Cole

Surveyed by ENS J.D. Wingfield, ENS M.E. Jones

Soundings taken by echo sounder, hand lead, pole \_\_\_\_\_

Graphic record scaled by \_\_\_\_\_

Graphic record checked by \_\_\_\_\_

Protracted by \_\_\_\_\_ Automated plot by \_\_\_\_\_

Soundings penciled by \_\_\_\_\_

Soundings in fathoms feet at MLW MLLW \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS: Velocity corrections filed with volumes

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT  
TO ACCOMPANY

Hydrographic Survey H- , Field No. ECFP 1159  
Northeast of Cross Island, Maine

PROJECT: CS-408  
EAST COAST FIELD PARTY  
1959

SCALE: 1:10,000  
HOWARD S. COLE, CHIEF OF PARTY

SURVEYED BY: ENS J.D. Wingfield  
ENS M.E. Jones

A. PROJECT

Work on Project CS-408 was executed in accordance with instructions 222/MEK; S-2-WA & HI, FP-EAST COAST, dated 19 December 1958.

B. SURVEY LIMITS AND DATES

(Note: Since area completed on boat sheet will not be final and is incomplete at present, no limits will be defined - JDW).

Field work commenced on 28 July 1959.

(Note: Insert prior surveys when ECFP-1159 is completed.

See note above. JDW).

Field work was terminated on ECFP-1159 on 24 August as the ECFP was preparing to move to Project CS-287 in the Chesapeake Bay.

C. VESSELS AND EQUIPMENT

Launch CS-1177 was used on the entire survey. The launch was based at Machiasport, Maine. (Note: Insert statistical data on CS-1177).

Edo Type 255-C fathometer, Serial Number 15 with a Kato converter and later a transistorized power supply for a power source were used. The Kato converter was used from 28 July 1959 until 3 August 1959. The transistor supply was used from 4 August until 6 August 1959 and then the Kato was reinstalled on 7 August and used until 11 August 1959. Launch CS-1177 was equipped with one transducer hull fitting on the starboard side.

D. TIDE AND CURRENT STATIONS

The tide station used for control of the entire survey was a portable automatic tide gage located on the end of



CORBETT'S wharf at Little River near the village of Autler, Maine (Lat.  $44^{\circ} 39.6'$  Long.  $67^{\circ} 12.6'$ )  $60^{\circ}$  time mer.

Data for reduction of sounding volumes may be taken directly from the station records without time or range correction.

There were no current stations within the limits of the survey.

#### E. SMOOTH SHEET

#### F. CONTROL STATIONS

#### G. SHORELINE AND TOPOGRAPHY

Shoreline and topographic details obtained from photographic manuscripts T-

There were no discrepancies found during the hydrographic survey regarding shoreline and topography.

#### H. SOUNDINGS

Soundings were taken with EDO 255 C-15 depth recorder. This instrument was used from 28 July through 11 August. On 20 and 24 August EDO 255C-13 was used. Power supplies were switched as outlined in Section C of this report.

A frequency of 60.5 cps was used on the following dates: 7/28/59, 8/3/59, 8/20/59, and 8/24/59. A frequency of 61.0 cps was used from 8/4/59 through 8/11/59.

Bar checks were taken daily at the aforementioned frequencies.

Temperature and salinity observations in the survey area are to be used to supplement the bar checks.

#### I. CONTROL OF HYDROGRAPHY

All hydrographic control was accomplished by standard visual methods with sextant angles taken on shore objects. Position interval varied from one minute to one and a half minutes in length.

#### J. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY

K. CROSSLINES

L. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS

M. COMPARISON WITH CHART

N. DANGERS AND SHOALS

O. COAST PILOT INFORMATION

P. AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Q. LANDMARKS FOR CHARTS

R. GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

S. SILTED AREAS  
Silted areas were not encountered in the area surveyed.

T. BY-PRODUCT INFORMATION  
None.

U.-Y. MISCELLANEOUS  
No unusual difficulties were encountered.

APPENDIX B  
 STATISTICS TO ACCOMPANY  
 Hydrographic Sheet H- (ECFP-1159)

<u>1959</u> <u>DATE</u>	<u>VOL. NO.</u>	<u>DAY LTR.</u>	<u>NO.D.P.</u>	<u>FATH. POS.</u>	<u>NAUTICAL MILES SOUNDING</u>
28 July	1	a	2	65	9.1
3 August	1	b	0	92	14.1
4 August	1 & 2	c	0	122	13.6
5 August	2	d	8	16	1.0
6 August	2	e	8	53	3.8
7 August	2	f	7	32	1.4
11 August	2 & 3	g	4	90	8.2
19 August	3	h	1	94	8.8
20 August	3	j	0	31	2.9
24 August	3 & 4	k	<u>2</u>	<u>113</u>	<u>10.4</u>
			32	708	73.3

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

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**HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY STATISTICS**  
**HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY NO. 9503**

**RECORDS ACCOMPANYING SURVEY:** To be completed when survey is registered.

RECORD DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	RECORD DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	
SMOOTH SHEET		0	BOAT SHEETS clothback		2	
DESCRIPTIVE REPORT		2	OVERLAYS		0	
DESCRIPTION	DEPTH RECORDS	HORIZ. CONT. RECORDS	PRINTOUTS	TAPE ROLLS	PUNCHED CARDS	ABSTRACTS/ SOURCE DOCUMENTS
ENVELOPES	2					2
CAHIERS						
VOLUMES	7					
BOXES						

T-SHEET PRINTS (*List*) ALL DATA IN BOX EXCEPT B/S & DR

SPECIAL REPORTS (*List*)

**OFFICE PROCESSING ACTIVITIES**

The following statistics will be submitted with the cartographer's report on the survey

PROCESSING ACTIVITY	AMOUNTS			
	PRE-VERIFICATION	VERIFICATION	REVIEW	TOTALS
POSITIONS ON SHEET				
POSITIONS CHECKED				
POSITIONS REVISED				
DEPTH SOUNDINGS REVISED				
DEPTH SOUNDINGS ERRONEOUSLY SPACED				
SIGNALS ERRONEOUSLY PLOTTED OR TRANSFERRED				
	TIME (MANHOURS)			
TOPOGRAPHIC DETAILS				
JUNCTIONS				
VERIFICATION OF SOUNDINGS FROM GRAPHIC RECORDS				
SPECIAL ADJUSTMENTS				
ALL OTHER WORK				
<b>TOTALS</b>				
PRE-VERIFICATION BY	BEGINNING DATE		ENDING DATE	
VERIFICATION BY	BEGINNING DATE		ENDING DATE	
REVIEW BY	BEGINNING DATE		ENDING DATE	

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY  
AND NOT THE SIGNER OF THIS LETTER

AND REFER TO NO.  
36-283-15b

29 July 1959

To: Officer in Charge  
East Coast Field Party  
Coast and Geodetic Survey  
P. O. Box 282  
Machias, Maine


Subject: Tide Data

The planes of reference requested in your letter of 24 July 1959 are as follows:

<u>Location</u>	<u>MLW on Staff (Feet)</u>
Cutler	4.8
Shoppee Point	5.2

The mean range of the tide for the respective gage locations and time differences referred to Starboard Island are given below:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Mean Range (Feet)</u>	<u>Time Difference</u>
Starboard Island	12.4	0
Cutler	13.5	+10 minutes
Shoppee Point	12.2	+10 minutes

  
K. G. Crosby, Chief  
Tides & Currents Division

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY  
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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36-311-15b

25 August 1959

To: Officer in Charge  
East Coast Field Party  
Coast & Geodetic Survey  
P.O. Box 282  
Machias, Maine

Subject: Tide Data

In reply to your letter dated 13 August 1959  
the Cutler gage may be used uncorrected for all of sheet  
No. 1159.

The hourly heights requested will be furnished  
as soon as tide records covering this period from other  
gages operating in the area have been received in this  
Office.



L. P. Disney, Acting Chief  
Tides and Currents Division





2 areas (see next page)

67° 20'

Wreck  
Rocks  
P.D. position

HEIGHTS in feet

AUTHORITIES  
Hydrography

STORM WARNIN  
The U.S. We  
Machiasp  
Cross Isla

Temporary d  
not indicated on  
replaces a fixed a

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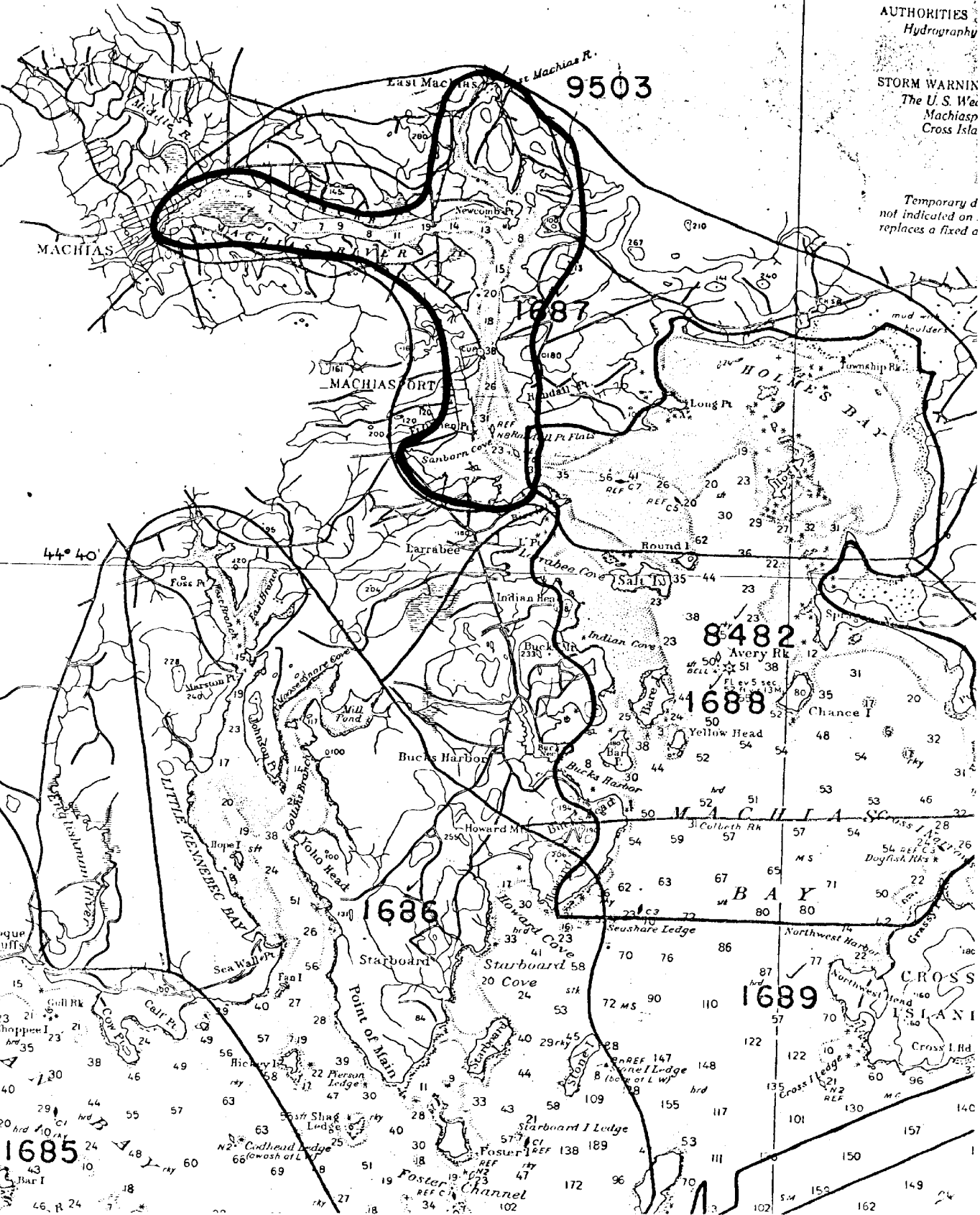
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