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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Type of Survey Hydrographic
Field No. FA-10-4-82
Office No. H-10025

LOCALITY

State Alaska
General Locality Shelikof Strait
Locality Central Portion of Wide Bay

1982

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HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

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filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.

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CST E. R. KrickSoundings taken by echo sounder, hand lead, pole Ross Model 5000 FinelineGraphic record scaled by Ship's PersonnelGraphic record checked by Ship's PersonnelVerification checked by A. A. Luceno Automated plot by PMC Xynetics PlotterEvaluation checked by Gordon E. KaySoundings in fathoms and tenths feet at MLW MLLWREMARKS: Black ink notations in the Descriptive Report were made during
evaluation at the Pacific Marine Center, Seattle, Washington.AWOIS + SURF MSM 6/12/85Appl to Std 1-15-86

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

FA-10-4-82

OPR-P146-FA-82

Central Wide Bay, Shelikof Strait, Alaska

A. Project

This hydrographic survey was conducted in accordance with Project Instructions - OPR-P146-FA-82, Shelikof Strait, Alaska dated February 23, 1982, Supplement to Instructions Change Number 1, dated ~~June 3, 1982~~, and the PMC OPORDER.

~~June 3, 1982~~
MAY 25, 1982

All references to the Hydrographic Manual in this report refer to the 4th Edition updates through Change Number 3. ✓

B. Area Surveyed

This survey is located in Central Wide Bay. The western boundary is a rock and gravel beach to the south with rock ledges to the north. Onshore the terrain is tundra covered sand dunes, with rugged 2000 to 3000 foot mountains 2 miles inshore. Contemporary survey H-10019 junctions with this survey to the southwest. ✓

The corner boundaries of this survey are:

Northwest	Latitude 57° 26' 28"N	Longitude 156° 14' 55"W
Northeast	Latitude 57° 25' 17"N	Longitude 156° 13' 09"W
Southwest	Latitude 57° 22' 13"N	Longitude 156° 24' 15"W
Southeast	Latitude 57° 21' 03"N	Longitude 156° 22' 27"W

✓

With shoreline extending from the northwest to the southwest boundaries. Hydrography began on 16 June 1982 (J.D. 167) and finished on 12 July 1982 (J.D. 193). ✓

C. Sounding Vessel

Hydrographic Data Acquisition and Bottom Samples were conducted with Jensen survey launches FA-3 (2023), FA-4 (2024) and FA-5 (2025). The FAIRWEATHER (2020) conducted all Nansen casts on the survey. ✓

MonArk (2029) was used to take two hydrographic detached positions (Position No. 8000, 8001). The RT unit was mounted on a 2x4 board eight feet above the boats water line, Mini Ranger console 703 was placed within the boat. All fixes taken with this vessel configuration were range/range with a third range as a check. ✓

No other unusual vessel configurations were used on this survey. ✓

D. Sounding Equipment and Corrections to Echo Soundings

Ross Fineline 5000 narrow beam echo sounders were used on all launches in this survey (see Table I, Sounding Equipment). Phase calibrations and belt tension checks were made at the beginning and ending of each day and whenever paper was changed. ✓

Launch personnel checked fathometer initial frequently during the day for correct paper alignment. All analog and digital data were scanned to compare values and to insert peaks and deeps where they occurred between sounding marks. Depths ranged from -0.7 to 41 fathoms on this survey. ✓

There were no faults in the echo sounding equipment affecting the accuracy of soundings. ✓

Velocity of sound was calculated from 3 deep water Nansen casts. For dates and locations see Table II, Nansen Casts. ✓

Velocity corrector Tables II and III apply to this survey (see Table III, Velocity Corrector Table Dates). *See Evaluation Report section 1*

Nansen bottle thermometers and the Beckman Salinometer (S/N 59435) used for the velocity corrector calculations were calibrated by Northwest Calibration Center, Seattle, Washington in March 1982. ✓

TABLE I

Sounding Equipment

<u>Vessel</u>	<u>Instrument</u>	<u>Model</u>	<u>Analog</u>	<u>Digitizer</u>	<u>Inverter</u>	<u>Transceiver</u>
2023	Ross Fineline	5000	1047 ✓	1054 ✓	1046 ✓	1047 ✓
2024	Ross Fineline	5000	1097 ✓	1046 ✓	1054 ✓	1046 ✓
2025	Ross Fineline	5000	1036 ✓	1036 ✓	1053 ✓	1054 ✓

TABLE II

Nansen Casts

<u>Station No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
002	21 June 1982 (J.D. 172)	57° 21.33'N	156° 23.51'W
003	7 July 1982 (J.D. 188)	57° 22.1'N	156° 21.3'W
004	15 July 1982 (J.D. 196)	57° 19.4'N	156° 45.6'W

TABLE III
Velocity Corrector Table Dates

<u>Table No.</u>	<u>Beginning Date</u>	<u>Ending Date</u>	
2	J.D. 166	J.D. 181	✓
3	J.D. 189	J.D. 195	

Due to foul weather and large swells, two bar checks per day were not always possible, but were attempted when conditions allowed. Bar checks were used to confirm fathometer systems function and to provide data to compute TRA correctors. ✓

Settlement and Squat for all launches was determined at Shilshole Bay Marina, Seattle, Washington in March 1982, in accordance with Section 4.9.4.2 of the Hydrographic Manual, 4th Edition. ✓

A Ziess level on shore, observing on a stadia rod held vertical, directly over the launch transducer, determined the settlement and squat for each launch at speed increments of 200 RPM. ✓

Settlement and squat correctors are required at certain launch speeds (see Table IV, Restrictive Launch Speeds). Hydrography was not run at these restricted launch speeds, thereby eliminating the need for settlement and squat correctors. ✓

For further details, see Corrections to Echo Sounding Report. ✓

TABLE IV
Restrictive Launch Speeds

<u>Launch</u>	<u>Restrictive Speeds</u>	
2023	2250 to 2700 RPM	✓
2024	2400 to 2700 RPM	
2025	2300 to 2700 RPM	

E. Hydrographic Sheets

All field sheets were plotted aboard the FAIRWEATHER using two PDP8/e computers (S/N 09524 and S/N 01020) and two Complot plotters (S/N 5557-5 and S/N 5848-17). ✓

All hydrographic data from this survey will be sent to Pacific Marine Center, Seattle, Washington for verification and smooth plotting. ✓

The final smooth ^{field} sheet is plotted on mylar, dimensions are 21.5x54 inches with a skew of 40°, at a scale of 1:10,000. ✓

Presurvey Review item 27 is plotted on a 1:2,500, paper sheet. Dimensions are 17x20 inches with a skew of 145°. ✓

F. Control Stations

Horizontal control for the survey was performed by FAIRWEATHER personnel. Conventional traverse and triangulation methods were used throughout the survey with the exception of station PIPE ~~1982~~ which was located by one single direct and intersection methods. All control was based on the North American 1927 Datum. All field measurements and ship-board calculations were accomplished to Third Order Class I accuracy or better. For further details, see Horizontal Control Report, OPR-P146-FA-82. (Horizontal Control Report to be submitted to Pacific Marine Center by 16 August 1982). The following stations were used in support of this survey: ✓

Station Name

Signal Number

TITCLIFF, 1923
PIPE, ~~1982~~* +
TERRACE, 1923
EAST CHANNEL, 1923
SHANNON, 1923

301
208
310
276
230

located off of survey area limits ✓

*Non-monumented stations + Offshore control positions

all *except Titcliff*
~~None~~ of these signals are located within the limits of this survey.

G. Hydrographic Position Control

All electronic position control of the survey launches was with the Motorola Mini Ranger III system. Range/range (R/R) methods were used exclusively for launch positioning. ✓

Critical calibration of electronic position instruments as per PMC OPCODE Appendixes M and S, were made on an offshore calibration pole (PIPE, signal number 208) located 200 meters southwest of the edge of the survey limits. ✓

All calibrations on electronic position instruments meet or exceed the requirements of section 1.3.3.2.4 of the Hydrographic Manual. ✓

There were no signal strengths below the minimum set from the BLC and no poor geometric configurations. ✓

Bottom samples taken using launch 2025 were positioned by range/range methods with a third range as a check. ✓

Mini Ranger Baseline Calibrations (BLC) were performed on a baseline measured to Third Order accuracy by a Hewlett-Packard 3808A EDM. ✓

The beginning BLC was conducted in Port Frederick, Alaska on 22 May 1982 (J.D. 142). ✓

The final BLC was conducted in Kodiak, Alaska on 19, 21, and 30 July 1982 (J.D.'s 200, 202, 211). ✓

The final correctors for the electronic positioning instruments were calculated by taking the mean value from the initial and final BLC's. ✓

On 9 July 1982 (J.D. 190) MR Code 8 began responding to inter⁹²gradations of all Mini Ranger codes. Only FA-4 (2024), (Mini Ranger Console S/N 701) was using Code 8 for positioning on this day. Code 8 was taken off the air and found to have water inside. Repairs were made and the unit was not used again until the final BLC. ✓

During the final BLC Mini Ranger Console 702 was inadvertently adjusted on Code 8, yielding a 30 meter corrector. Mini Ranger Consoles 701, 703 and B0323 had acceptable correctors with this code. ✓

Critical calibrations on Code 8 during survey operations showed Code 8 to be within the acceptable limits of BLC correctors on all Mini Ranger consoles used. ✓

Code 8 was used only with console 701 during this survey and no problems were encountered with this combination. ✓

No other problems with the electronic Positioning Instruments were encountered. ✓

H. Shoreline

Shoreline was taken from 1:10,000 scale, digitized shoreline manuscripts compiled by Pacific Marine Center from 1:20,000 scale shoreline manuscripts TP-00629 and TP-00927.* A comparison between this survey and the compiled shoreline shows no discrepancies. However, this shoreline and that of Chart 16570 do not agree in areas around the mouths of creeks. (See Section L, Comparison with the Chart for details.) * *digital to change scale only*

All shoreline details have been field edited, with changes transferred to the final field sheet. ✓

Hydrographic methods have located the ledge in the area of latitude 57° 25' 45"N, longitude 156° 16' 30"W, further offshore than the photogrammetric records show. The hydrographic records depict the zero fathom curve very well, along this ledge. The FAIRWEATHER recommends that the hydrographic data be used to compile ledge limits on the next edition of the Chart. *Concur*

There are no control stations located seaward of the shoreline on this survey. Station PIPE (208) located on H-10019 (latitude 57° 21' 54.09"N, longitude 156° 24' 07.13"W) is approximately 0.5 mile offshore and 200 yards southwest of the limit of the survey. PIPE is an intersection station on a well casing approximately 3 feet in diameter and 20 feet above MLLW.* The station was used as a support for tide station (945-8461), as a calibration pole, and as a Mini Ranger electronic control station. ✓

** using predicted tides*

I. Crosslines

Crossline comparison is excellent, with 21.1 nm run comprising 14% of the main scheme. A discrepancy of 1 fathom at latitude $57^{\circ} 23' 11''N$, longitude $156^{\circ} 18' 35''W$ is due to a rapidly changing bottom contour. This discrepancy has a main scheme depth of 15 fathoms and a crossline depth of 16 fathoms. ✓

This comparison meets section 1.1.2, Part II.1 of the Hydrographic Manual. ✓

J. Junctions

This survey junctions to the east with contemporary survey H-10026 (FA-10-5-82) and to the south with H-10019 (FA-10-3-82). ✓

The junctions to the south and east are both good with one exception each. See Table V, Junction Discrepancies. These discrepancies appear in areas of rapidly changing contours and the lack of exact coincidence of soundings explains these discrepancies. Recommend using the soundings of this survey on the next edition of the chart. *Concur* ✓

TABLE V

Junction Discrepancies

Position	H-10025	H-10026	H-10019
Latitude $57^{\circ} 22' 42''N$, Longitude $156^{\circ} 18' 51''W$	33'	34'	--
Latitude $57^{\circ} 21' 29''N$, Longitude $156^{\circ} 23' 03''W$	26'	--	27'

K. Comparison with Prior Surveys

This survey was compared with H-4296, *and H-4925* "Wide Bay - Central Part", dated 13 August to 14 September 1923. The scale of H-4296 was 1:20,000. An enlargement of H-4296 at a scale of 1:10,000 was overlayed for comparisons. All soundings were checked. Ninety six percent (96%) fell within the guidelines from section 1.1.2 Part B II.1 of the Hydrographic Manual.

Shoaling of 1 to 2 fathoms has occurred in two areas of 1/2 mile radius centered at latitude $57^{\circ} 22' 15''N$, longitude $156^{\circ} 19' 00''W$ and latitude $57^{\circ} 24' 10''N$, longitude $156^{\circ} 16' 35''W$. ✓

The shoaling in this area appears to be due to an inflow of silt from the many creeks in the area. Bottom samples confirm this, as all taken in the area are fine, sand and mud. ✓

For a discrepancy in soundings and shoreline see Table VI, Comparisons with Prior Surveys.

All discrepancies between this and the prior survey have been resolved in the field. All soundings and features of this survey should supercede all prior surveys and be used to update the next edition of the chart. *See Evaluation Report Section 6*

TABLE VI

Comparisons with Prior Surveys

	<u>Position</u>	<i>H-4295</i> <u>and H-4296</u>	<u>H-10025</u>	<u>Comments</u>
1.	Latitude 57° 22' 05"N Longitude 156° 23' 06"W	7 3/4'	<i>13' 7.5</i> <i>Pos# 2198/2</i>	The prior survey sounding appears to be in positional error, due to the distortion of the prior survey enlargement and the large size of the sounding character on that sheet. Recommend contemporary survey sounding be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i>
2.	Latitude 57° 21' 48"N Longitude 156° 22' 04"W	35'	<i>27' 36</i> <i>Pos# 2157</i>	These soundings are in an area where bottom changes rapidly. In exact coincidence of soundings on a steep slope account for these discrepancies. Recommend contemporary survey soundings be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i>
3.	Latitude 57° 22' 47"N Longitude 156° 21' 44"W	15'	<i>17' 15.8</i>	" <i>Concur</i>
4.	Latitude 57° 22' ⁵ 24"N Longitude 156° 20' 58"W	16'	18'	" <i>Concur</i>
5.	Latitude 57° ³ 22' 00"N Longitude 156° 19' 35"W	25'	27'	" <i>Concur</i>
6.	Latitude 57° 24' 05"N Longitude 156° 20' 40"W	Ledge <i>REEF</i>	1.4-1.8 <i>Reef</i>	<i>reef</i> Contemporary survey shows no sign of a ledge here. Appears that prior survey has this ledge incorrectly charted. Recommend ledge be charted at latitude 57° 24' 05"N, longitude 156° 20' 55"W as contemporary survey shows this to be the true location. <i>chart as reef at this location</i>

Table VI Cont.

	Position	^{H-4295} and H-4296	H-10025	Comments
7	Latitude 57° 24' 05"N Longitude 156° 20' 55"W	.5	Ledge	This is the true location of the above discrepancy. Recommend contemporary survey limits of this ledge be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Chart reef at this location</i>
8	Latitude 57° 23' 56"N Longitude 156° 20' 58"W	Rock Awash	Rock Awash Surrounded by Ledge Reef	Contemporary survey has this rock surrounded by a ledge reef. Recommend new chart show same. <i>Rock uncovers 4 ft at MLLW</i>
9	Latitude 57° 25' 21"N Longitude 156° 19' 25"W	.25	Rock Awash <i>Post 8000</i>	Located during contemporary survey, recommend rock be plotted on chart. <i>Rock uncovers 2 ft at MLLW</i>
10	Latitude 57° 25' 21"N Longitude 156° 19' 22"W	.25	Rock Awash <i>Post 8000</i>	<i>Rock uncovers 1 ft at MLLW</i>
11	Shoreline between this survey and the prior survey compares very closely except at the mouths of creeks where silting has occurred over the last 60 years.			✓
12	The ledge in the area of latitude 57° 25' 45"N, longitude 156° 16' 30"W was developed extensively by hydro methods. The contemporary survey limit of this ledge is further offshore than the prior survey. Recommend ledge limits of this survey be used on the next edition of the chart.			<i>concur</i>

PSR Item 27

A 200% side scan sonar investigation was conducted over ^{10%} 20% of the area outlined in the AWOIS listing of Pre Survey Review (PSR) item 27. For description of this PSR item see Table VII, AWOIS, PSR Item 27.

The side scan sonar run in the area showed no prominent bottom features, only a smooth, gradually sloping bottom. The main scheme hydrography through the remaining 80% of PSR item 27 shows only a gradually sloping, smooth bottom.

Bottom samples in the area reveal a sandy, mud bottom. The agreement between the side scan sonar and main scheme hydrography does not warrant further side scan investigation of the area. On 3 August a radio message was sent to Chief, Marine Surveys Branch, CPM3, Pacific Marine Center, and Chief, Requirements Branch, C351, Rockville, Maryland, stating that further side scan operations on PSR item 27 would not be conducted due to the lack of meaningful side scan returns and adequacy of this surveys hydrography. See Appendix "J" for copy of this message.

The fanlike feature was confirmed by this survey A-10025 and is adequately charted

AWOIS # 50277
6/14/95
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All side scan sonar sweeps are plotted on a 1:2,500 scale, development sheet. The limits of this sheet are:

Latitude 57° 24' 36"N ✓	Longitude 156° 17' 20"W ✓
Latitude 57° 25' 06"N ✓	Longitude 156° 16' 44"W ✓
Latitude 57° 23' 59"N ✓	Longitude 156° 16' 06"W ✓
Latitude 57° 24' 38"N ✓	Longitude 156° 15' 29"W ✓

TABLE VII

AWOIS, PSR Item 27

History

Fan Like Feature: Bottom character ranges from soft sand to mud and indicates absence of strong currents and wave action at the depth in the area (7 1/2 to 34 fms). An alluvial source is indicated. The bottom appears generally smooth with no isolated pinnacles and outcroppings. ✓

Survey Requirements

Side Scan Sonar Investigation: A complete development yielding 200% bottom coverage is required. Specific depth dependent operating requirements are defined in Change 1 to the Project Instructions. The operating area is assigned: OPR-P146, Item 27. *The fanlike feature was confirmed by this survey and is adequately charted*

L. Comparison with Chart

Comparisons were made with Chart 16570 "Portage and Wide Bay", 8th Edition, 18 February 1978 scale 1:50,000. A 1:10,000 scale photo enlargement was overlaid for comparison. ✓

Shoaling of 1 to 2 fathoms has occurred within a 1/2 mile radius of latitude 57° 25' 22"N, longitude 156° 15' 18"W. ✓

For discrepancies in soundings and features, see Table VIII, Comparison with Chart. ✓

All discrepancies between this survey and the chart have been resolved in the field. All soundings and features of this survey should supercede all prior surveys and be used to update the next edition of the chart. *Concur* ✓

TABLE VIII

Comparison with Chart

	<u>Position</u>	<u>16570</u>	<u>H-10025</u>	<u>Comments</u>
✓	Latitude 57° 25' 22"N ✓ Longitude 156° 15' 18"W ✓	13 ✓	11 ✓	The area is a very flat bottom, appears to have shoaled over the past 60 years. Recommend using contemporary survey soundings on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i> ✓

Table VIII Cont.

	Position	16570	H-10025	Comments
2.	Latitude 57° 25' 39"N Longitude 156° 15' 57"W	9'	6.5'	These soundings are in an area where bottom changes rapidly. In-exact coincidence of soundings on a steep slope account for these discrepancies. Recommend contemporary survey soundings be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i>
3.	Latitude 57° 24' 07"N Longitude 156° 16' 19"W	13'	17'	" <i>Concur</i>
4.	Latitude 57° 22' 56"N Longitude 156° 19' 08"W	25'	27'	" <i>Concur</i>
5.	Latitude 57° 24' 05"N Longitude 156° 20' 40"W	Ledge <i>Reef</i>	1.4-1.8'	Contemporary ^{<i>Reef</i>} survey shows no sign of a ledge here. Appears that the chart has this ledge ^{<i>Reef</i>} incorrectly charted. Recommend ledge be charted at latitude 57° 24' 05"N, longitude 156° 20' 55"W as contemporary survey shows this to be the true location. <i>Chart a reef at this location</i>
6.	Latitude 57° 24' 05"N Longitude 156° 20' 55"W	.5' ^{<i>Reef</i>} Ledge		This is the true location of the above discrepancy. Recommend survey limits of this ledge be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i>
7.	Latitude 57° 25' 21"N Longitude 156° 19' 25"W	1/4' ^{<i>Reef</i>} Rock Awash		Located during contemporary survey, recommend rock be plotted on chart and supercede prior survey data. <i>Concur</i>
8.	Latitude 57° 25' 21"N Longitude 156° 19' 22"W	1/4' ^{<i>Reef</i>} Rock Awash		<i>Rock uncovers 3 ft at MLLW</i>
9.	The ledge in the area of latitude 57° 24' 45"N, longitude 156° 16' 30"W was developed extensively by hydrography methods. The contemporary survey limit of this ledge is further offshore than the chart. Recommendation is made that ledge limits of this survey be used on the next edition of the chart. <i>Concur</i>			<i>Rock uncovers 11 ft at MLLW</i>
10.	Shoreline between this survey and the chart compares very closely except at the mouths of creeks where silting has created small deltas. <i>Concur</i>			

M. Adequacy of Survey

This survey is adequate to supercede all prior surveys. The Commanding Officer inspected data on a daily basis. No further work is necessary. ✓

N. Aids to Navigation

There are no aids to ^{ATK} navigation located within this survey. A well casing (station ~~DIEP~~ S/N 208) located approximately 200 yards southwest of the survey limits is a useful navigational landmark. See section H, Shoreline for further details. ✓

O. Statistics

	<u>2029</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>Totals</u>
Positions	2	1092	1103 1143	28	2223 2260
Nautical Miles	--	155.9	140.1	--	296.0
Square Miles	--	--	--	--	11.6
Bottom Samples	--	--	--	21	21

No current or magnetic stations were performed within the limits of this survey. Tide control for this survey was from tide station 945-8461. For further details see Field Tide Note for OPR-P146-FA-82. ✓

Three velocity casts were made, see section D, Sounding Equipment and Corrections to Echo Soundings. ✓

P. Miscellaneous

There are no anomalous tidal currents or races in the area. ✓

The area is used by the commercial fishing industry both as a fishing grounds and as a harbor of refuge. ✓

Q. Recommendations

This survey should be used to update existing charts of Wide Bay and along with other contemporary surveys be used to produce new 1:50,000 scale charts of the area. For recommendations on changes to charted features see section L, Comparison with the Chart. ✓

R. Automated Data Processing

The following is a list of the Hydroplot programs used for data acquisition and processing during this survey. ✓

<u>Number</u>	<u>Program Name</u>	<u>Version Date</u>
RK 112	R/R Real Time Plot	3/19/81
RK 201	Grid, Signal and Lattice Plot	4/18/75
RK 211	R/R Non-real Time Plot	2/2/81
RK 212	Visual Station Load and Plot	4/1/74
RK 300	Utility Package	10/21/80
RK 330	Data Reformat and Check	5/4/76
PM 360	Electronic Corrector Abstract	2/2/76
AM 500	Predicted Tide Generator	11/10/72
RK 530	Velocity Correctors	5/10/76
RK 561	Geodetic Calibration	2/19/75
AM 602	Elinore	5/21/75

S. Referral to Reports

The following separate reports covering the 1982 season in Wide Bay can be referred to for further detail on specific items. ✓

OPR-P146-FA-82

- Horizontal Control Report
- Electronic Control Report
- Field Edit Report
- Corrections to Echo Soundings Report
- Geographic Names Report
- Field Tide Note

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SIDE SCAN REQUIREMENTS:

1. PSR NR 27 AND 28- INITIAL SIDE SCAN IN 10 PER CENT OF
AREA INDICATES NOTHING OF SIGNIFICANCE. FURTHER STUDY
IS NOT PRODUCTIVE UNLESS DIRECTED OTHERWISE.
2. PSR NR 25 AND 26- SIDE SCAN AREA IS TOO EXTENSIVE FOR
WORKING AREA DUE TO WEATHER AND TYPE OF BOTTOM. ONE
RECONIASSANCE LINE SHOWS NO SIGIFICANT FEATURES ON PSR
NR 26. UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED REDUCING AREA TO ACTUAL
CHANNEL AREAS AND DEPTHS LESS THAN 10 FATHOMS. REQUEST
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ASA/
Alan Anderson

*1 Boat for next
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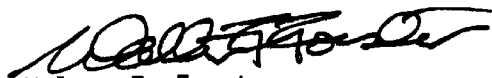
The Commanding Officer inspected all field sheets and data on a daily basis. All survey sheets, reports, and records are complete. This survey is adequate for charting purposes and no additional field work is necessary.

Submitted by:



Craig Bailey
Ensign, NOAA

Approved by:



Walter F. Forster
Commander, NOAA
Commanding Officer

SHELIKOF SIGNAL LISTING
OPR-P146-FA-82
FA 10-4-82 (H-10025)

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SHANNON 1923	571562	1020
230 0 57 25 02399 156 21 37601	250 0169	000000
EAST CHANNEL 1923	571562	1006
276 0 57 24 34100 156 11 55721	250 0026	000000
TITCLIFF 1923	571562	1023
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TERRACE 1923	571562	1022
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DATE: August 29, 1983

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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NATIONAL OCEAN SURVEY

TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

Processing Division: Pacific Marine Center:

Hourly heights are approved for

Tide Station Used (NOAA Form 77-12): 945-8461 Wide Bay, Alaska

Period: June 6 - August 4, 1982

HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET: H-10025

OPR: P-146

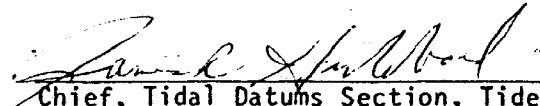
Locality: Wide Bay, Shelikof Straits, Alaska

Plane of reference (mean lower low water): 0.54 ft.

Height of Mean High Water above Plane of Reference is 11.0 ft.

REMARKS: Recommended Zoning:

1. Zone Direct
2. For J-Day 188-194 no smooth tides are available.


Chief, Tidal Datums Section, Tides & Water
Levels Branch

DATE: March 8, 1984 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL OCEAN SERVICE

TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

Marine Center: Pacific

OPR: P146

Hydrographic Sheet: H-10025

Locality: Wide Bay, Alaska

Time Period: June 6-August 4, 1982

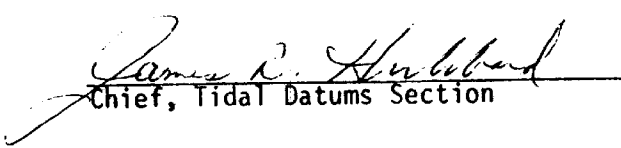
Tide Station Used: 945-8461 Wide Bay, Alaska

Plane of Reference (Mean Lower Low Water): 0.54 feet

Height of Mean High Water Above Plane of Reference: 11.0 feet

Remarks: Recommended Zoning:

Zone Direct


Chief, Tidal Datums Section

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

H-10025

Name on Survey	A ON CHART NO. 16570 ON PREVIOUS SURVEY H-4265	B ON U.S. QUAD MAPS 81-22 FROM LOCAL INFORMATION	C ON LOCAL MAPS	D P.O. GUIDE OR MAP ATLAS	E RANDOMLY U.S. LIGHT LIST	F	G	H	K
Wide Bay	X	X	X						1
Short Creek	X		X						2
Pass Creek	X		X						3
Mount Shannon	X		X						4
Des Moines Creek	X		X						5
Lees Cabins	X		X						6
Sids Pass			X						7
Deer Mountain			X						8
Alaska Peninsula		X							9
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HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY STATISTICS

H-10025

RECORDS ACCOMPANYING SURVEY: To be completed when survey is processed.

RECORD DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT	RECORD DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT
SMOOTH SHEET		1	SMOOTH OVERLAYS: POS., ARC, EXCESS		4
DESCRIPTIVE REPORT		1	FIELD SHEETS AND OTHER OVERLAYS		1
DESCRIPTION	DEPTH/POS RECORDS	HORIZ. CONT. RECORDS	SONAR-GRAMS	PRINTOUTS	ABSTRACTS/SOURCE DOCUMENTS
ACCORDIAN FILES	1				
ENVELOPES					
VOLUMES	1				
CANIERIS					
BOXES					

SHORELINE DATA

SHORELINE MAPS(List):

PHOTOBATHYMETRIC MAPS(List):

NOTES TO THE HYDROGRAPHER(List):

SPECIAL REPORTS(List):

NAUTICAL CHARTS(List):

OFFICE PROCESSING ACTIVITIES

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

PROCESSING ACTIVITY	AMOUNTS		
	VERIFICATION	EVALUATION	TOTALS
POSITIONS ON SHEET			2223
POSITIONS REVISED	8469		8469
SOUNDINGS REVISED	31		31
CONTROL STATIONS REVISED	2		2
	TIME - HOURS		
	VERIFICATION	EVALUATION	TOTALS
PRE-PROCESSING EXAMINATION	5		5
VERIFICATION OF CONTROL	4	2	6
VERIFICATION OF POSITIONS	102	6	108
VERIFICATION OF SOUNDINGS	99	20	119
VERIFICATION OF JUNCTIONS	2	4	6
APPLICATION OF PHOTOBATHYMETRY	0	0	0
SHORELINE APPLICATION/VERIFICATION	5	4	9
COMPILATION OF SMOOTH SHEET	73	4	77
COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS AND CHARTS	4	26	30
EVALUATION OF SIDESCAN SONAR RECORDS	3	1	4
EVALUATION OF WIRE DRAGS AND SWEEPS	0	0	0
EVALUATION REPORT	15	31	46
WORK Rework/Other	45	4	49
DIGITIZATION	15		15
TOTALS	372	102	474
Pre-processing Examination by	Beginning Date	Ending Date	
Verification of Field Data by	Beginning Date	Ending Date	
A. A. Luceno	9/24/82	10/15/84	
Verification Check by	Time(Hours)	Ending Date	
S. H. Otsubo, J. S. Green	38	10/22/84	
Evaluation and Analysis by	Beginning Date	Ending Date	
Gordon E. Kay	8/21/84	11/8/84	
Inspection by	Time(Hours)	Ending Date	
D. Hill	2	12/5/84	

PACIFIC MARINE CENTER

EVALUATION REPORT

REGISTRY NO: H-10025

FIELD NO: FA-10-4-82

Alaska, Shelikof Strait, Central Portion of Wide Bay

SURVEYED: 16 June - 12 July, 1982

SCALE: 1:10,000

PROJECT NO: OPR-P146-FA-82

SOUNDINGS: Ross Model 5000 Fathometer

CONTROL: Range/Range
Motorola Mini-Ranger III

Chief of Party.....Cdr. W. F. Forster

Surveyed by.....Ens. A. E. Francis
Ens. J. J. Migaiolo
Ens. R. T. Steele
Ens. G. H. Tuell
Cst. E. R. Krick

Automated Plot by.....PMC Xynetics Plotter

Verified by.....A. Luceno

Evaluated by.....Gordon E. Kay

1. INTRODUCTION

H-10025 is a basic hydrographic survey conducted by NOAA Ship FAIRWEATHER in accordance with the following:

Project instructions OPR-P146-FA-82, dated February 23, 1982
Change number 1, dated May 25, 1982

H-10025 is a one year survey situated in the central portion of Wide Bay, located just off of the western limits of Shelikof Strait, Alaska.

The following data were changed during verification.

- a) Projection parameters were changed to center the hydrography on the smooth sheet and to change the projection to polyconic.
- b) Tide levels values are from observed tides, see attached form 712.
- c) Velocity correctors were changed after the velocity curves were redrawn and scaled, reflecting a new set of correctors.

2. CONTROL AND SHORELINE

Horizontal control and hydrographic positioning are adequately addressed in the ship's Descriptive Report paragraphs F and G and in the Horizontal Control Report for OPR-P146-FA-82.

The smooth sheet was plotted using preliminary adjusted field geographic positions on the North American Datum of 1927.

Applicable shoreline manuscripts and dates are as follows:

<u>TP Number</u>	<u>Date of Photography</u>	<u>Date of Field Edit</u>	<u>Date of Final Review</u>
T-00629	June 1976	None	November, 1982
T-00927	June 1976	None	December, 1982

Shoreline is not shown on H-10025 in accordance with N/CG memorandum, "Reduction of Marine Center Hydrographic Processing Backlog" dated February 16, 1984 (copy attached).

3. HYDROGRAPHY

Soundings at crosslines are in good agreement. The hydrography contained within this survey is adequate to determine the bottom configuration and least depths. Depth curves could be adequately drawn.

4. CONDITION OF SURVEY

The hydrographic records and final reports adequately conform to the requirements of the Hydrographic Manual, 4th Edition, revised through change 3, with the following exception: the hydrographer repetitiously discussed several items in the Descriptive Report, under both the comparison with prior surveys and comparison with chart. It is not necessary to duplicate information in paragraphs K and L. (Hydrographic Manual 5.3.4 paragraph L).

5. JUNCTIONS

H-10025 junctions the following:

<u>Survey</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Scale</u>	<u>Note</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Junctions on</u>
H-10019	1982	1:10,000	Joins	Violet	West
H-10026	1982	1:10,000	Joins	Brown	Southeast
H-10039	1982-83	1:10,000	Joins	Red	East
H-10089	1983	1:10,000	Joins	Brown	Northeast

The junctions have been adequately effected.

6. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS

H-4295 (1923) 1:20,000 Present survey data compares well with this prior survey. However, H-10025 survey data continues further inshore and delineates the zero fathom curve better than H-4295. There is one presurvey review item

located within the limits of H-10025, (item #27, AWOIS file #50277). It is adequately disposed of in the Descriptive Report, paragraph K. H-10025 is adequate to supersede H-4295 over its area of common coverage.

H-4296 (1923) 1:20,000 Present survey data compares well with this prior survey. However, H-10025 survey data continues further inshore and delineates the zero fathom curve better than H-4296. A rock located at latitude 57°26'22.8"North, longitude 156°14'59.4"West (NAD 1927) was not verified or disproven during the course of this survey. This rock, presently charted at the above location, has been transferred onto H-10025 (see section 9) in orange. H-10025 is adequate to supersede H-4296 over its area of common coverage.

7. COMPARISON WITH CHART

Chart 16570, 1:50,000, 8th Edition, February 10, 1978

- a) Hydrography -- Charted common area data come from the before mentioned prior surveys. For an adequate item for item comparison see Descriptive Report paragraph L.
- b) Controlling Depths -- There are no controlling depths located within the limits of H-10025.
- c) Aids to Navigation -- There are no fixed or floating aids within the limits of H-10025.

There have been no dangers to navigation identified or reports submitted by either this NOAA Ship FAIRWEATHER or the Pacific Marine Center, Seattle, Washington on H-10025.

Geographic names appearing on the smooth sheet originate with the chart.

H-10025 is adequate to supersede Chart 16570 over its common areas.

8. COMPLIANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS

H-10025 adequately complies with the instructions and changes listed in section 1 of this report.

9. ADDITIONAL FIELD WORK

H-10025 is a good hydrographic survey. Additional field work is recommended on a non-priority basis to verify or disprove the existence of a charted rock at latitude 57°26'22.8"North, longitude 156°14'59.4"West (reference section 6).

Submitted,

Gordon E. Kay

Gordon E. Kay
November 8, 1984

This survey has been examined by me and it meets the Charting and Geodetic Services survey standards and requirements for use in nautical charting except as noted in the Evaluation Report. The survey is recommended for approval.


James S. Green
Supervisory Cartographer

ATTACHMENT TO DESCRIPTIVE REPORT FOR H-10025

I have reviewed the smooth sheet, accompanying data, and reports of this hydrographic survey. Except as noted in the Evaluation Report, the hydrographic survey meets or exceeds Charting and Geodetic Services (G&GS) standards, complies with instructions, and is accurately and completely represented by the smooth sheet and digital data file for use in nautical charting.

David W. Yeager 12/07/84
Chief, Nautical Chart Branch (Date)

CLEARANCE:

N/MOP2:LWMordock

SIGNATURE AND DATE:

Raymond Mordock 12/12/84

After review of the smooth sheet and accompanying reports, I hereby certify this survey is accurate, complete, and meets appropriate standards with only the exceptions as noted above. The above recommendations are forwarded with my concurrence.

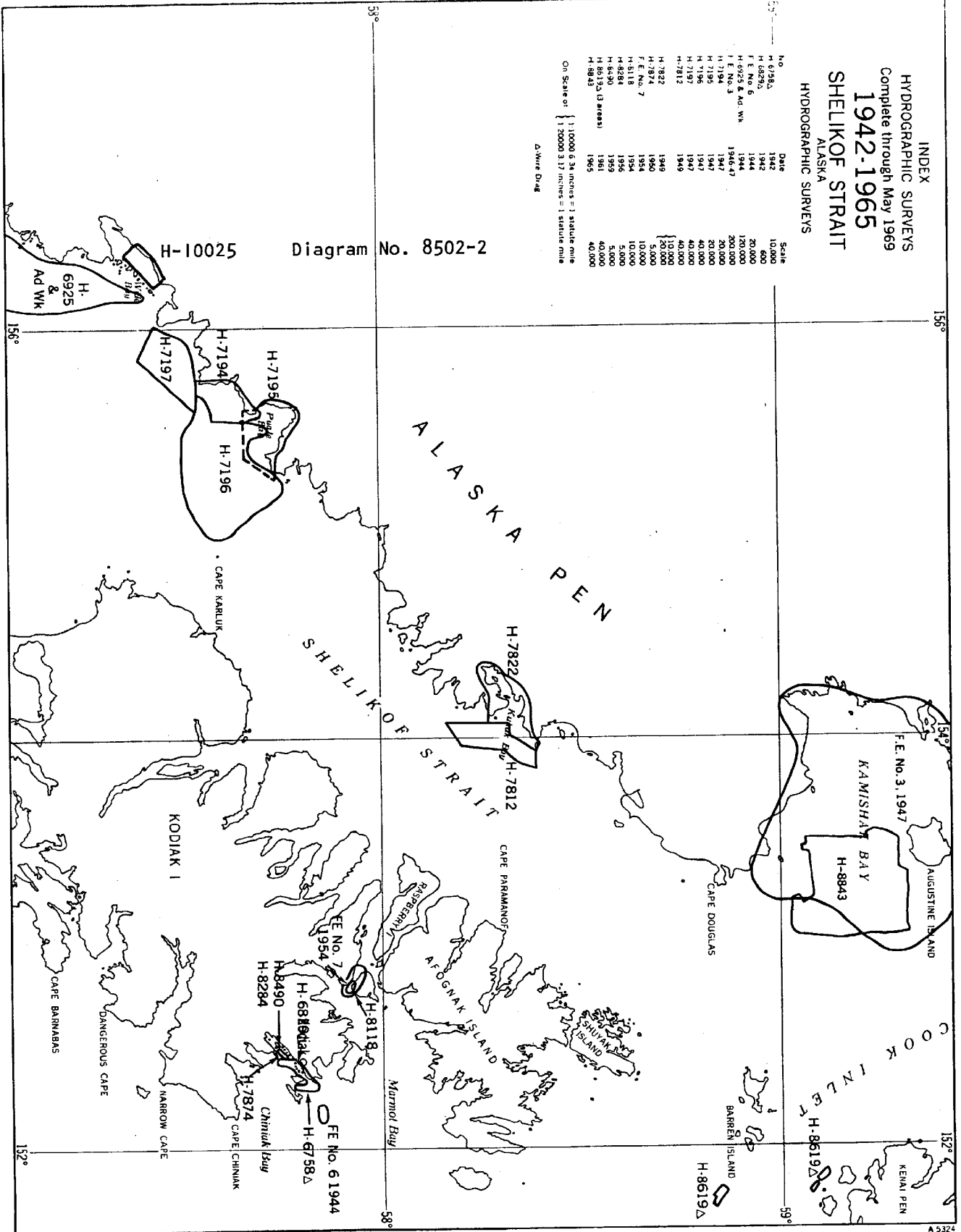
Robert L. Saenger 12-18-84
Director, Pacific Marine Center (Date)

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HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEYS
Complete through May 1969
1942-1965
SHELIKOF STRAIT
ALASKA
HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEYS

No.	Date	Scale
H-6758A	1942	10,000
H-6829A	1942	600
F.E. No. 6	1944	20,000
H-6925 & Ad. Wk.	1944	170,000
F.E. No. 3	1947	200,000
H-7184	1947	20,000
H-7196	1947	40,000
H-7197	1947	40,000
H-7812	1949	40,000
H-7822	1949	10,000
H-7874	1954	10,000
F.E. No. 7	1954	10,000
H-8118	1954	10,000
H-8284	1959	5,000
H-8630	1961	5,000
H-8619A (19 areas)	1965	40,000
H-8643	1965	40,000

On Scale of 1:10000 & 34 inches = 1 statute mile
1:20000 & 17 inches = 1 statute mile
A. Wire Drag

Diagram No. 8502-2



RECORD OF APPLICATION TO CHARTS

FILE WITH DESCRIPTIVE REPORT OF SURVEY NO. H-10025

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Letter all information.

2. In "Remarks" column cross out words that do not apply.

3. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Review.

FORM C&GS-8352 SUPERSEDES ALL EDITIONS OF FORM C&GS-975.