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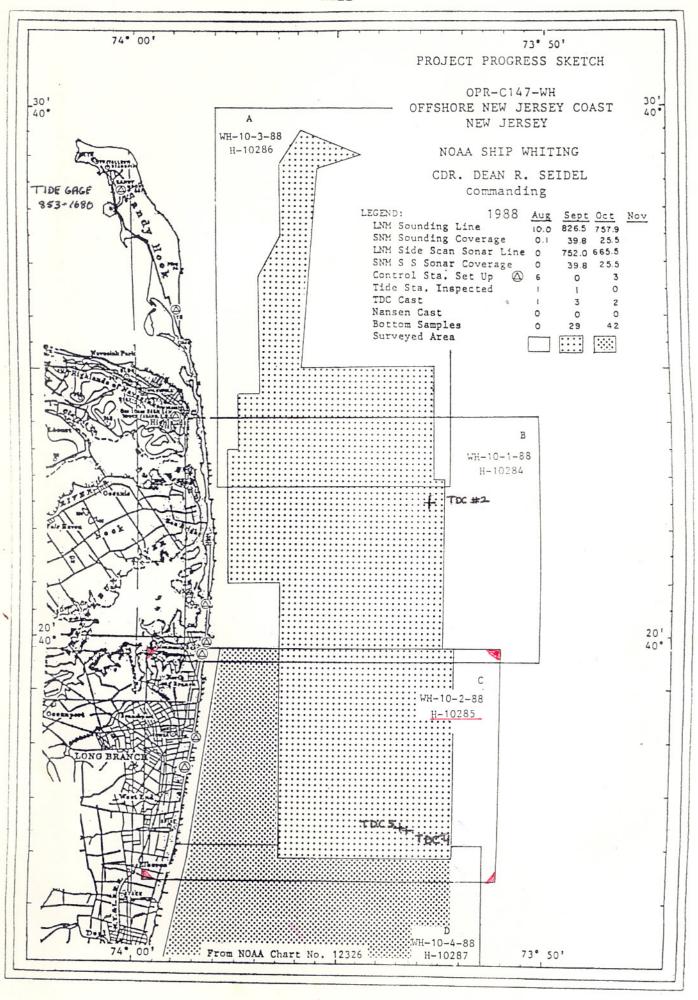
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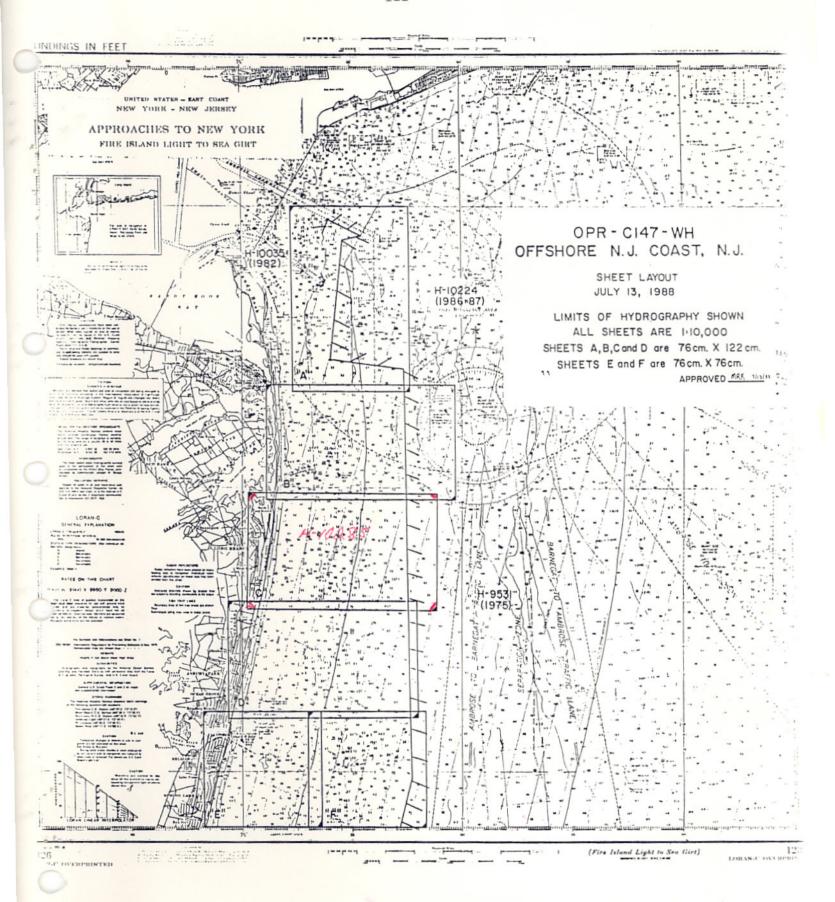


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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY
HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY
OPR-C147-WH
1988
WH-10-2-88
H-10285
NOAA SHIP WHITING
CDR Dean R. Seidel
Commanding Officer

A. PROJECT

General

The purpose of project OPR-C147-WH, sheet C, was to accomplish complete side scan sonar coverage with identification of contacts over a large area along the New Jersey coast. Verification of charted wrecks and obstructions had been requested by the New York and New Jersey Pilots' Associations and masters of vessels calling in New York and Newark Harbors. Because prior basic surveys in this area were conducted in 1934, contemporary survey data are required to update existing charts.

The survey was conducted in accordance with Hydrographic Project Instructions OPR-C147-WH, issued August 22, 1988, Change No.1, issued September 26, 1988 and Change No.2 issued November 22, 1988. Charted wrecks and obstructions will be detected or disproved with 200 or 400 percent side scan sonar coverage. WHITING processed all data to the extent that recommendations were made as to which obstructions warranted further investigation and least depth determinations. A compilation of recommendations for further work has been included in this report. Per section 7.1 of the Project Instructions, items recommended for further investigation will be performed at a later date by a different field party. The survey data acquired for this survey affects charts 12324, 12326, and 12300.

Survey of Methods

In order to accomplish this project, WHITING was outfitted with the new Hydrographic Data Acquisition and Processing System (HDAPS) for on-line data collection and post processing. The HDAPS system is a semi-automated data acquisition system whose main advantage lies in its ability to acquire and store vast quantities of sounding and sonar data, utilize multiple lines of position (MLOP) for precise positioning, and combine all data input into an easily workable format.

HDAPS consists of the following system components: a Hewlett Packard (HP) 9000 Model 310 computer, two HP 35471 Color Monitors, an HP 9153B Disk Drive with a Winchester hard disk storage capacity of 20 Mbytes, a Bruning-Nicolett ZETA 824 plotter, an HP 82906A

printer, and a M4 Data Model 9800 Tape Streamer. The interface between the computer and the hydrographic sensors is with a Navitronic Hyflex 1000 Hydrographic Data Handler. A Navitronic Path Guidance Unit (PGU) functions both as a remote steering display for the helm, and as a remote control for the HDAPS. All software programs are written in HP BASIC.

HDAPS determines a hydrographic position by using the Houtenbos algorithum which basically computes a least squares adjustment of the vessel's position. Up to four lines of position, in addition to the vessel acceleration and gyro compass information, are utilzed in the algorithm for position computations. Erroneous range data are excluded from the real time position computation by a range editor. FALCON Mini-Ranger ranges which fall below the minimally accepted signal strength are not used in the solution.

The acquisition of MLOP has significantly increased data quantity and quality. The quantity of data has dramatically increased since the positioning algorithm has reduced the number of "flyers" obtained on-line. As a result, survey lines need not be rerun due to positional errors. Data quality has improved significantly since the least squares adjusment of the lines of position allows the hydrographer to ascertain the overall accouracy and precision of each sounding. The accuracy of each line of position determined from the algorithm is presented as a "residual". A residual is the theoretical correction to be applied to each LOP in order to make the observations intersect at the least squares position. The overall precision of each position is given as size of the 95% confidence circle. With these tools the hydrographer can readily ascertain the quality of the survey.

In the data acquisition mode, HDAPS is capable of recording side scan sonar, echo sounder, and positioning data every two All soundings are corrected on-line for predicted tides, velocity corrections, and dynamic draft (static draft plus Settlement and Squat correction). As a result, the field hydrographer, for the first time, has the capability of comparing on line "almost" smooth soundings with charted and prior survey soundings. HDAPS also has the capability to accept real time tides, when they are available. Both the high and low frequency digitized depths are recorded. All LOP's are corrected for the baseline calibration correctors entered in the C-O table. Any one of the following On-line plots can be produced: Depth plot, Trackline plot, or Side Scan Sonar Swath plot. All mainscheme lines were plotted as Swath Plots to ensure that adequate overlap between adjacent swaths was maintained. Depth plots were used exclusively for crosslines and developments.

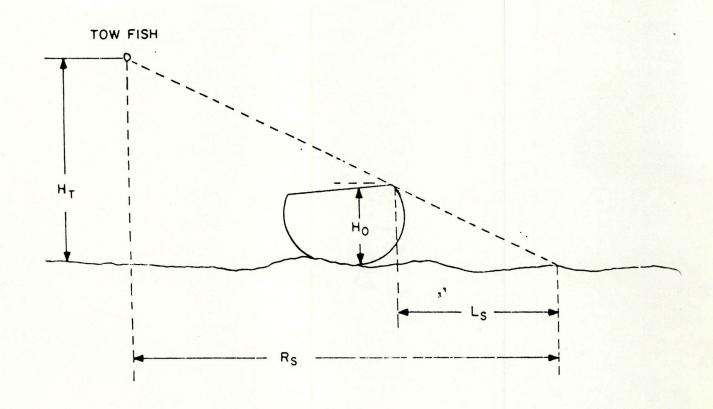
Data are archived on 7-inch magnetic tape reels read on the M4 Data Tape Streamer. Data tapes are labeled with a five digit code designating the day, number of tape for that day, and a "0" for a raw or master tape, and a "1" for an edited tape. For example, the second master tape on Day 285 would be coded as 28520. Likewise, the first edited tape of Day 247 would be 24711.

On-line operations were conducted exclusively from WHITING. The mode of operations was conducted from running a 24-hour shipboard data acquisition and processing schedule. In order to ensure that 200% side scan sonar coverage was obtained, sounding lines were run at 80 meter line spacing for the 100 meter range scale, and 130 meter line spacing for the 150 meter range scale. This line spacing ensured that the required effective swath overlap of 2.0 mm at the scale of the survey (20 meters) was maintained, per the Provisional Side Scan Sonar Manual, dated April of 1985. EG&G model 260 dual channel image correcting side scan sonar unit, towed behind WHITING, was the only unit used for the survey. use of a heavier towing cable reduced the number snags on lobster pot lines, resulting in less down time. All significant contacts located were plotted and their height off the bottom determined as shown on figure 1. Items deemed significant enough for further investigation are included in Section Q. See Also section 7. a. a) of the Evaluation Report.

The Project Instructions dictated the inshore limits of the survey to be the 30-foot depth curve. This 30-foot curve inshore limit was not adhered to because of safe limits for navigation or side scan sonar coverage limitations. In most cases, adequate side scan sonar coverage was not obtainable in less than 35 feet of water. In 30 feet of water (9.1 meters), the minimum height of the sonar fish off the bottom is 8 meters (8% of the 100 meter range scale). This would result in a towfish height of 1.1 meters below the water surface. Since WHITING has a draft of 10.6 feet (3.2 meters), cavitation from the screws would degenerate the sonar trace. Consequently, by varying towing speeds and cable lengths, WHITING could adequately obtain sonar coverage in depths 35 feet or greater. The HDAPS on-line swath plot reduces the effective scanning swath whenever the fish is less than 8% of the range scale in use. In areas where the effective swath is plotted as less than 8%, the sonargrams were examined to ensure adequate coverage was maintained.

B. AREA SURVEYED

The project area for "C" sheet extends approximately from offshore Monmouth Beach, New Jersey on the north edge (latitude 40-19-45%N) southward to offshore Elberon, New Jersey (latitude 40-15-42 N) and junctions to the east with H-9531 (longitude 73-52-152W). The western limit is the limit of safe navigation, or, the minimum effective side scan tow depth of 35 feet. This survey was conducted from September 19 through October 28, 1988.



$$H_0 = \frac{L_S}{R_S} H_T$$

For example:

If, Shadow length (Ls) = 15 Meters Shadow range (Rs) = 50 Meters Tow fish height (HT) = 20 Meters Then, Object height (H0) = 6 Meters

Figure 1. Object height determination.

C. SOUNDING VESSELS

The NOAA Ship WHITING was the only sounding vessel used for this survey.

EDP#	<u>Vessel</u>	Hull No.	Days (1988)
2930	WHITING	S329	263-267,269-271, 278,280-281,284, 291,293,299-302

D. SOUNDING EQUIPMENT AND CORRECTION TO ECHO SOUNDINGS

1. SOUNDING EQUIPMENT

WHITING was equipped with an EG&G model 260 dual channel image correcting side scan sonar unit. A listing of serial numbers and days of use follows:

EDP#	<u>Vessel</u>	<u>Type</u>	S/N	Days (1988)
2930	WHITING S329	EG&G Recorder 260	0012102	264-267,269-271 278,280-281,284 291,293,299-300
		Towfish	0011902	264-266
			0011908	266-267,269-270
			0011902	271
			0011908	278,280-282,284
			0011901	291,293,299-302

A Raytheon DSF 6000N echo sounder was the only sounding equipment used during this survey. The following is a list of serial numbers and days of use:

EDP#	<u>Vessel</u>	Type	S/N	Days (1988)
2930	WHITING S329	DSF 6000N	A116N	263-267,269-271 278,280-281,284 291,293,299-302

In accordance with the Project Instructions, section 6.6.1, depths recorded with the DSF 6000N echo sounder were measured in feet with a calibrated velocity of sound through water of 1463.04 m/s.

Survey records were scanned by NOAA Commissioned Officers,

Survey Technicians, and Cartographic Technicians. Upon scanning the DSF 6000N analog records, any significant peaks or deeps which occurred between soundings, as well as any missed depths on the records, were inserted during Post Processing on the HDAPS system. Also during post-processing, any incorrectly digitized soundings and the effects of sea and swell action on the echograms were corrected.

Figures 2 and 3 depict the Mini-Ranger antenna positions, transducer position, and layback configuration of the side scan sonar towfish for the WHITING. All of these corrections are incorporated in the "Offset" table for the HDAPS, Supplemental 3E. By HDAPS convention, the "Offset" is defined as the left/right displacement of the sensor, positive to the right when facing the bow of the vessel. "Layback" is defined as the fore/aft displacement of the sensor, positive aft. "Height" is the up/down displacement of the sensor from the static waterline, positive down. The location of the high frequency DSF-6000N transducer was used as the starting point (0,0) for the on-board coordinate system.

2. SIDE SCAN SONAR

Side scan operations were performed on WHITING by fitting a custom made pulley block and A-frame support to the after deck. A heavily armored side scan sonar towing cable was used for this project which reduced the number of times the fish snagged on lobster pot lines as well as allowing for deeper towing depths.

Methods of Investigation

Side scan sonar operations were run at speeds of less than six knots with the 100 meter range scale, in depths less than 60 feet, and at speeds of less than four knots with the 150 meter range scale in greater depths. Sonar swath plots were generated on-line to insure the required swath coverage (2 mm at the scale of the survey) was obtained. Analysis of the data was clearer by plotting off-line swath plots for each 100% of coverage obtained on separate field sheets.

Processing Procedures

Inspection of the sonargrams was the initial step of processing the side scan sonar. Inspection involved checking the records for complete annotation and identifying and numbering each of the significant contacts (as per section 7.1.1 of the Project Instructions, those contacts with computed heights rising above the ocean bottom at least 10% of the depth in water depths greater than 66 feet or those contacts with computed heights of at least one meter in less than 66 feet of water). Other views of the same contact from adjacent lines were determined by hand plotting the significant contact on the Trackline plot, then determining where others views of the same contact should be seen on the sonargrams. All adjacent views were inspected to ensure that they were the same

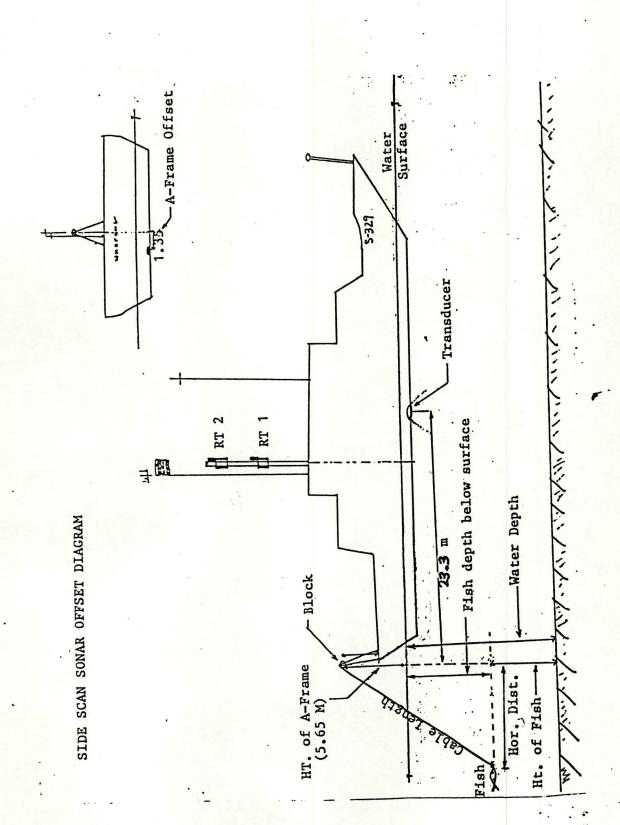


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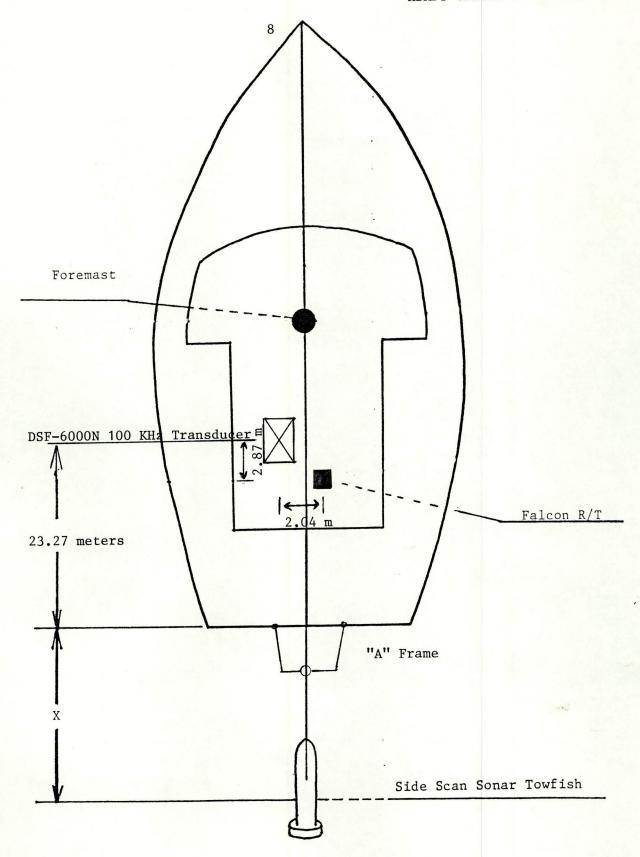


Figure 3

contact. Per section 7.1.1. of the Project Instructions, if contacts were closer than 3.3 mm apart using the largest scale chart of the area, only the most significant contact need be investigated. Since the largest scale chart of the area is 1:40,000, if adjacent views of the same conact fall within 1.3 cm at the survey scale, only the most significant contact would need to be addressed. Contacts within 1.3 cm of one another are circled with a dotted line in pencil on the SSS Contact plot. If two different items with similar descriptions were located within 1.3 cm of each other, near an AWOIS item, each item was recommended for further investigation to readily identify the AWOIS item. Otherwise, the most significant contact in the respective circle was recommended for further investigation listed in the SSS Post Processing Contact List. Adjacent views of significant contacts were not numbered but were roughly compared on the Trackline plot and listed on the Preprocessing Contact List.

After being identified and numbered on the sonargrams, the significant contacts were listed in the Side Scan Sonar Preprocessing Contact List by day, contact number, contact name (relative to the position number of the contact), time, offset from the reference line (negative to port and positive to starboard), shadow length, item description and adjacent views. All of this information is necessary as entering parameters for the "Contact Utility" program in the HDAPS Post Processing menu. The program generates the true contact height off the bottom by similar triangles and computes the contact position in Easting and Northing by inputting the aforementioned parameters. With this information, the significant contacts were incorporated into an HDAPS signal list and plotted on the Side Scan Sonar Contact plot. A listing of all significant contacts may be found in Supplemental 5 and a diskette with the contact list is included with the survey data.

Two areas within the survey limits had a very irregular bottom. The echogram trace for both areas showed 5-6 foot peaks in depths of 40 feet. Inspection of the sonargrams revealed rocky areas without distinct shape or size preventing contact heights from being determined. As a result, the areas listed below were labeled "Rocky Area-HDA" on the sonargrams for further development:

<u>Latitude</u>	Longitude	Radius of Development
40-16-45 N	073-58-15 W	700M
40-18-10 N	073-57-30 W	800M

A Hydrographic Development Area (HDA) is an area which may warrant further development to obtain a more accurate representation of the ocean floor due to spurious peaks and troughs which may not be depicted from running the required line spacing for a basic hydrographic survey. On days 300-302, 40-meter splits were run over these "Hydrographic Development Areas" to delineate the ocean bottom. By performing these splits, the hydrographer is confident that an accurate representation of the ocean floor has been

* Filed with original field records

acquired. The extended area of rocky bottom may be seen by a dotted red line on the SSS Contact Plot.

Since the purpose of this project was to identify significant side scan sonar contacts for further investigation by another field unit, a Sonar Contact Examination Record was not completed. However, a form titled "SSS POSTPROCESSING CONTACT LIST", found in Separate K, accounts for all of the significant contacts with asterisks by those recommended for further investigation. This form lists the contact number, contact name, Easting, Northing, Latitude, Longitude, Height, Water Depth, and Recommendations or Remarks for further investigation. Additional computations for side scan sonar positions may be found in Supplemental 5.*

3. VELOCITY CORRECTIONS

Corrections for sound velocity in water were calculated from data obtained from a Martek Mark VII TDC module and sensor assembly, s/n 101. Program "Velocity" was used for velocity correction computations.

Velocity casts were conducted in the same area where hydrographic data was obtained for the period that the computed correctors were to be applied. The data collected from each velocity cast was used directly to construct the corresponding velocity table. For example, between days 263 and 268, hydrographic data was collected for sheets B and C. The temperature and conductivity values given by cast #2 were used in computing velocity table #2. This velocity table was used until day 268 at which time velocity cast #3 was conducted and velocity table #3 generated. Likewise, velocity cast #4 yielded velocity table #4, etc. No averaging between two casts occured nor was required.

As a general trend, the correctors decreased throughout the project, corresponding to the seasonal cooling of the water column. The most radical shift occured between day 283 (velocity cast #5) and day 300 (velocity cast #6) where the velocity correctors decreased from 2.2 feet to 1.6 feet in 85 feet of water. The water column stabilized between days 308 and 325 as seen by the similar velocity correctors acquired during velocity casts #7 and #8.

All velocity tables were applied on-line by the HDAPS system and are found in Supplemental 3.%

Table	Cast	Day	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Time</u>	Location	Days Applied
1	TDC 2	263	28.0 m	1620Z	40-22-30 N 73-52-42 W	263-268
4	TDC 4	268	24.0 m	1700Z	40-16-21 N 73-53-08 W	268-282
5	TDC 5	283	26.0 m	1114Z	40-16-24 N 73-53-12 W	283-297

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Velocity Cast 2 was taken prior to the commencement of hydrographic operations in order to be incorporated into the HDAPS Velocity table for on-line use. Velocity correctors were applied automatically by the HDAPS system during hydrography. TDC casts 4 and 5 were taken at two week intervals and applied to the on-line soundings acquired during that respected time period. A Nansen cast was performed on day 325 at the conclusion of the project. Per section 2.1.2.2 of the Field Procedures Manual for Hydrographic surveying (1988), comparisons were conducted on day 235 between TDC cast 8 and the Nansen cast. Temperature values agreed within 0.1 C and velocity measurements were within 2 meters/second which satisfies the criteria found in the Field Procedures Manual. Velocity tables are included in Supplemental 3B.*

All on-line soundings were corrected for velocities during the survey.

4. BAR CHECKS

No bar checks were taken from the WHITING. Daily echo simulator checks were performed so that the narrow and wide beam returns compared within one-tenth of a foot.

5. VERTICAL CASTS

Shipboard echo sounder/pneumatic depth gauge comparisons were conducted on day 268, while the ship was at anchor off Sandy Hook, New Jersey.

A pneumatic depth gauge (s/n 545-22HBC) orifice was placed on the ocean bottom directly under the transducer and the depth readings recorded concurrently with the analog readings from the DSF-6000N echo sounder (s/n A116N). Readings from the echo sounder and the pneumatic depth gauge were compared. The results (in feet) of these findings follow:

Pneumo <u>Depth</u>	Pneumo <u>Corr.</u>	Pneumo Depth + Corr	Draft by <u>Pneumo</u>	Pneumo - Draft	Echo Sounder Depth + 0.4 Vel Corr	DSF 6000 Inst. Error
33.0 33.2 33.2 33.2 33.2	+0.2 +0.2 +0.2 +0.2 +0.2	33.2 33.4 33.4 33.4 33.4	10.6 10.6 10.6 10.6 10.6	22.6 22.8 22.8 22.8 22.8	22.9 22.8 22.8 22.7 22.7	-0.3 +0.0 +0.0 +0.1 +0.1
33.2	+0.2	33.4	10.6	22.8	22.8	+0.0

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The average instrument error with velocities applied is +0.0 feet.

The pneumatic depth gauge was bench calibrated on June 8, 1988 and field calibrated against a lead line on Day 268 and a corrector of +0.2 feet was applied to all pneumo readings. Calibration sheets may be found in Supplemental 3D.*

6. DRAFT CORRECTION

The depth of the ship's transducers was measured on day 268 by divers with the pneumatic depth gauge and found to be 10.6 feet, which agrees with historical data. On-line data was acquired with a draft of 10.56feet.

7. SETTLEMENT AND SQUAT

Settlement and squat correctors for the WHITING (VESNO 2930) were obtained from historical data determined on April 4, 1985 at Puerto Castilla, Honduras (OPR-303-MI/WH-85). No major ship alterations have been performed that would affect the accuracy of these settlement and squat correctors. A 0.1 foot corrector was determined for all engine speeds between all ahead "2's" and all ahead "5's". A 0.2 foot corrector was determined for all ahead "6's" and a 0.5 foot corrector was determined for all ahead "7's". All data was collected by WHITING at speeds between all ahead "2's" and all ahead "7's". This historical settlement and squat data was applied to all soundings obtained by WHITING. Historical data is included in Supplemental 3A.*

8. TIDE CORRECTORS

Predicted tide correctors were applied on-line by HDAPS to all soundings that were acquired with the DSF 6000N, except as noted in the Field Tide Note, Separate B. All echo sounding data plotted on the final field sheets were plotted with predicted tide correctors. Approved tides have been applied to the smooth sleet during a fire processing.

The tidal datum for this project was mean lower low water. The operating tide station at Sandy Hook, New Jersey (853-1680), served as the only control for datum determination. Opening and closing third-order levels were run from the tide staff to five bench marks on September 6 and November 28, 1988, respectively.

Predicted tides were calculated using Sandy Hook, New Jersey, as the reference station. The time and height correctors were given in the Project Instructions, section 5.9, for the project area (a -30 minute time correction, and a 0.94 range ratio, north of latitude 40-10.0 N). The datum determination for predicted tide determination in the 1988 Tide Table is mean low water instead of mean lower low water.

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Smooth tides were requested from Chief, Sea and Lake Levels Branch, N/OMA12, in a letter dated November 21, 1988, referenced as Separate M. The Field Tide Note is included as Separate B.*

E. HYDROGRAPHIC SHEETS (Field)

The assigned survey scale was 1:10,000. All sheets were produced on WHITING with the HDAPS system on the Bruning-Nicolett ZETA 824 plotter. A list of submitted sheets for H-10285 follows:

Sheet	Scale	<u>Quantity</u>
Raw Trackline Edited Plot (swath) Edited Plot (trackline) Edited Plot (soundings) Semi-Smooth (swath) Smooth Sounding Plot	1:10,000 1:10,000 1:10,000	4 3 4 2 3 4 4 2
Habber over 149	,	

All survey sheets were submitted with the descriptive report to N/MOA23, Hydrographic Surveys Branch, Atlantic Marine Center in Norfolk, Virginia.

F. CONTROL STATIONS Jee Jection 2. a. of the Evolvation Report.

The horizontal control datum for this project was the North American Datum of 1983. The following stations were used as Falcon Mini-Ranger shore stations during this survey:

No.	Name	Source	Year
001 003 005 006 010 012	AMBROSE LIGHT (ECC) SPERMACETTI COVE CG CUPOLA SEA CLUB 1 ADMIRAL IMPERIAL ASBURY T	AMC WESS AMC AMC AMC AMC AMC	1988 1988 1988 1988 1988 1988
016	BELFISH	AMC	1988

Stations 005, 006, 010, 012, and 016 were established using third order - class one traverse methods in August by Clifford S. Middleton Jr., Party Chief from Coastal Survey Unit, N/MOA2222, Atlantic Marine Center, Norfolk, Virginia. The position for station 001 was recomputed using NAD 83 in place of NAD 27. A copy of the Horizontal Control Report may found in Separate L. Supplement (1)

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G. HYDROGRAPHIC POSITION CONTROL Jee Jection Q.b. of the Evaluation Report.

Hydrographic position control was accomplished using the Mini-Ranger Falcon 484 system which provided accuracy adequate to exceed 1:10,000 scale survey requirements. Only range/range positioning, using 4 stations simultaneously, was used during this project. A survey network was set up to allow four reference stations to be accessed simultaneously by HDAPS. The following MOTOROLA Mini-Ranger equipment was used:

Vesno	Equipment	S/N
2930	R PU* CDU	E0138 F0201
	R/T	E2960

Remote Reference Stations:

Code	S/N	Station	Days (1988)
2	E2959	001	263-267,269-271,278,284,291,293, 299-302
3 5 6	E2075 E2976 F3290	003 005 006	264 263-267,269-271,278,280-281,284 263-267,269-271,278,280-281,284, 291,293,299-302
9	E2979 F3241	010 012	280-281,284,291,293,299-302 263-267,269-271,278,280-281,284, 291,293,299-302
8	E2890	016	284

Critical System Check:

An EDMI range/azimuth calibration, using an HP-9810 Total Station, s/n 60584, was performed on September 15 (Day 259) for code 6 using RPU E0138 and RT E2967 from station Sea Club 1. Critical checks with sextants were used on September 25 (Day 269) for codes 2 and 5 and on October 13 (Day 287) for codes 7, 8 and 9 with the same R/T - RPU combination. Serial numbers for the sextants were as follows:

<u>S/N</u> T2989 T2976 T2990

All critical check values were less than 5 meters which is within the required limits as stated in OPORDER 86. Results of the calibrations are included in Supplemental 4.*

Non-critical System Checks:

Non-critical system checks were performed at least twice daily. Per Attachment A of the Project Instructions, noncritical checks

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were documented by stopping the vessel and invoking the DUMP GRAPHICS and DUMP ALPHA commands in "page 3" of the "SURVEY" program. Screen Dumps of "page 3" are included with the on-line printout in the daily records. An abstract of the observed residuals may be found in Supplemental 4.*

Mini-Ranger Falcon Calibration:

Baseline calibrations were performed to the standards of the draft AMC OPORDER 86 (Falcon 484 Calibration Procedures and Standard Forms) and Attachment A in the Project Instructions. Opening baseline calibrations were performed on August 17 and 18 at Fort Monroe, Virginia, and on August 29 and September 6 at Sandy Hook, New Jersey. Only the values computed over the Sandy Hook baseline were utilized as correctors in the HDAPS C-O table. When an R/T Falcon Mini-Ranger was recalibrated, the new baseline values were incorporated into a new C-O table so that only the most recent baseline correctors were applied to on-line data. Each C-O table has a date written on it's respective printout to differentiate one table from another. All records of these calibrations are included with the survey records in Supplemental 4.*

Per Attachment A of the Project Instructions, a closing baseline calibration was not performed. The critical system checks performed on days 259, 269, and 287 were within tolerance and MLOP were used 100% during the project.

H. SHORELINE Tee Jection d.c. of the Evolution Report

No shoreline lies within the project boundaries or field sheet limits. Therefore, delineation of shoreline detail was not applicable to this survey. Shorelines were transferred to the field sheets from a 1:10,000 blow-up of chart 12326 and from a 1:10,000 blow-up of chart 12324 for the smooth sheets for orientation purposes only. Per Change No. 1 to the Project Instructions, charted landmarks were verified during the course of the survey by taking visual cuts from the ship's alidades and checking their position with the chart. All charted landmarks were found to be adequately positioned on charts 12324 and 12326.

I. CROSSLINES See section 3.a. of the Exploration Report.

A total of 32 linear nautical miles of crosslines were run on "C" sheet which amounts to 8.5% of the mainscheme hydrography acquired. In accordance with the Project Instructions, section 6.5.1, crosslines were run at 1000-meter intervals.

The crossline soundings agreed to within 2 feet of the mainscheme soundings. This complies with the allowable discrepancies as stated in the Hydrographic Manual, section 4.6.1.

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J. JUNCTIONS Jee Section 5 of the Evaluation Report

This sheet junctions to the north with H-10284, to the east with prior survey H-9531 and to the south with H-10287.

Junction soundings with H-10287 and H-10284 agreed within two feet whereas the survey conducted in 1975, H-9531, agreed within three feet of the depths acquired during this survey.

K. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS See section 6 of the Evaluation Report

Soundings from this sheet were compared with the following surveys:

Registry #	Scale	Year Surveyed
H-6463 WD	1:40,000	1939
H-6190	1:40,000	1936
H-5638	1:10,000	1934
H-9531	1:40,000	1975

Representative soundings from these previous surveys were transferred to an overlay and checked against soundings from this survey. Depths were found to be in agreement within 3 feet for H-6190. Soundings from H-5638 varied up to 4 feet with the current survey soundings. Comparisons with H-9531 agreed within 2 feet.

Comparisons of soundings from H-6463WD cannot be accurately performed until diver least depths have been acquired on those wrecks and obstructions located in the survey area. Actual soundings from H-6463WD were only acquired over wrecks and obstructions in the survey area which have not been fully investigated during this project.

The 3-4 foot difference in survey depths should not be considered unusual for the following reasons:

- 1. The above prior surveys were performed approximately 50 years ago. Positioning consisted of visual cuts using sextants and soundings taken by leadline. Modern survey methods tend to be more accurate.
- 2. The survey area has a reputation of constantly shifting shoals and sand bottoms from strong currents and storms, hence, bottom configurations could have easily changed in the 50 years since the survey was performed.

In common areas, the soundings from the current survey should be utilized to update the existing charts.

AWOIS 4288

AWOIS 4288 is listed as an unknown obstruction in which a 31 foot sounding was taken at lat 40-16-45.6 N, long 73-58-04.8 W by H6190/36. A rock was found with a 26 foot sounding at lat 40-16-48 N, lon 73-58-00W by H6463/39WD and the item was reported wire drag cleared to 24 feet. AWOIS requirements were 200% side scan scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

AWOIS 4288 is located in a rocky area where inspection of the sonargrams showed many shadows due to boulders or ledges. As a result, 40 meter splits were run on day 301 in the AWOIS area to get a better representation of the ocean bottom. The shoalest peak was found outside the 100 meter radius of AWOIS 4288 as a 31 foot sounding at lat 40-16-41.52N, long 73-58-07.52W (position 3745+1). This least depth was located 250 meters southwest of the reported AWOIS position with surrounding depths of 42-43 feet.

The hydrographer recommends that an echo sounder development be conducted over the surveyed least depth. A diver investigation and least and depth determination should be conducted over the least depth found from performing that echo sounder development by a future field unit to fully resolve this item.

See section 6.6. of the Evaluation Report.

AWOIS 4289

AWOIS 4289 is listed as a 29 foot sounding on a rock at lat 40-16-48N, long 73-58-12W in 36-38 feet of water by H6463/39W. AWOIS requirements were 200% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

AWOIS 4289 is located 300 meters from AWOIS 4288 and is also located in the same rocky area. This area was developed with 40 meter splits on day 301 and a 33 foot sounding was found directly over the reported AWOIS position at lat 40-16-34.29N, long 73-58-02.69W (position 3.870).

The hydrographer recommends that an echo sounder development be conducted over the surveyed least depth. A diver investigation and least depth determination should be conducted over the least depth found from performing that echo sounder development by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Loncov. See Also Section 6.6. of the Europation Report

AWOIS 4290

AWOIS 4290 is listed as an obstruction at lat 40-17-18N, long 73-58-06W with a least depth of 26-27ft and cleared to 24 feet. AWOIS requirements were 400% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

Since there were no side scan contacts found within the 100 meter radius circle during the initial 200% coverage, 400% coverage

was obtained of the area. Contact #18 (SSS position #2862.6p&s) was an obstruction found 220 meters southeast of the reported AWOIS position with a computed least depth comparable to that of the AWOIS listing. This obstruction had an approximate height of 10 feet in 42 feet of water at lat 40-17-07.610N, long 73-58-01.467W.

The hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be performed by a future field unit on contact #18 to fully resolve this item.

AWOIS 4291

AWOIS 4291 is listed as a 40 foot sounding over boulders at lat 40-18-18N, long 73-57-00W. AWOIS requirements were 200% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

AWOIS 4291 is located in an irregular rocky area where return on the sonargrams did not depict any specific contact. This rocky area extended eastward to lat 40-18-15N, long 73-56-45W. As a result, 40 meter splits were run on day 302 to give a better representation of the ocean floor. Contact #20 (SSS position #3646.2p) is believed to be a rock with an approximate height of 8 feet in 45 feet of water at lat 40-18-18.179N, long 73-56-55.223W. This contact is located within the 100 meter circle and is believed to be the AWOIS item.

The hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be performed on contact #20 by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Concor See 4/50 Jection 6.6 of the Eunivation Report.

AWOIS 4292

AWOIS 4292 is reported in LNM46/71--3RD as a sailboat which was reported afire and sunk in 55 feet of water at position approximate lat 40-19-00N long 73-56-00W. AWOIS requirements were 200% side scan sonar coverage for a search radius of 3000 meters.

Several contacts were located within the required 3000 meter circle radius, however, none of the items had characteristics of the AWOIS item nor were any of the contacts located in 55 feet of water.

As a result, the hydrographer recommends that this item has been disproven and the wreck symbol should be removed from the charts. Concur. Jespsection 7. a. of the Evaluation Report.

AWOIS 1531

AWOIS 1531 was reported as an obstruction where a 44 foot sounding was taken during H6463/39WD at position lat 40-16-12N 73-56-30W. The obstruction felt like wreckage with evidence of rust

present. AWOIS requirements were 400% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

Since there were no contacts found within the required 100 meter circle radius, 400% side scan sonar coverage was acquired. Approximately 200 meters southwest of the reported AWOIS position, contact #9 (SSS position #2524.5s) was found with an approximate height of 2 feet in 547 feet of water at lat 40-16-07.913N, long 73-56-35.198W. This contact had wrecklike characteristics on the sonargram and is believed to be the AWOIS item.

Although the height of the contact is not significant, it does have wrecklike characteristics. As a result, the hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be conducted on contact #9 by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Jee Jection 6.b. of the Evalvation Report.

AWOIS 1537

AWOIS 1537 is listed as a 49 foot sounding taken over a wreck at position lat 40-16-54N long 73-56-24W. AWOIS requirements were 200% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

A contact was found 450 meters northwest of the reported AWOIS position with wrecklike characteristics and listed in the side scan sonar contact list as contact #23 (SSS position #2300.3p&s). Echosounder height of the contact is 5 feet in 54 feet of water at lat 40-17-01.968N, long 73-56-26.539W. There were no contacts identified inside the 100 meter circle radius.

The hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be accomplished on contact #23 by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Concor. See Also Section 6.6 of the Evaluation Report

AWOIS 1538

AWOIS 1538 is listed as a 43 foot sounding taken over an obstruction in 52-55 feet water. The obstruction is believed to be wreckage at lat 40-17-00N, long 73-57-00W. AWOIS requiremnts were 400% side scan sonar coverage for 100 meters.

Since there were no contacts found with the initial 200% side scan sonar coverage inside the 100 meter circle, 400% coverage of the area was obtained. Approximately 220 meters southeast of the reported AWOIS position, a contact was found with height of 8 feet in 50 feet of water at lat 40-16-58.406N, long 73-56-49.616W. The contact has characteristics of a dumpsite and is labeled as contact #12 (SSS position #2670.9p&s) in the side scan sonar contact list.

The hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be accomplished on contact #12 by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Concor. Jet 1/50 Section 6.6. of the Evalvation Report.

AWOIS 1543

AWOIS 1543 is listed as 36 foot sounding over an obstruction at lat 40-18-24N, long 73-56-30W by H6463/WD. AWOIS requirements were 400% side scan sonar coverage for a radius of 100 meters.

A contact was found on the perimeter of the 100 meter radius circle for the reported AWOIS position. The contact has a 7 foot peak in 49^8 feet of water at lat 40-18-23.229N, long 73-56-33.079W with wrecklike characteristics and is labeled as contact #8 (SSS position #2497.4p&s) in the side scan sonar contact list.

The hydrographer recommends that a diver investigation and least depth determination be accomplished on contact #8 by a future field unit to fully resolve this item. Conevr. See Also section 6.6. of the Evalvation Report.

Further deatils on the side scan sonar data may be found in Supplemental 5. Recommendations for items requiring additional investigation are included in Section Q.

L. COMPARISON WITH THE CHART Jee Jection 7. of the Evaluation Report.

Comparisons of data from the present survey were made during the course of data acquisition with a 1:10,000 scale enlargement of Chart 12324, 24th edition, dated November 15, 1986, and Chart 12326, 38th edition, dated February 22, 1986 per section 6.11 of the Project Instructions. All soundings agreed within 1-2 feet for chart 12324 and within 2-3 feet for chart 12326 with the following exception:

Certain areas on the charts had either wire drag depths or danger to navigation symbols over wrecks or obstructions. Comparisons with these soundings cannot be accurately determined without diver investigations performed on these items. A future field unit is expected to conduct dive operations to fully resolve the items at which time comparisons between wrecks and obstructions may be conducted.

There were no dangers to navigation within the survey area.

M. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY

This survey was conducted in accordance with the Project Instructions, Hydrographic Survey Guidelines, AMC OPORDERS, and the Hydrographic Manual. This survey is a complete basic hydrographic survey with the exception that contacts identified by 200% side scan

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sonar coverage have been left for further investigation and least depth determination by a different field unit at a future date.

N. AIDS TO NAVIGATION Tee section 7.c. of the Emploration Report.

Visual cuts were taken from the ships gyroscopic alidade which confirmed that the landmark positions for this sheet are adequately and accurately charted.

Floating Aids to Navigation

No floating aids to navigation were within the survey limits.

Non-Floating Aids to Navigation

One non-floating aid to navigation nearby the survey area was Ambrose Light (Light List # 730) which was positioned to third order accuracy for survey H-10224 in 1986 (See Horizontal Control Report submitted with H-10224, 1986).

Four new fixed landmarks located along the shoreline were positioned to class I - third order accuracy in August by Coastal Surveys Unit, N/MOA 2222. Non-floating Aids to Navigation forms, 76-40, are included with this report and may be found in Separate J. A detailed description of these aids may be found in the Horizontal Control Report included as Supplemental 11. **

O. STATISTICS

No. of	Positions	4379
	Side Scan Positions	3360
No. of	No Smooth Plots	40
	Crossline Positions	321
	Development Positions	169
No. of	Rejected Positions	26
Linear	NM of Sounding Lines	407
Linear	NM of Side Scan Inv.	354
Square	NM of Hydrography	19
Bottom	Samples	17
Detache	d Positions	0
Omitted	Positions	144
Duplica	ted Positions	1
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Additional Statistics

TDC Casts	3
Nansen Casts	0
Tide Stations Leveled	1
Days of Production	20

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P. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Shipboard Hydrography

Conducting 24-hour mainscheme hydrographic operations were advantageous in obtaining the complete coverage of the survey area. However, there were several factors which impeded operations significantly. The area was densely populated with lobster traps ("pots") which occasionally entangled the side scan sonar cable so that operations had to be delayed until the lines entangling the sonar could be severed. Snagging lobster pots with the towfish put considerable strain on the side scan connector cable, which resulted in damage to the cable requiring it to be "repotted". Heavy traffic within the work area also presented problems. Operations were occasionally delayed due to traffic situations. Finally, numerous survey lines had to be rerun due to side scan sonar coverage busts.

2. Bottom Samples

Bottom samples were taken for submission to the Smithsonian Institution, as directed in Section 6.7 of the Project Instructions and section 5 of Change No. 1. Serventeen bottom samples were transmitted on September 23, 1988. Due to an HDAPS software deficiency, detached positions cannot be digitally recorded on the magnetic tape, so the positions were recorded only on the master printout and plotted by entering the position on the station list in the presurvey mode of HDAPS.

3. Anamalous Currents

No anomalous currents were observed in the survey area.

4. Anamalous Echo Sounder Trace

In one area along the inshore limits of the survey, latitude 40-19-00N, longitude 73-57-30W, approximately 3 nautical miles of echo sounder data resulted in a separation of the narrow and wide beam traces. A dive investigation performed on day 287 determined that the separation of echo sounder traces was caused by a sediment layer of "unconsolidated fluff" suspended over a hard sand bottom. Since the narrow beam trace raised above the wide beam trace by up to three feet, depths were taken from the wide beam trace which appeared tp give an accurate representation of the ocean floor. A sewage outfall is positioned on chart 12324, 24th edition in the vicinity of the sediment layer. WHITING is confident that the separation of the narrow and wide beam traces is a result of this suspended sediment layer and not due to an echo sounder malfunction.

Q. RECOMMENDATIONS

The hydrographer recommends that further investigation be required for each of the AWOIS items listed in section K of this report.

The following side scan sonar contacts are recommended for further investigation:

Contact #	Position #
1	212.5s
2	289.2s
5	1313.3p
6	1755.8p
8	2497.4p&s
9	2524.5s
11	2607.5p&s
12	2670.9p&s
14	2815.3p&s
15	2814.9s
17	2932.1s
18	2862.6p&s
19	3590.8s
20	3646.2p
21	3844.9p
22	3872.5s
23	2300.3p&s

Descriptive and positioning information on these contacts can be found in separate K. See Also Section 7. a. of the Evaluation Report.

A copy of the final smooth sheets should be sent to the following who greatly supported survey operations:

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R. AUTOMATED DATA PROCESSING

In addition to the HDAPS system, the following non-HDAS computer programs were used:

VELOCITY Velocity Computations (IBM PC) 01/01/88 RK 300 Utility Computations 10/21/80

S. REFERRAL TO REPORTS

<u>Title</u>

Descriptive Report To Accompany Survey

H-10284

Transmittal Information

Hydrographic Surveys Branch Atlantic Marine Center N/MOA23

Transmittal: WH-OPS-77-88 Dated: December 14, 1988

H-10287

Horizontal Control Report for HC-8804

Chart Sales Agent Report

User Evaluation Report

Chart Inspection Report

Coast Pilot Report

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Approved By:

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Written by: C.M. Middleton Jr.

Dated: October 3, 1988

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Mr. Rudolph D. Sanocki Atlantic Marine Center N/MOA232

Transmittal: WH-OPS-74-88 Dated: December 5, 1988

Transmittal: WH-OPS-76-88 Dated: December 6, 1988

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APPROVAL SHEET

HYDROGRAPHIC AND SIDE SCAN SONAR SURVEY OPR-C147-WH H-10-2-88 H-10285 1988

This combined hydrographic and side scan sonar survey was conducted in accordance with the Project Instructions for OPR-C147-WH, the Hydrographic Manual, the AMC OPORDERS, and the Hydrographic Survey Guidelines. The survey and reports were completed under daily supervision. All boat sheets and final transmitted sheets were reviewed in their entirety and all supporting records were also checked.

This survey is a complete basic hydrographic survey with the exception that contacts identified by 200% side scan sonar coverage have been left for further investigation and least depth determination by a different field unit at a future date.

Dean R. Seidel, CDR NOAA Commanding Officer

Commanding Officer NOAA Ship WHITING

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TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY

DATE: February 22, 1989

MARINE CENTER: Atlantic

OPR: C147

HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET: H-10285

LOCALITY: New Jersey, Offshore Monmouth Beach to Elberon

TIME PERIOD: September 19, 1988 - October 28, 1988

TIDE STATION(S) USED: 853-1680 Sandy Hook, NJ

PLANE OF REFERENCE (MEAN LOWER LOW WATER): 2.27 ft.

HEIGHT OF HIGH WATER ABOVE PLANE OF REFERENCE: 4.9 ft.

REMARKS: RECOMMENDED ZONING

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ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING	17	
QUALITY CONTROL CHECKS	73	
EVALUATION AND ANALYSIS	126	12/20/90
FINAL INSPECTION	16	12/14/90
TOTAL TIME	482	

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

NATIONAL OCEAN SERVICE Coast and Geodetic Survey

Rockville, Maryland 20852 DEC 3 [99]

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Captain Dean R. Seidel, NOAA

Chief, Hydrographic Surveys Branch

FROM:

George K. Myers

Chief, Standards Section

SUBJECT:

Examination of Hydrographic Survey H-10285, (1988), New Jersey, Atlantic Ocean, Monmouth

Beach to Elberon

Field Unit.....NOAA Ship WHITING

Processed by Atlantic Marine Center

An examination of hydrographic survey H-10285 (1988) was accomplished to monitor the survey for adequacy with respect to data acquisition, conformance with applicable project instructions, delineation of the bottom, determination of least depths, navigational hazards, junctions, sounding line crossings, smooth plotting, digital data standards, decisions made and actions taken by the evaluator, and the cartographic presentation of data.

Cartographic deficiencies and constructive comments are noted on a 1/2-scale copy of the survey smooth sheet which will be forwarded to the marine center. Digital data and/or programming deficiencies are identified on a full-scale plot made from the magnetic tape transmitted by the marine center. This plot will also be forwarded to the Atlantic Hydrographic Section.

In general, the survey was found to conform to National Ocean Service standards and requirements except as stated in the Evaluation Report and as follows:

1. Discrepancies exist for a 41-foot sounding plotted at lat. 40°18'23.41"N, long. 73°56'32.93"W (Position 249701) on the smooth sheet and a 37-foot sounding at lat. 40°18'23.23"N, long. 73°56'33.08"W (Position 439500) noted from a Rockville check plot of the accompanying SDDEF tape. The 41 is excessed in



the final sounding listing while the 37 is listed to be smooth plotted. An intensive examination of survey records revealed the 41-foot depth to originate from side scan sonar records of the survey. The 37-foot depth was not found and is considered to be in error. The final sounding listing should note the 41 to be plotted. The 37 should be expunged from the survey tapes.

- 2. A sounding obstruction code (CC 272) listed in the final sounding listing at lat. 40°17'04.66"N, long. 73°58'07.33"W (Position 239200) and lat. 40°17'03.61"N, long. 73°58'07.51"W (Position 374200) is depicted as "rky" on the smooth sheet. Evidence from the survey records indicates these items were processed as rocky areas from the sonargrams, and therefore should have been appropriately marked as such in the sounding listing.
- 3. The 16 numbered positions (Position 43800 through Position 439500) filed at the end of the final sounding listing which identify estimated depths at obstructions as calculated from the sonargrams are incorrectly recorded to have been observed after the survey was completed. The information should be corrected.
- 4. Bottom characteristics shown on the smooth sheet for the survey do not appear in the final sounding listing.

It is recommended that a new digital tape and final sounding listing be made by the marine center for Headquarters which will correctly reflect the survey data as shown on the smooth plot.

Attachment

cc: N/CG244 - C. Lawrence

OFFICE OF CHARTING AND GEODETIC SERVICES ATLANTIC HYDROGRAPHIC SECTION

EVALUATION REPORT

SURVEY NO.: H-10285 FIELD NO.: WH-10-2-88

New Jersey, Atlantic Ocean, Offshore Monmouth Beach to Elberon

SURVEYED: 19 September through 28 October 1988

SCALE: 1:10,000 PROJECT NO.: OPR-C147-WH-88

SOUNDINGS: RAYTHEON DSF-6000N Fathometer and EG&G Model 260

Side Scan Sonar

CONTROL: MOTOROLA Falcon 484 Mini-Ranger (Range/Range)

Automated plot by......XYNETICS 1201 Plotter (AHS)

1. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

- This is a combined basic hydrographic/side scan sonar survey. Side scan sonar was operated simultaneously with the fathometer during survey operations. Side scan sonar contacts located by the field unit during hydrographic operations were investigated by the field unit and resolved using side scan sonar and/or fathometer for least depth determination. cases where the side scan sonar was used to determine the estimated depth of an item or object, the item is shown on the present survey with the upper case letter 'A' in parenthesis. Depths on these obstructions were estimated by scaling heights off the bottom from side scan sonar records. Positions were determined by computing offsets from the vessel's track. survey has been processed before the results of the recommended additional investigations are available. subsequent survey FE-331SS (1989) for more definitive information on these features. This note is shown on the present survey smooth sheet in proximity to the title block. See also the memorandum titled: "Showing Estimated Side Scan Sonar Depths on Smooth Sheets", dated 23 February 1989, for an explanation of the note shown on the survey smooth sheet.
- b. No unusual problems were encountered during office processing.

c. Notes in red were made in the Descriptive Report during office processing.

2. CONTROL AND SHORELINE

- a. Control is adequately discussed in sections F., G., and S. of the Descriptive Report.
- b. Horizontal control used for this survey during data acquisition is based upon the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD83). Office processing of this survey is based on these values. The smooth sheet has been annotated with ticks showing the computed mean shift between the survey datum and the North American Datum of 1927 (NAD27). To place this survey on the NAD27 datum, move the projection lines 0.387 seconds (11.9 meters or 1.19 mm at the scale of the survey) north in latitude, and 1.503 seconds (35.4 meters or 3.54 mm at the scale of the survey) east in longitude.

All geographic positions listed from sources other than the present survey are on the NAD27 unless otherwise specified. All inverse distance computations are made after geographic positions have been converted to the survey datum, NAD83.

c. There is no shoreline within the area surveyed.

3. HYDROGRAPHY

- a. Soundings at crossings agree within the criteria stated in sections 4.6.1. and 6.3.4.3. of the HYDROGRAPHIC MANUAL and section 6.6. of the Project Instructions.
- b. The standard thirty (30), sixty (60) and supplemental thirty-six (36) foot curves could be drawn in their entirety. Dashed and brown curves were added to better show bottom topography.
- c. Development of bottom configuration and determination of least depths is considered adequate except for the following:
- 1) The legibility of the final field sheets is excellent. Isolated shoal soundings shown on field development overlay sheets were not brought forward to the main scheme field sheet. This can be seen as numerous depth curves indicating shoals with no soundings.
 - 2) Bottom samples were not taken on numerous shoal

features as required by section 6.7 of the Project Instructions and section 4.5.9.2. of the HYDROGRAPHIC MANUAL.

4. CONDITION OF SURVEY

The smooth sheets and accompanying overlays, hydrographic records and reports are adequate and conform to the requirements of the HYDROGRAPHIC MANUAL and the SIDE SCAN SONAR MANUAL.

5. JUNCTIONS

H-9531 (1975) to the east H-10284 (1988) to the north H-10287 (1988) to the south

Excellent junctions were effected between the present survey and prior surveys H-10284 (1988).

The smooth sheets for surveys H-9531 (1975) and H-10287 (1988) are archived at National Ocean Service (NOS) headquarters, Rockville, Maryland and a standard junction could not be made. In this case, the note "ADJOINS" has been shown on the present survey smooth sheet. Depths agree to within one (1) foot. Any adjustments to the depth curves will have to be made during chart compilation.

There are no contemporary surveys to the west of the present survey. The charted depths and present survey depths are in harmony to the west.

6. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS

a. Hydrographic

H-5638 (1934) 1:10,000 H-6190 (1936) 1:40,000

Prior survey H-5638 (1934) covers the western edge of the present survey. Soundings on this survey are in good agreement with the present survey with soundings varying plus or minus (+/-) two (2) feet.

With the exception of the area covered by prior survey H-5638 (1934), prior survey H-6190 (1936) covers the remaining area of the present survey. The location of shoals and deeps on the prior survey are in harmony with the present survey. Prior survey soundings agree with the present survey depths within plus or minus (+/-) two (2) feet. The differences in

soundings can be attributed to shifting of the sandy bottom in the area of the present survey.

The present survey is adequate to supersede the prior surveys in the common areas.

b. Wire Drag

63 H-6436WD (1939)

Nine hangs or groundings originating with the prior survey are in the area of the present survey. Eight are presently charted, and one is uncharted. The following should be noted:

AWOIS item #1531 is a charted <u>dangerous sunken wreck</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of 42 feet in Latitude 40°16'12.0"N, Longitude 73°56'30.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey. A leadline 44-ft sounding was taken on a wreck and subsequently cleared by wire drag with an effective depth of 42 feet. During hydrographic and side scan sonar operations, no indication of any contacts were found at the position of the AWOIS item. A side scan sonar contact (contact #9) with wreck-like characteristics and an estimated depth of 55 feet in present survey depths of 57 to 60 feet was found 143 meters southwest of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°16'07.913"N, Longitude 73°56'35.198"W. It is believed this obstruction is the AWOIS item. The obstruction is included in the recommendation for additional investigation and should be charted as a submerged obstruction in accordance with Cartographic Order 004/89, dated July 3, 1989 in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. It is also recommended AWOIS item #1531 be removed from the chart.

awois item #1537 is a charted <u>dangerous sunken wreck</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of <u>45 feet</u> in Latitude 40°16'54.0"N, Longitude 73°56'24.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey as a 49-foot sounding on a wreck and subsequently cleared by a wire drag effective depth of 45 feet. During hydrographic and side scan sonar operations, no indication of any contacts were found in the position of the AWOIS item. An obstruction (contact #23) with wreck-like characteristics was found 258 meters north of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°17'01.968"N, Longitude 73°56'26.539"W with a fathometer depth of 57 feet in present survey depths of 61 to 62 feet. The obstruction is considered to be the AWOIS item. The obstruction is included in the recommendation for additional investigation and should be charted as a <u>submerged</u>

<u>obstruction</u> with a depth of <u>57 feet</u> (57 Obstr) in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. It is also recommended that AWOIS item #1537 be removed from the chart.

AWOIS item #1538 is a charted <u>dangerous sunken wreck</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of 42 feet in Latitude 40°17'00.0"N, Longitude 73°57'00.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey as a 43-foot sounding on a wreck and subsequently cleared by a wire drag effective depth of 42 During hydrographic and side scan sonar operations, no indication of any contacts were found in the position of the AWOIS item. An obstruction (contact #12) with wreck-like characteristics was found 279 meters east of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°16'58.94"N, Longitude 73°56'49.71"W with a fathometer depth of 47 feet in present survey depths of 53 to 55 feet. The obstruction is considered to be the AWOIS The obstruction is included in the recommendation for additional investigation and should be charted as a submerged obstruction with a depth of 47 feet (47 Obstr) in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. It is also recommended that AWOIS item #1538 be removed from the chart.

AWOIS item #1543 is a charted dangerous submerged obstruction with a wire drag clearance depth of 34 feet in Latitude 40°18'24.0"N, Longitude 73°56'30.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey as a 36-foot sounding on an obstruction and subsequently cleared by wire drag with an effective depth of 34 feet. A side scan sonar contact (contact #8) was found 38 meters east of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°18'23.299"N, Longitude 73°56'33.079"W with an approximate depth of 41 feet in present survey depths of 47 to 48 feet. The obstruction is considered to be the AWOIS item. The obstruction is included in the recommendation for additional investigation and should be charted as a submerged obstruction in accordance with Cartographic Order 004/89, dated July 3, 1989 in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. also recommended AWOIS item #1543 be removed from the chart.

AWOIS item #4288 is a charted <u>dangerous submerged rock</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of <u>24 feet</u> in Latitude 40°16'48.0"N, Longitude 73°58'00.0"W. The item was found by prior survey H-6190 (1936) in Latitude 40°16'45.6"N, Longitude 73°58'04.8"W as a 31 foot sounding. Additional work was recommended. Two obstructions presently recommended for additional investigation were found in the vicinity of the AWOIS item. Contact #24 is an obstruction with an echosounder

depth of 33 feet (33 Obstr) 100 meters south of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°16'44.50"N, Longitude 73°58'02.76"W. Contact #25 is a side scan sonar contact shown on the present survey as an obstruction with an estimated depth of 22 feet in Latitude 40°16'42.60"N, Longitude 73°58'02.20"W, 155 meters to the south. Due to the scale of the chart and the distance between these two contacts it is not recommended that the submerged obstruction with a depth of 33 feet be charted. It is recommended that a dangerous submerged obstruction with an estimated depth of 22 feet be charted in accordance with Cartographic Order 004/89, dated July 3, 1989 in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. It is also recommended that the dangerous submerged rock with a wire drag clearance depth of 24 feet (AWOIS item #4288) be removed from the chart.

AWOIS item #4289 is a charted dangerous submerged rock with a wire drag clearance depth of 24 feet in Latitude 40°16'48.0"N, Longitude 73°58'12.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey as a 29-foot grounding on a rock and subsequently cleared by wire drag with an effective depth of 24 feet. A 32 foot sounding was located by the present survey 57 meters northeast of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°16'48.32"N, Longitude 73°58'11.25"W. Additionally, a side scan sonar contact (contact #26) was found 165 meters south of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°16'42.60"N, Longitude 73°58'11.10"W with an estimated depth of 19 feet. obstruction is included in the recommendation for subsequent investigation and should be charted as a submerged obstruction in accordance with Cartographic Order 004/89, dated July 3, 1989 in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by the subsequent field work. AWOIS item #4289 should be removed from the chart, and the 32-ft sounding should be charted in the position determined by the present survey.

AWOIS item #4290 is a charted <u>dangerous submerged rock</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of 24 feet in Latitude 40°17'18.0"N, Longitude 73°58'06.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey as a 27 foot sounding on an obstruction and subsequently cleared by wire drag with an effective depth of 24 feet. AWOIS item #1539 is an uncharted sunken wreck with a 24-foot depth over the wreck in Latitude 40°17'12.0"N, Longitude 73°58'12.0"W. This AWOIS item is cross referenced to AWOIS #4290 in the AWOIS listing. Present hydrographic investigations and 400% side scan sonar insonification indicate that these items are not at the charted or listed positions. It is recommended that <u>AWOIS item #4290</u> be removed from the chart. It is also recommended that <u>AWOIS item #1539</u>

remain uncharted.

AWOIS item #4291 is a charted 40-ft sounding on a rock (40 Rk) in Latitude 40°18'18.0"N, Longitude 73°57'00.0"W originating with the prior wire drag survey. A side scan sonar contact (contact #20) was found 149 meters east of the AWOIS position in Latitude 40°18'18.18"N, Longitude 73°56'55.22"W with an approximate depth of 37 feet. This obstruction is included in the recommendation for additional investigation and should be charted as a submerged obstruction in accordance with Cartographic Order 004/89, dated July 3, 1989 in the position determined by the present survey until resolved by subsequent field work. AWOIS item #4291 should be removed from the chart.

There are no conflicts between effective depths of prior wire drag survey H-6463WD (1939) and the present survey depth.

7. <u>COMPARISON WITH CHARTS 12324 (24th Ed., Nov 15/86)</u> <u>12326 (38th Ed., Feb 22/86)</u>

a. <u>Hydrography</u>

The charted hydrography originates with the previously discussed prior surveys and needs no further discussion. The following should be noted:

- 1) AWOIS item #4292 is a charted <u>dangerous sunken</u> <u>wreck, PA</u> in Latitude 40°19'00.0"N, Longitude 73°56'00.0"W originating with Local Notice to Mariners 46 of 1971 (LNM46/71). No evidence was found by the present survey. It is recommended that the <u>dangerous sunken wreck, PA</u>, AWOIS item #4292, be deleted from the chart.
- uncharted obstructions, of which 17 were recommended for further investigation. During office processing 3 contacts were not considered significant enough to warrant further investigation; contact (#13), not considered significant by the hydrographer, was added to the list of contacts for further investigation. Three contacts (#24, #25, and #26), not mentioned by the hydrographer are considered significant and recommended for further investigation. Of the 19 contacts recommended for further investigation, eight contacts (#8, #9, #12, #20, #23, #24, #25, and #26) are discussed and have charting recommendations in section 6.b. of this report. Eleven (11) contacts shown on the present survey are recommended for further investigation and are listed as

follows:

Contact No.	Depth/Feature	Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)
2	70 Obstr (A)	40°16'29.386"	73°52'20.267"
11	41 Obstr	40°18'20.110"	73°56'43.180"
13	40 Obstr (A)	40°17'08.752"	73°57'49.384"
14	37 Obstr	40°17'08.910"	73°57'57.690"
15	38 Obstr (A)	40°17'06.988"	73°57'56.560"
16	37 Obstr (A)	40°17'11.847"	73°57'59.622"
17	33 Obstr (A)	40°17'56.176"	73°58'05.197"
18	32 Obstr (A)	40°17'07.610"	73°58'01.467"
19	42 Obstr (A)	40°19'29.062"	73°57.01.940"
21	32 Obstr (A)	40°16'35.553"	73°58'13.281"
22	33-ft sounding	40°17'04.660"	73°58'07.330"

It should be noted that side scan sonar contact #22 is in the vicinity of a rock outcrop, and is shown as a 33-foot sounding. The note "rky" was applied to the present survey during office processing. It is recommended that a depth of 33 feet with the note "rky" be charted in the position shown on the present survey.

With the exception of contact #22 it is recommended that further discussion and charting recommendations of these items be deferred until the completion of office processing of survey FE-331SS (1989) and the final disposition of the investigated items have been made.

- 3) AWOIS item #1534 is a charted <u>dangerous sunken</u> <u>wreck</u> with a wire drag clearance depth of <u>47 feet</u> in Latitude 40°16'30.0"N, Longitude 73°56'00.0"W, originating with Chart Letter 237 of 1928 (CL237/28) as a sunken dredge. The item was not found by H-6463 (1939) and recommended for deletion. The item was recharted as a 47 foot basket sounding in accordance with CL347/58. No evidence of the wreck was found by the present survey. It is recommended that <u>AWOIS item</u> #1534 be deleted from the chart.
- 4) AWOIS ITEM #1541 is a charted dangerous sunken wreck with a wire drag clearance depth of 46 feet in Latitude 40°17'48.0"N, Longitude 73°56'30.0"W, originating with Chart Letter 178 of 1929 (CL178/29) as a dangerous sunken wreck PD. The reported position was cleared to 46 feet by H-6463 (1939) and recommended for deletion. The item was recharted as a 46 foot basket sounding in accordance with CL347/58. No evidence of the wreck was found by the present survey. It recommended that AWOIS item #1541 be deleted from the chart.
 - 5) AWOIS item #1545 is a charted dangerous sunken

wreck with a wire drag clearance depth of 64 feet in Latitude 40°18'54.0"N, Longitude 73°53'24.0"W originating with Notice to Mariners 37 of 1945 (NM37/45) that is within the limits of the present survey. This item was not assigned to nor was it discussed by the hydrographer. With 100% side scan sonar coverage over the area, it is considered disproved. It is recommended that AWOIS item #1545 be deleted from the chart.

- 6) An uncharted <u>obstruction</u> with rock-like characteristics on the side scan sonargrams was located by the hydrographer in Latitude 40°17'58.32"N, Longitude 73°58'09.48"W. A fathometer depth of 25 feet was obtained on the obstruction. It is recommended that a <u>rock</u> with a depth of <u>25 feet</u> (25 Rk) be charted in the position determined by the present survey.
- 7) Two uncharted obstructions noted by the hydrographer are shown on the present survey. Both contacts were scaled from the side scan sonar records, and are not considered significant.

			<u>Estimated</u>	Present Ag700
Contact	Latitude (N)	Longitude (W)	Depth	Depths Nulais
Obstr (A)	40°18'56.07"	73°54'25.99"	66ft	65-69ft 9698
Obstr (A)	40°19'37.96"	73°56'32.07"	51ft	53-54ft Awars 9690

No change in charting status is recommended.

8) The hydrographer located an uncharted submerged obstruction with a depth of 42 feet in Latitude 40°18'19.68"N, Longitude 73°56'39.66"W. The obstruction is 84 meters east of an obstruction (contact #11) which is recommended for further investigation. It is recommended that charting action be deferred until completion of survey FE-331SS (1989) and the final disposition of the investigated items have been made.

Except as noted above, the present survey is adequate to supersede the charted hydrography in the common area.

c. Aids to Navigation

There are no fixed or floating aids to navigation within the limits of this survey.

8. COMPLIANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS

This survey adequately complies with the Project Instructions except as noted in this report.

9. ADDITIONAL FIELD WORK

This is a good basic hydrographic/side scan sonar survey. With the exception of the items listed in section 7.a. of this report, no other field work is recommended.

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Verification Check

APPROVAL SHEET H-10285

<u>Initial Approvals:</u>

The completed survey has been inspected with regard to survey coverage, delineation of depth curves, development of critical depths, cartographic symbolization, and verification or disproval of charted data. The digital data have been completed and all revisions and additions made to the smooth sheet during survey processing have been entered in the magnetic tape record for this survey. Final control, position, and sounding printouts of the survey have been made. The survey records and digital data comply with NOS requirements except where noted in the Evaluation Report.

Date: 20 December 1990

Robert G. Roberson

Chief, Evaluation and Analysis Team

Atlantic Hydrographic Section

I have reviewed the smooth sheet, accompanying data, and reports. This survey and accompanying digital data meet or exceed NOS requirements and standards for products in support of nautical charting except where noted in the Evaluation Report.

Christopher B. Lawrence, CDR, NOAA Chief, Atlantic Hydrographic Section

Sevene Date: 7 January 1991

Final Approval:

Approved:

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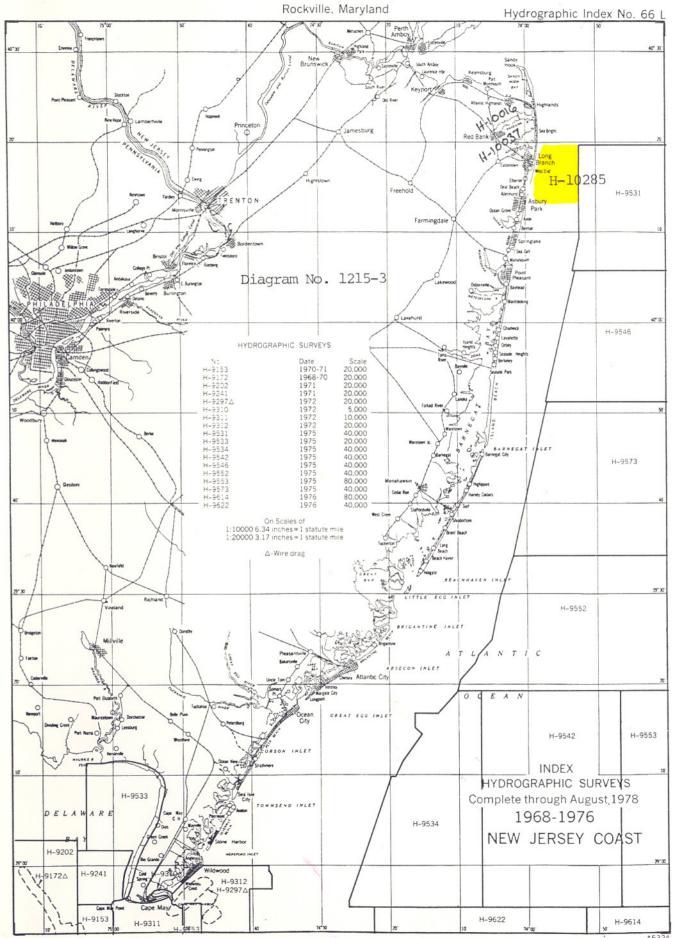
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FILE WITH DESCRIPTIVE REPORT OF SURVEY NO. H-10285

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A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart.

- 1. Letter all information.
- 2. In "Remarks" column cross out words that do not apply.

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