

Virginia Chesapeake Monitoring Bay Program-Fluorescence Monitoring Component

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Identification Information:

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Citation Information:

Originator: Susan Daughton

Originator: Old Dominion University

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Description:

Abstract:

Vertical fluorescence profiles were measured at station in the Chesapeake Bay Mainstem. Data were typically collected monthly between 1991 and present. At all stations in vivo fluorescence readings were made at 0.5, 1.0, 2.0, and 3.0 meters below the surface and ever three meters thereafter and one meter above the bottom. From 1991-1995 sampling was performed by the Virginia Institute of Marine Sciences and Old Dominion University.

Purpose:

The state of Virginia, in cooperation with the US EPA Chesapeake Bay Program, has used in vivo fluorescence to measure horizontal and vertical profiles of chlorophyll a between fixed monitoring stations in the Virginia Chesapeake Bay mainstem since January 1991. The program is designed to give comprehensive geographical and seasonal information on phytoplankton. Sampling is performed in conjunction with the Virginia phytoplankton, zooplankton and water quality monitoring programs.

Supplemental Information:

-Stations sampled by Old Dominion University from 1991-Present
 CB7.3-Lower Chesapeake Bay, Near Light Buoy R20, Main Bay
 CB7.3E-Lower Chesapeake Bay , Off of Old Plantation Light, Main Bay
 CB7.4 -Baltimore Channel, Mouth of Bay, Main Bay
 CB7.4N-Off of Fishermans Island, Mouth of Bay, Main Bay
 CB8.1-Off of Norfolk Airport, Off of light Buoy G11, Main Bay
 CB8.1E-Near Cape Henry Light, Near Bell Buoy G1TS, Mouth of Bay, Main Bay
 LE5.5-Mouth of James River, off of Hampton Roads, Main Bay

Stations collected by the by Old Dominion University from 1996-Present.
 CB5.4-Central Chesapeake Bay, Main Bay
 CB5.4W-Mouth of Great Wicomico River, Main Bay
 CB5.5 -Central Chesapeake Bay off of Dividing Creek, Main Bay
 CB6.1-Central Chesapeake Bay off of Rappahannock Dumping Grounds, Main Bay
 CB6.2-Central Chesapeake Bay, Main Bay
 CB6.3-Central Chesapeake Bay North of Wolf Trap Light, Main Bay
 CB7.1-Central Chesapeake Bay, Main Bay
 CB7.1N-South of Tangier Island, Central Chesapeake Bay, Main Bay
 CB7.1S-Central Chesapeake Bay off of Light Buoy G49, Main Bay
 CB7.2-Central Chesapeake Bay off of Light Buoy G41, Main Bay
 CB7.2E -Near Mouth of Mattawomam Creek, Main Bay
 EE3.4-Off of Saxis Wildlife Management Area, Pocomoke Sound, Main Bay
 EE3.5-Near Light 4S off Watts Island, Main Bay
 LE3.6-Off Mouth of Rappahannock River
 LE3.6N -Off Windmill Point of Rappahannock River
 LE3.6S-Off Stingray Point of Rappahannock River
 LE3.7-Mouth of Piankatank River, Main Bay
 WE4.1-Central Bay, Mobjack Bay, York River
 WE4.2-Off Mouth of York River
 WE4.2N -Off of Hog Island, Mouth of York River, Mobjack Bay, York River
 WE4.2S -Off of Goodwin Island, Mouth of York River, Mobjack Bay , York River
 WE4.3-Mouth of Posquoson River, Mobjack\ Bay, York River
 WE4.4-Mouth of Back River, Main Bay

Time Period of Content:

Time Period Information:

Range of Dates/Times:

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Ending_Date: Present

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ground condition

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Progress: Complete

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Theme_Keyword: WATER QUALITY

Theme_Keyword: FLUORESCENCE

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Place_Keyword: CHESAPEAKE BAY

Stratum:

Stratum_Keyword_Thesaurus: None

Stratum_Keyword: WATER COLUMN

Temporal:

Temporal_Keyword_Thesaurus: None

Temporal_Keyword: MONTHLY

Access_Constraints: None

Use_Constraints:

Dataset credit required

Point_of_Contact:

Contact_Information:

Contact_Person_Primary:

Contact_Person: Jacqueline Johnson

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Data_Set_Credit:

Old Dominion University, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, USEPA Chesapeake Bay Program

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Data_Quality_Information:

Attribute_Accuracy:

Attribute_Accuracy_Report:

In Vivo fluorescence readings were converted into Chlorophyll a estimates by a regression calibration for chlorophyll A taken in the field

Logical_Consistency_Report:

Not Available

Completeness_Report:

Spectrophotometric analysis of grab samples collected on Whatman GF/F filters during the cruise are used to formulate a linear regression of chlorophyll a against in vivo fluorescence (IVF). These linear regressions are then used to convert the remaining IVF's to chlorophyll. Only the resulting chlorophyll a, and not the IVF itself, is contained in this data file. Zero chlorophyll a values reflect values below detection threshold of methods. In the ASCII version of the data set a zero values with a detection limit flag of '0 >' indicate IVF values less than the detection limit of the method. In vivo fluorescence was measured using a Turner Model 57 Fluorometer in all Virginia programs until 1997 (Chesapeake Bay Program Analytical

Method Codes-
 CHLF102,CHL103,CHL104). After April 1997 a TURNER MODEL 10-005R Fluorometer was used for in vivo measurements (Chesapeake Bay Program Analytical Method Code-CHLF105,CHL106).

*Positional Accuracy:**Horizontal Positional Accuracy:**Horizontal Positional Accuracy Report:*

>DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE IN ALL MAINSTEM VERTICAL FLUORESCENCE SURVEY FROM OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY.

-Chesapeake Bay Program Analytical Method Code-CHLF103 From 1991 to present, station positions in data set are approximations of actual positions in the field. The sampling station latitudes and longitudes are programmed in to a Loran-C (from 1991 to July 1995) or GPS (after July 1995) receiver and the sampling commences when the boat reaches the preset coordinates. The actual Loran or GPS coordinates for each sampling event are not recorded in data set.

>DETERMINATION OF LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE IN HORIZONTAL FLUORESCENCE SURVEY FOR DATA COLLECTED BY OLD DOMINION UNIVE

Sampling sites along transects were determined using the simple geometry of right triangles to compute latitude and longitude, Loran-C or GPS. Fluorescence samples are collected every 30 seconds while the boat is underway. Fluorescence values are recorded directly to a data logger. The actual sampling site latitudes and longitudes recorded to the data logger from Loran-C (from 1991 to July 1995)(Chesapeake Bay Program Analytical Method Code-CHLF102) or GPS (after July 1995)(Chesapeake Bay Program Analytical Method Code-CHLF104 or CHLF106) receiver every five minutes. Samples site positions collected between the five minute intervals are interpolated using the following procedures. Calculations were based on the following assumptions: a) the transect was over a straight line from departure or bench mark station to bench mark station or destination station, b) boat speed was assumed to be constant. Equations were based on the relationship of total strip recorder tape length being proportional to actual distance between measured boat positions. Sampling position was based on the distance from the starting position of the strip recorder tape of the at sample time against the total length of the tape at the destination station.

$$\text{TOT_DIST} = ((\text{LONG_DES} - \text{LONG_DEP})^2 + (\text{LAT_DES} - \text{LAT_DEP})^2)$$

$$\text{ALPHA} = \text{ARCTAN}((\text{LAT_DES} - \text{LAT_DEP}) / (\text{LONG_DES} - \text{LONG_DEP}))$$

$$\text{SMP_DIST} = \text{TOT_DIST} * (\text{DIS_MM} / \text{TOT_LEN});$$

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SAMPLE LONG -IF LONG_DEP < LONG_DES THEN
LONG = LONG_DEP + ABS(COS(ALPHA) * SMP_DIST);
ELSE LONG = LONG_DEP - ABS(COS(ALPHA) * SMP_DIST);
SAMPLE LAT -IF LAT_DEP < LAT_DES THEN
LAT = LAT_DEP + ABS(SIN(ALPHA) * SMP_DIST);
ELSE LAT = LAT_DEP - ABS(SIN(ALPHA) * SMP_DIST);
WHERE
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TOT_DIST- Actual Total Distance Between Departure and Destination Station

LONG_DES- Longitude Destination Station

LONG_DEP- Longitude Departure Station

LAT_DES- Latitude Destination Station

LAT_DEP- Latitude Departure Station

SMP_DIST- Actual distance of sampling site from transect Departure Station

DIS_MM- Distance from beginning of strip chart recording to sampling point

TOT_LEN- Total Length of Strip Chart Recording in millimeters

*Vertical Positional Accuracy:**Vertical Positional Accuracy Report:*

For horizontal fluorescence measurements-A hull pump mounted 0.5 meters below the boat waterline is used to pump water through the fluorometer.

For vertical fluorescence measurements- Water is pumped from depth. A Hydrolab CTD and hose mounted on the sampling array are lowered through the water column to obtain profiles.

*Lineage:**Source Information:**Source Citation:**Citation Information:*

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Ending Date: Present

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None

Source Contribution:

None

*Process Step:**Process Description:*

After collection of all field voltages and grab samples all data is returned to the lab. Chlorophyll A calibration samples are processed and regression conversions are determined and applied to fluorescence voltage in order to derive in vivo chlorophyll a concentrations. Latitude and Longitude positions were then determined if necessary.

Process Date: Unknown

*Process Step:**Process Description:*

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Chlorophyll a Fluorescence

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Contact_Person: Jacqueline Johnson
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 410 Severn Avenue, Suite 109
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Offline_Option:
Offline_Media: CD-ROM
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Recording_Density: 650
Recording_Density_Units: MEGABITES
Recording_Format: ISO 9660
Compatibility_Information:
 None

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None

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Contact_Person_Primary:
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