

3 Tapes rec'd 08-14-79

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Highlands, New Jersey 07732

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Dr. Elaine Collins  
Environmental Data Service  
NODC Code D 751  
2001 Wisconsin Ave., NW  
Washington, D. C. 20235

Dear Dr. Collins:

① Enclosed are three tapes of data I've discussed with you at various times: 1) data on water column, sediment and benthic macrofauna collected in Long Island Sound in 1972-73; this is the basis of a paper to be published in the NMFS Special Scientific Report Series; 2) Spawning season data for mid-Atlantic Bight finfish species -- this is part of our data submission to BLM; 3) data on ichthyoplankton collected in the Middle Atlantic Bight in 1965-66 and 1972-75 -- also a part of our overall data set for BLM.

Please contact Suellen Craig or myself (FTS 342-8220) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

*Bob Reid*

Robert N. Reid, Chief  
Coastal Ecosystems Investigations

Encl.



16:02:04 JOB 827 -- EXQ10721 -- BEGINNING EXEC - INIT 2 - CLASS A  
 16:02:32 JOB 827 END EXECUTION.

HASP-II JOB STATISTICS --		ITEM	COUNT	SECS.	COST
		CPU TIME	9.26	SECS.	\$0.46
		MEMORY TIME	834	KB-SEC	\$0.05
		FILE ACCESSES	188	EXCPS	\$0.09
		CARDS READ	39	CARDS	\$0.02
		LINES PRINTED	8,655	LINES	\$8.66
		CARDS PUNCHED	0	CARDS	\$0.00
APPROXIMATE JOB COST					\$9.28 (BASED ON EDUCATIONAL RATES)

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***ROUTE PRINT LOCAL
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*** BEFORE SUBMITTING:
*** REP A/--MEN/-----
*** REP A/AL9411/-----
*** REP A/EXQ1.MOUEL/-----,MODEL
*** CHECK SERIAL NOS. TO LIST
*** FOR BIG LISTINGS (>2000 LINES):
*** PEP 100/2,20/1,20
*** PEP A/LOCAL/LOCAL
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//SYSIN DD *
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IEF237I 602 ALLOCATED TO SYSIN
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MASTER LIST

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		02	FLOWMETER START
		03	FLOWMETER END
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SERIAL CATEG LINE CAT-DEFINITION

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 112 01 BOTTOM DEPTH: 18  
 116 01 CLOUD COVER (%): 0  
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 138 01 LONGITUDE: 071 01 W  
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 148 01 WIND SPEED (KNCTS): 12  
 150 01 WIND DIRECTION: 330 J  
 156 01 WAVE HEIGHT (M): 1.0  
 300 01 EXPERIMENT: NEUSTON  
 301 01 HAUL NUMBER: 1  
 302 01 TYPE OF TOW: SURFACE  
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 400 01 GEAR: HAEDRICH 1 1.8 .36 .97  
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 596 1

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SERIAL CATEG LINE CAT-DEFINITION

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## General Tape Information

DSN

NAME: LIS. DATA

VOL/SER NUMBER: 043631

STANDARD LABEL TAPE

FULL BLOCK - 1600 BPI - IN EBCDIC

BLOCKSIZE = 4240 RECORD LENGTH = 80

9 TRACK TAPE

LABEL 1 DRAXLER WATER COL. DATA

LABEL 2 REID BENTHIC DATA

If you have any questions

Call Sue Craig 201-872-0200 EX. 286



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**  
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Northeast Fisheries Center  
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November 4, 1977

Dr. Elaine Collins  
National Oceanographic Data Center  
Department of Commerce  
2001 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20235

Dear Dr. Collins:

In response to your letter of 5 October 1977 concerning submission of data from our report on Long Island Sound, I'm enclosing 1) a DDF (cover page only), 2) a sample listing of data, from the report, which are presently on tape, and 3) a separate listing of data which are on cards only. These two listings include all the report's data except for: 1) the 1973 information, 2) all nutrient data, 3) all temperature, salinity and oxygen data from other than surface and bottom samples, and 4) the data in Table 7 which were taken from an earlier study (Sanders, 1956).

Please advise on what I should do next in submitting these data sets to NODC.

Sincerely yours,

*Robert N. Reid*

Robert N. Reid, Chief  
Coastal Ecosystems  
Investigation

Encl:



RECORD FORMAT DESCRIPTION

RECORD NAME \_\_\_\_\_

14. FIELD NAME	15. POSITION FROM -1 MEASURED IN <small>(e.g. bits, bytes)</small>	16. LENGTH		17. ATTRIBUTES	18. USE AND MEANING
		NUMBER	UNITS		
LIS	1-3	3		'LIS'	
CRUISE NO.	4	1		'1, 2 or 3'	
STATION	5-7	3		I3	
DEPTH (feet)	8-10	3		I3	
SURFACE or BOTTOM	11	1		'S or B'	
TEMPERATURE °C	12-16	5		F5.2	
SALINITY ‰	17-21	5		F5.2	
DISSOLVED OXYGEN mg/l	22-26	5		F5.2	
NO <sub>2</sub> ugat/l	27-31	5		F5.2	
NO <sub>3</sub> ugat/l	32-36	5		F5.2	
NH <sub>4</sub> ugat/l	37-41	5		F5.2	
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DATA DOCUMENTATION FORM

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NOAA FORM 24-13  
(4-72)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION  
NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHIC DATA CENTER  
RECORDS SECTION  
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20852

FORM APPROVED  
O.M.B. No. 41-R2651

This form should accompany all data submissions to NODC. Section A, Originator Identification, must be completed when the data are submitted. It is highly desirable for NODC to also receive the remaining pertinent information at that time. This may be most easily accomplished by attaching reports, publications, or manuscripts which are readily available describing data collection, analysis, and format specifics. Readable, handwritten submissions are acceptable in all cases. All data shipments should be sent to the above address.

A. ORIGINATOR IDENTIFICATION

THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY DONOR FOR ALL DATA TRANSMITTALS

1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSTITUTION, LABORATORY, OR ACTIVITY WITH WHICH SUBMITTED DATA ARE ASSOCIATED NMFS NEFC. SANDY HOOK MARINE LAB. HIGHLANDS NJ 07732			
2. EXPEDITION, PROJECT, OR PROGRAM DURING WHICH DATA WERE COLLECTED LONG ISLAND SOUND (LIS)		3. CRUISE NUMBER(S) USED BY ORIGINATOR TO IDENTIFY DATA IN THIS SHIPMENT 'LIS'	
4. PLATFORM NAME(S) Unknown	5. PLATFORM TYPE(S) (E.G., SHIP, BUOY, ETC.) Ship (boat)	6. PLATFORM AND OPERATOR NATIONALITY(IES) PLATFORM OPERATOR USA USA	7. DATES FROM: MO, DAY, YR TO: MO, DAY, YR
8. ARE DATA PROPRIETARY? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES IF YES, WHEN CAN THEY BE RELEASED FOR GENERAL USE? YEAR _____ MONTH _____		11. PLEASE DARKEN ALL MARSDEN SQUARES IN WHICH ANY DATA CONTAINED IN YOUR SUBMISSION WERE COLLECTED.  GENERAL AREA	
9. ARE DATA DECLARED NATIONAL PROGRAM (DNP)? (I.E., SHOULD THEY BE INCLUDED IN WORLD DATA CENTERS HOLDINGS FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE?) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> PART (SPECIFY BELOW)			
10. PERSON TO WHOM INQUIRIES CONCERNING DATA SHOULD BE ADDRESSED WITH TELEPHONE NUMBER (AND ADDRESS IF OTHER THAN IN ITEM-1)			

## B. SCIENTIFIC CONTENT

Include enough information concerning manner of observation, instrumentation, analysis, and data reduction routines to make them understandable to future users. Furnish the minimum documentation considered relevant to each data type. Documentation will be retained as a permanent part of the data and will be available to future users. Equivalent information already available may be substituted for this section of the form (i.e., publications, reports, and manuscripts describing observational and analytical methods). If you do not provide equivalent information by attachment, please complete the scientific content section in a manner similar to the one shown in the following example.

### EXAMPLE (HYPOTHETICAL INFORMATION)

NAME OF DATA FIELD	REPORTING UNITS OR CODE	METHODS OF OBSERVATION AND INSTRUMENTS USED (SPECIFY TYPE AND MODEL)	ANALYTICAL METHODS (INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS) AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES	DATA PROCESSING TECHNIQUES WITH FILTERING AND AVERAGING
<i>Salinity</i>	<i>‰</i>	<i>Nansen bottles</i>	<i>Inductive salinometer (Hytech model S510)</i>	<i>N/A (Not applicable)</i>
		<i>STD Bissett-Berman Model 9006</i>	<i>N/A</i>	<i>Values averaged over 5-meter intervals</i>
<i>Water color</i>	<i>Forel scale</i>	<i>Visual comparison with Forel bottles</i>	<i>N/A</i>	<i>N/A</i>
<i>Sediment size</i>	<i>φ units and percent by weight</i>	<i>Ewing corer</i>	<i>Standard sieves. Carbonate fraction removed by acid treatment</i>	<i>Same as "Sedimentary Rock Manual," Folk '65</i>

(SPACE IS PROVIDED ON THE FOLLOWING TWO PAGES FOR THIS INFORMATION)

**B. SCIENTIFIC CONTENT**

<b>NAME OF DATA FIELD</b>	<b>REPORTING UNITS OR CODE</b>	<b>METHODS OF OBSERVATION AND INSTRUMENTS USED (SPECIFY TYPE AND MODEL)</b>	<b>ANALYTICAL METHODS (INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS) AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES</b>	<b>DATA PROCESSING TECHNIQUES WITH FILTERING AND AVERAGING</b>



### B. SCIENTIFIC CONTENT

NAME OF DATA FIELD	REPORTING UNITS OR CODE	METHODS OF OBSERVATION AND INSTRUMENTS USED (SPECIFY TYPE AND MODEL)	ANALYTICAL METHODS (INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS) AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES	DATA PROCESSING TECHNIQUES WITH FILTERING AND AVERAGING

## C. DATA FORMAT

This information is requested only for data transmitted on punched cards or magnetic tape. Have one of your data processing specialists furnish answers either on the form or by attaching equivalent readily available documentation. Identify the nature and meaning of all entries and explain any codes used.

1. List the record types contained in your file transmittal (e.g., tape label record, master, detail, standard depth, etc.).
2. Describe briefly how your file is organized.
- 3-13. Self-explanatory.
14. Enter the field name as appropriate (e.g., header information, temperature, depth, salinity).
15. Enter starting position of the field.
16. Enter field length in number columns and unit of measurement (e.g., bit, byte, character, word) in unit column.
17. Enter attributes as expressed in the programming language specified in item 3 (e.g., "F 4.1," "BINARY FIXED (5.1)").
18. Describe field. If sort field, enter "SORT 1" for first, "SORT 2" for second, etc. If field is repeated, state number of times it is repeated.

### C. DATA FORMAT

COMPLETE THIS SECTION FOR PUNCHED CARDS OR TAPE, MAGNETIC TAPE, OR DISC SUBMISSIONS.

1. LIST RECORD TYPES CONTAINED IN THE TRANSMITTAL OF YOUR FILE  
GIVE METHOD OF IDENTIFYING EACH RECORD TYPE

7 CARD DATA SET. FORMAT ON FOLLOWING PAGE.  
LABEL 2 OF TAPE CONTAINS REID'S BENTHIC DATA.

2. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FILE ORGANIZATION

DSN NAME - LIS. DATA  
VOLUME NUMBER - 043631  
STANDARD LABEL TAPE  
FULL BLOCK - 1600 BPI  
BLOCKSIZE - 4240  
RECORD LENGTH - 80 COLS.  
9 TRACK TAPE

3. ATTRIBUTES AS EXPRESSED IN  PL-1  ALGOL  COBOL  
 FORTRAN  \_\_\_\_\_ LANGUAGE

4. RESPONSIBLE COMPUTER SPECIALIST:

NAME AND PHONE NUMBER SUE CRAIG 201-872-0200 FTS 342-8286  
ADDRESS SANDY HOOK MARINE LAB. HIGHLANDS, NJ 07732

COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF DATA ARE ON MAGNETIC TAPE

<p>5. RECORDING MODE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> BCD    <input type="checkbox"/> BINARY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ASCII    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EBCDIC</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>9. LENGTH OF INTER-RECORD GAP (IF KNOWN) <input type="checkbox"/> 3/4 INCH <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>
<p>6. NUMBER OF TRACKS (CHANNELS)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SEVEN</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NINE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>10. END OF FILE MARK <input type="checkbox"/> OCTAL 17 <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>
<p>7. PARITY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ODD</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EVEN</p>	<p>11. PASTE-ON-PAPER LABEL DESCRIPTION (INCLUDE ORIGINATOR NAME AND SOME LAY SPECIFICATIONS OF DATA TYPE, VOLUME NUMBER)</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">#</p>
<p>8. DENSITY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 200 BPI    <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1600 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 556 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 800 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>12. PHYSICAL BLOCK LENGTH IN BYTES</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em;">4240</p>
	<p>13. LENGTH OF BYTES IN BITS</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 2em;">8</p>

### C. DATA FORMAT

COMPLETE THIS SECTION FOR PUNCHED CARDS OR TAPE, MAGNETIC TAPE, OR DISC SUBMISSIONS.

1. LIST RECORD TYPES CONTAINED IN THE TRANSMITTAL OF YOUR FILE  
GIVE METHOD OF IDENTIFYING EACH RECORD TYPE

ONE RECORD TYPE, IN FORMAT ON FOLLOWING PAGE  
LABEL 1 OF TAPE

2. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FILE ORGANIZATION

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## ABSTRACT

A baseline survey of environmental quality in Long Island Sound (LIS) has been underway since 1972. Four cruises have been conducted to date to sample a maximum of 142 stations throughout LIS. Parameters examined were water column temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen, nitrate, nitrite, ammonia, urea, iron, orthophosphorus and microorganisms; sediment types, organic matter, calcium carbonate, heavy metals and microorganisms; and benthic meiofauna and macrofauna.

By a number of indices (dissolved oxygen, nutrients, sediment organics, heavy metals and fecal coliform bacterial), westernmost LIS was shown to bear a considerable contaminant load. Next in degree of waste burdens were waters associated with several Connecticut urban areas. All of western and central LIS exhibited somewhat degraded water quality compared to that of the well-flushed eastern basin.

Densities, diversities, and assemblages of benthic macrofauna are described. Characteristics of the macrofauna were found to be more closely correlated to sediment type than to the above water quality indices. Contaminant loads appeared to have some effect on macrofauna, but this effect was as a rule restricted to shifts in species composition. Density, species richness and diversity in the most polluted areas were generally comparable to those in less perturbed regions.

Spatial and temporal extent of a "population crash" observed in the benthic fauna following the high standing stocks of Summer 1972 are examined. The fauna decline apparently covered most of central and

western LIS. Several taxa were involved, but effects were most pronounced on the suspension - feeding bivalves

~~The report's foremost conclusion is that~~ environmental degradation in parts of LIS, especially the western end, <sup>is</sup> was comparable to that found in other highly stressed local areas (Raritan Bay and the New York Bight sewage sludge and dredge spoil disposal areas); but ~~that~~ this deterioration had <sup>S</sup> not affected the benthic fauna to as great an extent as in these other systems.

## INTRODUCTION

The Middle Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Center (MACFC) of the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) began a baseline survey of the water column and benthos throughout Long Island Sound (LIS) in the summer of 1972. This study was undertaken for several reasons.

- 1) Despite the heavy and often conflicting demands placed on LIS, there exists little synoptic information on water quality for the entire Sound, and no such information for benthic parameters: such baseline information is essential to document future changes in water quality in LIS;
- 2) Our data might also be compared to such historical information ~~as does~~ exist, to offer some insight to changes that have already taken place;
- 3) A large body of baseline knowledge would serve as a managerial guide in judging which areas might best accept further impact of man's activities, what locations cannot tolerate any further stresses, and which areas appear already overstressed and in need of remedial action;
- 4) Baseline data would also be instructive as to the nature of acceptable new activities and perhaps engineering designs and precautions to minimize impacts of these activities.

The survey's primary focus is on a detailed description of the benthic environment of LIS. Due to their relative immobility, benthic macrofauna (defined here as invertebrates retained on a 1.0 mm mesh sieve) are considered among the most sensitive indicators of environmental conditions (Boesch, 1972; Gage, 1972;



and circulation patterns, The University of Connecticut has initiated studies on circulation and the transport of suspended material in eastern LIS, with the overall goal of determining budgets of heavy metal wastes for the eastern Sound (Dehlinger et al., 1973).

Water column measurements in the present survey were designed to complement ~~those of~~ the above studies. Given the need to concurrently sample the benthos, our water sampling was often less synoptic than in these other investigations. Also, our sampling frequency was generally lower than theirs. However, the previous studies <sup>were</sup> ~~have~~ focused mainly on one to two transects along the east-west axis of LIS, and thus are less able to pinpoint areas of deteriorating water quality. Besides providing an overall picture of water quality throughout LIS, our water column data will also be examined for possible correlations with benthic faunal patterns.

## II. MATERIALS AND METHODS

The sampling pattern for this survey consists<sup>ed</sup> of 142 stations, the majority spaced 2-3 miles apart along consecutive 5-minute longitude lines throughout LIS (Figure 1). This basic pattern was augmented by adding stations inside the 20' (6.1 m) isobath along each shoreline. Specific stations were also occupied within the New Haven, ~~Connecticut~~ River and New London

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dredge spoil disposal grounds (stations 69, 123, 136); at locations also studied by NYOSL in conjunction with power plant operations at Shoreham, L. I. (stations 67 and 71); and at the eight stations sampled by Sanders (1956) in central LIS (corresponding to our 46, 50, 51, 55, 57, 70, 72 and 81). On Cruise 1 stations were located through combined use of radar and fathometer, augmented by horizontal sextant, land and buoy ranges when possible. Loran A coordinates were taken at each station, and were used on subsequent cruises to aid in station relocation. Latitudes, longitudes and depths are provided for all stations in Table 1. Loran coordinates for these stations are available on request.

The first sampling, which included all 142 stations as well as 16 in adjacent Gardiners Bay, L. I. ("G" stations- Fig. 1) took place in July and August 1972 (Cruise 1). Sixty-nine of the LIS stations were resampled in April 1973 (Cruise 2), when three stations were also established within the Connecticut River ("C" stations). In September 1973 (Cruise 3), we resampled 103 of the original LIS stations. Fifty-seven of these stations were again sampled in September 1975. (Cruise 4 - presentation of results from this Cruise is limited to selected macrofaunal collections.)

On Cruise 1, temperature and salinity were measured at 5-meter depth intervals using a Beckman RS-5 induction salinometer.<sup>1/</sup> On Cruise 2 and 3, we used reversing thermometers and a Beckman RS-7B

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Macrofaunal analysis will concentrate on <sup>the major</sup> ~~the higher~~ groups, Polychaeta, Mollusca and Arthropoda. These three ~~taxa~~ comprised the great majority of the species and individuals collected. Other groups encountered included Protozoa (Foraminifera and shelled ciliates), Porifera, Cnidaria, Rhynchocoela, Nematoda, Archiannelida, Oligochaeta, Entoprocta, Sipunculida, Phoronida, Ectoprocta, Echinodermata, Chaetognatha and Tunicata. These taxa will not be considered at the present ~~time~~ due to their infrequency<sup>†</sup> of occurrence, uncertainty of identification and/or difficulty in quantification. An exception is the anthozoan Ceriantheopsis americanus, which often represented sizable biomass and has been correlated in other studies with distributions of organics.

not planktonic

We have also not considered planktonic forms (chaetognaths, copepods, mysids, larval decapods, etc.), which are for the most part accidentally introduced into the benthic samples.

Species diversities <sup>was</sup> ~~were~~ calculated using an approximation of the Shannon and Weaver (1963) index:  $H' \cong -\sum \frac{n_i}{N} \ln \frac{n_i}{N}$ ,

where N is the total number of individuals in the sample, and  $n_i$  is the number in the  $i$ th species. This index was chosen because it has been commonly used in published benthic studies (Boesch, 1972), thus facilitating comparisons with the present study.

### A. Temperature, Salinity

Temperature and salinity (Table 2) followed expected patterns, as described by Riley et al. (1952, 1955, 1956), Hardy (1970, 1972a, 1972b), and Hardy and Weyl (1970). Temperatures were quite uniform both vertically and horizontally in April 1973, with all values between 4 and 9°C. In late September 1973 temperatures ranged from 14 to 22°, and generally increased from east to west, with the exception of colder water near the Connecticut River. Again, no pronounced vertical stratification was observed. The vertical uniformity of temperatures (and <sup>moderately</sup> increasing bottom <sup>salinity concentrations</sup> ~~DO<sub>2</sub>~~, as mentioned below), indicate that mixing of the water column was already well underway by late September.

Hardy (1972b) notes <sup>d</sup> that a thermocline ~~does~~ develop<sup>s</sup> in mid-summer, especially in the central basin; thermal layering is also seen in our measurements for July and August 1972 (Figures 2-3). These Cruise 1 data will not be used in examining horizontal patterns, since the sampling period covered six weeks, and effects of Hurricane Agnes may have obscured the typical distributions. Reflecting the storm's freshwater input, salinity (Figures 4-5) was below 22‰ for most surface waters in central LIS, and down to 17.8‰ a mile <sup>seaward</sup> ~~seaward~~ of the Saugatuck River <sup>mouth</sup>.

Salinities on Cruises 2 and 3 increased gradually moving west to east (from 23<sup>0</sup>/oo to 29.6 in April and 25.0 to 30.6 in September). There were only small increases in salinity with depth during this sampling period.

## B. Nutrients

Distributions of all nutrients measured in summer 1972 exhibit a <sup>references?</sup> pattern which is by now well documented: very large inputs from the East River dominate nutrient distributions and water quality throughout western LIS. Surface ammonia, for instance, approaches 30 microgram-atoms/liter ( $\mu\text{gat}/\text{l}$ ) at Throgs Neck (Figure 6). These high levels agree with

those reported for August of the previous year by Hardy (1972b), <sup>Hardy found this!</sup> who <sup>also found ammonia, continuing to increase in the East River.</sup> also found ammonia, continuing to increase in the East River.

A tenfold decrease in surface ammonia is evident, <sup>moving from Long Island Sound</sup> as one moves <sup>to west</sup> east of Hempstead Harbor. Open surface waters of the central basin (as defined by Hardy, 1972b) had moderate ammonia levels (generally 0.5 - 1.0  $\mu\text{gat}/\text{l}$ ). The Long Island coast east of Stony Brook showed similar concentrations. The eastern end of the Sound was characterized by ammonia values of less than 0.5  $\mu\text{gat}/\text{l}$ , again in agreement with Hardy (1972b). There appear to be significant ammonia additions in the areas off New Haven-West Haven, Oyster Bay-Northport and the Nissequogue River, and perhaps off New London and Bridgeport. Ammonia is also presumably being added in the densely-populated western end, but this cannot be distinguished from the East River input.

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Table 1

## SAMPLING LOCATIONS AND DEPTHS

STATION	LATITUDE °N	LONGITUDE °W	DEPTH METERS	STAT ION	LATITUDE °N	LONGITUDE °W	DEPTH METERS
1	40°49.1'N	73°47.6'W	6.1	46	41°04.9'N	73°05.2'W	22.9
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3	40°48.0'N	73°46.3'W	4.6	48	41°00.2'N	73°05.0'W	36.6
4	40°52.8'N	73°46.1'W	9.2	49	40°59.1'N	73°05.0'W	2.4
5	40°52.8'N	73°45.0'W	18.3	50	41°11.0'N	73°03.2'W	7.6
6	40°52.3'N	73°43.4'W	4.6	51	41°11.3'N	73°01.8'W	9.2
7	40°56.3'N	73°41.4'W	6.1	52	41°13.1'N	73°00.0'W	7.6
8	40°55.2'N	73°41.0'W	15.3	53	41°11.3'N	73°00.0'W	10.4
9	40°53.4'N	73°41.0'W	10.7	54	41°09.0'N	73°00.0'W	15.2
10	40°51.8'N	73°41.0'W	7.6	55	41°06.2'N	73°00.2'W	22.9
11	40°59.8'N	73°35.0'W	5.5	56	41°04.6'N	73°00.0'W	29.0
12	40°58.7'N	73°35.0'W	18.0	57	41°01.4'N	72°58.6'W	30.5
13	40°56.4'N	73°35.0'W	17.7	58	41°00.1'N	73°00.0'W	21.9
14	40°55.0'N	73°35.0'W	4.6	59	40°58.6'N	73°00.0'W	6.1
15	41°00.9'N	73°31.6'W	6.1	60	41°14.4'N	72°56.6'W	4.6
16	40°59.8'N	73°31.7'W	30.5	61	41°12.6'N	72°55.0'W	9.2
17	40°57.3'N	73°31.7'W	19.8	62	41°10.6'N	72°55.0'W	15.3
18	40°55.8'N	73°31.7'W	5.8	63	41°06.3'N	72°55.0'W	25.0
19	41°02.6'N	73°28.1'W	6.1	64	41°04.3'N	72°55.0'W	28.1
20	41°00.8'N	73°28.1'W	21.4	65	41°02.2'N	72°55.0'W	36.6
21	40°58.4'N	73°28.3'W	21.4	66	41°00.3'N	72°55.0'W	24.4
22	40°56.9'N	73°28.3'W	6.1	67	40°58.4'N	72°55.0'W	6.1
23	41°03.3'N	73°24.0'W	6.1	68	41°13.9'N	72°52.9'W	5.5
24	41°02.5'N	73°24.0'W	15.3	69	41°09.0'N	72°52.8'W	18.9
25	40°59.3'N	73°23.9'W	13.7	70	41°08.0'N	72°53.9'W	21.3
26	40°58.1'N	73°23.9'W	6.1	71	40°58.3'N	72°52.6'W	6.1
27	41°06.5'N	73°19.5'W	7.6	72	41°13.6'N	72°50.6'W	8.5
28	41°04.2'N	73°19.5'W	10.7	73	41°12.8'N	72°50.0'W	12.2
29	41°01.0'N	73°19.5'W	30.5	74	41°10.6'N	72°50.0'W	16.8
30	40°58.3'N	73°19.5'W	16.8	75	41°08.6'N	72°50.0'W	24.4
31	40°56.3'N	73°19.6'W	3.0	76	41°06.4'N	72°50.0'W	29.0
32	41°06.9'N	73°15.0'W	5.5	77	41°04.2'N	72°50.0'W	31.1
33	41°05.1'N	73°15.0'W	17.7	78	41°02.2'N	72°50.0'W	38.1
34	41°02.5'N	73°15.0'W	23.5	79	41°00.4'N	72°50.0'W	31.4
35	40°59.8'N	73°15.0'W	25.9	80	40°59.5'N	72°50.0'W	6.1
36	40°57.3'N	73°15.0'W	16.8	81	41°13.6'N	72°46.4'W	12.2
37	40°55.3'N	73°15.0'W	2.4	82	41°14.6'N	72°45.0'W	6.1
38	41°08.7'N	73°10.0'W	6.1	83	41°13.4'N	72°45.0'W	11.9
39	41°06.2'N	73°10.0'W	12.2	84	41°11.5'N	72°45.0'W	18.3
40	41°03.8'N	73°10.0'W	21.4	85	41°09.1'N	72°45.0'W	27.5
41	41°01.5'N	73°10.0'W	29.9	86	41°06.9'N	72°45.0'W	28.0
42	40°59.2'N	73°10.0'W	25.9	87	41°04.2'N	72°45.0'W	29.0
43	40°55.8'N	73°10.0'W	2.4	88	41°02.0'N	72°45.0'W	33.6
44	41°10.4'N	73°05.0'W	6.1	89	41°00.2'N	72°45.0'W	25.9
45	41°07.8'N	73°05.0'W	12.2	90	40°58.4'N	72°45.0'W	5.5

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LIS WATER COLUMN DATA

TABLE 2

STATION	TEMPERATURE °C			SALINITY ‰			D.O mg/l			NO <sub>2</sub> ugat/l		NO <sub>3</sub> ugat/l		NH <sub>4</sub> ugat/l		Ortho P ugat/l		UREA ugat/l
	CRUISE			CRUISE			CRUISE			CRUISE		CRUISE		CRUISE		CRUISE		CRUISE
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	2
l surface	19.3		19.2	25.5		25.7	4.6		5.8	2.14		1.65		15.13		5.19		
bottom	18.5		19.3	24.9		25.8	3.1		5.7	1.14		1.13		16.05		4.78		
s	19.3	8.3	18.3	24.2	22.4	25.3	2.9	11.2	4.9	3.45	0.61	2.06	6.35	28.36	7.89	6.79	2.70	2.81
25 ft	18.4	8.2	19.3	24.9	22.7	25.4		11.4	4.7		0.53		5.41		6.20		2.21	2.34
50 ft	18.3	5.9	19.6	25.1	23.7	25.3		11.7	4.9		0.24		2.35		2.61		1.70	3.24
75 ft	18.0	5.9	19.7	25.2	23.6	25.3		11.7	4.8		0.29		2.50		2.95		1.93	1.39
100 ft	18.0			25.0							0.11		1.09		2.08		1.73	1.77
b	17.7	5.4	19.8	25.2	23.8	25.5	2.6	11.7	5.1	1.71		1.55		16.10		2.67		
s	19.2		19.0	24.2		25.1	2.7		4.5	3.53		2.13		26.68		6.90		
b	19.0		19.7	24.2		25.3	2.5		4.7	3.55		2.22		24.36		6.14		
s	20.1	8.0	19.1	25.0	23.5	26.2	4.5	11.5	6.7	2.04	0.19	1.96	1.62	11.90	1.38	5.29	1.37	0.97
b	19.1	8.1	19.1	25.0	23.6	26.1	5.0	11.7	6.5	1.77	0.18	1.25	2.83	10.51	0.67	4.15	1.33	0.88
s	19.5	7.4	18.7	24.8	23.3	25.0	6.1	12.1	7.9	2.94	0.27	0.96	2.10	13.40	1.44	5.78	1.49	1.20
25	18.8	6.3	19.1	25.1	23.7	26.1		11.9	7.4		0.15		1.23		1.34		1.41	1.20
50	17.5	5.3	19.4	25.3	24.2	26.3		11.8	6.7		0.09		0.53		0.81		1.20	0.87
b	17.5	5.6	19.5	25.3	24.2	26.3	3.4	11.8	6.7	1.61	0.04	1.06	0.38	12.69	0.77	4.47	1.04	0.77
s	20.5	6.7	19.5	24.9	23.6	26.2	6.8	12.1	9.2	2.41	0.14	1.53	0.97	8.59	1.16	5.48	1.23	1.00
b	18.1	5.9	19.4	25.2	23.6	26.2	3.8	12.1	5.9	1.95	0.16	1.18	1.18	15.34	1.31	4.94	1.31	1.24
s	19.6	7.4	22.9	24.8	22.3	26.6	9.0	12.5	9.3	0.42	0.0	0.0	0.01	0.81	0.70	3.02	0.0	0.80
b	17.9	10.6	22.3	25.3	24.2	26.6	2.8	12.1	10.6	1.40	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.29	0.79	4.18	0.0	0.80
s	20.5	8.7	20.8	25.0	24.2	26.7	11.7	12.3	9.5	0.39	0.06	0.39	0.53	1.24	0.85	2.80	0.78	1.12
25	19.3	5.9	19.9	25.2	23.9	26.7		12.7	7.5		0.0		0.38		0.69		0.47	0.88
b	17.1	5.6	19.2	25.3	24.5	26.8	1.8	12.2	7.1	1.54	0.01	1.11	0.14	14.91	0.70	4.46	0.75	0.80

Table 3

## ORGANIC MATTER IN LONG ISLAND SOUND

## SEDIMENTS WEIGHT PERCENT

Station	CRUISE			Station	CRUISE			Station	CRUISE		
	1	2	3		1	2	3		1	2	3
1	9.54		4.67	26	0.13	0.03	0.79	51	0.16	0.19	0.80
2	0.26	6.83	5.15	27	0.08		0.92	52	0.54		
3	0.54		3.30	28	0.53		0.57	53	0.32		
4	0.35		0.34	29	1.05	2.38		54	0.06		
5	9.05	1.23	1.10	30	1.12		3.90	55	2.15	0.60	3.38
6	0.08	0.33	0.61	31	0.03		0.62	56	3.04		
7	9.69	0.41	4.31	32	0.10	0.01	2.15	57	1.99	0.12	0.51
8	1.14	0.01	1.35	33	8.18			58	0.66		
9	0.35	1.58	0.00	34	1.26	0.06	0.53	59	0.02		
10	5.44	0.11	0.94	35	4.96	1.00	0.35	60	1.22	1.99	5.96
11	0.74	0.13	0.26	36	1.18	0.56	1.08	61	0.22	2.18	0.86
12	0.41	1.66	6.66	37	0.03	0.02	0.56	62	0.02	0.50	1.18
13	0.10	0.05	6.17	38	0.16			63	0.27	0.30	1.45
14	0.23	0.52		39	0.09			64	1.13		
15	0.00		0.47	40	0.42			65	0.97	1.42	6.98
16	1.39	0.39	0.55	41	0.01			66	1.07		
17	0.79	1.61	0.93	42	7.36			67	0.11	0.03	0.39
18	0.23	0.07	0.51	43	0.16			68	0.69	0.01	0.52
19	0.53	0.64	0.30	44	0.17	1.38	2.48	69	0.44	1.03	1.62
20	2.26		6.79	45	0.10		6.23	70	0.46	0.70	4.64
21	0.42			46	0.37	0.01	2.22	71	0.12	0.23	
22	0.18		4.11	47	0.39	0.18	1.68	72	0.95	0.45	3.20
23	0.18	0.04	1.15	48	2.13			73	0.51		0.57
24	0.35		2.46	49	0.09	0.05	0.76	74	0.53		
25	0.26	0.31	2.46	50	0.10	0.14	1.21	75	5.86		

Table 4 CALCIUM CARBONATE in LONG ISLAND SOUND

SEDIMENTS WEIGHT PERCENT

Station	CRUISE			Station	CRUISE			Station	CRUISE		
	1	2	3		1	2	3		1	2	3
1	9.72		10.53	26	2.98	0.32	4.11	51	1.22	1.22	3.49
2	5.02	0.00	15.50	27	9.67		2.16	52	4.25		
3	31.84		14.45	28	3.54		4.06	53	0.35		
4	0.26		18.60	29	13.92	0.04		54	0.90		
5	12.12	0.60	5.23	30	8.86		6.38	55	14.84	0.78	12.27
6	3.16	0.22	1.37	31	0.13		2.53	56	0.74		
7	0.18	0.00	15.61	32	0.66	3.20	8.08	57	24.36	1.13	6.37
8	13.95	0.07	22.93	33	12.88			58	6.84		
9	0.17	1.53	23.41	34	1.91	0.00	15.07	59	0.43		
10	8.77	0.65	1.25	35	5.65	0.00	16.22	60	22.39	2.41	20.45
11	8.27	0.44	13.08	36	9.93	0.29	15.40	61	11.98	0.00	7.07
12	11.39	2.06	10.37	37	0.04	0.00	0.57	62	0.30	0.00	4.86
13	12.81	0.24	13.87	38	3.39			63	0.92	0.00	5.53
14	3.07	0.00		39	25.22			64	3.86		
15	1.81		7.17	40	7.22			65	3.36	0.00	15.06
16	0.13	0.34	4.41	41	0.55			66	7.50		
17	3.99	2.24	19.20	42	0.25			67	0.03	0.76	1.13
18	0.004	0.70	1.13	43	0.08			68	0.04	0.12	1.43
19	8.90	3.98	15.86	44	10.63	4.46	11.81	69	2.37	0.01	9.64
20	4.89		18.78	45	5.60		12.25	70	3.79	0.10	13.53
21	11.88			46	0.35	0.00	6.96	71	0.002	1.09	
22	2.45		17.04	47	3.60	4.43	1.78	72	9.80	3.61	20.02
23	3.62	0.20	4.33	48	3.43			73	1.55		0.38
24	5.36		6.00	49	0.003	0.36	1.45	74	6.96		
25	1.18	0.47	8.06	50	4.13	0.08	5.67	75	7.92		

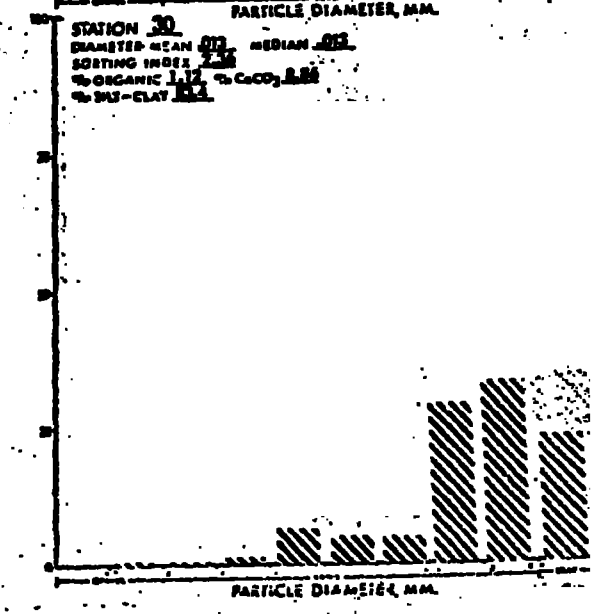
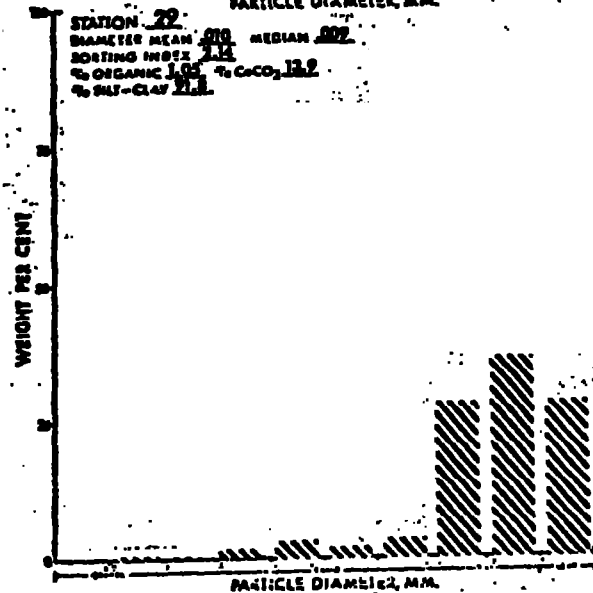
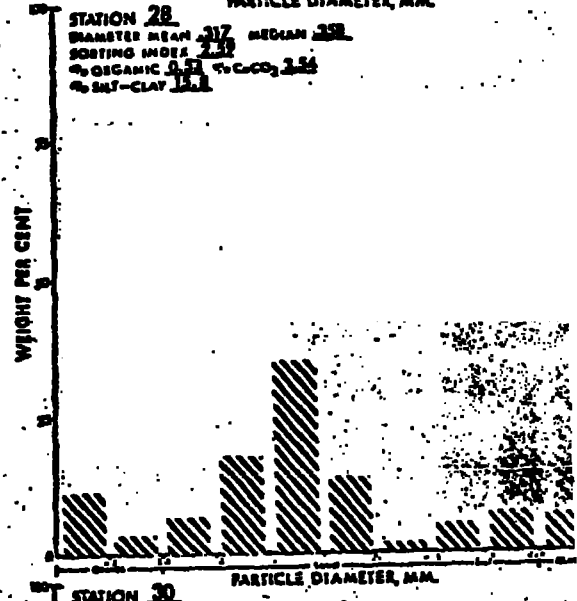
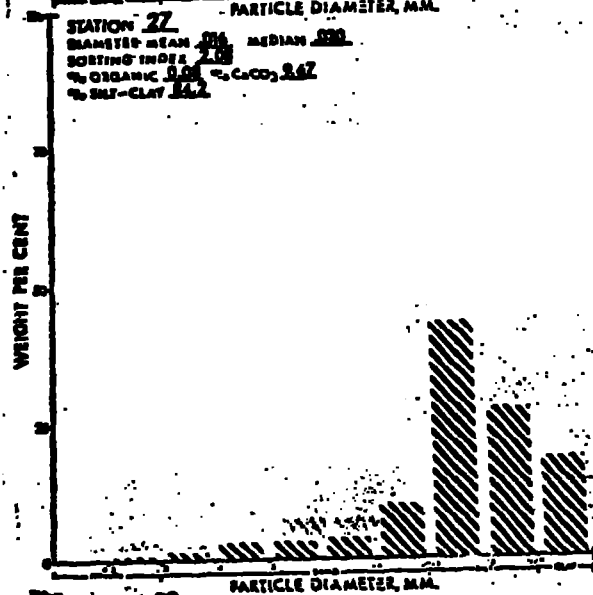
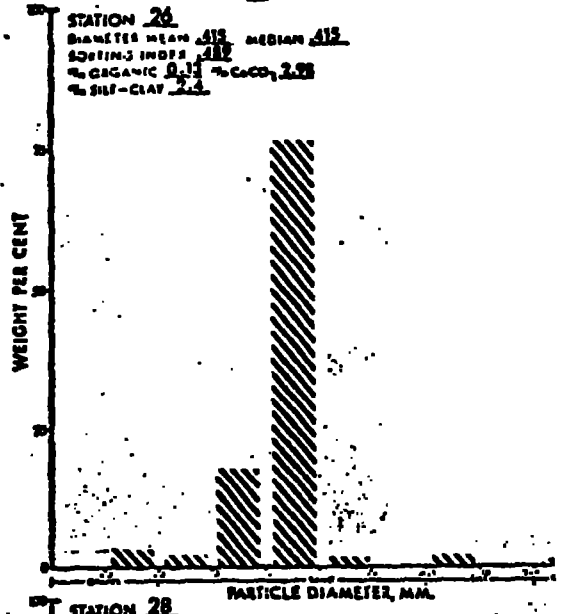
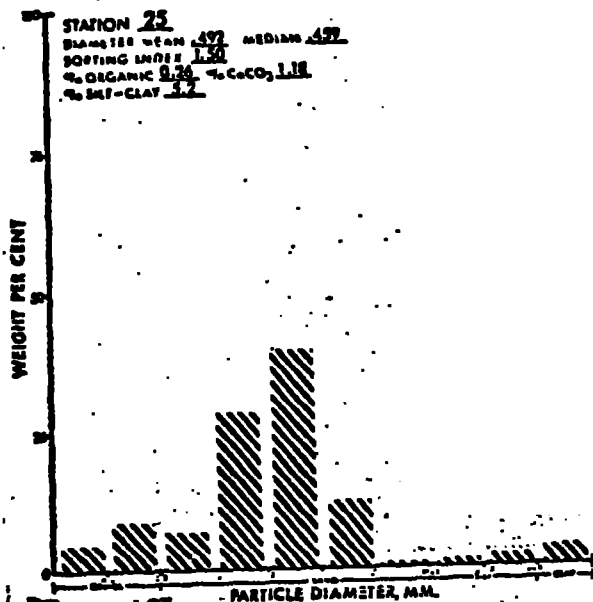


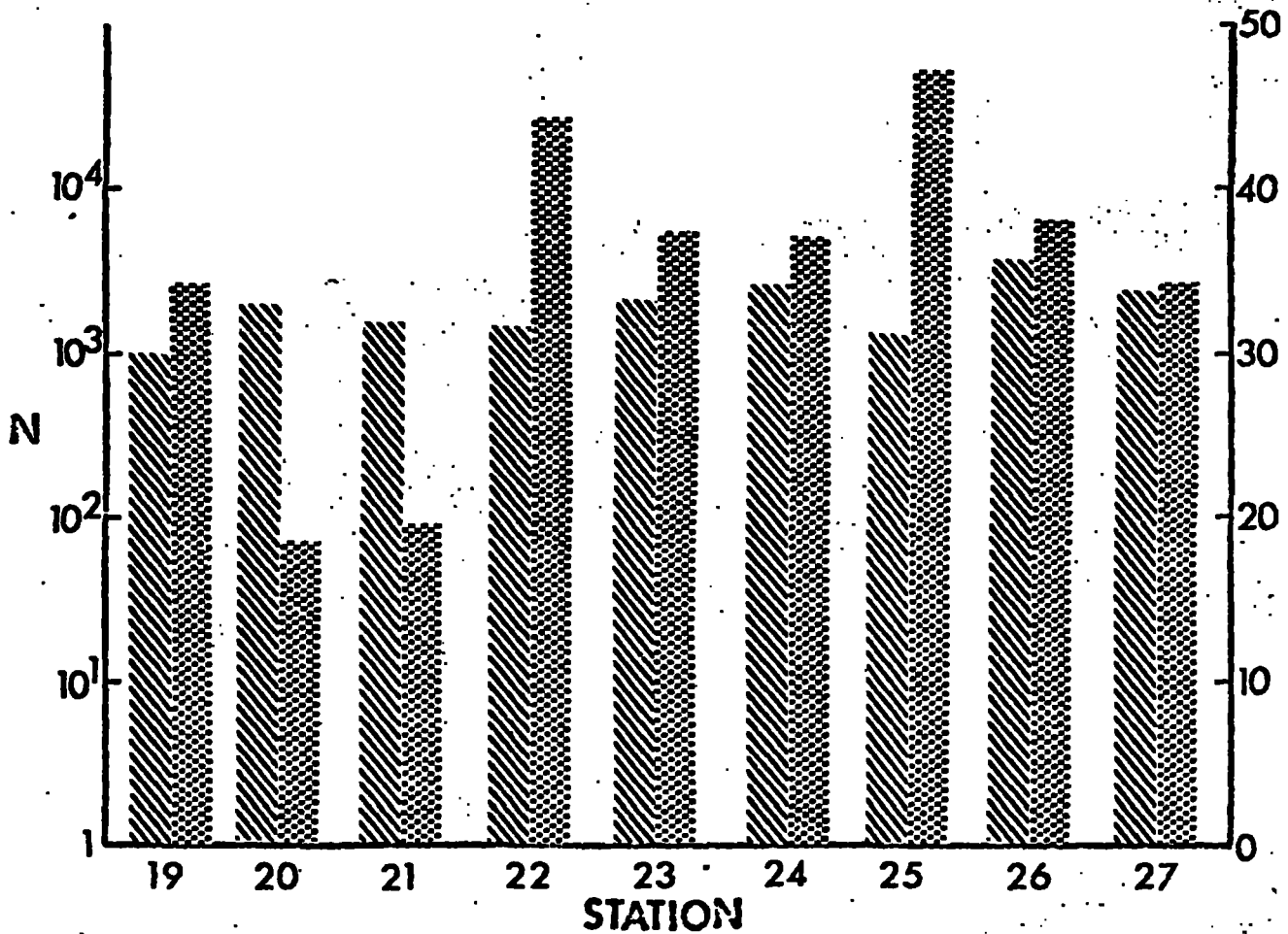
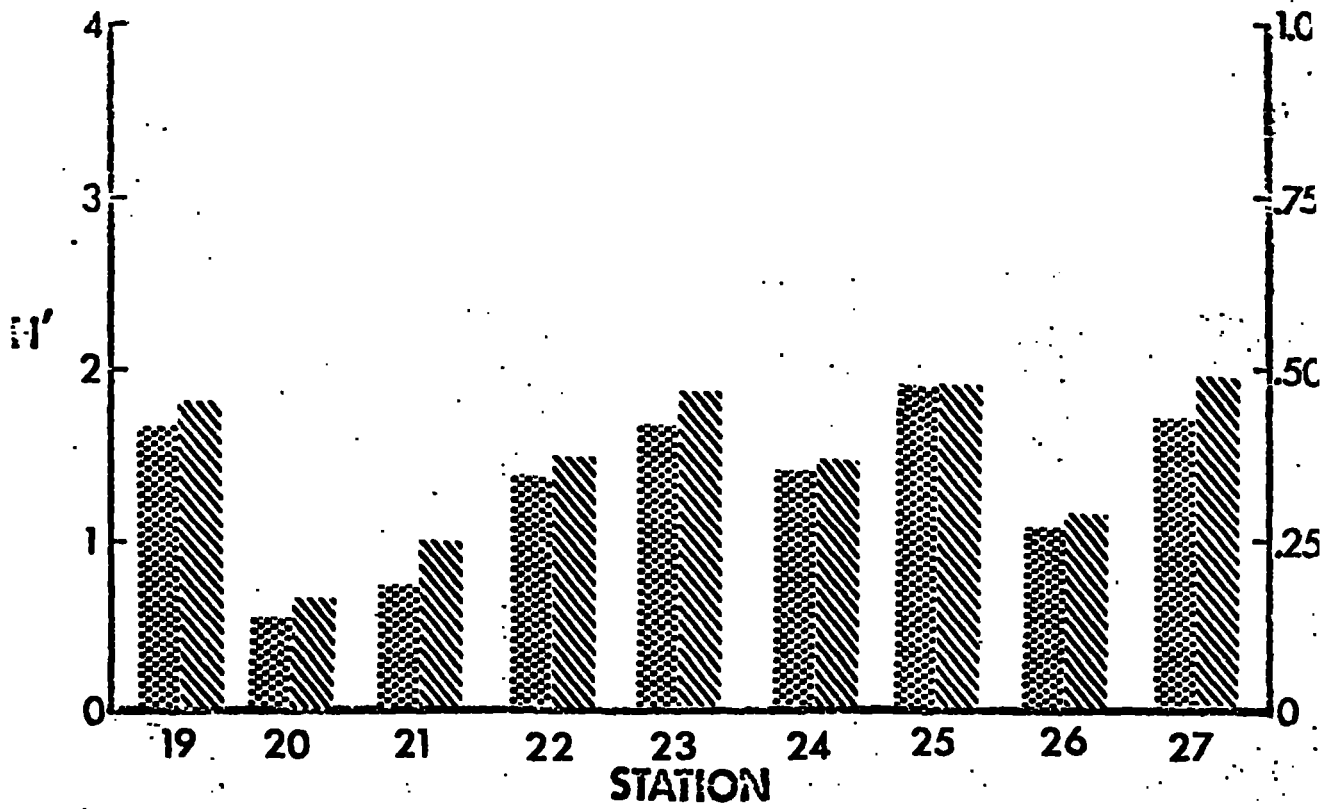
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## Long Island Sound Benthic Fauna Data

Summer 1972

<u>Station</u>	<u>Individuals</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Diversity</u>	<u>Equitability</u>
1	231	16	1.58	0.57
2	778	39	2.11	0.58
3	462	16	1.69	0.61
4	1239	34	2.06	0.58
5	250	14	1.41	0.54
6	672	27	1.85	0.56
7	1416	46	2.40	0.63
8	966	17	0.69	0.24
9	331	14	1.35	0.51
10	61	11	1.84	0.77
11	570	30	1.34	0.39
12	845	9	0.69	0.32
13	1620	13	0.46	0.18
14	645	34	2.30	0.65
15	7655	46	0.89	0.23
16	1244	18	0.46	0.16
17	722	17	0.96	0.34
18	702	22	1.73	0.56
19	914	34	1.65	0.47
20	1900	18	0.56	0.19
21	1572	19	0.70	0.24
22	1584	44	1.35	0.36
23	1985	37	1.62	0.45
24	2536	37	1.31	0.36
25	1150	47	1.80	0.47





\ N = INDIVIDUALS    \ S = SPECIES  
 \ H' = DIVERSITY    \ J' = EQUITABILITY

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Water color	Forel scale	Visual comparison with Forel bottles	N/A	N/A
Sediment size	φ units and percent by weight	Ewing corer	Standard sieves. Carbonate fraction removed by acid treatment	Same as "Sedimentary Rock Manual," Folk '65

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<i>In "Methods" section provided previously</i>				

**B. SCIENTIFIC CONTENT**

<b>NAME OF DATA FIELD</b>	<b>REPORTING UNITS OR CODE</b>	<b>METHODS OF OBSERVATION AND INSTRUMENTS USED (SPECIFY TYPE AND MODEL)</b>	<b>ANALYTICAL METHODS (INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS) AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES</b>	<b>DATA PROCESSING TECHNIQUES WITH FILTERING AND AVERAGING</b>

## C. DATA FORMAT

This information is requested only for data transmitted on punched cards or magnetic tape. Have one of your data processing specialists furnish answers either on the form or by attaching equivalent readily available documentation. Identify the nature and meaning of all entries and explain any codes used.

1. List the record types contained in your file transmittal (e.g., tape label record, master, detail, standard depth, etc.).
2. Describe briefly how your file is organized.
- 3-13. Self-explanatory.
14. Enter the field name as appropriate (e.g., header information, temperature, depth, salinity).
15. Enter starting position of the field.
16. Enter field length in number columns and unit of measurement (e.g., bit, byte, character, word) in unit column.
17. Enter attributes as expressed in the programming language specified in item 3 (e.g., "F 4.1," "BINARY FIXED (5.1)").
18. Describe field. If sort field, enter "SORT 1" for first, "SORT 2" for second, etc. If field is repeated, state number of times it is repeated.

*See sample listings*

### C. DATA FORMAT

COMPLETE THIS SECTION FOR PUNCHED CARDS OR TAPE, MAGNETIC TAPE, OR DISC SUBMISSIONS.

1. LIST RECORD TYPES CONTAINED IN THE TRANSMITTAL OF YOUR FILE  
GIVE METHOD OF IDENTIFYING EACH RECORD TYPE

2. GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FILE ORGANIZATION

3. ATTRIBUTES AS EXPRESSED IN  PL-1  ALGOL  COBOL  
 FORTRAN  \_\_\_\_\_ LANGUAGE

4. RESPONSIBLE COMPUTER SPECIALIST:

NAME AND PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF DATA ARE ON MAGNETIC TAPE

<p>5. RECORDING MODE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> BCD    <input type="checkbox"/> BINARY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ASCII    <input type="checkbox"/> EBCDIC</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>9. LENGTH OF INTER-RECORD GAP (IF KNOWN) <input type="checkbox"/> 3/4 INCH <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>
<p>6. NUMBER OF TRACKS (CHANNELS)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> SEVEN</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NINE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>10. END OF FILE MARK</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> OCTAL 17</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>
<p>7. PARITY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ODD</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> EVEN</p>	<p>11. PASTE-ON-PAPER LABEL DESCRIPTION (INCLUDE ORIGINATOR NAME AND SOME LAY SPECIFICATIONS OF DATA TYPE, VOLUME NUMBER)</p>
<p>8. DENSITY</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 200 BPI    <input type="checkbox"/> 1600 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 556 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 800 BPI</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>12. PHYSICAL BLOCK LENGTH IN BYTES</p> <p>13. LENGTH OF BYTES IN BITS</p>

# RECORD FORMAT DESCRIPTION

RECORD NAME \_\_\_\_\_

14. FIELD NAME	15. POSITION FROM - 1 MEASURED IN <small>(e.g., bits, bytes)</small>	16. LENGTH		17. ATTRIBUTES	18. USE AND MEANING
		NUMBER	UNITS		

# RECORD FORMAT DESCRIPTION

RECORD NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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		NUMBER	UNITS		

### D. INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

This calibration information will be utilized by NOAA's National Oceanographic Instrumentation Center in their efforts to develop calibration standards for voluntary acceptance by the oceanographic community. Identify the instruments used by your organization to obtain the scientific content of the DDF (i.e., STD, temperature and pressure sensors, salinometers, oxygen meters, velocimeters, etc.) and furnish the calibration data requested by completing and/or checking ("✓") the appropriate spaces. Add the interval time (i.e., 3 months, 6 months, 9 months, etc.) if the fixed interval calibration cycle is checked.

INSTRUMENT TYPE (MFR., MODEL NO.)	DATE OF LAST CALIBRATION	INSTRUMENT WAS CALIBRATED BY		CHECK ONE: INSTRUMENT IS CALIBRATED					INSTRUMENT IS NOT CALI- BRATED  (✓)
		YOUR ORGANIZATION (✓)	OTHER ORGANIZATION (GIVE NAME)	AT FIXED INTERVALS (✓)	BEFORE OR AFTER USE (✓)	BEFORE AND AFTER USE (✓)	ONLY AFTER REPAIR (✓)	ONLY WHEN NEW (✓)	

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Password:

accNo	fleA	refNo	ship	staCnt	recCnt	startDate	endDate
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