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## **1.0 SAFETY**

### **1.1 Policy**

**All vessels and staff must comply with NRA policy;**

**Health and Safety Manual.**

**Code of Practice - Marine Activities Part I and II.**

### **1.2 COSHH**

**Each vessel is responsible for producing a series of assessment documents relating to all chemicals and substances used on the vessel during the execution of a Baseline Survey. These documents will be stored visibly on the vessel and made available to all staff concerned. (Any problems associated with the production of these documents should be directed to the National Centre in the first instance)**

**All personnel using or coming into contact with chemicals, of any nature, must have read, and understood, the relevant COSHH document.**

### **1.3 Protective clothing**

**All personnel will wear suitable protective clothing relative to conditions and working environment e.g lifejackets, hard hats, waterproof clothing, disposable gloves etc. in accordance with NRA guidelines.**

### **1.4 Manning levels**

**Vessels performing surveys will have a minimum of three staff on-board whilst underway. Small boats used to perform calibration runs will contain a minimum of two persons in accordance with NRA practice.**

### **1.5 Training**

**Staff will be trained in specific aspects of working in the Marine Environment eg Survival at sea. NRA courses are available, see National Centre for details.**

### **1.6 General vessel safety procedures**

**All personnel joining a survey vessel, performing work for the National Centre, will be given a full briefing by the Survey Officer to include all aspects of EMERGENCY PROCEDURE with respect to that vessel prior to sailing. Any defects in vessel emergency equipment must be reported immediately to the Master and Regional Line Manager.**

## **2.0 THE NATIONAL BASELINE SURVEY**

### **2.1 Introduction**

The NRA has a duty, under the 1991 Water Resources Act, to monitor controlled waters. Controlled waters include estuarine and coastal waters to the 3 nautical mile limit.

A Coastal Baseline Survey was started in 1992 as a means of meeting the above objective. The survey has since been developed and refined and is described in further detail throughout this Manual.

The National Baseline Survey is carried out by both boat and aircraft. The boats are based in and run by four of the NRA Regions; Anglian ("Sea Vigil"), North West ("Coastal Guardian"), Northumbria & Yorkshire ("Water Guardian") and South Western ("Vigilance"). The aircraft and remote sensing equipment are hired and based at Coventry airport, enabling rapid access to any part of the coastline as required. The surveys are planned and co-ordinated by the National Centre for Instrumentation and Marine Surveillance, based at Bath, Avon.

Four surveys are run each year; in January, May, July and September. The survey dates are intended to reflect seasonal changes in water quality, with the January survey marking the expected low nutrient content of the year. Three of the surveys involve the use of the aircraft. Low light and poor light angles in January rule out the possibility of aerial surveillance for this survey.

## **3.0 SAMPLING METHOD**

### **3.1 Preparation of the sample container**

The sampling container, a three litre HDPE narrow necked bottle, is rinsed at the start of each working day or once every 12 hours, with about 100ml of 20% Nitric Acid. This is made by diluting "Analar" concentrated Nitric acid 1:5 with good quality distilled or deionized water. This procedure should be carried out by qualified persons and care should be taken - ALWAYS ADD ACID TO WATER! The acid is returned to the stock bottle and the sampling container should then be rinsed with seawater at the first site. At all sample sites the plastic sampling container is first rinsed with sample and emptied to reduce cross contamination between sites. This procedure is not used for sampling of organics where a new container, which has been solvent cleaned at a laboratory, is used at each site.

### **3.2 TOTAL METALS (except mercury)**

#### **3.2.1 Apparatus**

- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid rinse at least once per day)

#### **3.2.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- Water is removed from the sample site, using an acid washed HDPE sampling container and poured directly into a PET 250 ml bottle without allowing the suspended solids to settle

### **3.3 TOTAL MERCURY**

#### **3.3.1 Apparatus**

- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid Rinse at least once per day)

#### **3.3.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- Water is removed from the sample site, using an acid washed HDPE sampling container and poured directly into a glass bottle containing a few ml of chromic acid as preservative. Do not allow the suspended solids to settle. (Care should be taken to avoid chromic acid touching skin as it is highly corrosive)

### 3.4 DISSOLVED METALS

#### 3.4.1 Apparatus

- 60ml HDPE type syringe
- 0.45 $\mu$  sealed cartridge type filter (Whatman as supplied by laboratory)
- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid rinse at least once per day)

#### 3.4.2 Method

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- The syringe is filled with water and washed well and the water run to waste
- Fill the syringe and attach a new filter and run approximately 20ml of sample to waste

About 250ml of water is filtered into a PET bottle, the syringe is refilled as necessary and the bottle capped.

Only one filter may be used for each sample; a smaller sample should be submitted to the lab in waters with very high suspended solids

### 3.5 DISSOLVED METALS - BLANK

#### 3.5.1 Apparatus

- 60ml HDPE type syringe
- 0.45 $\mu$  sealed cartridge type filter (Whatman as supplied by laboratory)

#### 3.5.2 Method

- The syringe is filled with distilled or deionized water supplied by the analysing laboratory and washed well and the water run to waste
- Fill the syringe and attach a new filter and run 20ml of sample to waste
- About 250ml of water is filtered into a PET bottle, the syringe is refilled as necessary and the bottle capped
- Only one filter may be used for each sample
- A blank determination should be carried out no less frequently than once per day or twelve hour period of survey. The blank should be identified by Date, Time and Reference Number:

| Boat             | <i>Blank</i><br>Calibration Sample<br>Ref. Number |
|------------------|---|
| Vigilance        | 60899700  |
| Sea Vigil        | 60399800  |
| Water Guardian   | 60199900  |
| Coastal Guardian | 60799600  |

- All blanks from any one boat will have an identical reference number, and will be identified by date and time

### **3.6 ORGANICS**

#### **3.6.1 Apparatus**

- A solvent washed glass bottle usually one or two litres with glass stopper

#### **3.6.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- The sample should, if possible, be sampled directly from the sea into a glass bottle without using a separate sampling container
- An air space roughly level with the neck of the bottle is normally required in the bottle to allow addition of extraction solvent at the laboratory
- The bottles usually contain traces of solvent (acetone or hexane) prior to the addition of the sample so it should not be rinsed with sample

### **3.7 SUSPENDED SOLIDS**

#### **3.7.1 Apparatus**

- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid rinse at least once per day)

#### **3.7.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- The bottle should be filled directly from the HDPE sampling container, without allowing the particles to settle, and capped
- The bottle should be stored in a cool place

### **3.8 NUTRIENTS**

#### **3.8.1 Apparatus**

- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid rinse at least once per day)
- 60ml HDPE type syringe
- 0.45 $\mu$  sealed cartridge type filter (Whatman as supplied by laboratory)

#### **3.8.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water
- The syringe is filled with water and washed well and the water run to waste
- Fill the syringe and attach a new filter and run 20ml of sample to waste
- About 250ml of water is filtered into a bottle, the syringe is refilled as necessary and the bottle capped
- The filtered sample should be frozen immediately and transferred to the laboratory as quickly as possible still frozen. [N.B. This is by no means a perfect method for the analysis of nutrients but is the best method available at present].

### **3.9 CHLOROPHYLL**

#### **3.9.1 Apparatus**

- Acid washed HDPE sampling container (20% Nitric Acid rinse at least once per day)
- A filter system capable of supporting a GF/C filter membrane.

#### **3.9.2 Method**

- Sample should be collected from a point well forward of the zinc anodes and the engine cooling water.
- A measured volume of sample approximately one litre is filtered through a 4.7 or 7.0cm diameter GF/C filter paper preferably at atmospheric pressure. If pressure must be used to speed up the filtration then it must be negative and about 10psi. Pressure applied above the filter paper may cause cell rupture and subsequent loss of chlorophyll
- Once the filter paper is reasonably dry but not desiccated it should be removed with tweezers, folded together to trap the residue and wrapped in a small piece of foil. The foil package should be placed in a labelled polythene bag and frozen immediately and transferred to the laboratory as quickly as possible still frozen.

**THE SAMPLES SHOULD BE COURIERED, FROZEN, IN A GOOD QUALITY COOL BOX AND ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR THEM TO BE MET AT THE LABORATORY ON ARRIVAL.**

## 4.0 ANALYTICAL QUALITY CONTROL AND CALIBRATION

### 4.1 Introduction

Good quality instrumentation which is regularly calibrated and checked with quality control standards is absolutely essential to the Baseline survey. Without confidence in the results produced, by each piece of instrumentation, it would be hard, if not impossible, to prove changes in the water quality around the coast. To this end a rigid AQC policy must be employed if the results are to be of worth.

### 4.2 Qubit pH

#### 4.2.1 Interval-

The pH should be calibrated at least every 12 hours. If on a long survey it may be necessary to suspend the data collection to recalibrate.

#### 4.2.2 Reagents-

The pH should be calibrated using standardized buffers

|    |    |                  |
|----|----|------------------|
| pH | 4  | Fisons J/2825/15 |
| pH | 7  | Fisons J/2855/15 |
| pH | 10 | Fisons J/2885/15 |

(product numbers are only given as a guide and any reputable ready made pH buffer will suffice)

Low ionic strength pH 7 check buffer (supplied by the National Centre)

#### 4.2.3 Method-

Each buffer is tested in turn and the previous calibration value noted on the calibration sheet before altering the value. This will give details about the drift associated with the equipment since the last calibration. The new Qubit values for each buffer should be noted.

Finally a fourth standard of low ionic strength is tested with the probe and the value is noted on the calibration sheet. The low ionic nature of this buffer will highlight slow response times which may well have gone unnoticed in the usual pH buffers and in seawater.

### 4.3 Qubit Temperature

#### 4.3.1 Interval-

The temperature should be checked at least every day. It is essential that all temperature probes are calibrated at least annually, probably by the manufacturer.

#### 4.3.2 Method-

The temperature probe should be cross-checked with all other temperature measuring devices on board. All devices are lowered into an area of water at the rear of the vessel and after a short period the various readings noted. This will ensure that any drift, or mechanical damage, associated with individual instruments will be detected.

## 4.4 Dissolved Oxygen

### 4.4.1 Interval-

The DO should be calibrated at least every 12 hours. If on a long survey it may be necessary to suspend the data collection to recalibrate.

### 4.4.2 Reagents-

The DO should be calibrated using

A saturated solution of Sodium Sulphite  
Moist Air

### 4.4.3 Method-

The DO probe is held in a bucket containing a water soaked tissue in the bottom. This helps to keep the probe moist and prevents noise occasionally experienced by air movement and drying. The previous value is noted for 100% saturation before inserting the calibration value. This will give details about the drift associated with the equipment since the last calibration.

The probe is placed in a beaker containing a saturated solution of sodium sulphite and allowed to stand for about five minutes to allow full removal of dissolved oxygen. The previous value is noted for 0% saturation before inserting the calibration value. This will give details about the drift associated with the equipment since the last calibration.

The DO probe should be cross-checked with all other DO measuring devices on board. All devices are lowered into an area of water at the rear of the vessel and after a short period the various readings noted. This will ensure that any drift, or mechanical damage, associated with individual instruments will be detected.

## 4.5 Salinity

### 4.5.1 Interval-

The salinity should be checked at least every day and calibrated on a weekly basis.

### 4.5.2 Reagents-

The salinity should be calibrated using

p-series salinity standard (35)  
Ocean Scientific £72 for 5 x 200 ml ampoule.

The salinity should be checked using Atlantic Seawater Checked against the p-series standard.  
Ocean Scientific £55 for 4 x 5 litres

### 4.5.3 Method-

The p-series standard is tested and the previous calibration value noted on the calibration sheet. This will give details about the drift associated with the equipment since the last calibration. The Atlantic seawater can then be cross referenced to the p-series standard and used on a daily basis to check the probe. The salinity can also be checked using a resistance loop on a daily basis.

The Salinity probe should be cross-checked with all other salinity measuring devices on board. All devices are lowered into an area of water at the rear of the vessel and after a short period the various readings noted. This will ensure that any drift, or mechanical damage, associated with individual instruments will be detected.

## **4.6 Transmission**

### **4.6.1 Interval-**

The transmission should be checked at least every week.

### **4.6.2 Method-**

Transmission values for 0% and 100% can be recorded and the raw values recorded to give details about the drift associated with the equipment since the last check.

## **4.6 Chlorophyll**

### **4.6.1 Interval-**

The fluorescence chlorophyll should be checked at least every week and calibrated by the manufacturer at least annually.

### **4.6.2 Reagents-**

Chlorophyll standards appear to be so unstable that it is not recommended that they are employed.

### **4.6.3 Method-**

The chlorophyll measuring devices should be cross-checked with any others available on board. All devices are lowered into an area of water at the rear of the vessel, or allowed to examine water removed from that vicinity, and after a short period the various readings noted. This should ensure that any drift, or mechanical damage, associated with individual instruments will be detected.

## 5.0 MICROBIOLOGY

### 5.1 Total Coliform Bacteria in Marine Water

- 5.1.1 Introduction** Coliform Bacteria, such as *Escherichia coli*, are the most commonly used micro-organisms as primary indicators of faecal pollution, indicating the presence of intestinal pathogens. *E. coli* are present in large numbers in faecal material ( $10^9$  *E. coli* per gram of fresh faeces) and can be detected in numbers as low as one organism in 100ml of water. This is currently the most sensitive method of indicating this type of pollution.
- 5.1.2 L O D** One organism in the largest volume of sample that can be filtered.
- 5.1.3 Interferences** High numbers of competing organisms may affect the growth of the test organisms. High turbidity waters may leave residues on the membrane which will interfere with recognition of colonies.
- 5.1.4 Principle** Measured volumes of sample are filtered through a  $0.45\mu$  membrane filter which is transferred to a culture medium. Incubation encourages the growth of the coliforms while growth of other organisms are suppressed by the selective agent in the medium. Presumptive coliforms are recognized by their yellow colour, which results from the fermentation of lactose to produce acid, in the presence of a pH indicator. From knowledge of the volume of sample filtered and the number of colonies counted the concentration of coliform bacteria in the original sample can be calculated.
- 5.1.5 Hazards** As with any microbiology technique a high standard of hygiene must be exercised at all times. Coliform organisms are not thought to be pathogenic to humans although certain strains can cause gastroenteric disorders.
- 5.1.6 Media** Media should be acquired from an accredited laboratory source (any difficulties contact R G Davison).
- 5.1.7 Sampling** Samples should be gathered in accordance with the sample protocol. (section 3.0) The sample should be transferred to a sterile container and kept in a cool box prior to analysis. Analysis must commence within six hours of sampling.

### 5.1.8 Apparatus

Incubator, thermostatically controlled at 30°C +/- 1°C  
Incubator, thermostatically controlled at 37°C +/- 0.5°C  
Ultra-violet sterilization unit (boiling water bath not recommended)  
Filtration manifold  
Membrane filters 0.45µ  
Vacuum unit with safety trap suitable for microbiological analysis  
Petri dish or aluminium plates previously filled with nutrient media and stored in a fridge at 4°C  
Sterile disposable 1 and 10ml pipettes  
Sterile 100ml sample bottles  
Hot air burner for sterilization (bunsen burners not recommended)

### 5.1.9 Procedure

Disinfect the work area  
Sterilize the filter units and tweezers in the UV sterilizer and assemble  
Filter the sample, or a dilution of it, through a 0.45µ sterile membrane filter  
Place the filter onto the culture media ensuring that any air bubbles are removed from beneath the membrane  
Incubate the plates for 4 hours at 30°C followed by 14 hours at 37°C

### 5.1.10 Results

For each sample of water results are expressed as number of colony forming units per 100ml of sample

### 5.1.11 QC / AQC

All equipment should be monitored to ensure correct operation  
Sterile blank samples are included in each batch to ensure aseptic conditions  
With every batch of analysis, at least one sample is carried out in duplicate. These results can be used as an on going precision test for the analysis and charts of differences recorded.

## 5.2 Faecal Coliform Bacteria in Marine Water

- 5.2.1 Introduction** Coliform Bacteria, such as *Escherichia coli*, are the most commonly used micro-organisms as primary indicators of faecal pollution, indicating the presence of intestinal pathogens. *E. coli* are present in large numbers in faecal material ( $10^9$  *E. coli* per gram of fresh faeces) and can be detected in numbers as low as one organism in 100ml of water. They are currently the most sensitive method of indicating this type of pollution.
- 5.2.2 L O D** One organism in the largest volume of sample that can be filtered.
- 5.2.3 Interferences** High numbers of competing organisms may affect the growth of the test organisms. High turbidity waters may leave residues on the membrane which will interfere with recognition of colonies.
- 5.2.4 Principle** Measured volumes of sample are filtered through a  $0.45\mu$  membrane filter which is transferred to a culture medium. Incubation encourages the growth of the Faecal Coliforms while growth of other organisms are suppressed by the selective agent in the medium. Presumptive coliforms are recognized by their yellow colour, which results from the fermentation of lactose to produce acid, in the presence of a pH indicator. From knowledge of the volume of sample filtered and the number of colonies counted the concentration of coliform bacteria in the original sample can be calculated.
- 5.2.5 Hazards** As with any microbiology technique a high standard of hygiene must be exercised at all times. Coliform organisms are not thought to be pathogenic to humans although certain strains can cause gastroenteric disorders.
- 5.2.6 Media** Media should be acquired from an accredited laboratory source (any difficulties contact R G Davison).
- 5.2.7 Sampling** Samples should be gathered in accordance with the sample protocol. (section 3.0) The sample should be transferred to a sterile container and kept in a cool box prior to analysis. Analysis must commence within 6 hours of sample being taken.

### 5.2.8 Apparatus

Incubator, thermostatically controlled at 30°C +/- 1°C  
Incubator, thermostatically controlled at 44°C +/- 0.5°C  
Ultra-violet sterilization unit (Boiling water bath not recommended)  
Filtration manifold  
Membrane filters 0.45µ  
Vacuum unit with safety trap suitable for microbiological analysis  
Petri dish or aluminium plates previously filled with nutrient media and stored in a fridge at 4°C  
Sterile disposable 1 and 10ml pipettes  
Sterile 100ml sample bottles  
Hot air burner for sterilization (bunsen burners not recommended)

### 5.2.9 Procedure

Disinfect the work area  
Sterilize the filter units and tweezers in the UV sterilizer and assemble  
Filter the sample, or a dilution of it, through a 0.45µ sterile membrane filter  
Place the filter onto the culture media ensuring that any air bubbles are removed from beneath the membrane  
Incubate the plates for 4 hours at 30°C followed by 14 hours at 37°C.  
After incubation all plates are counted with the minimum of delay and minimum exposure to daylight  
All yellow colonies are counted as presumptive coliform bacteria

### 5.2.10 Results

For each sample of water results are expressed as number of colony forming units per 100ml of sample

### 5.2.11 QC / AQC

All equipment is monitored to ensure correct operation  
Sterile blank samples are included in each batch to ensure aseptic conditions  
With every batch of analysis at least one sample is carried out in duplicate. These results can be used as an on going precision test for the analysis and charts of differences recorded  
After incubation all plates are counted with the minimum of delay and minimum exposure to daylight.  
All yellow colonies are counted as presumptive coliform bacteria.

## **6.0 WATER QUALITY PROFILING**

### **6.1 Introduction**

At Baseline sites a profile is required of the water column down to and including 15 metres from the surface, where depth allows. Information must be recorded from depth, temperature, salinity and dissolved oxygen with additional data from turbidity and chlorophyll a, if available. This data will be used to assess stratification and detect different bodies of water.

### **6.2 Method**

A water quality probe such as the Chelsea Aquapak is suspended in the water from a frame well away from the engine discharges. The unit is held at various depths and the readings allowed to stabilize prior to recording. When adverse weather conditions do not permit the near surface measurements to be recorded accurately, due to swell, only the deeper values are needed.

### **6.3 Depths**

Values for probe should be recorded at:

- Surface - Allow the probe to settle just below the surface
- 0.5m
- 1m
- 2m
- 5m
- 10m
- 15m

### **6.4 Recording**

Data from the profiles must be logged in two ways. At the baseline site the Qubit line should be halted and a new line name entered. The line is then started to record data as the profiler is lowered through the water column. At each depth the stable values for temperature, salinity and dissolved oxygen should be recorded into the profiler data sheet (see attached copy). At the end of the profile the Qubit line should be stopped and the next Baseline point and line selected. Data logged onto paper must be entered into spreadsheet format for supply to the National Centre by the required dates (a spreadsheet template is supplied where necessary, for the supply of profile results).

## 7.0 SKALAR OPERATION

### 7.1 Skalar Analytical Methods

A full method document for each nutrient will be prepared in the future to cover a standard procedure. This section will limit itself at present to a general routine of operation for the analysis of the five nutrients.

### 7.2 Precision Testing

All nutrient analysers used for National Centre Baseline work must be tested in accordance with the WRC Technical Report TR 66 or the update NS 30. This will provide information about limits of detection and measurement errors. The National Centre requires output from this test and can perform the data analysis on the raw data produced for this test if that is required.

### 7.3 Continuous Analysis

The Skalar must be run in semi continuous mode with samples being taken at two minute intervals.

The sample must be removed from the sea using a peristaltic pump sampling water from a depth of one metre well away from any discharges, preferably the bottom of the hull. The positive pressure side of the pump will feed to a 0.4 $\mu$  exclusion filter preferably a Whatman Gamma 20 (Part No. 1915 004 ) with a large proportion of the flow to waste, presenting a representative sample to the flow cell. The output from the filter will feed a flow cell from which the sampler can remove samples at two minute intervals. The delay between the uptake of the water sample and entering the flow cell must not be greater than 90 seconds; steps to increase the peristaltic pump must be taken to achieve this. The exact time delay should be calculated, in dirty water conditions, and used to adjust the sample time.

The clock on the sampler must be checked and adjusted to ensure that all sampling intervals are two minutes, irrespective of the value on the dial.

|                       |        |            |
|-----------------------|--------|------------|
| Approximate times are | Sample | 80 seconds |
|                       | Wash   | 40 seconds |

### 7.4 Reagents

Reagent shelf lives should be examined and adhered to.

## **7.5 Calibration Curves**

All standards, drifts and AQC samples will be diluted in low nutrient seawater (Ocean Scientific - tel 01428 685245). A six point, multi-nutrient, calibration curve, including blank, should be analysed every six hours with a drift sample (the middle standard) being analysed every 20<sup>th</sup> sample. Tables can be edited retrospectively if a dummy field is set up at the start of the run.

## **7.6 Run Length**

Each Skalar run should consist of no more than 100 determinations, including standards, drifts and AQC samples.

## **7.7 AQC Samples**

Two AQC samples, one high and one low concentration, will be analysed during each run of 100 determinations. These AQC standards will be supplied in concentrated form, by the National Centre, to be diluted in low nutrient seawater.

## **7.8 Sample Logging**

It is imperative that the sample can be traced to a geographical position when the data is being analysed so to this end there are a number of ways to achieve this.

**7.8.1** The sampler can be connected to the auto-fix facility of the Qubit, using a micro-switch on the sampling arm.

**7.8.2** The sampler micro-switch can act on an electronic counter e.g. Newport, to produce a unique number which logs to the Qubit with date and time either with an analogue or digital signal.

**7.8.3** The exact start time of the autosampler start should be noted from the Qubit and within a spreadsheet successive sample times can be calculated. These data can then be merged with the Qubit positional outputs using an in-house software available from the National Centre. For this to work and produce an accurate result the timings of the autosampler have to be checked and adjusted to ensure repeatability.

The best solution is 7.8.2 (details of a suitable counter available from the National Centre).

## **7.9 Data Returns**

The Skalar data should be edited, exported into a spreadsheet and where no timer was used a series of times included (details of how to achieve this are available from the National Centre).

Skalar data, on floppy disk, in spreadsheet format should be supplied to the National Centre within two weeks of the completion of the survey, for the attention of Diana Milner.

Also required-            Log sheets (sample format supplied) AQC information.

## 8.0 QUBIT FORMAT

### 8.1 Format

The format of the Qubit header (that is, the names associated with each measurement or "depth") for all data within one survey must remain constant.

### 8.2 Name

The name of each measurement type should contain the source, the determinand and the instrument name well as the variable being recorded. The possible sources are FISH, PROF and POOL for towfish, profiler and moon pool. Please use common sense where other sources are involved (eg ECHO). Naming of variables and instruments is left up to the operator, but a short name is preferred. For example, to define a measurement of chlorophyll from a Chelsea Instruments' profiler, the following is sufficient: PRO\_CHELS\_CHL, whereas PROFILER\_CHELSEA\_CHLOROPHYLL\_A is over verbose and causes problems at the further data processing stages. Note that the use of CH in this case is not sensible as it could denote Chelsea or chlorophyll.

### 8.3 Depth

The depth that each instrument is operating at must be logged, preferably within the datastream that the instrument is writing.

### Example qubit ASCII header file

The following shows an example of how to set out a qubit ascii file. The header information includes the determinand (eg TRANS), the platform (eg FISH) and the manufacturer of the instrument (eg CLS for Chelsea).

```
Projection details from JOB CONFIG file: TRAC5 ver 0
Spheroid: AIRY.1830 (OSGB)
Projection: TRANSVERSE MERCATOR
Origin: N 49 00.000 , W 2 00.000
False EASTING: 400000.00, False NORTHING: -100000.00
LISTING OF QPF FILE QA156 2 120 RECORDS. DATA IS FROM BENE:DATA 79
FILE CONTAINS TEMP'FISH'CLS,TRANS'FISH'CHL,SAL'FISH'CLS,DOF'FISH'CLS,CHLO'FISH'CLS
DEPTH'FISH'CLS,TEMP'PROF'CLS,SAL'PROF'CLS,DOF'PROF'CLS,DEPTH'SINRAD
POSITION SOURCE IS VESSEL REF
TRACK HAS NOT BEEN EDITED. DATA SELECTION IS OUTSTANDING.
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RECORD 1 14:47:30 2 Aug 1994 N 52 54.711 W 4 39.347 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 81.76, 14.27, 34.32, 113.53, 8.26, 2.87, -11.348.45, 103.75, 34.30,
RECORD 2 14:47:40 N 52 54.691 W 4 39.377 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 81.64, 14.29, 34.32, 113.44, 8.26, 2.33, -11.348.55, 103.75, 34.36,
RECORD 3 14:47:50 N 52 54.681 W 4 39.405 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 80.90, 14.29, 34.32, 113.44, 8.26, 2.18, -11.348.65, 103.75, 34.35,
RECORD 4 14:48:00 FIX 1448 N 52 54.661 W 4 39.435 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 81.79, 14.30, 34.32, 113.40, 8.26, 2.41, -11.348.75, 103.75, 34.12,
RECORD 5 14:48:07 FIX 1448 N 52 54.651 W 4 39.467 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 81.54, 14.34, 34.29, 113.13, 8.26, 2.19, -11.348.85, 103.75, 34.37,
RECORD 6 14:48:10 N 52 54.651 W 4 39.497 TIDE 0.00
DEPTHS: 81.54, 14.33, 34.30, 113.28, 8.26, 2.20, -11.348.95, 103.75, 34.38,
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## **9.0 PRE-SURVEY ROUTINE**

### **9.1 Sample Sites**

The definitive list of sites, with list of determinands to be sampled at each site for the National Baseline Survey, will be agreed and finalized by each vessel and the National Centre, prior to the survey.

### **9.2 Survey Dates**

Dates of flexibility, around the allocated survey period, should be notified to the National Centre as soon as possible.

### **9.3 Sample Runs**

Each vessel will liaise with the laboratory contact to ensure that they have sufficient log sheets, bottle labels, consumables and bottles for the allocated sample sites, calibration runs and blanks determinands.

### **9.4 Qubit Database**

Each vessel will check that their Qubit sample site database contains all the correct positions for the survey. They should also ensure that the Data Format is set up in accordance with instructions.

### **9.5 Skalar Nutrient Analyser**

The Skalar must be fully precision tested prior to the start of the survey. This will need to be repeated after any major changes to method and annually thereafter. Sufficient reagents must be acquired or prepared for the duration of the relevant survey section. Ensure that sufficient filters and consumables are available.

### **9.6 Couriers**

It is essential to ensure that a courier will be available for transporting water samples to the laboratory as soon after the end of the survey as possible. Any lengthy breaks during the survey may necessitate the transport of completed samples to the Laboratory part way through the Survey. Certain samples must be transported in a specialist manner i.e. refrigerated van or ice box.

It is essential to ensure that nutrient and chlorophyll a samples arrive at the Laboratory in a frozen state.

### **9.7 AQC and Calibration Standards**

The Survey Officer must ensure that there are sufficient supplies of standards and calibration solutions to maintain the performance of all equipment used during a Baseline Survey.

## **10.0 DAILY PROCEDURES**

During the baseline surveys, each vessel is responsible for carrying out the daily procedures as given below.

### **10.1 Communication with the National Centre**

The vessel should make contact with the National Centre before 0900 hrs where possible. If out of telephone range, contact should be made as soon telephone connection occurs. When the National Centre is closed, a Duty Officer will be nominated to co-ordinate the surveys out of hours. Communication will then be as arranged with the Duty Officer.

### **10.2 Calibration check of instruments**

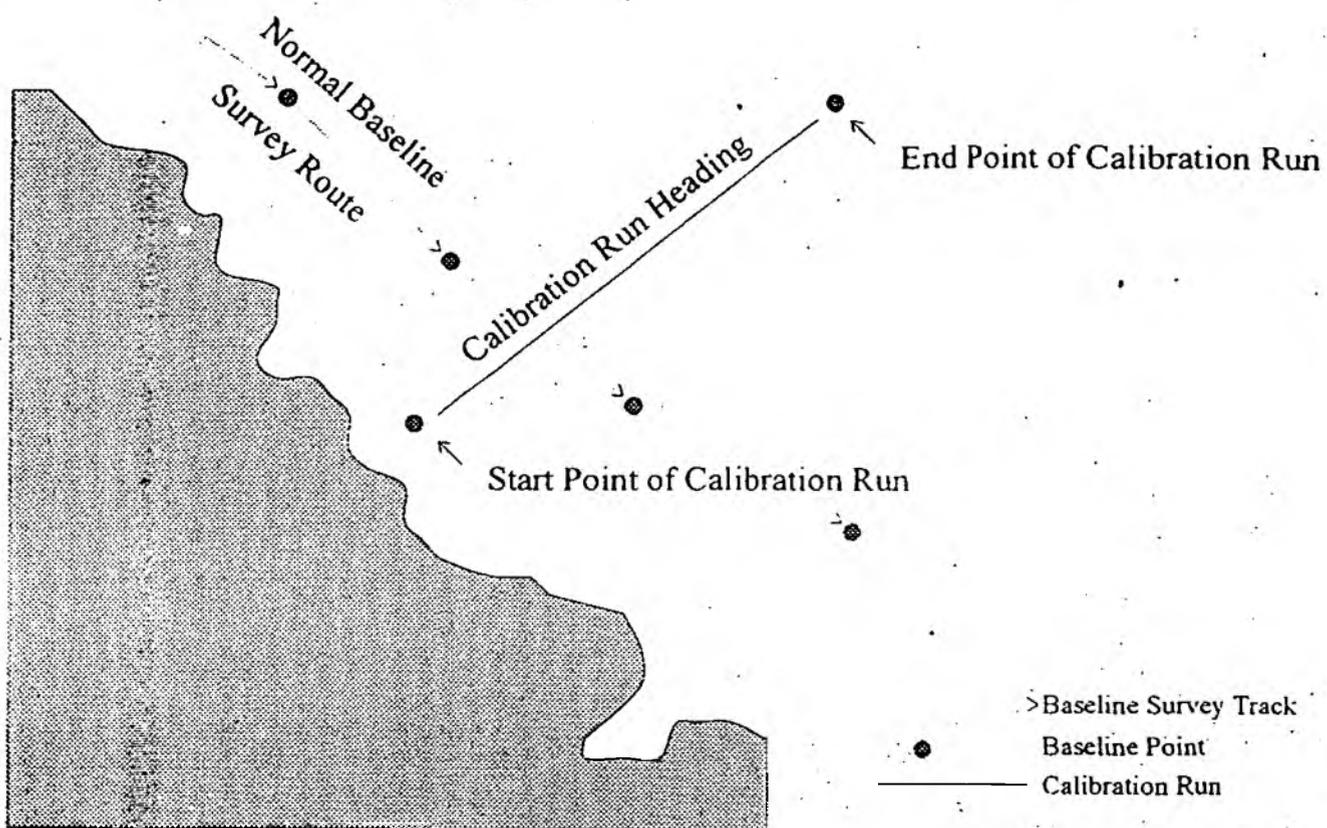
Details of calibration methods and frequency of calibration should be submitted to the National Centre with the survey data.

### **10.3 Beginning/End of survey**

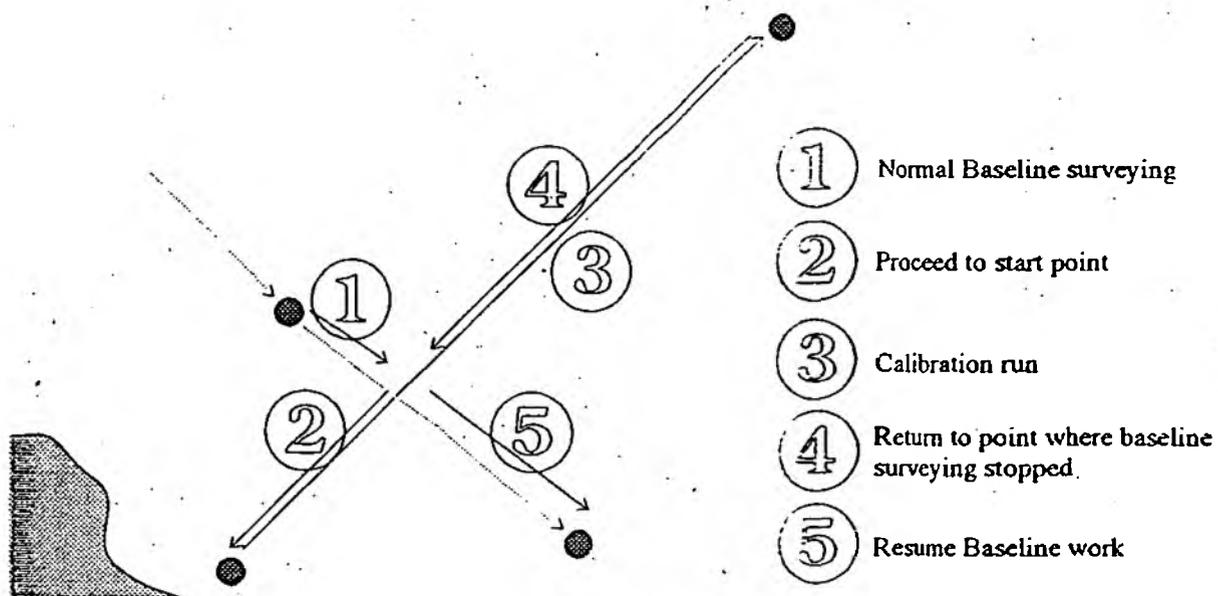
Where two vessels overlap in survey areas, a communal site should be sampled for Group 1 determinands by both vessels. It is the responsibility of the Survey Officer to ensure that all log sheets and data discs are sent to the National Centre within the timescales given in the Manual, labelled for the attention of **Diana Milner**.

## **11.0 ARRANGEMENTS FOR OVERFLIGHTS**

- 11.1 The vessel will be contacted by the National Centre prior to and on the day of the proposed overflight, to notify the vessel of the intention to proceed. A working channel (not channel 16) for marine VHF communication will be decided upon by the master of the vessel prior to the departure of the aircraft. Any emergency alterations to overflight arrangements after aircraft departure can be made by message on the aircraft pager. (See contacts list)
- 11.2 When the aircraft is 45 minutes away from the vessel, the aircraft will contact the boat. Working channels will be moved if necessary. It is possible to page the aircraft (see contact list), but the only method of communication with the aircraft in flight is marine VHF radio. A flight line map is included to allow the vessel to give the aircraft a quick approximate location on the basis of the flightlines they are using as this is how they navigate around the coastline.
- 11.3 A note of the position of the boat must be made. The boat will log Qubit and Skalar data and follow the procedure below: (see diagram)
  - 11.3.1 Select a course from their present position that is as much off-shore as possible.
  - 11.3.2 Take the reciprocal course TOWARDS SHORE until the vessel is a minimum of HALF A NAUTICAL MILE FROM SHORE.
  - 11.3.3 TURN to the original offshore course and note the position of the vessel. This is the first sample point of the calibration run.
  - 11.3.4 Communicate the position of this point and the heading of the offshore course to the aircraft immediately.
  - 11.3.5 Proceed along this course at normal baseline sampling speeds and take 10 spot samples as close to the surface as possible at 6 minute intervals (approx 1 hour).
  - 11.3.6 At the last sampling point, a note of the position must be made, and communicated to the aircraft (if the aircraft has not completed the run)
  - 11.3.7 The vessel must then return to point of departure from the original baseline route at best possible speed and resume normal baseline operations.
- 11.4 The vessel will contact the National Centre to report the position of the calibration run and the success of the above procedure.



## Overview of the Calibration Run Method



## Detail of the sections of the calibration run

11.5 At each calibration site a water sample is taken, in accordance with the sampling protocol, and prepared for laboratory suspended solids and chlorophyll analysis. The samples are labelled with date and time and the calibration reference number.

| Boat             | Calibration Overflight Run Number | Calioration Sample Ref. Number |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Vigilance        | 1                                 | 60898900 <del>X</del>          |
|                  | 2                                 | 60898800                       |
|                  | 3                                 | 60898700                       |
| Sea Vigil        | 1                                 | 60399200 <del>X</del>          |
|                  | 2                                 | 60399100                       |
|                  | 3                                 | 60399000                       |
| Water Guardian   | 1                                 | 60199500 <del>X</del>          |
|                  | 2                                 | 60199400                       |
|                  | 3                                 | 60199300                       |
| Coastal Guardian | 1                                 | 60798600 <del>X</del>          |
|                  | 2                                 | 60798500                       |
|                  | 3                                 | 60798400                       |

where X = 1-5

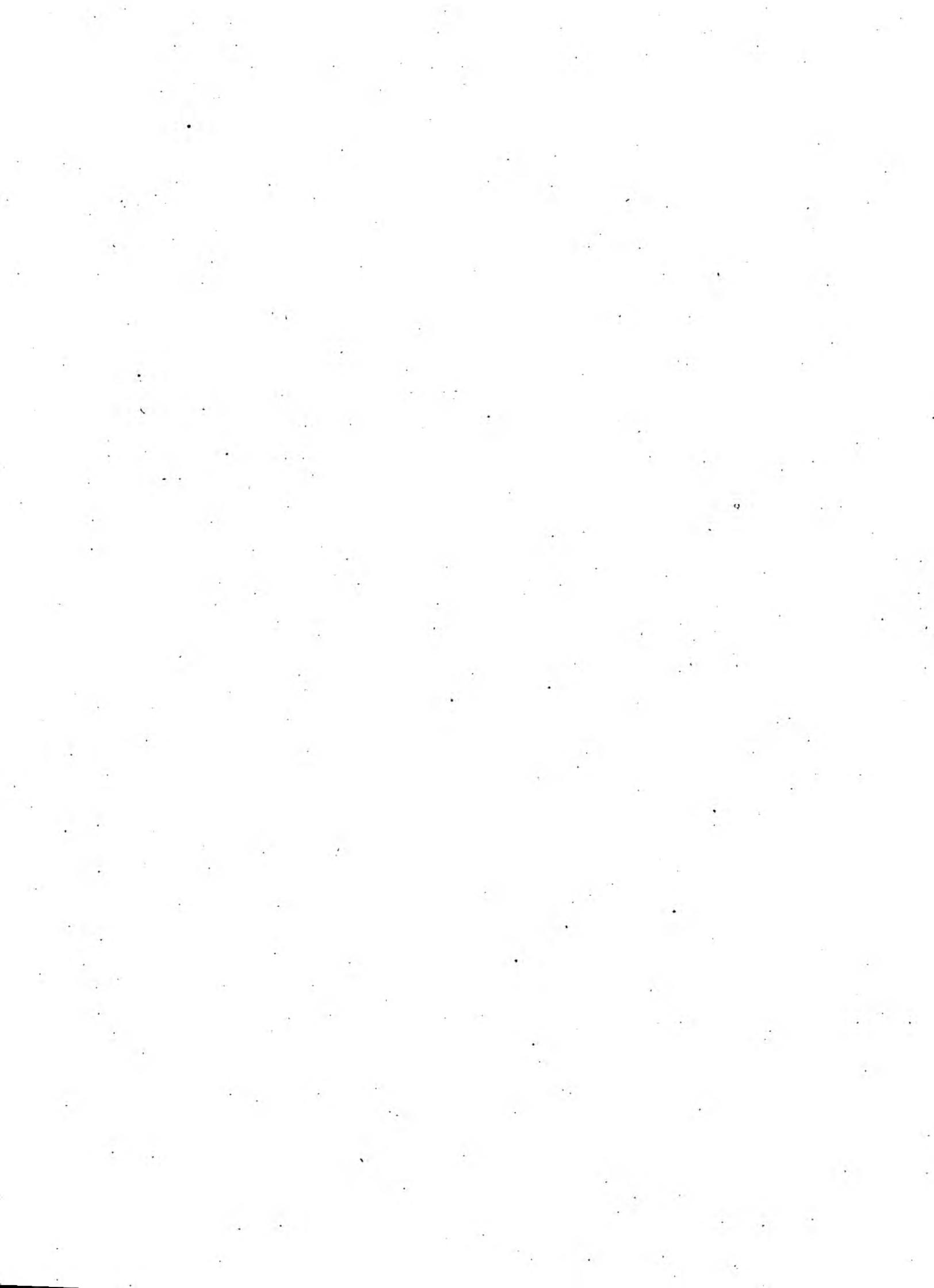
Samples are sent to the laboratories in the usual manner.

11.7 The QUBIT line for that period will be large, but will include the calibration data. No special procedures are necessary for the handling of the data, except a note of the file number that contains the calibration data should be made in the relevant logsheet.

## **12. DATA RETURNS / TIMESCALES**

**12.1 The following data must have arrived at the National Centre (for the attention of Diana Milner) within 2 weeks of the baseline survey being completed:**

- a) Log sheets for the survey (templates supplied)
- b) Qubit data on optical disk or floppies
- c) Profile data on paper and in Lotus spreadsheet format (template supplied)
- d) Edited Skalar data
- e) Calibration sheets and AQC data



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| BASE 136A ST. GOVANS       | * |   |   |  |  |  |
| BASE 136B ST. GOVANS (OFF) | * |   |   |  |  |  |
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| BASE 60 BEXHILL          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 86 PLYMOUTH         | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 87 EAST LOOE        | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 33 CHAPEL-ST-LEONARD | *      |        | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 34 OUTER DOGS HEAD   | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 35 WASH SITE 64      | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 36 OVERY, STAITHE    | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 38 SHERINGHAM        | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 39 MUNDESLEY         | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 40 LESSINGHAM        | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 41 WINTERTON         | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 42 GORLESTON         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 44 DUNWICH CLIFFS    | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 45 THORPENESS        | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 46 SHINGLE STREET    | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 47 FELIXSTOWE        | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 48 WALTON            | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 49 JAYWICK           | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 50 MAPLIN BANK       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 3 SHERESTON OUTCARS | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 4 CRASTER           | *      |        | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 5 WARKWORTH         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 6 BRIG HEAD         | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 7 BLYTH             | *      |        | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 8 TYNE (NORTH)      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 9 TYNE (MIDDLE)     | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 10 TYNE (SOUTH)     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 11 MARSDEN          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 12 WEAR (NORTH)     | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 13 WEAR (MIDDLE)    | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 14 WEAR (SOUTH)     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 15 PINCUSHION ROCK  | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 16 BLACKHALL        | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 17 TEES (NORTH)     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 18 TEES (MIDDLE)    | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 19 TEES (SOUTH)     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 20 SKINNINGROVE     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 21 SANDSEND         | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 22 ROBIN HOODS BAY  | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 23 SCARBOROUGH OUTF | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 24 FILEY BRIG       | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 25 FLANBOROUGH (NOR | *      |        | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 26 BRIDLINGTON      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 27 HORNSEA          | *      | *      |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 28 BEACON HILL      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 29 WITHERNSEA       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 180 WORKINGTON  | * |   |   |  |  |  |
| BASE 181 SOLWAY BUOY | * |   |   |  |  |  |
| BASE 182 MIDDLE BUOY | * | * | * |  |  |  |
| BASE 183 BALCARRY    | * |   |   |  |  |  |
| BASE 184 ABBEY HEAD  | * |   |   |  |  |  |
| BASE 185 MEGGERLAND  | * |   |   |  |  |  |
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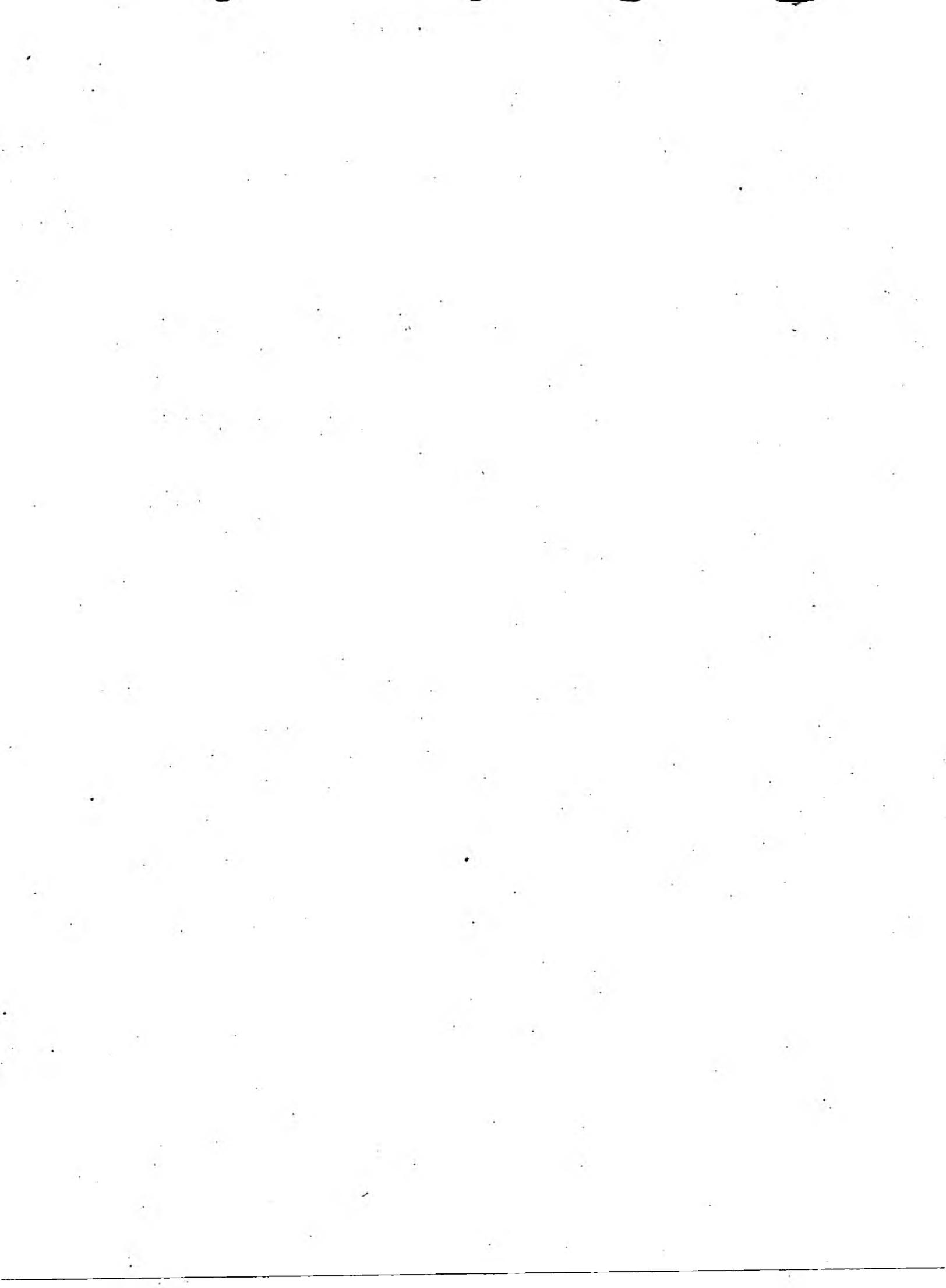
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| BASE 63 BRIGHTON          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 64 WORTHING          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 65 MIDDLETON ON SEA  | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 68.3 DOCKHEAD        | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 68.4 WEST PRINCESS A | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 69 ST CATHERINES     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 70 THE NEEDLES       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 71 HENGISTBURY       | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 72 ANVIL POINT       | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 73 ST ALDHELMS       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 74 WEYMOUTH BAY      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 75 PORTLAND BILL     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 76 CHESIL            | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 77 BRIDPORT          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 78 SEATON            | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 79 SIDMOUTH          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 80 EXMOUTH           | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 81 TORBAY            | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 82 DARTMOUTH         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 83 START POINT       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 84 SALCOMBE          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 85 BIGBURY BAY       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 86 PLYMOUTH          | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 87 EAST LOOE         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 88 FOWEY             | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 89 DODMANS POINT     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 90 ST ANTONY HEAD    | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 91 FALMOUTH          | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |

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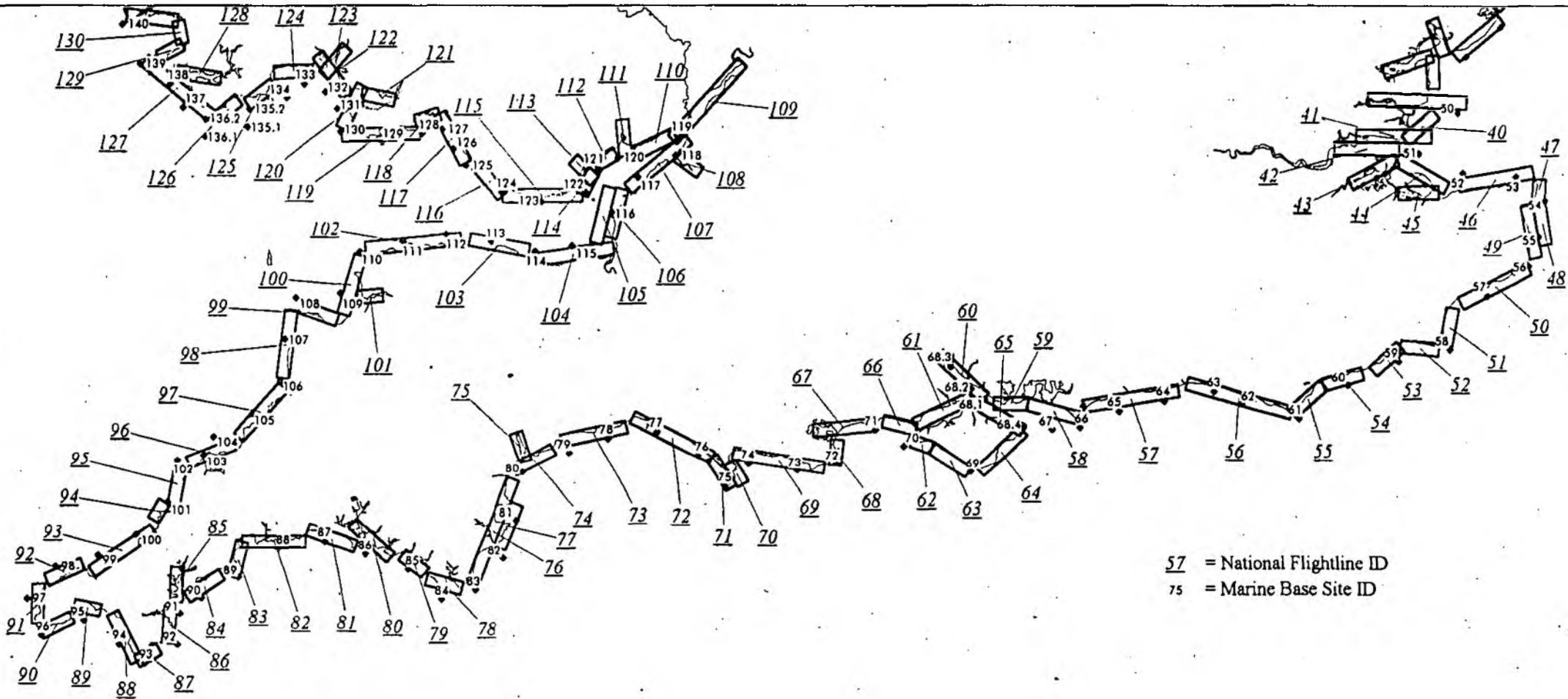
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| BASE 145 CARDIGAN       | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 146 PENLY-BADELL   | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 147 NEWQUAY HEAD   | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 148 PEN PIGYN      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 150 ABERDOVEY      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 159 DYLAN          | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
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| BASE 161 PENRHOS        | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 162 HOLYHEAD       | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 163 MIDDLE MOUSE   | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 164 RED WHARF      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 165 ORME           | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 166 LLANDDULAS     | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 167 CHESTER FLAT   | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 168 WELSH CHANNEL  | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 169 HEI            | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 170 N WIRRAL       | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 171 FORMBY POINT   | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 172 GUT            | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 173 BLACKPOOL      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 174 KING SCAR      | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |
| BASE 175 HILPSFORD      | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 176 DUDDON         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 177 SELKER         | *      |        |        |         |      |      |
| BASE 178 CALDER HALL    | *      | *      | *      |         |      |      |



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| Base | Site name           | Easting | Northing | Boat           | Wessex site | Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3 |
|------|---------------------|---------|----------|----------------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1    | BERWICK             | 401443  | 652107   | Water Guardian | 60100100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 2    | CASTLEHEAD ROCKS    | 413450  | 644616   | Water Guardian | 60100200    | *       |         |         |
| 3    | SHORESTON OUTCARS   | 421779  | 633985   | Water Guardian | 60100300    | *       | *       |         |
| 4    | CRASTER             | 426513  | 620379   | Water Guardian | 60100400    | *       |         | *       |
| 5    | WARKWORTH           | 427260  | 606770   | Water Guardian | 60100500    | *       |         |         |
| 6    | BRIG HEAD           | 430730  | 594089   | Water Guardian | 60100600    | *       | *       |         |
| 7    | BLYTH               | 434352  | 579260   | Water Guardian | 60100700    | *       |         | *       |
| 8    | TYNE (NORTH)        | 438454  | 569686   | Water Guardian | 60100800    | *       |         |         |
| 9    | TYNE (MIDDLE)       | 438895  | 569078   | Water Guardian | 60100900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 10   | TYNE (SOUTH)        | 439317  | 568451   | Water Guardian | 60101000    | *       |         |         |
| 11   | MARSDEN             | 440937  | 566073   | Water Guardian | 60101100    | *       |         |         |
| 12   | WEAR (NORTH)        | 442341  | 559707   | Water Guardian | 60101200    | *       | *       |         |
| 13   | WEAR (MIDDLE)       | 442402  | 558854   | Water Guardian | 60101300    | *       |         | *       |
| 14   | WEAR (SOUTH)        | 442433  | 557927   | Water Guardian | 60101400    | *       |         |         |
| 15   | PINCUSHION ROCK     | 443338  | 551556   | Water Guardian | 60101500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 16   | BLACKHALL           | 449679  | 538324   | Water Guardian | 60101600    | *       |         |         |
| 17   | TEES (NORTH)        | 455462  | 530528   | Water Guardian | 60101700    | *       |         |         |
| 18   | TEES (MIDDLE)       | 456231  | 529147   | Water Guardian | 60101800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 19   | TEES (SOUTH)        | 459667  | 527892   | Water Guardian | 60101900    | *       |         |         |
| 20   | SKINNINGROVE        | 472910  | 521798   | Water Guardian | 60102000    | *       |         |         |
| 21   | SANDSEND            | 486288  | 515059   | Water Guardian | 60102100    | *       | *       |         |
| 22   | ROBIN HOODS BAY     | 497341  | 505265   | Water Guardian | 60102200    | *       |         |         |
| 23   | SCARBOROUGH OUTFALL | 504454  | 492103   | Water Guardian | 60102300    | *       |         | *       |
| 24   | FILEY BRIGG         | 514516  | 481769   | Water Guardian | 60102400    | *       | *       |         |
| 25   | FLAMBOROUGH (NORTH) | 524552  | 472901   | Water Guardian | 60102500    | *       |         | *       |
| 26   | BRIDLINGTON         | 520418  | 466428   | Water Guardian | 60102600    | *       |         |         |
| 27   | HORNSEA             | 520801  | 451653   | Water Guardian | 60102700    | *       | *       | *       |
| 28   | BEACON HILL         | 528006  | 438358   | Water Guardian | 60102800    | *       |         |         |
| 29   | WITHERNSEA          | 536920  | 426310   | Water Guardian | 60102900    | *       |         |         |
| 30   | SPURN HEAD          | 546422  | 414537   | Water Guardian | 60103000    | *       | *       | *       |
| 31   | HAILE SAND FLAT     | 547030  | 405650   | Sea Vigil      | 60303100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 32   | THEDDLETHORPE       | 552061  | 390130   | Sea Vigil      | 60303200    | *       |         |         |
| 33   | CHAPEL ST LEONARDS  | 558791  | 374579   | Sea Vigil      | 60303300    | *       |         | *       |
| 34   | OUTER DOGS HEAD     | 560595  | 357290   | Sea Vigil      | 60303400    | *       |         |         |
| 35   | WASH                | 568866  | 346069   | Sea Vigil      | 60303500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 36   | OVERY, STAITHE      | 585400  | 349600   | Sea Vigil      | 60303600    | *       |         |         |
| 37   | CLEY, LOOKOUT       | 605700  | 347800   | Sea Vigil      | 60303700    | *       | *       | *       |
| 38   | SHERINGHAM          | 617400  | 345300   | Sea Vigil      | 60303800    | *       |         |         |
| 39   | MUNDESLEY           | 632100  | 339700   | Sea Vigil      | 60303900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 40   | LESSINGHAM          | 642300  | 331000   | Sea Vigil      | 60304000    | *       |         |         |
| 41   | WINTERTON           | 652700  | 319400   | Sea Vigil      | 60304100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 42   | GORLESTON           | 656000  | 303600   | Sea Vigil      | 60304200    | *       |         |         |
| 43   | KESSINGLAND         | 656200  | 287300   | Sea Vigil      | 60304300    | *       |         | *       |
| 44   | DUNWICH CLIFFS      | 651400  | 271400   | Sea Vigil      | 60304400    | *       |         |         |
| 45   | THORPENESS          | 649000  | 257600   | Sea Vigil      | 60304500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 46   | SHINGLE STREET      | 638759  | 242982   | Sea Vigil      | 60304600    | *       |         |         |
| 47   | FELIXSTOWE          | 630400  | 231200   | Sea Vigil      | 60304700    | *       | *       | *       |
| 48   | WALTON              | 627500  | 220000   | Sea Vigil      | 60304800    | *       |         |         |
| 49   | JAYWICK             | 616000  | 210600   | Sea Vigil      | 60304900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 50   | MAPLIN BANK         | 613300  | 192600   | Sea Vigil      | 60305000    | *       |         |         |
| 51   | MEDWAY BUOY         | 600023  | 179518   | Sea Vigil      | 60405100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 52   | SHIVERING SAND BUOY | 614810  | 173220   | Vigilance      | 60405200    | *       |         |         |
| 53   | EAST MARGATE        | 632640  | 172140   | Vigilance      | 60405300    | *       |         |         |
| 54   | EAST BRAKE          | 642560  | 164290   | Vigilance      | 60405400    | *       |         |         |
| 55   | GOODWIN FORK BUOY   | 640780  | 152520   | Vigilance      | 60405500    | *       |         |         |
| 56   | SOUTH FORELAND      | 637420  | 142840   | Vigilance      | 60405600    | *       | *       | *       |
| 57   | SANDGATE BAY        | 623350  | 133160   | Vigilance      | 60405700    | *       |         |         |
| 58   | DUNGENESS           | 610960  | 115460   | Vigilance      | 60405800    | *       |         |         |
| 59   | RYE BAY             | 593690  | 111730   | Vigilance      | 60405900    | *       |         |         |

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| 60   | BEXHILL          | 576710  | 103760   | Vigilance | 60406000    | *       |         |         |
| 61   | BEACHY HEAD      | 560440  | 92640    | Vigilance | 60406100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 62   | NEWHAVEN         | 541170  | 97470    | Vigilance | 60406200    | *       |         |         |
| 63   | BRIGHTON         | 531560  | 101530   | Vigilance | 60406300    | *       |         |         |
| 64   | WORTHING         | 514840  | 98340    | Vigilance | 60406400    | *       |         |         |
| 65   | MIDDLETON-ON-SEA | 499850  | 95140    | Vigilance | 60406500    | *       |         |         |
| 66   | SELSEY BILL      | 486600  | 89740    | Vigilance | 60406600    | *       | *       | *       |
| 67   | NAB TOWER        | 477220  | 89080    | Vigilance | 60406700    | *       |         |         |
| 68.1 | EAST BRAMBLES    | 454500  | 99090    | Vigilance | 60406801    | *       |         |         |
| 68.2 | CALSHOT          | 449950  | 102320   | Vigilance | 60406802    | *       | *       | *       |
| 68.3 | DOCKHEAD         | 442954  | 109622   | Vigilance | 60406803    | *       |         |         |
| 68.4 | WEST PRINCESSA   | 467490  | 89410    | Vigilance | 60406804    | *       |         |         |
| 69   | ST CATHERINES    | 449780  | 74450    | Vigilance | 60406900    | *       |         |         |
| 70   | THE NEEDLES      | 427320  | 83450    | Vigilance | 60407000    | *       |         |         |
| 71   | HENGISTBURY HEAD | 417670  | 88880    | Vigilance | 60407100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 72   | ANVIL POINT      | 404752  | 77529    | Vigilance | 60507200    | *       | *       | *       |
| 73   | ST ALDMELMS      | 391444  | 74806    | Vigilance | 60507300    | *       |         |         |
| 74   | WEYMOUTH BAY     | 374897  | 77068    | Vigilance | 60507400    | *       |         |         |
| 75   | PORTLAND BILL    | 366887  | 68905    | Vigilance | 60507500    | *       |         |         |
| 76   | CHESIL           | 357708  | 80056    | Vigilance | 60507600    | *       |         |         |
| 77   | BRIDPORT         | 344060  | 88033    | Vigilance | 60507700    | *       |         |         |
| 78   | SEATON           | 327371  | 85782    | Vigilance | 60607800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 79   | SIDMOUTH         | 314357  | 81023    | Vigilance | 60607900    | *       |         |         |
| 80   | EXMOUTH          | 298768  | 73910    | Vigilance | 60608000    | *       |         |         |
| 81   | TORBAY           | 296654  | 57937    | Vigilance | 60608100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 82   | DARTMOUTH        | 292251  | 45010    | Vigilance | 60608200    | *       |         |         |
| 83   | START POINT      | 282855  | 34413    | Vigilance | 60608300    | *       |         |         |
| 84   | SALCOMBE         | 271484  | 31174    | Vigilance | 60608400    | *       |         |         |
| 85   | BIGBURY BAY      | 260244  | 41176    | Vigilance | 60608500    | *       |         |         |
| 86   | PLYMOUTH         | 246016  | 46192    | Vigilance | 60608600    | *       | *       | *       |
| 87   | EAST LOOE        | 232461  | 50530    | Vigilance | 60608700    | *       |         |         |
| 88   | FOWEY            | 216744  | 48055    | Vigilance | 60608800    | *       |         |         |
| 89   | DODMAN POINT     | 203301  | 38283    | Vigilance | 60608900    | *       |         |         |
| 90   | ST ANTONY HEAD   | 191045  | 31497    | Vigilance | 60609000    | *       |         |         |
| 91   | FALMOUTH         | 183960  | 26360    | Vigilance | 60609100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 92   | BLACK HEAD       | 183110  | 15940    | Vigilance | 60609200    | *       |         |         |
| 93   | LIZARD           | 171990  | 9880     | Vigilance | 60609300    | *       |         |         |
| 94   | MULLION          | 163430  | 15910    | Vigilance | 60609400    | *       |         |         |
| 95   | PENZANCE         | 151330  | 23980    | Vigilance | 60609500    | *       |         |         |
| 96   | RUNNEL STONE     | 137160  | 18980    | Vigilance | 60609600    | *       |         |         |
| 97   | CAPE CORNWALL    | 132110  | 31440    | Vigilance | 60609700    | *       | *       | *       |
| 98   | THE CARRACKS     | 141640  | 42920    | Vigilance | 60609800    | *       |         |         |
| 99   | GODREVY ISLAND   | 156000  | 45800    | Vigilance | 60609900    | *       |         |         |
| 100  | ST AGNES         | 168780  | 52800    | Vigilance | 60610000    | *       |         |         |
| 101  | NEWQUAY          | 179500  | 63850    | Vigilance | 60610100    | *       |         |         |
| 102  | TREVOSE          | 182760  | 77920    | Vigilance | 60610200    | *       |         |         |
| 103  | PADSTOW          | 191671  | 79737    | Vigilance | 60610300    | *       | *       | *       |
| 104  | PORT ISAAC       | 194930  | 86330    | Vigilance | 60610400    | *       |         |         |
| 105  | BOSCASTLE        | 207848  | 93942    | Vigilance | 60610500    | *       |         |         |
| 106  | BUDE             | 217387  | 104811   | Vigilance | 60610600    | *       |         |         |
| 107  | MOREWENSTOWE     | 218976  | 118706   | Vigilance | 60610700    | *       |         |         |
| 108  | HARTLAND POINT   | 222623  | 132318   | Vigilance | 60610800    | *       |         |         |
| 109  | BIDEFORD         | 237456  | 133833   | Vigilance | 60610900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 110  | BULL POINT       | 244082  | 147356   | Vigilance | 60611000    | *       |         |         |
| 111  | COMBE MARTIN     | 258542  | 150774   | Vigilance | 60611100    | *       |         |         |
| 112  | FORELAND         | 272883  | 153182   | Vigilance | 60611200    | *       |         |         |
| 113  | PORLOCK          | 287856  | 150676   | Vigilance | 60511300    | *       |         |         |
| 114  | MINEHEAD         | 302829  | 147589   | Vigilance | 60511400    | *       |         |         |
| 115  | BRIDGWATER BAR   | 315221  | 149213   | Vigilance | 60511500    | *       | *       | *       |

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| 116   | WESTON-SUPER-MARE       | 328422  | 160435   | Vigilance        | 60511600    | *       |         |         |
| 117   | CLEVEDON                | 337342  | 171688   | Vigilance        | 60511700    | *       |         |         |
| 118   | AVONMOUTH               | 350046  | 178825   | Vigilance        | 60511800    | *       |         |         |
| 119   | NO. 1 BEACON            | 351230  | 184940   | Vigilance        | 60511900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 120   | NEWPORT DEEP            | 330560  | 178100   | Vigilance        | 60812000    | *       | *       | *       |
| 121   | CARDIFF ROAD            | 323990  | 174200   | Vigilance        | 60812100    | *       |         |         |
| 122   | LAVERNOCK               | 319740  | 166990   | Vigilance        | 60812200    | *       |         |         |
| 123   | ABERTHAW                | 304980  | 163990   | Vigilance        | 60812300    | *       | *       | *       |
| 124   | NASH POINT              | 291470  | 167040   | Vigilance        | 60812400    | *       |         |         |
| 125   | PORTHCAWL               | 279540  | 175580   | Vigilance        | 60812500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 126   | KENFIG                  | 275210  | 180890   | Vigilance        | 60812600    | *       | *       | *       |
| 127   | PORT TALBOT             | 271670  | 187250   | Vigilance        | 60812700    | *       |         |         |
| 128   | MUMBLES                 | 264920  | 185970   | Vigilance        | 60812800    | *       |         |         |
| 129   | OXWICH                  | 251470  | 183060   | Vigilance        | 60812900    | *       |         |         |
| 130   | WORMS HEAD              | 237680  | 186370   | Vigilance        | 60813000    | *       | *       | *       |
| 131   | LLANELLI                | 236580  | 193880   | Vigilance        | 60813100    | *       |         |         |
| 132   | BURRY PORT              | 232570  | 199170   | Vigilance        | 60813200    | *       | *       | *       |
| 133   | CARMARTHEN              | 225390  | 201800   | Vigilance        | 60813300    | *       |         |         |
| 134   | CALDEY ISLAND           | 219540  | 197440   | Vigilance        | 60813400    | *       | *       | *       |
| 135.1 | OLD CASTLE HEAD (INNER) | 206575  | 187970   | Vigilance        | 60813501    | *       |         |         |
| 135.2 | OLD CASTLE HEAD (OFF)   | 207020  | 193620   | Vigilance        | 60813502    | *       |         |         |
| 136.1 | ST GOVANS (INNER)       | 192260  | 184790   | Vigilance        | 60813601    | *       |         |         |
| 136.2 | ST GOVANS (OFF)         | 192490  | 190400   | Vigilance        | 60813602    | *       |         |         |
| 137   | TURBOT BANK             | 184870  | 194230   | Vigilance        | 60813700    | *       | *       | *       |
| 138   | ST ANNS                 | 180565  | 201679   | Coastal Guardian | 60713800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 139   | SKOMER                  | 170162  | 208214   | Coastal Guardian | 60713900    | *       |         |         |
| 140   | SOUTH BISHOP            | 164072  | 220936   | Coastal Guardian | 60714000    | *       |         |         |
| 141   | ABEREIDDY               | 176570  | 235494   | Coastal Guardian | 60714100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 142   | STRUMBLE HEAD           | 189368  | 242641   | Coastal Guardian | 60714200    | *       |         |         |
| 143   | FISHGUARD               | 197672  | 241368   | Coastal Guardian | 60714300    | *       | *       | *       |
| 144   | PWLL-COCH               | 205900  | 246887   | Coastal Guardian | 60714400    | *       |         |         |
| 145   | CARDIGAN ISLAND         | 214591  | 252771   | Coastal Guardian | 60714500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 146   | PENY-BADELL             | 229134  | 257723   | Coastal Guardian | 60714600    | *       |         |         |
| 147   | NEWQUAY HEAD            | 238369  | 261216   | Coastal Guardian | 60714700    | *       |         |         |
| 148   | PEN PIGYN               | 252332  | 270982   | Coastal Guardian | 60714800    | *       |         |         |
| 149   | ABERYSTWYTH             | 256604  | 281058   | Coastal Guardian | 60714900    | *       | *       | *       |
| 150   | ABERDOVEY               | 258140  | 294925   | Coastal Guardian | 60715000    | *       |         |         |
| 151   | PEN-BWCH POINT          | 253277  | 302489   | Coastal Guardian | 60715100    | *       |         |         |
| 152   | BARMOUTH                | 259294  | 315297   | Coastal Guardian | 60715200    | *       |         |         |
| 153   | SHELL ISLAND            | 253581  | 327524   | Coastal Guardian | 60715300    | *       |         |         |
| 154   | PWLLHELI                | 240180  | 333514   | Coastal Guardian | 60715400    | *       | *       | *       |
| 155   | PORTH CEIRIAD           | 232708  | 323561   | Coastal Guardian | 60715500    | *       |         |         |
| 156   | BARDSEY                 | 214489  | 322368   | Coastal Guardian | 60715600    | *       | *       | *       |
| 157   | PORTH YSGADEN           | 220695  | 337909   | Coastal Guardian | 60715700    | *       |         |         |
| 158   | DINLLAEN                | 227616  | 343224   | Coastal Guardian | 60715800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 159   | DYLAN                   | 241352  | 352029   | Coastal Guardian | 60715900    | *       |         |         |
| 160   | ABERFFRAW               | 232901  | 366233   | Coastal Guardian | 60716000    | *       |         |         |
| 161   | PENRHOS                 | 222588  | 376813   | Coastal Guardian | 60716100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 162   | HOLYHEAD                | 225804  | 385602   | Coastal Guardian | 60716200    | *       |         |         |
| 163   | MIDDLE MOUSE            | 239518  | 396995   | Coastal Guardian | 60716300    | *       | *       | *       |
| 164   | RED WHARF               | 255740  | 384043   | Coastal Guardian | 60716400    | *       |         |         |
| 165   | ORME                    | 275785  | 386259   | Coastal Guardian | 60716500    | *       | *       | *       |
| 166   | LLANDDULAS              | 289027  | 383149   | Coastal Guardian | 60716600    | *       |         |         |
| 167   | CHESTER FLAT            | 302955  | 385626   | Coastal Guardian | 60716700    | *       |         |         |
| 168   | WELSH CHANNEL           | 311290  | 386391   | Coastal Guardian | 60716800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 169   | HE 1 BUOY               | 319146  | 391814   | Coastal Guardian | 60716900    | *       |         |         |
| 170   | NORTH WIRRAL            | 321644  | 395462   | Coastal Guardian | 60717000    | *       | *       | *       |
| 171   | FORMBY POINT            | 323261  | 408435   | Coastal Guardian | 60717100    | *       |         |         |
| 172   | GUT                     | 325516  | 423234   | Coastal Guardian | 60717200    | *       | *       | *       |

## Coastal Baseline Survey Site Details

| Base | Site name   | Easting | Northing | Boat             | Wessex site | Group 1 | Group 2 | Group 3 |
|------|-------------|---------|----------|------------------|-------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 173  | BLACKPOOL   | 327725  | 438035   | Coastal Guardian | 60717300    | *       |         |         |
| 174  | KING SCAR   | 329673  | 450801   | Coastal Guardian | 60717400    | *       | *       | *       |
| 175  | HILPSFORD   | 317047  | 460468   | Coastal Guardian | 60717500    | *       |         |         |
| 176  | DUDDON      | 311551  | 471698   | Coastal Guardian | 60717600    | *       |         |         |
| 177  | SELKER      | 304434  | 486678   | Coastal Guardian | 60717700    | *       |         |         |
| 178  | CALDER HALL | 297170  | 501675   | Coastal Guardian | 60717800    | *       | *       | *       |
| 179  | WHITEHAVEN  | 292652  | 516620   | Coastal Guardian | 60717900    | *       |         |         |
| 180  | WORKINGTON  | 297151  | 531356   | Coastal Guardian | 60718000    | *       |         |         |
| 181  | SOLWAY BUOY | 303426  | 543740   | Coastal Guardian | 60718100    | *       | *       | *       |
| 182  | MIDDLE BUOY | 298653  | 546533   | Coastal Guardian | 60718200    | *       |         |         |
| 183  | BALCARRY    | 283026  | 546912   | Coastal Guardian | 60718300    | *       |         |         |
| 184  | ABBAY HEAD  | 271290  | 541294   | Coastal Guardian | 60718400    | *       |         |         |
| 185  | MEGGERLAND  | 258289  | 545024   | Coastal Guardian | 60718500    | *       |         |         |
| 186  | ST NINIANS  | 250301  | 536374   | Coastal Guardian | 60718600    | *       | *       | *       |

**NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, MAY 1995**

| Vessel           | May 1 - 7 | May 8 - 14 | May 15 - 21 | May 22 - 28 |
|------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| Coastal Guardian |           | >>>>>>>>>> | >>>>>>>>>>  |             |
| Sea Vigil        |           |            |             | >>>>>>>>>>  |
| Vigilance        |           | >>>>>>>>>> | >>>>>>>>>>  | >>>>>>>>>>  |
| Water Guardian   |           |            | >>>>>>>>>>  |             |

**NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, JULY 1995**

| Vessel           | July 3 - 9 | July 10 - 16 | July 17 - 23 | July 24 - 30 |
|------------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Coastal Guardian |            |              | >>>>>>>>>>   | >>>>>>>>>>   |
| Sea Vigil        |            |              |              | >>>>>>>>>>   |
| Vigilance        | >>>>>>>>>> | >>>>>>>>>>   | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |
| Water Guardian   |            | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |              |

**NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, SEPTEMBER 1995**

| Vessel           | Sept 4 - 10 | Sept 11 - 17 | Sept 18 - 24 | Sept 25 - 30 |
|------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Coastal Guardian |             | >>>>>>>>>>   | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |
| Sea Vigil        |             | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |              |
| Vigilance        | >>>>>>>>>>  | >>>>>>>>>>   | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |
| Water Guardian   | >>>>>>>>>>  |              |              |              |



*Group 3 - Organics. Measured at one third of all baseline sites (see site list).*

| <b>Det. code</b> | <b>Determinand</b>   | <b>Units</b> | <b>LOD</b> |
|------------------|----------------------|--------------|------------|
| 3081             | Isodrin              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3082             | Hexachloro-benzine   | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3083             | Hexachloro-butadiene | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3142             | PCB 28               | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3145             | PCB 52               | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3148             | PCB 101              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3151             | PCB 118              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3154             | PCB 138              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3157             | PCB 153              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3160             | PCB 180              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3276             | Aldrin               | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3294             | DDE-PP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3295             | DDE-OP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3296             | DDT-OP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3297             | DDT-PP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3301             | Dieldrin             | ug/l         | .005       |
| 3306             | Endrin               | ug/l         | 0.01       |
| 3310             | HCH-Alpha            | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3311             | HCH-Beta             | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3312             | HCH-Delta            | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3313             | HCH-Gamma            | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3329             | TDE-OP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |
| 3330             | TDE-PP'              | ug/l         | 0.005      |

## CHEMICAL DETERMINAND LISTS

*Group 1 - Inorganics. Measured at every baseline site*

| Det Code | Determinand               | Units   | LOD   |
|----------|---------------------------|---------|-------|
| 0105     | Mercury Total             | ug/l    | 0.03  |
| 0106     | Cadmium Dissolved         | ug/l    | 0.25  |
| 0135     | Suspended Solids 105 C    | mg/l    | 5     |
| 0143     | Solids non-volatile 500 ) | mg/l    | 5     |
| 0189     | Orthophosphate            | ug/l P  | 5     |
| 0729     | Chlorophyll-a             | ug/l    | 0.2   |
| 3403     | Ammonia                   | ug/l N  | 6     |
| 3404     | Nitrite                   | ug/l N  | 2     |
| 3420     | Silicate                  | mg/l Si | 0.025 |
| 7213     | Copper Dissolved          | ug/l    | 0.5   |
| 7230     | Lead Dissolved            | ug/l    | 2.5   |
| 7243     | Zinc Dissolved            | ug/l    | 4     |
| 7354     | Arsenic Dissolved         | ug/l    | 2.5   |
| 7373     | Chromium Dissolved        | ug/l    | 1.5   |
| 7427     | Nickel Dissolved          | ug/l    | 3     |
| 9991     | Total Oxidised Nitrogen   | mg/l N  | 0.01  |

*Group 2 - Inorganics. (Total metals) measured at one third of all baseline sites (see site selection lists). These samples are taken to cross check internal sampling contaminants*

| Det. code | Determinand*       | Units | LOD  |
|-----------|--------------------|-------|------|
| 0108      | Cadmium dissolved  | ug/l  | 0.25 |
| 7215      | Copper dissolved   | ug/l  | 0.5  |
| 7229      | Lead dissolved     | ug/l  | 2.5  |
| 7245      | Zinc dissolved     | ug/l  | 5    |
| 7356      | Arsenic dissolved  | ug/l  | 2.5  |
| 7375      | Chromium dissolved | ug/l  | 2    |
| 7429      | Nickel dissolved   | ug/l  | 3    |

### NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, VIGILANCE, MAY 1995

| Action / Date                   | May 22 - 28 | May 29 - June 4 | June 5 - 11 |
|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Last week of Baseline Survey    | >>>>>>>>>>  |                 |             |
| Qubit data to National Centre   |             |                 | By June 9*  |
| Skalar data to National Centre  |             |                 | By June 9 * |
| Profile data to National Centre |             |                 | By June 9 * |

### NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, VIGILANCE, JULY 1995

| Action / Date                   | July 24 - 30 | July 30 - Aug 6 | Aug 7 - 13  |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Last week of Baseline Survey    | >>>>>>>>>>   |                 |             |
| Qubit data to National Centre   |              |                 | By Aug 11 * |
| Skalar data to National Centre  |              |                 | By Aug 11 * |
| Profile data to National Centre |              |                 | By Aug 11 * |

### NATIONAL BASELINE SCHEDULE, VIGILANCE, SEPT 1995

| Action / Date                   | Sept 11 - 17 | Sept 18 - 24 | Sept 25 - Oct 1 |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Last week of Baseline Survey    | >>>>>>>>>>   |              |                 |
| Qubit data to National Centre   |              |              | By Sept 29 *    |
| Skalar data to National Centre  |              |              | By Sept 29 *    |
| Profile data to National Centre |              |              | By Sept 29 *    |

\* Data return dates due two weeks after completion of survey.



DATE  
OFFICER

INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION SHEET



AQUASHUTTLE

AQUATRACE

| AQUASHUTTLE  |          |                 | AQUATRACE |          |                 |
|--------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|
| DO           | ORIGINAL | CALIBRATED      | DO        | ORIGINAL | CALIBRATED      |
| 0%           |          |                 | 0%        |          |                 |
| 100%         |          |                 | 100%      |          |                 |
| AQUASHUTTLE  |          |                 | AQUATRACE |          |                 |
| pH           | ORIGINAL | CALIBRATED      | pH        | ORIGINAL | CALIBRATED      |
| 4            |          |                 | 4         |          |                 |
| 7            |          |                 | 7         |          |                 |
| 10           |          |                 | 10        |          |                 |
| SALINITY     | STANDARD | RESISTANCE LOOP | SALINITY  | STANDARD | RESISTANCE LOOP |
|              |          |                 |           |          |                 |
| TRANSMISSION | ORIGINAL | CALIBRATED      | NOTES     |          |                 |
| 0%           |          |                 |           |          |                 |
| 100%         |          |                 |           |          |                 |

Baseline Survey : Profile Data

Date / /

| Depth   | Temp. | Sal. | D.O. |
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| Surface |       |      |      |
| 0.5 m   |       |      |      |
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Site Number  
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# Survey Description

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Vessel

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Contractor

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Survey Officer

## On Scene Conditions at Baseline Sites

Survey Vessel  
Survey Officer

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| Site Name        |  |
| Site Number      |  |
| Date             |  |
| Time             |  |
| Tidal Direction  |  |
| Tidal Speed      |  |
| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |

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| Site Number      |  |
| Date             |  |
| Time             |  |
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| Tidal Speed      |  |
| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |

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| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |

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| Tidal Speed      |  |
| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |

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| Tidal Speed      |  |
| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |

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| Date             |  |
| Time             |  |
| Tidal Direction  |  |
| Tidal Speed      |  |
| Wind Direction   |  |
| Aprox Wind Speed |  |





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