

PISCES V DIVE REPORT

Pilot A. WRIGHT Wt. _____
 Observer Scott France Wt. _____
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Dive # DV-302
 Date 9-21-96

Observer EWANN AGENBROAD Wt. _____
 Observer Title/Affil. W.H.O.I

Time of Dive 0820
 Time of Surface 1626
 Time Submerged 8:06
 Time Thru Last Dive 1710:48
 Total Time to Dive 1778:54
 Dive Depth 537m
 Water Depth 537m
 Water Temp. 5.8°C
 Visibility _____
 ABT # at Neutral _____
 Captain _____

Dive Location Kailua Kona
 Lat. N 19° 37.45' Long. W. 156° 02.06'
 Purpose: Research Training Demo
 Other: _____
 Special Equipment:
 Camera (type) STANDARD Complement
 Manipulator STANDARD Complement
 Other _____
 Support Vessel R/V Kaimikai O Kanaha

Dive Results/Remarks: LANDED on 30° Sandy Slope w/ Basalt Boulders. Area populated
Sparsely w/ Branched Bamboo Corals. Move upslope to 500m collecting branched Bamboos.
At 500m, collect 1st pink "Corallium" previous pink Coral. Proceed upslope to 420m. This
area is heavily populated by "Hyalia" sp sponges on the sandy areas, and densely populated
by Isidid branched bamboo and corallium previous pink corals on the basaltic blocks.
Collected orange sessile ctenophore @ 419m on stalk of dead Hyalia sponge.
proceed to North in the 420-450m band collecting corallium and Isidid
corals along the transect. Collect a feather like Antipillararian @ 428m.
Line bottom from 355m. Very little in the way of sponge or coral specimens
above 400m. 400-350m = Gentle Sandy slope. Barren.

Equipment Deficiencies: _____

Pilot *[Signature]*
 Ops. Mgr. *[Signature]*

Date 9-22-96
 Date 9.23.96