

HAWAII UNDERSEA RESEARCH LABORATORY

QUICK LOOK REPORT MISSION NO. RCV-119

MISSION STATUS

Location: Cross Seamount

Mission Date: 11/07/01

Maximum Depth: 480 meters

Project Title: Monk Seal / Precious Coral Interaction

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Scientific Data Acquired: Prepare an abstract outlining your objectives, techniques, findings, etc.

This ROV transect was run from the summit amphitheater to the N.E. slope. For general reconnaissance. No deep water corals were encountered until the precipitous 400 m drop off. Corals were limited to the contour and not evident on the extremely steep slope.

MISSION EVALUATION:

Limitations, failures, or operational problems noted:

None

Recommendations for corrective action or improvement:

NA

In your opinion, did the mission essentially achieve its purpose? Compare actual work accomplished with the work that was expected to be accomplished.

Yes

List specimens or samples collected on the mission.

NA

DATA RELEASE

Data may be retained by the project leader for up to 2 years after the mission date with the following exception. NOAA may request to use photos for publication or publicity purposes at any time.

Fill in the appropriate statement below and sign this form.

I hereby release the data archived by HURL for public consumption following

mission _____ (project title)

held on _____ (date) in the following way:

- a. CTD data by _____ (date)
- b. voice transcripts, video, and still camera film by _____ (date)
- c. other _____ (date)
- d. I will give my written consent to individuals wishing to use these data prior to the above dates depending on the nature of the request(s)

Principal Investigator