

2.4 Bathymetric Survey

The bathymetric survey on this study was conducted on October to November 2009 during the baseline study in Phase 2, using a set of single-beam echo sounder, in the lagoon area of Fongafale islet as shown in Figure 5.11. Moreover, detailed bathymetric survey was performed on the end of June 2010 during the feasibility study in the target zone for coastal protection measures.

(1) Bathymetric Survey in Fongafale

a) Overview of Bathymetric Survey

The survey achieved coverage within the lagoon to an average distance of 1.0 km from the shoreline, reaching water depths of some 50 meters, mainly along the coastline of Fongafale islet as shown in Figure 2.17. The survey lines were spaced at about 100 meters interval and the total survey lines were more than 200 lines.

The positioning during the survey was performed by RTK GPS, using a Trimble R8 system. The GPS base station was set up at two different locations during the survey to get a real time kinematic GPS positions during the survey.

Observed soundings from the bathymetric survey were reduced to the Chart Datum using hourly sea level data from the tide gauge in Funafuti through the South Pacific Sea Level and Climate Monitoring Project.

The processed data were individually plotted as per the surveyed lines and these transect lines are shown in cross sectional profiles with event marks at 50 meters interval.

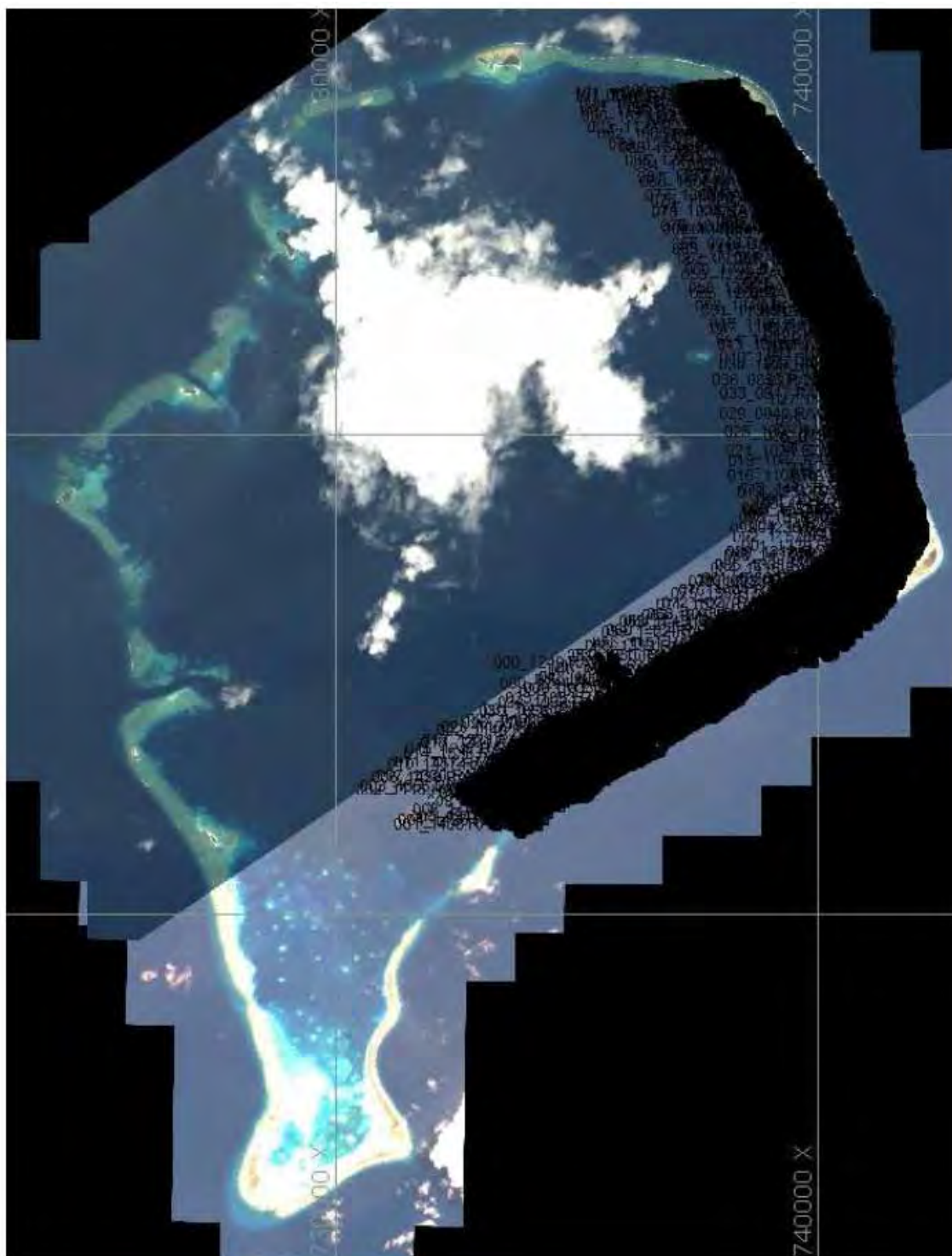


Figure 2.17 Sounding Coverage in Funafuti Lagoon

b) Result of Bathymetric Survey

The details for the bathymetric survey results are provided in “Data Book” attached to this report. The contents of the bathymetric survey in the Data Book are as follows;

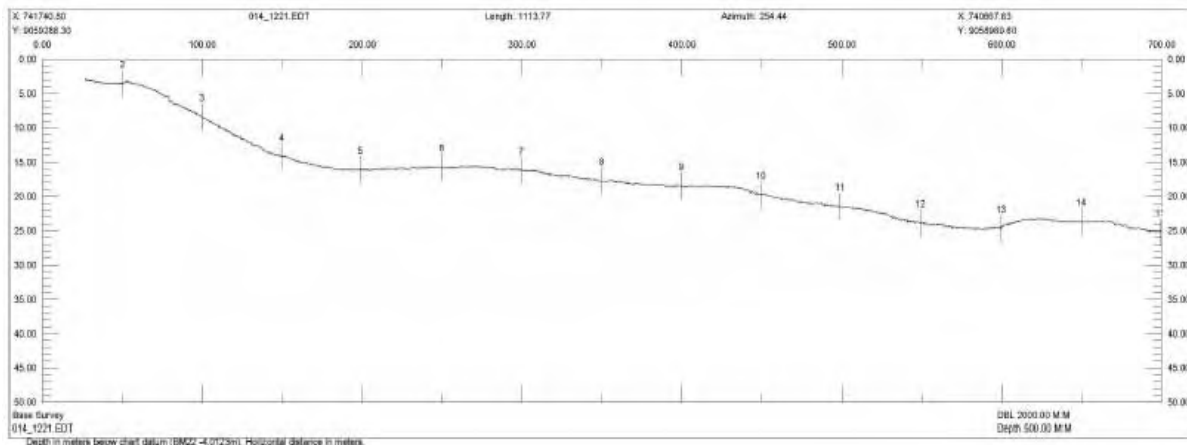
- ① Coverage of echo-sounding in Funafuti lagoon
- ② Cross-section of survey lines in Funafuti lagoon
- ③ Bathymetric map in Funafuti lagoon

The results of the bathymetric survey in the lagoon area on this study were compiled as a set of cross sections more than 200 lines and a bathymetric chart. These results are shown in Data Book together with coverage of echo-sounding (track chart) as mentioned above.

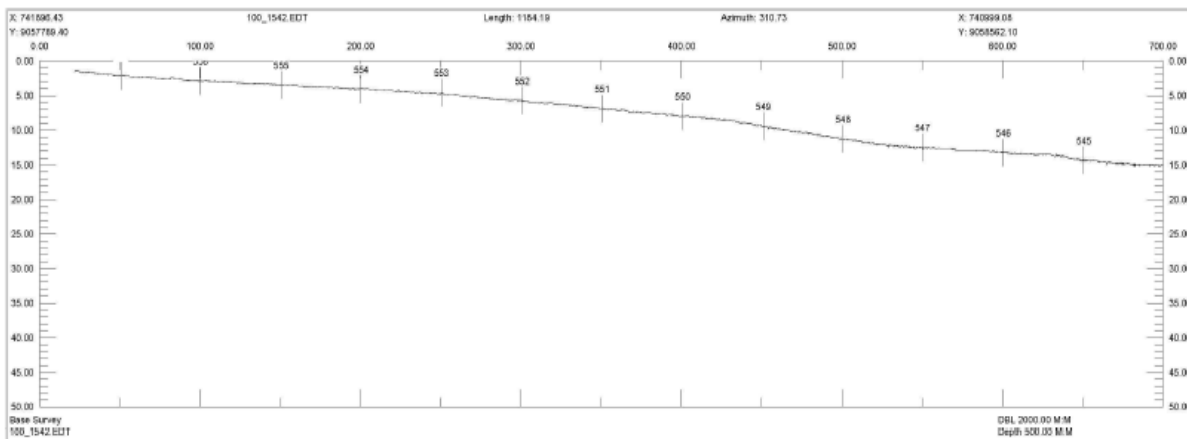
Figure 2.18 shows representative samples of cross sections in front of the Fisheries Department (the north part of Fongafale), the south of Catalina Ramp (the central part of Fongafale) and the Water Boy: seawater desalination station (the south part of Fongafale) as a reference.

The resultant data compilation was used to produce a bathymetry chart of Funafuti at a scale of 1:250,000 in the A0 sized chart. These new bathymetric maps give a descriptive picture of the ocean bottom terrain, vividly revealing the size, shape and distribution of underwater features. Figure 2.19 is the reduced drawing of these bathymetric maps.

North Part (Line N-14: Fisheries Dep.)



Central Part (Line S-100: Catalina Ramp)



South Part (Line S-85: Water Boy)

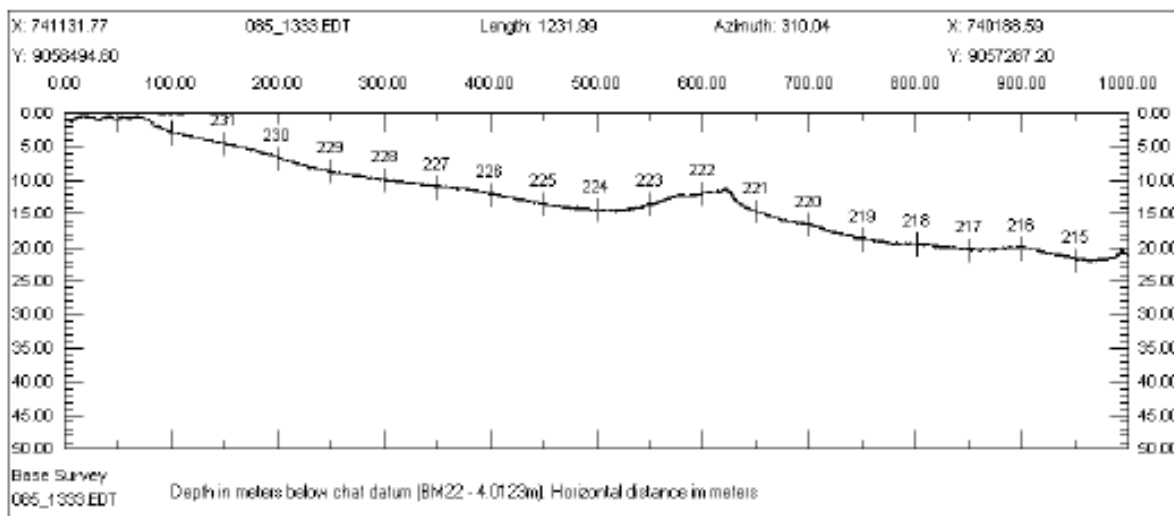


Figure 2.18 Sample of Cross Sections in Funafuti Lagoon

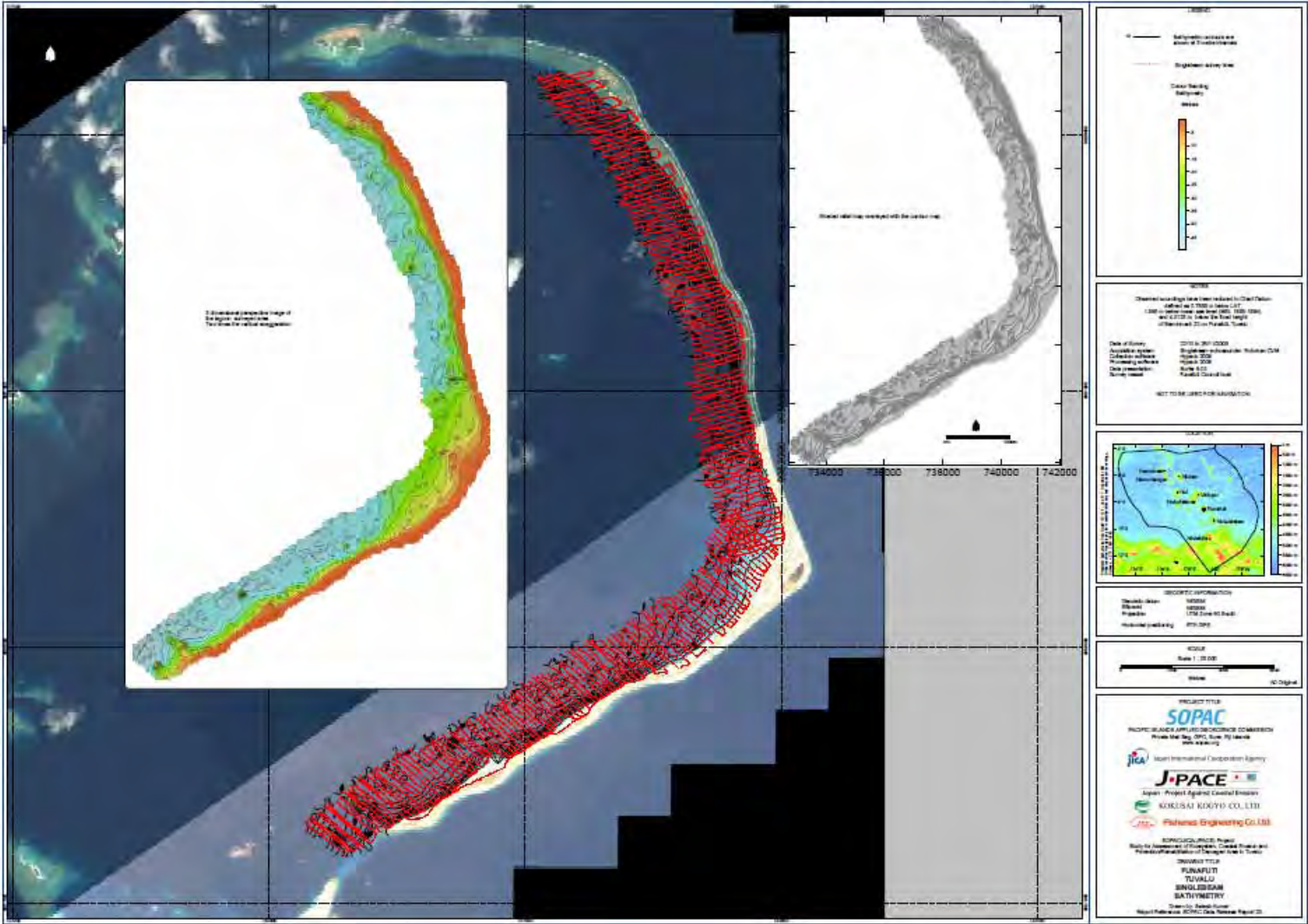


Figure 2.19 Bathymetric Maps in Funafuti Lagoon

2.5 Bottom Sediment Survey

2.5.1 Methodology

The bottom material sampling was made at 2 points on the oceanic side and at 13 points in the lagoon (sea bottom sand sampling) and at 20 points in the vicinity of the shore line (shore line sand sampling), or 35 points in total.

The sampling was made in the surface layer.

The sampling positions were measured using a simple handheld Garmin GPS.

The sea bottom sand sampling was obtained using the Ekman-Birge type bottom sampler prepared by Client.

The shore line sand sampling was obtained by a surveyor with a hand scoop to collect samples directly. Samples were collected 3 times or more per sampling point as mixed samples.

In the field survey, the weather, atmospheric temperature, wave grade, water depth, smell of samples, appearance of samples (sand material color, admixtures) was recorded.

The collected samples were dried out in sunlight in Tuvalu and again in an oven at SOPAC premises at 70°Celsius.

The dried samples were split into two, one for grain size analysis and the other for analysis of sand composition ratio.

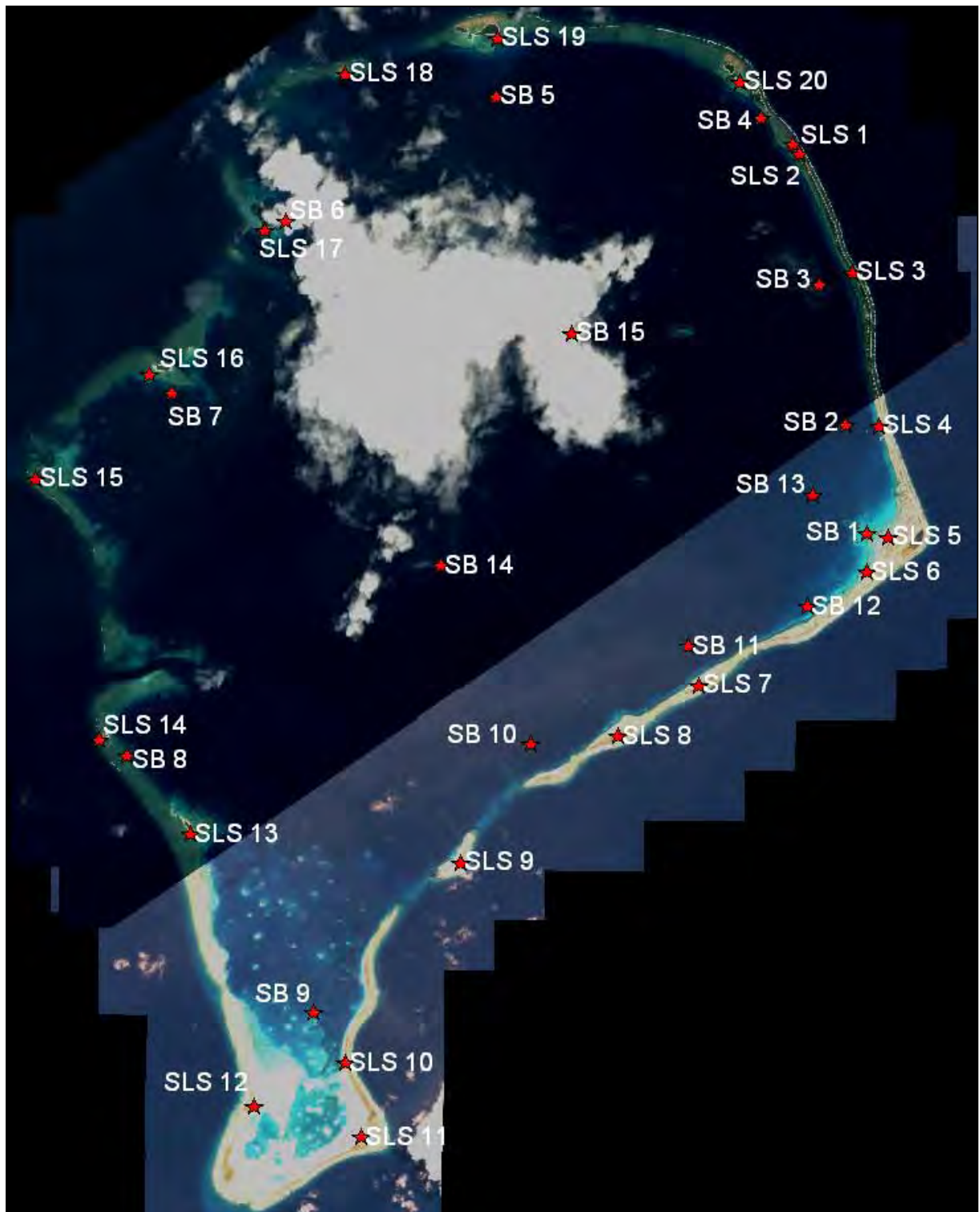


Figure2.20 Sample location map

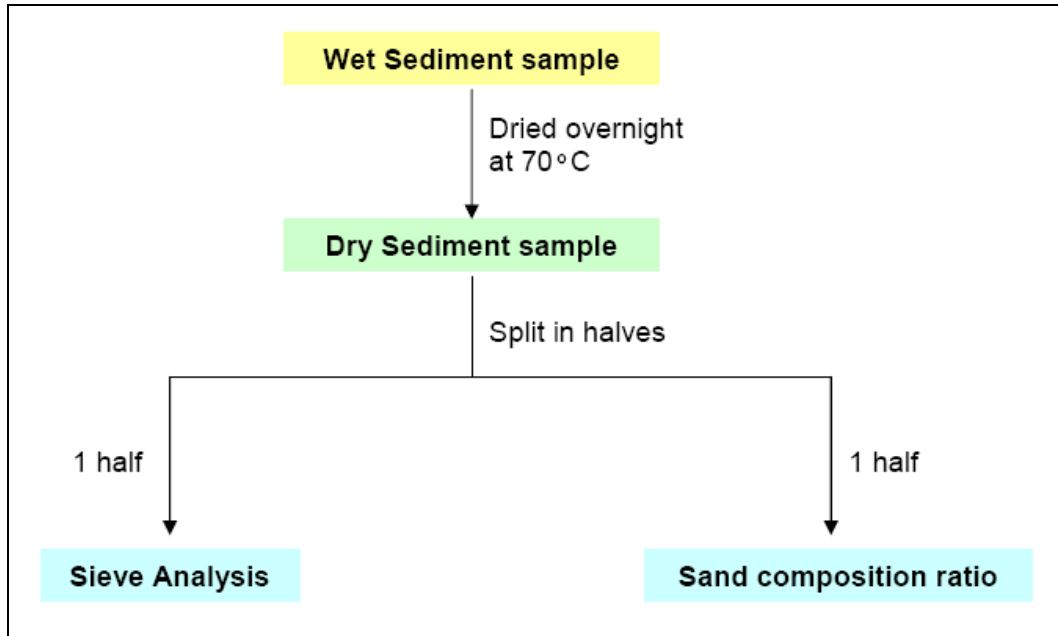


Figure 2.21 Sediment sample analysis procedure.



Figure 2.22. Hand-held GPS used for getting sample site locations.

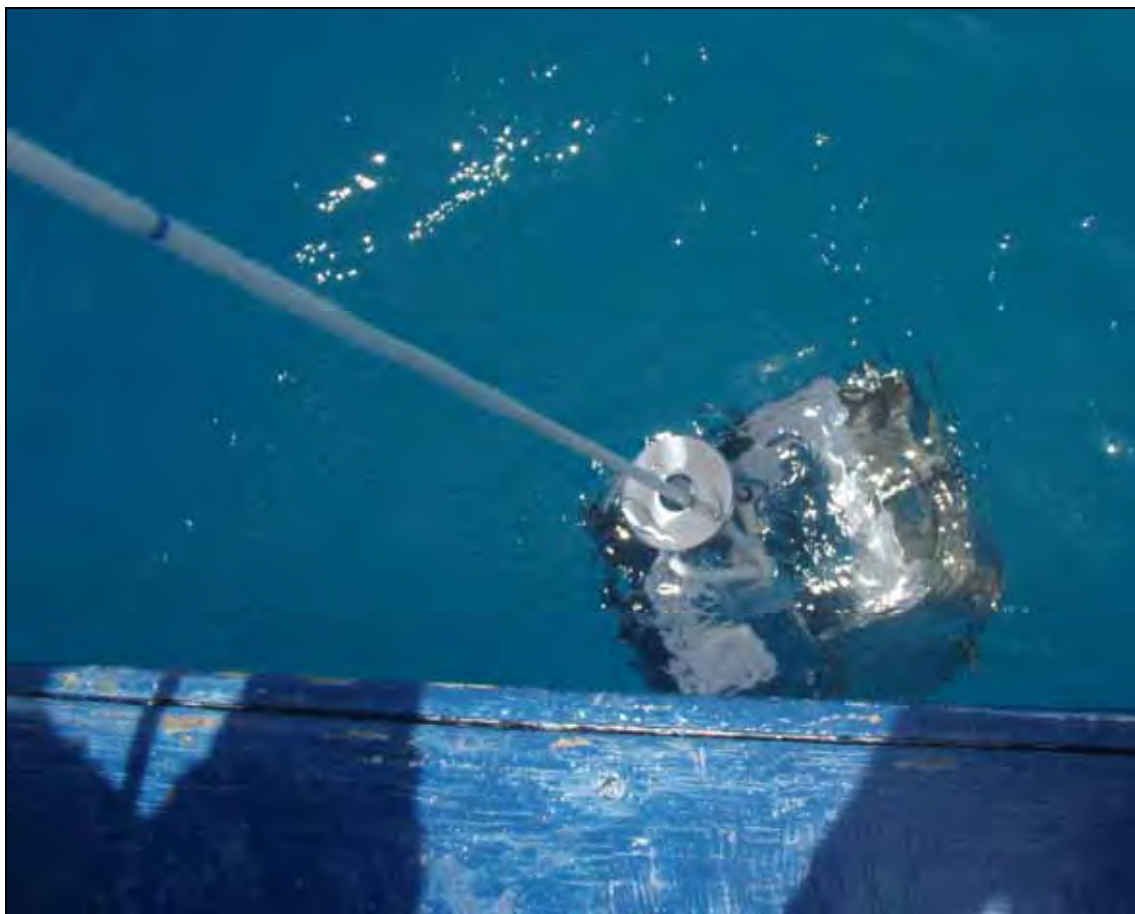


Figure 2.23 Sea bottom sand sampling using the Ekman-Birge type bottom sediment sampler



Figure 2.24 Sand samples set out to dry in Tuvalu

2.5.2 RESULTS

(1) Sediment Sample Log Sheet

Date: Monday 26/10/09

Collector: Ashishika and Sales

Collectors No.	Location	Time	Latitude	Longitude	Colour	Size	Components	Hand Specimen
SLS 14	Vasafua	0835	08 33 31.9	179 03 01.5	Pale cream with pinkish forams	Medium to coarse with rubble cobble size	Foraminifera, shell fragments, coral rubble	Medium grain size, to coarse sand with rubble and cobble sized grains
SLS 10	Funafara	0924	08 37 05.3	179 05 46.3	White/grey	Medium	Forams, shell fragments, beach rock fragments	Coral and shell fragments, small to medium size grains. Pale grey in color
SLS 11	Telele	1000	08 37 54.8	179 05 56.5	Pinkish and white sediment particles	Fine to medium. Some coarse.	Shell fragments, lots of forams	Fine to medium, some coarse. Pink sediment (forams) dominant)
SLS 12	Tefala	1116	08 37 34.1	179 04 43.6	Light pink to orange	Fine to medium. Some pebbles.	Forams, coral fragments, rock pebbles.	Light orange colored sediments, Beachrock surrounding the area and lots of beachrock fragments in the sediment.
SB 9	Southern part of lagoon, in between Tefala and Mateiko	1123	08 36 32.3	179 05 23.7	Cream	Very fine	Very fine sand.	Very fine cream colored sand. Crabs and worms visible. Depth = 14.5m

SLS 13	Fuagea	1525	08 34 33.8	179 03 59.7	Pink (forams), white (forams, coral fragments and shells)	Medium to coarse	Forams, shell and corral fragments	Pink and white sediments, consisting of forams, shell and coral fragments.
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Date: Tuesday 27/10/09

Collector: Ashishika and Salesh

Collector's No.	Location	Time	Latitude	Longitude	Color	Size	Components	Description
SLS 20	Sand key between Mulitefala and Amatuku	0848 am	08 26 11.9	179 10 06.4	White to grey	Medium to coarse. Pebbles are dominant	Coral fragments, beach rock pebbles, forams	Coarse, pebbly sediment, greyish in color. Forams dominant if dig in deeper.
SLS 17	Tepuka	0933	08 27 52.5	179 04 49.4	Pink and white	Medium to coarse	Coral fragments, forams	Mostly pinkish sediment consisting mainly of forams, with whitish coral fragments.
SLS 16	Fualopa	1108	08 29 28.5	179 03 33.7	White surface sediment with pinkish foram dominant sediment underneath	Medium to coarse	Shell fragments, coral fragments, forams, beach rock fragments	Coral rubble, beach rock fragments, forams below surface

SLS 15	Fuafatu	1216	08 30 38.5	179 02 15.5	Greyish	Medium to coarse, littered with rubble and rock cobbles	Coral and beach rock fragments. Forams.	Coral and rock fragments/ cobbles/ rubble and forams. Grey creamy color.
SB 8	Between Vasafua and Fuagea	1255	08 33 41.9	179 03 19.7	Pink and white	Medium to coarse	Lots of forams, <i>M. vertebralis</i> and <i>Amphistegina</i>	Grab sample attempted at 3 different places with no luck before sample was collected at location close to reef. Sample depth at 9m
SB 7	Off Fualopa	1402	08 29 40.8	179 03 46.7	Pale pink to creamy sediments	Very fine to medium with some coarse.	<i>Halimeda</i> , red coral and shell fragments	Grab sample with fine to coarse particles, <i>Halimeda</i> and red coral fragments shown along with forams and shell fragments
SB 6	Off Tepuka	1555	08 27 46.5	179 05 3.6	Cream colored	Very fine with forams	Very fine sand. Some forams can be seen	Grab sample at 10 m. Very fine sand with forams and worms.
SB 4	Middle of Amatuku and Tengako	1739	08 26 36.3	179 10 21.3	Cream pink	Very fine with forams	Forams, fine sand	Grab sample at 12 m. Sediment very fine and littered with forams

Date: Wednesday 28/10/09

Collector: Ashishika, Salesh and Toutou

Collector's No.	Location	Time	Latitude	Longitude	Color	Size	Components	Description
SLS 1	Northern tip of Tengako	0823	08 26 53.1	179 10 40.0	Light orange, grey at LWM	Medium to coarse	Forams, coral fragments, beachrock fragments	Medium to coarse sediments consisting of beach rock fragments and coral fragments. Forams dominant. Area surrounded by beachrock.
SLS 2	Middle of Tengako Islands	0850	08 26 59.1	179 10 44.5	Grey pinkish orange	Medium to coarse	Forams, shell fragments, coral fragments, beach rock fragments	Beach layered in sediment sizes. Generally medium to coarse sediments consisting of forams, shell, coral and beach rock fragments
SLS 3	Causeway	0928	08 28 18.4	179 11 22.0	Light orange	Medium to coarse, with scattered pebbles	Forams, shells and coral fragments	Very little sand around the causeway. Area surrounded by beachrock.
SB 3	Site in line with the causeway but in deeper waters.	0944	08 28 26.6	179 10 58.0	Pale pinkish color	Coarse	95 % <i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample taken at depth of 33m. Sediments consist mostly of <i>Halimeda</i> .
SB 15	Middle of lagoon	1015	08 28 59.9	179 08 11.8	Cream to pale green	Coarse	Mostly <i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample taken at 49m. Sediments consist of mostly <i>Halimeda</i> .

SB 14	Middle of lagoon	1045	08 31 34.4	179 06 47.5	Pale green	Coarse	Mostly <i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample taken at 40m. Sediments mostly <i>Halimeda</i> of a new kind of species. <i>Halimeda</i> seems to be growing at base of an alga.
SLS 9	Falefatu	1122	08 34 51.7	179 06 59.7	Cream	Very fine sand with reef rubble surrounding the area	Sand is too fine to see with eye. Reef rubble.	A patch of very fine sand surrounded by reef rubble
SB 10	Off Funamanu (Te Ula Bunga)	1141	08 33 32.6	179 07 48.9	Pale green and pink	Coarse	<i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample at depth 40m. 95% <i>Halimeda</i> in the sediments
SLS 8	Funangongo	1157	08 33 27.2	179 08 44.0	Cream	Fine to coarse sand with big boulders scattered around	Coral fragments, beach rock fragments, Forams	Coral and beach rock fragments. Boulders of max 50 cm diameter.
SLS 7	Fatato	1217	08 32 53.1	179 09 39.2	White to cream colored	Coarse sand, pebbles, rubble	Forams, beach rock fragments, coral fragments	Sand quite coarse with pebbles, rubble dominant all around the site.
SB 11	Paasage between Fatato and Fongafale	1230	08 32 27.1	179 09 31.2	Pinkish reddish color	Coarse	<i>Halimeda</i> , gastropods.	Grab sample at 41m. Mostly <i>Halimeda</i> , some gastropods.
SB 12	Off Fongafale	1314	08 32 00.6	179 10 50.9	Cream	Very fine, white mud	Too fine to tell with naked eye	Very fine white sediment, mud and clay sized

SLS 6	Fongafale (Vaiaku)	1330	08 31 37.2	179 11 32.7	Light pink to orange	Medium to coarse sand	Forams, coral fragments	Medium to coarse sand, with reef pebbles, cobbles, rubble and boulders scattered around
SLS 5	Fongafale	1345	08 31 14.0	179 11 44.9	Light orange	Fine to medium sand	Forams	Sandy shore. Fine to medium sand grains.
SB 1	Off Fongafale (Vaiaku)	1357	08 31 11.6	179 11 30.2	Pinkish/ brownish	Medium to coarse	Forams, seagrapes	Grab sample at 6 meters, consisting of forams and seagrapes.
SB 13	Off Fongafale	1418	08 30 46.1	179 10 53.6	Creamy	Coarse	<i>Halimeda</i> , Seagrapes, sponge, some forams	Grab sample at 28 m. Pinkish sponge in the sediment
SLS 18	Te Afualiku	1509	08 26 08.1	179 05 41.1	Orange, pink and white	Medium to coarse	Forams, coral fragments	Medium to coarse with coral pebbles and rubble.
SLS 19	Fualifeke	1524	08 25 44.0	179 07 22.6	Pinkish	Medium to coarse	Forams, coral rubble, shell fragments	Medium to coarse sediments with pebbles scattered. Some green algae growing.
SB 5	Off Fualifeke	1534	08 26 22.6	179 07 22.8	Cream	Very Fine to coarse	Fine sand with coarse <i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample at 41 m consisted of fine sand with <i>Halimeda</i> .

SB 2	Off Fongafale (wharf area)	1626	08 29 59.9	179 11 18.8	Pale pink and cream	Fine to coarse	Fine sand with coarse <i>Halimeda</i>	Grab sample at 36m. Fine sand with coarse <i>Halimeda</i> .
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Date: Monday 02/11/09
 Collector: Ashishika, Sales and Jens

Collector's No.	Location	Time	Latitude	Longitude	Color	Size	Components	Description
Causeway (C510)	Off Causeway		-8.47312	179.18774	Pale pink and cream	Fine to Medium	Forams, coral fragments	Grab sample at 10m. Fine to medium sand with Forams.
Vaiaku (Wavehunter)	Off Vaiaku in 10m of water	1100	08 31 10.9	179 11 22.2	Pale pink and cream	Fine to Medium	Forams, coral fragments	Grab sample at 10m. Fine to medium sand with Forams.

Date: Thursday 05/11/09
 Collector: Ashishika, Sales

Collector's No.	Location	Time	Latitude	Longitude	Color	Size	Components	Description
SLS 4	North of Wharf area, Fongafale	1514	08 29 55.0	179 11 40.2	Light brown to yellow	Fine to Coarse, pebbles strewn in area.	Forams, coral fragments, pebbles, washed up <i>Halimeda</i>	Fine to coarse sand with Forams. Boulders/cobbles at HWM

(2) Site Pictures
Shoreline Samples



SLS 1



SLS 2



SLS 3



SLS 4



SLS 5



SLS 6



SLS 7



SLS 8



SLS 9



SLS 10



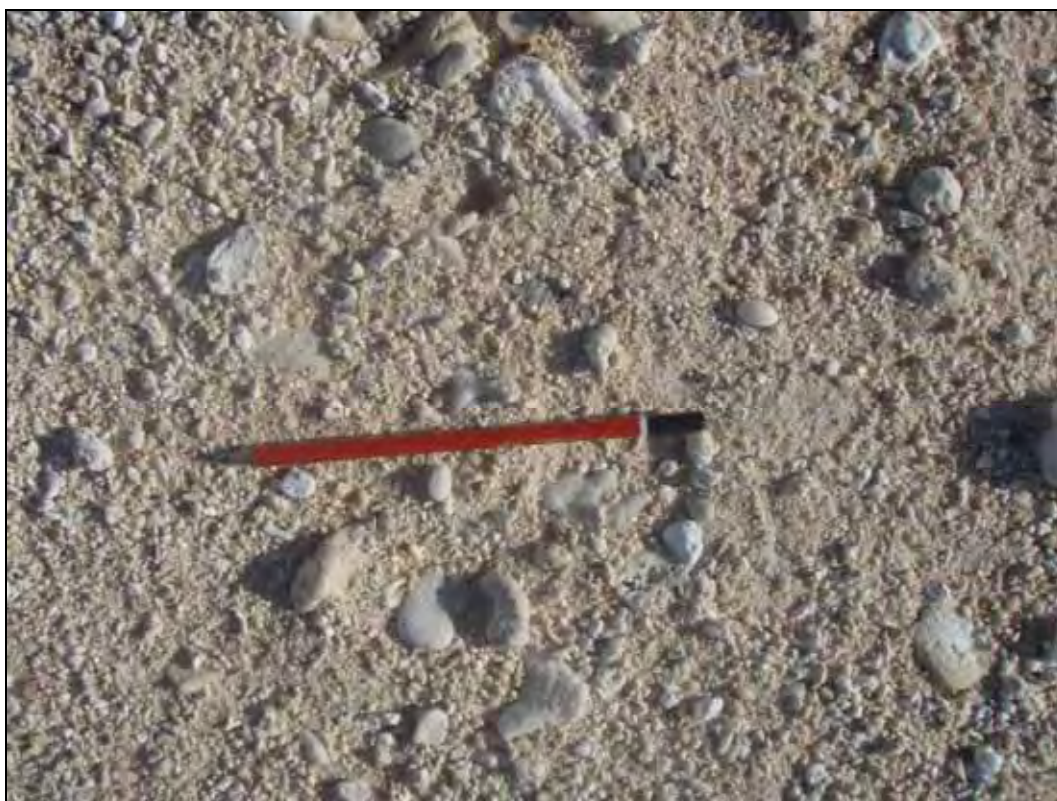
SLS 11



SLS 12



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SLS 14



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SLS 20

Sea Bottom Samples



SB 1



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SB 3



SB 4



SB 6



SB 7



SB 8



SB 9



SB 10



SB 11



SB 12



SB 13



SB 14



SB 15

(3) Grain Size Analysis

Table2.11 Sieve analysis of sediments

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 1					
Amount in Grams	290.90					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	40.70	3.60	3.60	1.24	1.24
4.00	-2.00	52.10	15.00	18.60	6.41	5.16
2.00	-1.00	113.10	76.00	94.60	32.62	26.13
1.40	-0.50	129.90	92.80	187.40	64.62	31.90
1.00	0.00	125.90	88.80	276.20	95.24	30.53
0.50	1.00	47.60	10.50	286.70	98.86	3.61
0.35	1.50	38.40	1.30	288.00	99.31	0.45
0.25	2.00	38.50	1.40	289.40	99.79	0.48
0.18	2.50	37.60	0.50	289.90	99.97	0.17
0.13	3.00	37.20	0.10	290.00	100.00	0.03
	pan	0.00	0.00	290.00	100.00	0.00

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 2					
Amount in Grams	389.00					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	71.50	34.40	34.40	8.85	8.84
4.00	-2.00	73.40	36.30	70.70	18.19	9.33
2.00	-1.00	70.00	32.90	103.60	26.65	8.46
1.00	0.00	110.10	73.00	176.60	45.43	18.77
0.50	1.00	247.70	210.60	387.20	99.61	54.14
0.25	2.00	38.40	1.30	388.50	99.95	0.33
0.13	3.00	37.20	0.10	388.60	99.97	0.03
	pan	37.20	0.10	388.70	100.00	0.03

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 3				
Amount in Grams		351.00				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	38.40	1.30	1.30	0.37	0.37
4.00	-2.00	43.90	6.80	8.10	2.31	1.94
2.00	-1.00	58.80	21.70	29.80	8.50	6.18
1.00	0.00	106.90	69.80	99.60	28.40	19.89
0.50	1.00	188.80	151.70	251.30	71.66	43.22
0.25	2.00	131.40	94.30	345.60	98.55	26.87
0.13	3.00	42.00	4.90	350.50	99.94	1.40
	pan	37.30	0.20	350.70	100.00	0.06

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 4				
Amount in Grams		374.90				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	65.70	28.60	28.60	7.64	7.63
4.00	-2.00	76.70	39.60	68.20	18.21	10.56
2.00	-1.00	71.50	34.40	102.60	27.40	9.18
1.00	0.00	85.00	47.90	150.50	40.19	12.78
0.50	1.00	129.00	91.90	242.40	64.73	24.51
0.25	2.00	123.00	85.90	328.30	87.66	22.91
0.13	3.00	82.80	45.70	374.00	99.87	12.19
	pan	37.60	0.50	374.50	100.00	0.13

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				

Sample No:	SLS 5					
Amount in Grams	294.90					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4.00	-2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2.00	-1.00	37.50	0.40	0.40	0.14	0.14
1.00	0.00	38.70	1.60	2.00	0.68	0.54
0.50	1.00	55.00	17.90	19.90	6.76	6.07
0.25	2.00	114.60	77.50	97.40	33.10	26.28
0.13	3.00	203.40	166.30	263.70	89.60	56.39
	pan	67.70	30.60	294.30	100.00	10.38

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 6					
Amount in Grams	467.20					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	122.80	85.70	85.70	18.35	18.34
4.00	-2.00	64.20	27.10	112.80	24.15	5.80
2.00	-1.00	61.60	24.50	137.30	29.40	5.24
1.00	0.00	108.30	71.20	208.50	44.65	15.24
0.50	1.00	185.70	148.60	357.10	76.47	31.81
0.25	2.00	117.10	80.00	437.10	93.60	17.12
0.13	3.00	66.80	29.70	466.80	99.96	6.36
	pan	37.30	0.20	467.00	100.00	0.04

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	Sand					
Test Date	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 7					
Amount in Grams	445.40					

Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	125.80	88.70	88.70	19.94	19.91
4.00	-2.00	108.60	71.50	160.20	36.01	16.05
2.00	-1.00	135.30	98.20	258.40	58.08	22.05
1.00	0.00	113.40	76.30	334.70	75.23	17.13
0.50	1.00	120.80	83.70	418.40	94.04	18.79
0.25	2.00	63.40	26.30	444.70	99.96	5.90
0.13	3.00	37.30	0.20	444.90	100.00	0.04
	pan	0.00	0.00	444.90	100.00	0.00

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 8				
Amount in Grams		408.90				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	41.20	4.10	4.10	1.00	1.00
4.00	-2.00	63.90	26.80	30.90	7.57	6.55
2.00	-1.00	135.50	98.40	129.30	31.66	24.06
1.00	0.00	109.00	71.90	201.20	49.27	17.58
0.50	1.00	84.20	47.10	248.30	60.80	11.52
0.25	2.00	119.40	82.30	330.60	80.95	20.13
0.13	3.00	114.80	77.70	408.30	99.98	19.00
	pan	37.20	0.10	408.40	100.00	0.02

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 9				
Amount in Grams		368.90				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	159.50	122.40	122.40	33.22	33.18
4.00	-2.00	38.50	1.40	123.80	33.60	0.38

2.00	-1.00	37.30	0.20	124.00	33.66	0.05
1.00	0.00	37.20	0.10	124.10	33.69	0.03
0.50	1.00	38.50	1.40	125.50	34.07	0.38
0.25	2.00	100.80	63.70	189.20	51.36	17.27
0.13	3.00	212.80	175.70	364.90	99.05	47.63
	pan	40.60	3.50	368.40	100.00	0.95

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 10				
Amount in Grams		390.30				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4.00	-2.00	53.00	15.90	15.90	4.08	4.07
2.00	-1.00	179.80	142.70	158.60	40.70	36.56
1.00	0.00	170.00	132.90	291.50	74.80	34.05
0.50	1.00	93.50	56.40	347.90	89.27	14.45
0.25	2.00	58.30	21.20	369.10	94.71	5.43
0.13	3.00	56.90	19.80	388.90	99.79	5.07
	pan	37.90	0.80	389.70	100.00	0.20

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 11				
Amount in Grams		322.80				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	37.50	0.40	0.40	0.12	0.12
4.00	-2.00	45.90	8.80	9.20	2.86	2.73
2.00	-1.00	80.10	43.00	52.20	16.20	13.32
1.00	0.00	131.20	94.10	146.30	28.40	29.15
0.50	1.00	174.30	137.20	283.50	71.66	42.50
0.25	2.00	72.20	35.10	318.60	98.88	10.87

0.13	3.00	40.30	3.20	321.80	99.94	0.99
pan		37.50	0.40	322.20	100.00	0.12

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 12				
Amount in Grams		379.70				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	58.30	21.20	21.20	5.58	5.58
4.00	-2.00	70.00	32.90	54.10	14.25	8.66
2.00	-1.00	78.30	41.20	95.30	25.10	10.85
1.00	0.00	121.00	83.90	179.20	47.85	22.10
0.50	1.00	165.20	128.10	307.30	82.06	33.74
0.25	2.00	92.00	54.90	362.20	95.39	14.46
0.13	3.00	53.80	16.70	378.90	99.79	4.40
pan		37.90	0.80	379.70	101.39	0.21

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 13				
Amount in Grams		421.90				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	39.50	2.40	2.40	0.57	0.57
4.00	-2.00	76.40	39.30	41.70	9.88	9.32
2.00	-1.00	125.00	87.90	129.60	30.72	20.83
1.00	0.00	115.40	78.30	207.90	49.28	18.56
0.50	1.00	245.80	208.70	416.60	98.74	49.47
0.25	2.00	42.20	5.10	421.70	99.95	1.21
0.13	3.00	37.30	0.20	421.90	100.00	0.05
pan		0.00	0.00	421.90	100.00	0.00

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 14					
Amount in Grams	455.60					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	112.30	75.20	75.20	16.53	16.51
4.00	-2.00	81.90	44.80	120.00	26.37	9.83
2.00	-1.00	141.50	104.40	224.40	49.32	22.91
1.00	0.00	169.70	132.60	357.00	78.46	29.10
0.50	1.00	132.60	95.50	452.50	99.45	20.96
0.25	2.00	39.50	2.40	454.90	99.98	0.53
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	454.90	99.98	0.00
	pan	37.20	0.10	455.00	100.00	0.02

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 15					
Amount in Grams	400.10					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	53.50	16.40	16.40	4.10	4.10
4.00	-2.00	80.30	43.20	59.60	14.91	10.80
2.00	-1.00	83.20	46.10	105.70	26.44	11.52
1.00	0.00	223.60	186.50	292.20	73.10	46.61
0.50	1.00	141.50	104.40	396.60	99.22	26.09
0.25	2.00	40.00	2.90	399.50	99.95	0.72
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	399.50	99.95	0.00
	pan	37.30	0.20	399.70	100.00	0.05

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 16					
Amount in Grams	458.40					

Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	69.20	32.10	32.10	7.01	7.00
4.00	-2.00	95.70	58.60	90.70	19.80	12.78
2.00	-1.00	131.80	94.70	185.40	40.48	20.66
1.00	0.00	112.10	75.00	260.40	56.86	16.36
0.50	1.00	218.50	181.40	441.80	96.46	39.57
0.25	2.00	53.30	16.20	458.00	100.00	3.53
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	458.00	100.00	0.00
	pan	0.00	0.00	458.00	100.00	0.00

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 17					
Amount in Grams	364.60					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	56.70	19.60	19.60	5.38	5.38
4.00	-2.00	72.00	34.90	54.50	14.97	9.57
2.00	-1.00	80.00	42.90	97.40	26.76	11.77
1.00	0.00	62.40	25.30	122.70	33.71	6.94
0.50	1.00	276.60	239.50	362.20	99.51	65.69
0.25	2.00	38.80	1.70	363.90	99.97	0.47
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	363.90	99.97	0.00
	pan	37.20	0.10	364.00	100.00	0.03

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SLS 18					
Amount in Grams	438.50					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	80.40	43.30	43.30	9.89	9.87

4.00	-2.00	43.80	6.70	50.00	11.42	1.53
2.00	-1.00	52.70	15.60	65.60	14.98	3.56
1.00	0.00	291.30	254.20	319.80	73.03	57.97
0.50	1.00	154.20	117.10	436.90	99.77	26.70
0.25	2.00	38.10	1.00	437.90	100.00	0.23
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	437.90	100.00	0.00
	pan	0.00	0.00	437.90	100.00	0.00

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 19				
Amount in Grams		381.30				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	82.20	45.10	45.10	11.84	11.83
4.00	-2.00	74.30	37.20	82.30	21.61	9.76
2.00	-1.00	85.80	48.70	131.00	34.40	12.77
1.00	0.00	155.30	118.20	249.20	65.44	31.00
0.50	1.00	166.50	129.40	378.60	99.42	33.94
0.25	2.00	39.30	2.20	380.80	100.00	0.58
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	380.80	100.00	0.00
	pan	0.00	0.00	380.80	100.00	0.00

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SLS 20				
Amount in Grams		450.90				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	118.80	81.70	81.70	18.15	18.12
4.00	-2.00	123.50	86.40	168.10	37.35	19.16
2.00	-1.00	133.40	96.30	264.40	58.74	21.36
1.00	0.00	115.80	78.70	343.10	76.23	17.45
0.50	1.00	142.50	105.40	448.50	99.64	23.38

0.25	2.00	38.70	1.60	450.10	100.00	0.35
0.13	3.00	0.00	0.00	450.10	100.00	0.00
	pan	0.00	0.00	450.10	100.00	0.00

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 1				
Amount in Grams		327.30				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	40.20	3.10	3.10	0.95	0.95
4.00	-2.00	40.70	3.60	6.70	2.05	1.10
2.00	-1.00	47.20	10.10	16.80	5.13	3.09
1.00	0.00	106.50	69.40	86.20	26.34	21.20
0.50	1.00	203.40	166.30	252.50	77.17	50.81
0.25	2.00	83.20	46.10	298.60	91.26	14.08
0.13	3.00	61.40	24.30	322.90	98.69	7.42
	pan	41.40	4.30	327.20	100.00	1.31

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 2				
Amount in Grams		132.70				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	38.10	1.00	1.00	0.75	0.75
4.00	-2.00	62.90	25.80	26.80	20.20	19.44
2.00	-1.00	81.80	44.70	71.50	53.88	33.69
1.00	0.00	67.90	30.80	102.30	77.09	23.21
0.50	1.00	51.00	13.90	116.20	87.57	10.47
0.25	2.00	41.90	4.80	121.00	91.18	3.62
0.13	3.00	41.50	4.40	125.40	94.50	3.32
	pan	44.40	7.30	132.70	100.00	5.50

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 3					
Amount in Grams	204.80					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	38.40	1.30	1.30	0.63	0.63
4.00	-2.00	54.80	17.70	19.00	9.28	8.64
2.00	-1.00	106.30	69.20	88.20	43.07	33.79
1.00	0.00	103.70	66.60	154.80	75.59	32.52
0.50	1.00	63.30	26.20	181.00	88.38	12.79
0.25	2.00	46.70	9.60	190.60	93.07	4.69
0.13	3.00	44.60	7.50	198.10	96.73	3.66
	pan	43.80	6.70	204.80	100.00	3.27

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 4					
Amount in Grams	360.70					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	37.60	0.50	0.50	0.14	0.14
4.00	-2.00	38.60	1.50	2.00	0.56	0.42
2.00	-1.00	44.80	7.70	9.70	2.69	2.13
1.00	0.00	75.70	38.60	48.30	13.41	10.70
0.50	1.00	140.90	103.80	152.10	42.24	28.78
0.25	2.00	160.80	123.70	275.80	76.59	34.29
0.13	3.00	115.50	78.40	354.20	98.36	21.74
	pan	43.00	5.90	360.10	100.00	1.64

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 5					

Amount in Grams	243.30					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	37.40	0.30	0.30	0.12	0.12
4.00	-2.00	49.10	12.00	12.30	5.06	4.93
2.00	-1.00	62.10	25.00	37.30	15.35	10.28
1.00	0.00	77.50	40.40	77.70	31.98	16.61
0.50	1.00	99.90	62.80	140.50	57.82	25.81
0.25	2.00	86.00	48.90	189.40	77.94	20.10
0.13	3.00	74.20	37.10	226.50	93.21	15.25
	pan	53.60	16.50	243.00	100.00	6.78

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 6					
Amount in Grams	291.90					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	37.30	0.20	0.20	0.07	0.07
4.00	-2.00	37.40	0.30	0.50	0.17	0.10
2.00	-1.00	38.70	1.60	2.10	0.72	0.55
1.00	0.00	43.90	6.80	8.90	3.05	2.33
0.50	1.00	61.60	24.50	33.40	11.46	8.39
0.25	2.00	124.20	87.10	120.50	41.35	29.84
0.13	3.00	165.70	128.60	249.10	85.48	44.06
	pan	79.40	42.30	291.40	100.00	14.49

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 7					
Amount in Grams	338.80					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

8.00	-3.00	50.20	13.10	13.10	3.87	3.87
4.00	-2.00	72.60	35.50	48.60	14.37	10.48
2.00	-1.00	80.20	43.10	91.70	27.11	12.72
1.00	0.00	85.20	48.10	139.80	41.34	14.20
0.50	1.00	126.10	89.00	228.80	67.65	26.27
0.25	2.00	95.90	58.80	287.60	85.04	17.36
0.13	3.00	75.20	38.10	325.70	96.30	11.25
	pan	49.60	12.50	338.20	100.00	3.69

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 8				
Amount in Grams		328.20				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4.00	-2.00	40.00	2.90	2.90	0.89	0.88
2.00	-1.00	56.50	19.40	22.30	6.81	5.91
1.00	0.00	79.20	42.10	64.40	19.66	12.83
0.50	1.00	146.40	109.30	173.70	53.02	33.30
0.25	2.00	107.10	70.00	243.70	74.39	21.33
0.13	3.00	103.10	66.00	309.70	94.54	20.11
	pan	55.00	17.90	327.60	100.00	5.45

Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 9				
Amount in Grams		285.80				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4.00	-2.00	37.20	0.10	0.10	0.03	0.03
2.00	-1.00	37.80	0.70	0.80	0.28	0.24
1.00	0.00	45.10	8.00	8.80	3.08	2.80
0.50	1.00	83.10	46.00	54.80	19.17	16.10

0.25	2.00	93.50	56.40	111.20	38.91	19.73
0.13	3.00	104.70	67.60	178.80	62.56	23.65
	pan	144.10	107.00	285.80	100.00	37.44

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 10				
Amount in Grams		92.40				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	38.10	1.00	1.00	1.09	1.08
4.00	-2.00	59.40	22.30	23.30	25.38	24.13
2.00	-1.00	85.00	47.90	71.20	77.56	51.84
1.00	0.00	53.20	16.10	87.30	95.10	17.42
0.50	1.00	39.70	2.60	89.90	97.93	2.81
0.25	2.00	37.90	0.80	90.70	98.80	0.87
0.13	3.00	37.60	0.50	91.20	99.35	0.54
	pan	37.70	0.60	91.80	100.00	0.65

Sample Description		Sand				
Survey/Cruise		TU 2009				
Sample No:		SB 11				
Amount in Grams		172.60				
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	40.30	3.20	3.20	1.86	1.85
4.00	-2.00	85.20	48.10	51.30	29.81	27.87
2.00	-1.00	110.80	73.70	125.00	72.63	42.70
1.00	0.00	72.10	35.00	160.00	92.97	20.28
0.50	1.00	45.00	7.90	167.90	97.56	4.58
0.25	2.00	39.20	2.10	170.00	98.78	1.22
0.13	3.00	38.30	1.20	171.20	99.48	0.70
	pan	38.00	0.90	172.10	100.00	0.52

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 12					
Amount in Grams	252.30					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4.00	-2.00	37.30	0.20	0.20	0.08	0.08
2.00	-1.00	37.80	0.70	0.90	0.36	0.28
1.00	0.00	49.80	12.70	13.60	5.40	5.03
0.50	1.00	94.20	57.10	70.70	28.07	22.63
0.25	2.00	99.50	62.40	133.10	52.84	24.73
0.13	3.00	99.40	62.30	195.40	77.57	24.69
	pan	93.60	56.50	251.90	100.00	22.39

Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 13					
Amount in Grams	179.40					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	37.20	0.10	0.10	0.06	0.06
4.00	-2.00	39.90	2.80	2.90	1.62	1.56
2.00	-1.00	50.80	13.70	16.60	9.27	7.64
1.00	0.00	61.50	24.40	41.00	22.91	13.60
0.50	1.00	83.00	45.90	86.90	48.55	25.59
0.25	2.00	79.30	42.20	129.10	72.12	23.52
0.13	3.00	74.40	37.30	166.40	92.96	20.79
	pan	49.70	12.60	179.00	100.00	7.02

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 14					
Amount in Grams	62.90					

Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	50.40	13.30	13.30	21.25	21.14
4.00	-2.00	63.50	26.40	39.70	63.42	41.97
2.00	-1.00	55.80	18.70	58.40	93.29	29.73
1.00	0.00	39.80	2.70	61.10	97.60	4.29
0.50	1.00	38.00	0.90	62.00	99.04	1.43
0.25	2.00	37.40	0.30	62.30	99.52	0.48
0.13	3.00	37.30	0.20	62.50	99.84	0.32
	pan	37.20	0.10	62.60	100.00	0.16

Sample Description	Sand					
Survey/Cruise	TU 2009					
Sample No:	SB 15					
Amount in Grams	86.20					
Aperture	Ph Value	Weight	Wt retained	cum wt ret	cum %	indiv %
16.00	-4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8.00	-3.00	40.10	3.00	3.00	3.50	3.48
4.00	-2.00	69.20	32.10	35.10	40.91	37.24
2.00	-1.00	74.30	37.20	72.30	84.27	43.16
1.00	0.00	48.20	11.10	83.40	97.20	12.88
0.50	1.00	38.70	1.60	85.00	99.07	1.86
0.25	2.00	37.50	0.40	85.40	99.53	0.46
0.13	3.00	37.40	0.30	85.70	99.88	0.35
	pan	37.20	0.10	85.80	100.00	0.12

(4) Sand Composition Ratio Analysis Data

Table2.12 Sea Bottom sediments- sand composition ratio

	Coral Fragments	Foraminifera	Shell fragments	<i>Halimeda</i>
SB 1	44.5 %	42.5 %	13 %	0 %
SB 2	2 %	4.5 %	2.5 %	91 %
SB 3	2 %	10.5 %	5.5 %	82 %
SB 4	42.5 %	31.5 %	18.5 %	7.5 %

SB 5	1 %	15 %	5.5 %	78.5 %
SB 6	33 %	43 %	24 %	0 %
SB 7	40 %	41 %	19 %	0 %
SB 8	38 %	48 %	13.5 %	0.5 %
SB 9	0 %	22 %	10.5 %	67.5 %
SB 10	3.5 %	6 %	6 %	84.5 %
SB 11	0 %	4.5 %	7 %	89.5 %
SB 12	40 %	34 %	31 %	0 %
SB 13	0 %	41 %	7.5 %	51.5 %
SB 14	0.5 %	26.5 %	7 %	64 %
SB 15	0.5 %	12 %	8 %	80 %

Table2.13 Shore Line sediments- sand composition ratio

	Coral fragments	Foraminifera	Shell fragments
SLS 1	33 %	54 %	13 %
SLS 2	38.5 %	49 %	12.5 %
SLS 3	34.5 %	42.5 %	23 %
SLS 4	49 %	28 %	23 %
SLS 5	45.5 %	44.5 %	10 %
SLS 6	49.5 %	38.5 %	12 %
SLS 7	54 %	30 %	16 %
SLS 8	43.5 %	40 %	16.5 %
SLS 9	56 %	18.5 %	25.5 %
SLS 10	39 %	45 %	18.5 %
SLS 11	20.5 %	43 %	36.5 %
SLS 12	42.5 %	40 %	17.5 %
SLS 13	28.5 %	67.5 %	4 %
SLS 14	54.5 %	35.5 %	10 %
SLS 15	78 %	13.5 %	13.5 %
SLS 16	31 %	59 %	10 %
SLS 17	22 %	74 %	4 %
SLS 18	66 %	25.5 %	8.5 %
SLS 19	27 %	67 %	6 %
SLS 20	35 %	56 %	9 %

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2.6 Water Quality Survey

2.6.1 Methodology

Water quality sampling was carried out at 3 points on the oceanic side, 10 points in the lagoon, 3 points of groundwater and at 2 points on the ponds, a total of 18 points altogether.

The sampling was carried out at low tide and sampling positions were measured using a simple handheld Garmin GPS.

At each site location, the water depth was measured using a lead line and mid-water depth was determined.

A Van Dorn water sampler was used to collect water samples at middle water depth into 2 x 1-liter bottles which had been pre-washed with 10% HCL for 24 hours and rinsed with de-ionised water.

For each location, at the same water depth, Water temperature, Salinity, Turbidity, and Chlorophyll A were measured with a portable water quality meter.

A Hydrolab was also deployed at the same water depth at each of the locations to measure Temperature, PH, ORP, Specific Conductivity, Resistivity, Salinity, Total dissolved solids, Depth, Turbidity, LDO, BP and Chlorophyll.

The samples were stored in an ice-box and frozen upon reaching land and presented for analysis.

The samples were analysed for: COD, T-N, NO₃-N, NO₂-N, NH₄-N, T-P, PO₄-P, SS and Salinity. A further 4 litres of samples were collected at each location and filtered for suspended sediments and chlorophyll analysis. The filter papers had been dried and pre-weighed before use. The filter papers for chlorophyll analysis were placed in glass vials containing acetone. The filter papers were treated for cool and dark storage, and provided for analysis.

Table 2.14 Water quality samples locations and times.

Sample No.	Longitude	Latitude	Date	Time
PW 1	S 08 31 08.5	E 179 12 07.7	06/01/2010	1552
PW 2	S 08 30 38.2	E 179 11 56.2	06/01/2010	1650
OW 1	S 08 32 25.9	E 179 10 39.4	07/01/2010	0855
OW 2	S 08 31 17.2	E 179 12 16.8	07/01/2010	0925
OW 3	S 08 28 16.6	E 179 11 29.0	07/01/2010	0955
LW 1	S 08 31 02.17	E179 11 49.88	10/01/2010	0730
LW 2	S 08 30 36.6	E 179 11 48.4	07/01/2010	1534
LW 3	S 08 30 10.64	E 179 11 38.14	07/01/2010	1522
LW 4	S 08 28 22.9	E 179 11 17.2	07/01/2010	1503

LW 5	S 08 26 29.10	E 179 10 12.37	07/01/2010	1440
LW 6	S 08 28 31.07	E 179 05 09.92	08/01/2010	0945
LW 7	S 08 34 27.74	E 179 04 06.41	08/01/2010	1034
LW 8	S 08 32 24.42	E 179 10 05.03	10/01/2010	0828
LW 9	S 08 31 30.31	E 179 11 34.58	10/01/2010	0809
LW 10	S 08 31 06.34	E 179 11 24.28	10/01/2010	0758
GW 1	S 08 31 22.68	E 179 11 44.82	10/01/2010	1405
GW 2	S 08 31 03.96	E 179 12 01.38	09/01/2010	1150
GW 3	S 08 31 16.50	E 179 11 52.14	09/01/2010	1130



Figure 2.25 Pond water sample locations



Figure 2.26 Ground water sample locations

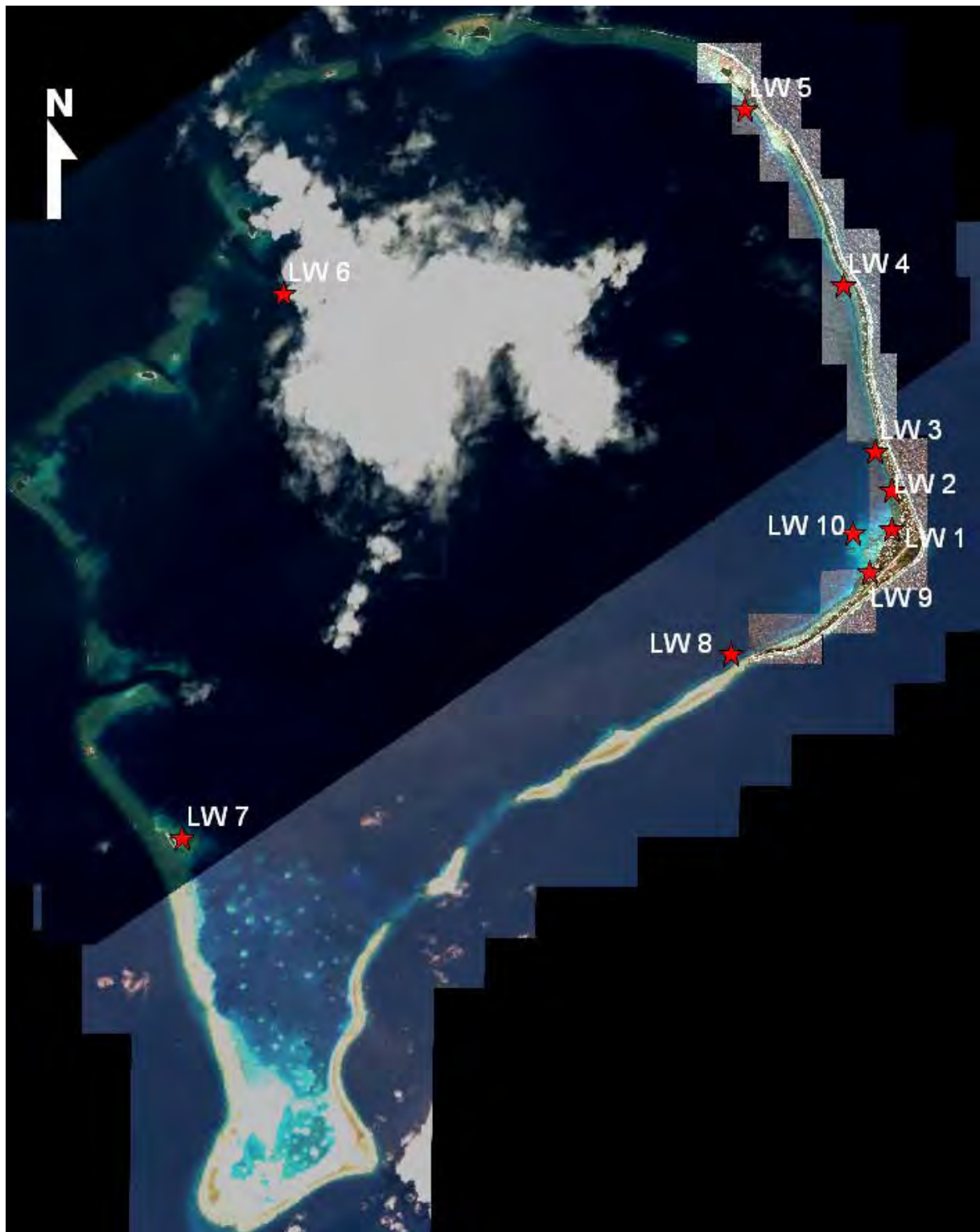


Figure 2.27 Lagoon water sample locations

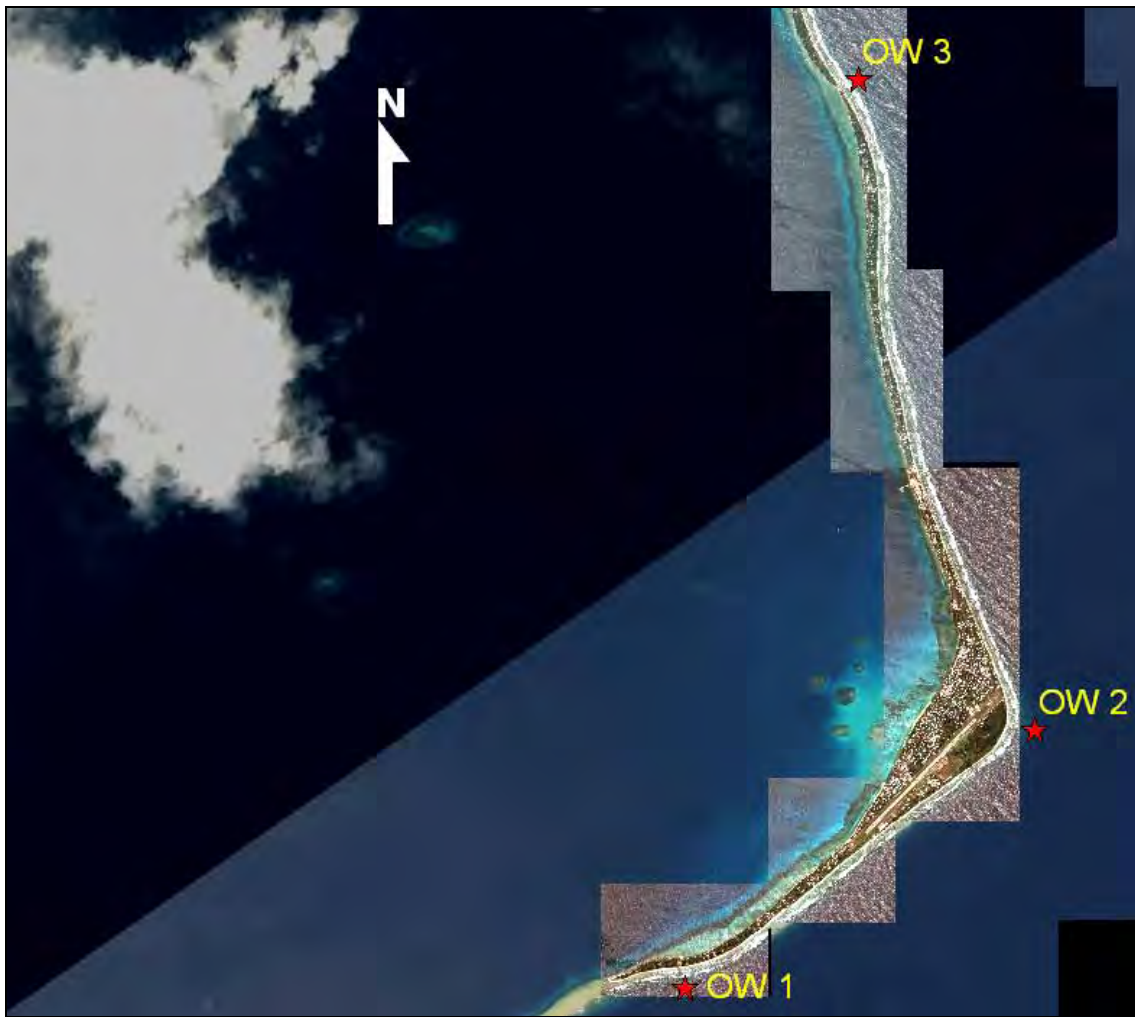


Figure 2.28 Ocean water sample locations



Figure 2.29 Hand-held GPS used for sample site locations.



Figure 2.30 Groundwater sampling in Funafuti.



Figure 2.31 Hydrolab survey data download.



Figure 2.32 Water sample filtration procedure.

2.6.2 RESULTS

(1) Hydrolab results

Location No.	Date MM/DD/YYYY	Time HH:MM:SS	Temp °C	Temp °F	Temp °K	pH Units	ORP mV	SpCond mS/cm	SpCond µS/cm	Sal ppt	TDS g/l
PW1	1/6/2010	15:59:00	35.43	95.8	308.6	8.44	-150 *	47 *	47041 *	30.65 *	30.1 *
PW2	1/6/2010	17:09:30	37.81	100.1	311	8.64	13 *	51.4 *	51387 *	33.84 *	32.9 *
OW1	1/7/2010	9:08:30	30.3	86.5	303.5	8.56	84 *	53.2 *	53208 *	35.19 *	34.1 *
OW2	1/7/2010	9:30:00	30.4	86.7	303.6	8.6	62 *	53.2 *	53228 *	35.2 *	34.1 *
OW3	1/7/2010	9:58:00	30.22	86.4	303.4	8.59	80 *	53.2 *	53224 *	35.2 *	34.1 *
LW1	1/10/2010	7:39:30	31.14	88	304.3	8.49	67 *	53.2 *	53239 *	35.21 *	34.1 *
LW2	1/7/2010	15:38:00	31.41	88.5	304.6	8.57	72 *	53.3 *	53261 *	35.23 *	34.1 *
LW3	1/7/2010	15:25:30	31.05	87.9	304.2	8.59	79 *	53.2 *	53198 *	35.18 *	34 *
LW4	1/7/2010	15:08:00	30.97	87.8	304.1	8.61	62 *	53.2 *	53186 *	35.17 *	34 *
LW5	1/7/2010	14:50:30	30.72	87.3	303.9	8.6	63 *	53.2 *	53205 *	35.19 *	34.1 *
LW6	1/8/2010	10:02:30	30.32	86.6	303.5	8.6	52 *	53.2 *	53177 *	35.17 *	34 *
LW7	1/8/2010	10:37:00	31.13	88	304.3	8.62	62 *	53.1 *	53076 *	35.09 *	34 *
LW8	1/10/2010	8:40:30	30.63	87.1	303.8	8.58	51 *	53.2 *	53182 *	35.17 *	34 *
LW9	1/10/2010	8:18:00	31.28	88.3	304.4	8.49	46 *	53.2 *	53244 *	35.22 *	34.1 *
LW10	1/10/2010	8:03:00	31.35	88.4	304.5	8.52	59 *	53.3 *	53251 *	35.22 *	34.1 *
GW3	1/9/2010	11:39:33	28.66	83.6	301.8	7.75	81 *	10.1 *	10074 *	5.7 *	6.4 *
GW2	1/9/2010	11:53:12	28.67	83.6	301.8	7.75	80 *	9.6 *	9580 *	5.41 *	6.1 *
GW1	1/10/2010	14:08:30	29.14	84.4	302.3	8.12	92 *	32.8 *	32827 *	20.51 *	21 *

Location No.	Dep100 meters	Dep100 feet	Dep100 psia	DepthX volts	DepthY mvolts	TurbSC Volts	TurbSC NTU	LDO% Sat	LDO mg/l	BP mmHg
PW1	1.95	6.4	2.77	0.778	1.28	-2.1906	33.2	146.9	8.56	755
PW2	0.05	0.2	0.08	0.779	1.25	-2.223	11.4	166.2	9.18	755
OW1	2.24	7.3	3.18	0.775	1.48	-2.2372	1.5	98.6	6.07	755
OW2	6.69	21.9	9.51	0.775	1.93	-2.2371	1.8	100.5	6.18	755
OW3	5.63	18.5	8.01	0.776	1.83	-2.2373	1.8	97.8	6.03	755
LW1	1.19	3.9	1.69	0.774	1.37	-2.2359	2.6	78.5	4.77	755
LW2	2.97	9.8	4.23	0.777	1.55	-2.2351	3.5	106.1	6.42	755
LW3	8.56	28.1	12.17	0.777	2.13	-2.2369	2.1	103.1	6.28	755
LW4	3.57	11.7	5.07	0.777	1.61	-2.2367	2	109.9	6.7	755
LW5	5.84	19.2	8.31	0.777	1.85	-2.2374	1.6	104.3	6.38	755
LW6	7.47	24.4	10.59	0.772	2.01	-2.237	1.8	99.4	6.12	755
LW7	0.5	1.7	0.72	0.775	1.3	-2.2367	2	113.1	6.88	755
LW8	11.63	38.2	16.54	0.777	2.44	-2.2372	1.7	97.1	5.95	755
LW9	1.07	3.5	1.52	0.776	1.36	-2.2343	3.9	78.2	4.74	755
LW10	0.5	1.6	0.7	0.776	1.3	-2.0478	129.7	85.2	5.16	755
GW3	0.12	0.4	0.17	0.772	1.26	-2.2379	1.2	43.3	3.23	755
GW2	0.05	0.2	0.08	0.774	1.25	-2.2354	3	40.3	3.01	755
GW1	0.01	0	0.01	0.772	1.25	-2.234	4.3	96.9	6.59	755

(2) Turbidity Meter and Salinity Meter Results

Sample	Water Depth	Sampling Depth	Salinity S/m	Temperature (°C)	Turbidity	Color
PW 1	0.5 m	-	4.65	34.9	2	41.5
PW 2	1.0 m	0.5 m	5.12	35	1.9	13.5
OW 1	5 m	2.5 m	2.6	29.7	0	0
OW 2	15 m	7.5 m	5.13	29.2	0	0
OW 3	12 m	6 m	5.24	29.1	0	0
LW 1	3 m	1.5 m	2.6	30.7	0	0
LW 2	7 m	3.5 m	5.31	30.9	0	0
LW 3	18 m	9 m	2.61	30.6	0	0
LW 4	7 m	3.5 m	5.29	30.6	0	0
LW 5	13 m	6.5 m	5.28	30.3	0	0
LW 6	15 m	7.5 m	2.59	30.8	0	0
LW 7	2 m	1 m	2.66	32.2	0	0
LW 8	29 m	14.5 m	2.66	33	0	0
LW 9	2 m	1 m	5.32	32.8	0	0
LW 10	1 m	0.5 m	2.5	32.4	0	0
GW 1	0.5 m	-	1.63	28.8	0.8	6.5
GW 2	0.5 m	-	0.95	31.5	2.3	8
GW 3	1 m	0.5 m	1.04	29.3	0	22

(3) Analytical Results

Customer I.D. Lab No.	P W 1 2010/136	P W 2 2010/137	Method Ref. No.
N-NH ₃ (mg/L)	0.01	0.19	AP4500-NH ₃ -F
Chemical oxygen demand (mg/L)	84	90	AO920.39
N-NO ₃ (mg/L)	0.01	0.02	AP4500NO ₃ E
N-NO ₂ (mg/L)	<0.004	0.12	AP4500NO ₃ E/
Salinity (ppt)	31	36	AP2520A
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) (mg/L)	<2	<2	AP4500_NorgB
Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	33	27	AP 2540D
Reactive Dissolved Phosphorus (mg/L)	0.25	0.16	Danish Standard 291
Total Phosphorus (mg/L)	0.51	0.27	Danish Standard 291

Customer I.D. Lab No.	LW 1 2010/120	LW 2 2010/121	LW 3 2010/122	L W 4 2010/123	L W 5 2010/124	L W 6 2010/125	L W 7 2010/126	L W 8 2010/127	Method Ref. No.
Chemical oxygen demand (mg/L)	61	60	66	71	54	60	57	53	AO920.39
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) (mg/L)	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	AP4500_NorgB
N-NO ₃ (mg/L)	0.01	<0.01	0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	AP4500NO ₃ E
N-NO ₂ (mg/L)	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	AP4500NO ₃ E/
N-NH ₃ (mg/L)	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	AP4500-NH ₃ F
P-PO ₄ (mg/L)	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	Danish Standard 291
Total Phosphorus (mg/L)	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	0.02	Danish Standard 291
*Total Suspended Solids (mg/L)	13	7	6	6	6	7	7	6	AP 2540D
*Salinity (ppt)	36	37	36	37	37	35	37	37	AP2520A

Customer I.D. Lab No.	LW 9 2010/128	LW 10 2010/129	O W 1 2010/130	O W 2 2010/131	O W 3 2010/132	G W 1 2010/133	G W 2 2010/134	G W 3 2010/135	Method Ref. No.
N-NH ₃ 50 (mg/L)	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	<0.01	AP4500-NH ₃ -F
Chemical oxygen demand 95 (mg/L)	106	89	57	55	69	61	<28	29	AO920.39
N-NO ₃ 65 (mg/L)	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	4.05	0.68	AP4500NO ₃ E
N-NO ₂ 65 (mg/L)	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	<0.004	0.01	0.01	AP4500NO ₃ E/
Salinity -20 (ppt)	37	37	35	37	36	21	7	5	AP2520A
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) (mg/L) 70	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	AP4500_NorgB
*Total Suspended Solids 35 (mg/L)	8	7	6	7	6	13	12	2	AP 2540D
Reactive Dissolved Phosphorus 65 (mg/L)	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	0.01	0.25	0.05	Danish Standard 291
Total Phosphorus 65 (mg/L)	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	<0.018	0.19	0.37	0.08	Danish Standard 291

(4) Analytical Results- Chlorophyll-a

Sample	Longitude	Latitude	Chlorophyll-a (µg/L)
PW 1	S 08 31 08.5	E 179 12 07.7	9.08
PW 2	S 08 30 38.2	E 179 11 56.2	3.63
OW 1	S 08 32 25.9	E 179 10 39.4	ND (<0.05)
OW 2	S 08 31 17.2	E 179 12 16.8	0.22
OW 3	S 08 28 16.6	E 179 11 29.0	0.15
LW 1	S 08 31 02.17	E179 11 49.88	0.11
LW 2	S 08 30 36.6	E 179 11 48.4	ND (<0.05)
LW 3	S 08 30 10.64	E 179 11 38.14	ND (<0.05)
LW 4	S 08 28 22.9	E 179 11 17.2	ND (<0.05)
LW 5	S 08 26 29.10	E 179 10 12.37	ND (<0.05)
LW 6	S 08 28 31.07	E 179 05 09.92	0.11
LW 7	S 08 34 27.74	E 179 04 06.41	ND (<0.05)
LW 8	S 08 32 24.42	E 179 10 05.03	0.11
LW 9	S 08 31 30.31	E 179 11 34.58	0.22
LW 10	S 08 31 06.34	E 179 11 24.28	0.11
GW 1	S 08 31 22.68	E 179 11 44.82	0.91
GW 2	S 08 31 03.96	E 179 12 01.38	0.45
GW 3	S 08 31 16.50	E 179 11 52.14	0.23

2.7 Coastal Ecology Survey

2.7.1 Methodology

(1) Description of Survey

A line survey was conducted to identify the overview of the coastal ecosystem of Funafuti Atoll, the life and bottom sediment distribution information required to create a habitat map, and the population density information required to estimate the biomass of foraminifera.

Table 2.15 Survey Item and Description

Item	Quantity	Remarks
[Line survey] Survey line	A set of 31 lines	16 lines on the ocean side and 15 lines on the lagoon side Life form and bottom sediment distribution (Cross-section: Coverage distribution of foraminifera, coral, and marine algae and the distribution of species) Quadrat survey results (Identification and counting results)

Table 2.16 shows the line survey duration.

Table 2.16 Line Survey Duration

Survey item	Observation duration
Line survey	17.09.2009 to 06.10.2009

The ecological survey was carried out using the line census method on 16 traverse lines on the oceanic side and 15 traverse lines in the lagoon (at a water depth of 5m or less). Before the survey, collection of existing information and interpretation of satellite image were made to determine the traverse lines. The positions of laying the survey lines were measured using a simple GPS (geographical coordinate system: WGS84).

In the ecological survey, visual observation by divers (ecological research staff) was carried out as Figure 2.33 below indicates in order to record the distribution (sectional distribution) of corals, algae, bottom materials (rocks, coral pieces, foraminifers and shell pieces). At the same time, the zonal distribution structures on each traverse line were taken down according to the distance from the strand line with coverage of the key species. We set the starting point of traverse line at the place where terrestrial plant is growing above the shore line. We determined the end point of the line at the place where coral zone is verified or water depth become deep rapidly. On each traverse line, we established 2 ~ 8 crop-cutting experiment

point. We obtained a total of 90 specimens to grasp the growing condition of foraminifera and sea grass quantitatively (standing crop, identification and number count) on the points. We immobilized the samples and take to our laboratory. We identified species of the samples and counted number. We organized the current survey results, the existing document (the survey result by JST, the satellite images by IKONOS and the aerial photographs), the distribution density (coverage) of coral, foraminifera and seaweed bed, bathymetry and distribution of sediments to make the habitat map (such as marine environment information base chart). Explanatory note for profiles of the ecological survey on each traverse line are shown in Figure 2.34.

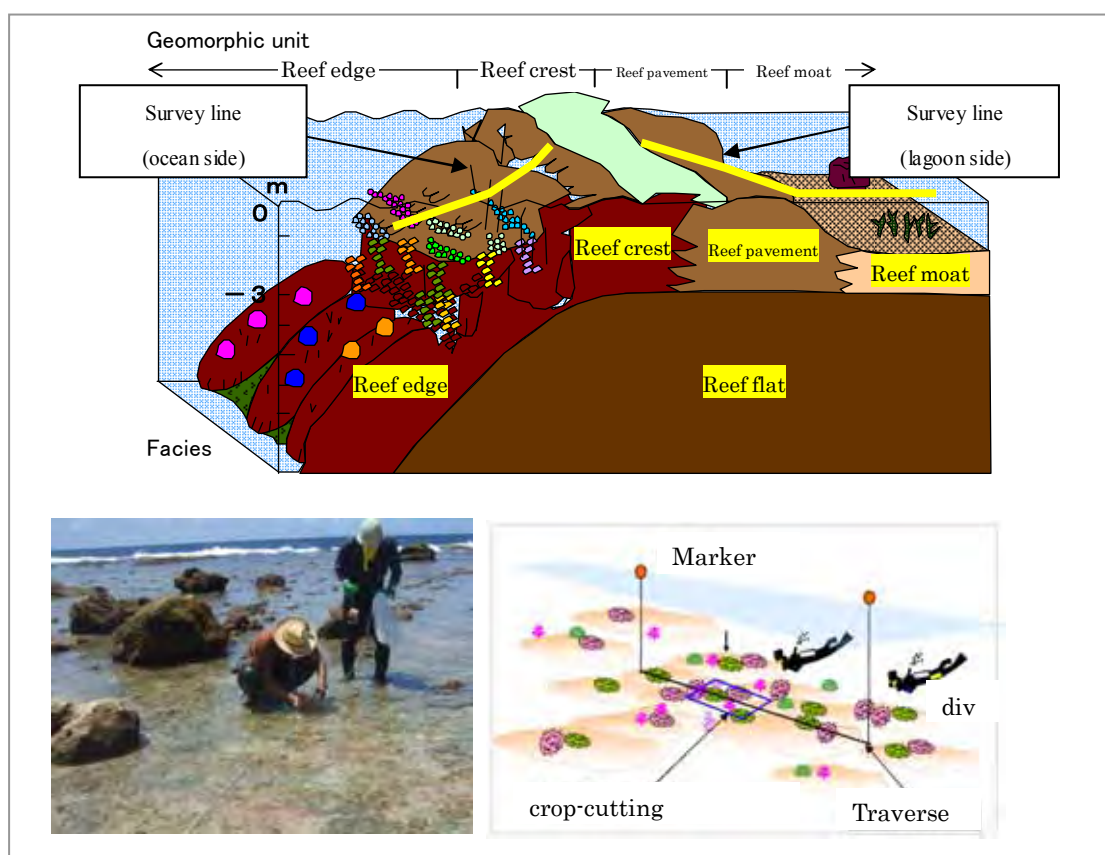


Figure 2.33 Conceptual Diagram of the Ecological Survey (Line Survey)

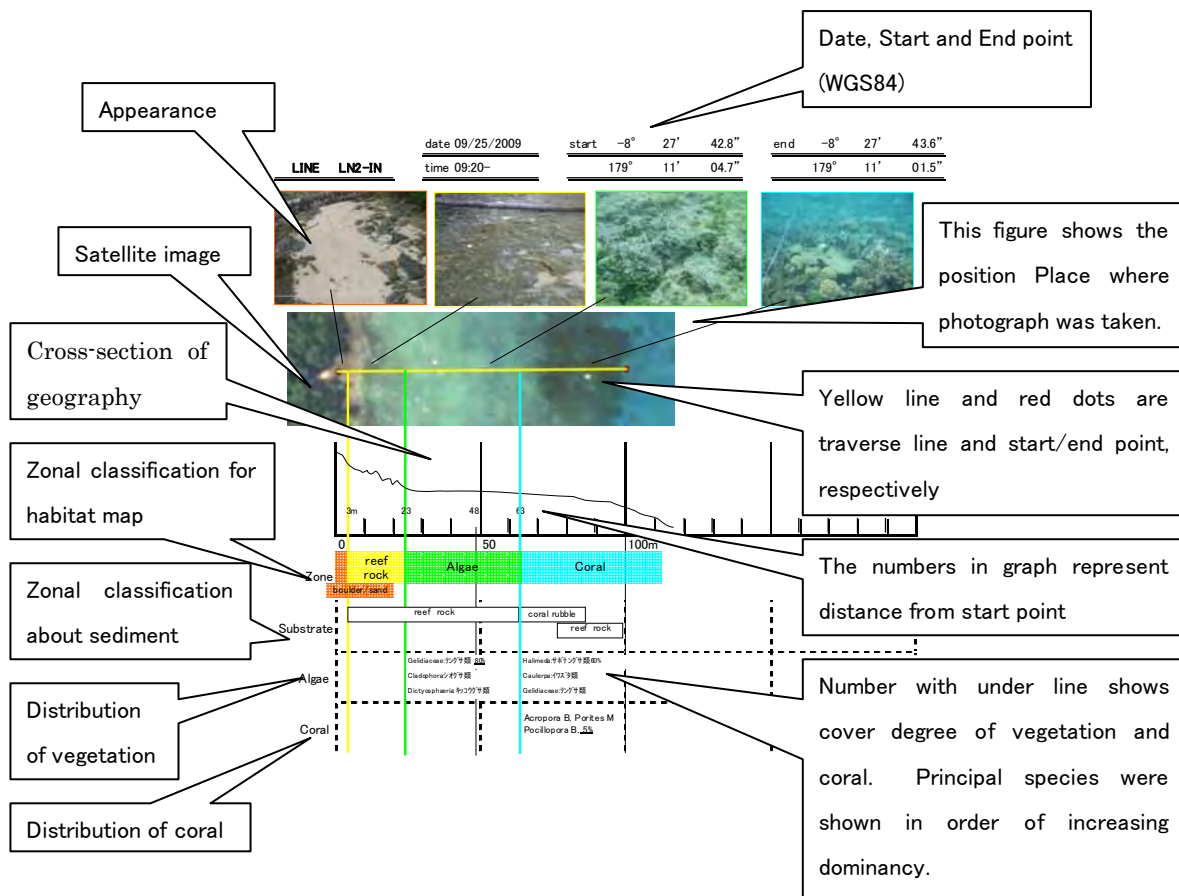
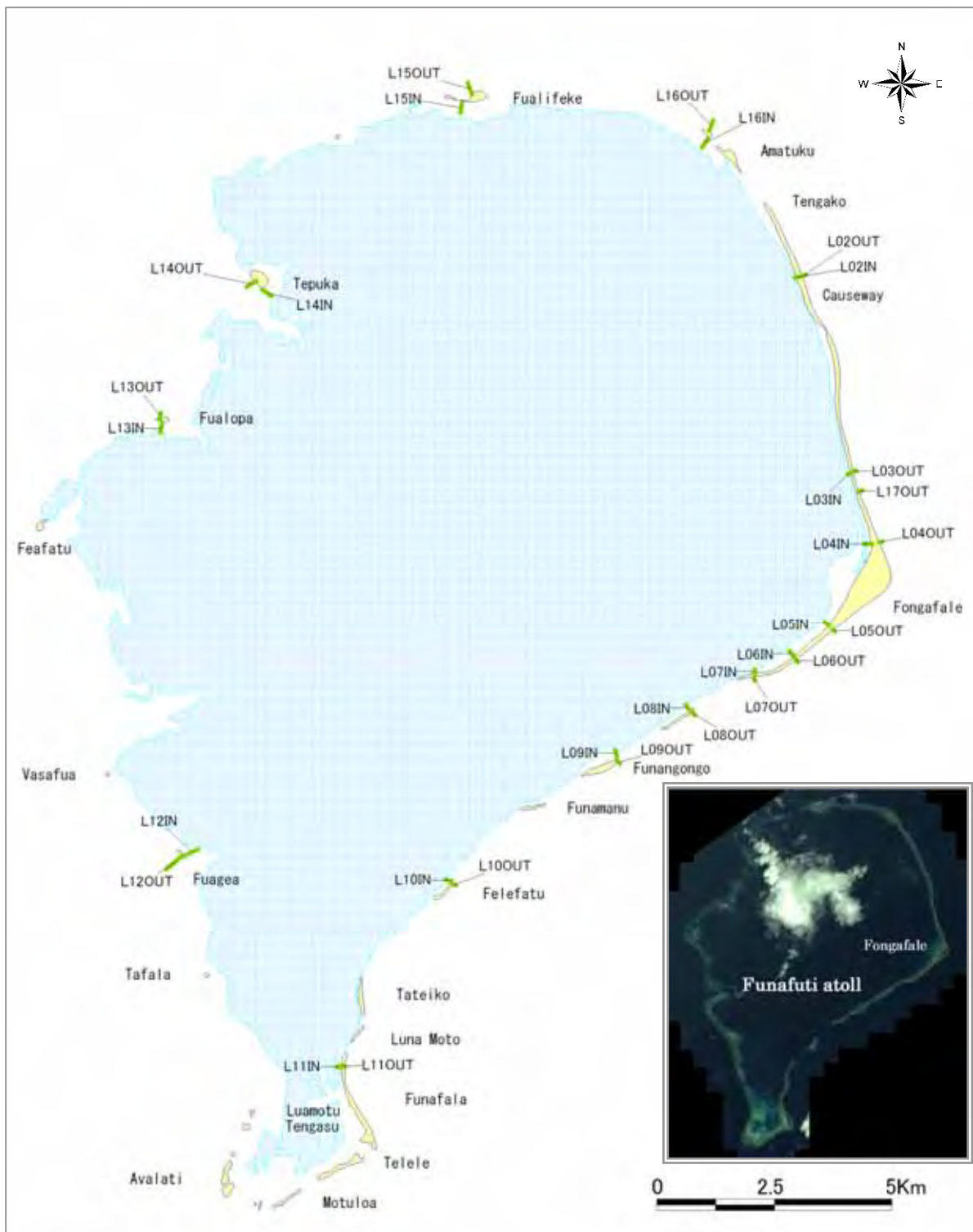


Figure 2.34 Explanatory notes for profiles of the ecological survey (Line survey))

2.7.2 Results

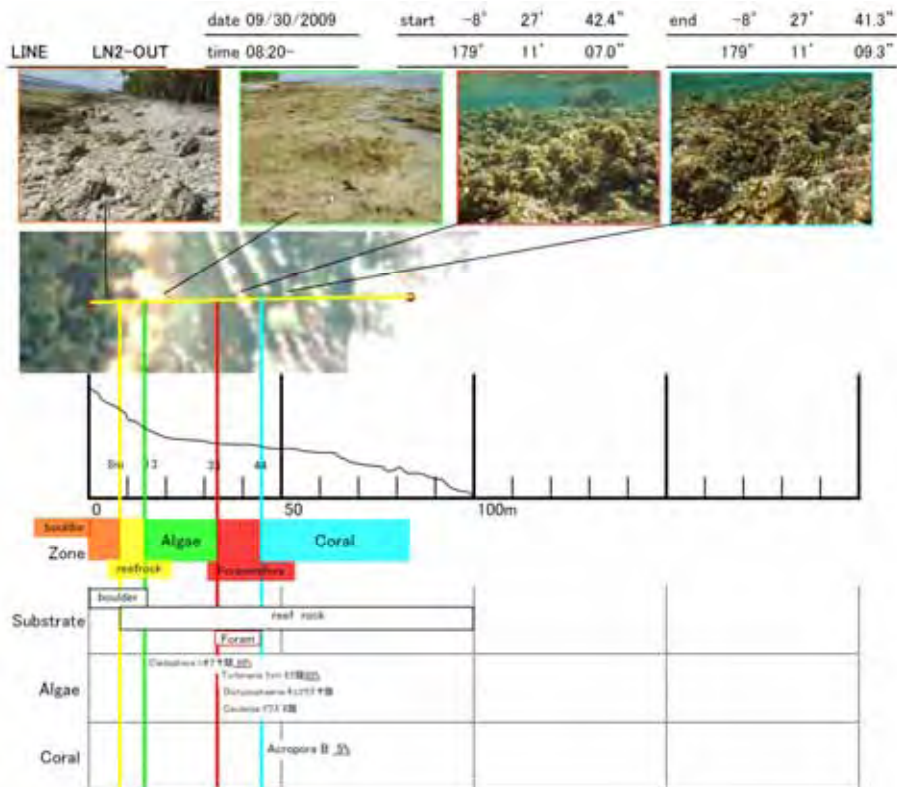
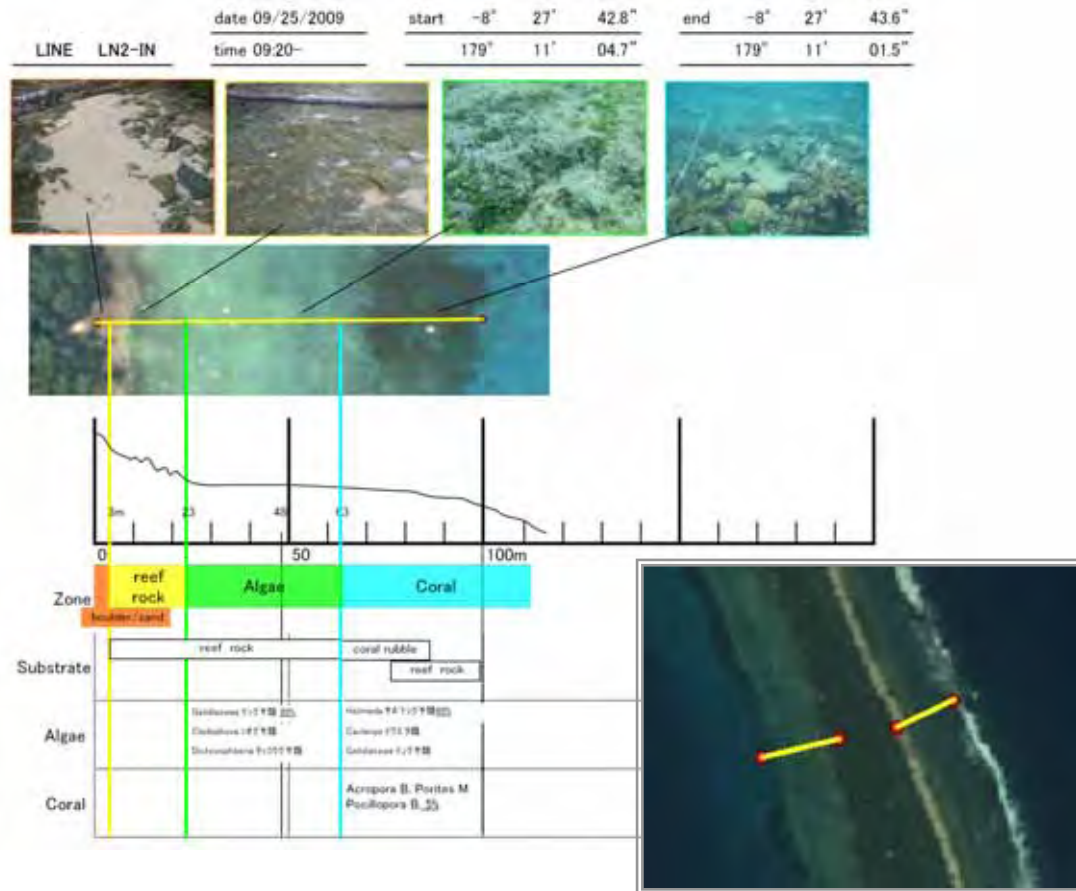


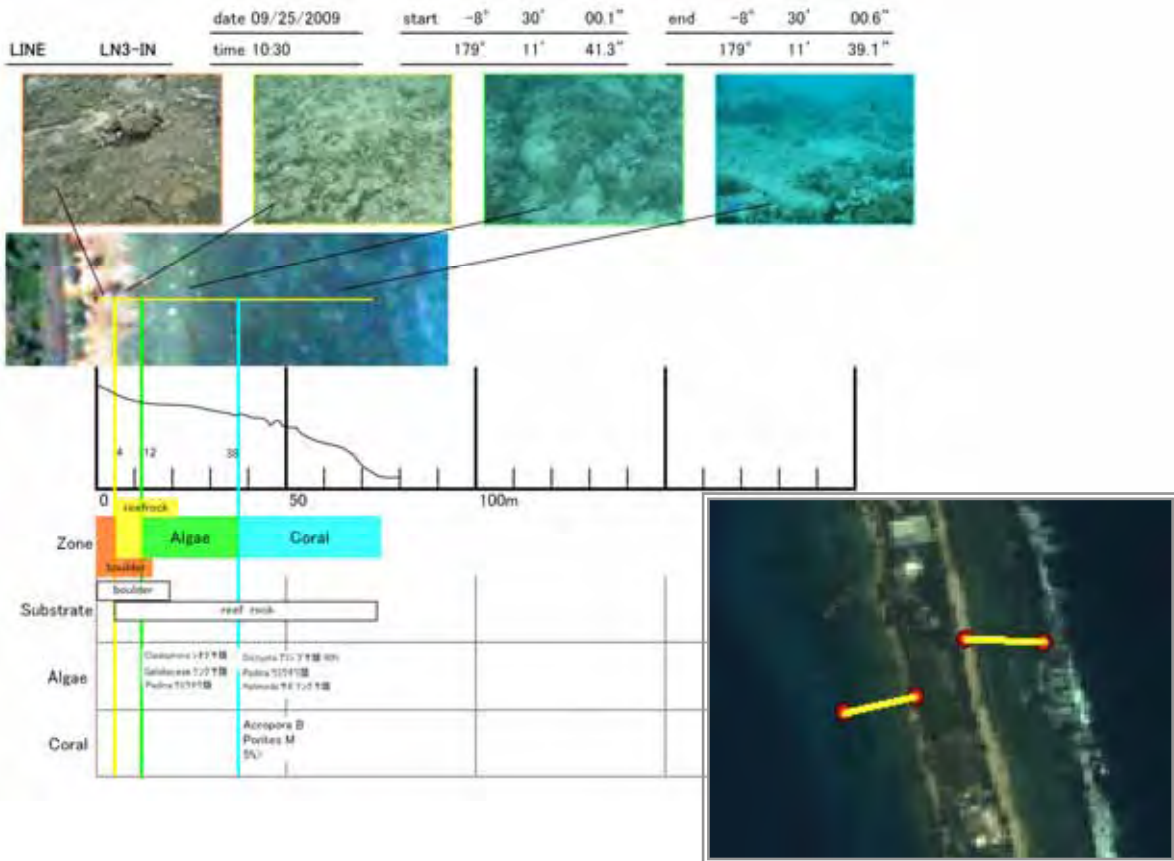
Traverse line survey location map

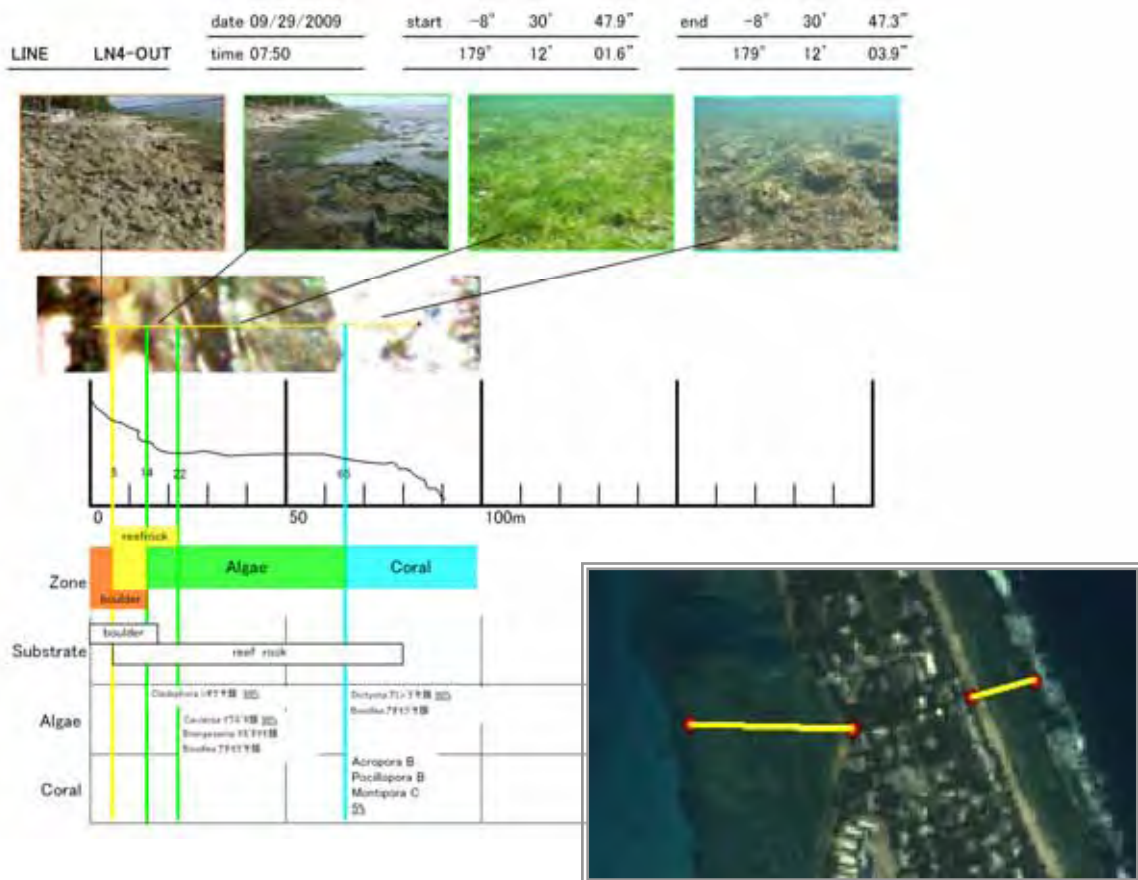
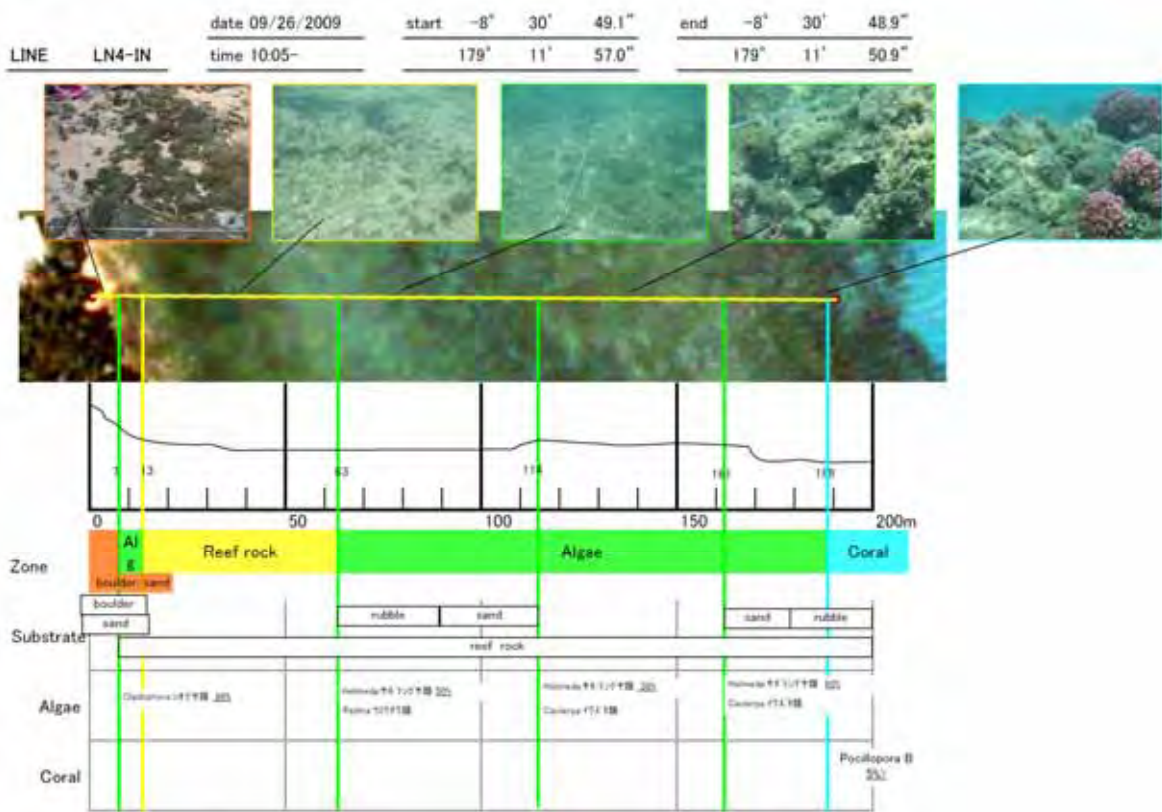
Traverse line survey position (coordinates)

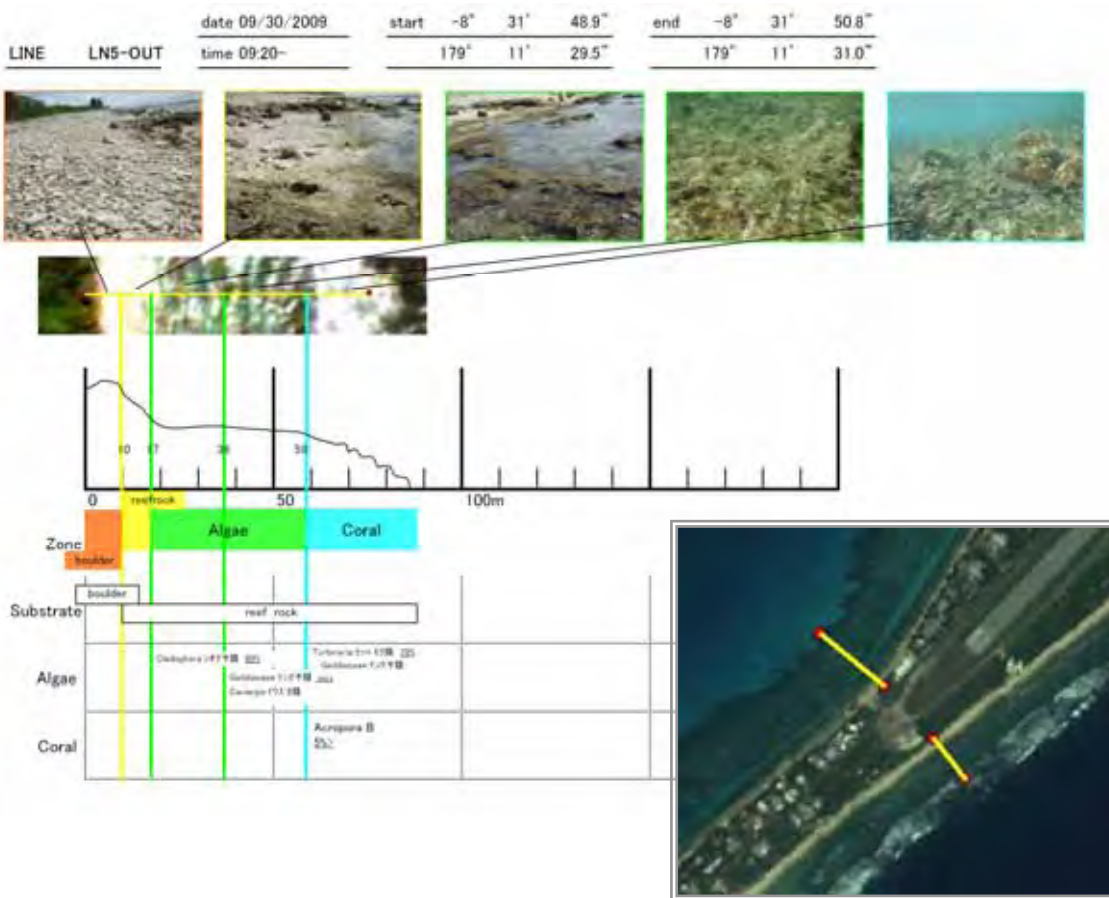
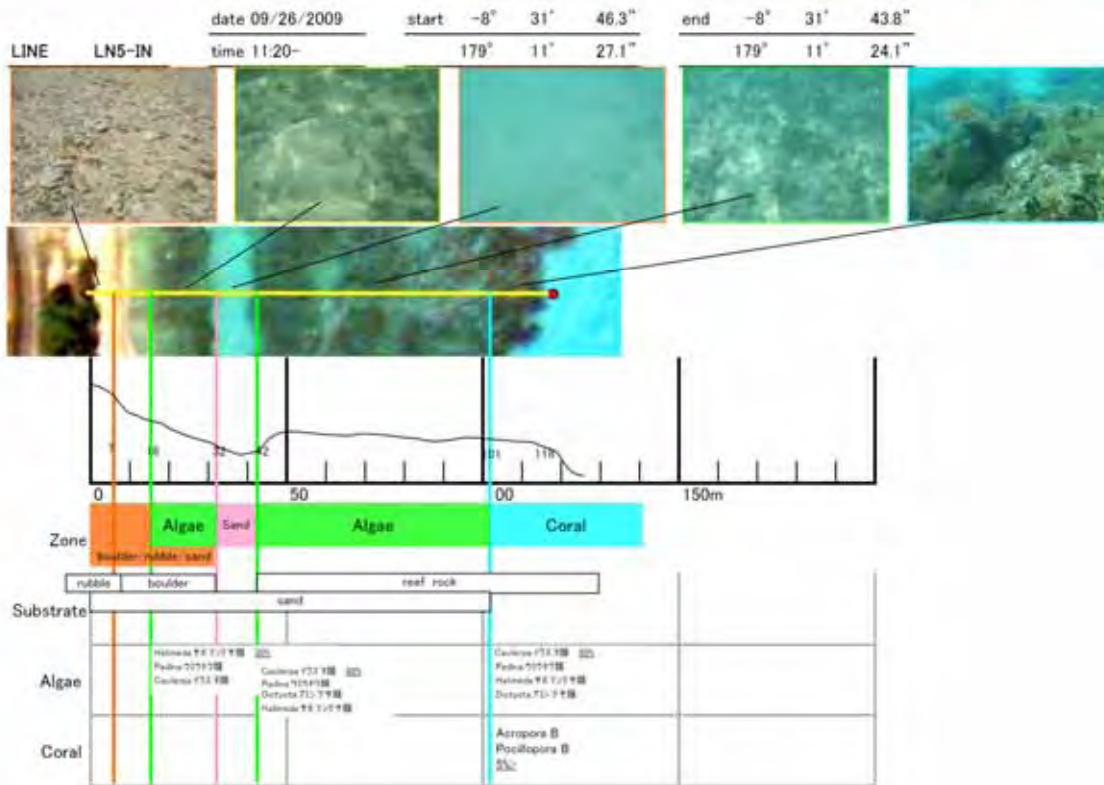
Stn.	Latitude	Longitude	length	direction (S -> E)	Place (Island)	Stn.	Latitude	Longitude	length	direction (S -> E)	Place (Island)
L02IN-S	-8 27.713	179 11.078	98m	255° 58' 56.16"	Fongafale	L090UT-S	-8 33.360	179 8.986	74m	134° 07' 38.38"	Funangongo
L02IN-E	-8 27.726	179 11.026			Fongafale	L090UT-E	-8 33.388	179 9.015			Funangongo
L020UT-S	-8 27.707	179 11.115	81m	65° 40' 42.25"	Fongafale	L10IN-S	-8 34.764	179 7.058	126m	286° 55' 58.65"	Falefatu
L020UT-E	-8 27.689	179 11.155			Fongafale	L10IN-E	-8 34.744	179 6.992			Falefatu
L03IN-S	-8 30.002	179 11.688	71m	259° 01' 00.00"	Fongafale	L100UT-S	-8 34.795	179 7.074	77m	112° 24' 02.55"	Falefatu
L03IN-E	-8 30.009	179 11.650			Fongafale	L100UT-E	-8 34.811	179 7.113			Falefatu
L030UT-S	-8 29.972	179 11.714	82m	91° 16' 43.65"	Fongafale	L11IN-S	-8 36.933	179 5.772	73m	275° 44'15.84"	Funafala
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L06IN-E	-8 32.069	179 10.984			Fongafale	L130UT-E	-8 29.336	179 3.640			Fualopa
L060UT-S	-8 32.166	179 11.060	82m	143° 15'20.73"	Fongafale	L14IN-S	-8 27.897	179 4.811	255m	124° 15'51.92"	Tepuka
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L07IN-E	-8 32.286	179 10.584			Fongafale	L140UT-E	-8 27.867	179 4.630			Tepuka
L070UT-S	-8 32.370	179 10.578	84m	176° 17'8.9"	Fongafale	L15IN-S	-8 25.715	179 7.133	229m	188° 17'25.77"	Fualifeke
L070UT-E	-8 32.416	179 10.581			Fongafale	L15IN-E	-8 25.838	179 7.115			Fualifeke
L08IN-S	-8 32.775	179 9.840	176m	321° 28' 06.54"	Fatao	L150UT-S	-8 25.627	179 7.251	277m	340° 40'43.72"	Fualifeke
L08IN-E	-8 32.7	179 9.783			Fatao	L150UT-E	-8 25.485	179 7.201			Fualifeke
L080UT-S	-8 32.793	179 9.869	82m	137° 51' 26.84"	Fatao	L16IN-S	-8 26.110	179 10.008	255m	212° 32' 55.77"	Amatuku
L080UT-E	-8 32.826	179 9.891			Fatao	L16IN-E	-8 26.227	179 9.933			Amatuku
L09IN-S	-8 33.309	179 8.986	157m	343° 07' 06.00"	Funangongo	L160UT-S	-8 26.030	179 10.019	243m	20° 16'23.25"	Amatuku
L09IN-E	-8 33.227	179 8.961			Funangongo	L160UT-E	-8 25.906	179 10.065			Amatuku
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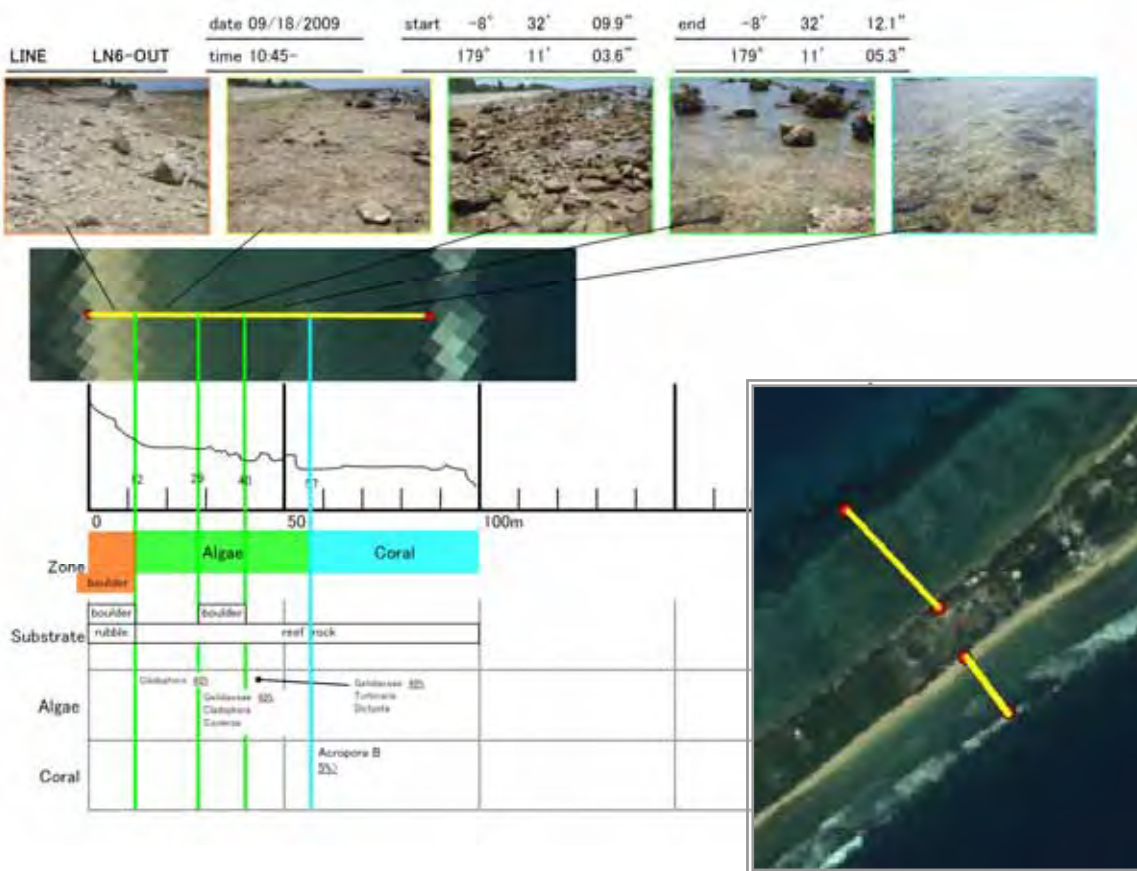
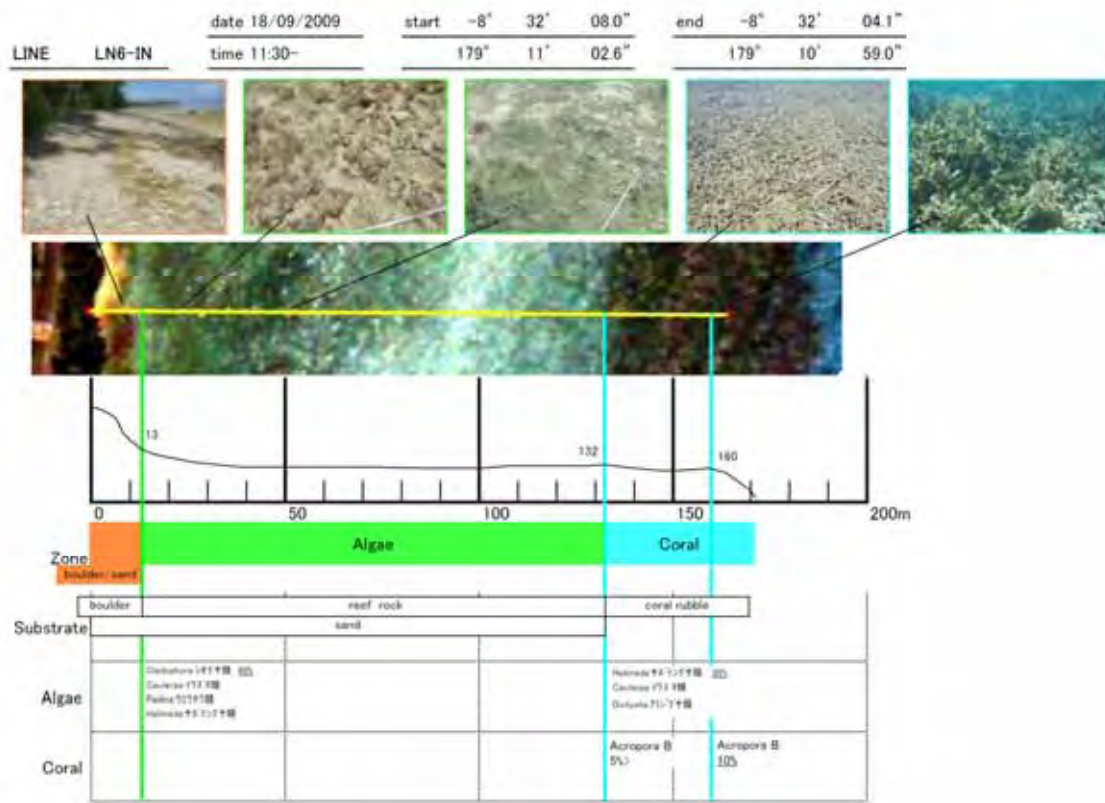
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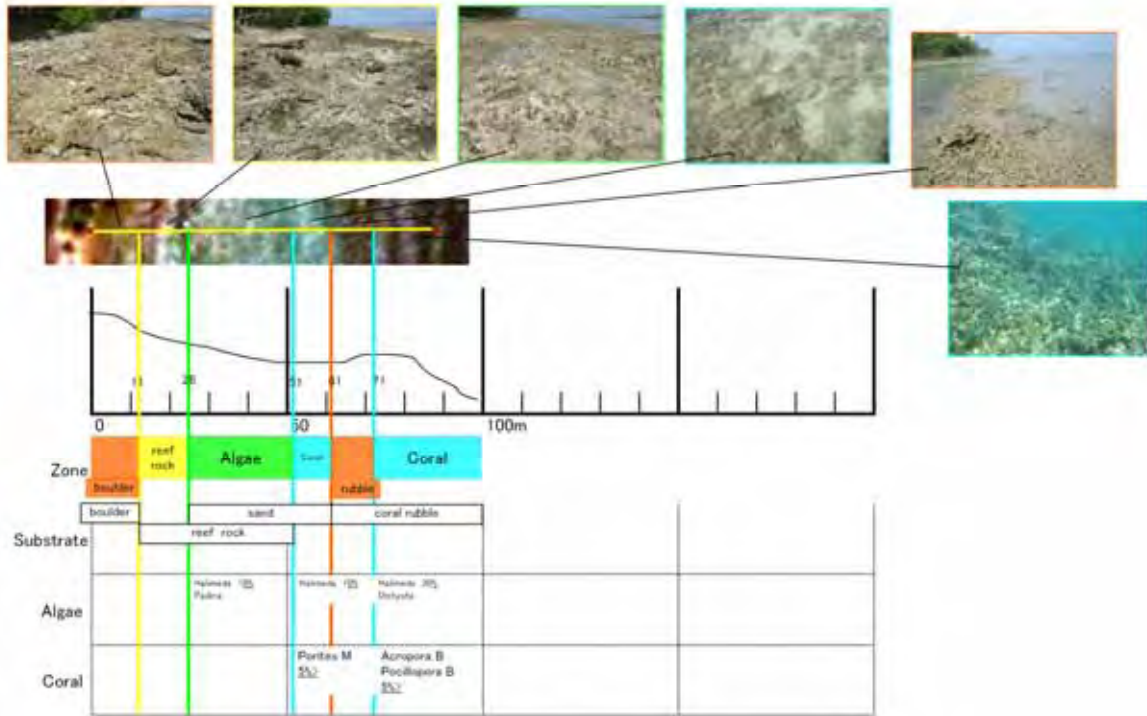




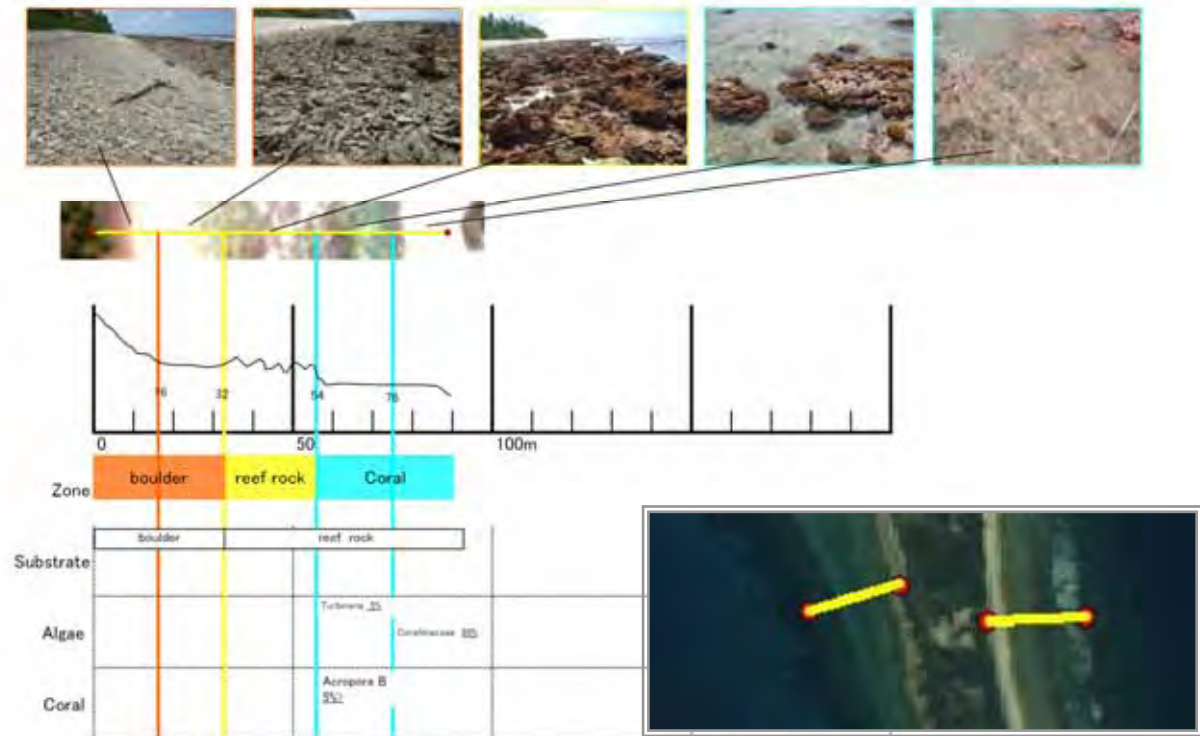


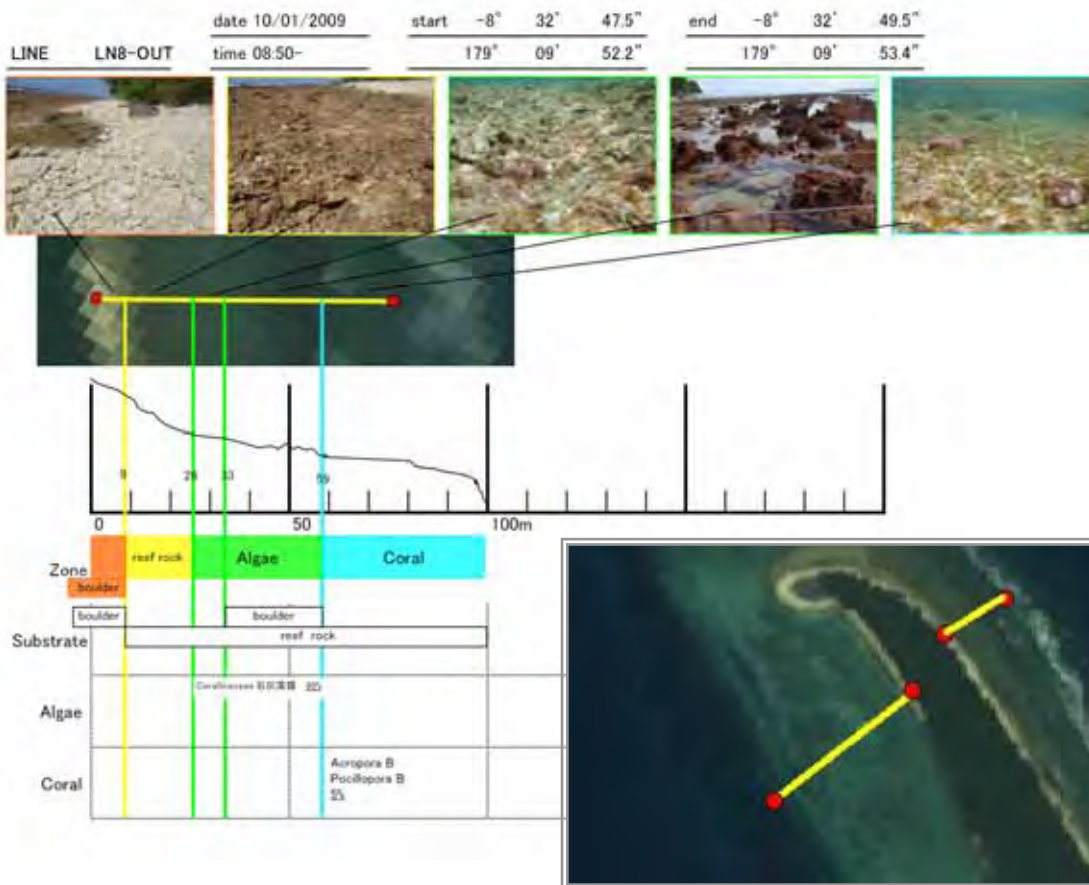
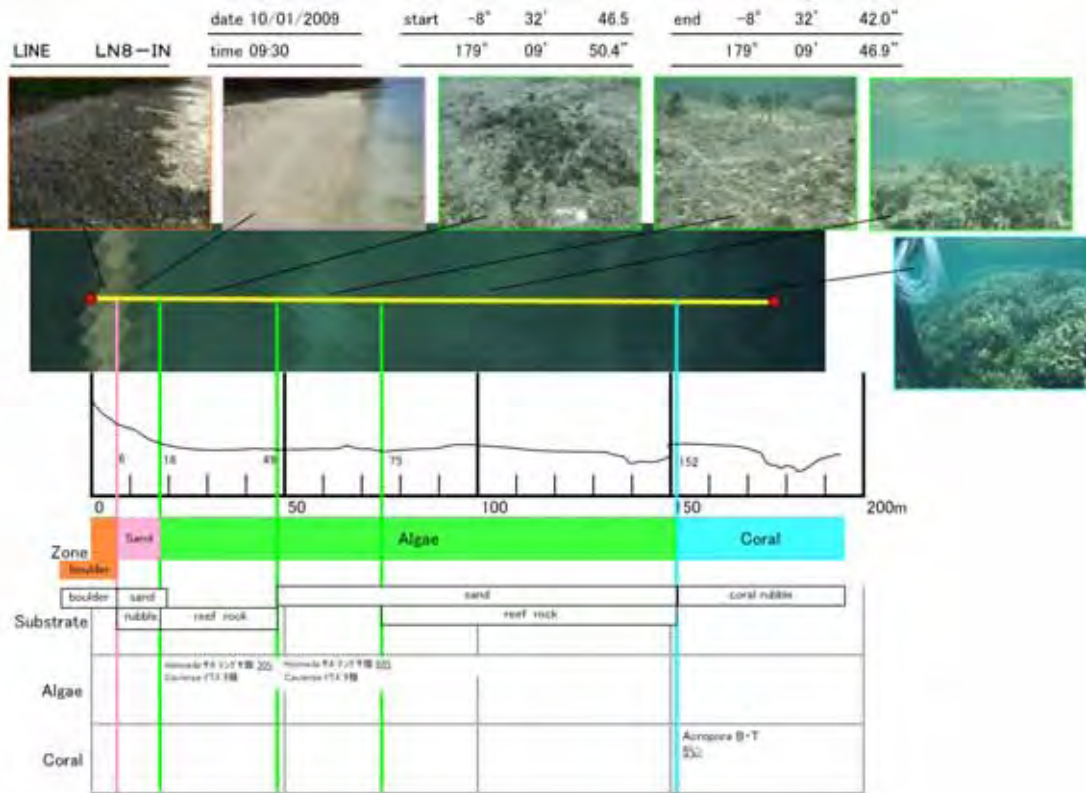


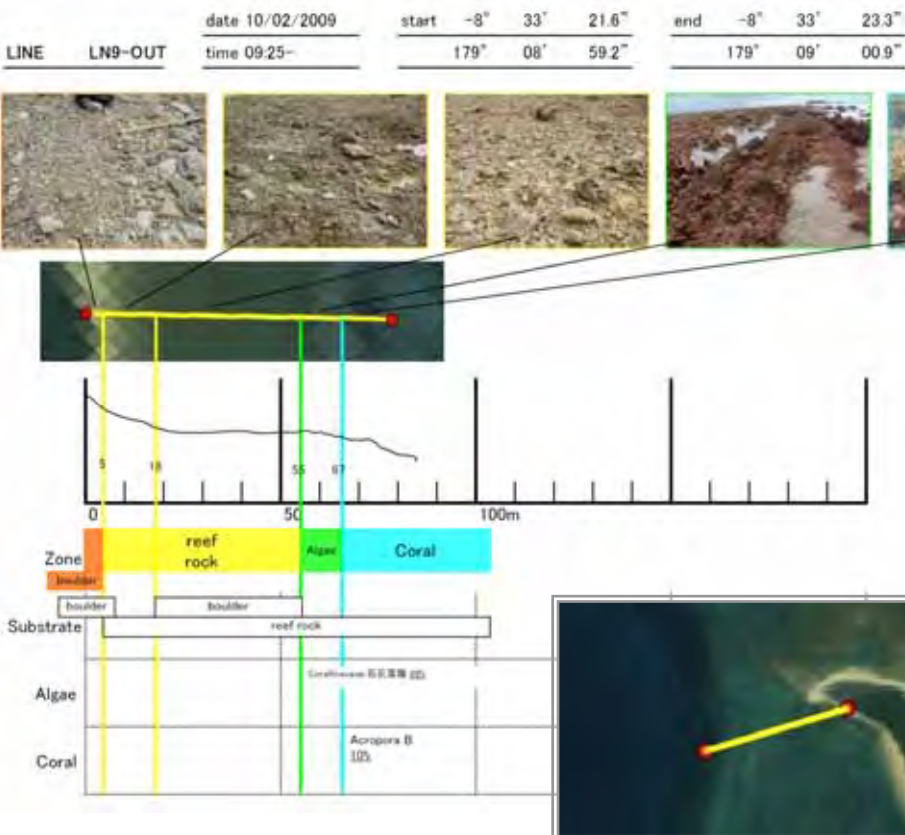
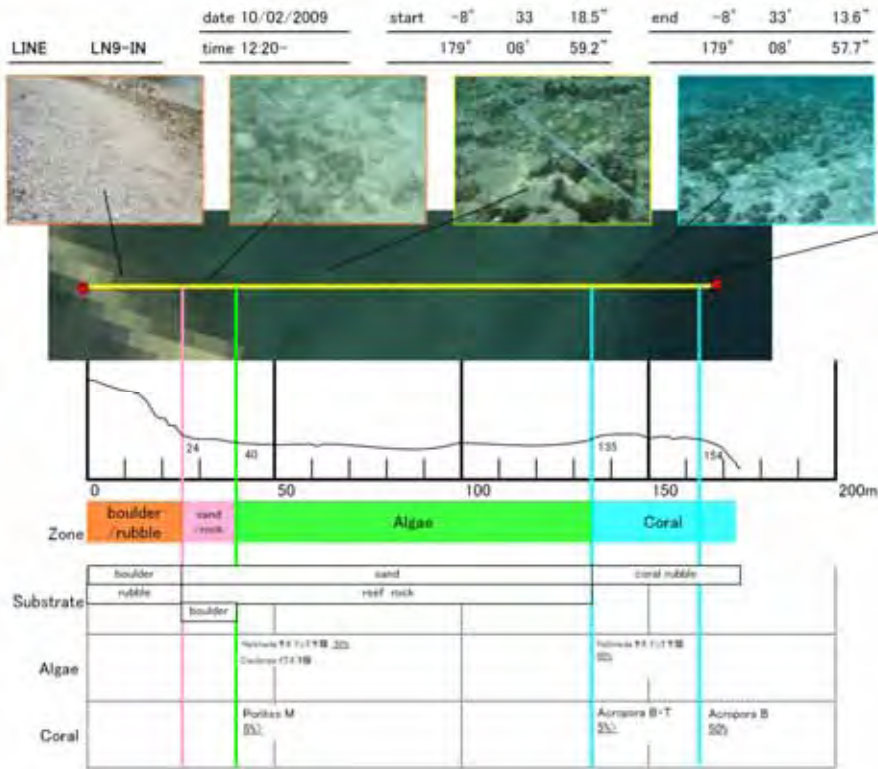
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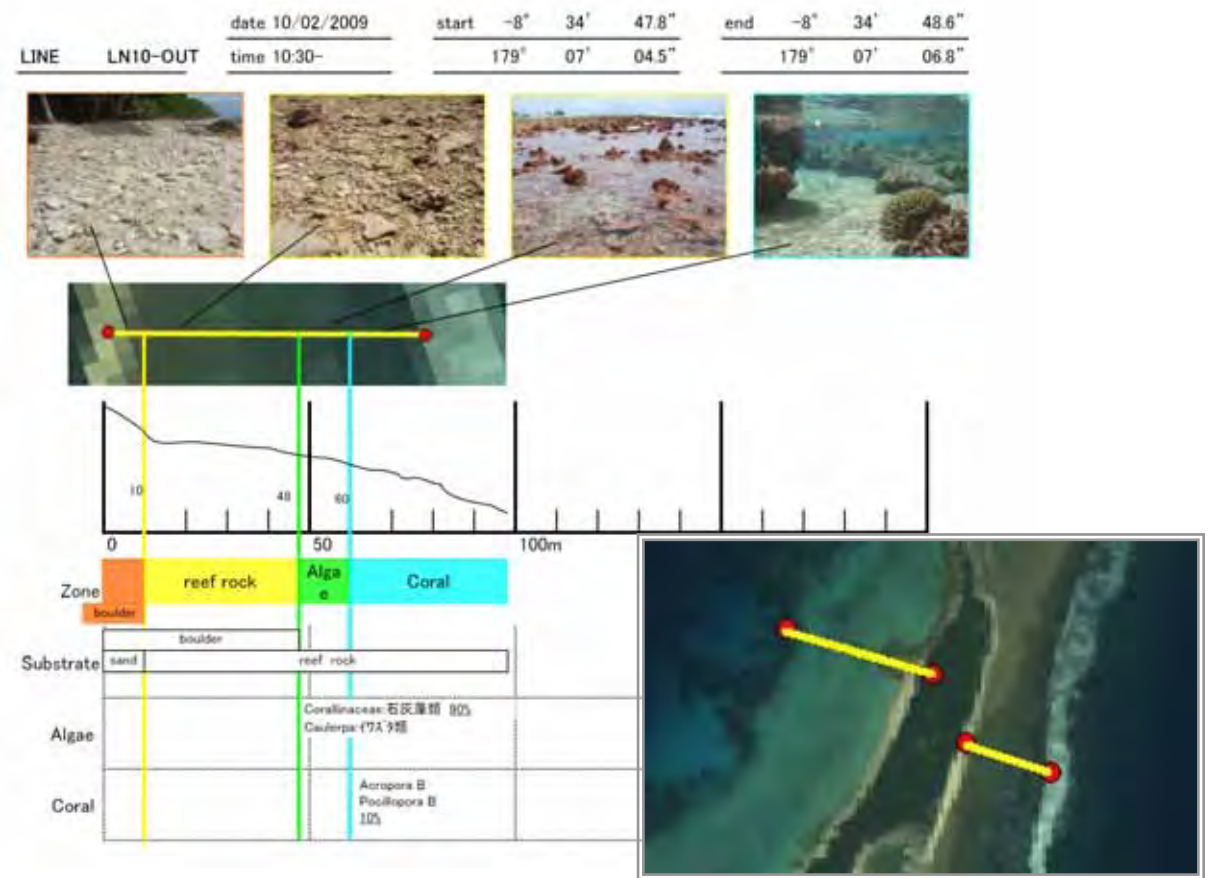
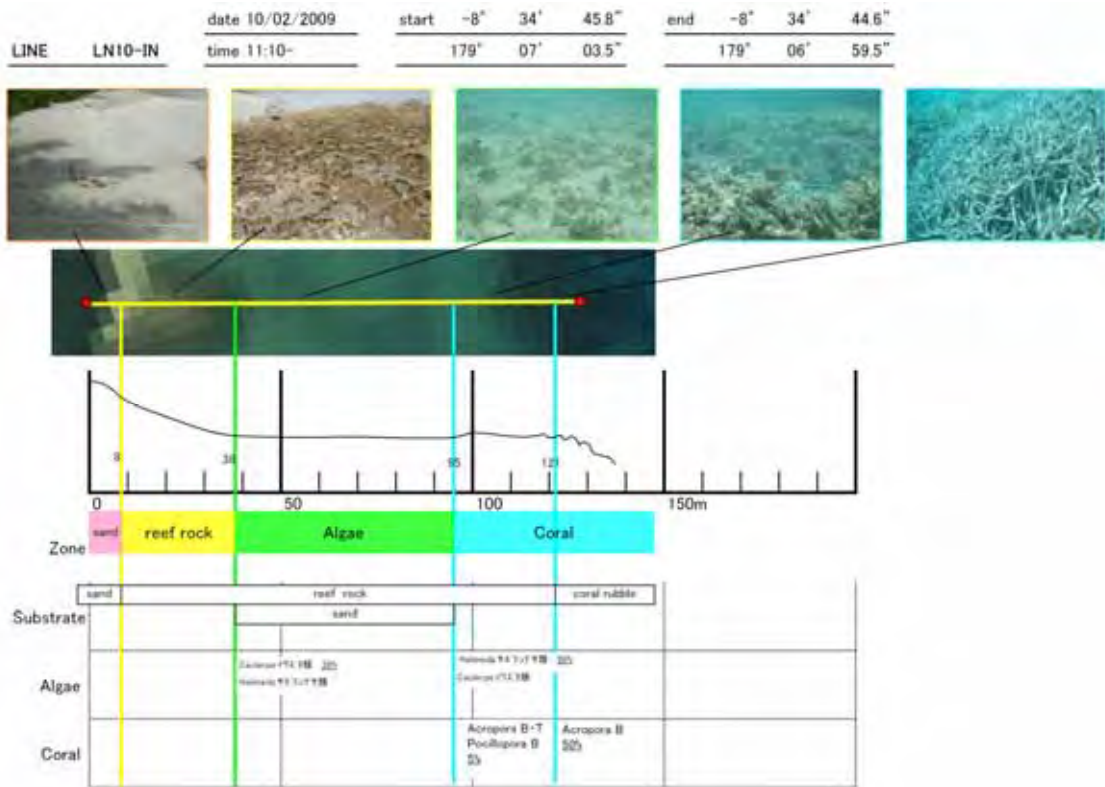


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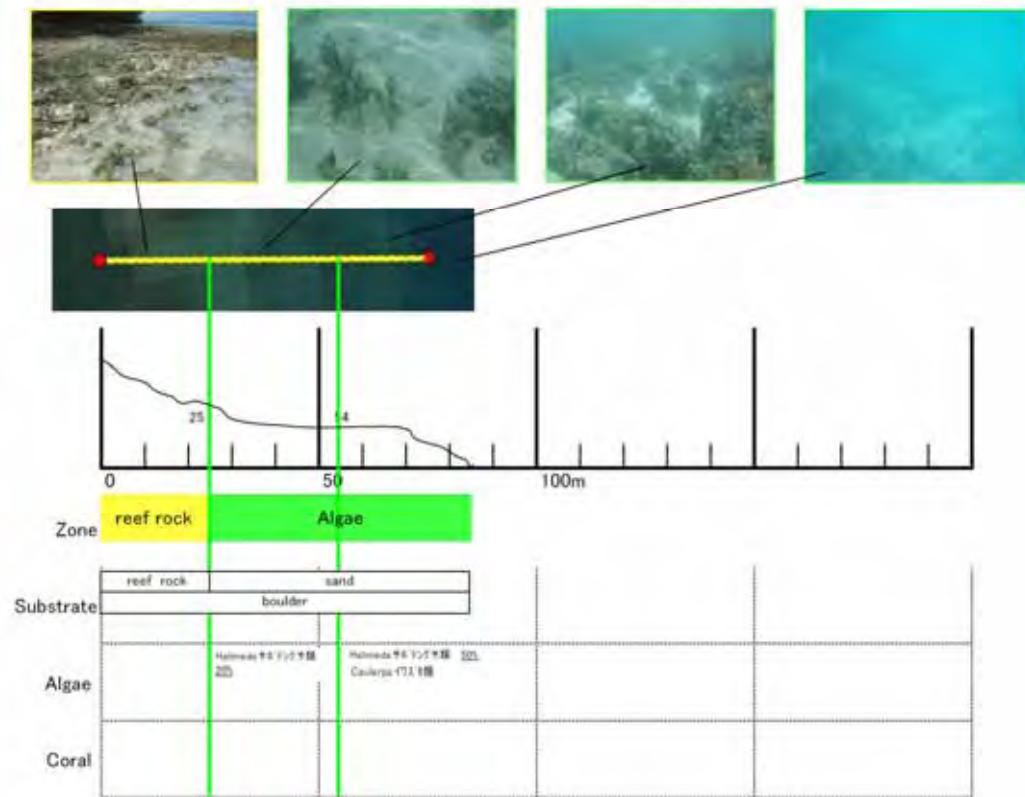




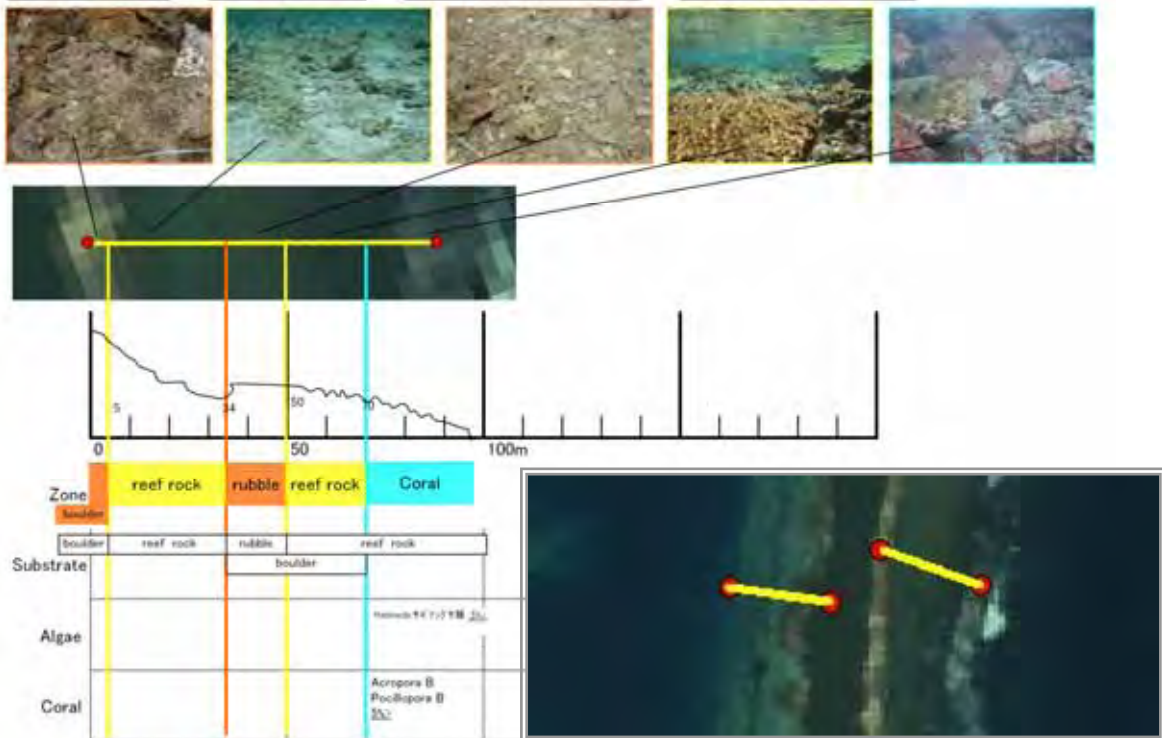




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 time 10:45- 179° 05' 46.3" 179° 05' 43.9"

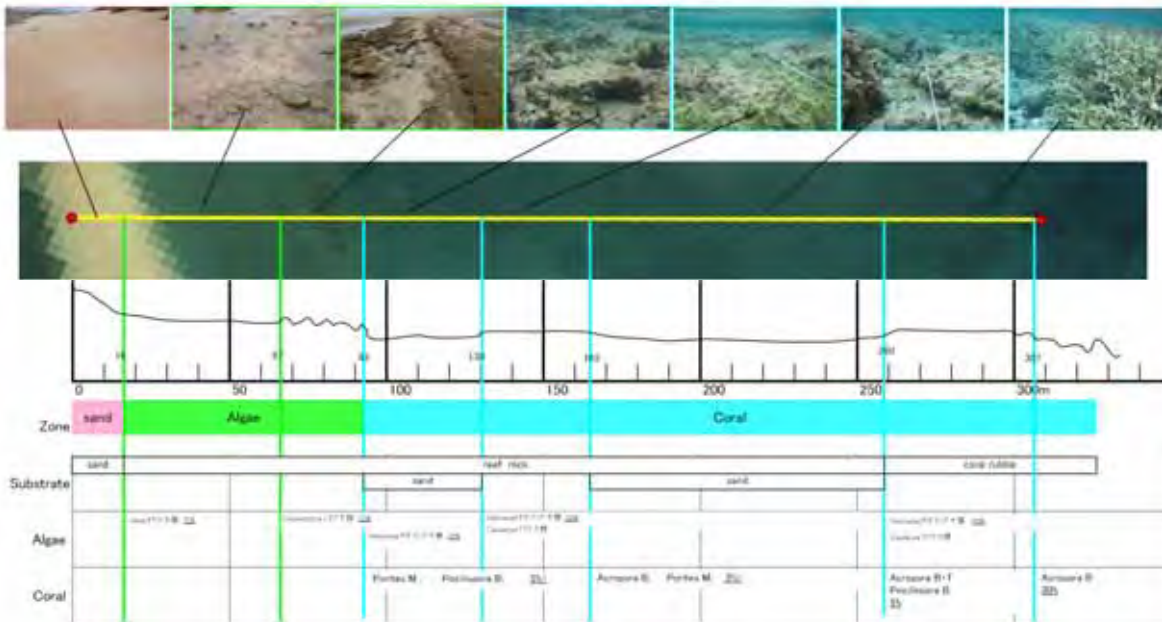


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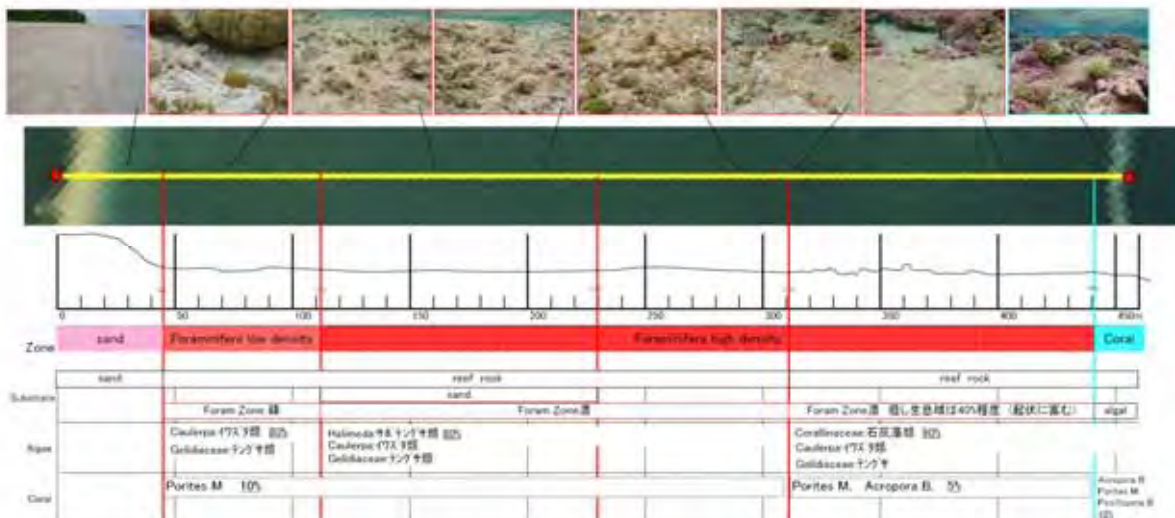


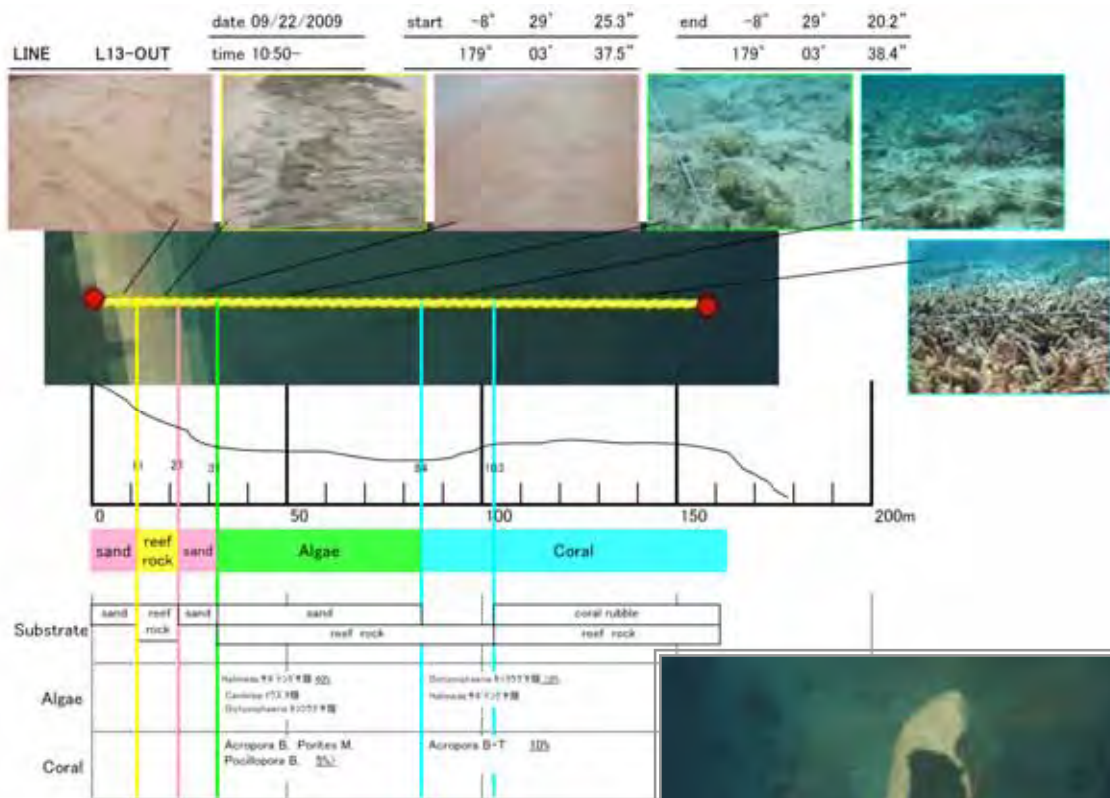
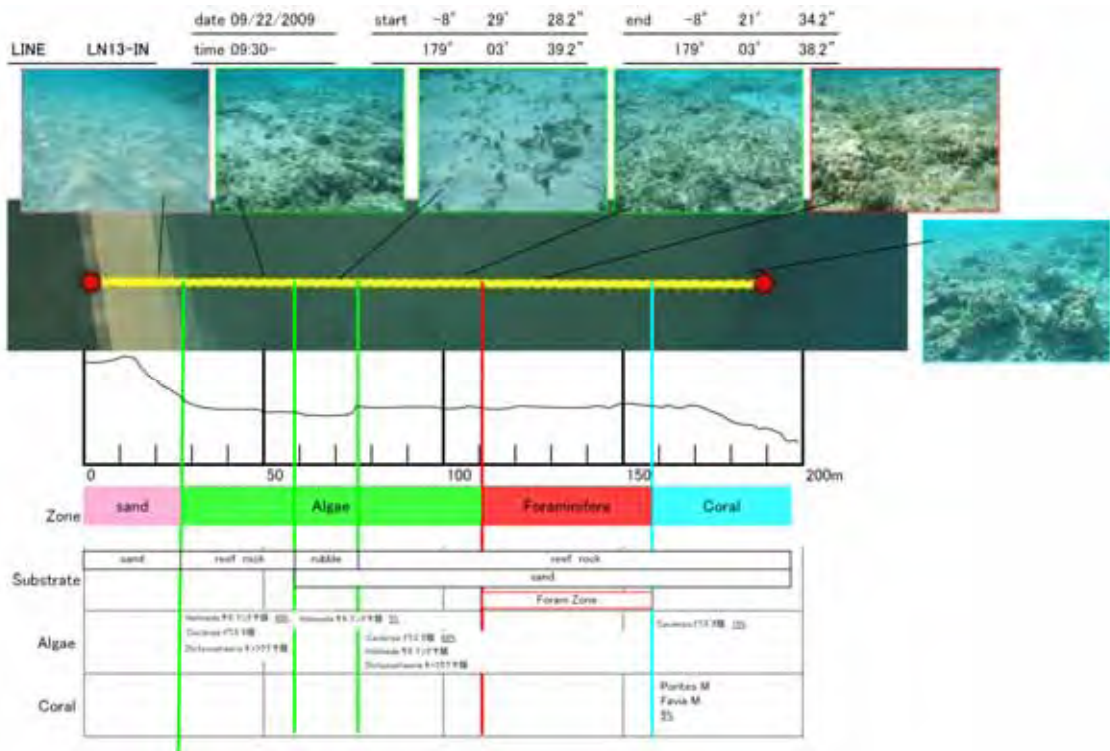


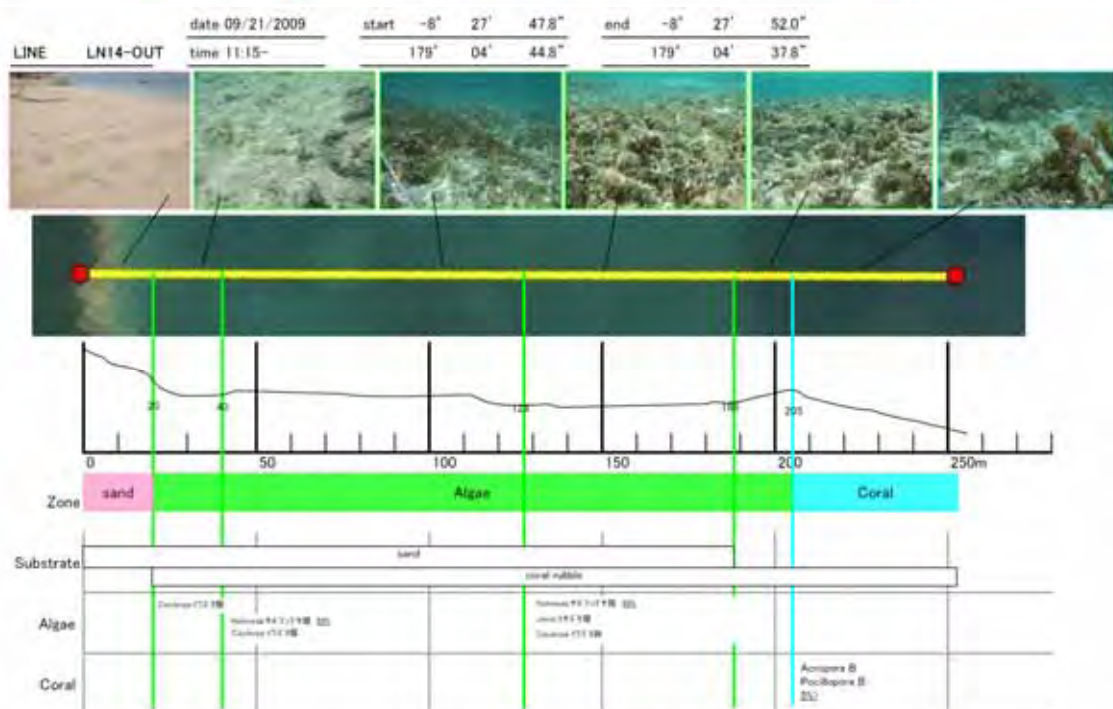
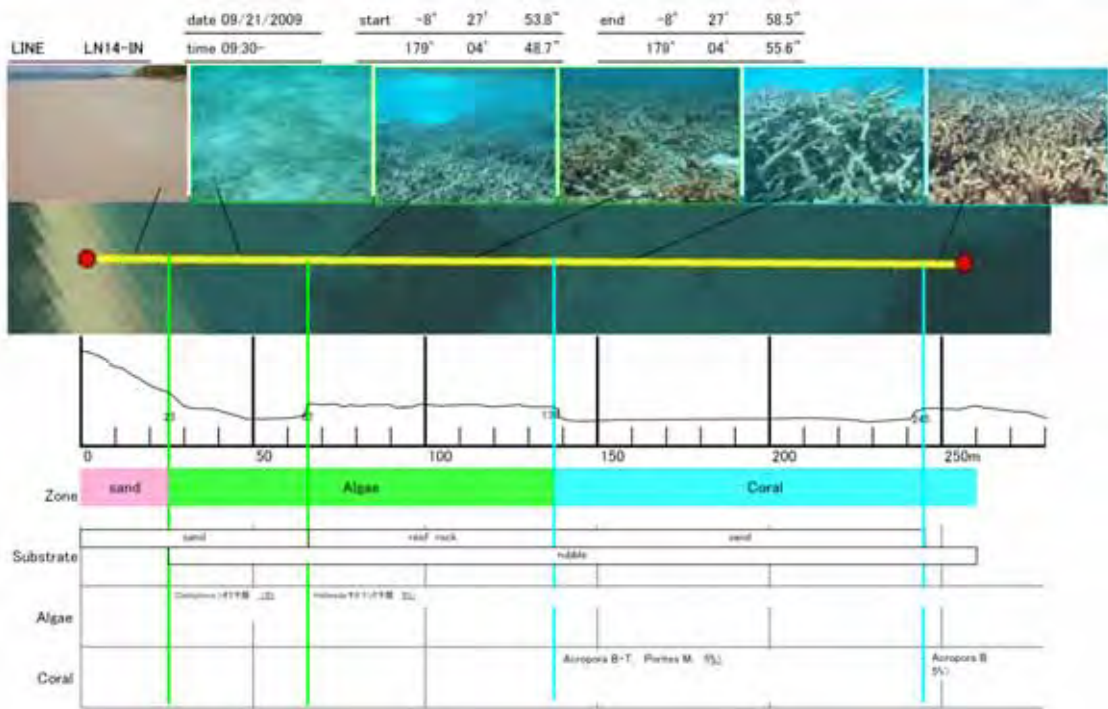
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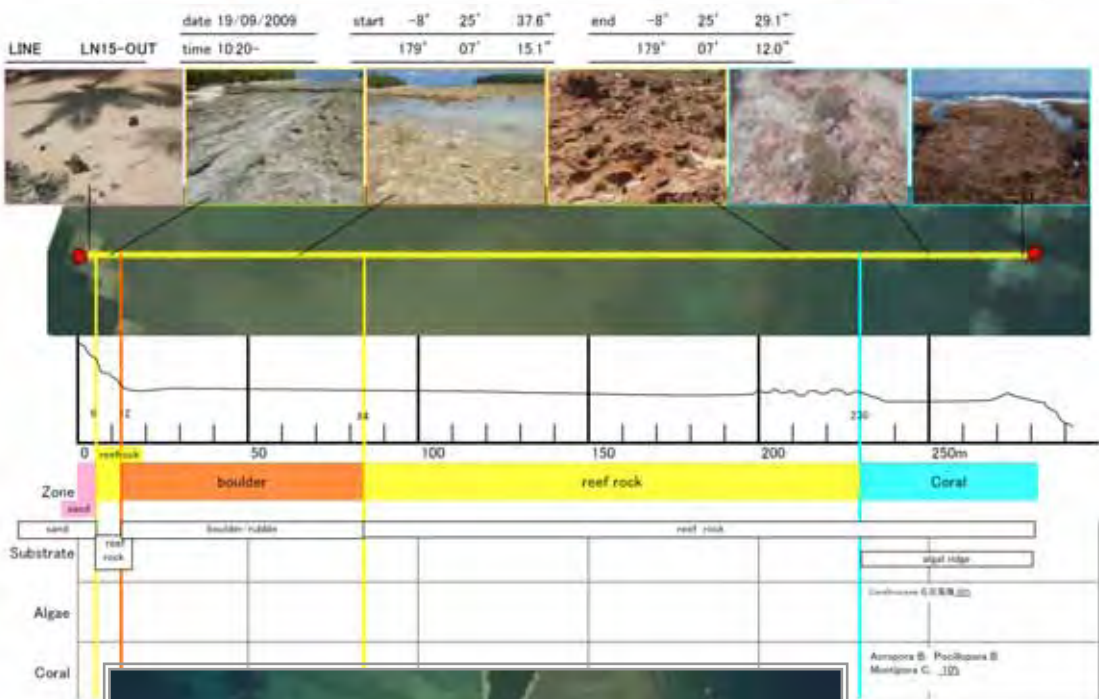
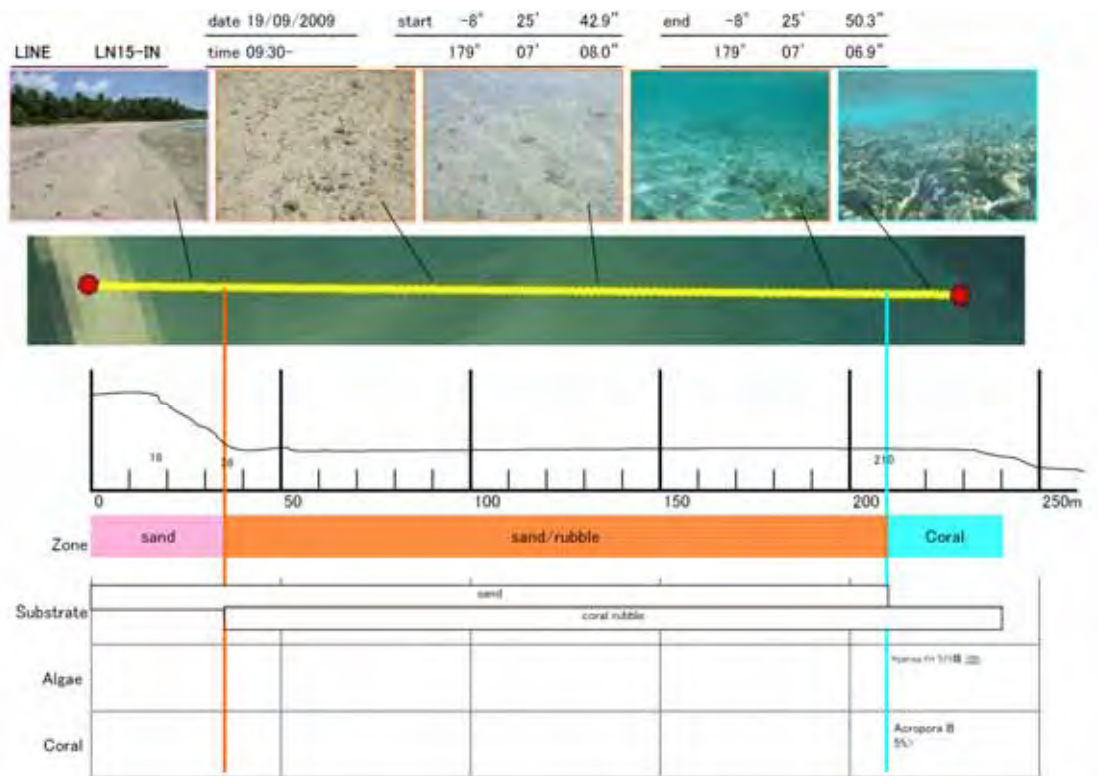


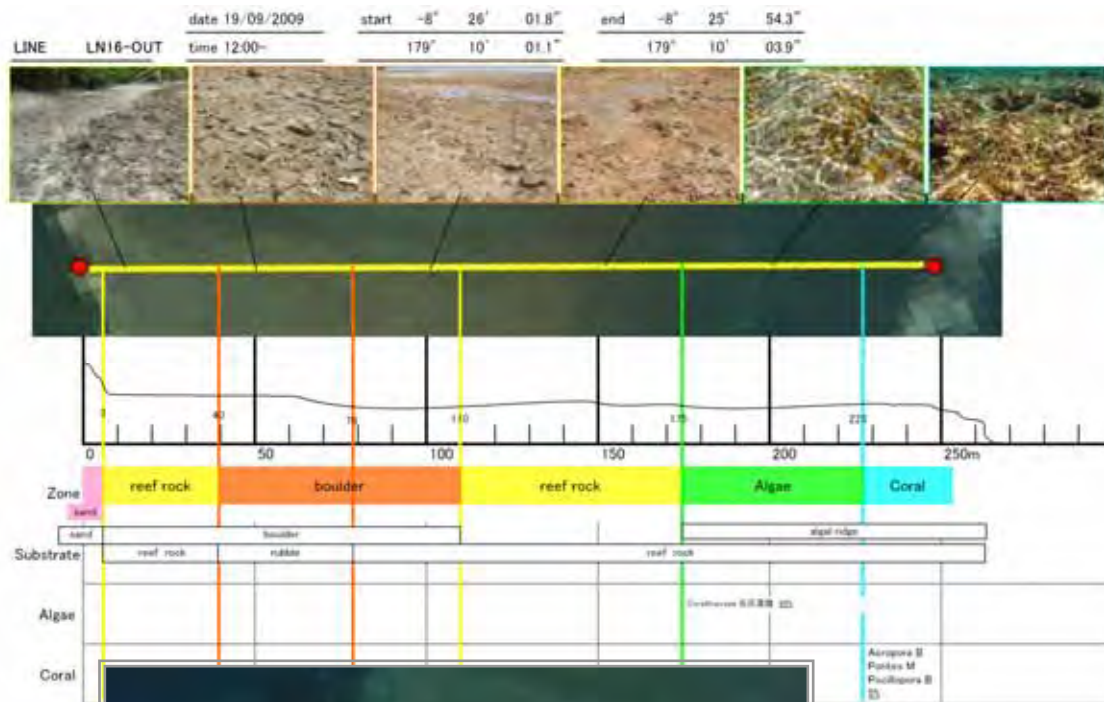
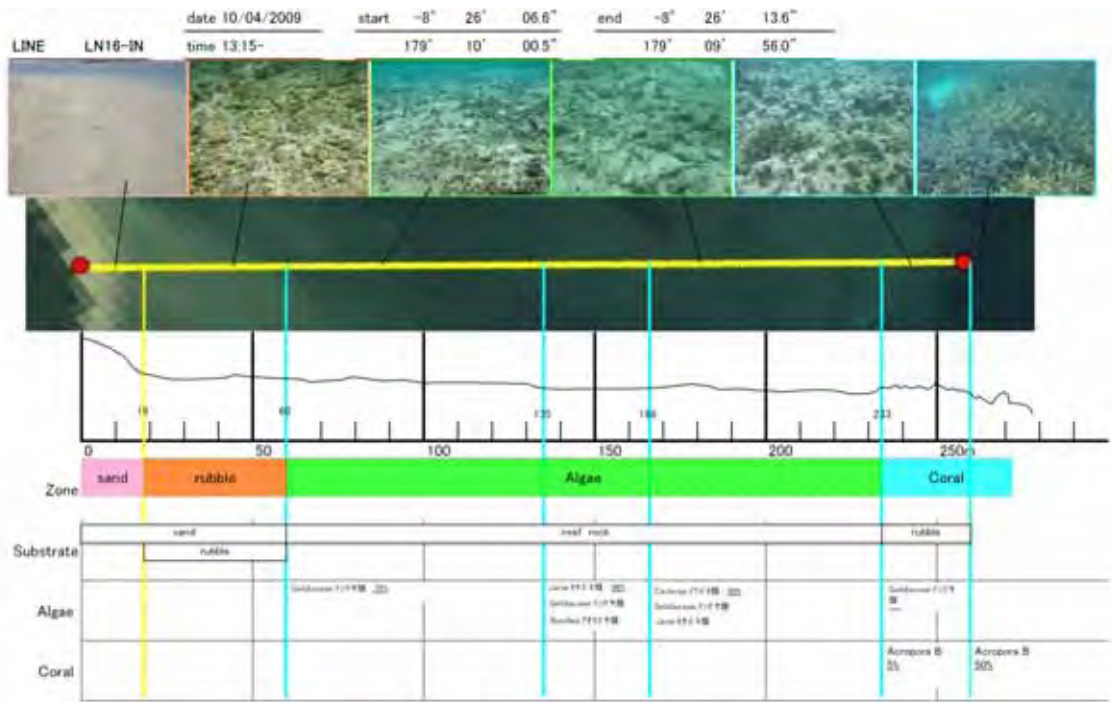
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		time 08:25-	179° 02' 55.4"	179° 02' 50.5"	179° 02' 45.5"	179° 02' 44.0"



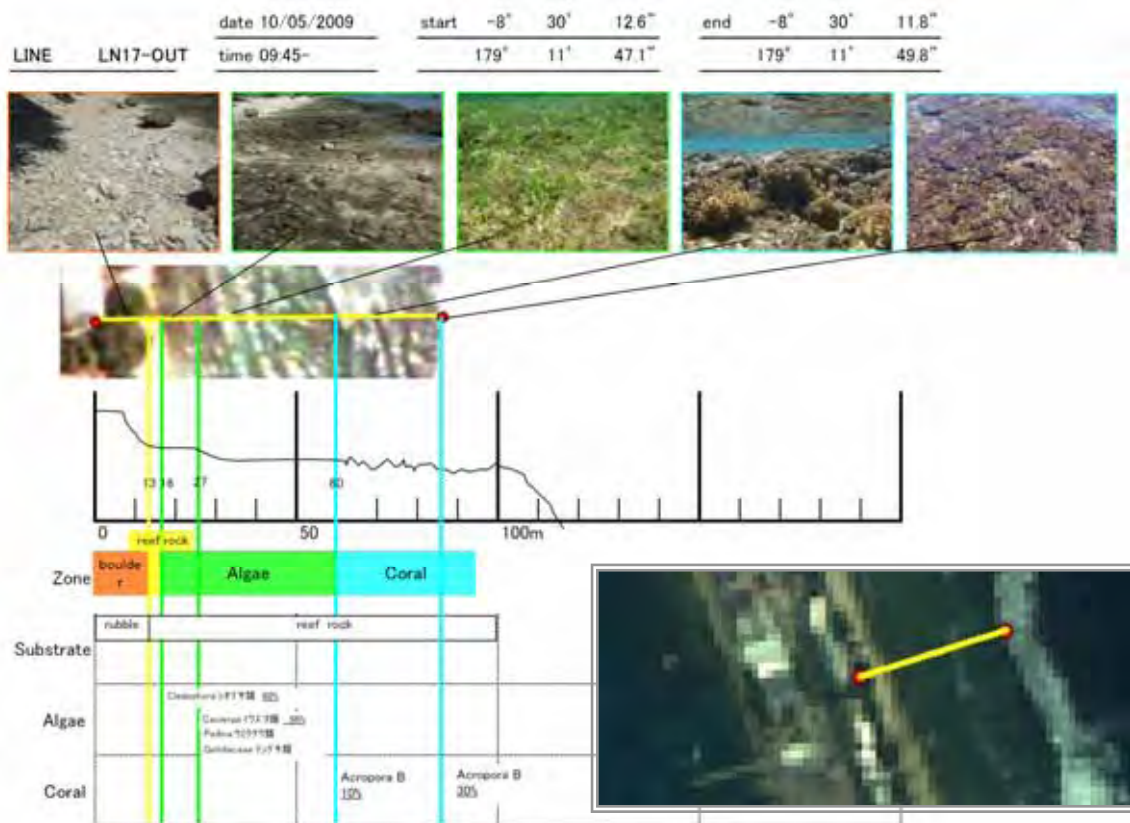








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Class	Order	Family	Genus	Line	Sample No.				Total	7m	8m	9m	10m	10m
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			distance from shoreline(m)											
			50	120	199	146	68	40	74	92	85	76	70	186
1	Rhizobiales	Foraminifera	<i>Buccella exposita</i>											
2		Calcariidae	<i>Calcarius</i>											
3		Amphispogonidae	<i>Amphispogon labifera</i>											
4		Amphispogonidae	<i>Amphispogon lessoni</i>											
5		Soritidae	<i>Sorites</i>											
6		Margaritacea	<i>Margarita</i>											
				total(n umbes)				2	0	3	21	0	2	0
1	Cynoph	Oscillatoriaceae	<i>Oscillatoria</i> sp.											
2		Oscillatoriaceae	<i>Oscillatoria</i> sp.											
3	Chloroph	Chlorophyta	<i>Chlorella</i> sp.											
4		Chlorophyta	<i>Chlorella</i> sp.											
5		Chlorophyta	<i>Chlorella</i> sp.											
6		Siphonoclad	<i>Siphonocladus</i> sp.											
7		Siphonoclad	<i>Siphonocladus</i> sp.											
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9		Valoniaceae	<i>Valonia</i> sp.											
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			Sample No.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
			distance from shore(m)	70	124	150	250	30	140	160	207	250	280	180	250	180	210	220	240	
1	Rhizophora	Formicariaceae	<i>Barringtonia speciosa</i>																	
2			<i>Cordia</i>																	
3			<i>Amphiseguias</i>																	
4			<i>Sonchaceae</i>																	
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