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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT         Type of Survey       Hydrographic Survey         Field No.       N/A         Registry No.       H12083
LOCALITY           State         Rhode Island           General Locality         Narragansett Bay and Rhode Island Sound           Sublocality         East Passage
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Scale <u>1:10,000</u>		Date of Survey	05/13	3/2009 - 08/18/2009	
Instructions dated	7/6/2009	Project No.	OPR	-B301-NRT5-09	
Vessel <u>NOAA La</u>	nunch S3002				
Chief of party <u>L1</u>	t. Matthew Jaskoski, NOAA				
Surveyed by N	RT5 Personnel				
Soundings by <u>Si</u>	mrad EM3000, EM3002, Odom Echotr	ack CV/200			
SAR by Martha Herzog Compilation by Kurt Brown					
Soundings compiled	in <u>Feet</u>				
REMARKS: <u>All tir</u>	REMARKS: All times are UTC. UTM Zone 19N				
The purpose of th	is survey is to provide contemporary su	rveys to update	Natio	nal Ocean Service (NOS)	
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H12083

## **DESCRIPTIVE REPORT**

to accompany Hydrographic Survey H12083<sup>1</sup>

Scale of Survey: 1:10,000 Year of Survey: 2009 NOAA Navigation Response Team 5 LT. Matthew Jaskoski, OIC

## A. AREA SURVEYED

This hydrographic survey was conducted in accordance with Hydrographic Survey Letter Instructions for project OPR-B301-NRT5-09, H12083, Newport, Rhode Island. The original instructions are dated July 6, 2008.

This Descriptive Report pertains to an area of approximately 6.5 SNM, of North Narragansett Bay from the Taunton River in the north, to the Mt. Hope Bridge in the south. The assigned registry number for this sheet is H12083, as prescribed in the Letter Instructions.

The purpose of the CY 2009 operations in this area were to provide contemporary surveys to update National Ocean Service (NOS) nautical charts.

For complete survey limits, see figure A-1 on the following page.

Linear nautical miles of single beam only sounding lines - mainscheme only	216.6
Linear nautical miles of side scan sonar only lines - mainscheme only	436.4
Linear nautical miles of any combination of the above techniques	436.4
Linear nautical miles of crosslines from single beam and multibeam combined	28.4
Linear nautical miles of developments other than mainscheme lines	18.2
Linear nautical miles of shoreline/nearshore investigation	0.0
Number of bottom samples collected	0
Number of items investigated that required additional time/effort in the field beyond	
the above survey operations	1(Marina)
Total square nautical miles	6.5

Dates of acquisition: May 13, 2009 to August 18, 2009.





## **B. DATA ACQUISITION AND PROCESSING**

#### **B.1 EQUIPMENT**

Data were acquired by NOAA NRT-5 S3002. NOAA Survey Vessel S3002 is an approximately 9m aluminum SeaArk outboard driven vessel with an average multibeam transducer draft of 0.5 meters.

NOAA S3002 acquired both bathymetry and imagery data in the project area. Side scan sonar data were acquired with a towed Klein 3000 sonar system (SSS). Bathymetry data were acquired with both an Odom Echotrac C/V 200 verticalbeam echosounder (VBES), and a Kongsberg Simrad EM 3002 multibeam echosounder (MBES). Positioning and attitude were determined with a TSS POS/MV 320 (version 4) GPS aided inertial navigation system.

### **B.2 QUALITY CONTROL**

#### **B.2.1 Side Scan Sonar Quality Control**

Daily confidence checks were made by observing the outer ranges of the side scan sonar image trace. A good check consisted of distinguishing linear contacts across the entire range of the side scan trace. Navigation data were reviewed, fliers were rejected with interpolation. In shallow water, refraction was noticeable in the outer one-third to outer one-half of the range on both the starboard and port return. Drags marks from clam rakes were visible through the refraction waves, but additional SSS line splits were conducted over the entire survey area nonetheless.

In accordance with the project instructions, 200% SSS bottom coverage was collected for this survey at 75m range scale, as well as 200% SSS splits, which resulted in 400% SSS coverage. A SSS image mosaic was created at 1m resolution for submission (Table B-2).

#### **B.2.2 Multibeam Echosounder Quality Control**

Multibeam echosounder data were acquired at 100% coverage for SSS contact development, and areas deemed navigationally significant by the hydrographer. After Sheet H12083 VBES and SSS data was collected S3002 received hull modifications. The MBES was hull mounted, as opposed to the previous pole mount, and the IMU was placed directly over the MBES transducer in the hull. MBES data collected for developments was collected after modifications were complete, surveyed, and patch test was conducted. In order to successfully operate the EM3002 with the SIS software, sound speed casts were completed at the start of the survey day (and every 4 hours afterwards) and manually entered into the SIS program as an ASVP file, which is a Simrad format created by Velocwin. Surface sound velocity was provided by a 2<sup>nd</sup> Odom Digibar and it was fed directly into the SIS program in real time. There were no faults with the MBES system which adversely effected data integrity. Navigation data were reviewed; any fliers were rejected with interpolation. A small variable Navigation Timing error was noted after

review of the data in post-processing within Caris' subset editor. The Navigation error did not exceed the allowable horizontal error budget, but it should be noted that certain vertical features may appear to have multiple peaks. Least depths were taken from the shallowest sounding. For detailed discussion of MBES system calibrations, data acquisition, and data processing refer to this project's DAPR.

#### **B.2.3 Total Propagated Error**

Total Propagated Error (TPE) parameters for sound speed and tide data for H12083 are shown in table B-1. The estimated tidal error contribution to the total survey error budget in the vicinity of Narragansett Bay is included in the TCARI gird. Sound speed TPE values were used in accordance with HSTP guidelines regarding frequency of surface and water column sound speed measurements.

Table B-1. Total Propagated Error parameters as applied in Caris.

Su	irvey specific parameti	ers					
	Tide values:	Measured	0	m	Zoning	0	m
	Sound Speed values:	Measured	4	m/s	Surface	0.2	m/s

#### **B.2.4 Fieldsheets and Navigation Surfaces**

Caris HIPS uncertainty weighted BASE surfaces were created for this project. For MBES data surfaces were created and submitted at 0.50m resolution. An uncertainty weighted BASE surface was created for VBES data at 5.00m resolution. Caris HIPS combined uncertainty weighted CUBE surfaces were created for this project. For MBES data surfaces were created and submitted at 0.50m resolution<sup>2</sup>. A combined uncertainty weighted CUBE surface was created for VBES data at 5.00m resolution. The MBES CUBE surface finalized weighted grid is included in the PSS. Table B-2 lists all surfaces submitted with this survey (see next page).

#### **B.2.5 Single Beam Quality Control**

Navigation data were reviewed, fliers were rejected with interpolation. VBES data from initial concurrent 200% SSS coverage was rejected due to a faulty transducer. The transducer was technically functional, but fliers were consistently noted in data to the extent that it was considered unreliable. The transducer was replaced and used for VBES acquisition on the secondary concurrent 200% splits. Only the data deemed reliable has been submitted as part of

this survey. There were no unusual events associated with the collection of VBES data for this project.

Refer to this project's DAPR for detailed discussion of VBES system calibrations, data acquisition, and data processing.

H12083 Bathymetry Surfaces and SSS Mosaic				
Fieldsheet	Surface/Mosaic Name	Grid Type	Resolution	
H12083	H12083_VBES_BASE_4m	Uncertainty Weighted	4m	
H12083	H12083_VBES_CUBE_4m	CUBE	4m	
H12083	H12083_MBES_BASE_50cm	Uncertainty Weighted	0.50m	
H12083	H12083_MBES_CUBE_50cm	CUBE	0.50m	
H12083	H12083_MBES_BASE_50cm	Uncertainty Weighted	0.50m	
	_Final			
H12083	H12083_MBES_CUBE_50cm	CUBE	0.50m	
	Final			
H12083	H12083_SSS_1m	SSS Mosaic	1m	

Table B-2: H12083 Bathymetry surfaces and Side Scan mosaic resolutions.

#### **B.2.6** Crosslines

For this survey 28.4 linear NM of crosslines were acquired, this is approximately 13% of the mainscheme VBES bathymetry linear NM. A visual examination of approximately 13% of crossline-mainsheme common areas showed general agreement between crosslines and mainscheme lines to within 1-2 feet. For a list of all crosslines acquired for this project, tabulated by DN and line file name, please refer to the processing logs located in the separates section of the DR submission package.

#### **B.2.7 Junctions**

Survey H12083 junctions with contemporary survey H12153. Visual examination of all junction areas showed agreement between bathymetry data to within 1-2ft<sup>3</sup>.

#### **B.3 CORRECTIONS TO ECHO SOUNDING**

All methods or instruments used were as described in the project DAPR. All sound velocity casts are included in the PSS.

Figure B-1: Caris QC report, IHO Order 1 vs. Beam Number. High Order 1 compliance was achieved across the entire swath.



## C. VERTICAL AND HORIZONTAL CONTROL

#### **C.1 VERTICAL CONTROL**

The tidal datum for this project is Mean Lower Low Water (MLLW). The operating National Water Level Observation Network (NWLON) stations at Providence, RI (845-4000) and Newport, RI (845-2660) served as datum control for the survey area including determination at each subordinate station. The operating stations at Providence, RI (845-4000), Conimicut Light, RI (845-2944), Quonset Point, RI (845-4049) and Newport, RI (845-2660) provided residuals for this project. A Request for Approved Tides was sent to N/OPS1 on September 10, 2009 (Appendix III). Verified tides from the N/OPS1 CO-OPS website were downloaded and applied to all sounding data via TCARI<sup>4</sup>.

#### C.2 HORIZONTAL CONTROL

The horizontal datum used for this survey is the North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), projected using UTM zone 19.

Sounding positional control was determined using the Global Positioning System (GPS) corrected by U.S. Coast Guard differential GPS (DGPS) beacon stations. The DGPS beacon used for this survey was Acushnet, MA. No horizontal control stations were established for this survey.

Horizontal dilution of precision (HDOP) was monitored during acquisition, and did not exceed 4.00. Adequate satellite coverage was maintained throughout the survey period.

## D. RESULTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

## **D.1 CHART COMPARISON**

Table D-1: Charts affected by survey H12083.

Chart Number	Edition	Edition Date	Scale
13221	57 <sup>th</sup>	02/01/2008	1:40000
13224	39 <sup>th</sup>	08/01/2009	1:20000
13226	6 <sup>th</sup>	01/01/2004	1:20000
13227	14 <sup>th</sup>	03/01/2006	1:10000

ENC Cell Name
US5RI23M
US5R125M
US5RI26M

#### **D.1.1 General Agreement with Charted soundings**

Sounding data generally agreed with charted depths to within 1-2 feet, navigationally significant differences from charted depths are addressed in Appendix II of this report.

#### **D.1.2 AWOIS Items and Significant Contacts**

There were five AWOIS items within the survey limits of H12083. The search area was covered with 200% SSS and 100% MBES, except AWOIS Item 14221, which was not developed with MBES but existence was verified in 200% SSS. AWOIS Item 14220 was covered with 200% SSS and 100% MBES, but is mentioned in Sheet D because data was collected with SheetD MBES data. The hydrographer recommends that all AWOIS Items be retained in the AWOIS Database as per the recommendations and remarks in H12083 PSS<sup>5</sup>.

#### **D.1.3 Dangers to Navigation**

There were no DToNs submitted for survey H12083.

#### **D.1.4 Charted Features**

An uncharted marina was noted within the survey limits of H12083, the marina is protected by a number of barges that are surrounded by tires. The marina is at the NE extent of H12083. It can be seen in MBES and SSS data, a georeferenced satellite image layered on the corresponding

chart is shown in a Pydro feature and a MapInfo table that notes the existence of marina<sup>6</sup>. Due to the marina's location it was determined by the hydrographer not to represent a hazard to safe navigation and was not submitted as DToN. Hydrographer recommended changes to charted items are listed in Appendix II of this report as well as in the PSS<sup>7</sup>. All charted items not specifically addressed in Appendix II are recommended to be retained as charted by the hydrographer.

#### **D.1.5 Charting Recommendations**

Hydrographer recommendations for discreet items are included in Appendix II of this report as well as in the PSS<sup>8</sup>. Survey H12083 is complete and adequate to supersede charted soundings in their common areas<sup>9</sup>.

### **D.2 ADDITIONAL RESULTS**

#### **D.2.1** Aids to Navigation

No AToNs within the survey limits of H12083 were found to be significantly off station. See Appendix V, section  $V.3^{10}$ .

#### **D.2.2 Bridges and Overhead Cables**

There are no bridges or overhead cables in the survey area.

#### **D.2.3 Submarine Cables and Pipelines**

There is a charted submarine cable area in the NE extent of the survey area. No noted discrepancies are present in data to indicate that cable is uncovered or presents a danger to navigation. It should be noted that sections of the cable area are below the 12 ft. contour and were not surveyed. There were no charted pipelines in the survey area.

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#### **E. APPROVAL SHEET**

#### OPR-B301 Newport Rhode Island

#### East Passage Survey Registry No. H12083

Field operations for this survey were conducted under my daily supervision with frequent checks of progress and adequacy. All fieldsheets, bathymetry models, this Descriptive Report, and all accompanying records and data are approved.

Submitted in association with this descriptive report has been a series of reports and data:

2009 Data Acquisition and Processing Report (submitted with this report) 2009 HSRR Memo (submitted with this report)

This survey is adequate to supersede all prior surveys in common areas, and for application to the relevant NOS nautical charts.

Respectfully,

Matt Andring / ERT Contractor NRT-5

Bert Ho / NOAA PST Team Lead NRT-5

Revisions and Corrections Compiled During Processing and Certification

<sup>1</sup> This survey was originally submitted to AHB and subsequently transferred to PHB for compilation.

<sup>2</sup> The 4 meter combined surface H12083\_final\_combined\_4m created during the SAR was used for compilation.

<sup>3</sup> Although these are adjacent surveys there is no overlapping data and a common junction was not made. It is unclear what data was used for the comparison.

<sup>4</sup> The Tide Note dated September 29, 2009 is attached.

<sup>5</sup> See attached AWOIS report.

<sup>6</sup> Do not concur. The marina is charted and should be retained as charted. The feature submitted by the field for the marina is inadequate for use in compilation to update the marina. The latest RSD shoreline should be referenced during compilation at MCD.

<sup>7</sup> Chart features according to HCell H12083.

<sup>8</sup> The Survey Feature Report is filed with the hydrographic records. Note: the survey feature report does not include all features from H12083. Additional features were added, some removed, and some modified during branch processing after the feature report was generated from Pydro.

<sup>9</sup> Do not concur. In several areas shoaler charted soundings than the survey were retained due to inadequate SWMB contact investigation coverage.

<sup>10</sup> Chart per latest ATONIS publication



Kurt Brown <kurt.brown@noaa.gov>

Thu, Jan 12, 2012 at 12:34 PM

# Fwd: Shoal soundings in the channel in Mount Hope Bay (UNCLASSIFIED)

3 messages

#### Peter Holmberg <peter.holmberg@noaa.gov>

To: Kurt Brown <kurt.brown@noaa.gov> Cc: David Zezula <david.j.zezula@noaa.gov>

Kurt,

According to Edward Odonnell of the USACE 'Since you found something shoaler than we have on our published sheets you have the responsibility to report it lest someone hit it and there be a problem. I assume you folks are confident in what you've found.'

So go ahead and include the soundings in the CS layer of your HCell.

Though Edward has requested the specific locations of those soundings. Can you please email those to me?

Pete

------ Forwarded message ------From: **O'Donnell, Edward G NAE** <<u>Edward.G.Odonnell@usace.army.mil</u>> Date: Thu, Jan 12, 2012 at 10:05 AM Subject: RE: Shoal soundings in the channel in Mount Hope Bay (UNCLASSIFIED) To: Brent Pounds <<u>brent.pounds@noaa.gov</u>> Cc: Peter Holmberg <<u>peter.holmberg@noaa.gov</u>>

Classification: UNCLASSIFIED Caveats: NONE

Brent:

I guess we haven't been here in a while (2004). I've scheduled another survey here so we'll check those soundings out. Do you have coordinates to go with those two soundings so we can verify what you found?

Since you found something shoaler than we have on our published sheets you have the responsibility to report it lest someone hit it and there be a problem. I assume you folks are confident in what you've found.

Do you mind if I forward this to the Pilots to see how concerned they are with it? That'll help me determine if I need to get a crew there ASAP or we can wait a little. If you don't want me too that's OK. I think they do still use that dock, but not sure what goes in there nowadays. Let me know.

EOD

-----Original Message-----From: Brent Pounds [mailto:<u>brent.pounds@noaa.gov]</u> Sent: Wednesday, January 11, 2012 9:35 AM To: O'Donnell, Edward G NAE Cc: Peter Holmberg Subject: Fwd: Shoal soundings in the channel in Mount Hope Bay

Ed,

Please see the forwarded e-mail and screen grab from Pete Holberg at the Pacific Hydrographic Branch. They are compiling the survey from the NRT-5 survey in Narragansett Bay and located two soundings shoaler than the reported depth in the channel just north of Common Fence Point. Please let me know how you would like to handle this? Thanks,

V/R,

-Brent

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LT Brent Pounds, NOAA Navigation Manager, Northeast Region Office of Coast Survey Navigation Services Division 28 Tarzwell Drive Narragansett, RI 02882 Tel: <u>401-782-3252</u> Cel: <u>401-545-0174</u> Fax: <u>401-782-3292</u> nauticalcharts.noaa.gov

------ Forwarded message ------From: Peter Holmberg <<u>peter.holmberg@noaa.gov</u>> Date: Tue, Jan 10, 2012 at 17:09 Subject: Shoal soundings in the channel in Mount Hope Bay To: Brent Pounds <<u>brent.pounds@noaa.gov</u>> Cc: Kurt Brown <<u>kurt.brown@noaa.gov</u>>, David Zezula <<u>david.j.zezula@noaa.gov</u>>

Hi Brent,

How is the new job treating you? I have work question for you...

Kurt Brown is currently compiling a survey in your reagion where he found some soundings that are shoaler than the currently reported depths in the channel. How would you like to proceed? Attached is an image of the shoal soundings in the channel in Mount Hope Bay (north of Narragansett Bay, RI) just south of the city of Fall River. The chart is 13226 and the approximate location is 41-39-30N, 71-13-30W.

Pete

Peter Holmberg Cartographic Team Lead Pacific Hydrographic Branch 7600 Sand Point Way N.E. Seattle, WA 98115 206-526-6843

https://mail.google.com/mail/?ui=2&ik=fec1cfaabb&view=pt&search=in...

Classification: UNCLASSIFIED Caveats: NONE

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#### Kurt Brown <kurt.brown@noaa.gov> To: Peter Holmberg cpeter.holmberg@noaa.gov>

The coordinates are: 31 ft. : 41-39-31.9N, 071-13-36.07W 32 ft. : 41-39-32.1N, 071-13-22.59W [Quoted text hidden]

#### Peter Holmberg <peter.holmberg@noaa.gov>

To: "O'Donnell, Edward G NAE" <Edward.G.Odonnell@usace.army.mil> Cc: Brent Pounds <brent.pounds@noaa.gov>, David Zezula <david.j.zezula@noaa.gov>, Kurt Brown <kurt.brown@noaa.gov>

Mr. O'Donnell,

The coordinates of the soundings are: 31 ft. : 41-39-31.9N, 071-13-36.07W 32 ft. : 41-39-32.1N, 071-13-22.59W

Along with all the new survey depths outside the channel we will compile these to the next edition of the chart. Thank you for your prompt response.

Peter Holmberg [Quoted text hidden] Thu, Jan 12, 2012 at 12:44 PM

Thu, Jan 12, 2012 at 12:47 PM

**AWOIS Report** 

# 3.1) Profile/Beam - 496/131 from h12083 / \_nrt5\_s3002\_em3002\_mbes / 2009-230 / 160\_1251

## **Primary Feature for AWOIS Item #13323**

Search Position:	41° 38' 36.7" N, 071° 15' 16.9" W
Historical Depth:	16.46 m
Search Radius:	50
Search Technique:	S2, MB
Technique Notes:	[None]

#### **History Notes:**

H10628/95--OPR-B302-RU; SSS AND DI FOUND A SUNKEN WOODEN-HULLED VESSEL LYING ON ITS KEEL ON A HARD SANDY BOTTOM. HYDROGRAPHER RECOMMENDS THAT A WK WITH 54FT LEAST DEPTH BE CHARTED AT 41/38/36.716N 71/15/16.874W (ENTERED 7/18/05, SME)

#### **Survey Summary**

Survey Position:	41° 38' 36.6" N, 071° 15' 17.0" W	
Least Depth:	18.63 m (= 61.13 ft = 10.189 fm = 10 fm 1.13 ft)	
TPU (±1.96σ):	THU (TPEh) ±1.973 m ;TVU (TPEv) ±0.198 m	
Timestamp:	2009-230.12:52:08.398 (08/18/2009)	
Survey Line:	h12083 / _nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes / 2009-230 / 160_1251	
Profile/Beam:	496/131	
Charts Affected:	13226 1, 13221 1, 13221 2, 13006 1, 5161 1, 13003 1	

#### **Remarks:**

Area was covered with 200% SSS and 100% MBES. TCARI tides have been applied. object observed in MB and SSS data. charted wreck. least depth approx. 61 ft.

## **Feature Correlation**

Address	Feature	Range	Azimuth	Status
h12083/_nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes/2009-230/160_1251	496/131	0.00	000.0	Primary
AWOIS Items	AWOIS # 13323	3.93	223.3	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623213600	0001	10.61	032.5	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623213500	0001	19.98	197.8	Secondary

## Hydrographer Recommendations

hydrographer recommends retaining wreck in charted location but replace 54 ft. sounding with 61 ft. sounding.

#### **Cartographically-Rounded Depth (Affected Charts):**

61ft (13226\_1, 13221\_1, 13221\_2)

10 ¼fm (13006\_1, 13003\_1)

18.6m (5161\_1)

#### S-57 Data

Geo object 1: Wreck (WRECKS)

Attributes:CATWRK - 5:wreck showing any portion of hull or superstructure<br/>CONVIS - 2:not visual conspicuous<br/>QUASOU - 1:depth known<br/>SORDAT - 20090818<br/>SORIND - US,US,Survy,H12083<br/>TECSOU - 2,3:found by side scan sonar,found by multi-beam<br/>VALSOU - 18.633 m<br/>VERDAT - 12:Mean lower low water<br/>WATLEV - 3:always under water/submerged

Office Notes: Concur. The wreck is included in HCell H12083.

# **Feature Images**



Figure 3.1.1



Figure 3.1.2

# 3.2) Profile/Beam - 363/47 from h12083 / \_nrt5\_s3002\_em3002\_mbes / 2009-230 / 163a1246

## **Primary Feature for AWOIS Item #13324**

Search Position:	41° 38' 35.9" N, 071° 15' 24.4" W
Historical Depth:	19.51 m
Search Radius:	50
Search Technique:	S2, MB
Technique Notes:	[None]

#### **History Notes:**

H10628/95--OPR-B302-RU; SSS AND DI FOUND A SUNKEN WOODEN-HULLED VESSEL LYING ON ITS KEEL ON A SLOPING HARD SANDY BOTTOM. HYDROGRAPHER RECOMMENDS THAT A WK WITH 64FT LEAST DEPTH BE CHARTED AT 41/38/35.949N 71/15/24.420W (ENTERED 7/18/05, SME)

#### **Survey Summary**

<b>Survey Position:</b>	41° 38' 36.1" N, 071° 15' 24.3" W
Least Depth:	21.64 m (= 71.00 ft = 11.833 fm = 11 fm 5.00 ft)
TPU (±1.96σ):	THU (TPEh) ±1.990 m ;TVU (TPEv) ±0.282 m
Timestamp:	2009-230.12:47:19.063 (08/18/2009)
Survey Line:	h12083 / _nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes / 2009-230 / 163a1246
Profile/Beam:	363/47
Charts Affected:	13224_1, 13226_1, 13221_1, 13221_2, 13006_1, 5161_1, 13003_1

#### **Remarks:**

Area was covered with 200% SSS and 100% MBES. TCARI tides have been applied. object observed in MB and SSS data. charted wreck. least depth approx. 71 ft.

## **Feature Correlation**

Address	Feature	Range	Azimuth	Status
h12083/_nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes/2009-230/163a1246	363/47	0.00	000.0	Primary
AWOIS Items	AWOIS # 13324	4.93	044.5	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623213800	0001	18.24	127.8	Secondary

## **Hydrographer Recommendations**

hydrographer recommends retaining wreck as charted but replace 64 ft. sounding with 71 ft. sounding.

**Cartographically-Rounded Depth (Affected Charts):** 

71ft (13224\_1, 13226\_1, 13221\_1, 13221\_2)

12fm (13006\_1, 13003\_1)

22m (5161\_1)

## S-57 Data

Geo object 1:	Wreck (WRECKS)
Attributes:	CATWRK - 5:wreck showing any portion of hull or superstructure
	QUASOU - 1:depth known
	SORDAT - 20090818
	SORIND - US,US,Survy,H12083
	TECSOU - 2,3: found by side scan sonar, found by multi-beam
	VALSOU - 21.640 m
	VERDAT - 12:Mean lower low water
	WATLEV - 3:always under water/submerged

Office Notes: Concur. The wreck is included in HCell H12083.

# **Feature Images**



Figure 3.2.1

# 3.3) Profile/Beam - 778/161 from h12083 / \_nrt5\_s3002\_em3002\_mbes / 2009-230 / 165\_1846

### **Primary Feature for AWOIS Item #13322**

Search Position:	41° 39' 27.6" N, 071° 14' 35.5" W
Historical Depth:	2.74 m
Search Radius:	50
Search Technique:	S2, MB
<b>Technique Notes:</b>	[None]

#### **History Notes:**

H10628/95--OPR-B302-RU; SSS AND DI FOUND A SUNKEN STEEL-HULLED VESSEL LYING ON ITS KEEL ON A FLAT SANDY BOTTOM. HYDROGRAPHER RECOMMENDS A WK WITH 9FT LEAST DEPTH SURROUNDED BY DANGER CURVE BE CHARTED AT 41/39/27.555N 71/14/35.449W (ENTERED 7/18/05, SME)

## **Survey Summary**

Survey Position:	41° 39' 27.6" N, 071° 14' 35.5" W
Least Depth:	3.20 m (= 10.50 ft = 1.750 fm = 1 fm 4.50 ft)
TPU (±1.96σ):	<b>THU (TPEh)</b> ±1.964 m ; <b>TVU (TPEv)</b> ±0.167 m
Timestamp:	2009-230.18:46:35.335 (08/18/2009)
Survey Line:	h12083 / _nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes / 2009-230 / 165_1846
Profile/Beam:	778/161
Charts Affected:	13226_1, 13221_1, 13221_2, 13006_1, 5161_1, 13003_1

#### **Remarks:**

Area was covered with 200% SSS and 100% MBES. TCARI tides have been applied. object observed in MB and SSS data. charted wreck. least depth approx. 10 ft.

## **Feature Correlation**

Address	Feature	Range	Azimuth	Status
h12083/_nrt5_s3002_em3002_mbes/2009-230/165_1846	778/161	0.00	000.0	Primary
AWOIS Items	AWOIS # 13322	1.42	327.4	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623215000	0001	3.47	330.4	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623215000	0002	3.57	336.1	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623214700	0002	3.63	264.9	Secondary

h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623214700	0001	3.70	266.1	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623214800	0001	31.29	005.7	Secondary
h12083/nrt5_s3002_klein3000_sss/2009-174/sonar_data090623214800	0002	31.58	006.1	Secondary

## Hydrographer Recommendations

Chart wreck with new least depth.

## S-57 Data

Geo object 1: Wreck (WRECKS)

Attributes:SORDAT - 20090818SORIND - US,US,Survy,H12083TECSOU - 2,3:found by side scan sonar,found by multi-beamVALSOU - 3.200 mVERDAT - 12:Mean lower low water

Office Notes:

Concur. The charted wreck is included in HCell H12083.

# **Feature Images**



Figure 3.3.1



Figure 3.3.2



Figure 3.3.3



Figure 3.3.4



Figure 3.3.5

## 3.4) AWOIS #14220 - OBSTRUCTION

## No Primary Survey Feature for this AWOIS Item

Search Position:	41° 38' 22.4" N, 071° 15' 46.4" W
Historical Depth:	9.14 m
Search Radius:	50
Search Technique:	S2, MB
<b>Technique Notes:</b>	[None]

#### **History Notes:**

H10628/1995-- An Obstruction was located at 41/38/22.4 - 71/15/46.44. Least depth found was 30 feet. (Entered CEH 7/1/2008)

## **Survey Summary**

Charts Affected: 13224\_1, 13226\_1, 13221\_1, 13221\_2, 13218\_1, 13006\_1, 5161\_1, 13003\_1

#### **Remarks:**

Item mentioned on Sheet D

### **Feature Correlation**

Address	Feature	Range	Azimuth	Status
AWOIS Items	AWOIS # 14220	0.00	000.0	Primary

## **Hydrographer Recommendations**

See Sheet D

### S-57 Data

[None]

Office Notes: This AWOIS Items was investigated and included in Survey H12153 of the same project.

## 3.5) AWOIS #14221 - UNKNOWN

## No Primary Survey Feature for this AWOIS Item

Search Position:	41° 38' 29.1" N, 071° 14' 57.1" W
Historical Depth:	[None]
Search Radius:	100
Search Technique:	S2, MB
Technique Notes:	[None]

#### **History Notes:**

\*\*\*\*Unknown Source-- A dangerous submerged wreck was added to the chart after 1992. Charted location of wreck is 41/38/29.1 - 071/14/57.1. (Entered CEH 7/1/2008)

## **Survey Summary**

Charts Affected: 13226\_1, 13221\_1, 13221\_2, 13006\_1, 5161\_1, 13003\_1

#### **Remarks:**

AWOIS item observed in SSS data no bathymetry collected.

### **Feature Correlation**

Address	Feature	Range	Azimuth	Status
AWOIS Items	AWOIS # 14221	0.00	000.0	Primary

## **Hydrographer Recommendations**

Hydrographer recommends retaining submerged Wreck PA as charted.

### S-57 Data

[None]

Office Notes: Concur. Retain as charted.



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#### TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY

DATE : September 29, 2009

HYDROGRAPHIC BRANCH: Atlantic HYDROGRAPHIC PROJECT: OPR-B301-NRT5-2009 HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET: H12083 Mount Hope Bay, East Passage, RI LOCALITY: TIME PERIOD: June 5 - August 18, 2009 TIDE STATION USED: Fall River, MA 844-7386 Lat.41° 42.3' N Long. 71° 9.8' W PLANE OF REFERENCE (MEAN LOWER LOW WATER): 0.000 meters HEIGHT OF HIGH WATER ABOVE PLANE OF REFERENCE: 1.382 meters TIDE STATION USED: Conimicut Light, RI 845-2944 Lat. 41° 43.0' N Long. 71° 20.7' W PLANE OF REFERENCE (MEAN LOWER LOW WATER): 0.000 meters HEIGHT OF HIGH WATER ABOVE PLANE OF REFERENCE: 1.319 meters TIDE STATION USED: Newport, RI 845-2660 Lat.41° 30.6' Long. 71° 19.6' PLANE OF REFERENCE (MEAN LOWER LOW WATER): 0.000 meters HEIGHT OF HIGH WATER ABOVE PLANE OF REFERENCE: 1.099 meters TIDE STATION USED: Quonset Point, RI 8454049 Lat. 41° 35.1' Long. 71° 24.5' PLANE OF REFERENCE (MEAN LOWER LOW WATER): 0.000 meters HEIGHT OF HIGH WATER ABOVE PLANE OF REFERENCE: 1.176 meters REMARKS: RECOMMENDED Grid Please use the TCARI grid "B301NRT52009-Final.tc" as the final grid for project OPR-B301-NRT5-2009, H12083, during the time period between June 5, 2008 - August 18, 2009.

#### Refer to attachments for grid information.

Note 1: Provided time series data are tabulated in metric units (meters), relative to MLLW and on Greenwich Mean Time on the 1983-2001 National Tidal Datum Epoch (NTDE).

Note 2:





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# Final TCARI Grid for B301-NRT5-2009, H12083 Mount Hope Bay, East Passage, RI



# **PHB Compilation Log**

## General Survey Info

Survey Number	H12083	Field Unit NRT5	State RI UTM Zone 19N
Project Number	OPR-B301-NRT5-09	Project Name (Locality)	Narragansett Bay and Rhode Island Sound
Start Date	05/13/2009	Sublocality	East Passage
End Date	08/18/2009	Survey Scale	10,000   Compilation Scale   10,000

Affected Raster Charts					
Chart	КАРР	Scale	Edition	Date	NTM Date
13227	2127	10000	15th	08/01/2011	12/31/2011
13226	2129	20000	7th	01/01/2011	12/31/2011
Add Chart	Remove Chart				

Affected Electronic Charts					
ENC			Scale		Horizontal Datum
US5RI26M			10000		Coordinate System
US5RI25M			20000	]	Sounding Datum
US5RI23M			20000		Vertical Datum
Add ENC	Remov	/e ENC		_	Vertical Datam

Spatial Reference			
Horizontal Datum	WGS84		
Coordinate System	LLDG		
Sounding Datum	MLLW		
Vertical Datum	MHW		

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Junction Surveys					
Sur	vey Number		Survey Date	Location Relative to Current Survey	
Add Survey	Remove Survey				

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Source Surfaces				
Resolution	tion File Name			
4		H12083_final_cor	mbined_4m	
Add Surface		Remove Surface		

## Processing Info

Supporting Documents			
Name			Version
Specs and Deliverables			June 2011
HCell Specs			6.1
Add Doc	Remove Doc		

Software Used					
Software	Version, HF	Used For			
CARIS HIPS	7.1 HF3	SAR Review. Inspection of Combined BASE Surfaces.			
Pydro	11.10	SAR Review. Generation of Features Reports.			
CARIS BASE Editor	3.2 HF5	Creation of soundings and bathy-derived features, meta area object, and Blue Notes; Survey evaluation and verification; Initial HCell assembly.			
CARIS S-57 Composer	2.2 HF4	Final compilation of the HCell, correct geometry and build topology, apply final attributes, export the HCell, and QA.			
CARIS GIS	4.4a	Setting the sounding rounding variable for conversion of the metric HCell to NOAA charting units with NOAA rounding. (For Fathoms and Feet chart units only.)			
CARIS HOM	3.3 SP3 HF8	Perform conversion of the metric HCell to NOAA charting units with NOAA rounding. (For Fathom and Feet chart units only)			
CARIS Plot Composer	5.1 SP 2	Generate plots of CARIS Session files used for QC.			
HydroService, dKart Inspector	5.1	Validation check of the base cell file.			
Fugawi View ENC	1.0.0.3	Independent inspection of final HCells using COTS viewer.			

## Product Info

	Deliverables
Chart Scale HCell	H12083_CS.000
Survey Scale HCell	H12083_SS.000
HCell Report for MCD	H12083_HR.pdf
Feature Listing	H12083_FL.txt
Descriptive Report	H12083_DR.pdf
Survey Outline	H12083_Outline.gml and .xsd

#### **Horizontal and Vertical Units**

During creation of the HCell all soundings and features are maintained in metric units with as high precision as possible. Depth units for soundings measured with sonar maintain millimeter precision. Depths on rocks above MLLW and heights on islets above MHW are typically measured with range finder, so precision is less.

Depth Units (DUNI)

Height Units (HUNI)

Positional Units (PUNI)

Feet

Feet

Meters

# **PHB Compilation Log**

#### **Radius Setting**

A survey-scale sounding (SOUNDG) feature object layer was built from the Combined Surface in CARIS BASE Editor. A shoal-biased selection was made at survey scale using a Radius Table file with values shown below.

Contours	
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Depth contours at the intervals on the largest scale chart are included in the SS HCell for MCD raster charting division to use for guidance in creating chart contours. With the exception of the zero contours included in the \*\_CS file, contours have not been deconflicted against shoreline features, soundings and hydrography.

Radius Ta	Radius Table file with values shown below.			
Radius (mm)	Min. Depth (m)	Max Depth (m)		
3 -4.7		10		
4	10	20		
4.5	20	50		
5	50	500		

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Charted Contours	Metric Equivalent	Metric- NOAA Rounded	Chart Contours - NOAA Rounded			
6ft	1.8288m	2.0574m	6.75ft			
12ft	3.6576m	3.8862m	12.75ft			
18ft	5.4864m	5.715m	18.75ft			
30ft	9.3762m	9.144m	30.75ft			
60ft	18.516m	18.288m	60.75ft			
Add Contour	Remove Contour	·				

## Additional Info

#### Contact Information

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#### **Compilation Comments**

#### APPROVAL SHEET H12083

#### Initial Approvals:

The survey evaluation and verification has been conducted according to branch processing procedures and the HCell compiled per the latest OCS HCell Specifications.

The survey and associated records have been inspected with regard to survey coverage, delineation of the depth curves, development of critical depths, S-57 classification and attribution of soundings and features, cartographic characterization, and verification or disproval of charted data within the survey limits. The survey records and digital data comply with OCS requirements except where noted in the Descriptive Report and are adequate to supersede prior surveys and nautical charts in the common area.

I have reviewed the HCell, accompanying data, and reports. This survey and accompanying digital data meet or exceed OCS requirements and standards for products in support of nautical charting except where noted in the Descriptive Report.