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PROGRAM MANAGER'S REPORT

The Coastal Marine Institute (CMI) was initiated in July 1994 as a cooperative research and research training program involving the Minerals Management Service, the State of California and the University of California. The focus is on long-term environmental, social and economic consequences of oil and gas production activities in the Pacific Outer Continental Shelf region. This Annual Report summarizes activities and research progress during Program Year 12 (July 1, 2005 - June 30, 2006).

Major programmatic progress achieved during Program Year 12 of the CMI:

- During 2005 2006, 22 regular and research faculty, 72 trainees (2 postdoctoral students, 21 graduate students, 28 undergraduate students, and 21 staff) from 6 campuses and laboratories participated in CMI research projects;
- This Program year, CMI-sponsored studies produced 7 peer-reviewed papers, 3 publications in press, 1 submitted publication, and 3 publications in preparation, with an additional 32 research presentations. In addition, 6 CMI-MMS final reports were completed. One CMI draft final report is currently in review.

PROJECTS NEEDING REPORT STUDY NUMBERS FROM MMS

CMI Agreement #30758

Schmitt, Russell J. and Andrew J. Brooks. *Population Trends and Trophic Dynamics in Pacific OCS Ecosystems: What Can Monitoring Data Tell Us?* Task #: 14181

CMI Agreement #31063

- Clark, Jordan F., Bruce P. Luyendyk, and Ira Leifer. *Simulation of a Subsurface Oil Spill by a Hydrocarbon Seep (SSOS-HYS) AND Oil Slicks in the Ocean: Predicting Their Release Points Using the Natural Laboratory of the Santa Barbara Channel* (these two projects will have one combined final report). Task #: 17611
- Hodges, Scott A., Douglas S. Bush, Sally J. Holbrook, and Daniel C. Reed. *Population Genetics of Surfgrass (Phyllospadix torreyi) for Use in Restoration.* Task #: 17606
- Lenihan, Hunter S. and Andrew J. Brooks. *Relative Importance of POCS Oil Platforms on the Population Dynamics of Two Reef Fishes in the Eastern Santa Barbara Channel.* Task #: 85340
- Raimondi, Peter T. and Richard F. Ambrose. Spatial and Temporal Variation in Recruitment to Rocky Shores: Relationship to Recovery Rates of Intertidal Communities. Task #: 18234
- Schmitt, Russell J., Jenifer E. Dugan, Scott A. Hodges, Robert S. Jacobs, H. Mark Page, Leslie Wilson, Steven D. Gaines. Advancing Marine Biotechnology: Use of OCS Oil Platforms as Sustainable Sources of Marine Natural Products. Task #'s: 17609 and 85387
- Valentine, David L. Weathering of Oil and Gas in the Coastal Marine Environment: Quantifying Rates of Microbial Metabolism. Task #: 85338
- Washburn, Libe and Steven D. Gaines. *Observations of Surface Circulation in the Eastern Santa Barbara Channel Using High Frequency Radar and Lagrangian Drifters.* Task #: 36945

SUMMARY OF RESEARCH PROGRESS

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- **Task No. 85340:** *Relative Importance of POCS Oil Platforms on the Population Dynamics of Two Reef Fishes in the Eastern Santa Barbara Channel*
- Principal Investigators: Hunter Lenihan, Bren School of Environmental Science and Management, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-5131 and Andy Brooks, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-6150

Education Opportunities:

We involved six graduate and nine undergraduate students in our research during the fiscal year. We also had six staff personnel volunteer their time on our project. Our study overlapped with dissertation research being conducted by graduate student Stu Levenbach of the Department of Ecology, Evolution, and Marine Biology at UCSB. He was able to access his sampling sites and was provided a buddy diver to conduct his sampling and experiments in exchange for help with our sampling and tagging studies.

Future Plans:

We are in the process of writing a Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

- **Task No. 85339:** Ecological Performance and Trophic Links: Comparisons Among Platforms and Natural Reefs for Selected Fishes and Their Prey
- Principal Investigators: Mark Page, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-6150 Jenifer Dugan, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-6150 Milton Love, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-6150 and Hunter Lenihan, Bren School of Environmental Science & Management, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-5131

Summary of Research

One paper was accepted for publication and is in press (see below).

Page, H. M, J. E. Dugan, C. C. Culver, and J. Hoesterey. 2006. Exotic invertebrate species on offshore oil platforms. Marine Ecology Progress Series *In press*.

We continued to focus our efforts on writing the Draft Final Report and associated publications this past quarter.

Future Plans:

Complete and submit a Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary.

Problems Encountered:

No major problems were encountered during the past year.

MMS Action Required:

Task No. 85338: Weathering of Oil and Gas in the Coastal Marine Environment

Principal Investigator: David Valentine, Department of Geology, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106-9630

Summary of Research

We are in the process of completing a manuscript based on the data collected from this project. We are also in the process of producing a Draft Final Report and Draft Final Technical Summary.

Future Plans:

We will submit the Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary.

Problems Encountered:

No major problems were encountered during the past year.

MMS Action Required:

- **Task No. 18234**: Spatial and Temporal Variation in Recruitment to Rocky Shores: Relationship to Recovery Rates of Intertidal Communities
- **Principal Investigators: Peter Raimondi,** Department of Ecology and Evolution, University of California, Santa Cruz, CA 95060 and **Richard Ambrose,** School of Public Health, Department of Environmental Sciences, University of California, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1772

Summary of Research

Progress During 2005-2006

Recovery plot sampling

Recovery plots (cleared Fall 2003, see Figure 1) were sampled (pt. contacts, mobile critter counts and photographs) at Point Sierra Nevada, Stairs and Point Fermin (Figure 2) in October 2005, and April 2006.



Figure 1. Schematic drawing of recovery (eight sizes ranging from 8 cm x 12 cm to 50 cm x 75 cm) and control plots (all 50 cm x 75 cm) in each assemblage (Chthamalus, Endocladia, Silvetia and Mytilus).



Figure 2. Location of three study sites North, near to and South of Pt. Conception, California

Initial trends – Recovery plots

Chthamalus Assemblage

Overall recovery (mean of all disturbance sizes) was highest at Point Sierra Nevada and Point Fermin and lowest at Stairs (Figure 3). Point Sierra Nevada and Point Fermin show indications of convergence between the recovery and control plots for this species assemblage, while Stairs has experienced slower recovery rates at in the *Chthamalus* assemblage.

Endocladia Assemblage

Endocladia recovery has been gradual at all three sites (Figure 4). Point Fermin has experienced a decline in Endocladia in the control plots. Stairs is showing the most recovery for this assemblage.

Silvetia Assemblage

Silvetia recruits are present in some recovery plots at all three sites (Figure 5). Both Stairs and Point Fermin show more recruits per recovery plot than Point Sierra Nevada. This may be in part due to the difference in rock types among the three sites. High variance in recovery plots is due to the large range of canopy cover among different sizes of disturbances.

Mytilus Assemblage

At all three sites, the smaller *Mytilus* plots were showed some recovery by encroachment of surrounding conspecifics (Figure 6). As Fall 2005, some *Mytilus* recruits are present in recovery plots at all three sites.



Figure 3. Percent *Chthamalus* cover (mean \pm SD) in recovery plots (blue dashed) and control plots (red solid) over time at Point Sierra Nevada (top), Stairs (middle) and Point Fermin (bottom).



Figure 4. Percent *Endocladia* cover (mean \pm SD) in recovery plots (blue dashed) and control plots (red solid) over time at Point Sierra Nevada (left), Stairs (middle) and Point Fermin (right).



Figure 5. Percent *Silvetia* cover (mean \pm SD) in recovery plots (blue dashed) and control plots (red solid) over time at Point Sierra Nevada (left), Stairs (middle) and Point Fermin (right).



Figure 6. Percent *Mytilus* cover (mean \pm SD) in recovery plots (blue dashed) and control plots (red solid) over time at Point Sierra Nevada (left), Stairs (middle) and Point Fermin (right).

Role of disturbance size – Chthamalus Assemblage

The rate of recovery in the *Chthamalus* assemblage was calculated for all plots at all three sites. A linear regression was conducted for the recovery rate (slope) of all plots to see whether there was a relationship between clearing size (disturbance area) and recovery rate (Figure 6). Regression analysis revealed that at Point Sierra Nevada, there was no relationship between recovery rate and disturbance size ($F_{1,5}$ =0.0198; p = 0.893). This was also the case at Point Fermin ($F_{1,5}$ = 0.0091; p = 0.927). Stairs showed a significant negative relationship between disturbance size and recovery rate ($F_{1,5}$ = 7.816; p = 0.038).



Figure 7. Relationship between recovery rate and disturbance size in *Chthamalus* plots at Point Sierra Nevada (left), Stairs (middle) and Point Fermin (right).



Figure 8. Chthamalus recruitment (mean±SD) at Point Sierra Nevada, Stairs and Pont Fermin.

Role of recruitment – Chthamalus Assemblage

Analysis of variance revealed that all three sites had significantly different levels of *Chthamalus* recruitment as of June 2005 ($F_{2,12}$ =24.0738; p = <0.0001). Recruitment was a good predictor of recovery the lower recruitment rates experienced by Stairs and Point Sierra Nevada, but not at Point Fermin, which had very high recruitment but only moderately high recovery (Figure 8).



Figure 9. Relationship between recruitment and recovery at Stairs, Point Sierra Nevada and Point Fermin.

Community recovery – Chthamalus Assemblage

To address the recovery of the ecological community in addition to the dominant members of the assemblage, I conducted a Multi-Dimensional Scaling (MDS) analysis whereby I analyzed the recovery trajectory of each plot at each site (Figure 9)

Another MDS was conducted examine the extent to which recovery trajectories differed from one another (Figure 10). For this analysis, every point represents the community recovery trajectory shown by a particular plot (Ones represent the smallest disturbance size and Eights represent the largest). Instead of grouping together by disturbance size, there was strong evidence for site – specific recovery in that all three sites were significantly different from one another when I conducted an Analysis of Similarity (ANOSIM) test (R=0.732, p = 0.0001).



Figure 10. Community recovery trajectories in the *Chthamalus* zone for three plots at Point Sierra Nevada, Stairs and Point Fermin. Zero represents the community composition prior to disturbance. Numbers 1 through 5 represent community composition at subsequent sampling intervals. Note the in all three cases, the most different communities are times zero and one.



Figure 11. Community recovery trajectories for all plots in the *Chthamalus* zone at Point Fermin (green upwards triangles), Point Sierra Nevada (blue downwards triangles) and Stairs (turquoise squares). Numbers 1-8 represent clearing sizes where 1=smallest and 8=largest.

Recruitment Surfaces

Volunteers have been trained to assist with the sampling of barnacle and mussel recruitment surfaces in the lab. These data will be processed and reported as soon as possible.

Future Plans:

Recruitment collectors will be exchanged and natural recruitment sampled in adjacent plots every month at all three sites. Cleared plots will be sampled every three months. Data will be processed and summarized as soon as possible. Volunteers will continue to be trained to assist with processing of recruitment surfaces. Quantitative PCR will be performed on the juvenile *Mytilus* extracted from recruitment surfaces to determine the species recruiting.

Problems Encountered:

No major problems were encountered during the past year.

MMS Action Required:

- **Task No. 17609:** Advancing Marine Biotechnology: Use of OCS Oil Platforms as Sustainable Sources of Marine Natural Products
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Progress During 2005-2006

ECOLOGY

We continued to focus our efforts on writing the Draft Final Report and associated publications this past quarter. One paper was published, and one paper was accepted for publication (see below).

Culver, C. S., H. M. Page, and J. E. Dugan. 2005. Oil, gas platforms--sources for marine natural products? Global Aquaculture Advocate 8: 60-61.

Page, H. M, J. E. Dugan, C. C. Culver, and J. Hoesterey. 2006. Exotic invertebrate species on offshore oil platforms. Marine Ecology Progress Series, *In press*.

GENETICS

We continued to focus our efforts on writing the Draft Final Report and associated publications this past quarter.

PHARMACOLOGY

We have examined the effects on HeLa cells of exposure to WC01A (organic extract of *Watersipora cucullata*). In our initial experiments cells were incubated with WC01A for 24 hrs and assayed for cell proliferation, viability, percent mitotic cells, and mitotic spindle morphology. An IC₅₀ (concentration that inhibits cell proliferation by 50%) of 28 μ M was determined from five experiments. Immunofluorescence experiments using a tubulin antibody and DAPI to stain chromosomes did not reveal any alteration in the percentage of mitotic cells nor any evidence of mitotic spindle abnormalities. We will use flow cytometry to determine if cells treated with WC01A are blocked at some other point in the cell cycle. Cell viability was

unaffected by the 24 hr incubation with WC01A at concentrations up to 200 μ M. By doubling the time of exposure to 48 hrs we were able to detect dead cells by trypan blue dye exclusion at 75 μ M WC01A, with death of >80% of cells at 200 μ M. The latter are preliminary results and are being repeated along with assays to determine if the cell death is a result of activation of an apoptotic pathway.

Daniel Day continues research on extracts of *Watersipora cucullata* as part of his Masters thesis which will be included in the publications on this project. Completion of his thesis is expected by September 2006. We also continued to focus our efforts on writing the Draft Final Report and other associated publications this past quarter.

Future Plans:

We will complete and submit a Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

Task No. 17611: Simulation of a Subsurface Oil Spill by a Hydrocarbon Seep (SSOS-HYS) and

- **Task No. 18211:** Oil Slicks in the Ocean: Predicting their Release Points Using the Natural Laboratory of the Santa Barbara Channel
- Principal Investigators: Jordan Clark, Department of Geological Sciences, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9630 Bruce Luyendyk, Department of Geological Sciences, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9630 and Ira Leifer, Institute of Crustal Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-1100

Summary of Research:

A Draft Final Report for this project was submitted to MMS in December 2005. We are awaiting a Final Study Report number from MMS in order to complete the Report.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

- Task No. 17608:Observing the Surface Circulation along the South-Central California Coast
Using High Frequency Radar: Consequences for Larval and Pollutant Dispersal and
- **Task No. 85386:** Observations of the Surface Circulation in the Eastern Santa Barbara Channel Using High Frequency Radar and Lagrangian Drifters
- **Principal Investigators: Libe Washburn,** Department of Geography, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-4060 and **Steven Gaines,** Department of Ecology, Evolution and Marine Biology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9610

Progress During 2005-2006

The Draft Technical Summary and Draft Final Report were submitted to the Coastal Marine Institute in June 2006.

Future Plans:

After MMS review, the Draft Final Report will be revised as needed.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

A Final Study Report number and comments on the Draft Final Report are needed from MMS.

Task No. 17606: Population Genetics of Surfgrass (Phyllospadix torreyi) for Use in Restoration

Principal Investigators: Scott Hodges, Department of Ecology, Evolution and Marine Biology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9610 Douglas Bush, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-6150 Sally J. Holbrook, Department of Ecology, Evolution and Marine Biology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9610 and Daniel C. Reed, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-6150

Summary of Research

During Spring of 2006, images of gels were scored by a CMI intern, Nichole Price, to regain data lost in a computer crash.

We are in the process of completing a manuscript based on the data collected from this project. We are also in the process of compiling a Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary.

Future plans:

We are currently writing a manuscript on our gender-specific DNA markers and sex-ratio findings. We are also analyzing our rescored AFLP data for the population genetics analysis.

We will also submit the Draft Final Report and Draft Technical Summary by September, 2006.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

- **Task No. 14181:** *Population Trends and Trophic Dynamics in Pacific OCS Ecosystems: What Can Monitoring Data Tell Us?*
- Principal Investigators: Russell J. Schmitt, Department of Ecology, Evolution and Marine Biology, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9610 and Andrew J. Brooks, Coastal Research Center, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-6150

Progress During 2005-2006

Two papers have been published, and one manuscript has been written based on this project (see below).

Brooks, A.J., R. J. Schmitt and S. J. Holbrook. 2002. Declines in regional fish populations: have different species responded similarly to environmental change? Marine and Freshwater Research 53(2):189-198.

Schmitt, R.J. and S.J. Holbrook. 2006. Predicting the magnitude of temporal variation in young-of-year class strength of surfperch (Teleostei: Embiotocidae). Raffles Bulletin of Zoology. *In Press*.

Holbrook, S.J., A.J. Brooks and R.J. Schmitt. Temporal variation in temperate reef assemblages: have trophic levels responded similarly to environmental change? To be submitted December, 2006.

We submitted the Draft Technical Summary and Draft Final Report to the Coastal Marine Institute in June 2006.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

A Final Study Report number and comments on the Draft Final Report are needed from MMS.

- **Task No. 12388 & Task No. 17610:** Joint UCSB-MMS Pacific OCS Student Internship and Trainee Program
- Principal Investigators: Jenifer Dugan, Marine Science Institute, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-6150 and Edward Keller, Environmental Studies and Geological Sciences Departments, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9630

Summary of Research

Progress During 2005 – 2006

The CMI internship program experienced continued success this year with good interest and participation by interns and mentors. Feedback from all participating interns and mentors continues to be positive and enthusiastic. As in previous years, the UC Santa Barbara Environmental Studies Internship Program served as an effective mechanism for advertising positions. The expanded distribution of advertisements for intern positions to other academic departments at UC Santa Barbara including: Department of Ecology, Evolution and Marine Biology, Department of Geology, Department of Geography, Girvetz Graduate School of Education and the Donald Bren School of Environmental Science and Management was effective in locating prospective interns and was successful in reaching students from a range of academic majors, levels and backgrounds to fill various internship openings.

During the past year, 4 graduate and undergraduate students participated as interns in 3 projects at MMS headquarters and on the UCSB campus. Student interns were jointly mentored by MMS staff and/or a member of the UCSB faculty or professional research staff. During the Summer of 2005 and the 2005-2006 academic year, CMI interns were involved in a variety of projects. Jennifer Klaib, an undergraduate intern mentored by Ms. Dunaway of MMS and Dr. Engle of UCSB, assisted with the development of websites and online data reporting for the MARINE rocky intertidal monitoring program. Jennifer Lape, a graduate student, developed and implemented a comprehensive compilation of scientific reprints resulting from >15 years of MMS funded research and provided program assistance during Summer and Fall 2005. In Spring 2006, Nichole Price, a graduate student intern mentored by Dr. Hodges of UCSB recovered data on the genetic structure of surfgrass populations by processing images of gels of samples. These data were lost due to a computer problem and are critical to completing the CMI report and manuscripts on the genetic structure of surfgrass populations.

In Summer 2005, Kristina Estudillo, a UCSB graduate student intern and her mentor Ms. Mary Elaine Dunaway, produced "Watts it to you?", an interactive role playing curriculum activity for high school students on the use of alternative energy sources. The curriculum can be downloaded from: www.mms.gov/omm/pacific/kids/educate.htm

In Spring 2006, the collected scientific reprints and reports for the first (1989-1994) and second (1994-2004) agreements of the Southern California Educational Initiative (SCEI) were produced as CD-ROMs and submitted to MMS along with the closing memo for the second SCEI. A similar set of products is in preparation for the Coastal Marine Institute program. The materials

for these products were researched and compiled by several CMI interns, both undergraduate and graduate student level.

Joint UCSB-MMS Pacific OCS Graduate Trainee Program

Graduate students continued to be directly or indirectly exposed to research sponsored by the Coastal Marine Institute through a variety of mechanisms. This exposure ranged from short term participation in field studies to the development of thesis proposals related to ongoing CMI projects. A list of participating graduate students appears in a separate section of this Annual Report.

Information Transfer Seminars (ITS)

Dr. Dugan presented an invited talk on her CMI and MMS funded research on factors affecting shorebird use of sandy beaches to the MMS Scientific Committee in May 2006 in Santa Barbara.

Future Plans:

We will continue to provide student interns to MMS through the Joint UCSB-MMS Pacific OCS Internship program.

Problems Encountered:

None

MMS Action Required:

TRAINEES AND STAFF

TRAINEES AND STAFF FUNDED BY THE COASTAL MARINE INSTITUTE

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Key

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RESEARCH PRODUCTIVITY

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The Minerals Management Service Mission

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Moreover, in working to meet its responsibilities, the **Offshore Minerals Management Program** administers the OCS competitive leasing program and oversees the safe and environmentally sound exploration and production of our Nation's offshore natural gas, oil and other mineral resources. The MMS **Royalty Management Program** meets its responsibilities by ensuring the efficient, timely and accurate collection and disbursement of revenue from mineral leasing and production due to Indian tribes and allottees, States and the U.S. Treasury.

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