

Daily Mission Guidance

For Thursday August 26, 2010

The updated depiction of the DO sag / depression (interpreted as an impact of the subsurface dispersed oil) is shown below as figure 1. Twenty seven stations have been added since yesterday.

Ocean Veritas/Ferrel, please continue your present protocols, CTD casts and water sampling.

Please contact Richard.Crout@noaa.gov with any questions.

SPECIFIC VESSEL GUIDANCE

Pisces: Work down T16 from S08.

<u>Sampling Location</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
<i>Provided separately</i>		

Ferrel: Start on Transect 10 Station 20 and work south.

<u>Sampling Location</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
Transect 10 Station 20	26.64842	-89.53395
Transect 10 Station 21	26.56030	-89.51270
Transect 10 Station 22	26.47219	-89.49147

Ocean Veritas: Start on Transect 3 and work south from S1.

<u>Sampling Location</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
Transect 3 Station 1	28.12936	-89.18087
Transect 3 Station 2	28.01534	-89.09520
Transect 3 Station 3	27.90413	-89.01185
Transect 3 Station 4	27.79100	-88.92724
Transect 3 Station 5	27.67902	-88.84369

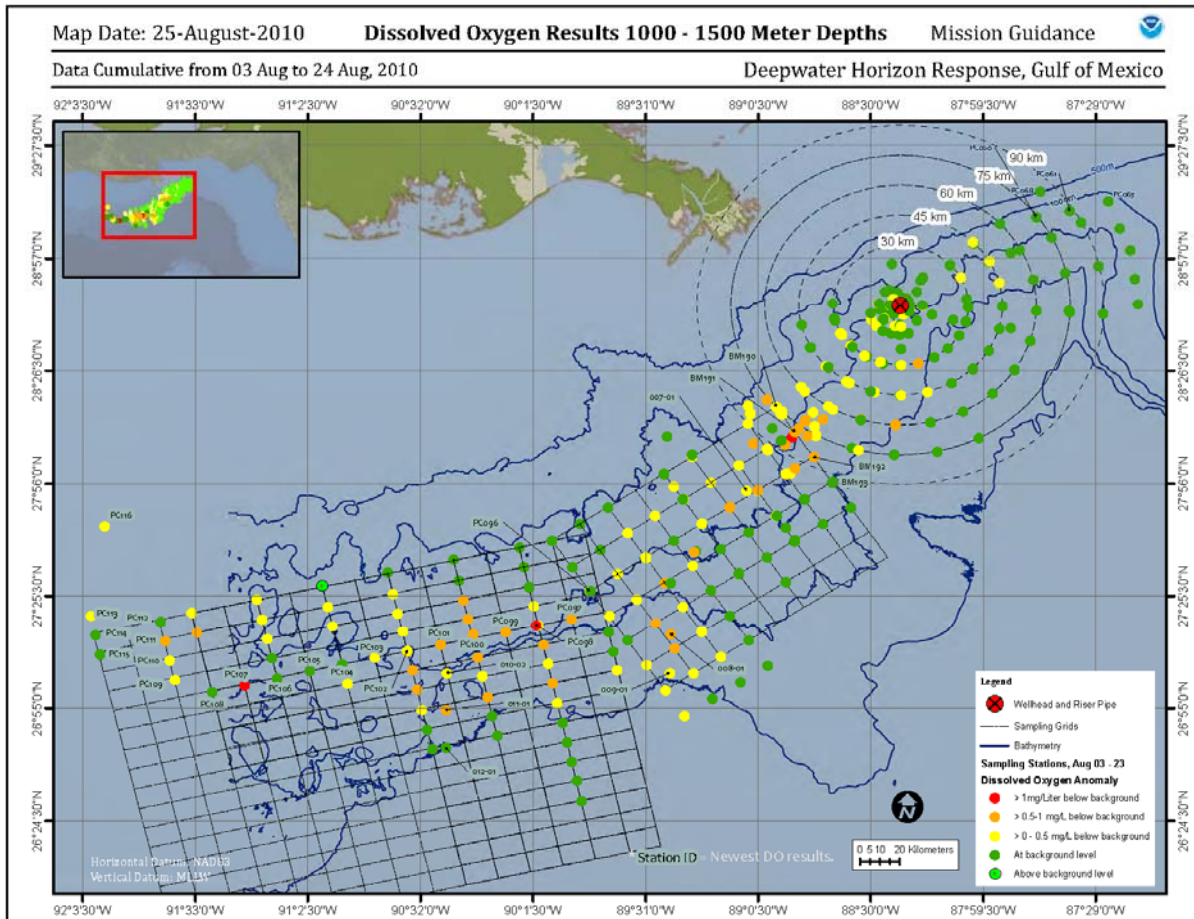


Figure 1 Operation *Clean Sweep* stations as occupied before 8/25/10. PC116 is located erroneously.

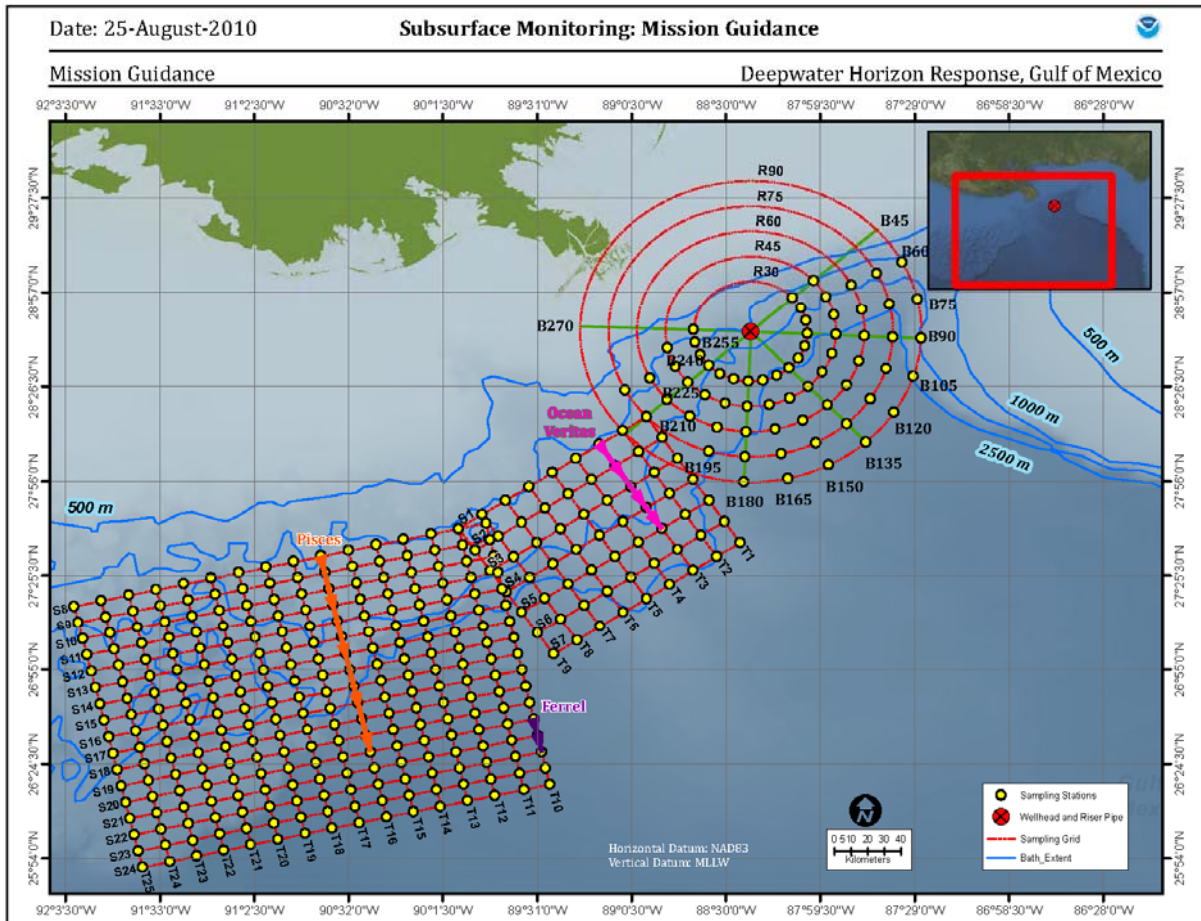


Figure 2 Operational areas for Operation *Clean Sweep* vessels for 8/26/10.