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NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION
NATIONAL OCEAN SURVEY

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Map No.	Edition No.				
T-12992	1				
Job No.					
PH-6411					
Map Classification					
FINAL, FIELD EDITED MAP					
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I. INSTRUCTIONS DATED		
l. OFFICE Compilation (Pre Hydro Support) Dec.30,1964	2. FIELD Tu	ne 3, 1965
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Compilation (Supp. I) Nov. 9,1965 Compilation (Amend I) Feb. 7,1966		
Aerotriangulation Nov. 8,1966		
Compilation (Amend II) Jan. 9,1967		
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	F. Margiotta	Mar. 1972
3. STEREOSCOPIC INSTRUMENT PLANIMETRY BY COMPILATION CHECKED BY	R. White	Mar. 1972
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5. OFFICE INSPECTION PRIOR TO FIELD EDIT BY	R. Pate	Apr. 1972 Apr. 1972
BY	J. Minton / L. Neterer	11/74.12/77
6. APPLICATION OF FIELD EDIT DATA CHECKED BY	J. Byrd	Dec. 1977
7. COMPILATION SECTION REVIEW BY	J. Byrd	Dec. 1977
8. FINAL REVIEW BY	J. Hancock	Jul. 1984
9. DATA FORWARDED TO PHOTOGRAMMETRIC BRANCH BY	J. Hancock	Aug. 1984
10. DATA EXAMINED IN PHOTOGRAMMETRIC BRANCH BY	P. Hawkins	DEC 1984 FEB 198.4
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HISTORY OF FIELD OPERATIONS							
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1. CHIEF OF FIELD PARTY	·	J. Watkins Jr.		June 1965			
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2. HORIZONTAL CONTROL		None		 			
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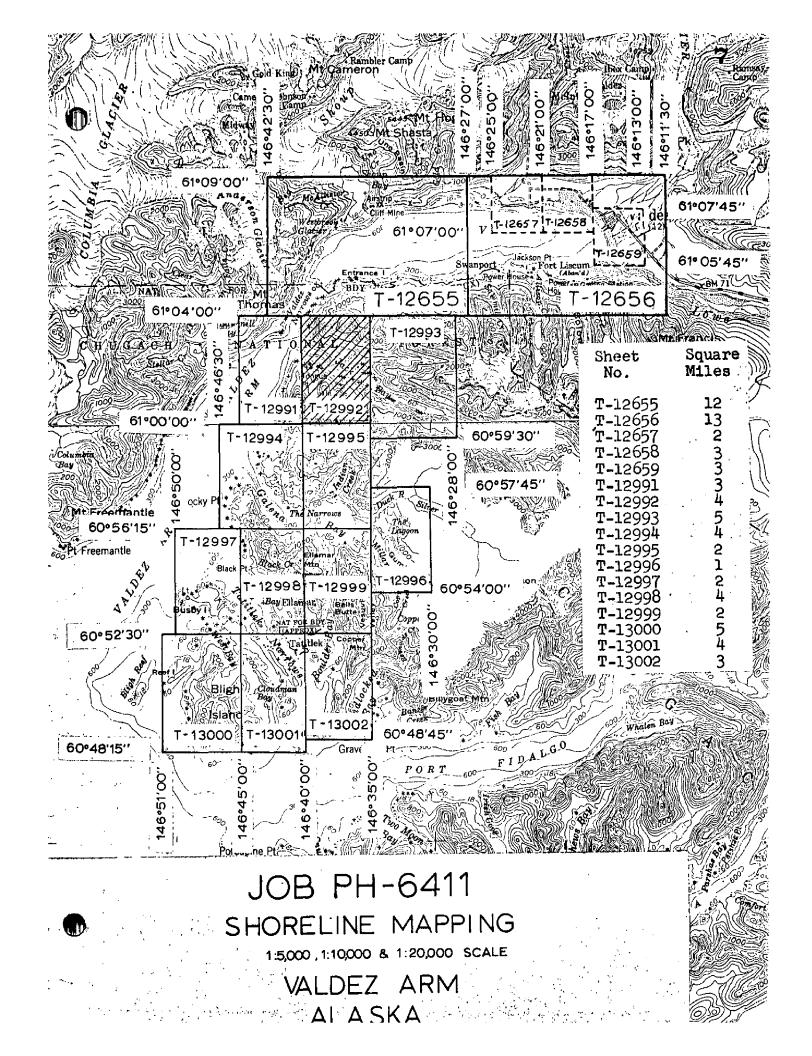


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SUMMARY TO ACCOMPANY DESCRIPTIVE REPORT T-12992

This 1:10,000 scale final field edited shoreline map is one of seventeen maps that comprise project PH-6411, Valdez Arm, Alaska. The project consists of two 1:20,000, three 1:5,000 and twelve 1:10,000 scale maps. The project originally pertained to the Port Valdez area but was extended south to include the east shore of Valdez Arm and Tatitlek Narrows.

The purpose of this map was to provide shoreline data in support of hydrographic operations.

This map portrays a major portion of shoreline within Jack Bay and its entrance extending from Valdez Arm.

Photo coverage for this map was adequately provided by 1:30,000 scale panchromatic and 1:15,000 scale color photographs. All photography was taken July 6, 1965 with the RC-8 (L) camera. The panchromatic photographs were used for aerotriangulation, compilation and photo-hydro support. The low altitude color photographs were used to assist the compiler in offshore interpretation. They were also ratioed to map scale and used to graphically compile low water features.

Field work prior to compilation consisted of the recovery, establishment, and identification (premarking) of horizontal control necessary for aerotriangulation. Also, the field party was responsible for assisting in obtaining the aerial photography. This activity was performed in June/July 1965.

Analytic aerotriangulation was adequately provided by the Washington Science Center November 3, 1965. This activity also included ruling the base manuscripts and providing ratio photographs for compilation.

Compilation by interpretation of the 1:30,000 scale photographs was performed at the Coastal Mapping Section, Atlantic Marine Center, April 1972. The 1:15,000 scale color photographs, taken at 1.7 feet above MLLW, were ratioed to map scale and were used graphically to delineate the MLLW line. Photo-hydro support data involving the original Class III manuscript was forwarded to the hydrographer.

A partial field edit was conducted May 1974 by hydrographic personnel assigned to the NOAA Ship DAVIDSON. The area of field edit was confined to the navigable area survey limits of H-9422. Field edit did not include verification of shoreline compilation, but primarily was involved with locating offshore rocks and ledge limits. In August 1977, a complete field edit was accomplished in conjunction with hydrographic survey H-9711. This activity, performed by ship personnel aboard NOAA Ship RAINIER, involved an inspection of the entire shoreline within the mapping limits.

Field edit information was submitted to the original coastal mapping office and applied to the manuscript in December 1977. The manuscript was advanced to a Class I map and a copy was forwarded to the hydrographic processing unit for smooth sheet processing.

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Final review was performed at the Atlantic Marine Center July 1984. A Chart Maintenance Print was prepared and forwarded to the Marine Chart Branch.

This Descriptive Report contains all pertinent information used to compile this final field edited map. The original base manuscript and related data were forwarded to the Washington Science Center for final registration.

FIELD INSPECTION T-12992

There was no field inspection prior to compilation. Field word accomplished was limited to the recovery, establishment and identification (premarking) of the horizontal control necessary for the aerotriangulation of the project.

Project 21423(4) Valdez, Alaska June, 1965

All horizontal control stations required for photo control were identified with the exception of CROMBIE, 1941 (T-12656). This station was on a high ridge still covered with considerable snow. Identification would probably have been doubtful. Station FILL (temporary) was established by tellurometer traverse and its substitute stations are identifiable on the same flight line of photographs that would cover CROMBIE. Station PIT (temporary) was determined by triangulation methods. Stations PIT and FILL replaces VALDEZ SOUTHEAST BASE, 1941 and VALDEZ NORTHWEST BASE, 1941.

Station MAS (temporary) (t-12655) was determined by triangulation intersection methods. Station SPIT 2 (temp.) was determined by triangulation methods to replace station SPIT, 1901.

Station HUT 3, 1965 was identified in lieu of station HUT 2 which was reported lost. The unadjusted field position was not available at the time of identification as the geodetic party had only recently occupied the station.

Submitted:

Robert B. Melby

Approved:

John B. Watkins, Jr.

Project 21423(11)
Tatilek Narrows, Alaska
June 1965

All horizontal control stations required for photo control were identified and paneled. Two new stations were located by triangulation intersection methods and six by closed loop tellurometer traverse.

Station MAS (temp.) was located and its position is submitted with the Valdez, Alaska field data, project 21423(4). The recovery note for HUT3, 1965 was also submitted with the Valdez field data.

Submitted:

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Robert B. Melby

Approved:

John B. Watkins, Jr., CDR, C&GS

Comdg., Ship HODGSON

Photogrammetric Plot Report Tatitlek Narrows, Alaska Job PH-6411

21. Area Covered

The project covers the east shore of Valdez Arm and all of Tatitlek Narrows area. The T-sheets in this area are: T-12991 through 12999 and T-13000 through T-13002.

22. Method

Six bridges were run on the stereoplanigraphs and adjusted by IBM 1620 methods. All tie points between strips were averaged. Tie points were also established in the area of Port Valdez Bay; to be bridged at a later date.

23. Adequacy of Control

The premarked control provided was adequate with the exception of BUSBY, 1942. The panels at this station blended into the background on the black and white photograph and could not be seen. The overhang and shadows of trees also made it difficult to see Busby Island Lt., 1947, which was in the immediate vicinity of BUSBY, 1942.

Strip #12 was based on a three point solution using stations JACK, 1901, OVAL, 1965 and SLIM, 1965. Stations OVAL and SLIM were established with very slim angles and no means of checking their accuracy was available. Although adjustment held all three stations with small errors of closure, an error may still exist in the area of Jacks Bay.

All additional control held within National Map Accuracy Standards for 1:10,000 scale mapping.

24. Supplemental Data

USGS Quads, Cordova D-8 and Valdez A-8, scale 1:63,360 were used to provide baisc vertical control for bridging operations.

25. Photography

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Photography was adequate in coverage, overlap and definition.

26. Plotting Constants

Plotting constants for 1:10,000 scale manuscripts were provided for all bridge points.

27. Ratios

Ratios for 1:10,000 scale photography were provided for all strips.

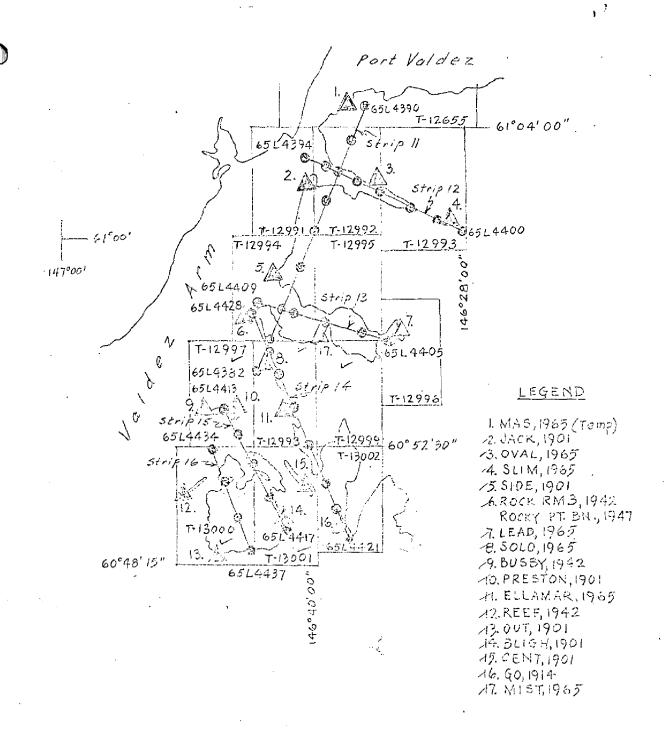
Submitted by:

Wallace Heinbaugh

Approved by:

John D. Perrow Jr.

november 3, 1965



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31 - DELINEATION

Delineation was accomplished using stereo instrument and graphic compilation methods. The Wild B-8 plotter was used to delineate shoreline, alongshore and interior detail based upon office interpretation of the 1:30,000 scale bridging/compilation panchromatic photographs.

Color photographs at 1:15,000 scale were provided to assist in photo interpretation of the compilation photography. They were also used to graphically delineate alongshore and offshore detail.

All photographs used to compile this map are listed on NOAA Form 76-36B. The photography was adequate.

32 - CONTROL

Refer to the Photogrammetric Plot Report dated November 3, 1965.

33 - SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

None.

34 - CONTOURS AND DRAINAGE

Contours are not applicable to this project. Drainage was compiled by office interpretation of the photographs.

35 - SHORELINE AND ALONGSHORE DETAILS

The MHW line was compiled from office interpretation of the 1:30,000 scale compilation photographs. Alongshore detail was compiled using both the panchromatic and color photographs as described in item #31.

36 - OFFSHORE DETAILS

Offshore detail was compiled by instrument and graphic methods as described in item #31. The 1:15,000 color photographs were ratioed to map scale and were used to graphically compile the approximate MLLW line and ledge limits. This compilation of low water features was restricted to only three maps (T-12991, T-12992, T-12994) based on the color ratio photos provided.

37 - LANDMARKS AND AIDS

One navigational aid, field recovered in 1965, was photo verified and submitted for field edit.

38 - CONTROL FOR FUTURE SURVEYS

None.

39 - JUNCTIONS

Refer to the Date Record Form 76-36B, Item 5. A MLLW line was not compiled on adjoining map T-12993. See Item #36 for remarks concerning the delineation of this feature.

40 - HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL ACCURACY

Refer to the Photogrammetric Plot Report dated November 3, 1965.

46 - COMPARISON WITH EXISTING MAPS

A comparison was made with the following U.S.G.S. Quadrangles: Valdez (A-8), Alaska, scale 1:63,360, dated 1960; and Valdez (A-7), Alaska, scale 1:63,360, dated 1960.

47 - COMPARISON WITH NAUTICAL CHARTS

A comparison was made with the following U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey Chart: 8519, 8th edition, dated May 17, 1965, scale 1:79,291.

ITEMS TO BE APPLIED TO NAUTICAL CHARTS IMMEDIATELY

None.

ITEMS TO BE CARRIED FORWARD

None.

Submitted by

T. Bulfer Cartographer

April 7, 1972

Approved,

n'Albert C. Rauck, Jr.

Chief, Coastal Mapping Section, AMC

ADDENDUM TO THE COMPILATION REPORT

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FIELD EDIT

A small portion of field edit was performed in conjunction with Navigable Area Survey H-9422 in 1974 along Valdez Arm at the entrance to Jack Bay. Data was submitted via a 1:20,000 reduced print of the manuscript and abstracted positions for alongshore and offshore data.were recorded.

A complete field edit for the map was performed in 1977 in conjunction with hydro survey H-9711. This activity included all of Jack Bay and the edit data was adequate to advance the manuscript to Class I. A field edit report, annotated photographs and a field edit print were submitted as field edit data.

FIELD EDIT REPORT

OPR-999 1974

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY # H-9422 Field Number DA-20-1-74

by NOAA Ship DAVIDSON

N.H. Fleming, COMDG

1. INTRODUCTION

Field editing was not a requirement for this navigable area survey of Valdez Arm, from Rocky Point in the south to a mile north of Entrance Point day beason in Prince William Sound. In spite of the fact that there was no requirement, it was decided to ouickly check the shoreline for major discrepancies of off-lying rocks that would be a hazard to navigation in this area. This generally consisted of obtaining fixes at the limit of reefs, islands, and points which extended to seaward. Also, no final shoreline plot was available of the area from Sawmill Bay to one mile north of Potato Point. This area is covered on T-12991, and a final (field) plot of the shoreline was made by taking fixes and simultaneous sketches of the beach; then later piecing this data together to obtain the high water line, rocks, bluffs and low water line. (See Section 2 for further explanation of this technique.)

2. METHODS

The shoreline plotted on the final smooth boat sheet came from following sheets:

TP-00264 Sawmill Bay, Alaska (paper Ozalid)
T-12991 Potato Point, Alaska
T-12994 Galena Bay, Alaska
T-12992 Entrance Point, Alaska

TP-00264 was a 1:20000 scale manuscript; whereas, the three T-sheets listed were initially drawn at 1:10,000 and photo-reduced to 1:20,000, which enabled us to use them directly to trace the shoreline onto the position and sounding overlays and to plot fixes. (All position information has been denoted on these four sheets in violet ink.)

The eastern shore of Valdez Arm was edited conventionally, using threepoint sextant fix for control. Triangulation stations-were used as objects for all these fixes (numbers 3 through 40). A somewhat different approach was taken on the western side. Mini-Ranger III by Motorola, a range-range electronic navigator, as well as sextant angles, were used for fixes 2001 to 2053. The mini-ranger navigator was mounted in an 18' Monarch aluminum skiff with an 85 horsepower outboard. The antenna was placed atop a ten foot 2X4 which was stayed-down to the corners of this square skiff, and two 12 volt car batteries were used for power. This skiff had draft of about 2.2 feet with the engine down and about 1.3 feet with the engine up, and this includes three people necessary for the operation. To take a fix with the mini-ranger gear, the skiff would be driven to the rock, bluff, low water line, or reef in question; and then when in position, a "hold display" button depressed on the navigator would "freeze" the two ranges so they could be copied by the recorder. At the time of the fix, sextant anoles were also taken to various triangulation stations. The sextant angles were only meant to provide a solid check on the system and also as

further data with which accuracy of the mini-ranger could be examined (i.e., knowing the accuracy of the sextant fixes).

Plotting of all field edit data was initially done on the 1:20,000 scale boat sheet, position overlay. This was done because none of the T-sheets were large enough to plot all the triangulation, and also the position overlay already had the mini-ranger arcs drawn, as the mini-ranger was used entirely to control hydrography on this sheet. Once the positions (fixes) were plotted on the position overlay, they were then transferred to the appropriate shoreline manuscript. Next the field editor would go back to the smooth boat sheet and draw in the verified or compiled shoreline from these fixes plus sketches and field verification of shoreline features. No plotting or notes were made on the photographs.

Also, another item that was accomplished during the field editing was that all field notes in the form of fixes were "smoothed" out and logged on a homemade form. This was done so that notes would not become useless due to the fact that they could not be interpreted by someone other than the recorder. Also, this form would be an excellent start in plotting field edit positions with a computer-plotter. This form includes the time (all times are Zulu, 0° meridian), Julian Date, position number, a brief description of the feature, and the positional information, whether that be mini-ranger, sextant angles, or both. The data from this form could easily be digitized and, consequently, computer-plotted for quick verification.

3. ACCURACY

A complete analysis of the accuracy of the manuscript or the positional information was not undertaken at this time. Generally 3 to 5 meter discrepancies were found when comparing computed ranges with sextant angles - ranges obtained from the mini-ranger-system. No attempt was made to compute differences between the simultaneous sextant cuts and mini-ranger fixes; however, the data for this is being inserted in this report for further development.

4. ADEQUACY OF COMPILATION

The manuscript appears to be adequate except, of course, in the area where no shoreline was available. Positions taken at high water and low water agree very well with those shown on the T-sheets. Again it is emphasized that a complete field edit job was not the intent, but simply a check of any overlooked rocks, ledges, and the delineation of the shoreline north of Sawmill Bay.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

There are several recommendations I would like to suggest:

- a. Complete shoreline manuscript of the area from Sawmill Bay north should be photogrammetrically compiled.
- b. Make a computer plot of fixes; then compare these with the manuscript. I feel that my numbers are more accurate than the method in which they were plotted (i.e., with odeyssey and 3-arm protractors).
- c. The paper Ozalids are very prone to destruction when inundated by water, namely rain. The Alaskan climate is very wet, plus the fact that field edit on the DAVIDSON in Alaska is entirely done from a skiff which is further susceptible to salt spray. This paper becomes impossible to work with when even the slightest bit wet. Is there a better surface?
- d. As an aid in determining the accuracy of the mini-ranger for use in field edit applications, the given data could be analyzed.

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T-12992

PH-6411

OPR-452-RA-77

VALDEZ ARM, ALASKA
ENTRANCE POINT (JACK BAY)

1 FIELD UNIT

AUGUST 16, 1977 - AUGUST 20, 1977 JD (228 - 232)

51 METHODS

Field edit operations for T-12992 began prior to and continued concurrent with hydrographic survey operations for H-9711, OPR-452-RA-77. Three visual signals were located and built for positioning control on August 16, 1977 (JD 228). Field edit was then completed using a skiff in all portions of the T-sheet excepting those areas which involved changes in MHWL. Areas requiring changes in the MHWL were walked by the field editor.

Shoreline and topographic detail is annotated on black and white photographs 65-L-4395, 65-L-4396 and 65-L-4397. All verified features are in purple ink, corrections or additions are in red ink and deletions are in green ink on both the photographs and the Master Field Edit Ozalid.

Heights of rocks and ledges noted on the photographs were estimated from the skiff at close range by comparison to objects of known elevation. Depths of submerged rocks were determined with a sounding pole. Greenwich Mean Time (Local time + 9 hours) was used and noted at the time the height of all rocks and ledges were measured. All shoreline detail was first noted in pencil on the matte ratiosprints and the paper field edit ozalid in the field. Upon arrival at the ship, these notes were then transferred to the chronapaques and the Master Field Edit Ozalid.

52 ADEQUACY OF COMPILATION

The compilation of manuscript T-12992 was complete and accurate except for minor changes to the MHWL as noted on the Master Field Edit Ozalid. For the most part the MHWL is marked by trees rooted in a rocky base. Many rock ledges extend outward from the shore and have been added to the manuscript. Changes to the shoreline are discussed in greater detail in the following section.

53 MAP ACCURACY

All corrections are noted in red on the Master Field Edit Ozalid and involve areas within 100 meters of the shoreline. Field edit was accomplished at tide stages of less than +3 feet. Twelve ledges were added to the T-sheet, ranging in height from 3' to 15' at low water and extending from shore seaward and are considered hazards to small craft. After a thorough inspection of the MHWL at both high and low tide, four islets were noted and added to the T-sheet. Four points of land at locations 61° O1' 27" N, 146° 35' 36" W; 61° O1' 38" N, 146° 37' 24" W; 61° O2' 08" N, 146° 36' 40" W; and 61° O2' 15" N, 146° 36' 41" W are incorrectly compiled and are attached only at low water. The fourth

point mentioned above is the largest having a diameter of 15 meters and having triangulation station WHALE (113) located on it. The four points should be recompiled as small islets. All four of these islets were transferred directly to the T-sheet from the photographs.

Four rocks were added to the manuscript by aligning nearby pass points of the photographs to the manuscript. All four rocks show clearly on two photos and are hazards to navigation. The locations of the rocks are as follows:

- A) 61° 02' 33" N, 146° 35' 36" W
- B) 61° 01' 19" N, 146° 36' 34" W
- C) 61° 01' 24" N, 146° 37' 00" W
- D) 61^o 02' 06" N, 146^o 39' 56" W

There are three foul areas added to T-12992 as follows:

- A) Off Tongue Point
- B) Near JACK I 1901 triangulation station (not recovered)
- C) Lat. 61^o 02' 39" N, Long. 146^o 37' 00" W

54 RECOMMENDATIONS

NONE

55 MISCELLANEOUS

Photo Identified Signals - Field edit operations for PH-6411, T-12992 required identifying and positioning three visual signals to supplement positioning control for hydrographic survey operations RA-10-3-77, H-9711, OPR-452-RA-77. Signal numbers 331 and 351 have been located by acceptable photogrammetric techniques. The third signal, #452, is a hydrographic signal which was located by sextant at the station. A Master Signal List and computations concerning these signals are included in the "Separates Following the Text" of the Descriptive Report H-9711.

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REVIEW REPORT T-12992 SHORELINE

61. GENERAL STATEMENT

Final review for this final field edited map was accomplished at the Atlantic Marine Center in July 1984. For a schedule of the office and field operations, refer to the Summary included in this Descriptive Report.

62. COMPARISON WITH REGISTERED TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEYS

Not applicable.

63. COMPARISON WITH MAPS OF OTHER AGENCIES

A comparison was made with the following U.S.G.S. quadrangles: Valdez (A-7) and Valdez (A-8), Alaska, dated 1960, scale 1:63,360.

64. COMPARISON WITH CONTEMPORARY HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEYS

A comparison was made with a registered copy of contemporary hydrographic survey H-9422, 1:20,000 scale, field surveyed 1974 and H-9711, 1:10,000 scale, surveyed 1977.

The navigable area survey, H-9422, was limited to the entrance of Jack Bay along Valdez Arm. Field edit activity involved the locating of along-shore and offshore rocks.

During hydrographic survey H-9711, a complete field edit was performed within the mapping limits. This field data was applied to the manuscript and a Class I print was submitted to hydrographic processing.

65. COMPARISON WITH NAUTICAL CHARTS

A comparison was made with NOS Chart 16708, scale 1:79,291, 16th edition, dated October 3, 1981.

66. ADEQUACY OF RESULTS AND FUTURE SURVEYS

This map complies with the Project Instructions, and meets the requirements for National Standards of Map Accuracy.

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GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

FINAL NAME SHEET

PH-6411 (Valdez Arm - Tatitlek Narrows, Alaska)

TP-12992

Entrance Point

Jack Bay

Tongue Point

Valdez Narrows

Approved by:

Charles E. Harrington Chief Geographer

Nautical Charting Division

NAUTICAL CHART DIVISION

RECORD OF APPLICATION TO CHARTS

FILE WITH DESCRIPTIVE REPORT OF SURVEY NO.

INSTRUCTIONS

A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart

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2. In "Remarks" column cross out words that do not apply.

3. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Re-

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