MBARA Diver's Reef Survey Form

Updated 8 Aug 2010

Reef Site Name: MB 36 Mako Shark Reef

Position Readings:

GPS Manufacturer & model: Garmin 188C

N Lat.: 29 54.873 W Lon.: 85 32.587

Sonar Depth: 59'

Survey Date & Time: 29 Sep 2010 1540

Weather conditions and sea state: Sunny/ 2-3' Seas

Boat Name: Bobcat Boat Captain: Bob Cox Dive Leader: Bob Cox

Dive Team Members: Carol Cox

Diver Observations

Computer/Depth Gauge Depth: 61' Diver Bottom Time on Survey: :27

Water Temp: Surface: 82F Bottom: 80F

Water Visibility: Surface: 15' Bottom: 30'

Thermocline Depth:

Current direction and speed: From W at .5kts

Other noted water column characteristics (plankton, algae, jellyfish, turbidity, etc): Moon Jellyfish, Cone Jellies, and organic matter.

Description of Bottom Composition (sand, silt, mud, gravel, shell, etc):

Sand

Description of Reef Materials & Quantity: 5 Reefballs

Reef Height (highest point): 4'

Reef Physical Condition (Durability and Stability): Excellent

Storm damage or movement? If yes, describe:

Other damage or movement? If yes, describe:

Fish Count:

Species:	Quantity	Size
Angelfish, Queen		
Anglefish, Blue		
Baitfish - Round Scad		
(Cigar Minnows)		
Baitfish – Glass Minnow		
(Bay Anchovy)	500+	1-2"
Baitfish - Menhaden		
Baitfish - Pinfish		
Baitfish, species?		
Barracuda - Guaguanche		
Barracuda-Great		
Batfish, Polka-Dot		
Blenny, Molly Miller		
Blenny, Seaweed		
Blenny, Tessallated		
Bonito		
Butterflyfish, Reef		
Butterflyfish, Spotfin		
Cardinalfish, Two-Spot		
Cobia (Ling)		
Cowfish, Scrawled	1	9"
Croaker, Atlantic		
Chromis - Purple Reeffish		
Chromis - Yellowtail		
Reeffish		
Damselfish - Cocoa	10	1-2"
Damselfish sp?		
Dolphin, sp?		
Drum - Cubbyu		
Eel, species?		
Flounder, Gulf		
Frogfish, Ocellated		
Goby, Blue		
Goby, Bridled		
Goby, species?		
Grouper, Gag	5	8-22"
Grouper, Goliath		
Grouper, Red		
Grouper, Rock Hind		
Grouper, Scamp		

Grunt - Tomtate	20	8"
Grunt, White		
Grunt, sp?		
Jack – Blue Runner (Hard		
Tail)	10	10"
Jack - Greater Amberjack		
Jack sp?		
Jack, Almaco (Lesser)	1	10"
Jack, Lookdown		
Jack, Rainbow Runner		
Lizardfish, Blue-Lined		
Mackeral, King		
Mackeral, Spanish		
Mahi		
Margate, Black		
Porgy, Saucereye	10	8-10"
Porgy - Sheepshead		
Puffer - Balloonfish		
Puffer, Sharpnose		
Ray, Manta		
Ray, Southern Stingray		
Remora (Sharksucker)		
Sailfish		
Seabass, Bank		
Seabass, Belted Sandfish		
Shark, sp?		
Snapper, Bigeye		
Snapper, Gray (Black)		
Snapper, Red	200	10-22"
Snapper, Vermillion		
(Mingo)		
Soapfish, Whitespotted	1	6"
Spadefish, Atlantic		
Toadfish, Leopard		
Triggerfish, Gray	10	10-16"
Wrasse - Slippery Dick		
Other:		1

Other:

Black Sea Bass 2 10-12" Pygmy Sea Bass 1 1" Description of Biological Growth on Reef:

<u> </u>	Quantity/Area of Coverage		
Species	(% of area or dimensions)	Size	Color
Algae			
Barnacles	90%	.5"	Wht/Brn
Christmas Tree Worm			
Coral - Colorful Sea Whip			
Coral - unk gorgonian			
Coral - White Telesto			
Bulb Anemone			
Tube Anemone			
Hard Corals-Assorted			
Mussells			
Oyster, sp?			
Scallops sp?			
Sponges	5%	.5′ H	Org

Other:

Description of Invertebrates on Reef:

Species	Quantity	Size
Cowry - Atlantic Deer		
Cowry - Spotted Cyphoma		
Cowry, West Indian Simnia		
Crab, Blue		
Crab, Rock		
Crab, Sargassum Swimming		
Crab, Stareye Hermit		
Crab, Yellowline Arrow		
Crab, species?		
Lobster, Shovelnose		
Lobster, Spiny		
Sea Cucumber		
Sea Slug, Species?		
Sea Urchin	1	3"
Snail - Atlantic Harry Triton		
Snail - Giant Eastern Murex		
Snail - Netted Olive		
Snail - Queen Helmet		
Snail - Spiny Murex		
Snail - True Tulip		
Snail- Florida Horse Conch		
Invertibrate, species?		

Other:

Marine Amphibians:

Species	Quantity	Size	Color
Turtle, Loggerhead			
Turtle, Green			
Turtle, Leatherback			
Turtle, Species?			

Other:

Other Observations:



















