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TURTLES

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Subject: RE: All past turtles released by DQ at the Kahala

Aloha George -

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The records for the early turtles were all paper and the files I inherited were incomplete. Here is the best I can do:

The first pair, Iki & Nui.  
(Nui was the turtle I attended the necropsy on.) I do not have any PIT tag records.

Notes say turtles appx. 4 years old. No hatch date listed.

Iki - Arrived at Kahala in 1999  
An exam report on file from Gregg on 6/7/01 has measurements: CCL 69cm, CCW 53.5

Nui - Arrived as Kahala in 1999  
An exam report on file dated 6/7/01: CCL 78cm, CCW 62cm

Next came Koa & Ohia  
YOB for both 2000

Koa - Pre-release exam on 11/7/03 CCL 53cm, CCW 43cm  
Says PIT tag #'s on file at SLP, Left flipper tag ZG05 metal size 1

Ohia - Pre-release exam on 11/7/03 CCL 55.5, CCW 47cm  
Says PIT tag #'s on file at SLP, Left flipper tag ZI36

Then Kala & Kapo -  
These turtles were released 3/14/06. YOB 2002 Morphs done on 3/3/06.

Kala - CCL 69cm, CCW 60.5 Tag Info: RFF-WCZ6, LFF WI12 size 1

Kapo - CCL 59cm, CCW 56.5 Tag Info: RFF-WCZ5, LFF WI12 size 1

Along came Mahina & Makana -  
Turtles released on 11/8/09. YOB 2005 Morphs done on 10/15/09.

Mahina - CCL 70cm, CCW 61cm No PIT tag info on file. Flipper tag WE23

Makana - CCL 71.4, CCW 62.1cm No PIT tag info on file. Flipper tag WE09

And that brings us to the current pair, Kamalu & Kekoa -  
YOB 2008 Morphs done on 11/16/13

Kamalu - CCL 71cm, CCW 59.5cm Flipper tag WH44 size 1

Kekoa - CCL 71.7cm, CCW 62.5cm Flipper tag WH51 size 1

Hope this is helpful. Let me know if you need anything else.



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