

## Tagging Summary from Lanai during 10/1/84 - 9/15/02

Tag Numbers	Date	Carapace Length (cm)		Weight (lbs)	Capture Method
		Straight	Curved		
7861, 7862	10/22/1984	---	39.8	---	Hand grab
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V11, V12	06/01/1991	---	60.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
V13, V14	06/01/1991	---	59.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
V15	06/01/1991	---	60.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R976 (6/3/93), R977 (6/3/93), V16	06/01/1991	---	61.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H867 (6/25/92), V402, V403	01/04/1992	---	74.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
V404, V405	04/28/1992	---	39.0	---	Net
H812, H813, H814	06/24/1992	---	64.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H815, H816, H817	06/24/1992	---	52.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H818, H819	06/24/1992	---	46.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H820, H821, R998 (6/3/93), R999 (6/3/93)	06/24/1992	---	64.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H822, H823	06/24/1992	---	52.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H824, H825	06/24/1992	---	59.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H833, H834	06/24/1992	---	44.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H835, H836, H837	06/24/1992	---	61.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H838, H839, H840	06/24/1992	---	46.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H841, H842, H843	06/24/1992	---	---	---	Hand/Snorkel
H844, H845	06/24/1992	---	51.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H846, H847	06/24/1992	---	46.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H848, H849, H850	06/24/1992	---	70.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H851, H852, H853	06/24/1992	55.2	59.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H854, H855, H856	06/24/1992	36.7	41.0	19.0	Beach Net
H857, H858, H859	06/24/1992	52.8	57.0	57.0	Beach Net
H826, H866	06/25/1992	---	---	---	Hand/Snorkel
H827, H828	06/25/1992	---	62.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H829, H830	06/25/1992	---	66.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H831, H832	06/25/1992	---	59.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H860, H861	06/25/1992	---	62.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H862, H863	06/25/1992	---	56.0	---	Hand/Snorkel

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H654, H665	06/25/1992	---	47.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H658, H659, J9 (6/3/93)	06/25/1992	---	50.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H670, H671, R680 (6/3/93)	06/25/1992	---	67.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H672, H673	06/25/1992	---	47.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H674, H675	06/25/1992	---	69.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H676, H677, H679	06/25/1992	52.1	56.5	45.0	Beach Net
H680, H681	06/25/1992	---	52.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H682, H683	06/25/1992	---	49.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H684, H685, H690	06/26/1992	---	63.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H686, H687, H688	06/26/1992	---	62.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H689, H690	06/26/1992	---	74.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H691, H692, R699 (6/2/93)	06/26/1992	---	61.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H693, H694, H695	06/26/1992	---	68.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H696, H697	06/26/1992	---	65.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
H698, H699	06/26/1992	---	62.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H926, H927	06/26/1992	---	62.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H928, H929	06/26/1992	---	43.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H930, H931	06/26/1992	---	67.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H932, H933	06/26/1992	---	75.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
H934, H935	06/26/1992	---	57.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R683, R684, R685, R686	06/01/1993	---	59.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R687, R688, R689, R690	06/01/1993	---	60.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R691, R692, R693, R694	06/01/1993	---	54.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R695, R696, R697, R698	06/01/1993	---	67.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R699, R900, R901, R902	06/01/1993	---	60.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R903, R904, R924, R925	06/01/1993	61.3	67.0	---	Beach Net
R905, R906, R907, R908	06/01/1993	---	63.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R909, R910, R911, R912	06/01/1993	---	72.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R927, R928	06/01/1993	---	47.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R930, R931, R932, R933	06/01/1993	---	67.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R913, R916	06/02/1993	---	75.5	---	Basking on coral head

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		Straight	Curved		
R917, R920	06/02/1993	---	81.0	---	Basking on coral head
R921, R922, R923	06/02/1993	---	59.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R926, R929, R934, R935	06/02/1993	---	68.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R936, R939	06/02/1993	---	70.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R940, R941, R942, R943	06/02/1993	---	58.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R944, R945, R946, R947	06/02/1993	---	73.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R952, R953, R954	06/02/1993	---	62.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R955, R956, R957	06/02/1993	---	53.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R958, R959, R960	08/02/1993	---	45.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R961, R962	08/02/1993	---	54.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R963, R964	08/02/1993	---	57.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R965, R966, R967	08/02/1993	---	65.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R968, R968, R969	06/02/1993	47.5	50.5	---	Beach Net
R970, R975	06/02/1993	47.8	51.0	---	Beach Net
R971, R972	06/02/1993	---	45.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R973, R974	06/02/1993	---	40.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R990, R991, R992, R993	08/02/1993	55.5	60.0	---	Beach Net
R994, R995, R996, R997	06/02/1993	62.5	67.0	---	Beach Net
8726, 8727, 8728, 8729	06/03/1993	---	70.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
8730, 8731, 8732, 8733	06/03/1993	---	70.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
8734, 8735, 8736	06/03/1993	---	44.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
8737, 8738, 8739	06/03/1993	---	46.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
8740, 8741, 8742	06/03/1993	---	77.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
8743, 8744	08/03/1993	---	44.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
8745, 8746, 8747	06/03/1993	---	49.5	---	Beach Net
J5, J6, J7, J8	08/03/1993	---	58.0	---	Beach Net
R978, R979	06/03/1993	---	47.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
R981, R982, R983	06/03/1993	---	65.5	---	Hand/Snorkel
R984, R985, R986, R987	06/03/1993	---	56.0	---	Hand/Snorkel
V406, V407	10/29/1995	---	48.0	---	Feeding
V408, V409	01/16/1998	---	79.0	---	Beached

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		Straight	Curved		
V410, V411	11/25/1998	---	74.0	---	Beached
V412, V413	04/03/2002	---	59.0	---	Incidental net capture
V414, V415	06/23/2002	---	70.0	---	Basking
V416, V417	06/23/2002	---	69.0	---	Basking

## Summary of Recovered Turtles from Lanai during 7/1/89 - 9/15/02

Tag Numbers	Date		Curved Carapace Length cm		Year Interval	Growth cm/yr
	Original	Recovered	Original	Recovered		
BBA408, Y426, Y427	07/05/1989	01/11/1991	76.0	---	1.5	---
H867 (8/25/92), V402, V439	01/04/1992	09/25/1992	74.0	75.5	0.4	0.8
H854, H855, H856	08/24/1992	01/18/1993	41.0	42.5	0.5	3.0
H836, H839, H840	05/29/1992	08/01/1993	48.5	48.0	0.9	1.7
H891, H892, R959 (6/2/93)	08/28/1992	08/02/1993	61.5	64.6	0.9	3.3
H820, H821, R998 (6/3/93), R999 (6/3/93)	06/24/1992	09/03/1993	64.5	69.5	0.9	5.8
H838, H839, H840	06/24/1992	09/03/1993	46.5	48.0	0.9	1.7
H848, H849, H850	08/24/1992	08/03/1993	70.0	73.5	0.9	3.9
H868, H869, J9 (6/3/93)	08/25/1992	08/03/1993	50.0	54.0	0.9	4.4
H870, H871, R980 (6/3/93)	08/25/1992	08/03/1993	67.0	71.5	0.9	5.0
R976 (6/3/93), R977 (6/3/93), V18	08/01/1991	08/03/1993	61.0	68.5	2.0	3.8
10994, 11019	04/14/1992	11/21/1994	---	---	2.8	---

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8/25/73	624	19 1/2 x 15 1/2
12/9/73 (recapture)	T218, 625	38 x 31
1/26/74	705	19 x 15
1/26/74	704	16 x 12
2/1/74	622	19 x 16 1/2
1/74	708	21 x 19 1/2
7/25/74	628	18 3/4 x 17
2/11/75	626	18 x 17 1/2
2/18/75	627	15 5/8 x 14 3/4
4/26/75 (old tag missing)	703	20 3/4 x 19 1/2
5/18/75	706	16 1/2 x 15 1/4
5/26/75	707	16 1/4 x 14 1/4
6/18/75 (recapture)	628, 709	19 x 17 1/2
6/22/75	711	18 x 16 1/2
8/8/75	710	18 x 15 1/2
9/4/75	712	16 1/4 x 15
9/12/75	2168 D.T.	18 x 16 1/2
5/30/76	1190	19 1/2 x 17
5/30/76	1191	21 1/2 x 19
2/21/76	1699	14 1/2 x 14 1/4
1/76	1700	18 1/2 x 17
12/17/76	1701	17 x 15 1/2
3/77	1703	19 x 16 1/2
8/6/77	1704	19 x 16
8/18/77	1193	18 x 16

by Bill Puleloa

LANAI

\* \* \* \* \* TURTLES TAGGED ON MOLOKAI \* \* \* \* \*

Date Tagged: Oct. 28, 1982

Location Caught: Laewahie, Lanai (just west of ferro-cement shipwreck)

Method of Capture: Hand Grab

<u>Number</u>	<u>Curved Length</u>	<u>Curved WIDTH (cm)</u>	<u>Tag Number On Left Front Flipper</u>	<u>Tag Number On Right Front Flipper</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>56½</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>6569</u>	<u>6570</u>
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Remarks: Turtle was sleeping under a ledge in about 20' of water.  
(Many others seen swimming around in this area.)

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DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES  
DIVISION OF FISH AND GAME  
588 S. HOTEL STREET • HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813  
1179 PUNCHBOWL STREET

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M E S S A G E

TO [ G. Balaz  
HIMB ]

SUBJECT Tagged Turtle

DATE 10-12-78

Today Bobby Emerald brought me a turtle to tag. It weighed ca #25 and measured 17"X13". I tagged it with tags # 2530 & 2531. It was released at noon at Kamalapau Harbor, LANAI

BY

*P. Gully*  
Peter Gonnally #22

R E P L Y

DATE

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**CLUB  
MANUKAI**

C/O KALAMA / 2255 KALAKAUA AVENUE / HONOLULU, HAWAII 96815 / PHONE 923-9774

8-6-77 19" LONG X 16" WIDE  
# 1704

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8-18-77 18" LONG X 16" WIDE  
# 1193  
CAUGHT - 1 STONE LANAI  
Released - K-PAU.

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9-8-77 19" LONG X 16 1/2" WIDE  
# 1703  
CAUGHT 1 STONE  
Released K-PAU.

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11-14-77 18" LONG X 15" WIDE  
# 2426  
Released K-PAU.

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1-4-78 38" LONG X 35 WIDE MAHC - 214 LBS.  
# 2427  
Released BOAT HARBOR  
MANUKE

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6-5-78 17 1/2" LONG X 15 1/2" WIDE  
# 2428  
LEFT OF K-PAU. CAUGHT  
K-PAU HARBOR Released

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Marine Turtle Tagging Information

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TAG NUMBER 708

CARAPACE LENGTH 21"

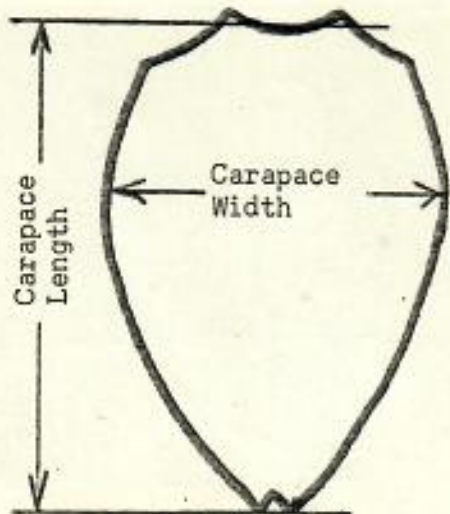
CARAPACE WIDTH 19 1/2"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) No noticeable injuries

normal Green sea turtle

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 2 miles west of Kaunapou

Harbor, Lanai (caught). Released at Kaunapou Harbor



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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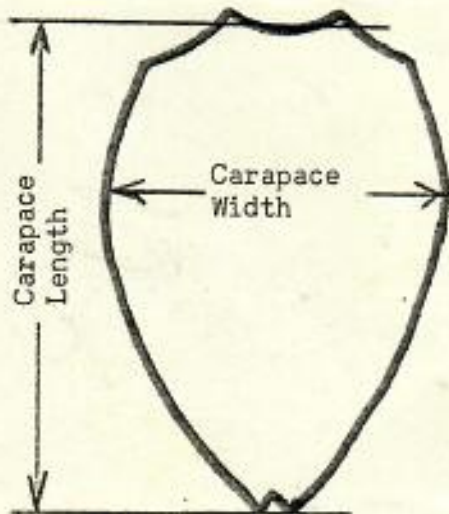
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CARAPACE LENGTH 18 3/4

CARAPACE WIDTH 17"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) GREEN (SON BURST)  
NO SIGN OF ANY DAMAGE TO  
SHELL OR ANIMAL

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED KAUMAAHA HARBOR  
HANAI 7/25/79



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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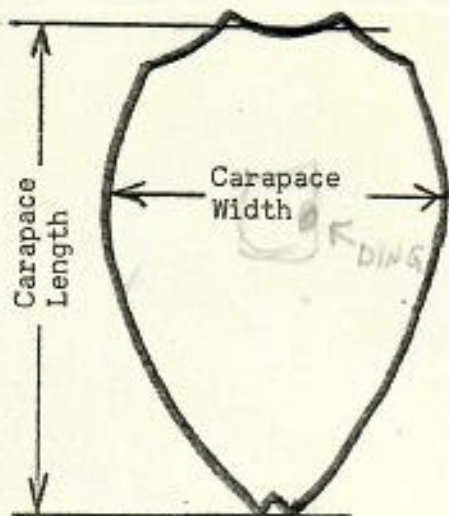
CARAPACE LENGTH 16"

CARAPACE WIDTH 12"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) GOOD, SMALL  
CHIP ON CENTER PLATE

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED MAHELE, LANAI

JAN 26, 1974 NIGHT, RELEASED JAN 27, 1974



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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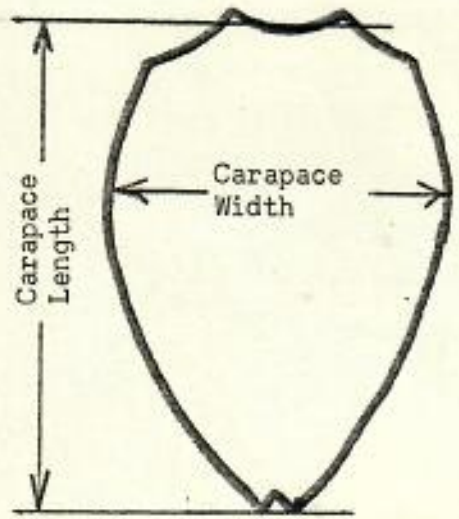
CARAPACE LENGTH 19"

CARAPACE WIDTH 15"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) GOOD

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED MANELE, LANAI

JAN 26, 1974, RELEASED JAN 27, 1974



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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Marine Turtle Tagging Information

ON card:

Row  
McOMBER -  
LANAI

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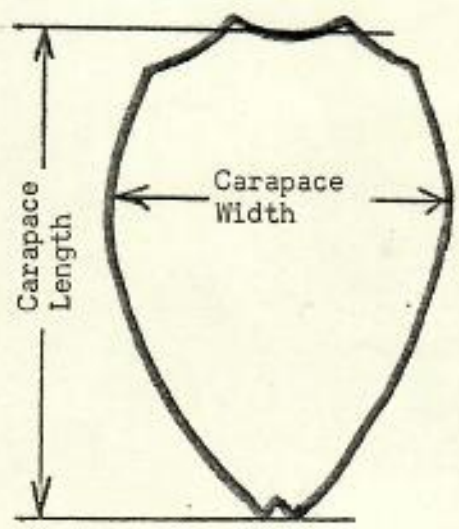
TAG NUMBER #624

CARAPACE LENGTH 19 1/2"

CARAPACE WIDTH 15 1/2"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) GREEN SEA -  
"Femrthe" No GROWTH, CLEAN SHELL  
ALL FLIPPERS INTACT.

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 8/25/73



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

Marine Turtle Tagging Information

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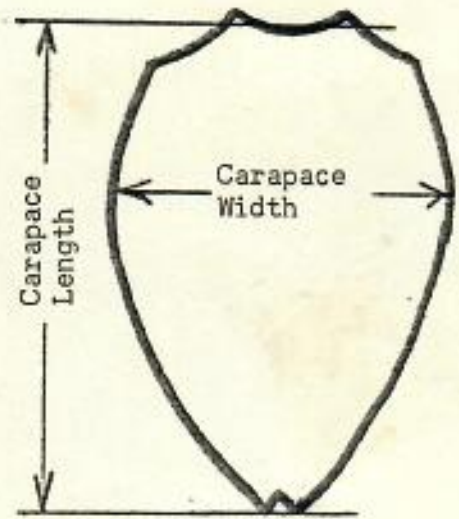
CARAPACE LENGTH 16 1/2"

CARAPACE WIDTH 11"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) SHELL GOOD SHAPE

MALE -

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 8/9/73



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)



Marine Turtle Tagging Information

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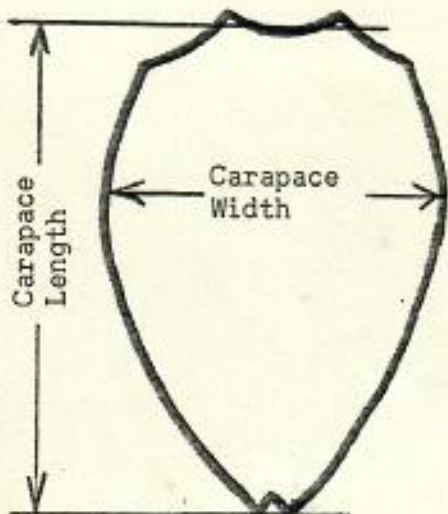
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CARAPACE LENGTH 19 25  $\frac{1}{4}$

CARAPACE WIDTH 19

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  DROP ON EACH SIDE OF  
SHELL FEMALE

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 7/10/73



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

on card

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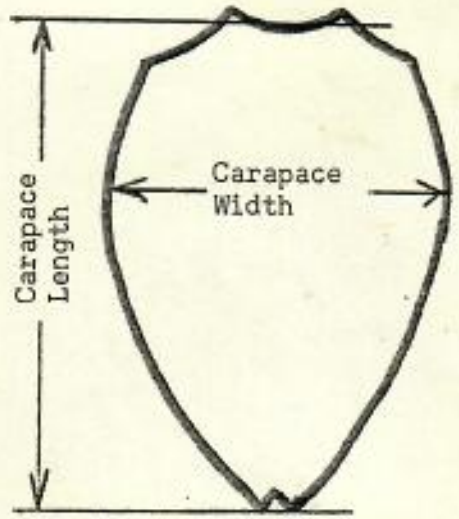
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CARAPACE LENGTH 20 1/2

CARAPACE WIDTH 16"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) \_\_\_\_\_  
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LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 6/13/73  
6/19/73



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

Marine Turtle Tagging Information

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P.O. Box 1346  
Kaneohe, Hawaii 96744

TAG NUMBER 625

CARAPACE LENGTH 38

CARAPACE WIDTH 31

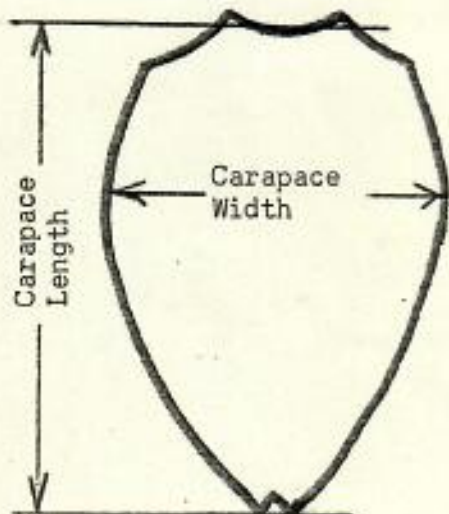
COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) hasing old shell

Very poor shape

- Female - T218 TAG

ALREADY ON

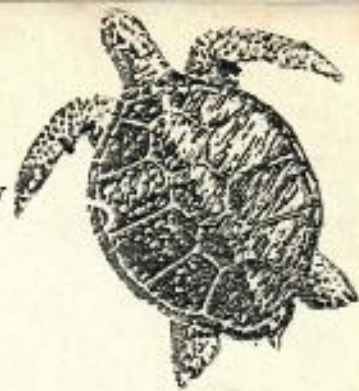
LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 12/9/73



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

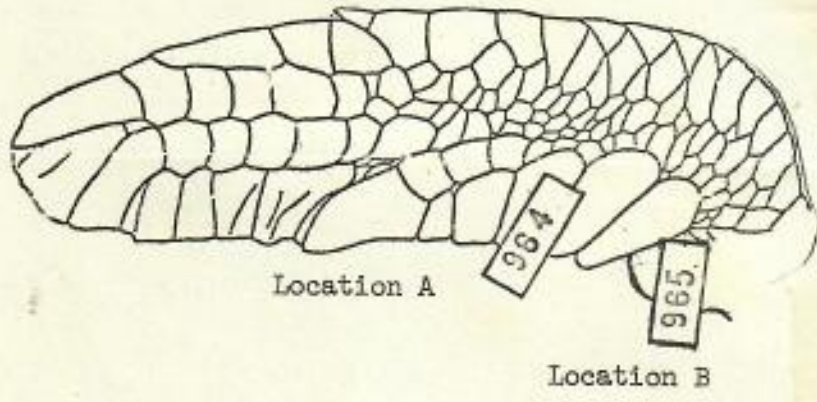
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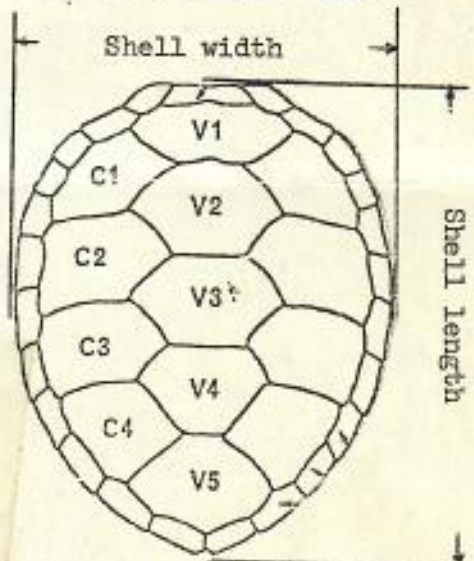


Tagged by: Ron McOmber  
Type of turtle: Green Sea  
Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) 1190  
Previous tag numbers (if present): \_\_\_\_\_  
Curved upper shell measurements: length 19 1/2" width 17"  
Length of tail past end of upper shell: \_\_\_\_\_  
Location and date of capture and release: Caught 5/29/76  
Released 5/30/76 Kaunala pu Harbor

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tags should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.



Top view of upper shell (green and hawkbill)

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Tagged by: Ren McOmber

Type of turtle: Green Sea

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) 1191

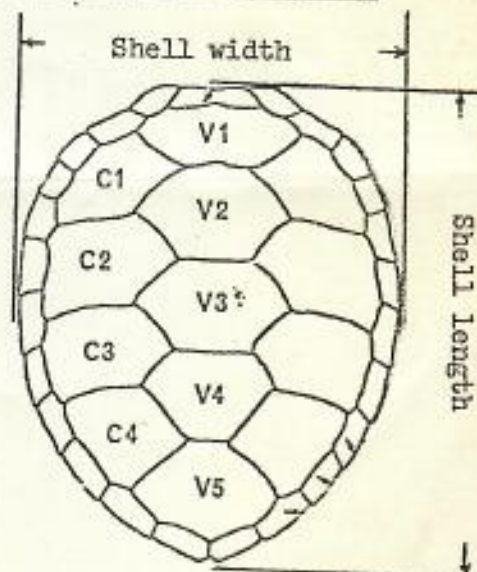
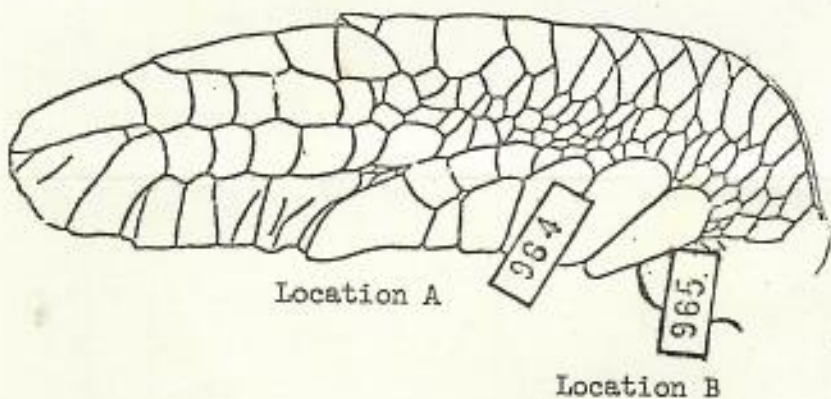
Previous tag numbers (if present): \_\_\_\_\_

Curved upper shell measurements: length 21 1/2" width 19"

Length of tail past end of upper shell: \_\_\_\_\_

Location and date of capture and release: 5/29/76 3 Stones-Lana'i  
5/30/76 Released Kaunalepau Harbor

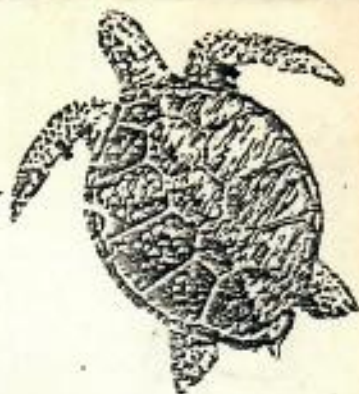
General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_



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Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

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Tagged by: RON McOMBER (LANAI)  
Type of turtle: GREEN SEA  
Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) 1699 location B (right flipper) \_\_\_\_\_  
Previous tag numbers (if present): —

Curved upper shell measurements: length 14 1/2" width 14 1/4"

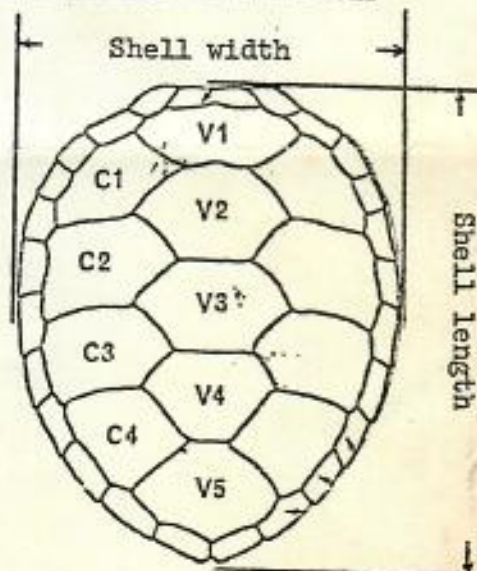
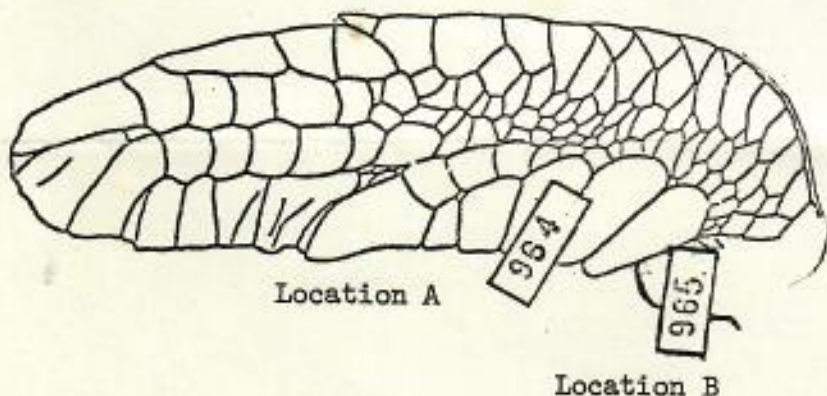
Length of tail past end of upper shell: \_\_\_\_\_

Location and date of capture and release: 2-20-76 South

SHORE LANAI (PIPE LINE) Released 2-21-76  
KAMALAPAA HARBOR

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) GOOD SHAPE, SMALL

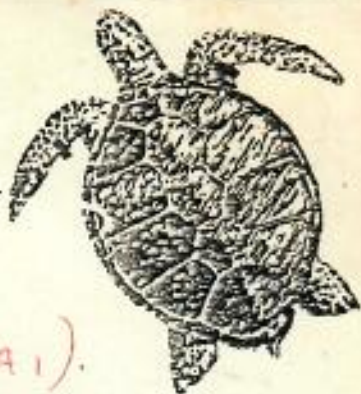
DINGS IN SHELLS



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tags should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

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Tagged by: GENIE COOK (CLUB MAUKAI)

Type of turtle: GREEN

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) 1700 location B (right flipper) \_\_\_\_\_

Previous tag numbers (if present): \_\_\_\_\_

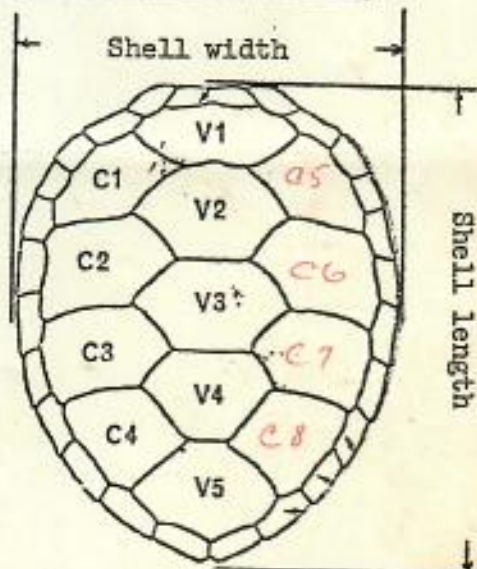
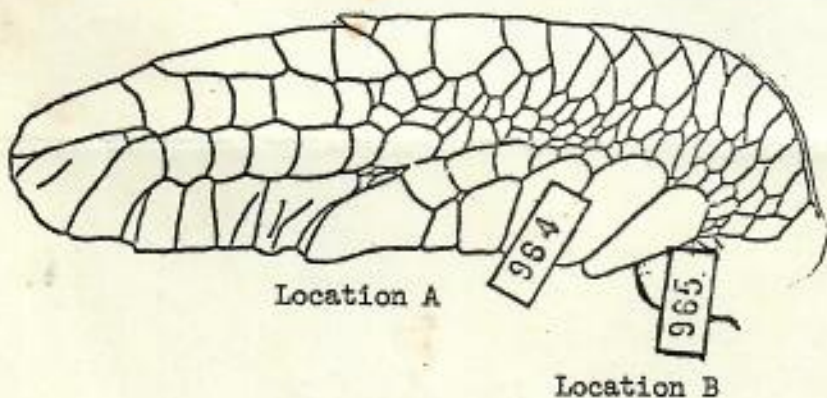
Curved upper shell measurements: length 18 1/2 width 17

Length of tail past end of upper shell: \_\_\_\_\_

Location and date of capture and release: (CAPTURE) 5 PINNACLES LANA'I, HI  
RELEASE KAMAHAMU LANA'I, HI

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.): NO ABNORM GROWTH ON

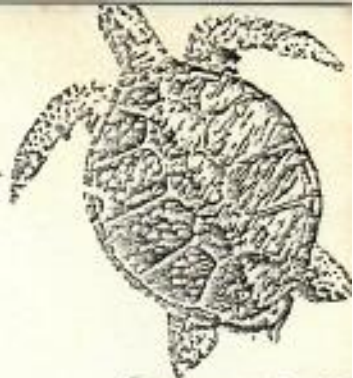
SHELL OR ANIMAL, 1/2" barnacles (gooseweed) on C-4-C5  
and underside



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tags should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

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(SMALL TAG)

Tagged by: RON MCOMBER

Type of turtle: GREEN SEA

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) ~~1701~~ location B (right flipper) 1701

Previous tag numbers (if present): NONE

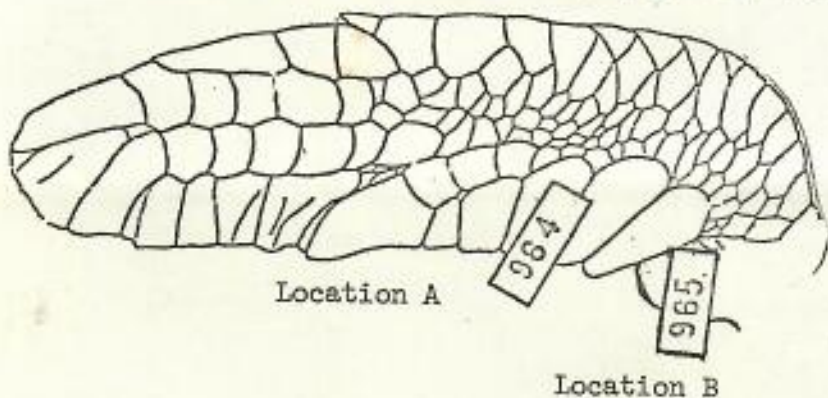
Curved upper shell measurements: length 17" width 15 1/2"

Length of tail past end of upper shell: NONE

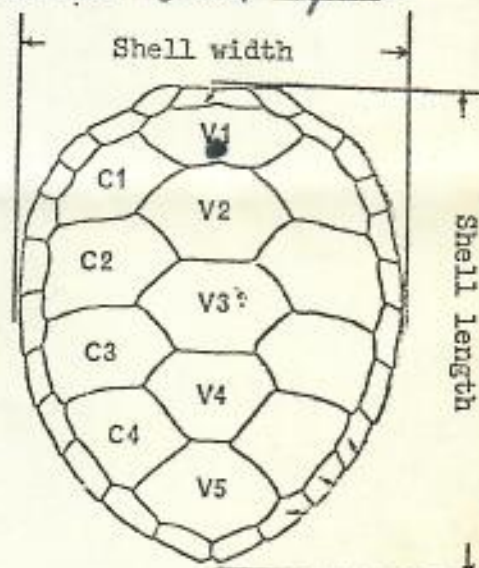
Location and date of capture and release: CAUGHT 12/15/76

RELEASED 12/17/76 = CAUGHT ON SOUTH EAST SHORE AND RELEASED AT KAUMALA PAV HARBOR

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) Shell in GOOD SHAPE EXCEPT FOR ONE HOLE AT V1. HOLE WAS MADE BY NEW DIVER TRYING TO HOLD TURTLE DOWN WHILE GRABING IT. WAS MADE WITH SPEAR



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.



Top view of upper shell (green and hawksbill)



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RETA 66-0

Tagged by:

RON M. OMURA

Type of turtle:

Green SEA

Tag numbers:

location A (left flipper) 709

location

A (right flipper) 628

Previous tag numbers (if present):

12<sup>3/4</sup>

17

7/25/74

Curved upper shell measurements:

length

19"

width

17<sup>1/2</sup>

6/17/75

Length of tail past end of upper shell:

NONE

Location and date of capture and release:

6-17-75

LEFT OF BRIDGE

HARBOR (LANAI)

6-18-75

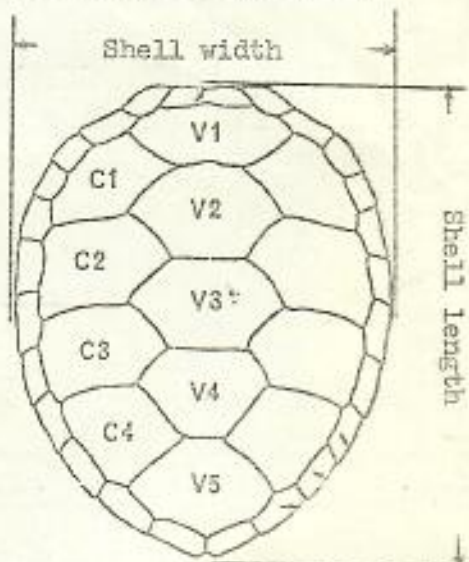
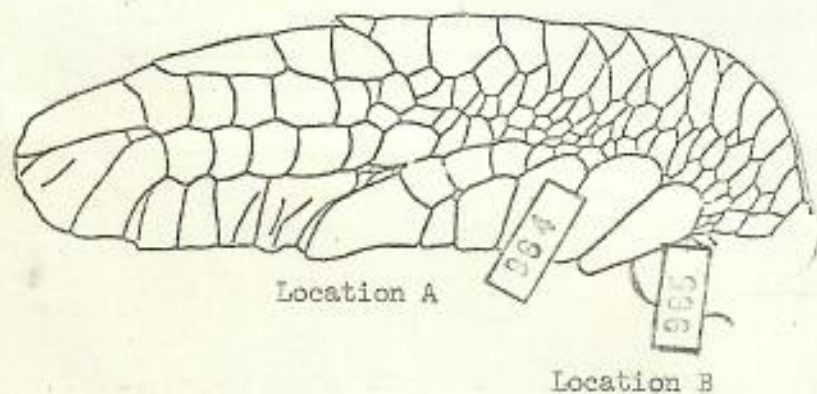
RELEASED AT

PIPE LINE (7 ACRES) LANAI

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.)

SHELL IN GOOD

SHAPE, RIGHT REAR FLIPPER, SMALL  
PIECE MISSING.



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

Ron McOmber  
Green. Sea

length - 18" width - 16 1/2"

No tail

6-22-75 Kaunakapau Harbor

Shell in good condition

Tag # 711 right front flipper



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Tagged by: Ron McOmber

Type of turtle: GREEN SEA

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) 710

Previous tag numbers (if present): NONE

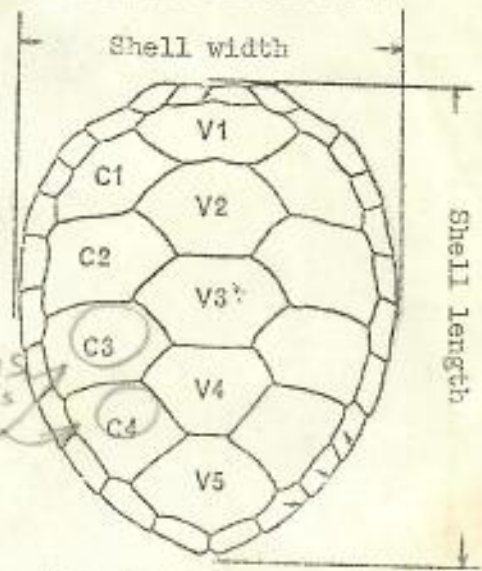
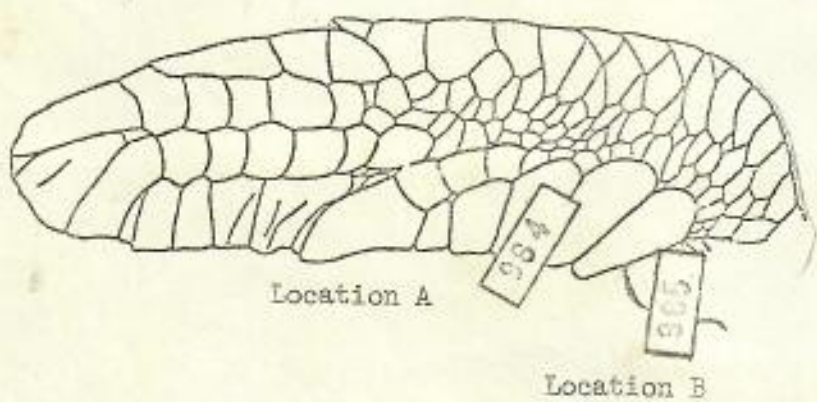
Curved upper shell measurements: length 18" width 15 1/2"

Length of tail past end of upper shell: NONE - TO YOUNG

Location and date of capture and release: 3 STONES - LANAI - 8/7/75

RELEASED AT 3 STONES 8/8/75

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) GOOD SHAPE -



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell (green and hawksbill)

Rom McOmber

Type: Green Sea

Tag # 2168 (Deer Tag.) right front  
flipper

No previous tag

length = 18"

width = 16 1/2"

minor shell

Shark Cave (to right of Harbor)

9/10/75

Kaomalapau Harbor

9/12/75

Ron McOmber

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Green Sea

TAG NUMBER 712 - right front flipper

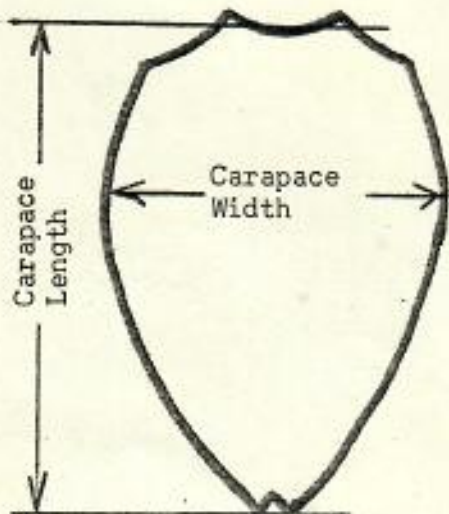
CARAPACE LENGTH 16 1/4"

CARAPACE WIDTH 15"

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) Good shape

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 9/3/75 3 Stones, Lanai

9/4/75 3 Stones, Lanai



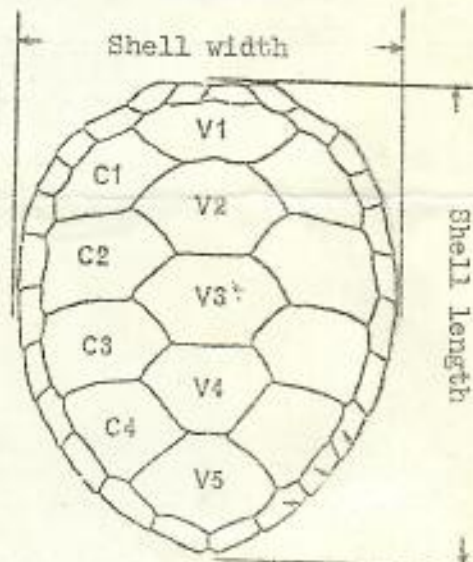
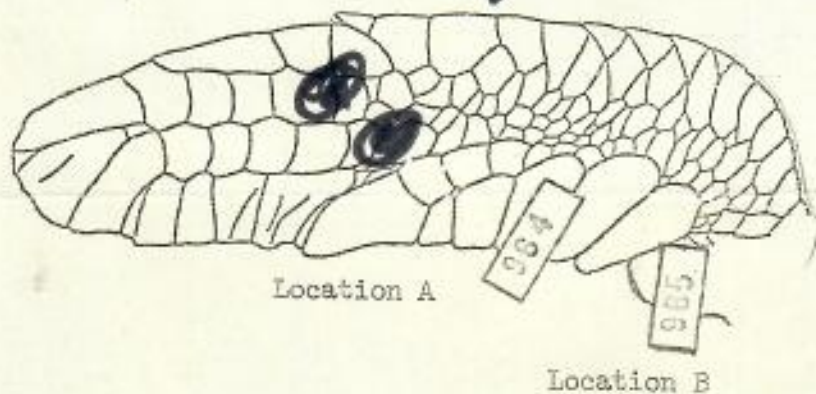
Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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Tagged by: RON MCOMBER (LANAI)  
Type of turtle: GREEN SEA (SUNBURST) #  
Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) 706  
Previous tag numbers (if present): NONE  
Curved upper shell measurements: length 16 1/2 width 15 1/4  
Length of tail past end of upper shell: NONE -

Location and date of capture and release: 5-17-75 - 5-18-75  
LANAI ~~KAUAI~~ KAUMALAPAA HARBOR, RELEASED AT  
SAME LOCATION

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) LEFT FLIPPER HAS  
NEW SKIN MARK ON UPPER AREA - SEE -  
FLIPPER BELOW -



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

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Tagged by: RON McOMBER (LANAI)

Type of turtle: GREEN SEA

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) # 707

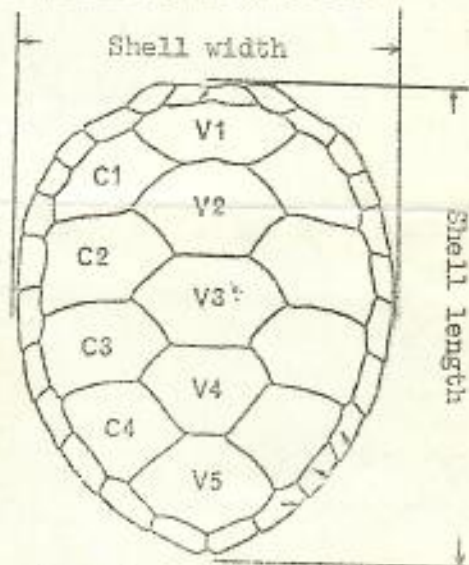
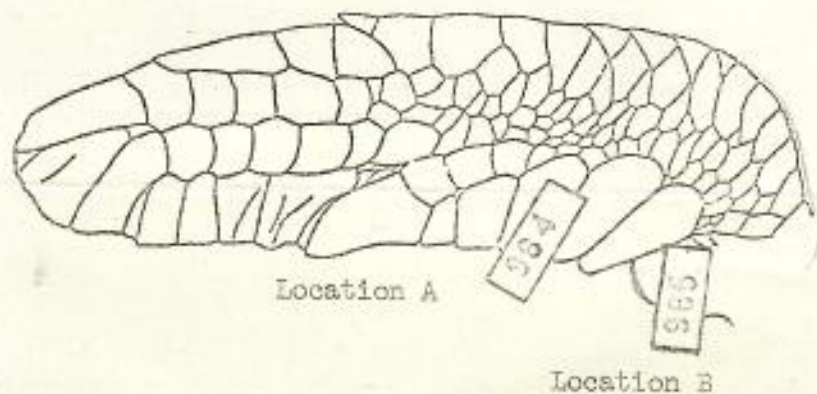
Previous tag numbers (if present): \_\_\_\_\_

Curved upper shell measurements: length 16 3/4 width 19 1/4

Length of tail past end of upper shell: \_\_\_\_\_

Location and date of capture and release: 5-25-75 - LAND SLIDE  
LANAI - 5-26-75 SHARK FINN ROCK -

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) GOOD SHAPE WITH  
NO BAD BREAKS OR CUTS



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)



CLUB  
MANUKAI

Marine Turtle Tagging Data - George H. Ha  
Hawaii Instl  
P. O. Box 13  
Tel. 247-663

P.O. Box 104  
Lanai City, HI 96763

Tagged by: RON MEOMBER

Type of turtle: GREEN SEA

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) 703

Previous tag numbers (if present): WAS TAGGED BEFORE - TAG GONE

Curved upper shell measurements: length 20 3/4" width 19 1/2"

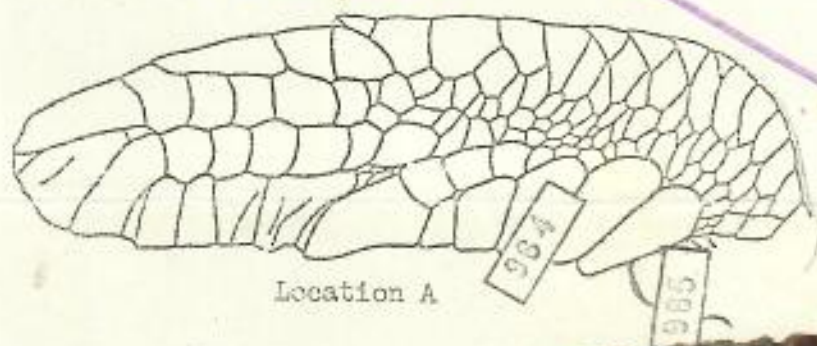
Length of tail past end of upper shell: TO SMALL

Location and date of capture and release: 4-25-75 - 4-26-75

KAMMALAPAK HARBOR (LANAI) CAPTURED &  
RELEASED WITH IN 1000 YARDS OF HARBOR

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors,  
barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) SCR SHELL BELOW FOR  
DAMAGE

LOSING SOME OF ITS SHELL BY  
SCALING



Location A



SHELL CRACKED

Attach tag at location A on left flipper,  
location B on right flipper. Tag should  
extend approximately 3/4 of the way on  
flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A  
should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)



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Tagged by: RON MEMBER (LANAI)

Type of turtle: GREEN SEA (SUN BURST)

Tag numbers: location A (left flipper) \_\_\_\_\_ location B (right flipper) #627

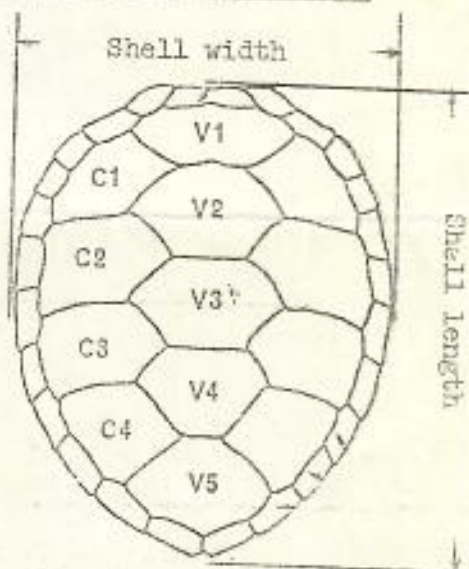
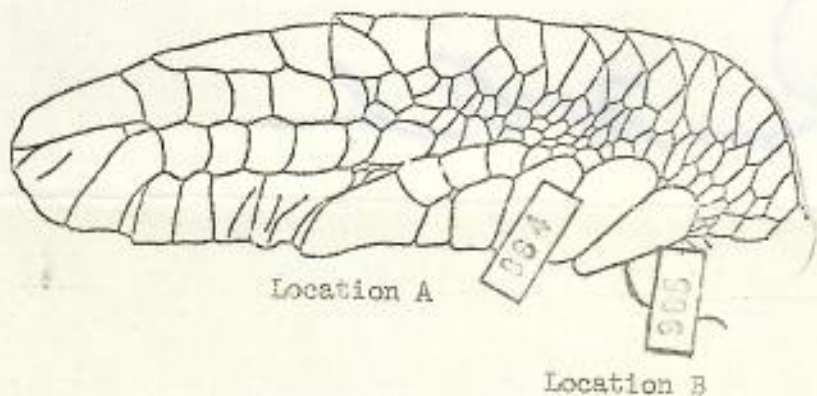
Previous tag numbers (if present): N/A

Curved upper shell measurements: length 15 5/8 width 14 3/4

Length of tail past end of upper shell: TO SMALL - NONE

Location and date of capture and release: SOUTH WEST SHORE  
OF LANAI 2-16-75 RETURNED 2-18-75  
AT SOUTH WEST HARBOR LANAI.

General description of turtle (upper and lower shell colors, injuries, tumors, barnacles, abnormal plate counts, etc.) (OVER)



Attach tag at location A on left flipper, location B on right flipper. Tag should extend approximately 3/4 of the way on flipper, as illustrated. Tag at location A should pierce webbing between scales.

Top view of upper shell  
(green and hawksbill)

This TURTLE WAS SHOT BY A ~~SPEAR~~ SPEAR,  
BY ONE OF OUR LOCAL BOYS. THE SPEAR DID  
NOT GO THROUGH THE WIND PIPE, BUT IT  
DID GO THROUGH THE BREAST PLATE.

WE SEWED UP THE NECK, ON THE LEFT  
SIDE, THE WOUND IS ABOUT 2" LONG.

I KEPT THE TURTLE FOR TWO DAYS  
TO SEE IF IT WAS OK. IT WAS IN  
GOOD SHAPE WHEN WE LET IT GO.

R. M. Osh

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TAG NUMBER 626

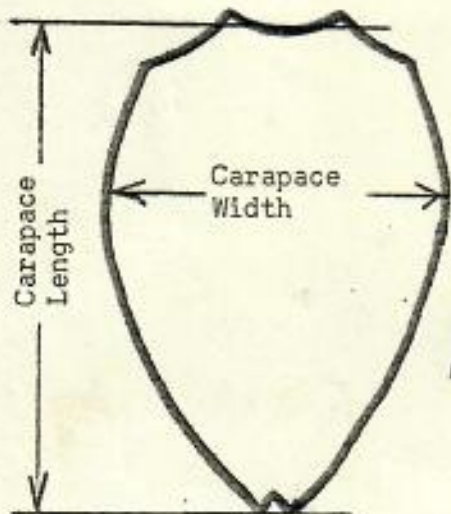
CARAPACE LENGTH 18

CARAPACE WIDTH 17 1/2

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) GREEN SEA -  
GOOD SHAPE

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED 2-10-75 - 2-11-75

KAUMALAPAU HARBOR - Released SAME PLACE



By RON McOMBER  
(HAWAII)

Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

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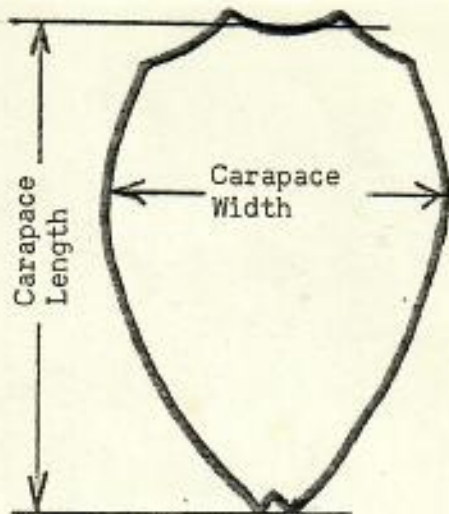
TAG NUMBER 622

CARAPACE LENGTH 19"

CARAPACE WIDTH 16 1/2

COMMENTS ( Color, Injuries, etc. ) Green - Left Rear  
flap missing AT SCANT (OLD LOSS)  
SHELL IN POOR CONDITION.

LOCATION AND DATE CAPTURED AND RELEASED NORTH WEST SHORE LANA'I  
2/1/79 - Released 7/79 KAMAHAPAUA HARBOR



Top View of Turtle Shell (Carapace)

Ron Mcomber



## CLUB MANUKAI

LANAI CITY • LANAI, HAWAII 96763 • PHONE: LANAI (808) 565-7415

George:

Sorry for the late response to your letter. The pine apple season is finally over, and I have more time now -

I have asked some of the sport divers and the ones that dive for money, to keep and eye open for your turtles, but so far no one has reported ~~and~~ any of the little ones yet.

I haven't got any ~~at~~ of the tagging forms left. So I am sending you a list of the turtles I have tagged. Please send me some forms when it is convenient for you.

(over)

hope to see you over here  
some day. I am ready to take you  
looking for turtles.

Haven't see to many lately.  
most of them are small. No big  
ones left around here. See you  
soon.

R

TAG # 1703

19" x 16 1/2"

CAUGHT 1 STONE (LANAI)

RELEASED K. PAU. HARBOR

MARCH - 77

TAG # 1704 - (8/6/77)

19" x 16"

C. NORTH END (LANAI)

R. K. PAU HARBOR

TAG # 1193 - (8/18/77)

18" x 16"

C. 1 STONE (LANAI)

R. K. PAU. HARBOR.

2 Oct-623

CCL 16½      CCW 14  
41.9                      35.6

Shell Good Shape

Togged on Farai by Mcomber  
8/4/73

ci-619

CCL 20½      CCW 16  
52.1                      40.6

Togged on Farai by Mcomber  
6/13/73 - 6/14/73-released

Smith (?) recover 9/14/74 E. Murty

? ♀ CI-621

CCL 25 1/4  
64.1

CCW 19  
48.3

Deformity on Carapace

Togged on Lanai by McAmber  
7/10/73

♀? CI-624

CCL 19 1/2

CCW 15 1/2

49.5

39.4

No growth - clean shell

Togged on Lanai by McAmber  
8/25/73



LANAI

SEA TURTLE SIGHTING REPORT

(Please return to: George H. Balazs;  
Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology;  
P. O. Box 1346; Kaneohe, HI 96744;  
Tel. 247-6631)

Observation made by: STEVEN R. LEE

Address & Tel. No. (optional): 3924 Pili Place Honolulu HI 96816 7374240

Date: 1/8/78 Time: 9:30am Location (indicate

on chart): HALEPALAOA LANDING, LANAI

Observation made from:        shore;

       boat; or while X skin        SCUBA diving.

Estimated size (shell length): 24"

Turtle seen on:        surface; or at depth of

approx. 20 ft. Distinguishing

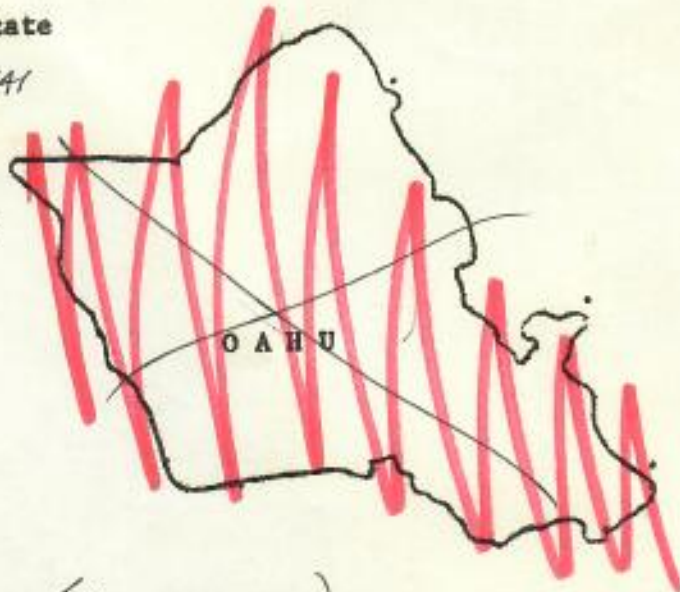
characteristics (species I.D. if known, long

tail, shell color, tags, injuries, etc.):

CHELONIIDAE CHELONIA MYDAS (HONO O KEM)

did get close enough to see anything else (y detail)

Other comments:       



THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

Hi George,  
to late!! I forgot already but I did give you info on that  
turtle over the phone. Seems to me that it was 27" straight line  
& weighed 75lbs. but I cannot be sure. Yes it is a violation  
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Domestic Rate

George Balazs  
992A AWAANA NOA PL,  
HONOLULU, HAWAII  
-96825

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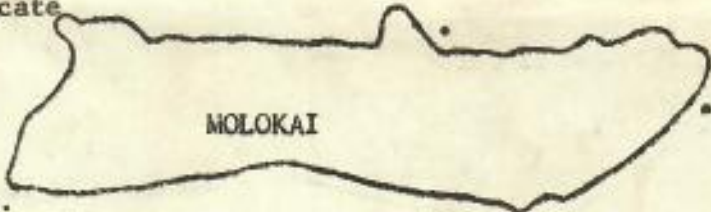
SEA TURTLE SIGHTING REPORT

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P. O. Box 1346; Kaneohe, HI 96744;  
Tel. 247-6631)

Observation made by: Phil Shalins

Address & Tel. No. (optional): 1290 AZO KAPUNA HONO

Date: Jan 8 / 1978 Time: 12:30 Location (indicate  
on chart): \_\_\_\_\_



Observation made from: \_\_\_\_\_ shore;  
 boat; or while  skin  SCUBA diving.

Estimated size (shell length): 35"

Turtle seen on:  surface; or at depth of  
approx. 40 ft. Distinguishing



characteristics (species I. D. if known, long ?  
tail, shell color, tags, injuries, etc):

REGULAR TURTLE (COMMON)

Other comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Observation made by: ALAN KAM

Address & Tel. No. (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Date; MAY 24<sup>th</sup> 1977 Time: 9:00 am Location (indicate

on chart): FIVE NEEDLES, LANAI

Observation made from: Manele Harbor, LANAI shore;

\_\_\_\_\_ boat; or while \_\_\_\_\_ skin W SCUBA diving.

Estimated size (shell length): 20"

Turtle seen on: \_\_\_\_\_ surface; or at depth of

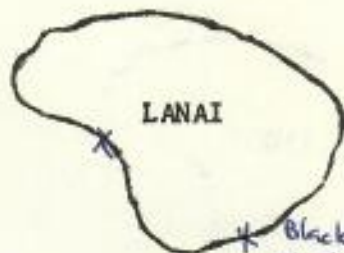
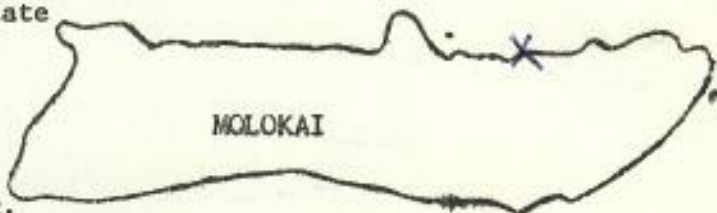
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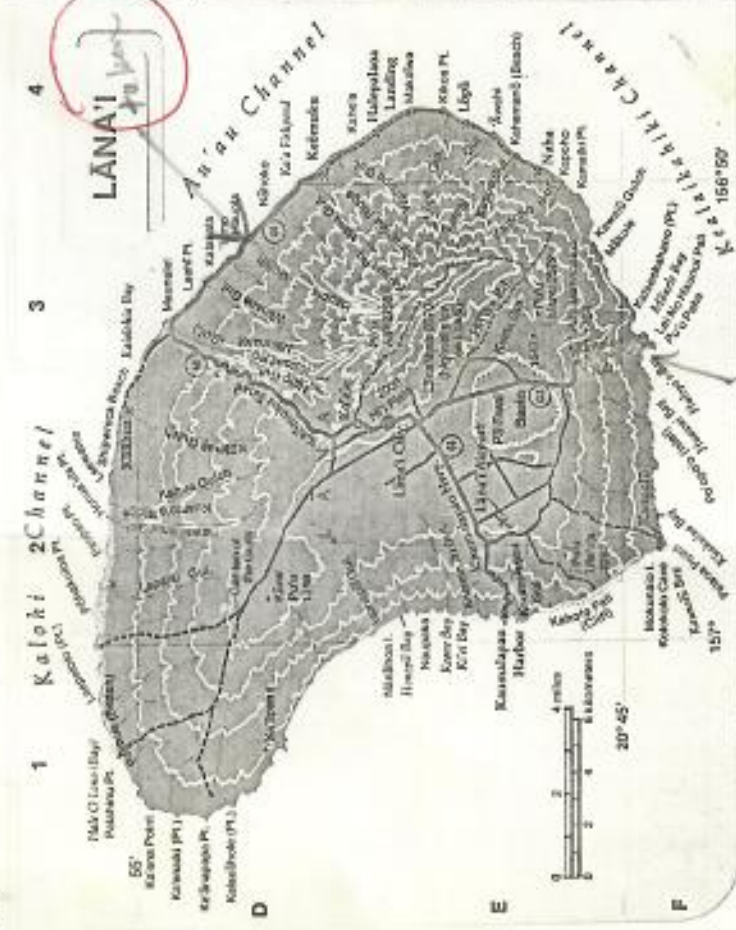
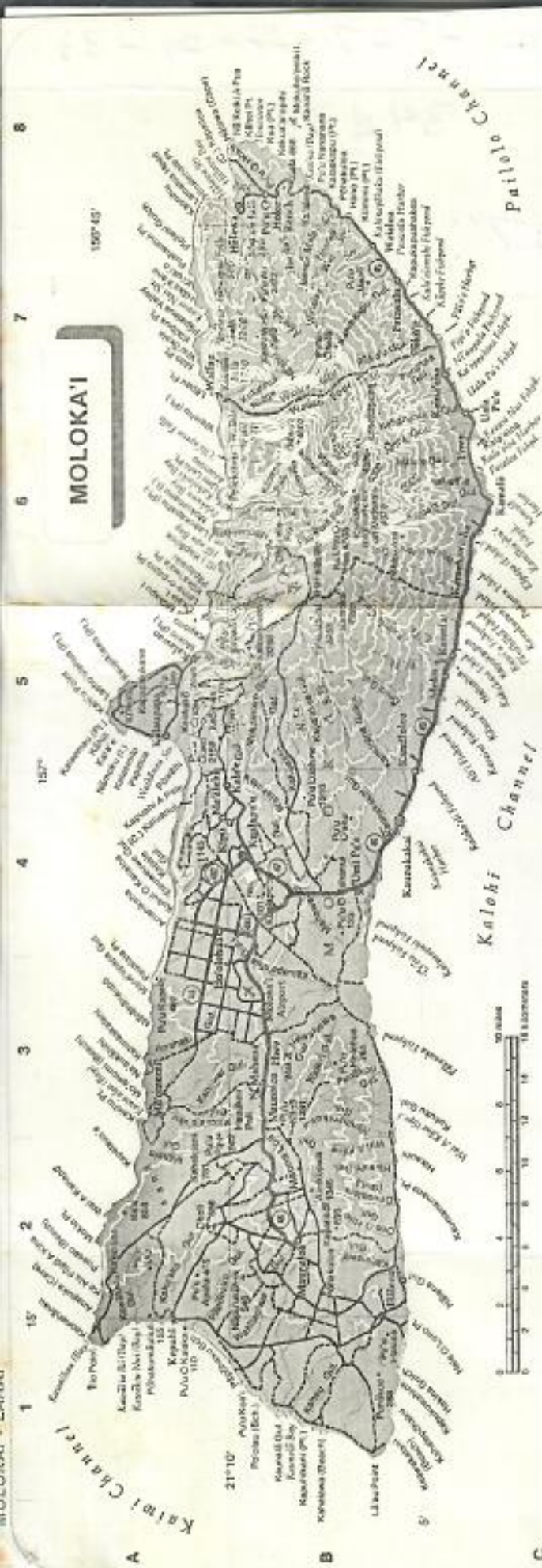
small turtle swimming away from surge zone and away from  
divers

Other comments: \_\_\_\_\_



\* Black Manele Harbor  
sitting in  
harbor of  
small turtle

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TAG 2532

released ←

I would trust your note as

I made no notes on Jentler, but  
just got the info to you ASAD.

We still have days 25 27 - 28 - 29 - 33

34 & 35

This Jentler was 27".

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Tel. 247-6631, 946-2181

Observation made by: Robert KANIHO

Address & Tel. No. (optional): General Delivery Lanai City

Date: 5-14-82 Time: 2400 Location (indicate

on chart): Hauola

Observation made from:  shore;

boat; or while  skin  SCUBA diving

Estimated size (shell length): 40"

Turtle seen on:  surface; or at depth of

approx. \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Distinguishing characteristics (species I.D. if known, long tail, shell color, tags, injuries, tumors, etc)



caught on pole + line + released  
hooked on flipper

Other comments: observer said lots of turtle at  
Auwalua, Lanai.

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Observation made by: Anthony Bondalan

Address & Tel. No. (optional): Lanai City

Date: 3-21-82 Time: sunrise Location (indicate on chart): Maunali

Observation made from: \_\_\_\_\_ shore;

\_\_\_\_\_ boat; or while \_\_\_\_\_ skin \_\_\_\_\_ SCUBA diving

Estimated size (shell length): 30"  
*gill-net fishing (moi moi)*

Turtle seen on: \_\_\_\_\_ surface; or at depth of approx. 2 ft. Distinguishing characteristics (species I.D. if known, long tail, shell color, tags, injuries, tumors, etc)

caught in gill net & released



Other comments: related to Peter Connally by Tony Bondalan while inspecting nets on morning of catch

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Observation made by: Peter Connolly

Address & Tel. No. (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 2-28-82 Time: 8:00 am Location (indicate on chart): Hanalei

Observation made from:  shore;  
 boat; or while  skin  SCUBA diving

Estimated size (shell length): 20"

Turtle seen on:  surface; or at depth of approx. \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Distinguishing characteristics (species I.D. if known, long tail, shell color, tags, injuries, tumors, etc)

dead turtle found in shoreline keawe at high water mark

Other comments: no visible signs of cause of death - no dismemberment probably gill net kill



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Observation made by: Pete Connally

Address & Tel. No. (optional): Box 1 Lanai City 565242

Date: 5-15-82 Time: 1200 Location (indicate on chart): Maunalei

Observation made from:  shore;  
 boat; or while  skin  SCUBA diving

Estimated size (shell length): 26

Turtle seen on:  surface; or at depth of approx.        ft. Distinguishing

characteristics (species I.D. if known, long tail, shell color, tags, injuries, tumors, etc)

dead turtle on beach - no sign of cause of death - advance decay + maggots - no tag

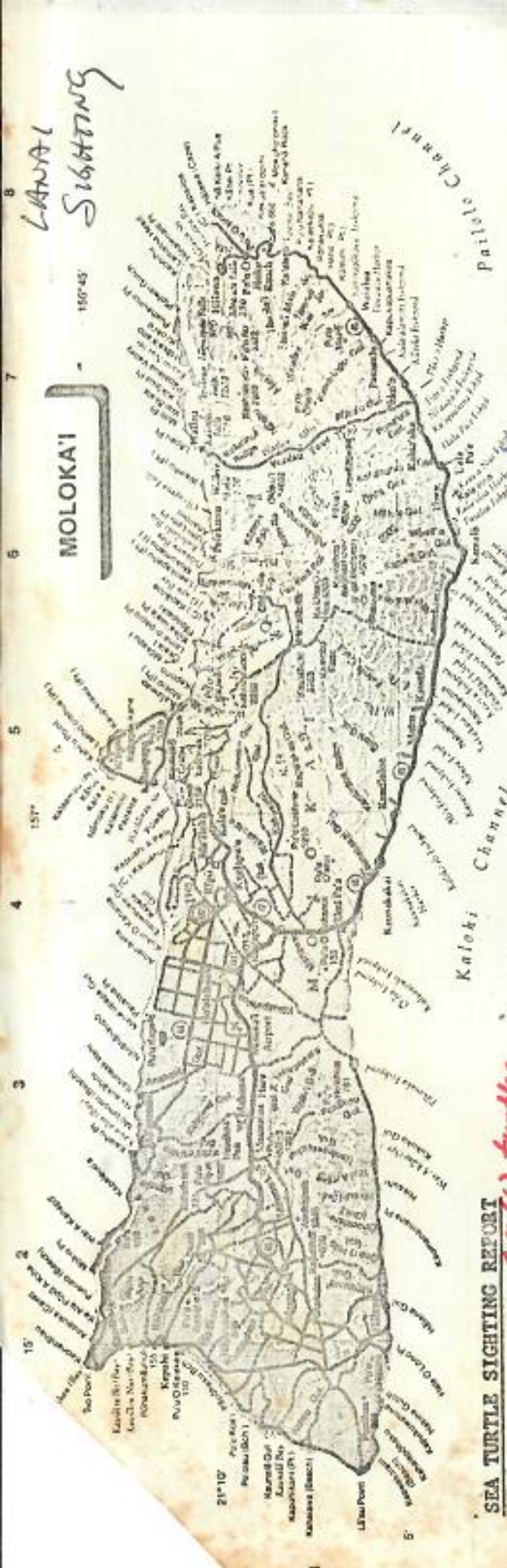
Other comments: probably gill net kill



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LANAI SIGHTING

SEA TURTLE SIGHTING REPORT

Thank you for your cooperation <sup>4</sup> **SIX (6) turtles seen in this area**

Observation made by Leroy Hollana Date 10-28-87 Time 11 AM

Address & Tel. No. (optional) DNR - Molokai

Location (indicate on chart) Lanai

Observation made from: shore  
 boat; or while  skin  
 SCUBA diving.

Estimated size (shell length) 30" to 48"

Turtle seen on:  surface; or at depth of approx. 20 ft.

Distinguishing characteristics (species I.D. if known, long tail, shell color, tags, injuries, etc.):

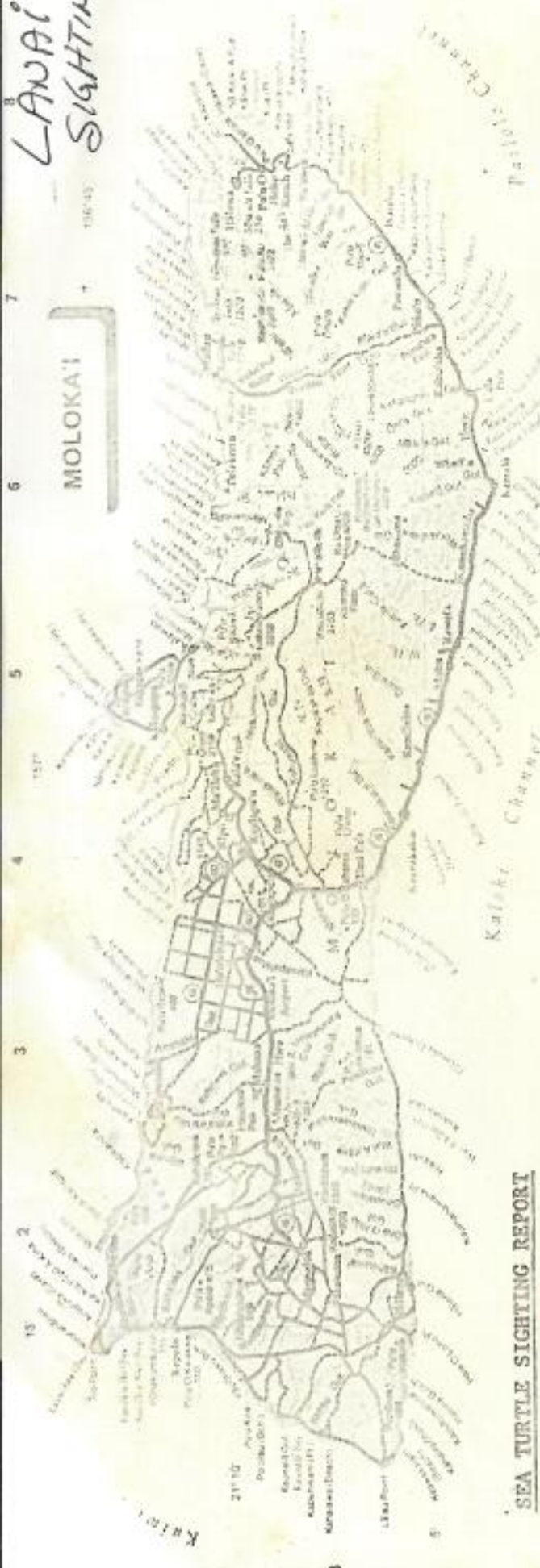
Other comments: Some were at the surface breathing and some were sleeping on the bottom



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LANAI SIGHTING

MOLOKAI



SEA TURTLE SIGHTING REPORT

Thank you for your cooperation

Observation made by EO HIRANI Date Jan 29 1983 Time



Address & Tel. No. (optional) \_\_\_\_\_  
Location (indicate on chart) Just outside LANAI LIGHTHOUSE

Observation made from: \_\_\_\_\_ shore;  
\_\_\_\_\_ boat; or while  skin  
\_\_\_\_\_ SCUBA diving.

Estimated size (shell length) 36"

Turtle seen on: \_\_\_\_\_ surface; or at depth  
of approx. N ft.

Distinguishing characteristics (species  
I.D. if known, long tail, shell color,  
tags, injuries, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Other comments: Sleeping on Bottom

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