# RECENT ICEBERG GROUNDINGS AND SCOURS ON THE GRAND BANKS OF NEWFOUNDLAND

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#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Iceberg keel-dragging along the seabed of the Grand Banks of Newfoundland has implications for burial depths of pipelines and wellheads. Obviously, burial depth should exceed the expected depth of scours and prior knowledge of the rate of scouring is essential for determining the probability that icebergs will scour in the area of concern.

This study was conducted to determine the recent rate of scouring on the Grand Banks. Analysis of the iceberg drift track data sets collected by Mobil Oil, Petro-Canada and Husky Oil East Coast Project from 1983 to 1989 indicates that a total of 27 large icebergs experienced 44 definite groundings in water depths from 72 to 150m. The derived scour rate for definite groundings is 0.020 scours/100 square kilometers-year. Multiple groundings account for 27 of the 44 groundings (61%), and these occurred in progressively shallower water. Twenty-one of the 44 groundings occurred in water depths of 100m and greater. Definite groundings were defined to occur when 24 hours of stationarity was observed in water depths less than 200m. The scour rate derived from this analysis should be considered as a minimum because possible groundings were noted for other icebergs in the iceberg drift track data sets. Possible groundings were identified from the same data sets in a related study in which 21 possible groundings were identified for 20 icebergs. Based on the 44 definite groundings and the 21 possible groundings, a more realistic rate of scouring can be calculated to be 0.030 scours/100 square kilometers-year for the 1983 to 1989 period.

This information is relevant for the Hibernia area and should be of interest to companies planning to install pipelines and wellheads. The depths and widths of recent scours left on the seabed by the identified icebergs can now be measured through sonar surveys because the location of each scour scour track or grounded position has been identified.

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#### SUMMARY

Atlantic Geosciences Centre (AGC) is presently engaged in studies of the regional distribution of iceberg scours, and the frequency and extent of sediment deformation by iceberg scouring on the eastern Canadian continental margin, including the northern Grand This study complements the AGC study by Banks of Newfoundland. providing information leading to case histories of iceberg groundings under known conditions for later comparison with and interpretation of the general population of iceberg scours on the Such examples of groundings in which (1) the iceberg, (2) the environmental conditions and (3) the seabed disruption are all known are extremely rare (possibly only 1 or 2 other cases are known for the Grand Banks). Yet such case histories form the basis for interpreting or calibrating the vast majority of scour marks observable on the seabed of the Bank at present. This study has identified (1) and (2) for 44 recent grounding events by 27 icebergs; the seabed disruptions (3 above) require mapping in future survey as was done successfully by Husky Oil under the authors direction for one inferred 1988 iceberg grounding. Another more recent scouring event, identified in this study, was mapped by AGC in May, 1989. In addition to providing a knowledge of scour case histories, this study reveals environmental circumstances and the proportion (hence probability) of iceberg groundings on the Grand Banks. probabilities are helpful parameters for constraining estimates of the frequency of iceberg scouring on the Grand Banks as a function of the flux of icebergs during the iceberg season which commences in February or March and ends in June.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The Atlantic Geosciences Centre (AGC) has identified seabed scouring as a topic for research. Surveys on the Grand Banks have disclosed an inferred record of former iceberg scouring events on the seabed in the form of furrows and pits (iceberg scours). It was considered essential to augment this record by documenting new scours related to observed iceberg groundings. In addition, it was considered important to gather as much information as possible concerning the icebergs themselves and their drift tracks prior to and after grounding as well as information on wind conditions and current conditions associated with incursions of icebergs onto the Grand Banks. The ability to document actual cases of groundings has been limited in the past by a severe lack of an extensive data base of relevant iceberg drift tracks. Fortunately, unique iceberg drift data sets have become available, thanks to efforts by oil companies drilling for oil on the Grand Banks in the period 1983 to 1989. Mobil Oil collected and documented iceberg drift tracks in 1983 and 1984 and Petro-Canada tracked and documented icebergs in 1984 and Husky Oil East Coast Operations collected and thoroughly 1985. documented iceberg drift tracks during the period 1983 to 1989. The Husky data set consists of 454 drift tracks, data summaries and wind data. In addition, the data sets provide information on the advance and retreat of packice as documented by ice reconnaissance flights. In 1988, the occurrence of an iceberg grounding documented by Husky Oil came to the attention of AGC, and AGC subsequently participated in a scour survey conducted by Husky Oil. The new inferred scour on the seabed was readily

documented by side-scan sonar and it was considered prudent by AGC to attempt to identify more new scours by searching through existing iceberg drift data sets. It was known at the time, that other icebergs in the data sets had experienced extensive periods Consequently, AGC contracted the author to of zero drift. conduct a search through the available iceberg drift data sets with a view to identifying as many grounding/scouring events as possible. There was also a requirement to document wind conditions associated with scouring events and to infer the probability of occurrence of grounding as a function of iceberg Information on currents close to icebergs were population. generally not available as measurements were usually only made at well sites and drilling locations. This report documents the iceberg groundings inferred from stationarity of large icebergs on the Grand Banks extracted from the iceberg drift track data sets. A similar approach was taken by El Tahan et al (1985) in documenting grounded icebergs in the vicinity of drill rigs off In this study, criteria are established for assessing free drift, keel dragging and grounding. Data search procedures are presented along with the results of the search. A total of 27 icebergs are inferred to have grounded a total of 44 times, partly through multiple groundings in progressively shallower water depths. Information on iceberg population is used to reach conclusions regarding the percentage of icebergs which transgress onto the Grand Banks and the rate of scouring. histories of new scours presented in this report can be used for later comparison with and interpretation of the annual generation of scours on the seabed of the Grand Banks.

### 2. THE DATA BASE

Part of the data base used in this study was collected by Husky Oil East Coast Operations during 1984 to 1988 inclusively. Husky Oil collected the data set while drilling on the Grand Banks and kindly agreed to make the data available to AGC as part of a cooperative scour survey project conducted in July, 1988. Husky Oil also collected iceberg data in 1989 on behalf of Texaco Canada Ltd. The data are described in sections 2.2 to 2.8. In addition to the Husky Oil data, iceberg drift data collected by Petro-Canada and Mobil Oil in 1983, 1984 and 1985 is included. These data are described in section 2.9 and 2.10.

2.1 Husky Oil operations area and periods of operation.

Drilling operations were conducted by Husky Oil on the Grand Banks of Newfoundland (Fig. 2.1). Attempts were made to drill on a year-round basis but owing to the presence of packice and icebergs and requirements for refits, operations were interrupted during some of the packice seasons (March and April) and occasionally by icebergs. Drill site occupancy period for the first six months of each year are presented in Tables 2.1 and 2.2.

1984: Drilling proceeded uninterrupted from Feb. 25 to June 12 which indicates that surveillance for icebergs and packice was ongoing through the period.

1985: In 1985, there was a disruption in drilling operations due to packice from early February to April 20 with a few days of rig-on-site at the end of March. Despite the absence of rigs, it

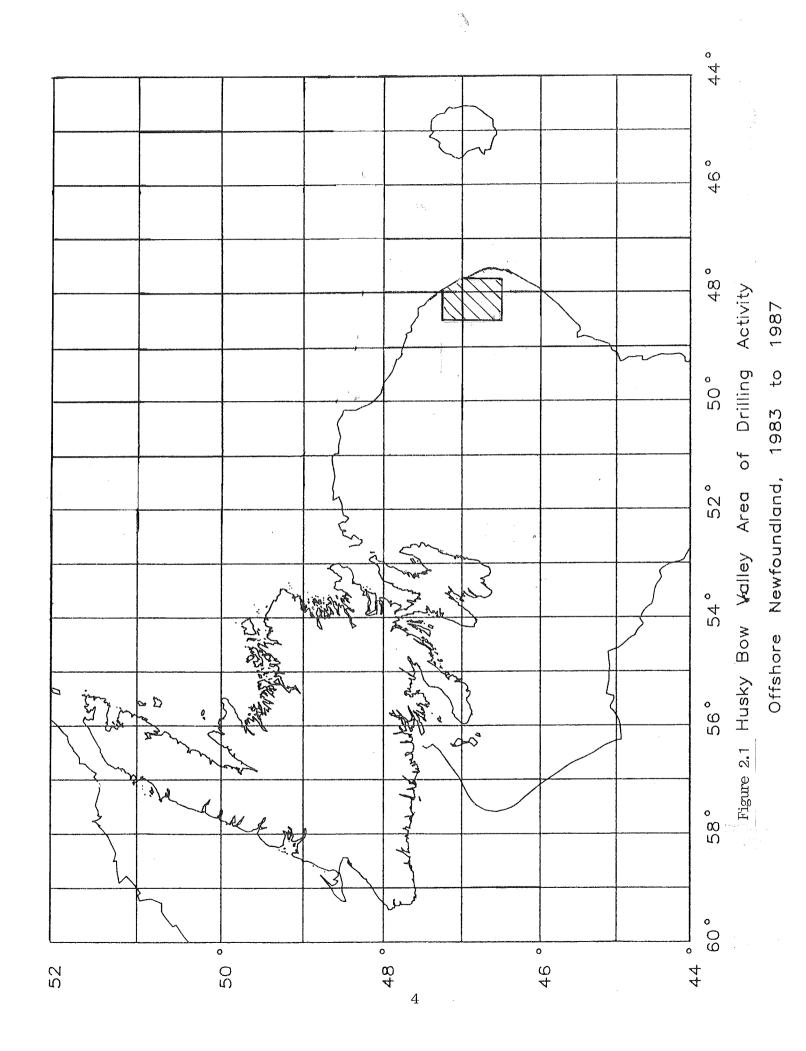
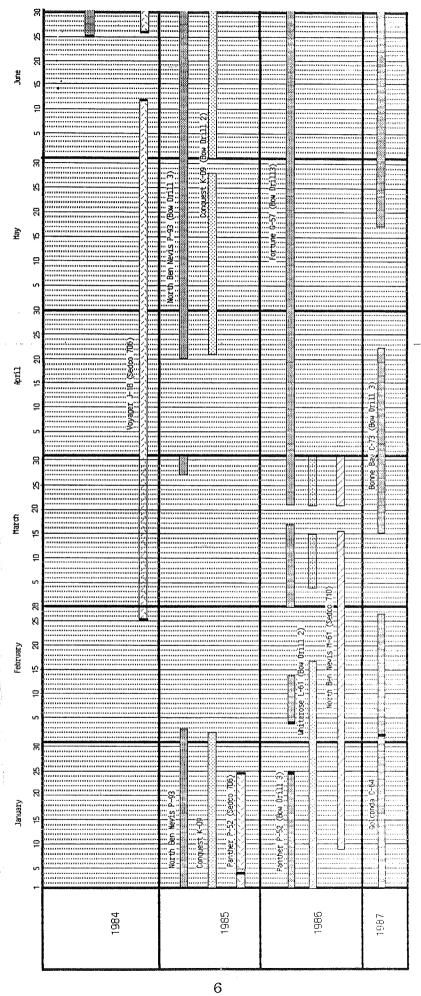


TABLE 2.1 Husky Bow Valley East Coast Project wellsite listing (1984 to 1987)

			Observation Pe	riod(s) Covered		
Wellsite Name	Wellsite Co-ordinates	Rig Name	Start Time (GMT)	End Time (GMT)		
Voyager J-18	46°27'32.50"N 48°17'00.49"W		0300 Feb.25/84	0300 Jun.12/84		
Archer K-19	46°38'43.17"N 48°02'18.42"W		1200 Jun.25/84	0600 Dec.16/84		
Whiterose N-22	46°51'47.99"N 48°03'56.51"W		1500 Jun.26/84	1800 Jan.05/85		
Conquest K-09	47°08'34.68"N 48°15'45.08"W	Bow Drill 2	1200 Nov.12/84 0300 Apr.21/85 1500 May 30/85	1500 Feb.02/85 0600 May 28/85 2100 Jul.26/85		
North Ben Nevis P-93	46°42'48.10"N 48°28'34.24"W	Bow Drill 3	1800 Dec.16/84 1500 Mar.27/85 1200 Apr.21/85	2100 Mar.31/85		
Panther P-52	47°01'53.37"N 47°37'43.83"W	Sedco 706	2100 Jan.05/85	1800 Jan. 25/85		
Whiterose J-49	46°48'31.30"N 48°06'27.51"W	Bow Drill 2	0300 Jul.27/85	0900 Dec.12/85		
Panther P-52 re-entry	47°01'53.37"N 47°37'43.80"W	Bow Drill 3	0000 Nov.03/85	0000 Jan.31/86		
Whiterose L-61	46°50'34.12"N 48°10'28.34"W	Bow Drill 2	1200 Dec.12/85 0300 Mar.04/86 1500 Mar.21/86	1200 Mar. 15/86		
North Ben Nevis M-61	46°40'53.57"N 48°25'18.60"W	Sedco 710	1500 Jan.09/86	2100 Mar.31/86		
Fortune G-57	46°36'18.90"N 48°08'02.21"W	Bow Drill 3	2100 Feb.04/86 1800 Mar.01/86	0300 Feb.14/86 1500 Sep.09/86		
Whiterose L-61 re-entry	46°50'34.12"N 48°10'28.34"W	Bow Drill 2	0000 Sep.10/86	1200 Oct.04/86		
Golconda C-64	46°53'11.62"N 47°39'56.54"W	Bow Drill 3	0600 Oct.05/86	0600 Feb.02/87		
Bonne Bay C-73	46°32'10.74"N 48°11'30.51"W	1	0000 Feb.03/87 0000 Mar.16/87 1800 Jun.18/87	1200 Apr. 23/87		
North Ben Nevis M-61 re-entry	46°40'53.57"N 48°25'18.60"W	Bow Drill 3	0900 Jul.18/87	0300 Aug.18/87		



Summary of Husky Bow Valley East Coast Project wellsite occupancy for January to July (1984 to 1987) TABLE 2.2

is obvious from the ice reconnaissance maps in Appendix B that a serious effort was made to monitor icebergs and five grounded icebergs were monitored by Husky Oil. One iceberg was monitored by the Bedford Institute of Oceanography, and one was monitored by Petro-Canada.

1986: During early 1986, drilling proceeded at three locations with few interruptions. During April and May, drilling proceeded uninterrupted and no icebergs were inferred to be grounded.

1987: In 1987, drilling operations were interrupted from April 22 to May 17. The main packice remained inshore and ice reconnaissance maps indicate very few icebergs were monitored and one was inferred to be grounded.

1988: Drilling was interrupted from February 23 to April 20, but vigilant monitoring of icebergs was undertaken, especially during April when four icebergs were inferred to be grounded.

1989: Drilling operations continued basically uninterrupted except for time lost when iceberg 001 grounded. A total of 2 icebergs were observed to be grounded in March.

Discussions with Mr. Tom Murphy of Husky Oil (personal comm., 1989) indicate that 4 levels of surveillance were used to ensure a high level of confidence that all bergs were detected and tracked in the north-west quadrant out to about 100 nm from the northern-most rig operating on the Grand Banks. The first level of surveillance was provided by Side-Looking Aperture Radar (SLAR) observations made by Atmospheric Environment Service (AES) ice flights. Husky had direct access to AES's computer and was able to plot AES-detected icebergs within 1 hour of data being logged on the AES computer. This information on the large-

scale distribution of icebergs was used as a guide in the deployment of radar-equipped aircraft from St. John's. equipped aircraft were used during 1984 and 1985, and Litton search radars were used thereafter. The site-specific iceberg surveillance constituted the second level of surveillance and the flights flown in the period are listed in Table 6.1. Flights were made as often as every second day. Since the general drift of icebergs is from the north-west, most ice reconnaissance flights were concentrated in the north to west quadrant out to a The third level of distance of about 100 nautical miles. surveillance was provided by supply vessels conducting ice sweeps or standing by selected bergs or towing. The final level of surveillance was provided by radar surveillance from the drill rigs which allowed continuous coverage. All iceberg and packice data were collected and analyzed in Husky's ice data management office in St. John's and Husky had confidence that all icebergs in the north to west quadrant were detected. Radar surveillance and ice sweeps by supply vessels plus aerial ice reconnaissance also ensured a 100% confidence level that all icebergs within 30 nautical miles were being tracked.

## 2.2 Sample iceberg data

Iceberg data were collected by Husky Oil supply vessels and aircraft ice reconnaissance and by radar from the rigs. The data consists of:

- \* individual iceberg data listings (see sample data listing Table 2.3)
- \* individual drift track plots (see sample plot Fig. 2.2)
- \* collective drift track plots (see sample plot Fig. 2.3)
- \* summary of tracked icebergs (sample is presented in Table 2.4)

  Individual iceberg data listings provide tracking information for each iceberg and includes for each observation the following information:
- \* Date of observation
- \* Time of observation (Local Time)
- \* Range of iceberg from wellsite (n.mi.)
- \* Bearing of iceberg from wellsite (°True)
- \* Latitude of iceberg position (deg. min)
- \* Longitude of iceberg position (deg. min)
- \* Radio call sign of data source, see listing of call signs (Table 2.5) for individual vessel names or sources.
- \* Rig T-time at time of iceberg position (hours)
  (This is the time required for a rig to pull up and be underway
  from a drilling situation)
- \* Drift speed of iceberg (knots)
- \* Course to which iceberg was drifting (°True)
- \* Elapsed time from start of observation for this iceberg in hours (E.T.)
- \* Elapsed distance or length of iceberg's trajectory in n.mi. (E.D.)
- \* Maximum Detection Range (MDR); i.e., the maximum range (in n. mi.) at which the iceberg was detected and its position recorded.
- \* Number of observations of iceberg position recorded.
- \* Whether the iceberg was being towed at the time of observation, indicated [T] if towed by synthetic line; [P] if propwashed; [N] if being towed with a net; [c] if deflected by water cannon or [O] if another method was used. Note that these indicators do not necessarily mark the exact start and end

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Note: Iceberg dimensions are in meters and

the mass is given in tonnes

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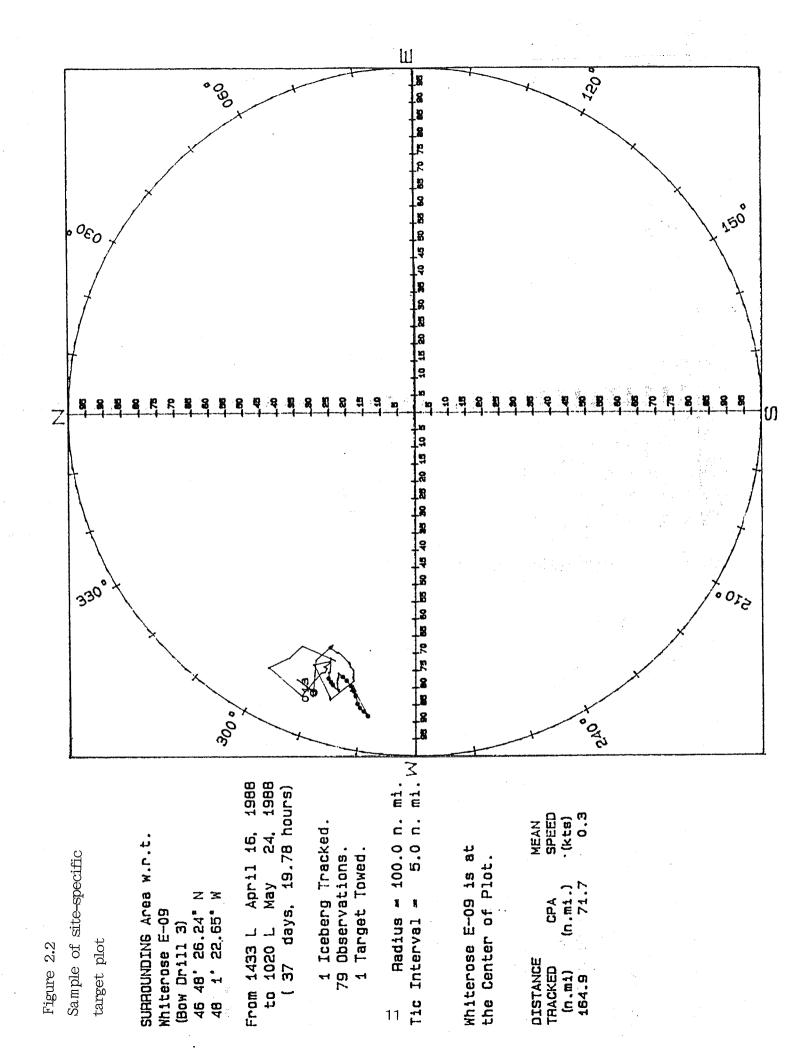
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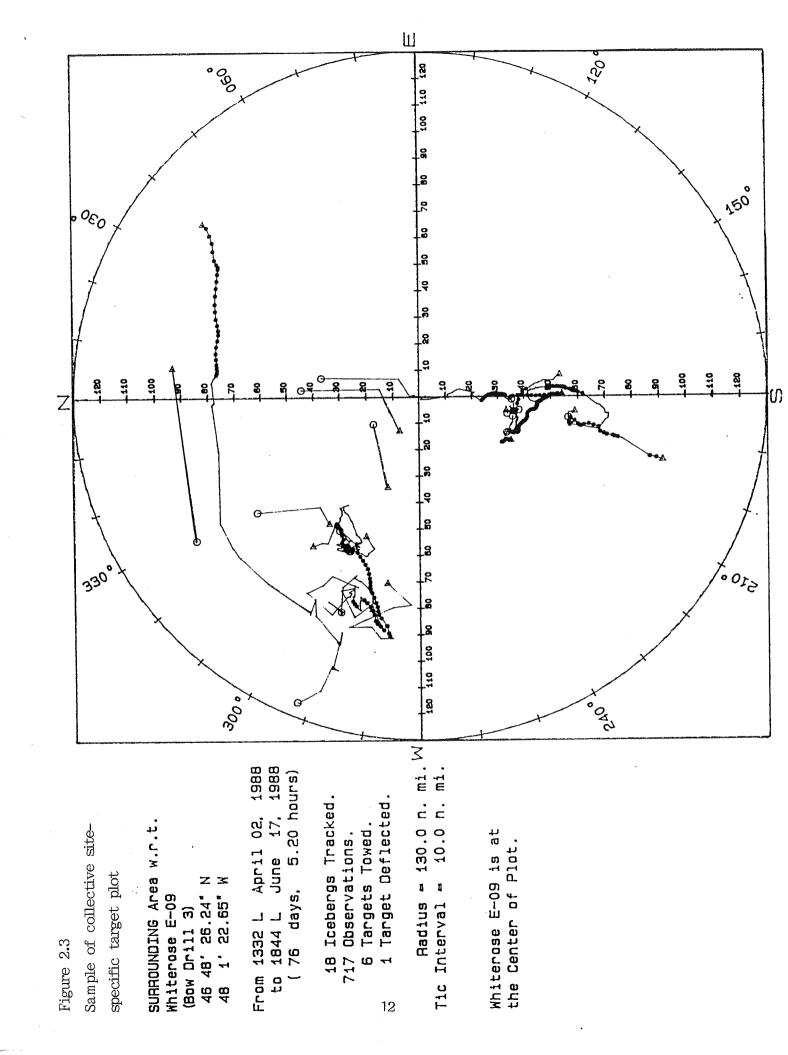


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MB = medium berg, LB = large berg, SB = small berg, DDK = drydock berg, WDG = wedge shaped berg, PNC = pinnacled berg, TAB = tabular berg, E = estimated, M = measured and C = calculated LEGEND:

Table 2.5 Alphabetical Listing of Call Signs and Data Sources

AES Atmospheric Environment Service

CCGS Canadian Coast Guard Ships

GPCD Atlantic Airways King Air B200 Aircraft

IIP International Ice Patrol

QKK Sealand Helicopter

SLE Sealand Helicopter

VO2329 M/V Triumph Sea

VCBQ M/V Arctic Shiko

VCYQ M/V Maersk Placentia

VCYS M/V Maersk Gabarus

VOGF M/V Acadian Gale

VSBC4 MODU Bow Drill 3

VXJG M/V Maersk Bonavista

VXJK Maersk Chignecto

All else are ships of opportunity

times of tows, as observations of an iceberg's position may not have been made at these start and end times.

- \* Tow heading (°T)
- \* Tow force applied by the vessel shown in tonnes, calculated by the percentage of power used (i.e. 100% pitch = 135 tonnes bollard pull) represented as E135.

Underneath each complete listing of iceberg observations is a summary giving the date, time, range and bearing of the iceberg's closest-point-of-approach (CPA), the minimum, maximum and mean drift speeds (in knots) of the iceberg, and the total number of observations or positions recorded for that iceberg. Where only one observation was made for a given iceberg, speed calculations are not applicable and are therefore not printed. Iceberg dimensions at the top of Table 2.3 are given in meters.

### 2.3 Sample wind data

Wind data were collected onboard each rig and reported to Husky 0il base in St. John's on an hourly basis. Winds were measured by anemometer situated some 75m above the waterline. At the end of each well, wind data were compiled as shown in Table 2.6. The data acquisition starts when the rig is on location. In the case of April 1988, the rig was off location until April 20 but wind data are needed for the drift and grounding of iceberg 001/1988 on April 12 and 13. Therefore, wind data were extracted from Surface Analysis plots compiled for April, 1988 by the Maritime Weather Centre. These data are presented in Table 2.7. Both sources of wind data are utilized in describing wind conditions

## DAY/HOUR MATRIX OF SELECTED HOURLY DATA FOR Whiterose E-09 - MAY 1988

### WIND SPEED/DIRECTION (kts/!T)

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TYPE OF ANEMOMETER: WEATHER MEASURE W102

ELEV. 76.2 m 46-48-26 N 48-01-23 W TIME (GMT) 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 19 20 5 7 8 18 21 22 23 DAY 2 3 04 05 38 25 09 07 12 08 12 10 08 04 26 29 42 40 33 34 30 34 20 11 26 36 1 SW Ε Ε SE S SSW USU WSW WSW SM SW WSW WSW SW Ε E Ε Ε Ε Ε Ε ENE ENE ENE 25 25 27 30 23 25 30 28 30 28 26 24 07 07 10 15 19 22 2 04 05 05 05 03 06 NE Su u u NJ NJ N Ν NNE NNE NE NE NE NE 32 35 35 37 37 36 23 23 24 33 3 31 27 30 27 27 27 26 23 25 22 23 20 20 26 Ε ESE ENE ENE Ε ENE Ε Ε Ε Ε Ε Ε ENE ENE ENE ENE NE NE NE ENE NE NE NE NE 27 23 23 25 27 25 28 28 09 17 26 31 37 25 26 31 26 20 11 16 20 36 32 16 S SSW SSU SSU SW SU SSW SSW SSW SSE SSE S SSW S SSM S S **ESE ESE** Ε Ε ESE ESE ESE 31 31 33 32 31 30 27 25 5 22 24 23 19 18 17 13 13 14 11 10 10 15 17 25 25 W N SU SW WW W NJ N N N N N N N N N N SSW SSW SSW SSM SM SM SSW 28 28 12 18 20 27 27 28 29 31 15 12 12 13 12 6 25 25 24 23 22 15 16 13 SSW SW SSM SM SH NW WSW SU SW SSW SSW SSW N N N NW MM W WN W W N 31 29 29 31 30 30 31 32 31 28 31 29 30 25 25 25 27 26 27 31 31 29 29 28 7 SSM SSW SSW SSW SSW SSV SSU SSW SSU SSW SSM SSM SSW SW Su SSM SSM SH SM SW SW SM SW SU 12 14 18 17 09 12 11 14 8 30 31 32 29 30 30 32 28 17 00 12 12 12 10 10 12 NNE NNE NNE NE NE S S S S SSE SE C . S S SW SW SW SW SW W MI SSU S S 09 12 12 02 04 02 13 12 9 20 19 22 19 17 19 18 17 14 12 90 03 11 21 13 17 Ε Ε E ESE SSE SSE SSA SM SW SW SW SW NE ENE ENE Ε Ε NE NE NE NE NE NE NE 20 19 20 19 22 27 30 29 10 19 16 16 14 07 05 18 10 08 07 06 08 08 09 11 11 SSW SSW SSW SSW ESE SSE S S SSW SSW SM SSW SW SSW SW SW SW SSW S S SSE SE SSE SE 28 26 28 31 27 26 32 32 30 31 30 34 34 36 38 40 38 36 29 30 28 30 25 11 33 SW SM SW SW SM SW S S S S SSM SSM SSU SSM SM SSW SSU S S S S S S S 14 15 16 21 18 17 15 12 28 25 26 26 24 27 22 23 20 20 20 22 21 18 18 16 15 WSW usu WS4 WSW WSW MSM WSW USW WSW MSM WSW u W W W USU WSW USU WSW WSW WSW MSM WSW MSM 07 03 02 25 21 20 15 10 21 22 18 17 15 12 11 13 17 15 17 19 20 20 19 15 14 N N NJ WW M M N MM W W U u W NU NJ MM u W W W W u 14 09 04 90 04 03 05 03 04 07 07 .04 08 10 09 11 03 04 06 10 11 11 99 14 11 SSU SW SW SU W SSM NE S ENE ENE SSE S SSW SM WSW SM SM SM WSW USU WW N 20 23 21 21 21 24 21 19 15 11 11 11 10 09 12 80 08 11 11 13 11 13 13 16 15 SSW WSW M W MSM SM SM SW 24 SH SM SW SM SM MSM SN SM Su SSJ SSW SSW SSW SSW

# DAY/HOUR MATRIX OF SELECTED HOURLY DATA FOR Whiterose E-09 - APRIL 1988

## WIND SPEED/DIRECTION (Kts/!T)

TYPE OF ANEMOMETER: WEATHER MEASURE W102

ELEV. 76.2 m

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21	19 ESE	20 ESE	20 ESE	14 ESE	20 ESE	25 ESE	30 ESE	40 E	35 ESE	30 ESE	25 SE	29 SSE	20 S	20 USU	17 USU	13 5W	15 Su	16 Su	14 SU	14 SW	20 SSW	17 SU	23 Su	SU
22	21 SW	20 SW	20 SW	21 SW	24 SU	24 SW	25 USU	20 SU	21 WSW	20 SW	19 SW	12 Su	13 SW		13 SSU	12 S	09 S	08 SE	13 E	08 ESE	16 E	17 ESE	36 E	32 ESE
23	09 ESE	30 ESE	30 SSE	29 S	25 S	20 SSW	18 SSW		17 SSW	22 WSW	23 USU	22 USU		18 Su	11 SW	14 SW	14 SSW	15 SW	13 Su	07 SW	07 SW	87 SSW	09 SW	
24	<b>WSW</b>	10 W	08 ₩	07 WSW	10 SW	13 SW	18 WSW	20 USU	24 USU	21 USU	20 USU	22 <b>UN</b> U		27 UNU		26 UNU	27 <b>UNU</b>	30 <b>UNU</b>	33 <b>UNU</b>	31 <b>UNU</b>	31 <b>NU</b>	28 <b>UNU</b>	28 <b>U</b>	27 UNU
25	23 <b>N</b> U	22 <b>UN</b> U	19 W	16 U	15 USU	14 SW		11 SW	07 SW		09 SSE	13 SSE	08 SE	06 SE	18 E	23 E	29 E	30 E	30 E	35 E	40 E	35 E	30 ESE	34 SSE
26	32 S	31 SSW	32 SSW	31 SSW	34 SSW	36 SSW	32 SSW	37 SSW	38 SSW		35 SSW	34 SSW				27 SW	28 SW	25 SW	21 WSW	23 WSW	26 W	25 U	28 <b>W</b>	27 U
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28	13 SW	13 SW	13 SSW	16 Su	16 Su	13 Sw	12 SW	89 SW	05 SW			04 SSJ	05 E	07 E	07 ESE	09 E	13 E	06 ESE	07 E	06 E	02 E	06 NNU	12 N	
29	20 N	13 N	07 N	<b>N</b> U 80		10 NNU	10 NNJ		12 NNJ		12 <b>NN</b> J			10 <b>N</b> NU		12 N	09 <b>NN</b>	07 NNU	11 U	07 NNJ	09 N	80 N	07 NNE	<b>N</b>
30	06 NE	07 NE	07 Ene	07 Ene	07 Ene		09 E	11 E					13 E							27 E	28 E			26 E

TABLE 2.7 April, 1988 winds derived from Surface Analysis

A	Wind 1 (1-t-)	T
April	_	From
1	02	S. E.
2	20	N
3	20	N
4	15	NNW
5	30	W
6	15	N
7	20	NNW
8	10	ΝE
9	10	NΕ
10	10	NΕ
11	25	ENE
12	35	NE
13	25	NNW
14	10	SSW
15	10	ΝE
16	20	N
17	10	ΝE
18	15	E
19	15	NNE
20	10	ΝΈ
21	15	SW
22	25	SW
23	20	WSW
24	20	WNW
25	15	SE
26	30	SSW
27	22	W
28	10	$\mathbf{E}$
29	15	N
30	10	E

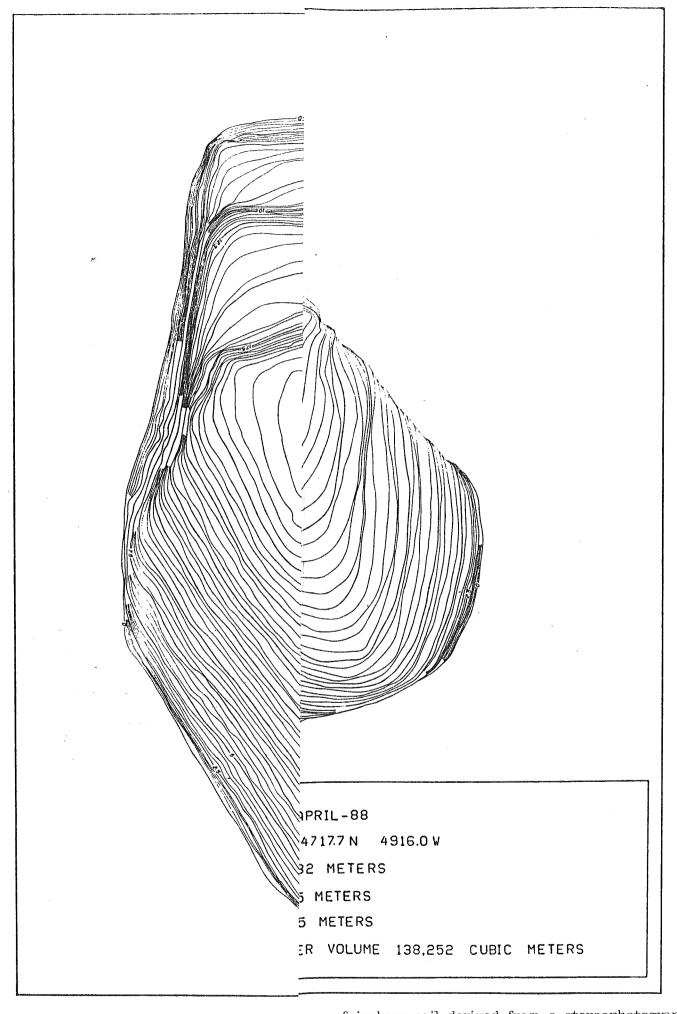
Source: Surface Analysis maps prepared by Maritime Weather Service

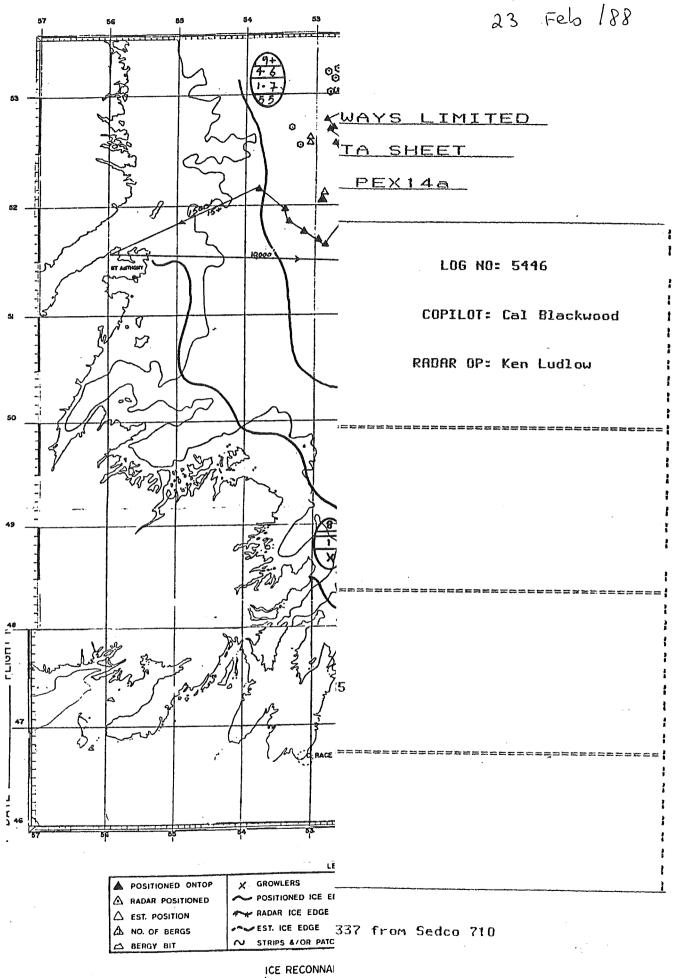
associated with grounding events detailed in the Report Appendix and summarized in section 5. Winds at the rigs are considered to be relevant to drift of icebergs owing to the large scales of wind/weather systems.

2.4 Sample iceberg sail contour derived from a stereophotograph Most of the observed icebergs were not stereophotographed, but in 1988, three of the four grounded icebergs were documented by stereo camera flown by Atlantic Airways. A sample stereoplot of the topside contour of iceberg 013/1988 is presented in Fig. 2.4. Maximum water line length and width are computed along with maximum sail height and the volume of ice contained in the sail of the berg. In this case, the volume was 138252 cubic meters, which provides a basis for an estimate of the total volume and mass of the iceberg.

### 2.5 Sample ice reconnaissance map

Ice reconnaissance flights were flown in the Grand Banks area by Atlantic Airways on charter to oil companies drilling on the Grand Banks to locate icebergs and packice. A sample ice reconnaissance map is presented in Fig. 2.5 showing a total of 68 identified icebergs and the extent of the packice. A Litton V-3 search radar was in use at the time for detection of icebergs, packice and targets. More recently a Litton V-5 search radar has been in general use. Prior to the advent of search radar in 1986, Side Looking Aperture Radar (SLAR) was in general use. Ice reconnaissance maps assist in assessing the population of icebergs from which grounded icebergs originate. Another source of information on iceberg counts is provided by the International





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Ice Patrol. Ice reconnaissance data are discussed in section 6 and the available ice reconnaissance maps are presented in Appendix B for the flight listing in Table 6.1.

### 2.6 Percentage exceedance parameters

Sample exceedance values of iceberg parameters such as length and width and sail height, keel draft and mass were calculated by Husky for the 1984 to 1987 data base (Table 2.8). For present purposes, the main parameter of interest is draft. A total of 243 observations, measurements or estimates of iceberg drafts were made by Husky between February 1984 and November 1987. Iceberg draft was very occasionally measured by sonar and sometimes inferred by the water depth at grounding locations. When the length, width and sail height were known, the draft was calculated according to a formula developed for Husky by its Iceberg widths, lengths and heights were measured contractors. by a sextant and range technique and 243 length measurements, 236 width measurements and 240 height measurements were made. draft exceedance data is referenced in considerations of percentage of iceberg population which could potentially ground on the Grand Banks.

### 2.7 Current data

Current data were collected in the vicinity of rigs, generally far removed from iceberg locations. Owing to the fact that coherence in currents is limited to a few miles in the Grand Banks area, currents at the rig bear no relationship to currents at iceberg locations. As a result no data base exists for currents at iceberg locations.

rmani	LIT DOLL	HEIGHT	DRAFT	MASS	4.00
LENGTH (m) %	WIDTH (m) %	(m) %	(m) %	(tonnes)	8
70 33.74	42 35.59	18 36.25	57 37.86	86348	34.91
70 33.74	42 35.59	18 36.25	58 37.04		34.48
70 33.74	45 34.75	18 36.25	58 37.04	90686	34.05
70 33.74	45 34.75	19 35.83	59 34.98		33.62
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	59 34.98		33.19
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	59 34.98	94874	32.76
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	59 34.98	102753	32.33
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	59 34.98	103019	31.90
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	60 34.16	103680	31.47
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	60 34.16	104604	31.03
70 33.74	50 30.08	20 29.17	61 31.69	104842	30.60
71 33.33	50 30.08	20 29.17	61 31.69	116540	30.17
72 32.92	50 30.08	20 29.17	61 31.69		29.74
75 31.28	50 30.08	20 29.17	61 31.69		29.31
75 31.28	50 30.08	20 29.17	61 31.69		28.88
75 31.28	53 29.24	20 29.17	61 31.69		28.45
75 31.28	53 29.24	20 29.17	62 31.28		28.02
78 30.86	54 28.39	20 29.17	63 30.86		27.59
79 30.45	54 28.39	20 29.17	64 29.22		26.72
80 29.63	55 27.97	20 29.17	64 29.22		26.72
80 29.63	57 27.54	21 27.92	64 29.22		26.29
82 29.22	58 25.42	21 27.92	64 29.22		25.86
83 27.98	58 25.42	21 27.92	65 26.75		25.43
83 27.98	58 25.42	23 26.25	65 26.75		25.00
83 27.98	58 25.42	23 26.25	65 26.75		24.57
85 27.57	58 25.42	23 26.25	65 26.75		24.14
86 26.75	59 24.58	23 26.25	65 26.75		23.71
86 26.75	59 24.58	24 23.75	65 26.75		23.28
90 25.51	60 22.88	24 23.75	67 24.69		22.84
90 25.51	60 22.88	24 23.75	67 24.69		22.41
90 25.51	60 22.88	24 23.75	67 24.69		21.98
91 24.69	60 22.88	24 23.75	67 24.69		21.55
91 24.69	61 22.46	24 23.75	67 24.69		21.12
92 24.28	62 22.03	25 20.00	68 23.46		20.69
93 23.87	63 21.61	25 20.00	68 23.46		20.26
95 23.46	65 19.92	25 20.00	68 23.46 69 21.81		19.40
96 23.05	65 19.92	25 20.00 25 20.00	69 21.81		18.97
97 22.63	65 19.92	25 20.00 25 20.00	69 21.81		18.53
98 22.22 100 18.11	65 19.92 66 19.49	25 20.00	69 21.81		18.10
100 18.11 100 18.11	67 18.64	25 20.00	71 20.99		17.67
100 18.11	67 18.64	25 20.00	71 20.99		L7.24
100 18.11	70 16.10	26 19.17	72 19.75		16.81
100 18.11	70 16.10	26 19.17	72 19.75		16.38
100 18.11	70 16.10	28 18.75	72 19.75		L5.95
100 18.11	70 16.10	30 13.75	73 17.28		L5.09
100 18.11	70 16.10	30 13.75	73 17.28		L5.09
100 18.11	70 16.10	30 13.75	73 17.28		14.66
100 18.11	74 15.68	30 13.75	73 17.28		14.22
103 17.70	75 15.25	30 13.75	73 17.28		13.79

TABLE 2.8 Percentage exceedance values of iceberg parameters

LENGT	н	WIDTH		HEIGH	T	DRAF	$\mathbf{T}$	MASS	- 1000
(m)	 %	(m)		(m)	* ·	(m)	~ ` . &	(tonnes)	8
104	17.28	76	14.83	30	13.75	73	17.28	423640	13.36
105	16.87	78	14.41	30	13.75	74	16.46	472910	12.93
107	16.46	80	13.14		13.75	74	16.46	488868	12.50
109	16.05	80	13.14		13.75	75	16.05	512640	12.07
111	15.64	80	13.14		13.75	76	15.64	553224	11.64
112	14.81	81	12.71	30	13.75	77	15.23	609375	11.21
112	14.81	84	12.29	30	13.75	78	13.99	619381	10.78
118	13.99	85	11.86	32	13.33	78	13.99	672840	10.34
118	13.99	87	11.44	33	12.92	78	13.99	673837	9.91
120	13.17	88	11.02	34	12.08	79	13.58	700608	9.48
120	13.17	90	10.17	34	12.08	80	12.76	712000	9.05
122	12.76	90	10.17	35	10.00	80	12.76	781776	8.62
123	12.35	92	9.32	35	10.00	82	11.93	824283	8.19
124	11.93	92	9.32	35	10.00	82	11.93	888431	7.76
125	11.11	94	8.90	35	10.00	83	11.52		7.33
125	11.11	100	6.78	35	10.00	85	10.70		6.90
130	9.88	100	6.78		9.58	85	10.70	1241870	6.47
130	9.88	100	6.78	37	8.75		10.29	1281867	
130	9.88	100	6.78	37	8.75	87	9.88	1401750	
132	9.47	100	6.78	39	7.92	89	9.47	1601897	
133	9.05	104	6.36	39	7.92	90	8.64	1650701	4.74
138	8.64	105	5.51		7.50	90	8.64		
150	8.23	105	5.51	41	7.08	91	8.23	1734005	3.88
155	7.82	111	5.08	42	6.67	94	7.00	1734966	
157	7.41	112	4.66	43	6.25	94	7.00	2200561	3.02
166	7.00	115	4.24	45	5.00	94	7.00	2329564	2.59
174	6.58	120	2.97	45	5.00	95	6.58	2374164	2.16
175	5.76	120	2.97	45	5.00	96	6.17	2700000	1.72
175	5.76	120	2.97	46	4.58	97	5.76	3115000	1.29
184	4.94	123	2.12	48	3.75	98	5.35	3237299	0.86
184	4.94	123	2.12	48	3.75	100	4.53	3272694	0.43
189	4.53	126	1.69	50	2.92	100	4.53	4060724	0.00
190	4.12	137	1.27	50	2.92	101	4.12 2.88		
196	3.70	145	0.85	55	2.50	102			
200	2.88	150				102			
200	2.88	152	0.00	64	1.67	102 103	2.88 2.47		
203	2.47			70	1.25	104	2.06		
219	2.06			83 95	0.83 0.42	104	1.65		
228	1.65			100	0.00	113	1.23		
238	1.23			TOO	0.00	116	0.82		
248	0.82					127	0.82		
260	0.41					162	0.00		
360	0.00					102	0.00		

TABLE 2.8 Percentage exceedance values of iceberg parameters (continued)

## 2.8 Summary of Husky Oil iceberg data

The data in Husky 0il's data base are catalogued in Table 2.9 by well name. A total of 513 icebergs were tracked from 1984 through 1988 and of these 63 were duplicates. This leaves 450 individual drift tracks. In 1989, 4 additional tracks were included, which means that the total number of icebergs tracked is 454. It should be noted, that the number of tracked icebergs is not the total number of icebergs observed in the Grand Banks area. Many more were observed by airborne radar (refer Section 6) and more still were reported by the International Ice Patrol. The above data bases are considered in estimating percentage population of grounded icebergs in section 7.

## 2.9 Petro Canada iceberg data

Petro Canada conducted drilling operations on the Grand Banks during 1984 and 1985 and collected data on winds, iceberg positions and iceberg dimensions. The wind data format is identical to the format used by Husky Oil. The wind data are presented in Appendix C. The iceberg drift data collected by Petro Canada in 1985 was logged as indicated in Table 2.10 and Fig. 2.6. In 1984 the iceberg drift data were logged as shown in Table 2.11 and Fig. 2.7. The iceberg drift data are presented in the Report Appendix for grounded icebergs.

## 2.10 Mobil Oil iceberg data

Mobil Oil conducted drilling operations on the Grand Banks during 1983 and 1984 and collected data on winds, iceberg positions and iceberg dimensions. A sample wind data plot is presented in Fig. 2.8 and the selected wind data set is presented in Appendix C. A

TABLE 2.9 Summary of icebergs tracked by Husky oil (1984 to 1989)

Well Name	Year	# of tracked icebergs
Springdale M-29	1989	4 *
Whiterose E-09	1988	8
Bonne Bay C-73	1987	3 7
Golconda C-64	1986	5
Fortune G-57	1986	21
N. Ben Nevis M-61	1986	9
Whiterose 1-61	1986	1
Panther P-52	1986	1
Whiterose J-49	1985	8
N. Ben Nevis P-93	1985	153
Conquest K-09	1984	133
Whiterose N-22	1984	8
Archer K-18	1984	7
Voyager J-18	1984	112

<sup>\*</sup> The total count of icebergs tracked by Husky Oil in 1989 on behalf of Texaco Canada is not available, but it is known that at least 4 icebergs were tracked.

## WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W 1985

Iceberg: P509 page 1

Characteristics :

Size Shape Length Width Height Draft Mass
0 0 0 0

## Summary of the Iceberg Track

Time tracked : 102.3 hrs.
Total Distance : 1.0 nm.
Net Displacement : 0.0 nm.

## Position Observations: 9

Time	I	Date	Range	Bear	Speed	Dir	Status	Towhead	Tension
(GMT)	((	SMT)	(rim)	(deg)	(knots)	(deg)		(deg)	(tons)
0/2/0/0	20	Apr	56.7	339	Ø. Ø	Ø			
Ø6ØØ	20	Apr	56.7	339	(Z) <b>.</b> (Z)	269			
61615161	21	Apr	55.7	<b>339</b>		89			
0030	21	Apr	56.7	339	. 4	75			
0600	21	Apr	56.7	339	Ø. Ø	255			
Ø615	21	Apr	56.7	339	. 9	75			
Ø1Ø1Ø1Ø	22	Apr	56.7	339	Ø. Ø	255			
0100	22	Apr	56.7	339	Ø. Ø	164			
Ø615	24	Apr	56.7	339	0.0	344			

TABLE 2.10 Sample of individual iceberg drift track listing by Petro-Canada in 1985

WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W

## OBSERVED TRACK PLOT & SUMMARY FOR ICEBERG: P509

Observed from: 0000 20 Apr 85 to: 0615 24 Apr 85 (GMT) Hours Tracked: 102 hrs # of Observations: 9
Distance tracked: .98 nm. Net Displacement: 1.1 n

Closest Approach : 56.7 nm. 339 at 0100 22 Apr 85

— Tow operations : Iceberg track: -

Scale: 60 nm

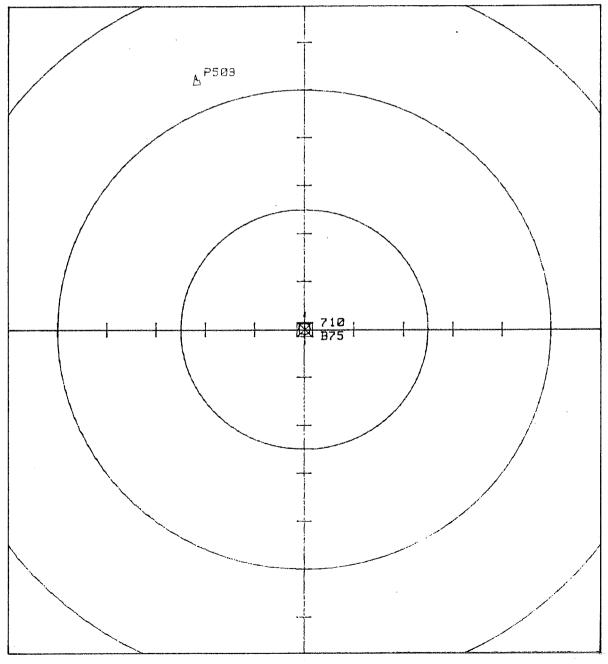


Figure 2.6 Typical Petro-Canada iceberg drift track plot, 1985

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TABLE 2.11 Sample of individual iceberg drift track listing by Petro-Canada in 1984

# ICEBERG TRACK - 84TN016

SITE: TERRA NOVA K-08

VESSEL: SEDCO 710

PERIOD: APR 21 0700Z - APR 23 1200Z

NUMBER OF HOURS MONITORED: 53.0

C.P.A. (n.mi.):5.6 (closest point of approach)

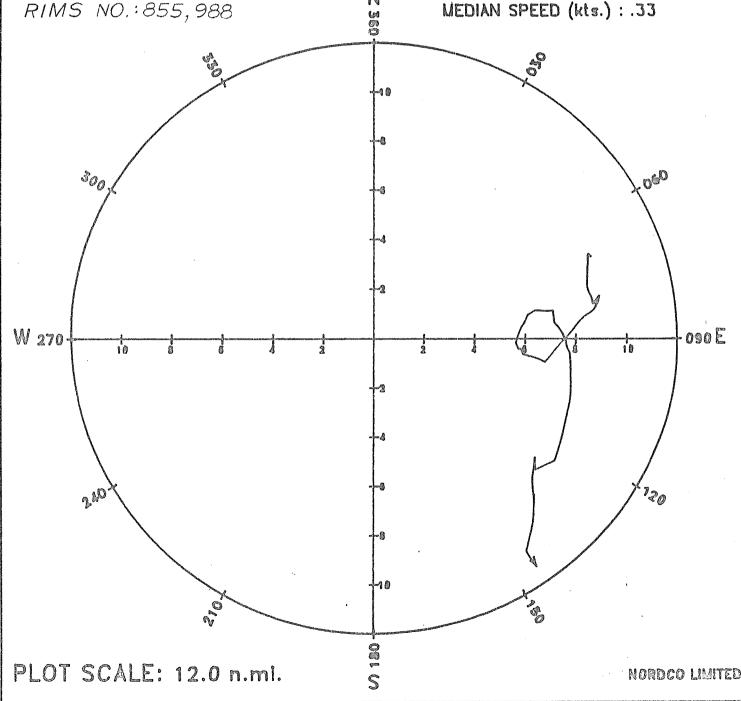
MEAN DIRECTION FROM DEG. TRUE: 165.6

MINIMUM SPEED (kts.): .00

MAXIMUM SPEED (kts.): 1.15

MEAN SPEED (kts.): .41

MEDIAN SPEED (kts.): .33



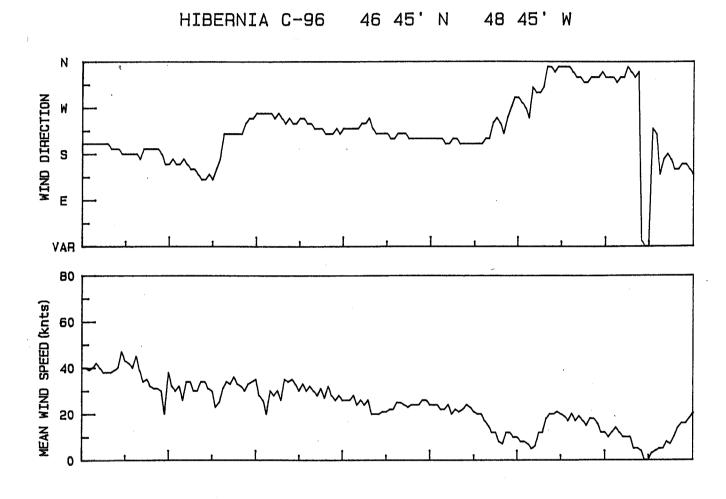


Figure 2.8 Sample of Mobil Oil wind data

typical "long range berg plot" is presented in Table 2.12. This form of logging of iceberg positions and dimensions was used by Mobil in 1984. In 1983 the iceberg data were logged in the format shown in Table 2.13. For each grounded iceberg, positions were extracted from the logs and combined as shown for example for iceberg 095/1983 in Table Al8. The drift data are presented in the Report Appendix.

### 3. CRITERIA

Criteria for grounding of icebergs have been investigated previously by El Tahan (1985) in a report for the Environmental Studies Research Funds. Velocity histories and drift tracks of 100 icebergs off Labrador were used to reach conclusions regarding grounding definitions, and stationary icebergs were identified to be either positively grounded or probably grounded depending on duration of stationarity. Stationarity beyond a period of 24 hours was taken to indicate positive grounding while stationarity from 6 to 24 hours indicate probable grounding. Periods of stationarity below 6 hours were taken to indicate no grounding. Three states of iceberg motion are recognized in this study; namely, freedrift, keel dragging and grounding. drift is defined as drift at mean drift speed for the iceberg prior to and(or) after grounding. Mean drift speeds are presented for some tracked iceberg in the data file in the data summary in Appendix A. Keel dragging is defined as occurring when the indicated drift speeds in the individual drift track sets are very low, less than 0.05 knots. Grounding is evidenced by virtually zero drift for at least 12 hours or by very limited

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Table 2.13 Sample of Mobil Oil iceberg drift data in 1983

apparent displacements in water depths less than 200m. In some cases, the drift prior to or after grounding is not known and the date of grounding may not be known. The actual date of departure from grounded positions of some of the icebergs is also not known. The above criteria are used in the interpretation of free drift, keel dragging and grounding of icebergs in the iceberg data sets.

#### 4. DATA SEARCH PROCEDURE

The search for grounded icebergs was done manually at Husky's offices and at the offices of the Canada Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Board (CNOPB) in St. John's Newfoundland. Some of the iceberg data is stored on magnetic tape, but the majority of grounded icebergs inferred in this study are not included on the data tape.

Search procedure:

The search for grounded icebergs consisted of the following sequential steps:

- 1. Scan iceberg data summaries and identify icebergs with low and zero drift speeds.
- 2. Access well history reports for icebergs identified in step 1, and extract drift track listings, drift track plots and wind data for each.
- 3. Search through individual iceberg data listing and identify icebergs with low or zero speeds for periods greater than 12 hours.
- 4. Prepare list of identified low speed or 0 speed icebergs, eliminating those with drafts less than 60m and in water depths greater than 200m at the locations of low or zero drift speed.
- 5. Extricate individual site specific target plots for each iceberg identified in step 4 (if available).
- 6. Extricate summary site specific target plots (if available).

- 7. Extricate wind data from environmental well history reports or from Surface Analysis of winds and atmospheric pressure fields
- 8. Prepare plots of iceberg drift for periods prior to, during and after low speed or no speed events.
- 9. Based on the plots prepared in step 8 and the individual iceberg listings, assign status of the drift as free drift, keel dragging or grounded for each segment of the drift record.
- 10.Prepare listing of grounded icebergs (Table 5.1), listings of grounding events (Table 5.2) and area plots of iceberg grounding locations (Fig. 5.1 and 5.2).

#### 5. RESULTS

During the various data searches at Husky Oil and CNOPB offices in St. John's, available iceberg drift data from 1983 to 1989 were reviewed and candidate icebergs for keel dragging/scouring and grounding were selected for closer scrutiny at AGC. A total of 29 candidate icebergs drift tracks were selected and these are analyzed for purposes of identifying inferred groundings and scour locations on the Grand Banks. The criteria defined in section 3 were applied to the drift track of each candidate iceberg. The segments of each drift track inferred as free drift, keel dragging or grounding were identified. The results are summarized below, and the analysis of the 29 selected drift tracks is presented in the Report Appendix.

The primary result of the search through 29 candidate icebergs is that 27 have been inferred as grounding at 44 loctions. The remaining candidates were rejected because some of the criteria were not met. The iceberg data are summarized in Table 5.1 and the 44 inferred grounding events are summarized in Table 5.2 and detailed in the Report Appendix. The positions of all groundings are plotted in Figs. 5.1 and 5.2 Husky data yielded 23 inferred groundings by 12 icebergs, and 21 groundings by 15 icebergs were inferred from Petro-Canada and Mobil data. Overall, a total of 44 definite groundings are inferred for 27 large icebergs on the Grand Banks of Newfoundland during the period 1983 to 1989.

TABLE 5.1 Summary of 27 icebergs grounded on the Grand Banks during 1983 to 1989.

	- 2000 E -	Comment of the Commen	÷		4. Y		
	Iceber	·g			Ground	The state of the s	
Berg#/yearLe			Ht(m)	(m)	depth		Type of berg
001/1989	162	100	46	117	112	2.0	Pinnacle
004/1989	283	91	38	104	100	4.0	Wedged
001/1988	287	114	40	125	125, -	1.9	Drydock
005/1988	112	105	18	90	100	0.4	Drydock
013/1988	182	125	25	80	84	1.0	Drydock
015/1988	185	137	34	100	100	0.9	Drydock
028/1987	166	81	21	85	80	0.8	Spherical
002/1985	133	59	35	118	118	0.5	Pinnacle
004/1985	132	123	30	115	115	1.7	Tabular
014/1985	360	90	42	108	108	4.0	Spherical
BI0002/1985	224	137	24	135	130	2.0	Blocky
019/1985	196	123	46	100	95	3.2	N/A
026/1985	120	100	30	122	120	(*** ./) <b>1.0</b>	Spherical
061/1985	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	125	N/A	N/A
014/1984	N/A	N/A	N/A	81	79	N/A	N/A
015/1984	100	78	33	92	90	1.0	Tabular
028/1984	N/A	N/A	N/A	70	74	N/A	N/A
036/1984	N/A	N/A	N/A	77	75	N/A	N/A
037/1984	<b>7</b> 5	50	22	92	90	0.2	Pinnacle
050/1984	100	70	22	115	106	0.3	Pinnacle
1381/1984	90	23	24	92	90	0.1	N/A
095/1983	180	100	15	95	93	1.4	N/A ·
104/1983	210	162	42	155	149	N/A	N/A
135/1983	Medium	berg		140	137	N/A	N/A
241/1983	Large b	erg		106	104	N/A	N/A
292/1983	N/A	N/A	N/A	110	108.	N/A	N/A
649/1983	N/A	N/A	N/A	97	86	N/A	N/A

Note: N/A implies that the data are not available.

\* Indicates depth at the first grounding site.

TABLE 5.2 Summary of 44 definite groundings on the Grand Banks during 1983 to 1989.

Berg#/Year						
Drift, drag or	Period of Grounding	Days Ag	round	Lat.	Long.	Water depth
grounding	Hour/Day/Month	Min.	Max.	(°-¹)	(°-1)	(m)
001/1989		-::				
FD, Dragging						
G 1	2200/10/13 to 0407/24/04	45	45	46-40.2	48-08.3	112
004/1989						
G 1	1750/12/03 to 16/03	3	44	46-44.4	48–27.4	100
001/1988						
FD						
G1	1705/12/04 to 0400/13/04	1/2	3	46-50.3	48-01.2	125
FD						
G2	1620/16/04 to 0800/20/04	3 1/2		46-10.0	→ 48–09 <b>.</b> 8–	104
FD				46-12.2	48-10.1	
G3	1551/20/04 to 0800/21/04	1/2	-	46-13.6	48-07.3	106
Dragging						,
G4	1600/22/04 to 0400/29/04	7 1/2	_	46-12.6	48-10.3	104
Dragging, FD						
005/1988						
Unknown drift						
G 1	1900/14/04 to 1010/20/04	6	_	47–18.5	49-15.9	100
FD						
G2	1230/21/04 to 0500/22/04	3/4	_	47-11.8	49-24.5	95
FD						
G3	2040/22/04 to 0000/25/04	2	8	47-12.3	49-22.7	95
Dragging						
G4	1935/01/05 to 0800/02/05	1	4	47–12.2	49-26.2	88

TABLE 5.2 Continued

Berg#/Year		Days Agro	ound			
Drift, drag or	Period of Grounding	Min.	Max.	Lat.	Long.	Water depth
grounding	Hour/Day/Year			(°_')	(°_')	(m)
013/1988						
FD & dragging						
G 1	2046/28/04 to 0400/30/04	1	_	47-13.1	49-42.0	84
FD						
G2	2330/30/04 to 0440/03/05	2	-	<b>47–</b> 07 <b>.</b> 5	49-48.3	78
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015/1988						
Dragging						
G 1	1406/27/04 to 1215/04/05	7	_	47-21.0	50–31.5	100
FD						
G2	0900/06/05 to 1050/24/05	17		47–18.6	50–18 <b>.</b> 1	90
FD & dragging		_		47.00.0	50.01.0	0.2
G3	2200/31/05 to 2310/05/06	5	_	47–29.9	50-01.0	86
FD						
028/1987	1100/00/00 +- 0000/10/00	1	7	47–19.5	49–42.8	80
G1 FD	1100/09/03 to 0800/10/03	ı	•	47-19.0	43-42.0	, 00
G2	0600/19/03 to 0405/22/03	3	4	47-23.5	50-02.9	80
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002/1985						
G1	/02/04 to/17/04	15	_	47–18.0	48-41.5	5 118
004/1985						
G 1	1430/04/04 to 1430/24/04	20	_	47–26.5	<b>48–55.</b> 0	)_ 115
FD				47–27.5	48–56.0	)
014/1985						
FD						
G 1	0100/16/04 to 0730/18/04	2	-	47-05.4	51–13 <b>.</b> 9	108
BIO002/1985						
G 1	1700/30/04 to/02/05	2	_	47–45.0	50-49.9	) 130

TABLE 5.2 Continued

Berg#/Year						
Drift, drag or	Period of Grounding	Days	Aground	Lat.	Long.	Water depth
grounding	Hour/Day/Month	Min.	Max.	(°-')	(°-!)	(m)
019/1985						
G 1	2030/28/04 to 0015/07/05	9	17	47-41.0	49-47.5	95
FD						
G2	2130/16/05 to 1130/07/06	22	_	47-25.5	49-45.8	88
026/1985						
G 1	/31/05 to/06/06	6	_	45–58.6	48-05.0	120
061/1985						
FD frm NE						
G1	1720/26/05 to 1720/27/05	1	_	46-10.8	47–58.0	125
014/1984						
.G1 / 1	0700/21/04 to 1800/26/05	5	_	46-13.5	48-41.6	79
015/1984						
G1	0700/21/04 to 1600/26/04	5	5	46-19.3	48–32.7	90
FD						
Dragging						
G <b>2</b>	0900/30/04 to 1400/07/05	7	7	46–20.8	48-45.3	72
Dragging						
G3	0500/07/05 to 0000/09/05	2	2	46–20.8	48-44.8	72
FD						
028/1984						
FD& dragging						
G1	0900/25/04 to 1800/26/04	1	1	46–29.7	48-46.3	74
0 <u>36/1984</u>						
FD or dragging						
G1	/24/04 to/06/05	12	12	46–27.8	48-43.0	<b>7</b> 5
FD						
037/1984						
G 1	0830/18/04 to 1130/19/04	1	_	46-40.8	48–36.3	90
050/1984						
G 1	2248/30/04 to 1435/04/05	3	-	47-06.5	48-40.0	106

TABLE 5.2 Continued

## Berg#/Year

Drift, drag or	Period of Grounding	Days	Aground L	.at.	Long.	Water depth
grounding	Hour/Day/Month	Min.	Max.	(°-')	(°-')	(m)
1381/1984						
G 1	1145/26/05 to 1145/30/05	4	_	47-29.8	49-35.4	90
095/1983						
FD						
G 1	0900/21/02 to 0900/23/02	2	2	47–18.7	49–18.7	93
Dragging						
G <b>2</b>	0900/25/02 to 0900/23/03	26	26	47-15.0	49-16.7	90
Dragging						
G3	0900/25/03 to 0900/01/04	7	7	47-13.0	49-16.7	86
104/1983						
FD						
G 1	0900/11/03 to 0900/18/03	7	7	47–35.8	49-08.0	149
Dragging						
G2	0900/19/03 to 0900/10/04	22	_	47–34.8	49-08.0	149
135/1983						
FD& dragging						
G 1	0900/10/04 to 0900/11/04	1		47-00.0	48-02.6	137
241/1983						
G 1	0900/19/04 to 0900/21/04	2	-	46-45.6	48–21.9	104
292/1983						
G 1	0900/22/04 to 0900/23/04	1	1	47-00.9	48–35.9	108
Dragging						
G2	0900/24/04 to 0900/25/04	1	_	46–58.0	48-34.8	106
649/1983						
Dragging						
G 1	0900/30/05 to 0900/02/06	3	3	47-06.9	48-43.0	86

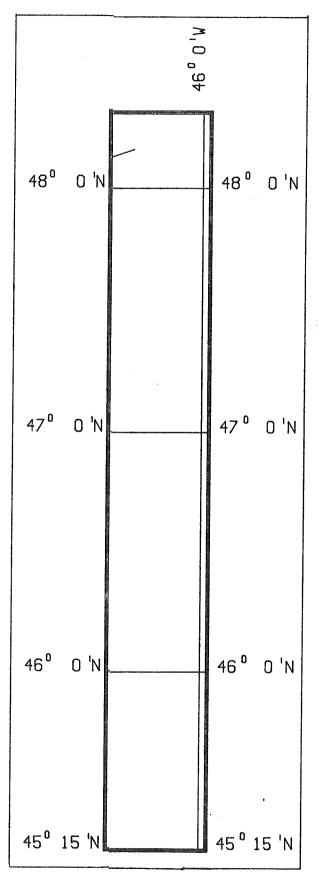
<sup>\*</sup> Total number of grounded icebergs is 27 and the total number of inferred groundings

<sup>\* 17</sup> icebergs had single groundings.

<sup>\* 10</sup> icebergs had multiple groundings and account for 27 groundings.

\* In column 1, FD = Free drift, G = grounding numbered sequentially and a - indicates a lack of information.

<sup>\*</sup> In column 2, time is local Newfoundland time.



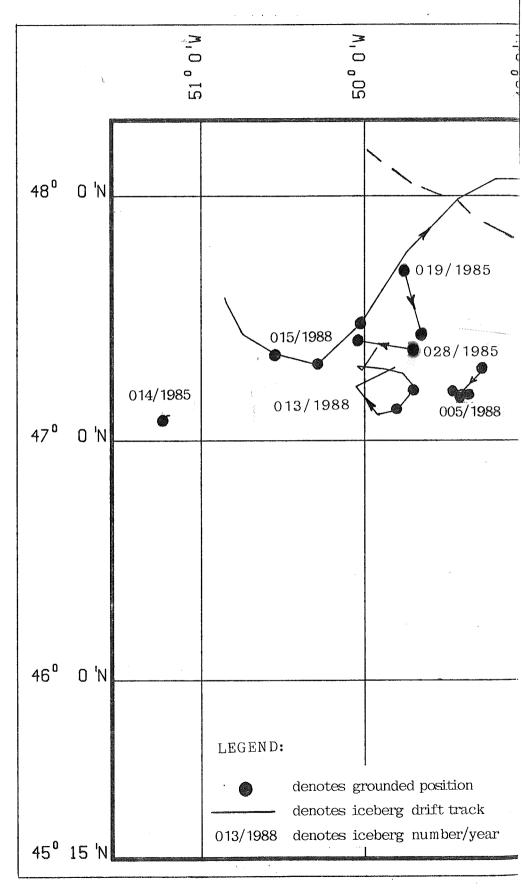
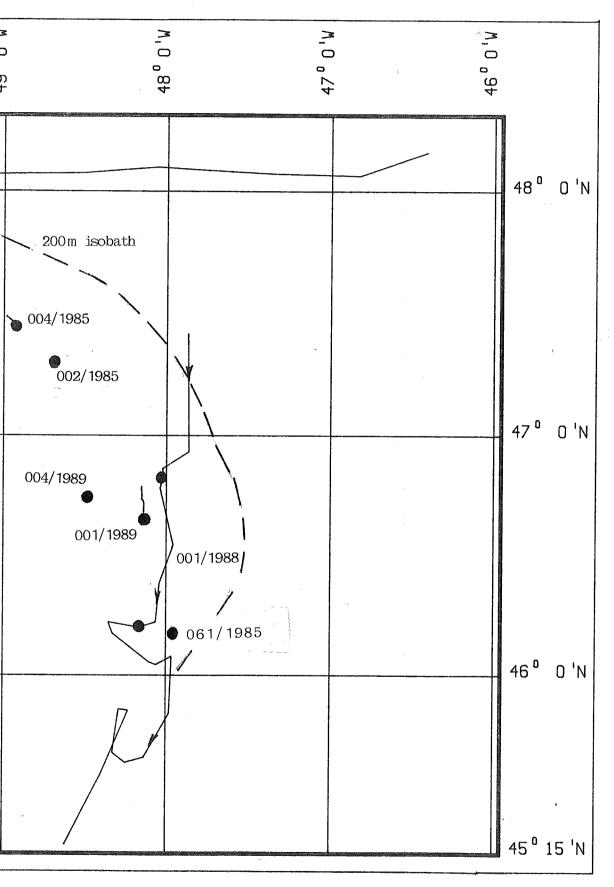
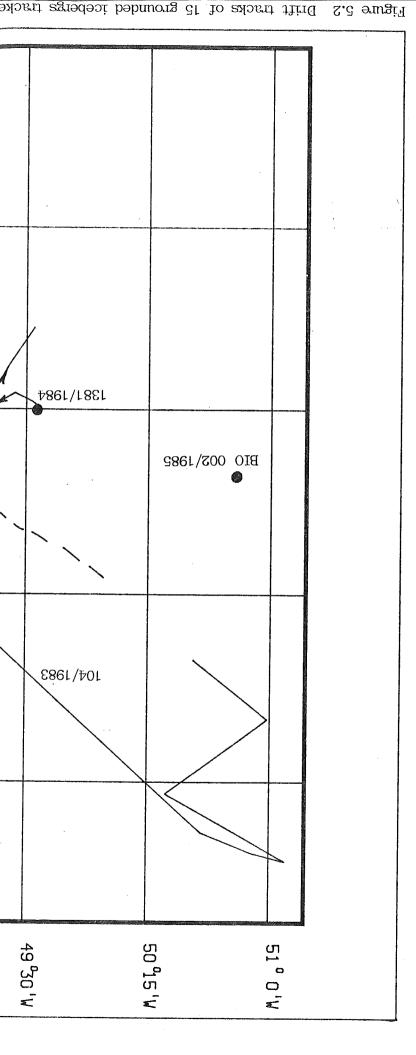
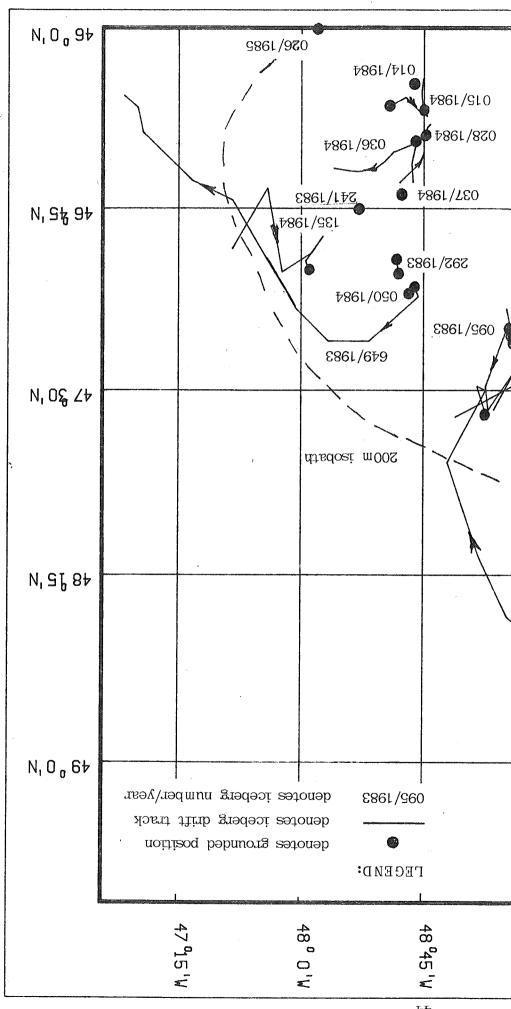


Figure 5.1 Drift tracks of 12 grounde



icebergs tracked by Husky Oil in the period 1984 to 1989





d by Mobil Oil in 1984 and 1983 and by Petro-Canada in 1985 and 1984

Groundings can be summarized as follows:

- \* 44 groundings are inferred for 27 icebergs
- \* 17 of the  $\overline{27}$  grounded icebergs experienced single groundings
- \* 10 of the 27 grounded icebergs experienced multiple groundings
- \* multiple groundings account for 27 of the 44 inferred groundings
- \* multiple groundings occurred in progressively shallower water depths
- \* icebergs grounded a minimum of once and a maximum of 4 times
- \* maximum grounding duration 45 days
- \* minimum grounding duration half a day
- \* all groundings occurred between 68m and 149m water depth
- \* the earliest grounding occurred Feb. 21; the latest on May 31.
- \* Annually, the inferred groundings are distributed as follows:

1989	2	iceber	gs &	2	groundings
1988	4		<b>&amp;</b>	1 3	
1987	1	"	&	2	
1986	0		&	0	•• • 1755
1985	7		&	8	•
1984	7	**	&	9	<u> </u>
1983	6	**	&	10	***

TOTAL 27 icebergs & 44 groundings

Dates of first observation of icebergs in the vicinity of the Grand Banks

- \* 1989 March 9
- \* 1988 April 2
- \* 1987 February 24
- \* 1986 March 15
- \* 1985 April 2
- \* 1984 March 26
- \* 1983 February 21

#### 5.1 Tides

Although the exact times of lift-off of bergs from their inferred grounding positions are not known, the indicated times in Table 5.2 have been taken as the actual lift-off times. The idea of looking at tides as an agent for terminating groundings stems from a desire to determine whether current-forcing due to tidal currents or the additional buoyancy available at the peak of the tide causes the lift-off from grounded positions (although the Tides were plotted at the tidal range is only about 30cm). Bedford Institute and were referenced to determine the state of the tide at the time of lift-off for the first 9 icebergs in It might be expected that lift-off would occur at Table 5.2. the peak of the tide, when the bouyancy is greatest, but it should be noted that tidal currents are basically non-existent at that point. Therefore, at the peaks of tides, tidal currents do not assist in dislodging bergs from their grounded positions. Examination of the state of the tides at lift-off indicates that the majority of lift-offs were associated with a rising tide and a minority occurred on a falling tide or at a low tide. suggests that tidal currents contribute to forcing bergs away from grounded positions and that the additional buoyancy at the peak of the tides is less important. This may have implications regarding keel dragging and scouring by bergs after grounding. As far as the influence of tides on the groundings is concerned, it is found that bergs can ground at any point on the tide. course, a berg is more likely to ground solidly if grounding occurs at the peak of the tide. When the water level drops, there is greater opportunity for the berg to seat itself into the

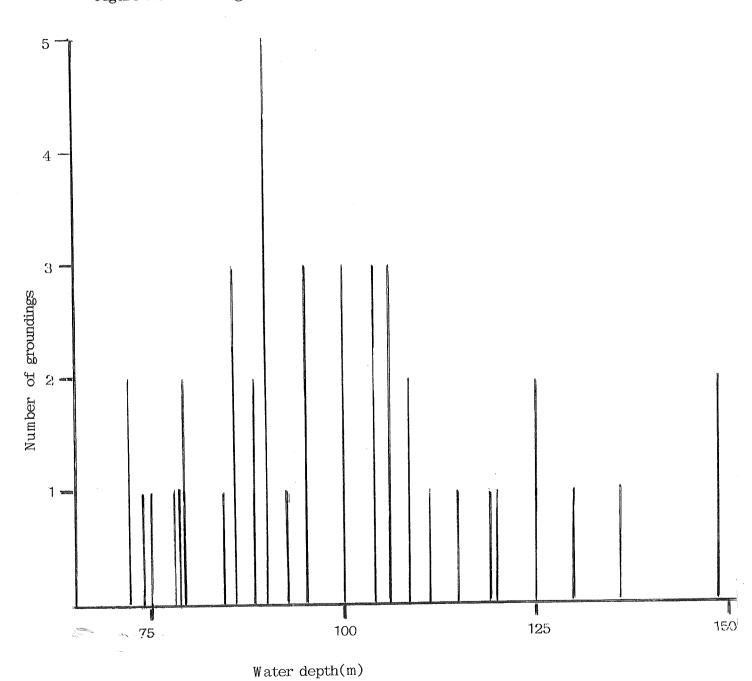
seabed. When a berg grounds at low tide, it is expected that lift-off and drift away from the grounded position occurs more readily on subsequent rising tides. For icebergs such as berg 001/1989 which probably had about 5m of excess draft at the grounding location, the tidal changes could only become significant after considerable berg deterioration and draft reduction.

5.2 Multiple groundings and draft reduction

Of the 27 large icebergs listed in Table 5.2, 17 had a single inferred grounding and the remaining 10 bergs experienced multiple groundings. The multiple groundings account for 61%; ie 27 of the 44 inferred groundings. In each multiple grounding sequence, each berg grounded in progressively shallower water (refer Table 5.2), which is to be expected. A grounded berg tends to lose mass by wave activity and calving of growlers by splitting and by rolling: all of these activities result in the general reduction of a bergs draft. It is therefore expected that any groundings subsequent to the previous grounding will occur in progressively shallower water depths. It is considered unlikely, but not impossible, for a berg to ground in water depths greater than the previous grounding. The rate of loss of draft can be inferred from the present data set because the times and water depths of multiple groundings are known. The rate of loss of draft varies from 0.2m/day for berg 095/1983 which was grounded for 35 days in February and March 1983, to a rate of 3m per day inferred for berg 013/1988 which grounded during April, 1988. The average rate of loss of draft was lm/day.

5.3 Iceberg draft and grounding distribution with depth Grounding depths of the 27 bergs, which grounded 44 times, varied from a maximum of 149m to a minimum of 74m. The distribution with depth is shown in Fig. 5.3. Twenty-one of the groundings occurred in depths of 100m and greater. All 44 groundings had occurred in water depth of 74m and greater.

Figure 5.3 Grounding distribution with water depth



#### 6. AERIAL ICE RECONNAISSANCE

Aerial reconnaissance flights were flown on a regular basis by Atlantic Airways to monitor the presence of packice and icebergs in the Grand Banks area. A typical ice reconnaissance map for March 10, 1989 is presented in Fig. 6.1; Fig. 6.2 shows the corresponding ice report, indicating the presence of about 90 icebergs and packice north of and on the Grand Banks on the 11th of March, 1989. It can be seen that the majority of the icebergs were staged near the packice edge inside the 200m isobath at the time. It is obvious from reviewing ice reconnaissance maps in Appendix B, that many more icebergs existed than were included in the trajectory data base. Air reconnaissance maps were therefore reviewed in order to develop a better understanding of the iceberg population from which grounded icebergs originated. Unfortunately, ice reconnaissance maps for 1986 and 1983 could not be found. The maximum number of icebergs seen on each flight in 1984, 1985, 1987 and 1988 has been tabulated in Table 6.1 maximum (about 600) was observed in April 1984. On some flights, icebergs were observed. Icebergs reported by ice nо reconnaissance maps, presented in Appendix B, are discussed below with reference to Tables 6.1 and 6.2.

1984: In 1984, a maximum of about 600 icebergs were reported (on April 3). This concentrated batch of icebergs dispersed quickly and by May 12, only 14 icebergs were logged on the ice reconnaissance maps. In 1984, Husky tracked icebergs on the northeastern Grand Banks while the International Iceberg Patrol (IIP) reported 2202 icebergs crossing south of 48°N. Although

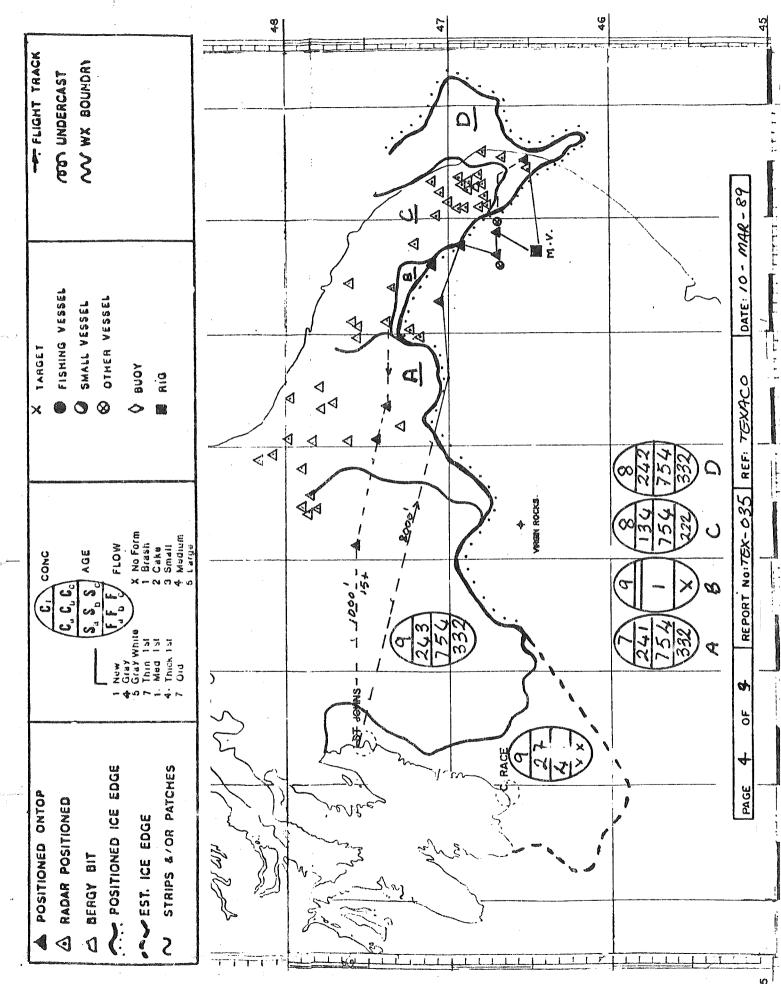


Figure 6.1 Ice reconnaissance map for March 10, 1989 52

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TABLE 6.1 Summary of icebergs reported by ice reconnaissance

1984		1985		1987			1988	
Day	# of pergs	Day	# of pergs	Day	#	of bergs	Day	# of bergs
Ap. 2	400-600	Ap. 1	17	Feb.	27	2	Ma. 23	89
Ap. 5	306	Ap. 6	30	Ma.	12	വ	1 28	09
Ap. 6	524	Ap. 9	19	Ma.	23	2	Ap. 2	-
Ap. 19	180	Ap. 15		Ap.	<sub>∞</sub>	0	4	20
Ap. 21	65	Ap. 23		=	12	ಬ	9	47
Ap. 23	43	May 13	92	Ξ	13	10	11 16	*02
Ap. 24	16	11 15	123	Ξ	2	ග	20	4
Ap. 25	32	17	98	Ξ	20	17	25	4
May 3	28	20	220+	Ξ	23	10	11 29	4
May 5	18	June 4	137				May 6	4
May 9	17						11	က
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							June 9	8
							17	17
							July 7	വ
							14	7

Note that the 1986 ice reconnaissance maps could not be found Source: Appendix B.

<sup>\*</sup> implies that the bergs were mostly inshore

TABLE 6.2 Summary of new icebergs south of  $48^{\circ}N$  during 1983 to 1988

New icebergs south of 48°N.

Month	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Jan.	9	0	2	0	2	0
Feb.	165	0	57	3	1 4	0
March	124	101	129	40	4 8	8
April	339	953	208	60	76	95
May	465	484	205	5 <b>9</b>	2 9	33
June	168	227	2 4 7	2 4	127	2 0
Ju1y	76	335	123	18	15	19
Aug.	4	93	39	0	2	10
Sept.	0	9	32	0	0	2
Oct.	0	3	0	0	0	0
Nov.	0	11	0	0	0	0
Dec.	0	7	0	5	0	0
TOTAL	1350	2223	1042	204	313	187

Source: International Ice Patrol

<sup>\*</sup> SLAR was in use from 1984.

<sup>\*</sup> Note the IIP count is slightly different from the totals in Table 6.2 because IIP's iceberg year extends from Oct. 1 to Sept. 30 & the above numbers pertain to the January 1 to December 31 period of each year.

this is the largest number of icebergs ever to be reported by IIP, only 7 iceberg groundings are inferred in 1984. This is attributed to the fact that the packice did not encroach onto the Grand Banks, remaining mainly beyond the 200m isobath that year (Fig. 6.3). When the packice receded northwards, the icebergs were released from the packice beyond the 200m isobath in deeper water within the regime of the Labrador current. As a result, the majority of the icebergs drifted around the Banks instead of being carried onto the Banks and potentially grounding.

1985: In 1985, the packice encroached onto the Grand Banks inside the 200m isobath as well as southward into Flemish Pass (Figs. 6.4 and 6.5). Seven icebergs are inferred to have grounded in the 1985 iceberg season. Even though many more icebergs crossed 48°N in April 1984 (a total of 953) than in April 1985 (a total of 208), the packice encroached onto the Banks only in 1985. Thus, the seven icebergs inferred to have grounded in that year are attributed to the emplacement of a population of icebergs on the Banks by the packice.

1986: The number of icebergs arriving was greatly reduced in 1986, totalling only 204 (reported by IIP) for the year. Husky tracked only 35 icebergs and no groundings were inferred. This result is attributed to the scarcity of bergs. The packice encroached onto the Banks in 1986 (Fig. 6.6) and except for the lack of bergs in April and May, groundings would probably have occurred.

1987: In 1987, easterly winds forced packice and icebergs to hug the coastline (Fig. 6.7). As a result, the packice did not reach the Banks. Husky tracked only 39 icebergs in all of 1987 and IIP

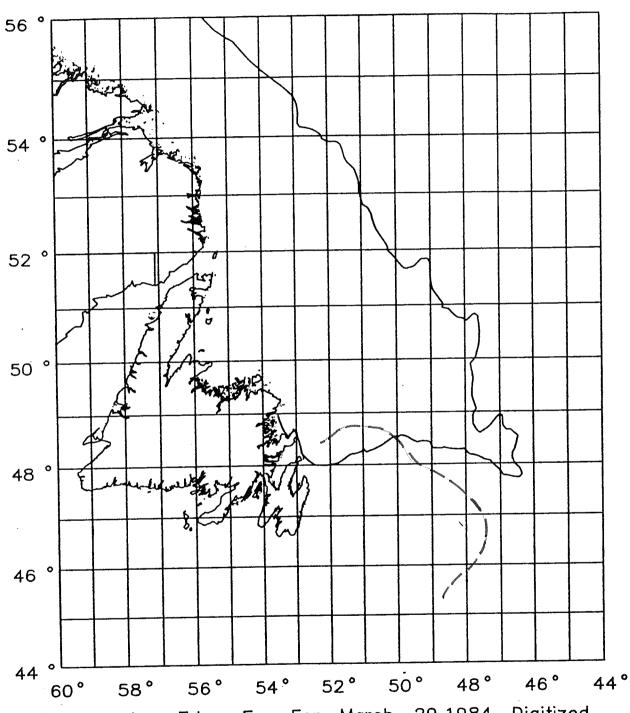
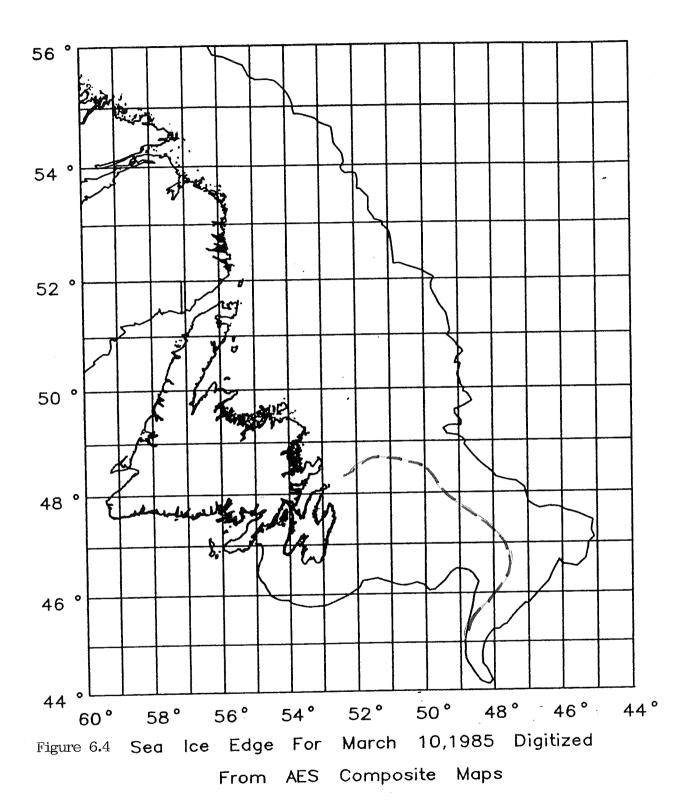
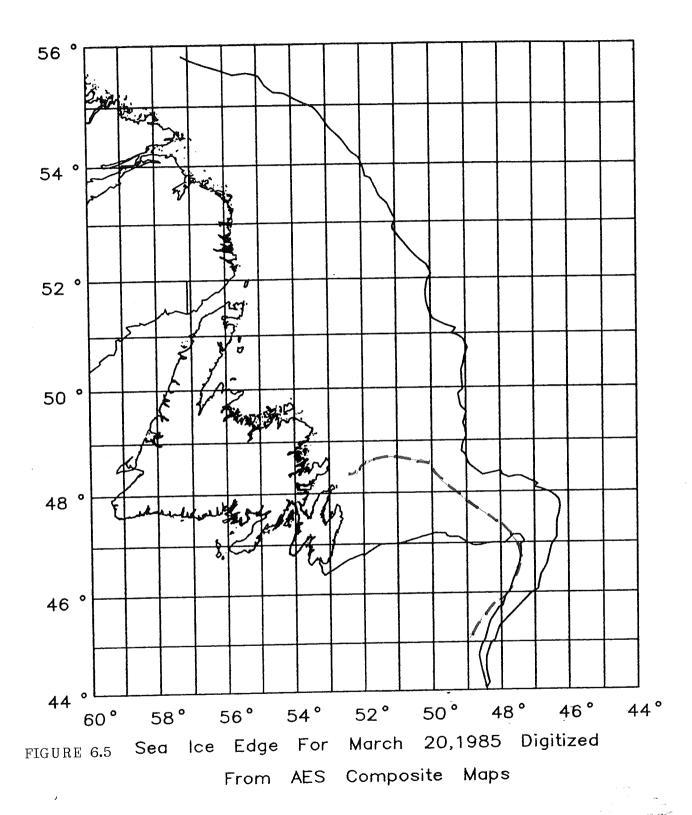


Figure 6.3 Sea Ice Edge For For March 29,1984 Digitized
From AES Composite Maps





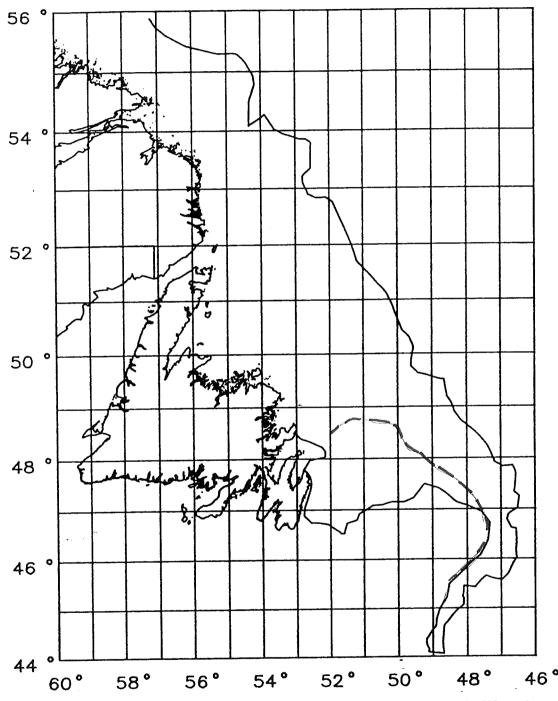


Figure 6.6 Sea Ice Edge For March 23,1986 Digitized
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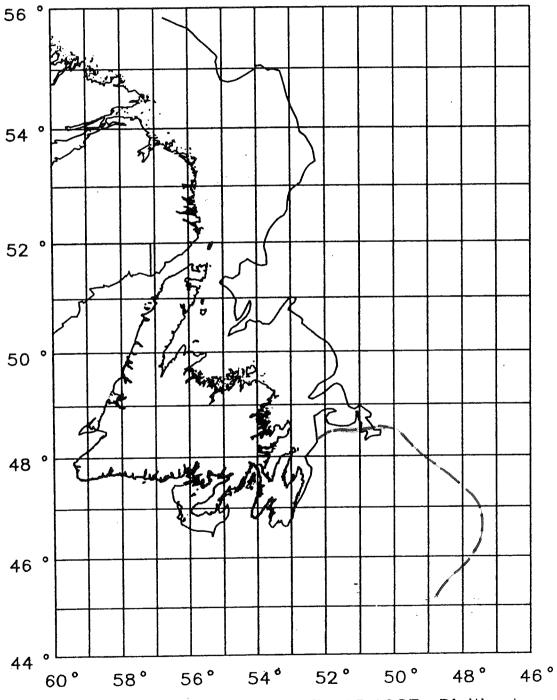


Figure 6.7 Sea Ice Edge For April 15,1987 Digitized
From AES Composite Maps

tracked a total of only 313 icebergs. Many of the reported icebergs were situated in the Avalon Channel close to Newfoundland. One iceberg grounding was inferred in 1987, presumably owing to the lack of packice on the Grand Banks and a relatively small iceberg population.

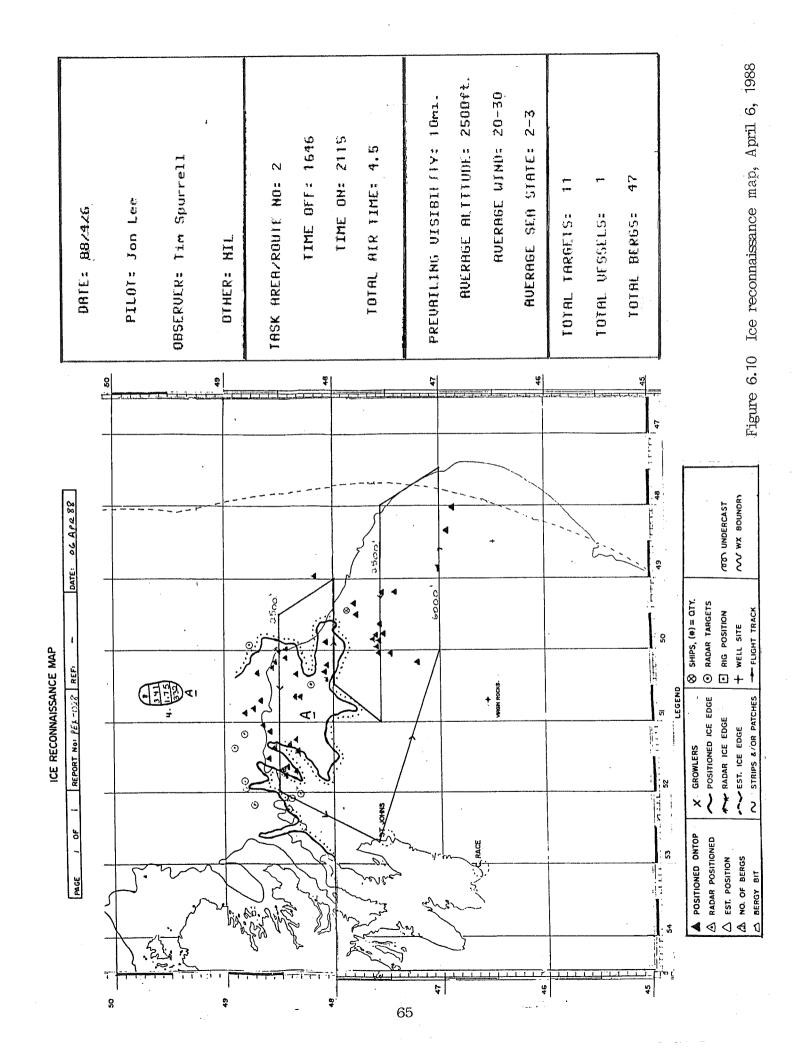
1988: In 1988, packice extended as far south as 47°N and into the Flemish Pass (Fig. 6.8), depositing about 60 icebergs just outside the 200m isobath on March 28 as observed by ice reconnaissance (Fig. 6.9). High easterly winds during early April drove the bergs across the Banks in a south-westerly direction (Fig. 6.10) leaving 4 grounded (Fig. 6.11). When the drill rig returned on April 21, seven of the 18 icebergs observed in 1988 were on track. Included in this count were the four grounded icebergs and 3 smaller ice masses presumed to have calved from the 4 grounded bergs. More small ice masses were calved later for a total count of 18 tracked icebergs. IIP tracked a total of 187 icebergs in 1988.

1989: In 1989, the packice extended early and far onto the Banks (Fig. 6.2) according to the aerial ice reconnaissance reports. Release of about 90 bergs from the packice commenced about March 9, which is somewhat earlier than usual. Two of the first four icebergs tracked in 1989 are inferred to have grounded. No total berg count is available from Husky for the current year, nor is a total count available from IIP.

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Figure 6.9 Ice reconnaissance map, March 28, 1988 B HUERHGE ALIIIUBE: 2000ft HUERRGE WIND: W-15 HUERRGE SER STRIE: 1-2m PREURILING UISIBILITY: 15+ FIME ON: 1716 (IME OFF: 1227 TUTAL AIR TIME: 4.8 UBSERVER: Pip Rudkin THSK RREAZROUTE NO: 9 PILUI: Jon Lee URIE: 88/3/28 FUTAL TARGETS: FOTHL VESSELS: IUIAL BERGS: 77) GIRLK: ð. DATE: 28 - MAR -88 NV WX BOUNDRY MERCAST UNDERCAST Ō RADAR TARGETS
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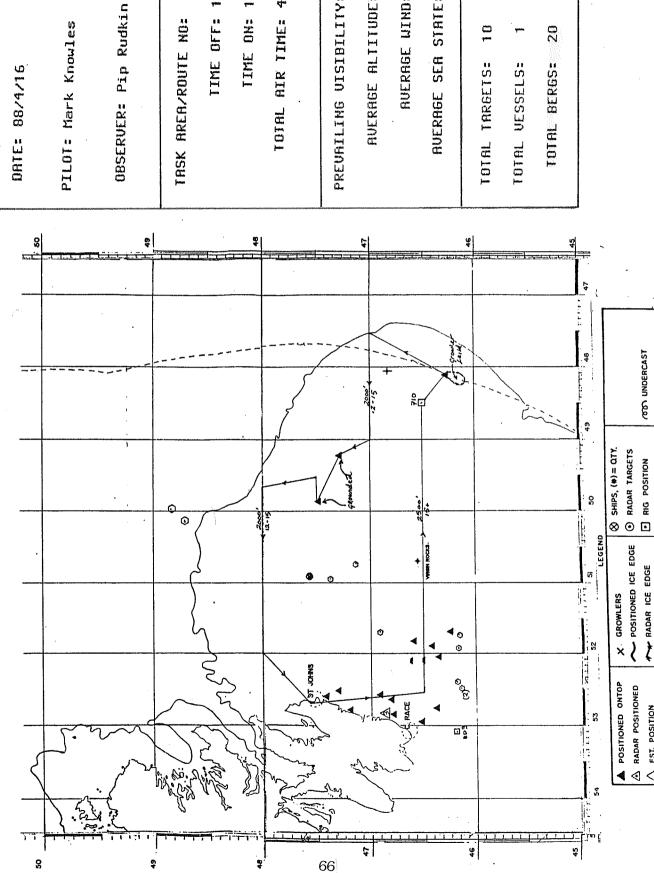


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Figure 6.11 Ice reconnaissance map, April 16, 1988

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#### 7. DISCUSSION

The data base, which consists of icebergs tracked by oil companies on the Grand Banks from 1983 to 1989, has proven useful in inferring occasions of definite groundings. Based on the analysis of the drift track data, definite groundings, inferred by zero drift/stationarity for at least 24 hours, were experienced by 27 icebergs. A total of 44 groundings are inferred for the 27 bergs and the results are summarized in section 5.

Iceberg count and percentage of grounded icebergs.

In Table 7.1, the number of grounded bergs and the percentage of bergs grounded are presented. Before jumping to conclusions about the total berg population from which grounded bergs derived, it should be noted that the Petro-Canada and Mobil Oil iceberg counts are considered to be subsets of the larger counts by Husky Oil in 1984 and 1985. The reason for this is that Husky Oil was drilling at more northerly locations and Husky Oil rigs observed more icebergs than were observed from other rigs. In 1984, 112 icebergs were counted by Husky Oil and the approximately 70 bergs counted by Mobil Oil and the 57 bergs counted by Petro-Canada are considered subsets of the 112. Likewise, in 1985, the 84 bergs counted by Petro-Canada at North Trinity and the 75 bergs counted at North Ben Nevis are taken as subsets of the much larger (234) berg count made by Husky Oil. These two Petro-Canada drilling locations are very close and therefore, the larger count is presented in Table 7.1. percentage of tracked icebergs which grounded or the frequency of

TABLE 7.1 Iceberg Statistics

Year	Operator	Number of tracked	Grounded iceberg	Number of groun-	Percentage
		icebergs.	numbers.	ded icebergs.	grounded.
1983	Mobil Oil	736	095, 104, 135,	6	0.9
0- <b>5</b> 00000000000000000000000000000000000			241, 292, 649.		0.0
1984	Husky Oil	112	none	O	0.0
	Mobil Oil	70*	037, 050, 1381	3	5 <b>.</b> 7
	Petro-Canad	la 57*	014, 015, 028 036.	4	7.0
1985	Husky Oil	234*	002, 004 014,	5	2.1
			019, 061.		
	Petro-Canac	la 84*	026.	1	1.2
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1986	Husky Oil	35	none	О	0.0
1987	Husky Oil	39	028.	1	2.6
1988	Husky Oil	18	001, 005, 013, 015	4	6.7**
1989	Husky Oil	not available	001, 004.	2	not applic.

<sup>\*</sup> Mobil Oil and Petro-Canada tracked iceberg populations are considered to be subsets of the larger Husky Oil iceberg population.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Note that Husky Oil tracked 18 bergs but the population from which the 4 grounded bergs originated was 60 as observed by air reconnaissance prior to drift across the Grand Banks.

grounding have been calculated. The values range from a low of zero% to a high of 7%, the mean value being 2.5%. This compares reasonably well with the 4.5% value derived by El Tahan et al, 1985 for well sites along the coast of Labrador. obviously a large spread in the frequency of groundings but the data suggests that about 2.5% of the icebergs tracked in the area of inferred groundings (Figs. 5.1 and 5.2) can be expected to It is sometimes difficult to decide which count of icebergs to use in the assessment of frequency of grounding. example, in 1988, Husky Oil had 18 bergs on track. information, one would conclude that 4 of the 18 bergs had grounded. In fact, the 4 bergs were part of a larger population of about 60 bergs which were seen by search radar. As it turned out, this larger population drifted across the Grand Banks in a south-westerly direction due to a major north-east wind event. Four of the 60 bergs were too large and grounded. Subsequently, calving of 14 other identifiable ice masses occurred. accounts for the 18 bergs tracked by Husky Oil in 1988. If the 18 bergs had been taken as the source population for grounding, the percentage frequency of grounding would ahve been 22.2%. The reason for Husky's low count of bergs in 1988 is that drilling was suspended when the 60 bergs were present, and because 1988 was a year with few ice bergs on the Grand Banks.

The Grand Banks acts as a filter. Bergs with drafts less than about 68m will not ground on the north-east and northern part of the Banks. Although the groundings inferred in this study are considered to represent a good estimate of definite groundings as per specified criteria, the number should be taken as a MINIMUM.

The reason for this is that a number of other bergs were noted as being grounded for short periods by supply vessels. The short term groundings are not included in the count of definite groundings because the stringent criteria were not met. Another important reason for considering the derived count of grounded bergs as a minimum is that the observation periods did not always include the entire iceberg season. The presence of packice and icebergs precluded drilling operations on a number of occasions.

## ICEBERG TRANSGRESSION ONTO THE GRAND BANKS

In an effort to come to grips with the question of the portion of bergs which come up onto the Grand Banks and the portion which remains in the Labrador Current regime, the drift tracks of all icebergs tracked by Husky Oil during 1984 and 1985 were plotted. These data were plotted because:

- 1) a large number of bergs were tracked in 1984 and 1985.
- 2) it was possible to plot and examine all drift tracks in Husky's data set for 1984 and 1985 in the area defined by  $46^\circ-30^\circ N$  to  $48^\circ-30^\circ N$  and  $47^\circ W$  to  $-49^\circ-30^\circ W$ .
- 3) we have full confidence that collective industry data identified all large icebergs grounded within the area defined by  $45^{\circ}-58$ 'N to  $47^{\circ}-45^{\circ}$ N and  $47^{\circ}$ W to  $49^{\circ}-30$ 'W.

The greatest observed depth of grounding is 149m, and therefore the 150m depth contour has been taken as the boundary between the Grand Banks and the Labrador Current regime. A count was made of the icebergs within the 150m isobath for 1984 and 1985. For the area analyzed  $(46-30^{\circ}N)$  to  $47^{\circ}-45^{\circ}N$  and  $47^{\circ}W$  to  $50^{\circ}-30^{\circ}W$ , the following results apply:

In 1985: \*48 of the 234 icebergs tracked by Husky Oil transgressed within the 150m contour line.

- \*five of the 48 icebergs, which transgressed onto the Grand Banks, are inferred to have grounded.
  - \*the percentage of the iceberg population transgressing onto the Grank Banks is 48/234=20.5%.

Note: 1 additional iceberg grounded within the 150m contour line, but it was situated west of the specified area and 1 other berg grounded within the 150m contour line south of the specified area.

In 1984: \*9 of the 112 icebergs tracked by Husky Oil transgressed within the 150m isobath and three other bergs tracked by Mobil Oil are inferred to have grounded. Also, 4 bergs tracked by Petro-Canada are inferred to have grounded.

- \* none of the icebergs tracked by Husky Oil are inferred to have grounded.
- \* the percentage of the iceberg population which transgressed onto the Grand Banks is (9+3+4)/112=14.3%.

We do not know the proportion of icebergs from Petro-Canada and Mobil Oil iceberg data sets, which transgressed the 150m isobath. but we know by inference that icebergs in these data sets grounded and therefore must have transgressed the 150m contour line. These bergs are taken to be part of Husky's population of icebergs. The data are presented in Table 7.1.

# Relationship between IIP iceberg count south of 48°N and the iceberg count by Oil companies which operated on the Grand Banks

It is the opinion of Husky Oil (Mr. Tom Murphy, percomm., 1989) that all icebergs were observed and tracked by Husky Oil within 100nm in the west to north quandrant from their northern drill

rig on the Grand Banks. Their confidence was based on the four levels of ice-surveillance available.

- 1) Atmospheric Environment Service SLAR flights.
- 2) dedicated site-specific radar flights with SLAR initially, then with a Litton V3 search radar and finally with a Litton V5 search radar.
- 3) supply vessel surveillance.
- 4) continuous radar surveillance from each drill rig.

The most intense surveillance was concentrated near rig locations of course, but surveillance extended as far west as 51°-15'W from about 47°-30'W, a distance of 165nm. The total iceberg counts made by industry on the Grand Banks are quite small compared with the count of icebergs south of 48°N by IIP. However, we have confidence that the vast majority of icebergs on the Grand Banks were tracked by collective industry surveillance, and attribute the larger IIP count to the following:

- \* IIP counts icebergs throughout the entire year
- \* Industry counted icebergs while operating and missed part of some iceberg seasons.
- \* IIP counts all icebergs south of 48°N from the Newfoundland coast and eastward; this is a much greater area than the area of interest to industry operating on the Grand Banks.
- \* The bergs drifting through the Avalon Channel and eastward north of  $48\,^{\circ}\mathrm{N}$  were not generally counted by industry.

For all the above reasons, it is not surprising that IIP counts are always greater than industry counts.

Although the definite groundings derived in this study are considered as a minimum, and other possible groundings are a certainty, it would be erroneous to apply the derived frequency of grounding to the total count of bergs by IIP. The bottom line

is that all definite grounded bergs were tracked and apart from some other possible groundings of short duration, the number of definite groundings inferred in this study is all there is.

#### Scour Rate

In the present study, the rate of scouring is inferred from inferred groundings in the northern Grand Banks area. The region of groundings extends from  $45^{\circ}-58^{\circ}N$  to  $47^{\circ}-45^{\circ}N$  and from  $48^{\circ}W$  to 51°-15'W, between the 68m and the 150m isobaths, an area of about Thus, the annual scouring rate is estimated as 44 $31000 \,\mathrm{km}^2$ . scours/31000 km / 7 years = 0.020 scours/100 km<sup>2</sup> - year.rate derived above from the 1983-9 iceberg data is about half of the lowest rate estimated by Lewis et al (1987). Lewis et al concluded that the annual scouring rate for the northern margin of the Grand Banks ranges from 0.08 to 1.05 scours/100  $\rm km^2$  - year and from 0.04 to 0.35 for the Hibernia area. These conclusions were based on 4 types of analysis: 1) geological inference of the age of inception of the present late Holocene ice scour population using the onset of ice-rafted sediment observed in cores from the adjacent Northeast Newfoundland Shelf, 2) calculation of scour frequency from iceberg flux and draft information, 3) seabed mapping and remapping, using probability theory to estimate upper bound for the scour rate and 4) the estimation of scour replenishment rates from estimates of The difference in scour rates sedimentary scour degradation. derived by Lewis et al and in the present study may be due to unobserved scours which no doubt occurred during the period of observation. Groundings of large bergs for long periods of time would not have been missedduring observation periods, but it is a virtual certainty that short term scouring or grounding events occurred, but were not observed. For example, some icebergs in the Mobil Oil iceberg data sets were noted as grounded by supply vessels but are not included amongst the definite groundings because certain criteria were not met. Also, groundings may have been missed when the observing drill rigs were not present on the Grand Banks (see Table 2.2). Lewis and Parrot (1987) found longterm scouring rates of about 0.04 scours per 100 km² - year for the Hibernia region. This implies 1 scour every 25 years in each 100 km² area. For zones of greater scour density, on the northern margin of the Grand Banks, in water depths of 140 to 160 m, a scour rate of about 1.05 scours/100  $\mathrm{km^2}$  - year was estimated. This rate implies the generation of 1 new scour each year in every 100 km² area. Gaskill et al (1985) applied assumed sedimentation rates on the Grand Banks and estimated scour rates of  $0.0009 \text{ scours}/100 \text{ km}^2$  - year. This rate is equivalent to 1 scour every 1100 years. Amos and Barrie (1985) derived scour frequency as a function of the rate of megaripple migration and the number of scours which crosscut megaripple fields: they concluded that scour frequency in the Hibernia area ranges from 0.05 to 0.6 scours/ $100 \text{ km}^2$  - year. The results of the abovementioned estimates of scour rates are summarized in Table 7.2. Obviously, there is a great deal of scatter in the various estimates of scour rates. The minimum rate of scour derived in this study is based on definite groundings only (0.020  $scours/100 \text{ km}^2$  - year). It is fully expected that this rate is



a minimum and that when a count of other possible groundings is made, the estimate of the scour rate will increase.

Table 7.2 Scour rates in the Hibernia area estimated from various sources

Investigator	Methods	Scours per	Return period
		100 km~-year	100 kmyear 1scour/100 km every
Lewis and Parrot (1987)	Inferred from ratio of seabed scour con-	0.04 to 0.35	0.04 to 0.35 25 to 3 years
enepara (giptina)	tration to inferred scour population age.		
Lewis et al (1987)	* geological inference	0.04 to 0.35	25 to 3 years
, 7	* calculation of scour frequency from ice-		
	berg flux and draft information.		
	* seabed mapping and remapping.	1.	and the second s
	* estimate of scour replenishment rates from		
	estimatesof sedimentary scour degradation.		ţ
Gaskill et al (1985)	Assumed sedimentation rates.	600000	1100 "
Amos and Berrie (1985)	Scours as a function of megaripple migra-	0.05 to 0.60	20 to 2 "
<b>N</b>	tion.		
Present study *	Analysis of iceberg drift tracks.	0.020	20

grounding events which undoubtedly occurred, and because observation during part of some iceberg \* The rate of scouring derived in this study is to be considered as a minimum rate owing to short-term seasons were missed owing to the absence of drill rigs.

#### 8. CONCLUSIONS

Based on the available industry iceberg drift tracks for the period 1983 to 1989, it is concluded that 27 icebergs definitely Multiple groundings in grounded a total of 44 times. progressively shallower water depths account for 61% of the inferred groundings which occurred between the  $149\,\mathrm{m}$  and the  $74\,\mathrm{m}$ The 27 grounded icebergs should be taken as a minimum because grounding events were probably missed when the drill rigs were off location and because other possible groundings were However, these did not meet our noted by supply vessels. stringent criteria for definite groundings. Collective industry surveillance for icebergs in the Grand Banks area ensured that all icebergs were tracked while drilling proceeded and the mean grounding frequency is computed as 2.5% of the tracked This value is considered as a minimum but compares populations. well with the 4.5% grounding frequency found by El Tahan et al, 1985 for icebergs in the vicinity of drill rigs off Labrador. The derived rate of scour in this study is 0.020 scours/100 km<sup>2</sup>year. This scour rate is considered to be a minimum because it is suspected that other possible groundings occurred unobserved. The derived scour rate is about half of the lowest estimated scour rate inferred by Lewis et al, 1987. The success of the technique of using tracked iceberg drift data to infer scours and groundings has been demonstrated by 2 field surveys in which 2 of the scours inferred in this study were easily located and The Husky Oil iceberg data suggests that the surveyed. percentage of bergs which transgressed onto the Grand Banks within the 150m contour line varied from 14.3% to 20.5%. It is

felt that the present data review has revealed the minimum number of definite groundings on the Grand Banks according to our stringent criteria, and that other possible short-term grounding and scouring events may have occurred. The derived scour rate should be viewed in this light. Having defined definite groundings and the environmental circumstances involved in each case, the next logical step is to conduct field surveys to document the inferred groundings and scours.

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## REPORT APPENDIX

App. #	ICEBERG
RA1	001 and 004/1989
RA2	001/1988
RA3	005/1988
RA4	013/1988
RA5	015/1988
RA6	002/1985
RA7	004/1985
RA8	014/1985
RA9	BIO 002/1985
RA10	026/1985
RA11	014/1984
RA12	015/1984
RA13	028/1984
RA14	036/1984
RA15	037/1984
RA16	050/1984
RA17	1381/1984
RA18	095/1983
RA19	104/1983
RA20	135/1983
RA21	241/1983
RA22	292/1983
RA23	649/1983
RA24	028/1987
R A 25	019/1985
R A 26	061/1985
R A 27	Rejected bergs.

## Legend used in the Data Appendix

KD	denotes	keel dragging
FD	11	free drift
G1	11	grounding number
	11	grounded position
	† †	iceberg drift track
	**	drift direction
095/1983	11	iceberg number/year
MB	**	medium berg
LB	11	large berg
SB	11	small berg
DDK	11	drydock berg
WDG	11	wedge shaped berg
PNC	11	pinnacle berg
TAB	, 11	tabular berg
E	11	estimated
M	.tt	measured
С	11	calculated
CPA	***	closest point of approach

Iceberg 001 appeared near the edge of the packice (Fig. A-1) about March 8, 1989 at 47°-15' N and 48°-15' W, north of the drill rig Vinlander. Tracking of berg 001 commenced at 0800 local Newfoundland time on March 9, when it was located 35.2 nm away at a bearing of 11.2° (Table Al). The berg was still surrounded by loose packice (Fig. A-2). Despite 30 knot winds from the west during March 9 and north west winds the following day, berg 001 drifted due south out of the The drift track crossed isobaths into shallower water in free drift until 0400 on March 10, when a towline was secured around the berg. A 60 ton tow line tension was maintained in an easterly direction in an effort to divert the berg towards the east and away from the Vinlander. Only slight alterations to the course were achieved. While under tow, the berg ran aground in 112m of water. Although the berg was firmly aground, towing continued for some time in Despite several later attempts to tow the berg, it an easterly direction. remained grounded for 45 days, finally drifting off to the north east on the 24th of April. It apparently dragged its keel over some distance and appeared to bump the bottom. What terminated the grounding was a reported lift or tilt on the 21st of April.

The groundings of berg 001 and 004 are attributed to the fact that the pack ice extended well within the 200m contour line. The bergs were thus delivered onto the Grand Banks by the packice. Tracking of the first three bergs to emerge from the packice commenced on March 9, and berg 004 emerged about 3 or 4 days later. These three icebergs drifted along parallel drift tracks as shown in Fig. A-2. Berg 001 was largest and grounded, whereas the other two bergs being smaller did not ground.

Berg 001 had a measured length of 162m, an estimated width of 100m and a sail height of 46m. The berg was pinnacle-shaped and had a mass estimated as 1.7

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Figure A-1 Icebergs on the Grand Banks March 11, 1989

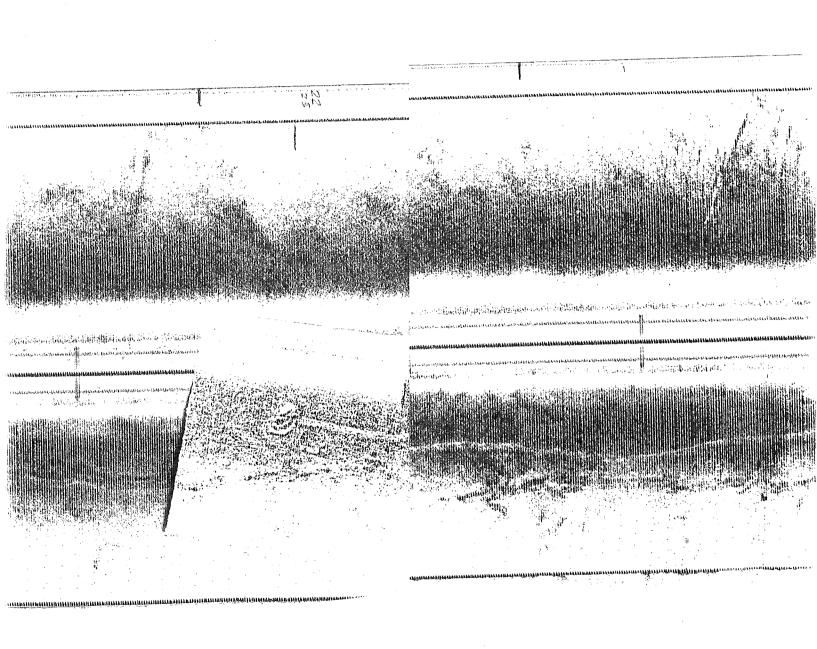


Figure A-4

Scour track left on the seabed by iceberg 001/1989

Source: Fader, 1989

### RA2 Iceberg 001/1988

The circumstances surrounding the initial grounding (G1) of this iceberg in April, 1988 have been fully described by Woodworth-Lynas, 1989 and Banke, 1988 in two contact reports prepared for Husky Oil East Coast operations. The scour left on the seabed by berg OOl was documented by means of a side scan sonar survey described in the above reports and by resurvey in September, 1988 by AGC. Subsequent to its first grounding, the berg drifted southward and grounded again in 3 locations (G2, G3 and G4).

The above-water dimensions of iceberg 001 were first estimated from a supply vessel as 168m by 85m and the sail height was 31m. The berg was of the dry-dock type and had well-developed water line grooves. The berg was judged to be stable and amenable to towing, but as there was no drill rig at the Whiterose E-09 location at the time, there was no need to attempt towing. It is now known that the berg first scoured in 125m of water to a depth of 1m, which indicates a draft of 126m, notwithstanding any tilting of the berg during scouring. Due to inclement weather conditions at the time of the grounding, it was not possible to photograph the berg from the air. However, aerial photographs were taken on April 16 and 25 and stereo photographs were taken at the position of the berg's second grounding approximately 30mm south of Whiterose E-09.

Despite fog and low clouds, mapping of the berg was achieved; the key dimensions were determined by analysis and computer enhancement of the stereo-photographs (Fig. A-5) to be:

Length 207m

Width 114m

Sail height 40m

The computed volume of ice above the water line was 268,656 cubic meters which suggests a total mass of approximately 1.8 million tons. Atlantic Airways

mapping contractors, Geodata Ltd., St. John's estimated the possible volume error as  $\pm$  15%. Based on the observation that some mass was lost from the berg after grounding near Whiterose E-09, it is probable that iceberg 001 had a mass of approximately 1.9 million tonnes during its grounding near E-09.

The drift of berg 001/1988 is presented in Fig. A-6 and position data are given The berg was first observed at a distance of 37.7nm from the Whiterose E-09 location on the second of April 1988. By April 4, this distance was reduced to 9.9 nm. Two days later on April 6, the berg was situated 3.4nm north of the E-09 location, having drifted in a generally southwest direction into shallower water due to high winds and high sea-states from the northeast. For lack of information on the actual drift track between April 4 and 6, the track is shown as a straight line in Fig. A-7. Prior to grounding in 125m of water, the berg drifted in an area with greater water depth and it is therefore considered unlikely that scouring occurred prior to April 12, when the grounding event occurred. Woodworth-Lynas (1989) considers it more likely that the berg was grounded for at least 3 days, based on interpretation of the scour track. On April 12 at 1705 hours, the berg was confirmed grounded 1.9nm north of the E-09 location and remained grounded or moving slowly until 0200 hours on April 13, as evidenced by its 0400 position of only 0.8 nm at 326.1° from E-09. Thereafter, the iceberg grounded briefly, approximately 1.6 km north northwest of Whiterose E-09 and then continued its free drift on a generally southerly course without marking the seabed except for one possible short scour mark. The entire grounding event (G1) was documented by sonar during a survey conducted by Husky in July 1988 and again in a resurvey conducted by AGC in September, 1988 (Fig. A-8). Berg 001 drifted south from its first grounded position and grounded again about 30mm away. G2, G3 and G4 is presented in Fig. A-9. The winds during April 13 to 16 when the second grounding (G2) occurred, varied from 25kt from

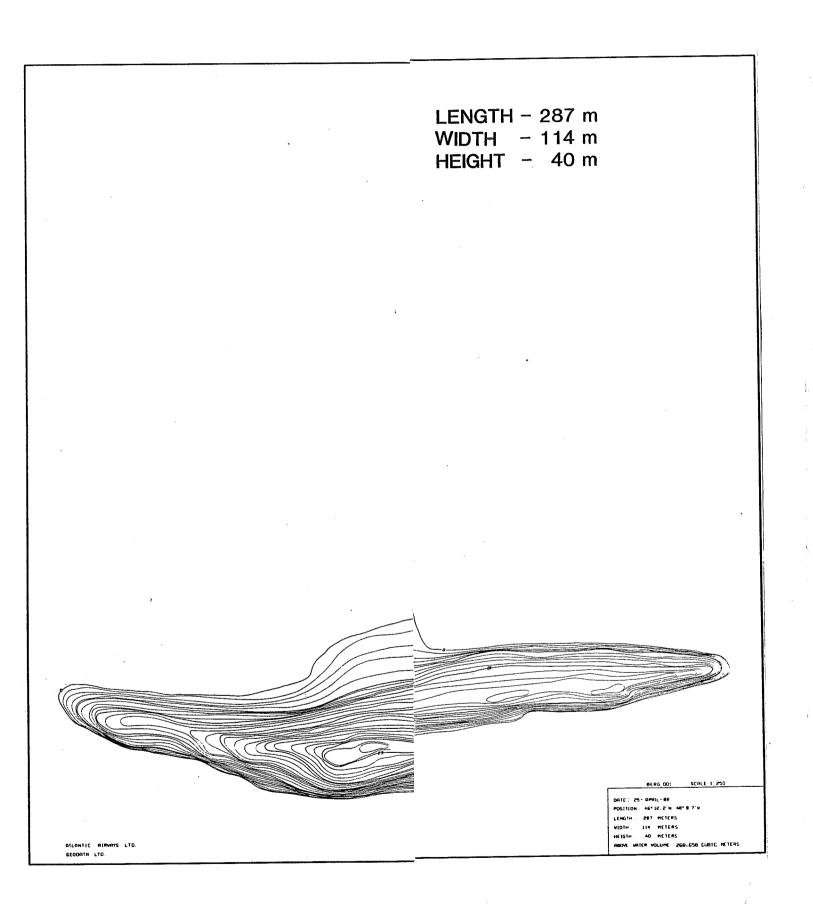


Figure A-5 Contour map of iceberg 001/1988

TABLE A1 Individual drift track listing for iceberg 001/1989

#### BERG OO1

( Page 1 :

Springdale M-29 (Vinlander) (46 28,80' N 48 19,49' W )

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = L Length = M162

Width = E100

Shape = FNCHeight = M046

Draft = S112

Mass = 1326456 Stability =

-6.5

DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi) Type Hdg. Force (n.mi) 09/03/89 0800 35.2 11.2 47 3.3 48 9.5 VCYS () 93.9 2.0 48 9.8 VCYS 09/03/89 0900 11.3 47 0 1.32 189 1.0 1 ... 0.7 48 9.1 VCYS 1.39 160 2.0 09/03/89 32.7 12.6 47 2.7 1000 0 8.1 VCYS 09/03/89 1100 31.7 14,3 46 59,5 48 () 1.38 150 3.0 4.1 15.5 46 58.7 48 7.4 VCYS 0.93 149 4 . O 5.0 09/03/89 1200 31.0 0 09/03/89 1300 29.3 15.5 46 57.0 48 8.1 VCYS 0 1.77 196 5.0 6.8 17.2 46 56.4 48 7.0 VCYS 7:7 09/03/89 1400 28.9 () 0.96 128 6.0 27.4 17.3 46 55.0 48 7.6 VCYS 1.46 196 7.0 9.2 09/03/89 1500 () 09/03/89 1600 26.3 18.2 46 53.8 48 7.5 VCYS 0 1.20 177 8.0 10.4 8.2 VCYS 24.8 18.2 46 52.4 48 1,48 199 9.0 11.9 09/03/89 1700 () 09/03/89 1800 23.7 19.5 46 51.1 48 8.0 VCYS 0 1.31 174 10.0 13.2 22.7 20.2 46 50.1 48 8.1 VCYS 1.00 184 11.0 14.2 09/03/89 1900 () 09/03/89 2000 21.8 19,4 46 49,4 48 8.9 VCYS 0 0.89 218 12.0 15.1 9.1 VCYS 09/03/89 2100 21.0 19.8 46 48.6 48  $\langle \rangle$ 0.81 190 13.0 15.9 20.3 46 47.9 48 9.2 VCYS () 0.70 186 09/03/89 2200 20.4 14 () 16.6 09/03/89 2300 19.8 21.1 46 47.3 48 9.1 VCYS ()0.60 173 15.0 17.2 10/03/89 0000 19.4 21.3 46 46.9 48 9.2 VCYS () 0.41 190 16.0 17.6 9.0 VCYS 10/03/89 ()1()()18.8 22.5 46 46.2 48 () 0.71 169 17.0 18.3 18.1 23.3 46 45.4 48 9.1 VCYS 0.80 185 18.0 19.1 10/03/89 0200 O19.4 10/03/89 0300 17.9 23.9 46 45.2 48 8,9 VCYS () 0.24 145 19.0 24.9 46 44.2 48 9.1 VCYS 1,01 188 20.0 20.4 ELI 80.0 E020 10/03/89 0400 17.0 Û 0.63 130 80.0 E055 16.8 26.9 46 43.8 48 8.4 VCYS 0 21.0 21.0 (1) 10/03/89 0500 0.71 169 22.0 21.7 [L] 90.0 E070 10/03/89 Q6QQ 16.3 28,5 46 43.1 48 8.2 VCYS O 15.8 29.1 46 42.6 48 8.3 VCYS 0.50 188 23:0 22.2 111 90.0 E070 10/03/89 0700 0 10/03/89 0800 15.5 29.9 46 42.2 48 8.3 VCYS 0 0.40 180 24.0 22.6 fl] 90.0 E070 25.0 90.0 E070 10/03/89 0900 15.2 30.4 46 41.9 48 8.3 VCYS 0 0.30 180 22.9 LL1 8.3 VCYS 0.30 180 23.2 [L] 90.0 E070 10/03/89 1000 14.9 31.0 46 41.6 48 () 26.0 31.4 46 41.3 48 23.5 (L) 90.0 E070 10/03/89 1100 14.6 8.4 VCYS () 0.31 193 27.014,4 32.2 46 41.0 48 8.3 VCYS 0 0.31 167 28.0 23.8 ILI 90.0 E070 10/03/89 1200 32.7 46 40.8 48 10/03/89 1300 14.3 8.3 VCYS 0 0.20 180 29.0 24.0 LL1 90.0 E070 24.2 CLI 90.0 E075 33.1 46 40.6 48 8.3 VCYS 0.20 180 30.0 10/03/89 1400 14.1 () 8.3 VCYS 0.20 180 24.4 LL3 90.0 E075 10/03/89 1500 13.9 33.5 46 40.4 48 () 31.0 24.6 (LI 120.0 E075 10/03/89 1600 13.8 33.1 46 40.4 48 8.5 VCY5 0 0.14 270 32.0 10/03/89 1700 13.3 34.5 46 39.8 48 8.5 VCYS 0.60 180 33.0 25.2 (LJ 120.0 E075 () 10/03/89 1800 13.4 34.2 46 39.9 48 8.5 VCYS () 0.10 360 34.0 25.3 (L1 120.0 E075 8.5 VEYS 0.00000 35.0 25.3 LLJ 120.0 E075 1900 13.4 34.2 46 39.9 48 () 10/03/89 13.4 34.2 46 39.9 48 8.5 VCYS 0 0.00 000 36.0 25.3 (L] 120.0 £075 10/03/89 2000 8.4 VCYS 37.0 25.6 LL) 90.0 E075 10/03/89 2100 13.7 33.8 46 40.2 48 0 0.31 013 34.0 46 40.2 48 8.3 VCYS 0 0.07 090 U.BE 25.7 LLJ 90.0 E075 10/03/89 2200 13.8 34.0 46 40.2 48 B.3 VCYS ()0.00 000 J9.0 25.7 LLI 90.0 E0/5 10/03/89 2300 13.8 40.0 25.7 (L] 90.0 E075 13.8 34.0 46 40.2 48 8.3 VCYS 0.00 000 11/03/89 00000()25.7 IL1 90.0 E075 11/03/89 0100 13.8 34.0 46 40.2 48 8.3 VCYS () 0.00 000 41 () 13.8 34.0 46 40.2 48 8.3 VCYS 0.00 000 42.0 25.7 CL1 90.0 E075 11/03/89 0200 () 43.0 25.7 LLI 90.0 E075 11/03/89 0300 13.8 34,0 45 40.2 48 8.3 VCYS 0 0.00 000

## Table A1 (continued)

#### BERG 001

(Page 2)

Springdale M-29 (Vinlander) ( 46 28.80' N 48 19.49' W )

Draft = S112 Mass = 1326456 Stability = -6.5

10/03/89 1700 13.35 34.5 (CPA) 09/03/89 0800 35.18 11.2 (MDR)

SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 1.77 0.57 0.51 (to 178 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.90)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 46

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = DDK Length = E090 Width = E040 Height = E008

Draft = C59 Mass = 30758 Stability = 59.1

	DATE	TIME L	Range (n.mi)											E.D. (n.mi)		Tow Hdg.	Tow Force
	02/04/88	1332	37.2	10.6	47	25.0	47	51.3	GPCD	0							
	04/04/88	1624	10.0	40.6	46	56.0	47	51.9	GPCD	0	0.57	181	50.9	29.0			
	06/04/88	1751	3.4	359.7	46	51.8	48	1.4	GPCD	0	0.16	237	100.3	36.7			٠.
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	13/04/88	0700									1.20						
	13/04/88	0800		205.3									258.5				
	13/04/88	0900									1.00				•		
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	13/04/88	1800		182.3					VCPQ				267.5	52.8			
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TABLE A2 Individual drift track listing for iceberg 001/1988

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Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3)
( 46 48.44′ N 48 1.38′ W )
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Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = DDK
Length = E090 Width = E040 Height = E008
Draft = C59 Mass = 30758 Stability = 59.1

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TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow
    DATE
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                       (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdq. Force
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    15/04/88 0200
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    15/04/88 0400
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    15/04/88 1200
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    15/04/88 1400
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    15/04/88 1600
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                     32.8 179.7 46 15.6 48 1.1 VXJG 0 0.33 205 315.5 81.9 [L] 135.0 E070
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    15/04/88 1900 33.2 180.1 46 15.2 48 1.5 VXJG 0 0.12 215 317.5 82.4 [L] 135.0 E070
    15/04/88 2013 33.3 181.0 46 15.1 48 2.2 VXJG 0 0.40 258 318.7 82.9
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DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdg. Force 12/05/88 1733 58.4 190.9 45 51.1 48 17.3 2329 22 0.07 294 964.0 201.5 12/05/88 1900 191.0 45 51.5 48 17.4 2329 22 58.0 0.28 350 965.5 201.9 [L] 190.0 E35 12/05/88 2100 57.6 190.2 45 51.7 48 16.1 2329 22 0.46 077 967.5 202.8 [L] 190.0 E35 12/05/88 2300 57.7 189.1 45 51.5 48 14.6 2329 22 0.53 101 969.5 203.9 [L] 190.0 E35 13/05/88 0100 58.0 188.5 45 51.1 48 13.8 2329 22 0.34 126 971.5 204.5 [L] 190.0 E35 13/05/88 0300 59.6 189.2 45 49.6 48 15.2 2329 22 0.89 213 973.5 206.3 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 0500 61.0 190.2 45 48.4 48 17.0 2329 22 0.86 226 975.5 208.1 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 0700 61.7 190.6 45 47.8 48 17.8 2329 22 0.41 223 977.5 208.9 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 0900 62.3 190.6 45 47.2 48 18.0 2329 22 0.31 193 979.5 209.5 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 1100 63.3 190.1 45 46.1 48 17.5 2329 22 0.58 163 981.5 210.6 [L] 190.0 E40 65.0 189.6 45 44.3 48 17.0 2329 22 13/05/88 1300 0.92 169 983.5 212.5 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 1500 66.9 189.8 45 42.5 48 17.8 2329 22 0.94 197 985.5 214.4 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 1700 68.9 190.0 45 40.6 48 18.7 2329 22 1.00 198 987.5 216.4 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 1900 69.8 191.4 45 40.0 48 21.3 2329 22 0.95 252 989.5 218.3 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 2100 71.2 191.7 45 38.7 48 22.2 2329 22 0.72 206 991.5 219.7 [L] 190.0 E40 13/05/88 2300 72.5 191.9 45 37.5 48 23.0 2329 22 0.66 205 993.5 221.0 [L] 190.0 E40 14/05/88 0100 74.7 191.8 45 35.3 48 23.5 2329 22 1.11 189 995.5 223.2 [L] 190.0 E40 14/05/88 0300 75.4 191.9 45 34.7 48 23.9 2329 22 0.33 205 997.5 223.9 [L] 190.0 E40 14/05/88 0500 76.6 192.0 45 33.5 48 24.4 2329 22 0.62 196 999.5 225.2 [L] 190.0 E40 14/05/88 0700 78.3 192.1 45 31.9 48 25.1 2329 0 0.84 197 %1001.5 226.8 15/05/88 0100 89.8 195.0 45 21.6 48 34.9 22 0.68 214 %1019.5 239.1 [L] 190.0 E040 15/05/88 0400 92.2 194.9 45 19.3 48 35.6 V023 22 0.80 192 %1022.5 241.5 [L] 0.0 15/05/88 0535 94.7 195.0 45 17.0 48 36.8 V023 22 1.55 200 %1024.1 244.0

09/04/88 1120 1.51 10.8 (CPA) 15/05/88 0535 94.68 195.0 (MDR)

SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 2.03 0.45 0.13 (to 194 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.54)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 273

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = S Shape = DOM
Length = XXX Width = XXX Height = XXX
Draft = XXX Mass = XXX

DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow Tow L (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdg. Force 02/04/88 1336 44.3 3.1 47 32.7 47 57.9 GPCD 0 0.58 179 50.7 29.3

06/04/88 1745 15.2 299.0 46 55.8 48 20.8 GPCD 0 0.36 245 100.2 47.1

06/04/88 1745 15.18 299.0 (CPA) 02/04/88 1336 44.33 3.1 (MDR)

SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.36 0.58 0.47 0.40 (to 203 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.85)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 3

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) ( 46 48.44′ N 48 1.38′ W )

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = L Shape = DDK Length = M152 Width = M094 Height = M025 Draft = M100 Mass = 381490 Stability = 28.2

DATE Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow TIME Range Brng. Lat. Tow (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdo. Force 14/04/88 1900 59.0 300.6 47 18.5 49 15.9 VCYS 0 1700 15/04/88 59.0 300.6 47 18.5 49 15.9 VCYS 19 0.00 000 22.0 0.0 299.9 47 18.0 49 16.8 VCYS 19 15/04/88 2100 59.3 0.20 231 26.0 0.8 15/04/88 2107 59.3 299.9 47 18.0 49 16.8 VCYS 19 0.00 000 26.1 0.8 16/04/88 1354 59.3 299.9 47 18.0 49 16.8 GPCD 19 0.00 000 42.9 0.8 17/04/88 2205 59.4 299.1 47 17.3 49 17.6 VCBQ 19 0.03 218 75.1 1.7 18/04/88 1000 59.4 299.8 47 17.9 49 17.0 VCYS 19 0.06 035 87.0 2.4 2200 59.4 18/04/88 299.8 47 17.9 49 17.0 VCYS 19 0.00 000 99.8 2.4 1010 59.2 299.9 47 18.0 49 16.7 VCYQ 19 0.01 064 135.2 20/04/88 2.6 20/04/88 1454 299.9 47 17.7 49 16.0 VCYQ 19 58.7 0.12 122 139.9 3.2 1230 61.3 292.4 47 11.8 49 24.5 VCYQ 19 21/04/88 0.38 225 161.5 11.5 61.2 21/04/88 1330 291.8 47 11.2 49 24.7 VCYQ 19 0.62 193 162.5 12.1 21/04/88 1430 61.3 291.7 47 11.1 49 24.9 VCYQ 19 0.17 234 163.5 12.3 \ 21/04/88 1530 61.3 291.8 47 11.2 49 24.9 VCYQ 19 0.10 001 164.5 12.4 510000 0.03 146 168.5 21/04/88 1930 61.2 291.7 47 11.1 49 24.8 VCYQ 19 12.5 21/04/88 2030 291.7 47 11.1 49 24.9 VCYQ 19 61.3 0.07 270 169.5 12.6 21/04/88 2130 61.4 291.8 47 11.2 49 25.0 VCYQ 19 0.12 326 170.5 12.7 22/04/88 0000 61.4 291.8 47 11.2 49 25.0 VCYQ 19 0.00 000 173.0 12.7 13.9 🗸 22/04/88 0400 60.9 292.7 47 12.0 49 23.8 VCYQ 19 0.29 046 177.0 14.3 √ 22/04/88 0500 60.7 293.1 47 12.3 49 23.3 VCYQ 19 0.46 049 178.0 22/04/88 0700 60.6 293.2 47 12.3 49 23.0 VCYQ 19 0.10 090 180.0 14.5 22/04/88 2040 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.02 083 193.7 14.7 0735 23/04/88 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 206 204.6 23/04/88 0815 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 205.3 14.8 23/04/88 0930 60:4 293:3 47 12:3 49 22:7 VCYS 19 0:00 000 206:5 14.8 23/04/88 1600 60.4 273.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 209.0 14.8 23/04/88 1600 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 213.0 14.8 24/04/88 0800 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 UCYS 19 0.00 000 229.0 14.8/ 25/04/88 0000 80.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 245.0 14.8/ 25/04/88 1018 60.6 292.6 47 11.7 49 23.4 GSLA 19 0.07 219 255.3 15.5/25/04/88 1830 60.5 293.2 47 12.3 49 22.9 VCYS 19 0.08 030 263.5 16.2 25/04/88 1700 60:4 273:3 47 12.3 47 22.7 VCYS 19 0.27 090 264.0 1 26/04/88 0800 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 277.0 16.4 26/04/88 1200 60.4 293.3 47 12.3 49 22.7 VCYS 19 0.00 000 281.0 16.4 27/04/88 0430 60.5 293.2 47 12.3 49 22.9 VCYS 22 0.0 270 297.5 16.5

Table A3 Individual iceberg drift track listing for iceberg 005/1988

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) ( 46 48.44′ N 48 1.38′ W )

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = L Shape = DDK
Length = M152 Width = M094 Height = M025
Draft = M100 Mass = 381490 Stability = 28.2

DATE	TIME L	Range (n.mi	Brng.	. L	at. imm)	⟨d	Long. d mm)	Call Sign	TT (h	Speed (kts)	Dir (T)	(h)	E.D. (n.mi	Tow Type	Tow Hdg.	Tow Force
27/04/88	1125	60.5	293.2	47,	<b>4</b> 2.3	49	22.9	VCYS	22	9.00	<b>op</b> o	304.4	16.5		====	
28/04/88		59.6	292.0	47	10.8	49	22.4	6SLA	22	0=06	<b>1</b> 68	330.7	18.0	$\checkmark$		
28/04/88	1921	60.1	293.3	47	12.2	49	22.4	VXJK	22	0.25	000	336.4	19.4			A 7 1
28/04/88	2200	60.1	293.3	47	12.2	49	22.4	VXJK	22	0.00	000	339.0	19.4	<b>✓</b>	<u>)</u> .	
29/04/88		60.1	293.3	47	12.2	49	22.4	VXJK	22	0.00	000	341.0	19.4			
29/04/88		60.2	293.2	47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22	<b>3</b> .62	270	345.0	19.5			
29/04/88		60.2	293.2	47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22	0.06	000	348.0	19.5	/		
29/04/88		60.2	293.2							0.00	000	350.0	19.5	V ;		2 .
29/04/88	1200	60.2	293.2	47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22	0.00	<b>7</b> 000	353.0	19.5	<b>/</b>		
29/04/88	1600	60.2		47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22	· T. AE	208	357.0	19.5		🗸	>
29/04/88	2000	60.2	293.2	47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22		028	361.0	19.6		j-	
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30/04/88		60.2		47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22	0.00	<b>≸</b> 00	373.0	19.6	1/	Mar.	102/
30/04/88	2310	60.2	293.2	47	12.2	49	22.5	VXJK	22		000	388.2	19.6			
01/05/88	0212	61.0	293.1	47	12.4	49	23.6	VCYQ	22	0.26	285	391.2	,20.4	45	21	239
01/05/88	0334	61.6	292.9	47	12.4	49	24.6	VCYQ	22	0.50	270	392.6	<sup>7</sup> 21.0			1)
01/05/88	0430	61.6	292.9										21.0	<i>\( \sigma_i \)</i>	Linas	(2) 5"
01/05/88	0530	61.7	292.9										21.1	$\sqrt{}$	Tarina are Nagara	~ ~ ' o'
01/05/88	0630	61.7	292.9										21.1	N S	1. 1.	
01/05/88	0730	61.7	292.9										21.1	V		
01/05/88	1220	61.7	292.7										21.3			
01/05/88	1935	61.9	292.6	47	12.2	49	25.2	VCYQ	22		270	408.6	21.6	70/		
01/05/88	2125	62.0	292.5	47	12.2	49	25.3	VCYQ	22		270	410.4	21.7	1 /	z ·A:	
02/05/88	0035	62.0	292.5	47	12.2	49	25.3	VCYQ	22	(200)	non	413.4	21.7-	1	-4	1.
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02/05/88	0600	62.0	292.5	47	12.2	49	25.3	VCYQ	22	7	200	419.0	21.7	$\mathcal{J}$		17.6
02/05/88	0800	61.8	292.6	47	12.2	49	25.1	VCYQ	22		090	421.0	21.8	$\sqrt{}$		
02/05/88	1000	61.9	292.6	47	12.2	49	25.2	VCYQ	22	0.03	270	423.0	21.9		• • :	
02/05/88	1200	61.9	292.6	47	12.2	49	25.2	VCYQ	22	0.00			21.9		\	
02/05/88	1730		292.6							0.02			22.0		,	,
02/05/88	2000		292.3										22.4	V	•	
02/05/88	2210	62.5	292.1	47	11.9	49	26.3	VCYQ	22	0.16			22.8			V
03/05/88	0000	62.3	291.7	47	11.5	49	26.2	VCYQ	22	0.22	171	437.0	23.2			
03/05/88	0200		291.5							0.15			23.5			
03/05/88	0400		291.7									441.0	23.8			
03/05/88	0000		292.1							0.20			24.2			
03/05/88	0800		292.1									445.0	24.2			•
03/05/88	1000		292.1							0.03			24.3			
03/05/88	1200		292.1							0.00			24.3			
03/05/88			292.1							0.00			24.3			

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) (46 48.44'N 48 1.38'W)

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = L Shape = DDK Length = M152 Width = M094 Height = M025

Draft = M100 Mass = 381490 Stability = 28.2

TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow L (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdg. Force DATE

04/05/88 0330 62.3 291.7 47 11.5 49 26.3 VCYQ 22 190 464.5 24.7 04/05/88 0430 62.2 291.7 47 11.4 49 26.1 VCYQ 22 0.15 112 465.5 24.8 04/05/88 0530 62.3 291.7 47 11.5 49 26.2 VCYQ 22 0.09 309 466.5 24.9 04/05/88 0800 62.3 291.7 47 11.5 49 26.2 VCYQ 22 0.00 000 469.0 24.9 04/05/88 1000 62.3 291.7 47 11.5 49 26.2 VCYQ 22 0.00 000 471.0 24.9 04/05/88 1200 62.5 292.1 47 11.9 49 26.3 VCYQ 22 0.20 351 473.0 25.3 04/05/88 1400 62.3 291.7 47 11.5 49 26.3 VCYQ 22 0.20 181 475.0 25.7

SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.62 0.08 0.01 (to 246 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.22) 0.00

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 85

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) ( 46 48.44′ N 48 1.38′ W )

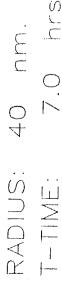
Iceberg Dimensions: Size = S Shape = DDK
Length = M29 Width = M26 Height = M6
Draft = C34 Mass = 4832 Stability = 41.4

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Springdale M-29



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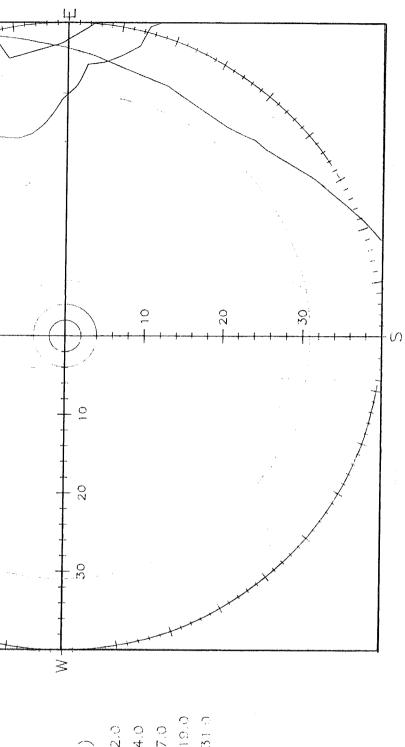


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million tonnes. Despite basically westerly winds and a tow direction to the east, the berg continued to drift due south (Fig. A-3) into shallower water, a result which suggests that a net current of about 30 cm/s opposed the combined wind and tow forces. This net current is derived from forcing calculations involving winds, tow forcing and currents. The drift rate of the berg reduced from a maximum of 1.77 knots to zero when the berg grounded. Prior to grounding, the drift speeds decreased starting about 0800 on March 10. However, some oscillation in the drift speed occurred on March 9 and early on March 10. By 2300, the berg was definitely grounded and this implies that keel dragging occurred over a distance of at least 3 nm. Based on this inferred grounding, AGC conducted a side scan sonar survey a few weeks after the berg had drifted away and found an iceberg furrow at least 8nm long on the sea bed beneath the berg's pregrounding trajectory. In 112m water depth, the furrow terminated in a 5m deep pit with a diameter of 90m (Fader, 1989). A 3m high berm surrounded the pit. Based on the 112m water depth and the 5m deep pit, the draft of berg 001 is taken to be 117m. This suggests that dragging on the bottom probably commenced in 117m of water which in turn implies a scour length of about 11nm. Fig. A-4 illustrates the pit and a part of the iceberg furrow.

## Iceberg 004/1989

Iceberg 004/1989 was a large berg, which drifted free from the pack ice and grounded in 100m of water at 46° -44.4'N. and 48° -27.4' W. The grounding occurred at 1705-12-03 and lasted 3 or 4 days. On the 16th of March, the berg was found adrift, and it was then towed into deeper water. Berg 004 was 300m in length at the water line. The sail height was 50m and the mass was estimated as 3 million tonnes. The grounded position is indicated in Fig. 5.2. No other information is available regarding this grounding.

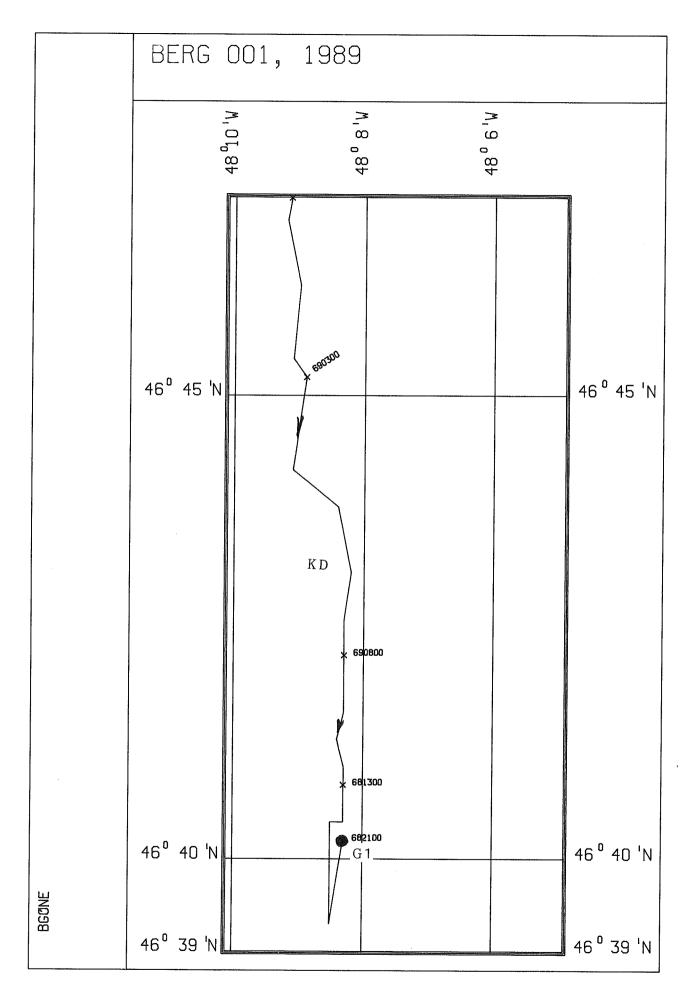


Figure A-3 Drift track of iceberg 001/1989

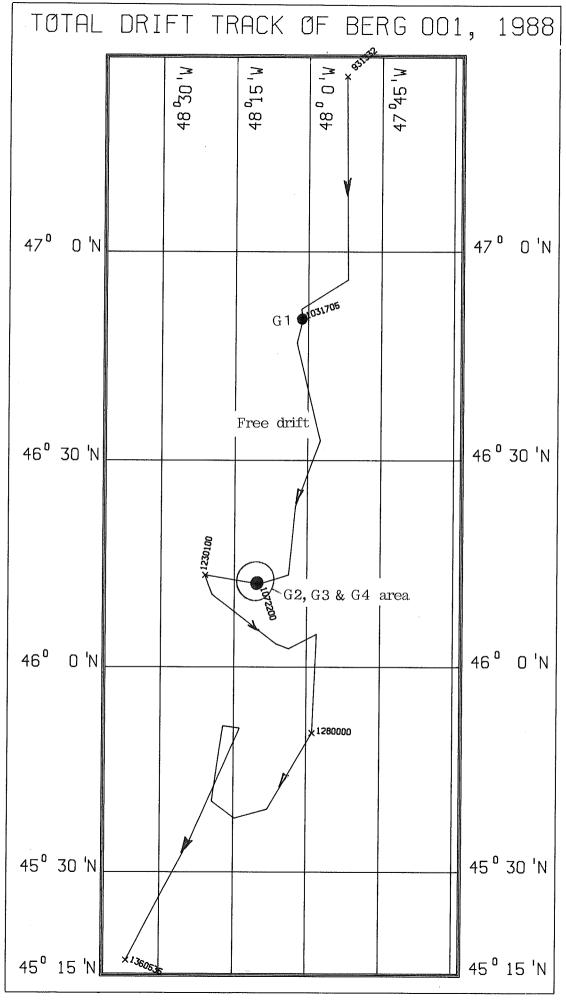


Figure A-6 Entire drift track of iceberg 001/1988

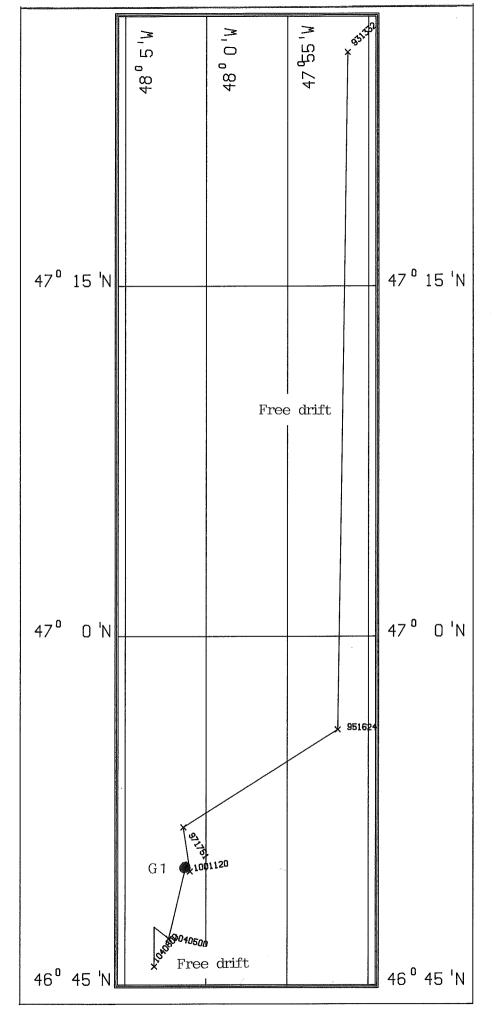
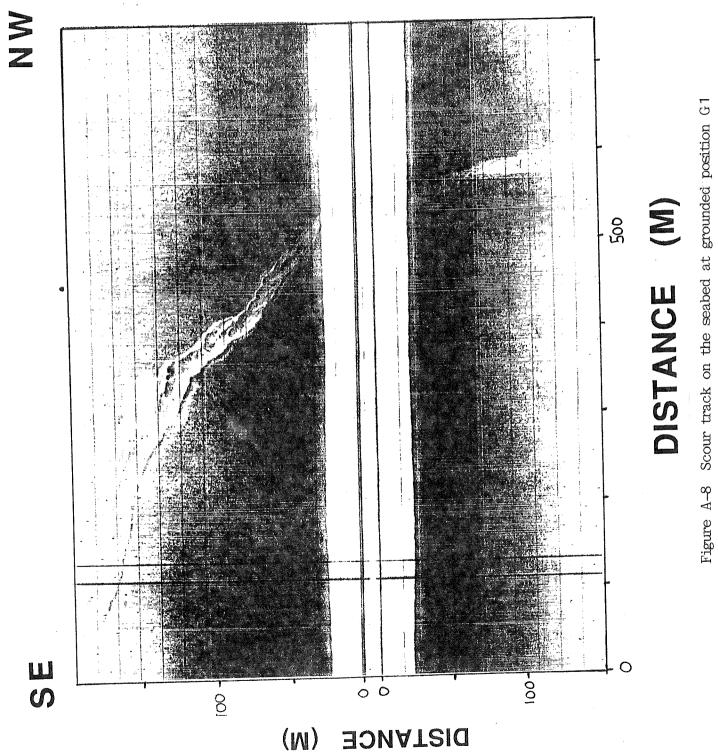


Figure A-7 Drift track of iceberg 001/1988 prior to grounding G1



caused by iceberg 001/1988

Figure A-9 Drift track of iceberg001/1988 associated with groundings G2,G3 and G4

Berg 005 was one of the four icebergs which grounded during April, 1988. berg was photographed by stereocamera on April 20 (Fig. A-10) which indicated The horizontal a volume of ice of 48968 cubic meters above the water line. dimensions at the water lines were 112X102 m and the sail height was 18m. The mass was calculated as 350,000 tonnes and the draft was approximately 100m evidenced by the fact that the water depth was 100m at the berg's first grounding Tracking of Berg 005 commenced at 1900 hrs. on April 14 (Table A3) location. and continued until 0420 hrs. on May 5. Grounding and scouring occurred as early as April 15, when the berg was in a water depth of 100m. It is presummed that Berg 005 was forced into shallower waters during the N.E. wind event which occurred April 11-12. Referencing Figs. A-11 & A-12 and Table A3, it can be seen that from April 14 to 20. a total displacement of only 2.6nm occurred. suggests that scouring and grounding occurred during this period. were generally weak from the northeast which probably contributed to the south-The berg probably westerly drift from 1454 - 20 April until 1230 - 21 April. grounded again at G2 for about 12 hours then drifted about 1.5 nm in a northeasterly direction in response to 25 knot southwest winds on April 22. During the evening of the 22nd., the berg grounded again (at G3) and remained grounded until 0000 - 25 April. The berg was virtually stationary during April 26, 27 and 28 and zero drift velocity was noted again from 0000 hrs. April 29 to 2310 hrs. April 30, just east of grounding site G3. On the 30th of April, the berg drifted a few miles westward and grounded again at position G4 at 1935 hrs. on The water depth was 88m. In conclusion, it is inferred that 4 groundings occurred during the 21 days of tracking of Berg 005; a drift distance of only 30.1 nm was observed during the period. The site-specific target plot (Fig. A-12) shows the drift track relative to the Whiterose E-09 location.

the NNW on the 13th to 10kt SSW and NE on the 14th and 15th respectively. On the 16th, the berg grounded in position G2. The winds were 20kt from the north, but the drift was basically westward. The berg grounded in 104m of water in the G2 area for about 3.5 days. On the 20th of April, the berg drifted about a mile to the northeast against 10kt winds and grounded at G3 in about 106m in water depth. The berg remained at G3 for about half a day; it then is inferred to have dragged its keel over a distance of about 2nm towards the southwest against 15 to 25kt winds from the south west. The berg then grounded again in about 104m water depth (G4 in Fig. A-9). The berg remained grounded from April 22 to 29, despite SSW winds of up to 30 kt. On the 29th of April, the berg moved off from G4 in a southwesterly direction. Keel dragging and free drift is inferred for the drift after liftoff. The winds were 15kt from the north but the drift was into shallower water west of G4, followed by drift towards the southeast and then southward.

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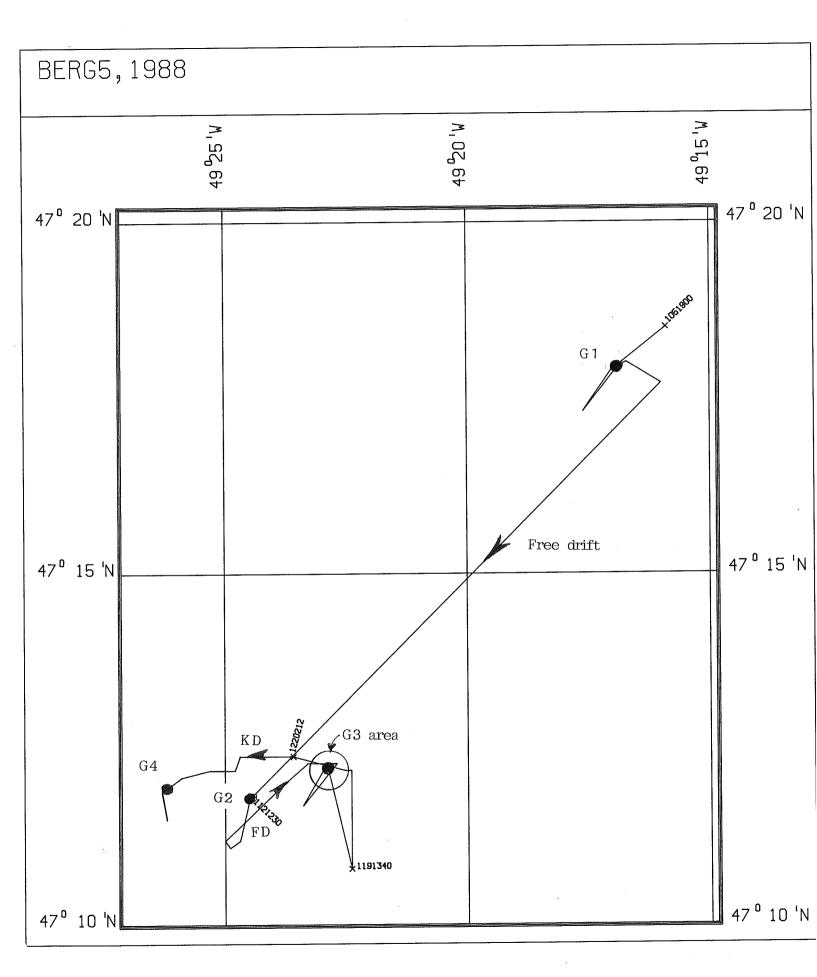
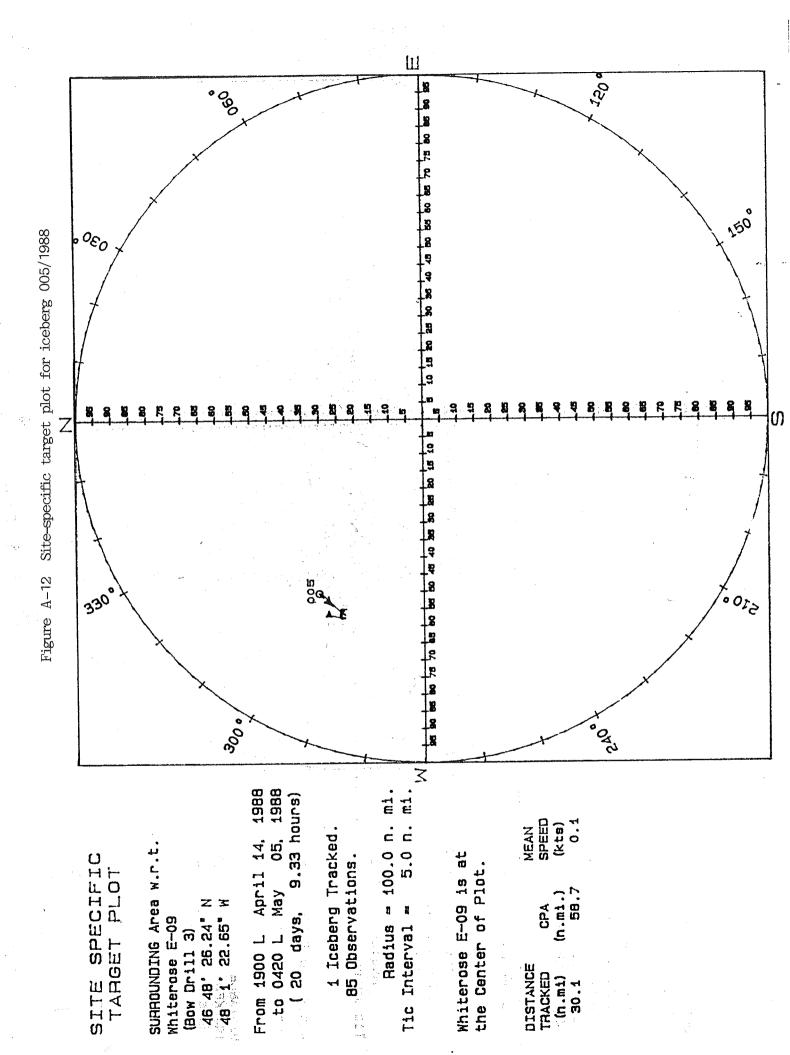


Figure A-11 Drift and scour track of iceberg 005/1988



Berg 013 was one of the four icebergs which grounded during April, 1988 (Fig. A-13). This berg was 182m long and 125m wide at the water line and had a sail height of 25m as determined from stereophotography (Fig. A-14). The berg was of the drydock type with an estimated mass of 1 million tonnes. Drafts of 84 and 78m are indicated by the water depth where scouring and grounding occurred. Tracking and plotting of this iceberg commenced on the 16th of April and continued until May 24th. The drift data are presented in Table A4. Drift track positions reveal slow drift from the start in Fig. A-13 until the first grounding position Gl at  $47^{\circ}-13.1N$  &  $49^{\circ}$  42.0W. The berg remained in this position from 2046-04-28 until 0400-04-30 after which the berg drifted southwest and grounded again at grounding position G2 (47° -7.5'N & 49° -48.3'W) on April 30 at 2350. It remained at this location until 0440 on May 3rd. Thereafter it drifted west, then northwest and continued to drift as shown in Fig. A-13. On the 20th of May, the berg stopped for a few hours at the end of the plotted track. It was towed away from that final position on the 20th of May which suggests that the berg was probably free-drifting prior to towing.

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(Bow Drill 3) Whiterose E-09 1.38' W ) < 46 48.44' N 48

Shape = 888Iceberg Dimensions: Size = B Height = M03 Length = M16 Width = M08Mass = 1152 Draft = C19

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Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) ( 46 48.44' N 48 1.38' W )

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Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) (46 48.44' N 48 1.38' W)

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = B Shape = BBB Length = M16 Width = M08 Height = M03

Draft = C19 Mass = 1152

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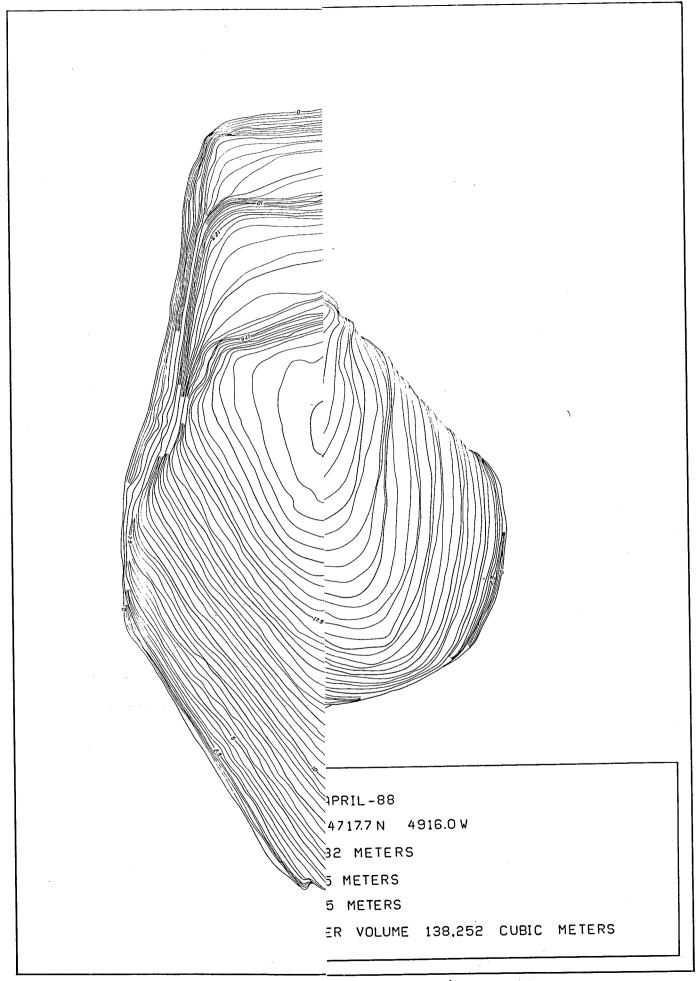
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TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 79

Figure A-13 Drift track of iceberg 013/1988



Iceberg 015 was another of the four icebergs which scoured and grounded on the This berg was not photographed by stereocamera, Grand Banks during April 1988. but the dimensions were measured by sextant and radar from supply vessels. Αt the water line, the berg measured 185m long and 137m wide. The measured sail height was 33.8m. The draft was at least 96m as evidenced by the fact that the berg grounded in 96m of water. The mass was estimated as 915,000 tonnes. This berg, along with other bergs, attempted to cross the Grand Banks during April as a result of northeast winds (Table A5) and currents, but due to its' draft the berg ran aground. The berg's positions and drift speed are presented in Table A6 starting from April 16 and ending June 16. The general drift track is presented in Fig. A-15 and a more detailed plot of the drift track covering the grounding period, is presented in Fig. A-16. The period involved is April 20 to June 6. It can be seen that a total of 10.8 nm of drift occurred in the 5 The winds at days (April 20-25). The drift rate was 0.07 kn towards the SE. the time varied from NE 10 - April 20

SW 15 - April 21

SW 25 - April 22

WSW 20 - April 23

WNW 20 - April 24

SE 25 - April 25

These wind speeds suggest that a greater drift rate should have resulted during April 20 - 25. It is tempting to conclude that scouring may have occurred during this period. Between April 25 and 27, the berg drifted a distance of 11.2 nm. This is possibly a free drift period judging by the distance drifted although some scouring may have occurred. On the 27 of April, the berg entered an area of grounding (Gl in Fig. A-16) and remained in the general area until May 4,

drifting a total distance of 4.6 nm in a period of 118.2 hours. The grounding area G1 is regarded as a definite grounding of berg 015.

Table A5 Wind data for April, 1985

April	0600 hour		1800 hour	
	Wind speed(kts)	From	Wind speed(kts)	From
3	10	NW	10	W
4	15	W	10	W
5	10	SW	25	NNW
6	25	NW	15	NW
7	10	SW	30	S
8	30	SW	10	S
9	30	SW	15	S
10	10	SE	10	SE
11	40	S	30	W
12	20	SSW	25	SE
13	30	SW	40	W
14	30	NW	20	NW
15	20	WNW	10	SW
16	30	WSW	25-30	SW
17	30	S	35	SW
18	30	SW	25	SW
19	40	SW	20	SW
20	25	W	25	W
21	15	SW	10	WSW
22	10	S	10	W
23	15	SE	10	S
24	20	Е	30	S
25	45	S	25	S

26	15	S	20	ESE
27	15	S	15	S
28	10	S	10	E
29	10	E	20	SSE
30	15	SSW	10	W

Source: Surface Analysis prepared by Maritime Weather Center

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Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) (46 48.44' N 48 1.38' W)

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = DDK
Length = M107 Width = E065 Height = M024
Draft = C72 Mass = 178271 Stability =

DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow Tow (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T)(h) (n.mi)Type Hdq. Force (im.n) (65 292.0 47 35.1 50 51.3 GPCD 19 16/04/88 1654 124.5 175,84 0700 124.4 291.4 47 33.8 50 51.8 2329 19 0.02 196 86.1 1.3 20/04/88 115.11 45.57 291.6 47 34.0 50 50.7 GPCD 19 0.13 075 92.2 2.1 1303 123.8 20/04/88 37,83 288.8 47 26.3 50 44.7 GPCD 19 10.8 0.07 153 211.7 25/04/88 1237 117.4 33.10 101.86 21.2 288.0 47 21.5 50 31.0 VCYS 22 0.21 117 261.2 1406 107.1 27/04/88 32,77 287.7 47 21.1 50 32.0 VCYS 22 0.78 238 262.3 22.0 102.51 1510 107.6 27/04/88 33:3% 102,71 29/04/88 288.0 47 21.8 50 32.2 GPCD 22 0.02 350 306.0 22.7 1052 108.0 287.9 47 21.6 50 32.4 V023 22 0.02 215 319.8 23.0 30/04/88 0040 108.0 32,80 /02./6 23.7 287.8 47 21.2 50 31.5 VXJG 22 0.03 123 343.7 01/05/88 0033 107.3 0.00 000 398.6 23.7 287.8 47 21.2 50 31.5 VCYS 22 0730 107.3 03/05/88 3/,03 703.例 25.8 286.7 47 19.5 50 33.3 VXJG 22 0.08 216 424.2 04/05/88 0905 108.0 167,92 33.05 27.9 287.8 47 21.5 50 32.5 CG29 22 0.66 016 427.4 **⊋ 04/05/88** 1215 108.1 30,48 37.4 @ 06/05/88 288.1 47 19.0 50 19.0 VCYS 20 0.21 105 472.1 0900 98.6 31,32 92.54 288.7 47 19.8 50 17.3 VXJK 20 0.05 056 501.1 38.8 07/05/88 1400 97.7 30,21 0500 287.9 47 18.6 50 18.7 VXJK 22 0.02 219 564.1 40.4 10/05/88 1 98.3 30021 288.0 47 18.7 50 18.4 VCYQ 22 0.01 064 584.1 40.6 11/05/88 0100 98.1 30,09 0.01 116 601.6 11/05/88 1830 97.9 287.9 47 18.6 50 18.1 VXJK 22 40.8 30,27 287.9 47 18.8 50 19.0 VCYQ 22 0.01 288 654.9 41.5 13/05/88 2349 98.5 42.4 288.2 47 19.0 50 17.6 VCYS 22 0.05 078 675.7 *़* 14/05/88 2035 97.7 288.1 47 19.0 50 18.9 GPCD 22 0.02 270 714.1 43.3 16/05/88 1101 98.5 43.6 287.9 47 18.7 50 18.7 VCYS 26 0.01 156 772.8 18/05/88 2140 98.3 19/05/88 288.2 47 17.8 50 12.2 VCYQ 26 48.1 0700 93.8 0.48 102 782.1 :0,0 1 20/05/88 0.12 280 814.6 52.1 1/ 287.9 47 18.5 50 17.9 VCYS 26 1530 97.7 A 21/05/88 52.5 0300 97.9 288.1 47 18.9 50 17.9 VXJK 26 0.03 001 826.1 288.2 47 19.1 50 18.0 VXJK 26 0.11 342 828.1 52.7 21/05/88 0500 98.0 0.00 000 900.1 288.2 47 19.1 50 18.0 VCYQ 26 52.7 24/05/88 0500 98.0 5 24/05/88 1050 288.2 47 19.0 50 18.0 VXJK 26 0.02 181 905.9 52.8 Table A6 Individual drift track for iceberg 015/1988

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) (46 48.44' N 48 1.38' W)

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Draft = C72 Mass = 178271 Stability = 8.9

Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow Brng. Lat. DATE TIME Range (h) (n.mi)Type Hdq. Force (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) 5/100 (DS/4/6 82.81 29.33 0.14 050 %1003.6 66.2 3.2 GPCD 26 28/05/88 91.7 295.4 47 27.7 50 1228 72.5 297.3 47 27.9 49 53.9 VC85 26 0.13 088 %1051.5 30/05/88 1222 86.1 78.7 0.18 290 %1085.1 296.8 47 30.0 50 2.5 GCML 26 92.3 31/05/88 2200 15301/06/88 80.0 297.0 47 29.7 50 0.7 VCYQ 26 0.28 104 %1089.6 0230 91.0 /5 d 02/06/88 1.0 VCYS 26 0.01 315 %1134.1 297.0 47 29.9 50 2300 91.3 80.7 297.2 47 30.3 50 1.0 VCYS 26 0.01 001 %1184.7 0135 91.5 05/06/88 81,04 0.01 090 %1206.3 80.9 297.3 47 30.3 50 0.6 VXJK 26 2310 91.2 05/06/88 63 0.42 035 %1252.2 100.4 309.6 47 46.3 49 44.6 GQKK 26 <sup>0</sup>/<sub>1</sub>07/06/88 90.8 2105 0.38 042 %1287.9 114.1 318.2 47 56.4 49 31.1 GQKK 26 09/06/88 0847 91.2 321.1 47 59.2 49 25.7 GPCD 26 0.79 053 %1293.7 118.7 1438 90.9 09/06/88 167 10/06/88 1142 0.50 063 %1314.8 129.2 26 4.0 49 12.0 IIP 327.7 48 89.4 0.53 089 %1366.0 156.4 4.4 48 31.7 SLE 26 344.9 48 1455 78.7 12/06/88 0.62 082 %1394.1 173.9 6.7 48 6.1 VCYQ 26 1900 357.7 48 78.3 13/06/88 0.62 119 %1395.1 174.5 6.4 48 5.3 VCYQ 26 358.1 48 2000 78.0 13/06/88 0.48 146 %1396.1 175.0 4.9 VCYQ 26 358.2 48 6.0 48 2100 77.6 13/06/88 4.5 VCYQ 26 0.34 126 %1397.1 175.3 358.4 48 5.8 48 2200 77.4 13/06/88 0.75 082 %1407.1 182.8 6.8 47 53.5 VCYQ 26 0800 78.5 3.9 48 14/06/88 0.56 122 %1408.1 183.4 6.5 47 52.8 VCYQ 26 4.2 48 14/06/88 0900 78.3 1.09 112 %1409.1 184.5 6.1 47 51.3 VCYQ 26 5.0 48 1000 78.0 14/06/88 0.67 126 %1410.1 185.2 5.7 47 50.5 VCYQ 26 5.4 48 1100 77.6 14/06/88 0.62 119 %1411.1 185.8 5.4 47 49.7 UCYQ 26 5.9 48 1200 77.4 14/06/88 0.45 129 %1412.9 186.6 [L] 90.0 4.9 47 48.8 VCYQ 26 ូ14/06/88 76.9 6.3 48 1345 0.28 106 %1414.1 186.9 4.8 47 48.3 VCYQ 26 6.6 48 14/06/88 1500 76.9 90.0 E050 0.45 116 %1415.1 187.4 [L] 4.6 47 47.7 VCYQ 26 6.9 48 1600 76.7 14/06/88 90.0 E070 0.95 096 %1416.1 188.3 [L] 4.5 47 46.3 VCYQ 26 7.6 48 14/06/88 1700 76.7 90.0 E070 1.02 084 %1417.1 189.4 [L] 4.6 47 44.8 VCYQ 26 8.4 48 1800 77.0 14/06/88 1.29 086 %1418.1 190.6 [L] 90.0 E070 4.7 47 42.9 VEYQ 26 9.3 48 1900 77.3 14/06/88 90.0 E070 1.90 084 %1419.1 192.5 [L] 4.9 47 40.1 VCYQ 26 10.7 48 2000 77.8 14/06/88 90.0 E070 1.08 087 %1421.1 194.7 [L] 5.0 47 36.9 VCYQ 26 12.2 48 2200 78.3 14/06/88 1.29 094 %1423.1 197.3 [L] 90.0 E070 4.8 47 33.1 VCYQ 26 78.7 14.1 48 0000 15/06/88 90.0 E 1.18 102 %1425.1 199.6 [L] 15.8 48 4.3 47 29.7 VCYQ 26 15/06/88 0200 78.8 90.0 E0/0 1.13 100 %1427.1 201.9 [L] 3.9 47 26.4 VCYQ 26 17.4 48 0400 79.1 15/06/88 0.78 090 %1429.1 203.5 [L]. 90.0 E070 3.9 47 24.1 VCYQ 26 18.5 48 15/06/88 0600 79.6 1.00 078 %1431.1 205.5 [L] 90.0 E060 4.3 47 21.2 VCYQ 26 19.7 48 15/06/88 0800 80.6

Whiterose E-09 (Bow Drill 3) (46 48.44' N 48 1.38' W)

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = DDK
Length = M107 Width = E065 Height = M024
Draft = C72 Mass = 178271 Stability = 8.9

Long. Call TT Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (h)(kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdq. Force \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 90.0 E075 4.8 47 17.7 VCYQ 26 1.21 078 %1433.1 207.9 [L] 21.1 48 15/06/88 1000 81.9 1.42 086 %1435.1 210.7 [L] 90.0 E075 15/06/88 1200 83.1 22.9 48 5.0 47 13.5 VCYQ 26 5.1 47 9.5 VCYQ 26 1.35 088 %1437.1 213.4 [L] 90.0 E075 24.6 48 15/06/88 1400 84.3 1.63 094 %1439.1 216.7 [L] 4.9 47 4.7 VCYQ 26 90.0 E075 1600 85.5 26.6 48 15/06/88 4.6 47 0.5 VCYQ 26 1.43 096 %1441.1 219.6 [L] 90.0 E075 15/06/88 1800 86.6 28.4 48 1.33 096 %1443.1 222.2 [L] 90.0 E075 87.6 4.3 46 56.6 VCYQ 26 15/06/88 2000 30.0 48 1.33 096 %1445.1 224.9 [L] 90.0 E075 15/06/88 2200 88.7 31.6 48 4.0 46 52.7 VCYQ 26 90.0 E050 0.99 096 %1447.1 226.8 [L] 16/06/88 0000 89.6 32.7 48 3.8 46 49.8 VCYQ 26 3.7 46 48.7 VCYQ 26 0.38 098 %1449.1 227.6 [L] 90.0 E060 33.2 48 16/06/88 0200 89.9 4.3 46 47.3 VCYQ 26 0.56 058 %1451.1 228.7 [L] 90.0 E060 0400 90.9 33.4 48 16/06/88 5.1 46 44.9 VCYQ 26 0.90 064 %1453.1 230.5 [L] 90.0 E060 92.5 34.0 48 16/06/88 0000 90.0 E085 5.7 46 39.9 VCYQ 26 0.86 080 %1457.1 233.9 [L] 94.9 35.5 48 16/06/88 1000 5.9 46 35.3 VCYQ 26 1.56 086 %1459.1 237.1 [L] 90.0 E090 96.9 36.9 48 16/06/88 1200 1.45 072 %1461.1 240.0 [L] 90.0 E090 6,8 46 31.2 VCYQ 26 16/06/88 1400 99.3 37.9 48 7.9 46 26.9 VCYQ 26 1.55 069 %1463.1 243.1 [L] 90.0 E090 1600 101.9 38.8 48 16/06/88 0.72 040 %1465.1 244.5 9.0 46 25.5 VCYQ 26 16/06/88 1800 103.4 38.8 48 9.4 46 24.9 VCYQ 26 0.57 045 %1466.1 245.1 1900 103.9 38.8 48 16/06/88

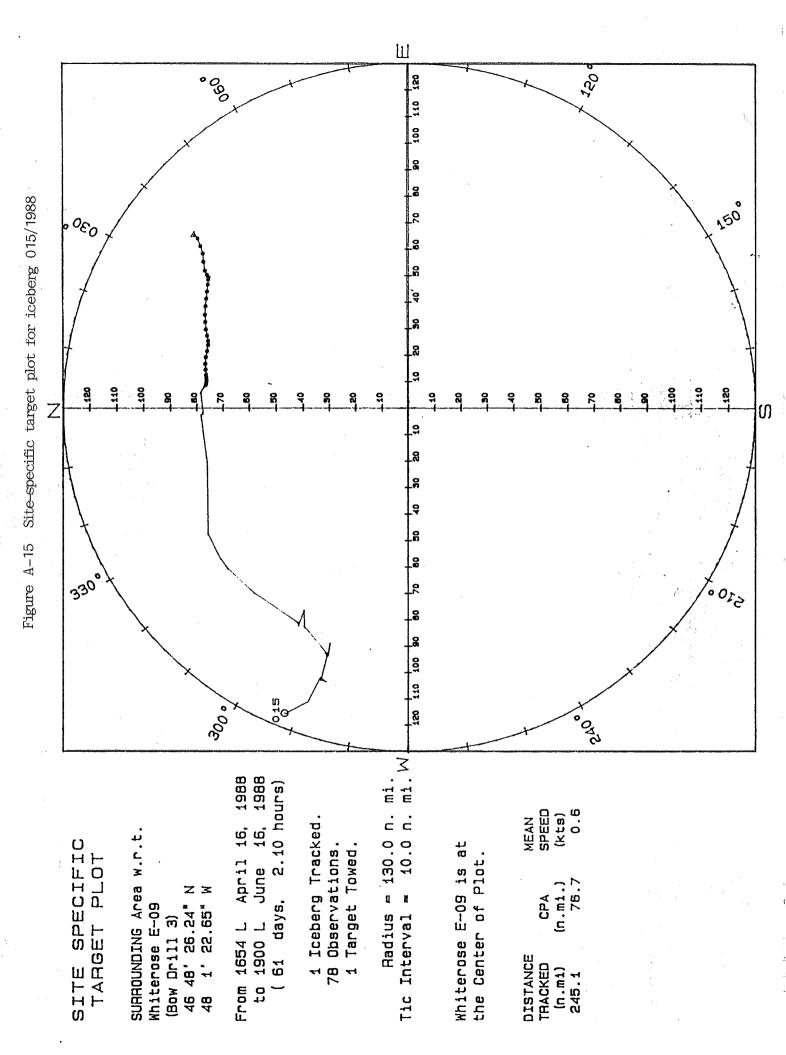
14/06/88 1600 76.72 6.9 (CPA) 16/04/88 1654 124.53 292.0 (MDR)

SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 1.90 0.58 0.13 (to 079 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.75)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 78



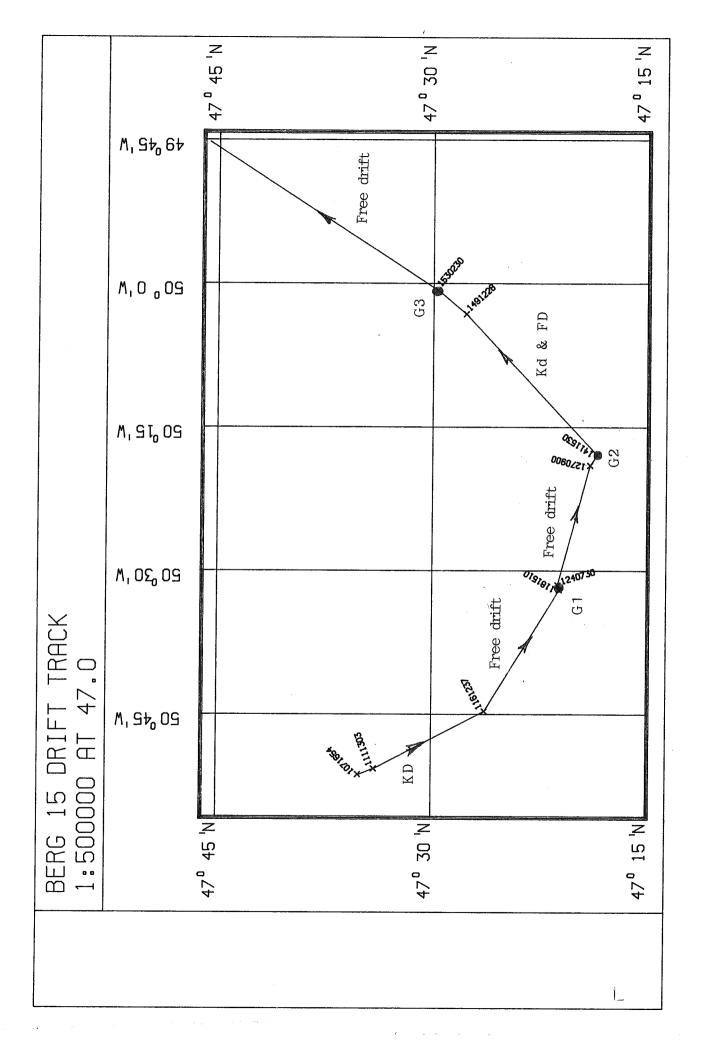


Figure A-16 Drift track of iceberg 015/1988

## RA6 Iceberg 002/1985

Iceberg 002 was grounded for the entire period of observation April 2 to 17, 1985 at 47°-18.0'n and 48°-41.5'w. The berg was a pinnacle type berg 133m long and 59m wide at the water line with a sail height of 35m. The berg was aground in 118m of water. It probably drifted into its grounded position from an northeasterly direction. The berg mass was computed as 490,000 tonnes but it was probably larger, as the draft estimate was well below the actual depth of Since it is not known exactly when the berg grounded, it is not possible to make statements regarding wind conditions during grounding, however, weather forecasts for the 5 days previous to the first observation on April 2 indicate that westerly winds prevailed. The grounded position is presented in Fig. A-17, with respect to the North Ben Nevis P-93 drilling location and the drift data, or in this case, lack of same, is presented in Table A7. searching for scours in the vicinity of this grounded position, it may be expedient to search to the northeast. The drift-off probably was towards the northeast into deeper water as winds during the latter half of April were generally from the southwest (Table A5).

## Summary

1 definite grounding at 47°-18.0'N and 48°-41.5'W in 118m of water from April 2 to April 17, 1985 (possibly longer).

N. Ben Nevis P-93 (BOW DRILL 3) ( 46 42.80' N 48 28.57' W )

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = PNC Length = M133 Width = M59 Height = M35

Draft = C78 Mass = 488868

DATE	L	E Range (n.mi	Brng.	dd mm)	Long. (dd mm)	Sign	(Kts	) (1	D (h)	(n.mi	)Type	Tow Hdg.	Tow Force
02/04/85 02/04/85 02/04/85	1510 1645 2030	36.2 36.2 36.3	346.0 4 346.0 4	7 17.9 7 17.9	48 41.4 48 41.4 48 41.5	XXXX .	9	000	1.6	0.0			
03/04/85 03/04/85 03/04/85 03/04/85 03/04/85 03/04/85 03/04/85	0230 0530 0830 1130 1430 1730 2030 2330	36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3	345.9 4 345.9 4 345.9 4 345.9 4 345.9 4 345.9 4	7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0	48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5	XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	000 000 000 000 000	17.3 20.3 23.3 26.3 29.3	0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1			
04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85	0230 0530 0830 1130 1430 1730 2024 2306	36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3	345.9 43 345.9 43 345.9 43 345.9 43 345.9 43	7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0 7 18.0	48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5 48 41.5	XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	000 000 000 000 000	38.3 41.3 44.3	0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1			
05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85	0230 0530 0830 1130 1430 1730 2030 2330	36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3 36.3	345.9 47 345.9 47 345.9 47	18.0 18.0 18.0 18.0 18.0	48 41.5	XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX XXXXX	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	000 000 166 000 000	59.3 62.3 65.3 68.3 71.3 74.3 77.3 80.3	0.1 0.1 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2			
0 <b>6/04/</b> 85 06/04/85	0,230 0530	36.3 36.3	345.9 47 345.9 47				0.00		83.3 86.3	0.2 0.2	-		
11/04/85	1747 0810		347.9 47 347.2 47						218.6 353.0	1.4			

02/04/85 1645 36.17 346.0 (CPA) 11/04/85 1747 36.51 347.9 (MDR)

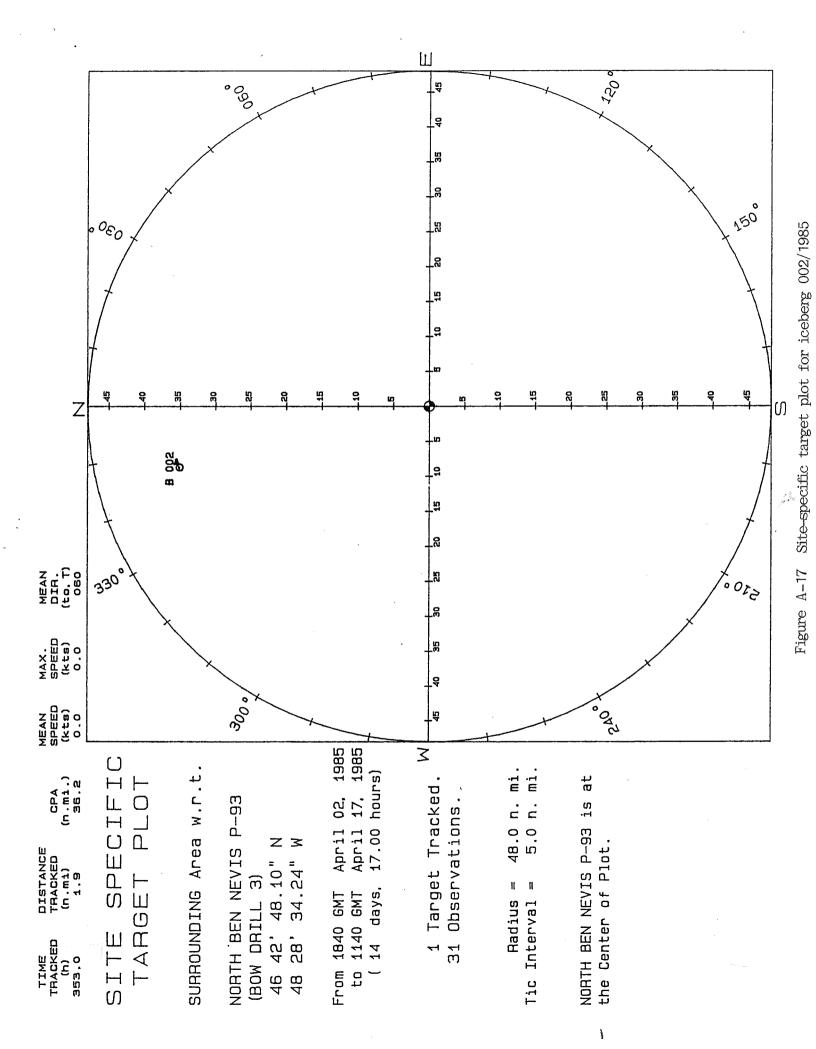
SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 0.04 0.00 0.00 (towards 060 deg T)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 31

Table A7 Individual drift track listing for iceberg 002/1985



Iceberg 004 was a tabular iceberg measuring 132m long and 123m wide at the water line. The sail height was 30m and the calculated mass was 1.7 million tonnes. The draft was estimated as 100m but it was actually closer to 115m, as evidenced by the water depth in the grounding area. The berg was first observed on April 4, 1985 drifting slowly towards 125° into shallower water. The winds were light westerlies at the time, 10 to 15 knots, (Table A8). The berg is presumed to have dragged on the bottom when first observed (Fig. A-18). subsequent 20 days, April 4 to 24, the berg dragged its keel a total distance of 7.1nm within an area of 1nm square, the area being situated between 47°-26.5'N and  $47^{\circ}-27.5$ 'N and between  $48^{\circ}-55.0$ 'W and  $48^{\circ}-57$ 'W (Fig. A-19). It may be possible to interpret 2 or 3 separate keel dragging/grounding events within the area, but considering uncertainties in positional accuracy, it is only possible to conclude that keel dragging occurred, along with 1 definite grounding at 47°-26.9'n, 48°55.3'w on April 4 to 5. Slight movement occurred on the 20th and 21st of April, but the berg remained within the area until 1430 on April 24. Between 1430 and 2300 on the 24th, the berg drifted into deeper water towards the northwest, no doubt driven by the high wind (to 30 kts) in that direction. There was probably some keel dragging at first but the 0.42km drift speed suggests that free drift occurred. Figure A-18 shows the subsequent drift track to the NNW and then due east. The drift data for iceberg 004 terminated on April 25, when the total drift distance was only 17.6 mm. This constitutes the first part of the northwest drift track after lift-off from the grounded location shown in Fig. A-19. The remaining part of the drift track must have been based on a subsequent data set for berg #016 which was logged from the Conquest drilling location (same iceberg but different designation).

It is concluded that 1 definite grounding of berg 004 occurred at  $47^{\circ}$ -26.9'N and

## BERG 004

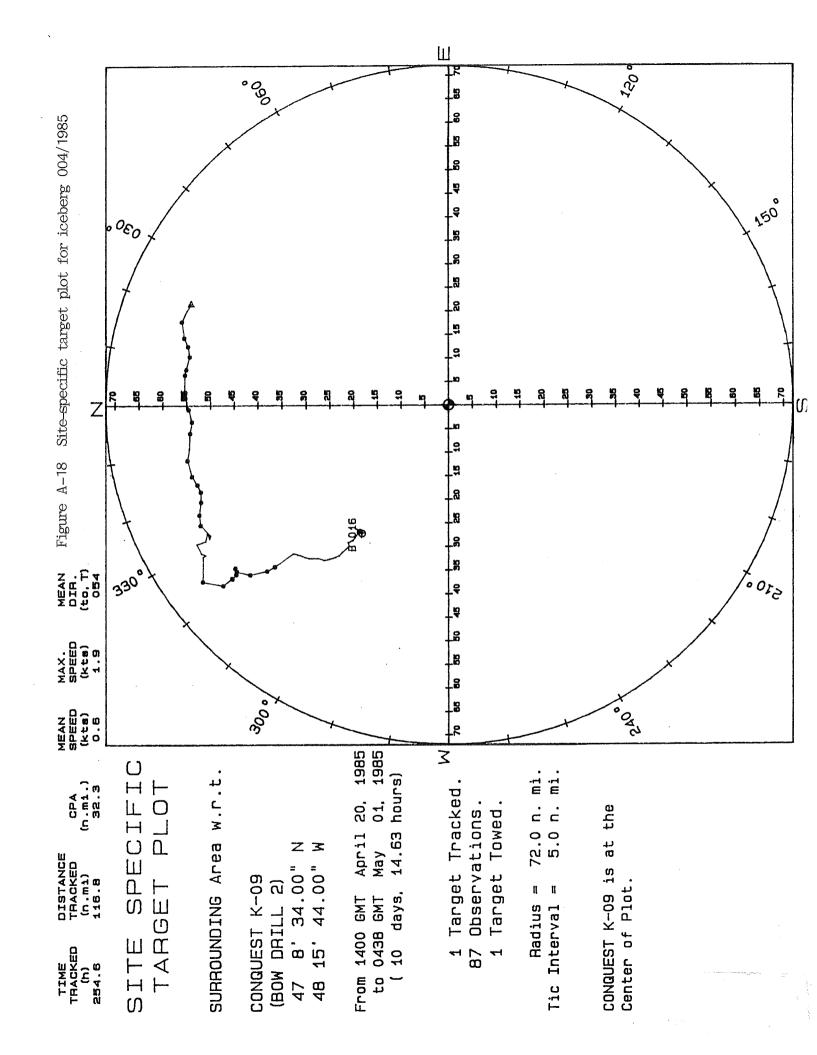
N. Ben Nevis P-93 (BOW DRILL 3) (46 42.801 N 48 28.571 W)

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = TAB
Length = M132 Width = M123 Height = M30
Draft = M100 Mass = 1734005

DATE	L	Range (n.mi)	(T)	⟨d	(mm b	(d	(mm b	Sign	(kts	) (T	) (h)	. E.D.
04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85 04/04/85	1055 1430 1730 2024 2306	48.1 47.7 47.7 47.7 47.7	337.3 337.6 337.6 337.6 337.6	47 47 47 47	27.2 26.9 26.9 26.9	48 48 48 48	55.8 55.3 55.3 55.3	XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX	0.13 0.00 0.00 0.00	125 000 000	3.6 6.6 9.5	0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5
05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85 05/04/85	0230 0530 0830 1130 1200	47.7 47.7 47.7 47.7 47.7	337.6 337.6 337.6 337.6 337.5	47 47 47	26.9 26.9 26.9	48 48 48	55.3 55.3 55.3	XXXXX XXXXX	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.17	000 000	18.6 21.6 24.6	0.5 0.5 0.5 0.5
11/04/85	1755	48.1	338.3	47	27.5	48	54.7	XXXX	0.01	036	175.0	1.3
20/04/85 20/04/85 20/04/85 20/04/85 20/04/85	1030 1140 1217 1240 2100	47.7 47.7 47.4	337.0 337.0 337.0 337.0 337.0	47 47 47	26.7 26.7 26.4	48 48 48	55.9 55.9 55.8	XXXXX XXXXX	0.10 0.00 0.78	157 000 157	383.6 384.8 385.4 385.8 394.1	2.5 2.6 2.6 2.9 3.3
21/04/85 21/04/85 21/04/85 21/04/85	0515 0815 1918 2315	48.3 47.5	337.4 336.2 337.0 337.0	47 47	27.0 26.6	48 48	57.2 55.9	XXXX	0.42 0.09	284 115	402.3 405.3 416.4 420.3	3.7 5.0 6.0 6.0
22/04/85 22/04/85 22/04/85	0215 0815 1415	47.5	337.0 337.0 337.6	47	26.5	48	55.8	XXXX	0.00	000	423.3 429.3 435.3	6.0 6.0 6.5
23/04/85 23/04/85	0815 1715		337.6 337.8					XXXX			453.3 462.3	6.9 7.1
24/04/85 24/04/85 24/04/85			337.8	47	27.0	48	55.0	XXXX	0.00	000	477.6 483.6 492.1	
25/04/85 25/04/85 25/04/85 25/04/85	0100 0200 0300 0400	51.4 52.5 53.2 54.1 55.0 56.8	335.0 335.0 334.0 334.0 335.0	47 47 47 47 47	30.4 31.0 31.4 32.2 33.8	49 49 49 49 49	1.2 1.6 3.4 4.0 3.6	XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX XXXX	1.10 0.70 1.30 0.90 1.62	335 335 288 334 011	493.1 494.1 495.1 496.1 497.1 498.1 499.1	11.6 12.7 13.4 14.7 15.6 17.3
		47.3 56.6			(CPA) (MDR)							

SPEEDS (Knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood 0.00 1.62 0.27 0.02 (towards 322 deg T) Table A8



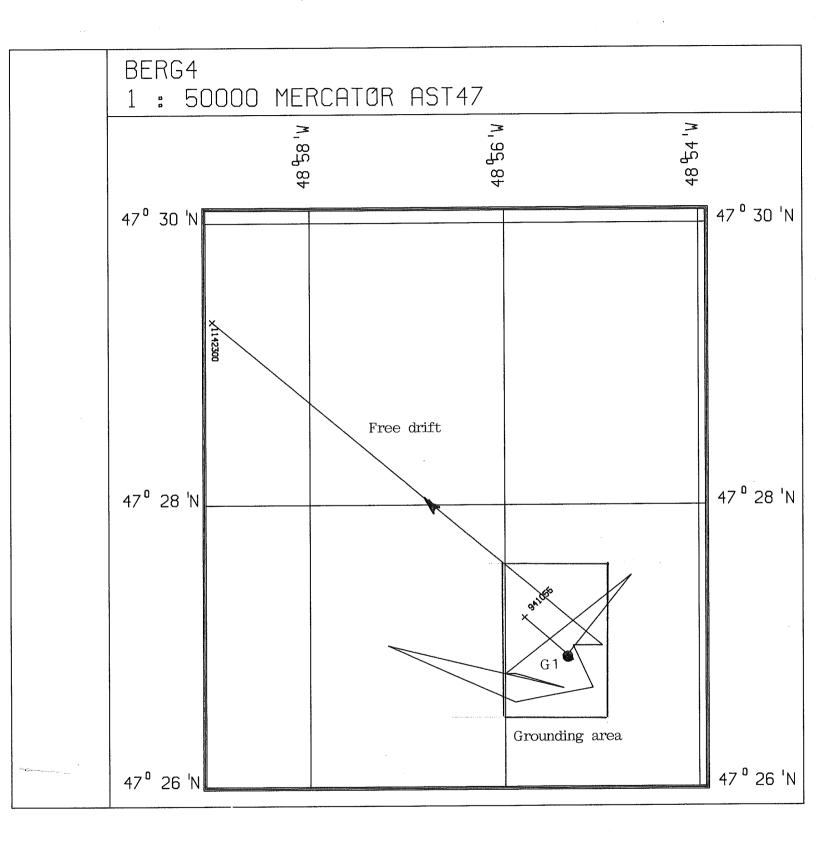


Figure A-19 Drift track of iceberg 004/1985 during grounding

Iceberg 014 was first tracked on the 15th of April, 1985 (Table A9). The berg's waterline dimensions were determined to be 360m by 92m. The sail height was 42m and judging by the grounded position, the draft must have been about 106m. Wind records are not available, The mass was estimated as 4 million tonnes. owing to an absence of drill rigs on the Grand Banks at the time; however, Surface Analysis of winds (Table A5) for April 14 to 16, indicates NW to WSW winds of 20 to 30 knots while the berg was grounded. When the berg drifted free on April 18, it drifted to the northwest; probably in response to 30 knot winds The drift data are presented in Table A9 and the drift from the southwest. track is plotted in Fig. A-20. It is inferred that free drift preceeded the In Table A9, it should be noted that positional errors are thought grounding. to influence the positions on the 16 and 17 of April. The berg is inferred to have grounded at  $47^{\circ}-5.4$ 'N and  $51^{\circ}-13.9$ 'W during a total of 54 hours (from 0100-16-04 to 0730-18-04). In searching for scours, it is recommended that the search be conducted within the elliptical envelopes shown in Fig. A-21. Since this berg was the largest inferred grounded berg, it may be of interest with respect to the possible existence of a bottom pit.

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CONQUEST K-09 (BOW DRILL 2)
( 47  8.57' N  48  15.73' W )
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Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = SPH Length = M360 Width = M92 Height = M42Draft = 0106Mass = 4060724DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long, Call Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow (n.mi) (T) (dd mm) (dd mm) Sign (Kts) (T) (h) (n.mi)Type Hdg. Force  $\nu$ 15/04/85 0530 120.8 268.3 47 5.0 51 13.2 XXXX 12085 3.58 7 15/04/85 0600 120.9 268.3 47 5.0 51 13.3 XXXX 0.20 268 0.5 0.1 120.84 3,58 15/04/85 0700 120.9 268.3 47 5.0 51 13.3 XXXX 1.5 0.1 0.00 000 15/04/85 0.5 120.88 1.01 2128 120.9 268.1 47 4.6 5i 13.3 XXXX 0.03 178 16.0 15/04/85 2340 120.9 268.1 47 4.6 51 13.3 XXXX 0.00 000 0.5120.83 18.2 4,01 1.5 12/.26 16/04/85 0100 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.70 333 19.5 0200 121.3 16/04/85 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 1.5 0.00 000 20.5 16/04/85 0230 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 5i 13.9 XXXX 1.5 0.00 000 21.0 1.5 16/04/85 0330 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 22.0 16/04/85 0430 121.3 1.5 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 23.0 **16/04/85** 0630 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 25.0 1.5 16/04/85 0800 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 26.5 1.5 16/04/85 0830 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 27.0 1.5 16/04/85 1200 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 1.5 30,5 16/04/85 1315 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 31.8 1.5 13/04/85 1610 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 34.7 1.5 16/04/85 2200 120.9 268.1 47 4.6 51 13.3 XXXX 0.16 153 40.5 1/ 17/04/85 2.4 0330 120.9 268.1 47 4.6 51 13.3 XXXX 0.00 000 46.0 10 117/04/85 1037 120.7 268.0 47 4.4 51 13.0 XXXX 0.04 135 53.1 18/04/85 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.09 329 67.0 3,9 0030 121.3 3.9 18/04/85 0430 121.3 268.5 47 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 0.00 000 71.0 100 3.9 18/04/85 5.4 51 13.9 XXXX 74.0 0730 121.3 268.5 47 0.00 000 5.3 6.3 51 12.4 XXXX 79.7 18/04/85 1313 120.2 268.9 47 0.24 051 1400 120.0 6.3 51 12.1 XXXX 0.26 089 80.5 5.5 \$ 18/04/85 268.9 47 18/04/85 1500 119.6 268.9 47 6.3 51 11.5 XXXX 0.40 089 81.5 5.9 6.7 18/04/85 1600 118.9 269.1 47 6.7 51 10.5 XXXX 0.81 058 82.5 269.2 47 1700 118.7 6.9 51 10.2 XXXX 0.29 043 83.5 7.0 18/04/85 18/04/85 1800 117.7 269.6 47 7.7 51 8.8 XXXX 1.30 050 84.5 8.3 85.5 9.1 1900 117.2 269.9 47 8.4 51 8.0 XXXX 0.79 039 18/04/85 18/04/85 2000 116.5 270.4 47 9.4 51 7.0 XXXX 1.24 035 86.5 10.3 2100 115.9 271.1 47 10.8 51 87.5 11.9 6.2 XXXX 1.54 024 18/04/85 12.9 18/04/85 2200 115.7 271.6 47 11.8 51 5.9 XXXX 1.03 013 88.5 2300 115.0 271.8 47 12.2 51 89,5 13.7 18/04/85 4.8 XXXX 0.81 062 19/04/85 0000 114.3 272.6 47 13.8 51 3.7 XXXX 1.75 026 90.5 15.4 91.5 0100 114.4 273.0 47 14.6 51 3.9 XXXX 0.80 354 16.2 19/04/85 0200 114.1 273,3 47 15.1 51 3.4 XXXX 0.67 030 92.5 16.9 19/04/85 2.9 XXXX 19/04/85 0300 113.8 273.6 47 15.7 51 0.67 030 93.5 17.6 19/04/85 0400 113.5 274.2 47 18.9 51 2.4 XXXX 1.23 018 94.5 18.8 0.63 023 274.5 47 17.5 51 2.0 XXXX 95.5 19/04/85 0500 113.3 96.5 20.6 0600 112.5 274.9 47 18.2 51 0.8 XXXX 1.12 050 19/04/85 97.5 19/04/85 0700 112.3 275.1 47 18.5 51 0.4 XXXX 0.44 032 21.0 19/04/85 0800 112.1 275.6 47 19.5 51 0.0 XXXX 1.00 017 98.5 22.0 19/04/85 0900 111.0 275.9 47 20.0 50 58.4 XXXX 1.25 068 99.5 23.2

for iceberg 014/1985

Individual drift track

Table A9

#### BERG 014

CONQUEST K-09 (BOW DRILL 2) ( 47 8.57′ N 48 15.73′ W )

Iceberg Dimensions: Size = M Shape = SPH Length = M360 Width = M92 Height = M42

Draft = C106 Mass = 4060724

DATE TIME Range Brng. Lat. Long. Call Speed Dir. E.T. E.D. Tow Tow
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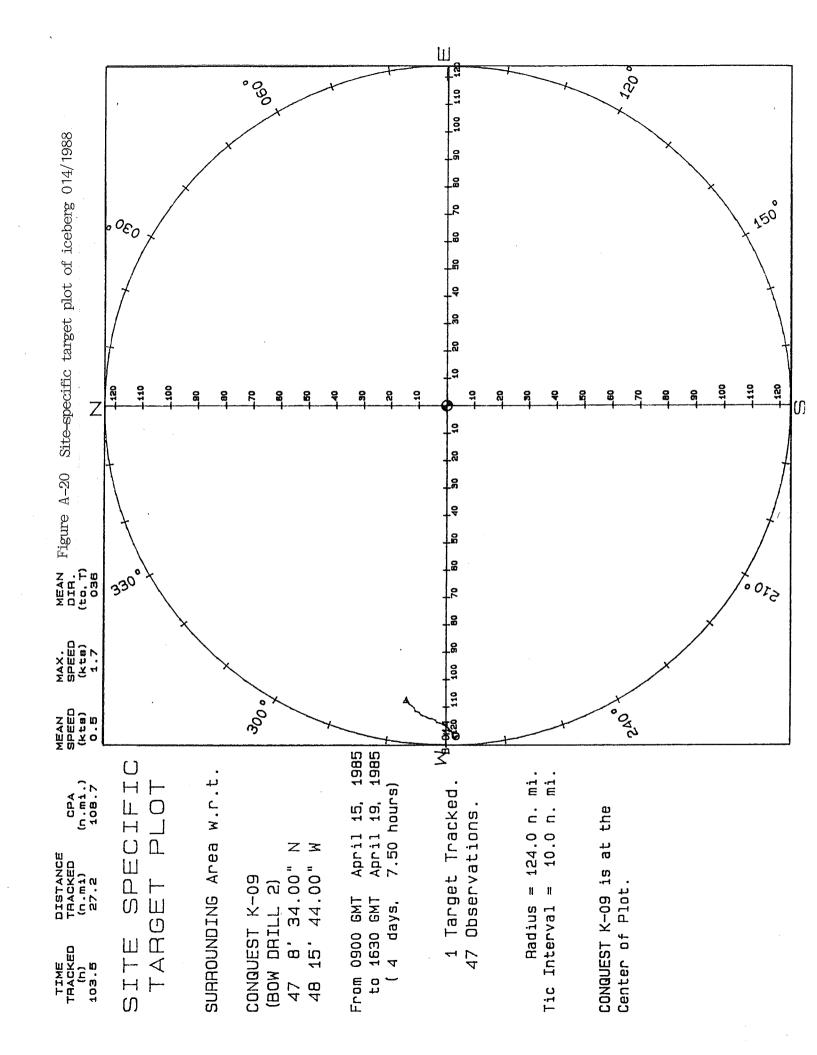
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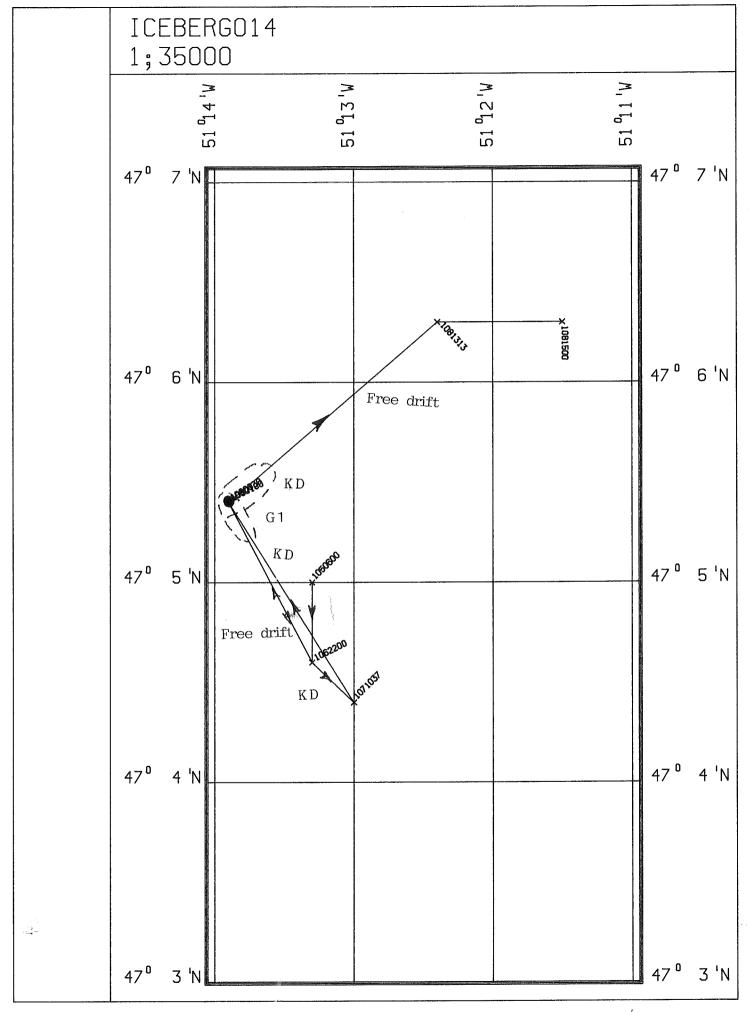


Figure A-21 Drift track of iceberg 014/1985 during scouring

### RA9 Iceberg BIO 002/1985

This iceberg was monitored in its grounded position by Dr. S.D. Smith of the Bedford Institute of Oceanography. The berg was grounded for at least 2 days at 47°-45.03'N and 50°-49.85'W on April 30 and May 1, 1985 (Table Al0). water dept is 130m at this location. The water-line dimensions were 224m long and 137m wide. The sail height was 24m and the draft must have been about 135m. The berg was large and blocky and the above-water volume of ice was 280000m: The berg was found aground and the mass was estimated as 2 million tonnes. therefore no information is available regarding the drift prior to grounding or afterwards. While monitoring the berg for drift, which obviously did not occur, photographs were taken (Fig. A-22) and a plan view of the sail was prepared (Fig. In searching for a scour from this iceberg, it is advisable to commence A-23). side-scan sonar surveys at the grounded position: 1. because the exact grounding position was accurately established and 2. because the drift prior to and after grounding is not known.

#### Summary:

Iceberg BIO 002/1985 was grounded for at least 2 days at exactly  $47^{\circ}-45.03$ 'N and  $50^{\circ}-49.85$ 'W.

## Berg No.: BIO 2

Date: 30 April, 1985 Survey Started: 17:00 UT

Latitude: 47° 45.03 N Longitude: 50° 49.85 W

Shape: Blocky, Large Status: Grounded

H 24 m

L 224 m

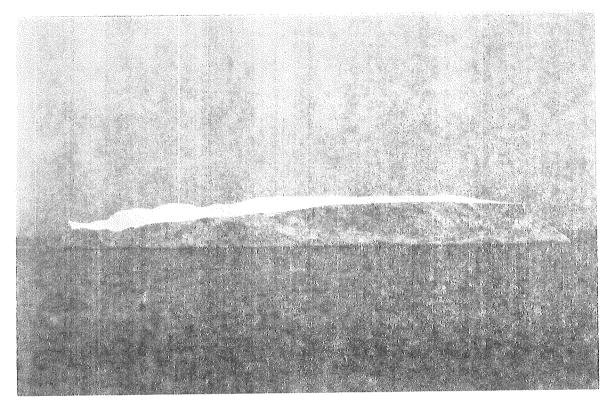
W 137 m

D 130 m

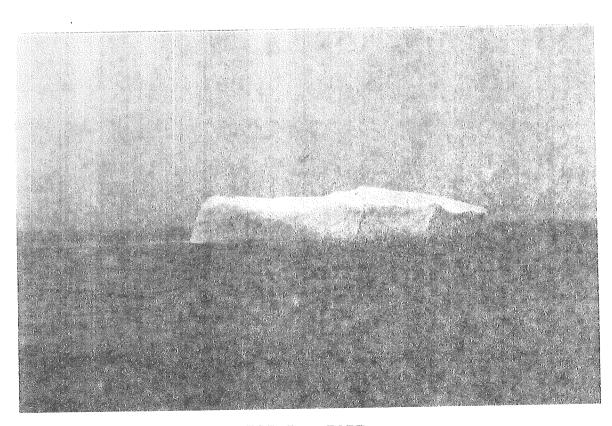
Vabove 280,000 m<sup>3</sup>

Mass 2,000,000 tonnes

Comments: Berg was found in exact position of last report and upon further inspection was found to be grounded.

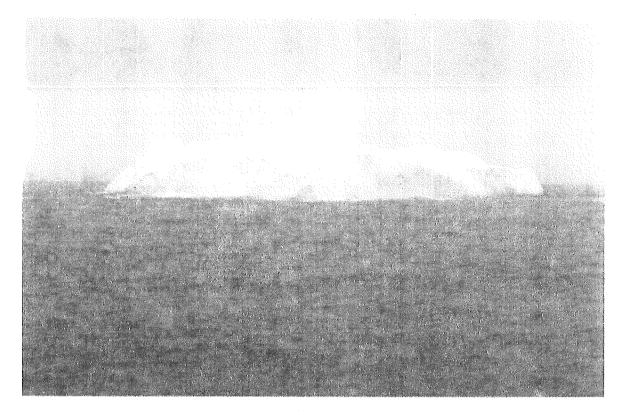


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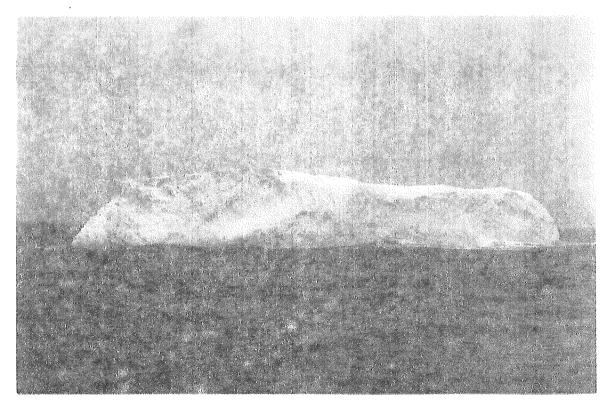


BIO 2 EAST

Figure A-22 (continued)



BIO 2 1540



BIO 2 265°

Figure A-22 Photographs of iceberg BIO 002/1985

BIO ICEBERG SURVEY 1985
PLAN VIEW: BERG # BIO 2



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#### RA10 Iceberg 026/1985

Iceberg 026 definitely grounded in position 45°-58.6'N and 48°-05.0'W about 39.2nm @ 157° from the North Ben Nevis drilling location at 46°-34.0'N and 48°.26.1'W (Fig. A-24). The berg was grounded or dragging its keel on May 31 and remained grounded in 120m of water until June 6. Between 1530 on June 6 and 0030 on June 7, a half mile increase in distance from the rig was noted and no further observations were made (Table All). The berg was of the spherical type with a water line length of 120m, a width of 100m and an estimated sail height of 30m. The draft was estimated as 77m which is far short of the 120m water depth at the grounding location. The mass was estimated as 1.1 million tonnes but the actual mass was probably greater. During the 156 hours of observation, a net displacement of 1.1nm was noted towards 156° from the first position. It is not known when the berg actually grounded or when it drifted away from the grounded position and it is therefore not possible to reach conclusions regarding wind conditions involved in the movement of this berg.

#### Grounding summary:

Position	Location	From	То
G1	45°-58.6'N & 48°-05.0'W	1430-31-05	1530-0606

# WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W

# OBSERVED TRACK PLOT & SUMMARY FOR ICEBERG: \$26

Observed from : 1230 31 May 85 to : 0030 7 Jun 85 (GMT) Hours Tracked : 156 hrs # of Observations : 12 Distance tracked : 2.6 nm. Net Displacement : 1.1 n Closest Approach : 38.7 nm.  $158^{\circ}$  at 1230 31 May 85

nm

Iceberg track : — Tow operations :

Scale: 42 nm

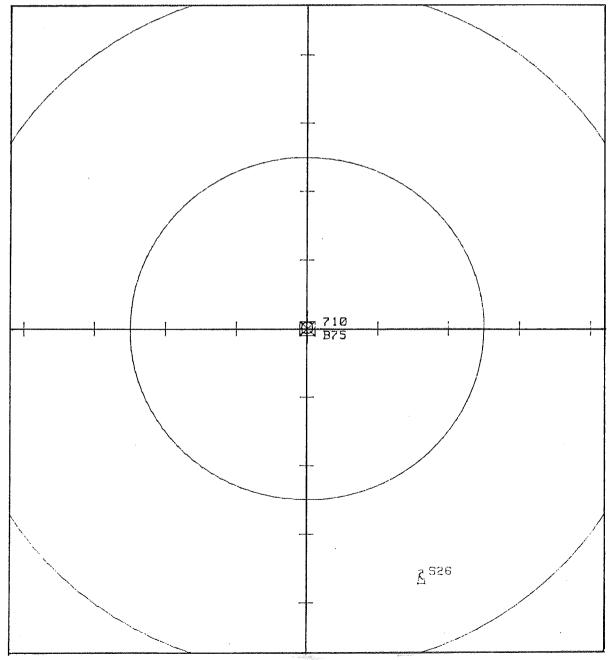


Figure A-24 Drift track of iceberg 026/1985

## WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W 1985

Iceberg : S26

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Characteristics :

Size Shape Length Width Height Draft Mass LB SPH E 120 E 100 E 30 E 77 E 1080

## Summary of the Iceberg Track

Time tracked : 156.0 hrs. Total Distance : 2.6 nm. Net Displacement : 1.1 nm.

# Position Observations: 12

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### RA11 Iceberg 014/1984

Nothing is known about this berg except that it was grounded 16.0 nm @ 209° from the Terra Nova K-08 drilling location (Fig. A-25) when the SEDCO 710 returned to drill there on April 21, 1984. The berg was grounded in 78m of water at 46°-13.5'N and 48°-41.6'W and remained grounded for at least 5 days. The last position taken on April 26 indicates the same original position noted on the 21st. Any scour left on the seabed by this berg is probably located east and northeast from the grounded position because of greater water depths in those areas.

### Grounding summary:

Position	Location	From	То
G1	46°-13.5'N & 48°-41.6'W	0700-21-04	1800-26-04

# ICEBERG TRACK - 84TN014

SITE: TERRA NOVA K-08

VESSEL: SEDCO 710

PERIOD: APR 21 0700Z - APR 26 1800Z

NUMBER OF HOURS MONITORED: 131.0

C.P.A. (n.mi.):16.0

MEAN DIRECTION FROM DEG. TRUE: .0

MINIMUM SPEED (kts.): .00

MAXIMUM SPEED (kts.): .00

MEAN SPEED (kts.): .00

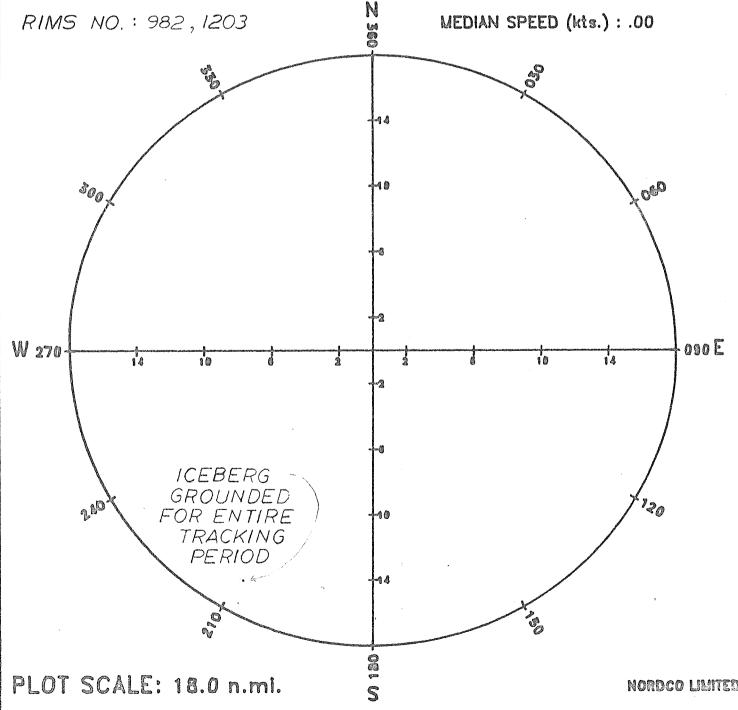


Figure A-25 Grounded position of iceberg 014/1984

The drift track of berg 015 is presented in Fig. A-26. Iceberg 015 grounded a total of three times between Julian day 112 and 130 in 1984. Groundings G2 and G3 of this berg are the same as those noted for iceberg 057 by Mobil 0il. The berg was a tabular berg measuring 100m by 78m at the water line. The sail height was 33m and the draft decreased from about 90m at grounding location G1 to about 74m at grounding locations G2 and G3 (Fig. A-27). The positional log (Table Al2) indicates that this iceberg was first observed in grounding position Gl at 46°-19.3'N and 48°-32.7'W. The berg remained grounded from Julian day 112 to 117 (April 21 to 26), then apparently drifted in free drift about 4nm due west into shallower water, about 85m deep. The winds at the time, on April 26, were easterly at speeds up to 45 knots which probably is why the berg lifted off its grounded location, Gl and drifted westward. After the free drift, which lasted about 3 hours, the berg probably started scouring in about 85m of water and is inferred to have dragged its keel 5nm towards 320° into a depth of 74m. period of keel dragging was 2.5 days and the winds varied from 22 to 42 knots from an easterly direction. About a day of free drift apparently followed the period of keel dragging and then the berg ran aground again on April 30 at grounding position G2 (46°-20.8'N & 48°-45.3'W) the water depth being 72m. The berg remained grounded at G2 until May 7, when the berg dragged its keel about half a nautical mile towards the east and grounded again at grounding location G3 in 72m of water. The berg remained grounded at G3  $(46^{\circ}-20.8 \text{'N})$  and  $48^{\circ}-44.8 \text{'W}$ for two days. The keel dragging on May 7 was probably facilitated by south-west winds with wind speeds to 30 knots on May 6 and 7. On May 9, northwest winds to 33 knots probably assisted in dislodging the berg from G3 and no doubt expedited its drift towards the south in free drift. The last reported position was logged on May 11 (Table Al2).

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# ICEBERG TRACK - 84TN015

SITE: TERRA NOVA K-08

VESSEL: SEDCO 710

PERIOD: APR 21 0700Z - MAY 11 1050Z

NUMBER OF HOURS MONITORED: 483.5

C.P.A. (n.mi.):10.0

MEAN DIRECTION FROM DEG. TRUE: 47.3

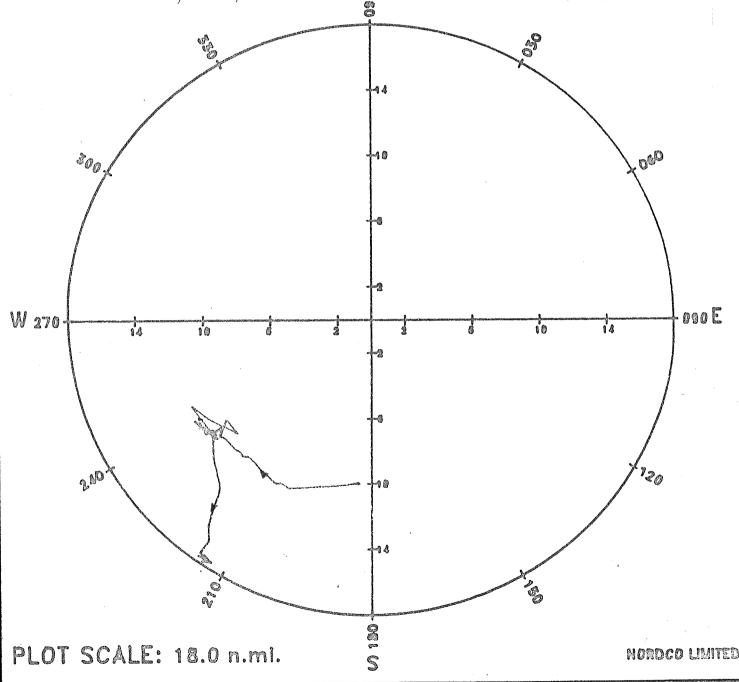
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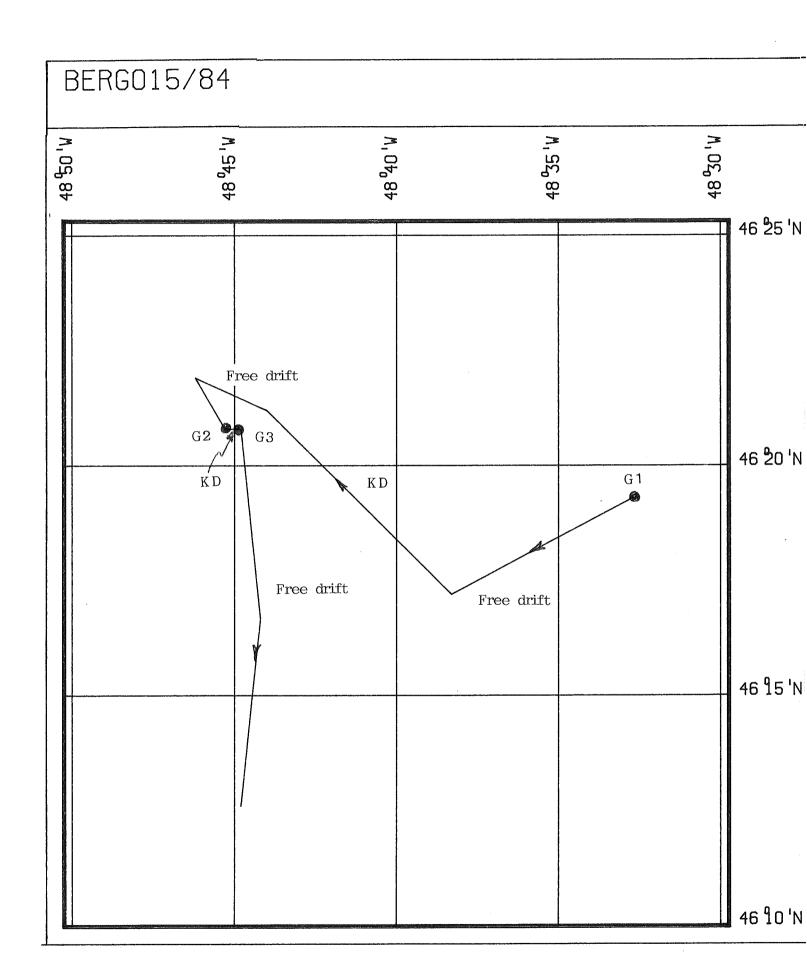


Figure A-27 Drift track of iceberg 015/1984

In summary, iceberg 015/1984

- \* was grounded in grounding position G1 at 46°-19.3'n & 48°-32.7'W for 5 days between April 21 and 26, 1984; the water depth was 90m.
- \* drifted in free drift 4nm due west into 85m water depth in a matter of 3 hours on April 26.
- \* dragged its keel from 85m water depth to 74m, a distance of 5nm towards 320° in a matter of 2.5 days.
- \* drifted in free drift for a day
- \* grounded on April 30 in 72m of water in grounding position G2 at  $46^{\circ}-20.8^{\circ}N$  and  $8^{\circ}-45.3^{\circ}W$ , and remained at G2 until May 7.
- \* dragged its keel about half a nautical mile due east on May 7.
- \* grounded at grounding location G3 on May 7 in 72m of water at  $46^{\circ}-20.8N$  and  $48^{\circ}-44.8'W$  and remained grounded for 2 days.
- \* drifted southward on May 9.

Note: Ranges and bearings shown in Table Al2 are referenced to the drilling location Terra Nova K-08 at  $46^{\circ}$ -27.5'N and  $48^{\circ}$ -31.0'W.

During April 23 and 24, Berg 028 drifted in free drift from the northeast, then basically southward into shallower water. The drift track is presented in Fig. The berg finally grounded in 68m of water depth at 46°-A-28 and Table Al3. 29.7'N and  $48^{\circ}$ -46.3'W at 0900 on April 25 (day 116). This grounded position is 10.8 nm at 255° from Terra Nova K-08. There may have been some scouring prior to grounding, which is inferred from reduced drift speeds during day 115 (Fig. A-29). The berg remained grounded until 1800 hours on April 26 when it moved towards the west-south-west. Scouring may have occurred, and it is possible that a second grounding occurred 11.8nm @ 254° during day 118. During free drift prior to grounding, the winds varied from light northerly to 42 knots. The winds were probably instrumental in forcing the berg to drift into shallower water in a southerly direction. On the 26th of April, high easterly winds to 42 knots probably dislodged the berg from the grounded location (11.8nm @ 254°) and forced it to drag its keel into somewhat shallower waters in a west-south-west direction.

In summary, iceberg 028/1984 grounded for two days in 68m of water at 10.8nm & 255° from Terra Nova K-08 (46°-24.7'N and 48°-46.3'W). Probable scouring is inferred for the area to the northeast and to the west-south-west of the grounded position.

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# ICEBERG TRACK - 84TN028

SITE: TERRA NOVA K-08 VESSEL: SEDCO 710

PERIOD: APR 23 0200Z - APR 27 0300Z

NUMBER OF HOURS MONITORED: 97.0

C.P.A. (n.mi.):9.6

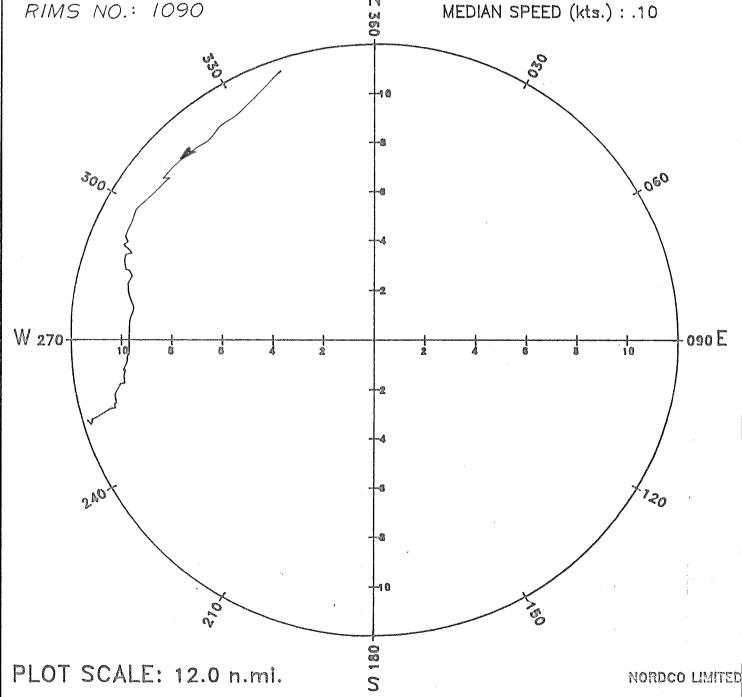
MEAN DIRECTION FROM DEG. TRUE: 104.4

MINIMUM SPEED (kts.): .00

MAXIMUM SPEED (kts.): 1.89

MEAN SPEED (kts.): .18

MEDIAN SPEED (kts.): .10



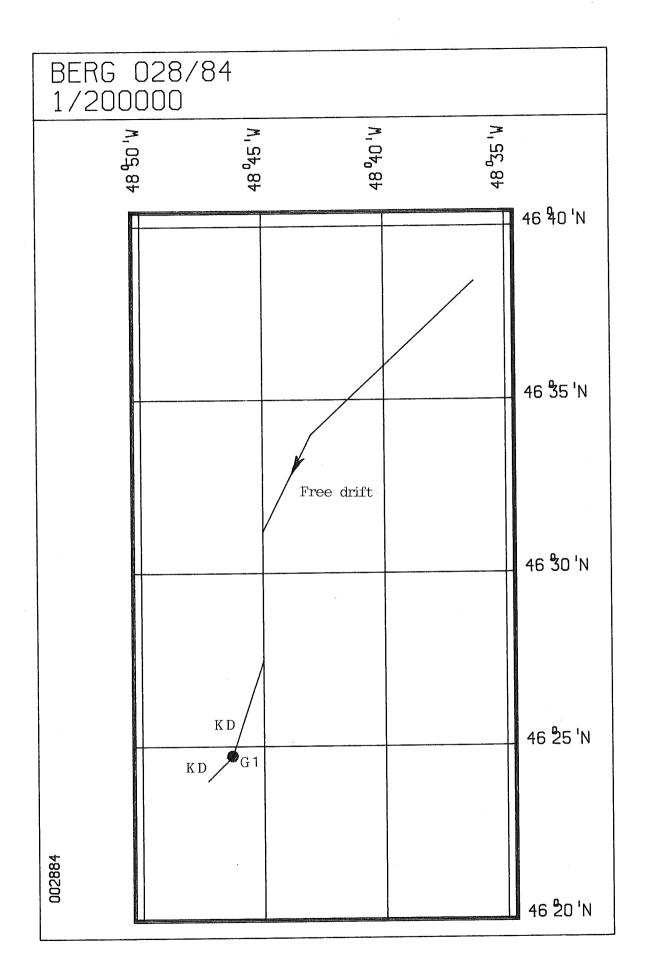


Figure A-29 Drift track of iceberg 028/1984

The drift track of this iceberg is presented in Fig. A-30. No range and bearing data are available, which is very unfortunate because there is no doubt that this berg grounded, perhaps several times. Positions were taken from Fig. A-30 to produce the drift plot shown in Fig. A-31. The low mean drift speed (0.11 knots) indicates a prolonged period of grounding somewhere along the drift track; probably at  $46^{\circ}-27.8$ 'N and  $48^{\circ}-43.0$ 'W which is 8.6nm &  $272^{\circ}$  from the drilling location Terra Nova K-08. This grounded location is in 75m of water, which is the shallowest depth along the drift track. Therefore it is considered safe to infer grounding in this location and a possible lead-in scour in the north-northeast direction. About 11nm of drift track preceeds the inferred grounding which may have occurred about April 23 or 24. Wind records indicate that north-northwest winds to 45 knots occurred on April 23; on April 24, northwest winds to 42 knots gradually decreased to light northerly during the morning of April 25. The winds on April 23 would have been conducive to drift towards the south-southwest as shown in Fig. A-30. The berg probably remained grounded until May 6, when 30 knot winds from the southwest occurred. The berg may have moved off location on May 6 and drifted towards the east-north-east. This implies that 26nm of drift would have occurred between the early morning hours of May 6 and 1700 hours on May 8 (a period of 37 hours). West-north-west winds to 31 knots on May 8 no doubt contributed to the drift. The implied drift rate is 26 nm/37 hours = 0.7 knots, which is not unreasonable at all considering the wind conditions.

In summary, iceberg 036/1984 is inferred to have grounded at 46°-27.8'N and 48°-43.0'W for a maximum period of 11 days (April 24 to May 6, 1984). Keel dragging is assumed to have occurred from the north-north-east along the drift track leading into the grounded position.

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BERG 036 (UPDATED)

Owing to confusion by Petro Canada and Nordco regarding numbering of iceberg \$ the drift track of berg 036 was not matched initially to the table of positions which was labelled berg 031. It is now evident that the two match up and it is possible to specify actual grounding. Berg 036 was initially observed on day 114, 1984 at 1730 hours at 327° and 12,6 n.m. removed from Terra Nova KO8. (Table A-13A) It remained in this position for 9½ hours which may constitute a possible grounding in about 85 m. of water. Between 0500 day 115 and 1400 day 116, the berg drifted a distance of 10,4 n.m. to the S.S.E. into shallower water to ground at grounding position G1 in 75 m. water depth. The drift could either free drift or keel dragging or a continuation. The drift speeds presented in Table A13-A indicates a low (0.07 knot) drift speed for the period 0500-0800 on day 115 which suggests keel dragging. The maximum drift speed was 0.98 knots but as observed day the drift of iceberg 001/1989, it is entirely possible for an iceberg to drag its keel at such speeds. There fore, it is virtually impossible to say whether or not speed dragging took place. However, 45 knots wind from the N.N.W. during the drift period would probably have exerted sufficent driving frees to effect grounding along part of the drift track. By 0700 hours on day 116, the berg was stationary and remained in this grounded position (G1) until 1400 hours on day 128, a period of 12 days. By 1500 hours the berg had obviously drifted free into deeper water towards the north east as shown in Fig.A-30. Drift speeds to 1.54 knots were noted.

In summary a single grounding (G1) is inferred in a water depth of m. in position 46° 27.8% N and 48°-43.0°W for a period of 12 days. It is possible that grounding occurred at the start of the drift track about 46° 38'N and 48°-41'W. Scouring may have occurred between two positions.

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# ICEBERG TRACK - 84TN036

SITE: TERRA NOVA K-08

VESSEL: SEDCO 710

PERIOD: APR 23 1300Z - MAY 8 1700Z

NUMBER OF HOURS MONITORED: 364.0

C.P.A. (n.mi.):4.2

MEAN DIRECTION FROM DEG. TRUE: 29.2

RIMS NO.: 785, 1204, 1242

MINIMUM SPEED (kts.): .00

MAXIMUM SPEED (kts.): 2.66

MEAN SPEED (kts.): .11

MEDIAN SPEED (kts.): .00

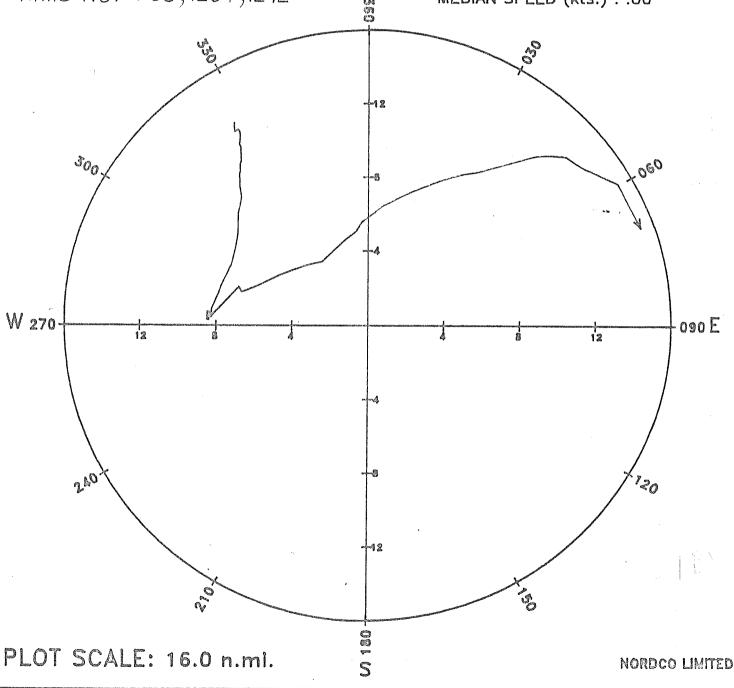


Figure A-30 Iceberg track 84TN036

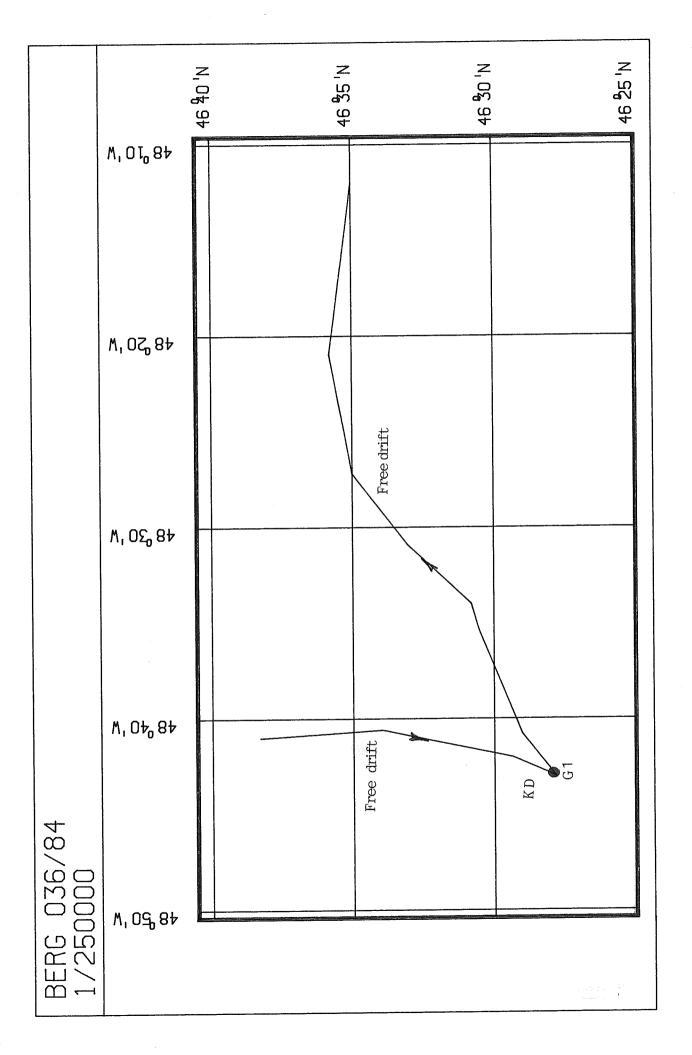


Figure A-31 Drift track of iceberg 036/1984

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#### RA15 Iceberg 037/1984

Iceberg 037 was grounded during the entire observation period 0830-18-04 to 1130-19-04 at 46°-40.8'N and 48°-36.3'W. There is no information on the drift prior to grounding and no information on the actual time of grounding. It is therefore not possible to make statements regarding environmental conditions which caused this berg to run aground. The berg had waterline dimensions of 75m in length and 50m in width. The sail height was 22m and the draft was about 92m based on the fact that the grounding occurred in 90m of water. The mass was calculated as 147000 tonnes and the berg was classified as a medium size, pinnacled iceberg. The relevant information is contained in Table A14. In summary, Iceberg 037/1984 grounded for at least 1 full day at 46°-40.8'N and 48°-36.3'W in 90m of water.

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#### RA16 Iceberg 050/1984

Iceberg 050 was grounded during the entire period of observation, 2248-30-04 to 1445-04-05, a total of at least 3.5 days (Table Al5 and Al6). Information regarding drift of this berg prior to grounding at 47°-06.5'N and 48°-40.0'W is not available. It is not known when the berg drifted away from the grounded position and it is not possible to decide what environmental factors caused the berg to run aground in the first place and to drift off eventually. Despite several towing attempts described in Table Al6, the berg did not budge from the grounded position. The observed positions are shown in Table Al5 along with dimensions of the berg. The water line length was 100m and the width was 70m. The sail height was 22m and the draft was measured as 115m. The berg was grounded in 106m of water and the mass was calculated as 0.3 million tonnes. In summary: Iceberg 050/1984 was grounded for at least 3.5 days at 47°-06.5'N and 48°-40.0'W in 106m of water.

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48°-55.3'W from April 4 to 5 and that keel dragging, scouring and grounding occurred within the defined 1nm square area from April 4 to 24, 1985, a period of at least 20 days. Lead-in scours probably exist in the NW and NE sector leading into the area. Lift-off from 47°-27.0'N & 48°-55.0'W must have been fairly quick, as free drift towards the northwest is indicated 8.5 hours after the last grounded position fix on the 24th of April. Berg 004 is also berg 016 observed from the Conquest K.09 drilling location. The drift track is of conquest berg 016 shown in Fig. A-18.

# DRILLING VESSEL WEST WONTURE JOWING LOG LOCATION HIBERNIA C-96 TOWING VESSEL BOLTONTOR / RANDSTURU DATE 3 MAY EY 1-050 NOTES & COMMENTS ON TOWING OPERATION BERG NO 1254 BOLTENTOR & RANDUSTURM WACH TAKING AN TOW NO 12 END OF BOLTENTOR'S TOW ROPE AND TOW ROPE TOWING SYSTEM USED ..... ATTEMPTING TO TOW BERG 1254, WHICH IS TIME THAT VESSEL IS INSTRUCTED TO TOW \_\_\_\_\_O3 MAY 01302 GROUNDED, TOWARDS THE EAST. TIME THAT TOW COMMENCED 3 MAY 05452 TIME THAT ICEBERG RELEASED\_\_\_\_ TIME OF COMPLETION OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE AND STORAGE\_

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ESTIMATED ICEBERG PARAMETERS:

Width\_\_\_\_E

Mass 274,120 tonnes Waterline length 500 metres Height 522 metres

70 metres

Iceberg 1381 was grounded in 90m of water at 47°-29.8'N and 49°-35.4'W (Fig. A-32) when it was first observed at 1145-26-05. It is not known when grounding took place; therefore the conditions at the time of grounding are not known. The berg remained grounded until at least 1145-30-05. The minimum grounding period was 4 days. On the 31st of May, the berg was drifting away from the grounding at 0.2 knots towards 115°. The winds at the time were 30 knots from the west, which increased to about 40 knots on the 2nd of June. These high winds no doubt caused the easterly drift after lift-off from the grounded position. It is considered possible that scouring may have occurred while the berg drifted east from the grounded position on May 31. As indicated in Table A17, the berg displaced about 90000 tonnes and had a water-line length of 90m and a width of 23m. The sail height was 24m, and the draft must have been about 92m considering the fact that grounding occurred in 90m of water.

In summary: Iceberg 1381/1984 was grounded for at least 3.5 days at  $47^{\circ}-29.8$ 'N and  $49^{\circ}-35.4$ 'W in 90m of water.

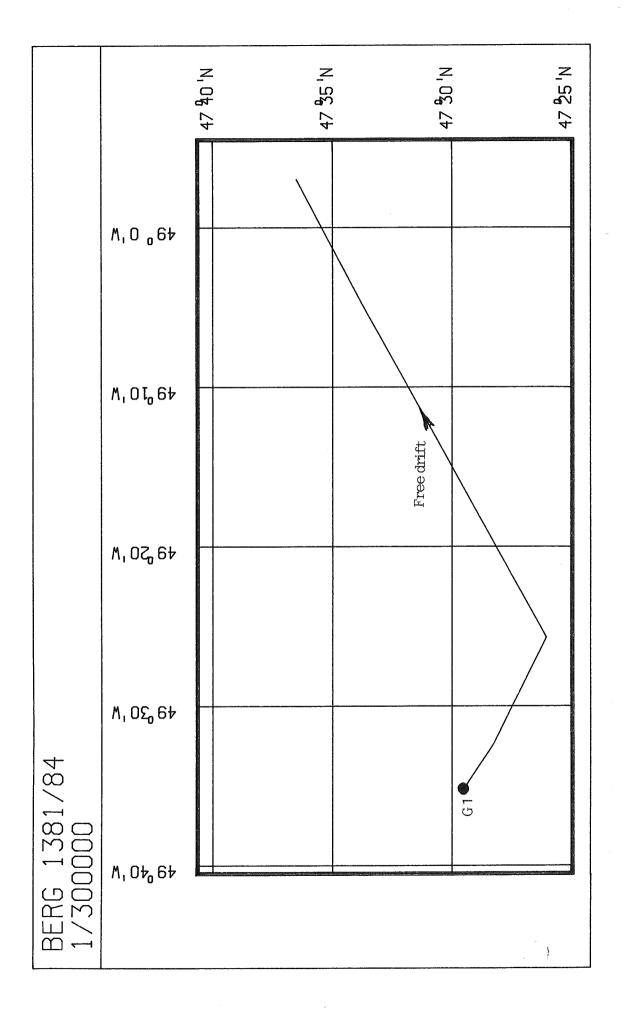


Figure A-32 Drift track of iceberg 1381/1984

LONG RANGE BERG LOG

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Iceberg 095 was definitely grounded at 3 separate locations from February 21 to April 1, 1983 in water depths ranging from 93m to 86m. The berg probably had a draft exceeding the water depth by a few meters at each of the three grounding locations. Berg 095 was first observed on Feb. 20 at 47°-10.0'N and 49°-15.8W (Table A18). By the 21st, the berg had drifted about 8.5mm NNW owing to 40 knot winds from the SSE. Keel dragging may have occurred while drifting during the 20th. This inference is based on the fact that the berg drifted from a position with 80m of water to ground in a water depth of 93m at G1. By 0900 hours on February 21, berg 095 was aground at grounding position G1 at 47°-18.7'N and 49°-18.7'W (Fig. A-33). The water depth was 93m, and the berg remained aground until sometime on Feb. 23. Between Feb. 23 and 25, keel dragging is inferred by the short 4.5nm displacement towards the SSE and grounding position G2 at 47°-15.0'N and 49°-15.7W. The water depth was 90m at this grounded location. The berg remained grounded at G2 until March 23. It then drifted 2nm south against 40 knot southerly winds to ground in 86m of water at grounding location G3. (47°-13.0N and 49°-16.7'W). After being aground for 8 days, the berg drifted northwards during April 1, apparently in free drift. The winds during April 1 and the preceeding day were light (10 knots) from the south and southeast. The berg's last reported position, on April 6, places it in about 85m of water, about 13nm southwest of G1. The winds during early March were westerly at 20 knots, which would not be of direct assistance to the bergs drift into shallower water, but the up to 90 knot northerly winds on April 6 undoubtedly assisted the drift to the south-west into shallower water. It is possible that the berg grounded again but there is no information on the drift after 1800 on April 6. Berg 095 had a water-line length of 180m and a width of 100m. The sail height was noted as 15m and the draft must have been about 95m at G1 and reduced to about 92m at It probably had a draft of 88m or so at grounding position G3. G2.

The grounding sequence of the three inferred groundings of iceberg 095/183 can be summarized as follows:

- \* free drift or possible keel dragging towards the NNW during Feb. 20 and 21 from 80m to 93m water depth.
- \* grounding G1 for two days at  $47^{\circ}-18.7$ 'N and  $49^{\circ}-18.7$ 'W in 93m of water.
- \* keel dragging towards the SSE a distance of about 4nm from 93m to 90m water depth. Keel dragging proceeded during Feb. 23 and 24.
- \* grounding G2 from Feb. 25 to March 23 in 90m of water at  $47^{\circ}$ -15.0'N and  $49^{\circ}$ -16.7'W.
- \* keel dragging from G2 to G3 on March 24; a distance of 2nm due south from G2.
- \* grounding G3 from March 24 to April 1 at 47°-13.0N and 49°-16.7'W in 86m of water.
- \* drifted into deeper water towards the NNE during April 1. The berg must have lost mass and draft because it drifted into about 84m water depth by April 6.

  Mitton (1988) interpreted surveyed scour tracks from berg 095 as:
- \* grounding in about 95m of water followed by
- \* 3.5km of scouring towards the south in an "s" configuration (this correspondences with the inferred keel dragging between G1 and G2).
- \* scouring towards the northwest to finally terminate in a pit about 90m in diameter (this correspondences to the inferred keel dragging between G2 and G3 and the grounding of the berg at G3).

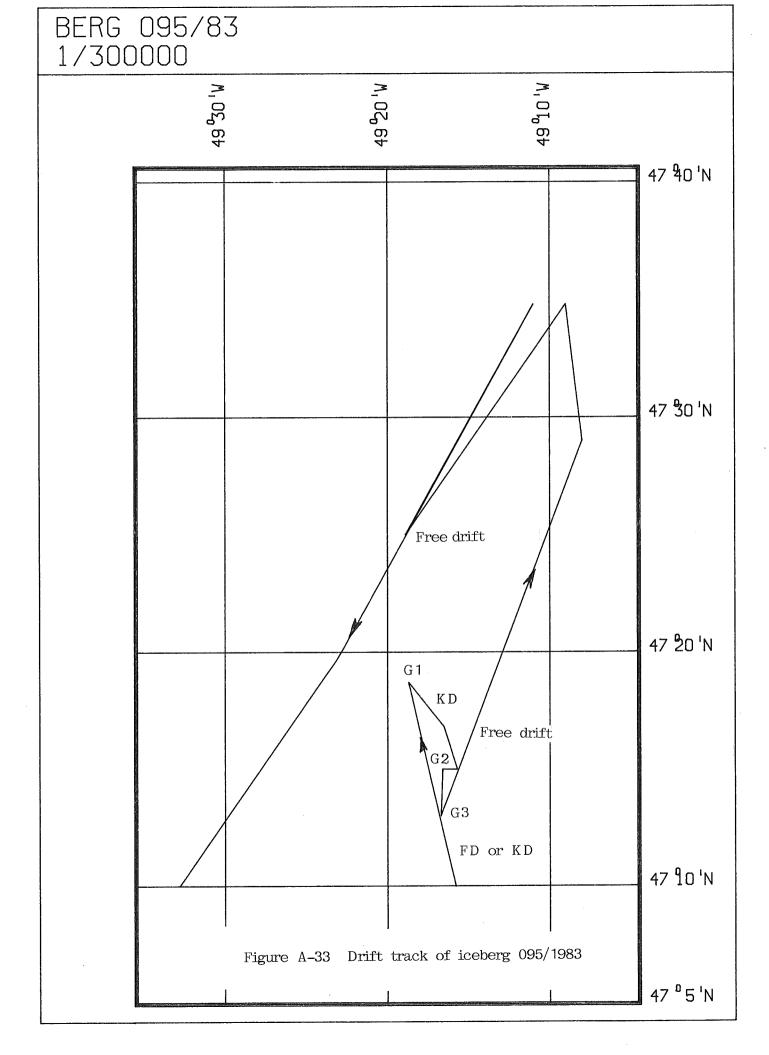


Table Al8 Drift positions of iceberg 095/1983

Month	n Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitude (°-'W)
02	20	0900	47–10.0	49-15.8 7 Free drift possible
**	21	tt	47–18.7	49-18.7 keel dragging
11	22	**	f f	"   Inferred grounding G1
<b>11</b>	23	11	tt	" )
11	24	11	47–16.8	49-16.5 Inferred keel dragging
11	25		47–15.0	49-15.7 Inferred grounding G2
03	23	11	11	49–16.6
03	24		47–13.0	Inferred keel dragging 49–16.7)
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11	11	1800	47–29.0	49-08.0
**	02	0900	47-34.8	49-09.0
11	03	0900	47-25.0	49–18.9 \
11	04	11	47–34.8	49-11.0 Free drift
11	05	11	47-19.8	49–23.0
11	ff	1800	47–10.0	49–32.8 )

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Water-line length - 180m
Water-line width - 100m
Sail height - 15 m
Maximum draft - 95m
Water depth at G1 - 93m
'' '' 'G2 - 90m
'' '' '' G3 - 86m
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### RA19 Iceberg 104/1983

Iceberg 104 was estimated to be 210m long and 162m wide at the water line and The draft is estimated as 155m based on the to have a sail height of 42m. grounded depth of 149m. The berg drifted into its grounded position in 149m of water at grounding position G1 (47°-35.8'N and 49°-08.0W) due to a high speed wind event during March 7 and 8 (Table Al9). The winds were basically NNW varying from 70 knot peak winds on March 6 to about 30 knots on March 9. drift previous to grounding must have been basically free drift towards 210° in water depths beyond 150m (Fig. A-34). The berg drifted about 16nm during the 9 hours previous to grounding at Gl. The berg is estimated to have grounded by 0900 hours on March 11, and it evidently remained aground until at least April There were probably two groundings; the first being at G1 and the second 10. being 1nm due south. This, the second inferred grounding (G2) was at 47°-34.8'N and 49°-08.0'W where the water depth is 149m. Keel dragging is inferred for the area between Gl and G2. When searching for a scour (s) from this berg, it would probably be expedient to survey across 49°-08.0'W between 47°-35.8 and 47°-34.8'N and pick up the scour.

In summary: Iceberg 104/1983 is inferred to have:

- \* drifted in free drift NW of the grounded position prior to grounding
- \* grounded at G1 at  $47^{\circ}-35.8$ 'N and  $49^{\circ}-08.0$ 'W for 7 days
- \* dragged its keel about lnm due south to grounding position G2
- \* grounded at G2 at 47°-34.8'N and 49°-08.0'W for 22 days.

Table Al9 Drift positions of iceberg 104/1983

Month	Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitude (	°-'W)
03	02	0900	48-30.8	50–31.8	
17	03	11	48-45.0	50-59.0	
17	04	11	49-02.8	50-21.9	
11	05	11	49–18.8	51 <b>–</b> 05 <b>.</b> 8	Free drift
11	06	11	49–16.9	50-54.0	,
**	07	11	49-12.0	50-34.8	
11	08	11	48-25.0	49–15.9	
ff	08	1800	48-11.0	49-05.9	
11	09	0900	47-47.7	48–54.0	
11	10	11	47–30.0	49-08.0	·
11	10	1800	47-29.0	49-04.9	
11	11	0900	47-35.8	49-08.07	
					erred grounding G1
11	18	11	<b>11</b>	'' <b>J</b> <sub>Inf</sub>	erred keel dragging
11	19	11	47–34.8	49-08 <b>.</b> 0 <b>`}</b>	
				Inf	erred grounding G2
04	10	0900	. 11	<u>"</u>	

Water-line length - 210 m

Water-line width - 162 m

Sail height - 42 m

Draft - 155 m

Water depth @ G1 & G2 - 149 m

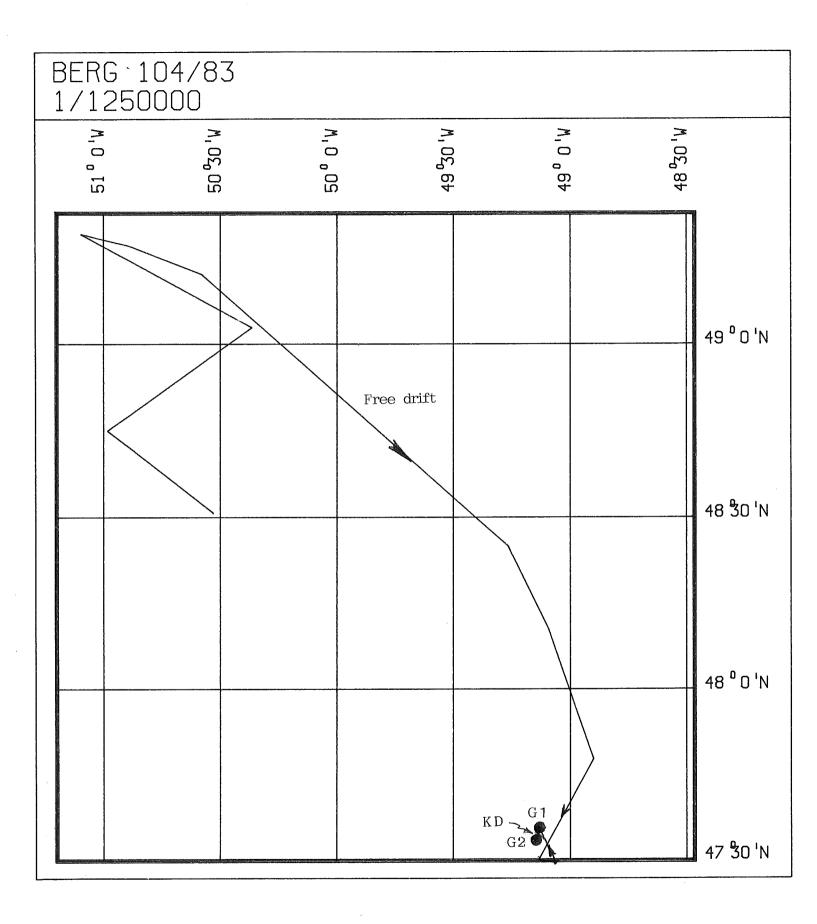


Figure A-34 Drift track of iceberg 104/1983

Iceberg 135 was noted as a medium size berg which was first observed on April 5 (Table A20). The berg drifted in a westerly direction due to easterly winds to 40 knots. At 0900 on the 9th of April, the berg was located at 46°-58'N and 48°-01.7'W (Fig. A-35) and is inferred to have dragged its keel about 2nm from this position to its grounded position G1 at 47°-00.0N and 48°-02.6'W. The berg was grounded by 0900 hours on April 10 and it was still in the same grounded position at 0900 hours on April 11. The water depth is about 137m. The keel dragging towards the NNW on April 9 was probably induced by 40 knot winds. The curious thing about this berg's drift is that according to the noted positions in Table A20, the berg drifted freely in water depths of about 120m which is shallower than the depth at G1. The only explanation is that the berg must have increased its draft prior to grounding because:

- 1) it drifted freely in shallower water previous to grounding
- 2) dragging of the keel is inferred in 135m of water (2nm in 24 hours)
- 3) grounding is inferred in 137m of water by zero drift during 24 hours

  The increase in draft is not unusual owing to rotation of bergs. The draft is
  taken as 140m at the time of the inferred grounding.

In summary, Iceberg 135/1983 is inferred to have:

- \* drifted freely in shallower water depths prior to grounding
- \* dragged its keel about 2nm from  $46^{\circ}-58.0$ 'N and  $48^{\circ}-01.7$ 'W to  $47^{\circ}-00.0$ 'N and  $48^{\circ}-02.6$ 'W
- \* grounded in 137m water depth for at least 1 day at 47°-00.0'N and 48°-02.6'W. The last position was logged on April 11 and indicates the berg in its grounded position. No further positions are available.

Table A20 Drift positions of iceberg 135/1983

Mont	h Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitude (°-'W)
04	05	1800	46-55.0	47–34.9
11	06	0900	46-40.0	47-47.7
11	07	1800	47–00.7	47–53.0
11	08	0900	46–56.0	48-03.9 Free drift
11	11	1800	46-51.9	48-08.0
11	09	0900	46-58.0	48-01.7 Inferred Keel dragging
1	10	0900	47-00,0	48-02 <b>.</b> 6 <b>7</b>
11	11	0900	tt	,, Inferred grounding G1

Berg size - Medium

Draft – 140m

Water depth @ G1 137m

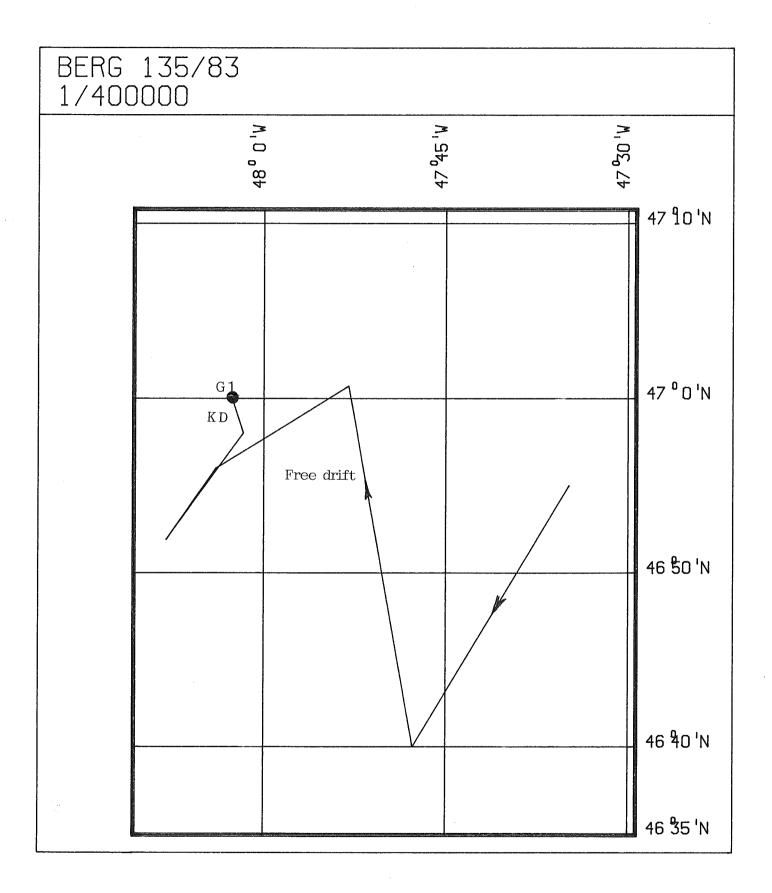


Figure A-35 Drift track of iceberg 135/1983

## RA21 Iceberg 241/1983

This berg was noted to be a large iceberg. Only three positions were logged as shown in Table A21. The berg was grounded for at least two days at 46°-45.6'N and 48°-21.9'W in 104m of water. The drift prior to grounding is not known, nor is the duration of grounding. Likewise, the drift track after grounding ceased is not known. In searching for a scour from this grounding, it is recommended that searching should start at the grounded position and advance basically to the northeast.

In summary: Iceberg 241/1983 grounded only once, at 46°-45.6'N and 48°-21.9'W. The grounding lasted at least two days, April 19 to 21 and occurred in 104m of water depth.

Table A21 Drift positions of iceberg 241/1983

Month	n Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitid	e (°-'W)
04	.19	0900	46-45.6	48-21.9	)
04	20	**	tt	11	Inferred grounding
11	21	11	††	tt	

Berg size - noted as 'large'

Draft - 106m

Water depth - 104m at the grounded position

#### RA22 Iceberg 292/1983

Only 4 positions were logged for this iceberg in Table A22. The first two positions infer 1 day of grounding (G1) at 47°-00.9'N and 48°-35.9'W. The berg was aground in 108m water depth when first logged on the 22nd of April and remained at G1 for at least 1 day. Between 0900 on April 23 and 24, the berg is inferred to have dragged its keel about 3nm to the south-south-east (Fig. A-36). By 0900 on April 24, the berg was aground in 106m of water at 46°-58.0'N and 48°-34.8'W. It was still in this grounded position (G2) when last monitored on April 25. No information is available regarding the berg's characteristics and the draft is inferred as 110m based on the 108m water depth at G1. During April 23 or early on the 24th when the berg moved from G1 to G2, the winds were from the southeast at 25 knots and opposed the berg's drift to the SSE into slightly shallower waters. Keel dragging is inferred for the 3nm between G1 and G2, although it may be that free drift occurred.

In summary: Iceberg 292/1983

- \* was aground for at least 1 day at G1 (47°-00.9'N and 48°-35.9'W) in 108m water depth
- \* is inferred to have dragged its keel about 3nm SSE against opposing winds.
- \* was aground at G2 for at least 1 day at  $46^{\circ}-58.0$ 'N and  $48^{\circ}-34.8$ 'W.

Table A22 Drift positions of iceberg 292/1983

Month	n Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitude (°-'W)
04	22	0900	47-00.9	48-35.9 Inferred grounding G1
04	23	11	tt	'' Inferred keeldragging 48–34.8 Inferred grounding G2
04	24	11	46–58 <b>.</b> 0	48-34.8 Inferred grounding G2
04	25	11	11	11

Water depth at G1 - 108m" " G2 - 106mDraft - 110m

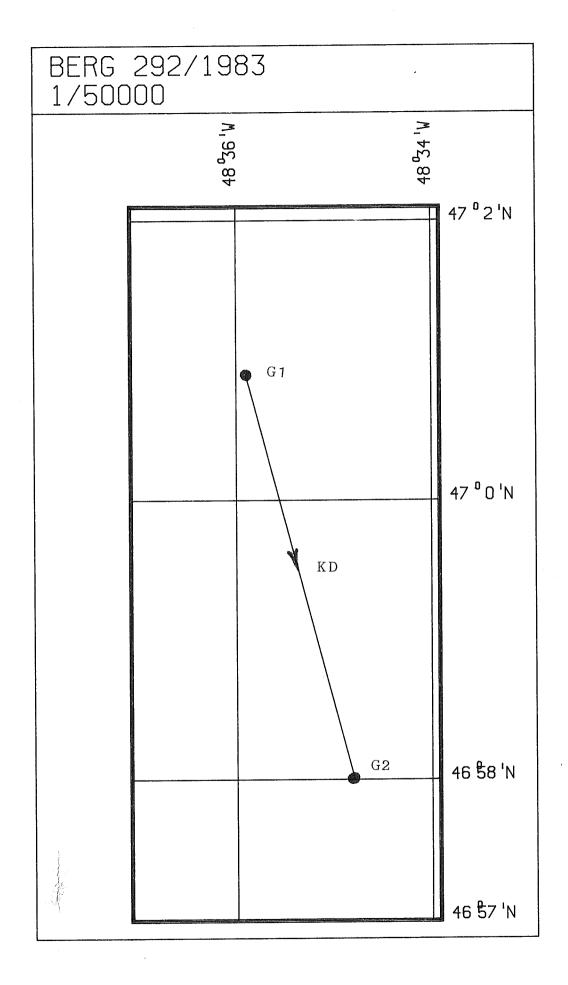


Figure A-36 Drift track of iceberg 292/1983

#### RA23 Iceberg 649/1983

The tracked positions for this berg are presented in Table A23 and the track is plotted in Fig. A-37. This iceberg was first observed in a water depth of 95m on the 29th of May, 1983 at 0900 about 2nm SSE of the grounded position G1. Keel dragging is inferred for the 2nm distance displaced during the 24 hours between the first observation and the grounded position G1 @ 47°-06.9'N and 48°-The winds were 20 knots from the east-south-east on April 23 which 43.0'W. probably assisted the berg in its drift towards the north-north-west to Gl. Grounding is inferred for the period 0900-30-05 to at least 0900-02-06; a total Free drift of this berg probably occurred after 3 days of of three days. grounding sometime between the 2nd and 4th of June in a north-easterly direction into deeper water. It is possible that a short scour exists to the northeast of G1, but due to the rapid drop-off of the bottom, the scour is probably very short. The berg itself had a sail height of 60m and the water-line dimensions were 135m by 38m. The draft must have been at least 97m considering the inferred keel dragging in water depths from 95 to 86m prior to grounding at Gl in 86m of water.

In summary: Iceberg 649/1983

- \* dragged its keel about 2nm towards the WNW on April 23
- \* grounded at G1 ( $47^{\circ}$ -06.9'N and  $48^{\circ}$ -43.0'W) for at least 3 days
- \* then drifted off towards the northeast then southeast into deeper water.

Table A23 Drift positions of iceberg 649/1983

Month	Day	Hour	Latitude (°-'N)	Longitude	e (°−'W)
05	29	0900	47-04.8	48-42.0	Inferred keel
11	30	tt	47-06.9	48-43.0	dragging )
06	02	tt	o	ti	Inferred grounding
11	04	ff	47–17.9	48-25.0	)
11	05	11	47-17.9	48-10.0	
11	06	11	47–10.0	47–58.3	
11	80	11	46-43.0	47–34.9	Free drift
11	09	11	46-38.0	47-19.9	TICE CITIE
11	10	11	46–26.0	47-01.9	
11	11	11	46-19.8	47-00.0	
11	12	11	46-16.8	46–55.0	

Water-line length	135 m	
" " width	_	38 m
Sail height	_	60 m
Draft	-	97 m
Water depth at G1	_	95 m

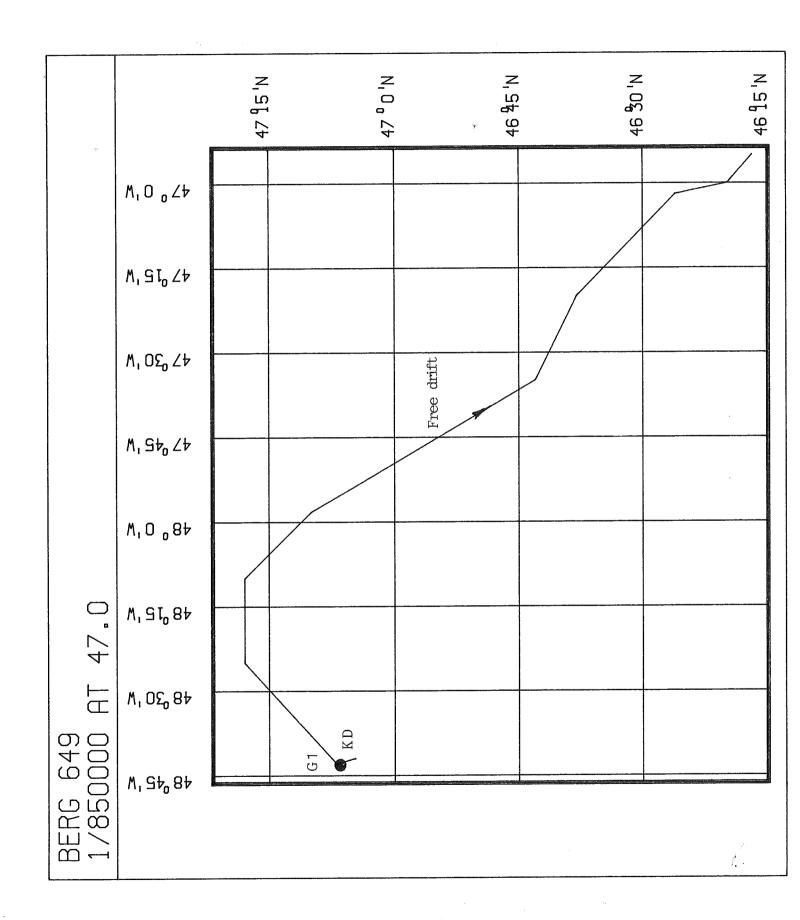


Figure A-37 Drift track of iceberg 649/1983

## RA24 Iceberg 028/1987

This was a large spherical berg. The length was measured as 166m; the width as 81m and the sail height was 21m. The draft was estimated to be 85m which was about right considering that the berg grounded in 85m of water on two occasions. Wind data are missing for March 9 and 10 when the berg is inferred as grounded at grounding position G1 (47°-19.5'N and 49°-42.8'W). Refer table A24 and fig. A-38. The berg was first observed on March 9 at 1100 hours local time and it remained stationary until at least 0800 hours on March 10. The next observation was made on March 17. The berg had drifted a distance of 15.4 nm towards 262° as a result of easterly winds (up to 40 knots) on March 16. If this were true, it means that the berg might have grounded at G1 for up to 7 days; ie. from March 9 to 16. It is possible that the berg was grounded for a longer period because it was already aground when first observed on March 9. During the 17 and 18, high winds (to 42 knots) from the SSW, south and SSE forced the berg to drift towards the west and to ground again in 80m of water at grounding position G2 (47°-23.5'N and 50°-02.9'W). The berg was aground by 0600 hours on March 19, and remained aground for three days at least. On the 25th, the berg was adrift heading south west into deeper waters.

In summary, Iceberg 028/1987 is inferred to have:

- \* grounded at grounding position G1 (47°-19.5'N and 49°-42.8'W) for at least 1 day during March 9 and 10. It may have been aground for up to 7 days.
- \* drifted westward on March 17 and 18 to ground at grounding position G2 (47°-23.5'N and 50°-02.9'W) for about 3 days, from March 19 to 22.
- \* drifted free from G2 sometime between March 22 and 25, heading into deeper waters.

Bonne Bay C-73 (Bow Drill 3) ( 46 32.18' N 48 11.51' W.)

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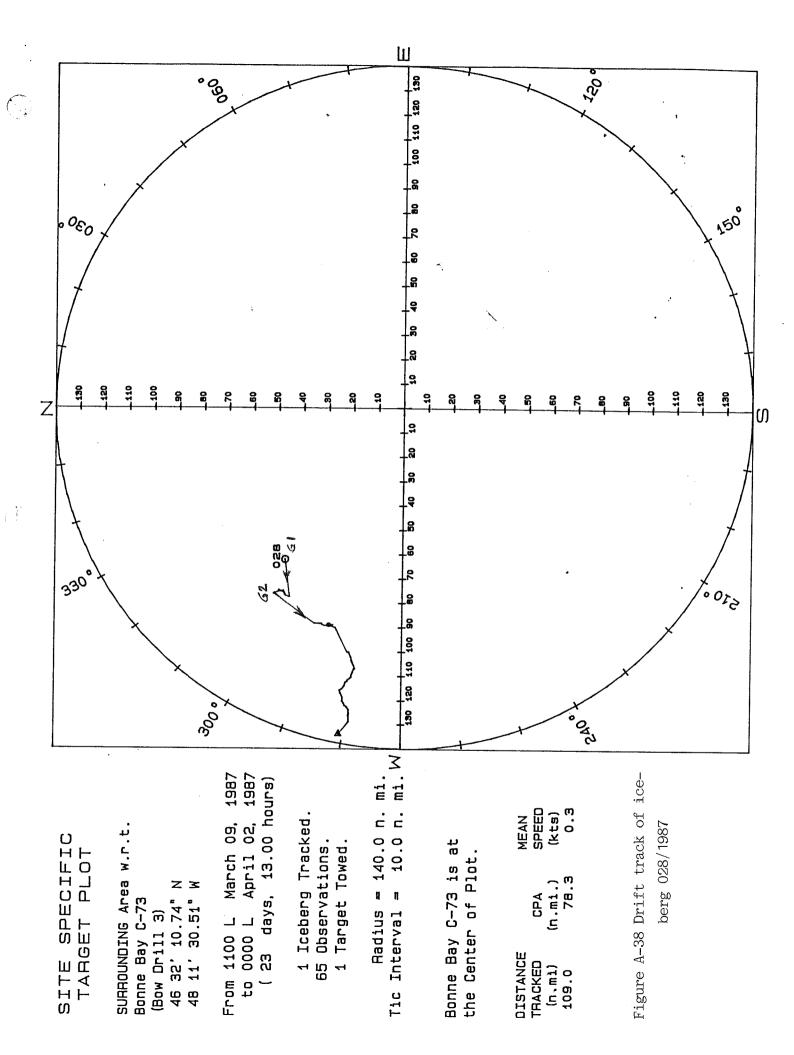
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SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 0.85 0.29 0.13 (to 253 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.69)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 65



## RA25 Iceberg 019/1985

This iceberg was large. The mass was 3.2 million tonnes. At the water-line, the berg measured 196m by 123m and the sail height was 46m. The draft was estimated as 100m. The berg was first observed on April 28 at a range of 70.4 nm from Conquest K-09. On the 7th of May, 9 days later, the berg was located at 70.1 nm and 297.8° from Conquest K-09 (Table A25). Grounding is inferred at this location (Fig. A-39) at 47°-41'N and 49°47.5'W for the 9 days involved. The water depth was about 95m at this, the first of two inferred groundings. On May 16, the berg was drifting towards the south. It is assumed that the berg drifted away from its first grounded position on May 15 due to 55 knot northerly winds. This implies that the berg may have been grounded at G1 for as long as 17 days. It is possible that keel dragging occurred on May 16 in a southerly direction from G1. In any case, by 2130 hours on May 16, the berg was aground again at grounding location G2 (47°-25.5'N and 49°-45.8'W) in 88m of water. The berg was still aground at G2 when the last observation was made on June 7. This indicates that the grounding period at G2 was at least 22 days.

In summary it is inferred that two groundings were experienced by iceberg 019/1985 from April 28 to June 7, 1985. Grounding G1 occurred at 47°-41'N and 49°-47.5'W for a minimum of 9 days and possibly a maximum of 17 days. The second grounding G2 occurred on May 16 at 47°-25.5'N and 49°-45.8'W and lasted until at least June 7, a period of 22 days. Keel dragging is inferred for part of the drift track between G1 and G2.

CONQUEST K-09 (BOW DRILL 2), 1985

DATE	TIME GMT	Range (n.mi)	-	TT (h)	Speed (Kts)	Dir. (T)	E.T. (h)	E.D.	
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28/04/85	1823	70.40	297.0	15	0.00	000	0.0	0.0	
28/04/85	2030	70.90	298.0	15	0.63	005	2.1	1.3	÷
28/04/85	2130	70.40	297.0	15	1.33	185	3.1	2.7	
28/04/85	2330	70.60	298.0	15	0.62	018	5.1	3.9	
01/05/85	1245	70.40	298.2	20	0.01	067	66.4	4.2	
01/05/85	2345	70.80	298.6	20	0.06	349	77.4	4.9	171 L
05/05/85	1156	70.30	297.9	20	0.01	178	161.6	5.9	
07/05/85	0015	70.10	297.8	20	0.01	149	197.9	6.1	in the second of
16/05/85	0830	67.00	292.1	25	0.03	181	422.1	13.6	
16/05/85	0930	67.00	291.7	25	0.47	202	423.1	14.0	
16/05/85	1030	66.40	291.0	25	1.01	165	424.1	15.1	
16/05/85	1130	65.80	290.4	25	0.92	160	425.1	16.0	
16/05/85	1230	65.10	289.6	9	1.15	163	426.1	17.1	
16/05/85	1330	64.40	288.8	9	1.14	161	427.1	18.3	
16/05/85	1430	63.90	287.7	9	1.33	176	428.1	19.6	
16/05/85	1530 <sup>ശ</sup> ്ര	63.60	287.3	9	0.54	164	429.1	20.1 [	LINE TOW1
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16/05/85	1730	63.70	287.2	9	0.15	155	431.1	20.5 [	LINE TOW1
16/05/85	1830	63.70	286.9	9	0.33	197	432.1	20.8	
16/05/85	1930	63.80	286.4	9	0.57	207	433.1	21.4	
16/05/85	2030 ൃാ	63.60	286.1	9	0.39	165	434.1	21.8	
16/05/85	2030 2130	63.60	285.8	9	0.33	196	435.1	22.1	
16/05/85	2230	63.70	285.7	9	0.15	238	436.1	22.3	
16/05/85	2330	63.80	285.6	9	0.15	238	437.1	22.4	
17/05/85	0030	63.8 <b>64.20</b>	28 <del>5.6</del>	9	0.40	286	438.1	22.8	
17/05/85	0630	63.70	285.9	9	0.10	072	444.1	23.4	30
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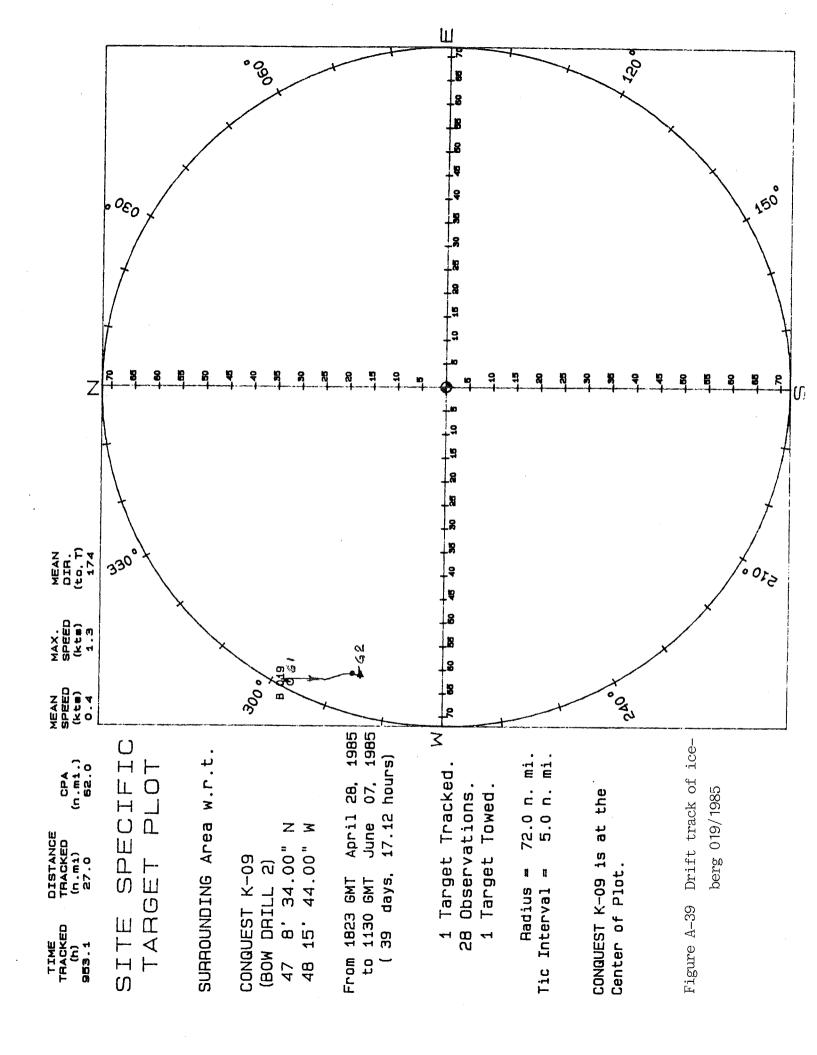
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SPEEDS (knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.01 1.33 0.45 0.02 (to 174 T; DRIFT RATIO = 0.55)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 28



#### RA26 Iceberg 061/1985

No information is available on the dimensions of this berg. All that is known is that it drifted as shown in Table A26 and Fig. A-40. Only four position observations were made and 24 hours of stationarity occurred between 1720 hours on May 26, 1985 and 1720 hours on May 27. Considering the 125m water depth at the grounded location (46°-10.8'N and 47°-58'W) and the fact that the berg drifted in from deeper waters to the north east, it is reasonable to infer that this berg definitely grounded. The drift of the berg from deep to less deep water areas is attributed to 44 knot easterly winds which occurred during May 25 and 26, 1985.

In summary, one definite grounding is inferred for berg 061/1985 in 125m of water at  $46^{\circ}-10.8$ 'N and  $47^{\circ}-58$ 'W for at least 24 hours.

NORTH BEN NEVIS P-93 (BOW DRILL 3), 1985

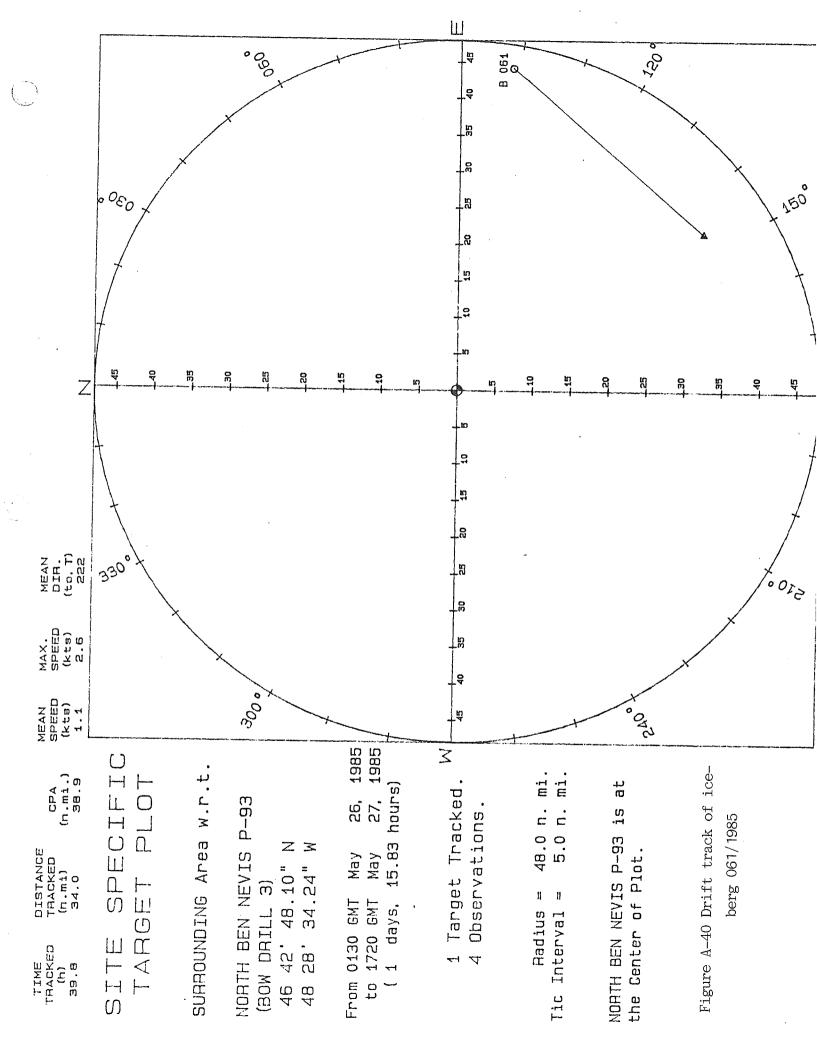
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27/05/85 26/05/85	1720 0130	38.91 44.70	146.4	(CPA) (MDR)		203	57.0	

SPEEDS (Knots)

Min. Max. Mean MadeGood

0.00 2.58 1.10 0.85 (to 222 T; DRIFT RATIO = 1.00)

TOTAL NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS = 4



### RA27 Rejected icebergs

During the data review, candidate grounded icebergs were selected and later exposed to analysis regarding actual scouring, grounding, keel dragging and free drift. As a result of the analysis, two of the candidate bergs were rejected on the grounds that the water depth was too great for grounding.

#### Iceberg 024/1985

In reviewing the 7 positions covering the 26 hour observation period of iceberg 024, it is difficult to conclude that it actually grounded owing to the fact that that the water depth in the area is about 215m. While the 1 nm net movement during the period of observation suggests grounding, the total drift distance, noted as 10.9 nm, suggests free drift of 0.3 to 1.0 knots. It is possible that navigational errors were involved. It is also possible that keel dragging occurred and the great water depth indicates that if grounding or keel dragging occurred, the berg must have been very large indeed. Information regarding berg dimensions is lacking. The available data are presented in Table A27 and Fig. A-41. Berg 024 is included in this report because of the possible grounding or scouring in the 215m water depth, but is rejected as a definite grounding on the grounds that it is unlikely that a berg with a draft in excess of 200m occurred. If a search for scours were to be conducted, the area of interest is 46°-11'N and 47°-38.4'W.

## Iceberg 003/1983

Low drift rates were noted on January 12, 1983 at 48°-10'N and 47°-37'W (Table A25). Free drift occurred on the 13th, prior to a two day period of stationarity at 48°-21'N and 47°-17'W. The berg was stationary by 0900 hours on the 14th in about 2000m of water. On the morning of the 17th, the berg drifted freely to the NNE of the stationary location. The berg itself was about 80m long and 50m wide at the water-line and the sail height was 30m. Judging by the 2000m water depth at the location of stationarity, grounding is rejected completely.

# WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W

# OBSERVED TRACK PLOT & SUMMARY FOR ICEBERG: \$24

Observed from: 0030 30 May 85 to: 0230 31 May 85 (GMT)
Hours Tracked: 26 hrs # of Observations: 7
Distance tracked: 10.8 nm. Net Displacement: 1.0 nm

Closest Approach: 39.6 nm. 119 at 1630 30 May 85

Iceberg track: Tow operations: -----

Scale: 37 nm

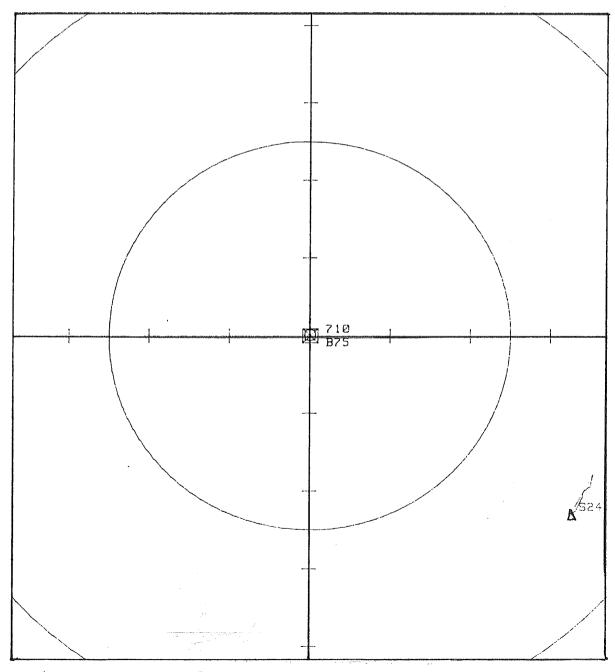


Figure A-41 Track plot of rejected iceberg 024/1983

## WEST BEN NEVIS B-75 46 34.0 N 48 26.1 W 1985

Iceberg: S24 page 1

Characteristics :

Size Shape Length Width Height Draft Mass X Ø X Ø X Ø X Ø X Ø

## Summary of the Iceberg Track

Time tracked : 26.0 hrs. Total Distance : 10.9 nm. Net Displacement : 1.1 nm.

## Position Observations: 7

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1830	30 May	40.0	121	.8	194			
2030	30 May	39.6	122	. 5	232	•		
2230	30 May	39.9	123	. 4	192			
0030	31 May	40.1	126	1.0	206			
0230	31 May	39.8	127	. 3	243			