

CEFAS FISHERIES LABORATORY, LOWESTOFT, SUFFOLK, ENGLAND

2003 RESEARCH VESSEL PROGRAMME

PROGRAMME: RV CORYSTES: CRUISE 8x/03

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DURATION

16th – 20th July

LOCALITY

North Sea – Tyne area

AIMS

1. To study the impact of various types of seabed disturbance on sediment geochemistry (A1224)
2. Trial benthic survey equipment

PLAN (all times are Greenwich Mean Time)

Depart Lowestoft on the early morning (00:00) tide of 16th July and proceed directly to the Tyne area. On arrival proceed to survey dump sites for effects of disturbance. On the 18th pick up non CEFAS personnel and trial survey equipment from North Shields? – trial the equipment and return to North Shields on the evening tide. Complete Aim 1 before returning to Lowestoft for the afternoon tide Sunday 20th July.

Surveys will include the use of NIOZ corer, Hamon Grab, 2m Beam Trawl.

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