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1977 RESEARCH VESSEL PROGRAMME

REPORT: RV TELLINA: CRUISE 2

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DURATION

25 February-6 March

LOCALITY

Off Southwold

AIMS

To survey the Southwold dredging grounds

NARRATIVE

Eleven beam-trawl stations were worked in extremely difficult sea conditions on 25 February, and a further 27 completed on 28 February, with the two intervening days lost because of poor weather. During 1 and 2 March a period of fishing with the Boris Box trawl was carried out and the remaining beam-trawl stations were completed by 5 March.

RESULTS

1. A total of 57 beam-trawl hauls was worked on the Southwold dredging ground and on the control ground to the east.
2. 270 stomachs, mostly of whiting but including cod, pout and a small number of flatfish, were collected for analysis in the laboratory.

R Millner

17 March 1977

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