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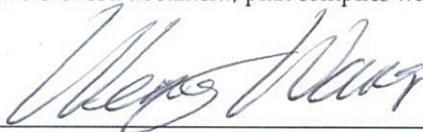


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**1.1 BACKGROUND**

1.1.1 Since early 1990s, contaminated sediment <sup>(1)</sup> arising from various construction works (e.g. dredging and reclamation projects) in Hong Kong has been disposed of at a series of seabed pits at East of Sha Chau (ESC). In late 2008, a review indicated that the existing and planned facilities at ESC would not be able to meet the disposal demand after 2012. In order to meet this demand, the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government (HKSARG) decided to implement a new contained aquatic disposal (CAD) <sup>(2)</sup> facility at the South of The Brothers (SB CMPs) which had been under consideration for a number of years.

1.1.2 The environmental acceptability of the construction and operation of the Project had been confirmed by findings of the associated Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) study completed in 2005 under *Agreement No. CE 12/2002(EP)* <sup>(3)</sup>. The Director of Environmental Protection (DEP) approved this EIA report under the *Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance (Cap. 499) (EIAO)* in September 2005 (*EIA Register No.: AEIAR-089/2005*).

1.1.3 In accordance with the EIA recommendation, prior to commencement of construction works for the SB CMPs, the Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD) undertook a detailed review and update of the EIA findings for the SB site <sup>(4)</sup>. Findings of the EIA review undertaken in 2009/2010 confirmed that the construction and operation of the SB site had been predicted to be environmentally acceptable.

- (1) According to the Management Framework of Dredged/ Excavated Sediment of ETWB TC(W) No. 34/2002, contaminated sediment in general shall mean those sediment requiring Type 2 – Confined Marine Disposal as determined according to this TC(W).
- (2) CAD options may involve use of excavated borrow pits, or may involve purpose-built excavated pits. CAD sites are those which involve filling a seabed pit with contaminated mud and capping it with uncontaminated material such that the original seabed level is restored and the contaminated material is isolated from the surrounding marine environment.
- (3) Detailed Site Selection Study for a Proposed Contaminated Mud Disposal Facility within the Airport East/ East of Sha Chau Area (*Agreement No. CE 12/2002(EP)*)
- (4) Under the CEDD study *Contaminated Sediment Disposal Facility to the South of The Brothers (Agreement No. FM 2/2009)*



- *Routine Water Quality Monitoring* for CMP 1 was undertaken on 3 April 2014;
- *Water Column Profiling* for CMP 1 was undertaken on 8 April 2014; and
- *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry* was undertaken for CMP 1 on 8 April 2014.

No monitoring activity was undertaken for ESC CMPs in April 2014.

#### **1.4** *DETAILS OF OUTSTANDING SAMPLING AND/OR ANALYSIS*

1.4.1 No outstanding sampling remained for April 2014. The following laboratory analyses were still in progress during the preparation of this monthly report and hence were not presented in this monthly report:

- Laboratory analyses of sediment samples collected for *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1* in March and April 2014; and
- Laboratory analyses of sediment samples collected for *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1* in February 2014.

1.4.2 A summary of field activities conducted are presented in *Annex A*.

## 1.5 **BRIEF DISCUSSION OF THE MONITORING RESULTS FOR SB CMPs**

1.5.1 Brief discussion of the monitoring results of the following activities is presented in this 20<sup>th</sup> *Monthly Progress Report*:

- *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1* conducted in January and February 2014;
- *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1* conducted in February 2014;
- *Routine Water Quality Monitoring of CMP 1* undertaken on 3 April 2014;
- *Water Column Profiling of CMP 1* conducted on 8 April 2014; and
- *Impact Water Quality Monitoring during Dredging Operations of CMP 2* conducted from 2 to 29 April 2014.

### 1.5.2 ***Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1 – January and February 2014***

1.5.3 Monitoring locations for *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for CMP 1* are shown in *Figure 1.2*. A total of six (6) monitoring stations were sampled in January and February 2014.

1.5.4 The concentrations of most inorganic contaminants were lower than the Lower Chemical Exceedance Level (LCEL) at all stations except Arsenic, Copper and Silver in both January and February 2014 (*Figures 1-2 and 6-7 of Annex B*). Concentrations of Arsenic exceeded the LCEL at all stations except Active Pit station SB-NPAB while concentrations of Copper and Silver exceeded the LCEL at Active Pit station SB-NPAA.

1.5.5 Whilst the average concentration of Arsenic in the Earth's crust is generally ~2mg/kg, significantly higher Arsenic concentrations (median = 14 mg/kg) have been recorded in Hong Kong's onshore sediments <sup>(1)</sup>. It is presumed that the natural concentrations of Arsenic are similar in onshore and offshore sediments <sup>(2)</sup>, and relatively high Arsenic levels may thus occur throughout Hong Kong. Therefore, the LCEL exceedances of Arsenic are unlikely to be caused by the disposal operations at CMP 1 but rather as a result of naturally occurring deposits.

(1) Sewell RJ (1999) *Geochemical Atlas of Hong Kong*. Geotechnical Engineering Office, Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

(2) Whiteside PGD (2000) *Natural geochemistry and contamination of marine sediments in Hong Kong*. In: *The Urban Geology of Hong Kong* (ed Page A & Reels SJ). Geological Society of Hong Kong Bulletin No. 6, p109-121

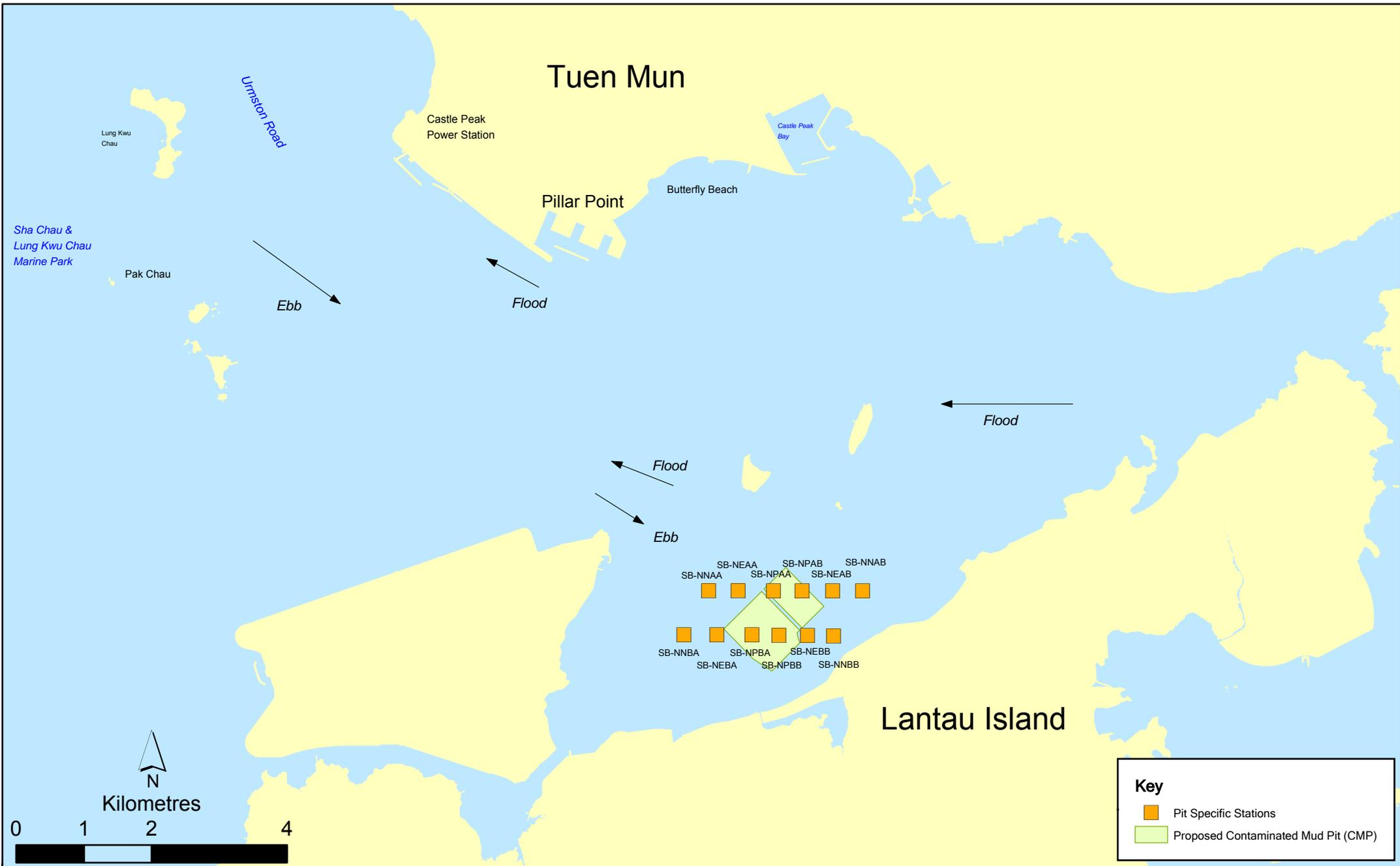


Figure 1.2

Pit Specific Sediment Quality Monitoring Stations for South Brothers Facility

- 1.5.6 Active Pit station SB-NPAA where LCEL exceedances of Copper and Silver are recorded is located within CMP 1 which was receiving contaminated mud during the reporting period. Therefore, the higher concentration of contaminants recorded at the Active Pit station only are not considered as indicating any dispersal of contaminated mud from CMP 1. Nevertheless, detailed analyses will be presented in the *Quarterly Report* to reveal any trend of increasing sediment contaminant concentrations towards CMP 1.
- 1.5.7 For organic contaminants, the concentration of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) was similar amongst stations with no consistent spatial trend in January and February 2014 (*Figures 3 and 8 of Annex B*). Concentrations of Tributyltin (TBTs) were observed to be higher at Active Pit station SB-NPAA in January and February 2014 (*Figures 4 and 9 of Annex B*). Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (Low and High MW PAHs) concentrations were recorded below the limit of reporting at all stations except Active Pit station SB-NPAA (*Figures 5 and 10 of Annex B*). Total Dichloro-Diphenyl-Trichloroethane (DDT), 4,4'-Dichloro-Diphenyl-Dichloroethylene (4,4'-DDE) and Total Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) were recorded below the limit of reporting at all stations in January and February 2014.
- 1.5.8 As discussed in *Section 1.5.6* above, the higher concentrations of contaminants (including metals and organic contaminants) recorded at the Active Pit stations only are not considered as indicating any dispersal of contaminated mud from CMP 1.
- 1.5.9 Overall, there is no evidence indicating any unacceptable environmental impacts to sediment quality as a result of the contaminated mud disposal operations at CMP 1 in January and February 2014.
- 1.5.10 *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1 – February 2014***
- 1.5.11 Monitoring locations for *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry for CMP 1* are shown in *Figure 1.3*. A total of eleven (11) monitoring stations were sampled in February 2014.
- 1.5.12 Analyses of results for the *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* indicated that the concentrations of all metals, except Arsenic, were below the LCEL in February 2014 (*Figures 11 and 12 of Annex B*). Concentrations of Arsenic in sediments from most stations exceeded the LCEL, except for Near Field station SB-RNB and Mid Field station SB-RMB.
- 1.5.13 As discussed in *Section 1.5.5*, the LCEL exceedances of Arsenic are unlikely to be caused by the disposal operations at CMP 1 but rather as a result of naturally occurring deposits.

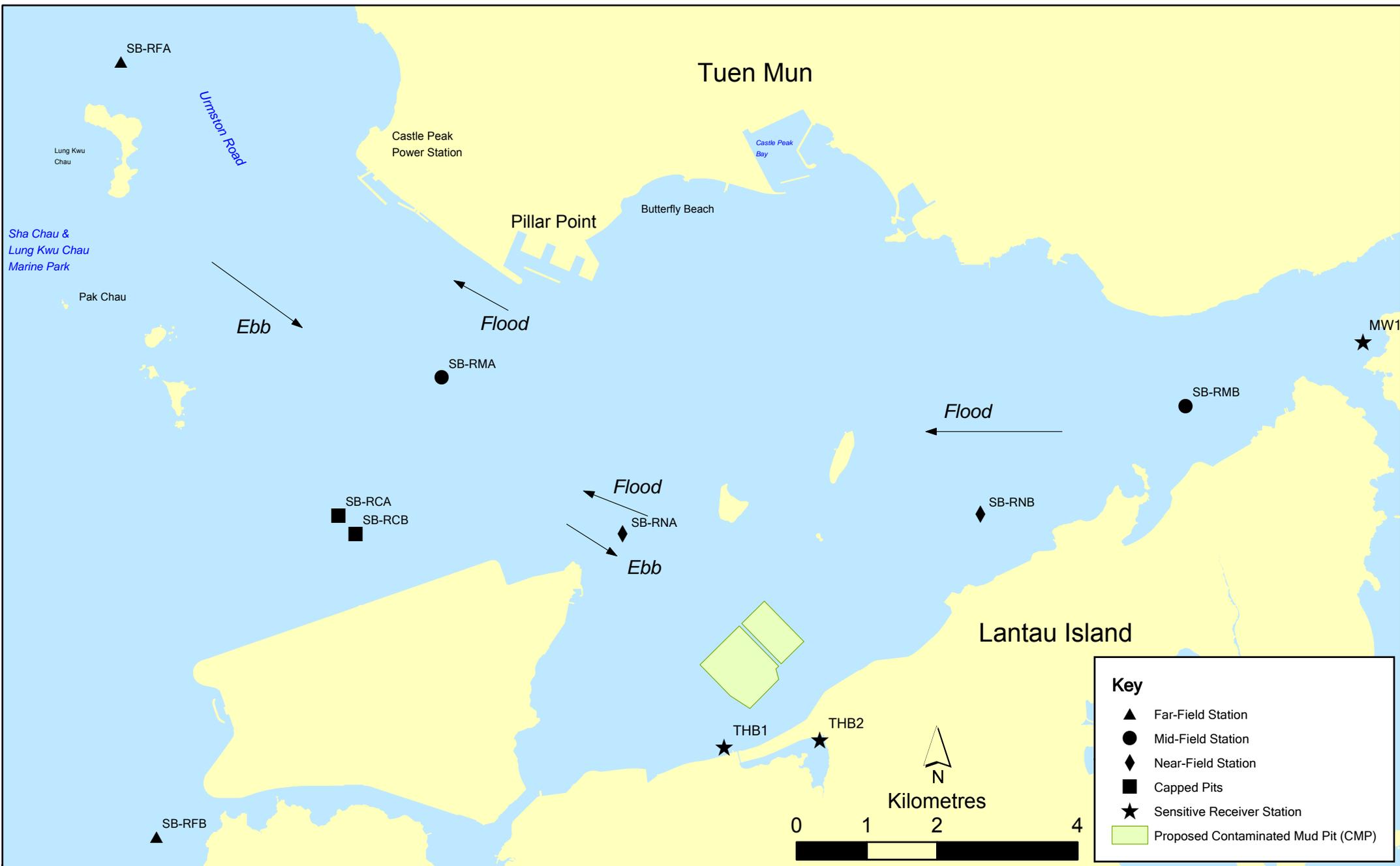


Figure 1.3

Cumulative Impacts Sediment Quality Monitoring Stations for South Brothers Facility

- 1.5.14 For organic contaminants, concentration of TOC at Tai Ho Bay Station 2 (THB2) was recorded to be higher than other stations (*Figure 13 of Annex B*). Concentrations of TBT were recorded to be higher at Near-field station SB-RNB and Ma Wan station (*Figure 14 of Annex B*). Total DDT, 4,4'-DDE, total PCBs as well as Low and High MW PAHs were recorded below the limit of reporting at all stations.
- 1.5.15 Overall, there is no evidence indicating any unacceptable environmental impacts to sediment quality as a result of the contaminated mud disposal operations at CMP 1 during this monthly period.
- 1.5.16 ***Impact Water Quality Monitoring during Dredging Operations of CMP 2 – April 2014***
- 1.5.17 *Impact Water Quality Monitoring during Dredging Operations of CMP 2* was conducted three times per week from 2 to 29 April 2014 during the reporting period. The laboratory analysis of SS from 26 to 29 April 2014 is in progress during the preparation of this report and the SS data from 26 to 29 April 2014 will be presented in the *21<sup>st</sup> Monthly Progress Report*.
- 1.5.18 On each survey day, sampling was conducted during both mid-ebb and mid-flood tides at two Reference (Upstream) stations and five Impact (Downstream) stations of the dredging operations at CMP 2. Monitoring was also conducted at five Sensitive Receiver Stations situated in Ma Wan, Shum Shui Kok, Tai Mo To and Tai Ho Bay. A total of twelve stations were monitored and locations of the sampling stations are shown in *Figure 1.4*. Sampling at station THB2 during mid-flood tide of 26 April 2014 was cancelled due to adverse weather condition.
- 1.5.19 Monitoring results are presented in *Table C1 of Annex C*. Daily dredging volume in April 2014 is reported in *Annex D*. Levels of Dissolved Oxygen (DO), Turbidity and Suspended Solids (SS) generally complied with the Action and Limit Levels (see *Table C2 of Annex C* for details) set in the *Baseline Monitoring Report* <sup>(1)</sup>, except for the following occasions of exceedance shown in *Table 1.1* below.

**Table 1.1** ***Details of Exceedances Recorded at CMP 2 in April 2014***

Date	Tide	Parameter	Station	Type
2 April 2014	Mid-Ebb	SS	DS1	Action
		SS	WSR46	Action

(1) ERM (2012) Baseline Monitoring Report. Environmental Monitoring and Audit for Contaminated Mud Pits to the South of the Brothers and at East Sha Chau (2012-2017) – Investigation. Agreement No. CE 23/2012(EP). Submitted to EPD in October 2012.

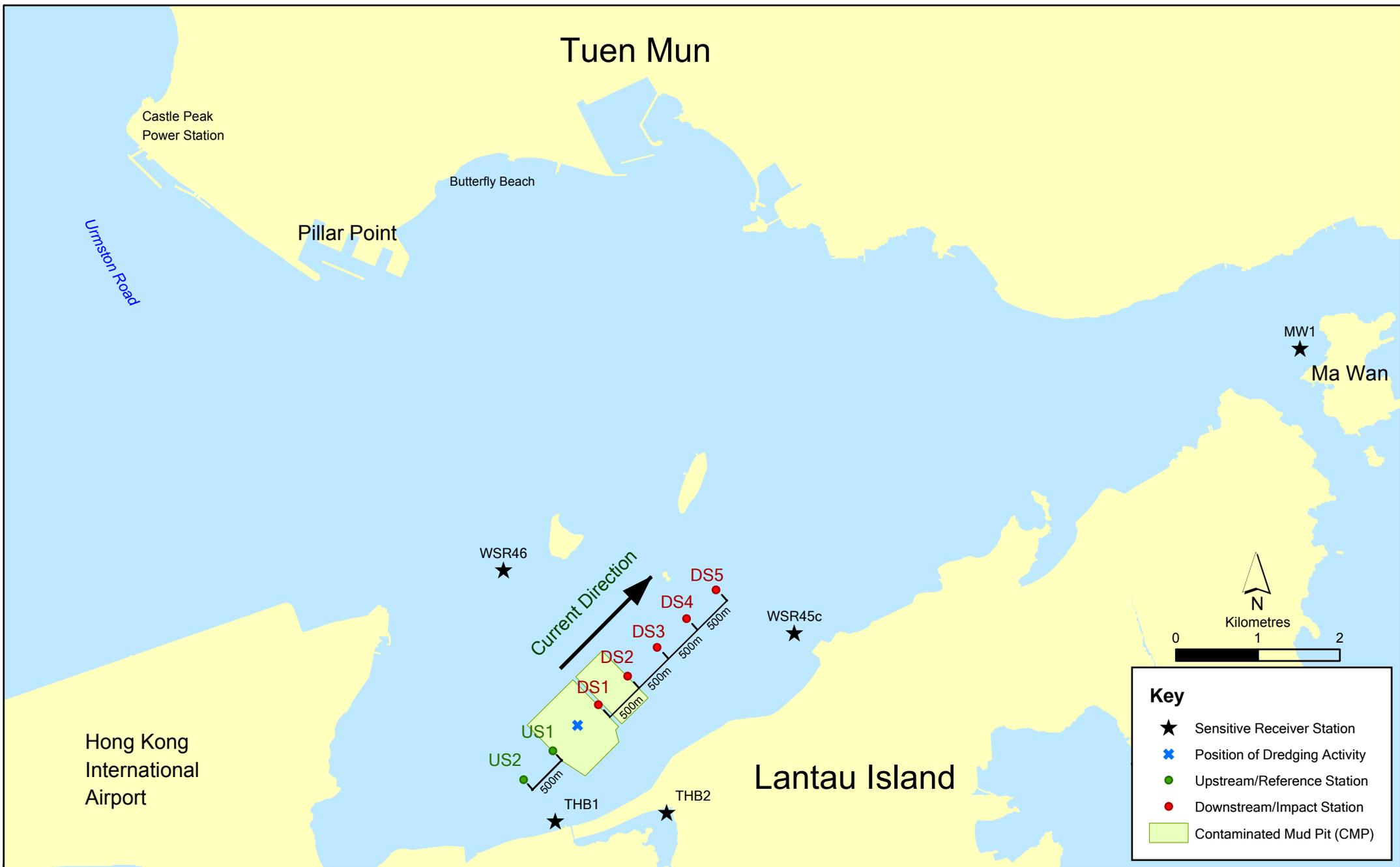


Figure 1.4

Indicative Dredging Impact Sampling Stations for South Brothers Facility

Note: The locations of sampling stations will be determined on site based on current direction and position of dredging activities.

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- 1.5.20 Action Level exceedances of SS were recorded at stations DS1 and WSR46 during mid-flood tide on 2 April 2014. Since station DS1 was located at the boundary of the works area, the exceedance at DS1 station did not appear to indicate any unacceptable water quality impacts outside the works area of the Project. In addition, station WSR46 is located further away from the works area of CMP 2 when compared to station DS2-4 at which the levels of SS did not exceed the Action and Limit Levels. As such, the exceedance at station WSR46 is not likely to be caused by the dredging works at CMP 2.
- 1.5.21 It should be noted that high levels of SS were occasionally recorded during baseline monitoring which are considered to be sporadic events and characteristic of water quality in this area of Hong Kong (baseline monitoring data are summarised in *Table C3 of Annex C*). Therefore, the Action and Limit Level exceedances may be caused by natural background variation in water quality of the area.
- 1.5.22 Overall, the results indicated that the dredging operations at CMP 2 did not appear to cause any unacceptable deterioration in water quality during this reporting period. Therefore, no further mitigation measures, except for those recommended in the Environmental Permit (*EP-427/2011/A*), are considered necessary for the dredging operations.

**1.5.23 *Routine Water Quality Monitoring of SB CMP 1 – April 2014***

- 1.5.24 The monitoring results for the *Routine Water Quality Monitoring* conducted in April 2014 in the wet season have been assessed for compliance with the Water Quality Objectives (WQOs) set by EPD. This consists of a review of the EPD routine water quality monitoring data for the wet season period (April to October) of 2003-2012 from stations in the Northwestern Water Control Zone, where the CMPs are located. For Salinity, the averaged value obtained from the Reference stations was used for the basis as the WQO. Levels of DO, Turbidity and SS were also assessed for compliance with the Action and Limit Levels (see *Table C2 of Annex C* for details). The monitoring results are shown in *Figures 15-20 of Annex B* and *Tables C4-C5 of Annex C*.
- 1.5.25 Locations of monitoring stations are presented in *Figure 1.5*. Sampling at station THB2 was cancelled due to adverse weather condition

*In-situ Measurements*

- 1.5.26 Analyses of results for April 2014 indicated that the levels of pH and DO complied with the WQOs at all stations (Impact, Intermediate, Reference and Water Sensitive Receiver stations) in April 2014. The levels of Salinity complied with WQO at most stations except for Intermediate and Ma Wan stations (*Figures 15, 16 and 18 of Annex B*). The higher salinities recorded at Intermediate and Ma Wan stations are likely to be caused by its larger separation distance from the Pearl River mouth, which is a key source of freshwater inputs in the area, when compared to the Reference stations.

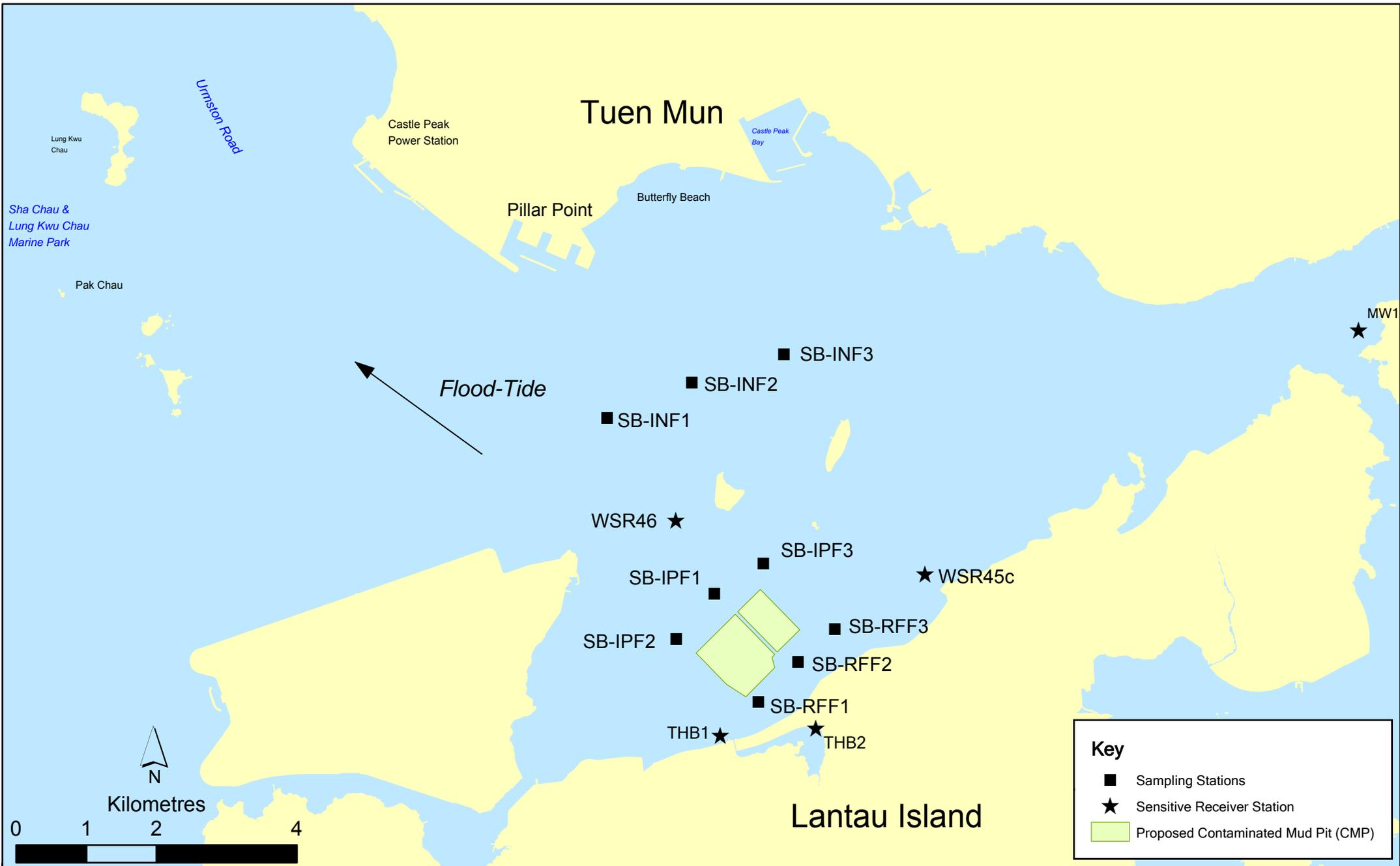


Figure 1.5

Routine & Capping Water Quality Sampling Stations (Flood-Tide) for South Brothers Facility

1.5.27 The levels of DO and Turbidity complied with the Action and Limit Levels at all stations (*Figures 16 and 19 of Annex B; Tables C4 of Annex C*).

*Laboratory Measurements*

1.5.28 Analyses of April 2014 results indicated that concentrations of Arsenic, Cadmium, Mercury and Silver were below their limit of reporting at all stations. Chromium, Copper, Lead, Nickel and Zinc were detected in samples from all stations (*Figure 20 of Annex B*). Concentrations of Chromium, Lead and Zinc appeared to be similar amongst all stations while concentration of Copper was lower at Sensitive Receiver stations. Concentration of Nickel was lower at Intermediate station when compared to the concentration recorded as other station.

1.5.29 For inorganic contaminants, concentrations of Total Inorganic Nitrogen (TIN) at all stations exceeded the WQO (*Figure 22 of Annex B*). It is important to note that due to the effect of the Pearl River, the North Western WCZ has historically experienced higher levels of TIN<sup>(1)</sup>. Therefore, the exceedances of TIN WQO at all stations are unlikely to be caused by the disposal operation at CMP 1. Levels of 5-day Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD<sub>5</sub>) were noted to be lower at the Impact and Intermediate stations (*Figure 21 of Annex B*). Ammoniacal-Nitrogen (NH<sub>3</sub>-N) concentration was relatively similar amongst all stations (*Figure 22 of Annex B*). Concentrations of SS exceeded the WQO (12.00 mg/L for wet season) at all stations except Ma Wan station. SS at all stations complied with the Action and Limit Levels except for Tai Mo To (WSR46) station during the reporting period (*Figure 23 of Annex B; Table C5 of Annex C*). As discussed in *Section 1.5.21*, the WQO and Action level exceedances of SS are considered to be sporadic and characteristic of water quality in this area of Hong Kong.

1.5.30 Overall, results of the *Routine Water Quality Monitoring* indicated that the disposal operation at CMP 1 did not appear to cause any unacceptable deterioration in water quality in April 2014.

**1.5.31 *Water Column Profiling of CMP 1 – April 2014***

1.5.32 *Water Column Profiling* was undertaken at a total of two sampling stations (Upstream and Downstream stations) on 10 April 2014. The water quality monitoring results have been assessed for compliance with the WQOs. The monitoring results were also compared with the Action and Limit Levels set in *Baseline Monitoring Report* (see *Table C2 of Annex C* for details).

(1) [http://www.epd.gov.hk/epd/misc/marine\\_quality/1986-2005/textonly/eng/index.htm](http://www.epd.gov.hk/epd/misc/marine_quality/1986-2005/textonly/eng/index.htm)

### *In-situ Measurements*

- 1.5.33 Analyses of results for April 2014 indicated that levels of Salinity, pH and DO complied with the WQOs at both Downstream and Upstream stations (*Table C6 of Annex C*). DO and Turbidity also complied with the Action and Limit Levels.

### *Laboratory Measurements for SS*

- 1.5.34 Analyses of results for April 2014 indicated that the SS levels at Downstream and Upstream stations complied with the WQO and the Action and Limit Levels (*Table C6 of Annex C*).
- 1.5.35 Overall, the monitoring results indicated that the mud disposal operation at CMP 1 did not appear to cause any deterioration in water quality during this reporting period.

## **1.6 ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR THE NEXT MONTH**

- 1.6.1 The following monitoring activities will be conducted in the next monthly period of May 2014 for SB CMPs:

- *Impact Water Quality Monitoring during Dredging Operations of CMP 2;*
- *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of CMP 1;*
- *Routine Water Quality Monitoring of CMP 1; and*
- *Water Column Profiling of CMP 1.*

- 1.6.2 Monitoring activities are not scheduled to be undertaken for ESC CMPs.

- 1.6.3 The sampling schedule is presented in *Annex A*.

## **1.7 STUDY PROGRAMME**

- 1.7.1 A summary of the Study programme is presented in *Annex E*.

Annex A

## Sampling Schedule

Annex A1 - Environmental Monitoring and Audit Sampling Schedule for East of Sha Chau (September 2012 - December 2014)

		2012				2013				2014																					
Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry	Code	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Active-Pit	ESC-NPDA	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	ESC-NPDB	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
Pit-Edge	ESC-NEDA	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	ESC-NEDB	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
Near-Pit	ESC-NNDA	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	ESC-NNDB	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	

Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Near-field Stations	ESC-RNA			*		*					*		*																		
	ESC-RNB			*		*					*		*																		
Mid-field Stations	ESC-RMA			*		*					*		*																		
	ESC-RMB			*		*					*		*																		
Capped Pit Stations	ESC-RCA			*		*					*		*																		
	ESC-RCB			*		*					*		*																		
Far-Field Stations	ESC-RFA			*		*					*		*																		
	ESC-RFB			*		*					*		*																		
Ma Wan Station	MW1			*		*					*		*																		

Sediment Toxicity Tests		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Near-Field Stations	ESC-TDA						*						*																		
	ESC-TDB						*						*																		
Reference Stations	ESC-TRA						*						*																		
	ESC-TRB						*						*																		
Ma Wan Station	MW1						*						*																		

Tissue/ Whole Body Sampling		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Impact Stations	ESC-INA						*						*																		
	ESC-INB						*						*																		
Reference	ESC-TNA						*						*																		
	ESC-TNB						*						*																		
Ma Wan Station	ESC-TSA						*						*																		
	ESC-TSB						*						*																		

Demersal Trawling		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Impact Stations	ESC-INA					*	*				*	*																			
	ESC-INB					*	*				*	*																			
Reference Stations	ESC-TNA					*	*				*	*																			
	ESC-TNB					*	*				*	*																			
Ma Wan Station	ESC-TSA					*	*				*	*																			
	ESC-TSB					*	*				*	*																			

Water Column Profiling		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Plume Stations	WCP1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	WCP2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	

Benthic Recolonisation Studies		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
Capped Contaminated Mud Pits IVa-c	ESC-CPA			*									*				*									*				*	
	ESC-CPB			*									*				*									*				*	
	ESC-CPC			*									*				*									*				*	
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Impact Monitoring for Dredging		S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D		
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	DS3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	DS4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
	DS5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	
Ma Wan Station	MW1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*																	











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## Graphs of Monitoring Results

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Metal and Metalloid Contaminants at CMP 1  
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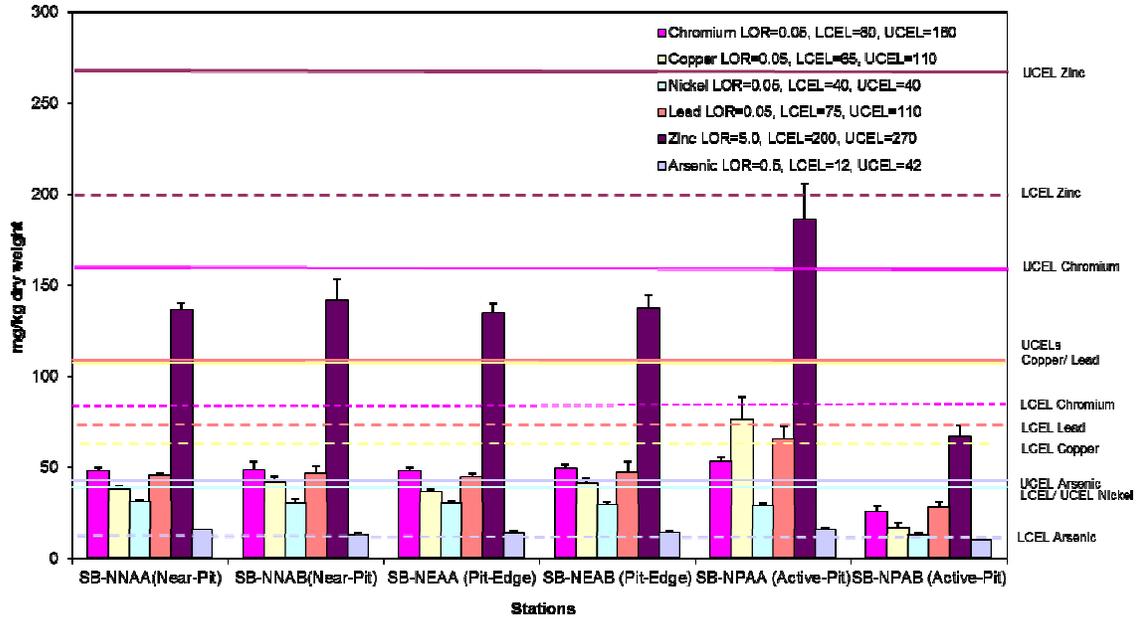


Figure 1: Concentration of Metals and Metalloid (Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, As; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in January 2014.

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Metal Contaminants at CMP 1  
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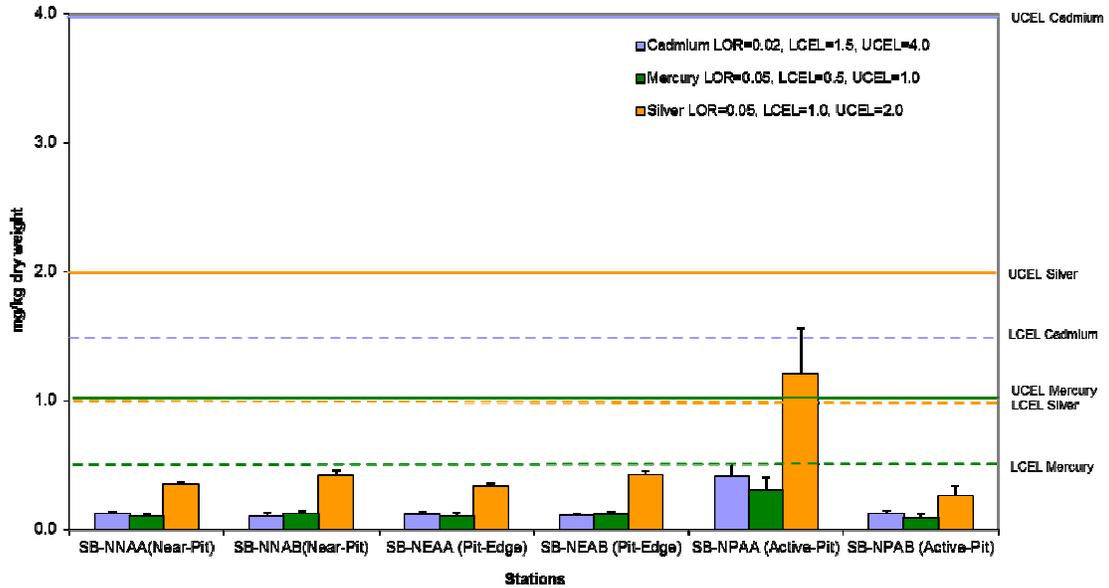


Figure 2: Concentration of Metals (Cd, Hg, Ag; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in January 2014.

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**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Total Organic Carbon (TOC) at CMP 1  
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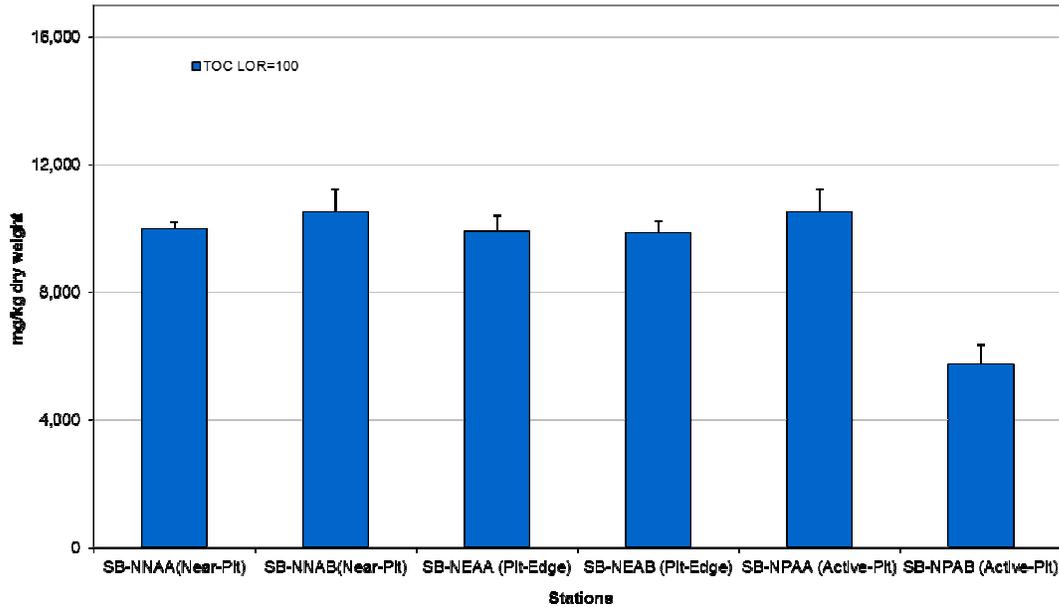


Figure 3: Concentration of Total Organic Carbon (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in January 2014.

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Tributyltin (TBT) at CMP 1  
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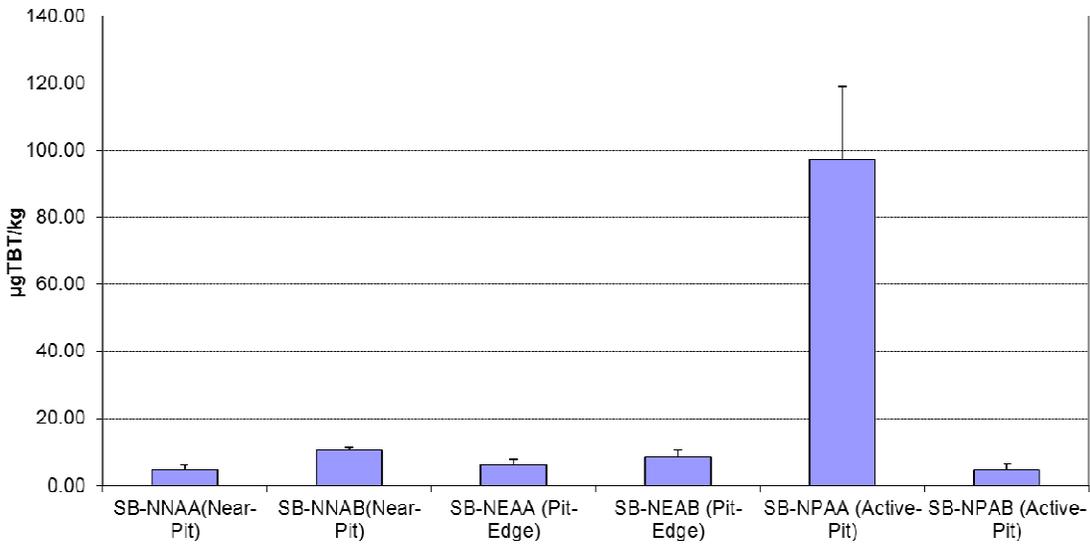


Figure 4: Concentration of Tributyltin (µg TBT/kg; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* of CMP 1 in January 2014.

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics Hydrocarbons (PAHs) at CMP 1 in January 2014**

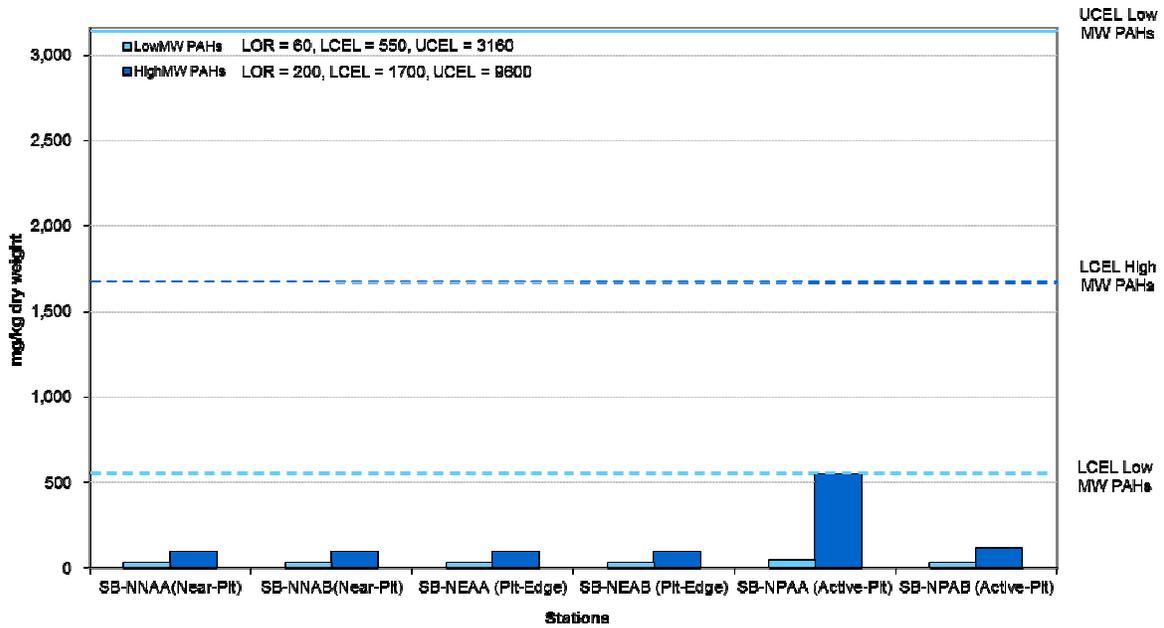


Figure 5: Concentration of Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics Hydrocarbons (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in January 2014.

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Metal and Metalloid Contaminants at CMP 1 February 2014**

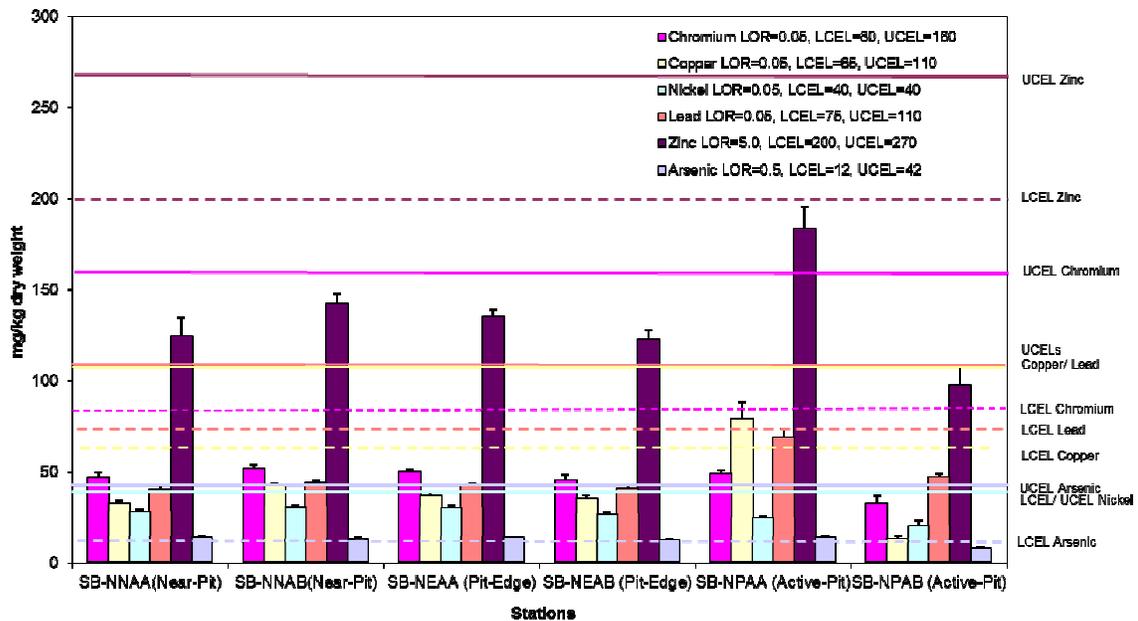


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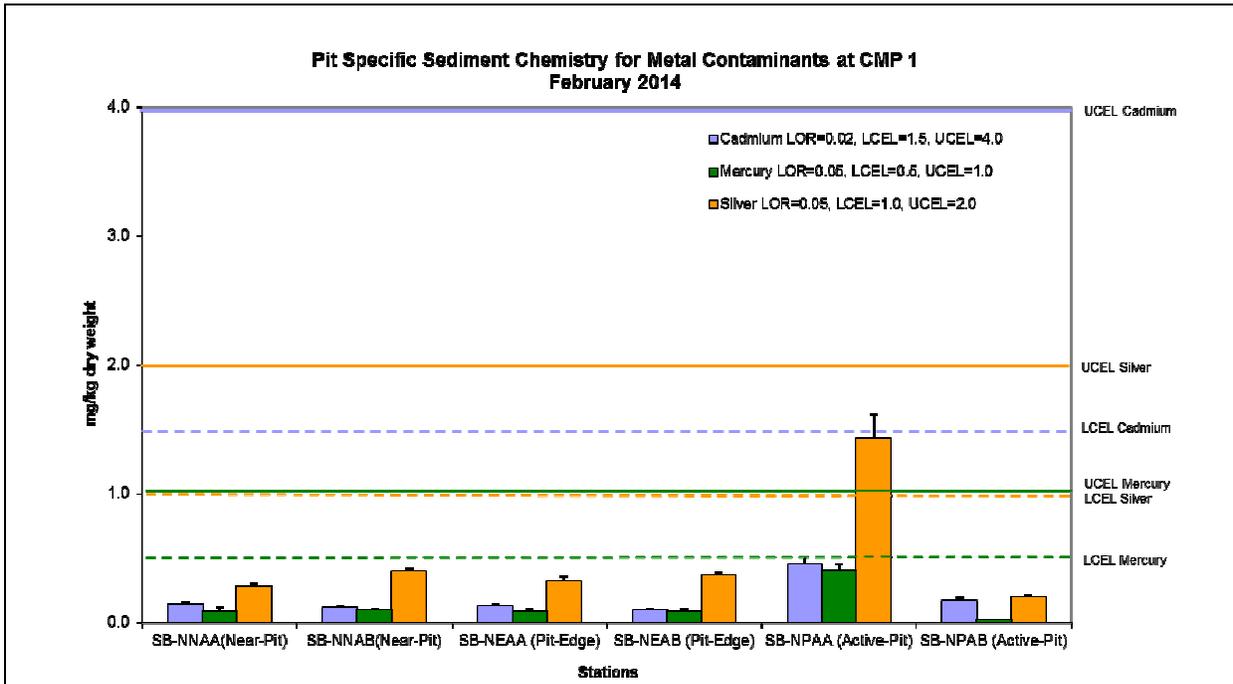


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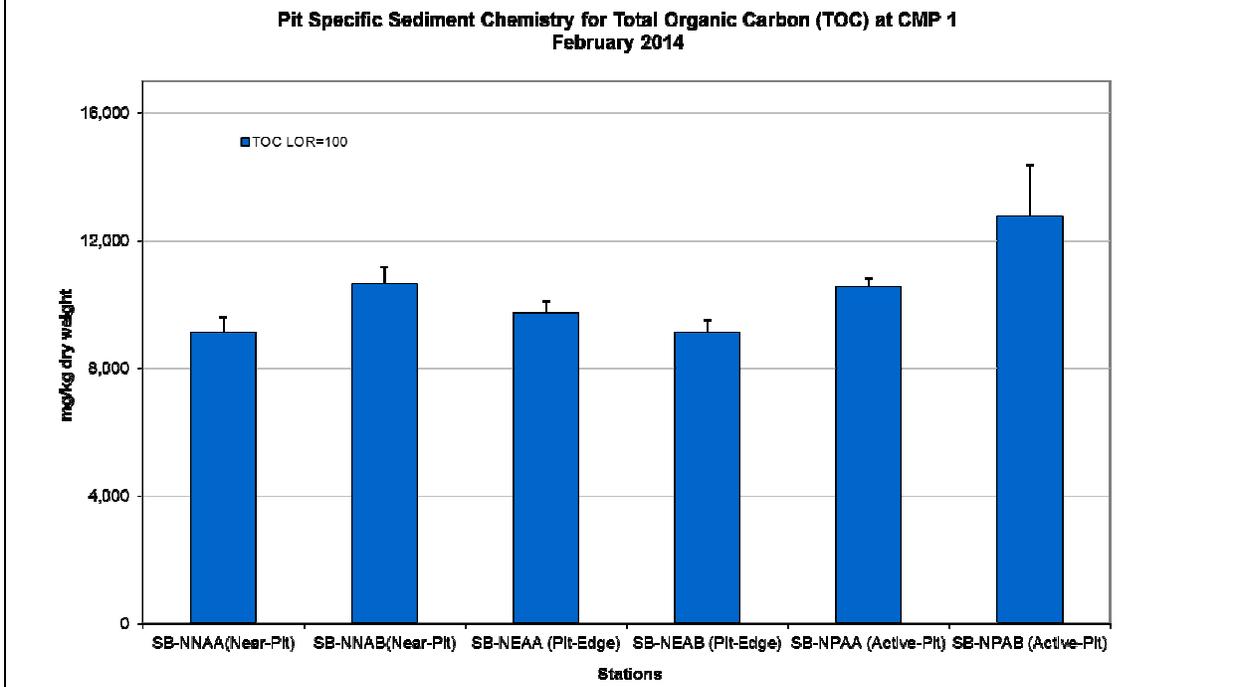


Figure 8: Concentration of Total Organic Carbon (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in February 2014.

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**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Tributyltin (TBT) at CMP 1  
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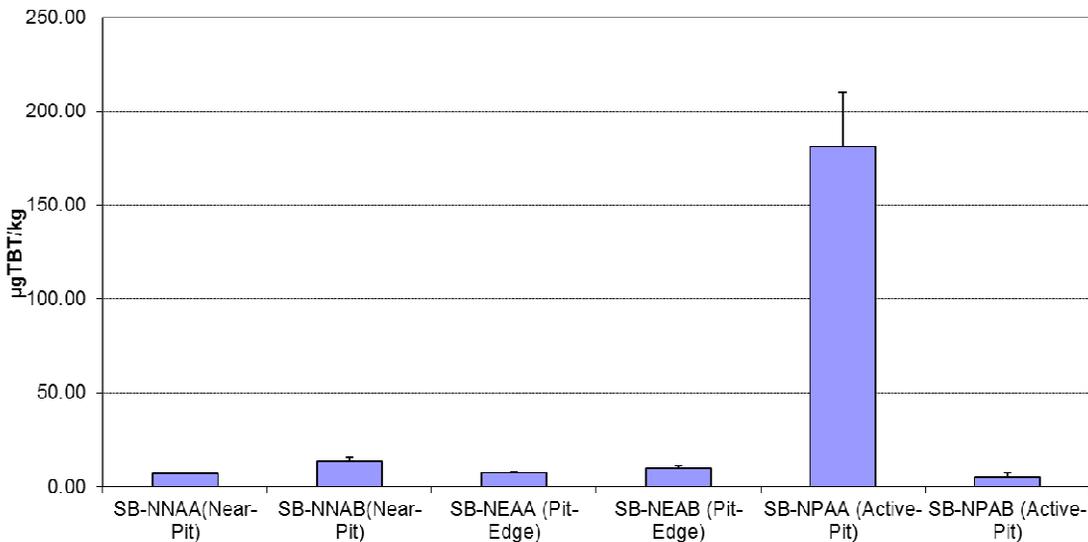


Figure 9: Concentration of Tributyltin ( $\mu\text{g TBT}/\text{kg}$ ; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* of CMP 1 in February 2014.

**Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics Hydrocarbons (PAHs) at CMP 1 in February 2014**

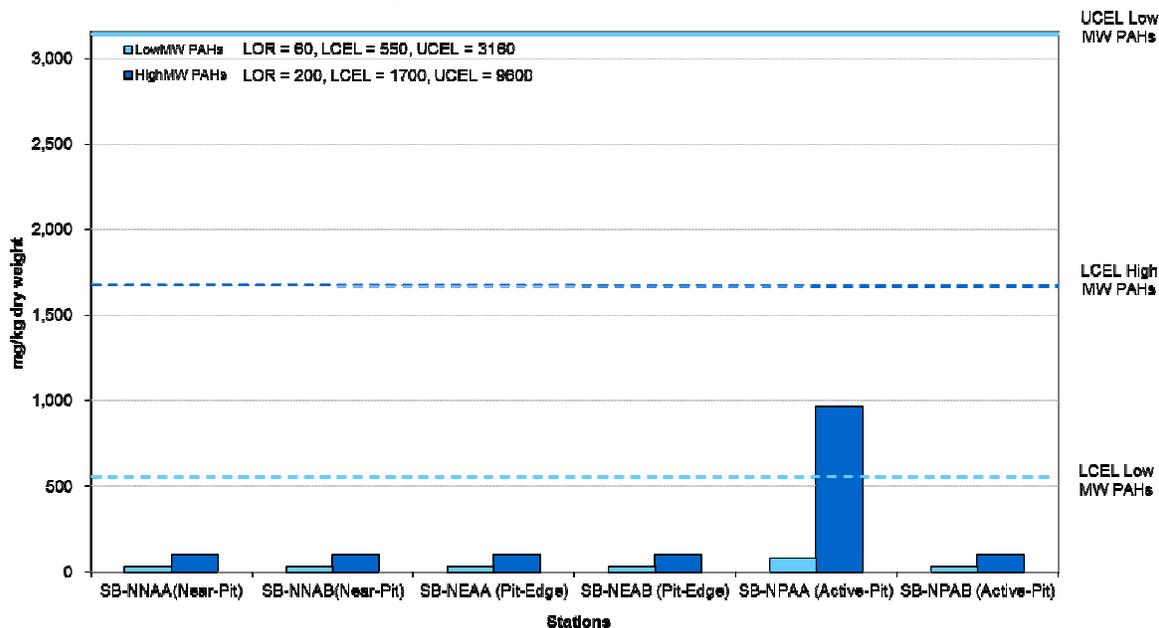


Figure 10: Concentration of Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics Hydrocarbons ( $\text{mg}/\text{kg}$  dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* for CMP 1 in February 2014.

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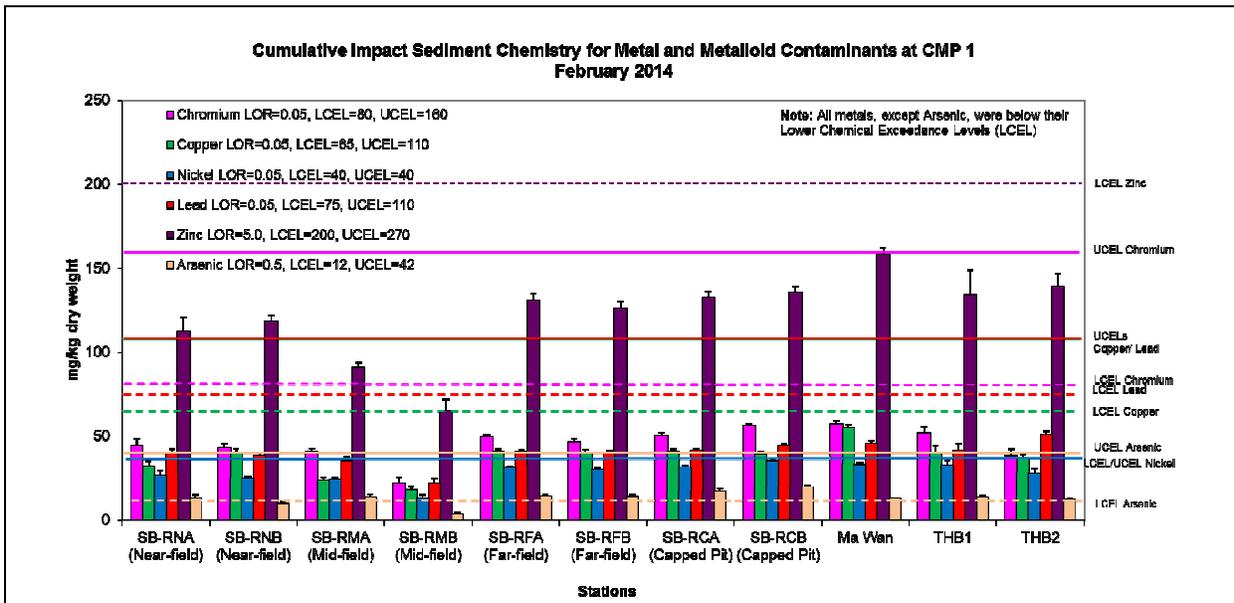


Figure 11: Concentration of Metals and Metalloid (Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, As; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected for Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for CMP 1 in February 2014.

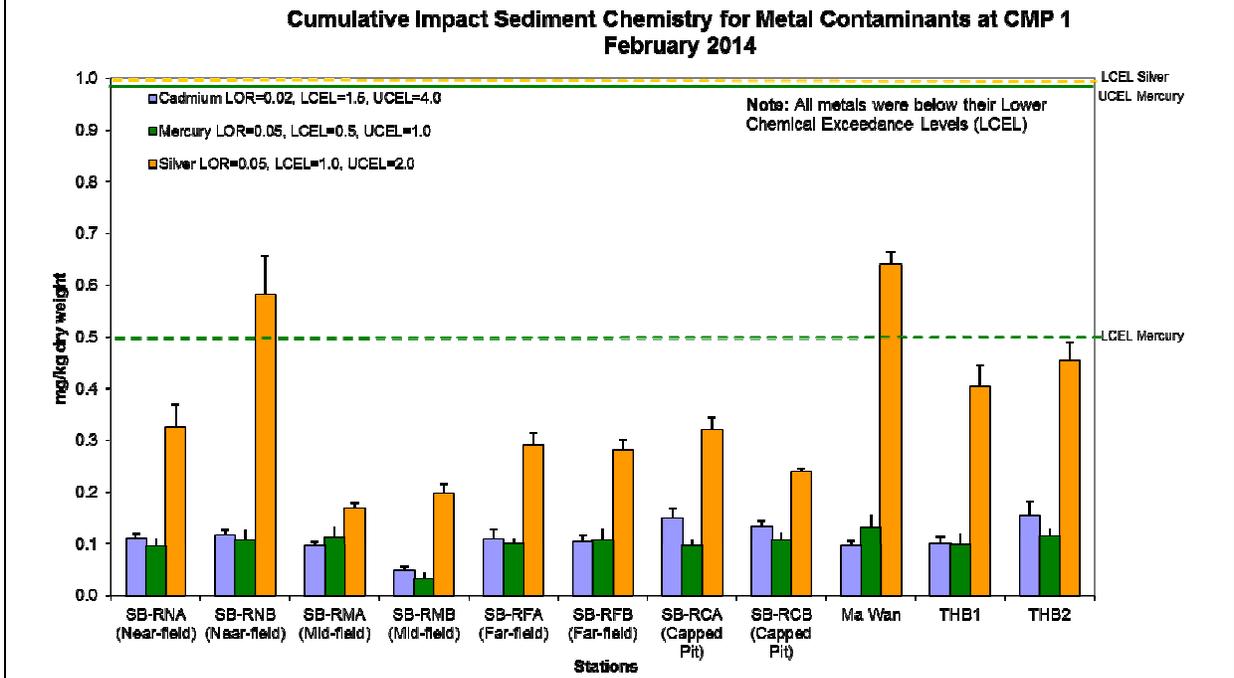


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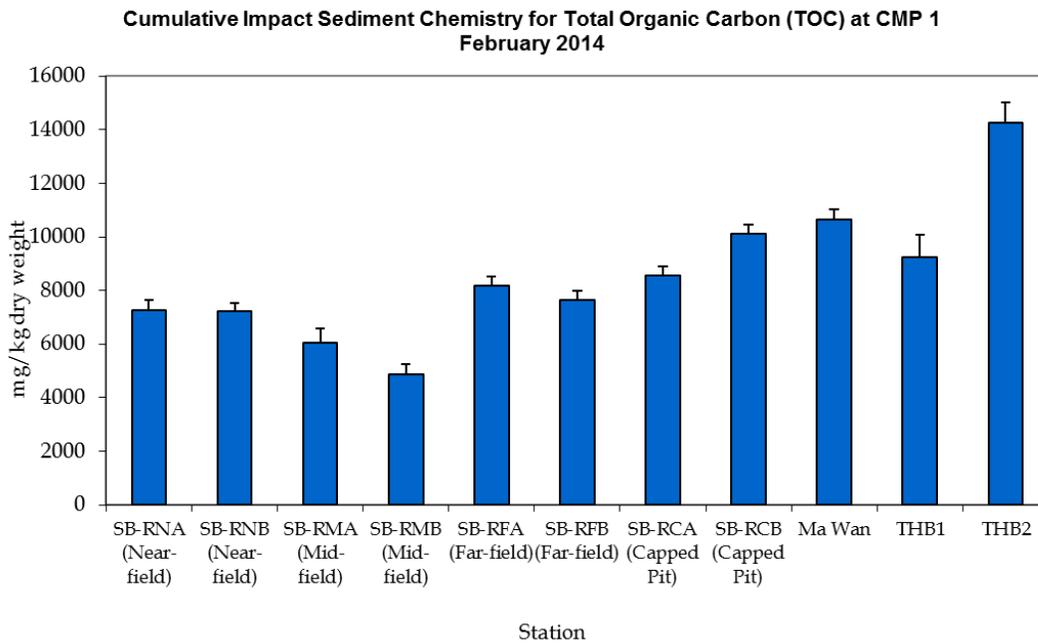


Figure 13: Concentration of Total Organic Carbon (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected for Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for CMP 1 in February 2014.

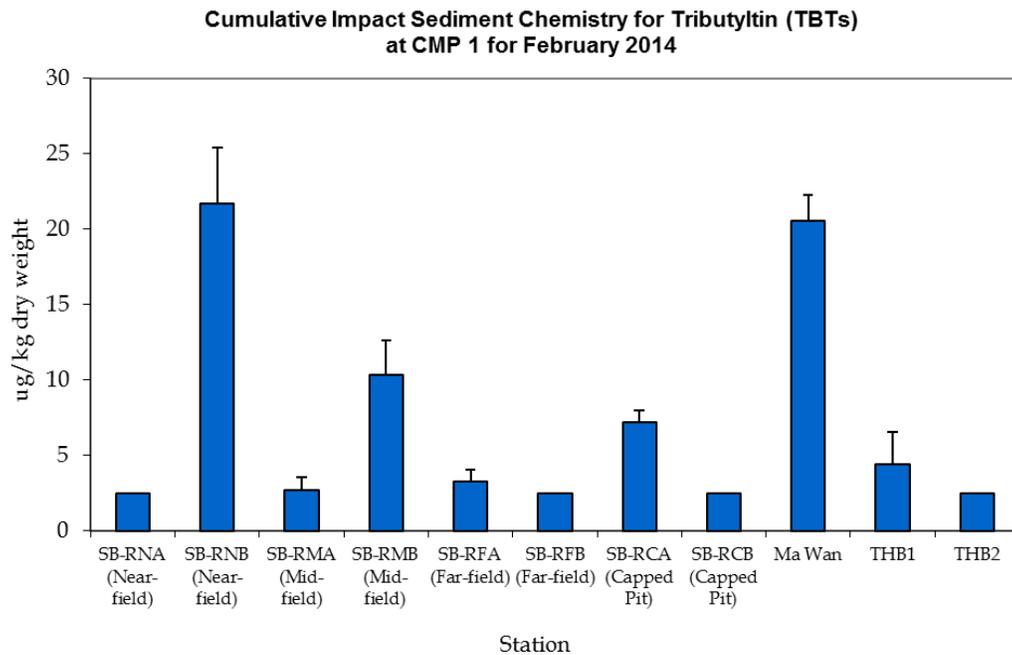


Figure 14: Concentration of Tributyltin ( $\mu\text{g TBT}/\text{kg}$ ; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected for Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for CMP 1 in February 2014.

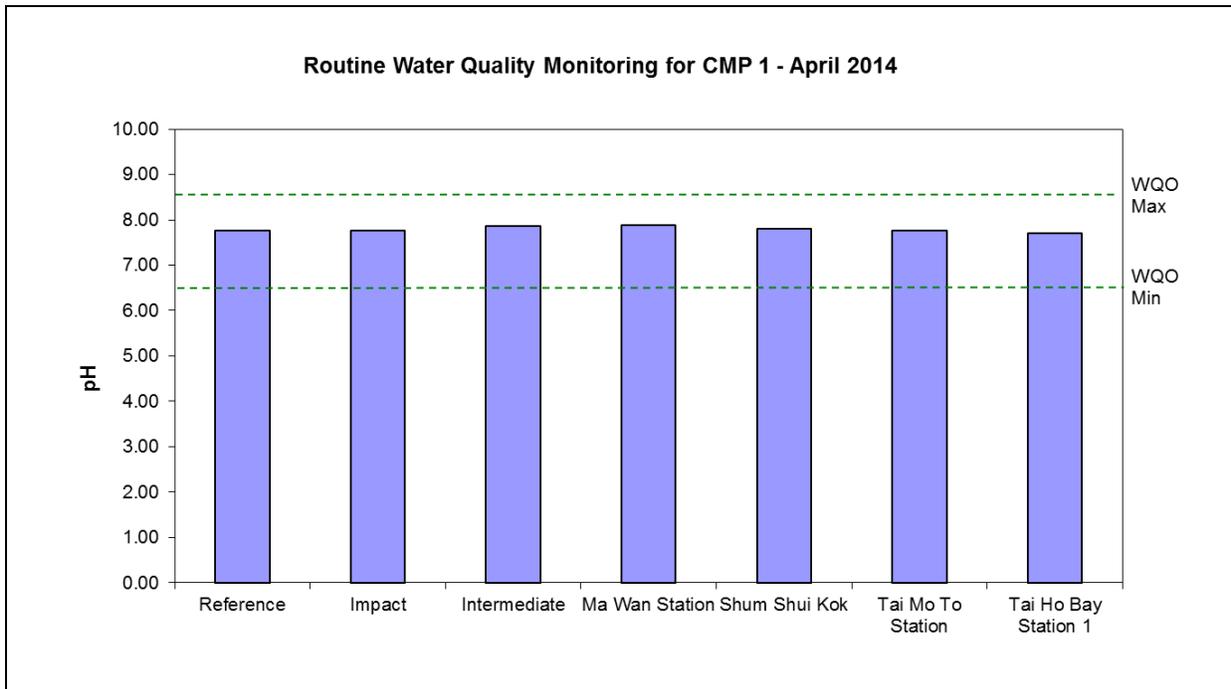


Figure 15: Level of pH (mean + SD) recorded during Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

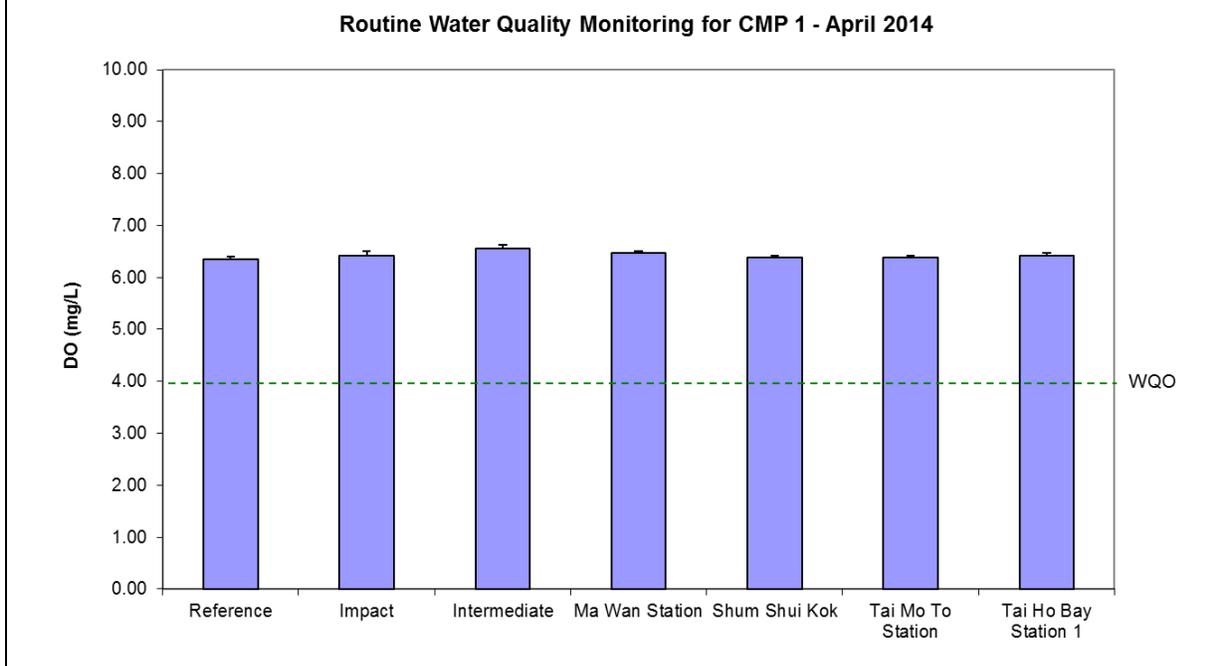


Figure 16: Concentration of Dissolved Oxygen (mg/L; mean + SD) recorded during Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

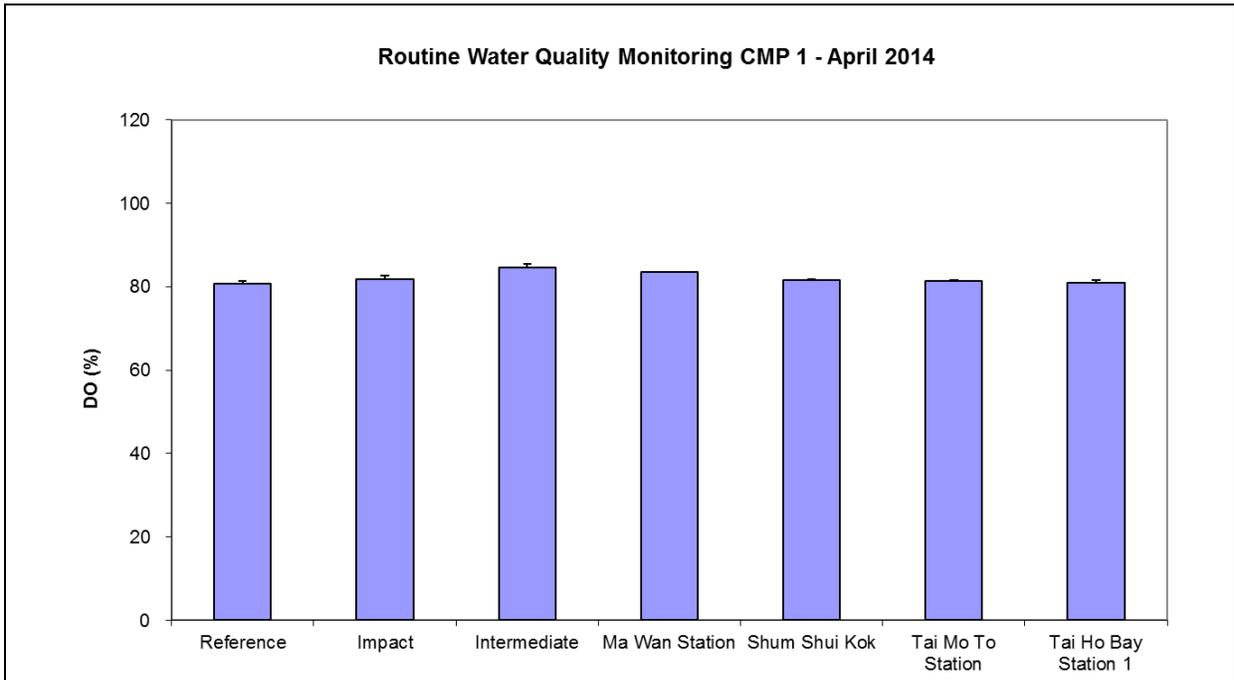


Figure 17: Level of Dissolved Oxygen (% saturation; mean + SD) recorded during Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

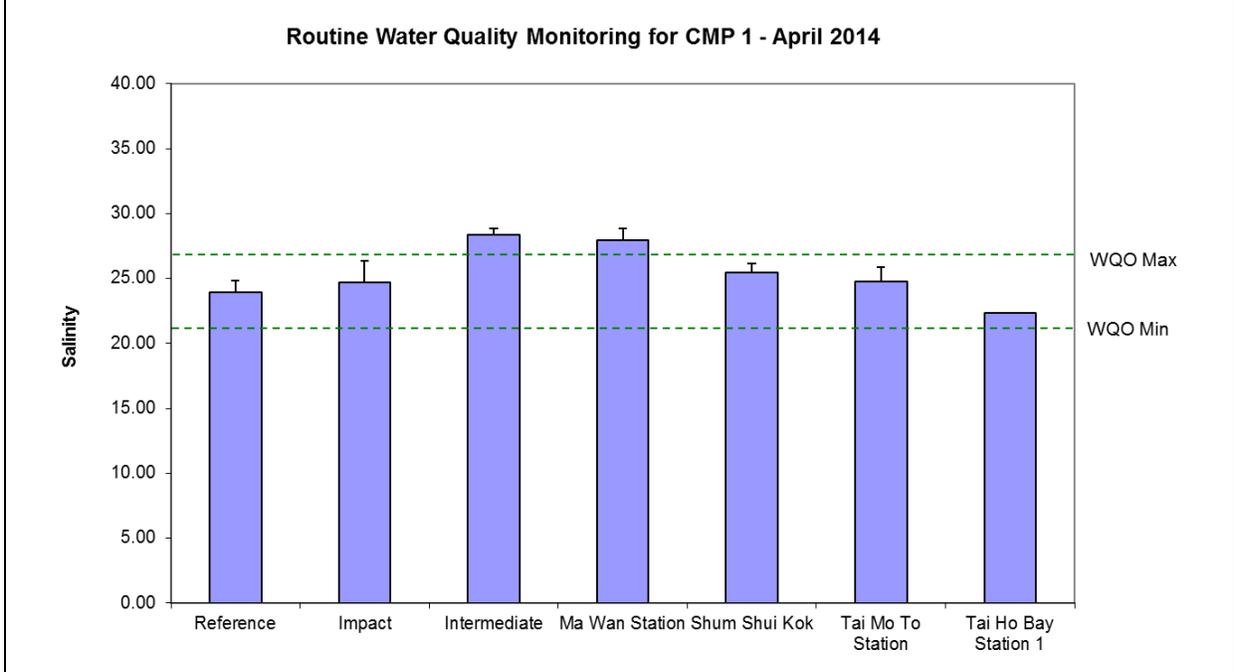


Figure 18: Level of Salinity (mean + SD) recorded during Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

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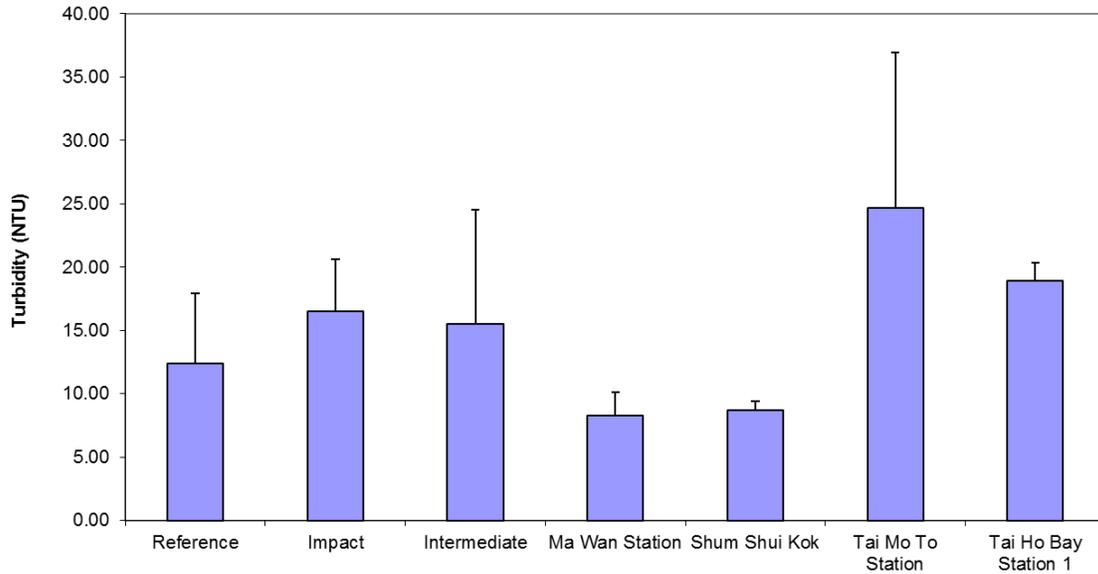


Figure 19: Level of Turbidity (NTU; mean + SD) recorded during Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

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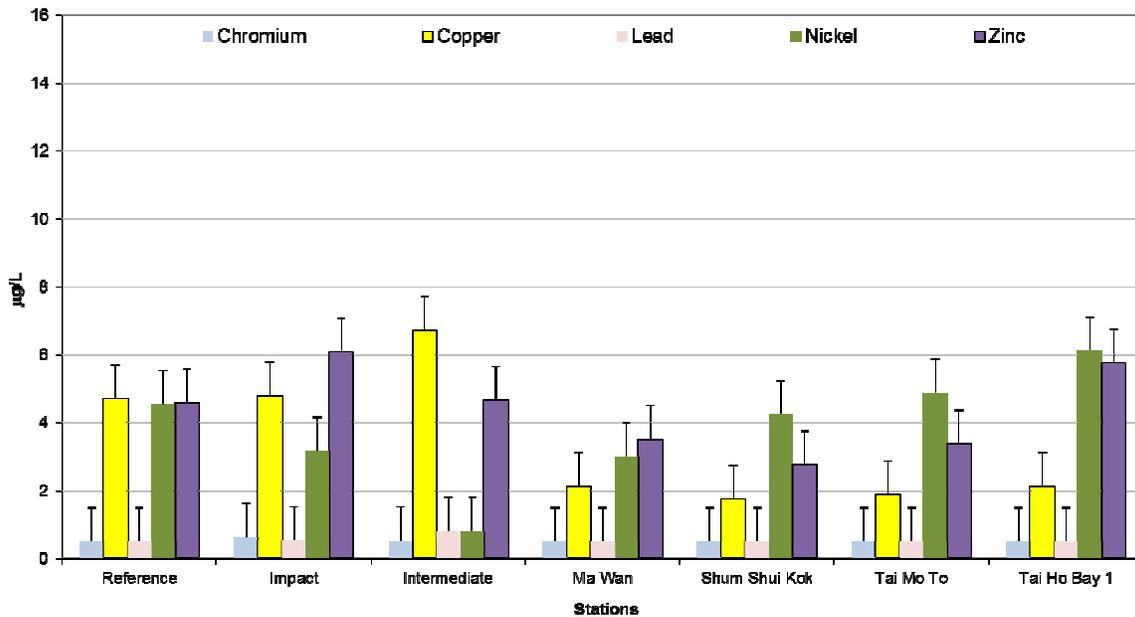


Figure 20: Concentration of Chromium, Copper, Lead, Nickel and Zinc (mean + SD) in water samples collected from Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

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**Routine Water Quality Monitoring Results for Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD<sub>5</sub>)  
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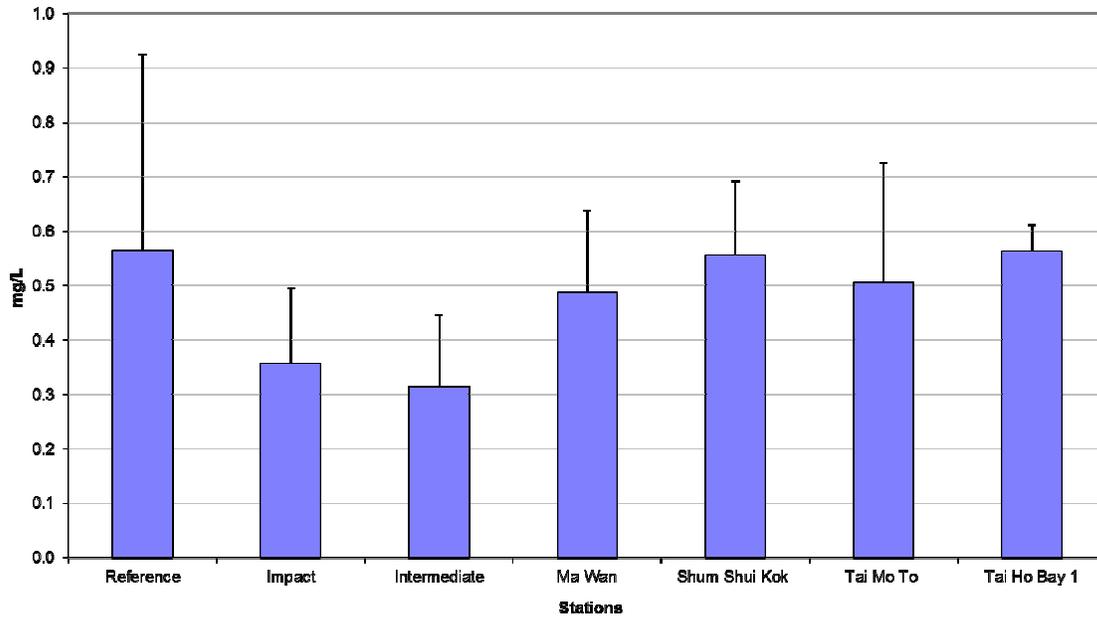


Figure 21: Level of Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD<sub>5</sub>; mean + SD) in water samples collected from Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

**Routine Water Quality Monitoring Results for Nutrients  
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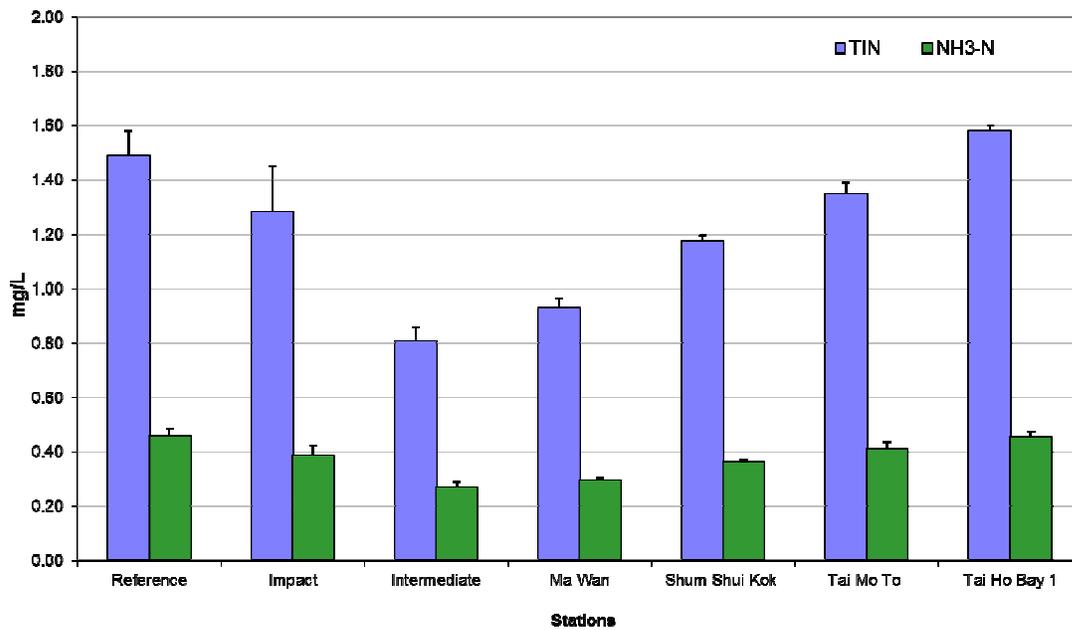


Figure 22: Concentration of Total Inorganic Nitrogen and NH<sub>3</sub>-N (mean + SD) in water samples collected from Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

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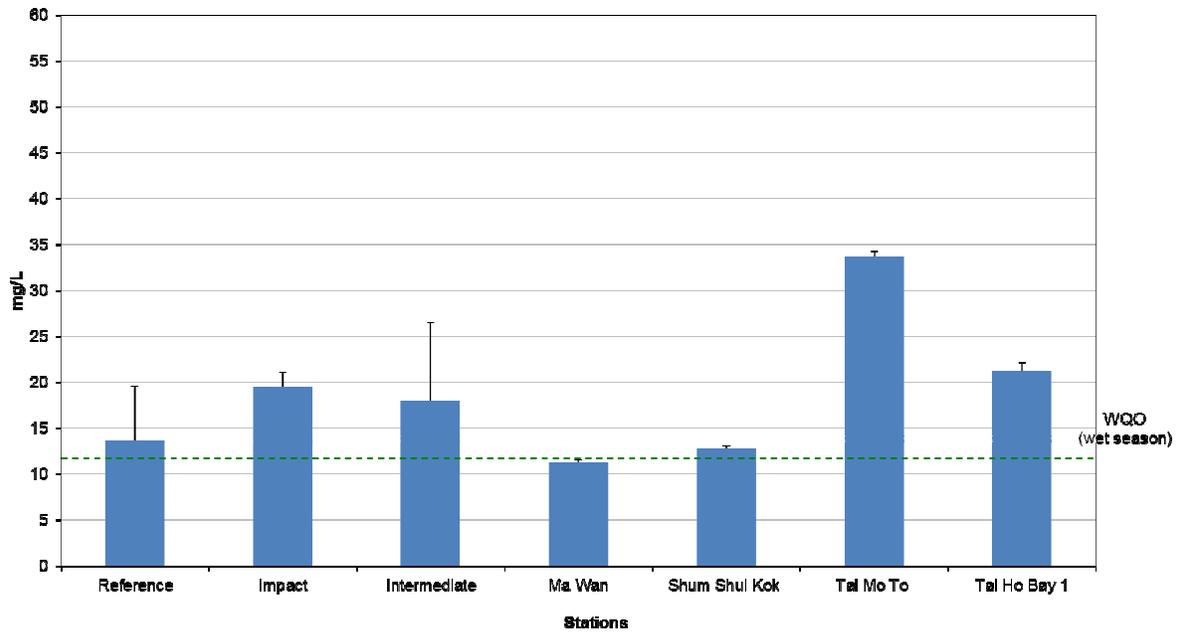


Figure 23: Concentration of Suspended Solids (mean + SD) in water samples collected from Routine Water Quality Monitoring for disposal operations at CMP 1 in April 2014.

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## Water Quality Monitoring Results

**Table C1** *Summary Table of DO, Turbidity and SS Levels Recorded in April 2014*

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth		
2014/04/02	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.45	6.47	18.37	17.89
		DS2	6.34	6.41	11.96	16.11
		DS3	6.36	6.37	12.82	15.44
		DS4	6.34	6.36	17.73	19.78
		DS5	6.31	6.38	16.43	16.22
		US1	6.65	6.61	9.18	10.00
		US2	6.68	6.68	9.60	10.50
		MW1	6.38	6.51	7.87	9.22
		THB1	6.46	6.41	8.30	8.00
		THB2	-	-	-	-
	WSR45C	6.29	6.39	14.02	15.67	
	WSR46	6.28	6.41	11.12	13.78	
	Mid-Flood	DS1	6.28	6.30	10.63	22.00
		DS2	6.33	6.35	8.74	11.33
		DS3	6.35	6.33	11.90	14.83
		DS4	6.47	6.47	8.52	10.33
		DS5	6.59	6.59	8.08	10.56
		US1	6.33	6.33	12.99	17.17
		US2	6.42	6.47	6.87	10.33
		MW1	6.45	6.39	10.29	12.33
THB1		6.25	6.27	11.08	11.83	
THB2		-	-	-	-	
WSR45C	6.31	6.29	9.40	10.67		
WSR46	6.25	6.23	24.57	26.56		
2014/04/04	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.40	6.50	11.61	6.67
		DS2	6.42	6.46	9.74	10.33
		DS3	6.39	6.43	10.42	12.44
		DS4	6.35	6.35	9.67	11.22
		DS5	6.31	6.31	10.20	10.33
		US1	6.36	6.38	9.30	9.00
		US2	6.43	6.40	7.87	6.67
		MW1	6.55	6.61	4.53	6.89
		THB1	6.18	6.28	6.70	7.33
		THB2	-	5.90	6.26	5.33
	WSR45C	6.34	6.42	9.31	14.00	
	WSR46	6.26	6.19	10.52	12.11	
	Mid-Flood	DS1	6.16	5.87	8.05	8.67
		DS2	6.29	6.00	8.33	8.83
		DS3	6.38	6.22	10.50	8.22
		DS4	6.36	6.24	13.57	13.67
		DS5	6.29	6.14	7.62	8.17
		US1	6.17	6.02	9.06	12.56
		US2	6.16	6.17	13.26	14.44
		MW1	6.46	6.24	4.33	6.11
THB1		5.99	5.89	11.77	14.00	
THB2		-	5.92	5.79	4.00	
WSR45C	6.35	6.17	7.35	8.33		
WSR46	6.40	6.27	15.66	21.33		

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth		
2014/04/07	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.65	6.72	7.92	4.22
		DS2	6.52	6.74	5.40	3.00
		DS3	6.60	6.70	6.09	2.78
		DS4	6.44	6.65	5.29	3.44
		DS5	6.48	6.62	5.81	3.33
		US1	6.65	7.00	9.47	5.67
		US2	6.76	7.08	7.92	4.50
		MW1	7.01	7.18	1.16	2.78
		THB1	6.36	6.78	6.70	4.83
		THB2	-	6.48	4.53	2.67
	WSR45C	6.58	6.80	5.81	3.67	
	WSR46	6.46	6.62	5.53	5.00	
	Mid-Flood	DS1	6.52	6.69	13.98	5.50
		DS2	6.63	6.91	7.68	2.50
		DS3	6.41	6.91	6.99	2.33
		DS4	6.34	6.65	8.72	2.89
		DS5	6.90	6.90	6.77	2.83
		US1	6.48	6.61	4.98	3.22
		US2	6.23	6.48	5.22	3.33
		MW1	6.91	6.91	1.63	2.11
THB1		6.52	6.52	6.17	4.17	
THB2		-	6.17	4.30	2.33	
WSR45C	6.71	6.74	2.64	2.22		
WSR46	6.53	6.66	6.43	4.44		
2014/04/09	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.65	6.75	5.06	4.89
		DS2	6.04	6.50	5.73	6.67
		DS3	6.51	6.70	3.28	5.56
		DS4	6.47	6.69	3.08	4.22
		DS5	6.52	6.64	3.01	3.78
		US1	6.84	7.04	11.08	13.33
		US2	6.64	6.82	7.74	8.22
		MW1	6.75	6.83	1.09	3.33
		THB1	6.47	6.86	5.02	6.17
		THB2	-	5.81	4.63	5.33
	WSR45C	6.48	6.59	3.73	6.78	
	WSR46	6.51	6.52	5.90	9.44	
	Mid-Flood	DS1	7.29	7.44	5.73	6.50
		DS2	7.09	7.24	11.88	13.17
		DS3	6.42	7.30	16.82	18.33
		DS4	6.66	7.09	5.97	8.22
		DS5	6.68	7.21	6.66	9.33
		US1	6.85	7.29	5.09	4.89
		US2	6.38	6.94	7.87	17.44
		MW1	6.76	7.23	1.42	3.33
THB1		7.31	7.35	3.46	4.50	
THB2		-	6.23	4.93	6.33	
WSR45C	6.47	6.74	2.77	4.22		
WSR46	6.52	6.65	3.79	5.78		
2014/04/11	Mid-Ebb	DS1	7.55	7.98	3.38	3.17
		DS2	7.55	7.72	2.72	3.67
		DS3	6.90	7.55	3.90	3.33

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth		
		DS4	6.77	7.27	4.36	4.22
		DS5	6.85	7.43	3.50	3.56
		US1	6.73	7.96	7.14	4.17
		US2	8.53	9.14	4.77	3.33
		MW1	6.88	7.08	1.43	2.78
		THB1	6.90	7.54	3.10	3.50
		THB2	-	6.94	5.33	4.67
		WSR45C	6.71	7.40	2.99	3.44
		WSR46	6.89	7.86	3.42	4.22
	Mid-Flood	DS1	8.74	8.89	3.39	4.83
		DS2	8.71	9.10	9.49	7.33
		DS3	9.98	11.44	4.17	5.17
		DS4	7.83	9.56	3.95	5.67
		DS5	7.36	8.88	4.81	5.67
		US1	7.26	8.09	3.04	4.00
		US2	6.60	7.54	3.89	4.67
		MW1	7.12	7.28	1.30	2.78
		THB1	8.06	8.65	6.61	3.33
		THB2	-	7.29	3.70	3.33
		WSR45C	6.98	7.48	3.10	3.89
		WSR46	6.69	7.65	5.53	3.22
2014/04/14	Mid-Ebb	DS1	8.96	10.58	7.62	6.50
		DS2	8.64	9.75	6.96	6.00
		DS3	7.83	9.03	6.76	3.11
		DS4	7.45	8.14	7.05	4.89
		DS5	7.44	8.13	6.76	3.56
		US1	8.62	10.01	6.65	5.00
		US2	10.00	10.44	4.70	4.00
		MW1	7.87	8.41	2.62	2.44
		THB1	9.17	9.20	5.09	3.33
		THB2	-	9.14	3.97	2.00
		WSR45C	7.48	8.46	6.67	3.89
		WSR46	7.39	8.60	5.07	3.11
	Mid-Flood	DS1	8.42	8.55	5.37	3.33
		DS2	8.71	8.83	4.94	3.50
		DS3	8.68	8.76	4.95	3.00
		DS4	9.54	9.12	5.30	2.89
		DS5	9.17	9.24	4.80	2.67
		US1	7.80	7.93	11.12	4.83
		US2	7.48	7.92	8.53	5.22
		MW1	7.35	7.85	2.76	2.33
		THB1	8.30	8.61	6.43	4.33
		THB2	-	8.55	4.97	3.67
		WSR45C	7.49	8.13	6.28	3.67
		WSR46	7.28	7.88	13.77	5.44
2014/04/16	Mid-Ebb	DS1	7.35	7.42	3.42	3.67
		DS2	7.31	7.34	3.27	3.11
		DS3	7.17	7.29	3.22	3.11
		DS4	7.17	7.31	4.19	3.44
		DS5	7.10	7.25	6.80	4.67
		US1	7.45	7.52	2.22	2.83

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth		
		US2	7.38	7.40	5.53	5.50
		MW1	7.19	7.27	2.08	2.67
		THB1	7.38	7.50	2.51	2.50
		THB2	-	7.03	2.44	2.33
		WSR45C	7.08	7.29	6.32	4.11
		WSR46	7.06	7.15	4.83	3.00
	Mid-Flood	DS1	7.29	7.30	18.40	16.33
		DS2	7.31	7.29	2.32	3.00
		DS3	7.38	7.29	2.04	3.17
		DS4	7.21	7.37	4.66	2.67
		DS5	7.17	7.50	5.04	2.33
		US1	7.21	7.28	5.15	3.00
		US2	7.24	7.33	3.56	2.67
		MW1	7.24	7.38	2.09	2.56
		THB1	7.32	7.29	2.88	3.17
		THB2	-	7.04	3.60	2.67
		WSR45C	7.28	7.38	3.88	2.67
		WSR46	7.21	7.32	5.61	3.22
2014/04/18	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.53	6.77	12.11	15.17
		DS2	6.45	6.62	6.24	7.33
		DS3	6.51	6.65	6.58	5.78
		DS4	6.52	6.61	6.34	6.89
		DS5	6.44	6.66	7.28	5.44
		US1	6.56	6.86	5.39	6.33
		US2	6.74	6.90	4.40	5.33
		MW1	6.58	6.68	3.85	2.89
		THB1	6.43	6.66	6.01	6.83
		THB2	-	6.67	3.37	3.33
		WSR45C	6.43	6.63	7.24	7.89
		WSR46	6.50	6.71	7.07	6.33
	Mid-Flood	DS1	6.61	6.64	5.04	6.33
		DS2	6.59	6.66	4.43	5.67
		DS3	6.63	6.66	3.87	4.67
		DS4	6.43	6.63	20.51	7.56
		DS5	6.65	6.72	4.93	6.78
		US1	6.66	6.68	6.79	5.00
		US2	6.69	6.74	4.31	3.56
		MW1	6.74	6.74	2.25	4.78
		THB1	6.50	6.63	10.17	10.67
		THB2	-	6.54	4.10	6.33
		WSR45C	6.61	6.64	6.48	7.67
		WSR46	6.62	6.66	14.30	11.00
2014/04/22	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.65	7.69	6.28	10.00
		DS2	6.42	6.99	3.76	4.78
		DS3	6.53	7.00	3.91	6.56
		DS4	6.49	6.91	4.01	5.89
		DS5	6.53	7.03	3.83	5.00
		US1	6.59	7.97	3.98	6.83
		US2	6.61	7.93	5.29	7.67
		MW1	6.98	7.17	1.75	4.11
		THB1	8.72	9.57	2.44	5.17

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth		
	Mid-Flood	THB2	-	6.66	3.74	5.33
		WSR45C	6.72	7.17	3.41	5.44
		WSR46	6.41	6.95	3.26	4.67
		DS1	6.76	7.01	2.99	4.17
		DS2	6.93	7.17	3.74	6.50
		DS3	7.09	7.21	4.29	6.00
		DS4	6.52	7.14	4.88	6.67
		DS5	6.44	7.58	3.68	4.11
		US1	6.43	6.75	2.53	4.22
		US2	6.36	6.66	2.16	2.89
		MW1	6.34	6.53	1.60	5.00
		THB1	6.34	6.45	4.78	5.67
		THB2	-	6.32	3.44	7.33
		WSR45C	6.22	6.38	2.67	6.78
		WSR46	6.25	6.58	4.21	4.56
2014/04/24	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.32	6.46	2.64	3.89
		DS2	6.26	6.39	3.36	5.44
		DS3	6.41	6.38	2.17	4.33
		DS4	6.36	6.47	1.93	4.44
		DS5	6.35	6.48	1.75	3.67
		US1	6.56	6.68	4.61	4.83
		US2	6.51	6.67	4.58	6.00
		MW1	6.40	6.43	1.64	2.89
		THB1	6.50	6.54	4.82	6.33
		THB2	-	5.96	3.30	6.33
	Mid-Flood	WSR45C	6.22	6.36	2.23	3.56
		WSR46	6.40	6.46	3.64	3.67
		DS1	6.43	6.79	9.24	5.83
		DS2	6.45	6.81	4.76	5.83
		DS3	6.79	6.91	3.74	4.00
		DS4	6.45	6.76	4.55	5.56
		DS5	6.23	6.53	7.39	9.33
		US1	6.37	6.51	2.62	4.00
		US2	6.23	6.42	3.60	6.78
		MW1	6.40	6.48	1.83	6.67
THB1	5.99	6.20	7.87	8.83		
THB2	-	5.99	9.46	3.67		
WSR45C	6.28	6.41	3.46	8.44		
WSR46	6.15	6.44	5.77	5.33		
2014/04/26	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.60	6.64	8.43	-
		DS2	6.48	6.63	4.97	-
		DS3	6.32	6.58	5.37	-
		DS4	6.27	6.54	5.06	-
		DS5	6.28	6.52	4.97	-
		US1	6.66	6.77	7.54	-
		US2	6.49	6.52	8.72	-
		MW1	6.26	6.33	1.41	-
		THB1	6.33	6.54	7.37	-
		THB2	-	6.08	3.30	-
		WSR45C	6.18	6.42	2.86	-
		WSR46	6.29	6.54	8.48	-

Sampling Date	Tidal Period	Station	Average DO Levels (mg/L)		Average Turbidity Level (NTU)	Average SS Level (mg/L)		
			Bottom	Surface and Mid Depth				
	Mid-Flood	DS1	6.34	6.80	10.65	-		
		DS2	6.65	6.79	9.37	-		
		DS3	6.70	6.69	12.58	-		
		DS4	6.72	6.75	8.98	-		
		DS5	6.53	6.59	8.04	-		
		US1	6.65	6.65	4.36	-		
		US2	6.38	6.63	6.97	-		
		MW1	6.29	6.38	3.20	-		
		THB1	6.51	6.57	7.29	-		
		THB2	-	-	-	-		
		WSR45C	6.31	6.54	5.99	-		
		WSR46	6.39	6.68	6.55	-		
		2014/04/29	Mid-Ebb	DS1	6.28	6.44	4.97	-
				DS2	6.27	6.39	4.85	-
DS3	6.13			6.29	6.62	-		
DS4	6.12			6.34	6.66	-		
DS5	6.10			6.36	7.58	-		
US1	6.53			6.93	5.20	-		
US2	6.74			6.81	3.74	-		
MW1	6.20			6.38	1.68	-		
THB1	6.28			6.73	5.93	-		
THB2	-			6.22	3.27	-		
WSR45C	6.20			6.41	5.23	-		
WSR46	6.26			6.48	11.45	-		
Mid-Flood	DS1			6.34	6.51	6.85	-	
	DS2			6.60	6.64	5.78	-	
	DS3		6.48	6.64	10.03	-		
	DS4		6.45	6.45	8.99	-		
	DS5		6.42	6.42	9.46	-		
	US1		6.42	6.48	4.72	-		
	US2		6.21	6.49	5.72	-		
	MW1		6.18	6.31	3.80	-		
THB1	6.20		6.19	14.49	-			
THB2	-		6.64	9.96	-			
WSR45C	6.22	6.49	12.66	-				
WSR46	6.19	6.58	7.23	-				

Notes:

1. Please refer to Table C2 below for the Action and Limit Levels for dredging activities.
2. Cell shaded yellow indicated value exceeding the Action Level criteria.
3. Cell shaded red indicated value exceeding the Limit Level criteria.
4. Only mid-depth water was sampled at Station THB2 because water depth was less than 3m.
5. Sampling at Station THB2 during mid-flood tide of 26 April 2014 was cancelled due to adverse weather condition.

**Table C2 Action and Limit Levels of Water Quality for Dredging, Backfilling and Capping Activities**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Action Level</b>	<b>Limit Level</b>
Dissolved Oxygen (DO) <sup>(1)</sup>	<u>Surface and Mid-depth</u> <sup>(2)</sup> The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are < 5%-ile of baseline data for surface and middle layer = <b>4.32 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)	<u>Surface and Mid-depth</u> <sup>(2)</sup> The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are < <b>4 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)
	<u>Bottom</u> The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are < 5%-ile of baseline data for bottom layers = <b>3.12 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)	<u>Bottom</u> The average of the impact station, WSR 45C and WSR 46 readings are < <b>2 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)
Depth-averaged Suspended Solids (SS) <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are > 95%-ile of baseline data for depth average = <b>21.60 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  120% of control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are > 99%-ile of baseline data for depth average = <b>40.10 mg L<sup>-1</sup></b>  and  130% of control station's SS at the same tide of the same day
Depth-averaged Turbidity (Tby) <sup>(3)(4)</sup>	The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are > 95%-ile of baseline data = <b>25.04 NTU</b>  and  120% of control station's Tby at the same tide of the same day	The average of the impact, WSR 45C and WSR 46 station readings are > 99%-ile of baseline data = <b>32.68 NTU</b>  and  130% of control station's Tby at the same tide of the same day

**Notes:**

- (1) For DO, non-compliance of the water quality limits occurs when monitoring result is lower than the limits.
- (2) The Action and Limit Levels for DO for Surface & Middle layers were calculated from the combined pool of baseline surface layer data and baseline middle layer data.
- (3) "Depth-averaged" is calculated by taking the arithmetic means of reading of all three depths.
- (4) For turbidity and SS, non-compliance of the water quality limits occurs when monitoring result is higher than the limits.

**Table C3 Results of Baseline Monitoring conducted for SB CMPs in July and August 2012**

Parameter	Detection Limit	Stations around SB CMP			EPD Stations (NM1, NM2, NM3, NM5 and NM6)		
		Average	Min	Max	Average	Min	Max
DO (mg/L)	0.1	5.6	2.5	12.2	5.1	2.3	10.7
Turbidity (NTU)	0.1	9.5	1.5	74.9	9.6	1.9	120.1
SS (mg/L)	2	9.9	3.1	130.7	8.8	0.8	49.3
Arsenic (µg/L)	10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10	<10
Cadmium (µg/L)	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
Chromium (µg/L)	1	1.5	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	3.0
Copper (µg/L)	1	2.3	1.0	13.0	1.2	1.0	11.0
Lead (µg/L)	1	1.3	1.0	2.0	5.0	1.0	9.0
Mercury (µg/L)	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
Nickel (µg/L)	1	2.2	1.0	7.0	2.1	1.0	5.0
Silver (µg/L)	1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
Zinc (µg/L)	10	18.9	10.0	173.0	23.7	10.0	224.0
NH <sub>3</sub> -N (mg/L)	0.01	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.4
TIN (mg/L)	0.1	0.8	0.3	1.7	0.8	0.2	1.8
BOD <sub>5</sub> (mg/L)	2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2	<2

**Table C4 In-situ Monitoring Results for Routine Water Quality Monitoring of CMP 1 in April 2014**

Sampling Period	Stations	Temp (°C)	Salinity (ppt)	Turbidity (NTU)	Dissolved Oxygen (%)	(mg L <sup>-1</sup> )	pH (mg L <sup>-1</sup> )
April 2014	RFF (Reference)	20.16	23.90	12.41	80.71	6.35	7.76
	IPF (Impact)	20.07	24.70	16.48	81.81	6.42	7.77
	INF (Intermediate)	19.60	28.34	15.53	84.50	6.55	7.86
	Ma Wan	19.66	27.92	8.29	83.42	6.47	7.87
	Shum Shui Kok	20.00	25.42	8.70	81.48	6.38	7.80
	Tai Mo To	20.07	24.79	24.63	81.32	6.38	7.76
	Tai Ho Bay 1	20.33	22.31	18.91	80.97	6.41	7.71
	Tai Ho Bay 2	-	-	-	-	-	-
	WQO	N/A	21.51-26.29 <sup>#</sup>	N/A	N/A	>4	6.5-8.5

**Notes:**

<sup>#</sup>Not exceeding 10% of natural ambient level which is the result obtained from the Reference Station.

Cell shaded yellow / red indicate value exceeding the Action/Limit levels.

**Table C5 Laboratory Results for Routine Water Quality Monitoring of CMP 1 in April 2014**

Sampling Period	Stations	As (µg/L)	Cd (µg/L)	Cr (µg/L)	Cu (µg/L)	Pb (µg/L)	Hg (µg/L)	Ni (µg/L)	Ag (µg/L)	Zn (µg/L)	NH <sub>3</sub> (mg/L)	TIN (mg/L)	BOD <sub>5</sub> (mg/L)	SS (mg/L)
April 2014	RFF	<LOR	<LOR	<LOR	4.71	<LOR	<LOR	4.54	<LOR	4.58	0.46	1.49	0.56	13.67
	IPF	<LOR	<LOR	0.63	4.79	0.54	<LOR	3.17	<LOR	6.08	0.39	1.28	0.36	19.54
	INF	<LOR	<LOR	0.52	6.71	0.81	<LOR	0.81	<LOR	4.65	0.27	0.81	0.31	17.94
	Ma Wan	<LOR	<LOR	<LOR	2.13	<LOR	<LOR	3.00	<LOR	3.50	0.30	0.93	0.49	11.25
	Shum Shui Kok	<LOR	<LOR	<LOR	1.75	<LOR	<LOR	4.25	<LOR	2.75	0.36	1.18	0.56	12.88
	Tai Mo To	<LOR	<LOR	<LOR	1.88	<LOR	<LOR	4.88	<LOR	3.38	0.41	1.35	0.51	33.69
	Tai Ho Bay 1	<LOR	<LOR	<LOR	2.13	<LOR	<LOR	6.13	<LOR	5.75	0.46	1.58	0.56	21.25

WQO of TIN: 0.5 mg/L

Wet Season WQO of SS: 12.0 mg/L

**Note:** Cell shaded yellow / red indicate value exceeding the Action/Limit levels.

**Table C6** *Water Column Profiling Results for CMP 1 on 10 April 2014*

Stations	Temp (°C)	Salinity (ppt)	Turbidity (NTU)	Dissolved Oxygen		pH	Suspended Solids
				(%)	(mg L <sup>-1</sup> )	(mg L <sup>-1</sup> )	(mg L <sup>-1</sup> )
WCP 1 (Downstream)	20.78	26.66	3.74	93.06	7.13	7.93	8.50
WCP 2 (Upstream)	20.40	27.98	4.61	87.32	6.68	7.90	5.75
WQO (wet season)	N/A	24.59- 30.78#	N/A	N/A	>4	6.5-8.5	12.00

**Note:** #Not exceeding 10% of natural ambient level which is the result obtained from the Reference Station.

Annex D

## Dredging Record for CMP 2 in April 2014

Table D1 Dredging Record at SB CMP 2

Date	Daily Dredging Volume (m <sup>3</sup> )	Weekly Dredging Volume (m <sup>3</sup> ) (From Sunday to Saturday)
30-Mar-2014	8,450	53,950
31-Mar-2014	8,450	
01-Apr-2014	5,850	
02-Apr-2014	6,500	
03-Apr-2014	7,150	
04-Apr-2014	9,100	
05-Apr-2014	8,450	
06-Apr-2014	7,150	53,950
07-Apr-2014	6,500	
08-Apr-2014	8,450	
09-Apr-2014	7,800	
10-Apr-2014	6,500	
11-Apr-2014	8,450	
12-Apr-2014	9,100	
13-Apr-2014	8,450	53,300
14-Apr-2014	6,500	
15-Apr-2014	7,150	
16-Apr-2014	7,150	
17-Apr-2014	7,800	
18-Apr-2014	9,100	
19-Apr-2014	7,150	
20-Apr-2014	6,500	48,750
21-Apr-2014	6,500	
22-Apr-2014	6,500	
23-Apr-2014	7,800	
24-Apr-2014	6,500	
25-Apr-2014	8,450	
26-Apr-2014	6,500	
27-Apr-2014	7,150	20,800
28-Apr-2014	6,500	
29-Apr-2014	5,850	
30-Apr-2014	1,300	

Annex E

## Study Programme

