

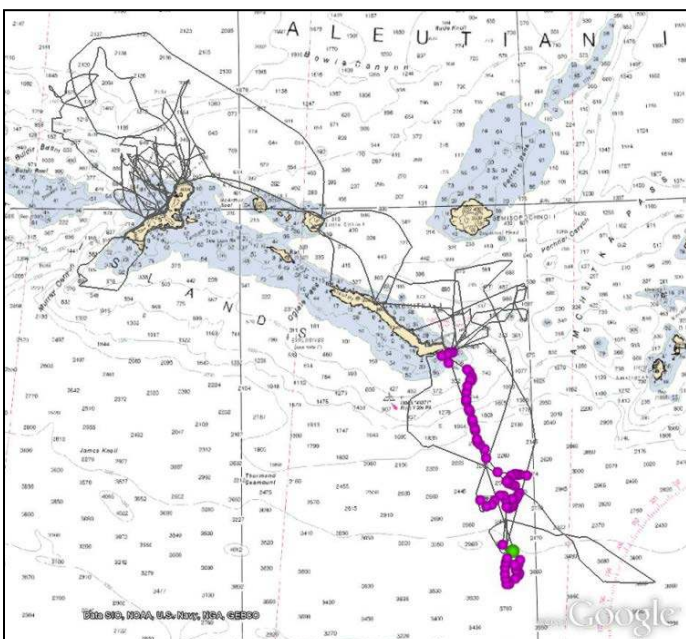
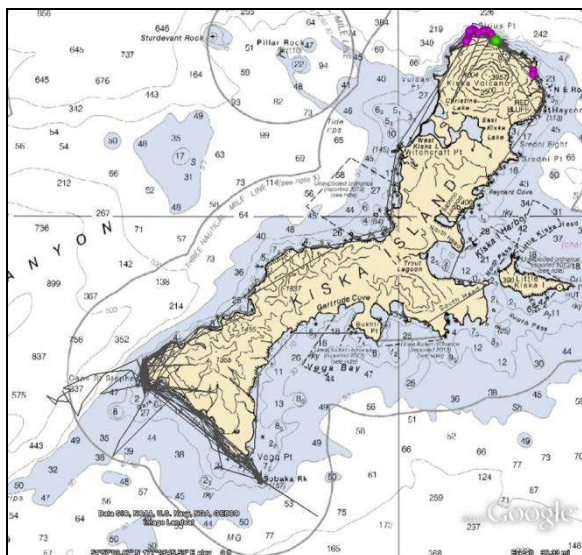


Background

This is an update of positions for three adult female Steller sea lions carrying satellite-linked tags, deployed in October 2014. Maps are for informational purposes only as positions and track-lines are preliminary and subject to change. Locations from this period indicated in purple against simple interpolated track lines for total deployment period, most current location in green. Study conducted under authority of ESA/MMPA Permit No. 18528. Contact Dr. Brian Fadely of the National Marine Mammal Laboratory at brian.fadely@noaa.gov or 206-526-6173 with questions or comments.

Kiska sea lion '=30'

Remained on the north/northeast side of Kiska Island.



Kiska sea lion '=31'

During Dec 8-10 finished the trip to the southeast of Amchitka. Returned to that area on Dec 13.

Kiska sea lion '=32'

The head-mounted instrument started transmitting on December 11 as programmed, while =32 was at the southeast side of Kagalaska Island. She subsequently moved back across the strait to the Lake Point area.

