

Local Notice to Mariners

Baseline Marine Survey

To	Port Users	Location	Darwin Harbour
Date of issue	3 May 2024	Ref number	Local NtM 017 (T)

Notification

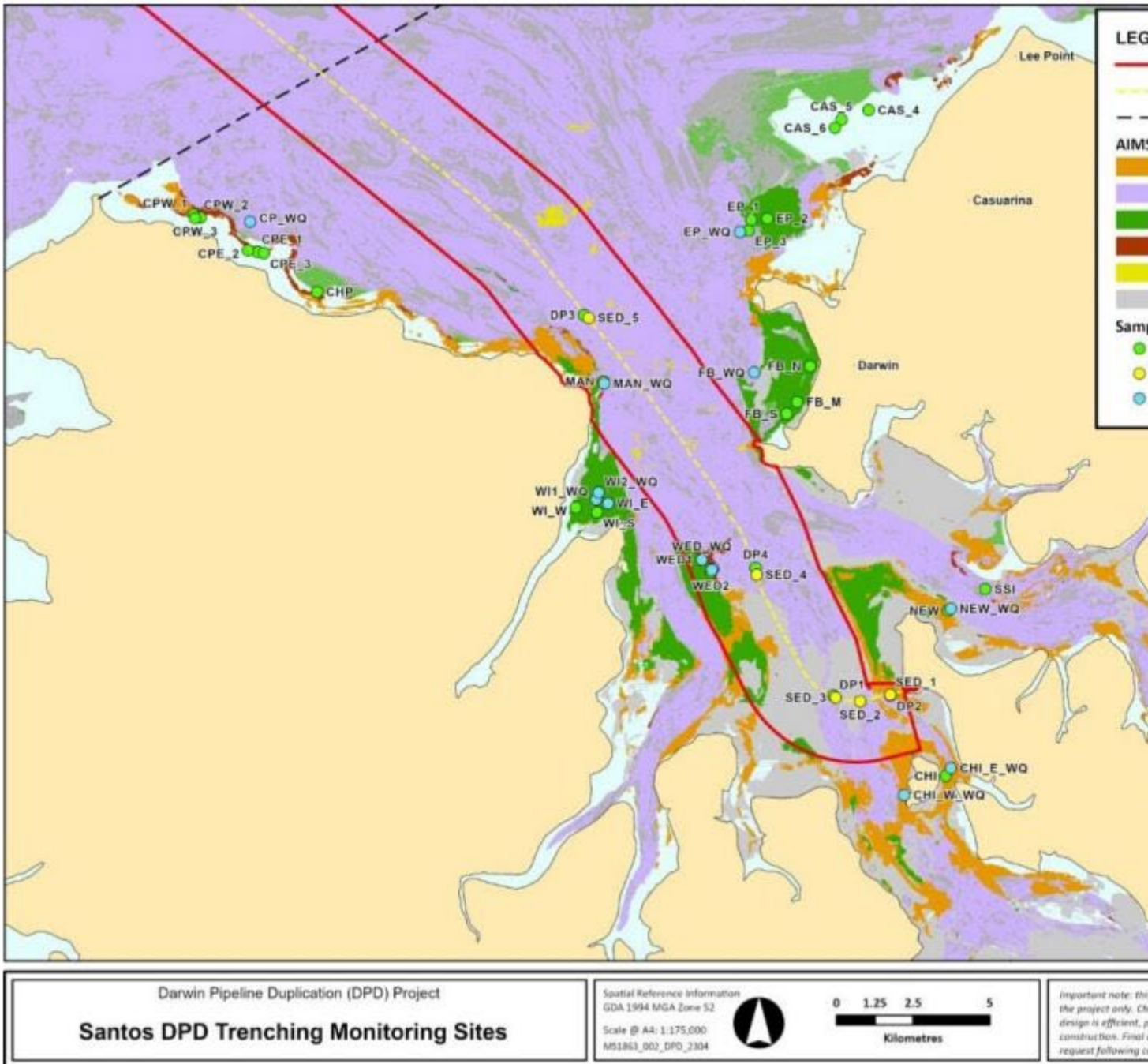
Port Users are advised that the marine survey is being conducted in Darwin harbour by MV Assassin and MV Broadsword.

Date of activity:	1 May to 7 May 2024
Time of activity:	Daylight hours - 7 am to 6 pm
Location of activity:	Various areas of Darwin Harbour
Assets/ Vessels involved	MV Broadsword and MV Assassin
Description of Activity:	<p>O2 Marine Vessel "Assassin" will be conducting fish survey and will deploy baited remote underwater video systems (BRUVS) along the Pipeline. The vessel will move slowly while conducting survey.</p> <p>Survey sites are within the inner, outer and middle areas of Darwin Harbour and the Charles Point Fish Sanctuary.</p> <p>Each set of 5 deployments will be for approximately 1 hour.</p> <p>Bhagwan vessel "Broadsword" will be used for a benthic survey, including remote operated vehicles (ROV) deployment at each site may be around 2 hours, water quality profiles and sampling and 1 sediment sampling site. Area of survey is shown in sketches below</p> <p>The Remotely Operated Vessel (ROV) controlled from MV Broadsword has tether from the vessel and may extend up to 50m from the stern of the vessel. There are two spotters on board the vessel monitoring the ROV and to alert passing vessels if they come close to the ROV.</p>
Conducted by:	Bhagwan , O2 Marine and RPS Australia
Communication : Radio	VHF Ch 16 and Ch 10
Mobile	MV Assassin Capt.Jack 0400770915 MV Broadsword Dr Rosh 0412258423
Additional information	NA
Cancel this notice on:	8 May 2024

Capt. Anil Chadha

Regional Harbourmaster - Darwin

Area marked by red lines for Benthic Survey by MV Broadsword



MV Assassin



MV Broadsword

