

Name	Marine Ecosystem Response to Environmental Changes
Capability Area: Variability/Changes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Understanding Climate Variability and Change - Research/Development
ECV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Surface (e.g., SST, SSH, salinity, ocean color) - Sub-surface (e.g., temp, salinity, nutrients, carbon, phytoplankton)
Status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ongoing
Focus Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marine and Terrestrial Ecosystems
Regions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Central North Pacific - State Of Hawaii
Description	Long-term monitoring of physical and chemical water characteristics and benthic and pelagic community structure at two established marine plots in west Hawaii island.
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Partnering Agencies	PICCC
Projected Timelines	2010-2015