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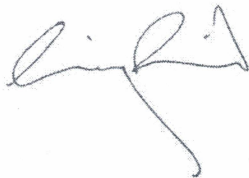
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MONTHLY EM&A REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2018

1.1 BACKGROUND

1.1.1 The Civil Engineering and Development Department (CEDD) is managing a number of marine disposal facilities in Hong Kong waters, including the Contaminated Mud Pits (CMPs) to the South of The Brothers (SB) and to the East of Sha Chau (ESC) for the disposal of contaminated sediment, and open-sea disposal grounds located to the South of Cheung Chau (SCC), East of Tung Lung Chau (ETLC) and East of Ninepins (ENP) for the disposal of uncontaminated sediment. Two Environmental Permits (EPs), EP-312/2008/A and EP-427/2011/A, were issued by the Environmental Protection Department (EPD) to the CEDD, the Permit Holder, on 28 November 2008 and 23 December 2011 for the Dredging, Management and Capping of Contaminated Sediment Disposal Facilities at ESC CMP V and SB CMPs, respectively.

1.1.2 Under the requirements of the two EPs for ESC CMP V and SB CMPs, EM&A programmes which encompass water and sediment chemistry, fisheries assessment, tissue and whole body analysis, sediment toxicity and benthic recolonisation studies as set out in the EM&A Manuals are required to be implemented. EM&A programmes have been continuously carried out during the operation of the CMPs at ESC and SB. A review of the collection and analysis of such environmental data from the monitoring programme demonstrated that there had not been any adverse environmental impacts resulting from disposal activities ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾. The current programme will assess the impacts resulting from dredging, disposal and capping operations of CMP V as well as capping operations of SB CMPs.

1.1.3 The present EM&A programme under *Agreement No. CE 63/2016 (EP)* covers the dredging, disposal and capping operations of the ESC CMP V as well as the capping operations of the SB CMPs (see *Annex A* for the EM&A programme). Detailed works schedule for ESC CMP V and SB CMPs is shown in *Figure 1.1*. In September 2018, the following work was being undertaken:

- Disposal of contaminated mud at ESC CMP Vd.

(1) ERM (2013) Final Report. Submitted under Agreement No. CE 4/2009 (EP) Environmental Monitoring and Audit for Contaminated Mud Pit at East Sha Chau. For CEDD.

(2) ERM (2017) Final Report. Submitted under Agreement No. CE 23/2012 (EP) Environmental Monitoring and Audit for Contaminated Mud Pits to the South of The Brothers and at East Sha Chau (2012 - 2017). For CEDD.

Figure 1.1 Works Schedule for ESC CMP V and SB CMPs

Pit	Operation	2017					2018					2019					2020					2021			
		A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M
ESC CMP V	Dredging																								
	Disposal																								
	Capping																								
SB CMP 2	Dredging																								
	Disposal																								
	Capping																								

1.2 REPORTING PERIOD

1.2.1 This Monthly EM&A Report for September 2018 covers the EM&A activities for the reporting month of September 2018.

1.3 DETAILS OF SAMPLING AND LABORATORY TESTING ACTIVITIES

1.3.1 The following monitoring activities were undertaken for ESC CMP V in September 2018:

- Water Column Profiling of ESC CMP Vd;
- Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP Vd; and
- Sediment Chemistry after a Major Storm of ESC CMP V.

1.3.2 No monitoring activities were scheduled to be undertaken for SB CMP in September 2018.

1.4 DETAILS OF OUTSTANDING SAMPLING AND/OR ANALYSIS

1.4.1 No outstanding sampling remained for September 2018.

1.4.2 The following laboratory analyses were still in progress during the preparation of this monthly report and hence is not presented in this monthly report:

- Laboratory analyses of sediment samples collected for Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP Vd in September 2018; and
- Laboratory analyses of sediment samples collected for Sediment Chemistry after a Major Storm of ESC CMP V in September 2018.

1.5 BRIEF DISCUSSION OF THE MONITORING RESULTS FOR ESC CMP V

1.5.1 Brief discussion of the monitoring results of the following activities for ESC CMP V is presented in this Monthly EM&A Report for September 2018:

- Water Column Profiling of ESC CMP Vd in September 2018;

- *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP Vd in August 2018; and*
- *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP V in August 2018.*

1.5.2 ***Water Column Profiling of ESC CMP Vd – September 2018***

1.5.3 *Water Column Profiling* was undertaken at a total of two sampling stations (Upstream and Downstream stations) on 7 September 2018. The monitoring results have been assessed for compliance with the Water Quality Objectives (WQOs) set by Environmental Protection Department (EPD). This consists of a review of the EPD routine water quality monitoring data for the wet season period (April to October) of 2007 - 2016 from stations in the Northwestern Water Control Zone (WCZ), where the ESC CMPs are located ⁽¹⁾. For Salinity, the averaged value obtained from the Reference (Upstream) station was used for the basis as the WQO. Levels of Dissolved Oxygen (DO) and Turbidity were also assessed for compliance with the Action and Limit Levels (see *Table B1 of Annex B* for details).

In-situ Measurements

1.5.4 Analyses of results for September 2018 indicated that levels of Salinity and pH complied with the WQOs at both Downstream and Upstream stations while levels of DO were lower than the WQO (*Table B2 of Annex B*). Levels of DO and Turbidity at all stations complied with the Action and Limit Levels ⁽²⁾ (*Tables B1 and B2 of Annex B*).

Laboratory Measurements for Suspended Solids (SS)

1.5.5 Analyses of results for September 2018 indicated that the SS levels complied with the WQO and the Action and Limit Level at both Downstream and Upstream stations (*Tables B1 and B2 of Annex B*).

Overall, the monitoring results indicated that the mud disposal operation at ESC CMP Vd did not appear to cause any deterioration in water quality during this reporting period.

(1) <http://epic.epd.gov.hk/EPICRIVER/marine/?lang=en>

(2) Although the level of DO at WCP1 (Downstream) station was lower than 3.76 mg/L, the level was not significantly different from that at WCP2 (Upstream) station. As such, action level was not exceeded.

- 1.5.6 ***Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP Vd - August 2018***
- 1.5.7 Monitoring locations for *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for ESC CMP Vd* are shown in *Figure 1.2*. A total of six (6) monitoring stations were sampled on 13 August 2018.
- 1.5.8 The concentrations of all inorganic contaminants were lower than the Lower Chemical Exceedance Level (LCEL) at all stations in August 2018 (*Figures 1 and 2 of Annex C*).
- 1.5.9 For organic contaminants, the concentrations of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) were generally similar in August 2018, except higher concentrations of TOC were recorded at the Active-Pit station ESC-NPAA (*Figure 3 of Annex C*). The concentration of Tributyltin (TBT) was generally similar amongst stations in August 2018 (*Figure 4 of Annex C*). Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs), Total Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs), Total dichloro-diphenyl-trichloroethane (DDT) and 4,4'-dichlorodiphenyldichloroethylene (DDE) concentrations were below the limit of reporting at most stations in August 2018, except High Molecular Weight PAHs were detected at Active-Pit station ESC-NPAB and Pit-Edge station ESC-NEAB (*Figure 5 of Annex C*).
- 1.5.10 Overall, there is no evidence indicating any unacceptable environmental impacts to sediment quality as a result of the contaminated mud disposal operations at ESC CMP Vd in August 2018. Statistical analysis will be undertaken and presented in the corresponding quarterly report to investigate whether there are any unacceptable impacts in the area caused by the contaminated mud disposal.
- 1.5.11 ***Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP V - August 2018***
- 1.5.12 Monitoring locations for *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry for ESC CMP V* are shown in *Figure 1.3*. A total of nine (9) monitoring stations were sampled on 21 and 22 August 2018.

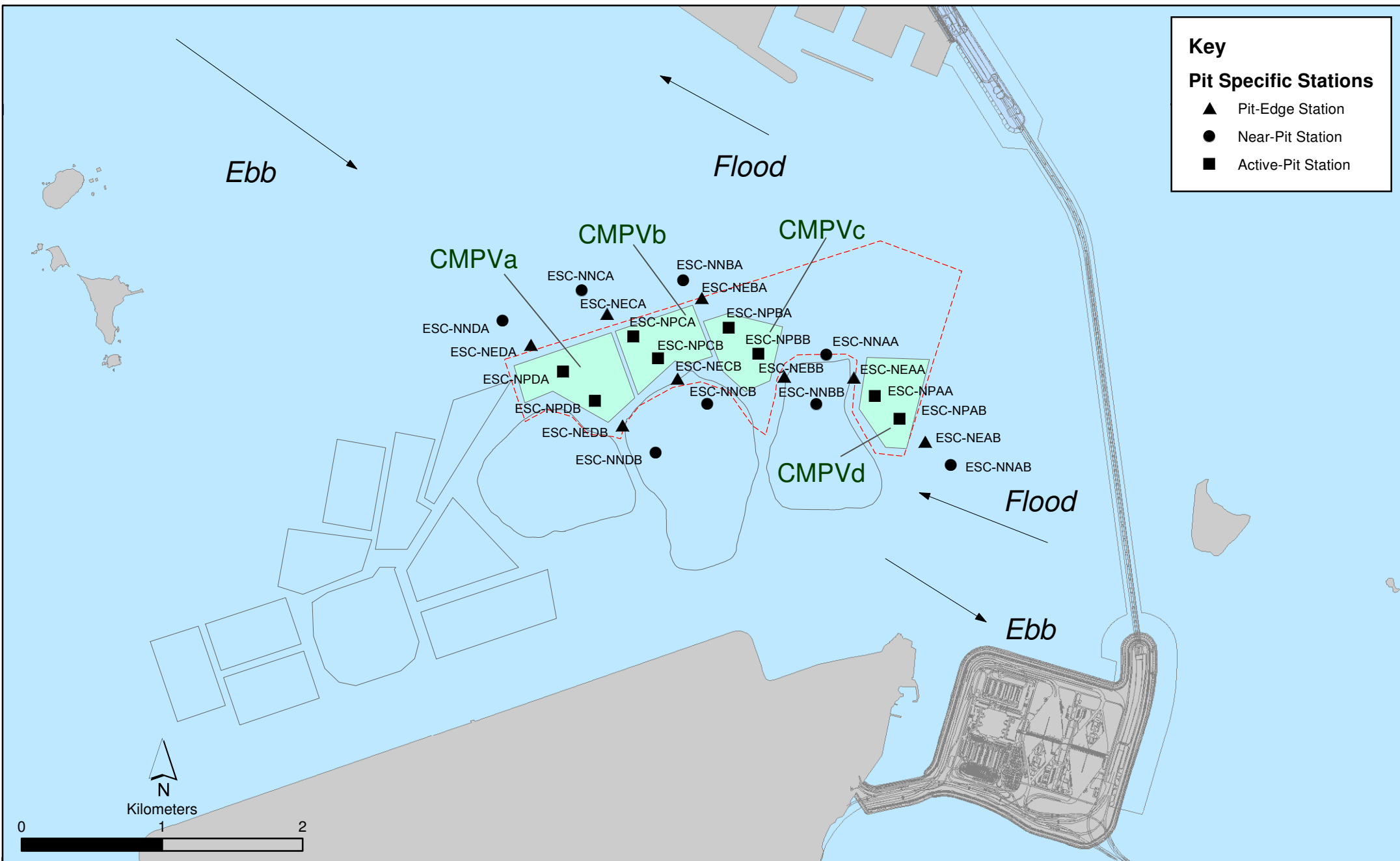


Figure 1.2

Pit Specific Sediment Quality Monitoring Stations for CMPV

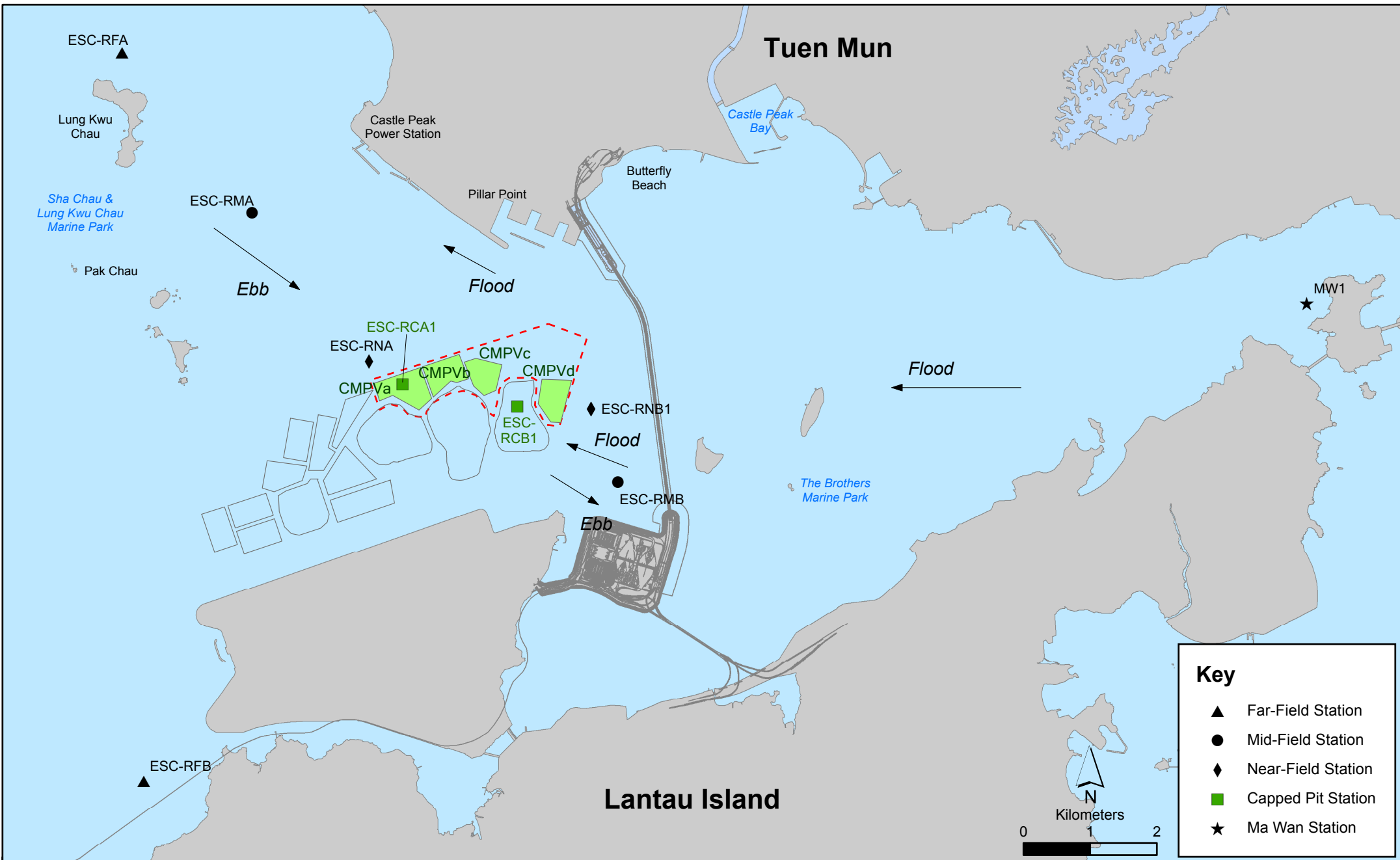


Figure 1.3

Cumulative Impacts Sediment Quality Monitoring Stations for ESC CMPs

- 1.5.13 Analyses of results for the *Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring* indicated that the concentrations of most inorganic contaminants were below the LCEL at all stations in August 2018, except concentrations of Arsenic were higher than the LCEL at Mid-field stations ESC-RMA and ESC-RMB (*Figures 6 and 7 of Annex C*). 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 ⁽¹⁾. It is presumed that the natural concentrations of Arsenic are similar in onshore and offshore sediments ⁽²⁾, and relatively high Arsenic levels may thus occur throughout Hong Kong. Therefore, the LECL exceedances of Arsenic are unlikely to be caused by the disposal operations at ESC CMP Vd but rather as a result of naturally occurring deposits.
- 1.5.14 For organic contaminants, the concentrations of TOC were varied between stations in August 2018, with the generally lower concentrations of TOC recorded at Capped-Pit stations ESC-RCA and RSC-RCB (*Figure 8 of Annex C*). The concentrations of TBT recorded were generally similar amongst stations except higher concentrations of TBT were recorded at Ma Wan station (*Figure 9 of Annex C*). Low and High Molecular Weight PAHs, PCBs, DDT and DDE concentrations were generally recorded below the limit of reporting at all stations, except concentrations of High Molecular Weight PAHs was higher than the limit of reporting at Capped Pit station ESC-RCA (*Figure 10 of Annex C*).
- 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 ESC CMP Vd in August 2018. Statistical analysis will be undertaken and presented in the corresponding quarterly report to investigate whether there are any unacceptable impacts in the area caused by the contaminated mud disposal.

1.6 *ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR THE NEXT MONTH*

1.6.1 The following monitoring activities will be conducted in the next monthly period of October 2018 for ESC CMP V (see *Annex A* for the sampling schedule):

- *Water Column Profiling of ESC CMP Vd;*
- *Routine Water Quality Monitoring of ESC CMPs; and*
- *Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry of ESC CMP Vd.*

(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

1.6.2 No monitoring activities are scheduled to be undertaken in the next monthly period of October 2018 for SB CMPs.

1.7 *STUDY PROGRAMME*

1.7.1 A summary of the Study Programme is presented in *Annex D*.

Annex A

Sampling Schedule

Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry	Code	Frequency	2017					2018					2019					2020					2021																
			A	M	J	J	A	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	J	F	M	
Active-Pit	ESC-NPAA	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	
Pit-Edge	ESC-NPAB	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	
Near-Pit	ESC-NEAA	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	
	ESC-NEAB	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Near-Pit	ESC-NNAA	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
	ESC-NNAB	Monthly	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

Notes:
The number shown in each cell represents the numbers of replicates per monitoring station
Impact Monitoring for Dredging will be scheduled when dredging operations commence.
Benthic Recolonisation Studies for CMP V will be scheduled when capping operation for CMP V is completed.

Annex A2 - Environmental Monitoring and Audit Sampling Schedule for South of The Brothers (April 2017 - December 2018)

			2017												2018											
			A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D			
Capping Water Quality Monitoring																										
<i>Ebb Tide</i>																										
Impact Stations Downcurrent	SB-IPE1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPE2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPE3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPE4	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPE5	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Intermediate Stations Downcurrent	SB-INE1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INE2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INE3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INE4	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INE5	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Reference Stations Upcurrent	SB-RFE1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFE2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFE3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFE4	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFE5	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Sensitive Receiver Stations	MW1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	THB1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	THB2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	WSR45C	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	WSR46	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
<i>Flood Tide</i>																										
Impact Stations Downcurrent	SB-IPF1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPF2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-IPF3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Intermediate Stations Downcurrent	SB-INF1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INF2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-INF3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Reference Stations Upcurrent	SB-RFF1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFF2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	SB-RFF3	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Sensitive Receiver Stations	MW1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	THB1	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	THB2	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	WSR45C	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
	WSR46	4 times per year		3	3		3	3																		
Benthic Recolonisation Studies																										
Capped Contaminated Mud Pits	SB-CPA	2 times per year					12				12								12				12			
	SB-CPB	2 times per year					12				12								12				12			
Reference Stations	RBA	2 times per year					12				12								12				12			
	RBB	2 times per year					12				12								12				12			
	RBC	2 times per year					12				12								12				12			

Notes:
 The number shown in each cell represents the numbers of replicates per monitoring station
 Capping works are planned to be conducted between May and December 2017.

Annex B

Water Quality Monitoring Results

Table B1 *Action and Limit Levels of Water Quality for Dredging, Disposal and Capping Activities at ESC CMP V*

Parameter	Action Level	Limit Level
Dissolved Oxygen (DO) ⁽¹⁾	<u>Surface and Mid-depth</u> ⁽²⁾ 5%-ile of baseline data for surface and middle layer = 3.76 mg L⁻¹	<u>Surface and Mid-depth</u> ⁽²⁾ 1%-ile of baseline data for surface and middle layer = 3.11 mg L⁻¹ ⁽³⁾
	and	and
	Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)	Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)
	<u>Bottom</u> 5%-ile of baseline data for bottom layers = 2.96 mg L⁻¹	<u>Bottom</u> The average of the impact station readings are <2 mg/L⁻¹
	and	and
	Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)	Significantly less than the reference stations mean DO (at the same tide of the same day)
Depth-averaged Suspended Solids (SS) ^{(4) (5)}	95%-ile of baseline data for depth average = 37.88 mg L⁻¹	99%-ile of baseline data for depth average = 61.92 mg L⁻¹
	and	and
	120% of control station's SS at the same tide of the same day	130% of control station's SS at the same tide of the same day
Depth-averaged Turbidity (Tby) ^{(4) (5)}	95%-ile of baseline data = 28.14 NTU	99%-ile of baseline data = 38.32 NTU
	and	and
	120% of control station's Tby at the same tide of the same day	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) Given the Action Level for DO for Surface & Middle layers has already been lower than 4 mg L⁻¹, it is proposed to set the Limit Level at 3.11 mg L⁻¹ which is the first percentile of the baseline data.
- (4) "Depth-averaged" is calculated by taking the arithmetic means of reading of all three depths.
- (5) For turbidity and SS, non-compliance of the water quality limits occurs when monitoring result is higher than the limits.

Table B2

Water Column Profiling Results for ESC CMP Vd in September 2018

Stations	Temp (°C)	Salinity (ppt)	Turbidity (NTU)	Dissolved Oxygen (%)	Dissolved Oxygen (mg L ⁻¹)	pH	Suspended Solids (mg L ⁻¹)
WCP 1 (Downstream)	27.27	23.32	9.61	51.96	3.62	7.73	10.13
WCP 2 (Upstream)	27.48	21.99	7.42	55.59	3.89	7.71	7.03
WQO (Wet Season)	N/A	19.79- 24.18#	N/A	N/A	>4	6.5-8.5	10.8

Note:

#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.

Cell shaded grey indicate value exceeding the WQO.

Annex C

Graphical Presentations

Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Metal and Metalloid Contaminants at ESC CMP Vd August 2018

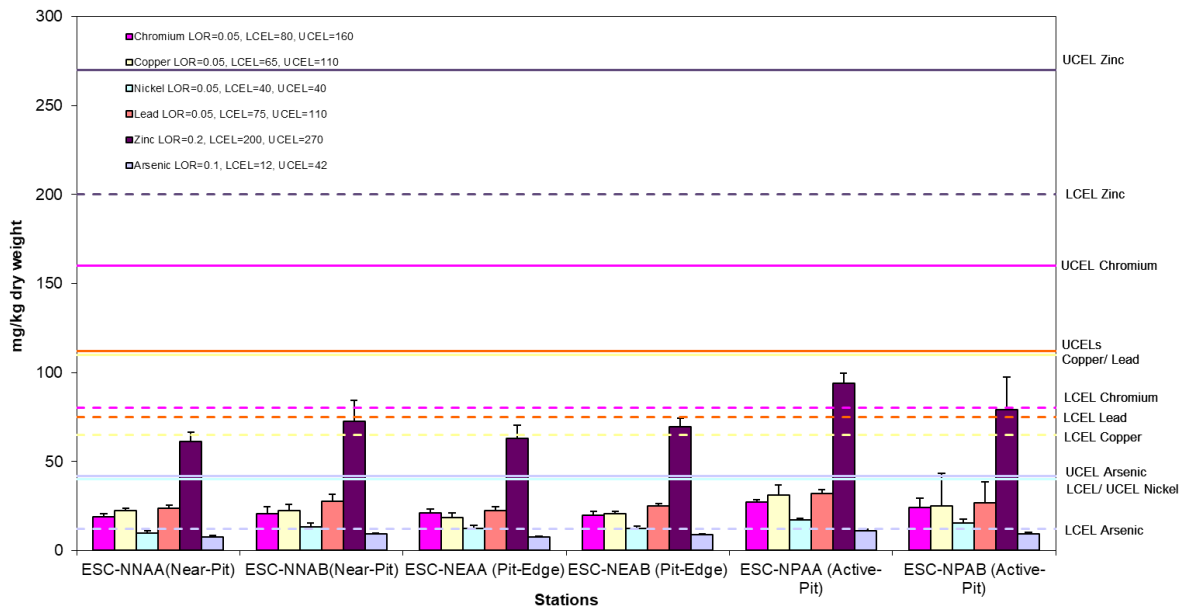


Figure 1: Concentration of Metals and Metalloid (Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, As; mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMP Vd in August 2018.

Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Metal Contaminants at ESC CMP Vd August 2018

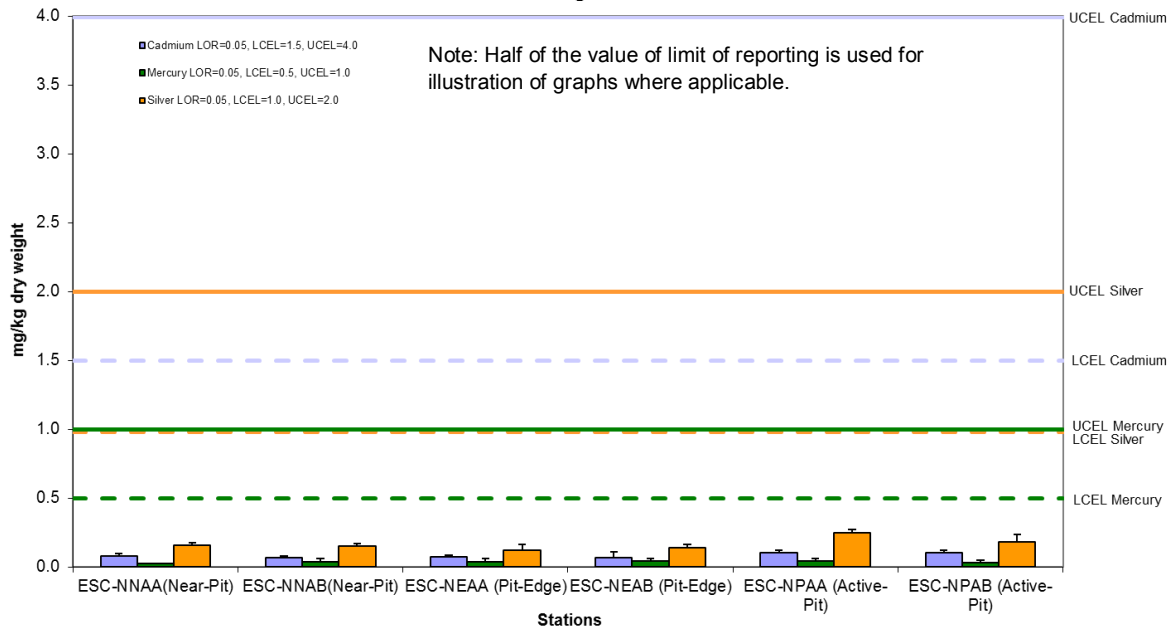


Figure 2: Concentration of Metals (Cd, Hg, Ag; mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMP Vd in August 2018.

Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Total Organic Carbon (TOC) at ESC CMP Vd August 2018

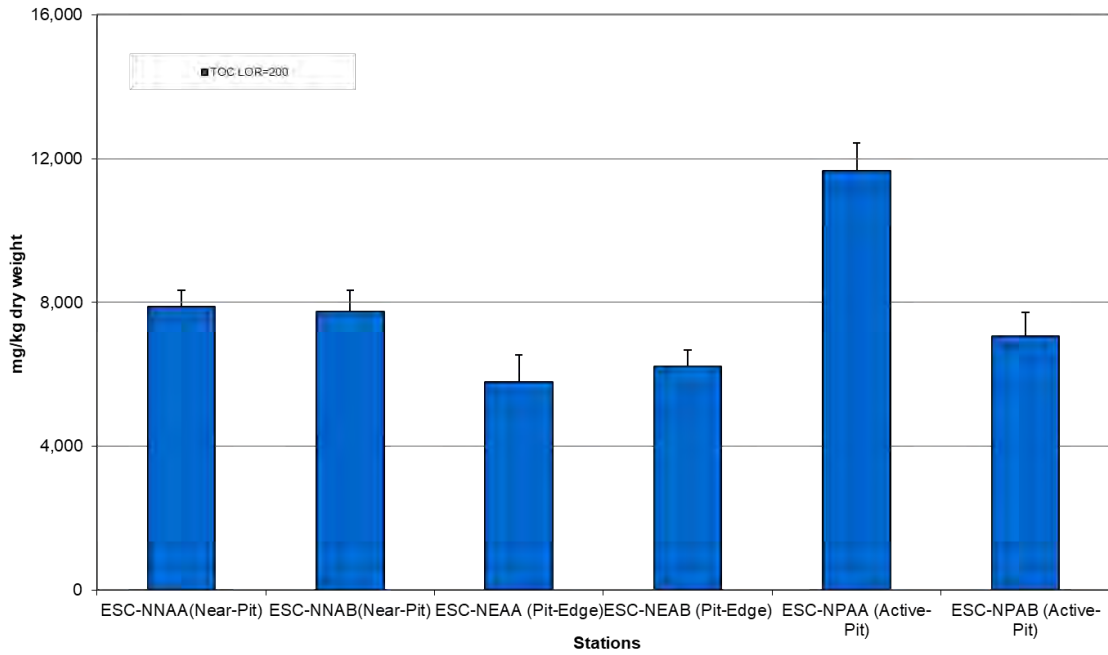


Figure 3: Concentration of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMP Vd in August 2018.

Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Tributyltin (TBT) at ESC CMP Vd August 2018

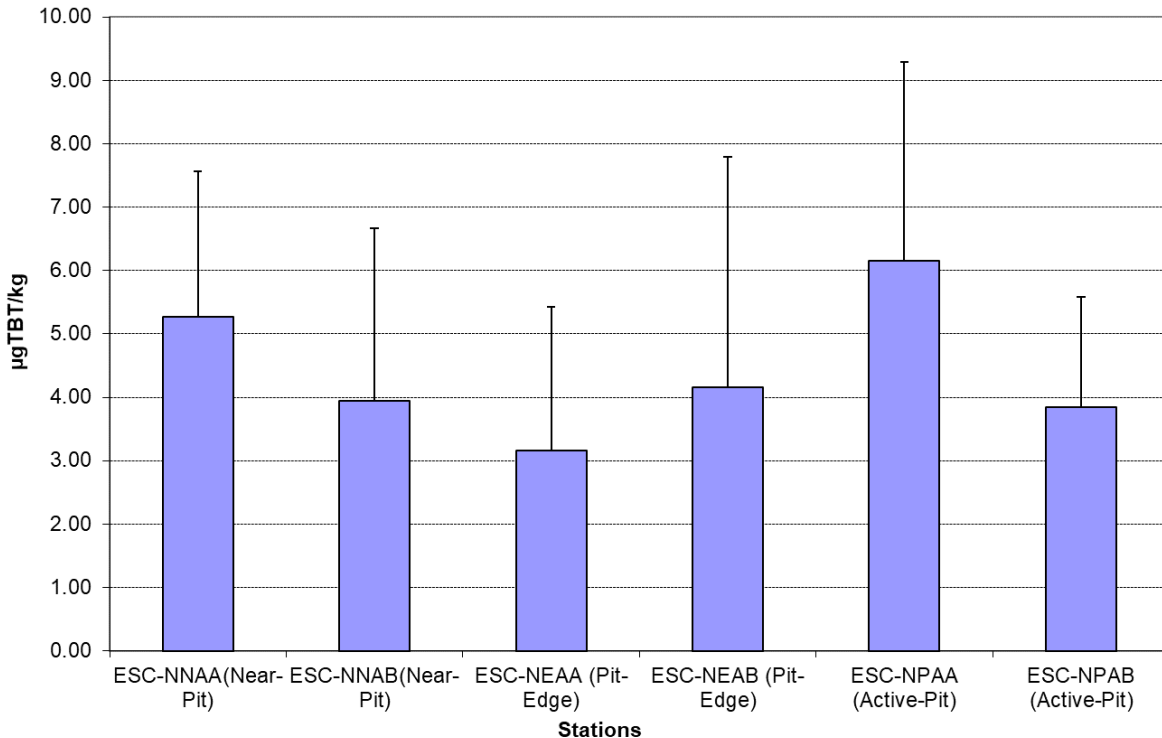


Figure 4: Concentration of Tributyltin (TBT) (µg TBT/kg; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMP Vd in August 2018.

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Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry for Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics Hydrocarbons (PAHs) at ESC CMP Vd in August 2018

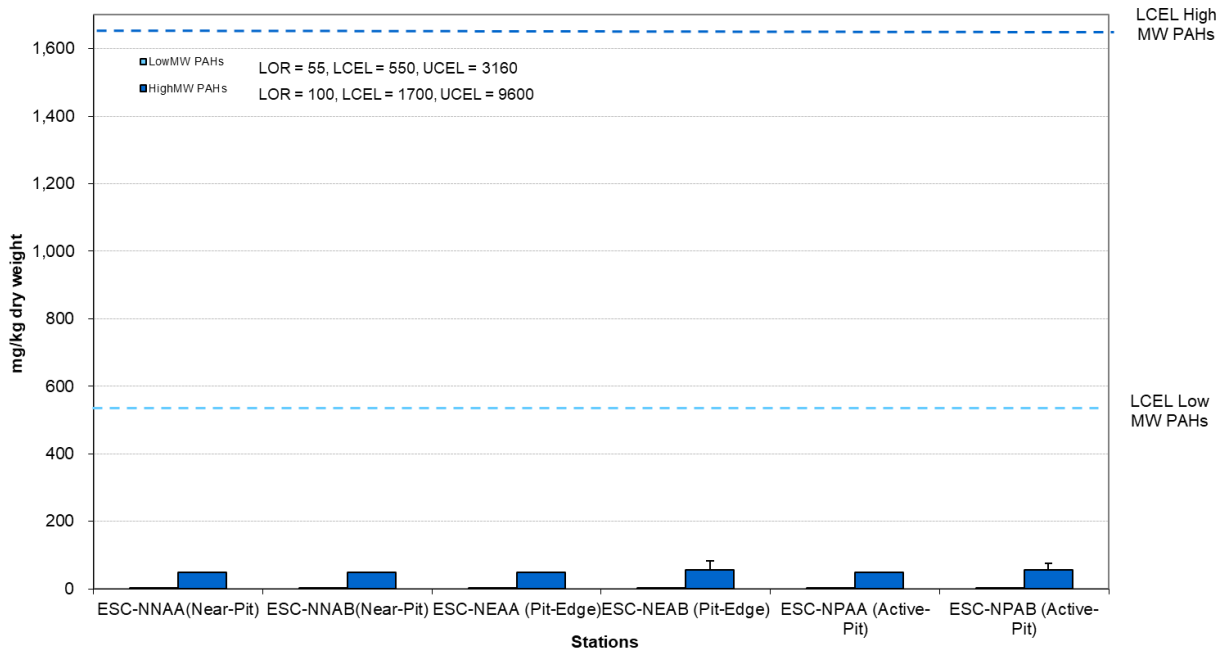


Figure 5: Concentration of Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Pit Specific Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMP Vd in August 2018.

**Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry for Metal and Metalloid Contaminants at ESC CMPs
August 2018**

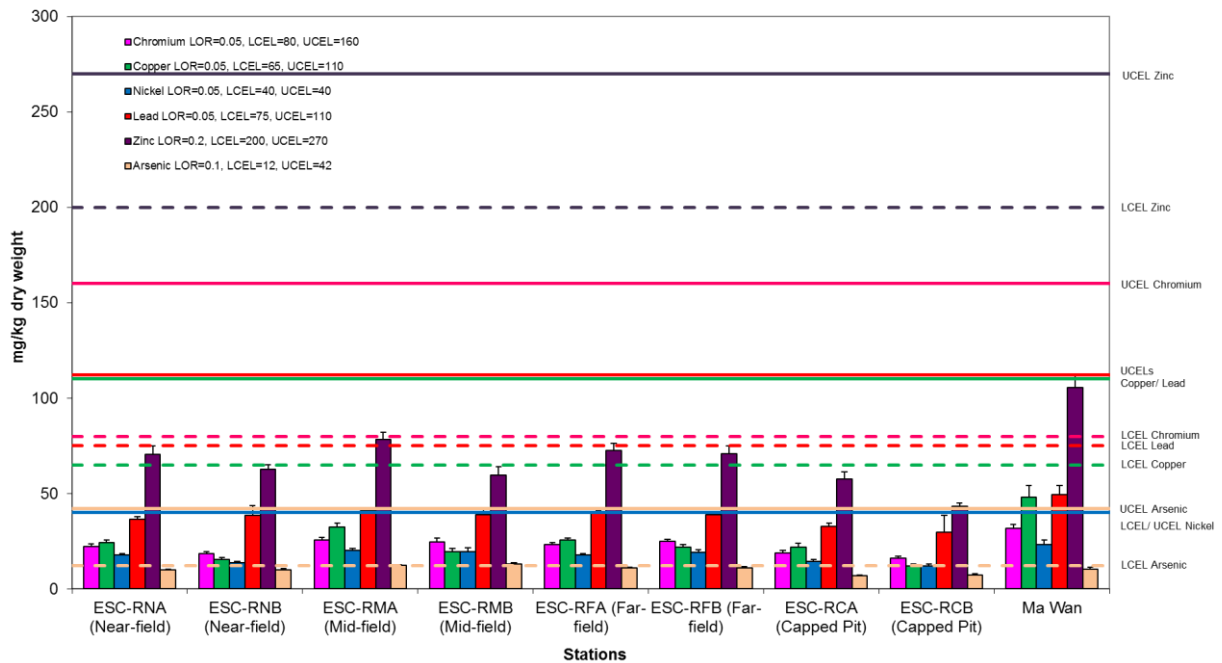


Figure 6: Concentration of Metals and Metalloid (Cr, Cu, Ni, Pb, Zn, As; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMPs in August 2018.

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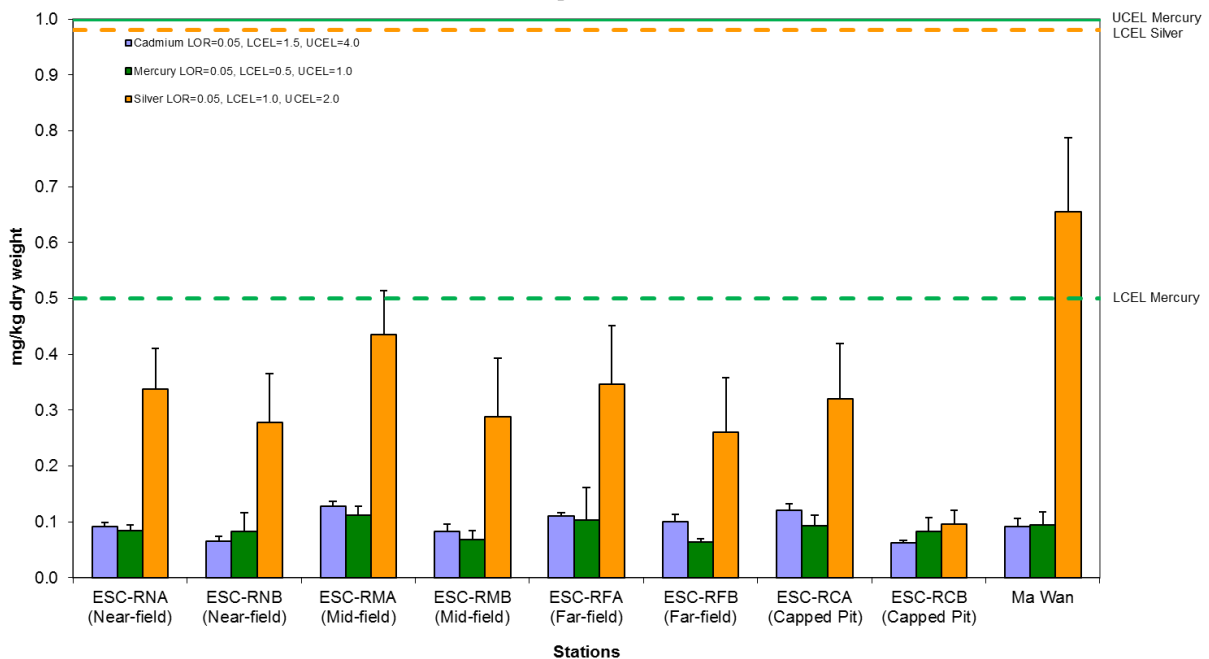


Figure 7: Concentration of Metals (Cd, Hg, Ag; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMPs in August 2018.

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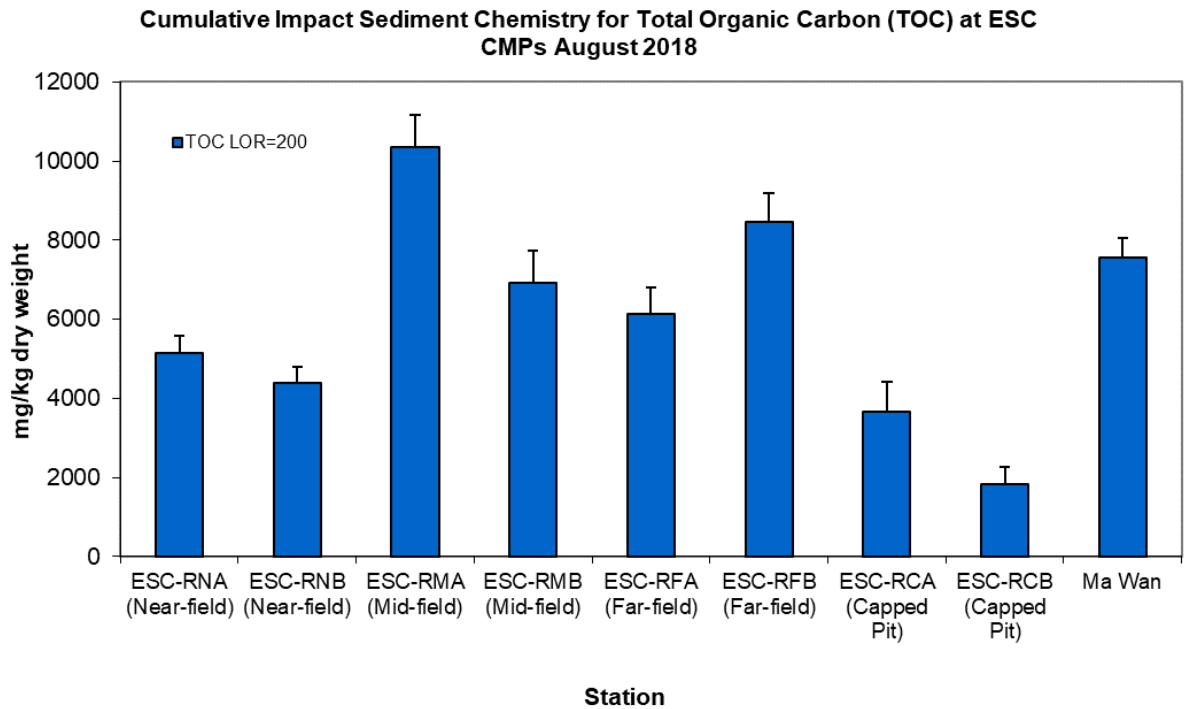


Figure 8: Concentration of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMPs in August 2018.

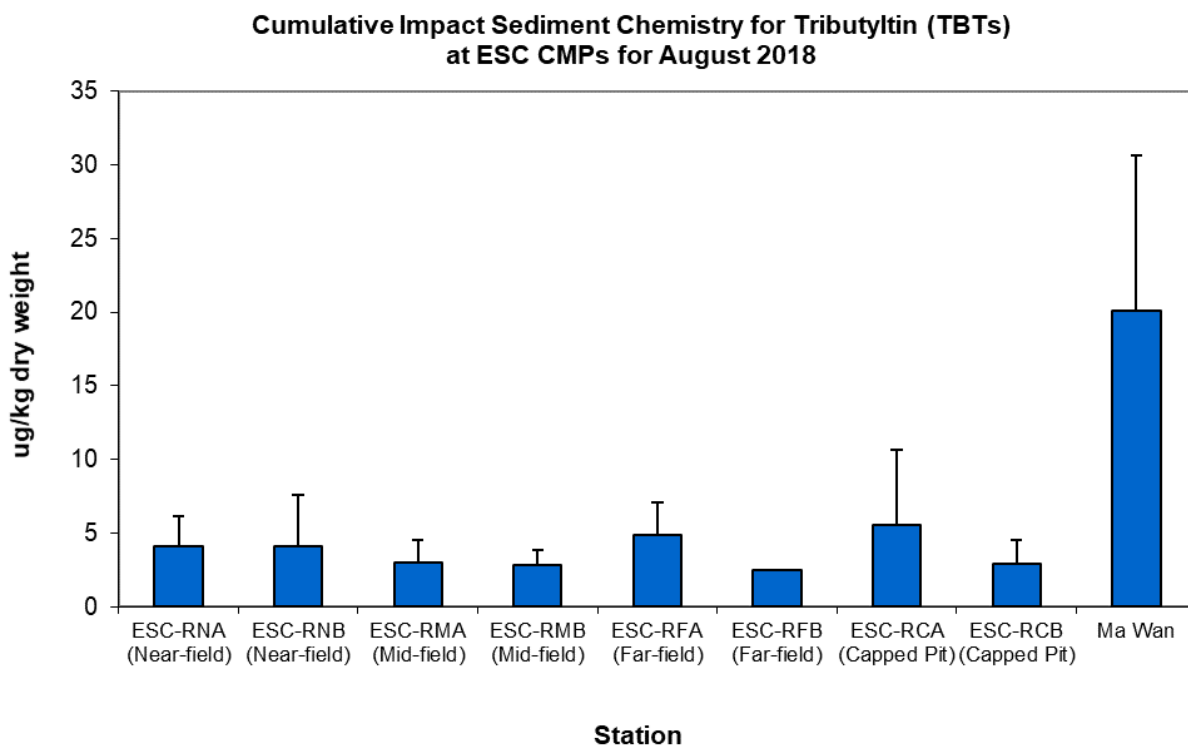


Figure 9: Concentration of Tributyltin (μg TBT/kg; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMPs in August 2018.

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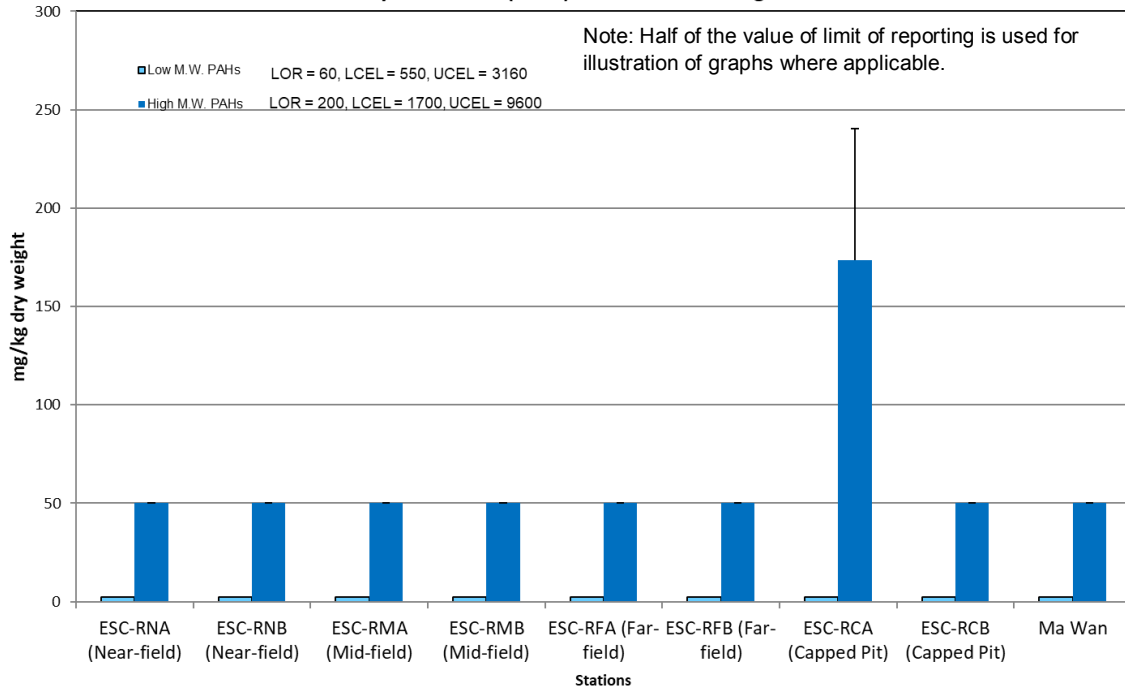


Figure 10: Concentration of Low and High Molecular Weight Polycyclic Aromatics (mg/kg dry weight; mean +SD) in sediment samples collected from Cumulative Impact Sediment Chemistry Monitoring for ESC CMPs in August 2018.

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Study Programme

Task Name	Start	Finish	2017				2018				2019				2020				2021																																						
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Commencement of Agreement No. CE 63/2016 (EP)	Sat 1/4/17	Sat 1/4/17				◆																																																			
Project Management and General Deliverables	Mon 3/4/17	Mon 5/4/21																																																							
For the disposal facilities to the East of Sha Chau (ESC) (between 2017 and 2021) and the South of The Brothers (SB) (between 2017 and 2018)	Sat 1/4/17	Fri 1/10/21																																																							
Draft Report on Review of EM&A Manual	Tue 2/5/17	Tue 2/5/17				◆																																																			
Final Report on Review of EM&A Manual	Tue 23/5/17	Tue 23/5/17				◆																																																			
Regular Review of EM&A Manual	Wed 2/5/18	Sat 2/5/20							◇									◇																																							
Regular Site Inspections of CMP Contractors	Sat 1/4/17	Wed 31/3/21																																																							
Participate in Liaison Group Meetings/ Consultations as required by CEDD	Sat 1/4/17	Wed 31/3/21																																																							
Submission of Monthly EM&A Report	Sun 14/5/17	Sun 14/3/21	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇	◇																																			
Submission of Quarterly EM&A Report	Fri 14/7/17	Wed 14/4/21				◇												◇																																							
Submission of Annual EM&A Report	Sun 14/1/18	Thu 14/1/21								◇								◇																																							
Submission of Annual Risk Assessment Report	Thu 14/6/18	Mon 14/6/21																																																							
Submission of Draft Final Report (including database of all data collected)	Fri 23/7/21	Fri 23/7/21																																																							
Submission of Final Report (including database of all data collected)	Fri 27/8/21	Fri 27/8/21																																																							
Submission of Draft Executive Summary	Fri 27/8/21	Fri 27/8/21																																																							
Submission of Final Executive Summary	Fri 1/10/21	Fri 1/10/21																																																							
For East Tung Lung Chau Disposal Facility (subject to the actual disposal programme to be confirmed by CEDD)	Sun 14/10/18	Fri 14/12/18																																																							
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