

ENDANGERED SPECIES OBSERVER PROGRAM
SEA TURTLE INCIDENTAL TAKE DATA FORM

USACE DISTRICT: _____
PROJECT NAME: _____ DREDGE NAME: _____

DATE: _____ Time turtle take recovered (24hr): _____ Turtle take # for project: _____

LOAD #: _____ Times (24hrs): Start _____ End _____ Load start date _____

SPECIES OF TURTLE TAKE: Unknown Loggerhead Green Kemp's ridley Hawksbill Leatherback

Channel location of take: Latitude _____ Longitude _____

Other location / Channel description (e.g. buoy markers, landmarks): _____

Location take recovered on dredge: _____

Number of dragheads in use at time of incident: _____ Draghead deflector? YES ____ NO ____

Condition of deflector: _____ Condition of screening: _____

Beaufort Sea State: 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

AIR TEMP: _____ °C / °F (°F = 9/5 (°C) + 32; °C = 5/9 (°F - 32))

WATER TEMP: Surface _____ °C / °F Column (mid-depth) _____ °C / °F Bottom _____ °C / °F

Condition of specimen: _____

0 = Alive; 1 = Fresh dead; 2 = Moderately decomposed; 3 = Severely decomposed; 4 = skeleton/old bone; 5 = undetermined

Sex: M F UN How determined? _____ Age class: Juv ____ Sub-Adult ____ Adult ____ UN ____

Measurements: Circle units

Plastron Length: _____ cm/in Head Width: _____ cm/in

Carapace Straight Length: _____ cm/in Plastron Width: _____ cm/in

Carapace Curved Length: _____ cm/in Carapace Straight Width: _____ cm/in

Carapace Curved Width: _____ cm/in

Measurement/description of part: _____

Genetic samples taken: YES ____ NO ____ Photos taken: YES ____ NO ____

Turtle tagged?: YES ____ NO ____ Tag type: _____ Tag #: _____ Tag date: _____

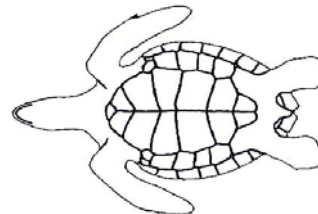
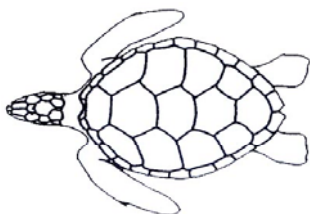
Final disposition of specimen: _____

Comments: _____

Load data form attached: YES ____ NO ____ Dredge load log attached: YES ____ NO ____

Observer's name _____

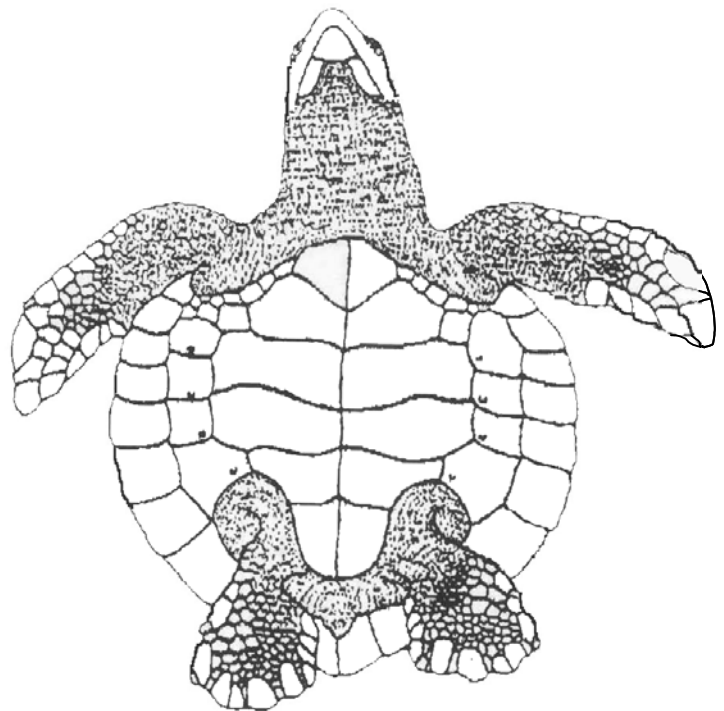
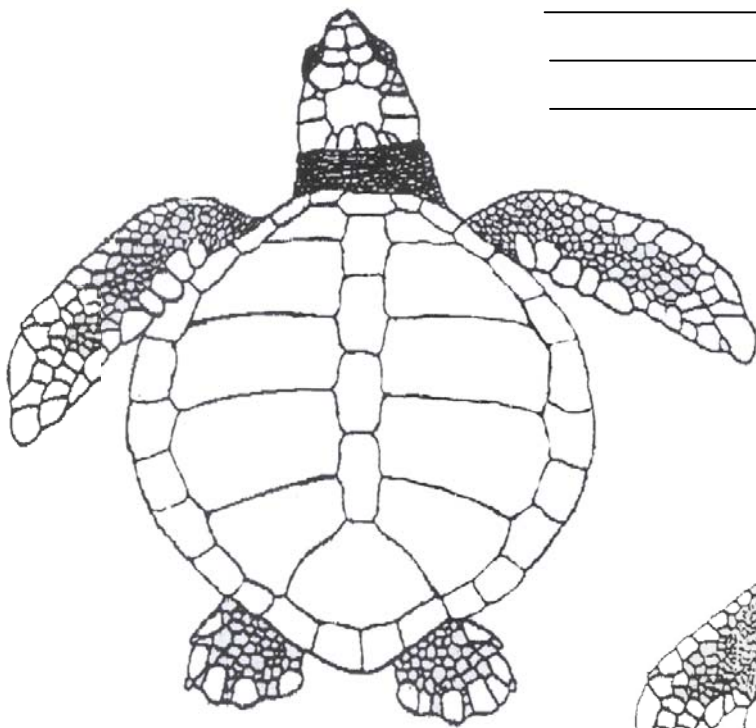
Use diagrams below to illustrate specimen/part recovered:



Kemp's Ridley (*Lepidochelys kempii*)

Shade areas of turtle that are missing; sketch cracks and lacerations

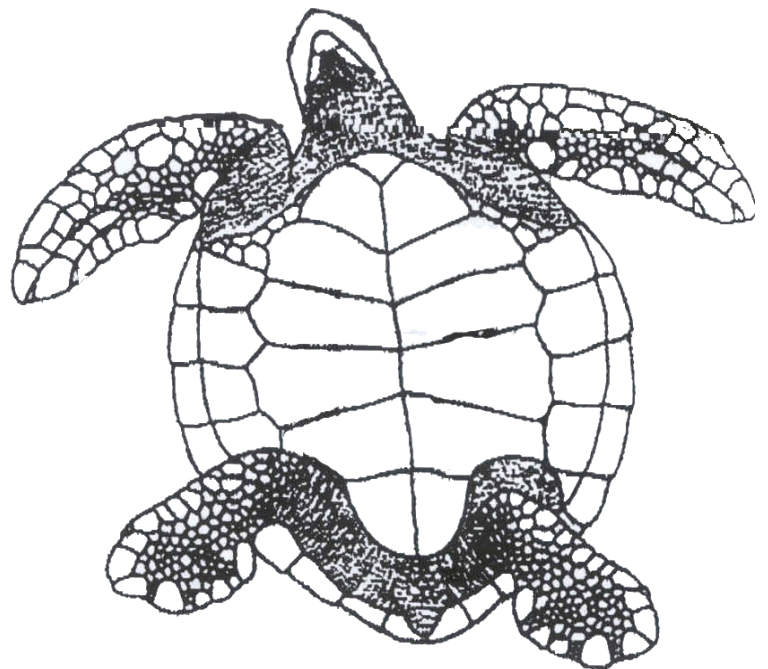
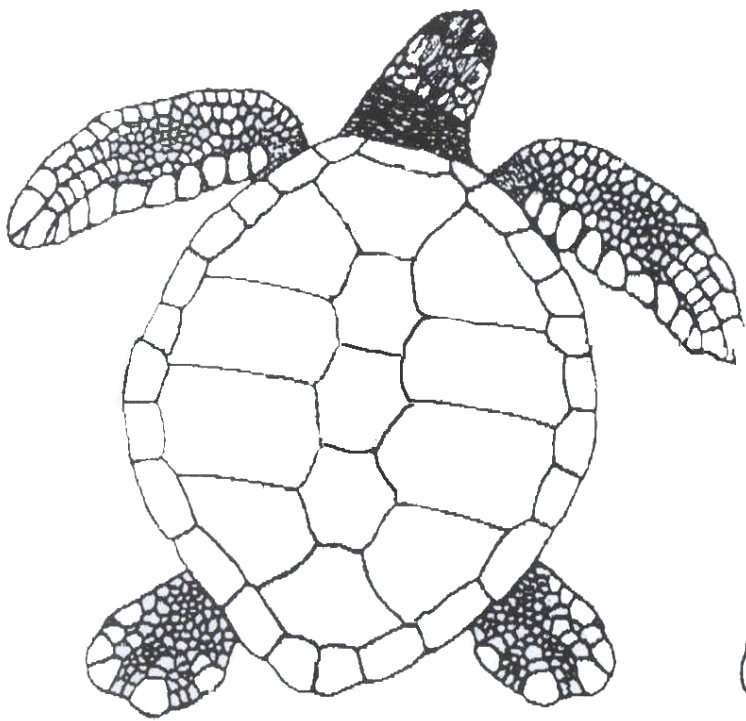
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Green turtle (*Chelonia mydas*)

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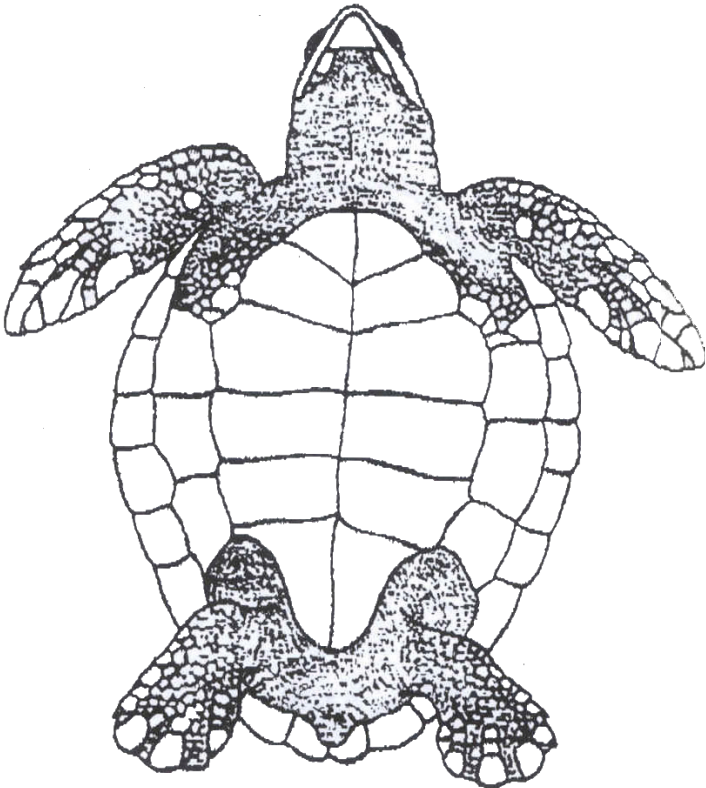
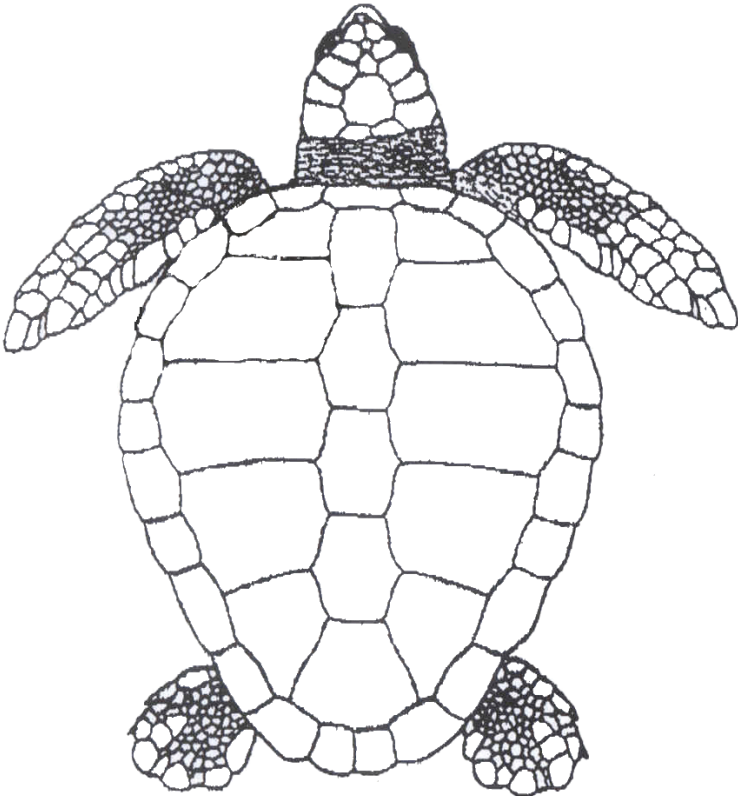
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Loggerhead (*Caretta caretta*)

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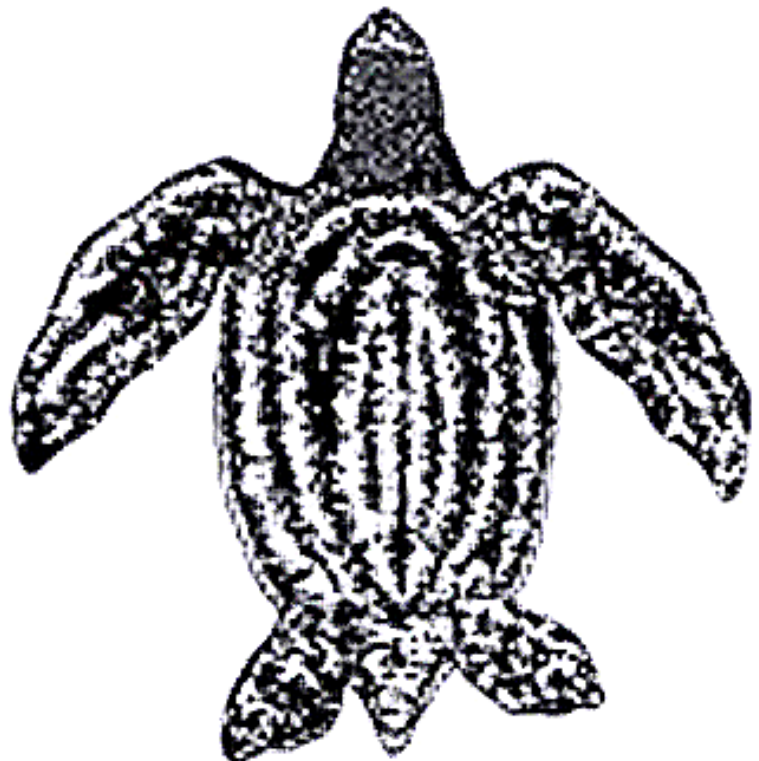
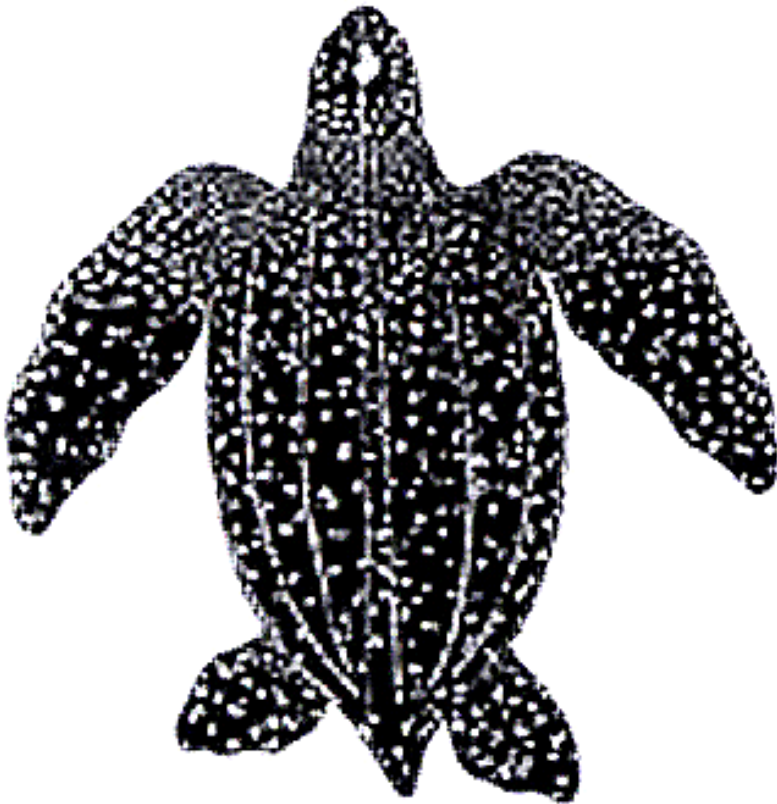
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Leatherback (*Dermochelys coriacea*)

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Comments:



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