



DEep Submergence Science Committee Meeting NOAA 2010 Report

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Okeanos Explorer



- **INDEX-SATAL 2010** June 8 – Aug 23
 - Establish partnership with Indonesians
 - *Okeanos Explorer* maiden voyage
 - White House/OSTP participation
 - Mapping/ROV/Telepresence
 - Data will be non-proprietary



Baruna Jaya IV



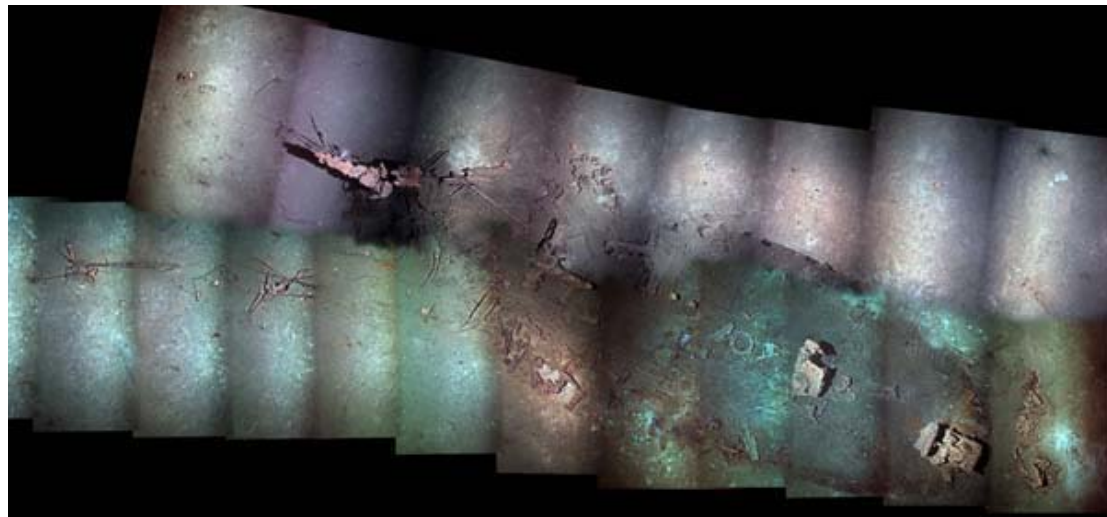
Okeanos Explorer

- 2011
 - Continue in Pacific
 - New Monuments
 - OkEx concept of operations
 - Return to Indonesia





Lophelia II: Deepwater Coral Expedition: Reefs, Rigs, and Wrecks

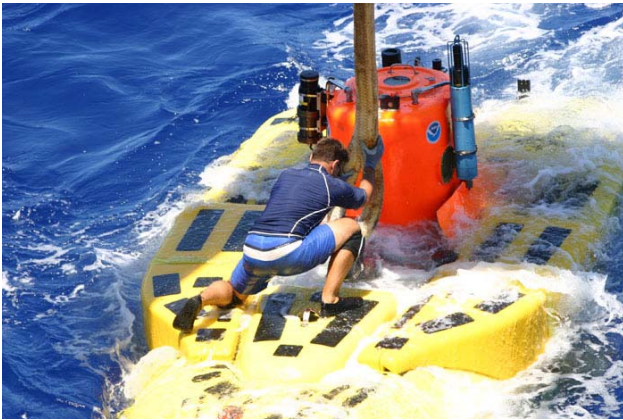


<http://oceanexplorer.noaa.gov/explorations/09lophelia/welcome.html>





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- **ABS Overhaul**
 - Mini-Zeus High Def Cameras
 - Titan 4 manipulator
 - Stability calculations
 - Updated manuals
- **MBARI Video Management**
- **Aug-Sep 2010 Science Program**
 - Northwestern HI islands, Emperor Seamounts
- **2011: Western Pacific monuments/SW Pacific**



OER Headquarters Update



- Public Law 111-11
- Expect Acting Director in June
- CIOERT awarded
 - HBOI/FAU: R/V Seward Johnson/JSL
- OER Strategic Plan in Federal Register
- Competition for west coast CI FY11-12



Ocean Exploration and Research Budgets in FY2008



	2009	2010	2011
NURP	10.0	8.8	9.2
OE	18.6	18.6	18.6
Combined	28.6	27.4	27.8