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Freshwater Mussel (Bivalvia: Unionidae) Investigation for Petroleum Spill Response in the Ochlockonee River Drainage Tributaries: Quincy Creek and Little River, Florida.

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## **Objectives:**

- 1. Determine if Federally listed freshwater mussels inhabit the area impacted by the petroleum spill event.
- 2. Determine if any freshwater mussels exhibited an acute response (mortality) to the petroleum spill event.
- 3. Determine fate and transport of the petroleum spill by examining receiving creek sediments and mussel tissue at selected sites after the spill event.
- 4. Determine if subsequent sampling of sediment and mussel tissue are necessary to assess extent of area affected by the spill event.

# Hypotheses:

- 1. Ho: There are no Federally listed freshwater mussels in the vicinity of the petroleum spill.
- 2. Ho: There are no detectable mortalities of freshwater mussels as a result of the petroleum spill.
- 3. Ho: Detectable petroleum hydrocarbon residues will be present from the point of spill in Quincy Creek to a wetland approximately 5 miles downstream, but residues will not be detectable downstream of the wetland or in Little River.

### Justification/Need:

On 24 June 2002, at approximately 4:00 am (EST) roughly 4,000 gallons of unleaded gasoline and 500 gallons of diesel fuel were spilled from a single vehicle, tanker truck accident, onto the soil north of Quincy Creek (QC), Gadsden County, Florida. The petroleum hydrocarbons ran into a stormwater drain, which empties directly into QC at State Road 267. Immediate acute responses of high magnitude was evident for fish, reptiles, amphibians, and some bird and mammal species; however, unidentified freshwater mussels were detected and were reported as living (unconfirmed, Pers. Comm. C.E. Gunter, Advanced Environmental Technologies, LLC).

At the current time it is unknown if unionid mussels, including Federally protected species, inhabit QC. The extent of the area affected by the spill event is unknown. Of particular concern is whether the spill-introduced contamination will reach the historical habitat for endangered mussel species in the downstream Little River (LR). It is essential to document trust resources affected by this spill. Additionally, this study will document the fate and transport of petroleum hydrocarbons in river sediments and in mussel tissue to better evaluate impacts from future spills.

## Background:

Records from scientific collectors and museum specimens indicate that QC historically supported a native freshwater mussel community, however, no species currently afforded Federal protection have been documented from this tributary (unpubl. data, J.D. Williams, U.S. Geological Survey, Gainesville, Florida). QC is a tributary to LR in the Ochlockonee River drainage basin of Florida and Georgia. Currently, QC receives several tributaries prior to entering an wetland created by beaver dams. After QC waters flow through the wetland, the channel reforms and then joins LR. LR has supported mussel populations including the Federally endangered shinyrayed pocketbook (*Lampsilis subangulata*) and has been reported to be one of the few known locations for the endemic, Federally endangered, Ochlockonee moccasinshell (*Medionidus simpsoniamus*). While recent status surveys failed to document Federally protected species downstream of the junction of QC and LR (unpubl. data, J.D. Williams), populations may still exist within this area.

Petroleum hydrocarbons are composed of a combination of thousands of various hydrocarbon compounds (Hoffman et al. 1995). Hydrocarbons are molecules consisting of carbon and hydrogen atoms. Hydrocarbons in petroleum hydrocarbons can be lumped into to major classes, aliphatic (straight chain) and aromatic (closed ring structures) molecules (Hoffman et al. 1995). These two major classes of molecules behave very differently in the aquatic environment. The lighter aliphatic molecules tend to be more volatile (tend to evaporate) than the heavier aromatic molecules often referred to as polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs). The more persistent PAHs have a tendency to partition (accumulate) in the sediments, organic particulates and organisms, but not to be found in the water column (Beyer et al. 1996). Organisms associated the sediment environment are particularly susceptible to accumulating aromatic hydrocarbons, particularly soft-bodied obligate filter feeders. For this reason, bivalve (mussel) species have been used as sentinels of environmental exposure to monitor petroleum hydrocarbons in the aquatic environment, often accumulating PAH concentrations 10 to 100,000 times greater than found in the water column (Beyer et al. 1996, Heit et al. 1980).

The effects of PAHs on freshwater mussels are poorly understood (Keller et al. 1998). While freshwater mussels may be able to temporarily close their valves for periods of time and avoid impacts from initial exposure to petroleum hydrocarbons in the water column, they are more susceptible to chronic effects. Freshwater mussels are benthic organisms and are known to bioaccumulate a wide variety of toxicants that are brought in via filtering to obtain oxygen from the water column or contaminated organic particulates for food. Biological accumulation of petroleum hydrocarbons has been shown to vary

with mussel reproductive state (Beyer et al. 1996) and may ultimately result in chronic effects that limit reproduction or result in eventual death.

In one case study, many adult unionid species were reported to have died one month after a spill of ~ 30,000 gallons of No. 2 diesel fuel in a small Indiana creek (Keller et al. 1998). Initial survivorship of early life stages of these unionids was unknown. Sediments from sites within the Indiana creek where the diesel fuel spill occurred were used in toxicity testing with larval (glochidia) and juvenile mussels. Results indicated that 1 year after the spill, petroleum hydrocarbons were present at low concentrations in the creek sediments (minimum detection limit of 1ppb). Affected creek sediments used in toxicity tests 23 months after the spill event did not produce an acute response in juvenile mussels.

#### Methods:

Panama City Field Office will conduct tactile surveys (following accepted procedures to locate rare species, see Obermeyer, 1998; Blalock-Herod, 2000) to determine if freshwater mussels, including Federally listed species, inhabit QC and LR (see next paragraph). Any mussels encountered will be identified to species in the field, examined for mortalities (valves with fresh tissue, or valves still "in position" in the creek sediments but without tissue) or obvious indicators of stress (e.g., gaping valves), enumerated, recorded, and released. Area searched and time spent searching will be recorded.

Sediments and mussel tissues will be sampled to determine the fate and transport of petroleum hydrocarbons from the spill mentioned under "justification". If possible, sediments will be removed from a terrestrial site where the initial spill occurred in an effort to determine the PAH "fingerprint" of the petroleum hydrocarbons released. This fingerprint will serve to uniquely identify hydrocarbons from this spill as opposed to hydrocarbons from other non-point sources (e.g., road runoff).

Aquatic sediments and mussel tissues will be sampled approximately 100 m upstream of the spill entry in QC and 500 m upstream of the junction of QC and LR (in LR) to provide additional background data concerning previously existing petroleum hydrocarbons present within these reference areas. Additional sediment and tissue samples will be collected sites: A) 100 m downstream of the spill entry into QC, B) just above the wetland (~ 4 miles downstream of the spill), C) just below the wetland, and D) at LR below the mouth of QC.

Sampling of mussels and sediment, including precautions minimizing cross contamination of samples, will be performed according to modified standard operating procedures (PCFO-EC-SOP-001 and PCFO-EC SOP 004) described below. Sediment samples will be collected using a petite ponar stainless steel grab. Five individual grabs will be taken at each sampling area. One 200 ml subsample will be taken from each grab and combined to form one site sample. Sediment samples will be placed into certified clean amber bottles and placed on ice immediately after sampling.

Up to five native non-listed freshwater mussels (same species, statistically the same size in shell length and whole wet weight) may be retained for tissue analysis described below. In the absence of native mussels from the collection sites, the non-indigenous Asian clam, *Corbicula fluminea*, will be used for contaminants analysis.

Tissues for contaminants analysis will be removed in the field and placed into certified clean amber bottles and placed on immediately ice. All samples (tissues and sediments) will be kept below 5°C until shipment for analysis. Samples will be sent to an analytical laboratory selected by USFWS, Patuxent, Maryland (Geochemical & Environmental Research Group ) for PAH fingerprinting analyses within 48 hours of the sampling time. A literature search will be conducted to review PAH effect levels values for freshwater mussels and will be compared to the lab results.

Additional monitoring of sediments and tissues will be suggested if Federally listed freshwater mussels are located in QC or if petroleum hydrocarbons from the spill are detected in the sediments or mussel tissues in LR.

## **Proposed Timeline:**

Mussel surveys and sediment and tissue sampling will be conducted concurrently, approximately 1 month after the initial spill event provided that the sites are safe to enter. Surveys and samples will be completed in a two-day time period. Samples will be sent overnight to the lab and processed immediately. Results from the lab are expected no more than 90 days from receipt of the samples, however, they are expect much sooner due to QA/QC hold times for such samples. A draft technical summary will be completed and available for review four weeks after receipt of the analytical lab report.

### Products:

A technical summary will be produced to outline initial results: mussel species richness at selected sites, documented mortalities or stress in mussels related to petroleum hydrocarbons from this spill, and chemical analyses of sediments and tissues from control and affected sites. A recommendation will be made to continue or terminate monitoring of sediments and tissues for petroleum hydrocarbons related to this spill. A standard operating procedure will be developed for use by the Panama City Field Office for response to a spill of this type. Subsequent journal publications will discuss the fate and transport of petroleum hydrocarbons in stream and wetland systems and freshwater mussels.

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Dick,

I haven't completed a full lit search yet. However, I have found a few more papers. They mainly discuss the accumulation potential and the use as monitors. It is starting to look like we need to conduct some research to look at sub-lethal and chronic effects of petroleum products to adult and juvenile mussels. Anyway, the references are below. Good Luck.

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