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Scripps Institution of Oceanography. Marine Physical Laboratory

SIO Marine Physical Laboratory Photographs, 1950-1986

Physical Description: 7 mss, 37 shoe boxes, 6 index card boxes, 1 small box

Arrangement of Collection: Arranged in six series: Photographic Negatives; Lantern Slides; Tasaday Expedition Stamp; Photographic Prints; 35mm Slides; Marine Physical Laboratory Illustrations Master Record.

Description: The accession consists of the central photographic negative, print, and slide files and the index created by the Marine Physical Laboratory in 1950 to describe them. The accession includes all photographic images filed by MPL from 1950 to 1986.

The accession consists largely of MPL's master set of photographic negatives. The accession also includes a small number of unmarked lantern slides, 1,981 photographic prints, and two cartons of 35mm slides dated 1968-1989. The collection includes a stamp from SIO's Tasaday expedition dated 1973-1974.

The photographic negatives series includes images of instruments designed at MPL, but it also includes negatives of line drawings used in MPL reports, blueprints and other drawings of instruments, and other images documenting the work of MPL. Each negative is labeled with a negative number and date. MPL generally kept two negatives for each image.

The accession includes a card index to MPL images known as the "Marine Physical Laboratory Illustrations Master Record." Each index card lists a photographic negative number and any corresponding numbers for MPL drawings, photographic prints or slides. The index provides a caption/identification for the image, and the name of the MPL person who requested it. The index lists any uses of the image in presentations, or manuscripts, including the numbers of any reports that include the image.

The series of 35mm slides includes images of research vessels, graphs, and charts. The majority of the slides are labeled with a number that corresponds to information on the MPL Illustrations Master Record. Photographic prints are marked, "ADA Storage on Dock, 1981."

MPL discontinued the practice of maintaining a master photographic negative file in 1987.

SIO MARINE PHYSICAL LABORATORY

Photographs, 1950-1986

Accession Number 99-08

Box Contents

PHOTOGRAPHIC NEGATIVES SERIES

- 1 AK 151 AJ 82 (2/2/82-12/10/80)
- 2 AJ 81 AH 136 (12/10/80-2/5/80)
- 3 AH 135 AG 192 (2/5/80-2/16/79)
- 4 AG 191 AG 1 (2/16/79-7/20/78)
- 5 AF 265 AF 101 (6/27/78-10/14/77)
- 6 AF 100 AE 380 (10/14/77-1/14/77)
- 7 AE 379 AE 131 (1/14/77-9/15/76)
- 8 AE 130 AD 152 (9/15/76-12/15/75)
- 9 AD 151 AC 263 (12/12/75-4/8/75)
- 10 AC 261 AC 46 (4/8/75-7/30/74)
- 11 AC 44 AB 370 (7/25/74-2/21/74)
- 12 AB 369 AB 111 (2/21/74-10/15/73)

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PHOTOGRAPHIC NEGATIVES SERIES (cont.)

- 13 AB 110 AA 190 (10/15/73-3/12/73)
- 14 AA 189 K 368 (3/12/73-6/20/72)
- 15 K 367 K 163 (6/20/72-11/24/71)
- 16 K 162 J 256 (11/24/71-4/22/71)
- 17 J 255 J 59 (4/19/71-8/12/70)
- 18 J 58 I 116 (8/12/70-1/7/70)
- 19 I 115 H 270 (1/7/70-4/22/69)
- 20 H 269 H74 (4/22/69-10/15/68)
- 21 H 73 G 212 (10/12/68-3/29/68)
- 22 G 211 G 62 (3/29/68-9/14/67)
- 23 G 61 F 291 (9/8/67-4/7/67)
- 24 F 290 F 128 (4/7/67-10/26/66)
- 25 F 127 E 247 (10/26/66-3/31/66)
- 26 E 246 E 63 (3/31/66-9/21/65)

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PHOTOGRAPHIC NEGATIVES SERIES (cont.)

- 27 E 62 D 297 (9/21/65-2/16/65)
- 28 D 296 D 113 (2/16/65-9/30/64)
- 29 D 112 C 239 (9/30/64-4/8/64)
- 30 C 238 C 34 (4/8/64-7/24/63)
- 31 C 33 B 168 (7/23/63-1/23/63)
- 32 B 167 A 269 (1/23/63-5/17/62)
- 33 A 268 A 67 (5/11/62-11/2/61)
- 34 A 66 MPL P Series 50-1 (11/2/61-1950)
- 35 P 2044 N P 1002 N (7/30/86-7/29/82)
- 36 "MPL Negative Numbers File by Slide Number" and "Lieberman's Slide Negatives"
- 37 shoe box: Miscellaneous other negatives

LANTERN SLIDES SERIES

38 2 packets MPL Lantern Slides, n.d.

MISCELLANEOUS

38 MPL Commemorative Stamp, Tasaday Expedition, June 4, 1973-March 3, 1974

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PRINTS SERIES

39 MPL Color Prints, "ADA Storage on Dock, 1981"

SLIDES SERIES

- 40 51 1.56 2.295 2.380
- 41 2.381 2.460 thru 3.068 3.299
- 42 3.300 3.360 thru 4.413 4.472
- 43 4.473 4.556 thru P14305 15775
- 44 P15785 17035 thru May 1981 #29-#34
- 45 November 1975 T18 May 1981 #28 thru P11485/Misc

INDEX CARD SERIES

- 46 AF-264 thru H-18
- 47 G-208 thru K-267
- 48 K-266 thru AF-130
- 49 AF-102 thru K333
- 50 AF-165 thru AF-129
- 51 E179 slide packet