

Annex VI-3

Draft National Report on HAB in Korea

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1. INTRODUCTION

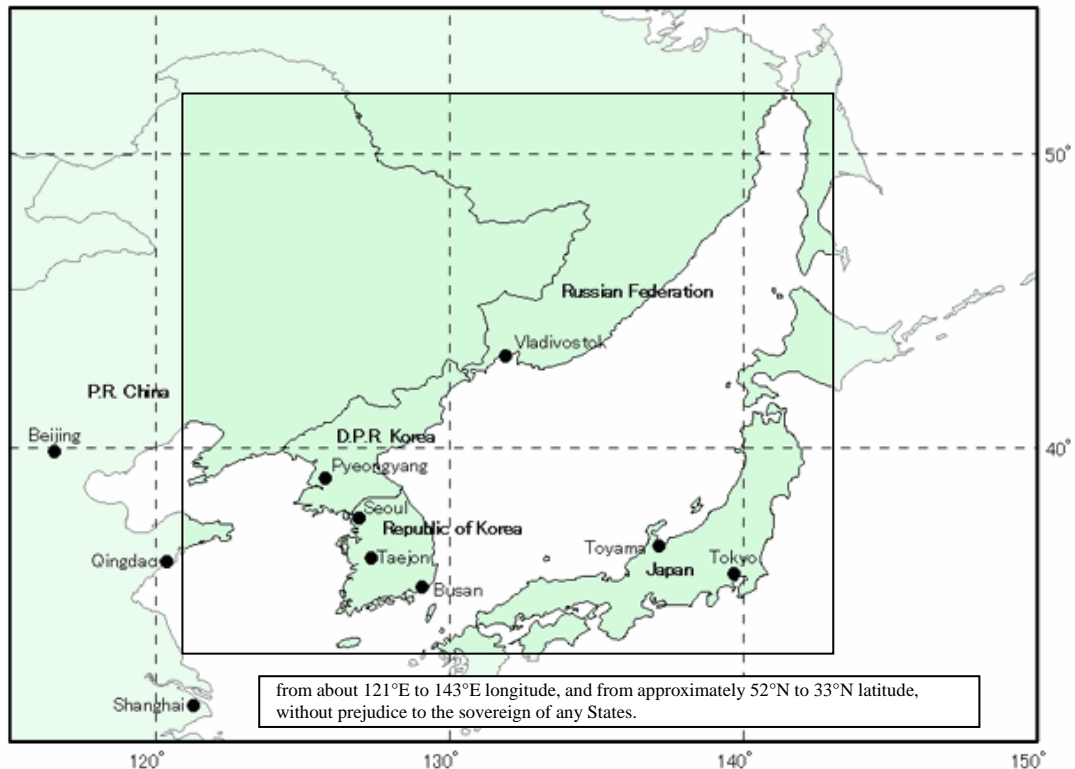
The geographic characteristic of Korea leads river to flow from the east to the west with runoffs discharging into the Yellow Sea and Korean strait. Moreover, the Korean waters are in shallow and semi-closed water system, in which mean water depth of Yellow Sea and the South Sea is 44 and 101m, respectively. Most of their continental shelf is stretched out to the whole seabed except the East Sea whose mean depth is 1,543m. Such vulnerability of coastal pollution without big water exchanges with offshore, demographic high occupancy of coastal area and voluminous wastewater runoffs make coastal waters eutrophic state of haunting red tides. Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) by toxic and non-toxic micro algae have gained increasing attention over last three decades in Korea. Because harmful and toxin-producing micro algae have caused serious impact on aquaculture industry through mass mortality of culturing finfish and/or shellfish, and on human health through finfish or shellfish poisoning in Korea.

HABs in this report encompass both harmful and harmless red tides, and toxin-producing micro algal blooms in accordance with the definition of HAB agreed by 1st WG3 meeting in Busan, October 2003.

It is needed to close coordination within WG members in the Region among other things to solve HABs problems in NOWPAP Region. In addition, it is essential to have a common platform to develop the research, mitigation measures and proper political proposals.

The present national report was compiled following the guidelines and format proposed in the WG3 Meeting held in Busan, October 2003. Considering the requirement of the guidelines, this was prepared using existing data and information mainly from National Fisheries and Development Institute (NFRDI) responsible for the HABs monitoring and mitigation.

Since information on HABs in Korean NOWPAP area has not been supplied sufficiently so far, the present report, therefore, can be used as the basis to develop the complete understandings on HABs in NOWPAP Region.



II. DATA AND INFORMATION USED

Data and publications issued by NFRDI and relevant organizations such as Fisheries Extension Service Center under Ministry of Maritime Affairs and Fisheries (MOMAF) and universities were utilized in this report.

1. Situation of HAB Occurrence

Both toxin-producing micro algae and non-toxic micro algae are responsible for red tide in Korea. Both of them are discussed in this report without separation. NFRDI have published the booklet “Situation of red tide in Korean coastal waters” annually or biannually since 1996. It describes red tide events, causative organisms, maximal cell density, locality with mapping, water temperature, etc for all the red tide occurred in Korean coastal waters. The data in the booklet is originated from the reports by either fisheries extension service centers or regional fisheries research institutes of NFRDI, responsible for the red tide monitoring program in Korea.

2. Monitoring

Monitoring activities were summarized based on the national monitoring program by NFRDI, fisheries extension service center and National Maritime police Agency in charge of the red tide monitoring. (See reference no.)

3. Progress of Researches and Studies to Cope with HABs

In order to investigate the progress of researches and studies to cope with HABs in Korea, research papers published by Korean scientists were collected and categorized along with the detail fields. Therein, the progress and future directions of researches and studies to cope with HABs were discussed.

4. Literature Including Newly Obtained Information

Information on HAB literatures was obtained from HAB Reference Database which has been constructed by CEARAC/WG3. Literatures including newly obtained information were collected through either e-library or direct contact with the authors and categorized along with the detail fields.

5. Training Activities to Cope with HABs

Information on the training activities to cope with HABs in Korea were collected from the curriculum of training department belonging to NFRDI. The subject on the management of coastal environment relevant with red tide and shellfish poisoning were discussed among the curriculum.

6. National Priority to Cope with HAB

“National plans for the sustainable marine environment and conservation for 5 years” and “National plans to countermeasure red tide problems in Korea” issued by MOMAF and NFRDI, respectively, were used to discuss the national priority to cope with HAB. (See reference no. and)

7. Suggested Activity for the NOWPAP Region

Interviews with researchers and scientists of the relevant field were conducted to collect their ideas on necessary efforts to promote the solution of HAB problems.

III. RESULTS

1. Situation of HAB Occurrence

1.1 Causative Species

A total of 304 red tide events caused by 31 species in Korean coastal area of NOWPAP Region from 1999 to 2003 (Table 1.1.1)

The principal taxonomic groups were dinoflagellates and diatoms (Table 1.1.1). The top five major red tide causative species from 1999 to 2003 were listed in

Table 1.2.2. *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* led to mass mortality of culturing finfish and shellfish, while *Prorocentrum minimum*, *Gymnodinium sanguineum*, *Heterosigma akashiwo*, *Prorocentrum micans* and *Skeletonema costatum* did not give rise to economic loss.

The representative harmful or toxic species in Korea, *Gymnodinium mikimotoi* and *Alexandrium tamarense* brought about red tide only a few events during 1999-2003 in Korean coastal waters.

Table 1.1.1 Number of red tide events during 1999-2003

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Dinoflagellate	58	55	38	45	38
Diatom	7	6	5	6	5
Mixed algae/ protozo	10	8	13	8	2

Table 1.2.2 Major micro algal species responsible for red tide events during 1999-2003

Species	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	20	9	10	15	20
<i>Prorocentrum minimum</i>	13	14	6	7	6
<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	10	4	-	5	-
<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	7	12	5	7	5
<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	9	5	9	8	4

Source : NFRDI annual/biannual report, “situation of red tide in Korean coastal waters”, 1999-2003

1.2 Cell Density

The highest cell number observed during 1999-2003 was 48,000 cells/ml by *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* in August 2003 in Namhaedo area. The usual number of maximum cell density in the red tide in Korean coastal waters remains at the level of several thousands cells/ml.

Table 1.2 Maximum cell density of red tide causative organisms during 1999-2003

Year	species	Max. cell density (cells/ml)	locality
1999	<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	43,000	Youngduk
2000	”	15,000	Tongyoung
2001	”	32,000	Geojedo
2002	”	30,000	Kyoungju
2003	”	48,000	Namhaedo

1.3 Location

Figure 1. (see appendicies) shows the area that experienced red tide events from 1999 to 2003 in Korean coastal waters. This reveals that the red tide events are more frequent in the southern part than in western or eastern part of Korea. The investigated area has suffered from 304 red tide events during 1999-2003. Most of the blooms were mainly observed in embayment and semi-enclosed area such as Jinhaeman, Buksinman, Ulsanman, etc except *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms.

Red tide, in general, begins to occur from February to March almost every year, and shows its peak from August to September during which harmful algae, *Cochlodinium polykrikoides*, makes its blooms. Red tide by dinoflagellates are much more frequent than by diatoms.

Figure 1. 2 shows the location map of *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms from 1999 to 2003. The blooms occurred mostly in the South Sea and/or East sea of NOWPAP Region, except year 1999 and 2000 in which there were blooms in the West Sea around Kunsan coastal area exceptionally.

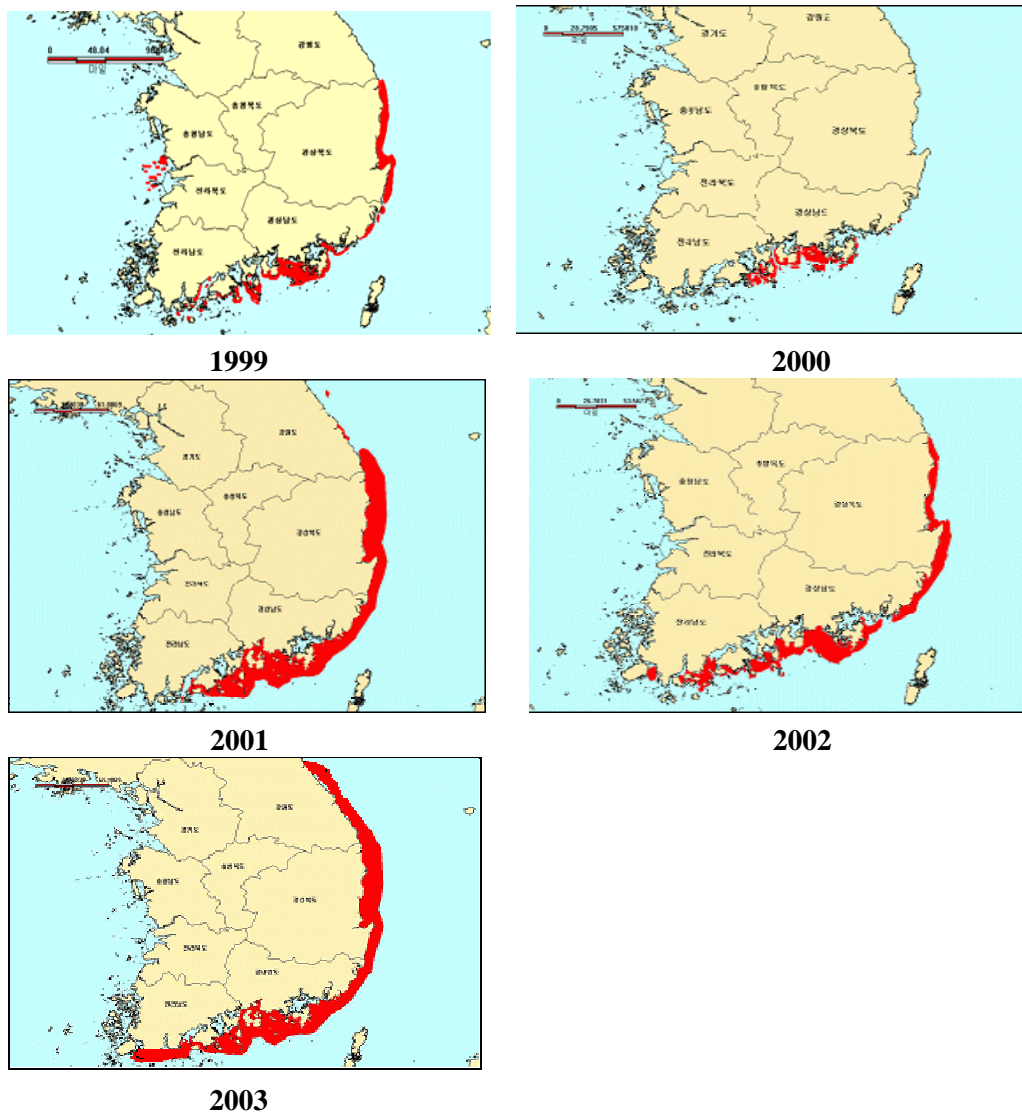


Figure 1. 2. Occurrence of red tide by harmful algae *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* in Korean NOWPAP area from 1999-2003. Red color represents the dimension of affected area by the species.

1.4 Approximate suffered Area

In general, the area that red tides spread varies extremely depending on oceanographic, meteorological, and biological conditions. The dimension of approximately suffered areas by red tides are in most case less than several kilometers except *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms which spread up to several hundred kilometers in the South and/or East Sea of Korea. The red tides that exceed the area of 100 km² rarely occur in the Korean coastal waters of NOWPAP Region.

Table 1.2. Number of red tide events depending on the approximate suffered area during 1999-2003

Year	Dimension of red tide suffered area			
	1 Km ²	1- 100 Km ²	>100 Km ²	Total
1999	43	13	20	76
2000	45	16	8	69
2001	35	12	9	56
2002	30	10	15	59
2003	17	8	20	45

1.5 Duration

(1) Duration of red tide events

The duration of red tide by dinoflagellates or diatoms except by *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* is mostly less than 10 days. However, the duration of red tide by *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* is much longer, ranging from 1-2 months 29 days shown in Table 1. 3.

Table 1. 3. The duration of red tide by *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* in Korean coastal waters from 1999 to 2003

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Days of duration	54	29	42	55	62

(2) Seasonal variation of red tide occurrence

The red tides by dinoflagellates and diatoms have been observed almost all the year round irrespective of the season recently. The highest peak season was high water temperature season from June to September. The majority of the events during the high water temperature season were attributed to the *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms.

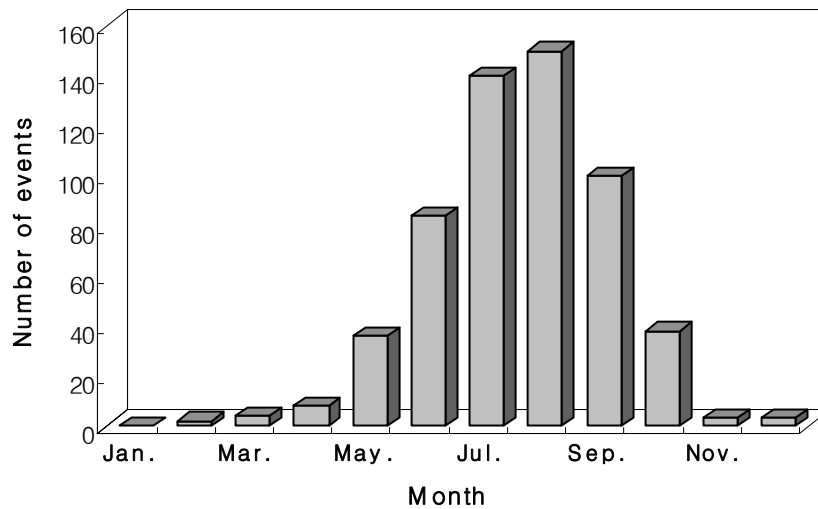


Figure 1. 3. Monthly variation of red tide events in Korean NOWPAP area since 1990.

1.6 Mitigation activity and effectiveness

Clay dispersion is the most popular way of removing the red tides in Korea. Red tide control by yellow clay composed of montmorillonite has been applied to the aquaculture farm since 1996 in order to minimize fisheries damages *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms. It was attributed to reduce the fisheries damage from 95 million US dollars in 1995 to several million dollars thereafter excluding year 2003. Impacts on the ecosystems, particularly on the benthos, by clay dispersion have been assessed. The impact on the aquatic animal was evaluated as negligible although further long term study is needed to be continued.

Special device, Electrolytic Clay Dispenser (ECD) that electrolyzed seawater and clay dispenser combined each other are under propagation in Korea. The device plays a great role in minimizing the clay quantity to be dispersed into the sea.

1.7 Damage

First fisheries damage by red tide occurred in 1981 by harmful algae, *Karenia mikimotoi*. Thereafter, *Cochlodinium polykrikoides* blooms brought about mass mortality of finfish and shellfish almost every year in Korean coastal area since 1993. Particularly, there was huge harmful algal blooms in 1995, resulting in about 95 millions dollar's fisheries damage (Table 1.4). However, the economic impact by the species decreased sharply since then

except year 2003 in which there was unusual bloom in the south-western part of Korean, resulting in mass mortality of abalone exceptionally.

Table 1. 4 Fishery damage by red tide in Korean coastal waters

Year	Species	Economic loss (million dollar)
1981	<i>Karenia mikimotoi</i>	1.7
1992	<i>Gyrodinium sp.</i>	5
1993	<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	7
1995	//	95
1996	//	1.8
1997	//	1.2
1998	//	0.1
1999	//	0.2
2000	//	0.2
2001	//	7
2002	//	4
2003	//	18.6

2. Monitoring

National Fisheries Research and Development Institute (NFRDI), Regional Maritime Affairs and Fisheries Office and National Maritime Police Agency (NMPA) under Ministry of Maritime Affairs and Fisheries (MOMAF) are responsible for red tide monitoring. Particularly, NFRDI fisheries extension service center are most responsible for the monitoring around coastal area, while NMPA is in charge of aerial observance by helicopter. Local government is responsible for the mitigation when red tide occurs rather than monitoring.

The regular monitoring stations and frequency are summarized in Figure 2.1. 77 stations and additional 92 stations over the Korean coastal waters are regularly monitored from February to November by NFRDI and fisheries extension service center, respectively. However, once harmful algal blooms initiate, all the relevant agencies including NMPA conduct their daily HAB monitoring. HAB suffered area, cell density of causative organisms, water color, water temperature, salinity are monitored in the survey. All the collected data from field survey and meteorology are sent to HAB Emergency center under NFRDI where daily HAB news letter published.

For the prevention from shellfish poisoning and to sustain safe supply of shellfish products such as oyster, mussel and clam, food sanitation team under NFRDI in collaboration with fisheries extension center conduct regular monitoring on the shellfish culture farm mainly located in the South Sea. More

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5. Training Activity to Cope with HAB

The following section describes the training activities conducted nationally and locally. It also describes international programs attended by Korean scientists.

A non-profit organization, Korean International Cooperation Agency (KOICA), has conducted some training courses every year on the aquaculture including red tides to develop the capacity of technicians from developing or under developed countries. KOICA is the only organization that has such a concrete training activity on nation-wide basis in Korea.

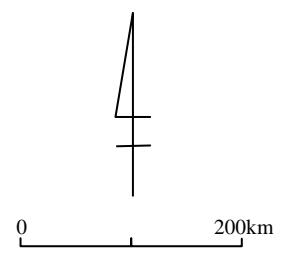
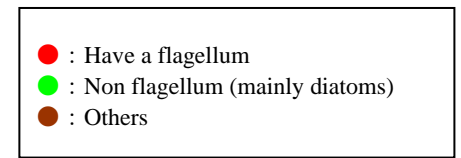
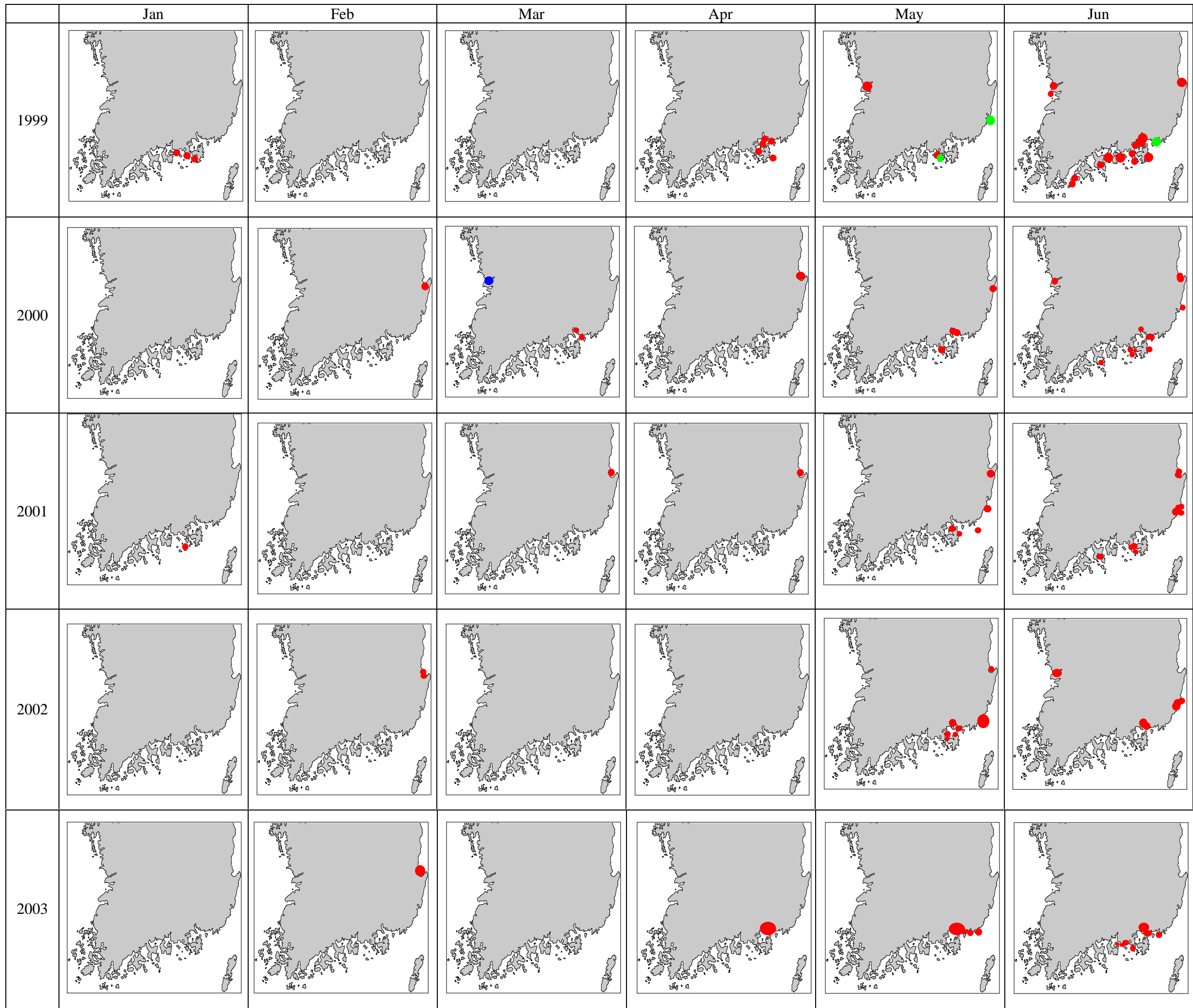
Training department under NFRDI has also carried out training courses to educate the fishermen and governmental official relevant with red tide. In addition, marine harmful organisms research team runs teaching programs including practice on the taxonomy of micro algae for the personnel engaged in HAB monitoring.

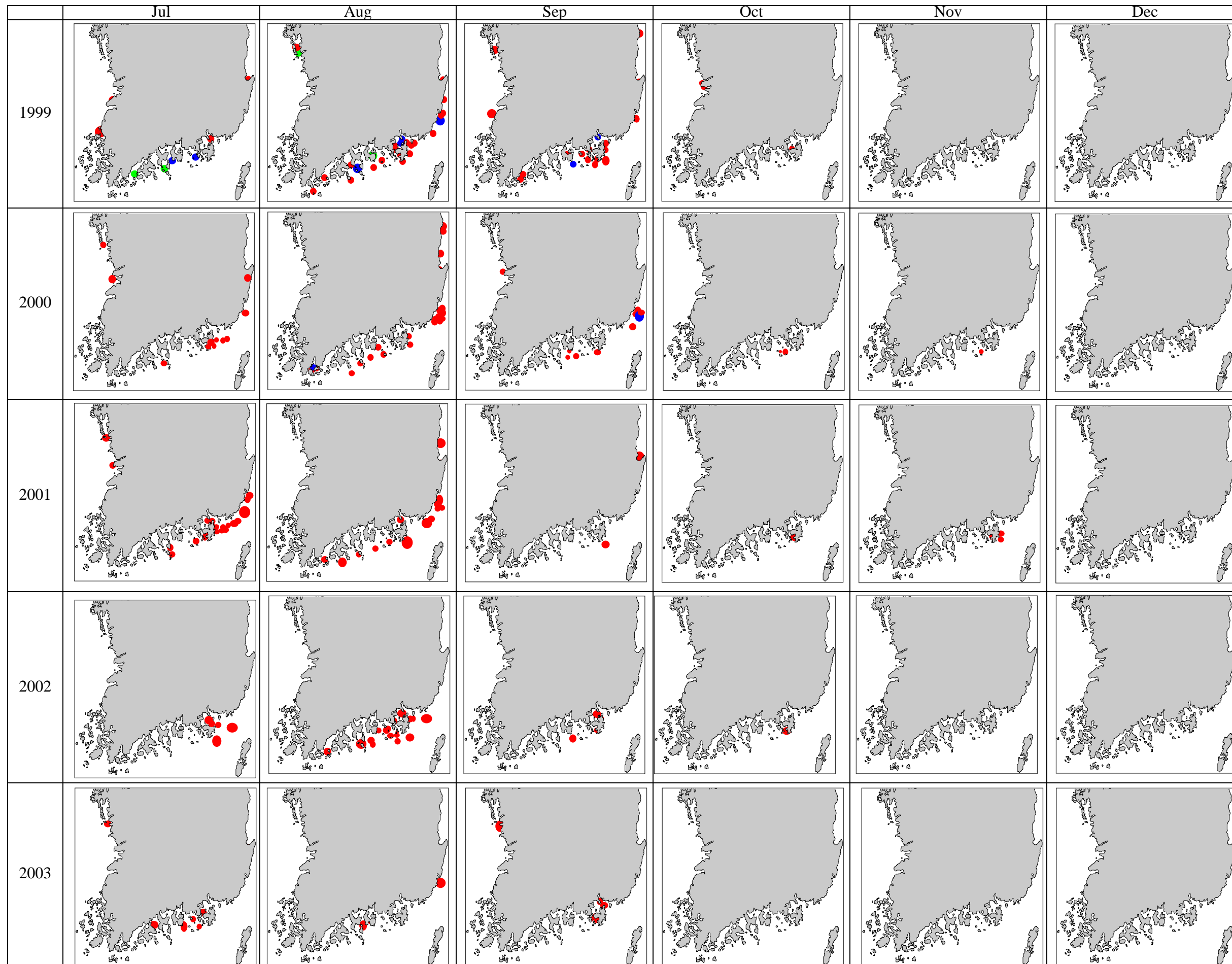
6. National Priority to Cope with HAB

This chapter introduces the activities to cope with HAB on a governmental level such as development of new technology on the early detection of harmful algae by molecular biology and new methodology for the minimization of fisheries impact.

7. Suggested Activity for the NOWPAP Region

This chapter suggests future action against the problem of *Cochlodinium*, in collaboration with other organization, and promotion of land based activities for NOWPAP region in near future. Because *Cochlodinium* causes not only give severe fisheries impact on aquacultures in Korea and Japan, but also might possibly suffer the NOWPAP countries in future along the regional current/tide. Hence, it is important for NOWPAP member to work together or exchange information with other international organization.





● : Have a flagellum
● : Non flagellum (mainly diatoms)
● : Others

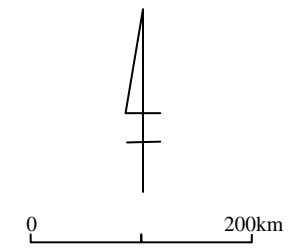


Figure 1. 1. Monthly occurrence of red tide in Korean NOWPAP area from 1999-2003.
(red circle, red tide by dinoflagellates; blue circle, red tide by diatom)

Event No.	Location (name of the sea area)		Duration dd/mm/yy-dd/mm/yy	Continuous days	Causative species		
	Location 1	Location 2					
1	Tongyoung buksinman		01-01-99 -		<i>Heterocapsa triquetra</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	CheckBox1
2	Sachun hangchondong		23-01-99 -		<i>Eutreptiella sp.</i>		
3	Tongyoung hansanman		28-01-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
4	Tongyoung kwangdomyoun		19-04-99 -		<i>Noctiluca sp.</i>		
5	Masanman sanho		23-04-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
6	Geoje ilunmyoun		26-04-99 -		<i>Noctiluca sp.</i>		
7	Masan nampo		26-04-99 -		<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>		
8	Jinhaeman haengam		28-04-99 -		<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>		
9	Gusan naehang		01-05-99 -		<i>Mesodinium rubrum</i>		
10	Jinhaeman haengam		06-05-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
11	Ulsan		13-05-99 -		<i>Rhizosolenia sp.</i>		
12	Tongyoung, bubsongman, buksin		15-05-99 -		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	Proro.minimum	<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>
13	Masanman		24-05-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
14	Tongyoung womoonman		24-05-99 -		<i>Mesodinium rubrum</i>		
15	Tongyoung buksinman		28-05-99 -		<i>Leptocylindrus danicus</i>	<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	
16	kusan		02-06-99 -		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
17	masanman	haengamman	04-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	
18	Namhaegun		08-06-99 -		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
19	Yeosu gamakmang		09-06-99 -		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
20	Pohang youngilman		18-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>	<i>Heterosigma sp.</i>
21	Tongyoung kwangdomyoun		18-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
22	Geoje		19-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>	
23	Tongyoung buksinman		21-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum triestinum</i>		
24	Namhae kangjinman		21-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
25	Pusan kadukdo		28-06-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Coscinodiscus gigas</i>	<i>Thalassiosira decipiens</i>
26	Wando		28-06-99 -		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
27	kusan		29-06-99 -		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Heterocapsa triquetra</i>	
28	Pohang youngilman		01-07-99 -		<i>Proro.triquetra</i>	<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>
29	Junnam young		06-07-99 -		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
30	Tongyoung buksinman		06-07-99 -		<i>Leptocylindrus danicus</i>		
31	Yeosu	dolsan	06-07-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	<i>Thalassiosira sp.</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>
32	Namhaedo kangjinman		07-07-99 -		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>
33	Junnam		08-07-99 -		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Coscinodiscus gigas</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>
34	Pohang youngilman		21-07-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum triestinum</i>	<i>Prorocentrum micans</i>	<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>
35	Buankun widomyoun		22-07-99 -		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
36	Jinhaeman	Masan	22-07-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum dentatum</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>	
37	Gosung		07-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
38	Asanman		08-08-99 -		<i>Mesodinium rubrum</i>		
39	Namhaekun	hadongkun	10-08-99 -		<i>Heterosigma sp.</i>	<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	
40	Yeosu	Kamakman	10-08-99 -		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	<i>Nitzschia sp</i>
41	Ulsan		11-08-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Rhizosolenia sp.</i>
42	Chunsuman		11-08-99 -		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Thalassiosira decipiens</i>	<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>
43	Masan, sanho, dukdong		11-08-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	<i>Rhizosolenia fragilissima</i>	<i>Microcystis viridis</i>
44	Goheung naroda		11-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
45	Yeosu hwajungmyoun		11-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
46	Pohang youngilman		13-08-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Heterosigma sp.</i>	<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>
47	Namhaekun sangju		14-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
48	Tongyoung		14-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
49	geoje		16-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
50	Ulsan		17-08-99 -		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Thalassiosira sp.</i>
51	Masan	Jinhaeman	17-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	<i>Ceratium sp.</i>	
52	Geoje		18-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	<i>Ceratium sp.</i>	
53	Masanman		19-08-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
54	Jinhaeman		19-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
55	Geoje		21-08-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium mikimotoi</i>		
56	Gosung		21-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
57	Wando		24-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
58	Geoje		25-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
59	Janghueng		25-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
60	Pusan		28-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
61	Ulsan		29-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
62	Kyoungju		29-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
63	Pohang youngilman		31-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
64	Jinhaeman		31-08-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
65	Pohang		02-09-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
66	Janghueng		06-09-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>	
67	Namhae		06-09-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	
68	Geoje		13-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	
69	Gokun		14-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
70	Womunman		15-09-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum triestinum</i>		
71	Gosung		15-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	<i>Gymnodinium fissum</i>	
72	Kadukdo		15-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
73	Junnam		15-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
74	Masanman		15-09-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
75	Geoje		15-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>	
76	Geoje		15-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium mikimotoi</i>		
77	Ulsan		10-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sp.</i>		
78	Tongyoung		25-09-99 -		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
79	Jinhaeman		27-09-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
80	Namhae		28-09-99 -		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
81	Gosungkun		02-10-99 -		<i>Prorocentrum minimum</i>		
82	Junbuk		12-10-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
83	Chungnam		21-10-99 -		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
84	Pohang		17-02-00		<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>		
85	kusan		02-03-00		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
86	Jinhaeman		20-03-00		<i>Heterocapsa triquetra</i>		
87	Pohang		01-04-00		<i>Chromonas marina</i>		
88	kusan		01-05-00		<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>	<i>Mesodinium rubrum</i>	
89	Masanman		02-05-00		<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica</i>	<i>Pseudonitzschia pungens</i>	<i>Eutreptiella gymnastica(5,4)</i>
90	Masanman		17-05-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Heterocapsa sp.</i>	
91	Masanman		23-05-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
92	Kyoungju		25-05-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
93	Tongyoung		29-05-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Prorocentrum micans</i>	
94	Jinhaeman		02-06-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>	
95	Onsanman	JangsangPohang	07-06-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	
96	Masanman	Hangamman	14-06-00		<i>Heterosigma</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>	<i>Proro. Micans</i>
97	Buksinman		15-06-00		<i>Heterosigma</i>		

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	Location 1	Location 2					
98	Bubsongman		16-06-00		<i>Proro. Micans</i>		
99	Pohang		19-06-00		<i>Proro. Minimum</i>	<i>Proro. Micans</i>	
100	kunsan		21-06-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
101	Yeosu		24-06-00		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
102	Tongyoung		27-06-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
103	Pohang		30-06-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
104	Geojeodo		01-07-00		<i>Proro. Minimum</i>		
105	Chungbuk		03-07-00		<i>Ceratium sp.</i>	<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>	
106	Kamakman		03-07-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Ceratium sp.</i>	
107	Geojeodo		04-07-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
108	Chunsuman		04-07-00		<i>Proro. Micans</i>	<i>Ceratium sp.</i>	
109	Jinhaeman		05-07-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
110	Pusan		06-07-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	<i>Proro. Micans</i>	
111	Ulsan		10-07-00		<i>Prorocentrum triestinum</i>		
112	Geojeodo		14-07-00		<i>Gymnodinium sanguineum</i>		
113	Jinjunman		14-07-00		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
114	Yeosu		18-07-00		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	
115	Tongyoung		18-07-00		<i>Rhizosolenia sp.</i>		
116	Masan		18-07-00		<i>Proro. dentatum</i>		
117	kunsan		19-07-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
118	Inchun		20-07-00		<i>Mesodinium rubrum</i>		
119	Geojeodo		20-07-00		<i>Proro. Minimum</i>		
120	Junnam		20-07-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
121	kadukdo		27-07-00		<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>		
122	Ulsan		28-07-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
123	Masanman		29-07-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
124	Geojeodo		02-08-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
125	Jinhaeman		07-08-00		<i>Rhizosolenia sp.</i>		
126	Haengamman		08-08-00		<i>Proro. Sp. Thala.decipiens</i>		
127	Ulsan		08-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
128	Pohang		08-08-00		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
129	Kyoubuk		08-08-00		<i>Noctiluca scintillans</i>		
130	Onsanman		11-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>	<i>Heterosigma akashiwo</i>	
131	JangsangPohang		14-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum sp.</i>		
132	Pohang		17-08-00		<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>		
133	Kyoubungju		21-08-00		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
134	Ulsan		21-08-00		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
135	Ulsan		22-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum triestinum</i>		
136	Junnam		22-08-00		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Coscinodiscus gigas</i>	
137	Junnam		22-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum minimum</i>		
138	Junnam		22-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum minimum</i>		
139	Ulsan		24-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum minimum</i>		
140	Onsanman		24-08-00		<i>Thalassiosira decipiens</i>		
141	Kyoubungbuk		25-08-00		<i>Ceratium furca</i>		
142	Onsanman		28-08-00		<i>Thalassiosira rotula</i>		
143	Pohang		28-08-00		<i>Chaetoceros sp.</i>	<i>Skeletonema costatum</i>	<i>Ceratium furca</i>
144	Ulsan		28-08-00		<i>Pyrocystis sp.</i>		
145	Ulsan		29-08-00		<i>Prorocentrum dentatum</i>	<i>Thalassiosira rotula</i>	
146	Yeosu		22-08-00		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
147	Kyoubungnam		22-08-00		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
148	Kyoubungnam		23-08-00		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
149	Junnam		23-08-00		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		
150	Tongyoung		24-08-00		<i>Cochlodinium polykrikoides</i>		

