

# **USER'S NOTES FOR THE GIS FOR THE ST. CLAIR RIVER AOC**

A COMPONENT OF THE APPLICATION OF COMPUTER MODELING AND  
BIOMONITORING TOOLS TO ASSIST IN DECISION MAKING FOR  
THE ST. CLAIR RIVER AREA OF CONCERN

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## INTRODUCTION

The GIS files on the attached CD-ROM are in MapInfo format. Although several other applications were used to create these outputs, only native MapInfo files are needed by the user. To manipulate the files, MapInfo Professional version 3.5 or higher is required. It is, however, possible to use less expensive MapInfo Desktop for limited viewing and analysis of the data. MapInfo files are also compatible with any custom application created with MapInfo MapX OCX, MapInfo Runtime routines as well as MapInfo ProServer network server application. For more information please contact MapInfo Corporation at [www.mapinfo.com](http://www.mapinfo.com). The files can be translated to other GIS formats such as ArcView or ArcInfo with appropriate translators.

## COMPONENTS

Each MapInfo table consists of several linked files. One needs to be concerned only with files with .TAB extension for they contain all the necessary references and links to other files. Files with .TAB extension are referred to as *tables*.

The table names consists of three parts separated by underscore:

- 1) The first part describes the category of data. There are 4 categories:
  - **3D** - 3D model outputs, inputs and derivatives
  - **IPX** - IPX model outputs, inputs and derivatives
  - **MEASURED** - cores, interpolations, Roxann survey, sediment score, etc.
  - **MISC** - air photos, satellite-derived imagery, shorelines, outfalls etc.
- 2) The second part of the table name describes the content of the file
- 3) The third part is based on types of objects that the file consists of. The possible objects include, but are not limited to: POINT, REGION, LINE, CONTOUR, LEGEND, VECTOR and BITMAP.

For example: table named 3D\_BATHYMETRY\_CONTOURS.TAB is in 3D model category, describes bathymetry of the river and shows it as interpolated contours i.e. covers the river with regions of specified depth limits.

A set of related tables can be combined and saved as a WORKSPACE. The following workspaces are included on the CD-ROM for convenience. Other workspaces can be created by the user as required. The following eight workspaces can be used as a quick overview of the entire project.

SLIDE01.WOR	Satelite imagery, air photo, shoreline
SLIDE02.WOR	Total Sediment Quality Score (TSQS), AOC #1 boundary, sediment quality regions (IDW)
SLIDE03.WOR	Roxann corrections to TSQS
SLIDE04.WOR	Sediement thickness, volumes, HCB distribution, mass (with and without Roxann corrections)
SLIDE05.WOR	GLIER biomonitoring stations, HCB in clams and water
SLIDE06.WOR	Models spatial extent comparison

SLIDE07.WOR 3D model output example  
SLIDE08.WOR Synthetic IPX output example

Other workspaces include:

OVERVIEW\_BASEMAPS.WOR  
3DMODEL\_BATHYMETRY.WOR  
3DMODEL\_COLEDRAIN.WOR  
3DMODEL\_SHEAR.WOR  
IPX\_LONG-AND-SHORT\_A1999THEME.WOR  
MEASURED\_CORES\_CONTOURS.WOR  
MEASURED\_HCB\_DEPTHAVERAGE.WOR  
MEASURED\_HCB-AND-SEDTHICKNESS.WOR  
MEASURED\_HCB-MASS-VOLUME.WOR  
MEASURED\_ROXANN-CORRECTED\_SEDIMENT.WOR

Note: It is usually a good idea to close all the tables (FILE>CLOSE ALL) before opening a new workspace.

Each MapInfo table may consists of several objects (records) and fields (columns). The following is a short description of main GIS components included on the CD-ROM. The data are described under three (3) heading levels. Heading level one describes the category; heading level two describes the table (file); headings number three consists of the columns (fields) names within each table. Comments and usage notes are included under headings as appropriate.

# 1. CATEGORY: 3D

## 1.1 TABLE: 3D\_ALL-OUTPUTS\_POINTS

All original inputs and outputs of University of Windsor 3D hydrodynamic model. The data pertain to the centroids of model's cells. The model consists of 1,958 cells (boundary half-cells are excluded).

- 1.1.1 **ROWIDX**  
Internal table index
- 1.1.2 **CELL\_ID**  
Scalar index - unique for each cell
- 1.1.3 **I**  
Transect index
- 1.1.4 **J**  
Cell index within a transect
- 1.1.5 **LAT\_N\_DEG**  
Latitude in decimal degrees
- 1.1.6 **LONG\_W\_DEG**  
Longitude in decimal degrees
- 1.1.7 **UTM\_ZONE\_NAD83**  
UTM zone
- 1.1.8 **UTM\_EASTING\_M**  
UTM-NAD83 easting in meters
- 1.1.9 **UTM\_NORTHING\_M**  
UTM-NAD83 northing in meters
- 1.1.10 **BED\_ELEVATION\_M**  
River bed elevation in meters with respect to the International Great Lakes Datum
- 1.1.11 **DEPTH\_M**  
Depth in meters with respect to the low water datum
- 1.1.12 **POROSITY\_0\_5**  
Porosity of sediments 0 to 5 cm
- 1.1.13 **POROSITY\_5\_25**  
Porosity of sediments 5 to 25 cm
- 1.1.14 **DENSITY\_0\_5**  
Density of sediments 0 to 5 cm
- 1.1.15 **DENSITY\_5\_25**  
Density of sediments 5 to 25 cm
- 1.1.16 **PERCENT\_FINES\_0\_5**  
Percent fines (<63  $\mu\text{m}$ ), 0 to 5 cm
- 1.1.17 **PERCENT\_FINES\_5\_25**  
Percent fines (<63  $\mu\text{m}$ ), 5 to 25 cm
- 1.1.18 **SHEAR\_Q10**  
Shear stress at river bed in  $\text{N/m}^2$  at lower decile flow (4750  $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )
- 1.1.19 **SHEAR\_Q50**  
Shear stress at river bed in  $\text{N/m}^2$  at median flow (5520  $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )
- 1.1.20 **SHEAR\_Q90**  
Shear stress at river bed in  $\text{N/m}^2$  at upper decile flow (6240  $\text{m}^3/\text{s}$ )
- 1.1.21 **RMAX\_Q10**  
Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at lower decile flow if sediments are unconsolidated
- 1.1.22 **RMIN\_Q10**

- Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at lower decile flow if sediments are consolidated or armored
- 1.1.23 **RMAX\_Q50**  
Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at median flow if sediments are unconsolidated
- 1.1.24 **RMIN\_Q50**  
Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at median flow if sediments are consolidated or armored
- 1.1.25 **RMAX\_Q90**  
Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at upper decile flow if sediments are unconsolidated
- 1.1.26 **RMIN\_Q90**  
Potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at lower decile flow if sediments are consolidated or armored
- 1.1.27 **V\_Q10\_M\_S**  
Magnitude of surface velocity vector at lower decile flow in m/s
- 1.1.28 **V\_Q10\_DEG**  
Azimuth of surface velocity vector at lower decile flow in decimal degrees
- 1.1.29 **V\_Q50\_M\_S**  
Magnitude of surface velocity vector at median flow in m/s
- 1.1.30 **V\_Q50\_DEG**  
Azimuth of surface velocity vector at median flow in decimal degrees
- 1.1.31 **V\_Q90\_M\_S**  
Magnitude of surface velocity vector at upper decile flow in m/s
- 1.1.32 **V\_Q90\_DEG**  
Azimuth of surface velocity vector at upper decile flow in decimal degrees
- 1.1.33 **HCB\_CD2ONLY\_PPB**  
Depth average HCB concentration in water; contours in ppb due to 2g/d load from Cole Drain
- 1.1.34 **HCB\_CD2ONLY\_PLUSMDL\_PPB**  
Depth average HCB concentration in water; contours in ppb due to 2g/d load from Cole Drain plus assumed background concentration of 0.00004 ppb
- 1.1.35 **HCB\_CDNLY\_UNITLOAD\_PPB**  
Depth average HCB concentration in water contours in ppb due to "unit load" (1g/d) from Cole Drain (no background)

## 1.2 TABLE: 3D\_BATHYMETRY\_CONTOURS

Interpolated (contoured every 1m) depth from 3D model cells. Depths are in meters and are measured relative to low water datum.

- 1.2.1 **DEPTH\_LOWER\_M**  
Lower bound for a contour in meters
- 1.2.2 **DEPTH\_UPPER\_M**  
Upper bound for a contour in meters
- 1.2.3 **DEPTH\_AVERAGE\_M**  
Average water depth for a contour

## 1.3 TABLE: 3D\_BATHYMETRY\_LEGEND

Legend for the table above. It has to be opened in a separate mapper window.

## 1.4 TABLE: 3D\_COLE-DRAIN\_CONTOURS

Depth averaged water concentration of HCB due to Cole Drain load only. Assumed background concentration at lower Lake Huron (also MDL) is

0.00004ppb. Provincial Water Quality Objective is 0.0065ppb. RAP yardstick is 0.001ppb. RAP desired yardstick is 0.0001ppb.

- 1.4.1 **HCB\_CD2\_LOWER\_PPB**  
Lower bound for a contour due to 2g/d load from Cole Drain in ppb. Includes background.
- 1.4.2 **HCB\_CD2\_UPPER\_PPB**  
Upper bound for a contour due to 2g/d load from Cole Drain in ppb. Includes background.
- 1.4.3 **HCB\_CD2\_AVG\_PPB**  
The average concentration for a contour due to 2g/d load from Cole Drain in ppb. Includes background.
- 1.4.4 **HCB\_CD\_UNITLOAD\_PPB**  
HCB concentration for a contour due to unit load from Cole Drain (1g/d). No background included.
- 1.4.5 **HCB\_CD\_UNITLOAD\_PLUSMDL\_PPB**  
HCB concentration for a contour due to unit load from Cole Drain (1g/d). With background of 0.00004ppb superimposed.

### **1.5 TABLE: 3D\_COLE-DRAIN\_LEGEND**

Legend for the table above. It has to be opened in a separate mapper window.

### **1.6 TABLE: 3D\_SHEAR-Q50\_CONTOURS**

Interpolated shear stress at the bottom and corresponding potential sediment flux for consolidated ( $\tau_{cr}=0.6\text{N/m}^2$ ) and unconsolidated ( $\tau_{cr}=0.12\text{N/m}^2$ ) sediments. Median flow (Q50) only. (Q10=4,750m<sup>3</sup>/s, Q50=5,520m<sup>3</sup>/s, Q90=6,240m<sup>3</sup>/s).

- 1.6.1 **SHEAR\_STRESS\_LOWER\_N\_M2**  
Lower bound of the river bed shear stress for a contour at Q50 in N/m<sup>2</sup>.
- 1.6.2 **SHEAR\_STRESS\_UPPER\_N\_M2**  
Upper bound of the river bed shear stress for a contour at Q50 in N/m<sup>2</sup>. No navigation effect.
- 1.6.3 **SHEAR\_STRESS\_AVG\_N\_M2**  
Average river bed shear stress for a contour at Q50 in N/m<sup>2</sup>. No navigation effect.
- 1.6.4 **RMAX\_AVG\_G\_M2\_S**  
Average potential sediment flux for a contour in g/m<sup>2</sup>/s at median flow if sediments are unconsolidated. No navigation effect.
- 1.6.5 **RMIN\_AVG\_G\_M2\_S**  
Average potential sediment flux in g/m<sup>2</sup>/s at median flow if sediments are consolidated or armored. No navigation effect.
- 1.6.6 **AREA\_M2**  
Area of each contour region in m<sup>2</sup>.
- 1.6.7 **SHEAR\_STRESS\_LOWER\_SHIPS\_N\_M2**  
Lower bound of the river bed shear stress for a contour at Q50 in N/m<sup>2</sup>. Increased due to ship traffic.
- 1.6.8 **SHEAR\_STRESS\_UPPER\_SHIPS\_N\_M2**  
Upper bound of the river bed shear stress for a contour at Q50 in N/m<sup>2</sup>. Increased due to ship traffic.
- 1.6.9 **RMAX\_AVG\_G\_M2\_S**  
Average potential sediment flux for a contour in g/m<sup>2</sup>/s at median flow if sediments are unconsolidated. Navigation effects included.
- 1.6.10 **RMIN\_AVG\_G\_M2\_S**

Average potential sediment flux in  $\text{g/m}^2/\text{s}$  at median flow if sediments are consolidated or armored. Navigation effects included.

**1.7 TABLE: 3D\_SHEAR-Q50\_LEGEND**

Legend for the table above. It has to be opened in a separate mapper window.

**1.8 TABLE: 3D\_VELOCITY-SURF-Q50\_VECTOR**

Surface velocity for median flow in form of vectors for the centroid of each cell of 3-D model

**1.8.1 AZIMUTH\_Q50\_DEG**

Azimuth in decimal degrees; clockwise from true north.

**1.8.2 MAGNITUDE\_Q50\_M\_S**

Magnitude of the velocity vector in m/s.

## 2. CATEGORY: IPX-MODEL

### 2.1 TABLE: IPX\_ALL-OUTPUTS\_REGIONS

All outputs attached to the IPX segments. Four vertical layers (three sediment layers, one water column). The long model consists of 363 cells and covers the entire river. The short model consists of 163 cells and covers the section of the river from Lake Huron to about 3.5 km past Stag Island.

The original outputs were coded according to the following key: Each output (record in the table) consist of five parts separated by a hyphen:

XX-XXX-XXX-XXXX-X

The five parts signify the following:

1. MEDIUM (WC=water column, S1=top sediment, S2=deep sediment, S3=deepest sediment)
2. TIME (T00=now, T05=5 years from now, T10=10 years from now)
3. ACTION (NOA=all sediments available including "400ppm cell", MIN=two worst cells blanked off, MAX=six cells blanked off)
4. COLE DRAIN LOAD (CD00=no load, CD02=2g/day, CD20=20g/day)
5. SHIPS (S=with ships, N=no ships)

The following datasets are all original IPX outputs and pertain to the "short" model except for two records (WC-T00-NOA-CD02-S and WC-T10-NOA-CD02-S) that cover the entire "long" model. The records in the table are listed below.

WC-T00-NOA-CD02-S	S1-T00-NOA-CD02-S
S2-T00-NOA-CD02-S	S3-T00-NOA-CD02-S
WC-T00-NOA-CD00-S	S1-T00-NOA-CD00-S
S2-T00-NOA-CD00-S	S3-T00-NOA-CD00-S
WC-T00-NOA-CD20-S	S1-T00-NOA-CD20-S
S2-T00-NOA-CD20-S	S3-T00-NOA-CD20-S
WC-T00-NOA-CD02-N	S1-T00-NOA-CD02-N
S2-T00-NOA-CD02-N	S3-T00-NOA-CD02-N
WC-T00-MIN-CD02-S	S1-T00-MIN-CD02-S
S2-T00-MIN-CD02-S	S3-T00-MIN-CD02-S
WC-T00-MAX-CD02-S	S1-T00-MAX-CD02-S
S2-T00-MAX-CD02-S	S3-T00-MAX-CD02-S
WC-T05-NOA-CD02-S	S1-T05-NOA-CD02-S
S2-T05-NOA-CD02-S	S3-T05-NOA-CD02-S
WC-T05-MIN-CD02-S	S1-T05-MIN-CD02-S
S2-T05-MIN-CD02-S	S3-T05-MIN-CD02-S
WC-T05-MAX-CD02-S	S1-T05-MAX-CD02-S
S2-T05-MAX-CD02-S	S3-T05-MAX-CD02-S
WC-T10-NOA-CD02-S	S1-T10-NOA-CD02-S
S2-T10-NOA-CD02-S	S3-T10-NOA-CD02-S
WC-T10-MIN-CD02-S	S1-T10-MIN-CD02-S
S2-T10-MIN-CD02-S	S3-T10-MIN-CD02-S
WC-T10-MAX-CD02-S	S1-T10-MAX-CD02-S
S2-T10-MAX-CD02-S	S3-T10-MAX-CD02-S

## 2.2 TABLE: IPX\_SYNTHETIC\_REGIONS

It has been suggested that the original IPX model outputs overestimated the importance of ship traffic as well as the concentration of HCB in the most contaminated sediment segment (underestimating contributions from the Cole Drain at the same time). The model was also too complex to allow for evaluation of other, user defined scenarios in real time. In addition, the coverage of the short model (which is the coverage of most of the original scenarios) is too limited to make predictions for water quality as it enters the delta. The model has been therefore disassembled into parameters that can be recombined along with corrected source terms to refine scenarios as well as to produce new ones at user's convenience. All synthetic outputs have the coverage of the "long" model.

The model relies on superposition of concentrations due to three sources: the most contaminated cell ( $c_{400}^i$ ), all other distributed sediments ( $c_{REST}^i$ ) and Cole Drain ( $c_{CD}^i$ ). Each cell of the LONG IPX model (363 cells) has a unique and different set of five "k" controlling parameters attached to it. The superscript  $i=1,2,\dots,363$  signifies the cell location.

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_{all}^i = & \underbrace{\left[ \frac{1}{k_{noships}^i + \frac{L_{\% ships}}{100} \cdot (1 - k_{noships}^i)} \right]}_{c_{400}^i} \cdot \left[ k_{400unit}^i \cdot L_{400} (1 - 0.0285 \cdot t) \right] + \\
 & + \underbrace{\left[ \frac{1}{k_{noships}^i + \frac{L_{\% ships}}{100} \cdot (1 - k_{noships}^i)} \right]}_{c_{REST}^i} \cdot \left[ k_{rest0}^i - \left( \frac{k_{rest0}^i - k_{rest10}^i}{\ln(11)} \right) \cdot \ln(t + 1) \right] + \\
 & + \underbrace{\left[ k_{CDunit}^i \cdot L_{CD} \right]}_{c_{CD}^i}
 \end{aligned}$$

Note: This equation is saved in ASCII form as `IPX_EQUATION.TXT` and can be pasted to GIS EXPRESSION dialog box to produce desired outputs.

Please note that all "k" parameters are NOT user adjustable and are functions of the locations of model segments. The "k" parameters can be described as follows:

- $k_{noships}$  is a reduction factor due to no navigation.
- $k_{400unit}$  is a factor describing contribution of the most contaminated cell ("400 cell") to each water cell concentration due to unit (1ppm) concentration in top sediments in the "400 cell" location at time zero.
- $k_{rest0}$  is a concentration factor due to all sediments other than "400 cell" at time 0

$k_{rest10}$  is a concentration factor due to all sediments other than “400 cell” at time 10 years later.

$k_{CDunit}$  is a factor for each WC cell “i” due to Cole Drain unit load (1g/day)

The model consists of four (4) user adjustable parameters which can be modified by the user to produce scenarios other than those already considered. The user adjustable parameters are:

$L_{\%ships}$  is the percent of shipping in %. (100% corresponds to 12 ships per day, 80s passage time and constant traffic at all seasons).

$L_{CD}$  is the actual load from Cole Drain in g/day.

$L_{400}$  is the actual concentration in the most contaminated cell in ppm; my best estimate is about 50ppm.

$t$  is time in years (limit: 0-10 years).

The output from the model ( $c_{all}^i$ ) is in ppb in water column.

The following scenarios are already included in the table as records. Scenarios assume the potential remediation occurring in the year 1999.

**2.2.1 A-1999**

No Action.

**2.2.2 A-2010**

No Action, 10 years later.

**2.2.3 B-1999**

Virtual elimination of Cole Drain loads.

**2.2.4 B-2010**

Virtual elimination of Cole Drain loads, 10 years later.

**2.2.5 C-1999**

Removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1.

**2.2.6 C-2010**

Removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1, 10 years later.

**2.2.7 D-1999**

Removal by environmental dredging the entire AOC No. 1.

**2.2.8 D-2010**

Removal by environmental dredging the entire AOC No. 1, 10 years later.

**2.2.9 E-1999**

Removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1 and virtual elimination of Cole Drain loads.

**2.2.10 E-2010**

Removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1 and virtual elimination of Cole Drain loads, 10 years later.

**2.2.11 F-1999**

No action with no ship traffic.

**2.2.12 F-2010**

No action with no ship traffic, 10 years later.

**2.2.13 G-1999**

Reduction of Cole Drain by 50%.

**2.2.14 G-2010**

Reduction of Cole Drain by 50 %, 10 years later.

**2.2.15 H-1999**

Reduction of Cole Drain by 50% and removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1.

**2.2.16 H-2010**

Reduction of Cole Drain by 50% and removal by environmental dredging the RED area of AOC No. 1, 10 years later

Other fields of importance in this table include:

**2.2.17 PIPE**

IPX model transects are 4 to 5 segments wide across the river. They were divided into 5 “pipes” depending on their proximity to Canadian or US shoreline.

**2.2.18 DISTANCE\_FROM\_LHURON\_KM**

This is the straight line distance from the centroid of the upstream-most cell of the model (first NW cell at US shore) to the centroid of each cell of the model. It roughly represents the location of each cell of the model in downstream direction along the river.

**2.2.19 IF\_SHORT\_1**

This is a variable that can be used in a conditional statement to differentiate between “short” and “long” versions of IPX model. Cells of short model are assigned a value of 1, long model cells have value of zero.

### **3. CATEGORY: MEASURED**

“Measured” is a loosely coined term. Files included in this category do not necessarily have to be field collected. They can also be derived or interpolated such as Sediment Quality Score.

#### **3.1 TABLE: MEASURED\_ALL-CHEMICALS-TOP\_POINT**

This is the table used in BEAK report. It consists of all chemical and physical parameters for top 5 cm of sediment. Includes LELs and SELs if applicable. Note: some reported values are geometric averages of replicates. Please refer to BEAK report for the description of fields.

#### **3.2 TABLE: MEASURED\_GLI-BIOMONITORING\_POINT**

Locations for sampling and biomonitoring sites as described in biomonitoring component of the report.

3.2.1 STATION#

3.2.2 DESCRIPTION

3.2.3 LONGITUDE

3.2.4 LATITUDE

3.2.5 HCB\_TISSUE\_PPB

Measured HCB concentration in clam tissue, in ppb, wet basis

3.2.6 HCB\_WATER-PPB

Clam-derived HCB concentration in water column, in ppb. It is assumed that the equilibrium is reached in less than a week, that HCB is accumulated in lipid and that HCB  $K_{ow}=5.5$ .

#### **3.3 TABLE: MEASURED\_HCB-ALLDEPRHS\_POINT**

This table contains all the core samples collected in 1994 with minimum, maximum and geometric averages of replicates for each layer. It also includes depth weighted average for each core.

#### **3.4 TABLE: MEASURED\_HCB-ALL\_VORONOI**

This table is a derivative of the previous table. It extends the core depth weighted average concentration for HCB to the natural polygons (Voronoi diagrams) around each core. Since the shape and location of each polygon are functions of the cores' locations only, same polygons can be used for other core-derived parameters to represent their spatial distribution.

#### **3.5 TABLE: MEASURED\_IDW2-55\_CONTOURS**

The Inverse Distance Weighing (optimal) interpolated Sediment Quality Score with exponent of 2 and anisotropy ratio of 5.5 as described in the Designation of Sediment Quality Zones component report.

3.5.1 LOWER\_SCORE

Lower Total Quality Score for the contour

3.5.2 UPPER\_SCORE

Upper Total Quality Score for the contour

3.5.3 AREA\_M2

- Area of the contour region in m<sup>2</sup>
- 3.5.4 **SEDIMENT\_THICKNESS\_CM**  
Weighted sediment thickness “under” each contour region based on MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS-AVG\_CONTOUR table in centimeters.
- 3.5.5 **SEDIMENT\_VOLUME\_M3**  
Weighted sediment thickness “under” each contour region based on MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS-AVG\_CONTOUR table and area of each contour in m<sup>2</sup>.
- 3.5.6 **HCB\_GAVERAGE\_KG**  
Weighted mass of HCB “under” each contour polygon in kg.
- 3.5.7 **SEDIMENT\_THICKNESS\_ROXANN\_CM**  
As above except the sediment thickness at the acoustically “hard” areas is set to zero.
- 3.5.8 **SEDIMENT\_VOLUME\_ROXANN\_M3**  
As above with acoustically “hard” areas set to zero.
- 3.5.9 **HCB\_GAVERAGE\_ROXANN\_KG**  
Weighted mass of HCB “under” each contour polygon corrected for Roxann-derived “hard” areas.

### **3.6 TABLE: MEASURED\_IDW2-55-ROXANN\_CONTOURS**

As above with acoustically hard sediments upgraded to higher score. For discussion see Designation of Sediment Quality Zones component report.

- 3.6.1 **LOWER\_SCORE**
- 3.6.2 **UPPER\_SCORE**
- 3.6.3 **AREA\_M2**
- 3.6.4 **WEIGHTED\_SEDIMENT\_THICKNESS\_CM**
- 3.6.5 **WEIGHTED\_SEDIMENT\_VOLUME\_M3**

### **3.7 TABLE: MEASURED\_IDW2-55\_LEGEND**

Legend for both IDW2-55 tables above.

### **3.8 TABLE: MEASURED\_ROXANN94\_POINTS**

The Roxann survey for upper St. Clair River from 1994. Includes actual classification (8 classes) as well as binary derivative (hard or soft). Over 26,000 points. Note: the map, as all other maps, is in UTM-NAD83 projection. The original UTM coordinates reported by Rukavina are in NAD27 datum.

- 3.8.1 **EASTING\_NAD27**
- 3.8.2 **NORTHING\_NAD27**
- 3.8.3 **EASTING\_NAD83\_DERIVED**
- 3.8.4 **NORTHING\_NAD83\_DERIVED**
- 3.8.5 **CLASS**
- 3.8.6 **BINARY\_CLASS**
- 3.8.7 **DEPTH\_M**
- 3.8.8 **TIME**
- 3.8.9 **DATE**

### **3.9 TABLE: MEASURED\_ROXANN-BINARY\_CONTOUR**

Interpolated binary sediment file for the study area based on binary sediment classes from the table above.

- 3.9.1 LOWER\_SOFTNESS
- 3.9.2 UPPER\_SOFTNESS
- 3.9.3 AREA\_M2
- 3.9.4 BINARY\_SEDIMENT\_TYPE
- 3.9.5 WEIGHTED\_SEDIMENT\_THICKNESS
- 3.9.6 SEDIMENT\_VOLUME

**3.10 TABLE: MEASURED\_ROXANN-BINARY\_LEGEND**

Legend for the above.

**3.11 TABLE: MEASURED\_SCORE\_POINT**

Point Sediment Quality Score for each of 39 stations from 1994 survey. Includes component scores.

- 3.11.1 STATION
- 3.11.2 OLD\_STATION\_TRANSECT
- 3.11.3 DESCRIPTIVE\_LOCATION
- 3.11.4 CHEMISTRY\_SCORE
- 3.11.5 TOXICITY\_SCORE
- 3.11.6 BENTHIC\_SCORE
- 3.11.7 TOTAL\_SCORE
- 3.11.8 EASTING
- 3.11.9 NORTHING

**3.12 TABLE: MEASURED\_SCORE\_LEGEND**

Legend for the table above. It has to be opened in a separate mapper window.

**3.13 TABLE: MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS\_POINTS**

The original sediment thickness as measured by divers. 121 samples total.

- 3.13.1 TRANSECT
- 3.13.2 EASTING
- 3.13.3 NORTHING
- 3.13.4 DIST\_FROM\_SHORE
- 3.13.5 SED\_THICKNESS\_MIN
- 3.13.6 SED\_THICKNESS\_MAX
- 3.13.7 SED\_THICKNESS\_AVG
- 3.13.8 WATER\_DEPTH

**3.14 TABLE: MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS-AVG\_CONTOUR**

Interpolated sediment thickness for the study area based on the table above.

- 3.14.1 LOWER\_THICKNESS\_CM

3.14.2 UPPER\_THICKNESS\_CM

3.14.3 AVERAGE\_THICKNESS\_CM

3.14.4 AREA\_M2

3.14.5 VOLUME\_M3

3.14.6 HCB\_DRY\_PPB

Weighted concentration of HCB in each of the contour regions in ppb - dry basis.

3.14.7 HCB\_WET\_MICROGRAM\_M3

Converted HCB concentration in  $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$  of wet sediment.

3.14.8 HCB\_MASS\_KG

Mass of HCB in kg "under" each of the sediment thickness contours.

**3.15 TABLE: MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS-ROXANN\_CONTOUR**

As above, with acoustically "hard" areas removed.

**3.16 TABLE: MEASURED\_SEDIMENT-THICKNESS-AVG\_LEGEND**

Both sediment thickness contour files share the same legend.

## **4. CATEGORY: MISCALENEOUS**

### **4.1 TABLE: MISC\_AERIAL1\_BITMAP**

Geo-referenced air photo of upper St. Clair river, 1990. 2 m ground resolution.

### **4.2 TABLE: MISC\_AOC-TRIMNEW\_REGION**

A region based on sediment thickness measurements, shoreline, uppermost and lowest transect in 1994 survey to which all the interpolations of study area were trimmed. Larger than in original draft component report.

### **4.3 TABLE: MISC\_COLE-DRAIN\_POINT**

Approximate location of Cole Drain extended pipe discharge.

### **4.4 TABLE: MISC\_DOW-CLEANUP96\_REGION**

Approximate area of DOW environmental dredging near Cole Drain. Likely inaccurate.

### **4.5 TABLE: MISC\_DOW-CLEANUP96-MON\_POINTS**

The location of MOEE monitoring stations during the 1996 Cole Drain area contaminated sediment cleanup by DOW Chemical.

### **4.6 TABLE: MISC\_LANDSAT\_BROVEY**

Landsat-5 satellite derived imagery acquired on June 13, 1993. "Natural" colour image created with Brovey Transform of bands 1,2,4 and 5 (two visible, two near infrared). This transformation allows for differentiating green vegetation from cultivated land, water features, infrastructure etc.

### **4.7 TABLE: MISC\_LANDSAT\_6-ALL**

Thermal infrared band (band 6: 10.4-12.5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) for the entire scene. Higher radiant temperature is shown in red, lower in blue. Note that each thermal image uses different temperature scale.

### **4.8 TABLE: MISC\_LANDSAT\_6-LAND**

Thermal infrared band (band 6: 10.4-12.5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) for the land portion of the image. Higher radiant temperature is shown in red, lower in blue. Note that each thermal image uses different temperature scale.

### **4.9 TABLE: MISC\_LANDSAT\_6-WATER**

Thermal infrared band (band 6: 10.4-12.5  $\mu\text{m}$ ) for the water portion of the image. Higher radiant temperature is shown in red, lower in blue. Note that each thermal image uses different temperature scale.

**4.10 TABLE: MISC\_LIS-STATIONS\_POINTS**

Location of Pollutech/LIS sampling stations as obtained from Pollutech. No actual data attached.

**4.11 TABLE: MISC\_NPRI93\_POINTS**

National Pollutant Release Inventory database for all provinces, 1993.

**4.12 TABLE: MISC\_OUTFALLS-INTAKES\_POINTS**

Outfalls and intakes to St. Clair River with flows from Geomatics. Possibly outdated.

**4.13 TABLE: MISC\_SHORELINE\_REGION**

Combined shoreline of entire St. Clair River. Accurate to ~10m near AOC #1 study area. Less accurate elsewhere.