

Site Specific Information
NOAA Chart 11339
Calcasieu River Site #31



Site Information

Mean tidal range is 4.6 ft. River Channel is navigable. Average currents are 0.3-knot flood and 0.8-knot ebb.

Latitude: N 30 ° 05.33
NOAA chart #: 11339
Nearest ICW Marker: N/A

Longitude: W 93 ° 17.95
County: Calcasieu Parish
Date last visited: 3/11/11

Access

Closest Boat Ramp:
Distance:
Boat type recommended:
Closest Airport:
Closest Helicopter Landing:

Calcasieu Point
10 minutes
Shallow, Aluminum hull
Chenault Airport, Lake Charles
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Directions from MSU Lake Charles

Access to this site is via boat.

Trustees/ Contact Numbers

USCG MSU Lake Charles (337) 491-7800
LOSCO-via rotating pager (800) 538-5388
Pin # 129-340
TGLO-via hotline (800) 832-8224

Resources at Risk

Atlas Priority: **Medium**
Environmental: Marsh, wetlands
Economic: N/A

Safety / Cautionary Notes

None noted

Booming Strategy Recommendations

Recommendations: Boom should be deployed perpendicular to the north shoreline and across the waterway. Approximately 900 feet of boom will be required and anchored every 200 ft. Dependent upon the trajectory of the petroleum additional boom may be required to the north and/or south marshes. This area is used by recreational fisherman and numerous crab traps are located here. Boom should be tended on regular intervals as it could be broken or cut loose by fisherman. Exact protection requirements and locations will be determined by the Incident Commander in response to conditions at the time of the spill.

Equipment: 900 ft Containment Boom (18" or greater)
3 Lighted Buoy(s)
15 Anchors w/Line and Buoys
1 Response vessel(s)
1 Truck(s), Pickup
1 Trailer(s), Supplies or Boom
Poly lined roll-off boxes
Metal Culvert Pipes
Trac-hoe

Number of personnel: 4
Tidal influence: Medium/4.6 ft.
Water depth at mouth: