

EXPERIMENTAL MARINE POLLUTION SURVEILLANCE REPORT







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REPORT DATE: OCTOBER 08, 2010
REPORT TIME: 1915Z (1415 CDT)
ANALYST: BELGE

DATA SOURCE: MODIS TERRA
MODE: MULTI-SPECTRAL
RESOLUTION: 250 METERS
IMAGE DATE/TIME: 10/08/2010 1636Z (1136 CDT)

Legend

-  Possible Oil
-  False-Positives (not oil)
-  Suspected Point Source:
[29°0'47"N / 89°36'44" W]
-  Former Saratoga Site:
[28°56'9" N / 88°58'12" W]

REMARKS:

Two areas of possible oil in this afternoon's MODIS Terra pass over the Gulf. One is location to the southeast of the Bird's Foot Delta region of Louisiana and is suspected to be from the site of the former Saratoga Platform. This slick is extending to the south and east about 30 miles away from the point source.

The second area is located about 14 miles to the northwest of West Bay off the Bird's Foot of Louisiana. The suspected point source is just to the north of the possible slick where northerly winds are observed.

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