



Figure 15. (A) A photograph of a USGS surface buoy. Buoys were deployed adjacent to tripods at sites 1, 2, 3, 6, 7A and 7B to mark the sites and provide protection from trawl fishing. A CT was attached to the buoys deployed at sites 2, 3, and 7A to measure conductivity and temperature 1 meter below the surface. (B) A photograph of the recovery of a USGS surface buoy aboard the Research Vessel *Dan Moore*.

