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SITKA SOUND HERRING FISHERY UPDATE # 10

Sitka...Today's aerial survey covered the Sitka Sound area from Povorotni Point to Krestof Sound. Weather during the flight was good with light winds and clear skies. A total of 5.5 nautical miles of active herring spawn was observed on Kruzof Island south of Shelikof Bay, from Low Island to Fred's Creek, near Brent's Beach, and in Eastern and Promisla bays on Krestof Island (Figure 1). The cumulative miles of herring spawn to date is approximately 11.0 nautical miles.

The next aerial survey and fishery update will be Wednesday, April 1.

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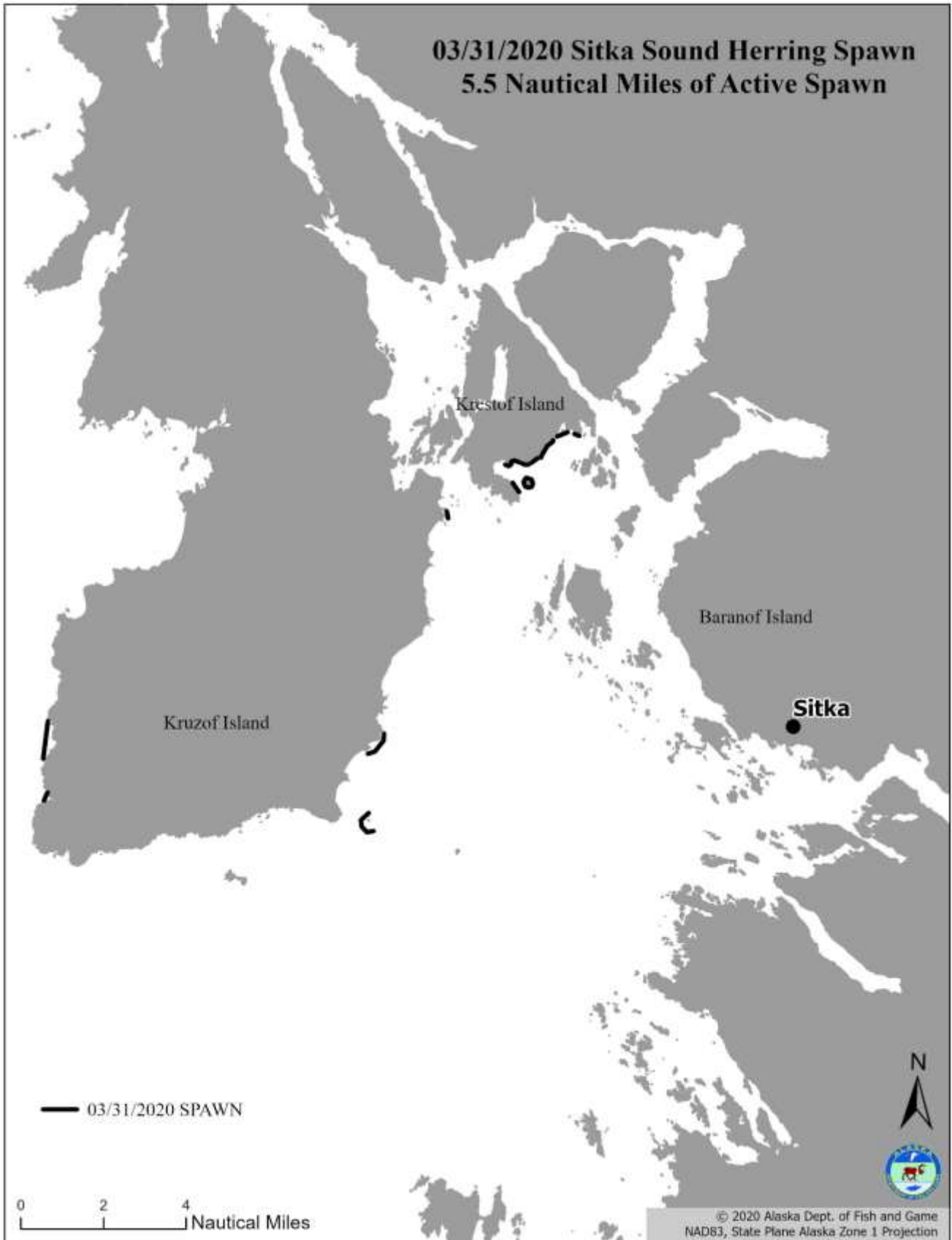


Figure 1. Active herring spawn observed in Sitka Sound on March 31, 2020.