

ASAMM-Beaufort – Flight 5 – 27 July 2015

Area flown: Block 4, 2 partial transects.

Total hours flown: 1.6

Total transect hours: 0.1

Number of bowhead whales seen: 0 (0 calves)

Weather and visibility: Skies were partly cloudy. Sea state ranged from Beaufort 3-5. Visibility varied from <1 km to 5 km, with glare and low ceilings. Low ceilings precluded offshore survey effort. Sea ice cover ranged from 3-17% broken floe ice in the area surveyed.

Sightings: None.

Preliminary Summary, Flight 5 Date: 7/27/2015

Total bowhead whales: 0	Start time: 7/27/2015 3:26:59 PM	End time: 7/27/2015 4:59:23 PM
Bowhead whale sightings: 0	Transect minutes: 8	Transect km: 29.5
Bowhead whales on transect: 0	Circling minutes: 0	Circling km: 0
Bowhead whale cow-calf pairs: 0	Trans+Circ minutes: 8	Trans+Circ km: 29.5
Bowhead whale cow-calf pairs on transect: 0	Search minutes: 0	Search km: 1.7
Bowhead whale repeats: 0	Total minutes: 93	Total km: 473.6
Possible repeats: 0	Deadhead minutes: 85	Deadhead km: 442.4
Total gray whales: 0	Search blocks: 4	
Total belugas: 0	Transect blocks: 4	
Other whale sightings: 0		
Walrus: no		
Total polar bears: 0		

Cetacean sightings: none

