

Figure 27. (A) Surface of a 41-inch subsurface float that was deployed at about 10 meters and (B) tripod recovery floats that were deployed about 3 meters above the bottom from September 1998 to February 1999. Both floats were deployed without anti-fouling paint. Extensive barnacles grew on the lower floats during this period, while only a thin layer of organic material grew on the upper float. The color of both floats when deployed was orange. Photographs by Dann Blackwood, U.S. Geological Survey.