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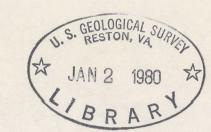
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The U.S. Geological Survey Research vessel S.P. Lee conducted a transit line from Honolulu, Hawaii to the big island of Hawaii during the cruise L9-78-HW.

The navigational track is shown in plate 1 and the three types of data collected (3.5 khz. and 12 khz. bathymetry plus single channel seismic reflection) are shown in plate 2.

The bathymetry records are 400 fathoms (one second sweep) collected by hull mounted transducers. The seismic reflection profiles are from a 148 in. Bolt Associates Airgum* as energy source with reflectors transmitted via

single channel streamer towed approximately 500 feet behind the ship.

Copies of the data may be obtained from the National Geophysical and

Solar-Terrestrial Data Center, U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Boulder, Colorado 80303.

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