



**NOAA Teacher at Sea
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Onboard NOAA Ship ALBATROSS IV
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Mission: Ecosystems Monitoring

Day 8: Monday, August 21, 2006

Science and Technology Log

It's a beautiful day – clear and a bit blustery and the water is a beautiful deep blue. We're off the coast of Long Island, heading back towards Woods Hole where we're expected to arrive about 4:30 p.m. tomorrow, spend the night there and exchange some personnel, and leave the next day to head north. It's been a very quiet watch – we had two stations in rapid succession starting about 2:30 a.m. and then had a long steam – for about 7 hours and then one more station. So there's been lots of free time to fill with reading, working on crossword and sudoku puzzles, checking email, sunning on the bow, using the exercise equipment, etc.