

Monitoring and Conservation of Anguilla's Sea Turtles



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Sea Turtle Monitoring Programme

- Department of Fisheries and Marine Resources
- Anguilla Sea Turtle Conservation Group



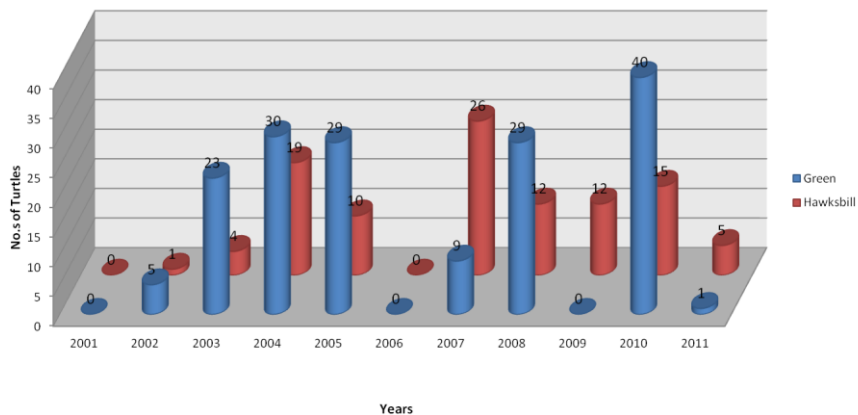
Sea Turtle Monitoring Programme: in-water

- Department of Fisheries and Marine Resources
 - Hawksbill foraging population
 - Green turtle foraging population



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Capture of Hawksbill & Green Turtle 2007 - 2011



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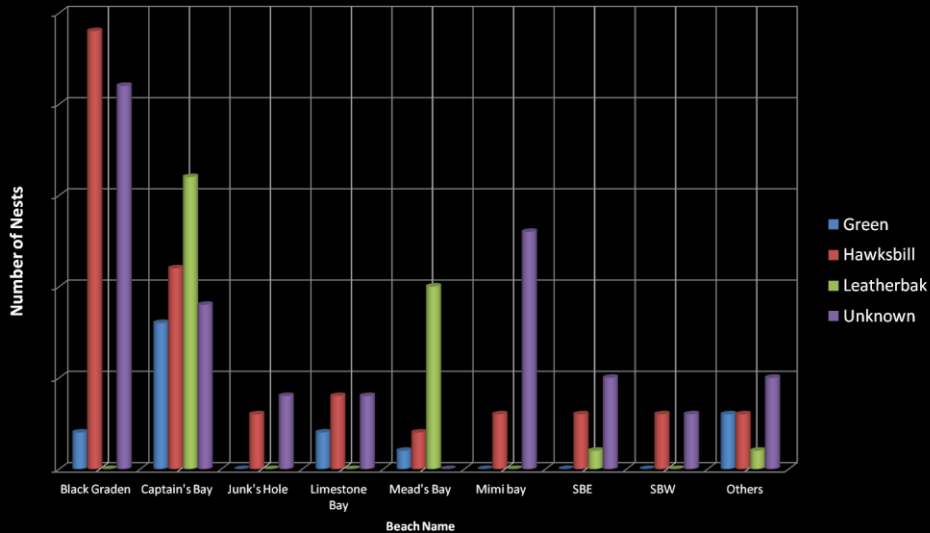
Sea Turtle Monitoring Programme: nesting beach

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 - Key indicator beaches
 - 8 beaches along north and south coasts



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Turtle Nesting in Anguilla 2007-2011



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 - 2010-2011: 5 beaches along north and south coasts
 - Monitoring conducted by ANT staff and ASCG volunteers
 - 2012-ongoing: 5 beaches, in addition to the 8 key indicator beaches



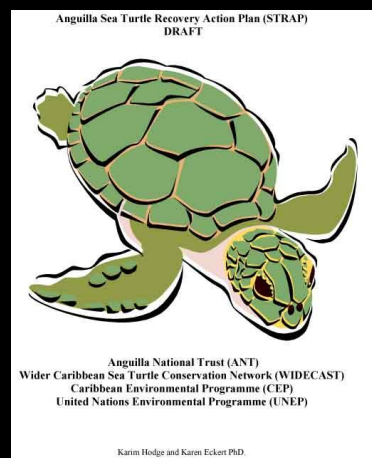
Habitat Assessments: beaches and sand dunes

- Coastal assessments of Anguilla's key beaches and sand dunes on north and south coasts
 - Pressure, state, conservation action
- Report on governance
- Funding through Fauna & Flora International



Anguilla Sea Turtle Recovery Action Plan

- Currently being revised
- Will be published as part of the UNEP-CEP and WIDECAST "STRAP" publication series



Public Awareness

- Multi-media campaign
 - Television
 - Radio
 - Print
 - Presentations
 - Public in-field activities
 - School programmes
 - Policy briefs



Questions?

