

Sta. No. H47-152

Locality: Calif: San Diego Co. - Mission Beach

Lat. ° 'N.; Long. ° 'W. (USC & GS chart, 19...)

Water:

Vegetation:

Bottom:

Temp.:

Shore: Sand Beach

Current:

Distance from shore: Cast

Tide:

Depth of capture:

Depth of water:

Method of capture: Picked up on Beach in Kelp.

Collected by: B. W. Walker + Geo. Wernham

Date: VIII:9:1947

Orig. preserv.: 10% Formalin

Time: morning

Picked up by Beach cleaner - Name unknown

Fish had hung in sun all morning before I got it. It was alive when found. Man at Chucks bait house, 5046 W. Pt Loma Blvd had strung fish up for display, + torn it up badly. Tear on back (caudal peduncle) was present when fish picked up.

25A Alepisaurus borealis - 1 ad. - (910) tank

Notes at 1400: Back, top of head - dark steel blue. Sides + side of head - washed with greenish yellow bronze. Undersides silvery. Dorsal black with powder blue wash. Much iridescence in base of caudal + anal. Pectoral black above, silvery below.

Stomach contents - 17 squid (some hardly at all digested - all tentacles counted)

1 - Porichthys notatus Girard