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Utilization of Skylab (EREP) System
for Appraising Changes in Continental
Migratory Bird Habitat.

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Type of Report:

Monthly Progress

Overall Status:

The machine processing of multispectral S-192 data under this task is nearly complete. Proportion estimation processing has been accomplished for a 280 km² (108 square mile) site using data in a conic scan format. The resultant product is to be converted to a straightened line format and the results displayed using a general purpose computer printer. Statistical summaries on pond numbers and areas will also be prepared from these data. We anticipate that these procedures will be completed within one week. Other data processing has been complete and a written report is now being prepared.

Recommendations for Action:

None

Expected Accomplishments During the Next Reporting Period:

All processing will be completed and preparation of a final report draft is to be accomplished.

Significant Results:

All results and analyses will be reported in the final report currently in preparation.

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Summary Outlook:

We expect to complete this program and submit a review draft near the end of November.

Travel Summary and Outlook:

No travel was undertaken as part of this program effort during this reporting period nor is any travel contemplated for the remainder of this program.