

901408 Mini ROV Upgrades

Rating: Likely to be approved

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Management Team Feedback:

The mini ROV has become an important science asset given its capabilities and applications using ships of opportunity. The system has matured rapidly, and we would like to see 2014 as the final year for continuing upgrades. For the full proposal, please provide a prioritized list for each upgrade element along with associated labor and hard costs for each item. Also please include thoughts on a transition plan for how the vehicle will be operated without the necessity of requiring development engineers. Finally, have you considered using the surplus DMO Trackpoint system to serve as the USBL component? Please tighten up the range for the USBL cost in phase I.