

**UNDERSEA FEATURE NAME PROPOSAL** OHO/IOC form No. 1  
(See Note overleaf)

Ocean Pacific Name proposed Pegas Guyot

Coordinates: of midpoint or summit: Lat. 15°35' N., Long. 152°05' E.

Description (kind of feature): guyot

Identifying or categorizing characteristics (shape, dimensions, total relief, least depth, steepness, etc.):

Meridionally extended mount, in south-west part connected to guyot-satellite. Slopes are complicated with spurs. Slopes steepness - from 4-7° to 25° and more. The minimum depth- 1303 m.; relative height of the guyot more than 3 600 m.

Associated features: The guyot is surrounded by Saipan basin, main chain of the Magellan seamounts lay to the north.

Chart reference:

Shown but not named on chart No.

On GEBCO sheet 5.06 it is represented with forms different to really observed

Reason for choice of name (if a person, state how associated with the feature to be named):

The name is given after the vessel "Pegas", which conducted the regional geologic-geophysical investigations in 1975-76 in East-Mariana basin, in Magellan seamounts and Marcus-Wake rise.

Discovery facts:

1983 by RV "Akademik Nesmeyanov", 1987 by RV "Morskoy Geolog", 1989 RV "Sever" - survey by single-beam echo sounder, seismoacoustics profiling, regular survey with scale 1:1 000 000; 2005 RV "Gelendzhik" - multibeam bathymetric survey by echo sounder SIMRAD EM12 S-120 with scale 1:200 000.

Navigation used: Navstar GPS

Estimated positional accuracy in nautical miles: ±0,001 mile

Description of survey (track spacing, line crossings, grid network, etc.): swathe bathymetric regular 3D survey

Nature and repository of other survey activities (dredge samples, cores, magnetics, gravity, photographs, etc.): bathymetric survey by multibeam echo sounder SIMRAD EM12 S-120; seismoacoustics profiling and hydro magnetic profiling; photo-TV profiling along irregular grid, seabed sampling by dredging, with spacing 1 station on 100 sq. km and by grabs.

Supporting material: enclose, if possible, a sketch map of the survey area, profiles of the feature, etc., with reference to prior publication, if any:

The appendix 1. Bathymetric chart (relief section -100 meters, denser -500 m.)

The appendix 2. Simrad EM12 S-120 track chart

1. The mountains of Western Pacific and their ore content /Volokhin Y.G., Melnikov M.E., Shkolnik E.L. and others. M.: Nauka, 1995, 368 p.

2. Vasiliev B.I., Evlanov J.B., Simonenko V.P. To geologic structure of Magellan seamounts of Pacific Ocean // Tihoocean. Geologiya. 1985. № 3. P. 97-101.

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