

UNDERSEA FEATURE NAME PROPOSAL
(Sea NOTE overleaf)

Note: The boxes will expand as you fill the form.

Name Proposed:	Parece Vela Rift Fracture Zone Province	Ocean or Sea:	Philippine Sea, Northwestern Pacific
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Geometry that best defines the feature (Yes/No) :						
Point	Line	Polygon	Multiple points	Multiple lines*	Multiple polygons*	Combination of geometries*
		Yes				

* Geometry should be clearly distinguished when providing the coordinates below.

Coordinates:	Lat. (e.g. 63°32.6'N)	Long. (e.g. 046°21.3'W)
	17°27'N	140°28'E
	14°56'N	139°03'E
	15°19'N	137°55'E
	19°30'N	138°35'E
	21°15'N	139°50'E
	20°45'N	140°24'E
	17°27'N	140°28'E

Feature Description:	Maximum Depth :	Steepness :
	Minimum Depth :	Shape :
	Total Relief :	Dimension/Size :

Associated Features:	Parece Vela Rift, Raicho Fracture Zone, Tancho Fracture Zone, Toki Fracture Zone
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Chart/Map References:	Shown Named on Map/Chart:	
	Shown Unnamed on Map/Chart:	
	Within Area of Map/Chart:	

Reason for Choice of Name (if a person, state how associated with the feature to be named):	This "Province" is closely relevant to the Parece Vela Rift.
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Discovery Facts:	Discovery Date:	
	Discoverer (Individual, Ship):	

Supporting Survey Data, including Track Controls:	Date of Survey:	Oct., Nov., Dec. 1993 Oct. 1994 Jan., April, Sep. 1995 April, May, July 2004 Oct., Nov., Dec. 2005
	Survey Ship:	S/V Takuyo (1993, 1994, 1995, April, May, 2004, Dec. 2005) S/V Shoyo (July 2004, Oct., Nov., 2005)

	Sounding Equipment:	SeaBeam (1993, 1994, Jan., April 1995) SeaBeam 210 (Sep. 1995) SeaBeam 2112 (2004, 2005)
	Type of Navigation:	GPS with Selective Availability (1993, 1994, 1995) GPS without Selective Availability (2004, 2005)
	Estimated Horizontal Accuracy (nm):	0.054 nm (1993, 1994, 1995) 0.014 nm (2004, 2005)
	Survey Track Spacing:	See Fig. 2
	Supporting material can be submitted as Annex in analog or digital form.	

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Remarks:	This is a response to the action SCUFN 19 §2.2.2.
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NOTE : This form should be forwarded, when completed :

- a) **If the undersea feature is located inside the external limit of the territorial sea** :-
to your "National Authority for Approval of Undersea Feature Names" (see page 2-9) or, if this does not exist or is not known, either to the IHB or to the IOC (see addresses below);
- b) **If at least 50 % of the undersea feature is located outside the external limits of the territorial sea** :-
to the IHB or to the IOC, at the following addresses :

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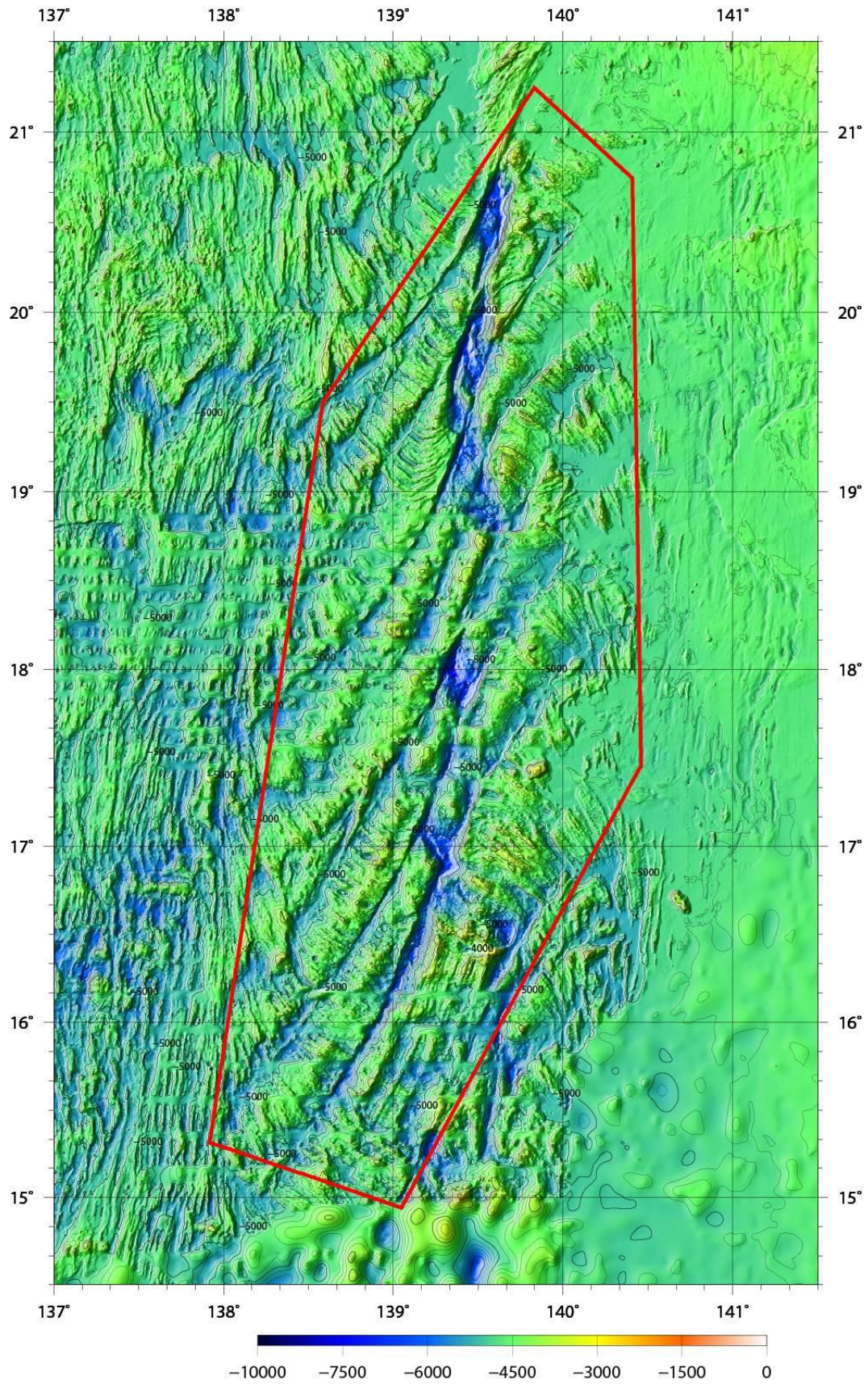


Fig 1. Color shaded bathymetric map of the Parece Vela Rift Fracture Zone Province. Contours are in 200 m. The polygon delineating the feature is shown in red line.

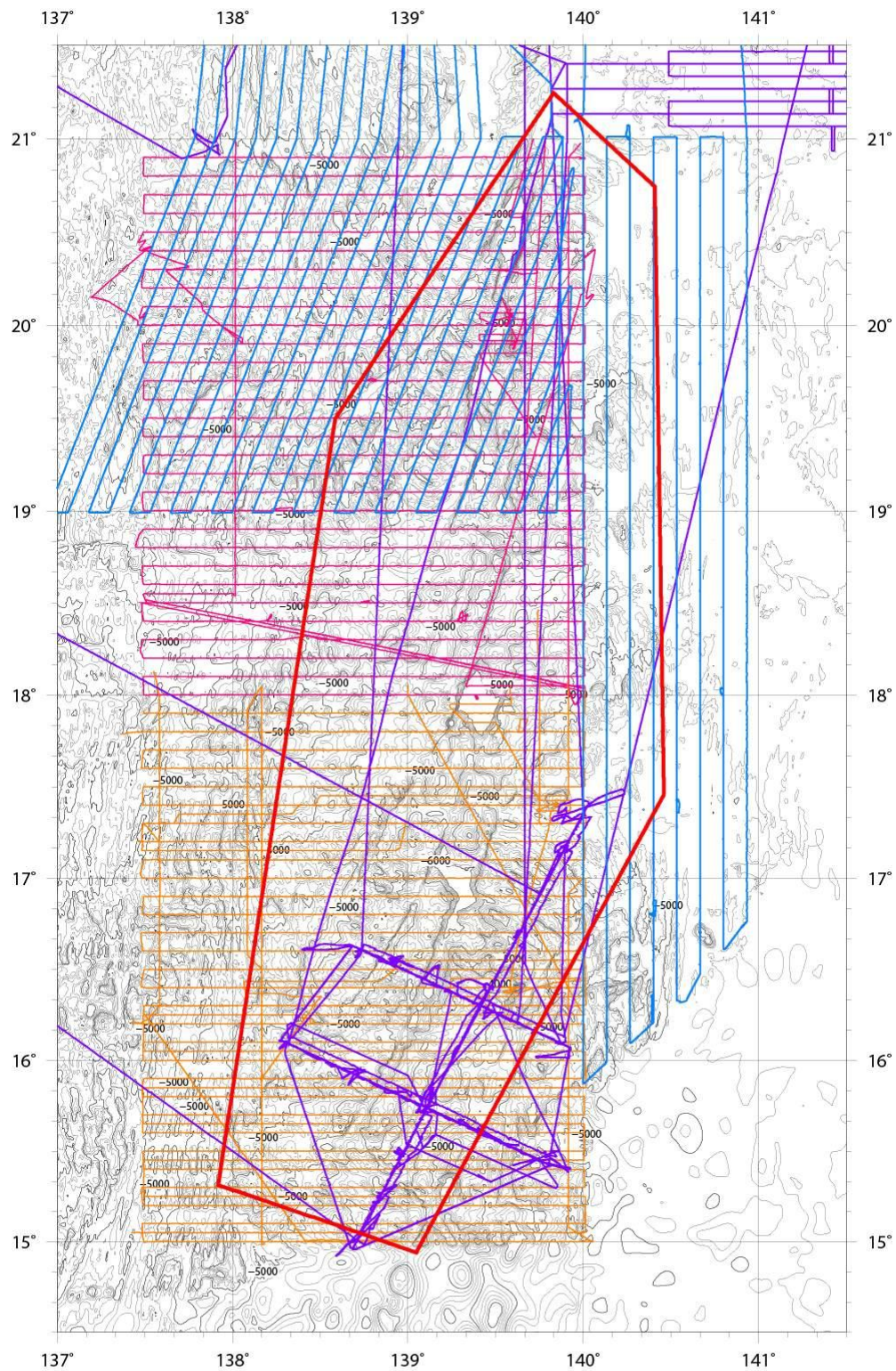


Fig 2. Bathymetric map of the Parece Vela Rift Fracture Zone Province. Contours are in 200 m. The polygon delineating the feature is shown in red line. The ship track are shown in pink (for surveys in 1993), orange (for surveys in 1994 and 1995), blue (for surveys in 2004) and purple (for surveys in 2005) lines.