The frequencies allocated by this license are used by high frequency radar instruments to map ocean surface currents along the central coast of California. The project is a collaborative effort involving the Naval Postgraduate School, NOAA, Scripps Institute of Oceanography, the University of California, Davis and the Central and Northern California Ocean Observing System. The data is collected hourly, quality controlled, and processed into hourly current maps that are provided for free to the general public, ocean policy makers (both state and federal), near shore and coastal ocean waters stakeholders, and marine scientists. The data is aggregated into a national coastal ocean database at CORDC in San Diego. The data portal is located at: http://cordc.ucsd.edu/projects/mapping/maps/