

Indonesia - Komodo NP: Siaba Kecil

Komodo National Park · 3 visits, 2009-08-16 – 2019-01-26



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What was done. No diver transect was run at this site. The figure is a blind Claude computer-vision point classification of 72 photographs by the author, read without sight of any other method's result; other computer-vision methods are compared on the site page.

HARD CORAL COVER

25%

Claude computer vision (72 edited photos)

TODAY'S HEAT LOAD

27.0°C **0.0°C-weeks**

16 Sep 2026 · -2.1°C vs the annual mean (29.1 °C)
· NOAA No heat stress

HEAT STRESS (5-YR MEAN ANNUAL MAX. DHW)

6.3°C-weeks

NOAA annual peaks averaging 4–8 °C-weeks

MAX. DEPTH

24.1 m

WATER TEMP. (SURVEY)

25.6°C

-2.8°C vs the 2009, 2019 mean sea temperature (28.4°C)

PHOTOGRAPHS

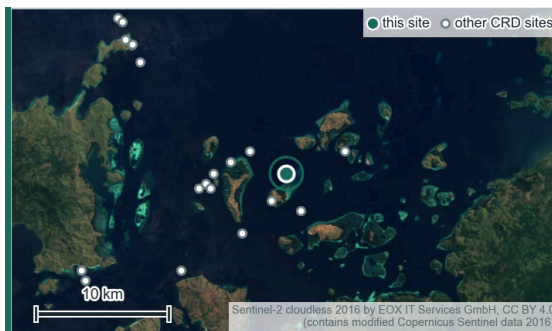
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POSITION

-8.5350, 119.6900

Approximate, placed within Komodo National Park from the site's known position. NOT from the log - the DiverLog export carries no coordinate for this dive. Worth an exact fix.



Siaba Kecil in Komodo National Park is a current-flattened reef almost entirely plastered in living coral, with vast *Acropora* meadows and tables that Anderson ranked among the best hard coral of the trip, plus carpets of soft coral. Turtles, a small manta, and the largest anemone he has ever seen add to the dive, though few large fish suggest overfishing, and the currents on the northeast side can be ferocious.

Bahasa Indonesia. Siaba Kecil di Taman Nasional Komodo adalah terumbu yang diratakan arus dan nyaris seluruhnya berselimut karang hidup, dengan padang dan meja *Acropora* yang luas — yang Anderson nilai termasuk karang keras terbaik sepanjang perjalanan — ditambah hamparan karang lunak. Penyu, seekor pari manta kecil, dan anemon terbesar yang pernah ia lihat menambah nilai penyelaman ini, meskipun sedikitnya ikan besar mengisyaratkan penangkapan berlebih, dan arus di sisi timur laut bisa sangat ganas. *Terjemahan ringkasan ini oleh AI; versi bahasa Inggris yang berlaku.*

CV model comparison (hard-coral cover, %): In-house DINOv3 30.0 · CoralSCOP edited 39.3 · Claude (edited photos) 25.4

Photographs: Anderson Mayfield/Coral Reef Diagnostics — 1 of 50 on file; watermarked · Full site record: <https://api.coralreefdiagnostics.com/site-pages/indonesia-komodo-np-siaba-kecil.html> · Heat stress is the mean of the latest five annual maxima of NOAA Coral Reef Watch degree-heating weeks for this reef's NOAA CRW virtual station (East Nusa Tenggara) — a five-year heat history for the station's waters, not a measurement at this site on the dive date.