

Triton Bay - Larry Dive Heaven

Triton Bay · surveyed 2018-10-15



Coral Health Index: TBD

What was done. No coral-cover figure is published for this site. Insufficient photos to estimate coral cover.

HARD CORAL COVER

not reported

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TODAY'S HEAT LOAD

29.9°C **1.4°C-weeks**

16 Sep 2026 · -0.2°C vs the annual mean (30.1 °C)
· [NOAA](#) Bleaching Watch

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

10.1°C-weeks

[NOAA](#) annual peaks averaging 8–12 °C-weeks

MAX. DEPTH

23.0 m

WATER TEMP. (SURVEY)

24.0°C

-4.3°C vs the 2018 mean sea temperature (28.3°C)
Note: [NOAA](#)'s regional station series averages 1.6°C warmer than the satellite pixel nearest this site (2.4 km away), which is used here instead.

PHOTOGRAPHS

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on file for this site

POSITION

-3.8400, 134.0900

Approximate position: no GPS fix was logged for this dive.



Larry Dive Heaven runs from barren ground through a soft-coral and *Tubastraea* zone into improving hard coral cover in the shallows, with brain corals, large purple-brown *Acropora*, and dense *Porites* bommies. Highlights include two octopus sightings, ribbon eels, and the trip's first sea snake. No reliable coral-cover figure could be produced - too few usable benthic frames survived a fogged camera.

Bahasa Indonesia. Larry Dive Heaven membentang dari dasar yang gersang, melewati zona karang lunak dan *Tubastraea*, menuju tutupan karang keras yang membaik di perairan dangkal, dengan karang otak, *Acropora* besar berwarna ungu kecoklatan, dan gundukan *Porites* yang rapat. Sorotan penyelaman ini mencakup dua kali perjumpaan gurita, belut pita, dan ular laut pertama sepanjang perjalanan. Tidak ada angka tutupan karang yang dapat diandalkan — terlalu sedikit bingkai bentik yang layak bertahan setelah kamera berembun.

Terjemahan ringkasan ini oleh AI; versi bahasa Inggris yang berlaku.

Full site record: <https://api.coralreefdiagnostics.com/site-pages/triton-bay-larry-dive-heaven.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 (West Papua) — a five-year heat history for the station's waters, not a measurement at this site on the dive date.