

Gasparilla Sound-Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserve

SEACAR Water Quality Analysis

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Indicators

Nutrients

Total Nitrogen - Discrete

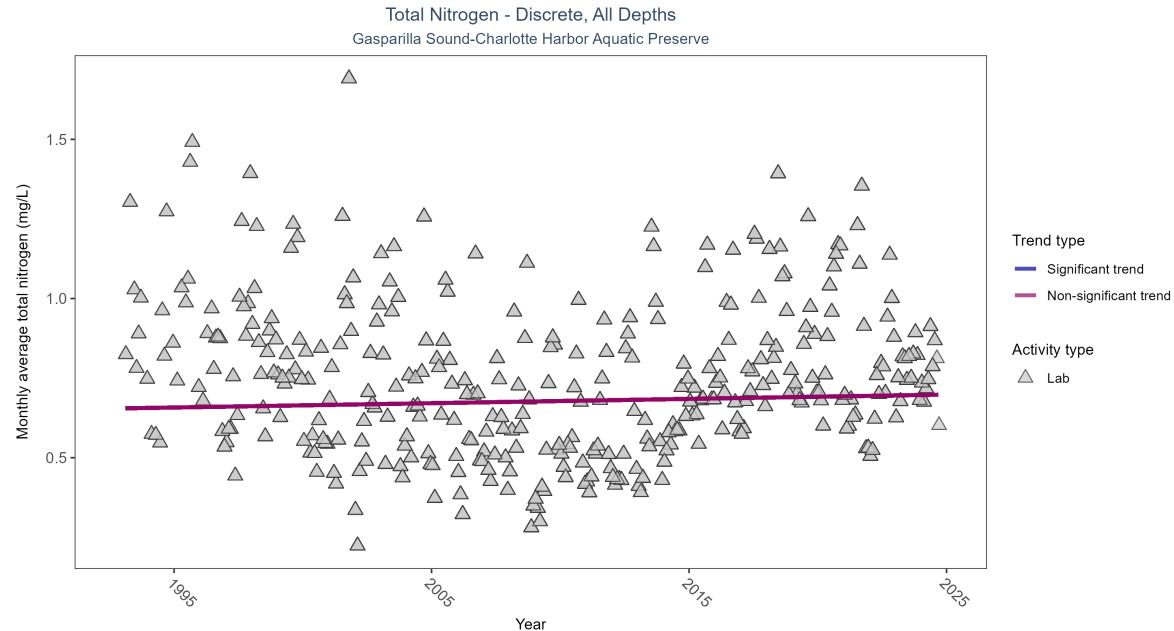
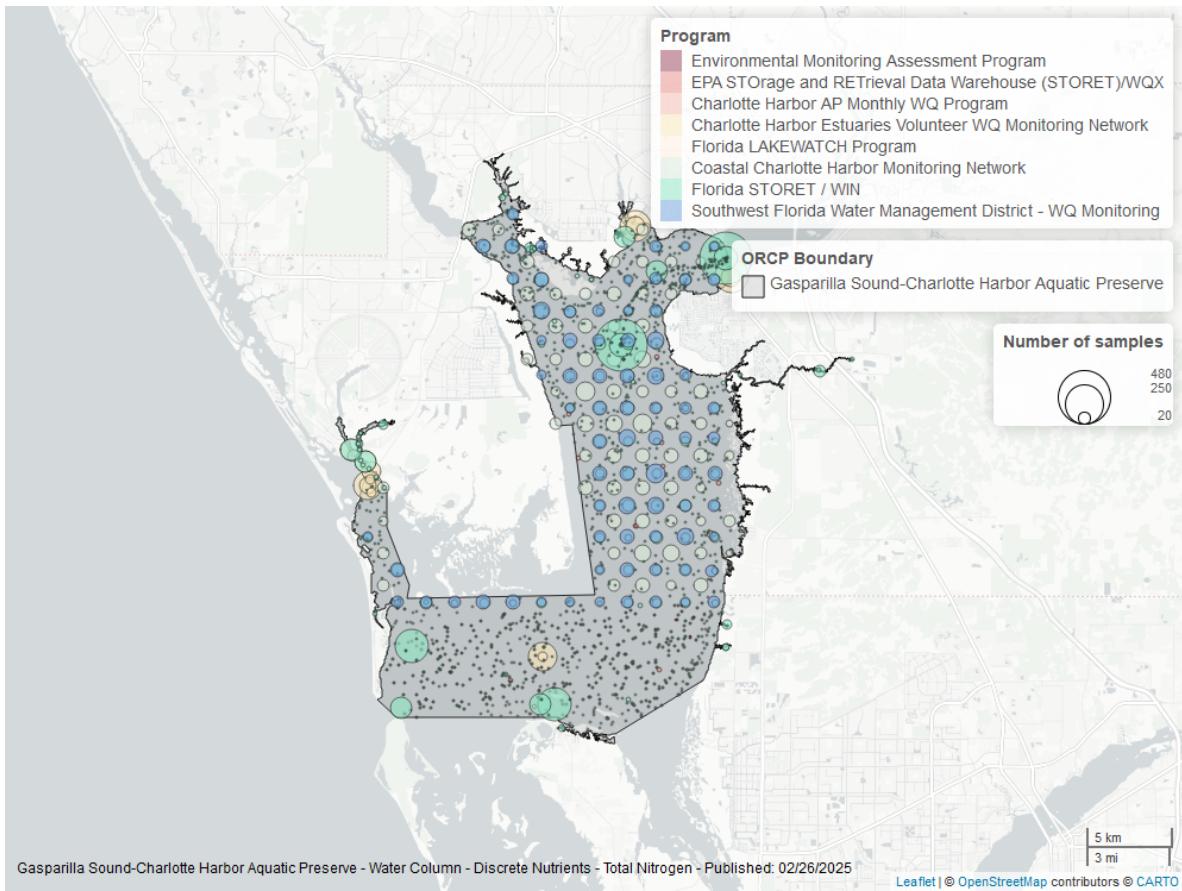


Table 1: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Total Nitrogen

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	No significant trend	10595	32	1993 - 2024	0.66	0.0468	0.65488	0.00135	0.2406



Total Phosphorus - Discrete

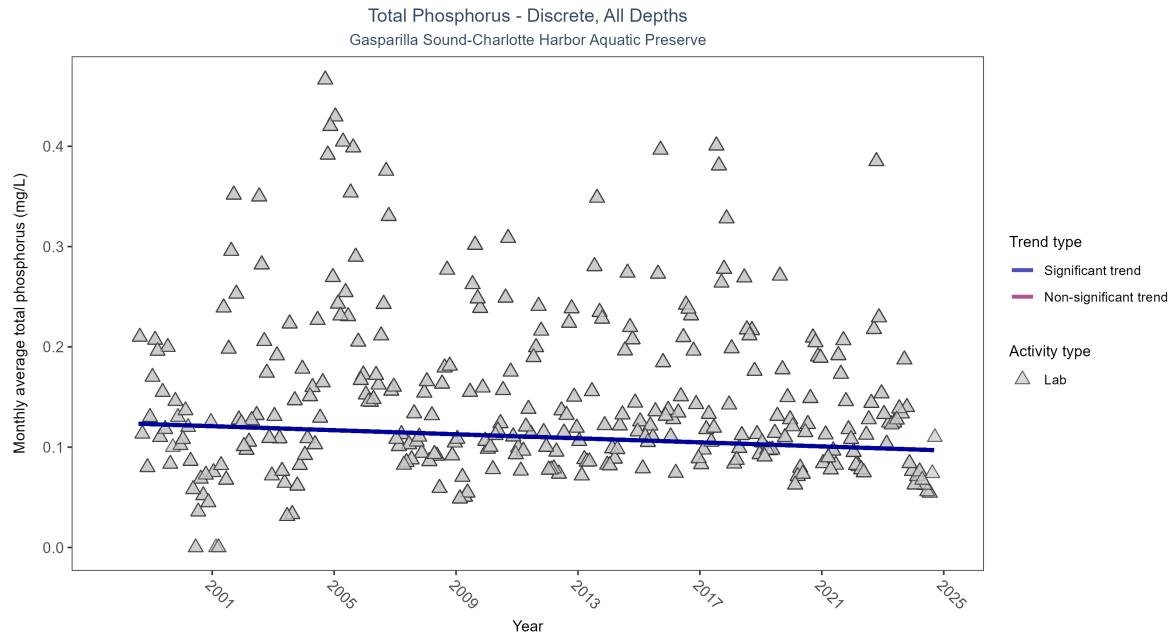
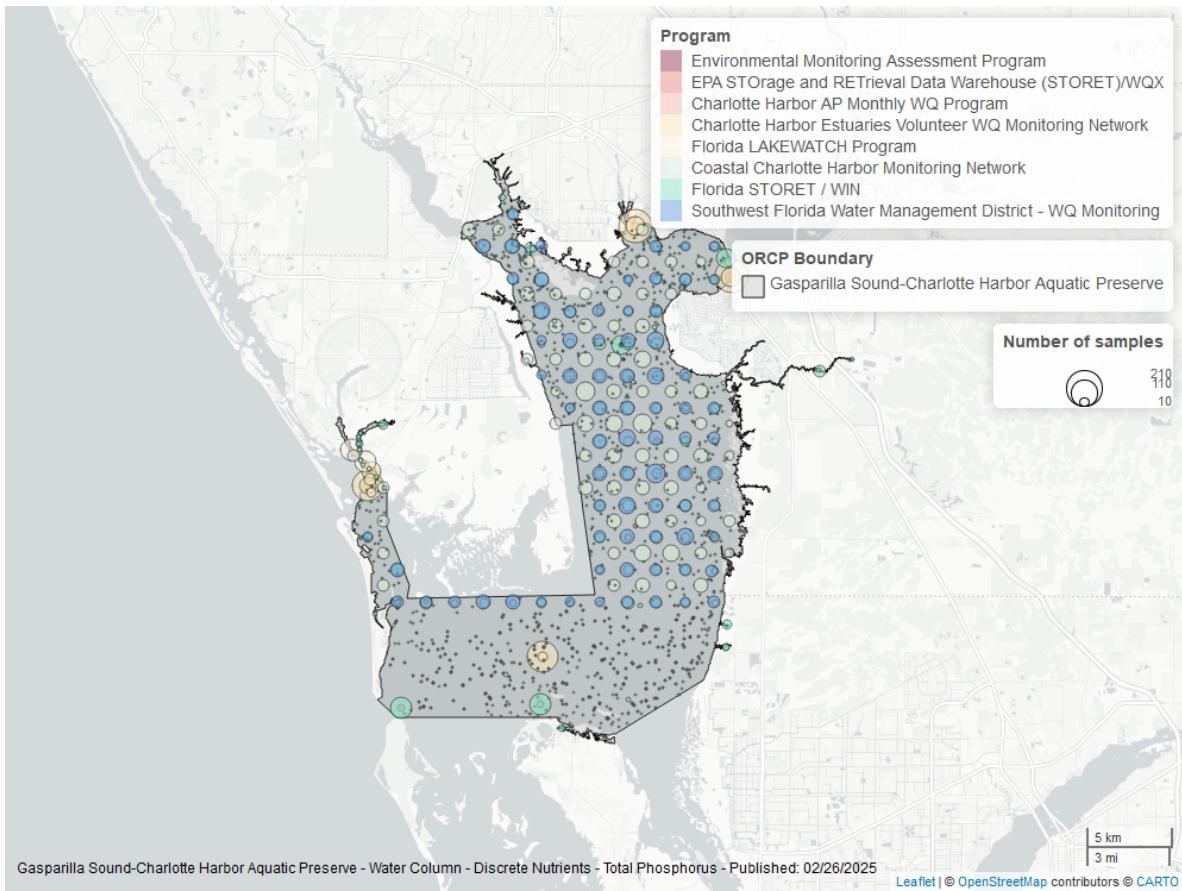


Table 2: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Total Phosphorus

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	Significantly decreasing trend	8673	27	1998 - 2024	0.119	-0.1003	0.12394	-0.00101	0.0126



Water Quality

Dissolved Oxygen - Discrete

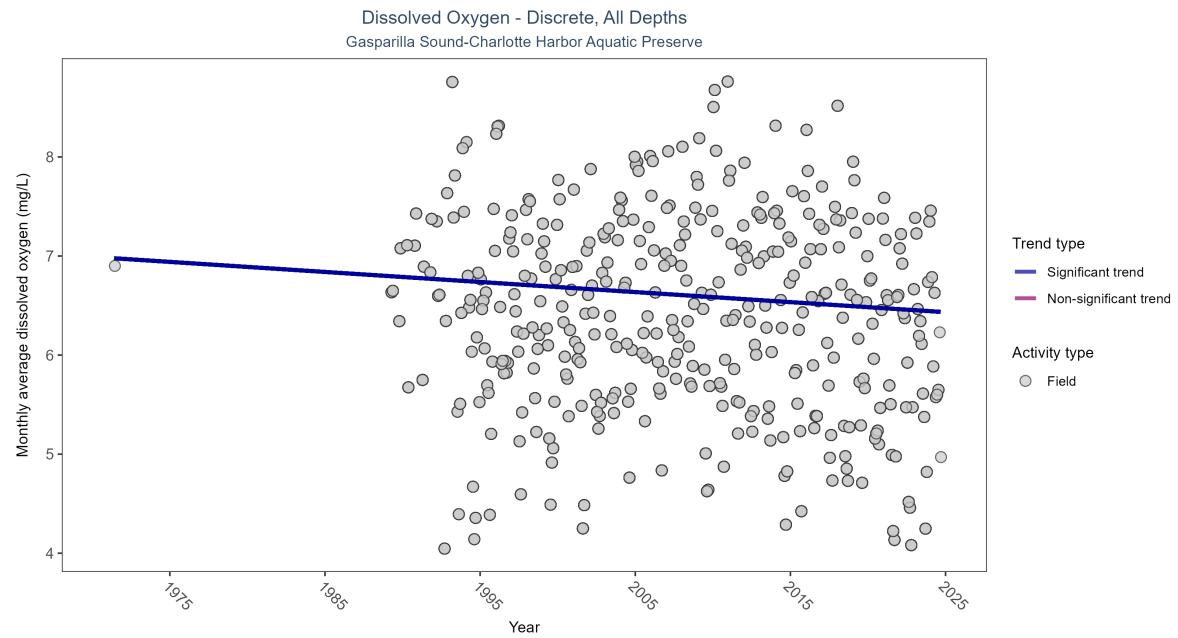
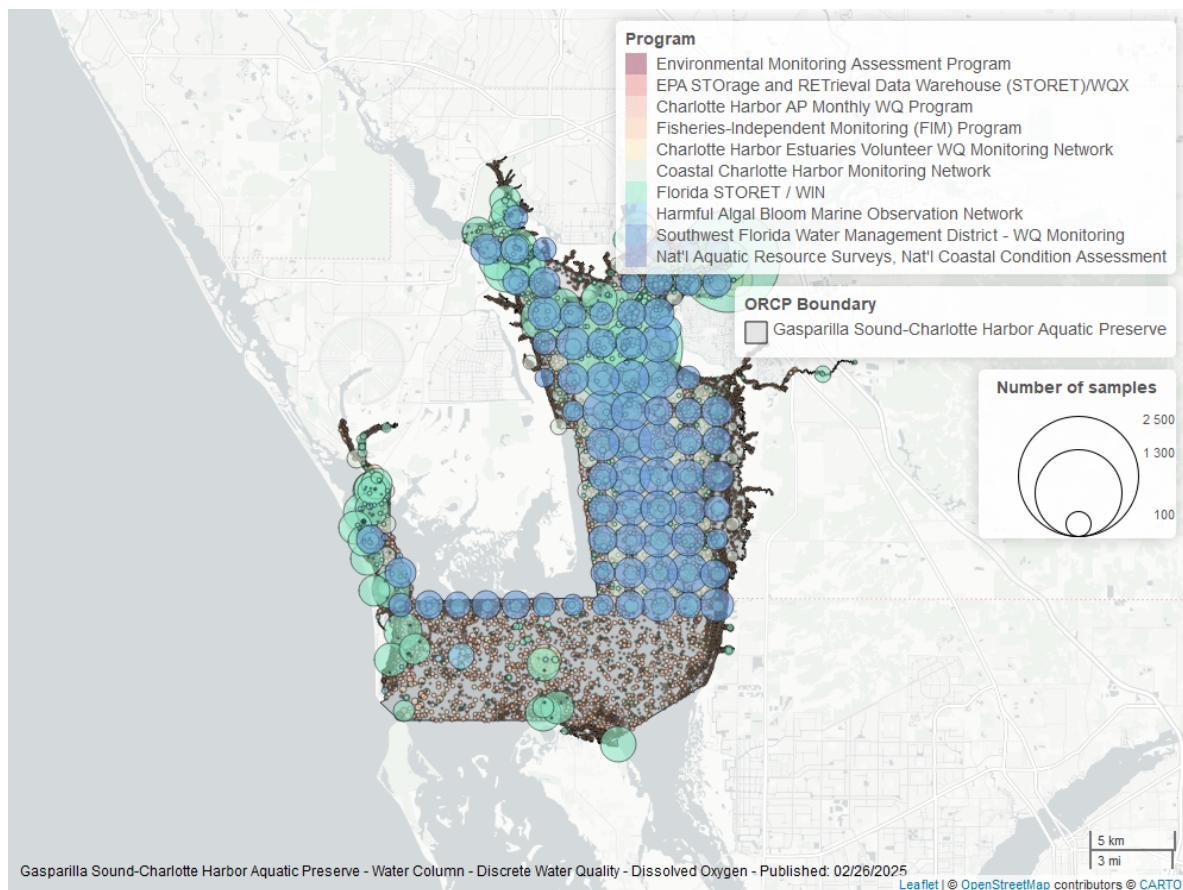


Table 3: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Dissolved Oxygen

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Field	Significantly decreasing trend	74232	37	1971 - 2024	6.55	-0.1305	6.98143	-0.01016	0.0001



Dissolved Oxygen - Continuous

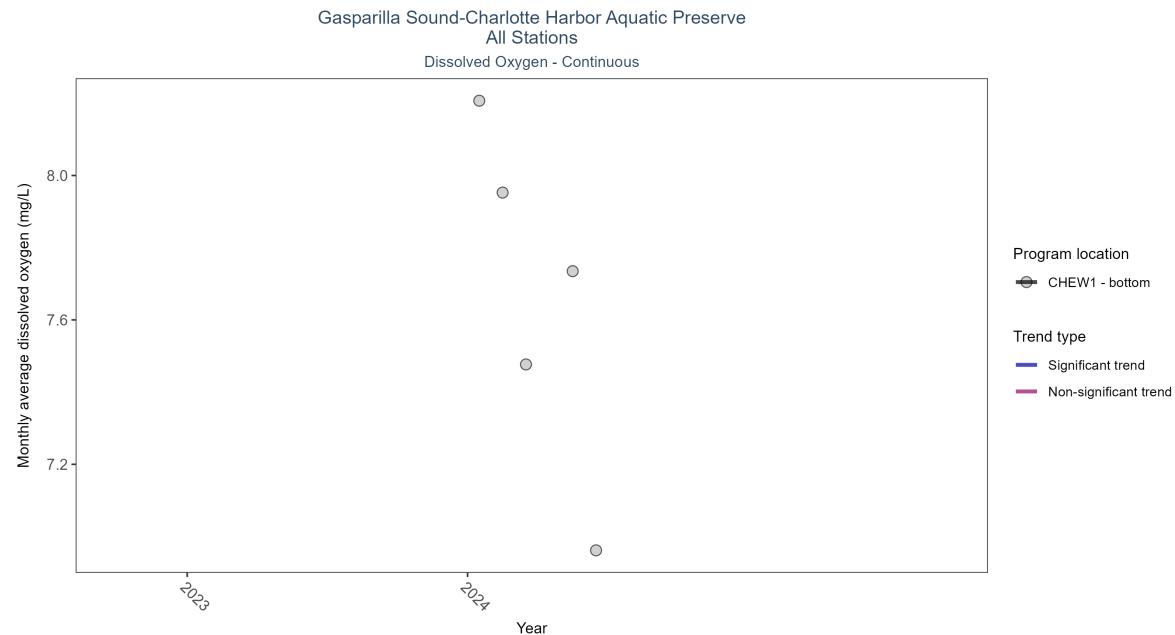
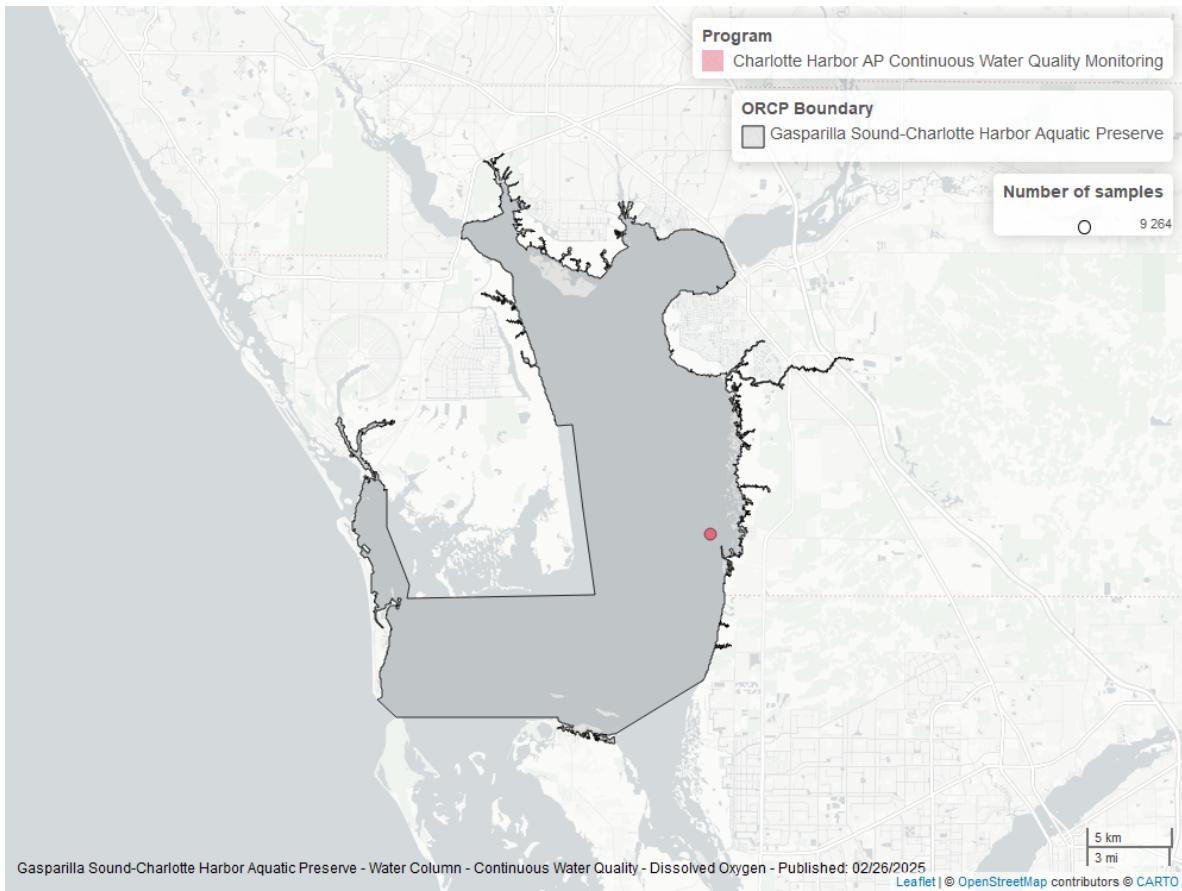


Table 4: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - Dissolved Oxygen

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	9264	1	2024 - 2024	7.6	-	-	-	NA



Dissolved Oxygen Saturation - Discrete

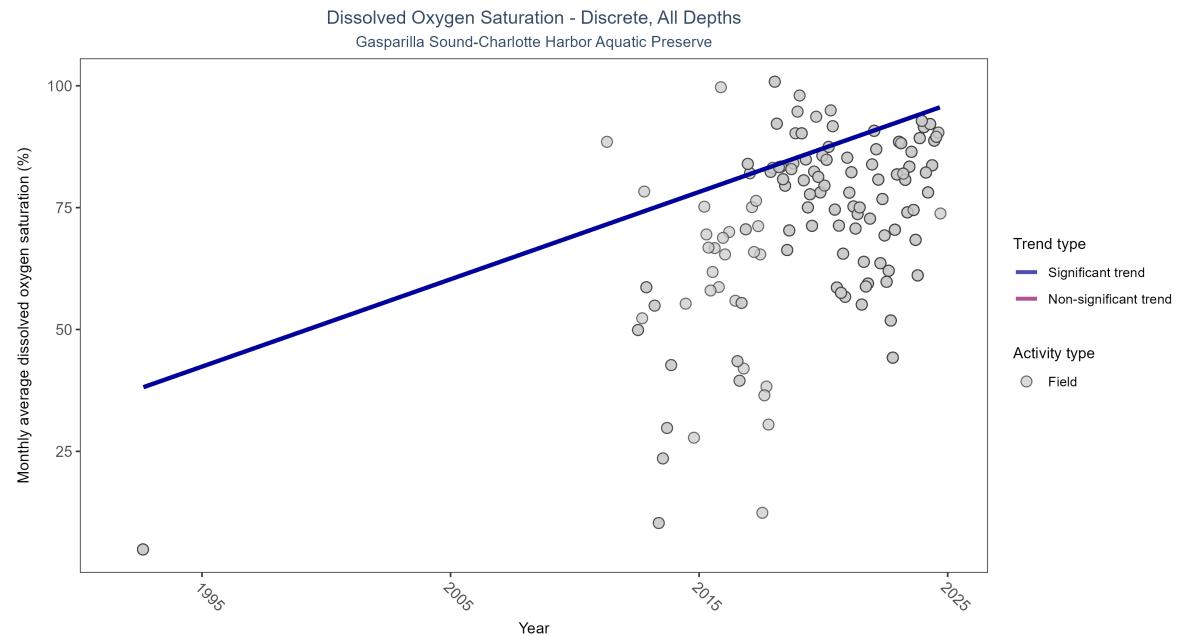
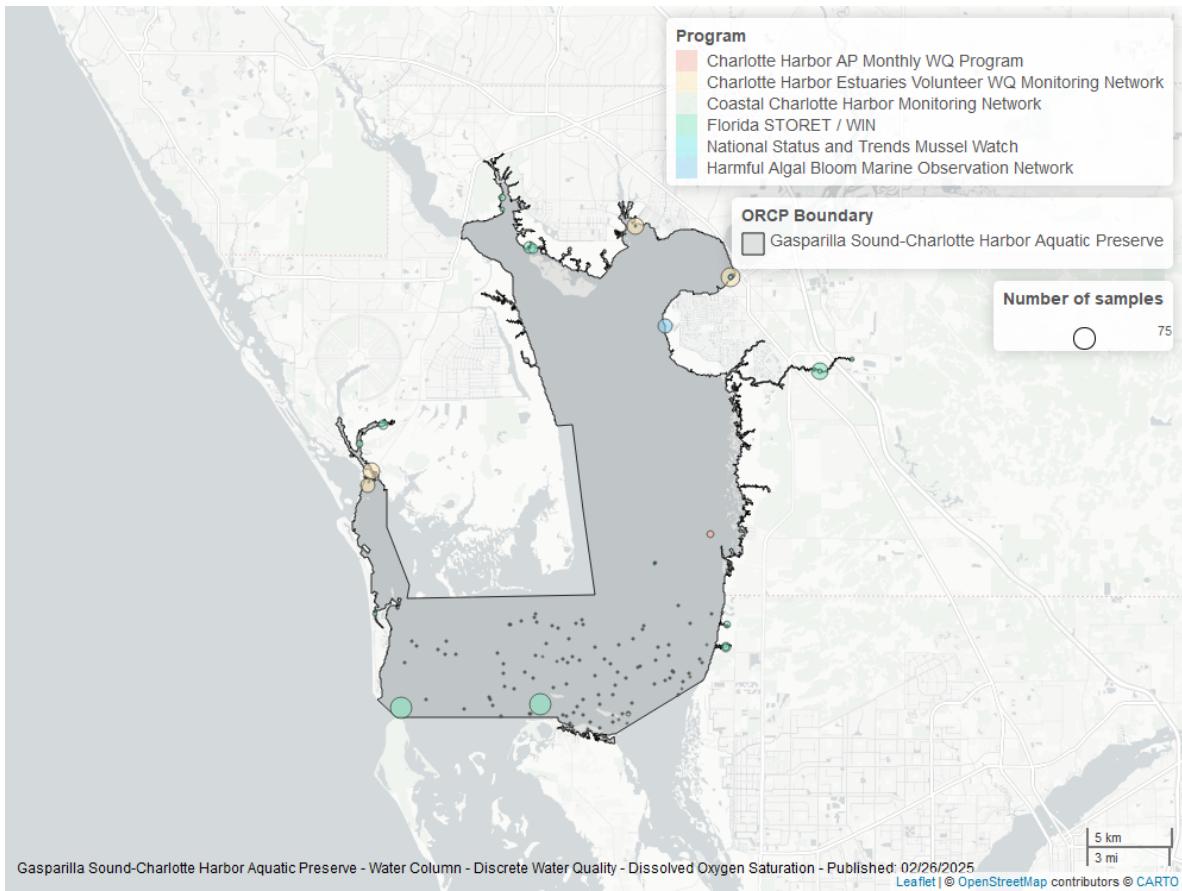


Table 5: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Dissolved Oxygen Saturation

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Field	Significantly increasing trend	772	15	1992 - 2024	82.85	0.2956	37.01412	1.79167	0.0000



Dissolved Oxygen Saturation - Continuous

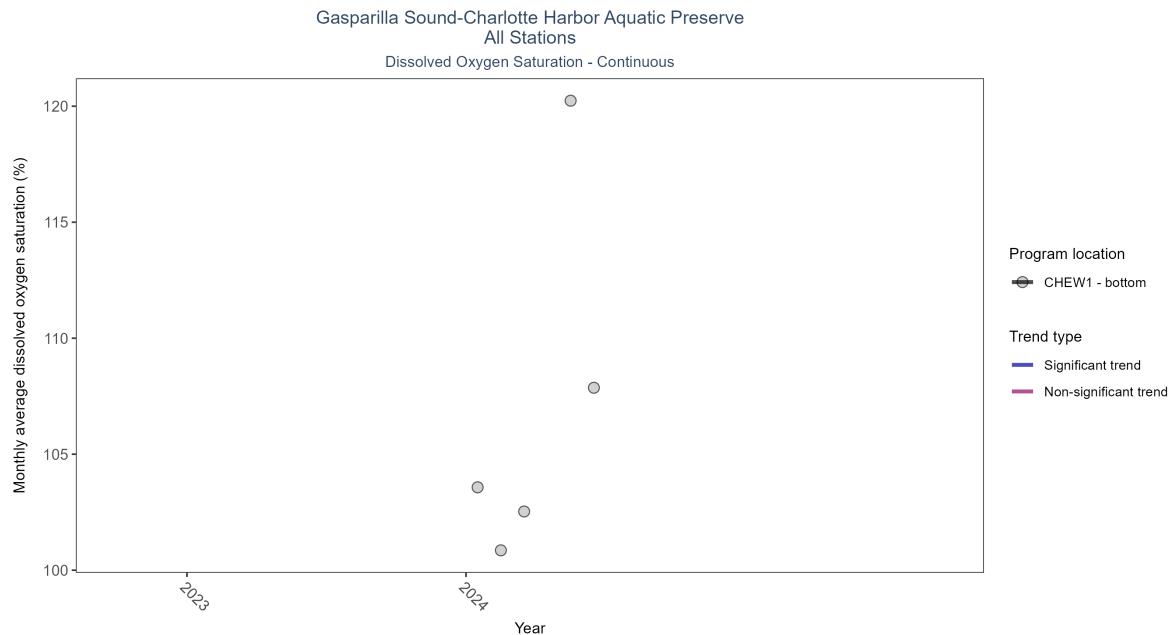
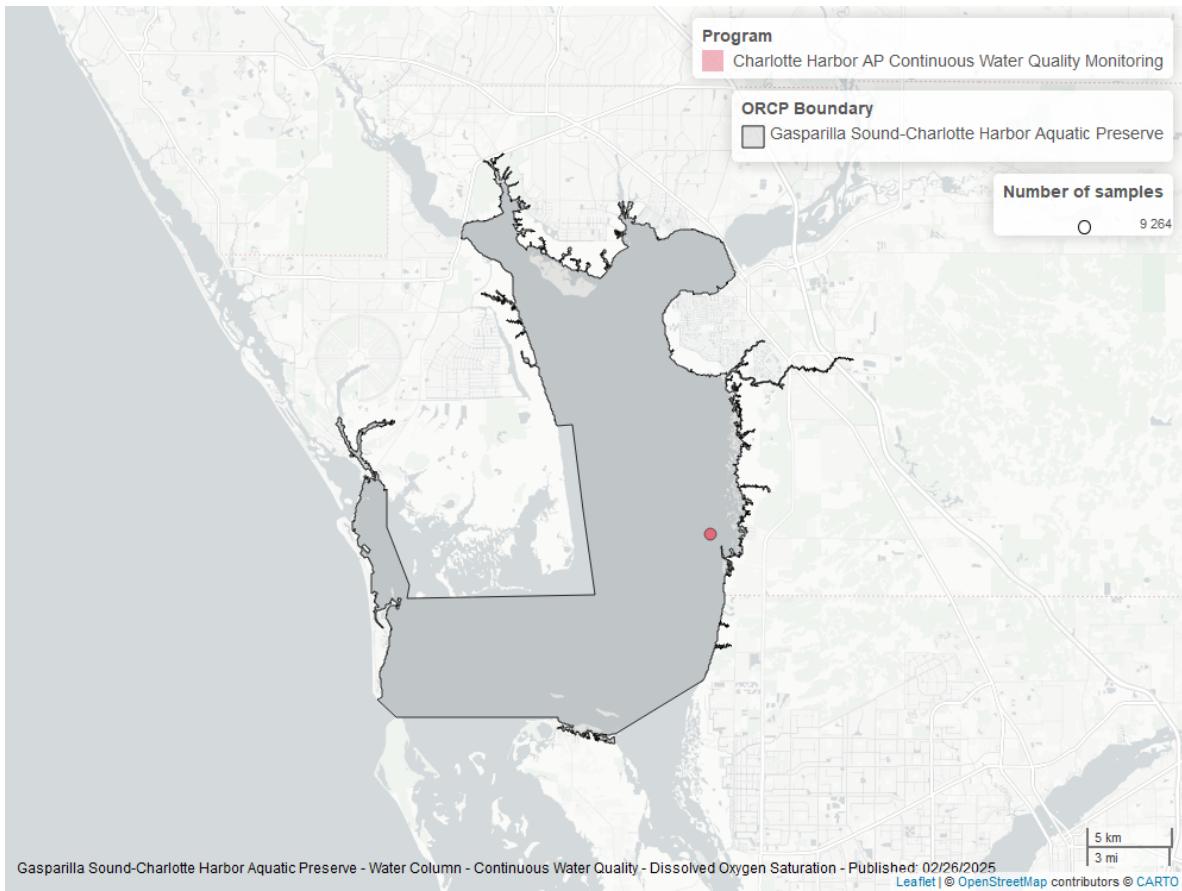


Table 6: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - Dissolved Oxygen Saturation

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	9264	1	2024 - 2024	102.4	-	-	-	NA



Salinity - Discrete

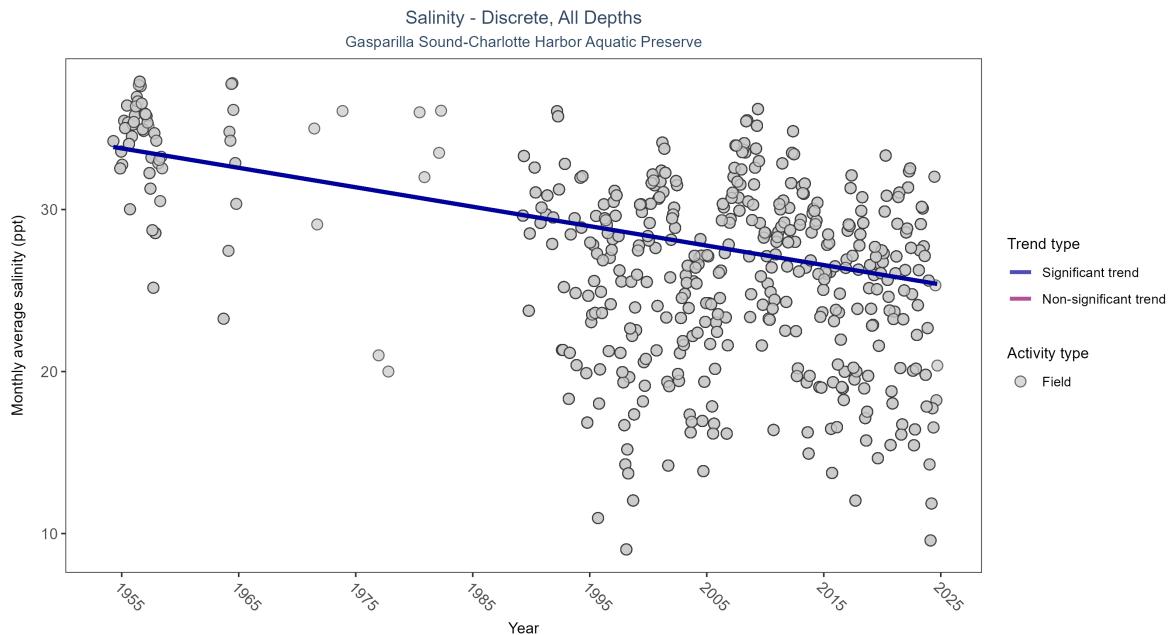
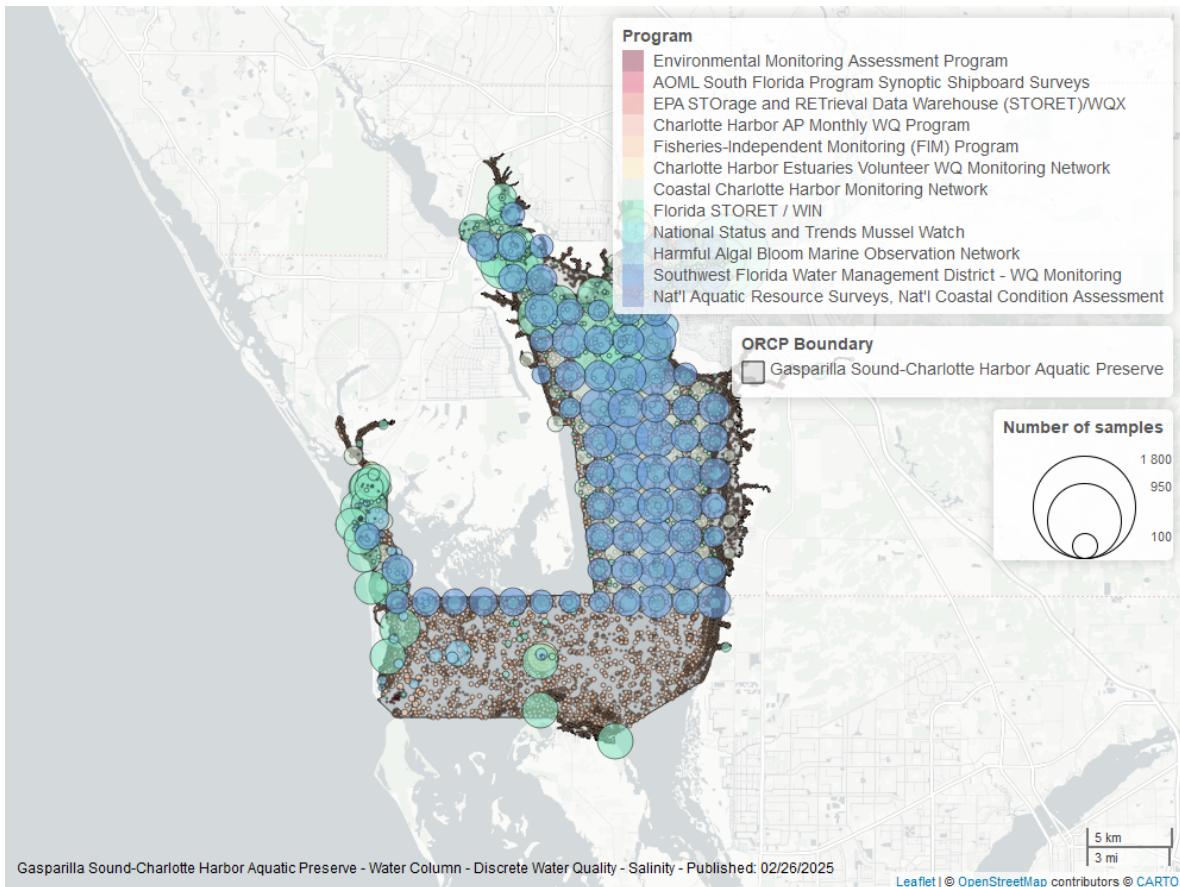


Table 7: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Salinity

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
All	Significantly decreasing trend	72763	49	1954 - 2024	26.7	-0.2941	33.89492	-0.12003	0.0000



Salinity - Continuous

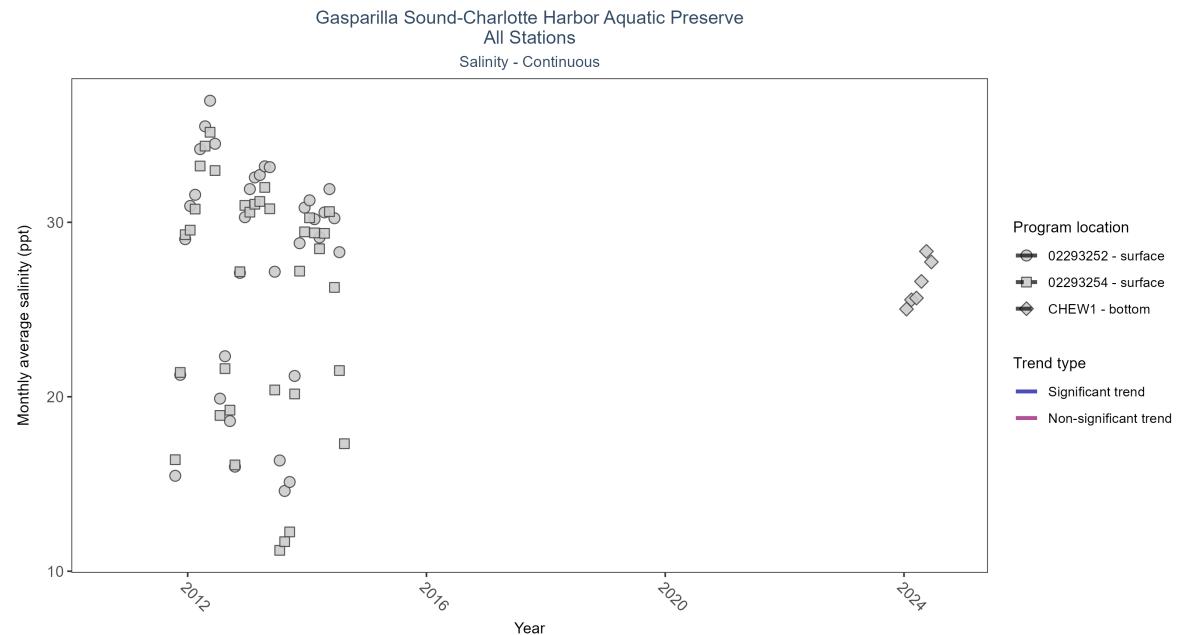
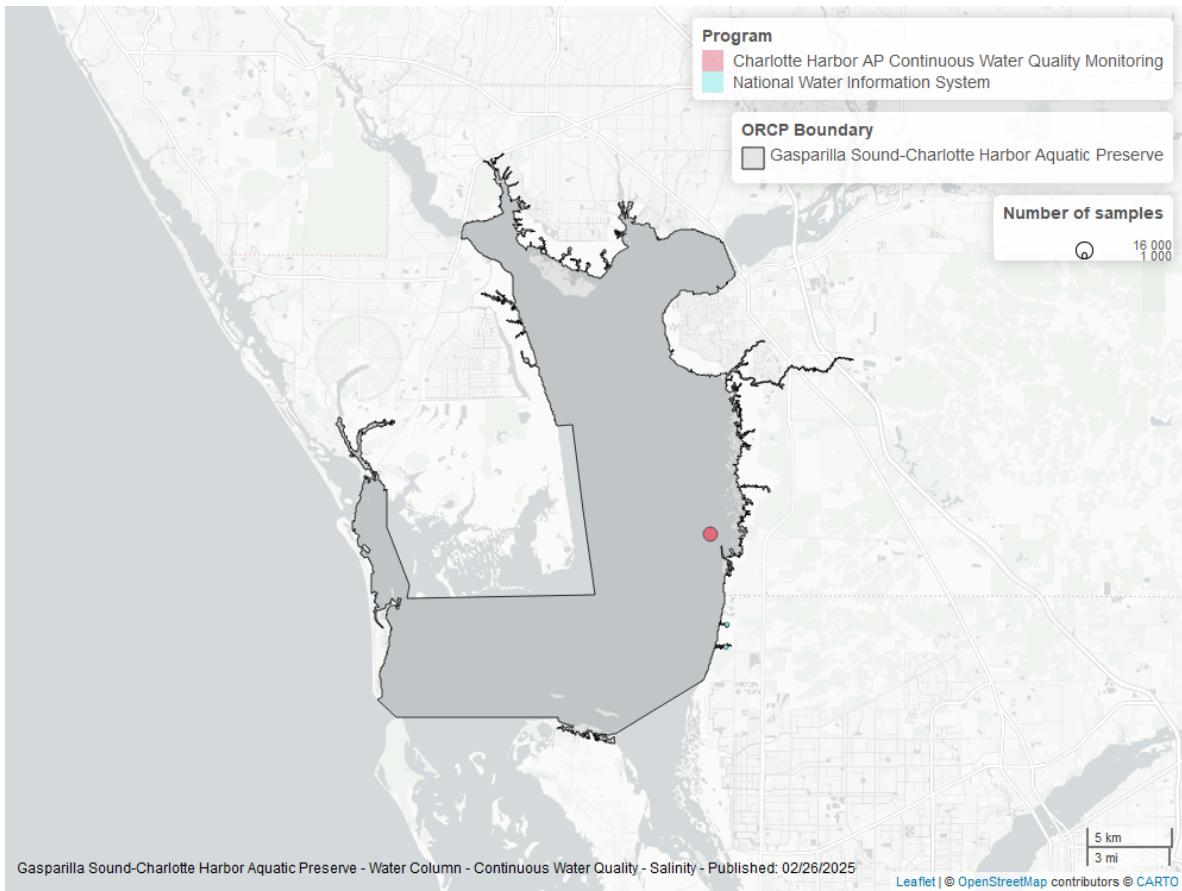


Table 8: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - Salinity

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
02293254	Insufficient data to calculate trend	1030	4	2011 - 2014	29.0	-	-	-	NA
02293252	Insufficient data to calculate trend	1002	4	2011 - 2014	30.0	-	-	-	NA
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	15209	1	2024 - 2024	26.5	-	-	-	NA



Water Temperature - Discrete

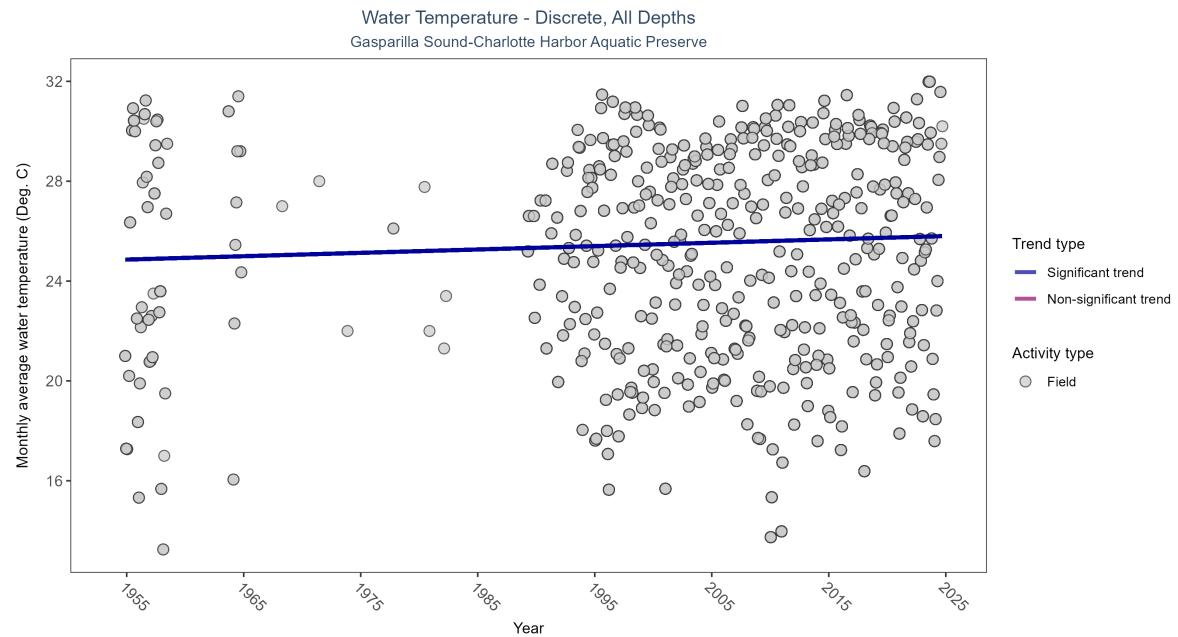
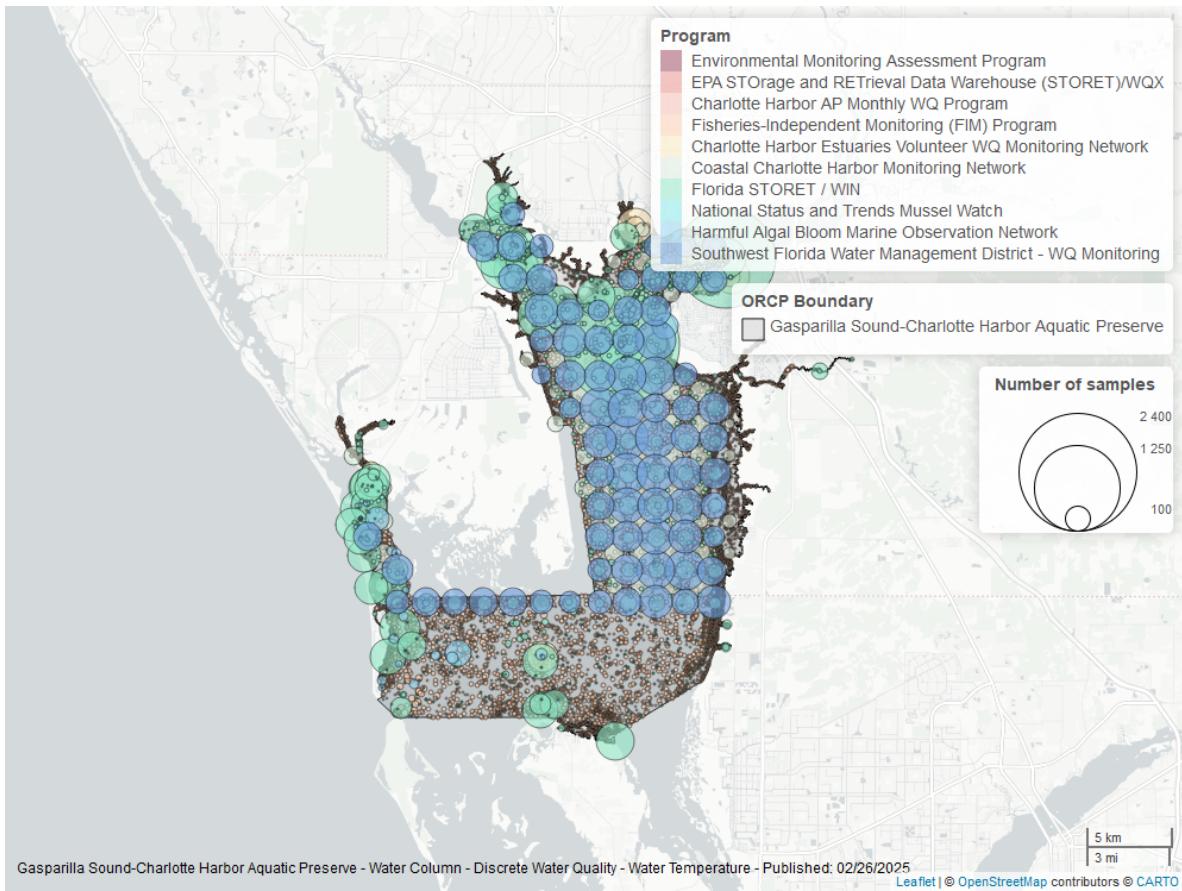


Table 9: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Water Temperature

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Field	Significantly increasing trend	75271	49	1954 - 2024	26.1	0.1235	24.84707	0.01348	0.0002



Water Temperature - Continuous

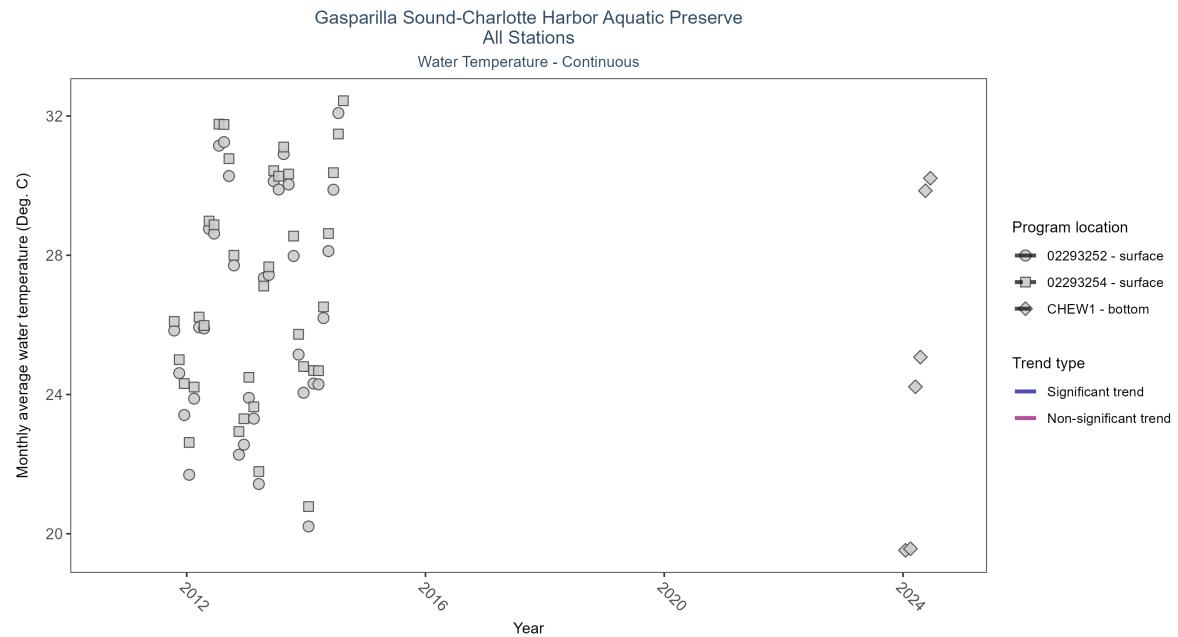
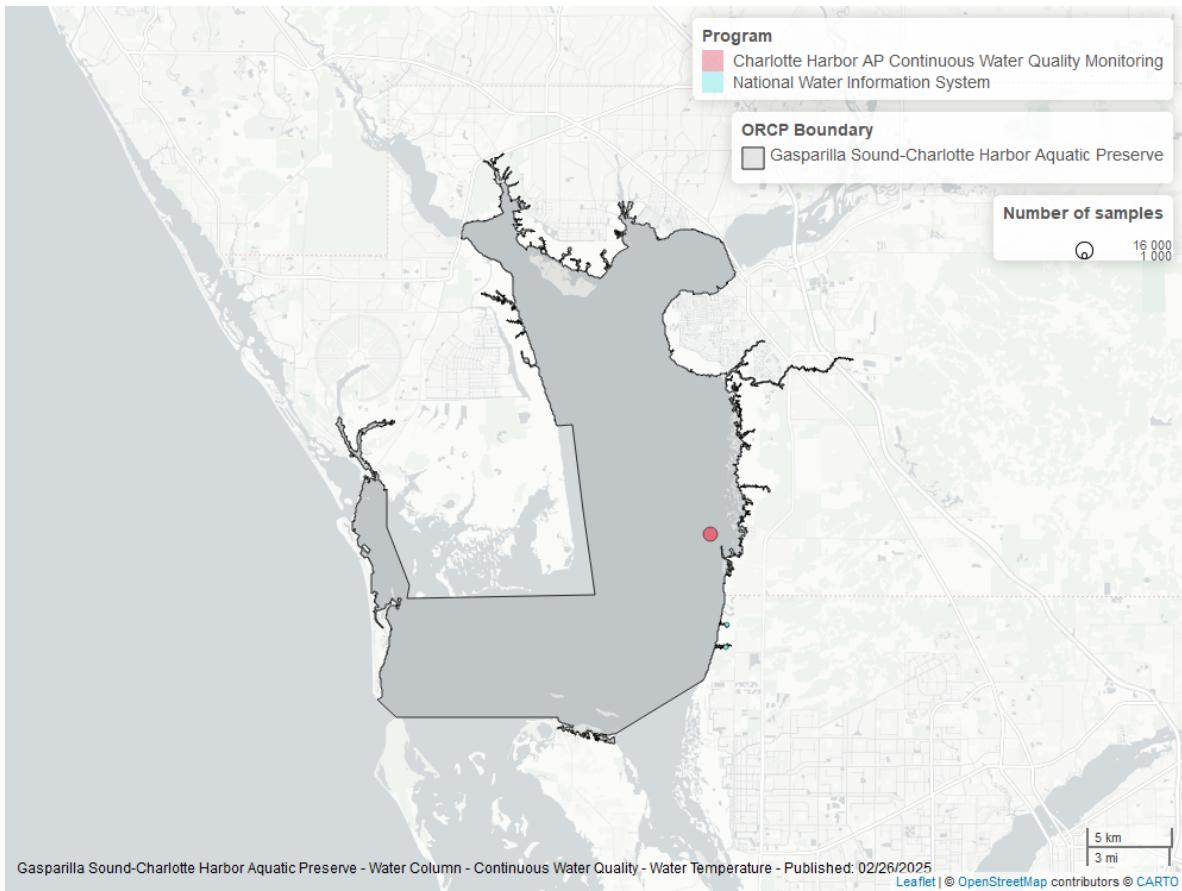


Table 10: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - Water Temperature

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
02293252	Insufficient data to calculate trend	1003	4	2011 - 2014	26.4	-	-	-	NA
02293254	Insufficient data to calculate trend	1041	4	2011 - 2014	27.0	-	-	-	NA
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	15212	1	2024 - 2024	25.5	-	-	-	NA



pH - Discrete

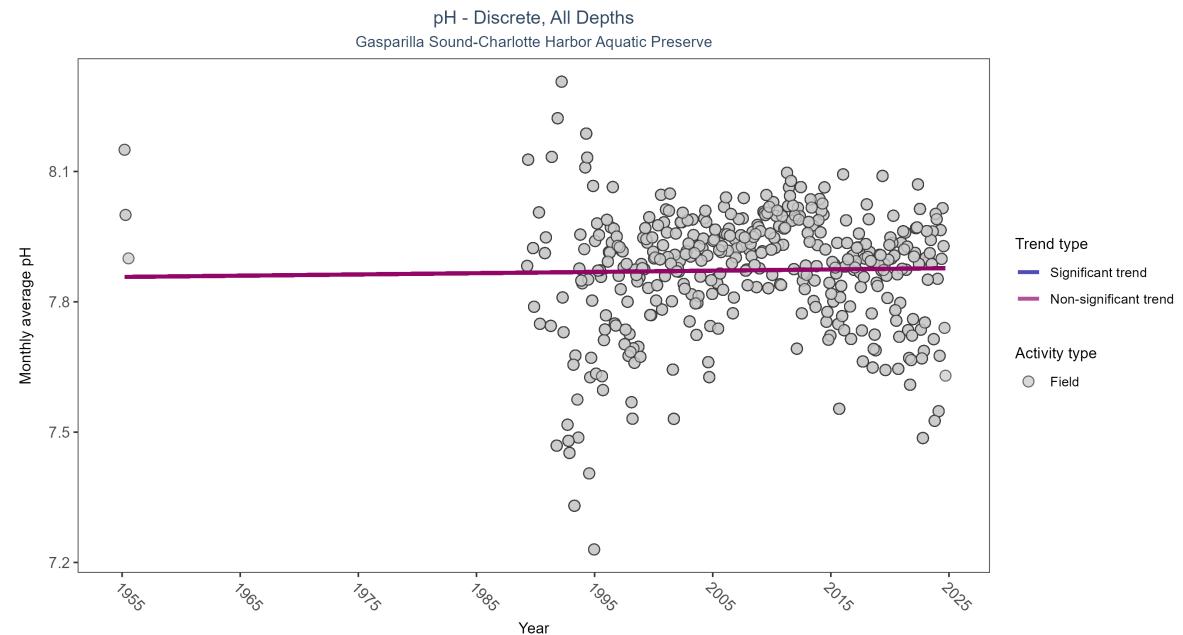
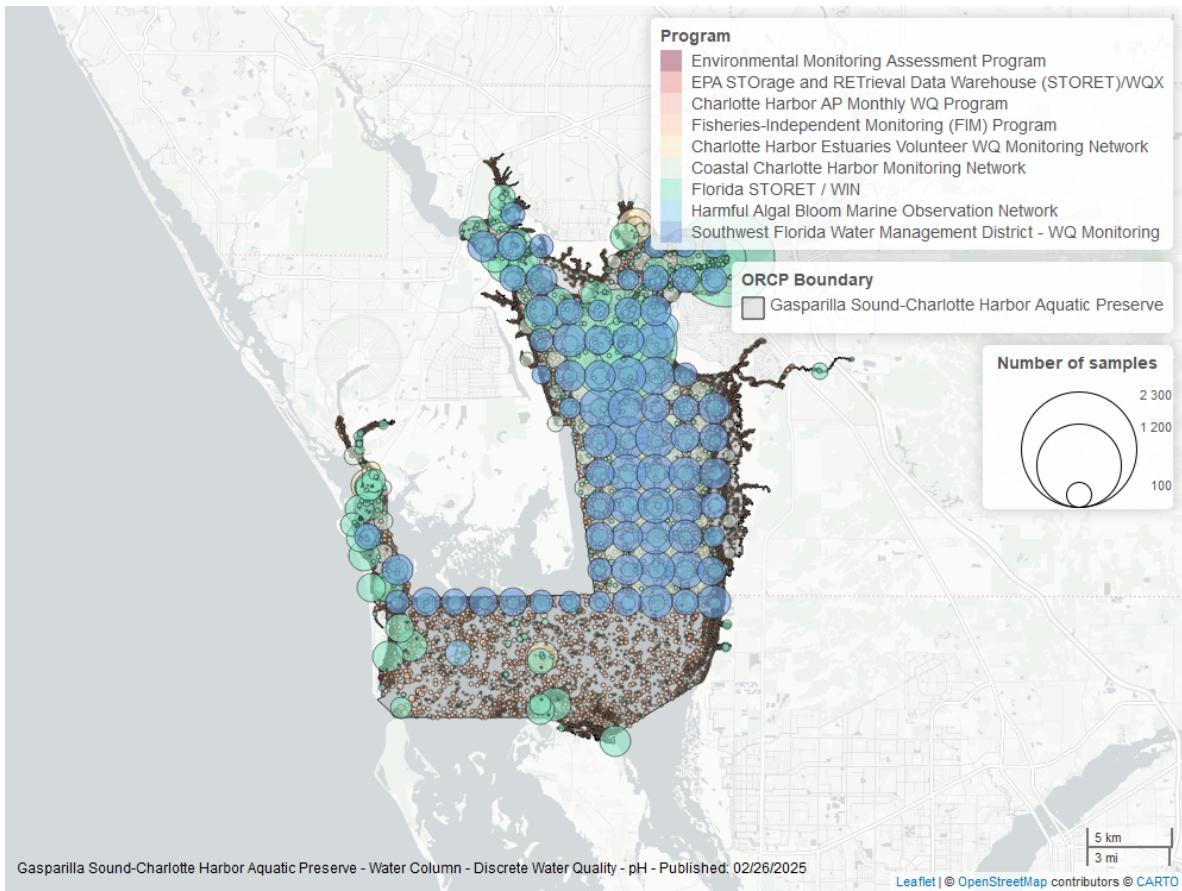


Table 11: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - pH

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Field	No significant trend	70874	37	1955 - 2024	7.91	0.0233	7.85722	0.00029	0.5543



pH - Continuous

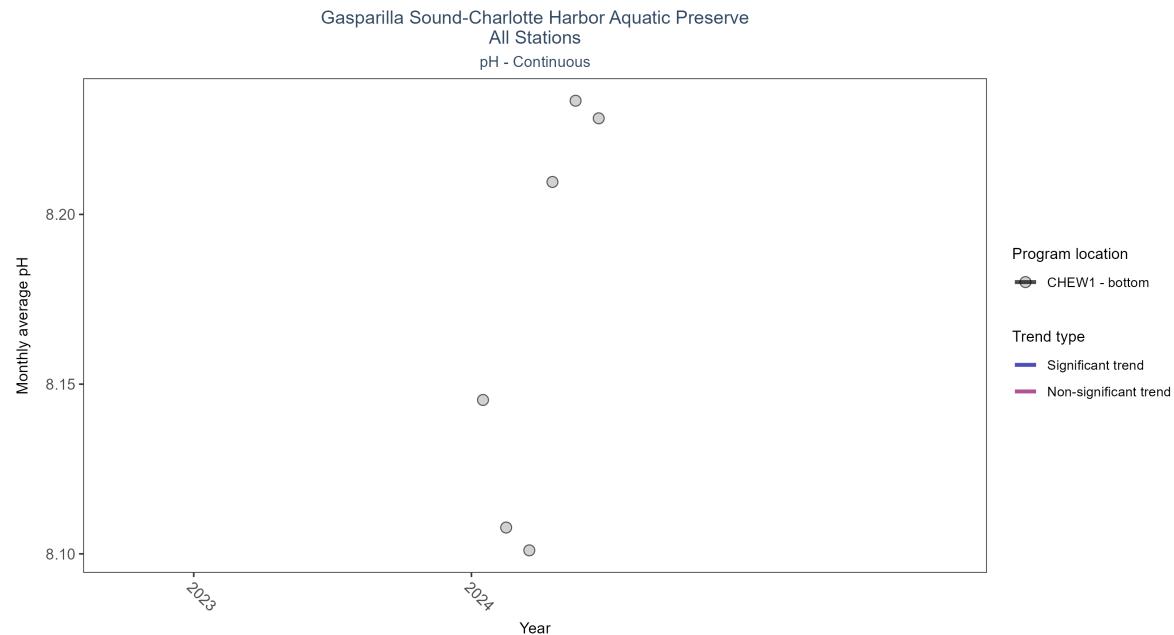
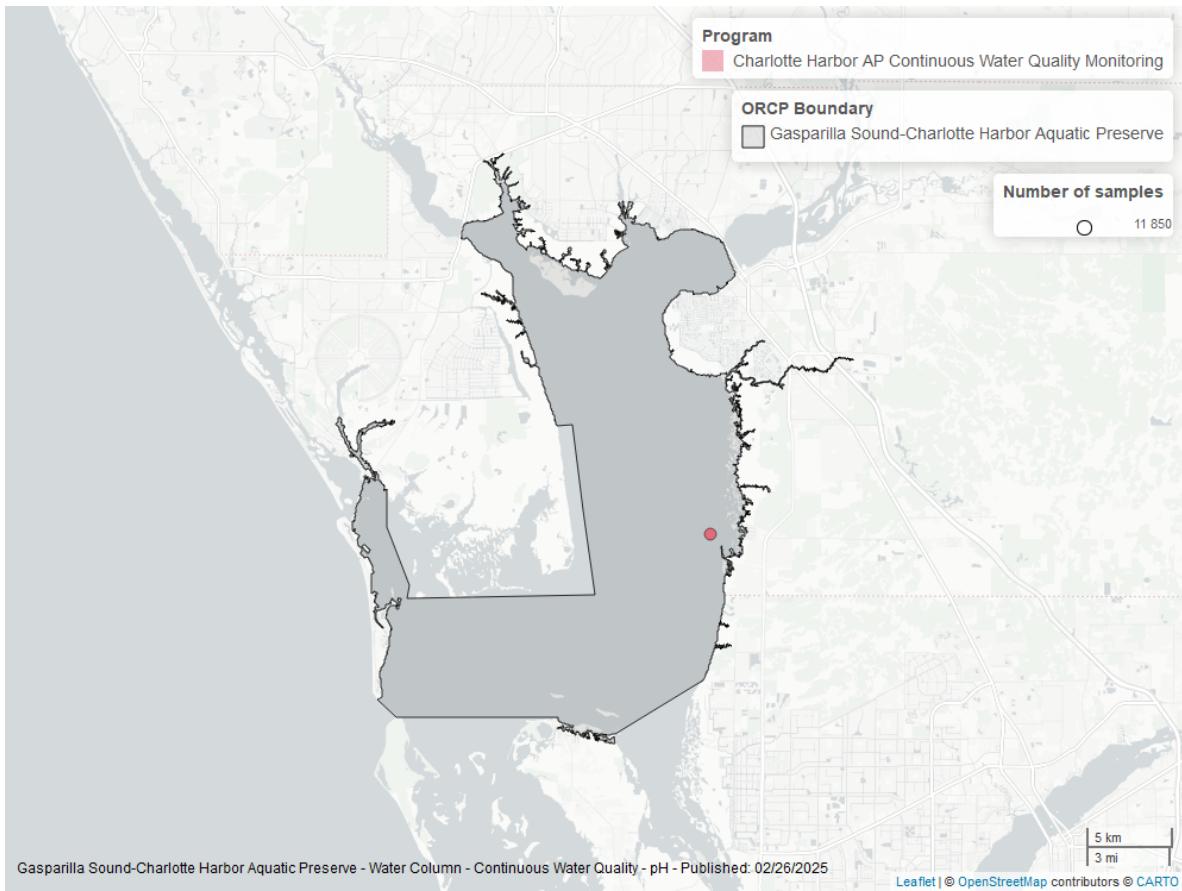


Table 12: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - pH

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	11850	1	2024 - 2024	8.2	-	-	-	NA



Water Clarity

Turbidity - Discrete

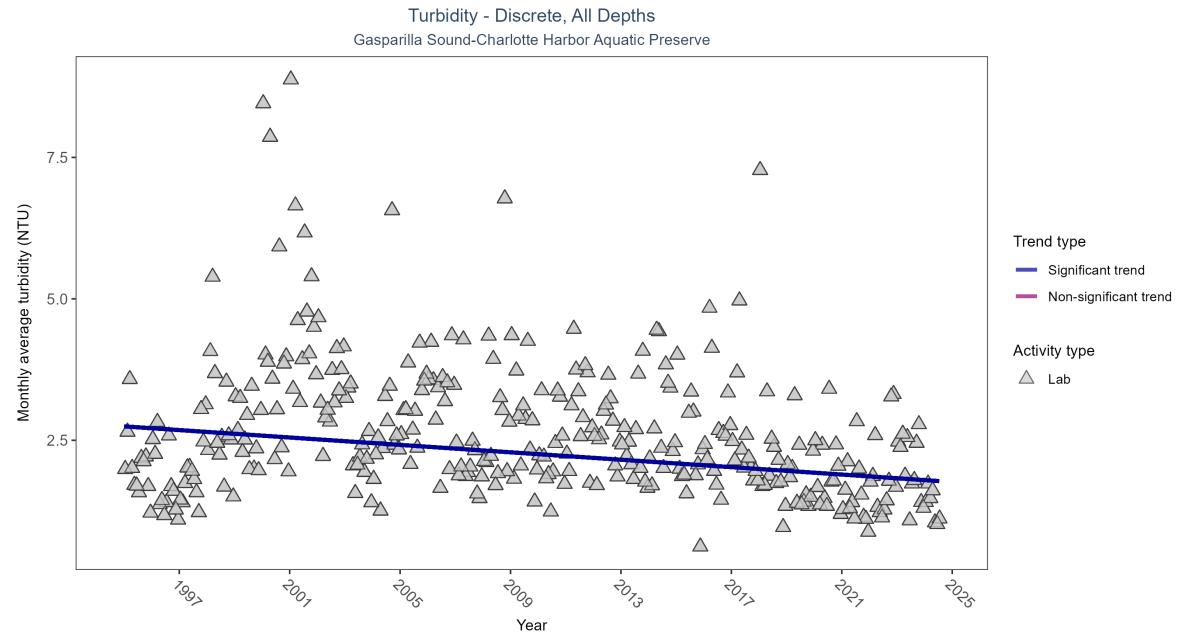
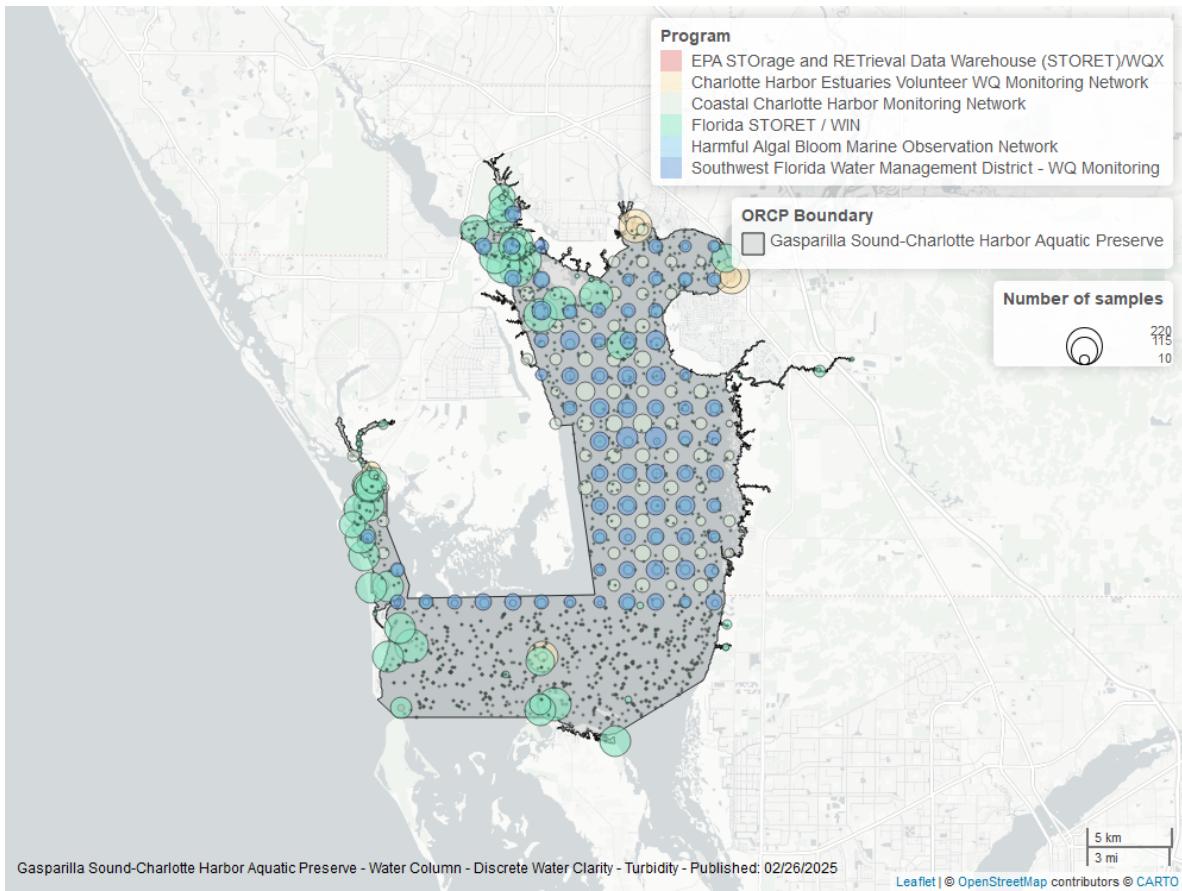


Table 13: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Turbidity

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	Significantly decreasing trend	14525	30	1995 - 2024	1.94	-0.2129	2.74568	-0.03275	0.0000



Turbidity - Continuous

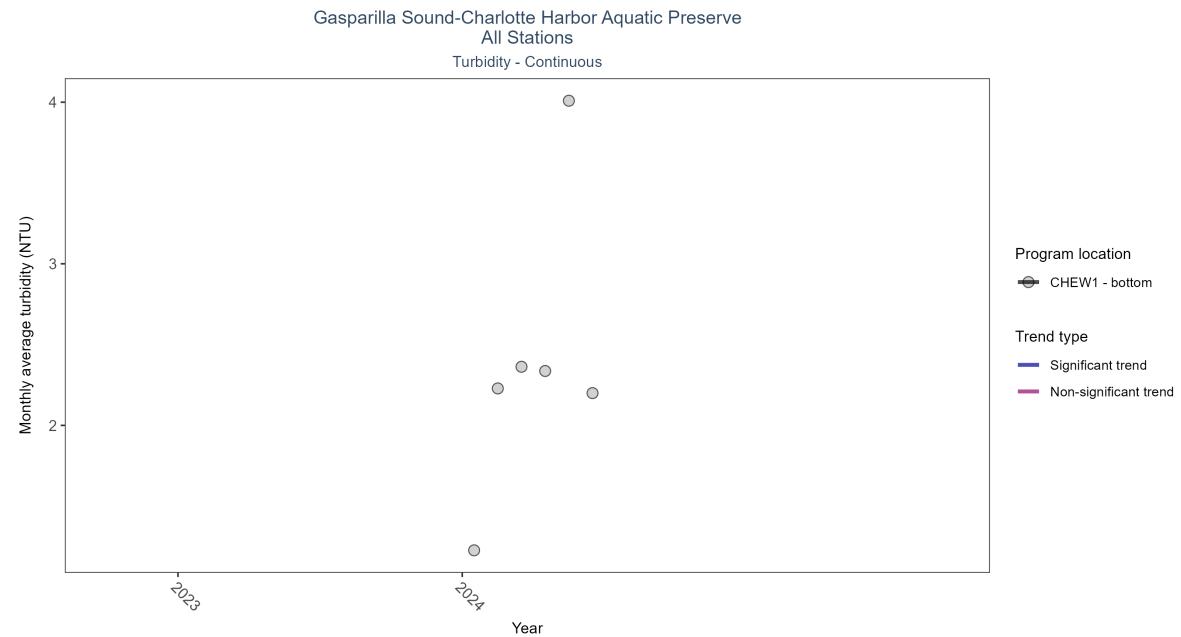
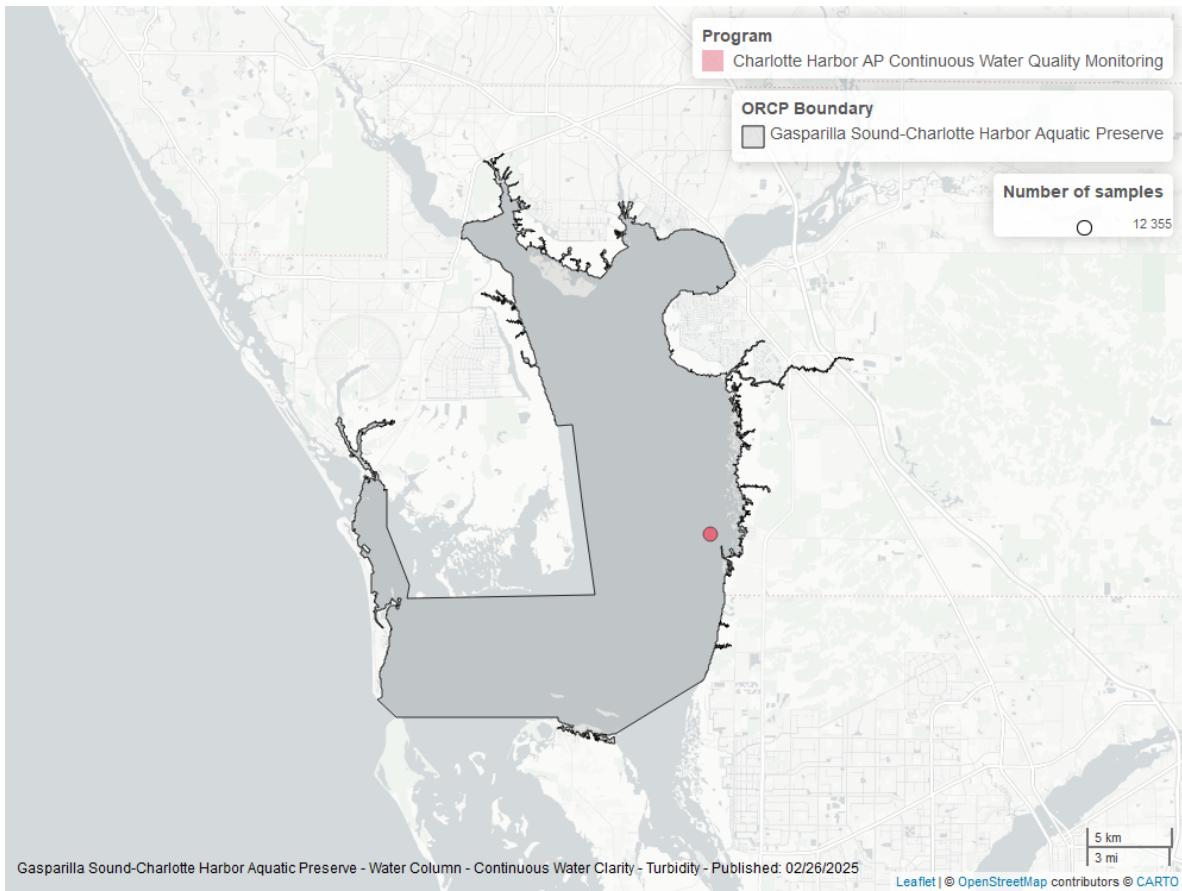


Table 14: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for All Stations - Turbidity

Program Location	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
CHEW1	Insufficient data to calculate trend	12355	1	2024 - 2024		2	-	-	NA



Total Suspended Solids - Discrete

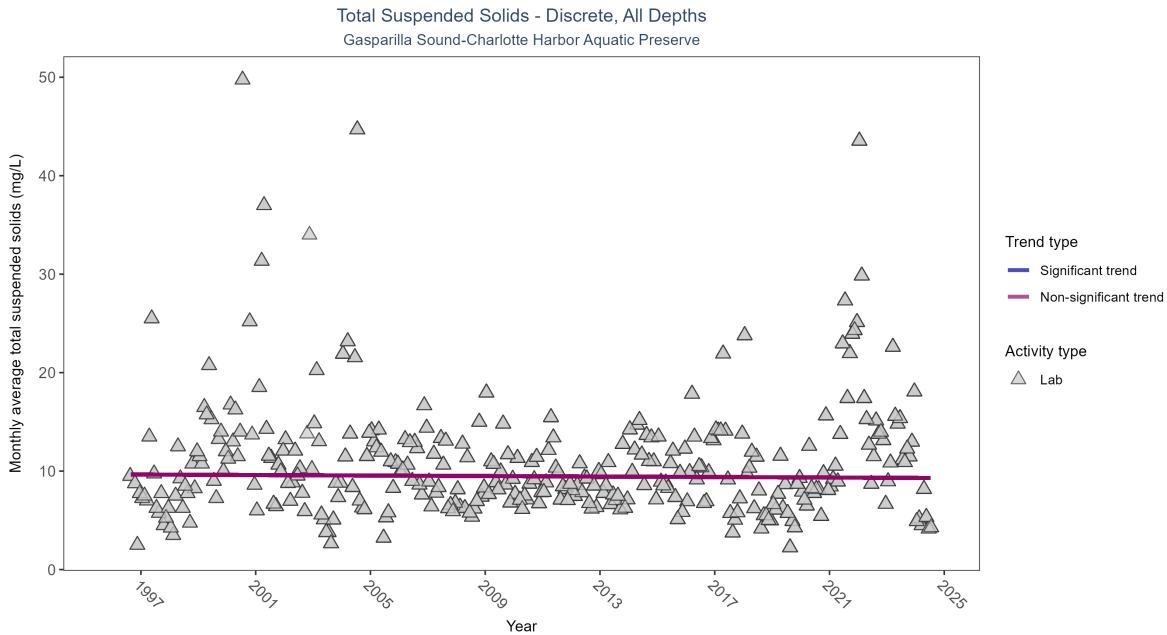
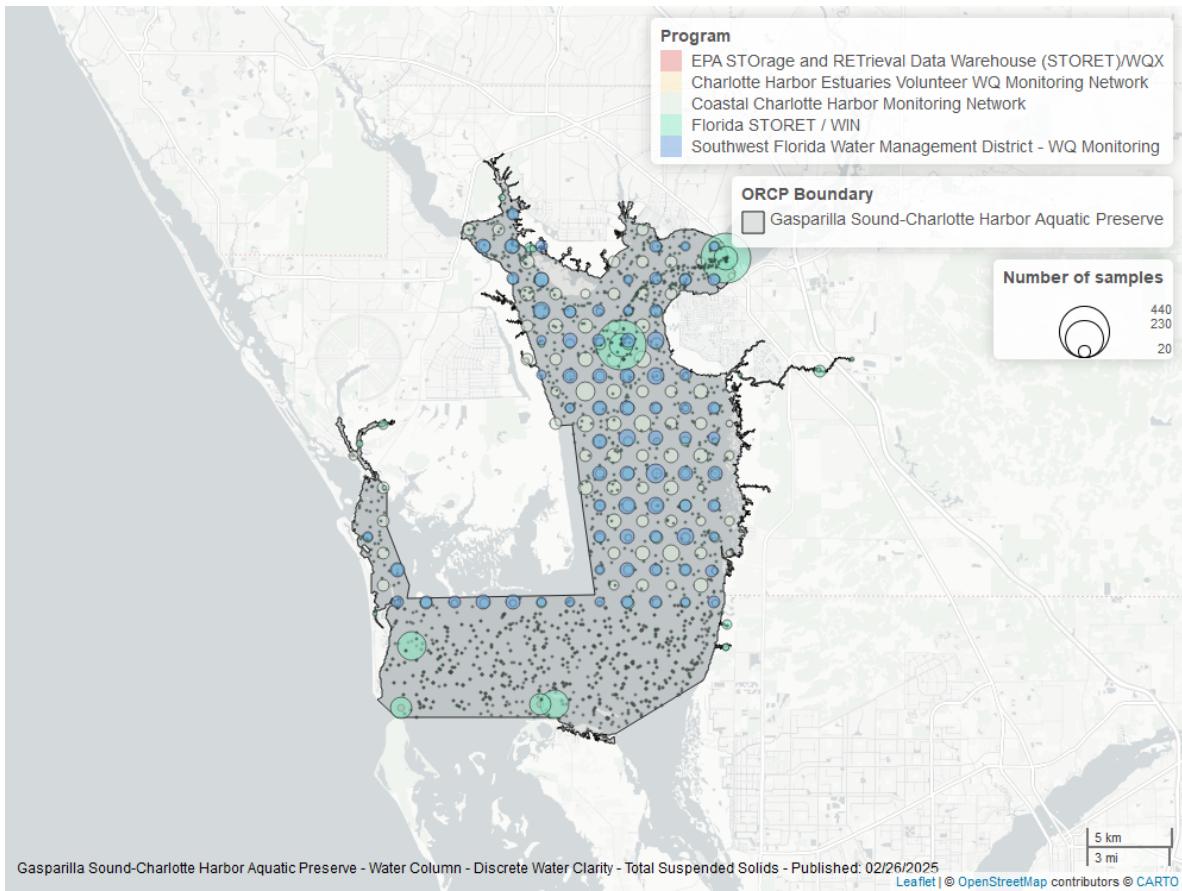


Table 15: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Total Suspended Solids

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	No significant trend	8645	29	1996 - 2024	7.2	-0.0144	9.66303	-0.01267	0.7031



Chlorophyll a, Uncorrected for Pheophytin - Discrete

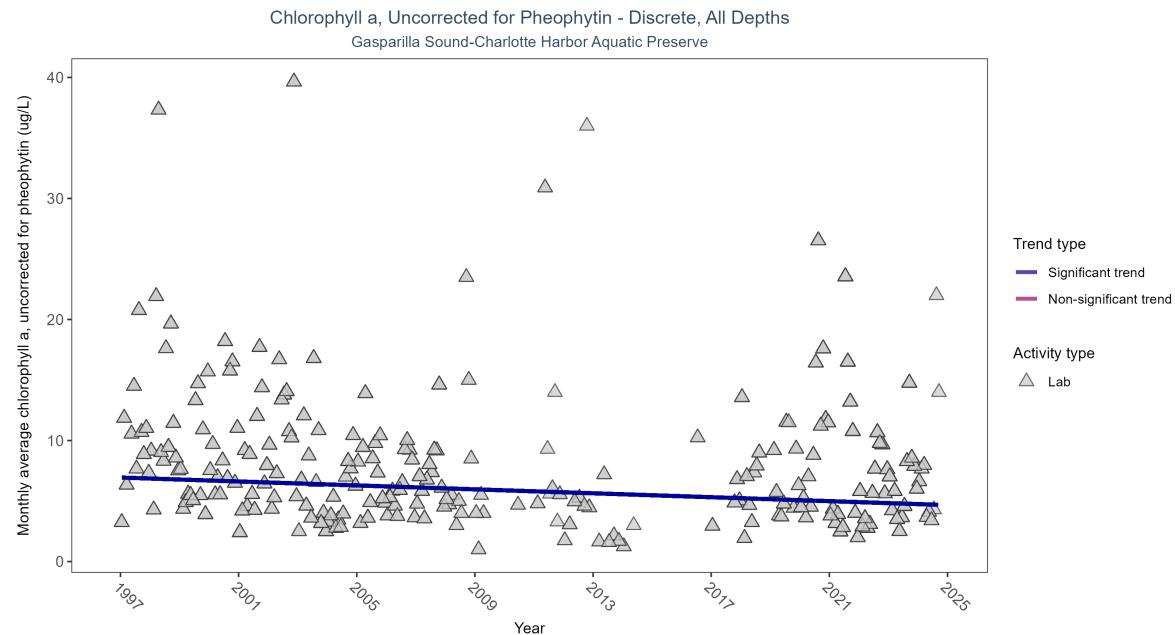
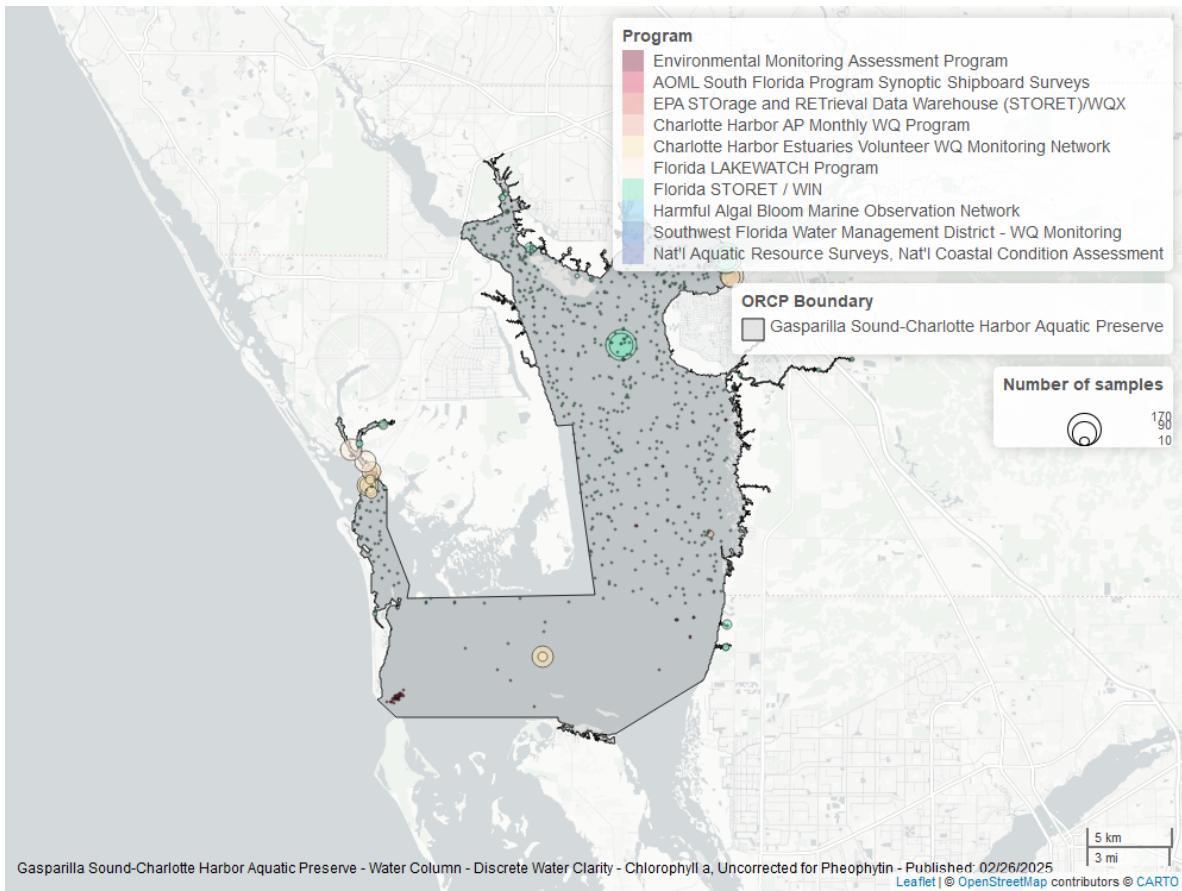


Table 16: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Chlorophyll a, Uncorrected for Pheophytin

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	Significantly decreasing trend	2482	27	1997 - 2024	4.72	-0.1678	6.94034	-0.08129	0.0003



Chlorophyll a, Corrected for Pheophytin - Discrete

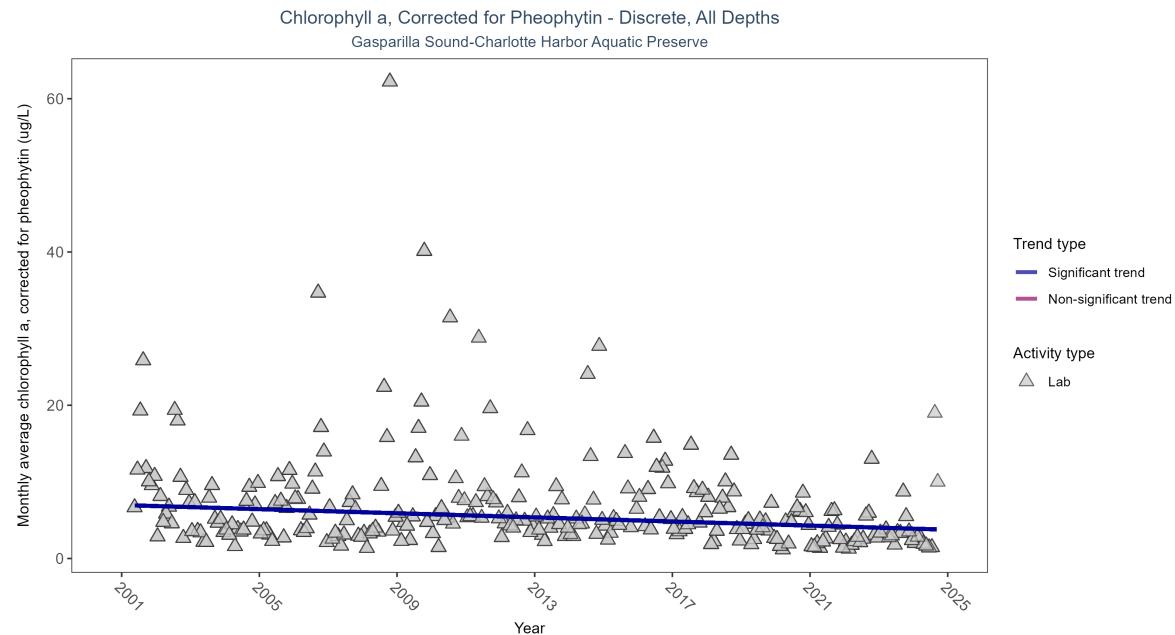
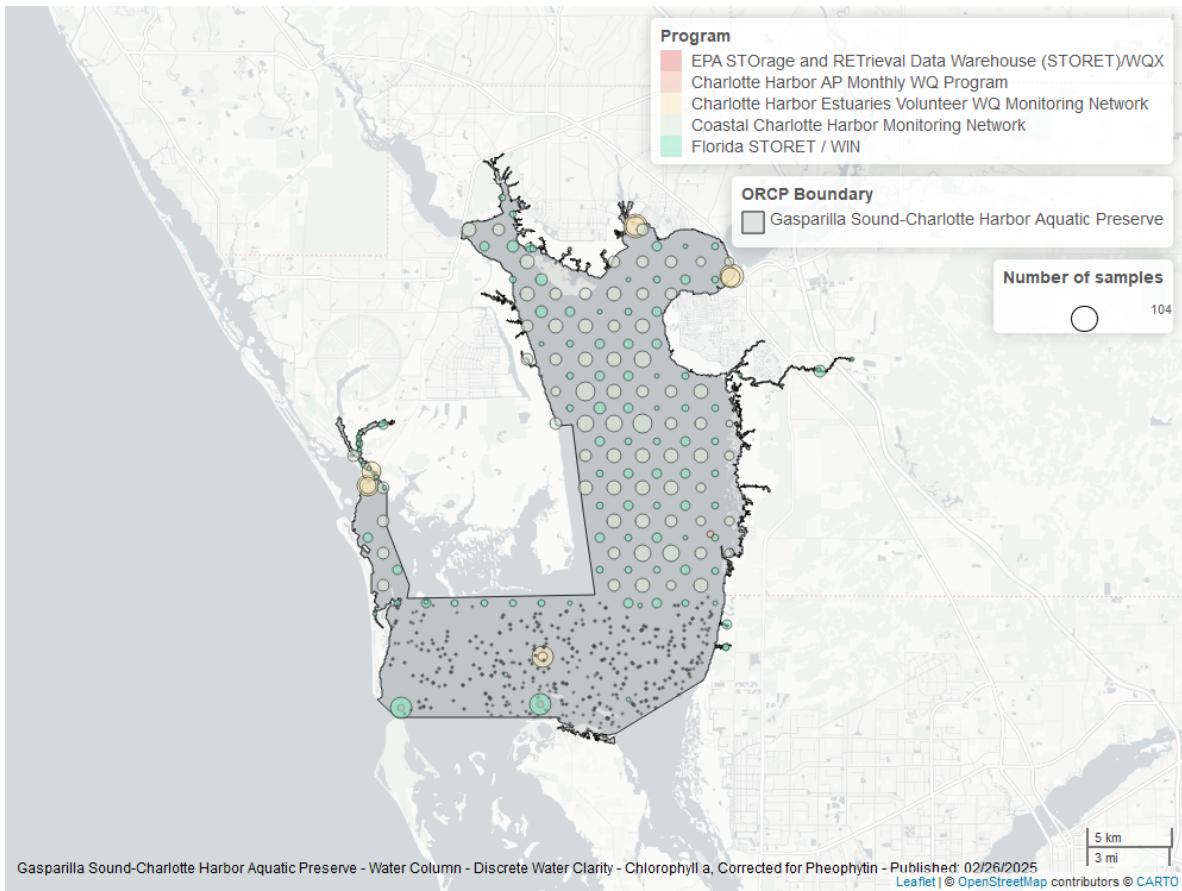


Table 17: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Chlorophyll a, Corrected for Pheophytin

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	Significantly decreasing trend	4501	24	2001 - 2024	3.74	-0.2458	6.97634	-0.1341	0.0000



Secchi Depth - Discrete

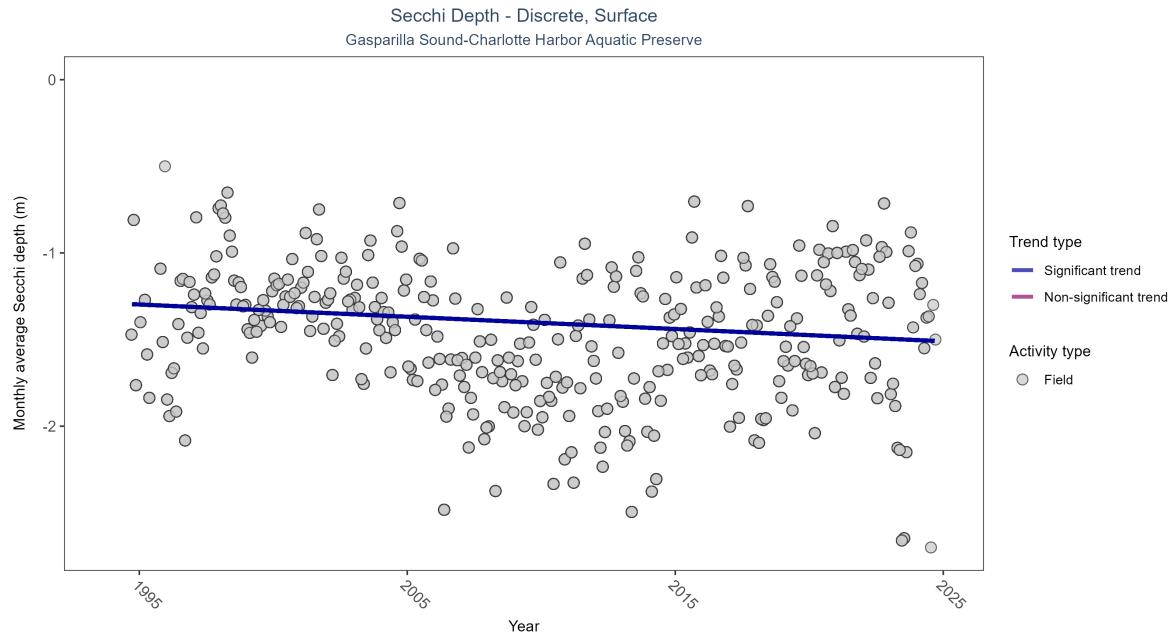
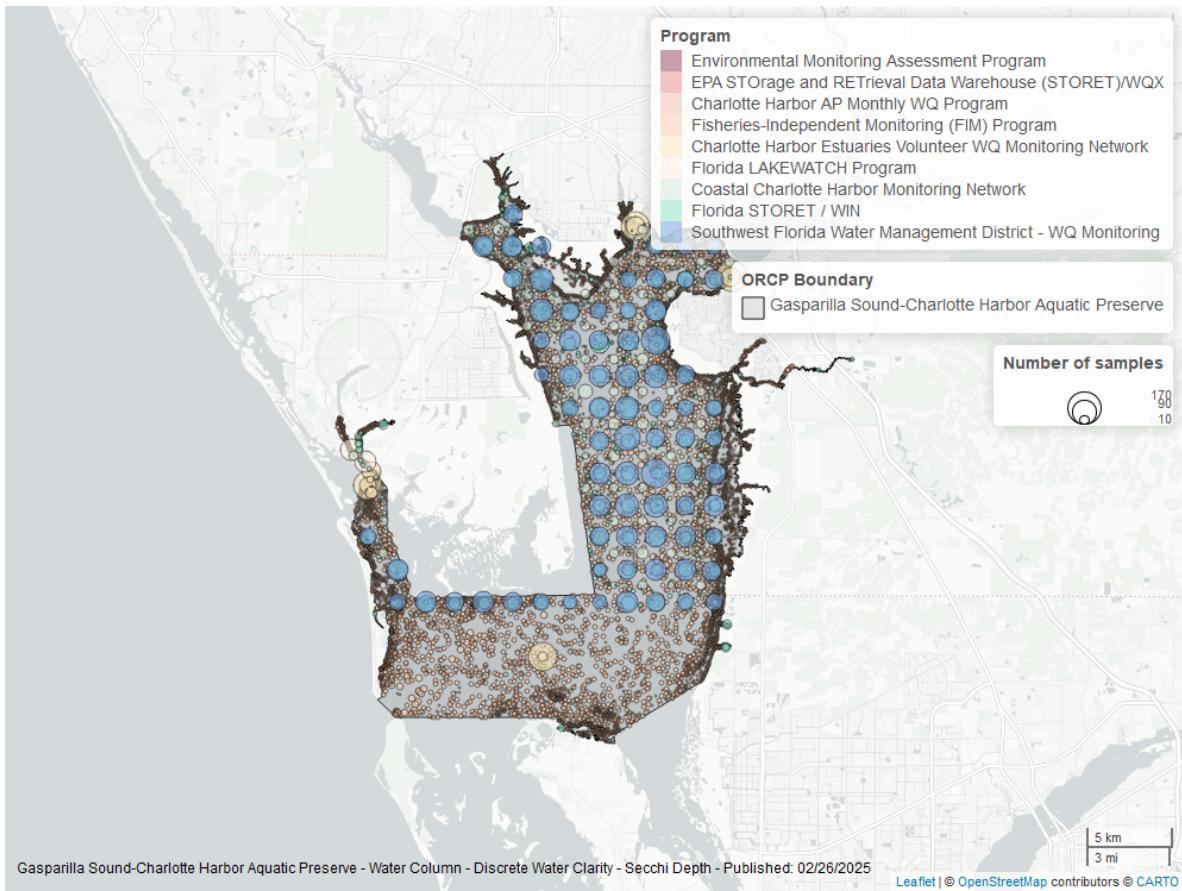


Table 18: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Secchi Depth

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P	
Field	Significantly decreasing trend	44333	31	1994 - 2024		-1.2	-0.12	-1.29051	-0.00708	0.0015



Colored Dissolved Organic Matter - Discrete

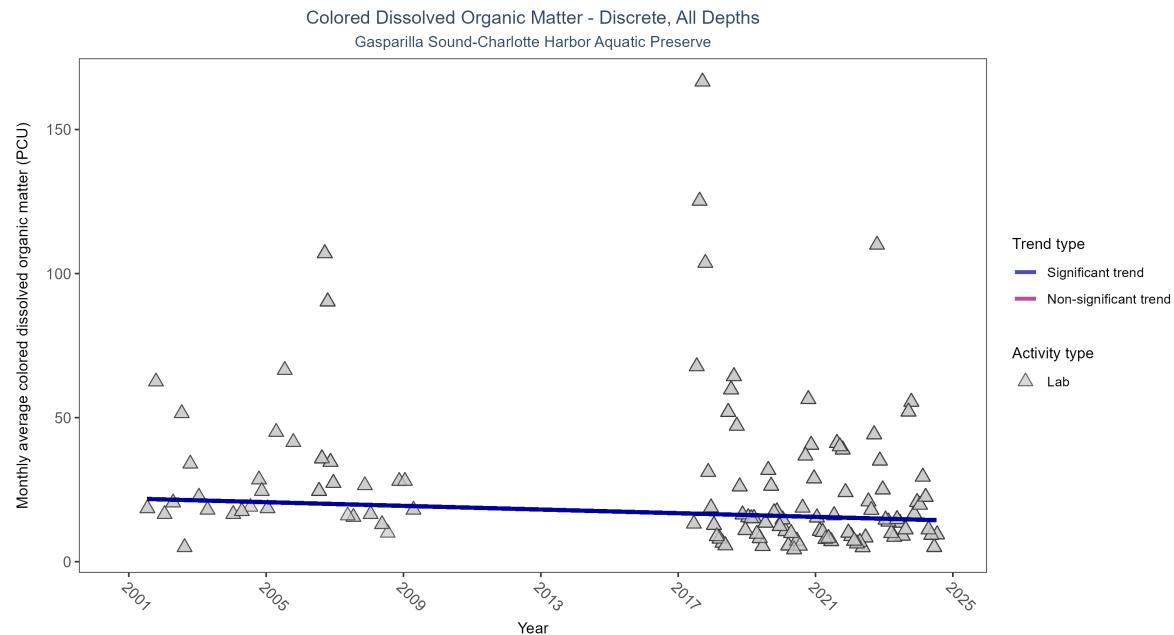


Table 19: Seasonal Kendall-Tau Results for - Colored Dissolved Organic Matter

Activity Type	Statistical Trend	Sample Count	Years with Data	Period of Record	Median Result Value	Tau	Sen Intercept	Sen Slope	P
Lab	Significantly decreasing trend	1187	17	2001 - 2024	13	-0.1446	21.92974	-0.31878	0.0152

