



R/V Mirai Cruise Report

MR19-03C



Arctic Challenge for Sustainability (ArCS)

Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea and North Pacific

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1. Cruise Summary

1.1 Objectives

In recent years, sea-ice freeze-up has been delayed over both the northern Bering Sea and the Chukchi Sea during autumn, causing decline in Arctic sea-ice extent in autumn and winter. The decreased sea-ice extent leads to changes in the atmosphere, ocean and ecosystem of the Arctic region that affect not only the regional but also the global climate.

The objectives of this cruise were as follows:

- (1) To quantify ongoing changes in the atmosphere, sea ice, ocean and ecosystem, including wave characteristics and the environmental chemical cycle during autumn
- (2) To understand the processes of and interactions between the atmosphere, sea ice, ocean and ecosystem
- (3) To investigate the influence of Arctic Ocean change on global climate during autumn

In addition to the above, the Multidisciplinary drifting Observatory for the Study of Arctic Climate (MOSAiC) expedition commenced in September 2019, during which year-round measurements will be obtained by the German icebreaker Polarstern. The combination of MOSAiC and our cruise provides a great opportunity to investigate differences in atmospheric and oceanographic structures between areas of sea ice and open water.

1.2 Basic information

Cruise ID: MR19-03C
Name of vessel: R/V Mirai
L x B x D 118.02 m x 19.0 m x 13.2 m
Gross Tonnage: 8,706 tons
Call Sign JNSR

Title of the cruise: Arctic Challenge for Sustainability (ArCS)
Undertaking institute: Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC)
Chief scientist: Kazutoshi Sato (Kitami Institute of Technology)
Cruise period: 27 September 2019 – 10 November 2019
Ports of call: 27 September 2019, Sekinehama (departure from port)
29 September 2019, Hachinohe (arrival in and departure from port)
10 November 2019, Hachinohe (arrival in port)

Research area: The North Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean
Research Map:

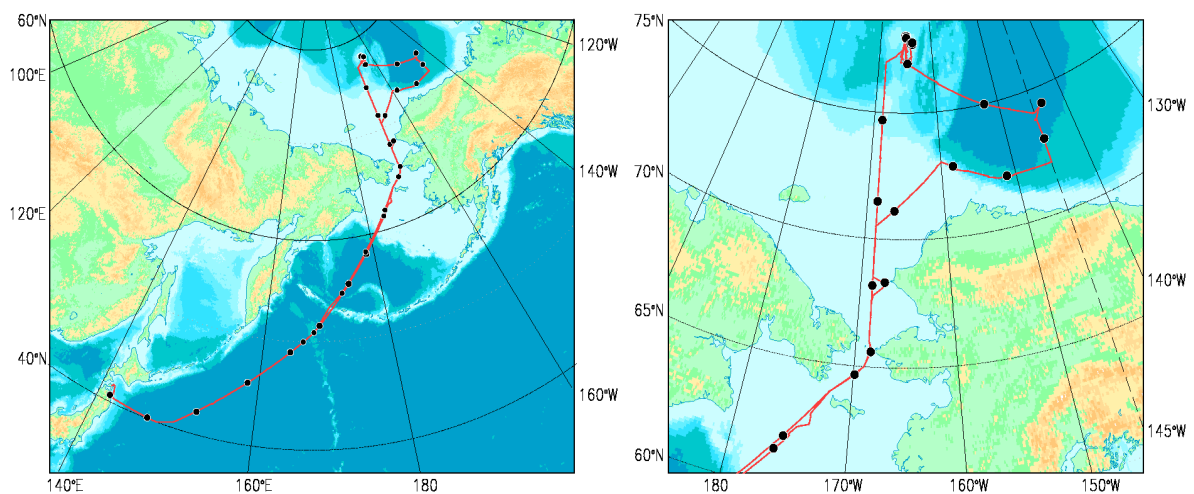


Figure 1.2: Cruise track and location points at 00UTC for each day of MR19-03C.

1.3 Atmospheric and Oceanographic Overview during the cruise

Meteorological and oceanographic observations were conducted in the North Pacific Ocean, Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean onboard the R/V Mirai from 28 September 2019 to 10 November 2019 as part of the Arctic Challenge for Sustainability (ArCS) project (Figure 1.2). During this cruise, the R/V Mirai was able to enter the northern Chukchi Sea (78.2°N) because the sea-ice extent during October in the Arctic Ocean (particularly the Chukchi and Beaufort seas) was at its lowest minimum level since 2002. Based on NCEP CFSR reanalysis data, a negative sea-ice concentration anomaly was found over the Chukchi Sea in comparison with the early 2000s (Figure 1.3-1 left). The monthly averaged sea surface temperature (SST) was abnormally high (>2 °C) over the northern Chukchi Sea (Figure 1.3-1 right) during October, suggesting that delay in freezing in the northern Chukchi Sea was likely.

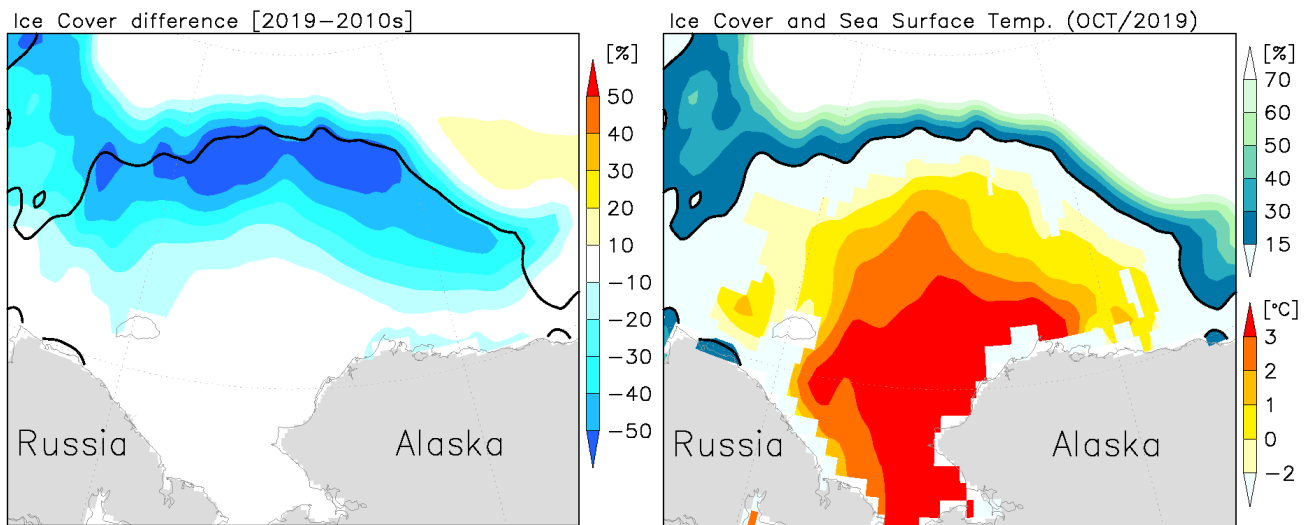


Figure 1.3-1: (Left) Map of difference in ice cover between 2019 and the 2010s during October (shaded) with ice area exceeding 15% in October 2019 (contour). (Right) Map of averaged ice cover and sea surface temperature during October 2019 derived from NCEP CFSR reanalysis data.

We performed conductivity–temperature–depth (CTD) observations to investigate the vertical structure of the ocean and to sample water across the Arctic Ocean (Table 1.3). In conjunction with the CTD observations, zooplankton samples were also collected using plankton nets. Over the southern Chukchi Sea, a Smith–McIntyre sampler was used to collect sea bottom sediments. Tethered-balloon observations were conducted to measure vertical profiles of particle number concentration, BC mass concentration and particle size distribution over the Pacific and Arctic oceans. Over the sea-ice area, surface temperature and the distribution of sea ice were monitored by drone observations. To measure wave heights and upper-ocean currents, drifting buoys were deployed over the Canada Basin and near Barrow.

Following wave buoy deployments over ice-free and ice-covered regions in the Canada Basin on 13 October, we performed a daily repeat section over the northern Chukchi Sea (Figure 1.3-2). This repeat section included stations in the marginal ice zone (MIZ) and in the open-water zone. Each day, we had one station in the MIZ and three–four stations in the open-water zone. The position of the MIZ station varied daily due to sea-ice advance/retreat. During the period of the repeat section, CTD, plankton and cloud particle sensor (CPS) observations were conducted in the open-water area during nighttime every day. Tethered-balloon and drone observations were performed over the MIZ when the wind speed was weaker than approximately 5 m/s. Radiosonde observations were conducted at 6-h intervals.

Repeat section

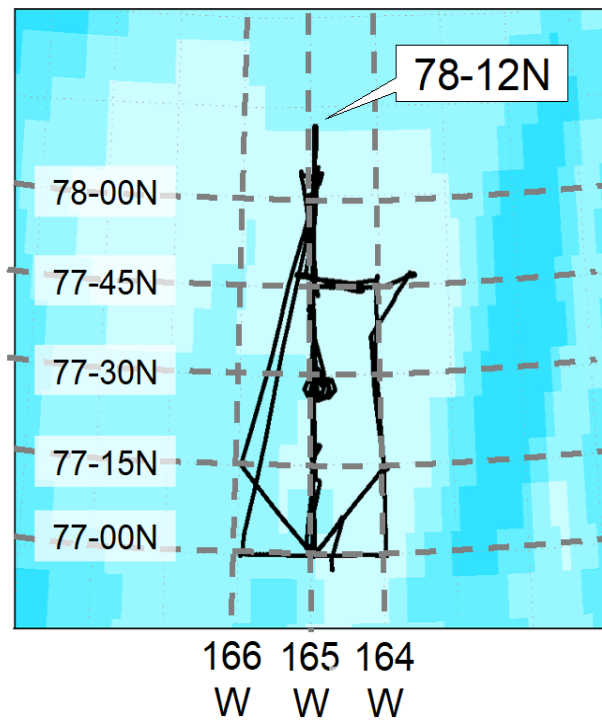


Figure 1.3-2: Map of repeat section.

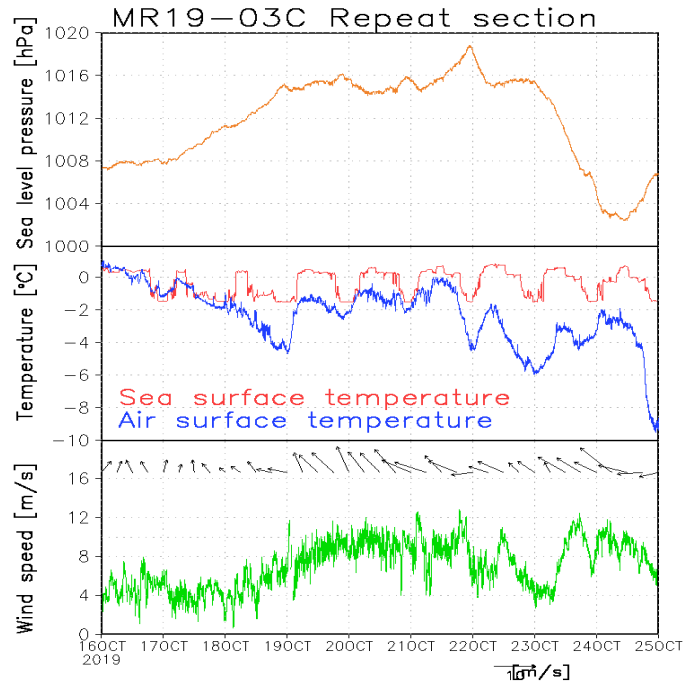


Figure 1.3-3: Time series of sea level pressure, air/sea surface temperatures and wind speeds, observed by the RV Mirai during the repeat section.

There were two weather regimes during the repeat section (Figure 1.3-3). The first was characterized by a moderate southerly wind and high surface air temperatures (around -2 °C) from the open-water area (16–22 October). On the first day of the repeat section, small ice floes were found in the northern part (around 78°N) of the repeat section (Figure 1.3-4). However, warm air advection reduced sea-ice formation. The second weather regime was characterized by a moderate southwesterly wind with low surface air temperatures (around -4 °C) from the sea-ice area (23–25 October). Overall, this repeat section provided unique opportunities to understand the recent delay in freezing during early autumn.

In undertaking this challenging cruise, precise weather and sea-ice forecasts were necessary for safe navigation and valuable observing activities. This cruise was supported by operational forecasts provided by the ECMWF and ECCO as a part of the Year of Polar Prediction (YOPP). In addition, the Japanese National Institute of Polar Research (NIPR) has developed the Vessel Navigation Unit support System (VENUS) that allows forecast data to be received and processed automatically onboard a ship. To determine appropriate observation points and to manage the cruise schedule, the chief scientist used these useful sources of information, particularly near the sea-ice area.



Figure 1.3-4: Photos taken at northernmost point in the marginal ice zone for each day (left to right: 16, 17, 18 and 19 November 2019) during the repeat section.

Table 1.3: List of observation points of MR19-03C

| Sta. no for schedule | Information | | | | | | | Activities | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------------|----|-------|---|-----|-------|---|----------------|------|------------|-------------|----------|-------------|---------------|
| | | | | | | | | CTD | XCTD | RINKO | NORP AC net | Ring net | Closing net | Sediments net |
| sta. 000 | | 50 | 0.00 | N | 166 | 7.63 | E | ○ (000-1,2) | | ○ (000) | | | | |
| sta. 001 | | 62 | 0.60 | N | 175 | 3.60 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 002 | | 62 | 3.00 | N | 175 | 12.60 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 003 | | 62 | 13.14 | N | 174 | 52.62 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 004 | | 62 | 23.40 | N | 174 | 34.20 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 005 | | 62 | 28.08 | N | 174 | 4.98 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 006 | | 62 | 33.60 | N | 173 | 33.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 007 | | 62 | 47.22 | N | 173 | 30.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 008 | | 63 | 2.00 | N | 173 | 27.60 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 009 | | 63 | 16.80 | N | 173 | 4.80 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 010 | | 63 | 36.24 | N | 172 | 35.46 | W | | | | | | | |
| FP-1 | | 64 | 40.13 | N | 169 | 55.15 | W | | | ○ (001) | ○ | | | ○ |
| sta. 011 | | 65 | 38.00 | N | 168 | 28.00 | W | ○ (001) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 012 | | 66 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (002) | | | | | | |
| sta. 013 | | 66 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (003) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 014 | | 67 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (004) | | | ○ | | ○ | ○ |
| sta. 015 | | 67 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| sta. 016 | | 68 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| FT-1 | | 68 | 9.91 | N | 168 | 45.38 | W | | | ○ (002) | | | | |
| sta. 017 | | 68 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| sta. 018 | | 69 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (005) | | | ○ | | | ○ |
| sta. 019 | | 69 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (006) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 020 | | 70 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (007) | | | | | | |
| sta. 021 | | 70 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (008) | | | ○ | | ○ | ○ |
| sta. 022 | | 71 | 0.00 | N | 167 | 0.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| FT-2 | | 71 | 6.54 | N | 166 | 30.65 | W | | | ○ (003) | | | | |
| sta. 023 | | 71 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 15.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| sta. 024 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 163 | 30.00 | W | ○ (009) | | | ○ | | ○ | ○ |

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| sta. 025 | | 72 | 30.00 | N | 161 | 45.00 | W | ○ (010) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 026 | | 73 | 0.00 | N | 160 | 0.00 | W | ○ (011) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 027 | | 72 | 50.00 | N | 158 | 45.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| FT-3 | | 72 | 46.90 | N | 158 | 22.49 | W | | | ○ (004) | | | | |
| sta. 028 | | 72 | 40.00 | N | 157 | 30.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 029 | | 72 | 30.00 | N | 156 | 15.00 | W | ○ (012) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 030 | | 72 | 20.00 | N | 155 | 0.00 | W | ○ (013) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 031 | | 72 | 10.00 | N | 153 | 45.00 | W | ○ (014) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 032 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 152 | 30.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| FT-4 | | 72 | 0.62 | N | 151 | 17.73 | W | | | ○ (005) | | | | |
| sta. 033 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 150 | 0.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 034 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 147 | 30.00 | W | ○ (015) | ○ | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 035 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 145 | 0.00 | W | ○ (016) | | | ○ | | | |
| FT-5 | | 72 | 58.53 | N | 144 | 55.52 | W | | | ○ (006) | | | | |
| sta. 036 | | 73 | 0.00 | N | 145 | 0.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 037 | | 74 | 0.00 | N | 145 | 0.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| FT-6 | | 74 | 20.08 | N | 143 | 30.89 | W | | | ○ (007) | | | | |
| FP-2 | | 74 | 46.09 | N | 150 | 30.13 | W | ○ (017) | | | ○ | | ○ | |
| FT-7 | | 74 | 59.96 | N | 152 | 16.15 | W | | | ○ (008) | | | | |
| FP-3 | | 76 | 27.95 | N | 161 | 38.51 | W | ○ (018) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 038 | | 76 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| FT-8 | | 76 | 57.80 | N | 164 | 45.19 | W | | | ○ (009) | | | | |
| sta. 39-1 | Repaeat Day 1 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-1) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-1 | Repaeat Day 1 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-1) | | | | | | |
| FP-4 | Repaeat Day 1 | 77 | 15.10 | N | 164 | 59.48 | W | | | ○ (010) | | | | |
| FT-9 (MIZ-1) | Repaeat Day 1 | 78 | 3.94 | N | 164 | 56.89 | W | | | ○ (011) | ○ | ○ | | |
| FP-5 | Repaeat Day 1 | 77 | 53.38 | N | 164 | 59.98 | W | | | ○ (012) | | | | |

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| sta. 40-2 | Repaeat Day 2 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-2) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 41-1 | Repaeat Day 2 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-1) | | | | | | |
| sta. 42-1 | Repaeat Day 2 | 77 | 45.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (022-1) | | | ○ | | | |
| FT-10 (MIZ-2) | Repaeat Day 2 | 78 | 0.28 | N | 164 | 59.05 | W | | | ○ (013) | ○ | ○ | | |
| FP-6 | Repaeat Day 2 | 77 | 45.12 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | | | ○ (014) | | | | |
| sta. 40-3 | Repaeat Day 3 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-3) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 41-2 | Repaeat Day 3 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-2) | | | | | | |
| sta. 42-2 | Repaeat Day 3 | 77 | 45.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (022-2) | | | ○ | | | |
| FP-7 | Repaeat Day 3 | 78 | 2.13 | N | 164 | 58.49 | W | ○ (022-2) | | | | | | |
| FT-11 (MIZ-3) | Repaeat Day 3 | 78 | 3.87 | N | 165 | 10.12 | W | ○ (023) | | ○ (015) | ○ | ○ | | |
| FP-8 | Repaeat Day 3 | 77 | 45.21 | N | 164 | 59.79 | W | | | ○ (016) | | | | |
| sta. 39-2 | Repaeat Day 4 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-2) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-4 | Repaeat Day 4 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-4) | | | | | | |
| sta. 41-3 | Repaeat Day 4 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-3) | | | ○ | | | |
| FT-12 (MIZ-4) | Repaeat Day 4 | 78 | 3.06 | N | 164 | 59.60 | W | | | ○ (017) | ○ | ○ | | |
| FP-9 | Repaeat Day 4 | 77 | 45.16 | N | 165 | 0.32 | W | | | ○ (018) | | | | |
| sta. 39-3 | Repaeat Day 5 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-3) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-5 | Repaeat Day 5 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-5) | | | | | | |
| sta. 41-4 | Repaeat Day 5 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-4) | | | ○ | | | |
| FP-10 | Repaeat Day 5 | 77 | 44.98 | N | 164 | 59.95 | W | | | ○ (019) | | | | |
| FT-13 (MIZ-5) | Repaeat Day 5 | 78 | 0.92 | N | 164 | 58.44 | W | | | ○ (020) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 043 | Repaeat Day 6 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 166 | 0.00 | W | ○ (024) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 39-4 | Repaeat Day 6 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-4) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
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| sta. 41-5 | Repaeat Day 6 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-5) | | | | | | |

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| FP-11 | Repaeat Day 6 | 77 | 44.87 | N | 164 | 59.98 | W | | | ○ (021) | | | | |
| FT-14 (MIZ-6) | Repaeat Day 6 | 78 | 1.55 | N | 164 | 57.64 | W | | | ○ (022) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 044 | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 166 | 0.00 | W | ○ (025) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 39-5 | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-5) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-7 | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-7) | | | | | | |
| sta. 41-6 | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-6) | | | | | | |
| FP-12 | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 44.96 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | | | ○ (023) | | | | |
| FT-15 (MIZ-7) | Repaeat Day 7 | 77 | 46.14 | N | 164 | 5.42 | W | | | ○ (024) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 045 | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 164 | 0.00 | W | ○ (026) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 39-6 | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-6) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-8 | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-8) | | | | | | |
| sta. 41-7 | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-7) | | | | | | |
| FP-13 | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 44.98 | N | 165 | 0.31 | W | | | ○ (025) | | | | |
| FT-16 (MIZ-8) | Repaeat Day 8 | 77 | 47.02 | N | 163 | 35.81 | W | | | ○ (026) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 046 | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 164 | 0.00 | W | ○ (027) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 39-7 | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 0.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (019-7) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 40-9 | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (020-9) | | | | | | |
| sta. 41-8 | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 30.00 | N | 165 | 0.00 | W | ○ (021-8) | | | | | | |
| FP-14 | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 44.99 | N | 165 | 0.32 | W | | | ○ (027) | | | | |
| FT-17 (MIZ-9) | Repaeat Day 9 | 77 | 47.62 | N | 163 | 40.60 | W | | | ○ (028) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 046 | | 77 | 15.00 | N | 164 | 0.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 047 | | 77 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 048 | | 77 | 15.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 049 | | 77 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (028) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 050 | | 76 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | ○ | | | | | |
| sta. 051 | | 75 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | | | | | |
| FT-18 | | 74 | 41.30 | N | 168 | 45.66 | W | | | ○ (029) | ○ | | | |

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| sta. 052 | | 74 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (029) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 053 | | 73 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (030) | | | | | | |
| sta. 054 | | 73 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (031) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 055 | | 72 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (032) | | | | | | |
| sta.056 | | 72 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | ○ (030-1, 2) | ○ | | | |
| sta.057 (FT-19) | | 71 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | ○ (031) | | | | |
| sta. 058 | | 71 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | ○ (032) | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 059 | | 70 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (033) | | | | | | |
| sta. 060 | | 70 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (034) | | | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| sta. 061 | | 69 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (035) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 062 | | 69 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (036) | | | ○ | ○ | | |
| sta. 063 | | 68 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | ○ (033) | ○ | ○ | | |
| FT-20 | | 68 | 18.12 | N | 167 | 23.01 | W | | | ○ (034) | | | | |
| sta. 064 | | 68 | 18.00 | N | 166 | 56.10 | W | | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 065 | | 68 | 14.52 | N | 167 | 7.32 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 066 | | 68 | 11.10 | N | 167 | 18.48 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 067 | | 68 | 7.68 | N | 167 | 29.70 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 068 | | 68 | 0.78 | N | 167 | 52.02 | W | ○ (037) | | | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| sta. 069 | | 67 | 53.88 | N | 168 | 14.10 | W | | | | | | | |
| sta. 070 | | 67 | 46.98 | N | 168 | 36.12 | W | ○ (038) | | | ○ | ○ | | ○ |
| sta. 071 | | 67 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (039) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 072 | | 67 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (040) | | | ○ | | | |
| sta. 073 | | 66 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | ○ (041) | | | | | | |
| sta. 074 | | 66 | 0.00 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W | | | ○ (035) | | | | |
| FT-21 | | 65 | 36.85 | N | 168 | 28.79 | W | | | ○ (036) | | | | |
| sta. 000-2 | | 50 | 0.00 | N | 166 | 7.63 | E | ○ (000-3,4) | ○ | ○ (037) | | | | |

1.4 List of participants

Table 1.4: List of participants of MR19-03C

| No. | Name | Organization | Position |
|-----|---------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1 | Kazutoshi Sato | Kitami Institute of Technology (KIT) | Assistant professor |
| 2 | Akihiko Murata | Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) | Superior researcher |
| 3 | Jun Inoue | National Institute of Polar Research (NIPR) | Associate professor |
| 4 | Jumpei Yamamoto | Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology | Graduate student |
| 5 | Rio Maya | Tokyo University of Marine Science and Technology | Project researcher |
| 6 | Eri Yoshizawa | Korea Polar Research Institute | Research scientist |
| 7 | Tsubasa Kodaira | The University of Tokyo | Assistant professor |
| 8 | Ryo Kusakawa | The University of Tokyo | Graduate student |
| 9 | Eun Yae Son | The University of Tokyo | Graduate student |
| 10 | Kohei Matsuno | Hokkaido University | Assistant professor |
| 11 | Koki Tokuhiko | Hokkaido University | Graduate student |
| 12 | Fumihiko Kimura | Hokkaido University | Graduate student |
| 13 | Nao Sato | Hokkaido University | Graduate student |
| 14 | Hotaek Park | Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) | Senior scientist |
| 15 | Fumikazu Taketani | Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) | Senior scientist |
| 16 | Taro Maruo | Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) / University of Kobe | Research student / Graduate student |
| 17 | Minoru Hamana | Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) | Research scientist |
| 18 | Ryo Oyama | Nippon Marine Enterprises, Ltd. (NME) | Technical staff |
| 19 | Souichiro Sueyoshi | Nippon Marine Enterprises, Ltd. (NME) | Technical staff |
| 20 | Shinya Okumura | Nippon Marine Enterprises, Ltd. (NME) | Technical staff |
| 21 | Kazuho Yoshida | Nippon Marine Enterprises, Ltd. (NME) | Technical staff |
| 22 | Yutaro Murakami | Nippon Marine Enterprises, Ltd. (NME) | Technical staff |
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| 25 | Masahiro Orui | Marine Works Japan Ltd. (MWJ) | Technical staff |
| 26 | Shinichiro Yokogawa | Marine Works Japan Ltd. (MWJ) | Technical staff |
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| 35 | Shungo Oshitani | Marine Works Japan Ltd. (MWJ) | Technical staff |
| 36 | Rio Kobayashi | Marine Works Japan Ltd. (MWJ) | Technical staff |
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2. Meteorology

2.1 GPS Radiosonde

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-------------------|---|-------------------------------|
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| Yutaro Murakami | NME | |
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(2) Objectives

To understand the thermodynamic structure of the boundary layer, as well as the characteristics of migratory cyclones and anticyclones, GPS radiosonde observations were performed from 12 UTC 30 September 2019 to 00 UTC 1 November 2019. The data obtained will be used mainly for studies of clouds, validation both of reanalysis data and of satellite analyses, as well as data assimilation. The data were also used during the cruise for briefing information with regard to drone flights (Section 2.6) and tethered-balloon launches (Section 2.10.2).

(3) Parameters

Temperature, Humidity, Pressure, Wind speed and direction.

(4) Instruments and Methods

Two types of GPS radiosonde were used: the Vaisala RS41-SG for 00 and 12 UTC launches, and the Vaisala RS41-SGP for 06 and 18 UTC launches. The observing frequency over the Arctic Ocean (north of the Bering Strait) was four times per day (00, 06, 12 and 18 UTC), while that over other areas (i.e., the Bering Sea and North Pacific Ocean) was twice per day (00 and 12 UTC). The software (MW41 Vaisala Sounding System; version 2.11.0), processor (SPS311), GPS antenna (GA20), UHF antenna (RB21) and balloon launcher (ASAP) used were all from Vaisala Oyj. Prior to launch, the humidity, air temperature and pressure sensors were calibrated using the calibrator system (RI41 and PTB330, Vaisala). In cases when the wind relative to the ship was not appropriate for launch, the handy launch method was selected. For every launch, a Totex 350 g balloon was used.

Several simultaneous observations were performed with CPS sondes (Section 2.2), mainly during the night (e.g., 06 UTC), which are identified in the remarks in Table 2.1 as “CPS exp.” Most data were entered into the Global Telecommunication System (GTS) through the Japan Meteorological Agency immediately after each observation and thus were available for use in operational weather forecasts.

(5) Station list

Table 2.1 summarizes the log of the GPS radiosonde observations. Raw data were recorded in binary format during ascent. ASCII data were converted from raw data.

(6) Preliminary results

The locations of all radiosonde observations performed during the cruise are shown in Figure 2.1-1. A time–height cross section of observed air temperature and wind during the cruise is shown in Figure 2.1-2.

During 16–25 October, a daily repeat section was undertaken to elucidate the differences in atmospheric and oceanic characteristics between the MIZ and the open-ocean zone. During the repeat period, radiosonde observations were conducted near the MIZ at 00 UTC (at the northernmost point in the section), while observations at the southernmost location were performed at 18 UTC.

During most of the period, conditions were characterized by southerly winds associated with low pressure systems over the Bering Sea, enhancing the intrusion of warm air masses into the north of the Chukchi Sea. The tropopause height was recorded at 11 km (abnormally high for this season) at 78°N over the MIZ. On the final day of the repeat section (25 October), strong northerly winds prevailed bringing relatively cold air from the northern sea-ice region.

(7) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

GPS radiosonde observation point

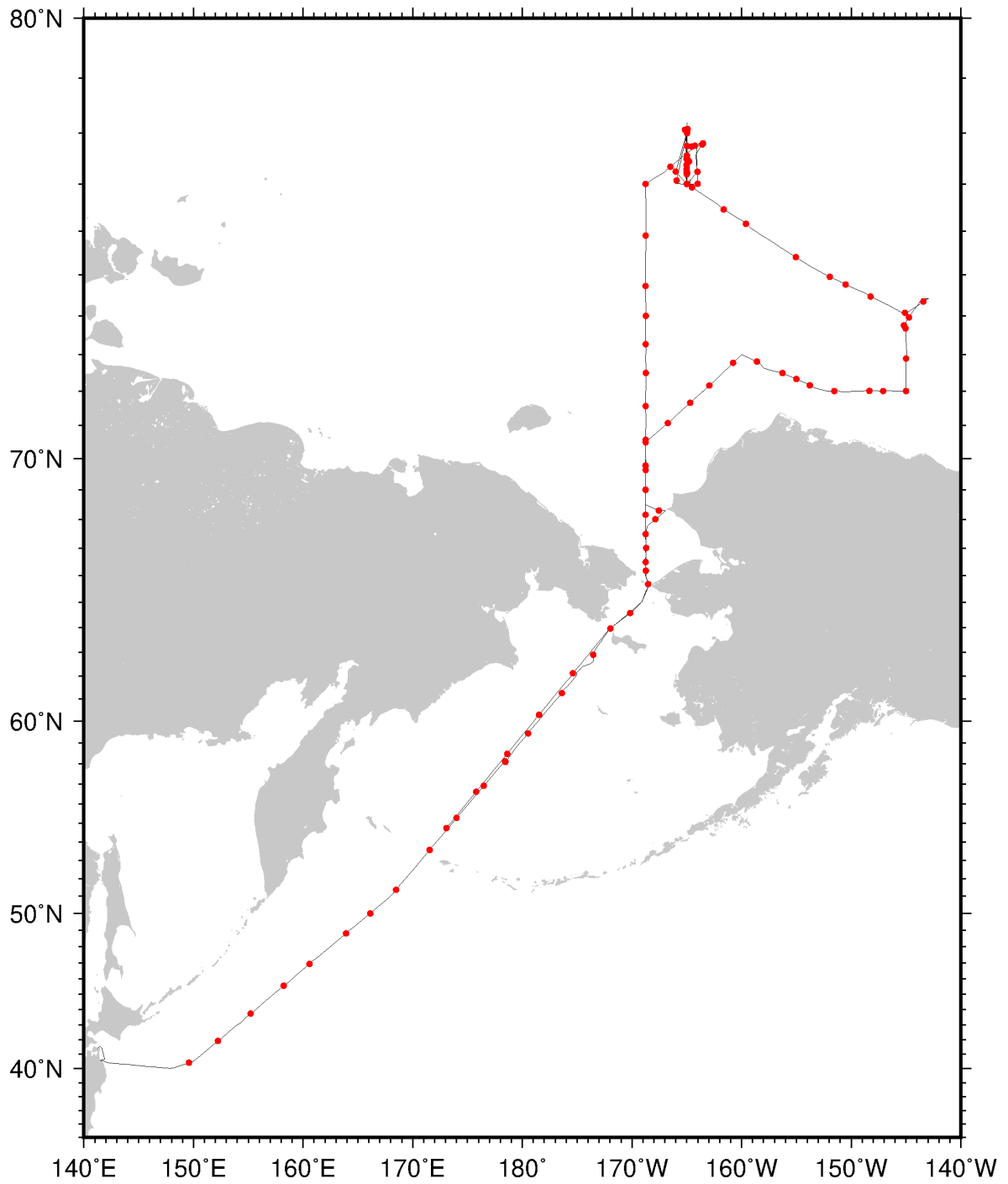


Figure 2.1-1: Sounding stations during the cruise.

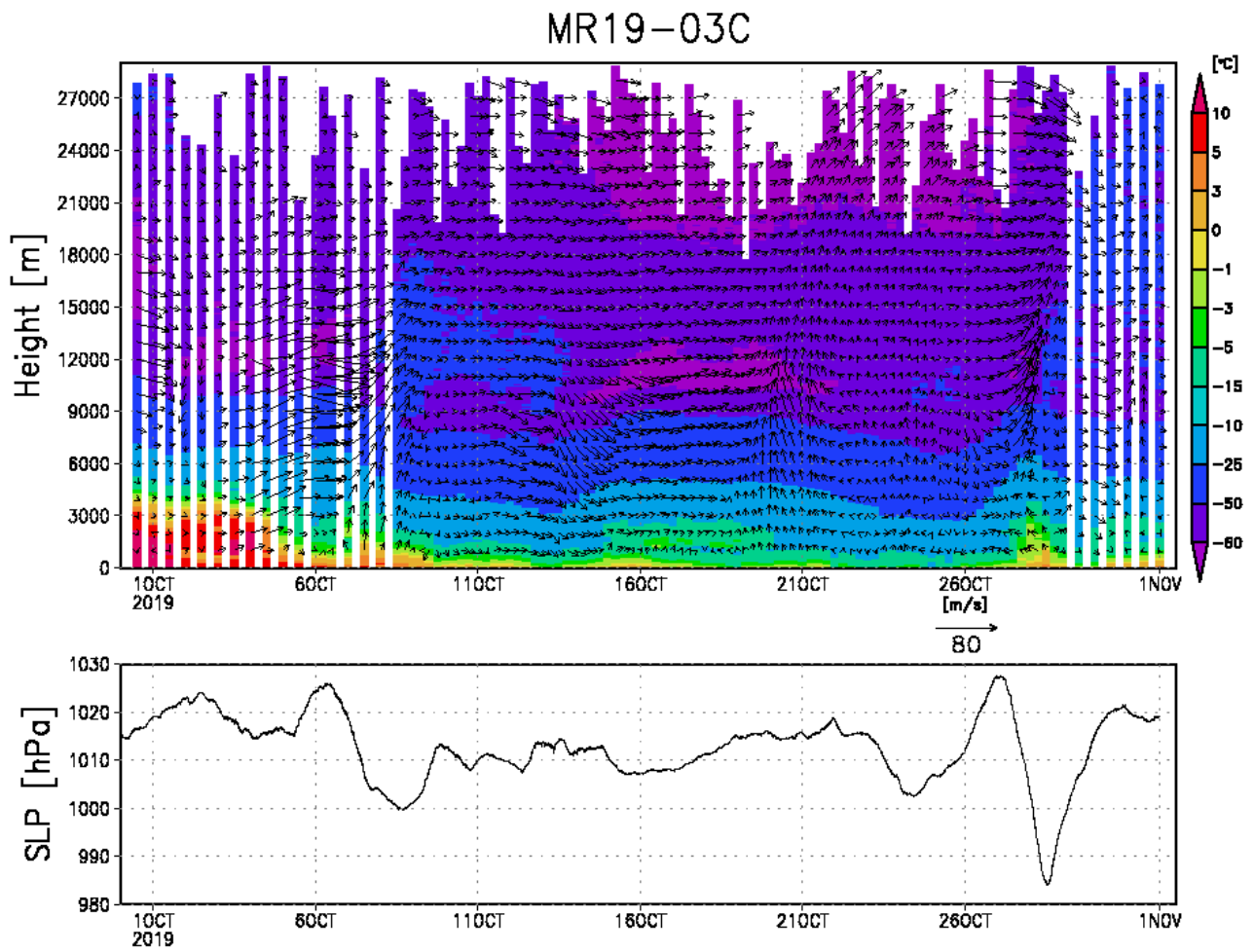


Figure 2.1-2: (a) Time-height cross section of air temperature (shading) and wind (vectors), and (b) time series of sea level pressure.

Table 2.1: Launch log

| ID | Date | Latitude | Longitude | PsfC | TsfC | RHsfC | WD | Wsp | SST | Max height | | | Cloud | | remarks |
|-------|----------------|----------|-----------|--------|------|-------|-----|------|-------|------------|-------|----------|--------|-------------|---------|
| | YYYYMM DDHH | degN | degE | hPa | degC | % | deg | m/s | degC | hPa | m | Duration | Amount | Type | |
| RS001 | 2019093012 | 40.405 | 149.586 | 1014.3 | 19.5 | 84 | 335 | 8.6 | 21.77 | 16.4 | 27906 | 6694 | - | - | |
| RS002 | 2019100100 | 41.910 | 152.235 | 1016.5 | 19.1 | 74 | 63 | 6.9 | 19.58 | 15.2 | 28388 | 6475 | 9 | Cu,Sc | |
| RS003 | 2019100112 | 43.744 | 155.215 | 1018.7 | 12.5 | 98 | 56 | 7.0 | 13.53 | 15.1 | 28406 | 6656 | - | - | |
| RS004 | 2019100200 | 45.558 | 158.235 | 1020.6 | 9.7 | 83 | 44 | 5.5 | 11.29 | 26.1 | 24827 | 5456 | 10 | St | |
| RS005 | 2019100212 | 46.937 | 160.596 | 1021.7 | 7.9 | 69 | 245 | 2.9 | 9.57 | 28.2 | 24334 | 5637 | - | - | |
| RS006 | 2019100300 | 48.803 | 163.926 | 1019.1 | 8.3 | 78 | 241 | 11.1 | 9.43 | 18.1 | 27178 | 5600 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS007 | 2019100312 | 49.991 | 166.129 | 1016.0 | 9.4 | 85 | 232 | 14.6 | 9.33 | 30.8 | 23760 | 5326 | - | - | |
| RS008 | 2019100400 | 51.359 | 168.484 | 1013.2 | 9.9 | 96 | 234 | 14.5 | 9.87 | 14.9 | 28411 | 6206 | 10 | St | |
| RS009 | 2019100412 | 53.579 | 171.543 | 1013.3 | 9.9 | 90 | 244 | 10.0 | 9.77 | 13.8 | 28862 | 7109 | - | - | |
| RS010 | 2019100500 | 55.281 | 174.007 | 1014.2 | 8.4 | 85 | 171 | 6.1 | 9.94 | 15 | 28318 | 6233 | 10 | Cu,Sc | |
| RS011 | 2019100512 | 56.916 | 176.484 | 1015.3 | 7.5 | 77 | 325 | 9.5 | 9.82 | 45.6 | 21206 | 4974 | - | - | |
| RS012 | 2019100600 | 58.118 | 178.431 | 1022.0 | 6.1 | 55 | 338 | 1.6 | 9.52 | 30.7 | 23743 | 5146 | 1 | As | |
| RS013 | 2019100602 | 58.081 | 178.454 | 1022.3 | 6.3 | 54 | 115 | 0.7 | 9.58 | 16.7 | 27675 | 6256 | 9 | Sc,As | |
| RS014 | 2019100612 | 59.435 | -179.475 | 1023.2 | 5.1 | 61 | 153 | 2.7 | 9.06 | 21.6 | 26005 | 6124 | - | - | |
| RS015 | 2019100700 | 61.255 | -176.396 | 1017.3 | 5.5 | 72 | 144 | 13.5 | 7.39 | 17.9 | 27201 | 6127 | 10 | Cu,As | |
| RS016 | 2019100712 | 62.898 | -173.539 | 1005.6 | 5.8 | 96 | 140 | 15.0 | 5.71 | 34.3 | 22987 | 5066 | - | - | |
| RS017 | 2019100800 | 64.580 | -170.164 | 1001.5 | 4.1 | 100 | 185 | 8.8 | 2.55 | 15.2 | 28198 | 6188 | 10 | St | |
| RS018 | 2019100812 | 66.187 | -168.743 | 998.3 | 5.6 | 90 | 206 | 12.6 | 5.60 | 48.9 | 20648 | 5233 | - | - | |
| RS019 | 2019100818 | 67.013 | -168.708 | 997.5 | 4.8 | 90 | 187 | 11.3 | 7.07 | 30.4 | 23702 | 5468.3 | 8 | St, Sc | |
| RS020 | 2019100901 | 68.166 | -168.756 | 998.8 | 3.7 | 96 | 185 | 4.5 | 3.62 | 16.6 | 27553 | 6179 | 10 | - | |
| RS021 | 2019100906 | 68.994 | -168.753 | 1000.7 | 4.4 | 90 | 15 | 4.6 | 5.92 | 17 | 27398 | 6243.56 | - | - | |
| RS022 | 2019100912 | 69.634 | -168.754 | 1005.3 | 3.2 | 81 | 24 | 13.4 | 5.06 | 19.3 | 26523 | 6318 | - | - | |
| RS023 | 2019100918 | 70.497 | -168.754 | 1010.2 | 0.0 | 83 | 348 | 9.0 | 5.35 | 54.3 | 19860 | 5087.37 | 9 | Sc, St | |
| RS024 | 2019101000 | 71.074 | -166.732 | 1010.4 | 1.5 | 60 | 337 | 10.5 | 5.28 | 21.8 | 25728 | 6079 | 10 | - | |
| RS025 | 2019101006 | 71.664 | -164.684 | 1009.0 | 1.8 | 66 | 288 | 13.2 | 6.14 | 39.2 | 21927 | 5524.86 | - | Cu | |
| RS026 | 2019101012 | 72.157 | -162.945 | 1008.0 | 0.7 | 84 | 272 | 10.6 | 4.01 | 27.2 | 24231 | 5574 | - | - | |
| RS027 | 2019101018 | 72.778 | -160.780 | 1005.7 | 1.8 | 79 | 299 | 8.6 | 3.27 | 15.2 | 27904 | 6230.57 | 6 | As, Sc | |
| RS028 | 2019101100 | 72.811 | -158.599 | 1007.5 | 0.4 | 90 | 324 | 6.4 | 1.94 | 17.1 | 27145 | 6237 | 4 | Cu,As,Ac,Ci | |
| RS029 | 2019101106 | 72.499 | -156.270 | 1008.8 | 0.2 | 77 | 301 | 5.5 | 1.82 | 14.2 | 28319 | 7517.73 | - | - | |
| RS030 | 2019101112 | 72.333 | -155.005 | 1008.4 | 0.6 | 88 | 275 | 6.7 | 1.86 | 50.2 | 20276 | 5342 | - | - | |
| RS031 | 2019101118 | 72.158 | -153.783 | 1007.6 | 1.5 | 78 | 251 | 8.5 | 5.89 | 58.3 | 19298 | 4500.94 | 6 | Sc, As, St | |

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|-------|------------|--------|----------|--------|------|----|-----|------|-------|------|-------|---------|----|----------|----------|
| RS032 | 2019101200 | 72.000 | -151.546 | 1007.2 | 1.5 | 81 | 260 | 7.3 | 1.88 | 14.4 | 28222 | 6199 | 6 | St,Sc,Ac | |
| RS033 | 2019101206 | 72.002 | -148.341 | 1005.8 | 0.3 | 95 | 226 | 11.7 | 1.10 | 26.8 | 24284 | 5597.04 | - | - | |
| RS034 | 2019101212 | 72.000 | -147.088 | 1006.3 | -0.1 | 90 | 287 | 13.4 | 0.59 | 31.3 | 23269 | 5843 | - | - | |
| RS035 | 2019101218 | 71.998 | -145.002 | 1010.0 | -2.0 | 75 | 313 | 11.9 | 0.67 | 15 | 27874 | 6653.2 | 7 | Sc, As | |
| RS036 | 2019101300 | 72.892 | -144.994 | 1011.2 | -2.2 | 76 | 288 | 10.0 | 0.24 | 14.8 | 27937 | 6587 | 5 | Sc, Cu | CPS-exp. |
| RS037 | 2019101306 | 73.685 | -145.042 | 1010.9 | -2.7 | 61 | 299 | 12.0 | 0.20 | 23 | 25143 | 6900.15 | - | - | |
| RS038 | 2019101312 | 73.758 | -145.191 | 1011.7 | -2.2 | 67 | 313 | 9.6 | 0.20 | 16.3 | 27194 | 6256 | - | - | |
| RS039 | 2019101318 | 73.960 | -144.721 | 1010.3 | -1.1 | 78 | 264 | 13.2 | 0.10 | 20.9 | 25685 | 5611.89 | 10 | St | |
| RS040 | 2019101400 | 74.360 | -143.413 | 1009.6 | -1.2 | 92 | 270 | 11.5 | -1.40 | 20 | 25922 | 5350 | 10 | - | |
| RS041 | 2019101406 | 74.078 | -145.100 | 1010.0 | -1.0 | 82 | 263 | 10.9 | -0.11 | 33.5 | 22721 | 4493.43 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS042 | 2019101412 | 74.481 | -148.232 | 1010.2 | -0.1 | 68 | 280 | 8.8 | 0.67 | 15.5 | 27474 | 6543 | - | - | |
| RS043 | 2019101418 | 74.769 | -150.502 | 1010.6 | 0.5 | 59 | 222 | 5.2 | 1.05 | 18 | 26552 | 6079.73 | 8 | St | |
| RS044 | 2019101500 | 74.954 | -151.953 | 1008.8 | 0.0 | 95 | 185 | 10.1 | -0.09 | 22.4 | 25192 | 5606 | 10 | St | |
| RS045 | 2019101506 | 75.411 | -155.051 | 1006.5 | 0.8 | 85 | 229 | 8.0 | -0.19 | 12.3 | 28875 | 7513.46 | 6 | Sc | |
| RS046 | 2019101512 | 76.157 | -159.610 | 1005.1 | 1.3 | 93 | 227 | 5.0 | 0.99 | 13.9 | 28101 | 6997 | - | - | |
| RS047 | 2019101518 | 76.467 | -161.639 | 1004.8 | 1.0 | 97 | 192 | 3.7 | 0.67 | 15.7 | 27308 | 6165.91 | 10 | St | |
| RS048 | 2019101600 | 76.930 | -164.525 | 1005.0 | 0.6 | 97 | 206 | 4.3 | 0.56 | 16.2 | 27079 | 5680 | 10 | St | |
| RS049 | 2019101606 | 77.000 | -164.997 | 1005.4 | 0.6 | 88 | 197 | 5.5 | 0.30 | 33 | 22734 | 4884.39 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS050 | 2019101612 | 77.240 | -165.001 | 1005.5 | 0.1 | 93 | 147 | 4.6 | 0.34 | 14.2 | 27891 | 6803 | - | - | |
| RS051 | 2019101618 | 77.229 | -164.972 | 1005.7 | -0.2 | 74 | 167 | 4.5 | 0.37 | 22.5 | 25046 | 6221.91 | 10 | - | |
| RS052 | 2019101700 | 78.082 | -164.932 | 1005.5 | -1.1 | 86 | 167 | 5.9 | -1.49 | 19.6 | 25876 | 5802 | 10 | St | |
| RS053 | 2019101706 | 77.368 | -164.998 | 1005.9 | -0.1 | 73 | 169 | 4.0 | 0.39 | 48.3 | 20338 | 5553.63 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS054 | 2019101712 | 77.500 | -165.001 | 1006.9 | -0.6 | 75 | 165 | 3.4 | -0.77 | 14.2 | 27846 | 6868 | - | - | |
| RS055 | 2019101718 | 77.753 | -164.965 | 1007.8 | -1.5 | 83 | 138 | 6.3 | -1.28 | 18.8 | 26135 | 6259.31 | 10 | - | |
| RS056 | 2019101800 | 78.006 | -164.982 | 1009.0 | -1.8 | 76 | 130 | 3.7 | -1.49 | 27.8 | 23716 | 5861 | 10 | St | |
| RS057 | 2019101806 | 77.250 | -165.000 | 1009.3 | -2.0 | 80 | 142 | 3.6 | 0.32 | 38.7 | 21700 | 5024.45 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS058 | 2019101812 | 77.573 | -164.987 | 1010.1 | -2.6 | 77 | 162 | 3.4 | -1.40 | 34.3 | 22424 | 5195 | - | - | |
| RS059 | 2019101818 | 77.758 | -164.992 | 1011.3 | -3.8 | 85 | 104 | 5.6 | -1.06 | 49.4 | 20183 | 4702.94 | 8 | St | |
| RS060 | 2019101900 | 78.067 | -165.170 | 1012.6 | -4.3 | 89 | 92 | 7.3 | -1.51 | 16.5 | 26917 | 6555 | 7 | Sc,As | |
| RS061 | 2019101906 | 77.301 | -165.011 | 1012.4 | -1.3 | 80 | 162 | 7.0 | 0.23 | 73.1 | 17737 | 4219.53 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS062 | 2019101912 | 77.254 | -164.994 | 1013.1 | -1.6 | 80 | 132 | 10.2 | 0.31 | 29.8 | 23310 | 5838 | - | - | |
| RS063 | 2019101918 | 77.456 | -164.789 | 1013.0 | -2.0 | 84 | 124 | 8.3 | 0.24 | 46.3 | 20583 | 4635.84 | 10 | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS064 | 2019102000 | 78.050 | -165.001 | 1013.3 | -2.1 | 85 | 162 | 9.0 | -1.53 | 24.5 | 24500 | 6308 | 10 | Sc | CPS-exp. |
| RS065 | 2019102006 | 77.398 | -165.002 | 1012.3 | -0.9 | 73 | 152 | 8.4 | 0.24 | 29.2 | 23430 | 5509.77 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS066 | 2019102012 | 77.199 | -165.001 | 1012.2 | -1.0 | 88 | 130 | 9.8 | 0.28 | 27.2 | 23863 | 5439 | - | - | |
| RS067 | 2019102018 | 77.454 | -164.799 | 1012.4 | -1.1 | 75 | 133 | 9.3 | 0.27 | 44.1 | 20891 | 4467.14 | 4 | Sc, St | |

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| RS068 | 2019102100 | 78.017 | -164.969 | 1013.4 | -1.9 | 92 | 111 | 8.1 | -1.53 | 35.9 | 22154 | 5159 | 8 | Sc | |
| RS069 | 2019102106 | 77.253 | -166.002 | 1012.4 | -0.9 | 92 | 118 | 8.7 | 0.35 | 27 | 23922 | 6369.82 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS070 | 2019102112 | 77.005 | -164.997 | 1013.4 | -0.3 | 72 | 149 | 7.6 | 0.65 | 24.8 | 24459 | 5330 | - | - | |
| RS071 | 2019102118 | 77.502 | -165.002 | 1014.4 | -0.9 | 76 | 121 | 12.3 | 0.26 | 15.1 | 27469 | 5730.25 | - | - | |
| RS072 | 2019102200 | 78.025 | -164.964 | 1016.4 | -4.4 | 84 | 86 | 7.1 | -1.51 | 16.4 | 26955 | 5763 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS073 | 2019102206 | 77.074 | -165.942 | 1013.0 | -2.2 | 75 | 107 | 5.7 | 0.65 | 22.7 | 24999 | 6325.03 | - | - | |
| RS074 | 2019102212 | 77.001 | -164.996 | 1012.8 | -3.1 | 79 | 117 | 9.5 | 0.74 | 12.7 | 28576 | 6569 | - | - | |
| RS075 | 2019102218 | 77.502 | -164.991 | 1013.0 | -4.8 | 71 | 141 | 4.7 | 0.13 | 30.5 | 23145 | 4742.23 | 8 | St | |
| RS076 | 2019102221 | 77.749 | -164.512 | 1013.2 | -5.5 | 79 | 121 | 6.7 | -1.19 | 30.1 | 23236 | 5443 | - | - | |
| RS077 | 2019102300 | 77.764 | -164.250 | 1013.0 | -5.6 | 76 | 107 | 6.5 | -1.51 | 13.3 | 28228 | 6099 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS078 | 2019102306 | 77.003 | -164.011 | 1011.6 | -4.9 | 70 | 170 | 3.8 | 0.47 | 45.1 | 20732 | 4091.92 | 2 | Sc | |
| RS079 | 2019102312 | 77.002 | -164.994 | 1008.5 | -3.0 | 84 | 127 | 8.6 | 0.58 | 16.3 | 26992 | 6137 | - | - | |
| RS080 | 2019102318 | 77.507 | -164.969 | 1005.0 | -4.1 | 86 | 118 | 11.6 | -0.13 | 14 | 27873 | 5526.95 | - | - | |
| RS081 | 2019102400 | 77.787 | -163.587 | 1003.3 | -3.4 | 81 | 114 | 6.8 | -1.49 | 23.3 | 24744 | 5436 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS082 | 2019102406 | 77.247 | -164.015 | 1000.4 | -3.1 | 81 | 139 | 10.1 | -0.10 | 56.8 | 19208 | 4349.79 | - | - | CPS-exp. |
| RS083 | 2019102412 | 77.004 | -165.001 | 1000.2 | -2.8 | 84 | 92 | 7.1 | 0.68 | 36.1 | 22018 | 5434 | - | - | |
| RS084 | 2019102418 | 77.512 | -165.006 | 1001.9 | -4.2 | 75 | 81 | 9.5 | -0.17 | 19.7 | 25709 | 5488.08 | 7 | - | |
| RS085 | 2019102500 | 77.809 | -163.516 | 1004.3 | -8.9 | 94 | 61 | 6.8 | -1.48 | 18.5 | 26087 | 5418 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS086 | 2019102506 | 77.351 | -166.490 | 1004.3 | -5.9 | 89 | 52 | 8.9 | 0.04 | 14 | 27794 | 6162.29 | - | - | |
| RS087 | 2019102512 | 77.002 | -168.761 | 1006.4 | -6.8 | 85 | 32 | 6.7 | 0.65 | 26.4 | 23878 | 5676 | - | - | |
| RS088 | 2019102518 | 75.900 | -168.744 | 1007.3 | -3.6 | 80 | 30 | 9.9 | 1.11 | 31.1 | 22906 | 4760.96 | 8 | - | |
| RS089 | 2019102600 | 74.733 | -168.759 | 1009.2 | -1.6 | 74 | 27 | 6.6 | 1.58 | 23.7 | 24612 | 5329 | 7 | Sc | |
| RS090 | 2019102606 | 74.000 | -168.742 | 1013.6 | -2.7 | 79 | 303 | 10.3 | 1.99 | 19.6 | 25839 | 6176.74 | - | - | |
| RS091 | 2019102612 | 73.272 | -168.752 | 1018.3 | -1.6 | 58 | 253 | 7.9 | 1.65 | 33.4 | 22573 | 5438 | 2 | Cu,Sc | |
| RS092 | 2019102618 | 72.501 | -168.741 | 1021.8 | -1.2 | 60 | 244 | 7.3 | 1.350 | 12.7 | 28626 | 6323.34 | 8 | - | |
| RS093 | 2019102700 | 71.569 | -168.744 | 1025.1 | -0.9 | 64 | 252 | 5.3 | 3.880 | 38.6 | 21809 | 4871 | 10 | Sc | |
| RS094 | 2019102706 | 70.573 | -168.745 | 1024.3 | -0.6 | 54 | 93 | 3.9 | 3.500 | 46.7 | 20705 | 4848.26 | - | - | |
| RS095 | 2019102712 | 69.773 | -168.756 | 1018.5 | 0.1 | 65 | 55 | 13.0 | 2.090 | 15.7 | 27541 | 6069 | - | - | |
| RS096 | 2019102718 | 69.003 | -168.755 | 1010.3 | 0.3 | 88 | 69 | 9.6 | 3.120 | 12.8 | 28895 | 5877.23 | 10 | - | |
| RS097 | 2019102800 | 68.309 | -167.540 | 1002.0 | 2.4 | 91 | 66 | 9.3 | 3.590 | 13.1 | 28790 | 6094 | - | - | |
| RS098 | 2019102806 | 68.014 | -167.867 | 991.0 | 2.6 | 93 | 44 | 14.5 | 2.650 | 20.2 | 26166 | 7203.35 | - | - | |
| RS099 | 2019102812 | 67.502 | -168.751 | 982.5 | 3.7 | 100 | 354 | 1.3 | 2.640 | 16.6 | 27443 | 6230 | - | - | |
| RS100 | 2019102818 | 66.502 | -168.748 | 987.2 | 1.5 | 97 | 271 | 10.8 | 4.570 | 14.5 | 28372 | 5947.98 | 10 | - | |
| RS101 | 2019102900 | 65.688 | -168.517 | 994.2 | 1.4 | 93 | 316 | 10.5 | 3.880 | 16.9 | 27404 | 6121 | 10 | St | |
| RS102 | 2019102912 | 63.969 | -171.970 | 1004.2 | -1.5 | 79 | 24 | 7.3 | 3.710 | 35.1 | 22849 | 5519 | - | - | |
| RS103 | 2019103000 | 62.112 | -175.382 | 1012.8 | -1.2 | 72 | 302 | 7.4 | 4.570 | 22 | 25984 | 5573 | 10 | Sc | |

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|-------|------------|--------|----------|--------|-----|----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|------|----|-------|--|
| RS104 | 2019103012 | 60.288 | -178.476 | 1017.6 | 2.5 | 60 | 251 | 6.7 | 4.580 | 14.3 | 28832 | 6458 | - | - | |
| RS105 | 2019103100 | 58.474 | 178.617 | 1018.4 | 2.7 | 62 | 138 | 5.0 | 5.390 | 17.4 | 27586 | 6944 | 10 | Cu,Sc | |
| RS106 | 2019103112 | 56.615 | 175.787 | 1016.6 | 3.6 | 73 | 82 | 4.9 | 4.730 | 15.1 | 28486 | 6274 | - | - | |
| RS107 | 2019110100 | 54.747 | 173.080 | 1016.7 | 3.6 | 75 | 24 | 1.1 | 6.470 | 16.8 | 27781 | 6688 | 8 | Cu,Sc | |

2.2 CPS sonde

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(2) Objectives

To understand the vertical profiles of Arctic cloud, we conducted CPS sonde observations over the Arctic Ocean and the Bering Sea. The CPS sonde, developed by the Japanese Meisei Electric Co., Ltd. (Meisei), measures vertical distributions of cloud particles (number density, size and phase (i.e., water cloud or ice cloud)) in addition to meteorological elements (i.e., temperature, relative humidity, height, wind direction and wind speed). This was the inaugural trial of cloud particle observations over the Arctic Ocean in October during the R/V Mirai cruise.

(3) Parameters

Cloud particles (number of density, Particle size and Output signal voltage)
Wind speed and direction
Pressure
Temperature
Relative Humidity

(4) Instruments and methods

Overall, 12 CPS sondes were launched during 13–24 October 2019. The CPS sonde comprises a CPS sonde and a GPS radiosonde transmitter (RS-11G, Meisei). The CPS sonde was connected to a 350 g balloon (Totex TA-350), parachute and Vaisala radiosonde. We used the Meisei standard GPS sonde ground system (RD-08AC), software (MGPS-R) and 400 MHz antenna.

(5) Station list or Observation log

See Table 2.2 “CPS sonde launch log with surface observation and maximum sounding height”.

(6) Preliminary results

Figure 2.2-1 shows the track of the R/V Mirai during MR19-03C and the locations of the CPS sonde launches over the Arctic Ocean. Figures 2.2-2–2.2-13 show vertical profiles of temperature and relative humidity obtained by the RS-11G GPS radiosondes and the number of particles, degree of polarization and P output obtained by the CPS sondes. We successfully observed 18 clouds including low, middle and high clouds.

(7) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(8) Remarks

To reduce the amount of helium used for balloon launches, we performed joint launches of the Meisei CPS sondes and Vaisala GPS radiosondes (RS41-SPG) during the MR19-03C cruise (identified as “CPS.exp” in Table 2.1). No relative humidity data were recorded for No.2 launch (14 October) because of difficulties receiving data.

Table 2.2: CPS sonde launch log with surface observations and maximum sounding height.

| No. | Date (YYYYMMDD) Time (HH:MM) UTC | Lat (degN) Lon (degW) | Psfc (hPa) | Tsfc (°C) | RHsfc (%) | WDsfc (deg) WSsfc (m/s) | Max Alt (m) |
|-----|---|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| 01 | 20191013 06:00 | 73.75 145.07 | 1010.9 | -2.7 | 61 | 299 12.0 | 25121 |
| 02 | 20191014 06:00 | 74.07 145.23 | 1009.9 | -1.0 | 82 | 263 10.9 | 22677 |
| 03 | 20191016 06:00 | 77.00 164.99 | 1004.5 | 0.6 | 88 | 197 5.5 | 22724 |
| 04 | 20191017 06:00 | 77.27 165.02 | 1005.9 | -0.1 | 73 | 169 4.0 | 20307 |
| 05 | 20191018 06:00 | 72.25 164.99 | 1009.3 | -2.0 | 80 | 142 3.6 | 21680 |
| 06 | 20191019 06:00 | 77.21 164.94 | 1012.4 | -1.3 | 80 | 162 7.0 | 17737 |
| 07 | 20191019 18:00 | 77.46 165.01 | 1012.9 | -2.0 | 84 | 124 8.3 | 20576 |
| 08 | 20191020 00:00 | 78.05 164.99 | 1013.3 | -2.1 | 85 | 162 9.0 | 24522 |
| 09 | 20191020 06:00 | 77.31 164.93 | 1012.3 | -0.9 | 73 | 152 8.4 | 23427 |
| 10 | 20191021 06:00 | 77.25 166.00 | 1012.4 | -0.9 | 92 | 118 8.7 | 23902 |
| 11 | 20191022 06:00 | 77.00 166.00 | 1012.9 | -2.2 | 75 | 107 5.7 | 24969 |
| 12 | 20191024 06:00 | 77.24 163.99 | 1000.4 | -3.1 | 81 | 139 10.1 | 19183 |

CPSsonde points

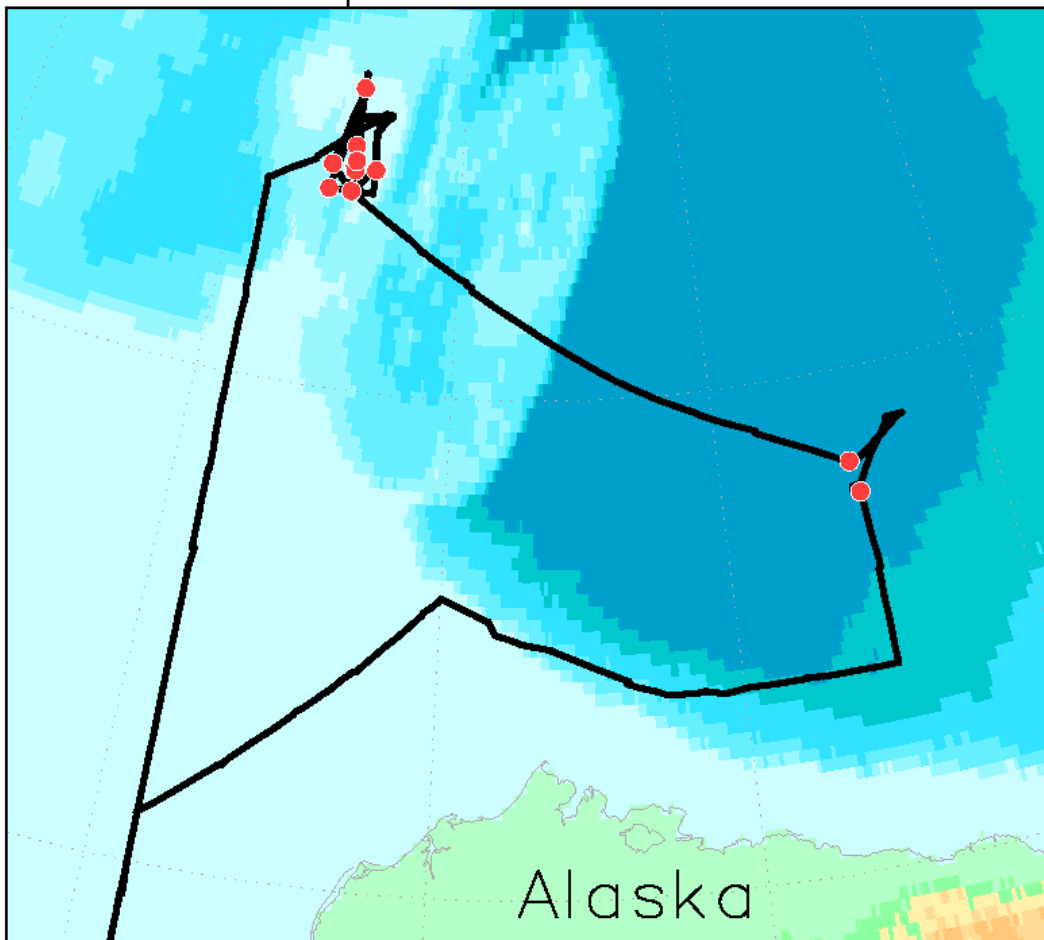


Figure 2.2-1: R/V Mirai track (black line) and CPS sonde launch points (red dots) over the Arctic Ocean.

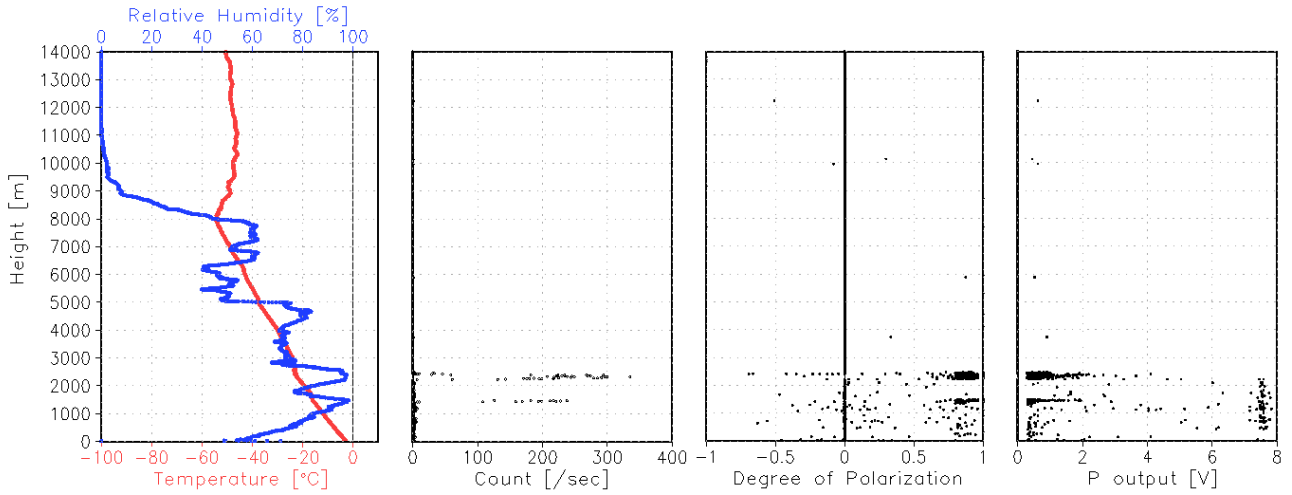


Figure 2.2-2: Vertical profiles of temperature (red) and humidity (blue) obtained by RS-11G radiosonde, and number of particles, degree of polarization and P output obtained by CPS sonde for No.1 launch (13 October).

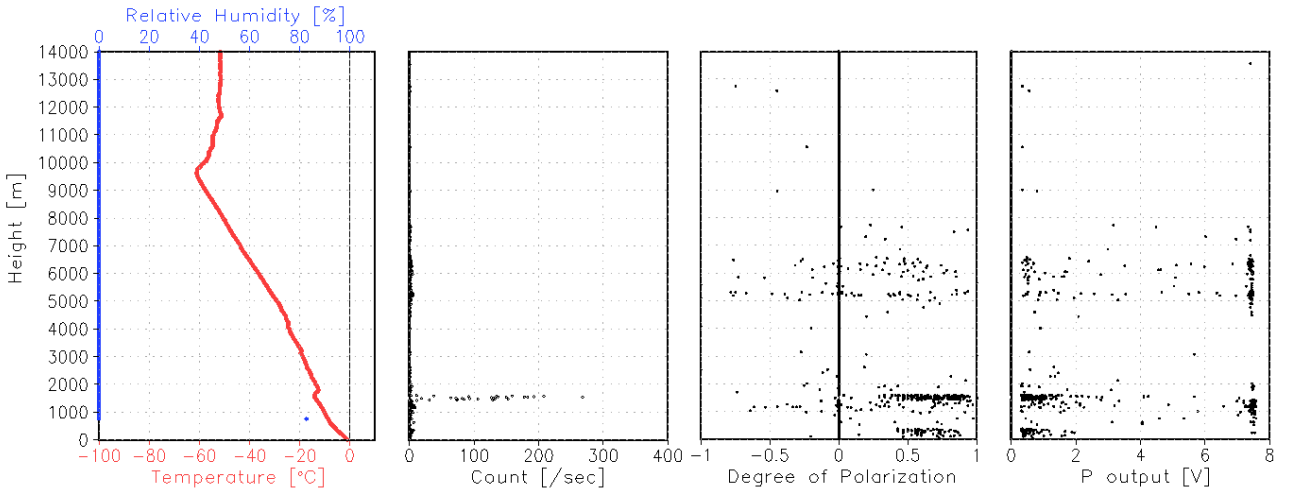


Figure 2.2-4: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.2 launch (14 October).

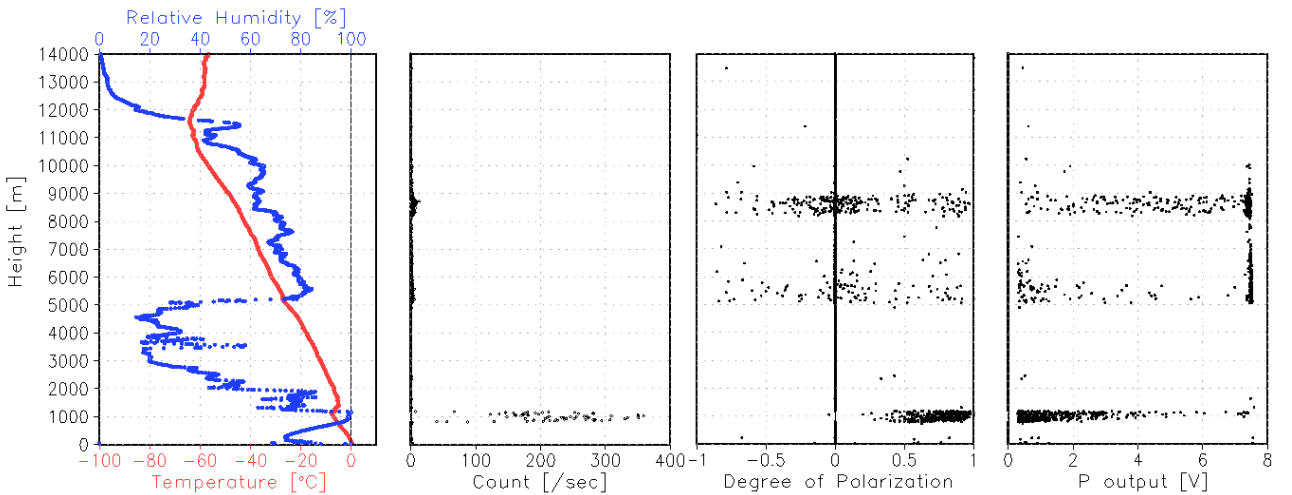


Figure 2.2-5: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.3 launch (16 October).

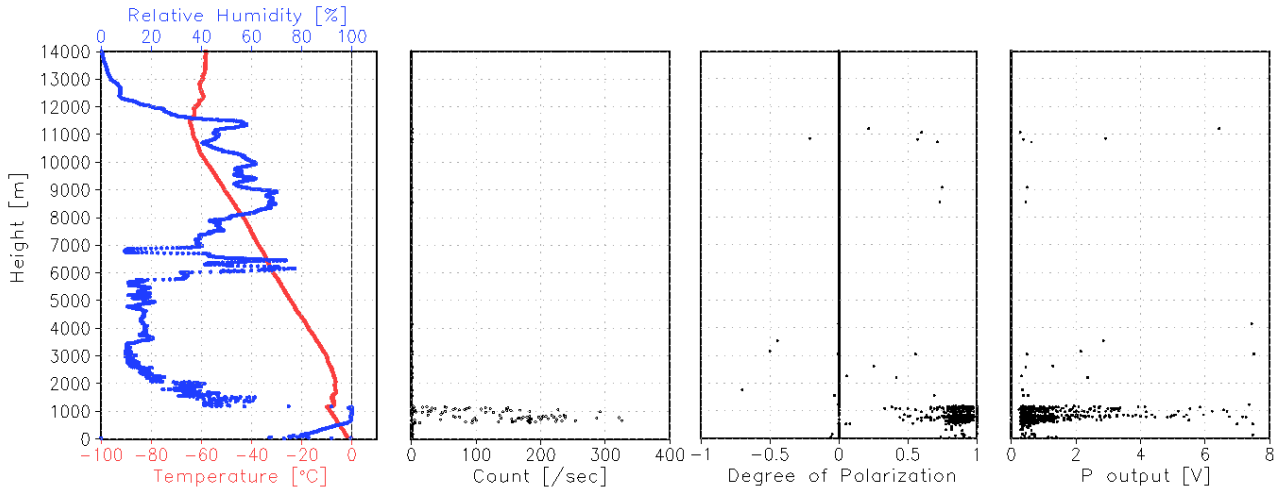


Figure 2.2-6: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.4 launch (17 October).

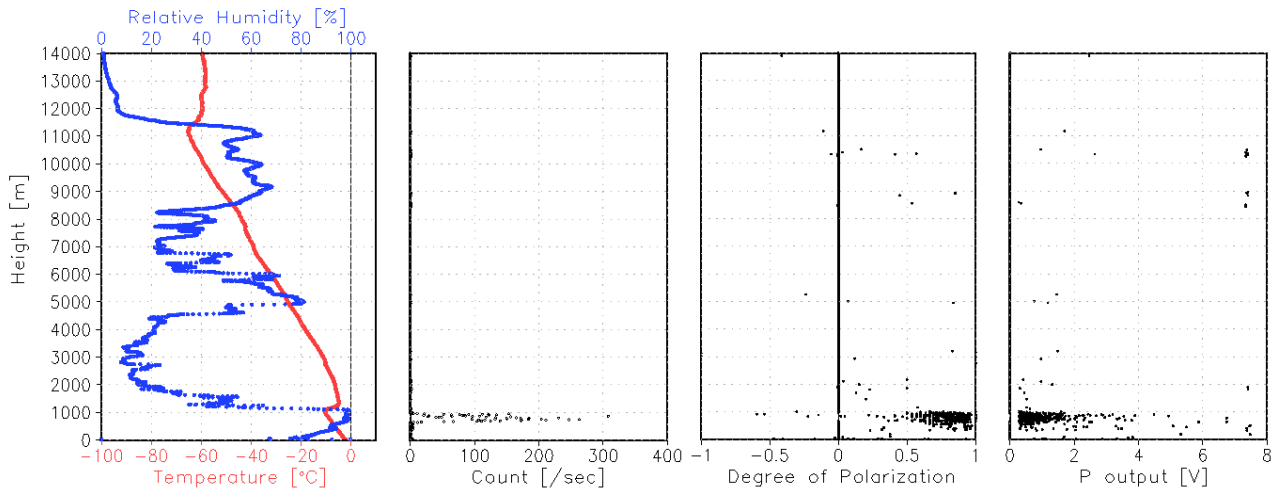


Figure 2.2-7: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.5 launch (18 October).

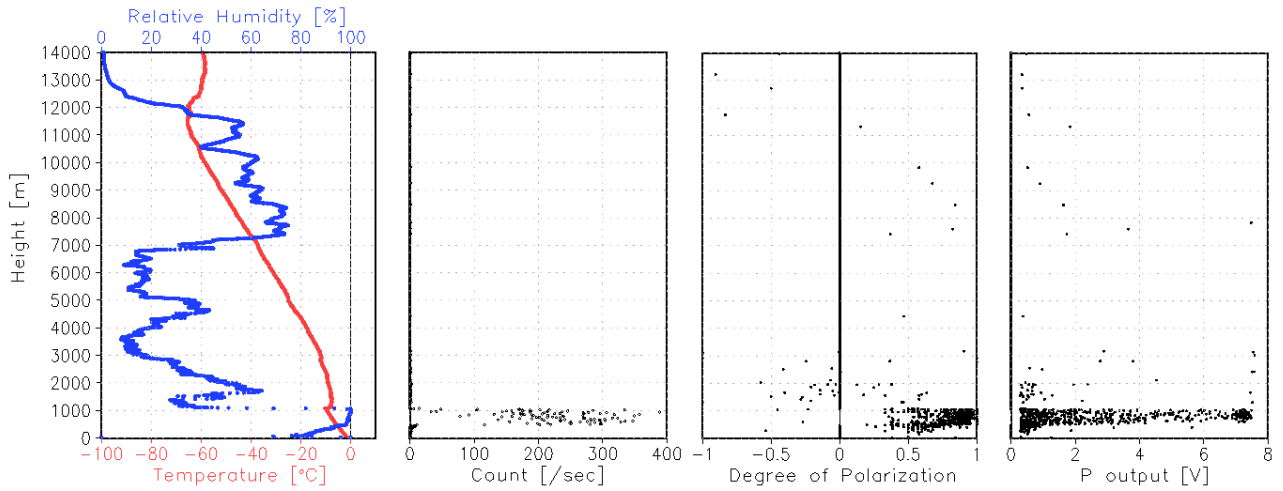


Figure 2.2-8: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.6 launch (06UTC on 19 October).

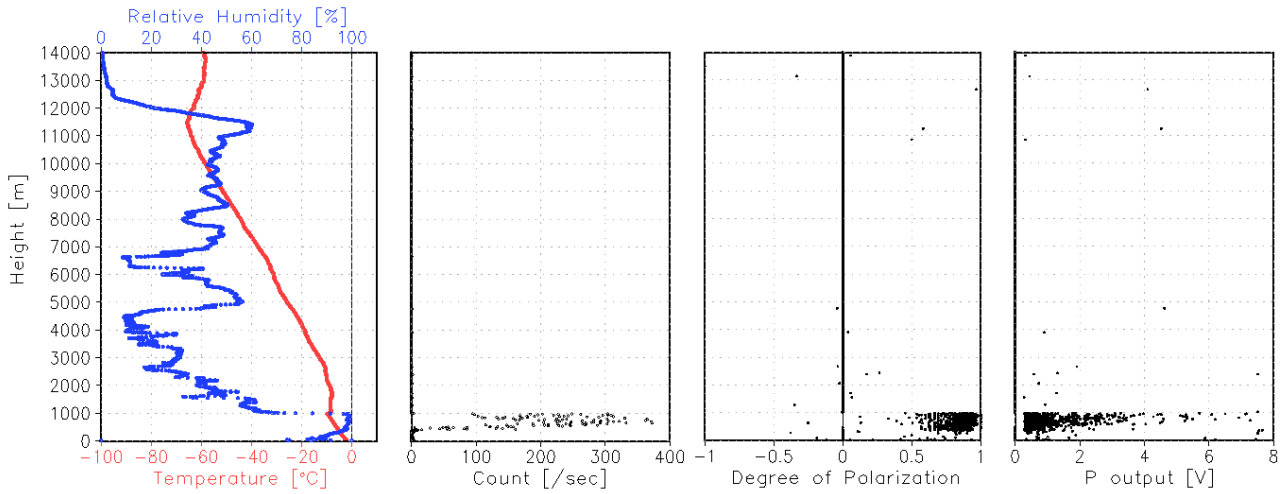


Figure 2.2-9: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.7 launch (18UTC 19 October).

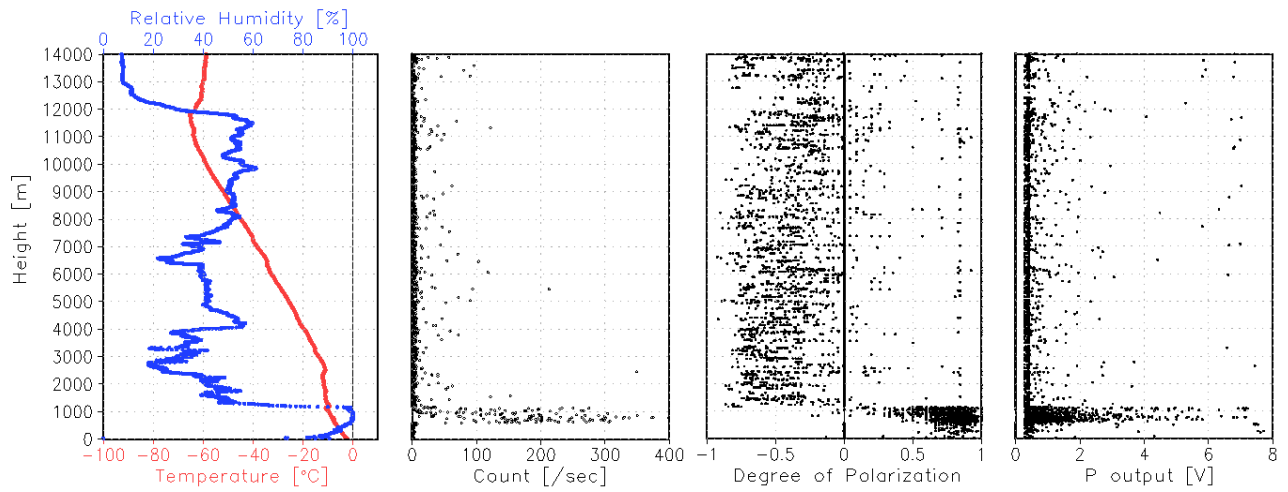


Figure 2.2-10: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.8 launch (00UTC on 20 October).

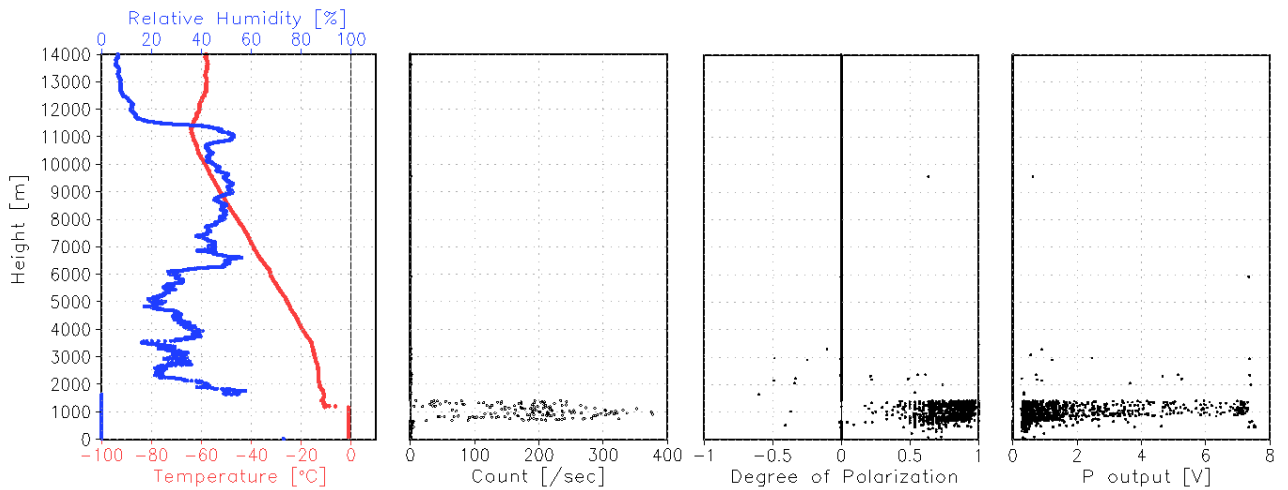


Figure 2.2-11: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.9 launch (06UTC on 20 October).

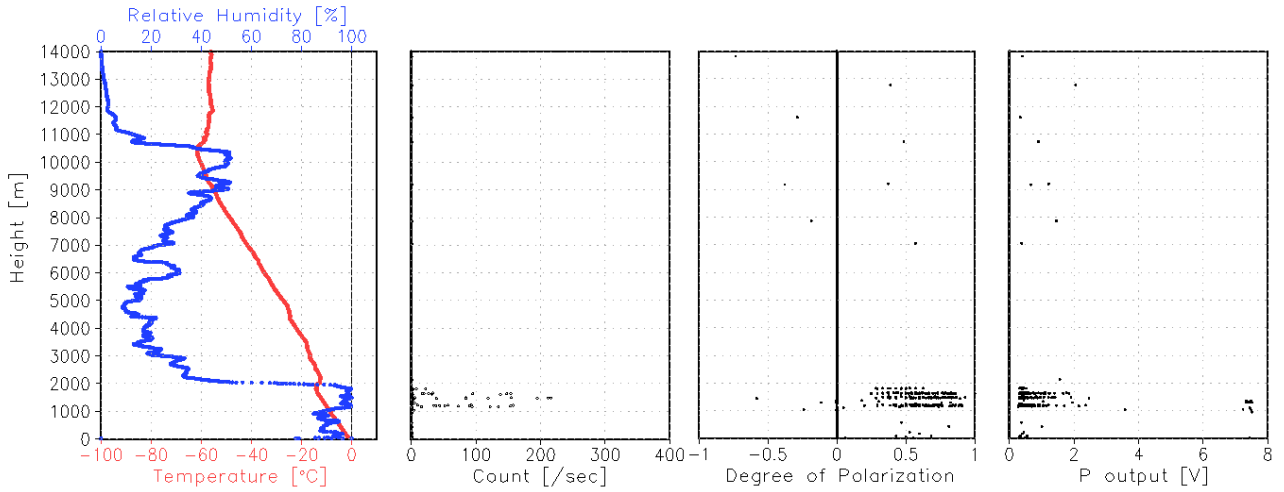


Figure 2.2-12: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.10 launch (21 October).

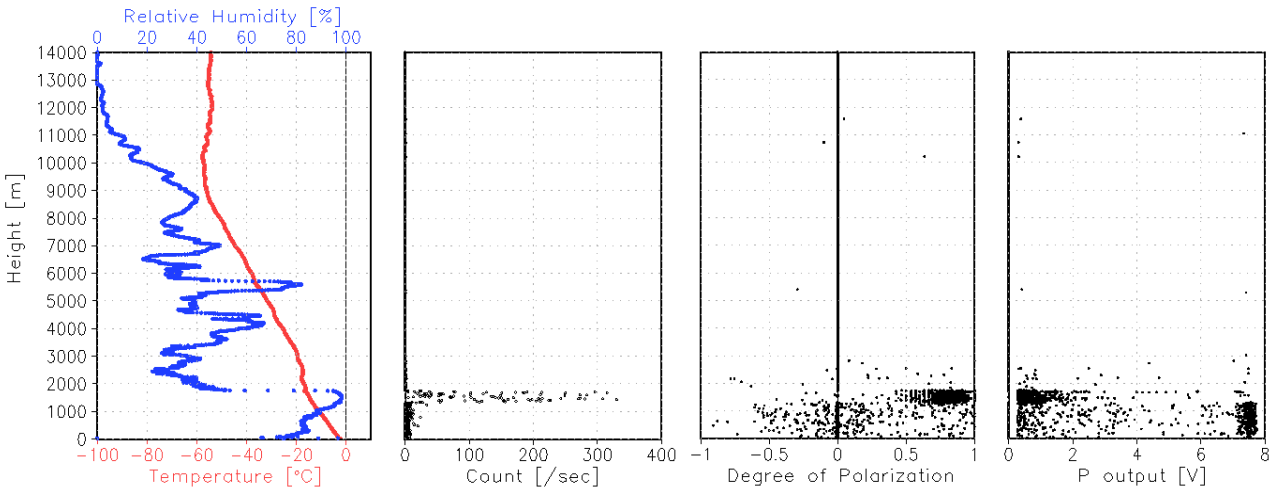


Figure 2.2-13: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.11 launch (22 October).

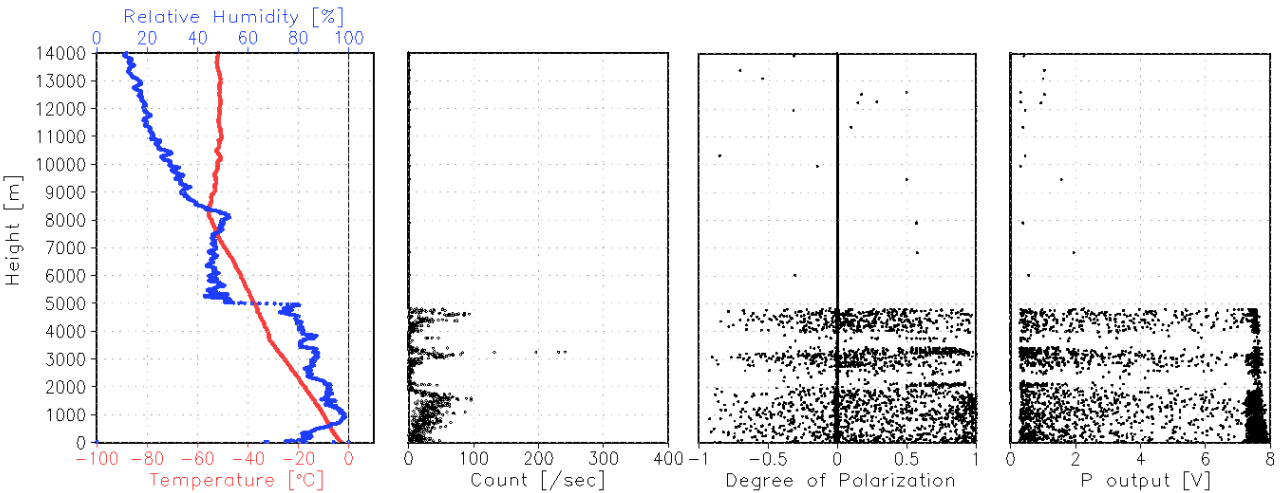


Figure 2.2-13: Same as in Figure 2.2-2, but for No.12 launch (24 October).

2.3 C-band Weather Radar

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(2) Objectives

Low-level clouds over the Arctic Ocean, which usually dominate during early winter, have a key role in the sea/ice surface heat budget. In addition, cyclones that modify the sea-ice distribution are also very important with regard to comprehension of air–ice–sea interaction. To capture the broad-scale characteristics of cloud–precipitation systems and their temporal and spatial evolutions over the Arctic Ocean, the three-dimensional radar echo structure and wind field of rain/snow clouds were derived based on C-band Doppler radar observations.

(3) Parameters

The C-band Doppler weather radar observed the three-dimensional radar echo structure and wind field of rain/snow clouds.

The following lists the radar variables that are converted from the power and the phase of the backscattered signal of vertically and horizontally polarized channels:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Radar reflectivity: | Z |
| Doppler velocity: | V_r |
| Spectrum width of Doppler velocity: | SW |
| Differential reflectivity: | ZDR |
| Differential propagation phase: | Φ_{DP} |
| Specific differential phase: | KDP |
| Co-polar correlation coefficients: | ρ_{HV} |

(4) Instruments and methods

The basic specifications of the C-band Doppler weather radar installed onboard the R/V Mirai are as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Frequency: | 5370 MHz (C-band) |
| Polarimetry: | Horizontal and vertical (simultaneously transmitted and received) |
| Transmitter: | Solid-state transmitter |
| Pulse Configuration: | Using pulse-compression |
| Output Power: | 6 kW (H) + 6 kW (V) |
| Antenna Diameter: | 4 meter |
| Beam Width: | 1.0 degrees |
| INU (Inertial Navigation Unit): | PHINS (IXBLUE S.A.S.) |

The antenna is controlled to point in the commanded ground-relative direction by controlling the azimuth and elevation to cancel the ship attitude (i.e., roll, pitch and yaw) detected by the INU. The Doppler velocity is

also corrected by subtracting the ship motion in the beam direction.

As part of routine maintenance, the internal parameters of the radar were checked and calibrated at the beginning and end of the cruise, whereas the following parameters were checked on a daily basis: (1) frequency, (2) peak output power and (3) pulse width.

During the cruise, the radar was operated in two modes, as shown in Tables 2.3-1 and 2.3-2. The radar was operated typically by repeating a volume scan with 17 plan position indicators (PPIs) at 6-min intervals. A dual pulse repetition frequency (PRF) mode with typical maximum range of 100 km was used for the volume scan. A surveillance PPI scan was performed every 30 min in a single PRF mode with maximum range of 300 km. Range height indicator (RHI) scans were operated whenever necessary to determine vertical structures in certain azimuth directions. On the return leg from the Arctic Ocean, vertical point scans were added and performed to collect data for ZDR calibration.

(5) Station list or Observation log

The radar was operated continuously from 03:06 UTC on 30 September to 08:00 UTC on 7 November.

(6) Preliminary results

The radar operated continuously from 30 September to 7 November. During the MR19-03C cruise, several precipitation systems that passed near the track of the R/V Mirai were captured by the C-band weather radar. Figure 2.3 (lower panel) shows the temporal variation of the PPI areal coverage of the radar echo within the range of 100 km for precipitating events north of 66°N. The strong precipitation echoes shown in the upper panels of Figure 2.3 were captured when the low pressure systems approached the R/V Mirai (e.g., 09, 23 and 28 October 2019) and when heavy snowfall was observed near the ice edge (e.g., 12 and 22 October 2019).

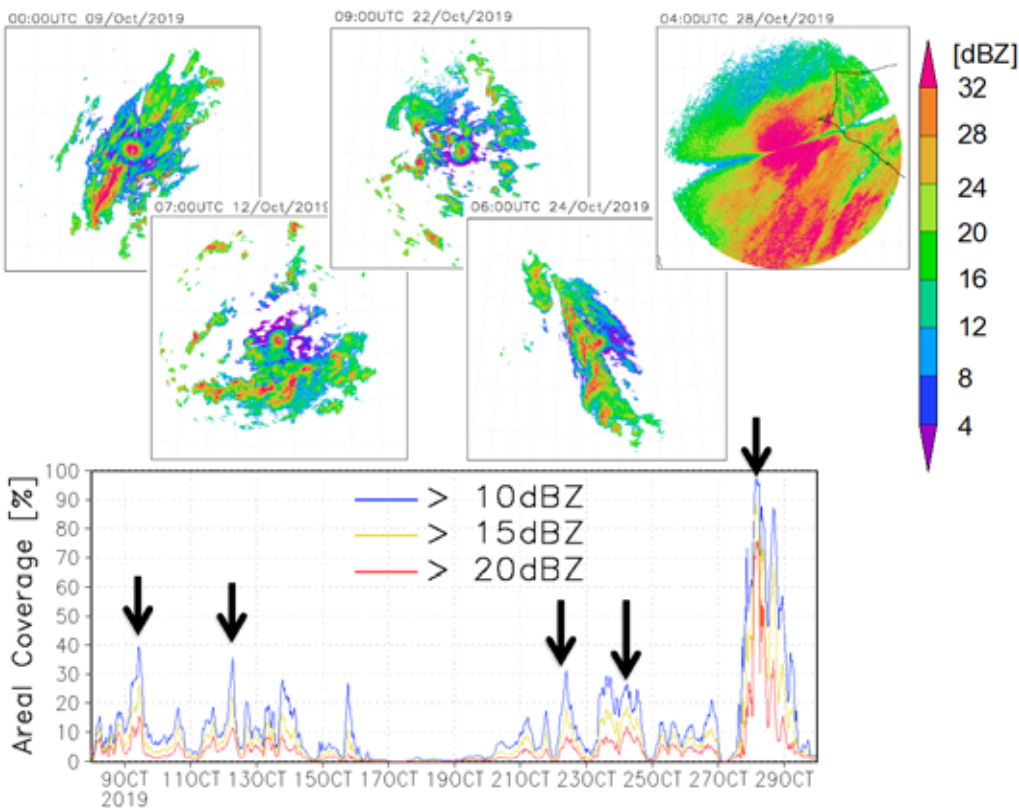


Figure 2.3: (Lower) Temporal variations of areal coverage of echoes exceeding threshold of 10 dBZ (blue), 15 dBZ (yellow) and 20 dBZ (red) within range of 100 km on the PPI scans. (Upper) Five PPI images of representative precipitation events obtained by the first PPI in the volume scan (elevation angle: 0.5°).

(7) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(8) Remarks (Times in UTC)

i) Observation mode.

[Auto-1] (Scan parameters are shown in Table 2.3-1)

03:06 on 30 September 2019 to 10:30 on 31 October 2019.

[Auto-3] (Scan parameters are shown in Table 2.3-2)

10:36 on 31 October 2019 to 8 November 2019.

ii) During the following periods, data acquisition was suspended because of maintenance.

03:18 on 30 September 2019 to 03:29 on 30 September 2019

10:30 on 31 October 2019 to 10:36 on 31 October 2019.

iii) Re-unfolding correction of Doppler velocity was not used during this cruise.

Table 2.3-1: Parameters for scan strategy in Auto-1

| | Surveillance PPI Scan | Volume Scan | | | | | | RHI Scan |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|-----|------------------------------------|------|-----------------|-------------|
| Repeated Cycle (min.) | 30 | 6 | | | | | | 6 |
| Times in One Cycle | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 3 |
| Pulse Width (long / short, in microsec) | 200 / 2 | 64 / 1 | 32 / 1 | | 32 / 1 | | 32 / 1 | |
| Scan Speed (deg/sec) | 18 | 18 | 24 | | 36 | | 9 (in el.) | |
| PRF(s) (Hz) | 400 | dual PRF (ray alternative) | | | | | | 1250 |
| | | 667 | 833 | 938 | 1250 | 1333 | 2000 | |
| Pulses / Ray | 16 | 26 | 33 | 27 | 34 | 37 | 55 | 32 |
| Ray Spacing (deg.) | 0.7 | 0.7 | | 0.7 | | 1.0 | | 0.23 |
| Azimuth | Full Circle | | | | | | Optional | |
| Bin Spacing (m) | 150 | | | | | | | |
| Max. Range (km) | 300 | 150 | 100 | | 60 | | 100 | |
| Elevation Angle(s) (deg.) | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.0, 1.8, 2.6, 3.4, 4.2, 5.1, 6.2, 7.6, 9.7, 12.2 15.2 | | 18.7, 23.0, 27.9, 33.5, 40.0 | | -0.2 to 60.0 | |

Table 2.3-2: Parameters for scan strategy in Auto-3

| | Surveillance PPI Scan | Volume Scan | | | | | | RHI Scan | Vertical Point Scan |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|-----|------|------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Repeated Cycle (min.) | 30 | 6 | | | | | | 12 | |
| Times in One Cycle | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 3 | 3 |
| Pulse Width (long / short, in microsec) | 200 / 2 | 64 / 1 | 32 / 1 | | | 32 / 1 | | 32 / 1 | 32/1 |
| Scan Speed (deg/sec) | 18 | 18 | 24 | | 36 | | | 9 (in el.) | 36 |
| PRF(s) (Hz) | 400 | dual PRF (ray alternative) | | | | | | 1250 | 2000 |
| | | 667 | 833 | 938 | 1250 | 1333 | 2000 | | |
| Pulses / Ray | 16 | 26 | 33 | 27 | 34 | 37 | 55 | 32 | 64 |
| Ray Spacing (deg.) | 0.7 | 0.7 | | 0.7 | | 1.0 | | 0.23 | 1.0 |
| Azimuth | Full Circle | | | | | | Optional | Full Circle | |
| Bin Spacing (m) | 150 | | | | | | | | |
| Max. Range (km) | 300 | 150 | 100 | | 60 | | | 100 | 60 |
| Elevation Angle(s) (deg.) | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.0, 1.8, 2.6, 3.4, 4.2, 5.1, 6.2, 7.6, 9.7, 12.2 15.2 | | | 18.7, 23.0, 27.9, 33.5, 40.0 | | -0.2 to 60.0 | 90 |

2.4 Surface Meteorological Observations

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(2) Objectives

Surface meteorological parameters were observed as a basic dataset of the meteorology. These parameters provided information on the temporal variation of the meteorological conditions surrounding the ship.

(3) Instruments and methods

Two systems were used to observe surface meteorological parameters during this cruise.

i. Mirai Surface Meteorological observation (SMet) system

The instruments of the SMet system are listed in Table 2.4-1 and details of the parameters measured are listed in Table 2.4-2. The KOAC-7800 weather data processor (Koshin-Denki, Japan) was used to collect and process the data. The data included in this set consist of 6-s averages.

ii. Shipboard Oceanographic and Atmospheric Radiation (SOAR) measurement system

The SOAR system, designed by BNL (Brookhaven National Laboratory, USA), consists of the following six major parts.

- a) Portable Radiation Package (PRP) designed by BNL – shortwave and longwave downward radiation.
- b) Additional shortwave and longwave radiometers with ventilation units manufactured by Hukseflux, Netherlands – shortwave and longwave downward radiation measurements adapted to cold areas to complement the PRP measurement.
- c) Analog meteorological data sampling with a CR1000 logger manufactured by Campbell Scientific Inc. Canada – wind, pressure and rainfall (via capacitive rain gauge) measurements.
- d) Digital meteorological data sampling from individual sensors – air temperature, relative humidity and rainfall (via optical rain gauge (ORG)) measurements.
- e) A photosynthetically available radiation (PAR) sensor manufactured by Biospherical Instruments Inc. (USA) – PAR and ultraviolet radiation (UV) measurements.
- f) Scientific computer system (SCS) developed by NOAA (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, USA) – centralized data acquisition and logging of all datasets.

The SCS recorded the PRP, air temperature, relative humidity, CR1000, ORG and PAR data. The SCS composed event data (JamMet) from these meteorological observations and ship navigational data at 6-s intervals. Information regarding the instruments and their locations is presented in Table 2.4-3 and details of the parameters measured are listed in Table 2.4-4.

For quality control, we performed the following checks of the sensors both before and after the cruise.

- i. Young rain gauge (SMet and SOAR)
Inspection of the linearity of the output value from the rain gauge sensor associated with a change of input value (i.e., addition of a fixed quantity of test water).
- ii. Barometer (SMet and SOAR)
Comparison with readings from a portable barometer (PTB220, Vaisala).
- iii. Thermometer (air temperature and relative humidity) (SMet and SOAR)
Comparison with readings from a portable thermometer (HM70, Vaisala).

(4) Observation log

27 Sep. 2019 to 10 Nov. 2019

(5) Preliminary results

Figure. 2.4-1 shows the time series of the following parameters;

- Wind (SOAR)
- Air temperature (SMet)
- Relative humidity (SMet)
- Precipitation (SMet, ORG)
- Short wave radiation (SOAR)
- Long wave radiation (SMet)
- Pressure (SMet)
- Sea surface temperature (SMet)
- Significant wave height (SMet; stern)

Figures 2.4-2 and 2.4-3 show time series of shortwave and longwave radiation, respectively, for comparison of the SOAR (PRP) with additional radiometers.

(6) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(7) Remarks (times in UTC)

- i) During the following period, the SMet SST data were available.
05:31 on 29 September 2019 to 23:55 on 7 November 2019.
- ii) At the following time, SMet capacitive rain gauge data were invalid because of test transmissions of the MF/HF radio.
19:39 on 29 October 2019.
- iii) During the following period, significant wave height and period data were invalid because of difficulty with PC logging.
04:55 on 7 October 2019 to 05:55 on 7 October 2019.
- iv) During the following periods, bow significant wave height and period data were invalid because of system trouble.
09:35 on 1 November 2019 to 23:34 on 1 November. 2019

04:35 on 2 November 2019 to the end of the cruise.

- v) During the following periods, SMet wind speed/direction data were invalid because of sensor failure.
 - 20:47 on 10 October 2019 to 20:56 on 10 October 2019
 - 22:37 on 10 October 2019 to 22:50 on 10 October 2019
 - 00:57 on 19 October 2019 to 02:49 on 19 October 2019.
- vi) During the following periods, SMet wind speed/direction data were measured by the ultrasonic anemometer on the aftermast.
 - 20:56 on 10 October 2019 to 22:37 on 10 October 2019
 - 22:50 on 10 October 2019 to 06:06 on 12 October 2019.
- vii) During the following period, the SMet wind speed/direction data were measured by the KE-500 wind vane anemometer on the foremast.
 - 04:35 on 19 October 2019 to 00:00 on 10 November 2019.
- viii) During the following days, the SMet shortwave radiation data contained invalid nighttime values (more than 0.01 kW/m²).
 - 27 September 2019 to 1 October 2019
 - 3 October 2019 to 6 October 2019.
- ix) During the following period, SOAR data acquisition was suspended for system maintenance.
 - 06:33 on 21 October 2019 to 06:44 on 21 October 2019.
- x) During the following period, the ORG rain intensity of the SOAR was invalid because of sensor failure.
 - 00:23 on 14 October 2019 to the end of the cruise.
- xi) The SOAR longwave radiation amount (PIR) must be corrected using appropriate calibration coefficients. This correction was performed after the cruise because the PIR sensor was replaced before the beginning of this cruise.
- xii) During the following periods, SOAR longwave radiation amount (PIR) contained bias because the output of the PIR case and/or the dome thermistor for radiation correction fell below the temperature measurement limit (-5.6 °C).
 - 20:11 on 22 October 2019 to 03:27 on 23 October 2019
 - 18:44 on 24 October 2019 to 07:17 on 24 October 2019
 - 08:27 on 25 October 2019 to 14:10 on 25 October 2019.
- xiii) During this cruise, FRSR data were not acquired.

Table 2.4-1: Instruments and installation locations of the SMet system

| <u>Sensors</u> | <u>Type</u> | <u>Manufacturer</u> | <u>Location(altitude from surface)</u> |
|------------------------|-------------|---------------------|--|
| Anemometer(ultrasonic) | KS-5900 | Koshin Denki, Japan | foremast (25 m) aftermast (37 m) |

| | | | |
|-------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------------------|
| Anemometer(wind vane) | KE-500 | Koshin Denki, Japan | foremast (24 m) |
| Tair/RH | HMP155 | Vaisala, Finland | compass deck (21 m) |
| | with 43408 Gill aspirated radiation shield | R.M. Young, USA | starboard and port side |
| Thermometer: SST | RFN2-0 | Koshin Denki, Japan | 4th deck (-1m, inlet -5m) |
| Barometer | Model-370 | Setra System, USA | captain deck (13 m) |
| | | | weather obs. room |
| Rain gauge | 50202 | R. M. Young, USA | compass deck (19 m) |
| Optical rain gauge | ORG-815DR | Osi, USA | compass deck (19 m) |
| Radiometer (short wave) | MS-802 | Eko Seiki, Japan | radar mast (28 m) |
| Radiometer (long wave) | MS-202 | Eko Seiki, Japan | radar mast (28 m) |
| Wave height meter | WM-2 | Tsurumi-seiki, Japan | bow (10 m) |
| | | | stern(8m) |

Table 2.4-2: Parameters of the SMet observation system

| Parameter | Units | Remarks |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|---|
| 1 Latitude | degree | |
| 2 Longitude | degree | |
| 3 Ship's speed | knot | Mirai log, DS-30 Furuno |
| 4 Ship's heading | degree | Mirai Gyro, TOKYO-KEIKI, TG-8000 |
| 5 Relative wind speed | m/s | 6sec./10min. averaged |
| 6 Relative wind direction | degree | 6sec./10min. averaged |
| 7 True wind speed | m/s | 6sec./10min. averaged |
| 8 True wind direction | degree | 6sec./10min. averaged |
| 9 Barometric pressure | hPa | adjusted to sea surface level 6sec. averaged |
| 10 Air temperature (starboard) | degC | 6sec. averaged |
| 11 Air temperature (port side) | degC | 6sec. averaged |
| 12 Dewpoint temperature (starboard) | degC | 6sec. averaged |
| 13 Dewpoint temperature (port side) | degC | 6sec. averaged |
| 14 Relative humidity (starboard) | % | 6sec. averaged |
| 15 Relative humidity (port side) | % | 6sec. averaged |
| 16 Sea surface temperature | degC | 6sec. averaged |
| 17 Rain rate (optical rain gauge) | mm/hr | hourly accumulation |
| 18 Rain rate (capacitive rain gauge) | mm/hr | hourly accumulation |
| 19 Down welling shortwave radiation | W/m ² | 6sec. averaged |
| 20 Down welling infra-red radiation | W/m ² | 6sec. averaged |
| 21 Significant wave height (bow) | m | hourly |
| 22 Significant wave height (stern) | m | hourly |
| 23 Significant wave period (bow) | second | hourly |
| 24 Significant wave period (stern) | second | hourly |

Table 2.4-3: Instruments and installation locations of the SOAR system

| Sensors (Meteorological) | Type | Manufacturer | Location (altitude from surface) |
|--------------------------|--------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| Anemometer | 05106 | R.M. Young, USA | foremast (25 m) |
| Barometer | PTB210 | Vaisala, Finland | foremast (23 m) |

with 61002 Gill pressure port, R.M. Young, USA
 Rain gauge 50202 R.M. Young, USA foremast (24 m)
 Tair/RH HMP155 Vaisala, Finland foremast (23 m)
 with 43408 Gill aspirated radiation shield R.M. Young, USA
 Optical rain gauge ORG-815DR Osi, USA foremast (24 m)

| Sensors (PRP) | Type | Manufacturer | Location (altitude from surface) |
|-------------------------------------|------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Radiometer (short wave) | PSP | Epply Labs, USA | foremast (25 m) |
| Radiometer (long wave) | PIR | Epply Labs, USA | foremast (25 m) |
| Fast rotating shadowband radiometer | | Yankee, USA | foremast (25 m) |

| Sensors (PAR) | Type | Manufacturer | Location (altitude from surface) |
|---------------|---------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| PAR sensor | PUV-510 | Biospherical Instruments Inc., USA | Navigation deck (18m) |

Sensors

| (Additional Radiation) | Type | Manufacturer | Location (altitude from surface) |
|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Radiometer (short wave) | SR-20 | HukseFlux, Netherland | Compassdeck(20m) |
| with VU-01 Ventilation Unit | | HukseFlux, Netherland | |
| Radiometer (long wave) | IR-20 | HukseFlux, Netherland | Compassdeck(20m) |
| with VU-01 Ventilation Unit | | HukseFlux, Netherland | |

Table 2.4-4: Parameters of the SOAR system

| Parameter | Units | Remarks |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| 1 Latitude | degree | |
| 2 Longitude | degree | |
| 3 SOG | knot | |
| 4 COG | degree | |
| 5 Relative wind speed | m/s | |
| 6 Relative wind direction | degree | |
| 7 Barometric pressure | hPa | |
| 8 Air temperature | degC | |
| 9 Relative humidity | % | |
| 10 Rain rate (optical rain gauge) | mm/hr | |
| 11 Precipitation (capacitive rain gauge) | mm | reset at 50 mm |
| 12 Down welling shortwave radiation(PSP) | W/m ² | |
| 13 Down welling infra-red radiation(PIR) | W/m ² | |
| 14 Defuse irradiance | W/m ² | Not observed |
| 15 PAR | microE/cm2/sec | |
| 16 UV | microW/cm2/nm | |
| 17 Additional Down welling shortwave radiation(SR20) | W/m ² | |
| 18 Additional Down welling longwave radiation(IR20) | W/m ² | |

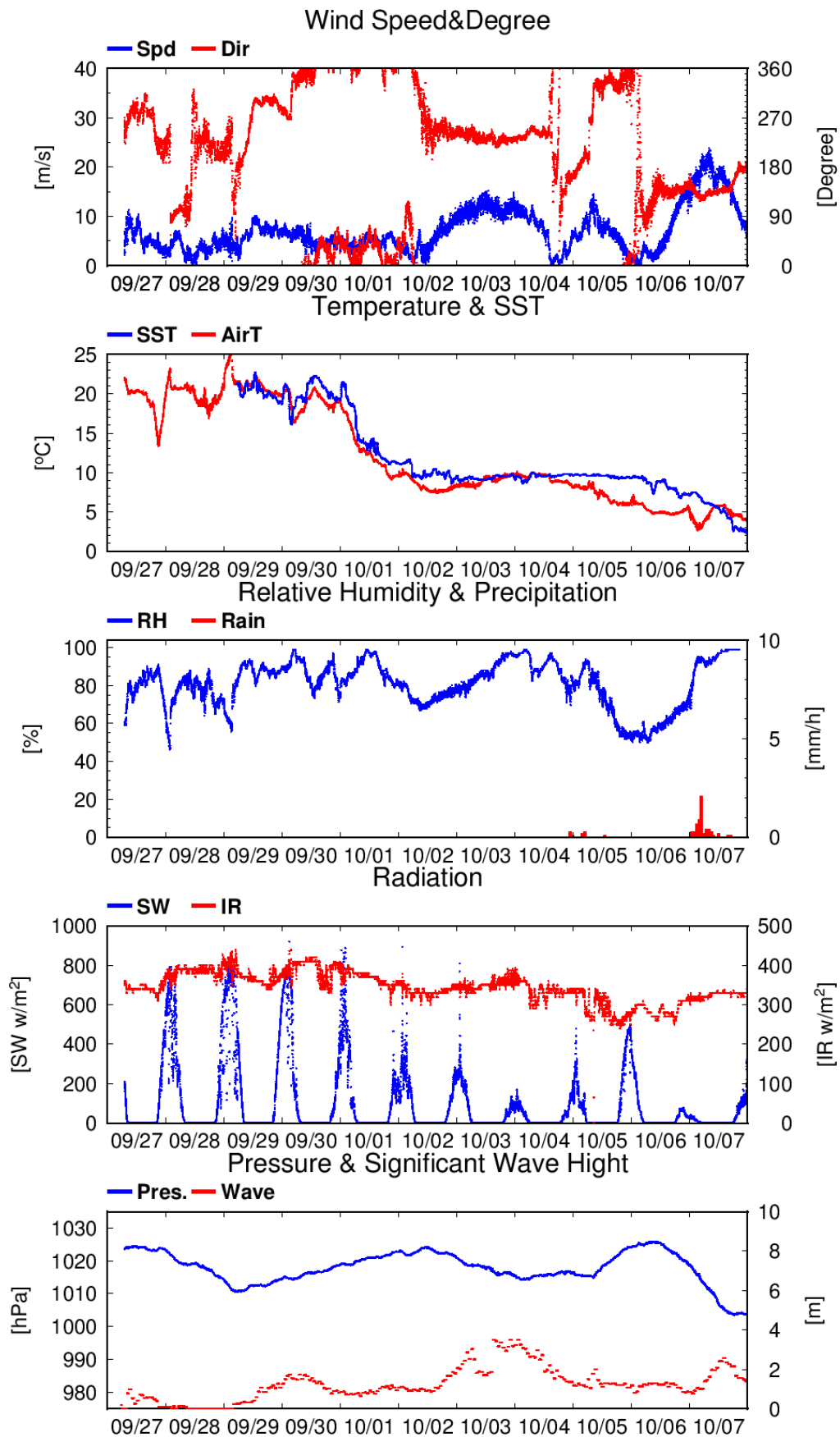


Figure 2.4-1: Time series of surface meteorological parameters monitored during this cruise

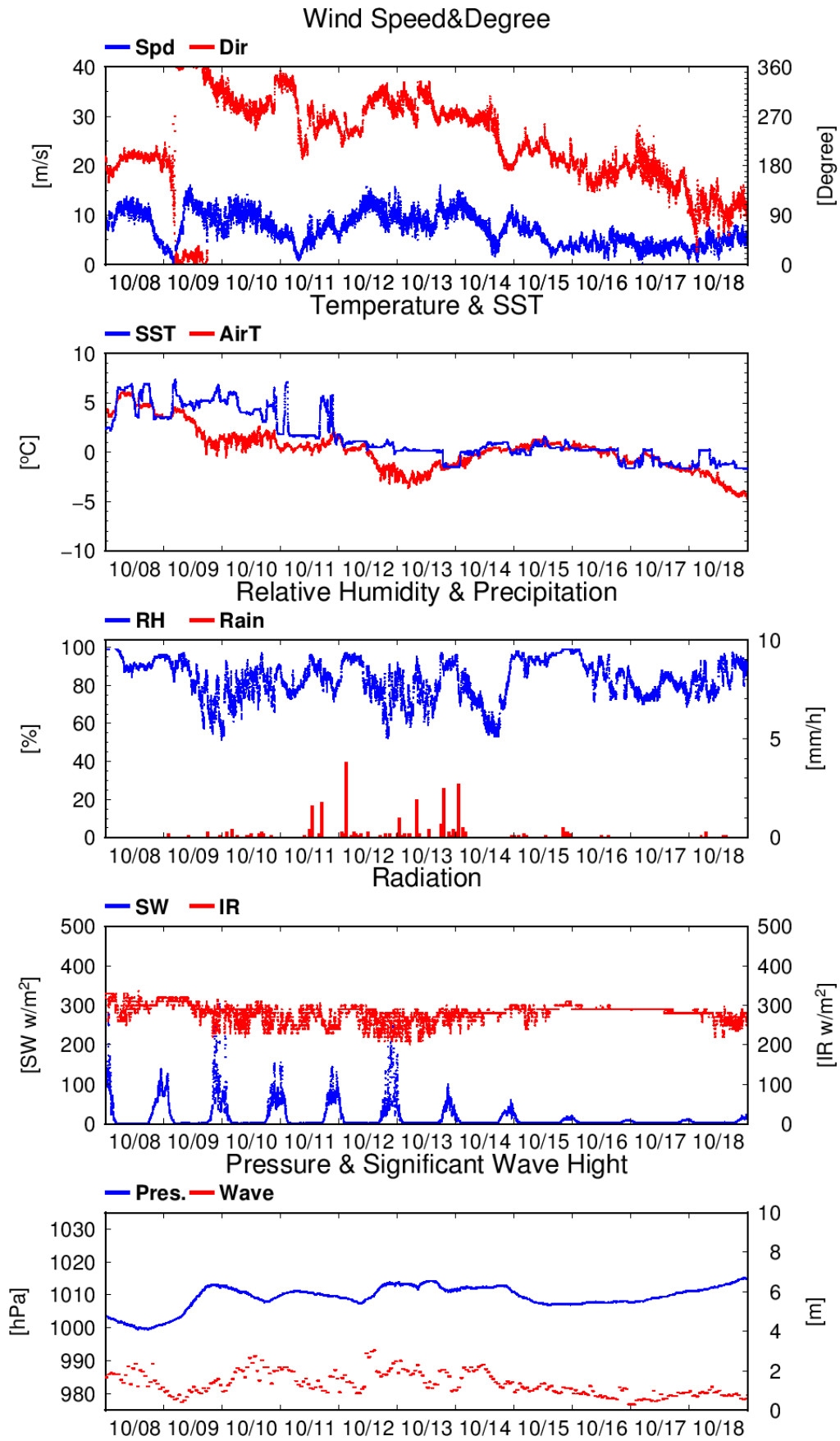


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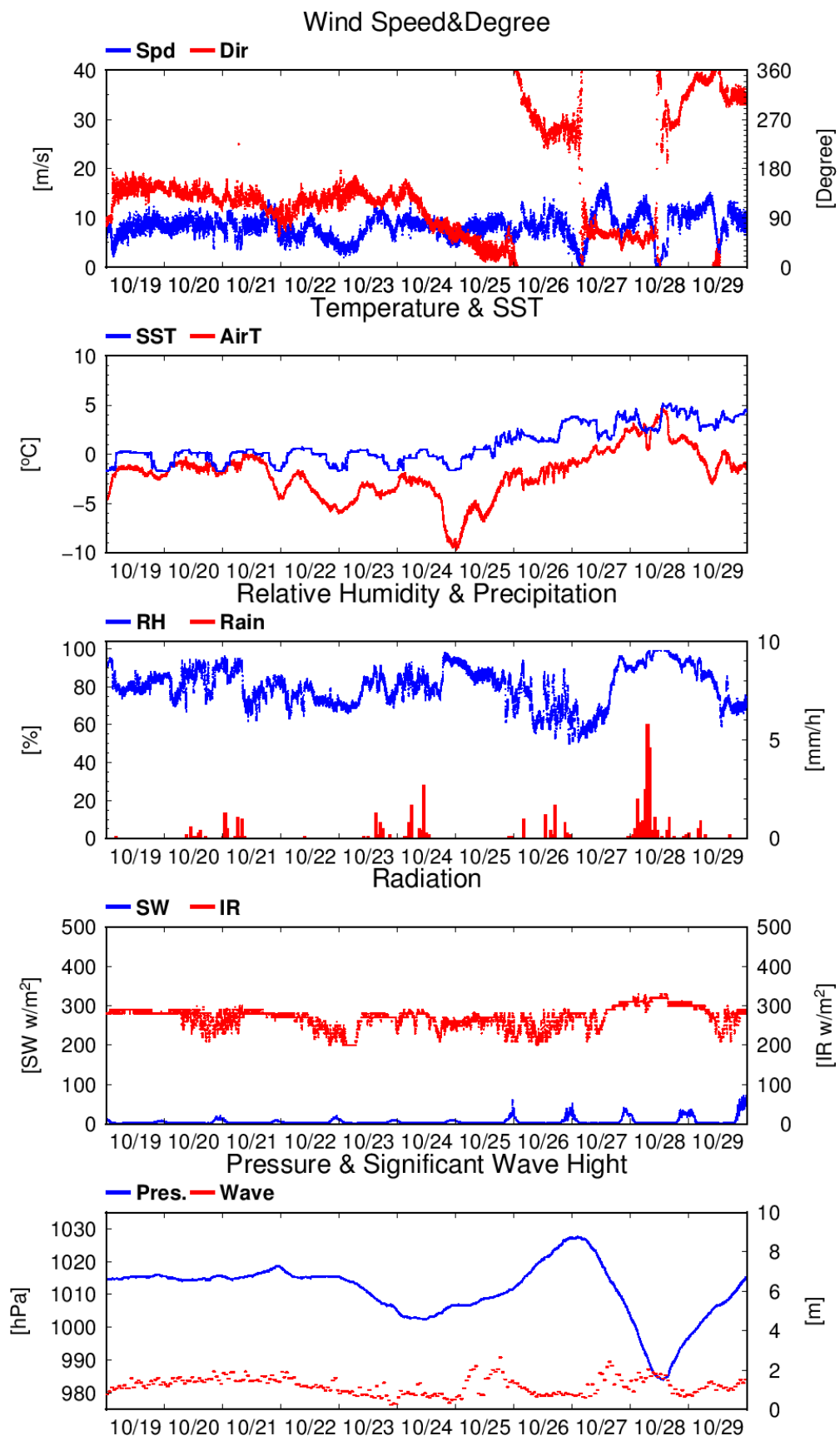


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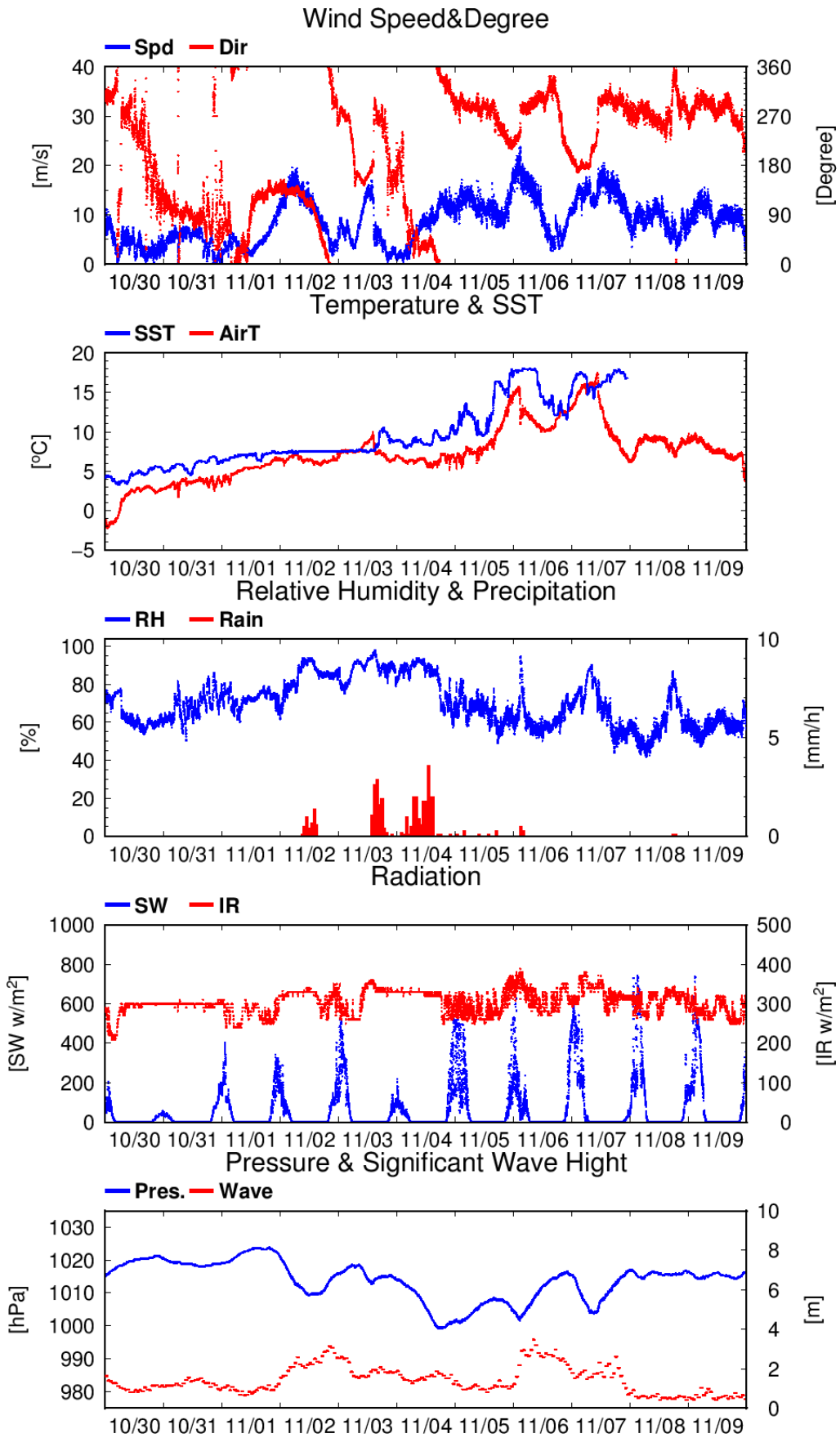


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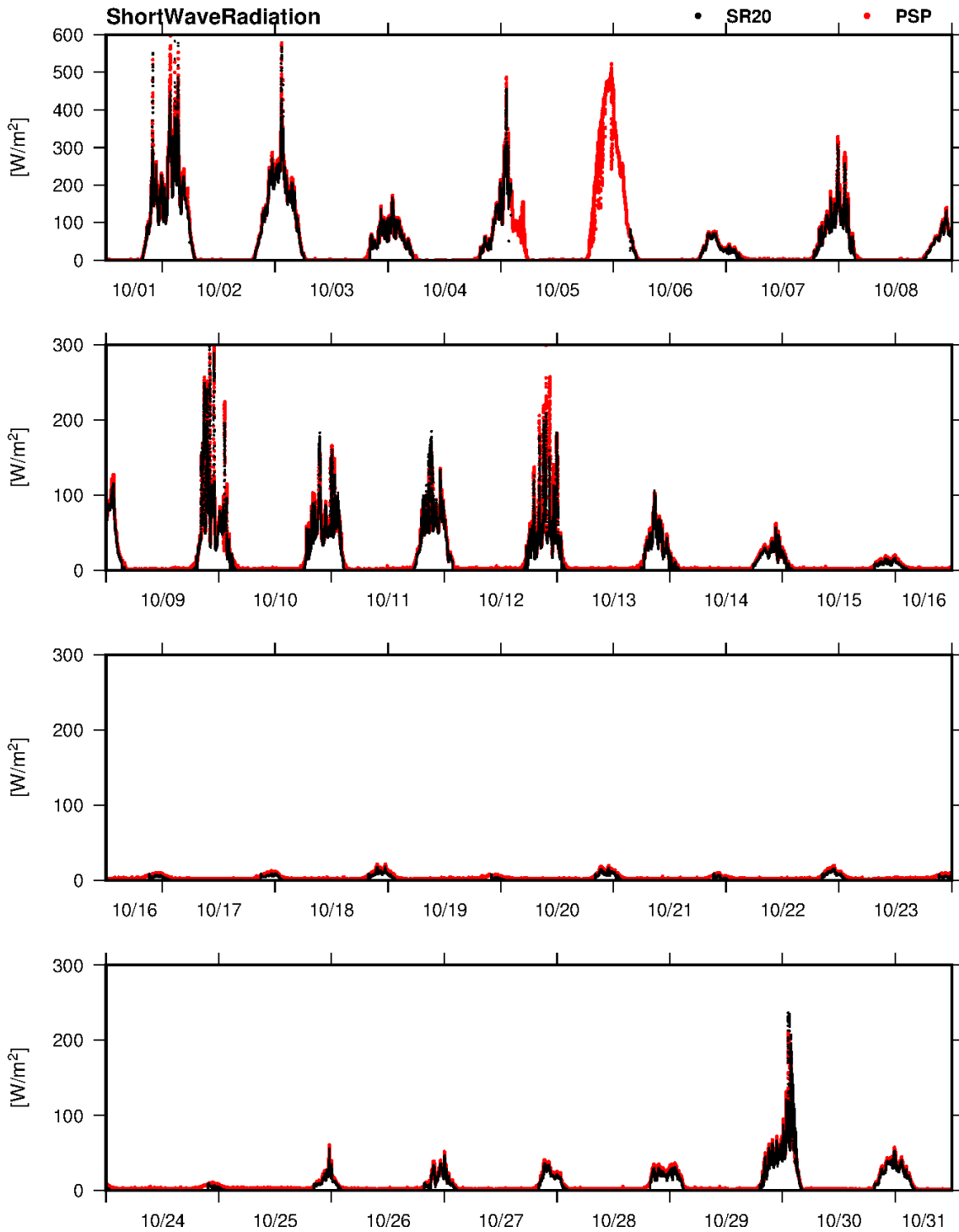


Figure 2.4-2: Time series of shortwave radiation amount measured by the SR20 (additional radiometer) and PSP in October 2019

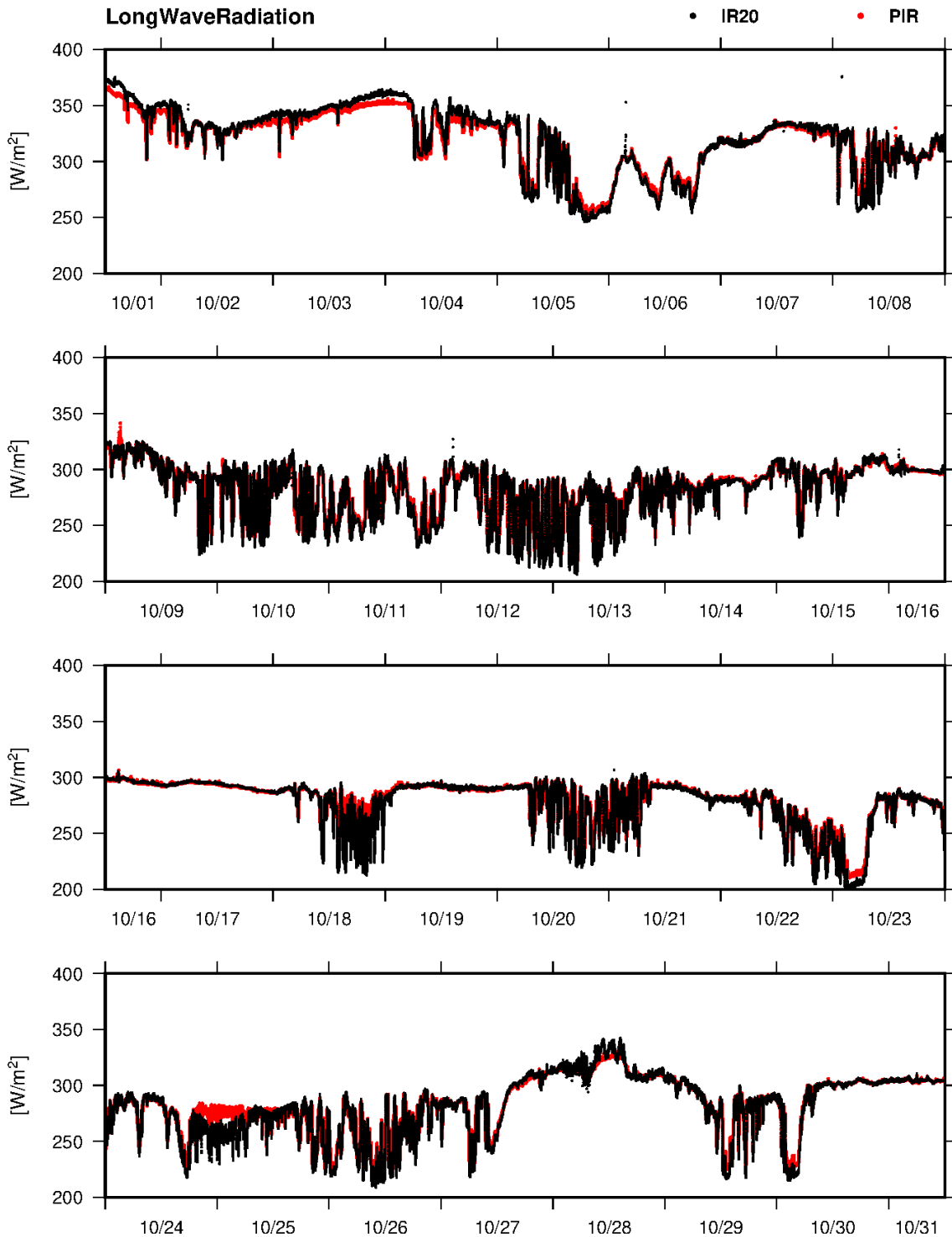


Figure 2.4-3: Time series of longwave radiation amount measured by the IR20 (additional radiometer) and PIR in October 2019

2.5 Ceilometer

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|--------------------|------------|-----|
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| Takehito Hattori | MIRAI Crew | |

(2) Objectives

Information on cloud base height and liquid water amount around cloud base is important for comprehension of the process of cloud formation. During this cruise, cloud base height was measured using a ceilometer.

(3) Parameters

1. Cloud base height (unit: m).
2. Backscatter profile, sensitivity and range normalized at 10-m resolution.
3. Estimated cloud amount (unit: oktas) and height (unit: m); Sky Condition Algorithm.

(4) Instruments and methods

We measured cloud base height and the backscatter profile using a ceilometer (CL51, Vaisala, Finland) throughout this cruise.

Major parameters for the measurement configuration are as follows;

| | |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Laser source: | Indium Gallium Arsenide (InGaAs) Diode Laser |
| Transmitting center wavelength: | 910±10 nm at 25 degC |
| Transmitting average power: | 19.5 mW |
| Repetition rate: | 6.5 kHz |
| Detector: | Silicon avalanche photodiode (APD) |
| Measurement range: | 0 ~ 15 km 0 ~ 13 km (Cloud detection) |
| Resolution: | 10 meter in full range |
| Sampling rate: | 36 sec |
| Sky Condition | 0, 1, 3, 5, 7, 8 oktas (9: Vertical Visibility) (0: Sky Clear, 1: Few, 3: Scattered, 5-7: Broken, 8: Overcast) |

Cloud base height and the backscatter profile in the archive dataset were recorded with resolution of 10 m.

(5) Observation log

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(6) Preliminary results

Figure 2.5 shows the time series of cloud base height measured by the ceilometer during this cruise.

(7) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in

JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(8) Remarks (times in UTC)

1. Window cleaning

01:07UTC 29 Sep. 2019
05:43UTC 02 Oct. 2019
01:52UTC 08 Oct. 2019
02:40UTC 12 Oct. 2019
23:52UTC 12 Oct. 2019
19:25UTC 13 Oct. 2019
02:16UTC 16 Oct. 2019
00:10UTC 21 Oct. 2019
01:05UTC 21 Oct. 2019
01:03UTC 23 Oct. 2019
00:47UTC 24 Oct. 2019
19:29UTC 29 Oct. 2019
04:44UTC 07 Nov. 2019

2. Use of the heated blower was stopped during this cruise because of its poor insulation.

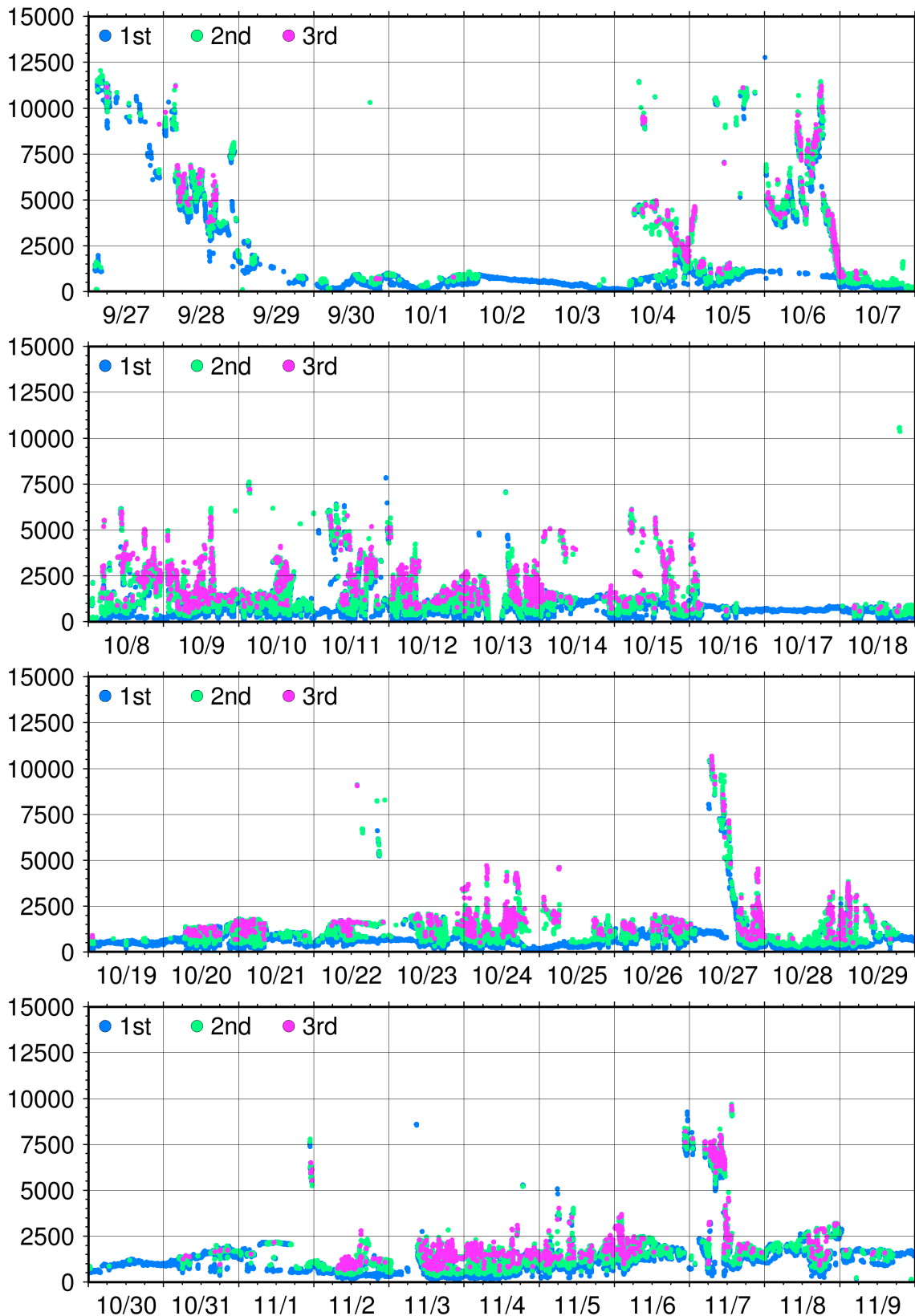


Figure 2.5: Time series of cloud base height during this cruise.

2.6 Drones

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------|
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| Kazutoshi SATO | KIT | |
| Tsubasa KODAIRA | The University of Tokyo | |

(2) Objectives

The objectives of this observation approach were to monitor the surface conditions of the sea and the sea ice.

(3) Instruments and methods

Three types of DJI drones were used (i.e., Mavic Air, Mavic2 Enterprise Dual and Phantom4 Pro+). The specifications of each type of drone are shown in Table 2.6-1. All flights were made during daytime under calm wind conditions. One or two assistants took flight field notes (e.g., drawing the flight track and checking the status of the drone) and maintained visual contact with the flying drone (Figure 2.6-1).

Table 2.6-1




| DJI Drones |  |  |  |
|----------------------|---|---|---|
| | Mavic Air | Mavic2 Enterprise Dual | Phantom4 Pro+ |
| Weight (g) | 430 | 899 | 1388 |
| Endurance (min) | 21 | 31 | 30 |
| Communication system | Wifi | OcuSync2.0 | Lightbridge |
| Frequency | 2.4GHz | 2.4GHz | 2.4GHz |
| Remarks | Intelligent flight mode | Self-heating batteries, a top-mount beacon, an infrared camera | |



Figure 2.6-1: Preflight check with flight assistants on the deck.

Table 2.6-2: Flight summary

| No. | mm/dd | Takeoff (SMT) | Landing (SMT) | Time (min) | Lat (°N) | Lon (°W) | Type of Drone | Purpose of flight Remarks (errors & other issues) |
|-----|-------|---------------|---------------|------------|----------|----------|---------------|---|
| 001 | 10/08 | 13:12 | 13:22 | 10 | 68.17 | 168.76 | Mavic2 | Test flight (GPS, gyrocompass, radio wave) |
| 002 | 10/08 | 13:28 | 13:39 | 11 | 68.17 | 168.75 | Mavic Air | Test flight (GPS, gyrocompass, radio wave, intelligent flight) |
| 003 | 10/08 | 13:45 | 13:49 | 4 | 68.16 | 168.75 | Phantom | Test flight (GPS, gyrocompass, radio wave) |
| | | 13:54 | 13:56 | 2 | | | | Errors (gyrocompass, GPS lost, gimbal) |
| 004 | 10/15 | 14:52 | 15:12 | 20 | 77.10 | 164.62 | Mavic2 | Test flight (high altitude, RTH command, low battery) |
| 005 | 10/16 | 11:54 | 12:09 | 15 | 78.08 | 164.93 | Mavic2 | Sea ice monitoring (sea ice distribution) Shipboard LIDAR beamed to the visible camera |
| 006 | 10/17 | 10:01 | 10:02 | 1 | 78.01 | 165.02 | Phantom | |
| | | 10:09 | 10:11 | 2 | | | | Errors (gyrocompass) |
| 007 | 10/17 | 10:21 | 10:30 | 9 | 78.00 | 165.02 | Mavic Air | Sea ice monitoring (sea ice distribution) |
| 008 | 10/17 | 10:34 | 10:46 | 12 | 78.00 | 165.02 | Mavic2 | Sea ice monitoring (sea ice distribution) |
| 009 | 10/18 | 11:25 | 11:42 | 17 | 78.07 | 165.17 | Mavic2 | Sea ice monitoring (surface temperature) |
| 010 | 10/18 | 11:47 | 11:57 | 10 | 78.05 | 165.17 | Phantom | Sea ice monitoring (sea ice distribution, waves) Errors (gyrocompass, unexpected flight App termination) |
| 011 | 10/18 | 12:02 | 12:07 | 5 | 78/05 | 165.17 | Mavic Air | Sea ice monitoring Errors (motor electric error), unexpected landing |
| 012 | 10/24 | 10:52 | 11:09 | 17 | 77.81 | 163.52 | Mavic2 | Sea ice monitoring (surface temperature, waves) Errors (gyrocompass) |
| 013 | 10/24 | 11:31 | 11:32 | 1 | 77.81 | 163.51 | Phantom | Errors (gyrocompass, gimbal) |
| 014 | 10/24 | 11:45 | 12:00 | 15 | 77.81 | 163.52 | Mavic2 | Sea ice monitoring (sea ice distribution, waves) Icing on propellers |

(4) Preliminary results

Table 2.6-2 presents the flight summary. The total number of flights was 14 (1.5 h). Flights #001–004 were test flights conducted to check operation on the ship. Specific conditions related to onboard operation at low temperatures with heavy winter gear at high latitudes were assessed carefully from the perspective of safety. In particular, the status of the Global Navigation Satellite System (GPS & GLONASS), radio waves (2.4 GHz) and gyrocompass were fundamental for stable and safe drone operations. Subsequent flights focused on monitoring sea ice (i.e., horizontal distribution, surface temperature and related wave attenuation). During flight #005, large numbers of small pancake ice floes were observed near the ship (Figure 2.6-2). The surface temperature of the sea ice was monitored using an infrared camera (Figure 2.6-3) and compared with data acquired using a shipboard infrared radiometer.

(5) Data archive

The drone data comprised photographs, movies and additional information. All data obtained during this cruise will be submitted to the JAMSTEC Data Management Group (DMG).

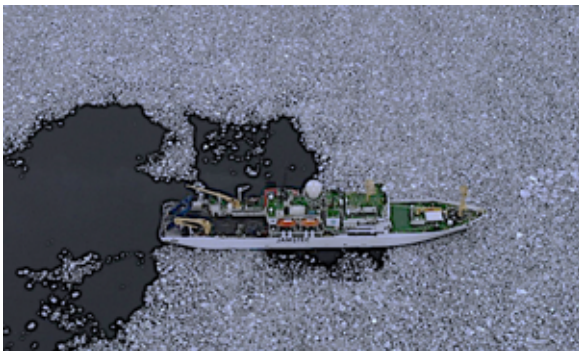


Figure 2.6-2: Sea-ice distribution around the ship (from flight #005).

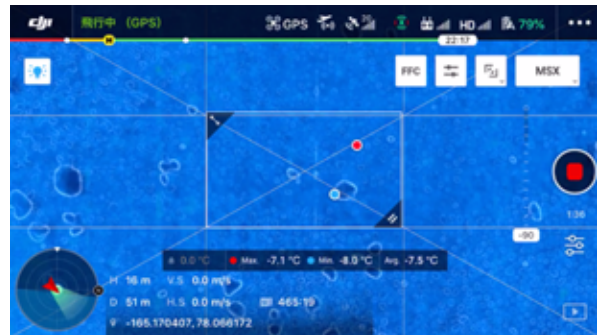


Figure 2.6-3: Screenshot of sea-ice surface temperature monitored by an infrared camera (from flight #009).

(6) Remarks

Flights by the Phantom4 Pro+ drone (#003 & #013) did not provide data because the drone did not fly correctly owing to several mechanical errors. The time stamps of flights by the Mavic Air drone (#002, #007 & #011) were incorrect for some reason. The flights by the Mavic2 drone (#001, #004, #005, #008, #009, #012 & #014) provided visible and infrared images, although the digital values in the infrared images were not available originally. However, RPreplay*.MP4 provided the values shown in the flight app on the flight monitor (iPad mini).

2.7 Infrared radiometer

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objectives

Surface temperature is a very important parameter in the surface heat budget. The parameter is often used to calculate surface turbulent heat fluxes by bulk methods, upward longwave radiation, and conductive heat flux of sea ice. The objectives of this observation approach were to monitor the skin temperature of the sea and ice surfaces and to develop a method of quality control.

(3) Parameters

Surface temperature of water or sea-ice.

(4) Instruments and methods

The SI-431 model (Apogee Instruments, Inc.) infrared radiometer has a spectral range of 8–14 μm with a 14° half-angle field of view. The detectable range is from -40 to $+70$ $^\circ\text{C}$ with accuracy of 0.179 $^\circ\text{C}$. The sensor was mounted on the starboard side of the compass deck (approximately 20 m above the sea surface) with a 60° mounting angle (Figure 2.7-1). Thus, the distance to the target (sea/ice surface) and the target area were approximately 40 m and 852 m^2 , respectively, in the along-ship direction ~ 20 m from the starboard of the ship (i.e., beyond the ship's wake). The data were collected at 10-min intervals and recorded in a data logger (C-CR300). The raw dataset consists of time (yyyy-mm-dd hh:mm:ss), record number, target temperature, detector temperature, data logger temperature and battery voltage.

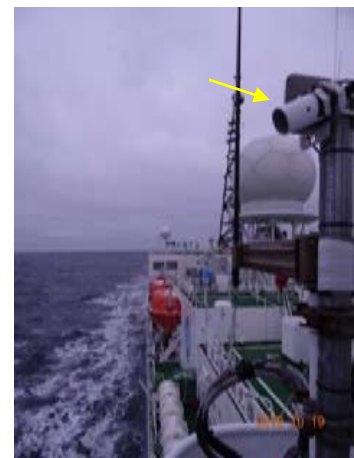


Figure 2.7-1: IR sensor on the compass deck (yellow arrow).

Daily maintenance was usually performed after 08:30 SMT (19:30 UTC) using a cotton swab dipped in alcohol to remove frost, snow, dew and sea spray (Table 2.7-1). It was desirable to exclude periods when rain and/or snowfall was observed. An optical rain gauge (see section 2.11 Precipitation) that can also detect sea sprays was found very useful for maintaining the data quality of the observed infrared temperature. Fog is a condition that is inappropriate for acquiring surface measurements. In cases of icing and snow accretion on the sensor, the temperature of the material on the sensor is observed rather than that of the target sea/ice surface. To reduce these uncertainties in the dataset, the following quality control (QC) procedures were considered effective.

1. Exclude periods when the relative humidity exceeds 99% to remove fog situations.
2. Exclude periods when the 10-min averaged intensity of precipitation (and/or sea spray) exceeds 0.01 mm/h , as determined using the Laser Precipitation Monitor (LPM2) (Adolf Thies GmbH & Co) (see Section 2.11. Precipitation).
3. Exclude periods when the 1-h mean difference in temperature between a target and the detector was <0.2 $^\circ\text{C}$ to remove situations of icing and snow accretion.

In the QC-ed dataset “ir_data_lev01.txt,” suspect values have been replaced by the “-999.9” identifier.

In addition to this QC process, the data should be also corrected for atmospheric effects and emissivity. The radiation (E_o) observed by the instrument contains two components: radiation emitted directly by the specific atmospheric layer (E_a) with emissivity ε_a , and radiation from the surface (E_s). Furthermore, E_s can be divided into two components: direct radiation from the target surface (E_t) with emissivity ε_t , and reflected radiation of the background (E_b) with emissivity ε_b . Thus, E_o can be

expressed as in the following equation using the emissivity (ϵ) and reflectivity ($1 - \epsilon$) of the target surface:

$$E_o = \epsilon_a E_a + (1 - \epsilon_a) E_s = \epsilon_a E_a + (1 - \epsilon_a) [\epsilon_t E_t + (1 - \epsilon_t) \epsilon_b E_b] \quad (1)$$

Equation (1) can be written in terms of temperature using the Stefan–Boltzmann law by the fourth power of its absolute temperature:

$$\sigma T_o^4 = \epsilon_a \sigma T_a^4 + (1 - \epsilon_a) \sigma [\epsilon_t T_t^4 + (1 - \epsilon_t) \epsilon_b T_b^4] \quad (2)$$

where σ is the Stefan–Boltzmann constant ($5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ Wm}^{-2} \text{ K}^{-4}$). The actual surface temperature (T_t) can be calculated by rearrangement of Eq. (2):

$$T_t = \sqrt[4]{\frac{T_o^4 - \epsilon_a T_a^4 - (1 - \epsilon_a)(1 - \epsilon_t) \epsilon_b T_b^4}{(1 - \epsilon_a) \epsilon_t}} \quad (3)$$

Here, T_a is the air temperature observed by the ship, and its emissivity ϵ_a is estimated empirically using the effective water vapor (w^* : mm) in the specific layer:

$$\epsilon_a = 0.33 \ln[1 + 3(w^*)^{0.45}] \quad (4)$$

$$w^* = 0.2167 \frac{e}{T_a} \Delta z \quad (5)$$

where e is the water vapor pressure (hPa), and Δz (m) is the distance between the surface and the sensor. The corrected data (level 2 data: “ir_data_lev02.txt”) are for the simple case of $\epsilon_t = 1.00$ (i.e., without the reflection of background radiation).

In the case of $\epsilon_t < 1.00$ (i.e., reflection at the surface is considered), $\epsilon_b T_b$ might be approximated by the downward longwave radiation ($LWD = \epsilon_b \sigma T_b^4$) observed by the onboard infrared pyrgeometer with spectral range of 4–50 μm (PIR Eppley Labs, USA) at 31-m height. The corrected data are archived as “ir_data_lev03.txt.”

(4) Preliminary results

Figure 2.7-2 shows the time series of raw infrared temperature (yellow), QC-ed temperature (red) and detector temperature (green) obtained by the instrument. As a reference, 10-min averages of air temperature (blue: JamMet) and precipitation intensity (black bars: LPM2) data are also shown. During 10:00–12:00 UTC on 23 October, the value of the raw infrared temperature dropped from 0 to -3.5 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ and then followed the values of the detector and the 10-min air temperatures. It suggests that the instrument was observing snow temperature or the temperature of accreted snow on the sensor (heavy snowfall was observed on this day, as shown in Figure 2.7-3). At the time of daily maintenance at 19:30 UTC on 23 October, snow accretion was found and cleared. Although the raw temperature data seem reasonable, the continuous snowfall on 24 October meant the requirement for QC-ed data was not satisfied (yellow line on 24 Oct). After daily maintenance at 19:30 UTC on 24 October, the temperature became normal. At this time, snow accretion and frost were found on the sensor, Figure 2.7-4. After the routine maintenance, the surface temperature over the area covered with grease ice was monitored well under the conditions of the cold environment (i.e., below -7 $^{\circ}\text{C}$) on 24–25 October (Figure 2.7-5).

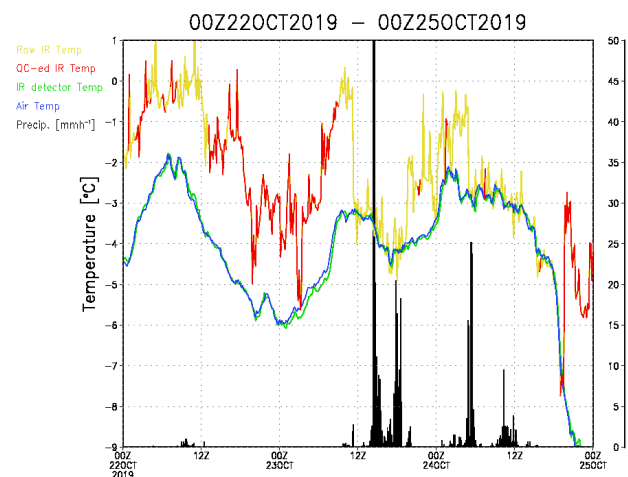


Figure 2.7-2: Preliminary result of surface temperature observed by the infrared radiometer: raw data (yellow), quality-controlled surface temperature (red) and detector temperature (green). Precipitation intensity is indicated by black bars.



Figure 2.7-3: Photo of snowfall at 16:56 UTC on 23 October. The yellow arrow indicates the position of the IR sensor.



Figure 2.7-4: Photo of icing and snow accretion at 19:33 UTC on 24 October.

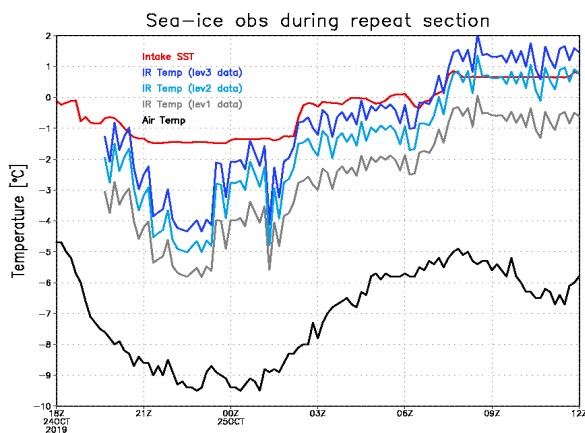


Figure 2.7-5: Comparison of surface temperature among the QC-ed datasets during the repeat section on 25 October.

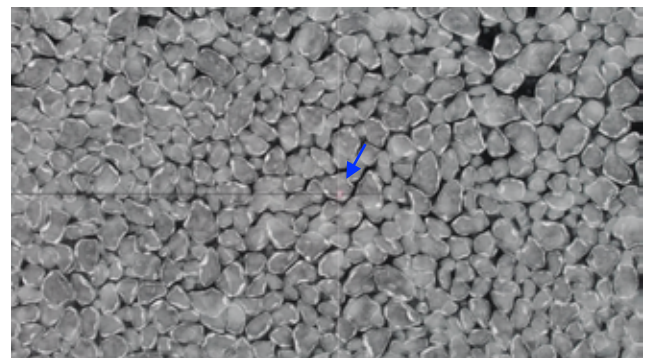


Figure 2.7-6: Photo of sea-ice condition at 22:00 UTC on 24 October taken by a drone. The area overlaps the target surface of the IR sensor. Blue arrow in Figure 2.7-5 indicates the time of image acquisition.

On 24 October, the ship entered the MIZ at 20:31 UTC (based on the ice navigator’s log). The intake SST remained at $-1.5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a few hours, but the actual sea surface was covered by sea ice (Figure 2.7-6). The ice surface temperatures of the three QC-ed datasets are compared here. The temperature was $-5.5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ (level 1), $-4.6\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ (level 2) and $-4.0\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ (level 3). Considering the SST at 09:00 UTC on 25 October, the level 1 dataset clearly underestimated the surface temperature, whereas the level 2 and 3 datasets were better approximations.

(5) Data Archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(6) Remarks

Note that the period of suspect data was 05:00–19:30 UTC on 24 October, as shown in Figure 2.7-2. However, the data acquired during 00:00–19:30 UTC on 29 October were influenced by hard icing (Figure



Figure 2.7-7: Example of hard icing just before daily maintenance at 19:36 UTC on 29 October.

2.7-7, Table 2.7-1). As the trace of these suspect periods remained after the QC process, the raw values during these periods were replaced with a value of “-999.9” in the QC-ed files.

All QC-ed data could be subject to further modification because the data sources utilized in the QC processes (e.g., relative humidity and precipitation) might also be changed after their own QC checks.

Table 2.7-1: Daily maintenance times

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|--------------------|---------------|-------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------|---------|-------|----------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| mm/dd | 9/29 | 9/30 | 10/1 | 10/2 | 10/2 | 10/3 | 10/4 | 10/5 | 10/6 | 10/7 | 10/8 |
| hh:mm (UTC) | 03:00 | 23:31 | 0:05 | 21:23 | 21:23 | 21:31 | 23:37 | 20:27 | 19:31 | 19:36 | 1:31 |
| remark | Start recording | | 22:22 | | | fog | | | | Sea spray | fog |
| mm/dd | 10/9 | 10/10 | 10/11 | 10/12 | 10/13 | 10/14 | 10/15 | 10/16 | 10/17 | 10/18 | 10/19 |
| hh:mm | 19:35 | 19:32 | 19:34 | 19:32 | 19:34 | 19:35 | 19:34 | 19:41 | 21:52 | 19:32 | 19:36 |
| remark | | | | frost | | | drizzle | | | Sea spray | |
| mm/dd | 10/20 | 10/21 | 10/22 | 10/23 | 10/24 | 10/25 | 10/26 | 10/27 | 10/28 | 10/26 | 10/27 |
| hh:mm | 19:33 | 19:35 | | 0:13 | 19:32 | 19:33 | 19:32 | 19:35 | 19:42 | 19:32 | 19:35 |
| remark | | Sea spray | | 19:34 Snow accretion | Frost, snow accretion | | | | Rain or sea spray | | |
| mm/dd | 10/28 | 10/29 | 10/30 | 10/31 | 11/1 | 11/2 | 11/3 | 11/4 | 11/5 | 11/6 | 11/7 |
| hh:mm | 19:42 | 19:36 | 19:35 | 20:32 | 20:32 | 20:32 | 21:31 | 21:31 | 22:31 | 22:31 | 22:30 |
| remark | Heavy rain | Hard icing | | | Sea spray | Sea spray | Rain | Rain | | Sea spray | End of recording |

2.8 Sea spray

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(2) Objectives

Marine disasters caused by ship icing occur frequently in cold regions. The typical growth mechanism of sea spray icing is as follows. First, sea spray is generated from the bow of the ship. Next, the spray drifts and impinges upon the superstructure, after which there is a wet growth of ice from the brine water flow. To address the issue of ship icing, we focused on the impinging seawater spray, investigating the drop size of this spray on the R/V Mirai.

(3) Parameters

- Number of sea spray particles
- Spray particle size distribution
- Liquid water contents
- The amount of spray impinging on ships

(4) Instruments and methods

The amount of seawater spray and the size distribution of the seawater particles were measured using a spray particle counter (SPC) and a marine rain gauge type spray gauge (MRS).

(4-1) Spray particle counter (SPC)

The SPC, which was developed originally for measurements of drifting snow, was improved for use as a seawater SPC. The flux distribution and the transport rate can be calculated as a function of particle size. The SPC (SPC-S7; Niigata Denki) consists of a sensor, data processor and personal computer, and the measurement range covers particles with diameter of 100–1000 μm . The sensing area is 25-mm wide, 3-mm high and 0.5-mm deep and superluminescent diode light is used as a parallel ray. The sensor measures light attenuation caused by particles that pass through the sensing area. The processor divides the particles into 32 classes depending on their diameter. The particles in each class are counted every second. The volume flux of the spray was calculated as $4\pi r_c^3/3$, where r_c is the class value of particle radius. The unit of the volume flux is millimeters [mm] per unit time, which is also the unit of precipitation.

(4-2) Marine rain gauge type spray gauge (MRS)

The MRS consists of a marine rain gauge (C–YG-50202, R M Young) and a cylindrical spray trap. The marine rain gauge was developed to measure rainfall on ships. It collects seawater spray or precipitation in a catchment funnel that has a cross-sectional area of 100 cm^2 . The inside diameter of the funnel is 112 mm. The cylindrical spray trap is attached above the marine rain gauge to capture seawater spray from the horizontal direction rather than precipitation falling vertically. The impinging spray particles are drained into the catchment funnel. The spray trap has diameter of 76.3 mm, height of 120 mm and the projected area is 92 cm^2 . The amount of seawater spray is measured every minute. The smallest measurable unit is 0.1 mm.

To reveal the positional relationship of the amount of seawater spray, observations were conducted from three different points on the deck. An SPC was installed in the center of the compass deck, and an MRS was installed on the port side and another on the starboard side of the bridge deck, set on the bulwark 42 m from the bow.

(5) Station list or Observation log

Data were acquired continually from the SPC and MRSs throughout the cruise from 27 September 2019 to 7 November 2019. Experimental cruises for generating sea spray were conducted during 06:20–08:20 UTC on 13 November 2019, 15:45–17:45 UTC on 19 November 2019 and 16:50–18:50 UTC on 20 November 2019.

(6) Preliminary results

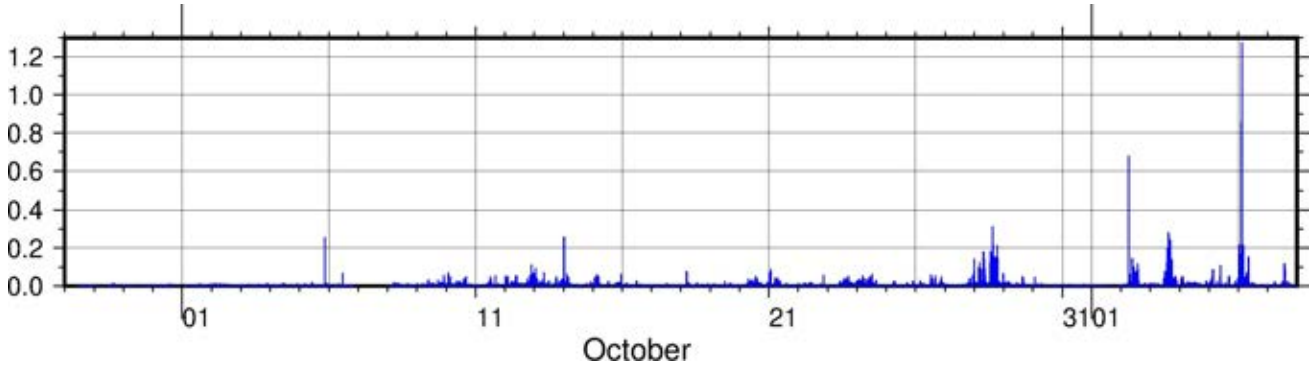


Figure 2.8-1: Spray and rainfall flux observed by the SPC.

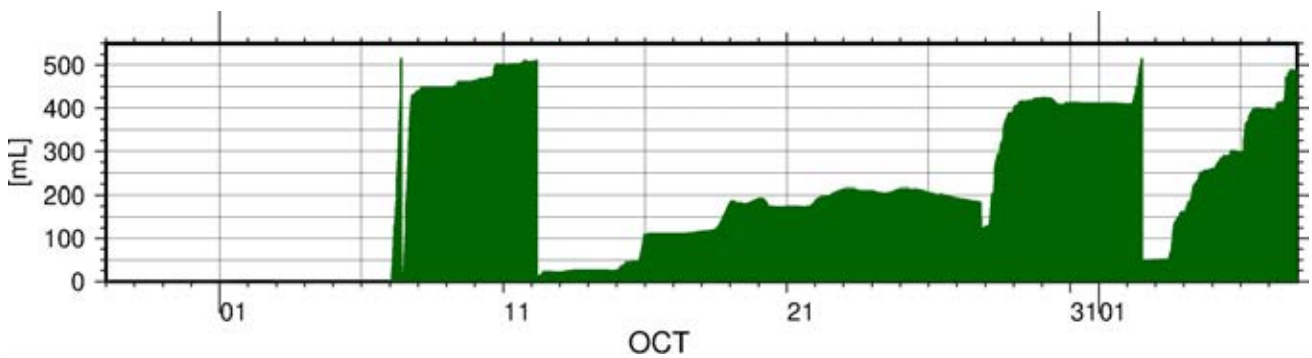


Figure 2.8-2: Spray and rainfall amount observed by the starboard side MRS.

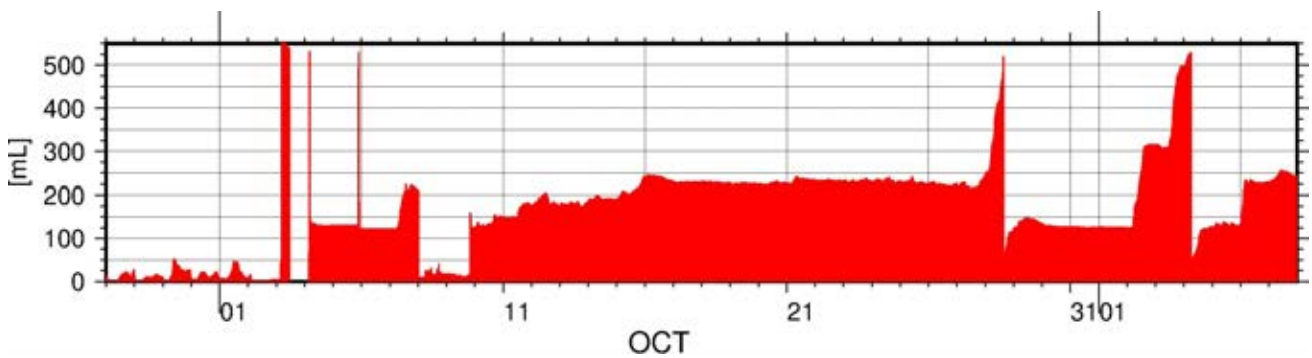


Figure 2.8-3: Spray and rainfall amount observed by the port side MRS.

(6) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

2.9. Water vapor

2.9.1 Isotope observation

(1) Personnel

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(2) Background and objective

The decline of Arctic sea ice linked to global warming is progressing at a rate beyond the range of modeling projection. This enhanced decline is identified as the result of increased cyclonic activity and cloud coverage, further warming by ice–albedo feedbacks (especially significant in autumn and winter) and increased pan-Arctic precipitation. The ocean warming caused by rising air temperature enhances energy exchange with the atmosphere, particularly in autumn when the recovery of sea ice is initiated. The resultant moisture of the lower-atmosphere boundary is likely transported into adjacent regions through atmospheric circulation. Indeed, the increased snow depth in autumn and early winter in northern Arctic terrestrial regions is evidence of such transport, although debate continues regarding the correlation between the increase in snow depth and the decline of sea ice. Snow is an important component of the hydrological cycle, climate and permafrost. The snow accumulated during the winter season is nowadays melting rapidly in spring, adding to the levels of soil moisture and river discharge. The observed levels of discharge indicate significant increases in melting in spring, with advancement of the time of onset of melting due to the rising temperatures. Snow insulates the permafrost during winter, enhancing the warming and thus meaning that some of the water discharged into rivers likely derives from melted permafrost. The linkage between terrestrial hydrology and Arctic sea ice suggests that the decline in sea ice could affect the hydrological processes of terrestrial regions.

The application of numerical models is useful for identifying the linkage between the declining sea ice and terrestrial hydrology; however, such modeling requires validation of the simulated results against observations. Isotopic characterization allows backward tracing to the source area of precipitated water. The combination of model simulations and isotope observations makes it possible to explore the relationship between the declining sea ice and the terrestrial water cycle. Therefore, consecutive observations of the isotopes of atmospheric water vapor were conducted during the MR19-03C Arctic cruise. The preliminary results of those observations are documented here.

(3) Parameters

Isotope ratios of oxygen and hydrogen and water vapor concentration

(4) Instrument and method

The isotopes of atmospheric water vapor were monitored using a cavity ringdown spectrometer (L2130-i, Isotopic H₂O, Picarro, Figure 2.9.1-1), which simultaneously observes the isotope ratios of oxygen and hydrogen (frequency: 1–2 Hz), including water vapor concentration. The observed data were archived within the storage space of the spectrometer that is operated by the Windows system. Two standard liquids with isotope values of -0.262 and -30.873 per mil in oxygen were injected individually for 15 min at 12-h intervals, and the derived linear regression equation was used to calibrate the values monitored by the spectrometer.



Figure 2.9.1-1: Isotope observing spectrometer system.

(5) Preliminary results

The observed isotope ratio data, averaged into hourly time steps (Figure 2.9.1-2), showed diurnal and interdaily variability consistent with the raw data. Figure 2.9.1-2 displays the observations acquired in the Arctic Ocean during 10–27 October. The isotope ratios generally decreased with time, representing the influence of the decrease in air temperature. Overall, the isotope of oxygen showed significant correlation with air temperature (Figure 2.9.1-3), as addressed by other observations. However, the isotopes showed large diurnal and daily variability (Figure 2.9.1-2). Here, we discuss three days (i.e., 13, 15 and 25 October) that recorded the lowest and highest isotope ratios. The isotope of oxygen indicated minimum values of -29.0 per mil on 13 October and -28.5 per mil on 25 October (when the recorded air temperature was -9 °C). The oxygen isotope has high correlation with air temperature, as mentioned above. The air temperature on 13 October was higher than on 25 October, which suggests variables other than air temperature had an effect on the isotope. One such variable is the transport of warmer/colder water vapor by wind. There was strong wind from the north on 13 October, whereas strong southerly wind transported warmer air with higher levels of water vapor across the area on 25 October. Investigation of the quantification of the impact of wind on isotopic changes will be explored using the methods of model simulation and backward trajectory.

Both oxygen and hydrogen indicated significantly high correlation. Their relationship yielded a slope of 6.1, which is within the range of 5–7 generally obtained in Arctic regions.

(6) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

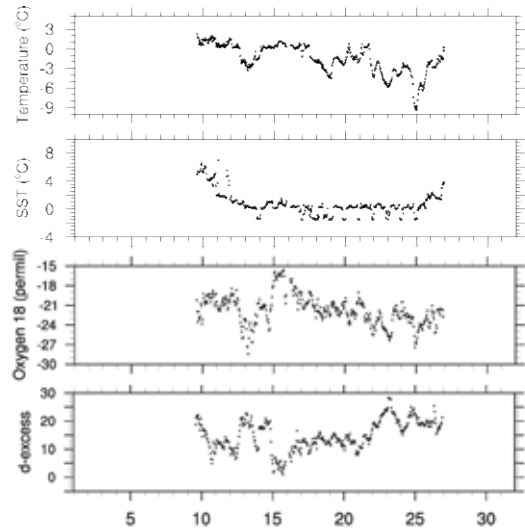


Figure 2.9.1-2: Variability of air temperature, sea surface temperature, and isotopes of oxygen and hydrogen during 10-27 October.

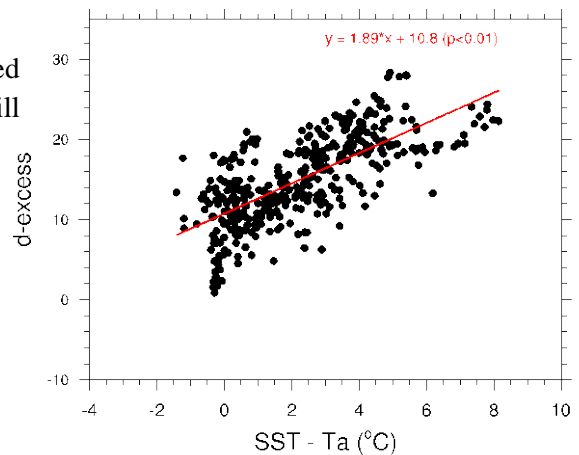


Figure 2.9.1-3: Relationship between d-excess and difference in temperature between sea surface and air.

2.9.2 GNSS precipitable water

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objective

To obtain GNSS satellite data for estimation of the total column integrated water vapor content of the atmosphere.

(3) Method

The GNSS satellite data were archived to the receiver (Trimble NetR9) at 5-s intervals. The GNSS antenna (Margrin) was set on the roof of aft wheelhouse. The observations were performed throughout the entire cruise.

(4) Results

We will calculate the total column integrated water from the observed GNSS satellite data after completion of the cruise.

(5) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

2.10 Tropospheric gas and particles observation in the Arctic Marine Atmosphere

2.10.1 Surface measurement

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(2) Objectives

- To investigate the roles of aerosols in the marine atmosphere in relation to climate change
- To investigate the processes of biogeochemical cycles between the atmosphere and the ocean
- To investigate the contribution of suspended particles to rain and snow

(3) Parameters

- Black carbon(BC) and fluorescent particles
- Particle size distribution
- Particle number concentration
- Aerosol extinction coefficient (AEC)
- Composition of ambient particles
- Composition of snow and rain
- Surface ozone(O₃), and carbon monoxide(CO) mixing ratios

(4) Instruments and methods

(4-1) Online aerosol observations:

(4-1-1) Particle number concentration and size distribution

The number concentration of ambient particles was measured using a mixing condensation particle counter (MCPC) (Model 1720, Brechtel). The size distribution of the particles was measured using a scanning mobility particle sizer (SMPS) (Nano Scan model 3910, TSI) and a handheld optical particle counter (OPC) (KR-12A, Rion). The number concentration of the cloud condensation nuclei (CCN) in the ambient air was measured using a CCN counter (CCNC) (CCN-100, Droplet Measurement Technologies). The CCNC detected activated particles using an OPC under supersaturated water vapor conditions in a 50-cm-high column.

(4-1-2) Black carbon (BC)

The number of particles and mass concentration of BC were measured using an instrument based on laser-induced incandescence, i.e., a single particle soot photometer (SP2) (model D, Droplet Measurement Technologies). The laser-induced incandescence technique based on an intracavity Nd:YVO₄ laser operating at 1064 nm was used for detection of single BC particles.

(4-1-3) Fluorescent property

Fluorescent properties of aerosol particles were measured using a single particle fluorescence sensor, i.e., a Waveband Integrated bioaerosol sensor (WIBS4) (WIBS-4A, Droplet Measurement Technologies). Two pulsed xenon lamps emitting UV light (280 and 370 nm) were used for excitation. Fluorescence emitted from a single particle within wavelength windows of 310–400 and 420–650 nm was recorded.

(4-1-4) Aerosol extinction coefficient (AEC)

Multi-Axis Differential Optical Absorption Spectroscopy (MAX-DOAS), a passive remote sensing technique measuring the spectra of scattered visible and UV solar radiation, was used for atmospheric aerosol and gas profile measurements. Our MAX-DOAS instrument consisted of two main components: an outdoor telescope unit and an indoor spectrometer (Acton SP-2358 with Princeton Instruments PIXIS-400B), connected to each other via a 14-m bundled optical fiber cable. The line of sight was in the direction of the portside of the vessel and the scanned elevation angles were 1.5, 3, 5, 10, 20, 30 and 90 degrees in a 30-min cycle. The roll motion of the ship was measured for automatic compensation of additional motion of the prism employed for scanning the elevation angle. For the selected spectra recorded with elevation angles with reasonable accuracy, DOAS spectral fitting was performed to quantify the slant column density (SCD) of NO₂ (and other gases) and O₄ (O₂–O₂, collision complex of oxygen) for each elevation angle. Then, the O₄ SCDs were converted to the aerosol optical depth (AOD) and the vertical profile of the aerosol extinction coefficient (AEC) using an optimal estimation inversion method with a radiative transfer model. Using derived aerosol information, retrievals of the tropospheric vertical column/profile of NO₂ and other gases were achieved.

For the SP2, MCPC, SMPS and CCNC instruments, ambient air was sampled from the compass deck via a 3-m-long conductive tube routed through a dryer to dry the particles, and then introduced to each instrument installed in the environmental research room. The WIBS4 and OPC instruments were installed on the compass deck and ambient air was introduced directly to the instruments. The MAX-DOAS instrument was installed on the deck above the ship's stabilizer.

(4-2) Ambient air sampling

Ambient air sampling was performed using air samplers installed on the compass deck. Ambient particles were collected on quartz filters ($\phi = 110$ and $\phi = 55$) and nuclepore polycarbonate membrane filters (half-moon of 37 mm and $\phi = 47$ mm) along the cruise track. The particle composition and ice nucleation capability were analyzed using a high-volume air sampler (HV-525PM, SIBATA), NANO sampler (model 3182, Kanomax), custom-made air sampler and MOUDI sampler (MOUDI-10, MSP) operated at flow rates of 500, 40, 10 and 1.8 L/min, respectively. Ambient aerosol sampling for bioaerosol analysis: Coarse-mode aerosol particles ($\geq 0.9 \mu\text{m}$) were also sampled to a vial bottle using a cyclone (PM1, URG) with a flow rate of 20 L/min. For ambient bioaerosol analysis, Milli-Q water was added to the vial bottles and the solution was filtered through a membrane filter onto a gold-coated chip. Stained fluorescence measurements were also conducted with reagents of DAPI and Hoechst. Then, the abundance of bioaerosol particles (dead/alive) was counted using a Bioplorer (KB-VKH01, Koyo Sangyo Co., Ltd) based on fluorescence measurements with UV and green light excitation.

To avoid collecting particles emitted from the funnel of the vessel, the sampling period was controlled automatically using a “wind-direction selection system.” The sampling logs are listed in Tables 2.10-1, 2.10-2, 2.10-3, 2.10-4 and 2.10-5. The collected samples will be analyzed in the laboratory after completion of the cruise.

(4-4) CO and O₃

Ambient air was sampled continuously on the compass deck and drawn through ~20-m-long Teflon tubes connected to a gas filter correlation CO analyzer (Model 48C, Thermo Fisher Scientific) and a UV

photometric ozone analyzer (2TB) located in the Research Information Center. The data will be used for characterizing air mass origins.

(5) Observation log

Table 2.10.1-1: Log of ambient particle sampling on the quartz filters by the HV sampler

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
|----------------|----------------|----|----|----------|---------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | YYYY | MM | DD | hh:mm:ss | UTC/JST | Deg. | Min. | N/S | Deg. | Min. | E/W |
| MR1903C-HV-001 | 2019 | 9 | 29 | 07:11 | UTC | 40 | 22.65 | N | 142 | 28.29 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-002 | 2019 | 10 | 1 | 01:19 | UTC | 42 | 13.80 | N | 152 | 47.16 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-003 | 2019 | 10 | 2 | 22:31 | UTC | 48 | 43.12 | N | 163 | 46.54 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-004 | 2019 | 10 | 4 | 21:14 | UTC | 55 | 01.43 | N | 173 | 38.17 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-005 | 2019 | 10 | 6 | 20:59 | UTC | 60 | 56.43 | N | 176 | 56.95 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-006 | 2019 | 10 | 8 | 20:23 | UTC | 67 | 33.49 | N | 168 | 45.04 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-007 | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 20:09 | UTC | 72 | 59.92 | N | 160 | 01.04 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-008 | 2019 | 10 | 12 | 20:04 | UTC | 72 | 20.40 | N | 144 | 59.75 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-009 | 2019 | 10 | 14 | 20:48 | UTC | 74 | 46.45 | N | 150 | 30.51 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-010 | 2019 | 10 | 16 | 20:13 | UTC | 77 | 39.86 | N | 165 | 00.08 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-011 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 20:13 | UTC | 78 | 02.11 | N | 164 | 58.68 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-012 | 2019 | 10 | 20 | 20:18 | UTC | 77 | 45.00 | N | 165 | 00.11 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-013 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 00:44 | UTC | 77 | 46.78 | N | 164 | 03.13 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-014 | 2019 | 10 | 24 | 20:04 | UTC | 77 | 46.15 | N | 164 | 32.57 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-015 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 20:34 | UTC | 72 | 00.01 | N | 168 | 45.01 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-016 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 20:08 | UTC | 66 | 02.61 | N | 168 | 44.96 | W |
| MR1903C-HV-017 | 2019 | 10 | 30 | 19:58 | UTC | 58 | 56.86 | N | 179 | 21.09 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-018 | 2019 | 11 | 1 | 21:20 | UTC | 51 | 18.65 | N | 168 | 19.35 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-019 | 2019 | 11 | 3 | 22:20 | UTC | 47 | 49.53 | N | 162 | 11.19 | E |
| MR1903C-HV-020 | 2019 | 11 | 5 | 23:10 | UTC | 41 | 36.35 | N | 151 | 44.69 | E |

Table 2.10.1-2: Log of ambient particle sampling on the quartz filters by the NANO sampler

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
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| MR1903C-NANO-001 | 2019 | 9 | 29 | 07:11 | UTC | 40 | 22.65 | N | 142 | 28.29 | E |
| MR1903C-NANO-002 | 2019 | 10 | 1 | 01:19 | UTC | 42 | 13.80 | N | 152 | 47.16 | E |
| MR1903C-NANO-003 | 2019 | 10 | 2 | 22:31 | UTC | 48 | 43.12 | N | 163 | 46.54 | E |
| MR1903C-NANO-004 | 2019 | 10 | 5 | 20:52 | UTC | 58 | 06.54 | N | 168 | 23.17 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-005 | 2019 | 10 | 8 | 20:23 | UTC | 67 | 33.49 | N | 168 | 45.04 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-006 | 2019 | 10 | 11 | 20:08 | UTC | 72 | 05.53 | N | 153 | 21.91 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-007 | 2019 | 10 | 14 | 20:48 | UTC | 74 | 46.45 | N | 150 | 30.51 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-008 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 02:24 | UTC | 77 | 42.91 | N | 165 | 00.29 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-009 | 2019 | 10 | 20 | 20:18 | UTC | 77 | 45.00 | N | 165 | 00.11 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-010 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 20:29 | UTC | 77 | 45.36 | N | 163 | 53.40 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-011 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 20:34 | UTC | 72 | 00.01 | N | 168 | 45.01 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-012 | 2019 | 10 | 29 | 20:30 | UTC | 62 | 29.98 | N | 174 | 41.13 | W |
| MR1903C-NANO-013 | 2019 | 11 | 1 | 21:20 | UTC | 51 | 18.65 | N | 168 | 19.35 | E |
| MR1903C-NANO-014 | 2019 | 11 | 3 | 22:20 | UTC | 47 | 49.53 | N | 162 | 11.19 | E |
| MR1903C-NANO-015 | 2019 | 11 | 5 | 23:10 | UTC | 41 | 36.35 | N | 151 | 44.69 | E |

Table 2.10.1-3: Log of ambient particle sampling on the nuclepore filters

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
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| MR1903C-INP-002 | 2019 | 10 | 1 | 0.0548611 | UTC | 42 | 13.80 | N | 152 | 47.16 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-003 | 2019 | 10 | 2 | 0.9381944 | UTC | 48 | 43.12 | N | 163 | 46.54 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-004 | 2019 | 10 | 4 | 0.8847222 | UTC | 55 | 01.43 | N | 173 | 38.17 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-005 | 2019 | 10 | 6 | 0.8743056 | UTC | 60 | 56.43 | N | 176 | 56.95 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-006 | 2019 | 10 | 8 | 0.8493056 | UTC | 67 | 33.49 | N | 168 | 45.04 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-007 | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 0.8395833 | UTC | 72 | 59.92 | N | 160 | 01.04 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-008 | 2019 | 10 | 12 | 0.8361111 | UTC | 72 | 20.40 | N | 144 | 59.75 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-009 | 2019 | 10 | 14 | 0.8666667 | UTC | 74 | 46.45 | N | 150 | 30.51 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-010 | 2019 | 10 | 16 | 0.8423611 | UTC | 77 | 39.86 | N | 165 | 00.08 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-011 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 0.8423611 | UTC | 78 | 02.11 | N | 164 | 58.68 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-012 | 2019 | 10 | 20 | 0.8458333 | UTC | 77 | 45.00 | N | 165 | 00.11 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-013 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 0.0305556 | UTC | 77 | 46.78 | N | 164 | 03.13 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-014 | 2019 | 10 | 24 | 0.8361111 | UTC | 77 | 46.15 | N | 164 | 32.57 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-015 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 0.8569444 | UTC | 72 | 00.01 | N | 168 | 45.01 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-016 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 0.8388889 | UTC | 66 | 02.61 | N | 168 | 44.96 | W |
| MR1903C-INP-017 | 2019 | 10 | 30 | 0.8319444 | UTC | 58 | 56.86 | N | 179 | 21.09 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-018 | 2019 | 11 | 1 | 0.8888889 | UTC | 51 | 18.65 | N | 168 | 19.35 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-019 | 2019 | 11 | 3 | 0.9305556 | UTC | 47 | 49.53 | N | 162 | 11.19 | E |
| MR1903C-INP-020 | 2019 | 11 | 5 | 0.9652778 | UTC | 41 | 36.35 | N | 151 | 44.69 | E |

Table 2.10.1-4: Log of ambient particle sampling on the polycarbonate filters by the MOUDI sampler

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
|-------------------|----------------|----|----|----------|---------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
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| MR1903C-MOUDI-001 | 2019 | 9 | 29 | 07:11 | UTC | 40 | 22.65 | N | 142 | 28.29 | E |
| MR1903C-MOUDI-002 | 2019 | 10 | 6 | 20:59 | UTC | 60 | 56.43 | N | 176 | 56.95 | W |
| MR1903C-MOUDI-003 | 2019 | 10 | 14 | 20:48 | UTC | 74 | 46.45 | N | 150 | 30.51 | W |
| MR1903C-MOUDI-004 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 22:53 | UTC | 78 | 01.36 | N | 164 | 58.01 | W |
| MR1903C-MOUDI-005 | 2019 | 10 | 29 | 20:30 | UTC | 62 | 29.98 | N | 174 | 41.13 | W |

Table 2.10.1-5: Log of ambient particle sampling by the PM1 cyclone

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
|---------------------|----------------|----|----|----------|---------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | YYYY | MM | DD | hh:mm:ss | UTC/JST | Deg. | Min. | N/S | Deg. | Min. | E/W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-001 | 2019 | 10 | 8 | 01:36 | UTC | 64 | 50.60 | N | 169 | 30.20 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-002 | 2019 | 10 | 9 | 19:37 | UTC | 70 | 38.46 | N | 168 | 15.51 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-003 | 2019 | 10 | 11 | 20:08 | UTC | 72 | 05.12 | N | 153 | 12.82 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-004 | 2019 | 10 | 13 | 19:46 | UTC | 74 | 23.03 | N | 143 | 36.95 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-005 | 2019 | 10 | 15 | 19:38 | UTC | 76 | 34.41 | N | 162 | 15.18 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-006 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 02:24 | UTC | 77 | 42.91 | N | 165 | 00.29 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-007 | 2019 | 10 | 19 | 19:55 | UTC | 77 | 47.07 | N | 164 | 59.84 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-008 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 22:54 | UTC | 78 | 01.38 | N | 164 | 59.98 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-009 | 2019 | 10 | 24 | 01:37 | UTC | 77 | 29.01 | N | 164 | 08.35 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-010 | 2019 | 10 | 25 | 19:38 | UTC | 75 | 21.58 | N | 168 | 45.00 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-011 | 2019 | 10 | 27 | 19:43 | UTC | 68 | 30.05 | N | 168 | 45.10 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-012 | 2019 | 10 | 29 | 19:38 | UTC | 62 | 26.30 | N | 174 | 48.00 | W |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-013 | 2019 | 10 | 31 | 20:30 | UTC | 55 | 08.37 | N | 173 | 38.31 | E |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-014 | 2019 | 11 | 2 | 20:40 | UTC | 49 | 59.99 | N | 166 | 06.92 | E |
| MR1903C-Cyclone-015 | 2019 | 11 | 4 | 21:32 | UTC | 44 | 47.12 | N | 156 | 57.12 | E |

(6) Data archives

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2.10.2 Tethered balloon observation

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(2) Objectives

- To investigate vertical profiles of aerosol number concentration and size distribution in the marine atmosphere

(3) Parameters

- Particle size distribution
- Particle number concentration
- Black carbon(BC) mass concentration
- Composition of ambient particles

(4) Instruments and methods

Tethered-balloon observations were performed using an airship-shaped balloon (15 m³, Kikyu-Seisakujo) connected by cable to a portable winch installed on the upper deck (Figure 2.10.2-1). The bag of installed instruments and the GPS sonde were connected 5 and 10 m below the balloon, respectively (Figure 2.10.2-2). Vertical profiles of particle number concentration, BC mass concentration and particle size distribution were measured using a condensation particle counter (CPC) (Model 3007, TSI), BC monitor (AE51, Magii) and OPC (HHPC6+, Beckman coulter), respectively. Aerosol particles were also sampled using a custom-made sampler placed at the highest position during each observation session. These samples will be analyzed in the laboratory after completion of the cruise. We undertook seven sessions of tethered-balloon observations during the cruise, the dates and locations of which are listed in Table 2.10.2

(5) Preliminary results

Figure 2.10.2-3 presents the results of vertical profiles of the number concentration, size-selected number concentration and relative humidity measured by the CPC, OPC and GPS sonde.

(6) Data archives

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Figure 2.10.2-1: Tethered-balloon observation.



Figure 2.10.2-2: Instruments employed in the tethered-balloon observations.

Table 2.10.2 Logs of tethered-balloon observations

| | date(UTC) | Lat(N) | Long(E) | Attained height(m) | location |
|-----|-------------|--------|---------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1st | 10/2 0:23 | 45.61 | 158.36 | 850 | North Western Pacific |
| 2nd | 10/6 0:12 | 58.13 | 178.45 | 1200 | Bering Sea |
| 3rd | 10/11 1:01 | 72.73 | 201.68 | 500 | Arctic Ocean |
| 4th | 10/16 0:40 | 76.98 | 195.25 | 950 | Arctic Ocean |
| 5th | 10/17 19:06 | 77.75 | 195.02 | 700 | Arctic Ocean |
| 6th | 10/17 23:45 | 78.01 | 195.02 | 660 | Arctic Ocean(MIZ) |
| 7th | 10/22 21:00 | 77.76 | 195.31 | 1050 | Arctic Ocean |

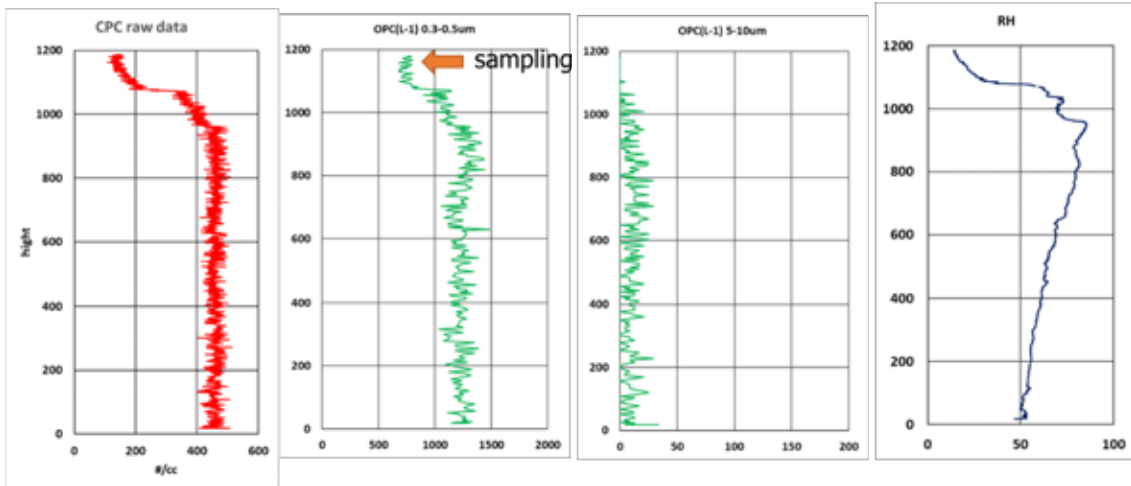


Figure 2.10.2-3: Vertical profiles of number concentration, size-selected number concentration and relative humidity.

2.11 Precipitation

2.11.1 Disdrometer

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(2) Objectives

A disdrometer can continuously obtain the size distribution of raindrops. The objectives of this observation program were as follows: (a) to reveal the microphysical characteristics of rainfall depending on the type and temporal stage of the precipitating clouds; (b) to retrieve a coefficient to convert radar reflectivity (especially from the C-band radar mentioned in Section 2.3) to rainfall amount; and (c) to validate the algorithms and products of satellite-borne precipitation radars, i.e., TRMM/PR and GPM/DPR.

(3) Instrumentations and Methods

Two laser precipitation monitors (LPMs) (Adolf Thies GmbH & Co) were utilized in this program. The LPMs were installed on the starboard bow corner on top of the antiroll system, as shown in Figure 2.11.1-1. One (located aft of the other) was equipped with a wind protection “element” to reduce the effect of wind on the measurements, and analysis of the effectiveness of the “element” was performed through comparison of the data acquired by the two sensors. The LPM adopted for this purpose was an optical disdrometer that consists of a transmitter unit that houses the infrared laser and a receiver unit that detects the intensity of the laser light after its passage over a certain distance in air. When a precipitating particle falls through the laser beam, the received intensity of the laser light is reduced. The receiver unit detects the magnitude and duration of the reduction and converts that information into particle size and fall speed. The sampling volume, i.e., the size of the laser beam “sheet” is 20 mm (W) x 228 mm (D) x 0.75 mm (H). The numbers of particles were categorized based on the detected size and fall speed and counted in 1-min intervals. The categories are shown in Table 2.11.1.

(4) Preliminary Results

The data were obtained throughout the entire cruise, except when in nonpermissive territorial waters and EEZs. An example of the obtained data is shown in Figure 2.11.1-2. Further analyses of the rainfall amount and drop-size-distribution parameters will be performed after the cruise is completed.

(5) Data Archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(6) Acknowledgment

The operations are supported by the Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) Precipitation Measurement Mission (PMM).



Figure 2.11.1-1: Onboard LPM sensors. (Left) Sensor location indicated by the red broken circle. (Right) Photo of the sensors showing the wind protection “element” mounted on the right-hand (aft) unit.

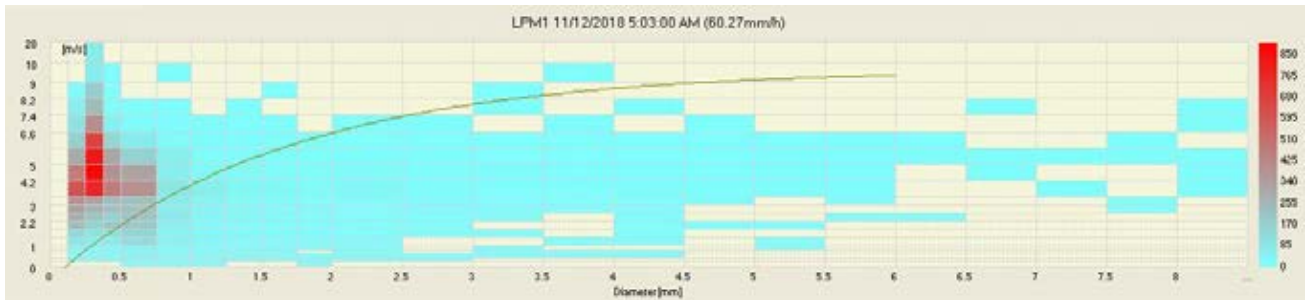


Figure 2.11.1-2: Example of 1-min raw data obtained by LPM at 05:03 UTC on 12 November 2018. Data are shown as two-dimensional histogram to display the numbers of observed raindrops categorized by diameter (x-axis) and fall speed (y-axis).

Table 2.11.1: Categories of particle size and fall speed

| Particle Size | | | Fall Speed | | | |
|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------|---------------|-------------------|--------|
| Class | Diameter [mm] | Class width [mm] | Class | Speed [m/s] | Class width [m/s] | width |
| 1 | ≥ 0.125 | 0.125 | 1 | ≥ 0.000 | | 0.200 |
| 2 | ≥ 0.250 | 0.125 | 2 | ≥ 0.200 | | 0.200 |
| 3 | ≥ 0.375 | 0.125 | 3 | ≥ 0.400 | | 0.200 |
| 4 | ≥ 0.500 | 0.250 | 4 | ≥ 0.600 | | 0.200 |
| 5 | ≥ 0.750 | 0.250 | 5 | ≥ 0.800 | | 0.200 |
| 6 | ≥ 1.000 | 0.250 | 6 | ≥ 1.000 | | 0.400 |
| 7 | ≥ 1.250 | 0.250 | 7 | ≥ 1.400 | | 0.400 |
| 8 | ≥ 1.500 | 0.250 | 8 | ≥ 1.800 | | 0.400 |
| 9 | ≥ 1.750 | 0.250 | 9 | ≥ 2.200 | | 0.400 |
| 10 | ≥ 2.000 | 0.500 | 10 | ≥ 2.600 | | 0.400 |
| 11 | ≥ 2.500 | 0.500 | 11 | ≥ 3.000 | | 0.800 |
| 12 | ≥ 3.000 | 0.500 | 12 | ≥ 3.400 | | 0.800 |
| 13 | ≥ 3.500 | 0.500 | 13 | ≥ 4.200 | | 0.800 |
| 14 | ≥ 4.000 | 0.500 | 14 | ≥ 5.000 | | 0.800 |
| 15 | ≥ 4.500 | 0.500 | 15 | ≥ 5.800 | | 0.800 |
| 16 | ≥ 5.000 | 0.500 | 16 | ≥ 6.600 | | 0.800 |
| 17 | ≥ 5.500 | 0.500 | 17 | ≥ 7.400 | | 0.800 |
| 18 | ≥ 6.000 | 0.500 | 18 | ≥ 8.200 | | 0.800 |
| 19 | ≥ 6.500 | 0.500 | 19 | ≥ 9.000 | | 1.000 |
| 20 | ≥ 7.000 | 0.500 | 20 | ≥ 10.000 | | 10.000 |
| 21 | ≥ 7.500 | 0.500 | | | | |
| 22 | ≥ 8.000 | unlimited | | | | |

2.11.2 Micro Rain Radar

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objectives

The micro rain radar (MRR) is a compact vertically pointing Doppler radar used to detect vertical profiles of raindrop size distribution. The objective of this observation program was to elucidate the detailed vertical structure of precipitating systems.

(3) Instruments and Methods

The MRR-2 (METEK GmbH) was utilized for this program, the specifications of which are listed in Table 2.11.2. The antenna unit was installed on the starboard side of the antiroll system (see Figure 2.11.2-1) and wired to a junction box and laptop PC inside the vessel.

The data were averaged and stored at 1-min intervals. The vertical profile of each parameter was obtained for 100-m bins over a range (i.e., height) of up to 3100 m. The parameters recorded were drop size distribution, radar reflectivity, path-integrated attenuation, rain rate, liquid water content and fall velocity.

Figure 2.11.2-1: Photo of the antenna unit of the MRR



Table 2.11.2: Specifications of the MRR-2

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| Transmitter power | 50 mW |
| Operating mode | FM-CW |
| Frequency | 24.230 GHz (modulation 1.5 to 15 MHz) |
| 3dB beam width | 1.5 degrees |
| Spurious emission | < -80 dBm / MHz |
| Antenna Diameter | 600 mm |
| Gain | 40.1 dBi |

(4) Preliminary Results

The data were obtained throughout the entire cruise, except when in nonpermissive territorial waters and EEZs. Figure 2.11.2-2 displays an example of the time–height cross section for a single day. The temporal variation corresponds reasonably with the rainfall measured by the Mirai SMet sensors (see Section 2.4) and C-band radar (see Section 2.3). Further analyses will be conducted after the cruise is completed.

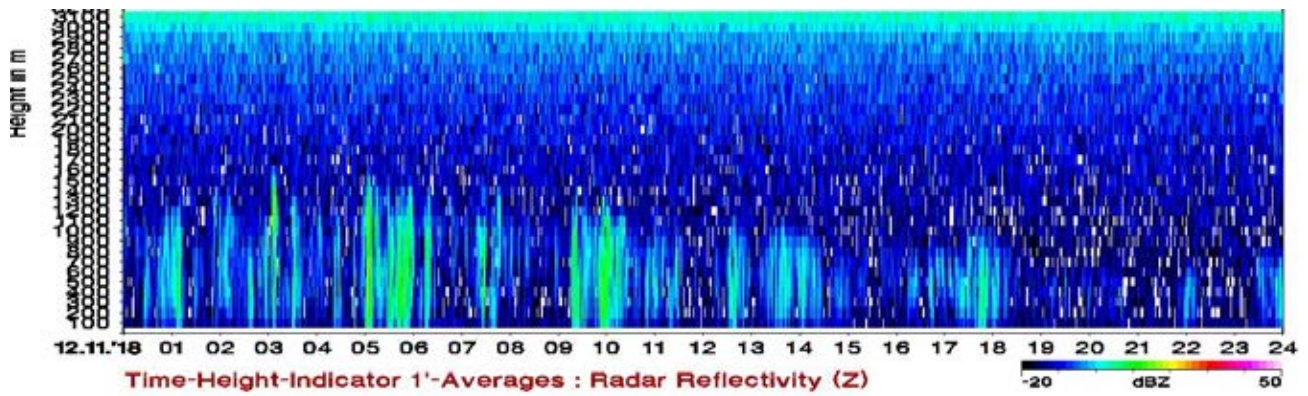


Figure 2.11.2-2: Example of the time-height cross section of the radar reflectivity for the 24-h period from 00:00UTC on 12 November.

(5) Data Archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(6) Acknowledgment

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2.11.3 Precipitation sampling

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objectives

- To investigate the contribution of suspended particles to rain and snow
- To investigate the ratio of hydrogen and oxygen isotopes in rain and snow

(3) Parameters

- Chemical composition of snow and rain
- Isotopic ratio of oxygen in rain and snow

(4) Instruments and methods

Snow and rain samples were corrected using a custom-made rain/snow sampler. The sampling log is presented in Table 2.11.3. To investigate both the isotopic ratio in rain/snow and the interaction with aerosols of rain/snow, the samples will be analyzed in the laboratory after completion of the cruise.

(5) Observation log

Table 2.11.3: Log of precipitation sampling

| No. | Date (UTC) | latitude | longitude | type |
|-----|------------|----------|-----------|-------|
| 1 | 10/4 | 56-12N | 175-24E | rain |
| 2 | 10/7 | 64-08N | 171-28W | rain |
| 3 | 10/9 | 71-18N | 165-55W | rain |
| 4 | 10/10 | 72-59N | 160-00W | mixed |
| 5 | 10/11 | 72-07N | 153-38W | snow |
| 6 | 10/11 | 72-00N | 148-29W | snow |
| 7 | 10/13 | 74-21N | 143-38W | snow |
| 8 | 10/14 | 74-46N | 150-31W | mixed |
| 9 | 10/15 | 76-34N | 162-07W | mixed |
| 10 | 10/15 | 76-46N | 163-27W | mixed |
| 11 | 10/16 | 77-30N | 164-59W | snow |
| 12 | 10/20 | 77-39N | 164-59W | snow |
| 13 | 10/21 | 77-39N | 164-59W | snow |
| 14 | 10/23 | 77-45N | 164-49W | snow |
| 15 | 10/24 | 77-46N | 165-00W | snow |
| 16 | 10/28 | 66-01N | 168-45W | rain |
| 17 | 10/29 | 62-38N | 174-24W | rain |
| 18 | 11/3 | 49-59N | 166-06E | rain |

| | | | | |
|----|------|--------|---------|------|
| 19 | 11/4 | 47-54N | 162-19E | rain |
| 20 | 11/4 | 46-54N | 160-33E | rain |
| 21 | 11/5 | 44-45N | 156-54E | rain |
| 22 | 11/6 | 41-40N | 151-52E | rain |

(6) Data archives

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2.12 Lidar Observations

(1) Personnel

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(1) Objective

The objective of this observation program was to capture the vertical distribution of clouds, aerosols, and water vapor with high spatiotemporal resolution.

(2) Instruments and methods

The Mirai lidar system transmits a 10-Hz pulse laser in three wavelengths: 1064, 532 and 355 nm. For cloud and aerosol observations, the system detects Mie scattering at these wavelengths. The separate detections of polarization components at 532 and 355 nm provide additional characterizations of the targets. The system also detects Raman water vapor signals at 660 and 408 nm and Raman nitrogen signals at 607 and 387 nm at nighttime. Based on the signal ratio of Raman water vapor to Raman nitrogen, the system can produce water vapor mixing ratio profiles.

(3) Preliminary results

The lidar system observed the lower atmosphere throughout the entire cruise, except when in EEZs and nonpermissive territorial waters. All data will be reviewed after completion of the cruise to maintain data quality.

(4) Data Archive

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2.13 Greenhouse gasses observation

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| Shuji Aoki | Tohoku Univ. | -not on board |
| Ryo Fujita | Tohoku Univ. | -not on board |
| Hideki Nara | NIES | -not on board |
| Daisuke Goto | NIPR | -not on board |
| Prabir Patra | JAMSTEC | -not on board |
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(2) Objective

(2-1) Continuous observations of CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios

The Arctic region is considered vulnerable to the effects of global warming, which could potentially enhance emissions of greenhouse gases (including CO₂ and CH₄) into the atmosphere from carbon pools in the Arctic region. The objective of this study was to detect the early stages of increases in atmospheric greenhouse gas levels associated with ongoing global warming in the Arctic region. The continuous observations of atmospheric CO₂ and CH₄ mixing ratios during the MR19-03C cruise should allow us to both detect the enhancement of the mixing ratios associated with regional emissions and estimate the distribution of the regional emission sources. The atmospheric CO mixing ratios, which were observed concurrently, could be used as an indicator of the level of anthropogenic emissions associated with combustion processes.

(2-2) Discrete flask sampling

To clarify the spatial variations and air–sea exchanges of greenhouse gases at northern high latitudes, whole air samples were collected in 40 stainless-steel flasks onboard the R/V Mirai (MR19-03C). The collected air samples will be analyzed for the mixing ratios of CO₂, O₂, Ar, CH₄, CO, N₂O and SF₆ and the stable isotope ratios of CO₂ and CH₄.

(3) Parameters

(3-1) Continuous observations of CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios

Mixing ratios of atmospheric CO₂, CH₄, and CO.

(3-2) Discrete flask sampling

Mixing ratios of atmospheric CO₂, O₂ (O₂/N₂ ratio), Ar (Ar/N₂ ratio), CH₄, CO, N₂O and SF₆, δ¹³C and δ¹⁸O of

CO₂, δ¹³C and δD of CH₄.

(4) Instruments and methods

(4-1) Continuous observations of CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios

Atmospheric CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios were measured using a wavelength-scanned cavity ringdown spectrometer (WS-CRDS, Picarro, G2401). An air intake, capped with an inverted stainless-steel beaker covered with stainless-steel mesh, was placed on the starboard side of the upper deck. A diaphragm pump (GAST, MOA-P108) was used to draw in outside air at a flow rate of ~8 L min⁻¹. Water vapor in the sampled air was removed to a dew point of approximately 2 °C and approximately -35 °C by passing it through a thermoelectric dehumidifier (KELK, DH-109) and a Nafion drier (PERMA PURE, PD-50T-24), respectively. Then, the dried sample air was introduced into the WS-CRDS at a flow rate of 100 ml min⁻¹. The WS-CRDS was calibrated automatically at 50-h intervals by introducing three standard airs with known CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios. The analytical precision for the CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios was approximately 0.02 ppm, 0.3 ppb and 3 ppb, respectively.

(4-2) Discrete flask sampling

The air sampling equipment consisted of an air intake, a piston pump (GAST LOA), a water trap, solenoid valves (CKD), an ethanol bath as refrigerant, a flow meter and an immersion cooler (EYELA ECS-80). Ambient air was pumped from an air intake using a piston pump, dried cryogenically and collected in a 1-L stainless-steel flask at a pressure of 0.55 MPa.

(5) Station list or Observation log

Continuous observations of CO₂, CH₄ and CO mixing ratios were conducted during the entire cruise. The log of the discrete flask sampling is presented in Table 2.13.

Table 2.13: Log of the discrete flask sampling

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
|--------------|----------------|----|----|----------|---------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | YYYY | MM | DD | hh:mm:ss | UTC/JST | Deg | Min. | N/S | Deg | Min. | E/W |
| MR1903C-F001 | 2019 | 9 | 29 | 06:50 | UTC | 40 | 23.4 | N | 142 | 19.9 | E |
| MR1903C-F002 | 2019 | 9 | 30 | 07:26 | UTC | 40 | 09.84 | N | 148 | 38.36 | E |
| MR1903C-F003 | 2019 | 10 | 1 | 01:42 | UTC | 42 | 16.1 | N | 152 | 50.57 | E |
| MR1903C-F004 | 2019 | 10 | 2 | 07:05 | UTC | 46 | 17.66 | N | 159 | 29.52 | E |
| MR1903C-F005 | 2019 | 10 | 3 | 07:23 | UTC | 49 | 59.93 | N | 166 | 7.1 | E |
| MR1903C-F006 | 2019 | 10 | 4 | 07:08 | UTC | 52 | 50.29 | N | 170 | 31.14 | E |
| MR1903C-F007 | 2019 | 10 | 4 | 22:54 | UTC | 55 | 29.4 | N | 173 | 45.1 | E |
| MR1903C-F008 | 2019 | 10 | 6 | 05:53 | UTC | 58 | 38.81 | N | 179 | 13.81 | E |
| MR1903C-F009 | 2019 | 10 | 7 | 02:41 | UTC | 61 | 47.49 | N | 175 | 77.29 | W |
| MR1903C-F010 | 2019 | 10 | 8 | 00:53 | UTC | 64 | 42.55 | N | 169 | 48.93 | W |
| MR1903C-F011 | 2019 | 10 | 9 | 01:48 | UTC | 68 | 17.49 | N | 168 | 45.17 | W |
| MR1903C-F012 | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 00:21 | UTC | 71 | 6.75 | N | 166 | 31.24 | W |
| MR1903C-F013 | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 21:01 | UTC | 72 | 58.52 | N | 159 | 49.5 | W |
| MR1903C-F014 | 2019 | 10 | 12 | 00:21 | UTC | 72 | 0.39 | N | 151 | 17.67 | W |
| MR1903C-F015 | 2019 | 10 | 13 | 01:16 | UTC | 73 | 1.334 | N | 144 | 55.28 | W |
| MR1903C-F016 | 2019 | 10 | 13 | 21:59 | UTC | 74 | 25.31 | N | 143 | 2.82 | W |
| MR1903C-F017 | 2019 | 10 | 14 | 23:58 | UTC | 74 | 59.7 | N | 152 | 16.4 | W |
| MR1903C-F018 | 2019 | 10 | 15 | 22:09 | UTC | 76 | 49.02 | N | 163 | 46.3 | W |
| MR1903C-F019 | 2019 | 10 | 17 | 01:57 | UTC | 77 | 54.59 | N | 164 | 59.49 | W |
| MR1903C-F020 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 06:26 | UTC | 77 | 15.03 | N | 164 | 59.94 | W |
| MR1903C-F021 | 2019 | 10 | 19 | 00:38 | UTC | 78 | 3.23 | N | 165 | 10.28 | W |
| MR1903C-F022 | 2019 | 10 | 20 | 00:26 | UTC | 78 | 3.37 | N | 164 | 57.79 | W |
| MR1903C-F023 | 2019 | 10 | 20 | 22:33 | UTC | 78 | 0.57 | N | 164 | 59.28 | W |
| MR1903C-F024 | 2019 | 10 | 22 | 00:25 | UTC | 77 | 56.86 | N | 165 | 02.00 | W |
| MR1903C-F025 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 02:10 | UTC | 77 | 46.26 | N | 164 | 3.98 | W |
| MR1903C-F026 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 22:01 | UTC | 77 | 46.69 | N | 163 | 36.97 | W |
| MR1903C-F027 | 2019 | 10 | 24 | 20:56 | UTC | 77 | 47.58 | N | 163 | 54.96 | W |
| MR1903C-F028 | 2019 | 10 | 25 | 23:57 | UTC | 74 | 41.48 | N | 168 | 46.03 | W |
| MR1903C-F029 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 21:19 | UTC | 71 | 56.4 | N | 168 | 44.77 | W |
| MR1903C-F030 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 00:29 | UTC | 68 | 18.11 | N | 167 | 11.07 | W |
| MR1903C-F031 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 20:49 | UTC | 65 | 59.99 | N | 168 | 44.97 | W |
| MR1903C-F032 | 2019 | 10 | 30 | 00:46 | UTC | 65 | 52.39 | N | 175 | 45.97 | W |
| MR1903C-F033 | 2019 | 10 | 30 | 03:24 | UTC | 58 | 8.51 | N | 178 | 6.1 | E |
| MR1903C-F034 | 2019 | 11 | 1 | 01:55 | UTC | 54 | 22.35 | N | 172 | 25.97 | E |
| MR1903C-F035 | 2019 | 11 | 2 | 21:47 | UTC | 51 | 16.17 | N | 168 | 16.67 | E |
| MR1903C-F036 | 2019 | 11 | 3 | 00:51 | UTC | 50 | 0.06 | N | 166 | 7.26 | E |
| MR1903C-F037 | 2019 | 11 | 4 | 02:39 | UTC | 47 | 19.05 | N | 161 | 17.75 | E |
| MR1903C-F038 | 2019 | 11 | 5 | 02:04 | UTC | 44 | 12.76 | N | 155 | 58.83 | E |
| MR1903C-F039 | 2019 | 11 | 6 | 07:02 | UTC | 41 | 8.05 | N | 150 | 41.12 | E |
| MR1903C-F040 | 2019 | 11 | 7 | 03:04 | UTC | 40 | 17.07 | N | 146 | 18.88 | E |

(6) Data archives

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2.14 Sea ice radar

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(2) Objectives

In sea-ice areas, marine radar is important for the detection of sea ice and icebergs. It is important to monitor sea ice on a daily basis and to produce ice forecasts to assist ship traffic and other marine operations. Therefore, the objective was to develop techniques for the prediction of ice condition and to use image information from the sea-ice radar to construct an algorithm for optimal route selection.

(3) Parameters

Capture format: JPEG

Capture interval: 60 seconds

Resolution: 1,280×1,024 pixel

Color tone: 256 gradation

(4) Instruments and methods

The R/V MIRAI is equipped with an ice navigation radar (Sigma S6 Ice Navigator, Rutter Inc.). The analog signal of the X-band ice navigation radar is converted by a modular radar interface and displayed as a digital video image (Figure 2.14). The sea-ice radar is equipped with a screen capture function and it saves data at arbitrary time intervals.

(5) Observation Period

6 Oct. 2019 - 29 Oct. 2019

(6) Data archives

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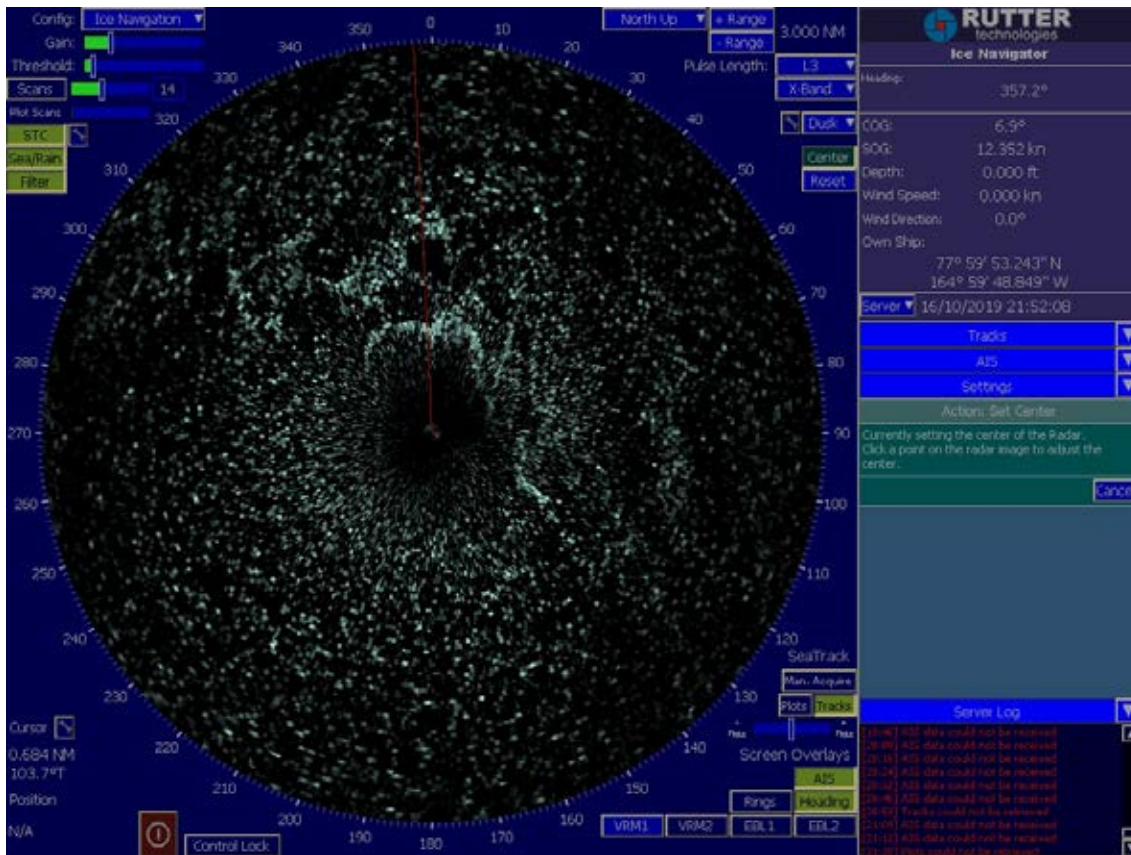


Figure 2.14: Image of sea ice from the sea-ice radar.

3. Physical Oceanography

3.1 CTD cast and water sampling

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objective

Investigation of oceanic structure and water sampling.

(3) Parameters

Temperature (primary and secondary)

Salinity (primary and secondary)

Pressure

Dissolved oxygen (primary "RINKO III" and secondary "SBE43")

Fluorescence (primary and secondary)

Beam transmission

Turbidity

Nitrate

Altimeter

Deep Ocean Standards Thermometer

(4) Instruments and Methods

A CTD/carousel water sampling system, which included a 36-position carousel water sampler (CWS; Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.) with 12-L sample bottles, was used for sampling seawater. The instruments used to measure temperature (primary and secondary), conductivity (primary and secondary), pressure, dissolved oxygen (primary: RINKO III, secondary: SBE43), fluorescence (primary and secondary), beam transmission, turbidity, and nitrate were deployed on the CTD sensor together with an altimeter and a Deep Ocean Standards Thermometer. Salinity was computed based on the measured values of pressure, conductivity and temperature. The CTD/CWS was deployed from the starboard side of the working deck.

Specifications of the sensors are listed below.

CTD: SBE911plus CTD system

Under water unit:

SBE9plus (S/N: 09P21746-0575, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Pressure sensor: Digiquartz pressure sensor (S/N: 79492)

Calibrated Date: 18 Apr. 2019

Carousel water sampler:

SBE32 (S/N: 3254451-0826, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Temperature sensors:

Primary: SBE03-04/F (S/N: 031525, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Calibrated Date: 01 Jun. 2019

Secondary: SBE03-04/F (S/N: 031464, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 01 Jun. 2019

Conductivity sensors:

Primary: SBE04C (S/N: 042435, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 25 Jun. 2019

Secondary: SBE04C (S/N: 043036, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 25 Jun. 2019

Dissolved Oxygen sensor:

Primary: RINKOIII (S/N: 0287_163011BA, JFE Advantech Co., Ltd.)
Calibrated Date: 29 May. 2019

Secondary: SBE43 (S/N: 430575 Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 02 Jul. 2019

Fluorescence:

Primary:

Chlorophyll Fluorometer (S/N: 3618, Seapoint Sensors, Inc.)
Gain setting: 30X, 0-5 ug/l
Calibrated Date: None
Offset: 0.000

Secondary:

Chlorophyll Fluorometer (S/N: 3700, Seapoint Sensors, Inc.)
Gain setting: 3X, 0-50 ug/l
Calibrated Date: None
Offset: 0.000

Transmission meter:

C-Star (S/N CST-1726DR, WET Labs, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 13 Jun. 2019
Casts used: 000M001-021M005

C-Star (S/N CST-1727DR, WET Labs, Inc.)
Calibrated Date: 03 Jun. 2015
Casts used:025M001-00M004

Nitrate:

Deep SUNA (S/N 895, Satlantic, Inc.)
Calibration Date: 19 Sep. 2019
Casts used: 000M001, 000M002, 001M001-014M001, 018M001

Turbidity:

Turbidity Meter (S/N: 14953)
Gain setting: 100X
Scale factor: 1.000
Calibrated Date: None

Altimeter:

Benthos PSA-916T (S/N: 1157, Teledyne Benthos, Inc.)

Submersible Pump:

Primary: SBE5T (S/N: 055816, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Secondary: SBE5T (S/N: 054598, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Bottom contact switch: (Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Deck unit: SBE11plus (S/N 11P54451-0872, Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.)

Configuration file: MR1903C_A.xmlcon

000M001, 001M001 - 014M001, 018M001

MR1903C_B.xmlcon

000M002, 015M001 - 017M001, 019M001 - 021M004

MR1903C_C.xmlcon

024M001, 019M004, 020M006, 021M005

MR1903C_D.xmlcon

025M001 – 000M004,

The CTD raw data were acquired in real time using Seasave-Win32 (ver. 7.23.2; provided by Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc.) and stored on the hard disk of a PC. Seawater was sampled during the upcast by sending fire commands from the control PC.

At depths where the vertical gradients of the exchanged water properties were expected to be large, water sampling was triggered after a 60-s pause at the sampling depth to enhance the exchange of water between the inside and the outside of the bottle. Below the thermocline, a 30-s pause was adopted for stabilization prior to firing. Overall, eight casts of CTD measurements were conducted (Table 3.1).

The data processing procedures and used utilities of the SBE Data Processing-Win32 (ver. 7.26.7.114) and SEASOFT were as follows.

(The processing sequence)

DATCNV: Converts the binary raw data to engineering unit data. DATCNV also extracts bottle information where scans were marked with the bottle confirm bit during acquisition. The duration was set to 4.4 s and the offset was set to 0.0 s.

TCORP (original module): Corrects the pressure sensitivity of the temperature (SBE3) sensor.

S/N 031525: -1.714×10^{-8} (degC/dbar)

S/N 031464: $+7.75293156 \times 10^{-9}$ (degC/dbar)

RINKOCOR (original module): Corrects the time-dependent pressure-induced effect (hysteresis) of the RINKO III profile data.

RINKOCORROS (original module): Corrects the time-dependent pressure-induced effect (hysteresis) of the RINKO III bottle information data using the hysteresis-corrected profile data.

BOTTLESUM: Creates a summary of the bottle data. The data were averaged over 4.4 s.

ALIGNCTD: Converts the time sequence of sensor outputs into a pressure sequence to ensure that all calculations were made using measurements from the same parcel of water. Dissolved oxygen data were systematically delayed with respect to depth mainly because of the long time constant of the dissolved oxygen sensor and an additional delay from the transit time of water in the pumped plumbing line. This delay was compensated by advancing the dissolved oxygen sensor (SBE43) output (dissolved oxygen voltage) by 5 s relative to the temperature data. The RINKO III voltage (user polynomial 0) was advanced by 1 s and the transmission data were advanced by 2 s.

WILDEDIT: Marks extreme outliers in the data files. The first pass of WILDEDIT obtained accurate estimates of the true standard deviation of the data. The data were read in blocks of 1000 scans. Data with values greater than 10 standard deviations were flagged. The second pass computed a standard deviation over the same 1000 scans excluding the flagged values. Values greater than 20 standard deviations were marked as bad data. This process was applied to pressure, depth, temperature (primary and secondary), conductivity (primary and secondary), and dissolved oxygen voltage (SBE43).

CELLTM: Removes conductivity cell thermal mass effects from the measured conductivity. Typical values used were thermal anomaly amplitude, $\alpha = 0.03$ and a time constant, $1/\beta = 7.0$.

FILTER: Performs a low-pass filter on pressure and depth data with a time constant of 0.15 s. To produce a zero phase lag (i.e., no time shift), the filter is first run forward and then backward.

WFILTER: Performs a median filter to remove spikes in the fluorescence data (primary and secondary), transmission data, transmission beam attenuation, transmission voltage, turbidity and nitrate. A median value was determined by 49 scans of the window.

SECTIONU (original module of **SECTION**): Selects the time span of the data based on scan number to reduce file size. The minimum number was set to the starting time when the CTD package was beneath the sea surface after activation of the pump. The maximum number was set to the end time when the package broke the surface.

LOOPEDIT: Marks scans where the CTD was moving less than the minimum velocity of 0.0 m/s (traveling backward due to ship roll).

DESPIKE (original module): Removes spikes in the data. A median and mean absolute deviation was calculated in 1-dbar pressure bins for both the downcast and the upcast, excluding flagged values. Values greater than 4 mean absolute deviations from the median were marked as bad data for each bin. This process was performed twice for temperature, conductivity and dissolved oxygen (RINKO

III and SBE43) voltage.

DERIVE: Computes dissolved oxygen (SBE43).

BINAVG: Averages the data into 1-dbar bins.

BOTTOMCUT (original module): Deletes discontinuous scan bottom data when created by BINAVG.

DERIVE: Computes salinity, potential temperature and sigma-theta data.

SPLIT: Separates the data from the input “.cnv” file into downcast and upcast files.

(5) Station list

During this cruise, 67 casts of CTD observations were performed. The dates, times and locations of the CTD casts are listed in Table 3.1. In the case of bottom attack on shallow casts, a bottom contact switch was also used.

(6) Preliminary Results

During this cruise, we judged noise, spike or shift in the data of some casts. These were as follows.

000M001: Secondary Salinity
down 30 dbar : spike

Nitrate
down 55 dbar - down 501 dbar, up 500 dbar - up 37 dbar: overrange

000M002: Beam Transmission
down 2060 dbar - down 2266 dbar: noise

005M001: Secondary Salinity
down 45 dbar: spike

014M001: Nitrate
down 2 dbar - down 1644 dbar, up 1643 dbar - up 1 dbar: bad data

018M001 Primary Dissolved Oxygen (RINKO III)
down 1363 dbar - down 1368 dbar, down 1403 dbar - down 1409 dbar: spike, down 1702 dbar -
down 1754 dbar: noise

Nitrate
down 3 dbar - down 1761 dbar, up 1760 dbar - up 1 dbar: bad data

021M001 Primary Salinity
down 10 dbar: spike

020M005 Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity

down 28 dbar: spike

024M001 Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 96 dbar: spike

019M004 Primary Temperature, Primary Salinity
down 205 dbar – down 208 dbar: spike

Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 179 dbar, down 205 dbar – down 208 dbar: spike

026M001 Primary Temperature, Primary Salinity, Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 203 dbar: spike

Beam Transmission
down 353 dbar – down 357 dbar: spike

019M006 Primary Temperature, Primary Salinity, Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 204 dbar: spike

027M001 Primary Temperature, Primary Salinity, Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 207 dbar: spike

019M007 Primary Temperature, Primary Salinity, Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 204 dbar – down 208 dbar: spike

021M008 Beam Transmission
down 231 dbar - down 232 dbar: spike

035M001 Secondary Temperature, Secondary Salinity
down 32 dbar: spike

037M001 Primary Temperature
down 24 dbar, down 39 dbar: spike

Primary Salinity
down 24 dbar, down 28 dbar, down 39 dbar: spike

Secondary Dissolved Oxygen (SBE43)
down 39 dbar: spike

038M001 Primary Salinity
down 36 dbar: spike

015M001 sample bottle #13 was not closed
 bottle flag 4

000M004 sample bottle #26 was not closed
 bottle flag 4

(7) Data archive

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Table 3.1: Log of MR19-03C CTD casts

| Stnno | Castno | Date(UTC) | Time(UTC) | | BottomPosition | | Depth (m) | Wire Out (m) | HT Above Bottom (m) | Max Depth | Max Pressure | CTD Filename | Remark |
|-------|--------|-----------|-----------|-------|----------------|------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | (mmddy) | Start | End | Latitude | Longitude | | | | | | | |
| 000 | 1 | 100319 | 07:06 | 07:58 | 49-59.92N | 166-07.07E | 5396.0 | 495.4 | - | 496.1 | 501.0 | 000M001 | |
| 000 | 2 | 100319 | 10:06 | 14:02 | 49-59.29N | 166-07.87E | 5395.0 | 5399.3 | 8.7 | 5374.2 | 5490.0 | 000M002 | |
| 001 | 1 | 100819 | 06:34 | 07:00 | 65-39.18N | 168-27.77W | 53.1 | 41.9 | 7.3 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 001M001 | |
| 002 | 1 | 100819 | 09:34 | 09:56 | 66-00.17N | 168-44.72W | 52.5 | 43.0 | 6.5 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 002M001 | |
| 003 | 1 | 100819 | 12:48 | 13:05 | 66-30.32N | 168-45.09W | 54.3 | 43.2 | 7.5 | 46.5 | 47.0 | 003M001 | |
| 004 | 1 | 100819 | 16:06 | 16:28 | 67-00.13N | 168-44.26W | 44.6 | 33.8 | 6.5 | 37.6 | 38.0 | 004M001 | |
| 005 | 1 | 100919 | 05:16 | 05:35 | 69-00.19N | 168-45.18W | 52.5 | 42.8 | 6.2 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 005M001 | |
| 006 | 1 | 100919 | 09:25 | 09:48 | 69-30.16N | 168-45.21W | 51.0 | 43.0 | 5.0 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 006M001 | |
| 007 | 1 | 100919 | 13:36 | 13:53 | 69-59.96N | 168-45.03W | 40.5 | 30.5 | 5.2 | 34.6 | 35.0 | 007M001 | |
| 008 | 1 | 100919 | 17:06 | 17:24 | 70-29.86N | 168-45.38W | 39.4 | 26.3 | 8.2 | 29.7 | 30.0 | 008M001 | |
| 009 | 1 | 101019 | 07:59 | 08:15 | 71-59.76N | 163-29.99W | 38.4 | 29.6 | 5.4 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 009M001 | |
| 010 | 1 | 101019 | 14:09 | 14:25 | 72-29.84N | 161-44.78W | 44.1 | 34.2 | 5.8 | 37.6 | 38.0 | 010M001 | |
| 011 | 1 | 101019 | 18:57 | 19:35 | 72-60.00N | 160-00.20W | 192.0 | 182.1 | 8.9 | 184.0 | 186.0 | 011M001 | |
| 012 | 1 | 101119 | 05:42 | 07:24 | 72-30.13N | 156-16.69W | 1607.0 | 1595.9 | 8.7 | 1589.3 | 1612.0 | 012M001 | |
| 013 | 1 | 101119 | 10:55 | 12:50 | 72-19.98N | 155-00.52W | 1957.0 | 1959.6 | 8.2 | 1956.3 | 1986.0 | 013M001 | |
| 014 | 1 | 101119 | 16:47 | 18:33 | 72-09.43N | 153-47.41W | 1637.0 | 1635.6 | 8.7 | 1620.8 | 1644.0 | 014M001 | |
| 015 | 1 | 101219 | 06:34 | 09:13 | 71-59.99N | 147-29.98W | 3515.0 | 3507.4 | 9.9 | 3500.0 | 3566.0 | 015M001 | |
| 016 | 1 | 101219 | 14:40 | 17:18 | 72-00.00N | 145-00.05W | 3316.0 | 3309.4 | 9.7 | 3303.3 | 3364.0 | 016M001 | |
| 017 | 1 | 101419 | 15:08 | 18:11 | 74-46.09N | 150-30.13W | 3834.0 | 3824.7 | 9.1 | 3819.5 | 3895.0 | 017M001 | |
| 018 | 1 | 101519 | 16:58 | 18:48 | 76-27.95N | 161-38.51W | 1750.0 | 1738.7 | 10.0 | 1735.3 | 1761.0 | 018M001 | |
| 019 | 1 | 101619 | 05:11 | 06:19 | 76-59.96N | 164-59.94W | 680.0 | 675.9 | 5.2 | 675.7 | 684.0 | 019M001 | |
| 020 | 1 | 101619 | 08:33 | 09:26 | 77-15.04N | 164-59.71W | 367.0 | 359.4 | 4.3 | 359.9 | 364.0 | 020M001 | |
| 020 | 2 | 101719 | 07:04 | 07:56 | 77-15.00N | 164-59.93W | 370.0 | 360.2 | 6.1 | 361.8 | 366.0 | 020M002 | |
| 021 | 1 | 101719 | 10:17 | 11:06 | 77-30.01N | 165-00.01W | 308.0 | 301.5 | 5.2 | 301.6 | 305.0 | 021M001 | |
| 022 | 1 | 101719 | 12:58 | 13:56 | 77-45.00N | 165-00.01W | 445.0 | 438.4 | 5.3 | 437.9 | 443.0 | 022M001 | |
| 020 | 3 | 101819 | 06:36 | 07:28 | 77-15.01N | 164-59.99W | 372.0 | 358.1 | 4.6 | 359.9 | 364.0 | 020M003 | |
| 021 | 2 | 101819 | 09:45 | 10:33 | 77-30.07N | 165-00.19W | 310.0 | 300.4 | 4.7 | 302.6 | 306.0 | 021M002 | |
| 022 | 2 | 101819 | 12:55 | 13:52 | 77-45.05N | 165-00.19W | 446.0 | 439.5 | 4.4 | 439.9 | 445.0 | 022M002 | |
| 023 | 1 | 101819 | 20:09 | 21:06 | 78-02.13N | 164-58.49W | 453.0 | 443.6 | 8.2 | 442.8 | 448.0 | 023M001 | |
| 019 | 2 | 101919 | 08:07 | 09:01 | 77-00.01N | 164-59.96W | 685.0 | 496.3 | - | 496.1 | 502.0 | 019M002 | |
| 020 | 4 | 101919 | 11:15 | 12:06 | 77-15.14N | 164-59.89W | 366.0 | 358.5 | 3.8 | 360.9 | 365.0 | 020M004 | |
| 021 | 3 | 101919 | 13:41 | 14:33 | 77-30.06N | 164-59.93W | 309.0 | 301.4 | 4.4 | 303.6 | 307.0 | 021M003 | |
| 019 | 3 | 102019 | 08:59 | 09:55 | 77-00.06N | 164-59.94W | 690.0 | 495.0 | - | 496.1 | 502.0 | 019M003 | |
| 020 | 5 | 102019 | 12:18 | 13:12 | 77-15.14N | 164-59.65W | 367.0 | 358.3 | 5.1 | 361.8 | 366.0 | 020M005 | |
| 021 | 4 | 102019 | 14:48 | 15:42 | 77-30.05N | 164-59.99W | 310.0 | 299.2 | 5.5 | 301.6 | 305.0 | 021M004 | |
| 024 | 1 | 102119 | 06:37 | 07:52 | 77-15.00N | 165-59.97W | 851.0 | 847.7 | 5.8 | 846.3 | 857.0 | 024M001 | |
| 019 | 4 | 102119 | 10:43 | 11:42 | 77-00.28N | 164-59.75W | 687.0 | 494.9 | - | 496.1 | 502.0 | 019M004 | |
| 020 | 6 | 102119 | 13:54 | 14:53 | 77-15.01N | 165-00.05W | 370.0 | 358.0 | 4.4 | 359.9 | 364.0 | 020M006 | |
| 021 | 5 | 102119 | 17:40 | 18:33 | 77-30.50N | 164-59.67W | 308.0 | 231.2 | - | 238.3 | 241.0 | 021M005 | no sampling water |
| 025 | 1 | 102219 | 07:04 | 08:15 | 77-00.37N | 165-59.88W | 711.0 | 708.7 | 5.7 | 708.3 | 717.0 | 025M001 | |
| 019 | 5 | 102219 | 10:27 | 11:28 | 77-00.10N | 164-59.57W | 685.0 | 495.0 | - | 496.1 | 502.0 | 019M005 | |
| 020 | 7 | 102219 | 13:43 | 14:43 | 77-15.00N | 165-00.06W | 371.0 | 359.8 | 3.7 | 360.9 | 365.0 | 020M007 | |
| 021 | 6 | 102219 | 17:32 | 17:48 | 77-30.30N | 164-58.80W | 306.0 | 299.5 | 3.9 | 301.6 | 305.0 | 021M006 | no sampling water |
| 026 | 1 | 102319 | 06:30 | 07:24 | 77-00.01N | 164-00.01W | 437.0 | 431.8 | 4.7 | 431.0 | 436.0 | 026M001 | |
| 019 | 6 | 102319 | 09:32 | 10:34 | 77-00.07N | 164-59.32W | 678.0 | 495.6 | - | 495.2 | 501.0 | 019M006 | |
| 020 | 8 | 102319 | 13:25 | 14:18 | 77-15.17N | 164-59.94W | 365.0 | 357.6 | 5.4 | 358.9 | 363.0 | 020M008 | |
| 021 | 7 | 102319 | 16:29 | 17:17 | 77-30.31N | 164-58.79W | 304.0 | 299.2 | 5.3 | 300.6 | 304.0 | 021M007 | |
| 027 | 1 | 102419 | 06:36 | 07:25 | 77-15.00N | 164-00.01W | 366.0 | 356.3 | 5.7 | 358.9 | 363.0 | 027M001 | |
| 019 | 7 | 102419 | 10:09 | 11:08 | 77-00.23N | 165-00.16W | 697.0 | 494.5 | - | 495.2 | 501.0 | 019M007 | |
| 020 | 9 | 102419 | 13:15 | 14:06 | 77-15.04N | 165-00.14W | 366.0 | 356.3 | 4.9 | 357.9 | 362.0 | 020M009 | |
| 021 | 8 | 102419 | 16:59 | 17:47 | 77-30.74N | 165-00.21W | 311.0 | 301.5 | 6.4 | 302.6 | 306.0 | 021M008 | |
| 028 | 1 | 102519 | 08:59 | 10:46 | 77-00.22N | 168-46.13W | 1896.0 | 1884.6 | 8.9 | 1882.4 | 1911.0 | 028M001 | |
| 029 | 1 | 102619 | 05:39 | 06:14 | 74-00.01N | 168-44.83W | 185.0 | 172.4 | 5.2 | 175.1 | 177.0 | 029M001 | |
| 030 | 1 | 102619 | 09:11 | 09:41 | 73-30.00N | 168-45.00W | 115.0 | 106.0 | 5.6 | 108.8 | 110.0 | 030M001 | |
| 031 | 1 | 102619 | 13:08 | 13:30 | 73-00.03N | 168-45.04W | 61.4 | 52.0 | 5.0 | 55.4 | 56.0 | 031M001 | |
| 032 | 1 | 102619 | 16:51 | 17:11 | 72-30.03N | 168-44.61W | 58.5 | 48.0 | 4.7 | 52.4 | 53.0 | 032M001 | |
| 033 | 1 | 102719 | 05:42 | 05:57 | 70-30.00N | 168-44.92W | 38.2 | 28.5 | 5.2 | 32.7 | 33.0 | 033M001 | |
| 034 | 1 | 102719 | 08:46 | 09:05 | 70-00.00N | 168-45.04W | 40.5 | 31.4 | 5.2 | 34.6 | 35.0 | 034M001 | |
| 035 | 1 | 102719 | 13:00 | 13:18 | 69-30.19N | 168-45.23W | 51.3 | 39.7 | 5.1 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 035M001 | |
| 036 | 1 | 102719 | 16:19 | 16:37 | 68-59.99N | 168-45.29W | 52.5 | 42.4 | 5.4 | 46.5 | 47.0 | 036M001 | |
| 037 | 1 | 102819 | 05:05 | 05:23 | 68-00.88N | 167-52.05W | 52.5 | 41.0 | 6.5 | 45.5 | 46.0 | 037M001 | |
| 038 | 1 | 102819 | 07:36 | 07:56 | 67-46.99N | 168-36.29W | 50.5 | 39.5 | 6.0 | 43.6 | 44.0 | 038M001 | |
| 039 | 1 | 102819 | 10:42 | 10:59 | 67-30.07N | 168-45.11W | 49.4 | 40.1 | 5.2 | 43.6 | 44.0 | 039M001 | |
| 040 | 1 | 102819 | 13:59 | 14:15 | 67-00.06N | 168-44.71W | 44.9 | 35.5 | 5.9 | 38.6 | 39.0 | 040M001 | |
| 041 | 1 | 102819 | 17:22 | 17:40 | 66-29.99N | 168-45.02W | 54.0 | 45.8 | 5.1 | 48.5 | 49.0 | 041M001 | |
| 000 | 3 | 110219 | 22:07 | 22:57 | 50-00.11N | 166-07.40E | 5397.0 | 494.1 | - | 497.1 | 502.0 | 000M003 | |
| 000 | 4 | 110319 | 00:06 | 04:04 | 49-59.95N | 166-07.13E | 5396.0 | 5389.4 | 7.9 | 5376.1 | 5492.0 | 000M004 | |

3.2 Salinity measurements

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(2) Objective

To measure salinity of bottle samples obtained by CTD casts, bucket sampling and the continuous sea surface water monitoring system (TSG).

(3) Method

a. Salinity sample collection

Seawater samples were collected in 12-L water sampling bottles and by the TSG. We used 250-mL brown glass salinity sample bottles with screw caps for storing the sampled water. Each bottle was rinsed three times in sample water and then filled with sample water to the bottle shoulder. The salinity sample bottles for the TSG were sealed with a plastic cone and a screw cap because we took into consideration the possibility that the samples might be stored for approximately one month. The caps were rinsed three times in sample seawater before use. Each bottle was stored for more than 24 h in the laboratory before the salinity measurements were performed. The types and numbers of samples taken are listed in Table 3.2.

Table 3.2: Types and numbers of samples

| Kind of Samples | Number of Samples |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Samples for CTD and Bucket | 586 |
| Samples for TSG | 34 |
| Total | 620 |

b. Instruments and method

The salinity analysis was undertaken onboard the R/V Mirai during the MR19-03C cruise using a Model 8400B “AUTOSAL” salinometer (Guildline Instruments Ltd.: S/N 72874) with an additional peristaltic-type intake pump (Ocean Scientific International, Ltd.). A pair of precision digital thermometers (1502A; FLUKE: S/N B78466 and B81550) were used for monitoring the ambient temperature and the bath temperature of the salinometer. The specifications of the AUTOSAL salinometer and thermometer were as follows.

Salinometer (Model 8400B “AUTOSAL” ; Guildline Instruments Ltd.)

| | |
|--------------------|---|
| Measurement Range | : 0.005 to 42 (PSU) |
| Accuracy | : Better than ± 0.002 (PSU) over 24 hours without re-standardization |
| Maximum Resolution | : Better than ± 0.0002 (PSU) at 35 (PSU) |

Thermometer (1502A: FLUKE)

| | | |
|-------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Measurement Range | : | 16 to 30 deg C (Full accuracy) |
| Resolution | : | 0.001 deg C |
| Accuracy | : | 0.006 deg C (@ 0 deg C) |

The measurement system was almost the same as used by Aoyama *et al.* (2002). The salinometer was operated in the ship's air-conditioned laboratory. The ambient temperature varied in the range of approximately 21–23 °C, whereas the bath temperature of 24 °C was very stable and varied only within ± 0.002 °C on rare occasions. The measurement for each sample was done with a double conductivity ratio and defined as the median of 31 readings of the salinometer. Data collection started 5 s after the cell was filled with the sample and it took approximately 10 s to collect the 31 readings using a PC. Data were taken for the sixth and seventh fillings of the cell. In cases where the difference between the double conductivity ratio of these two fillings was < 0.00002 , the average value of the double conductivity ratio was used to calculate the bottle salinity using the algorithm for the practical salinity scale, 1978 (UNESCO, 1981). If the difference was ≥ 0.00003 , an eighth filling of the cell was performed. In cases where the difference between the double conductivity ratio of these two fillings was < 0.00002 , the average value of the double conductivity ratio was used to calculate the bottle salinity. The measurements were conducted over an ~8-h period and the cell was cleaned with soap after the final measurement of the day.

(4) Results

a. Standard seawater

Standardization control of the salinometer was set to 549 and all measurements were performed at this setting. The value of STANDBY was $24 + 5996 - 6004$ and that of ZERO was $0.0 \pm 0000 - 0004$. The conductivity ratio of the IAPSO Standard Seawater batch P162 was 0.99983 (double conductivity ratio was 1.99966) and it was used as the standard for salinity. Overall, 33 bottles of P162 were measured.

Figure 3.2.-1 shows the time series of the double conductivity ratio of the Standard Seawater batch P162. The average of the double conductivity ratio was 1.99966 and the standard deviation was 0.00005, which is equivalent to 0.0009 in salinity.

Figure 3.2.-2 shows the time series of the double conductivity ratio of the Standard Seawater batch P162 after correction. The average of the double conductivity ratio after correction was 1.99966 and the standard deviation was 0.00001, which is equivalent to 0.0002 in salinity.

The specifications of the Standard Seawater used on this cruise are as follows.

| | | |
|--------------------|---|------------------------------|
| Batch | : | P162 |
| Conductivity ratio | : | 0.99983 |
| Salinity | : | 34.993 |
| Use by | : | 16 th April, 2021 |

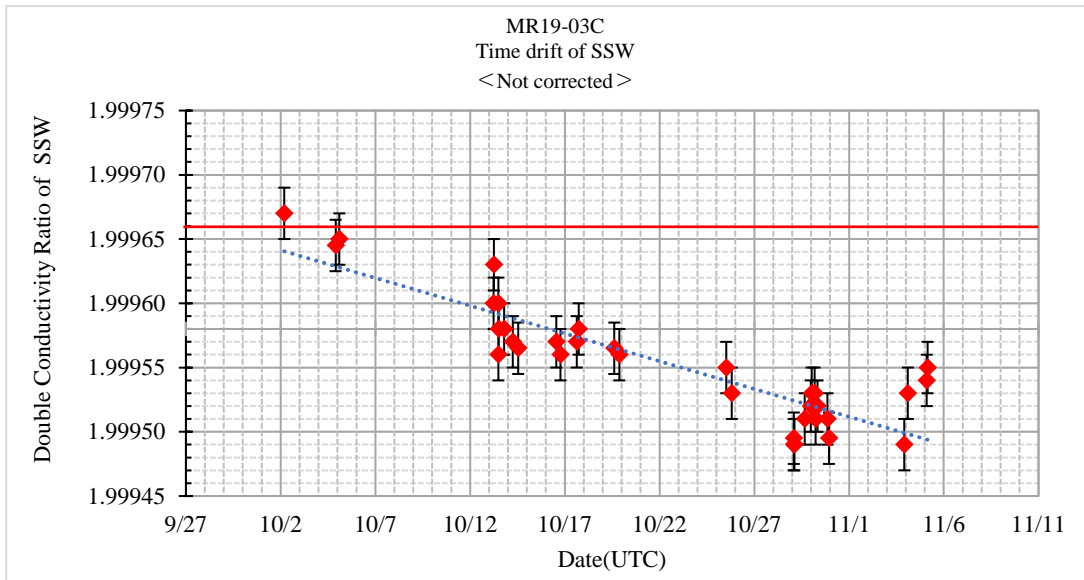


Figure 3.2-1: Time series of double conductivity ratio for the Standard Seawater batch P162 (before correction).

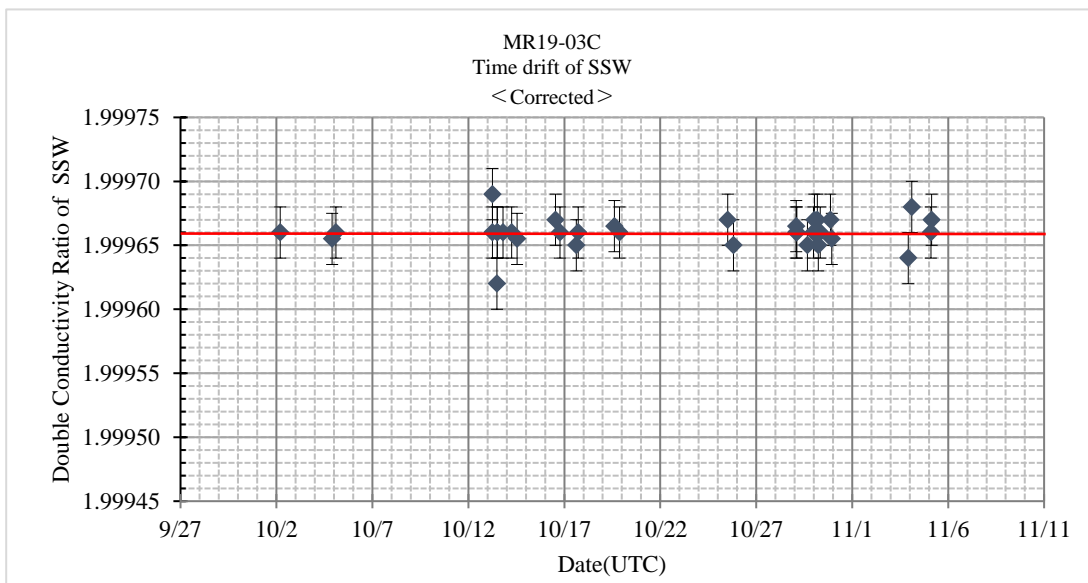


Figure 3.2-2: Time series of double conductivity ratio for the Standard Seawater batch P162 (after correction).

b. Substandard seawater

Substandard seawater was made from surface seawater passed through a filter with 0.2- μm pore size and then stored in a 20-L container made of polyethylene. The water was stirred for at least 24 h before performing the measurements, and measurements were conducted on approximately every sixth sample to check for possible sudden drifts of the salinometer.

c. Replicate samples

We estimated the precision of this method using 108 pairs of replicate water samples taken from the same sampling bottle. Figure 3.2-3 shows the histogram of the absolute difference between each pair of replicate samples. The average and the standard deviation of the absolute difference among the 108 pairs of replicate samples were 0.0006 and 0.0006 in salinity, respectively.

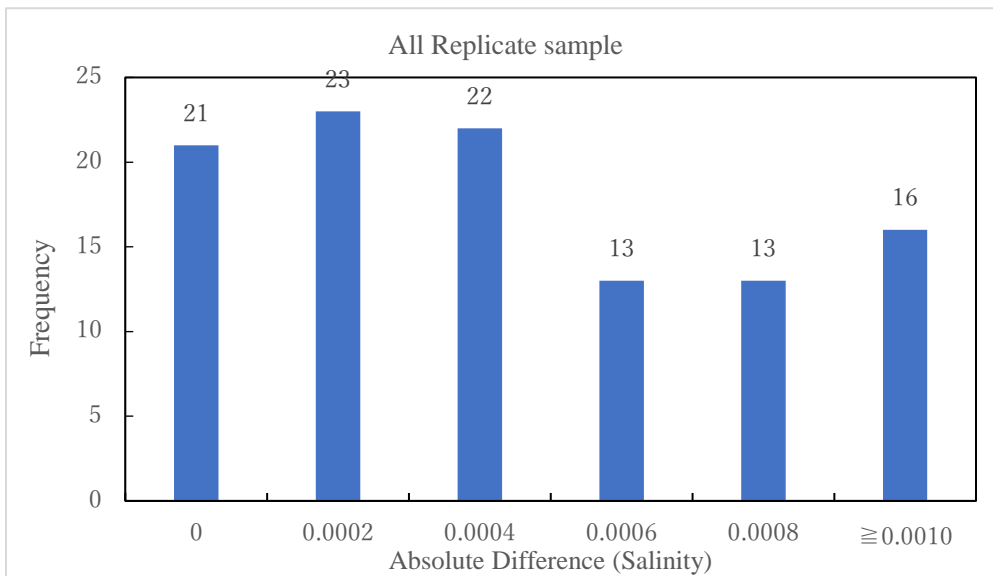


Figure 3.2-3: Histogram of the double conductivity ratio for the absolute difference of all replicate samples.

We used 33 pairs of replicate samples to estimate the precision of shallow (<200 dbar) samples. Figure 3.2-4 shows the histogram of the absolute difference between each pair of shallow (<200 dbar) replicate samples. The average and the standard deviation of the absolute difference among the 33 pairs were 0.0006 and 0.0007 in salinity, respectively.

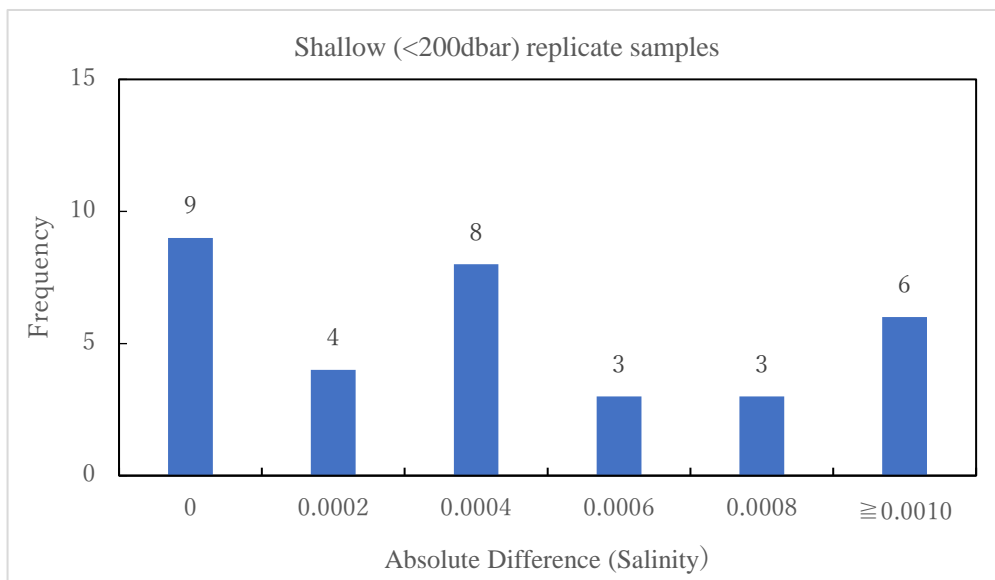


Figure 3.2-4: Histogram of the absolute difference between shallow (< 200dbar) replicate samples.

We used 75 pairs of replicate samples to estimate the precision of deep (≥200 dbar) samples. Figure 3.2-5 shows the histogram of the absolute difference between each pair of deep (≥200 dbar) replicate samples. The average and the standard deviation of the absolute difference among the 75 pairs were 0.0006 and 0.0005 in salinity, respectively.

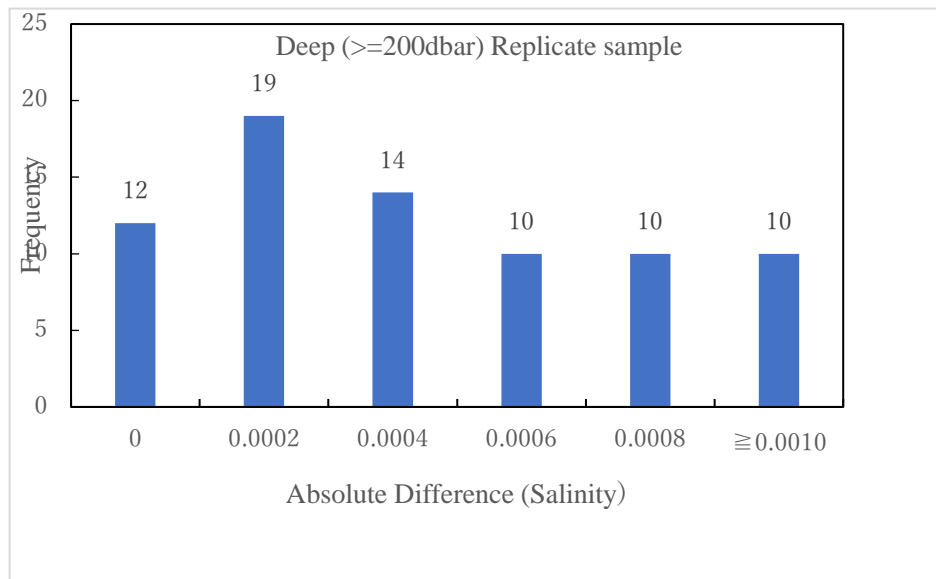


Figure 3.2-5: Histogram of the absolute difference between deep (>200 dbar) replicate samples.

(5) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

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3.3 XCTD

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objective

To obtain vertical profiles of seawater temperature and salinity (calculated based on the function of temperature, pressure (depth), and conductivity).

(3) Parameters

The range and accuracy of parameters measured by the XCTD (eXpendable Conductivity, Temperature & Depth profiler) are as follows;

| Parameter | Range | Accuracy |
|--------------|-----------------|--|
| Conductivity | 0 ~ 60 [mS/cm] | +/- 0.03 [mS/cm] |
| Temperature | -2 ~ 35 [deg-C] | +/- 0.02 [deg-C] |
| Depth | 0 ~ 1000 [m] | 5 [m] or 2 [%] (either of them is major) |

(4) Instruments and Methods

We observed the vertical profiles of the seawater temperature and conductivity measured using an XCTD-1 manufactured by the Tsurumi-Seiki Co. (TSK). The signal was converted using MK-150N (TSK) and recorded using AL-12B software (Ver. 1.1.4, TSK). We launched 26 probes via an automatic launcher. The summary of the XCTD observation log is shown in Table 3.3.

Table 3.3: XCTD observation log

| No. | Date [YYYY/MM/DD] | Time [hh:mm] | Latitude [degN] | Longitude [degW] | Depth [m] | SST [deg-C] | SSS [PSU] | Probe S/N | Probe Type |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| 1 | 2019/10/08 | 20:06 | 67-29.9969 | 168-44.9535 | 48 | 3.503 | 32.195 | 17110515 | XCTD-1 |
| 2 | 2019/10/08 | 22:32 | 68-00.0631 | 168-45.1056 | 58 | 3.610 | 31.971 | 17110517 | XCTD-1 |
| 3 | 2019/10/09 | 02:38 | 68-30.0533 | 168-45.0005 | 53 | 3.583 | 32.311 | 17110516 | XCTD-1 |
| 4 | 2019/10/09 | 22:29 | 71-00.0009 | 166-59.9931 | 45 | 6.831 | 31.605 | 17110518 | XCTD-1 |
| 5 | 2019/10/10 | 03:41 | 71-29.9875 | 165-15.0715 | 43 | 6.099 | 30.987 | 17110519 | XCTD-1 |
| 6 | 2019/10/12 | 06:47 | 71-59.9908 | 147-29.9095 | 3512 | 1.255 | 26.497 | 17110520 | XCTD-1 |
| 7 | 2019/10/13 | 05:36 | 73-45.3341 | 145-06.3694 | 3710 | 0.200 | 26.647 | 19040333 | XCTD-1 |
| 8 | 2019/10/13 | 19:13 | 74-18.0722 | 143-49.5586 | 3711 | -1.378 | 26.333 | 19040334 | XCTD-1 |
| 9 | 2019/10/13 | 21:40 | 74-25.4099 | 143-00.2768 | 3705 | -1.391 | 26.323 | 19040335 | XCTD-1 |
| 10 | 2019/10/14 | 00:00 | 74-17.1291 | 143-31.0744 | 3710 | -1.399 | 26.374 | 19040337 | XCTD-1 |
| 11 | 2019/10/14 | 01:04 | 74-17.1291 | 143-46.4098 | 3709 | -1.392 | 26.272 | 17110522 | XCTD-1 |
| 12 | 2019/10/14 | 01:28 | 74-15.0270 | 144-00.0245 | 3710 | -1.366 | 26.313 | 17110523 | XCTD-1 |
| 13 | 2019/10/14 | 01:44 | 74-13.4356 | 144-08.2456 | 3711 | -0.963 | 26.452 | 17110524 | XCTD-1 |
| 14 | 2019/10/14 | 01:50 | 74-12.8899 | 144-11.0899 | 3711 | -0.274 | 26.591 | 17110525 | XCTD-1 |
| 15 | 2019/10/14 | 02:27 | 74-11.9213 | 144-14.0936 | 3709 | 0.154 | 26.723 | 17110526 | XCTD-1 |
| 16 | 2019/10/14 | 03:24 | 74-09.2035 | 144-28.7344 | 3712 | 0.121 | 26.714 | 19040399 | XCTD-1 |
| 17 | 2019/10/14 | 03:55 | 74-06.7290 | 144-43.5529 | 3723 | -0.026 | 26.724 | 19040338 | XCTD-1 |
| 18 | 2019/10/14 | 04:42 | 74-03.9046 | 144-58.0717 | 3719 | -0.055 | 26.719 | 19040332 | XCTD-1 |
| 19 | 2019/10/16 | 22:36 | 78-05.0731 | 164-55.3744 | 488 | -1.496 | 28.479 | 19040340 | XCTD-1 |
| 20 | 2019/10/20 | 19:32 | 77-38.0633 | 165-00.0179 | 316 | -0.806 | 28.851 | 19040342 | XCTD-1 |
| 21 | 2019/10/20 | 20:52 | 77-49.9459 | 164-59.8765 | 405 | -0.935 | 28.812 | 19040344 | XCTD-1 |
| 22 | 2019/10/20 | 21:17 | 77-55.0005 | 164-59.9874 | 391 | -1.254 | 28.722 | 19040343 | XCTD-1 |
| 23 | 2019/10/21 | 01:49 | 77-40.0096 | 165-27.7923 | 497 | -0.739 | 28.883 | 19040341 | XCTD-1 |
| 24 | 2019/10/21 | 02:57 | 77-27.8973 | 165-43.1546 | 731 | -0.104 | 29.060 | 19040345 | XCTD-1 |
| 25 | 2019/10/25 | 16:34 | 75-59.9980 | 168-45.1069 | 601 | 1.598 | 29.738 | 18086022 | XCTD-1 |
| 26 | 2019/11/03 | 00:18 | 50-00.0733 | 166-07.3278 | 5400 | 7.707 | 32.788 | 18086.23 | XCTD-1 |

SST: Sea Surface Temperature [deg-C] measured by TSG (Thermo Salino Graph).

SSS: Sea Surface Salinity [PSU] measured by TSG.

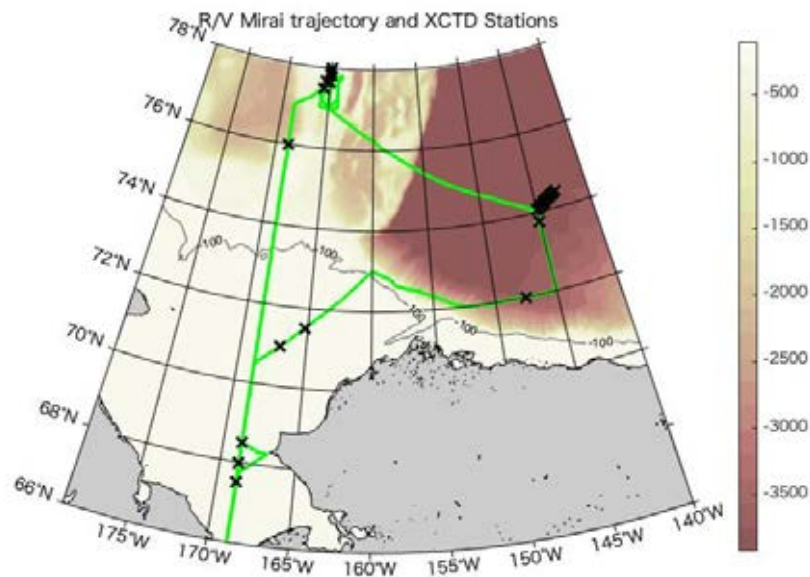


Figure 3.3-1: Trajectory of the R/V Mirai (green line) and XCTD measurement locations (x). The colored shading represents bathymetry.

(5) Preliminary results

An intensive program of XCTD measurements was conducted during 13–14 October 2019 near the MIZ (Figure 3.3-1). The measurements were linked to the ocean turbulence measurements and deployments of surface drifting buoys, some of which measured surface waves, while others measured upper-ocean currents and temperature. The XCTD data revealed the hydrographic conditions within the zone of sea-ice formation and a subsurface oceanic eddy under the sea-ice area (see Figure 3.3-2). Most other probes were used to map the hydrographic conditions near the ridge and the Chukchi Shelf.

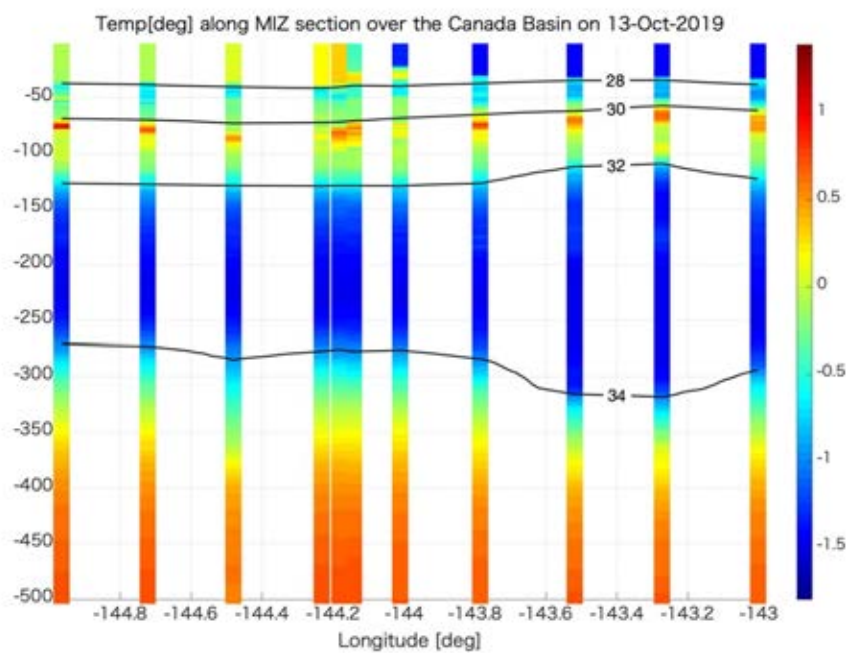


Figure 3.3-2: XCTD measurement results along the section between the open ocean and the ice-covered area.

Colored shading represents temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) and the black lines indicate salinity (psu).

(6) Data archives

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3.4 Shipboard ADCP

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objectives

To obtain continuous measurement data of the current profile along the ship's track.

(3) Parameters

Major parameters for the measurement, Direct Command, are shown in Table 3.4.

Table 3.4: Major parameters

| | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Bottom-Track Commands | |
| BP = 001 | Pings per Ensemble (almost less than 1,200m depth) |
| Environmental Sensor Commands | |
| EA = 04500 | Heading Alignment (1/100 deg) |
| ED = 00065 | Transducer Depth (0 - 65535 dm) |
| EF = +001 | Pitch/Roll Divisor/Multiplier (pos/neg) [1/99 - 99] |
| EH = 00000 | Heading (1/100 deg) |
| ES = 35 | Salinity (0-40 pp thousand) |
| EX = 00000 | Coordinate Transform (Xform:Type; Tilts; 3Bm; Map) |
| EZ = 10200010 | Sensor Source (C; D; H; P; R; S; T; U) |
| | C (1): Sound velocity calculates using ED, ES, ET (temp.) |
| | D (0): Manual ED |
| | H (2): External synchro |
| | P (0), R (0): Manual EP, ER (0 degree) |
| | S (0): Manual ES |
| | T (1): Internal transducer sensor |
| | U (0): Manual EU |
| EV = 0 | Heading Bias (1/100 deg) |
| Timing Commands | |
| TE = 00:00:02.00 | Time per Ensemble (hrs:min:sec.sec/100) |
| TP = 00:02.00 | Time per Ping (min:sec.sec/100) |
| Water-Track Commands | |
| WA = 255 | False Target Threshold (Max) (0-255 count) |

| | |
|------------------|--|
| WC = 120 | Low Correlation Threshold (0-255) |
| WD = 111 100 000 | Data Out (V; C; A; PG; St; Vsum; Vsum ² ; #G; P0) |
| WE = 1000 | Error Velocity Threshold (0-5000 mm/s) |
| WF = 0800 | Blank After Transmit (cm) |
| WN = 100 | Number of depth cells (1-128) |
| WP = 00001 | Pings per Ensemble (0-16384) |
| WS = 800 | Depth Cell Size (cm) |
| WV = 0390 | Radial Ambiguity Velocity (cm/s) |

(4) Instruments and methods

Upper-ocean current measurements were made during this cruise using a hull-mounted acoustic Doppler current profiler (ADCP) system. For most of its operation, the instrument was configured for water-tracking mode. The bottom-tracking mode, which interleaved bottom-ping with water-ping functionality, was adopted to obtain calibration data for evaluating the transducer misalignment angle in shallow water. The features of the operation of the ADCP system onboard the R/V Mirai are as follows.

1. An Ocean Surveyor for vessel-mount ADCP (frequency 76.8 kHz; Teledyne RD Instruments, USA) is installed on the R/V Mirai. The instrument has a phased-array transducer with a single ceramic assembly that creates four acoustic beams electronically. We mounted the transducer head rotated to a ship-relative angle of 45° azimuth from the keel.
2. The ship's gyrocompass (Tokyo Keiki, Japan) is used to provide a continuous heading to the ADCP system directory. Additionally, we have an Inertial Navigation Unit (Phins, Ixblue, France) that provides high-precision heading, attitude, pitch and roll information. All data are stored in ".N2R" data files with a time stamp.
3. A differential GNSS system (Star Pack-D, Fugro, Netherlands) provides precise information regarding the ship's position.
4. We use VmDas software version 1.49 (TRDI) for data acquisition.
5. To synchronize the time stamp of pings with the computer time, the clock of the logging computer is adjusted to GPS time server every 10 min.
6. Fresh water is charged in the sea chest to prevent biofouling at the transducer face.
7. The sound speed at the transducer, which does affect the vertical bin mapping and vertical velocity measurements, is calculated based on temperature, salinity (constant value; 35.0 PSU) and depth (6.5 m; transducer depth) using the equation in Medwin (1975).

Data were recorded every ping as raw ensemble (.ENR) data. Additionally, 15-s and 300-s averages were recorded as short-term average (.STA) and long-term average (.LTA) data, respectively. The blanking distance (command: WF) was set at 8 m. However, in shallow water (depth < 100 m) and in the Arctic Ocean, the blanking distance was changed to 2 m; thus, the center depth of the first layer was changed from approximately 23 to 17 m below the sea surface.

(5) Preliminary results

Figure 3.4 shows the time series plot of the current velocity during the stay in the repeat section (round-trip from Sta.039 to the MIZ).

(6) Observation Log

27 Sep. 2019 to 10 Nov. 2019

(7) Data archives

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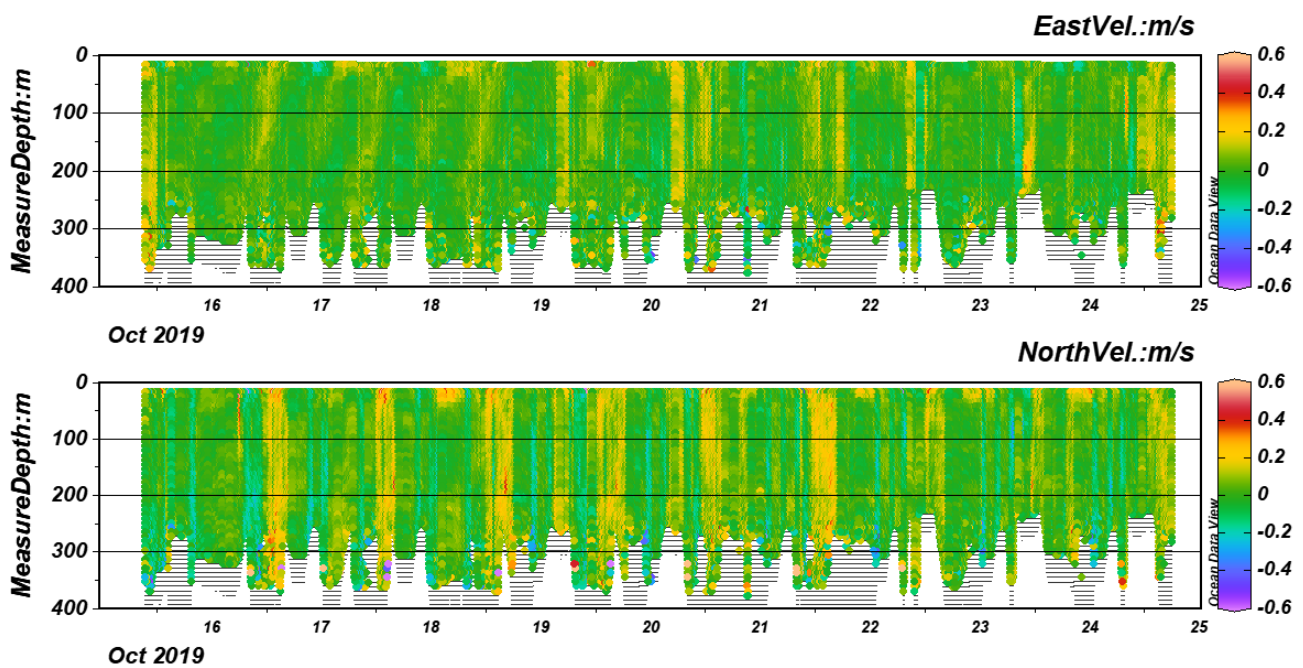


Figure 3.4: Time series plot of the current velocity

3. 5 RINKO Profiler

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-----------------|---|---------------|
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(2) Objectives

Knowledge of the thermohaline of the oceanic surface mixed layer is fundamental for forecasting the timing of freeze-up in the Arctic Ocean. To investigate its variation in the freeze-up season, vertical profiles of temperature and salinity were observed using a hand-operated CTD profiler. Daily observations were conducted just after the launch of the GPS radiosondes during 7–28 October 2019. In addition to these routine observations, some casts were performed at other hydrographic observation stations to complement the mapping of hydrography. The obtained data will be used to assess oceanic impacts on freeze-up and to validate forecasts.

(3) Parameters

Temperature, conductivity, depth, turbidity, chlorophyll and dissolved oxygen.

(4) Instruments and methods

A RINKO-Profiler (model: ASTD102, S/N: 0563) manufactured by the JFE Advantech Co. was used for all casts. The profiler incorporates multiple sensors for the measurement of physical and bio-optical parameters. The manufacture's nominal specifications regarding the type, range and accuracy of the parameters measured are listed below.

| Parameter | Type | Range | Accuracy |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| Temperature | Platinum wire thermistor | -3-45 deg-C | ±0.01 deg-C |
| Conductivity | Inductive cell | 0.5-70 mS/cm | ±0.01 mS/cm |
| Depth | Semiconductor strain gauge | 0-600 m | ±0.3 % |
| Turbidity | Backscatter | 0-1000 FTU | ±0.3 FTU |
| Chlorophyll | Fluorescence | 0-400 ppb | ±1 % |
| Dissolved Oxygen | Phosphorescence | 0-200% or 0-20 mg/l | ±2 % |

We deployed the profiler by hand from the starboard side of the working deck and collected data at 0.1-s intervals. After recovery of the profiler, the raw data recorded in binary format were converted to CSV format using the

RINKO-Profiler software (ver. 1. 09).

To test the performance of the temperature and conductivity measurements, comparisons with SBE9plus data were conducted. The RINKO-Profiler was deployed together with the SBE9plus sensor in test casts at 50-00 N, 166-07 E conducted on 3 October and 2 November 2019. During the upcasts, data for the comparison were collected at the following depths: 170, 250, 300, 400 and 500 m. The standard deviations of the differences between the two datasets were negligibly small at each depth for both temperature and salinity.

(5) Station list

Observations were performed at the stations listed in Table 3.5.

Table 3.5: Station list of RINKO-Profiler observation.

| St. No | Cast. No | Date (UTC) [yyyy/mm/dd] | Time (UTC) [hh:mm] | Lat. [deg-min] | Lon. [deg-min] | Observation depth [m] | Bottom depth [m] |
|--------|----------|-------------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 0 | 1 | 2019/10/3 | 7:03 | 50-00.001 N | 166-07.143 E | 497 | 5398 |
| 1 | 1 | 2019/10/7 | 23:51 | 64-40.137 N | 169-55.153 W | 32 | 47 |
| 2 | 1 | 2019/10/8 | 23:32 | 68-09.910 N | 168-45.382 W | 31 | 58 |
| 3 | 1 | 2019/10/9 | 23:32 | 71-06.540 N | 166-30.656 W | 30 | 45 |
| 4 | 1 | 2019/10/10 | 23:37 | 72-46.903 N | 158-22.495 W | 33 | 299 |
| 5 | 1 | 2019/10/11 | 23:32 | 72-00.620 N | 151-17.739 W | 35 | 2588 |
| 6 | 1 | 2019/10/12 | 23:35 | 72-58.535 N | 144-55.523 W | 36 | 3547 |
| 7 | 1 | 2019/10/13 | 23:29 | 74-20.085 N | 143-30.897 W | 37 | 3712 |
| 8 | 1 | 2019/10/14 | 23:33 | 74-59.965 N | 152-16.159 W | 39 | 3844 |
| 9 | 1 | 2019/10/15 | 23:31 | 76-57.802 N | 164-45.190 W | 36 | 396 |
| 10 | 1 | 2019/10/16 | 18:00 | 77-15.108 N | 164-59.484 W | 39 | 367 |
| 11 | 1 | 2019/10/16 | 23:33 | 78-03.941 N | 164-56.893 W | 37 | 490 |
| 12 | 1 | 2019/10/17 | 2:00 | 77-53.380 N | 164-59.984 W | 40 | 411 |
| 13 | 1 | 2019/10/17 | 23:23 | 78-00.287 N | 164-59.055 W | 35 | 461 |
| 14 | 1 | 2019/10/18 | 2:00 | 77-45.129 N | 165-00.094 W | 36 | 445 |
| 15 | 1 | 2019/10/18 | 23:34 | 78-03.878 N | 165-10.126 W | 36 | 478 |
| 16 | 1 | 2019/10/19 | 2:17 | 77-45.217 N | 164-59.798 W | 41 | 443 |
| 17 | 1 | 2019/10/19 | 23:33 | 78-03.066 N | 164-59.602 W | 40 | 457 |
| 18 | 1 | 2019/10/20 | 2:40 | 77-45.168 N | 165-00.328 W | 50 | 443 |
| 19 | 1 | 2019/10/20 | 20:11 | 77-44.981 N | 164-59.959 W | 55 | 442 |
| 20 | 1 | 2019/10/20 | 23:33 | 78-00.916 N | 164-58.441 W | 42 | 452 |
| 21 | 1 | 2019/10/21 | 19:59 | 77-44.872 N | 164-59.985 W | 40 | 446 |

| | | | | | | | |
|----|---|------------|-------|-------------|--------------|-----|------|
| 22 | 1 | 2019/10/21 | 23:33 | 78-01.559 N | 164-57.640 W | 38 | 475 |
| 23 | 1 | 2019/10/22 | 19:13 | 77-44.961 N | 165-00.199 W | 41 | 456 |
| 24 | 1 | 2019/10/22 | 23:33 | 77-46.149 N | 164-05.429 W | 38 | 276 |
| 25 | 1 | 2019/10/23 | 18:45 | 77-44.985 N | 165-00.319 W | 41 | 444 |
| 26 | 1 | 2019/10/23 | 23:24 | 77-47.021 N | 163-35.816 W | 41 | 284 |
| 27 | 1 | 2019/10/24 | 19:08 | 77-44.999 N | 165-00.324 W | 41 | 444 |
| 28 | 1 | 2019/10/24 | 23:33 | 77-47.621 N | 163-40.605 W | 44 | 282 |
| 29 | 1 | 2019/10/25 | 23:33 | 74-41.305 N | 168-45.668 W | 41 | 183 |
| 30 | 1 | 2019/10/26 | 20:12 | 72-00.073 N | 168-45.013 W | 44 | 50 |
| 30 | 2 | 2019/10/26 | 20:35 | 72-00.073 N | 168-45.013 W | 50 | 50 |
| 31 | 1 | 2019/10/26 | 23:29 | 71-30.190 N | 168-44.615 W | 48 | 48 |
| 32 | 1 | 2019/10/27 | 2:30 | 71-00.027 N | 168-44.826 W | 44 | 44 |
| 33 | 1 | 2019/10/27 | 19:46 | 68-30.125 N | 168-45.190 W | 51 | 53 |
| 34 | 1 | 2019/10/27 | 23:49 | 68-18.125 N | 167-23.016 W | 44 | 46 |
| 35 | 1 | 2019/10/28 | 20:28 | 66-00.033 N | 168-44.923 W | 53 | 54 |
| 36 | 1 | 2019/10/28 | 23:33 | 65-36.852 N | 168-28.797 W | 53 | 52 |
| 37 | 1 | 2019/11/02 | 21:57 | 50-00.020 N | 166-07.300 E | 497 | 5396 |

(6) Preliminary results

During the repeat observations of the north–south section along 168-00 W, temporal variations of the surface mixed layer were monitored at 77-45 N during 19–24 October 2019. This site was located in an open-water area near the MIZ. An evident surface mixed layer was captured throughout the observational period. The surface mixed layer depth defined by the buoyancy frequency maximum was almost unchanged (~30.5 m) with vertically homogeneous salinity (~29.0), as shown in Figure 3.5a. In this layer, temperature was highly variable in the vertical direction and it reached local maxima of up to 0.5 °C at the base of the layer (Figure 3.5b). The temperature was 0.5–2.0 °C higher than the local freezing temperature throughout the entire surface mixed layer, suggesting that oceanic conditions were responsible for slowing the freeze-up timing.

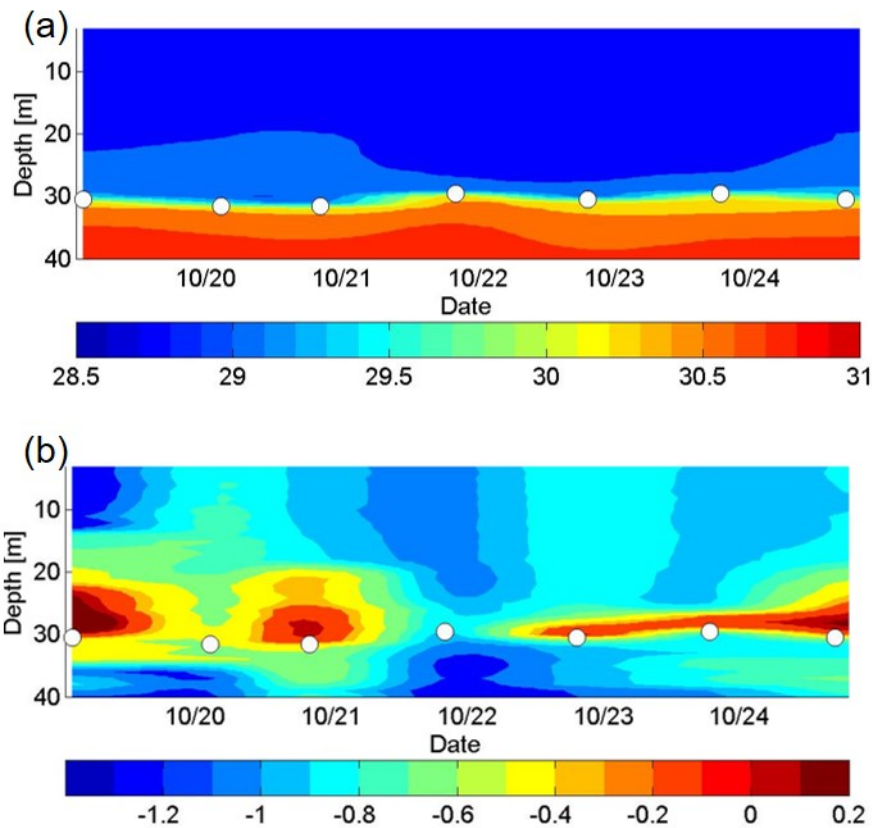


Figure 3.5: Time–depth cross section of (a) salinity and (b) in situ temperature at the site of 77-45 N, 168-00 W during 18–24 October 2019. The surface mixed layer depth defined by the buoyancy frequency maximum is denoted by white dots.

(7) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(8) Remarks

Station 0: Test cast was performed. Conductivity data collected at depths deeper than 400 m in down cast was bad, because of contaminations of inductive cell.

Station 30: Cast 2 was performed to obtain near bottom data that was not collected in cast 1.

Station 37: Test cast was performed.

3.6 Microstructure measurement

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Yusuke Kawaguchi | University of Tokyo | - not on board, PI |
| ShigetoNishino | JAMSTEC | -not on board |
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| Tsubasa Kodaira | University of Tokyo | |
| Yoshizawa Eri | KOPRI | |
| Ryo Oyama | NME | -Operation leader |
| Shinya Okumura | NME | |
| Kazuho Yoshida | NME | |
| Yutaro Murakami | NME | |
| Soichiro Sueyoshi | NME | |
| Takehito Hattori | NME | |

(2) Objectives

1. Investigate turbulent mixing at the surface front in the MIZ and under newly formed sea ice during MR19-03C.
2. Collect examples for verification of proper fine-scale parameterization in the Arctic Basin.

(3) Parameter

The manufacture's nominal specifications of the range, accuracy and sampling rates of the parameters measured are shown in Table 3.6-1.

Table 3.6-1:

| Parameter | Sensor type | Measurable range | Accuracy | Sampling rate |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|
| $\partial u/\partial z$ (primary) | Shear probe | 0~10 /s | 5% | 512Hz |
| T+ $\partial T/\partial z$ | FPO-7 thermistor | $\pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$ | $\pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$ | 512Hz |
| T | Platinum wire | $-5\sim 45^\circ\text{C}$ | $\pm 0.01^\circ\text{C}$ | 64 Hz |
| Conductivity | Inductive Cell | 0~70 mS | ± 0.01 mS | 64 Hz |
| Depth | Semiconductor strain | 0~1000 m | $\pm 0.2\%$ | 64Hz |
| x- acceleration | Solid-state fixed mass | ± 2 G | $\pm 1\%$ | 256 Hz |
| y- acceleration | Solid-state fixed mass | ± 2 G | $\pm 1\%$ | 256 Hz |
| z- acceleration | Solid-state fixed mass | ± 2 G | $\pm 1\%$ | 64Hz |
| Chlorophyll | Solid-state fixed mass | 0~100 $\mu\text{g/Lm}$ | 0.5 $\mu\text{g/L}$ or $\pm 1\%$ | 256 Hz |
| Turbidity | Backscatter | 0~100 ppm | 1ppm or $\pm 2\%$ | 256 Hz |
| $\partial u/\partial z$ (Secondary) | $\partial u/\partial z$ Shear | 0~10 s^{-1} | 5% | 512 Hz |

(4) Instruments and method

A Turbulence Ocean Microstructure Acquisition Profiler (TurboMAP-L, manufactured by JFE Alec Co Ltd.) was used to measure turbulence-scale temperature and shear. TurboMAP is a quasi-free-falling instrument that obtains turbulent mixing parameters ($\partial u/\partial z$ and $\partial T/\partial z$), bio-optical parameters (in vivo fluorescence and backscatter) and hydrographic parameters (conductivity, temperature and pressure). TurboMAP is a loosely tethered free-fall profiler that carries two airfoil shear probes, a fast-response thermistor (FP07), a light-emitting diode fluorescence/turbidity probe and a CTD package (Wolk et al. 2002). TurboMAP collects vertical profiles of microscale velocity shear, high- and low-resolution temperature, conductivity and pressure as the underwater device descends from the surface to its maximum depth. The free-falling speed of the instrument is approximately $0.5\text{--}0.6\text{ m s}^{-1}$. Operation of the ship's side thrusters is halted during TurboMAP deployment to avoid creating any artificial noise corruption or disturbance in the microscale data. Use of microscale data obtained at depths of $<5\text{ m}$ is not recommended in analysis because they might include noise attributable to the instrument's initial adjustment to free-fall. The TurboMAP observation log is shown in Table 3.6-2.

Table 3.6-2: Station lists

| Stn. | Date [Y/M/D] | Lat. [deg-min] | Lon. [deg-min] | Time (UTC) | | Dep. [m] | Obs. Dep. [m] | Sensor S/N | | |
|------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|-------|-------------|---------------------|------------|------|------|
| | | | | Start | End | | | FP07 | Sh1 | Sh2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| 02 | 2019/10/03 | 49-59.7338N | 166-07.0970E | 8:59 | 9:17 | 5401 | 596 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 03 | 2019/10/08 | 65-39.8021N | 168-27.6861W | 7:23 | 7:28 | 52 | 48 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 04 | 2019/10/08 | 65-39.9191N | 168-27.6569W | 7:29 | 7:30 | 52 | 45 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 05 | 2019/10/08 | 65-40.0093N | 168-27.6242W | 7:31 | 7:33 | 52 | 42 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 06 | 2019/10/08 | 66-30.6988N | 168-45.261W | 13:19 | 13:21 | 54 | 44 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 07 | 2019/10/08 | 66-30.7587N | 168-45.2213W | 13:22 | 13:23 | 54 | 45 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 08 | 2019/10/08 | 66-30.8066N | 168-45.1858W | 13:24 | 13:25 | 54 | 43 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 09 | 2019/10/08 | 67-00.4760N | 168-43.2958W | 16:40 | 16:43 | 45 | 41 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 10 | 2019/10/08 | 67-00.5035N | 168-43.1616W | 16:44 | 16:45 | 45 | 42 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 11 | 2019/10/08 | 67-00.5306N | 168-43.0656W | 16:46 | 16:47 | 45 | 39 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 12 | 2019/10/08 | 68-09.9216N | 168-45.3434W | 23:41 | 23:43 | 58 | 50 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 13 | 2019/10/08 | 68-09.9351N | 168-45.3301W | 23:44 | 23:47 | 58 | 52 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 14 | 2019/10/08 | 68-09.9532N | 168-45.3045W | 23:47 | 23:49 | 58 | 50 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |

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| 15 | 2019/10/09 | 69-00.4770N | 168-45.3655W | 5:45 | 5:47 | 52 | 49 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 16 | 2019/10/09 | 69-00.5034N | 168-45.4092W | 5:49 | 5:49 | 52 | 48 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 17 | 2019/10/09 | 69-00.5374N | 168-45.4578W | 5:52 | 5:52 | 52 | 45 | 144 | 1232 | 1234 |
| 18 | 2019/10/09 | 69-30.3513N | 168-45.9433W | 9:59 | 10:02 | 51 | 44 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 19 | 2019/10/09 | 69-30.3581N | 168-45.0331W | 10:03 | 10:05 | 51 | 44 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 20 | 2019/10/09 | 69-30.3597N | 168-45.1039W | 10:05 | 10:07 | 51 | 43 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 21 | 2019/10/09 | 70-29.8375N | 168-45.7190W | 17:38 | 17:39 | 38 | 28 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 22 | 2019/10/09 | 70-29.8366N | 168-45.7784W | 17:40 | 17:41 | 38 | 32 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 23 | 2019/10/09 | 70-29.8357N | 168-45.8826W | 17:42 | 17:43 | 38 | 33 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 24 | 2019/10/10 | 71-09.2483N | 166-25.1891W | 0:44 | 0:46 | 44 | 30 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 25 | 2019/10/10 | 71-09.2483N | 166-25.1891W | 0:47 | 0:49 | 44 | 32 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 26 | 2019/10/10 | 71-09.2483N | 166-25.1891W | 0:49 | 0:51 | 44 | 37 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 27 | 2019/10/10 | 71-59.3997N | 163-30.7643W | 8:33 | 8:35 | 38 | 33 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 28 | 2019/10/10 | 71-59.3748N | 163-30.8411W | 8:37 | 8:37 | 38 | 35 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 29 | 2019/10/10 | 71-59.3461N | 163-30.9131W | 8:38 | 8:38 | 38 | 33 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 30 | 2019/10/10 | 71-29.7207N | 161-44.9374W | 14:37 | 14:38 | 44 | 42 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 31 | 2019/10/10 | 71-29.7002N | 161-44.9267W | 14:40 | 14:41 | 44 | 39 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 32 | 2019/10/10 | 71-29.6716N | 161-44.8961W | 14:43 | 14:43 | 44 | 36 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 33 | 2019/10/10 | 72-59.9234N | 160-01.0259W | 20:06 | 20:11 | 189 | 172 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 34 | 2019/10/10 | 72-59.9244N | 160-01.1010W | 20:14 | 20:19 | 189 | 150 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 35 | 2019/10/10 | 72-46.9092N | 158-22.9159W | 23:45 | 23:54 | 300 | 265 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 36 | 2019/10/10 | 72-46.9417N | 158-23.7892W | 23:58 | 0:07 | 305 | 278 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 37 | 2019/10/11 | 72-30.1502N | 156-18.7587W | 7:35 | 7:51 | 1619 | 579 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 38 | 2019/10/11 | 72-19.9306N | 155-00.7130W | 13:20 | 13:38 | 1955 | 680 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 39 | 2019/10/11 | 72-08.8840N | 153-48.3499W | 18:40 | - | 1705 | 565 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 40 | 2019/10/11 | 72-00.6442N | 151-18.0845 | 23:42 | 23:59 | 2669 | 580 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 41 | 2019/10/12 | 71-59.9922N | 147-29.9673W | 9:41 | 9:43 | 3514 | 600 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 42 | 2019/10/12 | 71-59.7477N | 144-59.9952W | 17:32 | 17:58 | 3321 | 600 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 43 | 2019/10/12 | 72-58.5125N | 144-55.5249W | 23:46 | 0:00 | 3555 | 570 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 44 | 2019/10/13 | 72-58.3191N | 144-55.8316W | 0:11 | 0:26 | 3554 | 566 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 45 | 2019/10/13 | 74-25.6864N | 142-58.3406W | 21:13 | 21:18 | 3702 | 115 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 46 | 2019/10/13 | 74-25.5952N | 142-58.5283W | 21:20 | 21:24 | 3707 | 117 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 47 | 2019/10/13 | 74-23.1989N | 143-16.1473W | 22:26 | 22:30 | 3709 | 117 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 48 | 2019/10/13 | 74-23.1594N | 143-16.1506W | 22:33 | 22:36 | 3710 | 117 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |

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| 49 | 2019/10/13 | 74-20.3644N | 143-30.8557W | 23:39 | 23:44 | 3712 | 120 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 50 | 2019/10/13 | 74-20.3193N | 143-30.8302W | 23:47:0 0 | 23:51 | 3710 | 127 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 51 | 2019/10/14 | 74-17.7599N | 143-45.1738W | 0:35 | 0:40 | 3709 | - | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 52 | 2019/10/14 | 74-17.6544N | 143-44.8224W | 0:44 | 0:52 | 3711 | 132 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 53 | 2019/10/14 | 74-12.2673N | 144-13.7462W | 2:01 | 2:06 | 3710 | 112 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 54 | 2019/10/14 | 74-12.2052N | 144-13.7180W | 2:08 | 2:11 | 3711 | 122 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 55 | 2019/10/14 | 74-09.4681N | 144-28.5057W | 3:03 | 3:07 | 3712 | 108 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 56 | 2019/10/14 | 74-09.3755N | 144-28.4901W | 3:10 | 3:14 | 3712 | 115 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 57 | 2019/10/14 | 74-03.9934N | 144-57.8202W | 4:27 | 4:31 | 3719 | 116 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 58 | 2019/10/14 | 74-46.4150N | 150-31.1201W | 20:23 | 20:40 | 3835 | 563 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 59 | 2019/10/14 | 74-59.7055N | 152-16.4074W | 23:46 | 0:04 | 3848 | 587 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 60 | 2019/10/15 | 74-59.6590N | 152-16.1599W | 0:14 | 0:30 | 3846 | 572 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 61 | 2019/10/16 | 76-57.7674N | 164-45.3915W | 23:51 | 23:55 | 396 | 392 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 62 | 2019/10/16 | 76-57.7642N | 166-44.9311W | 0:00 | 0:08 | 396 | 392 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 63 | 2019/10/16 | 77-15.0015N | 164-59.8112W | 7:54 | 8:02 | 370 | 230 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 64 | 2019/10/16 | 77-15.0454N | 164-59.5942W | 8:06 | 8:13 | 370 | 233 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 65 | 2019/10/16 | 77-03.9297N | 164-56.3229W | 23:42 | 23:49 | 471 | 219 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 66 | 2019/10/16 | 77-03.9478N | 164-55.5717W | 23:54 | 23:59 | 471 | 320 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 67 | 2019/10/17 | 77-14.9617N | 164-59.9329W | 5:47 | 5:55 | 367 | 235 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 68 | 2019/10/17 | 77-14.9679N | 164-59.7267W | 6:00 | 6:07 | 371 | 239 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 69 | 2019/10/17 | 77-30.0435N | 165-00.1776W | 9:36 | 9:43 | 308 | 232 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 70 | 2019/10/17 | 77-30.0675N | 165-00.0837W | 9:47 | 9:54 | 310 | 240 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |
| 71 | 2019/10/17 | 78-00.2441N | 165-00.7489W | 21:59 | 21:07 | 454 | 244 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 72 | 2019/10/17 | 78-00.2612N | 165-00.1502W | 22:12 | 22:19 | 454 | 229 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 73 | 2019/10/18 | 77-15.0006N | 164-59.9585W | 4:56 | 5:04 | 370 | 227 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 74 | 2019/10/18 | 77-15.0571N | 164-59.8944W | 5:07 | 5:14 | 366 | 230 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 75 | 2019/10/18 | 77-30.0269N | 165-00.2550W | 9:03 | 9:11 | 308 | 245 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 76 | 2019/10/18 | 77-30.0603N | 165-00.2145W | 9:16 | 9:23 | 309 | 234 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 77 | 2019/10/18 | 77-45.0392N | 164-59.8296W | 14:31 | 14:38 | 348 | 215 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 78 | 2019/10/18 | 77-45.1693N | 164-59.9306W | 14:42 | 14:49 | 348 | 238 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 79 | 2019/10/18 | 77-45.5226N | 164-59.4505W | 17:59 | 18:07 | 439 | 222 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 80 | 2019/10/18 | 77-45.6783N | 164-59.0496W | 18:11 | 18:17 | 439 | 219 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 81 | 2019/10/19 | 78-04.0251N | 165-10.3834W | 23:48 | 23:55 | 473 | 222 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |

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| 83 | 2019/10/19 | 77-00.0231N | 164-59.8730W | 6:47 | 6:54 | 669 | 230 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 84 | 2019/10/19 | 77-00.0550N | 164-59.7756W | 6:59 | 7:05 | 671 | 236 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 85 | 2019/10/19 | 77-15.1084N | 165-00.1615W | 10:35 | 10:42 | 362 | 236 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 86 | 2019/10/19 | 77-15.1605N | 165-00.0141W | 10:46 | 10:53 | 364 | 226 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 87 | 2019/10/19 | 77-30.0184N | 164-59.9647W | 15:01 | 15:07 | 309 | 188 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 88 | 2019/10/19 | 77-30.0613N | 164-59.7102W | 15:16 | 15:18 | 309 | 198 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 89 | 2019/10/19 | 77-30.1162N | 164-59.5181W | 15:21 | 15:26 | 309 | 177 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 90 | 2019/10/19 | 78-03.1133N | 164-59.1429W | 23:45 | 23:50 | 460 | 173 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 91 | 2019/10/19 | 78-03.1731N | 164-58.6471W | 23:54 | 23:59 | 460 | 168 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 92 | 2019/10/20 | 78-03.2298N | 164-58.2186W | 0:02 | 0:06 | 460 | 163 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 95 | 2019/10/20 | 77-00.1151N | 164-59.6577W | 7:43 | 7:48 | 662 | 167 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 97 | 2019/10/20 | 77-15.0742N | 164-59.7690W | 11:44 | 11:49 | 365 | 167 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 102 | 2019/10/20 | 78-00.3450N | 165-00.4578W | 21:57 | 22:03 | 455 | 172 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 104 | 2019/10/20 | 78-00.4893N | 164-59.6686W | 22:14 | 22:18 | 455 | 167 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 105 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.0072N | 165-59.9773W | 4:17 | 4:23 | 852 | 178 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 106 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.0470N | 165-59.9454W | 4:27 | 4:32 | 852 | 180 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 108 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.1001N | 165-59.8671W | 4:36 | 4:41 | 852 | 168 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 109 | 2019/10/21 | 77-00.0690N | 164-59.9934W | 10:02 | 10:08 | 708 | 168 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 110 | 2019/10/21 | 77-00.1433N | 164-59.8591W | 10:12 | 10:17 | 708 | 178 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 111 | 2019/10/21 | 77-00.1973N | 164-59.7176W | 10:20 | 10:25 | 708 | 176 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 112 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.0228N | 164-59.9817W | 15:02 | 15:08 | 372 | 180 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 113 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.0846N | 164-59.8435W | 15:11 | 15:16 | 372 | 178 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 114 | 2019/10/21 | 77-15.1262N | 164-59.7434W | 15:19 | 15:24 | 372 | 173 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 115 | 2019/10/21 | 77-30.0902N | 165-00.0872W | 16:58 | 17:04 | 306 | 172 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |

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| 120 | 2019/10/21 | 78-00.8762N | 164-59.3135W | 22:16 | 22:21 | 463 | 164 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 121 | 2019/10/22 | 77-00.1451N | 166-00.1091W | 5:35 | 5:41 | 603 | 169 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 122 | 2019/10/22 | 77-00.2049N | 166-00.0938W | 5:44 | 4:49 | 603 | 186 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 124 | 2019/10/22 | 76-59.9157N | 165-00.0425W | 9:40 | 9:45 | 737 | 164 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 125 | 2019/10/22 | 76-59.9833N | 164-59.8779W | 9:49 | 9:54 | 737 | 184 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 126 | 2019/10/22 | 77-00.0394N | 164-59.7181W | 9:57 | 10:02 | 737 | 164 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 127 | 2019/10/22 | 77-15.0187N | 164-59.9712W | 14:54 | 15:00 | 371 | 174 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 130 | 2019/10/22 | 77-30.0320N | 164-59.6690W | 16:47 | 16:52 | 309 | 178 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 139 | 2019/10/23 | 76-59.9250N | 164-59.7254W | 8:49 | 8:55 | 670 | 167 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 144 | 2019/10/23 | 77-15.1011N | 164-59.9652W | 13:00 | 13:04 | 365 | 168 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 147 | 2019/10/23 | 77-30.1203N | 164-59.6431W | 16:04 | 16:09 | 309 | 171 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 152 | 2019/10/24 | 77-15.0632N | 164-00.0346W | 3:01 | 3:06 | 365 | 182 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 153 | 2019/10/24 | 77-15.0751N | 163-59.7522W | 3:10 | 3:15 | 365 | 173 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 154 | 2019/10/24 | 77-00.0379N | 165-00.3718W | 9:24 | 9:29 | 682 | 180 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 155 | 2019/10/24 | 77-00.0882N | 165-00.3285W | 9:33 | 9:38 | 682 | 167 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 156 | 2019/10/24 | 77-00.1615N | 165-00.1762W | 9:42 | 9:47 | 682 | 171 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 157 | 2019/10/24 | 77-15.0317N | 164-59.9736W | 14:28 | 14:33 | 370 | 164 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 158 | 2019/10/24 | 77-15.1114N | 165-00.0154W | 14:36 | 14:41 | 370 | 160 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 159 | 2019/10/24 | 77-15.2027N | 165-00.2230W | 14:44 | 14:48 | 370 | 160 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 160 | 2019/10/24 | 77-30.0955N | 164-59.9872W | 16:19 | 16:25 | 307 | 162 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 161 | 2019/10/24 | 77-30.2165N | 164-59.9896W | 16:28 | 16:33 | 307 | 153 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 162 | 2019/10/24 | 77-30.3441N | 165-00.1151W | 16:35 | 16:40 | 307 | 160 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 163 | 2019/10/25 | 77-48.1967N | 163-46.2576W | 0:03 | 0:08 | 237 | 163 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 165 | 2019/10/25 | 77-48.4510N | 163-47.2585W | 0:21 | 0:26 | 237 | 165 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 166 | 2019/10/25 | 76-59.9434N | 168-44.6127W | 8:10 | 8:14 | 1885 | 102 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 167 | 2019/10/25 | 76-59.9892N | 168-45.0471W | 8:17 | 8:29 | 1885 | 439 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
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| 169 | 2019/10/25 | 74-41.5528N | 168-46.1547W | 23:53 | 23:58 | 184 | 164 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 170 | 2019/10/25 | 74-41.6773N | 168-46.4730W | 0:01 | 0:05 | 184 | 170 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 171 | 2019/10/26 | 74-00.1065N | 168-44.2929W | 4:21 | 4:26 | 186 | 166 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 172 | 2019/10/26 | 74-00.0775N | 168-44.3735W | 4:29 | 4:34 | 186 | 166 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 173 | 2019/10/26 | 74-00.0730N | 168-44.3841W | 4:37 | 4:41 | 186 | 166 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 174 | 2019/10/26 | 73-00.0892N | 168-45.2488W | 12:45 | 12:46 | 61 | 46 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 175 | 2019/10/26 | 73-00.0795N | 168-45.2376W | 12:48 | 12:49 | 61 | 41 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 176 | 2019/10/26 | 73-00.0705N | 168-45.2071W | 12:51 | 12:50 | 61 | 46 | 144 | 1233 | 505 |
| 177 | 2019/11/02 | 50-00.2626N | 166-07.3557E | 23:08 | 23:24 | 5398 | 536 | 144 | 1233 | 1234 |

(5) Remarks

TurboMAP is designed for stand-alone operation without additional CTD observations. However, it is recommended that the quality of the incoming CTD data be checked by comparison with SBE9plus (Sea-Bird Electronics) data. We conducted several joint TurboMAP and CTD observations at depths down to 500 m in the Canada Basin. However, as it is not possible to attach TurboMAP to the CTD frame, the TurboMAP cast was performed immediately after or before the CTD cast. The validity of the sensor readings was judged based on the temperature, salinity and pressure below the pycnocline where there is no significant variation within short periods (Figure 3.6-1).

As the observations were conducted under cold air temperatures (<0 °C), the slow temperature sensor showed a delayed response to the real upper-ocean temperature. Therefore, it is recommended that data acquired from the second or third cast be used for the CTD, shear and FP07 data. In areas where the bottom depth was 200–300 m, regular noise with 4-2 frequency was detected by both shear sensors. This noise was associated with the multibeam sonar that measures bottom depth using an acoustic signal. The multibeam sonar was turned off after cast No. 79.

TurboMAP has two shear probes for checking the validity of the shear data. Although TurboMAP can be used with just one shear probe, use of the pair of shear sensors is recommended. Figure 3.6-2 shows the turbulence dissipation rate obtained by each shear sensor. During MR19-03C, we changed the shear probe twice (St.18: shear1 to S/N 1233; St.71: shear2 to S/N 505). After leaving the Arctic Ocean, we performed another test cast to check the CTD and shear probe (S/N 1234) status. Shear probe S/N 1234 was found affected by repeated noise that was again revealed attributable to the acoustic signal of the multibeam sonar (Figure 3.6-3).

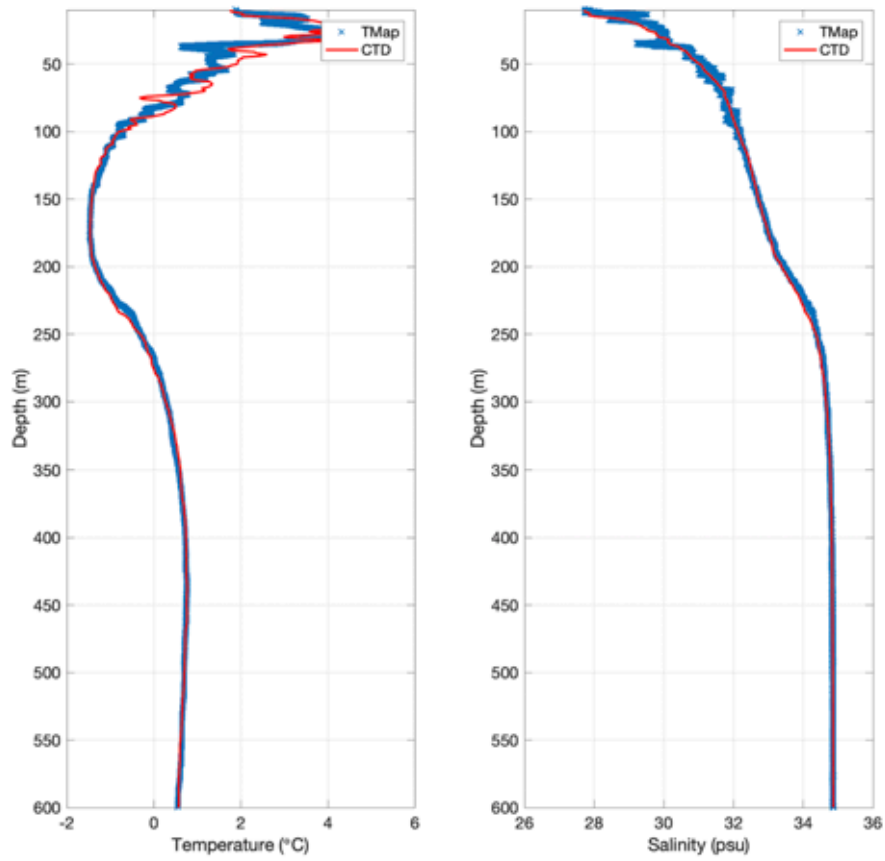


Figure 3.6-1: Comparison of temperature and salinity acquired by SBE9plus and TurboMAP.

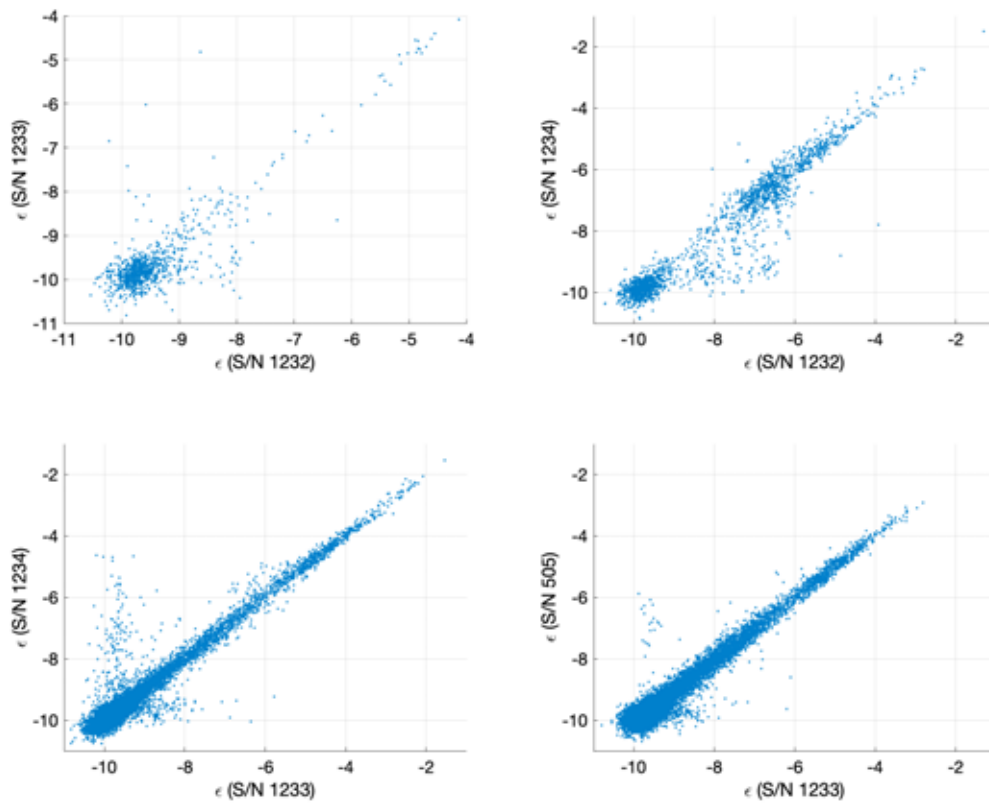


Figure 3.6-2: Correlation between the two shear sensors used during MR19-03C.

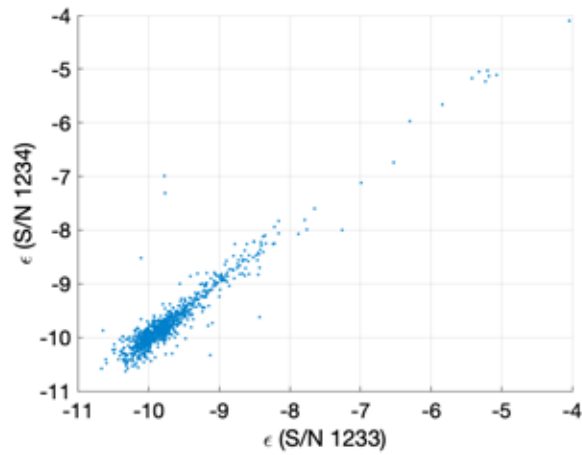


Figure 3.6-3: Correlation between shear probes of S/N 1234 and 1233 from the test cast

(6) Data archive

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

3.7 Subsurface ocean current and heat observation with drifting buoy

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(2) Objectives

To examine the upper-ocean bulk heat variation in the western Arctic Ocean during the season of sea-ice formation, and to explore the upper-ocean currents at the surface front between dense warm water and fresh cold water in the MIZ.

(3) Parameter

Surface Velocity Profiler (SVP)

GPS positions of drifting buoy

IceBTC60/40

GPS positions and air pressure of drifting buoy

Water temperature and hydrostatic pressure at certain depth

(4) Instruments and methodology

We deployed two types of drifting buoy for the investigation of the upper-ocean currents and heat variability in the MIZ. We deployed two SVP buoys with a drogue at depths of 40 and 15 m in the area of the surface front where surface temperature changes rapidly (MIZ5). The IceBTC60/40 buoy, which is designed for use in the areas covered by sea ice, has a 60-m-long thermistor chain with pressure sensors. It measures upper-ocean temperature with accuracy of ± 0.1 °C (resolution: 0.04 °C) and air pressure with accuracy of ± 1 hPa (resolution: 0.1 hPa). The IceBTC40/60 buoy has thermistors at depths of 0, 2.5, 5, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 15, 17.5, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55 and 60 m and hydrostatic pressure sensors at depths of 20, 40, and 60 m. We deployed the IceBTC40/60 buoy in the MIZ, which was covered with grease ice (MIZ2), to explore the upper-ocean bulk heat flux during the season of sea-ice formation.

Table 3.7: Deployment information

| Type | S/N | Deploy time (UTC) | Deploy location [deg-min] | Data interval | Drogue depth | denotes |
|-------------|--------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------------------|
| SVP | 35924 | 02:20 Oct 14, 2019 | 74-12.2052N, 144-13.718W | hourly | 40 m | Deployed in surface front |
| SVP | 145580 | 02:26 Oct 14, 2019 | 74-12.2052N, 144-13.718W | hourly | 15 m | Deployed in surface front |
| IceBTC40/60 | 11800 | 23:43 Oct 13, 2019 | 74-23.15N, 143-16.151W | hourly | - | Deployed in the grease ice zone |

(5) Data archive

The raw data obtained in this cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group (DMG) of JAMSTEC.

3.8 Surface wave measurement

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(2) Objective

Recent research has identified surface ocean waves as one of the key physical processes in the freeze-up/break-up of sea ice. We aimed to study the generation, propagation and attenuation of surface ocean waves under sea ice based on in situ observations over the western Arctic Ocean. Drifting-type wave buoys and an onboard stereo camera system were used to measure surface wave characteristics.

(3) Parameters

Drifting wave buoys: significant wave height (H_{m0}), peak period (T_p), peak direction, peak directional spread, mean period (T_{m01}), mean direction, mean directional spread, power spectral density (PSD), time and GPS coordinates.

Stereo camera system: monochrome images (4064×4064 pixels), acceleration (3-axis), gyro (3-axis) and geomagnetism (3-axis).

(4) Instruments and methods

Drifting wave buoys. The type of drifting wave buoy used was a Spotter device manufactured by Sofar Ocean Technologies (Figure 3.8-1). The device is fully solar powered and has a two-way communication function via Iridium satellite communication. One of the three wave buoys was deployed at the north of Pt. Barrow to measure the waves for a reasonably long time. The two other wave buoys were deployed near the sea-ice zone: one in an area covered with pancake ice and the other in an open-ocean area, separated by a distance of approximately 40 km.

Stereo camera system. The two cameras, mounted in separate housing on the portside of the R/V Mirai, were synchronized to allow stereo reconstruction of the captured images of surface ocean waves. Both cameras were connected via USB cables to a laptop computer placed in a watertight black plastic box (Figure 3.8-1). A 5-bay HDD storage device and wireless router were also installed in the box. A 9-axis inertial moment unit (ZMP-IMUZ) was also placed in the box to measure the motion of the cameras.

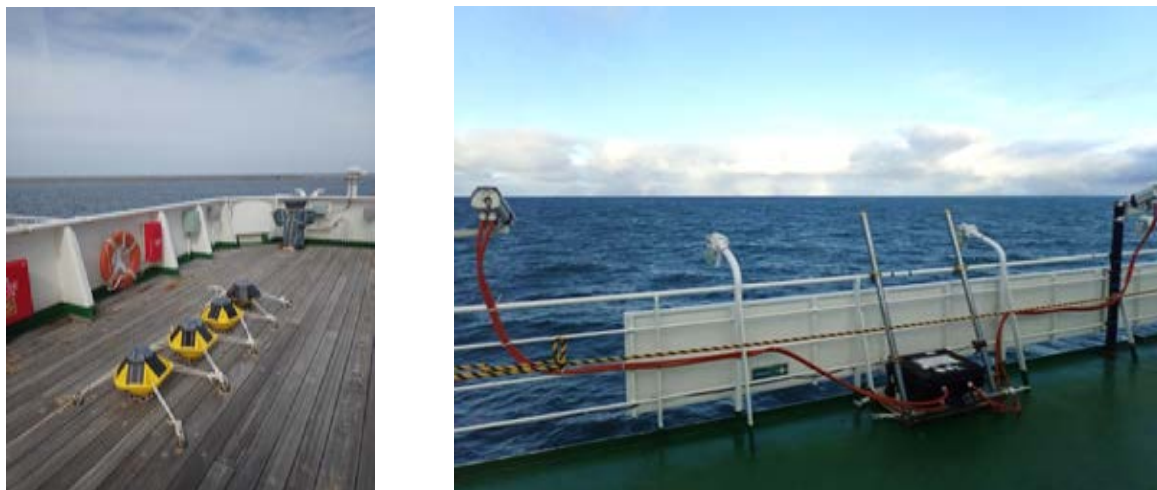


Figure 3.8-1: Drifting wave buoys (left) and the onboard stereo camera system on board (right).

(5) Observation log

Drifting wave buoys. One of the wave buoys (SPOT-0339) was deployed in open water at 10:35 UTC on 11 October 2019 at 72.3407°N, 155.0548°W (Figure 3.8-2). The wave buoy stopped sending data at 20:50 UTC on 21 October 2019 because the battery was not charged sufficiently because of the limited solar radiation at high latitudes in October.

The two other wave buoys (SPOT-0257 and SPOT-0258) were deployed near the sea-ice edge to compare the characteristics of waves under the sea ice and in the open ocean. The deployment of SPOT-0257, in water covered with pancake ice, was at 21:40 UTC on 13 October 2019 at 74.4235°N, 143.0032°W. Subsequently, SPOT-0258 was deployed in an open-ocean area at the thermal front at 02:20 UTC on 14 October 2019 at 74.2012°N, 144.2273°W (Figure 3.8-2). The transmissions from SPOT-0257 and SPOT-0258 stopped at 05:01 UTC on 21 October 2019 and 17:01 UTC on 19 October 2019, respectively.

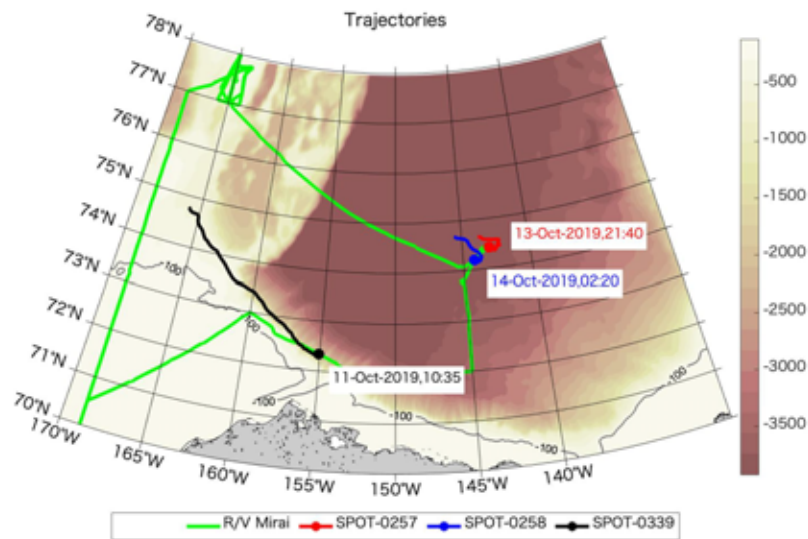


Figure 3.8-2: Trajectories of the R/V Mirai and the drifting wave buoys. Circles indicate deployment locations of the buoys. Text near each circle indicates the date and time (UTC) of buoy deployment. Colored shading represents bathymetry.

Stereo camera system. The stereo camera system was used hourly and sometimes half-hourly when the track of the R/V Mirai cruise approached the area covered with sea ice.

(6) Preliminary Results

Drifting wave buoys. Figure 3.8-3 shows the wave statistics recorded by the drifting wave buoys. SPOT-0339 measured a maximum significant wave height of 3.38 m with peak period of 9.31 s at 06:50 UTC on 12 October 2019. The wave height changed with time as the wind speed changed. Concurrent measurements of surface waves under the sea ice by SPOT-0257 and those in the open ocean by SPOT-0258 revealed the transformation of surface waves by the sea ice. Initially, the waves under the sea ice were of height similar to those in the open ocean, but they gradually became smaller. The results indicate that the waves were attenuated or scattered as they propagated over the sea-ice region. In addition, the mean period of the waves under the sea ice was consistently smaller than in the open ocean, while the peak period was similar in both areas. The results imply that shorter waves are attenuated more easily than longer waves.

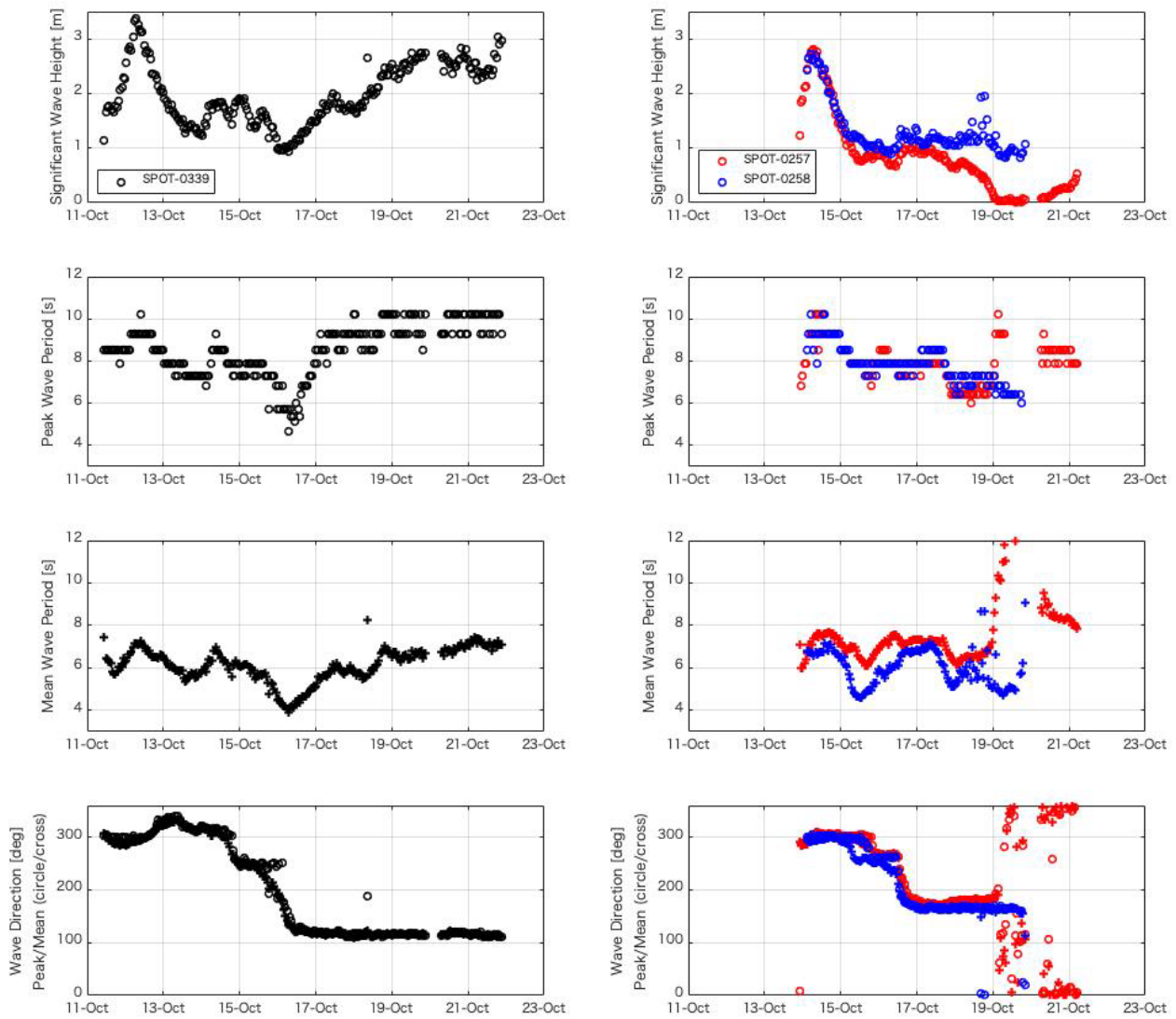


Figure 3.8-3: Significant wave height (top), peak and mean wave periods (middle) and wave direction (bottom).

Left column shows SPOT-339 data and the right column shows SPOT-0257 and SPOT-0258 data.

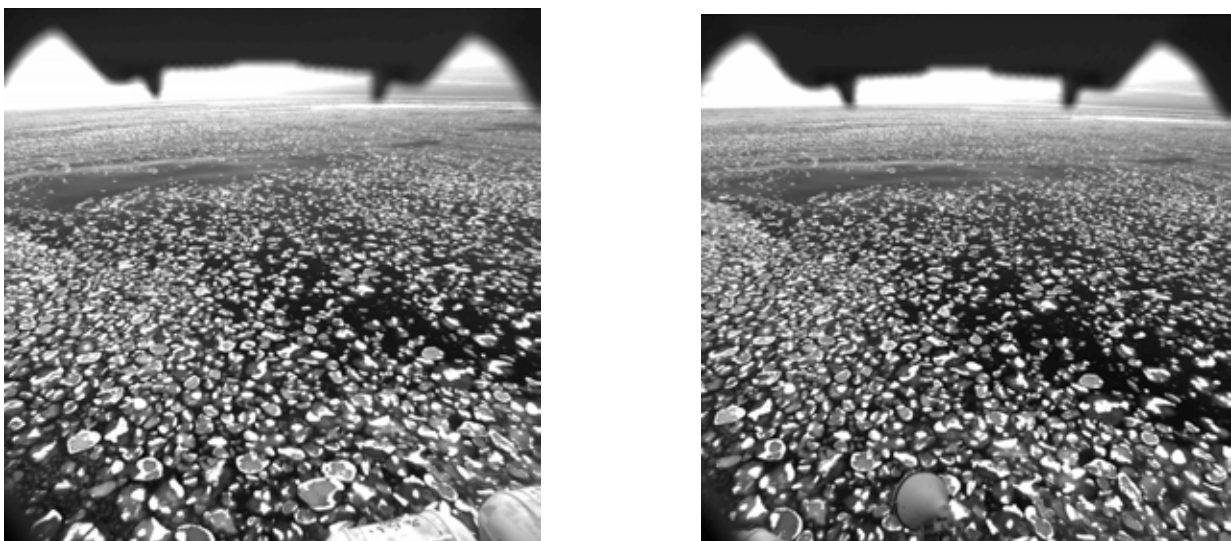


Figure 3.8-4: Sample images obtained by the stereo camera system.

(7) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

3.9 LADCP

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(2) Objectives and methodology

The Workhorse Monitor WHM300 (Teledyne RD Instrument, San Diego, California, USA) lowered ADCP (LADCP) was deployed at every CTD point on the MR19-03C cruise to obtain concurrent shear data. The LADCP system consists of two ADCP (upward and downward looking) transducers and a 45V battery package. The LADCP system was set for recording before the CTD cast and its data were recovered immediately after completion of the CTD cast. Velocity conversion from the two transducers was performed using LDEO LADCP software (version 10; Visbeck 2002). For the data conversion, navigational data and CTD data were applied to improve the data quality.

The LADCP data were separated into independent folders that were given the same name as the CTD station. Details of the configuration are listed below.

Bin size: 8.0 m

Number of bins: 25

Pings per ensemble: 1

Ping interval: 1.0 sec

(3) Data archive

The raw data obtained in this cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group (DMG) of JAMSTEC.

Reference

Visbeck, M. (2002): Deep velocity profiling using Acoustic Doppler Current Profilers: Bottom track and inverse solutions, *J. Atmos. Oceanic Technol.*, 19, 794–807.

4. Chemical and Biological Oceanography

4.1 Dissolved Oxygen

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(2) Objective

Determination of dissolved oxygen in seawater using Winkler titration.

(3) Parameters

Dissolved Oxygen

(4) Instruments and methods

The following procedure is based on the Winkler method.

a. Instruments

Burette for sodium thiosulfate and potassium iodate;

Automatic piston burette (APB-510 / APB-610 / APB-620) manufactured by Kyoto Electronics Manufacturing Co., Ltd. / 10 cm³ of titration vessel

Detector;

Automatic photometric titrator (DOT-15X) manufactured by Kimoto Electric Co., Ltd.

Software;

DOT_Terminal Ver. 1.3.1

b. Reagents

Pickling Reagent I: Manganese(II) chloride solution (3 mol dm⁻³)

Pickling Reagent II:

Sodium hydroxide (8 mol dm⁻³) / Sodium iodide solution (4 mol dm⁻³)

Sulfuric acid solution (5 mol dm⁻³)

Sodium thiosulfate (0.025 mol dm⁻³)

Potassium iodate (0.001667 mol dm⁻³)

c. Sampling

Seawater samples were collected with a Niskin bottle attached to the CTD/CWS system (CTD system). Seawater for oxygen measurement was transferred from the bottle to a volume-calibrated flask (ca. 100 cm³) and the flask was allowed to overflow by three times its volume while filling. Temperature was measured simultaneously using a digital thermometer during the overflowing. After transferring the sample, two reagent solutions (Reagent I and II; vol.: 1 cm³ of each) were added immediately and the stopper was inserted carefully into the flask. The sample flask was then shaken vigorously to mix the contents and to disperse the precipitate

throughout. After the precipitate had settled at least halfway down the flask, the flask was again shaken vigorously to disperse the precipitate. The sample flasks containing pickled samples were then stored in a laboratory until required for titration.

d. Sample measurement

The pickled samples were measured onboard the R/V Mirai following a period of at least 2 h after the re-shaking. Sulfuric acid solution (vol.: 1 cm³) and a magnetic stirrer bar were placed into the sample flask and the sample was stirred. The samples were titrated using sodium thiosulfate solution whose morality was determined by potassium iodate solution. The temperature of the sodium thiosulfate during titration was recorded using a digital thermometer. Dissolved oxygen concentration ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) was calculated based on the sample temperature during seawater sampling, salinity of the sensor on the CTD system, flask volume and titrated volume of sodium thiosulfate solution without the blank. During this cruise, two sets of titration apparatus were used.

e. Standardization and determination of the blank

The concentration of the sodium thiosulfate titrant was determined using potassium iodate solution. Pure potassium iodate was dried in an oven at 130 °C, and a 1.7835 g sample was dissolved in deionized water in a flask and diluted to a final weight of 5 kg. After 10 cm³ of the standard potassium iodate solution was added to another flask using a volume-calibrated dispenser, 90 cm³ of deionized water, 1 cm³ of sulfuric acid solution and 1 cm³ of pickling reagent solution II and I were added in order. The amount of titrated volume of sodium thiosulfate for this diluted standard potassium iodate solution (usually the average of five measurements) gave the morality of the sodium thiosulfate titrant.

The oxygen in pickling reagents I (1 cm³) and II (1 cm³) was assumed to be 7.6×10^{-8} mol (Murray et al., 1968). The blank due to other than oxygen was determined as follows. First, 1 and 2 cm³ of the standard potassium iodate solution were added to each flask using a calibrated dispenser. Then, 100 cm³ of deionized water, 1 cm³ of sulfuric acid solution, 1 cm³ of pickling reagent solution II and the same volume of pickling reagent solution I were added into the flask in order. The blank was determined based on the difference between the first (1 cm³ of potassium iodate) and second (2 cm³ of potassium iodate) titrated volume of the sodium thiosulfate. The titrations were conducted three times and their average was used as the blank value.

(5) Observation log

a. Standardization and determination of the blank

Table 4.1-1 shows the results of the standardization and the blank determination during this cruise.

Table 4.1-1: Results of the standardization and the blank determinations during the cruise

| Date (yyyy/mm/dd) | Potassium iodate ID | Sodium thiosulfate ID | DOT-01X (No.9) | | DOT-01X (No.10) | | Instrumental Error (%) | Stations |
|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| | | | E.P. (cm ³) | Blank (cm ³) | E.P. (cm ³) | Blank (cm ³) | | |
| 2019/10/2 | K19C04 | T-19G | 3.954 | 0.001 | 3.964 | 0.001 | -0.21 | Stn.000 Cast001, Stn.000 Cast002 |
| 2019/10/5 | K19C06 | T-19G | 3.955 | -0.002 | 3.965 | 0.001 | -0.18 | Stn.001 Cast001, Stn.004 Cast001, Stn.006 Cast001, Stn.008 Cast001, Stn.009 Cast001 |
| | | | 3.959 | 0.000 | 3.966 | 0.002 | -0.12 | Stn.002 Cast001, Stn.003 Cast001, Stn.005 Cast001, Stn.007 Cast001 Stn.008 Cast001, Stn.009 Cast001 |
| 2019/10/10 | K19C05 | T-19I | 3.955 | 0.002 | 3.965 | 0.006 | -0.16 | Stn.010 Cast001, Stn.011 Cast001, Stn.012 Cast001, Stn.013 Cast001, Stn.014 Cast001, Stn.015 Cast001, |

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|------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| | | | | | | | | Stn.016 Cast001 |
| 2019/10/14 | K19C08 | T-19I | 3.956 | 0.000 | 3.965 | 0.004 | -0.14 | Stn.017 Cast001, Stn.018 Cast001, Stn.019 Cast001, Stn.020 Cast001 |
| 2019/10/16 | K19C10 | T-19K | 3.965 | -0.001 | 3.967 | 0.003 | 0.07 | Stn.019 Cast002, Stn.020 Cast002- 004, Stn.021 Cast001- 003, Stn.022 Cast001- 002, Stn.023 Cast001 |
| 2019/10/20 | K19D01 | T-19K | 3.963 | -0.003 | 3.966 | 0.001 | 0.03 | Stn.019 Cast003- 004, Stn.020 Cast005- 006, Stn.021 Cast004- 005, Stn.024 Cast001 |

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|------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|------|--|
| 2019/10/22 | K19D02 | T-19J | 3.965 | -0.004 | 3.966 | 0.000 | 0.08 | Stn.019 Cast005-007, Stn.020 Cast007- 009, Stn.021 Cast007-008, Stn.025 Cast001, Stn.026 Cast001, Stn.027 Cast001, Stn.028 Cast001 |
| 2019/10/26 | K19D03 | T-19J | 3.967 | -0.001 | 3.969 | 0.001 | 0.02 | Stn.029 Cast001, Stn.030 Cast001 Stn.031 Cast001, Stn.032 Cast001, Stn.033 Cast001, Stn.034 Cast001, Stn.035 Cast001, Stn.036 Cast001 Stn.037 Cast001, Stn.038 Cast001, Stn.039 Cast001, Stn.040 Cast001, Stn.041 Cast001, |

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|--------------------------|
| 2019/11/4 | K19D05 | T-19M | 3.972 | 0.005 | 3.970 | 0.006 | 0.09 | Stn.000 Cast003 - 004 |
|-----------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|--------------------------|

b. Repeatability of sample measurement

Replicate samples were taken at every CTD cast. The standard deviation of the replicate measurement (Dickson et al., 2007) was $0.13 \mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ ($n = 174$). Results of the replicate sample measurements based on preliminary data are shown in Table 4.1-2 and illustrated in Figure 4.1. The standard deviation (s) is given by the following expression:

$$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=1}^k d_i^2}{2k}}$$

where d and k represent the difference of the replicate measurements and the number of replicate samples, respectively.

Table 4.1-2: Results of the replicate sample measurements

| Layer | Number of replicate sample pairs | Oxygen concentration ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) Standard Deviation |
|--------|----------------------------------|---|
| 200m> | 86 | 0.14 |
| >=200m | 88 | 0.11 |
| All | 174 | 0.13 |

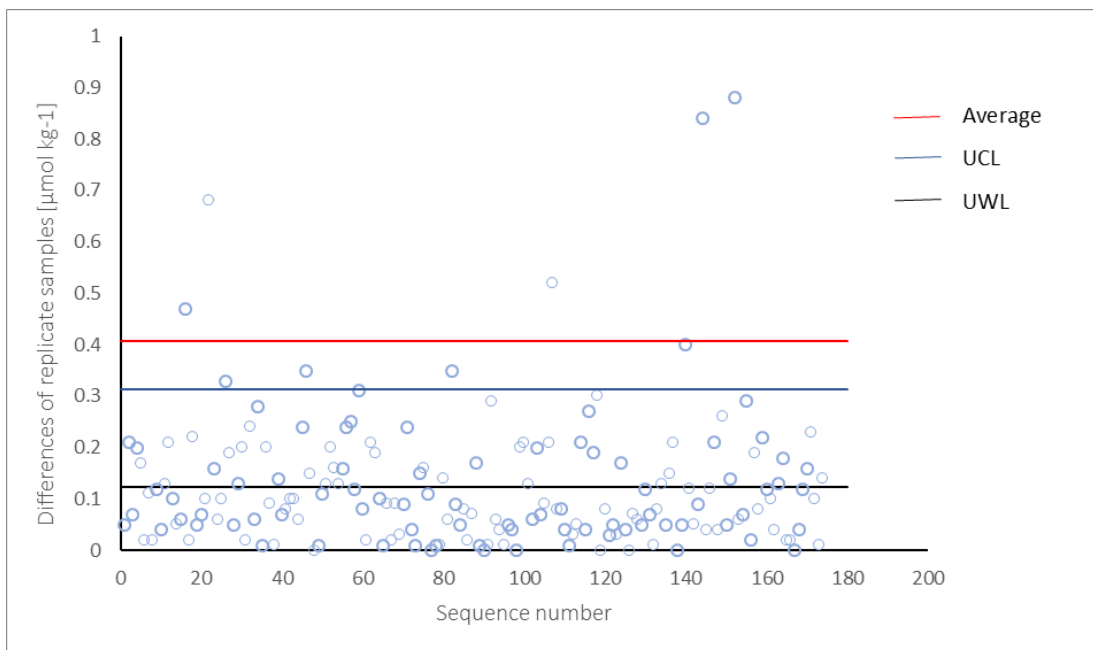


Figure 4.1: Difference of replicate samples against sequence number

(6) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

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4.2. Nutrients

(1) Personnel

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(2) Objectives

The objective of the nutrient analyses during the R/V Mirai MR19-03C cruise in the Arctic Ocean (EXPOCODE: 49NZ20190927) was to describe the present status of nutrient concentrations with excellent comparability using certified reference material of nutrients in seawater.

(3) Parameters

The determinants are nitrate, nitrite, silicate, phosphate and ammonia in the Arctic Ocean.

(4) Instruments and methods

(4.1) Analytical detail using QuAAtro 2-HR systems (BL TEC K.K.)

We analyzed nitrate + nitrite and nitrite following a modification of the method of Grasshoff (1976). The sample nitrate was reduced to nitrite in a cadmium tube, the inside of which was coated with metallic copper. The sample stream after reduction was treated with an acidic sulfanilamide reagent to produce a diazonium ion. N-1-Naphthylethylenediamine dihydrochloride was added to the sample stream to produce a red azo dye. With reduction of the nitrate to nitrite, both nitrate and nitrite react and can be measured; without reduction, only nitrite reacts. Thus, for the nitrite analysis, no reduction was performed and use of the alkaline buffer was not necessary; nitrate was computed by the difference.

The method used for silicate was analogous to that described for phosphate. The method used was essentially that of Grasshoff et al. (1999). Silicomolybdic acid was first formed from the silicate in the sample and molybdic acid. The silicomolybdic acid was reduced to silicomolybdous acid or molybdenum blue using ascorbic acid.

The method used for the phosphate analysis was a modification of the procedure of Murphy and Riley (1962). Molybdic acid was added to the seawater sample to form phosphomolybdic acid that was in turn reduced to phosphomolybdous acid using L-Ascorbic acid as the reductant.

The ammonia in seawater was mixed with an alkaline containing EDTA, which allowed ammonia in the gas state to form from the seawater. The ammonia (gas) was absorbed in sulfuric acid through a membrane filter (ADVANTEC PTFE; pore size: 0.5 μm) at the dialyzer attached to the analytical system. The ammonia absorbed in sulfuric acid was determined by coupling with phenol and hypochlorite to form indophenols blue. The wavelength used in the ammonia analysis was 630 nm, i.e., the absorbance of indophenols blue.

The details of the modifications of the analytical methods used for the four parameters (nitrate, nitrite, silicate and phosphate) on this cruise are compatible with the methods described in the nutrients section of the new GO-SHIP repeat hydrography nutrients manual (Becker et al., 2019), which is revised version of the previous manual (Hydes et al., 2019). The analytical method used for ammonia is compatible with the approach to determine

ammonia in seawater using a vaporization membrane permeability method (Kimura, 2000). Flow diagrams and the reagents for each parameter are shown in Figures 4.2-1 to 4.2-5.

(4.2) Nitrate + nitrite reagents

50% Triton solution

A volume of 50 mL Triton™ X-100 provided by Sigma-Aldrich Japan G.K. (CAS No. 9002-93-1) was mixed with 50 mL ethanol (99.5%).

Imidazole (buffer), 0.06 M (0.4% w/v)

A sample of 4 g imidazole (CAS No. 288-32-4) was dissolved in 1000 mL ultrapure water, following which 2 mL hydrogen chloride (CAS No. 7647-01-0) was added. After mixing, 1 mL 50% Triton solution was added.

Sulfanilamide, 0.06 M (1% w/v) in 1.2 M HCl

A sample of 10 g 4-Aminobenzenesulfonamide (CAS No. 63-74-1) was dissolved in 900 mL of ultrapure water, following which 100 mL hydrogen chloride (CAS No. 7647-01-0) was added. After mixing, 2 mL 50% Triton solution was added.

NED, 0.004 M (0.1% w/v)

A sample of 1 g N-(1-Naphthalenyl)-1,2-ethanediamine dihydrochloride (CAS No. 1465-25-4) was dissolved in 1000 mL of ultrapure water and 10 mL hydrogen chloride (CAS No. 7647-01-0) was added. After mixing, 1 mL 50% Triton solution was added. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle.

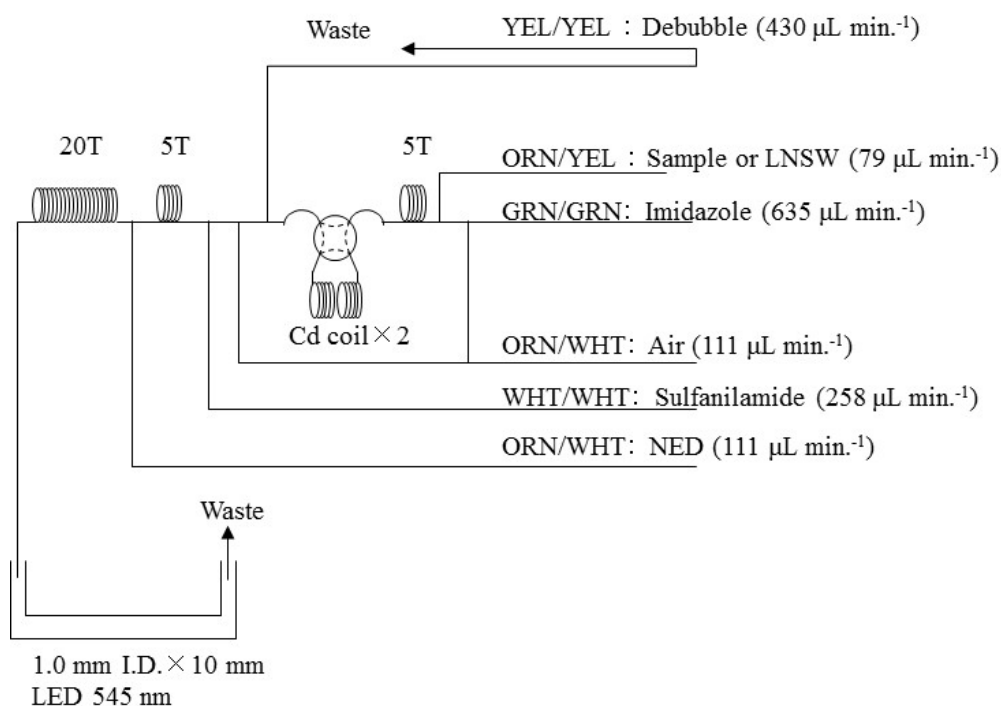


Figure 4.2-1: $\text{NO}_3 + \text{NO}_2$ (1ch.) flow diagram.

(4.3) Nitrite reagents

50% Triton solution

A volume of 50 mL Triton™ X-100 provided by Sigma-Aldrich Japan G.K. (CAS No. 9002-93-1) was mixed with 50 mL ethanol (99.5%).

Sulfanilamide, 0.06 M (1% w/v) in 1.2 M HCl

A sample of 10 g 4-Aminobenzenesulfonamide (CAS No. 63-74-1) was dissolved in 900 mL of ultrapure water, following which 100 mL hydrogen chloride (CAS No. 7647-01-0) was added. After mixing, 2 mL 50% Triton solution was added.

NED, 0.004 M (0.1% w/v)

A sample of 1 g N-(1-Naphthalenyl)-1,2-ethanediamine dihydrochloride (CAS No. 1465-25-4) was dissolved in 1000 mL of ultrapure water and 10 mL hydrogen chloride (CAS No. 7647-01-0) was added. After mixing, 1 mL 50% Triton solution was added. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle.

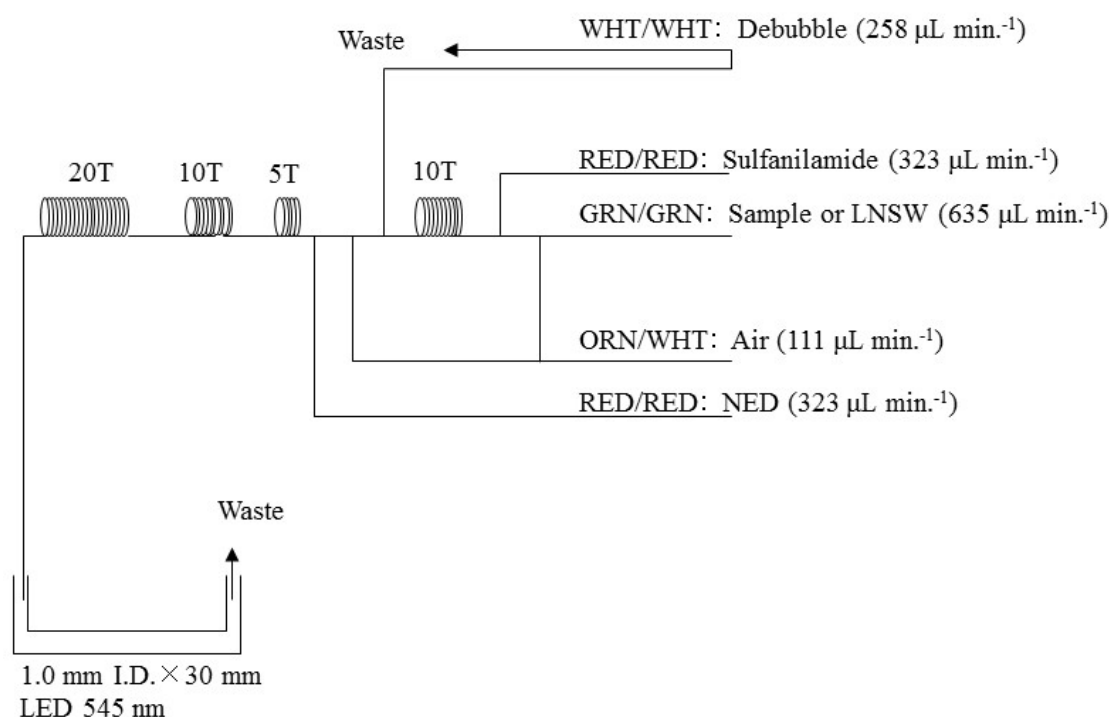


Figure 4.2-2: NO₂ (2ch.) flow diagram.

(4.4) Silicate reagents

15% Sodium dodecyl sulfate solution

A sample of 75 g sodium dodecyl sulfate (CAS No. 151-21-3) was mixed with 425 mL of ultrapure water.

Molybdic acid, 0.03 M (1% w/v)

A sample of 7.5 g sodium molybdate dihydrate (CAS No. 10102-40-6) was dissolved in 980 mL of ultrapure water, following which 12 mL 4.5M sulfuric acid was added. After mixing, 20 mL 15% sodium dodecyl sulfate solution

was added. Note: the amount of sulfuric acid used was reduced from that mentioned in a previous report because we readjusted the method to Grasshoff et al. (1999).

Oxalic acid, 0.6 M (5% w/v)

A sample of 50 g oxalic acid (CAS No. 144-62-7) was dissolved in 950 mL of ultrapure water.

Ascorbic acid, 0.01 M (3% w/v)

A sample of 2.5 g L-Ascorbic acid (CAS No. 50-81-7) was dissolved in 100 mL of ultrapure water. This reagent was prepared fresh every day.

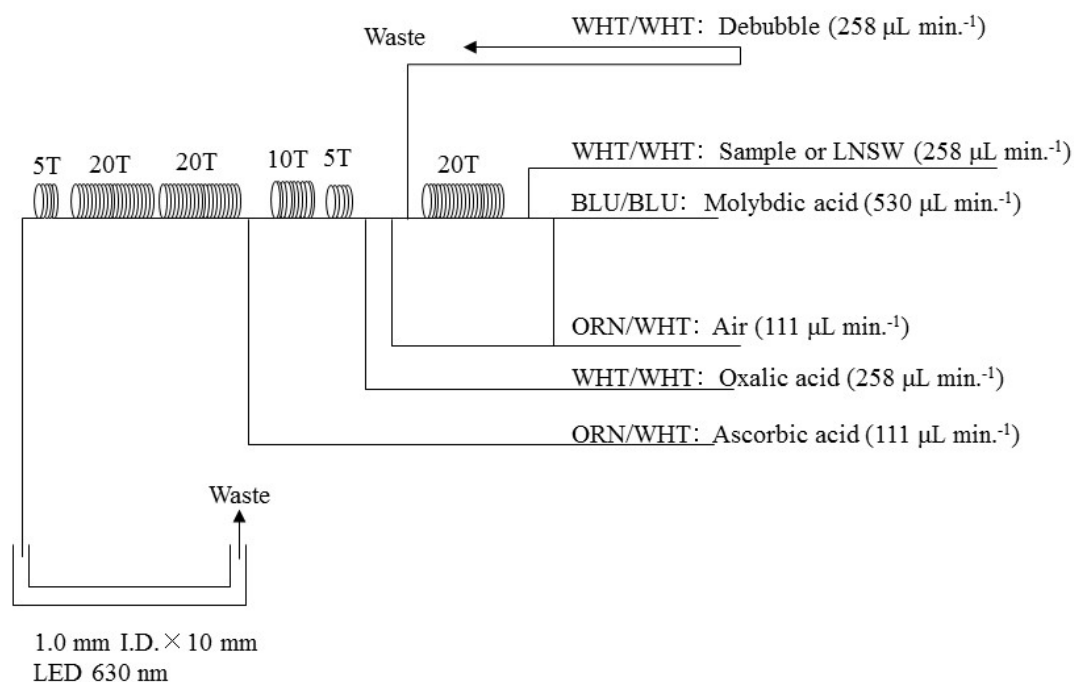


Figure 4.2-3: SiO₂ (3ch.) flow diagram.

(4.5) Phosphate reagents

15% sodium dodecyl sulfate solution

A sample of 75 g sodium dodecyl sulfate (CAS No. 151-21-3) was mixed with 425 mL of ultrapure water.

Stock molybdate solution, 0.03 M (0.8% w/v)

Samples of 8 g sodium molybdate dihydrate (CAS No. 10102-40-6) and 0.17 g antimony potassium tartrate trihydrate (CAS No. 28300-74-5) were dissolved in 950 mL of ultrapure water, following which 50 mL sulfuric acid (CAS No. 7664-93-9) was added.

PO₄ color reagent

A sample of 1.2 g L-Ascorbic acid (CAS No. 50-81-7) was dissolved in 150 mL of stock molybdate solution. After mixing, 3 mL 15% sodium dodecyl sulfate solution was added. This reagent was prepared fresh before every measurement.

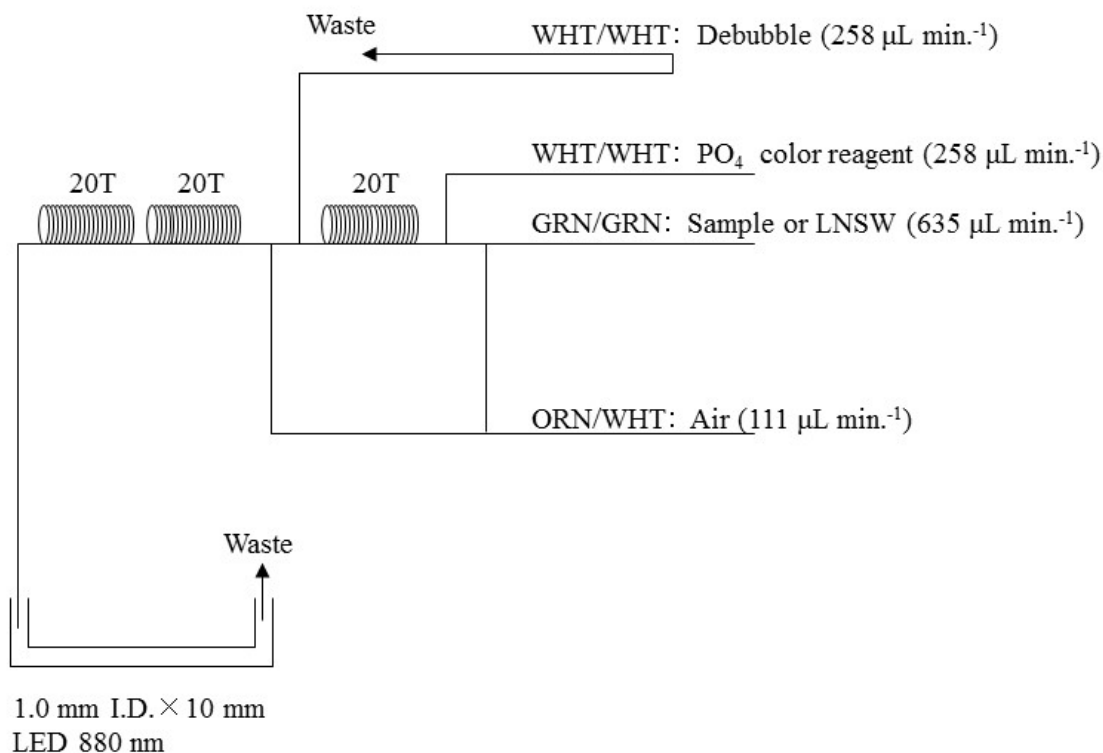


Figure 4.2-4: PO₄ (4ch.) flow diagram.

(4.6) Ammonia Reagents

30% Triton solution

A volume of 30 mL Triton™ X-100 provided by Sigma-Aldrich Japan G.K. (CAS No. 9002-93-1) was mixed with 70 mL of ultrapure water.

EDTA

Samples of 41 g tetrasodium;2-[2-[bis(carboxylatomethyl)amino]ethyl-(carboxylateme-thyl)amino]acetate;tetrahydrate (CAS No. 13235-36-4) and 2 g boric acid (CAS No. 10043-35-3) were dissolved in 200 mL of ultrapure water. After mixing, 1 mL 30% Triton solution was added. This reagent was prepared approximately one week in advance of use.

NaOH liquid

Samples of 1.5 g sodium hydroxide (CAS No. 1310-73-2) and 16 g tetrasodium;2-[2-[bis(carboxylatomethyl)amino]ethyl-(carboxylatomethyl)amino]acetate;tetrahydrate (CAS No. 13235-36-4) were dissolved in 100 mL of ultrapure water. This reagent was prepared approximately one week in advance of use. Note: we reduced the amount of sodium hydroxide from 5 to 1.5 g because the pH of C standard solutions was lowered to 1 because of a change in the recipe of B standard solutions.

Stock nitroprusside

A sample of 0.25 g sodium nitroferricyanide dihydrate (CAS No. 13755-38-9) was dissolved in 100 mL of ultrapure water and 0.2 mL 1M sulfuric acid was added. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle and prepared approximately one month in advance of use.

Nitroprusside solution

Samples of 4 mL stock nitroprusside and 5 mL 1M sulfuric acid were mixed in 500 mL of ultrapure water. After mixing, 2 mL 30% Triton solution was added. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle and prepared every two or three days.

Alkaline phenol

Samples of 10 g phenol (CAS No. 108-95-2), 5 g sodium hydroxide (CAS No. 1310-73-2) and 2 g sodium citrate dihydrate (CAS No. 6132-04-3) were dissolved in 200 mL ultrapure water. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle and prepared approximately one week in advance of use.

NaClO solution

A sample of 5 mL sodium hypochlorite (CAS No. 7681-52-9) was mixed in 45 mL of ultrapure water. This reagent was stored in a dark bottle and prepared fresh before every measurement. This reagent is prepared with 0.3% available chlorine.

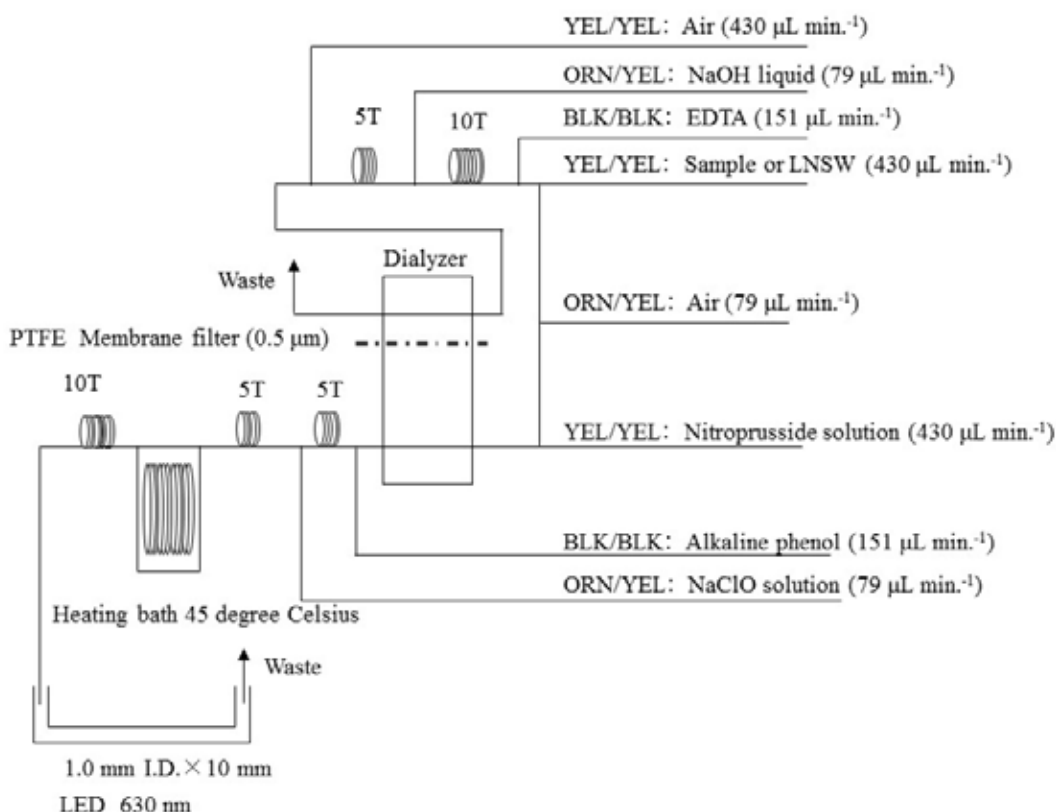


Figure 4.2-5: NH_4 (5ch.) flow diagram.

(4.7) Sampling procedures

Sampling of nutrients followed that of oxygen, salinity and trace gases. Samples were drawn into virgin 10 mL polyacrylate vials without sample drawing tubes. These were rinsed three times before filling and the vials were capped immediately after the drawing. The vials were placed into a water bath adjusted to ambient temperature

(21.1 ± 1.0 °C) and the samples allowed to stabilize for approximately 30 min. When we found the value of X_{miss} of the sample was <95%, or doubtful for the particles in the sample, we centrifuged the samples using a CN-820 (Hsiang Tai) centrifuge for 2.5 min at approximately 3400 rpm. We also put coolant in the centrifuge to suppress the temperature increase of the samples during centrifugation.

No transfer was made and the vials were set directly in an auto sampler tray. Samples were analyzed within 24 h after collection.

(4.8) Data processing

Raw data from QuAAtro 2-HR were treated as follows:

- Check baseline shift.
- Check the shape of each peak and the positions of the peak values taken, and then change the positions of the peak values taken if necessary.
- Apply carry-over correction and baseline drift correction to peak heights of each samples followed by sensitivity correction.
- Perform baseline correction and sensitivity correction using linear regression.
- Load pressure and salinity information from uncalibrated CTD data to provide tentative calculation of the density of seawater. To calculate the final nutrient concentrations we used salinity obtained from bottle samples for 62 samples and salinity derived from uncalibrated CTD data for 896 samples.
- Derive calibration curves to obtain nutrient concentrations assuming second-order equations.

(4.9) Summary of nutrients analysis

During MR19-03C, we performed 34 QuAAtro runs for the water column samples collected by 62 casts at 41 stations, as shown in Table 4.2-1. The total amount of layers of the seawater sample reached 958. We also measured five samples from a test cast conducted before commencing the observation program. We performed duplicate measurements. The station locations of the nutrient measurements are shown in Figure 4.2-6.

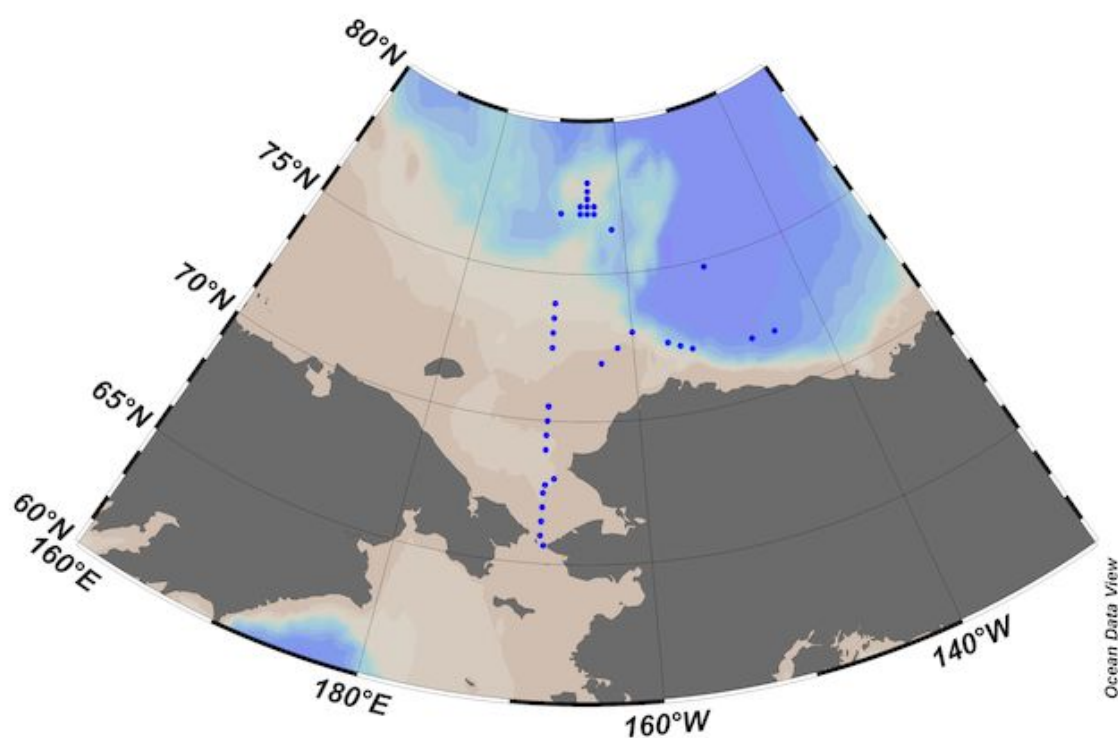


Figure 4.2-6: Positions of nutrient sampling.

(5) Station list

The list of sampling stations for nutrients is shown in Table 4.2-1.

Table 4.2-1: List of sampling stations

| Station | Cast | Date (UTC) | Position* | | Depth (m) |
|---------|------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | | (mmddyy) | Latitude | Longitude | |
| 001 | 1 | 100819 | 65-39.18N | 169-32.23W | 53 |
| 002 | 1 | 100819 | 66-00.17N | 169-15.28W | 53 |
| 003 | 1 | 100819 | 66-30.32N | 169-14.90W | 54 |
| 004 | 1 | 100819 | 67-00.13N | 169-15.74W | 45 |
| 005 | 1 | 100919 | 69-00.19N | 169-14.82W | 53 |
| 006 | 1 | 100919 | 69-30.16N | 169-14.79W | 51 |
| 007 | 1 | 100919 | 69-59.96N | 169-14.97W | 41 |
| 008 | 1 | 100919 | 70-29.86N | 169-14.62W | 39 |
| 009 | 1 | 101019 | 71-59.77N | 164-30.01W | 38 |
| 010 | 1 | 101019 | 72-29.84N | 162-15.22W | 44 |
| 011 | 1 | 101019 | 72-59.99N | 161-59.80W | 192 |
| 012 | 1 | 101119 | 72-30.13N | 157-43.31W | 1607 |
| 013 | 1 | 101119 | 72-19.98N | 156-59.48W | 1957 |
| 014 | 1 | 101119 | 72-09.43N | 154-12.59W | 1637 |
| 015 | 1 | 101219 | 71-59.99N | 148-30.02W | 3515 |
| 016 | 1 | 101219 | 72-00.01N | 146-59.95W | 3316 |
| 017 | 1 | 101419 | 74-46.10N | 151-29.87W | 3834 |
| 018 | 1 | 101519 | 76-27.95N | 162-21.49W | 1750 |
| 019 | 1 | 101619 | 76-59.96N | 165-00.06W | 680 |
| 020 | 1 | 101619 | 77-15.04N | 165-00.29W | 367 |
| 020 | 2 | 101719 | 77-14.99N | 165-00.07W | 370 |
| 021 | 1 | 101719 | 77-30.01N | 166-59.99W | 308 |
| 022 | 1 | 101719 | 77-45.00N | 166-59.99W | 445 |
| 020 | 3 | 101819 | 77-15.01N | 165-00.01W | 372 |
| 021 | 2 | 101819 | 77-30.07N | 166-59.81W | 310 |
| 022 | 2 | 101819 | 77-45.05N | 166-59.81W | 446 |
| 023 | 1 | 101819 | 78-02.13N | 165-01.52W | 453 |
| 019 | 2 | 101919 | 77-00.01N | 165-00.04W | 685 |
| 020 | 4 | 101919 | 77-15.14N | 165-00.11W | 366 |
| 021 | 3 | 101919 | 77-30.06N | 165-00.07W | 309 |
| 019 | 3 | 102019 | 77-00.06N | 165-00.06W | 690 |

| | | | | | |
|-----|---|--------|-----------|------------|------|
| 020 | 5 | 102019 | 77-15.14N | 165-00.35W | 367 |
| 021 | 4 | 102019 | 77-30.05N | 165-00.01W | 310 |
| 024 | 1 | 102119 | 77-15.00N | 166-00.04W | 851 |
| 019 | 4 | 102119 | 77-00.28N | 165-00.25W | 687 |
| 020 | 6 | 102119 | 77-15.01N | 166-59.95W | 370 |
| 021 | 5 | 102119 | 77-30.50N | 165-00.34W | 308 |
| 025 | 1 | 102219 | 77-00.37N | 166-00.12W | 711 |
| 019 | 5 | 102219 | 77-00.10N | 165-00.43W | 685 |
| 020 | 7 | 102219 | 77-15.01N | 166-59.94W | 371 |
| 026 | 1 | 102319 | 77-00.01N | 165-59.99W | 437 |
| 019 | 6 | 102319 | 77-00.07N | 165-00.68W | 678 |
| 020 | 8 | 102319 | 77-15.17N | 165-00.07W | 365 |
| 021 | 7 | 102319 | 77-30.31N | 165-01.21W | 304 |
| 027 | 1 | 102419 | 77-15.00N | 165-59.99W | 366 |
| 019 | 7 | 102419 | 77-00.23N | 166-59.84W | 697 |
| 020 | 9 | 102419 | 77-15.04N | 166-59.86W | 366 |
| 021 | 8 | 102419 | 77-30.74N | 166-59.79W | 311 |
| 028 | 1 | 102519 | 77-00.22N | 169-13.87W | 1896 |
| 029 | 1 | 102619 | 74-00.01N | 169-15.17W | 185 |
| 030 | 1 | 102619 | 73-30.00N | 169-15.00W | 115 |
| 031 | 1 | 102619 | 73-00.03N | 169-14.96W | 61 |
| 032 | 1 | 102619 | 72-30.03N | 169-15.39W | 59 |
| 033 | 1 | 102719 | 70-30.01N | 169-15.08W | 38 |
| 034 | 1 | 102719 | 70-00.01N | 169-14.96W | 41 |
| 035 | 1 | 102719 | 69-30.19N | 169-14.77W | 51 |
| 036 | 1 | 102719 | 68-59.99N | 169-14.71W | 53 |
| 037 | 1 | 102819 | 68-00.88N | 168-07.96W | 53 |
| 038 | 1 | 102819 | 67-46.99N | 169-23.71W | 51 |
| 039 | 1 | 102819 | 67-30.07N | 169-14.89W | 49 |
| 040 | 1 | 102819 | 67-00.06N | 169-15.29W | 45 |
| 041 | 1 | 102819 | 66-29.99N | 169-14.98W | 54 |

*: Position indicates latitude and longitude at which the CTD cast reached its maximum depth

(6) Certified reference material of nutrients in seawater

KANSO certified reference materials (CRMs; Lots: CE, CJ and CG) were used to ensure the comparability and traceability of the nutrient measurements during this cruise. The details of the CRMs are described below.

Production

The CRMs used for inorganic nutrients in seawater were produced by KANSO Co., Ltd. These CRMs were

produced using autoclaved natural seawater following the quality control system of ISO Guide 34 (JIS Q 0034). KANSO Co., Ltd. has been accredited under the Accreditation System of the National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (ASNITE) as a CRM producer since 2011 (Accreditation No.: ASNITE 0052 R).

Property value assignment

The certified values are arithmetic means of the results of 30 bottles from each batch (measured in duplicates) analyzed by KANSO Co., Ltd. and the Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC) using the colorimetric method (continuous flow analysis method). The salinity of the calibration solutions was adjusted to the salinity of this CRM (± 0.5).

Metrological Traceability

Each certified value of nitrate, nitrite and phosphate of the KANSO CRMs was calibrated versus one of the Japan Calibration Service System (JCSS) standard solutions for nitrate ions, nitrite ions and phosphate ions. JCSS standard solutions are calibrated versus JCSS secondary solutions for each of these ions. The JCSS secondary solutions are calibrated versus the specified primary solutions produced by the Chemicals Evaluation and Research Institute (CERI), Japan. CERI specified primary solutions are calibrated versus the National Metrology Institute of Japan (NMIJ) primary standard solutions of nitrate ions, nitrite ions and phosphate ions.

The certified value of silicate of the KANSO CRM was determined based on the Merck KGaA silicon standard solution $1000 \text{ mg L}^{-1} \text{ Si}$ traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) SRM of silicon standard solution (SRM 3150).

The certified values of nitrate, nitrite and phosphate of the KANSO CRMs are thus traceable to the International System of Units (SI) through the unbroken chain of calibrations of JCSS, CERI and NMIJ solutions, each having stated uncertainties. The certified value of silicate of the KANSO CRM is traceable to the International System of Units (SI) through the unbroken chain of calibrations of Merck KGaA and NIST SRM 3150 solutions, each having stated uncertainties.

As stated in the certificate of the NMIJ CRMs, each certified value of dissolved silica, nitrate ions and nitrite ions was determined by more than one method using one of the NIST SRM of silicon standard solutions and NMIJ primary standard solutions of nitrate ions and nitrite ions. The concentration of phosphate ions, as a stated value in the certificate, was determined using the NMIJ primary standard solution of phosphate ions. The values in the certificates of the NMIJ CRMs are traceable to the International System of Units (SI).

One of the analytical methods used for certification of the NMIJ CRMs for nitrate ions, nitrite ions, phosphate ions and dissolved silica was the colorimetric method (continuous mode and batch mode). The colorimetric method is the same as the analytical method (continuous mode only) used for certification of the KANSO CRMs. For certification of dissolved silica, exclusion chromatography/isotope dilution-inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry and ion exclusion chromatography with post-column detection were used. For certification of nitrate ions, ion chromatography by direct analysis and ion chromatography after halogen-ion separation were used. For certification of nitrite ions, ion chromatography by direct analysis was used.

The NMIJ CRMs were analyzed at the time of the certification process for the CRMs and the results were confirmed within the expanded uncertainty stated in the certificate of NMIJ CRMs.

(6.1) CRMs for this cruise

CRM lots CE, CJ and CG, which broadly cover the range of nutrient concentrations in the Arctic Ocean, were prepared in 21 sets.

The CRM assignments were undertaken based on random numbers. The CRM bottles were stored in the biochemical laboratory onboard the ship, in which the temperature was maintained at 17.8–22.6 °C.

(6.2) CRM concentrations

The nutrient concentrations for CRM lots CE, CJ and CG used on the cruise are shown in Table 4.2-2.

Table 4.2-2 Certified concentration and uncertainty ($k = 2$) of the CRMs.

| Lot | unit: $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ | | | | |
|-----|-------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Nitrate | Nitrite | Silicate | Phosphate | Ammonia* |
| CE | 0.01 ± 0.03 | 0.02 ± 0.01 | 0.06 ± 0.09 | 0.012 ± 0.006 | 0.69 |
| CJ | 16.20 ± 0.20 | 0.03 ± 0.01 | 38.50 ± 0.40 | 1.190 ± 0.020 | 0.77 |
| CG | 23.70 ± 0.20 | 0.06 ± 0.03 | 56.40 ± 0.50 | 1.700 ± 0.020 | 0.61 |

*For ammonia values are references

Note for Nitrite concentration: We observed systematic increase of nitrite concentration in the CRMs at a rate about $0.02 \mu\text{mol kg}^{-1} \text{ year}^{-1}$. Therefore, as shown in Figure 4.2-13, the observed concentration of nitrite for CRM lot CG were high compared with certified concentration.

(7) Nutrient standards

(7.1) Volumetric laboratory ware of in-house standards

All volumetric glassware and polymethylpentene (PMP)-ware used were calibrated gravimetrically. Plastic volumetric flasks were calibrated gravimetrically at the temperature of use ($\pm 4 \text{ K}$).

(7.1.1) Volumetric flasks

Volumetric flasks of Class quality (Class A) are used because their nominal tolerances are $\leq 0.05\%$ over the size ranges likely to be used in this work. Class A flasks are made of borosilicate glass, and the standard solutions were transferred to plastic bottles as quickly as possible after they were made up to volume and well mixed to prevent excessive dissolution of silicate from the glass. PMP volumetric flasks were calibrated gravimetrically and used only within $\pm 4 \text{ K}$ of the calibration temperature.

The computation of volume contained by glass flasks at various temperatures other than the calibration temperatures was undertaken using the coefficient of linear expansion of borosilicate crown glass.

Owing to the larger temperature coefficients of cubical expansion and the lack of tables constructed for these materials, the plastic volumetric flasks were calibrated gravimetrically over the temperature range of intended use and used at the temperature of calibration within $\pm 4 \text{ K}$. The weights obtained in the calibration were corrected for the density of water and air buoyancy.

(7.1.2) Pipettes

All pipettes had nominal calibration tolerances of 0.1% or better. These were calibrated gravimetrically to

verify and improve upon this nominal tolerance.

(7.2) Reagents; general considerations

(7.2.1) Specifications

For the nitrate standard, we used “potassium nitrate 99.995 suprapur[®]” provided by Merck, Batch B1452165, CAS No. 7757-79-1.

For the nitrite standard solution, we used the “nitrite ion standard solution (NO₂⁻ 1000) provided by Wako, Lot APJ6212, Code. No. 140-06451.” This standard solution was certified by Wako using the ion chromatograph method. The calibration result was 1003 mg L⁻¹ at 20 °C, and the expanded uncertainty of the calibration (k = 2) was 0.8% for the calibration result.

For the silicate standard, we changed from the “silicon standard solution SiO₂ in NaOH 0.5 M CertiPUR[®]” provided by Merck, to the JAMSTEC-KANSO in-house Si standard solution exp64, which was produced using the alkali fusion technique from 5N SiO₂ powder. The mass fraction of Si in the exp64 solution was calibrated based on the NMIJ CRM 3645-a02 Si standard solution.

For the phosphate standard, we used “potassium dihydrogen phosphate anhydrous 99.995 suprapur[®]” provided by Merck, Batch B1642608, CAS No.: 7778-77-0.

For the ammonia standard, we used “ammonium chloride” provided by NMIJ, CAS No. 12125-02-9. We used NMIJ CRM 3011-a. The purity of this standard was >99.9%, and the expanded uncertainty of calibration (k = 2) was 0.053%.

(7.2.2) Ultrapure water

Freshly drawn ultrapure water (Milli-Q water) was used for preparation of the reagents, standard solutions and for measurements of the reagent and system blanks.

(7.2.3) Low nutrient seawater (LNSW)

Surface water having low nutrient concentration was taken and filtered using a 0.20- μ m pore capsule cartridge filter during the MR18-04 cruise in August 2018. This water was stored in a 20 L Cubitainer[®] in a cardboard box.

LNSW concentrations were assigned to February 2019.

(7.2.4) Concentrations of nutrients for A, D, B and C standards

Nominal concentrations of nutrients for A, D, B and C standards were set as shown in Table 4.2-3.

We changed from the Merck silicon standard solution to the JAMSTEC-KANSO in-house Si standard solution for the A standard of silicate. We also developed new recipe for the preparation of the B standard without requiring the addition of hydrochloric acid, which was previously added to neutralize alkali in the Merck silicon standard solution. Pure water was used to prepare the B standard, and to adjust the salinity and density, we added sodium chloride powder as appropriate.

The C standard was prepared according to the recipes shown in Table 4.2-4. All volumetric laboratory tools were calibrated prior to the cruise, as stated in paragraph (6.1). The actual concentrations of the nutrients in each fresh standard were calculated based on both the ambient and solution temperatures and the determined factors of the volumetric laboratory ware.

The calibration curves for each run were obtained using four levels: C-1, C-2, C-3 and C-4.

Table 4.2-3: Nominal concentrations of nutrients for A, D, B and C standards

| | (unit: $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | | | | | | |
|------------------|----------------------------------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| | A | D | B | C-1 | C-2 | C-3 | C-4 |
| NO ₃ | 22500 | 900 | 675 | LNSW | 13 | 27 | 40 |
| NO ₂ | 21800 | 870 | 26 | LNSW | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.6 |
| SiO ₂ | 35600 | | 1430 | LNSW | 29 | 58 | 86 |
| PO ₄ | 6000 | | 60 | LNSW | 1.2 | 2.4 | 3.6 |
| NH ₄ | 4000 | | 160 | LNSW | 3.2 | 6.4 | 9.6 |

Table 4.2-4: Working calibration standard recipes

| C Std. | B Std. |
|--------|--------|
| C-2 | 10 mL |
| C-3 | 20 mL |
| C-4 | 30 mL |

(7.2.5) Renewal of in-house standard solutions

As stated in paragraph (6.2), the in-house standard solutions were renewed according to the timings shown in Table 4.2-5(a)–(c).

Table 4.2-5(a): Timing of renewal of in-house standards

| NO ₃ , NO ₂ , SiO ₂ , PO ₄ , NH ₄ | Renewal |
|--|---|
| A-1 Std. (NO ₃) | maximum a month |
| A-2 Std. (NO ₂) | commercial prepared solution |
| A-3 Std. (SiO ₂) | JAMSTEC-KANSO in-house Si standard solution |
| A-4 Std. (PO ₄) | maximum a month |
| A-5 Std. (NH ₄) | maximum a month |
| D-1 Std. | maximum 8 days |
| D-2 Std. | maximum 8 days |
| B Std. | maximum 8 days |
| (mixture of A-1, D-2, A-3, A-4 and A-5 std.) | |

Table 4.2-5(b): Timing of renewal of working calibration standards

| Working standards | Renewal |
|------------------------|----------------|
| C Std. (dilute B Std.) | every 24 hours |

Table 4.2-5(c): Timing of renewal of in-house standards for reduction estimation

| Reduction estimation | Renewal |
|--|---------------------|
| 36 μM NO ₃ (dilute D-1 Std.) | when C Std. renewed |

(8) Quality control

(8.1) Precision of nutrient analyses during the cruise

The precision of nutrient analyses during this cruise was evaluated based on 6–10 measurements performed on every 7 to 14 samples during a run at the concentration of the C-4 std. A summary of the precision of the analyses is shown in Table 4.2-6 and Figures 4.2-7 to 4.2-11. The precision for each parameter is reasonable considering the analytical precision during the cruises of the R/V Mirai conducted in 2009–2018. During this cruise, the analytical precisions were 0.15% for nitrate, 0.17% for nitrite, 0.12% for silicate, 0.11% for phosphate and 0.26% for ammonia (in terms of the median of precision), respectively. Thus, we can conclude that the analytical precision for nitrate, nitrite, silicate, phosphate and ammonia was maintained throughout this cruise.

Table 4.2-6: Summary of precision based on the replicate analyses

| | Nitrate | Nitrite | Silicate | Phosphate | Ammonia |
|---------|---------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|
| | CV % | CV % | CV % | CV % | CV % |
| Median | 0.15 | 0.17 | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.26 |
| Mean | 0.14 | 0.17 | 0.11 | 0.11 | 0.27 |
| Maximum | 0.20 | 0.41 | 0.18 | 0.18 | 0.54 |
| Minimum | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 |
| N | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |

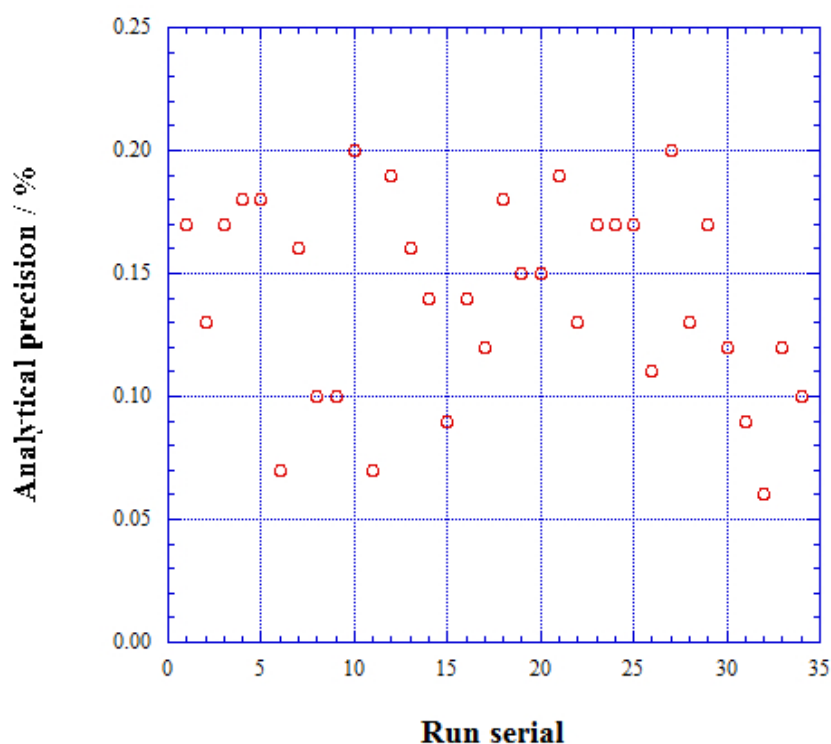


Figure 4.2-7: Time series of precision of nitrate during MR19-03C

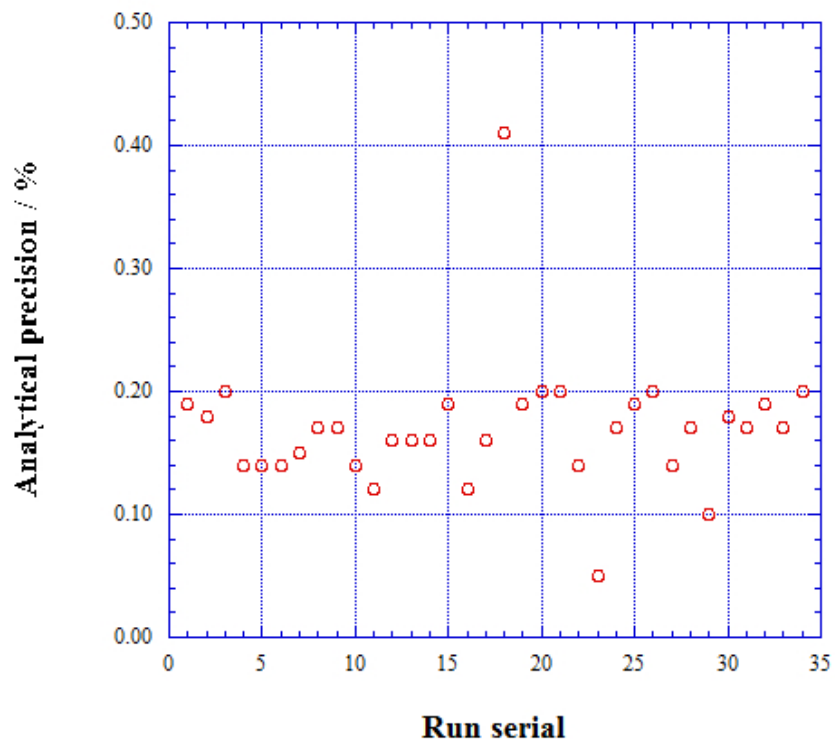


Figure 4.2-8: Time series of precision of nitrite during MR19-03C.

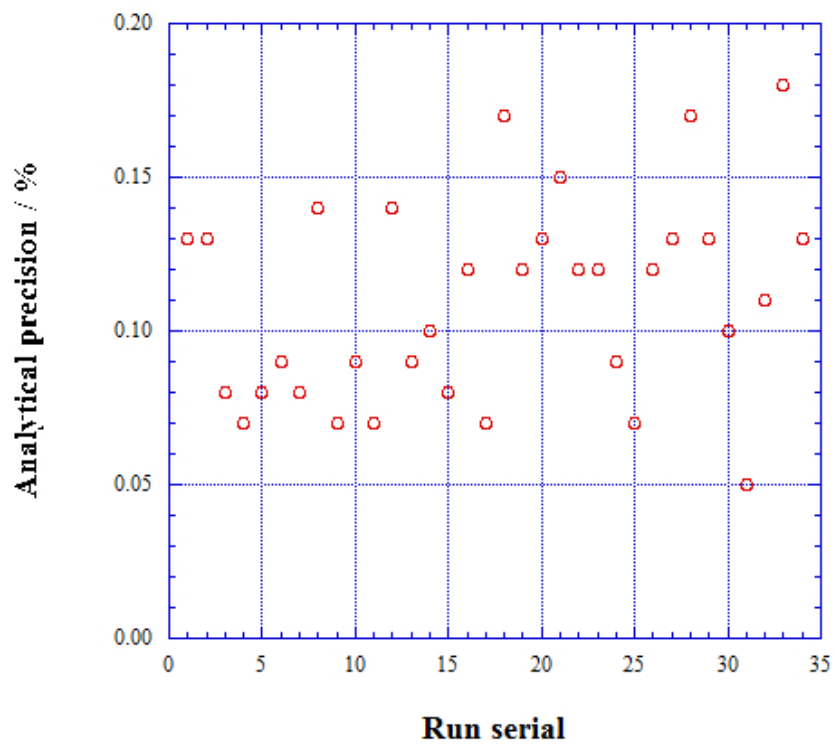


Figure 4.2-9: Time series of precision of silicate during MR19-03C.

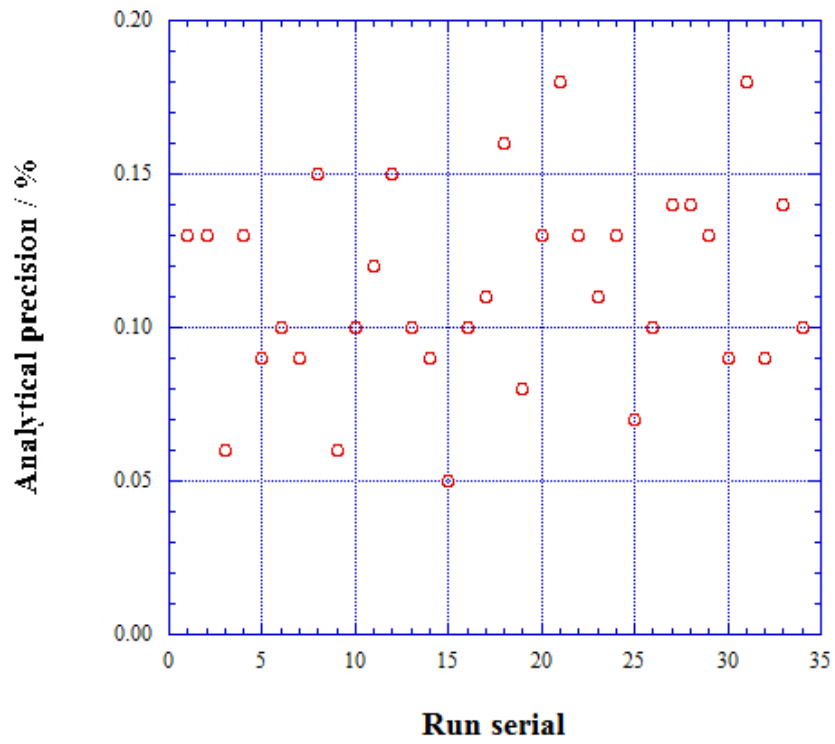


Figure 4.2-10: Time series of precision of phosphate during MR19-03C.

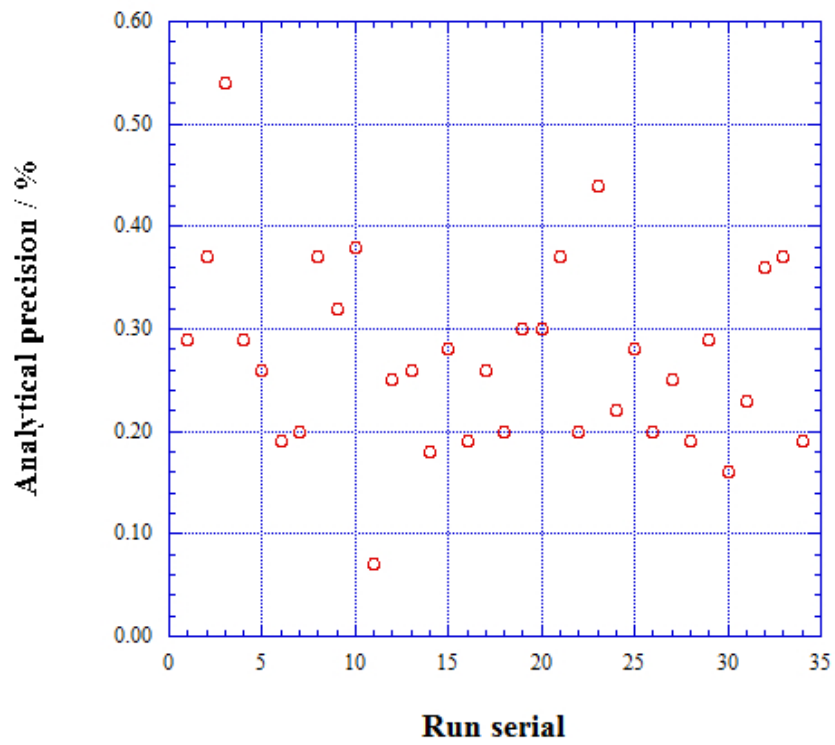


Figure 4.2-11: Time series of precision of ammonia during MR19-03C.

(8.2) CRM lot. CG measurement during this cruise

CRM lot. CG was measured every run to ensure comparability. The results of lot CG during this cruise are shown in Figures 4.2-12 to 4.2-16.

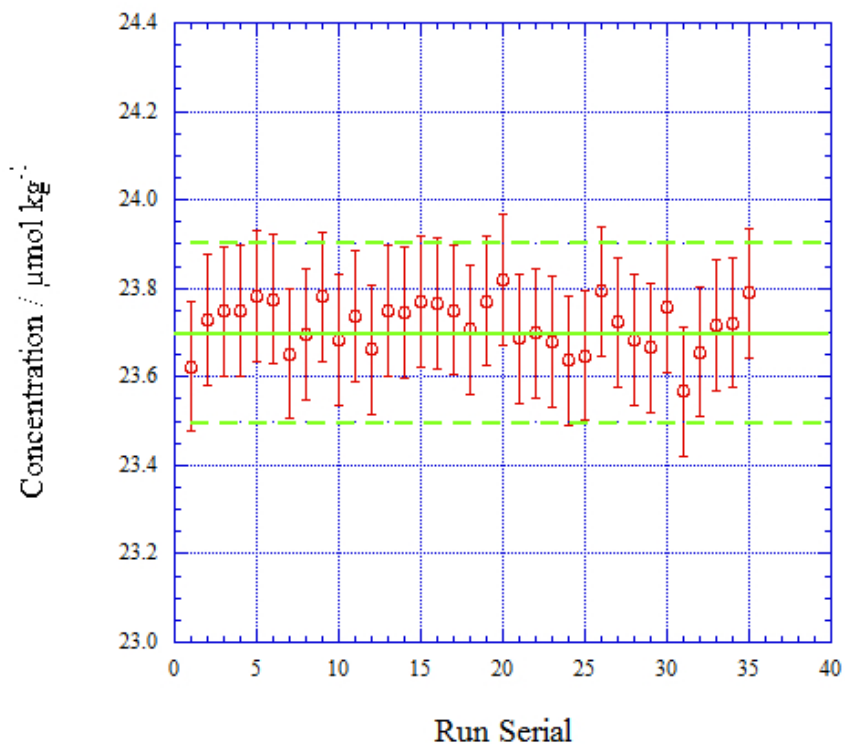


Figure 4.2-12: Time series of CRM-CG of nitrate during MR19-03C. Green line is the certified nitrate concentration of the CRM.

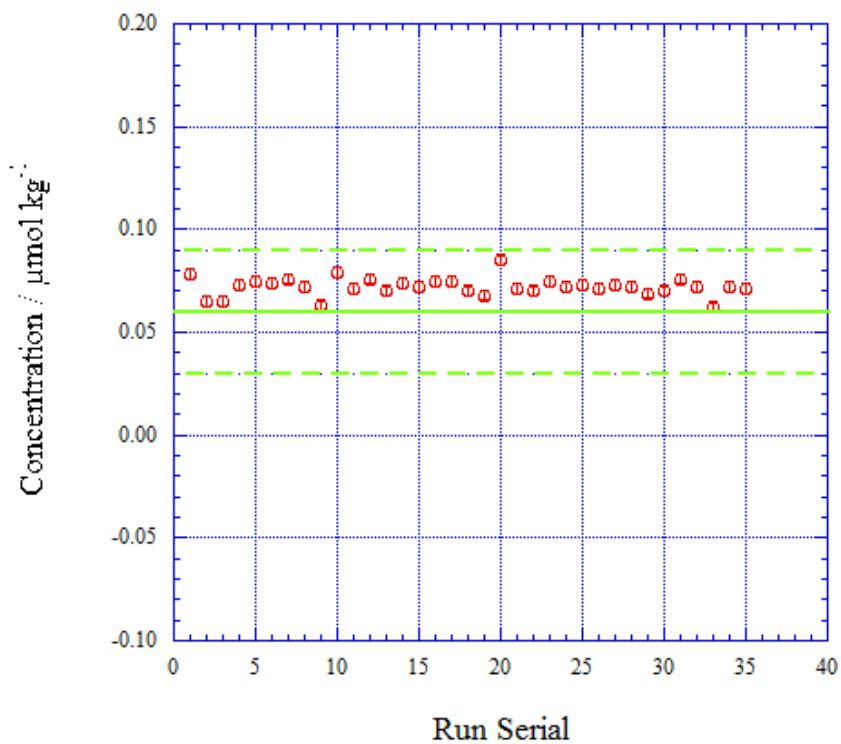


Figure 4.2-13: Time series of CRM-CG of nitrite during MR19-03C. Green line is the certified nitrite concentration of the CRM.

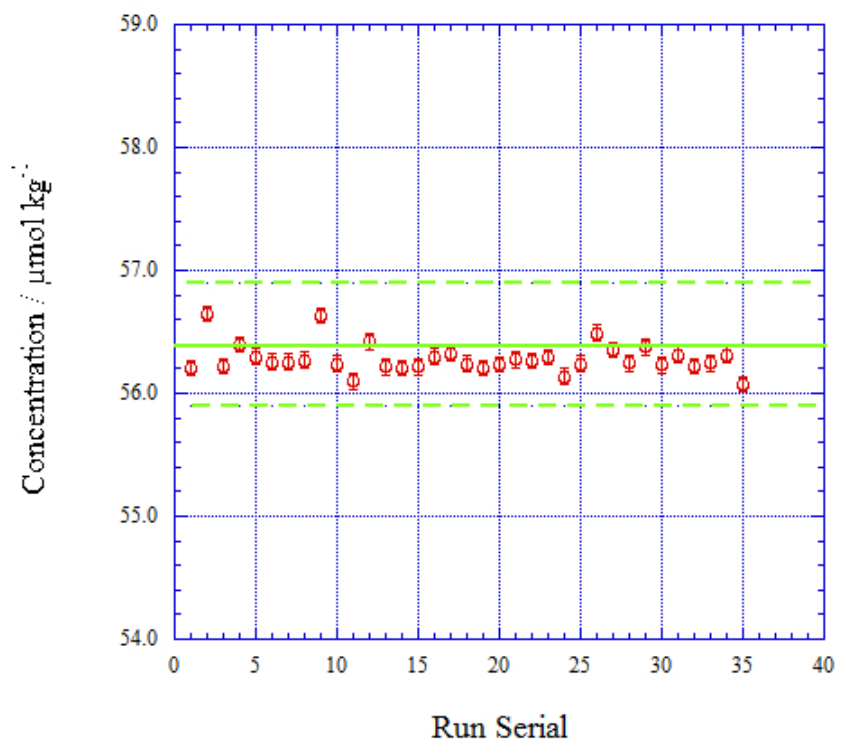


Figure 4.2-14: Time series of CRM-CG of silicate during MR19-03C. Green line is the certified silicate concentration of the CRM.

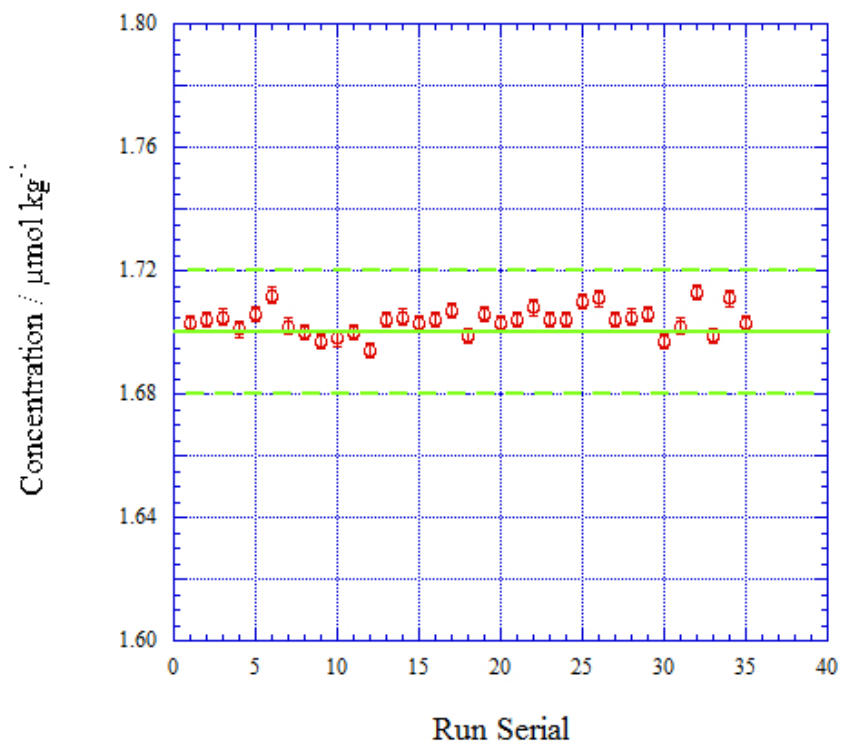


Figure 4.2-15: Time series of CRM-CG of phosphate during MR19-03C. Green line is the certified phosphate concentration of the CRM.

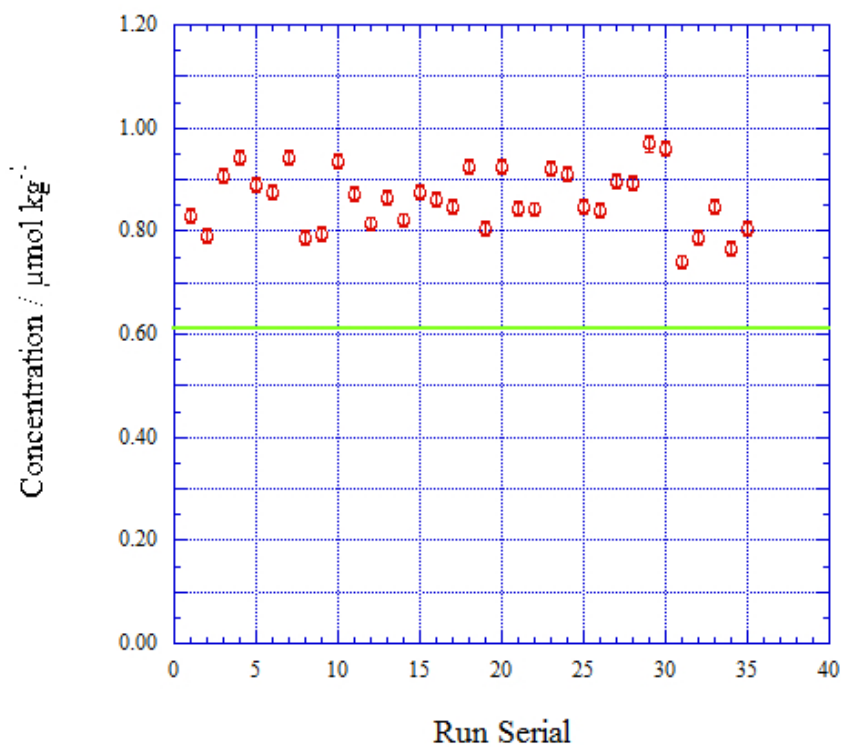


Figure 4.2-16: Time series of CRM-CG of ammonia during MR19-03C. Green line is the reference value of the ammonia concentration of the CRM.

(8.3) Carry over

We can also summarize the magnitudes of the carry over throughout the cruise. These were sufficiently small and within acceptable levels, as shown in Table 4.2-7 and Figures 4.2-17 to 4.2-21.

Table 4.2-7: Summary of carry over throughout MR19-03C

| | Nitrate | Nitrite | Silicate | Phosphate | Ammonia |
|---------|---------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|
| | % | % | % | % | % |
| Median | 0.18 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.10 | 0.37 |
| Mean | 0.18 | 0.05 | 0.10 | 0.10 | 0.38 |
| Maximum | 0.34 | 0.28 | 0.19 | 0.22 | 0.71 |
| Minimum | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.03 | 0.00 | 0.21 |
| N | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 34 |

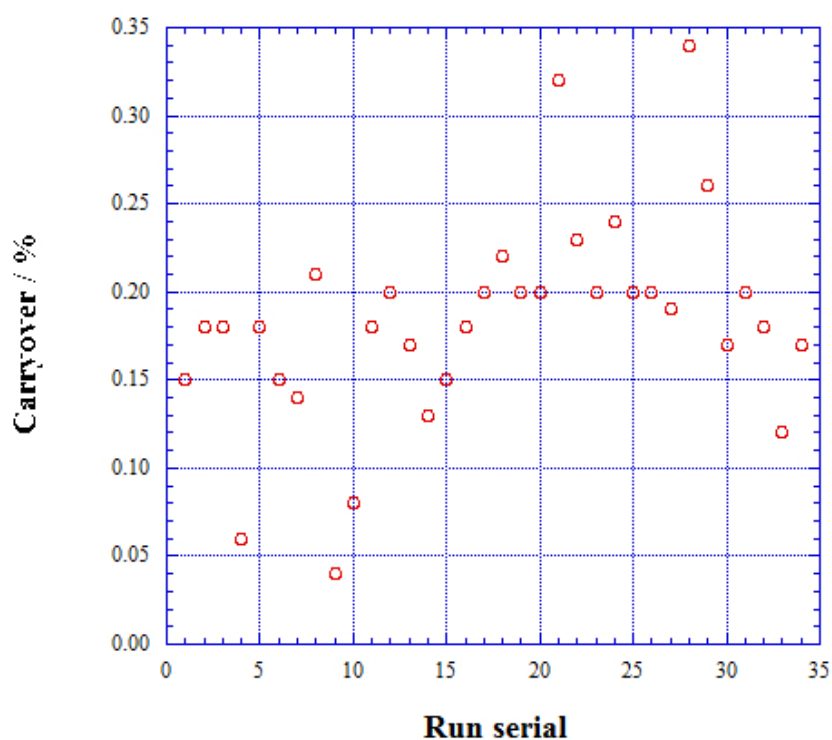


Figure 4.2-17: Time series of carry over of nitrate during MR19-03C.

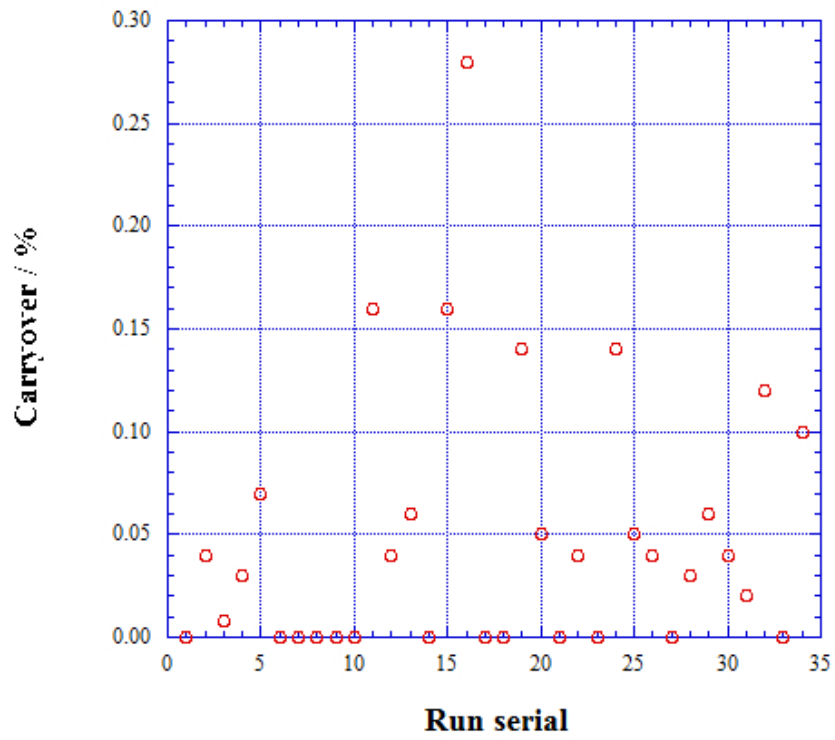


Figure 4.2-18: Time series of carry over of nitrite during MR19-03C.

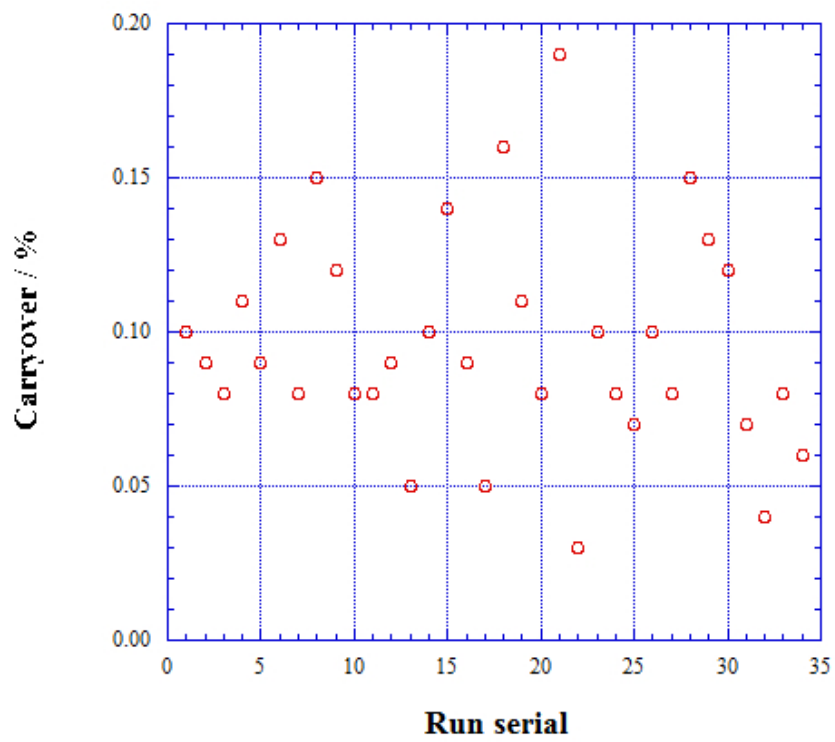


Figure 4.2-19: Time series of carry over of silicate during MR19-03C.

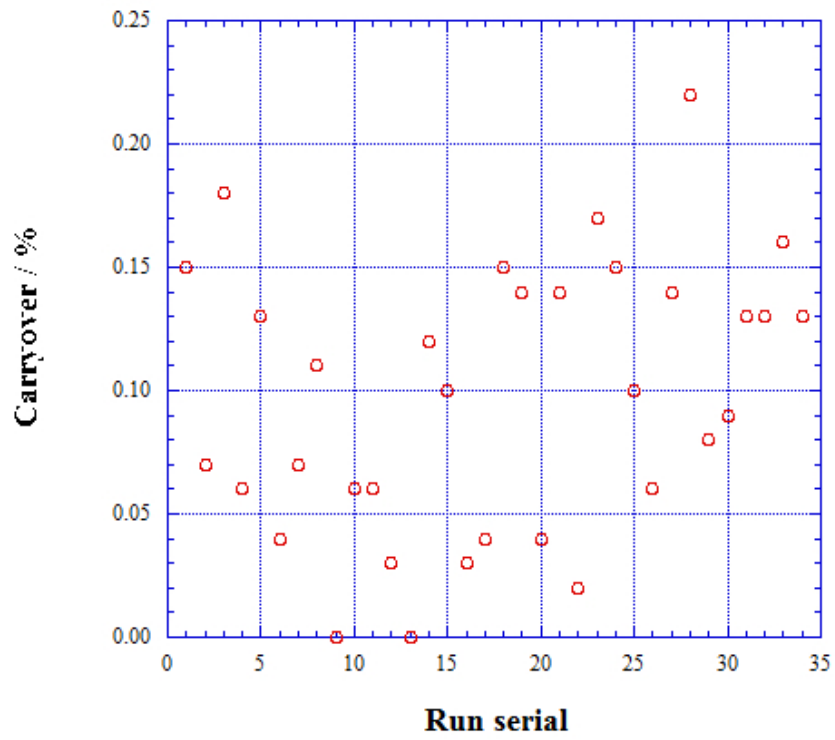


Figure 4.2-20: Time series of carry over of phosphate during MR19-03C.

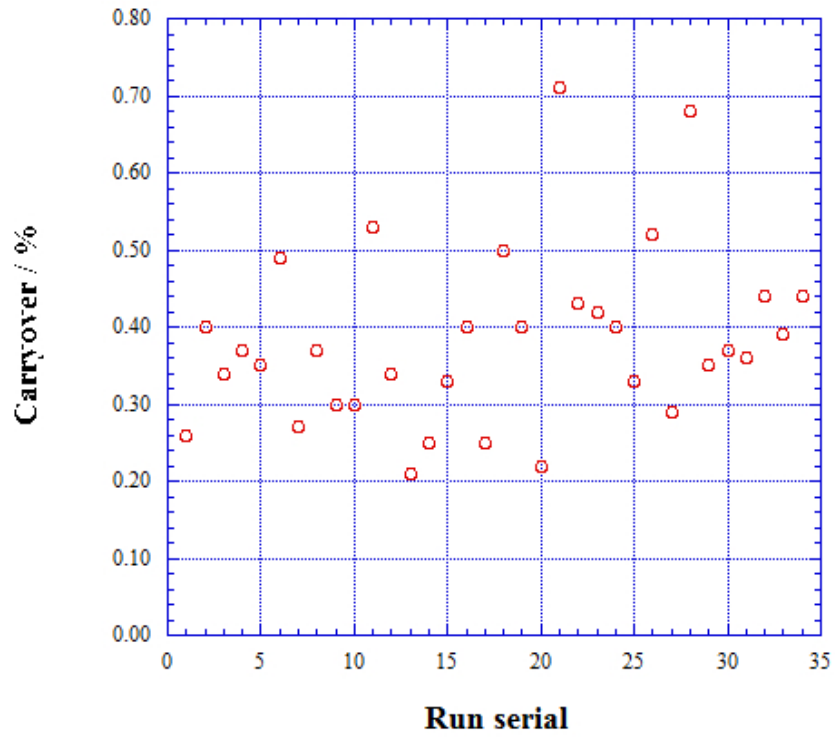


Figure 4.2-21: Time series of carry over of ammonia during MR19-03C.

(8.4) Estimation of uncertainty of nitrate, silicate, phosphate, nitrite and ammonia concentrations

Empirical equations (Eqs. (1)–(5)) used to estimate the uncertainty of the measurements of nitrate, nitrite, silicate, phosphate and ammonia were based on the differences of 958 pairs of duplicate measurements and drift samples during each run. These empirical equations can be expressed as follows.

Nitrate concentration C_{NO_3} in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$:

$$\text{Uncertainty of measurement of nitrate (\%)} = 0.51165 + 2.5869 * (1 / C_{NO_3}) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where C_{NO_3} is the nitrate concentration of the sample.

Nitrite concentration C_{NO_2} in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$:

$$\text{Uncertainty of measurement of nitrite (\%)} = 0.51152 + 0.2095 * (1 / C_{NO_2}) - 0.000048789 * (1 / C_{NO_2}) * (1 / C_{NO_2}) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

where C_{NO_2} is the nitrite concentration of the sample.

Silicate concentration C_{SiO_2} in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$:

$$\text{Uncertainty of measurement of silicate (\%)} = 0.078148 + 1.9825 * (1 / C_{SiO_2}) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

where C_{SiO_2} is the silicate concentration of the sample.

Phosphate concentration C_{PO_4} in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$:

$$\text{Uncertainty of measurement of phosphate (\%)} = 0.11934 + -0.017782 * (1 / C_{PO_4}) - 0.10545 * (1 / C_{PO_4}) * (1 / C_{PO_4}) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

where C_{PO_4} is the phosphate concentration of the sample.

Ammonia concentration C_{NH_4} in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$:

$$\text{Uncertainty of measurement of ammonia (\%)} = 0.30581 + 1.1441 * (1 / C_{NH_4}) - 0.01213 * (1 / C_{NH_4}) * (1 / C_{NH_4}) \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

where C_{NH_4} is the ammonia concentration of the sample.

(9) Problems / improvements occurred and solutions.

When we changed the LNSW from box#62 to box#12 at RUN#20, we observed systematic decrease of phosphate concentration of CRM lot CE from 0.015 to 0.007 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$. We had assumed that the phosphate concentration of the LNSW in these two boxes was the same but it was not. We made direct comparison of the LNSW once, which revealed that the phosphate concentration of the LNSW in box#62 was 0.044 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ and that in box#12 was 0.053 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$. Therefore, we recalculated the phosphate concentration using the value of 0.053 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ as the LNSW concentration from box#12 after run#20. Consequently, the phosphate concentration of CRM lot CE returned to a value of around 0.015 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$. The impact of the recalculation on the samples was $<0.005 \mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$ for phosphate concentration in the range 0.5–1.8 $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$.

(10) List of reagent

A list of the reagents used during the MR19-03C cruise is shown in Table 4.2-8.

Table 4.2-8: List of reagents used during MR19-03C

| IUPAC name | CAS Number | Formula | Compound Name | Manufacture | Grade |
|--|------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 4-Aminobenzenesulfonamide | 63-74-1 | C ₆ H ₈ N ₂ O ₂ S | Sulfanilamide | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Ammonium sulfate | 7783-20-2 | (NH ₄) ₂ SO ₄ | Ammonium Sulfate | National Metrology Institute of Japan | Certified Reference Material |
| Antimony potassium tartrate trihydrate | 28300-74-5 | K ₂ (SbC ₄ H ₂ O ₆) ₂ ·3H ₂ O | Bis[(+)-tartrato]diantimonate(III) Dipotassium Trihydrate | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Boric acid | 10043-35-3 | H ₃ BO ₃ | Boric Acid | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Hydrogen chloride | 7647-01-0 | HCl | Hydrochloric Acid | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Imidazole | 288-32-4 | C ₃ H ₄ N ₂ | Imidazole | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| L-Ascorbic acid | 50-81-7 | C ₆ H ₈ O ₆ | L-Ascorbic Acid | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| N-(1-Naphthalenyl)-1,2-ethanediamine, dihydrochloride | 1465-25-4 | C ₁₂ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ N ₂ | N-1-Naphthylethylenediamine Dihydrochloride | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | for Nitrogen Oxides Analysis |
| Oxalic acid | 144-62-7 | C ₂ H ₂ O ₄ | Oxalic Acid | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | Wako Special Grade |
| Phenol | 108-95-2 | C ₆ H ₆ O | Phenol | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Potassium nitrate | 7757-79-1 | KNO ₃ | Potassium Nitrate | Merck KGaA | Suprapur® |
| Potassium dihydrogen phosphate | 7778-77-0 | KH ₂ PO ₄ | Potassium dihydrogen phosphate anhydrous | Merck KGaA | Suprapur® |
| Sodium citrate dihydrate | 6132-04-3 | Na ₃ C ₆ H ₅ O ₇ ·2H ₂ O | Trisodium Citrate Dihydrate | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Sodium dodecyl sulfate | 151-21-3 | C ₁₂ H ₂₅ NaO ₄ S | Sodium Dodecyl Sulfate | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | for Biochemistry |
| Sodium hydroxide | 1310-73-2 | NaOH | Sodium Hydroxide for Nitrogen Compounds Analysis | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | for Nitrogen Analysis |
| Sodium hypochlorite | 7681-52-9 | NaClO | Sodium Hypochlorite Solution | Kanto Chemical co., Inc. | Extra pure |
| Sodium molybdate dihydrate | 10102-40-6 | Na ₂ MoO ₄ ·2H ₂ O | Disodium Molybdate(VI) Dihydrate | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Sodium nitroferricyanide dihydrate | 13755-38-9 | Na ₂ [Fe(CN) ₅ NO]·2H ₂ O | Sodium Pentacyanonitrosylferrate(III) Dihydrate | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| Sulfuric acid | 7664-93-9 | H ₂ SO ₄ | Sulfuric Acid | Wako Pure Chemical Industries, Ltd. | JIS Special Grade |
| tetrasodium;2-[2-(bis(carboxylatomethyl)amino)ethyl-(carboxylatomethyl)amino]acetate;tetrahydrate | 13235-36-4 | C ₁₀ H ₁₂ N ₂ Na ₄ O ₈ ·4H ₂ O | Ethylenediamine-N,N,N',N'-tetraacetic Acid Tetrasodium Salt Tetrahydrate (4NA) | Dojindo Molecular Technologies, Inc. | - |
| Synonyms: t-Octylphenoxypolyethoxyethanol 4-(1,1,3,3-Tetramethylbutyl)phenyl-polyethylene glycol Polyethylene glycol tert-octylphenyl ether | 9002-93-1 | (C ₂ H ₄ O) _n C ₁₄ H ₂₂ O | Triton™ X-100 | Sigma-Aldrich Japan G.K. | - |

(11) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

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4.3 DIC and TA

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(2) Objectives

Concentrations of CO₂ in the atmosphere are now increasing at a rate of 1.9 ppmv y⁻¹ owing to human activities such as burning of fossil fuels, deforestation and cement production. It is an urgent task to estimate as accurately as possible the absorption capacity of the oceans against the increased concentration of atmospheric CO₂, as well as to clarify the mechanism of CO₂ absorption. This is because the magnitude of the anticipated global warming depends on the level of CO₂ in the atmosphere, and because the ocean currently absorbs 1/3 of the 6 Gt of carbon emitted into the atmosphere annually by human activities.

During this cruise, our objective was to quantify how much anthropogenic CO₂ absorbed in the ocean is transported to and redistributed within the Arctic Ocean. For this purpose, we measured CO₂-system parameters such as dissolved inorganic carbon (DIC) and total alkalinity (TA).

(3) Apparatus

Measurements of DIC and TA were undertaken using a DIC–TA measuring system (Nippon ANS, Inc., Japan) that included separate units capable of analyzing DIC and TA simultaneously. The DIC unit includes a seawater dispensing system, CO₂ extraction system and coulometer. The seawater dispensing system has an autosampler (six ports) that takes seawater in a 250 mL borosilicate glass bottle ((DURAN[®] glass bottle, 250 mL) and dispenses the seawater into a pipette of nominal 15-mL volume under the control of a PC. The pipette is maintained at a temperature of 25 °C by a water jacket fed from a water bath set at 25 °C. The CO₂ dissolved in a seawater sample is extracted in the stripping chamber of the CO₂ extraction system by the addition of phosphoric acid (10% v/v). The stripping chamber is approximately 25-cm long and has a fine frit at the bottom. The acid is added to the stripping chamber from the bottom of the chamber by pressurizing an acid bottle for a given time that pushes out the correct amount of acid. The pressurizing is conducted using nitrogen gas (99.9999%). After the acid is transferred to the stripping chamber, the seawater sample in the pipette is introduced to the stripping chamber using the same method as for adding the acid. The seawater reacts with phosphoric acid and is stripped of its CO₂ by bubbling the nitrogen gas through the fine frit at the bottom of the stripping chamber. The CO₂ stripped in the chamber is carried by the nitrogen gas (flow rate: is 130 mL min⁻¹) to the coulometer through a dehydrating module.

The TA unit comprises a water dispensing system, autosyringe (Hamilton) for hydrochloric acid, spectrophotometer (TM-UV/VIS C10082CAH, Hamamatsu Photonics, Japan) and light source (Mikropack, Germany) that are controlled automatically by a PC. The water dispensing system has a water-jacketed pipette and a titration cell maintained at the temperature of 25 °C.

A seawater sample of approximately 42 mL is transferred from a sample bottle (DURAN[®] glass bottle, 250 mL) into a pipette by pressurizing the sample bottle (using nitrogen gas), following which it is introduced into the

titration cell. First, seawater is used to rinse the titration cell and then Milli-Q water is introduced into the titration cell for a further rinse. A seawater sample of approximately 42 mL is then weighed again in the pipette and transferred into the titration cell. For a seawater blank, the absorbance is measured at three wavelengths (730, 616 and 444 nm). After the measurement, an acid titrant, which is a mixture of approximately 0.05 M HCl at 25 °C in 0.65 M NaCl and 38 µM bromocresol green, is added into the titration cell. The volume of the acid titrant is changed between 1.780 and 2.100 mL according to the estimated values of the TA. The seawater + acid titrant solution is stirred for over 9 min with bubbling by nitrogen gas in the titration cell. Then, the absorbance at the three wavelengths is measured.

Calculation of TA is performed using the following equation:

$$TA = (-[H^+]_T V_{SA} + M_A V_A) / V_S,$$

where M_A is the molarity of the acid titrant added to the seawater sample, $[H^+]_T$ is the total excess hydrogen ion concentration in the seawater, and V_S , V_A and V_{SA} are the initial seawater volume, added acid titrant volume and combined seawater plus acid titrant volume, respectively. $[H^+]_T$ is calculated from the measured absorbance based on the following equation (Yao and Byrne, 1998):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{pH}_T = -\log[H^+]_T = & 4.2699 + 0.002578(35 - S) + \log((R - 0.00131)/(2.3148 - 0.1299R)) \\ & - \log(1 - 0.001005S), \end{aligned}$$

where S is the sample salinity, and R is the absorbance ratio calculated as:

$$R = (A_{616} - A_{730}) / (A_{444} - A_{730}),$$

where A_i is the absorbance at wavelength i nm.

The measurement sequence such as system blank (phosphoric acid blank), 1.5% CO₂ gas in a nitrogen base, sea water samples (6) was programmed to repeat. The measurement of 1.5% CO₂ gas was undertaken to monitor the response of the coulometer solutions that either were from UIC Inc. or made in the laboratory.

(4) Performance

Replicate analysis was undertaken on approximately every fifth seawater sample. The repeatability for DIC and TA was estimated as 0.20 ± 2.49 ($n = 108$) and 0.63 ± 3.05 ($n = 108$) µmol kg⁻¹, respectively (based on data that have not undergone QC).

(5) Results

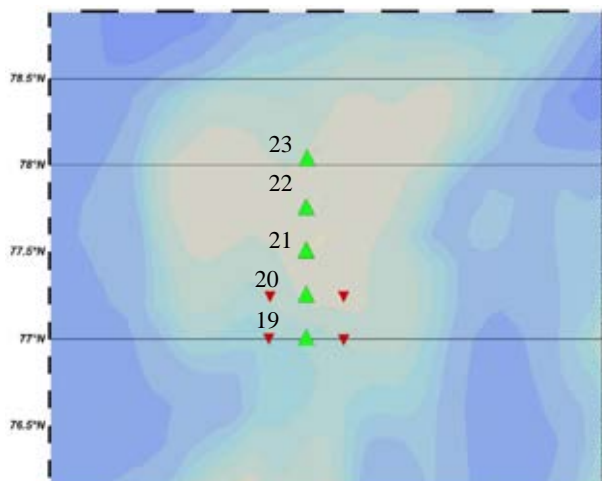


Figure 4.3-1: Positions of repeat line stations (triangles).

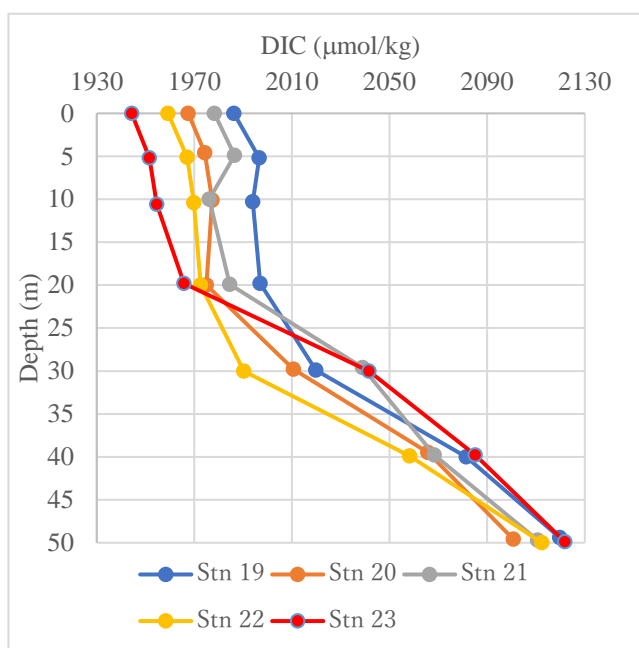


Figure 4.3-2: Vertical distribution of DIC in upper 100 m at each of the repeat line stations.

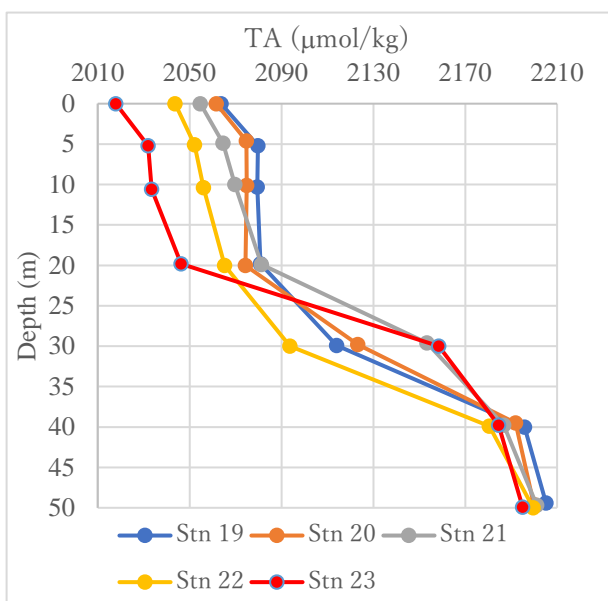


Figure 4.3-3: Vertical distribution of TA in upper 100 m at each of the repeat line stations.

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4.4 CH₄

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Akihiko Murata | JAMSTEC | - PI |
| Sohiko Kameyama | Hokkaido Univ. | - not on board |

(2) Objectives

Methane (CH₄) is one of the most potent greenhouse gases and its concentration in the atmosphere has increased over past decades. Despite its importance, the marine contribution to the global CH₄ budget has substantial uncertainty because observations of oceanic CH₄ are limited. For the Arctic Ocean, it is known that the surface waters are usually supersaturated with respect to atmospheric CH₄, implying that the ocean acts as a source for atmospheric CH₄. However, the magnitude of CH₄ emission varies considerably over both time and space. This large variability reflects the complex biogeochemical dynamics of the Arctic Ocean. Our water column observations of CH₄ were undertaken to understand the processes that control the large spatiotemporal variability of CH₄ distribution within the Arctic Ocean.

(3) Parameters

- Dissolved CH₄ concentration
- Carbon isotopic composition of CH₄

(4) Instruments and methods

(4-1) Discrete bottle sampling

Discrete water samples for each station (Table 4.4) were collected at multiple depths using 12-L Niskin bottles mounted on a CTD system. For each sample, an aliquot of 100 mL seawater was transferred from the Niskin bottles to an amber vial (100 mL). The vial was filled smoothly from the bottom with seawater using a drawing tube that extended from the Niskin drain to the bottom of the vial. The seawater was allowed to overflow by an amount of approximately one and a half times the vial volume. After sampling, 0.5 mL saturated mercuric chloride was added to poison the sample. Then, the vial was crimp-sealed with a butyl-rubber stopper and aluminum cap.

(4-2) Sample storage

The samples were stored at 4 °C in the dark onboard the R/V Mirai, and transported chilled to laboratories on land for analysis when the R/V Mirai returned to Japan.

(4-3) Sample measurement

The samples will be measured using gas chromatography-isotope ratio mass spectrometry (GC-IRMS) coupled with a purge and trap extraction system in Nagoya University, Japan.

(5) Station list or Observation log

A list of the water sampling stations for CH₄ is presented in Table 4.4.

Table 4.4: List of sampling stations for water column CH₄

| Stn. | Sampling date (UTC) | Latitude (N) | Longitude (W) |
|-------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 002 | 08 Oct. | 66°-00.17'' | 168°-44.72'' |
| 004 | 08 Oct. | 67°-00.13'' | 168°-44.26'' |
| 005 | 09 Oct. | 69°-00.19'' | 168°-45.18'' |
| 007 | 09 Oct. | 69°-59.96'' | 168°-45.03'' |
| 009 | 10 Oct. | 71°-59.76'' | 163°-29.99'' |
| 011 | 10 Oct. | 72°-60.00'' | 160°-00.20'' |
| 013 | 11 Oct. | 72°-19.98'' | 155°-00.52'' |
| 015 | 12 Oct. | 71°-59.99'' | 147°-29.98'' |
| 019-1 | 16 Oct. | 76°-59.96'' | 164°-59.94'' |
| 020-1 | 16 Oct. | 77°-15.04'' | 164°-59.71'' |
| 021-1 | 17 Oct. | 77°-30.01'' | 165°-00.01'' |
| 022-1 | 17 Oct. | 77°-45.00'' | 165°-00.01'' |
| 023 | 18 Oct. | 78°-02.13'' | 164°-58.49'' |

(6) Data archives

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4.5 Radiocesium (^{134}Cs and ^{137}Cs), radioradium (^{226}Ra and ^{228}Ra) and PAHs

(1) Personnel

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JAMSTEC

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(2) Objective

Determination of activity concentrations of radiocesium (^{134}Cs and ^{137}Cs), radioradium (^{226}Ra and ^{228}Ra) and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in the Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea and northern North Pacific Ocean.

(3) Parameters

^{134}Cs , ^{137}Cs , ^{226}Ra , ^{228}Ra , and PAHs

(4) Instruments and methods

a. Sampling

Surface seawater samples were collected from water pumped continuously from a depth of approximately 4 m. The sample volumes collected for analysis of radiocesium, radioradium and PAHs were 40 L (two 20-L plastic containers), 20 L (one 20-L plastic container) and 10 L (one 10-L stainless-steel container), respectively.

b. Preparation and analysis

The seawater samples collected for the radiocesium measurements were unfiltered and acidified by adding nitric acid. Radiocesium in the seawater samples was concentrated using ammonium phosphomolybdate, which forms an insoluble compound with cesium. The radiocesium (^{134}Cs and ^{137}Cs) in the derived compound was measured using Ge gamma ray spectrometers.

The seawater sample used for the radioradium measurements was unfiltered. Least Ra-contaminated barium carrier and SO_4^{2-} were added to the 20-L seawater sample to coprecipitate the radium with BaSO_4 . After evaporating to dryness, the BaSO_4 fraction was compressed to a disc as a mixture of $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_3$ and NaCl for gamma ray spectrometry using Ge-detectors.

Particulate and dissolved phases of the 10-L seawater sample were separated by filtration through 0.5- μm glass-fiber filters. Dissolved organic compounds, including PAHs, were concentrated using C18 solid-phase extraction disks. Particulate and dissolved PAHs were extracted from the glass-fiber filters using an ultrasonic method and eluted from the C18 disks with dichloromethane, respectively. Dimethyl sulfoxide was added to both extracted solutions, following which the dichloromethane was evaporated to dryness and the residue of the dimethyl sulfoxide was dissolved in acetonitrile. The PAHs in the sample was quantified using the high-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) system with a fluorescence detector.

(5) Sample list

We collected samples of seawater from nine stations for the analyses of radiocesium, radioradium and PAHs in the Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea and northern North Pacific Ocean during this cruise (Table 4.5).

(6) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

Table 4.5: Seawater samples collected for the analyses of radiocesium, radioradium and PAHs

| No. | Station | Depth (m) | Method | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) | Date (UTC) |
|-----|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 1 | surface-1 | 4 | pump | 46.76 | 160.30 | 2019/10/2 |
| 2 | surface-2 | 4 | pump | 52.47 | 170.02 | 2019/10/4 |
| 3 | surface-3 | 4 | pump | 59.16 | 180.05 | 2019/10/6 |
| 4 | surface-4 | 4 | pump | 64.67 | 190.08 | 2019/10/8 |
| 5 | surface-5 | 4 | pump | 69.89 | 191.27 | 2019/10/9 |
| 6 | surface-6 | 4 | pump | 72.97 | 200.18 | 2019/10/10 |
| 7 | surface-7 | 4 | pump | 73.79 | 214.75 | 2019/10/13 |
| 8 | surface-8 | 4 | pump | 75.52 | 204.26 | 2019/10/15 |
| 9 | surface-9 | 4 | pump | 78.07 | 194.83 | 2019/10/18 |

4.6 ^{129}I

(1) Personnel

Yuichiro Kumamoto

JAMSTEC

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(2) Objective

Determination of activity concentrations of ^{129}I in the Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea and northern North Pacific Ocean.

(3) Parameters

^{129}I

(4) Instruments and methods

a. Sampling

Seawater samples for ^{129}I were collected using 12-L Niskin-X bottles. Seawater for sampling was collected from the surface using a bucket or pumped continuously from a depth of approximately 4 m. The seawater samples were collected into 1-L plastic bottles that had been rinsed twice.

b. Preparation and analysis

Iodine in the seawater samples was extracted using the solvent extraction technique. Extracted iodine was then precipitated as silver iodide by the addition of silver nitrate. The iodine isotopic ratios ($^{129}\text{I}/^{127}\text{I}$) of the silver iodide were measured by accelerator mass spectrometry. To evaluate the ^{129}I concentration in the seawater samples, iodine concentration (^{127}I) will be measured using inductively coupled plasma mass spectrometry and/or voltammetry.

(5) Sample list

We collected 74 seawater samples for ^{129}I measurements from the Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea, and northern North Pacific Ocean during this cruise (Table 4.6).

(6) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

Table 4.6: Seawater samples collected for the ^{129}I measurements

| No. | Station | Depth (m) | Method | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) | Date (UTC) |
|-----|---------|-----------|--------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 1 | Stn.13 | 0 | bucket | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 2 | Stn.13 | 20 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 3 | Stn.13 | 50 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 4 | Stn.13 | 100 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 5 | Stn.13 | 150 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 6 | Stn.13 | 200 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 7 | Stn.13 | 250 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 8 | Stn.13 | 300 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 9 | Stn.13 | 400 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 10 | Stn.13 | 600 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 11 | Stn.13 | 800 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 12 | Stn.13 | 1000 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 13 | Stn.13 | 1500 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 14 | Stn.13 | 1952 | niskin | 72.33 | 204.99 | 2019/10/11 |
| 15 | Stn.15 | 0 | bucket | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 16 | Stn.15 | 20 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 17 | Stn.15 | 50 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 18 | Stn.15 | 100 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 19 | Stn.15 | 150 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 20 | Stn.15 | 200 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 21 | Stn.15 | 250 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 22 | Stn.15 | 300 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 23 | Stn.15 | 400 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 24 | Stn.15 | 600 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 25 | Stn.15 | 800 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 26 | Stn.15 | 1000 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 27 | Stn.15 | 1500 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 28 | Stn.15 | 2000 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 29 | Stn.15 | 2500 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 30 | Stn.15 | 3000 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 31 | Stn.15 | 3505 | niskin | 71.20 | 212.50 | 2019/10/12 |
| 32 | Stn.16 | 0 | bucket | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 33 | Stn.16 | 20 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 34 | Stn.16 | 50 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 35 | Stn.16 | 100 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 36 | Stn.16 | 150 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |

Table 4.6: continued.

| No. | Station | Depth (m) | Method | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) | Date (UTC) |
|-----|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 37 | Stn.16 | 200 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 38 | Stn.16 | 250 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 39 | Stn.16 | 300 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 40 | Stn.16 | 400 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 41 | Stn.16 | 600 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 42 | Stn.16 | 800 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 43 | Stn.16 | 1000 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 44 | Stn.16 | 1500 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 45 | Stn.16 | 2000 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 46 | Stn.16 | 2500 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 47 | Stn.16 | 3000 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 48 | Stn.16 | 3306 | niskin | 72.00 | 215.00 | 2019/10/12 |
| 49 | Stn.17 | 0 | bucket | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 50 | Stn.17 | 20 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 51 | Stn.17 | 50 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 52 | Stn.17 | 100 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 53 | Stn.17 | 150 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 54 | Stn.17 | 200 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 55 | Stn.17 | 250 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 56 | Stn.17 | 300 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 57 | Stn.17 | 400 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 58 | Stn.17 | 600 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 59 | Stn.17 | 800 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 60 | Stn.17 | 1000 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 61 | Stn.17 | 1500 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 62 | Stn.17 | 2000 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 63 | Stn.17 | 2500 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 64 | Stn.17 | 3000 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 65 | Stn.17 | 3824 | niskin | 74.77 | 209.50 | 2019/10/14 |
| 66 | surface-1 | 4 | pump | 46.76 | 160.30 | 2019/10/2 |
| 67 | surface-2 | 4 | pump | 52.47 | 170.02 | 2019/10/4 |
| 68 | surface-3 | 4 | pump | 59.16 | 180.05 | 2019/10/6 |
| 69 | surface-4 | 4 | pump | 64.67 | 190.08 | 2019/10/8 |
| 70 | surface-5 | 4 | pump | 69.89 | 191.27 | 2019/10/9 |
| 71 | surface-6 | 4 | pump | 72.97 | 200.18 | 2019/10/10 |
| 72 | surface-7 | 4 | pump | 73.79 | 214.75 | 2019/10/13 |

Table 4.6: continued.

| No. | Station | Depth (m) | Method | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) | Date (UTC) |
|-----|-----------|-----------|--------|--------------|---------------|------------|
| 73 | surface-8 | 4 | pump | 75.52 | 204.26 | 2019/10/15 |
| 74 | surface-9 | 4 | pump | 78.07 | 194.83 | 2019/10/18 |

4.7 DOC and FDOM

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|---------------------|---------|--------------------|
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| Akihiko Murata | JAMSTEC | |

(2) Objectives

The Arctic Ocean receives approximately 10% of global river runoff. The rivers draining into the Arctic Ocean have high concentrations of dissolved organic carbon (DOC) and consequently they supply a large amount of the DOC found there. The rates of supply of DOC must vary spatially and temporally, which should affect the quantity and composition of dissolved organic matter (DOM) within the Arctic Ocean. Changes in the quantity and composition of the DOM play an important role in the growth of microbes, and ultimately in the fate of the supplied DOM in the Arctic Ocean. To elucidate the quantity and composition of DOM in the Arctic Ocean, samples of surface water were collected for analysis of the DOC concentration and excitation–emission matrix (EEM) of fluorescent dissolved organic matter (FDOM).

(3) Parameters

DOC concentration
EEM of FDOM

(4) Instruments and methods

(4-1) Bottle sampling

Discrete samples of surface water at each sampling station (Table 4.7) were collected using 12-L Niskin bottles mounted on a CTD system. Each sample was filtered using a precombusted glass-fiber filter (GF/F, Whatman). The filtration was undertaken by connecting a spigot of the Niskin bottle through a silicone tube to an inline plastic filter holder. Filtrates for the analyses of DOC concentration and EEM of FDOM were collected in acid-washed 60-mL high-density polyethylene bottles and precombusted glass vials with acid-washed Teflon-lined caps after triple rinsing, respectively.

(4-2) Sample storage

The samples were stored frozen in the dark onboard the R/V Mirai until analysis.

(4-3) Sample measurement

The samples for DOC concentration and EEM of FDOM will be measured using a Shimadzu TOC-L system coupled with a Shimadzu Total N analyzer at JAMSTEC and by a Horiba Aqualog at JAMSTEC, respectively.

(5) Station list

A list of the water sampling stations for the analyses of DOC concentration and EEM of FDOM is presented in Table 4.7.

Table 4.7: List of sampling stations for analyses of DOC concentration and EEM of FDOM

| CTD Stn. | Latitude | Longitude |
|----------|-----------|------------|
| 002 | 66-00.17N | 168-44.72W |
| 004 | 67-00.13N | 168-44.26W |
| 005 | 69-00.19N | 168-45.18W |
| 007 | 69-59.96N | 168-45.03W |
| 009 | 71-59.76N | 163-29.99W |
| 011 | 72-60.00N | 160-00.20W |
| 013 | 72-19.98N | 155-00.52W |
| 014 | 72-09.43N | 153-47.41W |
| 015 | 71-59.99N | 147-29.98W |
| 016 | 72-00.00N | 145-00.05W |
| 017 | 74-46.09N | 150-30.13W |
| 018 | 76-27.95N | 161-38.51W |
| 019 | 76-59.96N | 164-59.94W |
| 020 | 77-15.04N | 164-59.71W |
| 021 | 77-30.01N | 165-00.01W |
| 022 | 77-45.00N | 165-00.01W |
| 023 | 78-02.13N | 164-58.49W |
| 024 | 77-15.00N | 165-59.97W |
| 025 | 77-00.37N | 165-59.88W |
| 026 | 77-00.01N | 164-00.01W |
| 027 | 77-15.00N | 164-00.01W |
| 028 | 77-00.22N | 168-46.13W |
| 029 | 74-00.01N | 168-44.83W |
| 030 | 73-30.00N | 168-45.00W |
| 031 | 73-00.03N | 168-45.04W |
| 032 | 72-30.03N | 168-44.61W |
| 033 | 70-30.00N | 168-44.92W |
| 034 | 70-00.00N | 168-45.04W |
| 035 | 69-30.19N | 168-45.23W |
| 036 | 68-59.99N | 168-45.29W |
| 037 | 68-00.88N | 167-52.05W |
| 038 | 67-46.99N | 168-36.29W |
| 039 | 67-30.07N | 168-45.11W |
| 040 | 67-00.06N | 168-44.71W |
| 041 | 66-29.99N | 168-45.02W |

(6) Data archives

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4.8 Underway surface water monitoring

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|----------------|---------|--------------------|
| Akihiko Murata | JAMSTEC | - PI |
| Erii Irie | MWJ | - Operation leader |
| Yuko Miyoshi | MWJ | |
| Kanako Yoshida | MWJ | |

(2) Objective

Our purpose was to obtain temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen and fluorescence data continuously from near-sea surface water to reveal their spatiotemporal variations.

(3) Parameters

Temperature
Salinity
Dissolved oxygen
Fluorescence
Turbidity

(4) Instruments and Methods

The Continuous Sea Surface Water Monitoring System (Marine Works Japan Co., Ltd.) has four sensors that can automatically measure temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen, fluorescence and turbidity in near-surface seawater every minute. Onboard the R/V Mirai, this system is located in the sea surface monitoring laboratory and connected to the ship's LAN. During the monitoring program, the measured data, time and location of the ship were stored in a PC-based data management system. Seawater was pumped continuously up to the laboratory from an intake placed approximately 4.5 m below the sea surface and it flowed into the system via a vinyl-chloride pipe. The flow rate of the surface seawater was adjusted to $10 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ min}^{-1}$.

a. Instruments

Software

Seamoni Ver.1.2.0.0

Sensors

The specifications of each sensor in this system are listed below.

Temperature and Conductivity sensor

| | |
|--------------------|--|
| Model: | SBE-45, SEA-BIRD ELECTRONICS, INC. |
| Serial number: | 4557820-0319 |
| Measurement range: | Temperature $-5 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ - $+35 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Conductivity 0 S m^{-1} - 7 S m^{-1} |
| Initial accuracy: | Temperature $0.002 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ Conductivity 0.0003 S m^{-1} |

| | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Typical stability (per month): | Temperature 0.0002 °C Conductivity 0.0003 S m ⁻¹ |
| Resolution: | Temperature 0.0001 °C Conductivity 0.00001 S m ⁻¹ |

Bottom of ship thermometer

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Model: | SBE 38, SEA-BIRD ELECTRONICS, INC. |
| Serial number: | 3852788-0457 |
| Measurement range: | -5 °C - +35 °C |
| Initial accuracy: | ±0.001 °C |
| Typical stability (per 6 month): | 0.001 °C |
| Resolution: | 0.00025 °C |

Dissolved oxygen sensor

| | |
|------------------|---|
| Model: | RINKO II, JFE ADVANTECH CO. LTD. |
| Serial number: | 0013 |
| Measuring range: | 0 mg L ⁻¹ - 20 mg L ⁻¹ |
| Resolution: | 0.001 mg L ⁻¹ - 0.004 mg L ⁻¹ (25 °C) |
| Accuracy: | Saturation ± 2 % F.S. (non-linear) (1 atm, 25 °C) |

Fluorescence & Turbidity sensor

| | |
|--------------------------|---|
| Model: | C3, TURNER DESIGNS |
| Serial number: | 2300384 |
| Measuring range: | Chlorophyll in vivo 0 µg L ⁻¹ – 500 µg L ⁻¹ |
| Minimum Detection Limit: | Chlorophyll in vivo 0.03 µg L ⁻¹ |
| Measuring range: | Turbidity 0 NTU - 1500 NTU |
| Minimum Detection Limit: | Turbidity 0.05 NTU |

(5) Observation log

The spatial and temporal distributions of each property are shown in Figure 4.8-1. We took samples of the surface seawater from this system once daily to compare the sensor data with bottle salinity, dissolved oxygen and chlorophyll a data. The results are shown in Figure 4.8-2. All the salinity samples were analyzed using the model 8400B “AUTOSAL” manufactured by Guildline Instruments Ltd. (see Chapter 3.2). The dissolved oxygen samples were analyzed using the Winkler method (see Chapter 4.1). Chlorophyll a was analyzed using the 10-AU manufactured by Turner Designs (see Chapter 4.11).

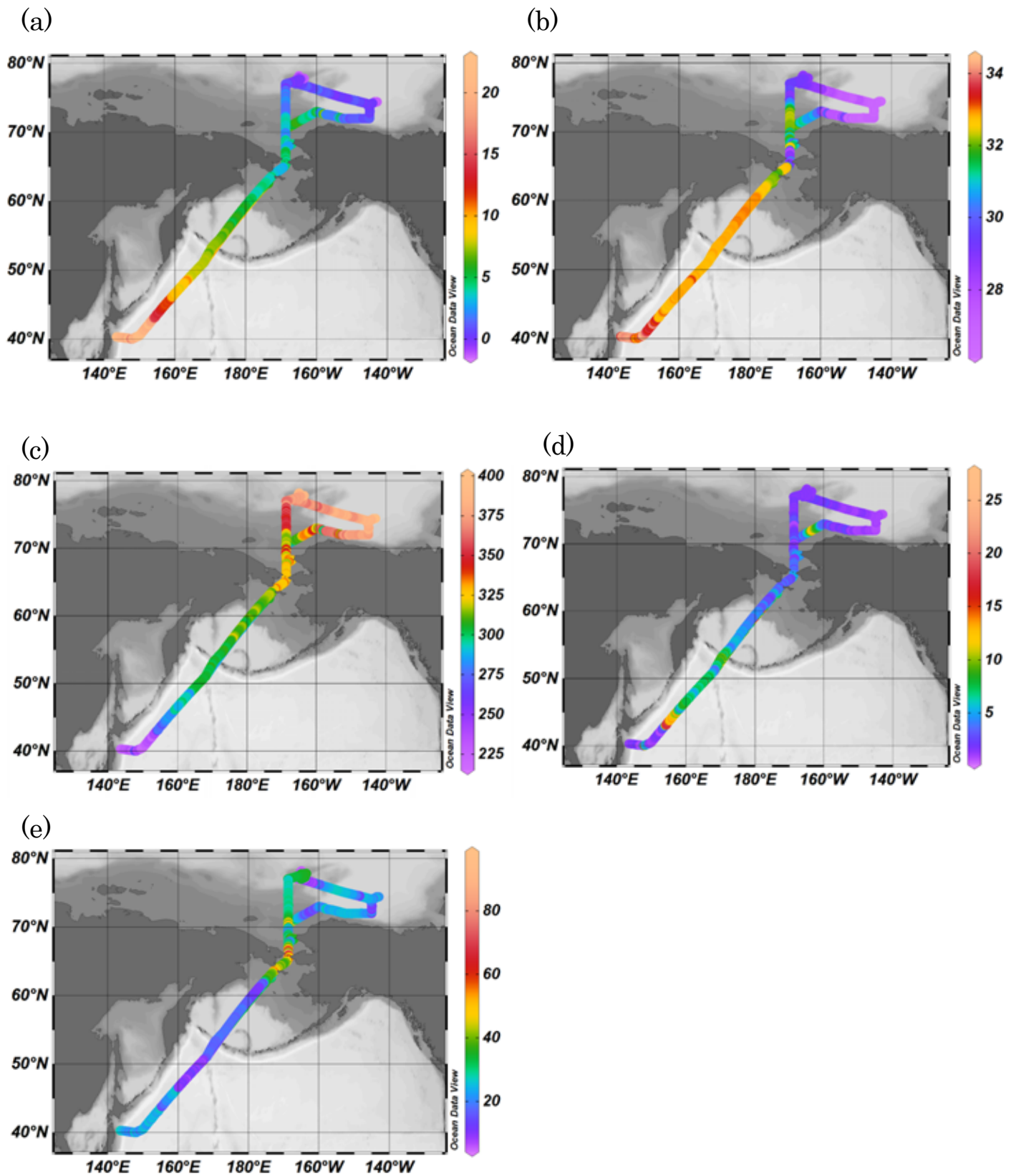


Figure 4.8-1: Spatial and temporal distributions of (a) temperature, (b) salinity, (c) dissolved oxygen, (d) fluorescence and (e) turbidity recorded during the MR19-03C cruise.

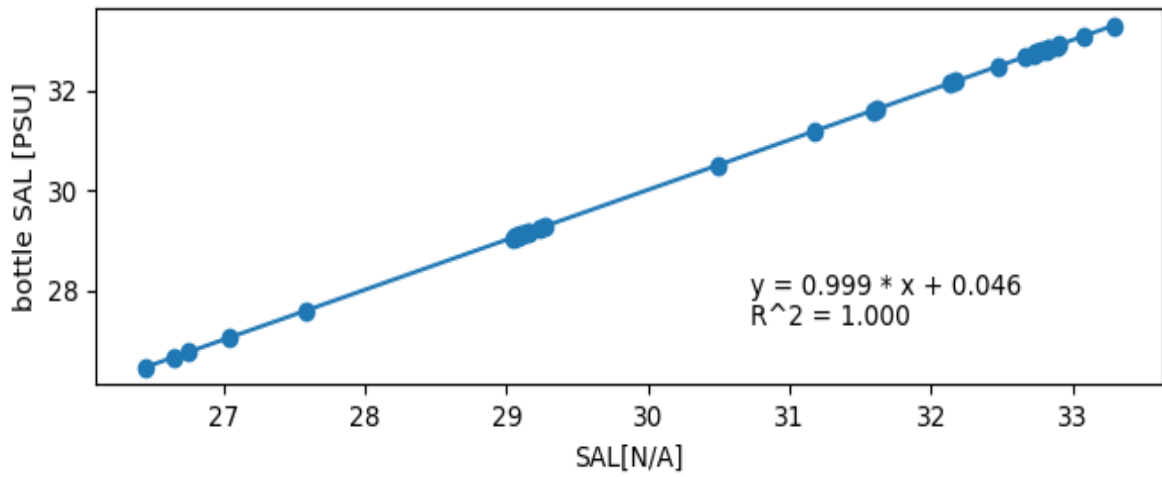


Figure 4.8-2: Correlation between salinity of sensor data and bottle data.

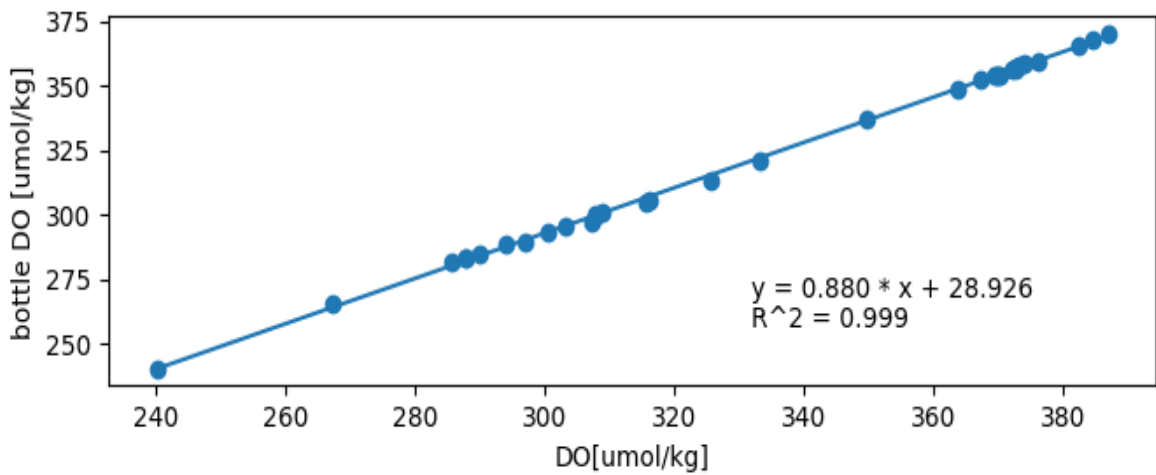


Figure 4.8-3: Correlation between dissolved oxygen of sensor data and bottle data.

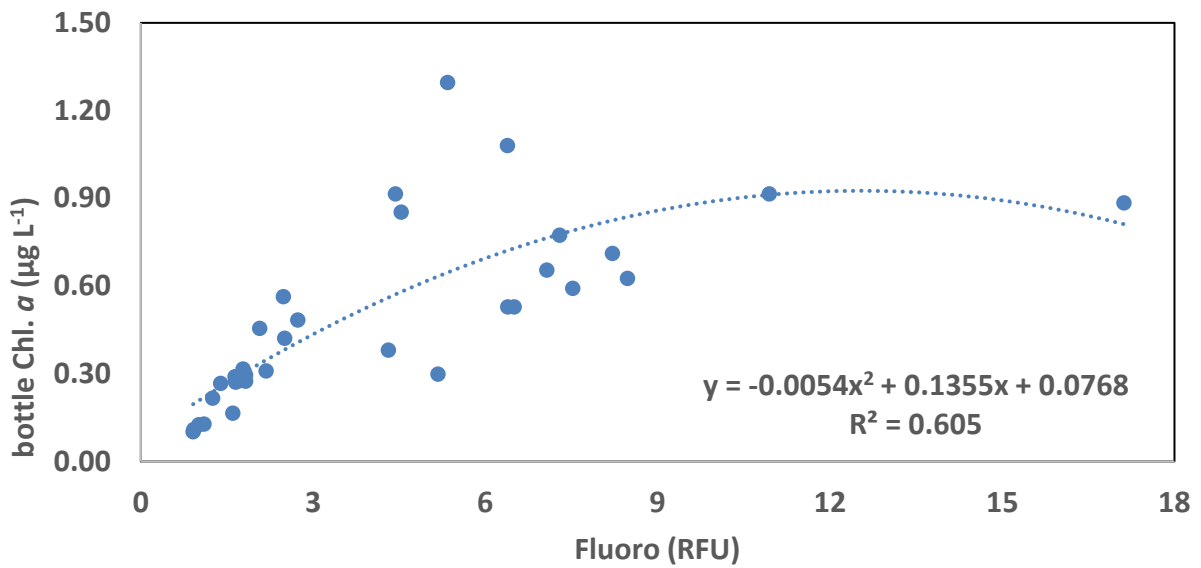


Figure 4.8-4: Correlation between fluorescence of sensor data and bottle data.

(6) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

4.9 Continuous measurement of CO₂ and CH₄

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(2) Objective

Our purpose was to acquire in situ measurements of the concentrations of CO₂ and CH₄ in near-surface seawater.

(3) Methods, Apparatus and Performance

Using CO₂ and CH₄ standard gases (Table 4.9-1), the concentrations of CO₂ and CH₄ both in the atmosphere and in air equilibrated with surface seawater were analyzed using an automated system equipped with a nondispersive infrared gas analyzer (NDIR; LI-7000, Li-Cor) and an off-axis integrated-cavity output spectroscopy gas analyzer (Off-Axis ICOS; 911-0011, Los Gatos Research), which was developed based on cavity ringdown spectroscopy. Standard gases and atmospheric air taken from the bow of the ship (approximately 13 m above sea level) were measured at approximately 2-h intervals. Seawater was taken from an intake placed approximately 4.5 m below the sea surface and pumped into the equilibrator at a flow rate of 4–5 L min⁻¹. The equilibrated air was circulated in a closed loop by a pump at a flow rate of 0.6–0.7 L min⁻¹ through two electric cooling units, a starling cooler, the NDIR and the Off-Axis ICOS.

We also conducted discrete water sampling for surface seawater CH₄ for verification of the underway CH₄ measurements (Table 4.9-2)

(4) Preliminary result

The temporal variations of CO₂ and CH₄ concentrations are shown in Figures 4.9-1 and 4.9-2, respectively.

Table 4.9-1: Concentrations of CO₂ and CH₄ standard gases

| | CO ₂ (ppmv) | CH ₄ (ppmv) |
|-------|------------------------|------------------------|
| STD 1 | 249 | - |
| STD 2 | 319 | - |
| STD 3 | 390 | - |
| STD 4 | 461 | - |
| STD 5 | 241 | 1.62 |
| STD 6 | 380 | 1.91 |
| STD 7 | - | 2.13 |

Table 4.9-2: Sampling points of seawater CH₄ samples used to check for contamination

| CTD Stn. | Sampling date (UTC) | Latitude (N) | Longitude (W) |
|----------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 002 | 08 Oct. | 66°-00.17" | 168°-44.72" |
| 004 | 08 Oct. | 67°-00.13" | 168°-44.26" |
| 005 | 09 Oct. | 69°-00.19" | 168°-45.18" |
| 007 | 09 Oct. | 69°-59.96" | 168°-45.03" |
| 009 | 10 Oct. | 71°-59.76" | 163°-29.99" |
| 011 | 10 Oct. | 72°-60.00" | 160°-00.20" |
| 013 | 11 Oct. | 72°-19.98" | 155°-00.52" |
| 015 | 12 Oct. | 71°-59.99" | 147°-29.98" |
| 019-1 | 16 Oct. | 76°-59.96" | 164°-59.94" |
| 020-1 | 16 Oct. | 77°-15.04" | 164°-59.71" |
| 021-1 | 17 Oct. | 77°-30.01" | 165°-00.01" |
| 022-1 | 17 Oct. | 77°-45.00" | 165°-00.01" |

(5) Data archive

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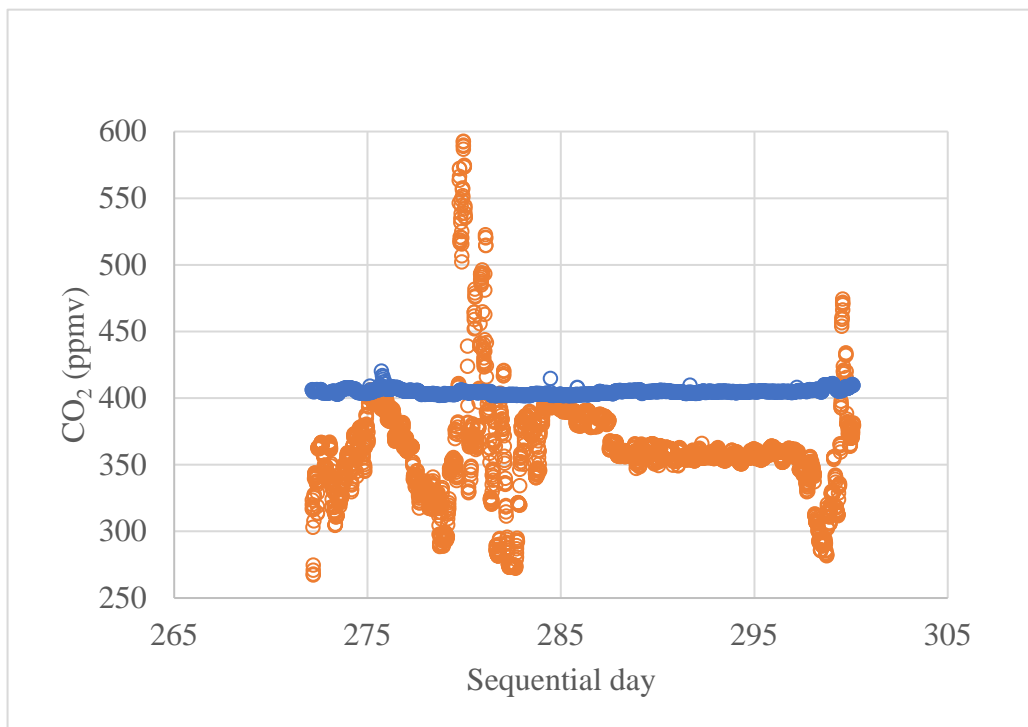


Figure 4.9-1: Temporal variations of atmospheric and surface seawater CO₂. Blue and orange colors show atmospheric and surface seawater CO₂ concentrations, respectively. The x-axis shows sequential days starting from 1 January 2019.

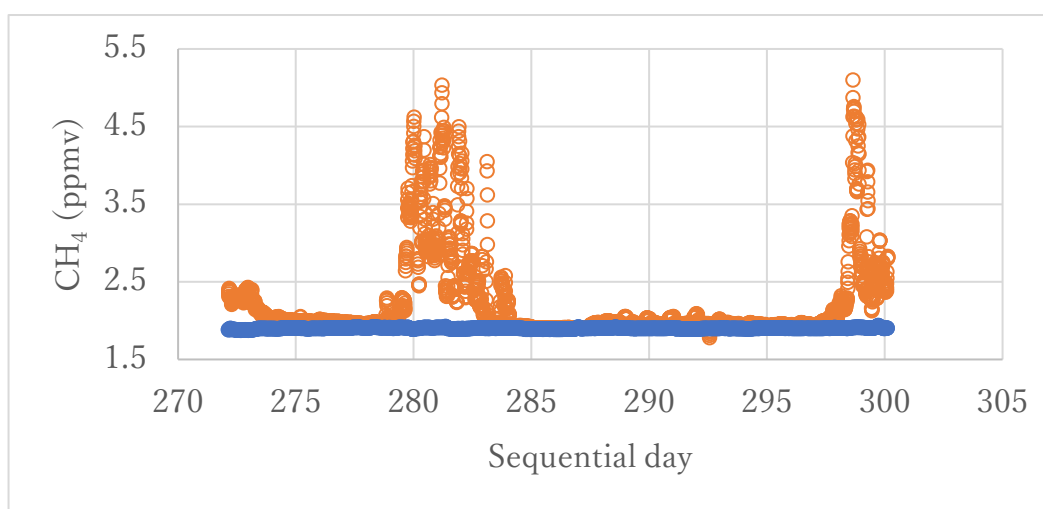


Figure 4.9-2: Temporal variations of atmospheric and surface seawater CH₄. Blue and orange colors show atmospheric and surface seawater CH₄ concentrations, respectively. The x-axis shows sequential days starting from 1 January 2019.

4.10 Underway DIC

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(2) Objective

Our purpose was to measure the total DIC concentration in surface seawater and to reveal its spatiotemporal variations.

(3) Parameter

DIC

(4) Instruments and Methods

Continuous underway measurements of surface seawater C_T were made using the C_T measuring system (Nihon ANS, Inc.) installed onboard the R/V Mirai of JAMSTEC.

The underway water sampling device collects surface seawater in a ~300 mL borosilicate glass bottle automatically after allowing overflow of three times the bottle volume. Before measurement, the water samples were stored at 20 °C. The seawater is then transferred into a pipette (~15 mL) maintained at a temperature of 20 °C by a water jacket fed from a water bath set at 20 °C. The CO₂ dissolved in a seawater sample is extracted in a stripping chamber of the CO₂ extraction system by the addition of phosphoric acid (~10% v/v; approximately 2 mL). The stripping chamber is approximately 25-cm long and has a fine frit at the bottom. The acid is added to the stripping chamber from the bottom of the chamber by pressurizing an acid bottle for a given time that pushes out the correct amount of acid. The pressurizing is conducted using nitrogen gas (99.9999%). After the acid is transferred to the stripping chamber, the seawater sample in the pipette is introduced to the stripping chamber using the same method as for adding the acid. The seawater reacts with phosphoric acid and is stripped of its CO₂ by bubbling the nitrogen gas through the fine frit at the bottom of the stripping chamber. The CO₂ stripped in the chamber is carried by the nitrogen gas (flow rate: 140 mL min⁻¹) to the coulometer through a dehydrating module. The module consists of two electric dehumidifiers (maintained at ~2 °C) and a chemical desiccant (Mg(ClO₄)₂).

(5) Observation log

The cruise track during the underway DIC observation is shown in Figure 4.10-1.

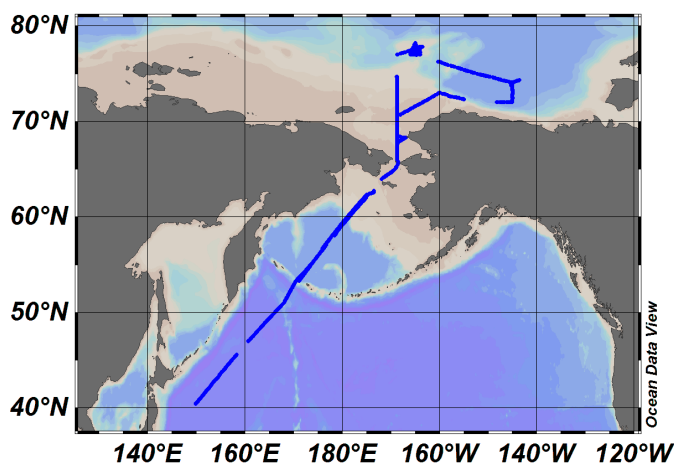


Figure 4.10-1: Cruise track during underway DIC observations.

(6) Results

The temporal variations of surface seawater DIC and salinity-normalized DIC are shown in Figure 4.10-2.

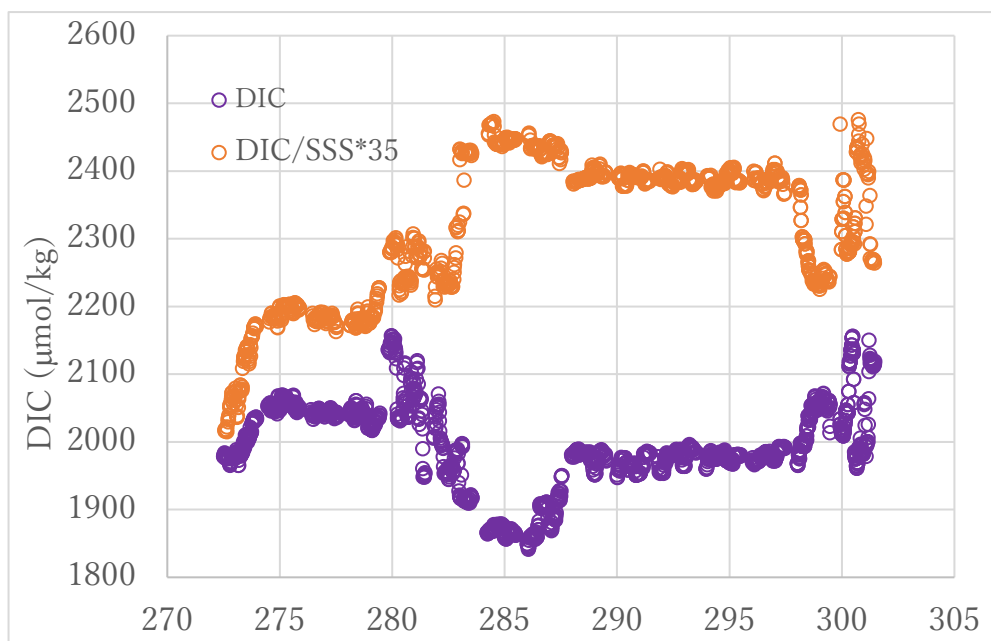


Figure 4.10-2: Temporal variations of surface seawater DIC and DIC normalized by salinity of 35.

(7) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

4.11 Marine bioaerosol particles

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(2) Objectives

Marine bioaerosol particles ejected from the sea surface affect climate change via cloud processes by acting as cloud condensation nuclei and ice nucleating particles. Marine bioaerosols are produced directly at the sea surface through wind–wave interaction. Organic matter becomes enriched in the surface microlayer in organic gels. Transparent exopolymer particles (TEPs), i.e., polysaccharide-rich microgels produced primarily by abiotic coagulation of phytoplankton exudates, and Coomassie stainable particles (CSPs) containing proteinaceous polymers released during cell lysis and decomposition, have been identified as organic gels within the ocean interior. To investigate the air–sea interaction of biological particles, the abundance of biological particles in seawater was measured at the sampling stations.

(3) Methods

i. Sampling and filtration for marine gel particles

Seawater samples were collected using a bucket and Niskin bottles or from a laboratory water outlet (Table 4.11). To estimate the CSP concentrations, triplicate water samples of 200 mL were filtered onto 0.4- μm polycarbonate filters, and the filters were stained with 1 mL Coomassie brilliant blue solution and rinsed five times with 1 mL of Milli-Q water. Stained filter samples were stored in a freezer until required for analysis. Water samples for the TEP analysis were preserved through addition of formalin to a final concentration of 1% in a refrigerator (4 °C). Preserved samples will be filtered in the same way as the CSP samples in the laboratory on land, and the filters will be stained with 1 mL Alcian blue solution and rinsed thrice with 1 mL of Milli-Q water.

ii. Colorimetric measurement for marine gel particles

For the colorimetric analysis of TEPs, the stained filter samples will be soaked for 2–5 h in 6 mL of 80% sulfuric acid (H_2SO_4) to elute the dye, following which the absorbance of the solution can be measured at 787 nm in a 1-cm cuvette. For the colorimetric analysis of CSPs, the stained filter samples will be soaked for 2 h in 4 mL of 3% sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS) in 50% isopropyl alcohol with sonication to elute the dye, following which the absorbance of the solution can be measured at 615 nm in a 1-cm cuvette. All samples will be analyzed in the laboratory using the above methods.

iii. measurements for marine bioaerosols

For analysis of the marine bioaerosols, seawater samples were filtered through a membrane filter onto a gold-coated chip, and the abundance of bioaerosol particles (dead/alive) was counted using a Bioplorer (KB-VKH01, Koyo Sangyo Co., Ltd), based on fluorescence measurements with UV and green light excitation. Stained fluorescence measurements were also conducted with reagents of DAPI and Hoechst.

(4) Data archive

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Table 4.11: Sampling locations

| On board ID | Date Collected | | | | | Latitude | | | Longitude | | |
|-----------------|----------------|----|----|----------|---------|----------|-------|-----|-----------|-------|-----|
| | YYYY | MM | DD | hh:mm:ss | UTC/JST | Deg. | Min. | N/S | Deg. | Min. | E/W |
| MR1903C-TEP-001 | 2019 | 10 | 05 | 2:20 | UTC | 55 | 48.49 | N | 174 | 47.96 | E |
| MR1903C-TEP-002 | 2019 | 10 | 08 | 6:45 | UTC | 65 | 39.66 | N | 168 | 27.73 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-003 | 2019 | 10 | 09 | 5:10 | UTC | 69 | 00.00 | N | 168 | 45 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-004 | 2019 | 10 | 10 | 7:55 | UTC | 71 | 59.51 | N | 163 | 30.51 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-005 | 2019 | 10 | 11 | 6:55 | UTC | 72 | 30.00 | N | 156 | 17.79 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-006 | 2019 | 10 | 12 | 8:45 | UTC | 71 | 59.99 | N | 147 | 29.98 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-007 | 2019 | 10 | 15 | 16:48 | UTC | 76 | 27.95 | N | 161 | 38.51 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-008 | 2019 | 10 | 16 | 5:15 | UTC | 77 | 00.00 | N | 165 | 00.00 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-009 | 2019 | 10 | 18 | 6:35 | UTC | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 00.03 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-010 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 6:37 | UTC | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 59.97 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-011 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 6:37 | UTC | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 59.97 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-012 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 6:37 | UTC | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 59.97 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-013 | 2019 | 10 | 21 | 6:37 | UTC | 77 | 15.00 | N | 165 | 59.97 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-014 | 2019 | 10 | 22 | 7:04 | UTC | 77 | 00.37 | N | 165 | 59.88 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-015 | 2019 | 10 | 23 | 6:30 | UTC | 77 | 00.01 | N | 164 | 00.01 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-016 | 2019 | 10 | 25 | 8:59 | UTC | 77 | 00.22 | N | 168 | 46.13 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-017 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 5:39 | UTC | 74 | 00.01 | N | 168 | 44.83 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-018 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 13:08 | UTC | 73 | 00.03 | N | 168 | 45.04 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-019 | 2019 | 10 | 26 | 16:51 | UTC | 72 | 30.00 | N | 168 | 44.61 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-020 | 2019 | 10 | 27 | 5:42 | UTC | 70 | 00.00 | N | 168 | 44.92 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-021 | 2019 | 10 | 27 | 13:00 | UTC | 69 | 30.19 | N | 168 | 45.23 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-022 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 5:05 | UTC | 68 | 00.88 | N | 168 | 52.05 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-023 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 10:42 | UTC | 67 | 30.07 | N | 168 | 45.11 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-024 | 2019 | 10 | 28 | 17:22 | UTC | 66 | 29.99 | N | 168 | 45.02 | W |
| MR1903C-TEP-025 | 2019 | 11 | 03 | 0:10 | UTC | 50 | 00.00 | N | 166 | 08.00 | E |
| MR1903C-TEP-026 | 2019 | 11 | 03 | 0:00 | UTC | 50 | 00.00 | N | 166 | 08.00 | E |
| MR1903C-TEP-027 | 2019 | 11 | 03 | 0:00 | UTC | 50 | 00.00 | N | 166 | 08.00 | E |

4.12. Phytoplankton

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(2) Objective

The goals of this study were as follows:

- 1) Clarify the horizontal distribution of the phytoplankton community analyzed using a multispectral excitation–emission fluorometer (MFL), HPLC and chlorophyll *a* in the surface water
- 2) Clarify the spatial distribution of the microprotist community analyzed by MFL, HPLC, chlorophyll *a* and microscopy

(3) Sampling and treatment

(3-1) Surface monitoring

An MFL was set in a black calibration bucket. Surface seawater from a branch line of the underway monitoring system flowed continuously into the bucket from 30 September to 11 November 2019. We took samples of the surface water from the underway system once daily to measure the chlorophyll *a* and for HPLC analysis. Seawater samples (0.25 L) for analysis of the total chlorophyll *a* were vacuum-filtrated (<0.013 MPa) through a Whatman GF/F filter (25-mm diameter). Phytoplankton pigments retained on the filters were extracted immediately in a cuvette tube immersed with 6 mL of *N,N*-dimethylformamide, then stored and extracted for >24 h. After extraction of the pigment, the fluorescence of the samples was measured using a Turner model 10-005-R Filter Fluorometer. To estimate the chlorophyll *a* concentration, we applied the fluorometric “Acidification method” (Holm-Hansen et al., 1965). The correlation of the fluorescence between the sensor data and the bottle data was determined, as shown in Figure 4.12-1. For the HPLC samples, seawater (2 L) was vacuum-filtrated (<0.013 MPa) through a Whatman GF/F filter (25-mm diameter); the filters were preserved at -80 °C.

(3-2) Spatial distribution by Niskin sampler and bucket

Seawater samples (1 L) were collected from depths of 0, 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 m for determination of the chlorophyll *a* maximum layer using a bucket and the Niskin water sampler at 44 stations (Figure 4.12-2, Table 4.12). The water samples were fixed by acid lugol (1% final concentration). In the land laboratory, the samples will be concentrated to 20 mL with a syphon, and microprotists will be enumerated and identified under inverted microscopy. Additionally, seawater samples (0.25 L) for analysis of the total chlorophyll *a* were also vacuum-filtrated (<0.013 MPa) through a Whatman GF/F filter (25-mm diameter). After the filtering, the chlorophyll *a* was measured as mentioned above (see 3.1). An MFL (Multi-Exciter, JFE-Advantech Co. Ltd.) was attached to the CTD frame to measure the vertical profile of chlorophyll *a* fluorescence.

(4) Station list

Table 4.12: Log of water samples collected by Niskin sampler and bucket. Circles indicate an MFL was attached to the CTD frame. Chlorophyll *a* was measured at the same depth as the lugol samples for microscopy.

| St. | Date | Latitude (N) | | Longitude | | Sampling depth (m) | MFL |
|-----------------------|------------|--------------|-------|-----------|---------|---------------------|-----|
| St. 011 (CTD001) | 2019/10/7 | 65 | 38.27 | 168 | 27.79 W | 0,10,20,30,40 | ○ |
| St. 013 (CTD003) | 2019/10/8 | 66 | 30.03 | 168 | 45.12 W | 0,10,20,30,40 | ○ |
| St. 014 (CTD004) | 2019/10/8 | 67 | 0.72 | 168 | 42.61 W | 0,10,20,30,25 | ○ |
| St. 018 (CTD005) | 2019/10/8 | 69 | 0.62 | 168 | 45.63 W | 0,10,20,30,40,5 | ○ |
| St. 019 (CTD006) | 2019/10/8 | 69 | 29.91 | 168 | 45.04 W | 0,10,20,30,40,15 | ○ |
| St. 021 (CTD008) | 2019/10/9 | 70 | 29.81 | 168 | 46.26 W | 0,10,20,30,15 | ○ |
| St. 024 (CTD009) | 2019/10/9 | 71 | 59.23 | 163 | 30.98 W | 0,10,20,30 | ○ |
| St. 025 (CTD010) | 2019/10/10 | 72 | 29.94 | 161 | 44.83 W | 0,10,20,30,13 | ○ |
| St. 026 (CTD011) | 2019/10/10 | 72 | 59.93 | 160 | 0.76 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,12 | ○ |
| St. 029 (CTD012) | 2019/10/10 | 72 | 30.01 | 156 | 15.16 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,27 | |
| St. 030 (CTD013) | 2019/10/11 | 72 | 19.94 | 155 | 0.4 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,18 | |
| St. 031 (CTD014) | 2019/10/11 | 72 | 9.84 | 153 | 45.51 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,13 | |
| St. 034 (CTD015) | 2019/10/11 | 72 | 0 | 147 | 30 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,33 | |
| St. 035 (CTD016) | 2019/10/12 | 71 | 59.94 | 144 | 59.79 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,45 | |
| St. FP2 (CTD017) | 2019/10/14 | 74 | 46.17 | 150 | 30.68 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,34 | |
| St. FP3 (CTD018) | 2019/10/15 | 76 | 28.18 | 161 | 37.53 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,5 | |
| St. 39-01 (CTD019-01) | 2019/10/15 | 76 | 59.98 | 164 | 59.99 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,43 | |
| St. 40-02 (CTD020-02) | 2019/10/16 | 77 | 14.95 | 164 | 59.57 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,38 | ○ |
| St. 42-01 (CTD022-01) | 2019/10/17 | 77 | 45.03 | 165 | 0 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,45 | ○ |
| St. 40-03 (CTD020-03) | 2019/10/17 | 77 | 15.14 | 164 | 59.8 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | ○ |
| St. 42-02 (CTD022-02) | 2019/10/18 | 77 | 45.01 | 165 | 0.35 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,45 | ○ |
| St. MIZ-03 (CTD023) | 2019/10/18 | 78 | 2.63 | 164 | 57.41 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,25 | ○ |
| St. 39-02 (CTD019-02) | 2019/10/18 | 77 | 0.11 | 164 | 59.79 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | ○ |
| St. 41-03 (CTD021-03) | 2019/10/19 | 77 | 30 | 165 | 0.04 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,12 | ○ |
| St. 39-03 (CTD019-03) | 2019/10/19 | 77 | 0.18 | 164 | 59.78 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,27 | ○ |
| St. 41-04 (CTD021-04) | 2019/10/20 | 77 | 30 | 164 | 59.99 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | ○ |
| St. 43 (CTD024) | 2019/10/20 | 77 | 15.14 | 166 | 0.01 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 39-04 (CTD019-04) | 2019/10/21 | 77 | 0.19 | 164 | 59.74 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,42 | ○ |
| St. 44 (CTD025) | 2019/10/21 | 77 | 0.32 | 166 | 0.09 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,34 | |
| St. 39-05 (CTD019-05) | 2019/10/22 | 77 | 0.08 | 164 | 59.78 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,36 | ○ |
| St. 45 (CTD026) | 2019/10/22 | 77 | 0.13 | 164 | 0.16 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |

| St. | Date | Latitude (N) | | Longitude | | Sampling depth (m) | MFL |
|-----------------------|------------|--------------|-------|-----------|---------|---------------------|-----|
| St. 39-06 (CTD019-06) | 2019/10/22 | 77 | 0.02 | 164 | 59.75 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | ○ |
| St. 46 (CTD027) | 2019/10/23 | 77 | 15.15 | 163 | 59.29 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 39-07 (CTD019-07) | 2019/10/24 | 77 | 0.29 | 164 | 59.71 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,17 | ○ |
| St. 49 (CTD028) | 2019/10/24 | 77 | 0.13 | 168 | 45.56 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 52 (CTD029) | 2019/10/25 | 74 | 0.02 | 168 | 44.46 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | ○ |
| St. 54 (CTD031) | 2019/10/26 | 73 | 0 | 168 | 44.99 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,17 | ○ |
| St. 60 (CTD034) | 2019/10/26 | 70 | 0 | 168 | 44.98 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 61 (CTD035) | 2019/10/27 | 69 | 30.04 | 168 | 45.26 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 62 (CTD036) | 2019/10/27 | 69 | 0.09 | 168 | 41.27 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,12 | |
| St. 68 (CTD037) | 2019/10/27 | 68 | 0.83 | 167 | 52.23 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 70 (CTD038) | 2019/10/27 | 67 | 47.02 | 168 | 36.15 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,15 | |
| St. 71 (CTD039) | 2019/10/27 | 67 | 30.03 | 168 | 45.08 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,12 | |
| St. 72 (CTD040) | 2019/10/28 | 67 | 0.03 | 168 | 44.69 W | 0,10,20,30,40,50,12 | |

(5) Preliminary results

As an indication of the preliminary results, we present following items.

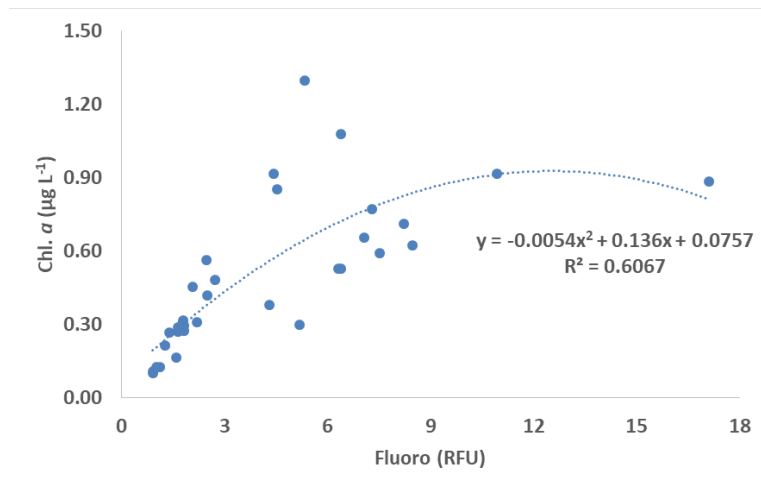


Figure 4.12-1: Correlation of fluorescence between sensor data and bottle data.

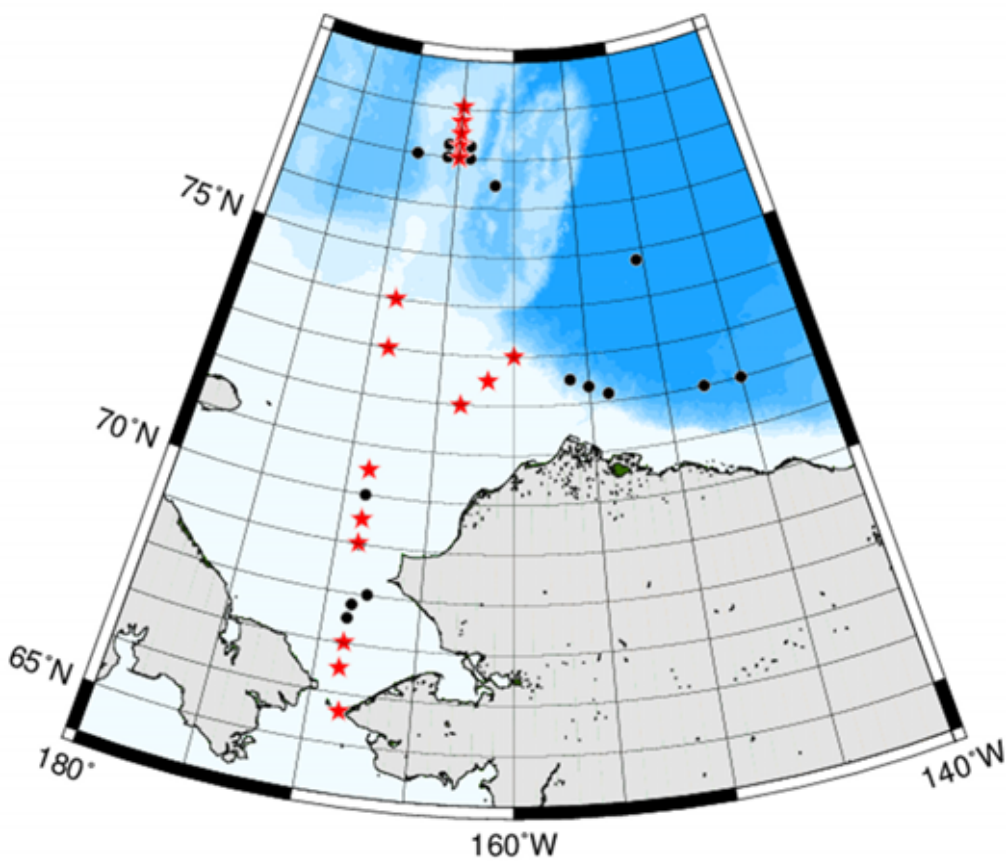


Figure 4.12-2: Locations of the water sampling and MFL stations in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean (circles: CTD+bucket, stars: CTD+bucket+MFL).

4.13 Zooplankton net samplings

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(2) Objective

The goals of this study were as follows:

- 1) Clarify the temporal changes of the plankton community in the pre-ice-covered season
- 2) Evaluate the physical conditions (gut pigments, DNA of fecal pellets, stable isotopes and lipid compositions) of Pacific and Arctic copepods in the Arctic Ocean
- 3) Estimate the amount of Pacific copepods transported into the Arctic Ocean
- 4) Clarify the grazing impact of Arctic copepods in the pre-ice-covered season

(3) Sampling

Zooplankton samples were collected by vertical haul of Quad-NORPAC nets at 58 stations in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean. The Quad-NORPAC net (mesh sizes: 335, 150 and two of 63 μm [one is for a fixed sample and the other has a large-sized cod-end to collect fresh samples for incubation], mouth diameter: 45 cm) was towed between the surface and the depth of 150 m (or the bottom – 10 m at stations where the bottom was <150 m) at all stations (Figure 4.13 and Table 4.13-1). Zooplankton samples collected using the NORPAC net with 335, 150 and 63 μm mesh were immediately fixed with 5% buffered formalin for zooplankton structure analysis. In addition, samples collected with the 63- μm mesh were used for picking pteropods and evaluation of copepod physiological activity (i.e., gut pigments, DNA of fecal pellets, stable isotopes and lipid compositions). After sorting, the remaining subsamples were fixed with 99.5% ethanol for analysis of radiolaria (investigator: Dr. Yasuhide Nakamura [JSPS PD]). The volume of water filtered through the net was estimated based on readings from a flow meter mounted in the mouth ring of the net.

An 80-cm ring net (mesh: 335 μm , mouth diameter: 80 cm) was towed between the surface and the depth of 300 m (or the bottom – 10 m) at 32 stations (Figure 4.13 and Table 4.13-2). Fresh samples were used for picking pteropods and evaluation of copepod physiological activity (i.e., gut pigments, DNA of fecal pellets, stable isotope and lipid composition).

A closing PCP net (mesh size: 63 μm , mouth diameter: 45 cm) was towed at three shallow stations in two layers (i.e., 0–20 m and 20 to (bottom – 10) m) and at one deep station in five layers (0–50, 50–100, 100–250, 250–500 and 500–1000 m). The volume of water filtered through the net was estimated based on readings from a flow meter mounted in the mouth ring. Zooplankton samples collected by the closing PCP net were immediately fixed with 5% buffered formalin for zooplankton structure analysis (Figure 4.13 and Table 4.13-3).

(4) Onboard treatment

[gut pigments, DNA of fecal pellets, stable isotopes and lipid compositions]

Fresh zooplankton samples collected with a bucket net or ring net were divided roughly into two aliquots. We immediately added 10% soda water (CO₂ water) to one aliquot for use in the gut pigment and lipid composition analyses. We sorted the late copepodid stages of the Pacific copepods (*Neocalanus cristatus*, *N. plumchrus*, *N. flemingeri*, *Eucalanus bungii*, *Metridia pacifica*) and the Arctic copepods (*Calanus glacialis*, *C. hyperboreus*, *M. longa*). Some specimens were rinsed with Milli-Q water, transferred into a small plastic case (3 mL) and stored at -20 °C for lipid analysis. Other specimens were transferred into a cuvette tube immersed with 6 mL dimethylformamide, then stored and extracted for >24 h. After extraction of the pigment, the fluorescence of these samples was measured using a Turner model 10-005-R Filter Fluorometer. The other aliquot without soda water was used for the DNA analysis of fecal pellets and the stable isotope analysis. The identified species were targeted as much as possible (e.g., copepods, krill, chaetognaths, appendicularians and ostracods). The sorted animals were incubated in DNA-free seawater collected from the chlorophyll *a* maximum layer with a Niskin bottle. After several hours, the evacuated fecal pellets were picked up and preserved at -20 °C. The remaining animals were rinsed with Milli-Q water, transferred onto a microplate and stored at -20 °C for stable isotope analysis. Additionally, seawater (1–4 L) collected by a Niskin sampler from the chlorophyll *a* maximum layer was filtered through 100, 10 and 0.8 µm filters for in situ DNA analysis, and through 100 µm and GF/F filters for in situ stable isotope analysis. All filters were preserved at -20 °C.

(5) Station list

Table 4.13–1: Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with a Quad-NORPAC net (GG54: 335 µm mesh)

Table 4.13–2: Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with a ring net (mesh size: 335 µm)

Table 4.13–3: Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with a closing net (mesh size: 63 µm)

Table 4.13-1. Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with Quad-NORPAC net.

GG54: 0.335 mm mesh.

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire (m) | Kind of cloth | Flowmeter | | Estimated volume of water filtered (m ³) | Remark | | |
|---------------------|----------|-------|--------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|--------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | No. | Reading | | | | |
| FP1 RINKO 001 | 64 | 40.11 | 169 | 55.12 W | 7 Oct | 13:02 | 37 | 18 | 35 | GG54 | 3994 | 408 | 5.68 | no CTD cast |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 449 | 6.81 | UTC-11h |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 378 | 5.20 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 011 CTD001 | 65 | 38.27 | 168 | 27.79 W | 7 Oct | 19:08 | 38 | 10 | 37 | GG54 | 3994 | 403 | 5.61 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 370 | 5.61 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 289 | 3.98 | 1) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 013 CTD003 | 66 | 30.03 | 168 | 45.12 W | 8 Oct | 1:25 | 39 | 3 | 39 | GG54 | 3994 | 362 | 5.04 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 311 | 4.72 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 134 | 1.84 | 1) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 014 CTD004 | 67 | 0.72 | 168 | 42.61 W | 8 Oct | 6:01 | 34 | 5 | 34 | GG54 | 3994 | 400 | 5.57 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 328 | 4.97 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 275 | 3.79 | 1) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 018 CTD005 | 69 | 0.62 | 168 | 45.63 W | 8 Oct | 19:03 | 42 | 8 | 42 | GG54 | 3994 | 444 | 6.18 | 2) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 376 | 5.70 | 2) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 295 | 4.06 | 2) |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 019 CTD006 | 69 | 29.91 | 168 | 45.04 W | 8 Oct | 22:03 | 42 | 8 | 42 | GG54 | 3994 | 350 | 4.87 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 281 | 4.26 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 230 | 3.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 021 CTD008 | 70 | 29.81 | 168 | 46.26 W | 9 Oct | 6:55 | 28 | 1 | 28 | GG54 | 3994 | 375 | 5.22 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 300 | 4.55 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 235 | 3.24 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 024 CTD009 | 71 | 59.23 | 163 | 30.98 W | 9 Oct | 21:54 | 28 | 7 | 28 | GG54 | 3994 | 435 | 6.06 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 399 | 6.05 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 389 | 5.36 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 025 CTD010 | 72 | 29.94 | 161 | 44.83 W | 10 Oct | 2:48 | 35 | 5 | 35 | GG54 | 3994 | 609 | 8.48 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 499 | 7.57 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 435 | 5.99 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 026 CTD011 | 72 | 59.93 | 160 | 0.76 W | 10 Oct | 8:49 | 151 | 8 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1502 | 20.92 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1263 | 19.15 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 941 | 12.96 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 029 CTD012 | 72 | 30.01 | 156 | 15.16 W | 10 Oct | 18:07 | 150 | 1 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1522 | 21.20 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1318 | 19.99 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 939 | 12.93 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 030 CTD013 | 72 | 19.94 | 155 | 0.4 W | 11 Oct | 2:05 | 150 | 4 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1450 | 20.19 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1271 | 19.27 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 897 | 12.35 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 031 CTD014 | 72 | 9.84 | 153 | 45.51 W | 11 Oct | 5:17 | 151 | 7 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1514 | 21.08 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1323 | 20.06 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1122 | 15.45 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 034 CTD015 | 72 | 0 | 147 | 30 W | 11 Oct | 22:26 | 150 | 4 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1408 | 19.61 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1153 | 17.48 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 842 | 11.59 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 035 CTD016 | 71 | 59.94 | 144 | 59.79 W | 12 Oct | 3:15 | 154 | 13 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1541 | 21.46 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1298 | 19.68 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 951 | 13.09 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. FP2 CTD017 | 74 | 46.17 | 150 | 30.68 W | 14 Oct | 7:22 | 151 | 8 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1870 | 26.04 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1573 | 23.85 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1390 | 19.14 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. FP3 CTD018 | 76 | 28.18 | 161 | 37.53 W | 15 Oct | 4:45 | 151 | 7 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1377 | 19.18 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1185 | 17.97 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 910 | 12.53 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 39-01 CTD019 | 76 | 59.98 | 164 | 59.99 W | 15 Oct | 17:30 | 150 | 4 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1302 | 18.13 | line observation start |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1174 | 17.80 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 916 | 12.61 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |

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Table 4.13-1. (Continued.)

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire (m) | Kind of cloth | Flowmeter | | Estimated volume of water filtered (m ³) | Remark |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|-----------------------------------|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | No. | Reading | | |
| St. MIZ-01 RINKO 011 | 78 3.95 | 164 53.66 W | 16 Oct | 13:20 | 160 | 20 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1496 | 20.83 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1254 | 19.01 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1050 | 14.46 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 040-02 CTD020-02 | 77 14.95 | 164 59.57 W | 16 Oct | 19:22 | 150 | 0 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1345 | 18.73 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1167 | 17.70 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 818 | 11.26 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 042-01 CTD022 | 77 45.03 | 165 0 W | 17 Oct | 3:08 | 150 | 2 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1362 | 18.97 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1173 | 17.79 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 878 | 12.09 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-02 RINKO 013 | 78 0.26 | 164 59.61 W | 17 Oct | 11:35 | 153 | 12 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1315 | 18.31 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1157 | 17.54 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 836 | 11.51 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 040-03 CTD020-03 | 77 15.14 | 164 59.8 W | 17 Oct | 18:34 | 151 | 6 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1383 | 19.26 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1179 | 17.88 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 870 | 11.98 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 042-02 CTD022-02 | 77 45.01 | 165 0.35 W | 18 Oct | 1:35 | 155 | 14 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1430 | 19.91 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1256 | 19.05 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 868 | 11.95 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-03 CTD023 | 78 2.63 | 164 57.41 W | 18 Oct | 10:21 | 154 | 13 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1585 | 22.07 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1317 | 19.97 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 966 | 13.30 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-02 CTD019-02 | 77 0.11 | 164 59.79 W | 18 Oct | 20:24 | 150 | 0 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1320 | 18.38 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1131 | 17.15 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 834 | 11.48 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 41-03 CTD021-03 | 77 30 | 165 0.04 W | 19 Oct | 3:44 | 150 | 1 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1358 | 18.91 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1147 | 17.39 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 870 | 11.98 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-04 RINKO 017 | 78 3.40 | 164 57.68 W | 19 Oct | 13:23 | 155 | 14 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1485 | 20.68 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1250 | 18.95 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1019 | 14.03 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-03 CTD019-03 | 77 0.18 | 164 59.78 W | 19 Oct | 21:03 | 151 | 8 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1430 | 19.91 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1175 | 17.82 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 951 | 13.09 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 41-04 CTD021-04 | 77 30 | 164 59.99 W | 20 Oct | 4:52 | 152 | 9 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1547 | 21.54 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1322 | 20.05 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1055 | 14.53 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-05 RINKO 020 | 78 0.64 | 164 59.14 W | 20 Oct | 11:35 | 162 | 22 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1785 | 24.86 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1455 | 22.06 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1310 | 18.04 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 43 CTD024 | 77 15.14 | 166 0.01 W | 20 Oct | 17:58 | 151 | 6 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1546 | 21.53 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1302 | 19.74 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1071 | 14.75 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-04 CTD019-04 | 77 0.19 | 164 59.74 W | 21 Oct | 0:53 | 150 | 3 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1361 | 18.95 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1173 | 17.79 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 888 | 12.23 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-06 RINKO 022 | 78 1.17 | 164 58.78 W | 21 Oct | 11:40 | 164 | 24 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1694 | 23.59 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1419 | 21.52 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1383 | 19.04 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 44 CTD025 | 77 0.32 | 166 0.09 W | 21 Oct | 19:10 | 150 | 0 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1525 | 21.24 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1247 | 18.91 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1052 | 14.48 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-05 CTD019-05 | 77 0.08 | 164 59.78 W | 22 Oct | 0:39 | 153 | 12 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1493 | 20.79 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1247 | 18.91 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1020 | 14.04 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |

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Table 4.13-1. (Continued.)

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire (m) | Kind of cloth | Flowmeter | | Estimated volume of water filtered (m ³) | Remark |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|-----------------------------------|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | No. | Reading | | |
| St. MIZ-07 RINKO 024 | 77 46.6 | 164 4.28 W | 22 Oct | 13:26 | 153 | 12 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1518 | 21.14 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1292 | 19.59 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1004 | 13.82 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 45 CTD026 | 77 0.13 | 164 0.16 W | 22 Oct | 18:42 | 150 | 3 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1336 | 18.61 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1115 | 16.91 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 852 | 11.73 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-06 CTD019-06 | 77 0.02 | 164 59.75 W | 22 Oct | 23:44 | 152 | 9 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1363 | 18.98 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1169 | 17.73 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 862 | 11.87 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-08 RINKO 026 | 77 47.02 | 163 35.49 W | 23 Oct | 11:38 | 160 | 20 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1598 | 22.25 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1295 | 19.64 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1119 | 15.41 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 46 CTD027 | 77 15.15 | 163 59.29 W | 23 Oct | 16:28 | 153 | 12 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1530 | 21.31 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1263 | 19.15 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1047 | 14.42 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 39-07 CTD019-07 | 77 0.29 | 164 59.71 W | 24 Oct | 0:19 | 151 | 6 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1412 | 19.66 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1196 | 18.14 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 938 | 12.91 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. MIZ-09 RINKO 028 | 77 50 | 163 0 W | 24 Oct | 13:44 | 153 | 12 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1445 | 20.12 | line observation end |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1464 | 22.20 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1088 | 14.98 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 49 CTD028 | 77 0.13 | 168 45.56 W | 24 Oct | 23:57 | 151 | 6 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1381 | 19.23 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1227 | 18.61 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 850 | 11.70 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. FT18 RINKO 029 | 74 41.77 | 168 46.67 W | 25 Oct | 13:24 | 150 | 0 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1500 | 20.89 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1282 | 19.44 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 1032 | 14.21 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 52 CTD029 | 74 0.02 | 168 44.46 W | 25 Oct | 17:52 | 151 | 6 | 150 | GG54 | 3994 | 1417 | 19.73 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 1165 | 17.67 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 884 | 12.17 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 54 CTD031 | 73 0 | 168 44.99 W | 26 Oct | 2:41 | 51 | 10 | 50 | GG54 | 3994 | 565 | 7.87 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 462 | 7.01 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 376 | 5.18 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 56 RINKO 030 | 72 0.01 | 168 44.95 W | 26 Oct | 9:27 | 40 | 14 | 39 | GG54 | 3994 | 392 | 5.46 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 308 | 4.67 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 239 | 3.29 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 58 RINKO 032 | 70 59.99 | 168 45.03 W | 26 Oct | 15:44 | 34 | 3 | 34 | GG54 | 3994 | 398 | 5.54 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 349 | 5.29 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 294 | 4.05 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 60 CTD034 | 70 0 | 168 44.98 W | 26 Oct | 22:22 | 30 | 12 | 29 | GG54 | 3994 | 304 | 4.23 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 237 | 3.59 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 181 | 2.49 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 61 CTD035 | 69 30.04 | 168 45.26 W | 27 Oct | 1:35 | 41 | 0 | 41 | GG54 | 3994 | 571 | 7.95 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 459 | 6.96 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 413 | 5.69 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 62 CTD036 | 69 0.09 | 168 41.27 W | 27 Oct | 5:48 | 42 | 13 | 41 | GG54 | 3994 | 541 | 7.53 | 2) 2) 2) |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 446 | 6.76 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 425 | 5.85 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 63 RINKO 033 | 68 30.15 | 168 45.17 W | 27 Oct | 9:02 | 43 | 7 | 43 | GG54 | 3994 | 669 | 9.32 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 522 | 7.92 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 540 | 7.44 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |
| St. 64 RINKO 034 | 68 17.97 | 166 56.32 W | 27 Oct | 14:02 | 24 | 13 | 23 | GG54 | 3994 | 357 | 4.97 | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 284 | 4.31 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 307 | 4.23 | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | |

S.M.T. is UTC-11h

- 1) phytoplankton abundant
- 2) ciliates & limacina abundant

Table 4.13-1. (Continued.)

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire angle (m) | Kind of cloth | Flowmeter | | Estimated volume of water filtered (m ³) | Remark | | |
|------------------|----------|-------|--------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|--------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | No. | Reading | | | | |
| St. 68 CTD037 | 68 | 0.83 | 167 | 52.23 W | 27 Oct | 16:35 | 41 | 8 | 41 | GG54 | 3994 | 798 | 11.11 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 650 | 9.86 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 578 | 7.96 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 70 CTD038 | 67 | 47.02 | 168 | 36.15 W | 27 Oct | 21:10 | 40 | 4 | 40 | GG54 | 3994 | 552 | 7.69 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 469 | 7.11 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 400 | 5.51 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 71 CTD039 | 67 | 30.03 | 168 | 45.08 W | 27 Oct | 23:22 | 39 | 2 | 39 | GG54 | 3994 | 480 | 6.68 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 400 | 6.07 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 370 | 5.09 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |
| St. 72 CTD040 | 67 | 0.03 | 168 | 44.69 W | 28 Oct | 3:26 | 35 | 9 | 35 | GG54 | 3994 | 498 | 6.94 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 150 µm | 3993 | 419 | 6.35 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | 3998 | 359 | 4.94 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 63 µm | | | | for experiment, remaining ethanol |

S.M.T. is UTC-11h

1) phytoplankton abundant

2) ciliate&limacina abundant

Table 4.13-2. Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with 80 cm ring net.

GG54: 0.335 mm mesh.

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire angle (m) | Kind of cloth | Remark | | |
|------------------------|----------|-------|--------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------|--------|------|-----------------|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | | | |
| St. 39-01 (CTD019) | 77 | 0.01 | 164 | 59.86 W | 15 Oct | 17:43 | 300 | 1 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-01 (RINKO 011) | 78 | 3.95 | 164 | 53.66 W | 16 Oct | 13:20 | 300 | 5 | 299 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 040-02 (CTD020-02) | 77 | 14.95 | 164 | 59.57 W | 16 Oct | 19:34 | 300 | 1 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-02 (RINKO 013) | 78 | 0.26 | 164 | 59.61 W | 17 Oct | 11:47 | 300 | 0 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 040-03 (CTD020-03) | 77 | 15.14 | 164 | 59.8 W | 17 Oct | 18:46 | 300 | 6 | 298 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-03 (CTD023) | 78 | 2.63 | 164 | 57.41 W | 18 Oct | 10:21 | 300 | 15 | 290 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-02 (CTD019-02) | 77 | 0.11 | 164 | 59.79 W | 18 Oct | 20:37 | 300 | 0 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-04 (RINKO 017) | 78 | 3.40 | 164 | 57.68 W | 19 Oct | 13:36 | 300 | 13 | 292 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-03 (CTD019-03) | 77 | 0.18 | 164 | 59.78 W | 19 Oct | 21:17 | 600 | 7 | 596 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-05 (RINKO 020) | 78 | 0.64 | 164 | 59.14 W | 20 Oct | 11:49 | 300 | 14 | 291 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 43 (CTD024) | 77 | 15.14 | 166 | 0.01 W | 20 Oct | 18:13 | 710 | 3 | 709 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-04 (CTD019-04) | 77 | 0.19 | 164 | 59.74 W | 21 Oct | 1:06 | 300 | 5 | 299 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-06 (RINKO 022) | 78 | 1.17 | 164 | 58.78 W | 21 Oct | 11:55 | 300 | 8 | 297 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 44 (CTD025) | 77 | 0.32 | 166 | 0.09 W | 21 Oct | 19:26 | 500 | 8 | 495 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-05 (CTD019-05) | 77 | 0.08 | 164 | 59.78 W | 22 Oct | 0:52 | 300 | 0 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-07 (RINKO 024) | 77 | 46.6 | 164 | 4.28 W | 22 Oct | 13:39 | 250 | 0 | 250 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 45 (CTD026) | 77 | 0.13 | 164 | 0.16 W | 22 Oct | 18:56 | 400 | 0 | 400 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-06 (CTD019-06) | 77 | 0.02 | 164 | 59.75 W | 22 Oct | 23:59 | 300 | 0 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-08 (RINKO 026) | 77 | 47.02 | 163 | 35.49 W | 23 Oct | 11:50 | 250 | 0 | 250 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 46 (CTD027) | 77 | 15.15 | 163 | 59.29 W | 23 Oct | 16:42 | 300 | 0 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 39-07 (CTD019-07) | 77 | 0.29 | 164 | 59.71 W | 24 Oct | 0:32 | 300 | 2 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. MIZ-09 (RINKO 028) | 77 | 50 | 163 | 0 W | 24 Oct | 13:55 | 250 | 9 | 247 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 49 (CTD028) | 77 | 0.13 | 168 | 45.56 W | 25 Oct | 0:09 | 300 | 1 | 300 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 52 (CTD029) | 74 | 0.02 | 168 | 44.46 W | 25 Oct | 18:06 | 150 | 4 | 150 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 54 (CTD031) | 73 | 0 | 168 | 44.99 W | 26 Oct | 2:48 | 51 | 2 | 51 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 58 (RINKO 032) | 70 | 59.99 | 168 | 45.03 W | 26 Oct | 15:52 | 34 | 4 | 34 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 60 (CTD034) | 70 | 0 | 168 | 44.98 W | 26 Oct | 22:31 | 30 | 2 | 30 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 61 (CTD035) | 69 | 30.04 | 168 | 45.26 W | 27 Oct | 1:43 | 41 | 3 | 41 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 62 (CTD036) | 69 | 0.09 | 168 | 41.27 W | 27 Oct | 5:56 | 42 | 7 | 42 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 63 (RINKO 033) | 68 | 30.15 | 168 | 45.17 W | 27 Oct | 9:12 | 43 | 2 | 43 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 68 (CTD037) | 68 | 0.83 | 167 | 52.23 W | 27 Oct | 16:44 | 41 | 0 | 41 | GG54 | for experiments |
| St. 70 (CTD038) | 67 | 47.02 | 168 | 36.15 W | 27 Oct | 21:20 | 40 | 3 | 40 | GG54 | for experiments |

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Table 4.13-3. Data on plankton samples collected by vertical hauls with closing PCP net. The number in the parenthesis means the number of sorted from the sample.

| Station no. | Position | | S.M.T. | | Length of wire (m) | Angle of wire (°) | Depth estimated by wire (m) | Closed net depth (m) | Kind of cloth | Flowmeter | | Estimated volume of water filtered (m ³) | Remark | | |
|-------------|----------|-------|--------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|--|--------|-------|---|
| | Lat. (N) | Lon. | Date | Hour | | | | | | No. | Reading | | | | |
| St.014 | 67 | 072 | 168 | 42.61 W | 8 Oct | 6:10 | 20 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 63 µm | 2374 | 169 | 2.54 | No record of sorted species |
| CTD004 | | | | | | 6:16 | 34 | 2 | 34 | 21 | 63 µm | 2374 | 274 | 4.12 | No record of sorted species |
| St. 021 | 70 | 29.81 | 168 | 46.26 W | 9 Oct | 7:02 | 20 | 3 | 20 | 0 | 63 µm | 2374 | 205 | 3.09 | |
| CTD008 | | | | | | 7:07 | 28 | 10 | 28 | 18 | 63 µm | 2374 | 142 | 2.14 | |
| St. 024 | 71 | 59.23 | 163 | 30.98 W | 9 Oct | 22:05 | 20 | 1 | 20 | 0 | 63 µm | 2374 | 202 | 3.04 | Sorted <i>L. helicina</i> (1) |
| CTD009 | | | | | | 22:11 | 28 | 5 | 28 | 18 | 63 µm | 2374 | 179 | 2.69 | |
| St. FP2 | 74 | 46.19 | 150 | 30.79 W | 14 Oct | 7:42 | 50 | 6 | 50 | 0 | 63 µm | 2374 | 593 | 8.92 | Sorted <i>Themisto libellua</i> (1) |
| CTD017 | | | | | | 7:51 | 100 | 4 | 100 | 50 | 63 µm | 2374 | 443 | 6.67 | Sorted <i>P. glacialis</i> C5F (1), C4F (2), C3 (3) |
| | | | | | | 8:03 | 250 | 0 | 250 | 103 | 63 µm | 2374 | 890 | 13.39 | Sorted <i>Aetideopsis multiserrata</i> C5F (1), <i>Chiridius obtusifrons</i> C6F (1), <i>C. hyperboreus</i> C6F (1), <i>Gaetanus tenuispinus</i> C5M (1), <i>Heterorhabdus norvegicus</i> C6F (1), C6M (1), <i>Scaphocalanus magnus</i> C5M (1), Appendicularia (1) |
| | | | | | | 8:19 | 500 | 2 | 500 | 259 | 63 µm | 2374 | 1505 | 22.65 | Sorted <i>C. obtusifrons</i> C6F (3), <i>C. hyperboreus</i> C6F (2), <i>H. norvegicus</i> C6F (3), C6M (2), <i>S. magnus</i> C6F (1), CSF (4), CSM (2), Amphipoda (1), <i>Boroecia maxima</i> (15), <i>Eukrohnia hamata</i> (2) |
| | | | | | | 8:41 | 1001 | 1 | 1001 | 503 | 63 µm | 2374 | 2809 | 42.27 | Sorted <i>A. multiserrata</i> C6F (1), <i>G. brevispinus</i> C6F (2), <i>S. magnus</i> C5M (1), Appendicularia (5), Amphipoda (4), Decapoda (1) |

S.M.T. is UTC-11h

(6) Preliminary results

As an indication of the preliminary results, we present the following item.

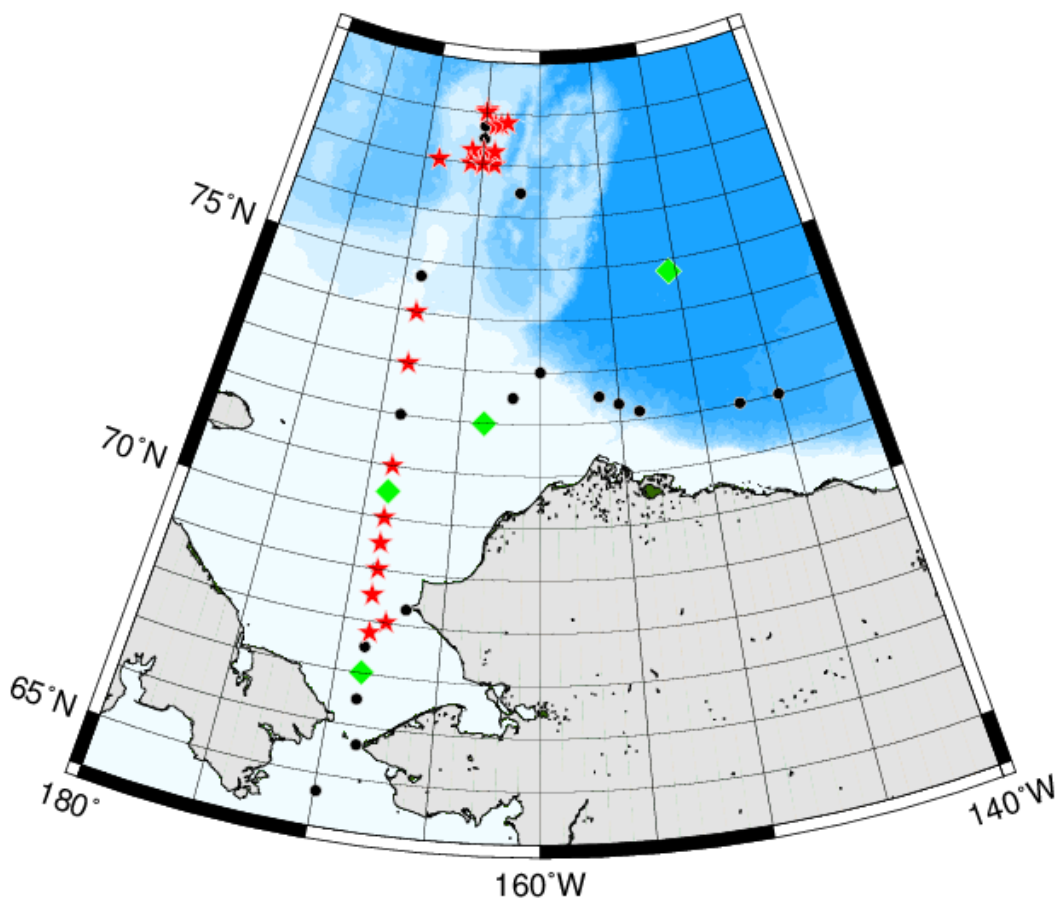


Figure 4.13: Locations of the sampling stations in the Pacific sector of Arctic Ocean (circles: NORPAC net, diamonds: NORPAC net+closing nets, stars: NORPAC net+ring net).

4.14 Zooplankton incubation

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|-------------------|---------------------|------|
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| Yoshiyuki Abe | Tokyo University | |
| Koki Tokuhira | Hokkaido University | |
| Yuri Fukai | Hokkaido University | |
| Fumihiko Kimura | Hokkaido University | |
| Nao Sato | Hokkaido University | |

(2) Objective

The goals of this study were as follows:

- 1) Evaluate the effect of temperature on growth rate and Sr/Ca ratio of pteropods in the Arctic Ocean

(3) Sampling and treatment

Fresh pteropods (Figure 4.14) were collected by bucket net with a large-sized cod-end (mesh: 63 μm , mouth diameter: 45 cm) or ring net (mesh: 335 μm , mouth diameter: 80 cm) in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean. The bucket net and ring net were towed between the surface and depths of 150–300 m or a depth of the (bottom – 10) m (at stations where the bottom was shallower than 150 m) at 58 and 32 stations, respectively (Tables 4.13-1 and 4.13-2). Fresh pteropod specimens (*Limacina helicina*) were immediately sorted and poured into a 500 mL bottle filled with filtered seawater for acclimation. At the same station, water samples from the chlorophyll *a* maximum layer were collected with a Niskin sampler for analysis of the reference in situ Sr/Ca ratio and oxygen stable isotope (Table 4.14). After acclimation, live pteropods were incubated in seawater with calcein (50 mg L⁻¹) for 1 h. Then, the specimens were rinsed gently with Milli-Q water and placed in incubators in 500 mL bottles filled with filtered seawater at 3, 4, 5 and 6 °C. After incubation for three weeks, the specimens were checked to ascertain whether they were alive or dead, and preserved at -80 °C.

In the land laboratory, the shell growth will be measured under an epifluorescence microscope with UV light excitation, and the Sr/Ca ratio and stable isotopes in that part will be measured.

(4) Station list

Logs of the stations of net samplings are presented in Tables 4.13-1 and 4.13-2 in the previous section.

Table 4.14: List of water samples obtained for analyses of the Sr/Ca ratio and oxygen stable isotope.

| Date | St. | Sampling depth (m) |
|------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 2019/10/8 | St. 011 (CTD001) | 30 |
| 2019/10/8 | St. 014 (CTD004) | 10,30 |
| 2019/10/8 | St. 021 (CTD008) | 10,30 |
| 2019/10/9 | St. 024 (CTD009) | 10,30 |
| 2019/10/14 | St. FT2 (CTD017) | 30,75,150 |
| 2019/10/19 | St. 39-03 (CTD019-03) | 5,10 |
| 2019/10/20 | St. 41-04 (CTD021-04) | 5 |
| 2019/10/20 | St. 43 (CTD024) | 5 |
| 2019/10/20 | St. 39-04 (CTD019-04) | 5 |
| 2019/10/21 | St. 44 (CTD025) | 20 |
| 2019/10/22 | St. 39-05 (CTD019-05) | 20 |
| 2019/10/22 | St. 45 (CTD026) | 10,20 |
| 2019/10/23 | St. 46 (CTD027) | 10 |
| 2019/10/24 | St. 49 (CTD028) | 20 |
| 2019/10/25 | St. 52 (CTD029) | 20 |
| 2019/10/26 | St. 54 (CTD031) | 20 |
| 2019/10/26 | St. 60 (CTD034) | 20 |
| 2019/10/27 | St. 61 (CTD035) | 20 |
| 2019/10/27 | St. 62 (CTD036) | 20 |
| 2019/10/27 | St. 68 (CTD037) | 20 |

(5) Preliminary results

As an indication of the preliminary results, we present the following item.

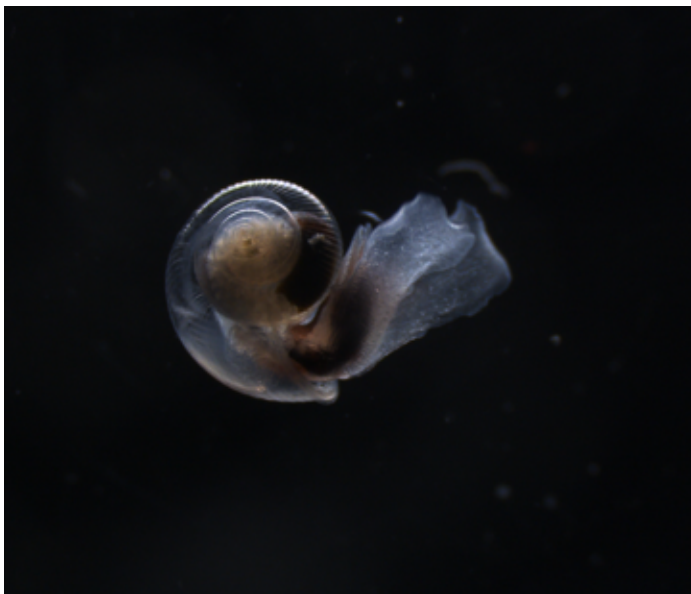


Figure 4.14: Photograph of a live pterapod.

4.15. Sea bottom sediments

(1) Personnel

| | | |
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| Koki Tokuhiro | Hokkaido University | |
| Yuri Fukai | Hokkaido University | |
| Fumihiko Kimura | Hokkaido University | |
| Nao Sato | Hokkaido University | |

(2) Objective

The goals of this study were as follows:

- 1) Clarify the spatial distribution of diatom resting cells in the sediment of the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean

(3) Sampling

Sea bottom sediments were collected using a Smith–McIntyre sampler at eight stations in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean (Figure 4.15). We inserted a liner tube (diameter: 3.6 cm) and cut the sediment from the surface to the depth of 3 cm; all samples were sorted in dark cool (~4 °C) conditions. After a period of more than one month, their containing resting cells will be quantified by incubation (most probable number method). Another aliquot (depth: 0–1 cm) was cut and preserved in dark cool conditions for analysis of dinoflagellates (investigator: Dr. So-Young Kim [KOPRI]). Additionally, surface sediments (depth: 0–3 cm) and short core samples (depth: 0–3–6 cm) were cut and sorted in dark cool conditions for isolation of the diatom *Skeletonema* spp. (investigator: Dr. Satoshi Nagai [AFFRC]).

(4) Station list

Table 4.15: List of stations for sediment samples collected using a Smith–McIntyre sampler in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean during October 2019.

| St. | Date | Latitude (N) | | Longitude | | Bottom depth (m) |
|------------------|------------|--------------|-------|-----------|---------|------------------|
| FP1 (RINKO 001) | 2019/10/7 | 64 | 40.11 | 169 | 55.12 W | 47 |
| St. 14 (CTD 004) | 2019/10/8 | 67 | 0.72 | 168 | 42.61 W | 44 |
| St. 18 (CTD 005) | 2019/10/8 | 69 | 0.62 | 168 | 45.63 W | 52 |
| St. 21 (CTD 008) | 2019/10/9 | 70 | 29.81 | 168 | 46.26 W | 38 |
| St. 24 (CTD 009) | 2019/10/9 | 71 | 59.23 | 163 | 30.98 W | 38 |
| St. 60 (CTD 034) | 2019/10/26 | 70 | 0 | 168 | 44.98 W | 40 |
| St. 68 (CTD 037) | 2019/10/27 | 68 | 0.83 | 167 | 52.23 W | 51 |
| St. 70 (CTD 038) | 2019/10/27 | 67 | 47.02 | 168 | 36.15 W | 50 |

(5) Preliminary results

As an indication of preliminary results, we present the following item.

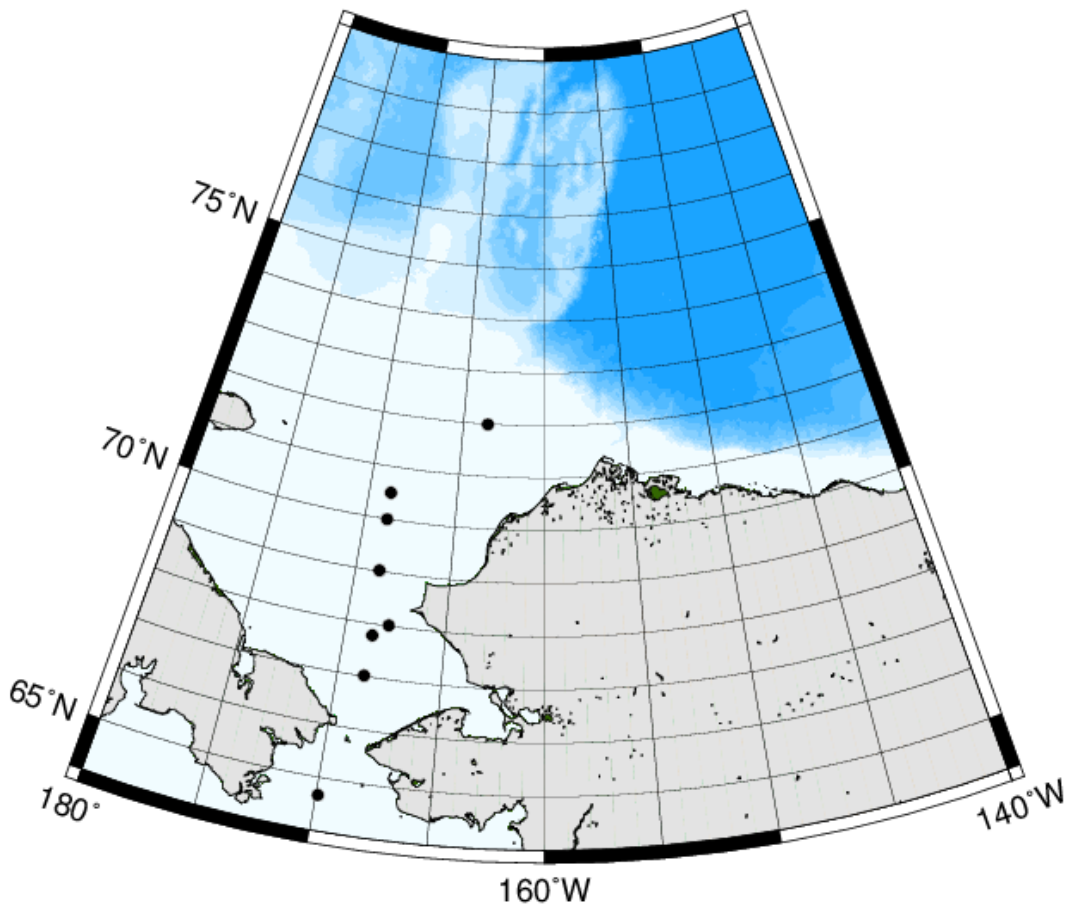


Figure 4.15: Locations of the sampling stations for the collection of bottom sediments in the Pacific sector of the Arctic Ocean during October 2019. Black dots indicate sampling stations.

5. Geology

5.1. Sea Bottom Topography Measurement

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|--------------------|------------|-----|
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| Yutaro Murakami | NME | |
| Takehito Hattori | MIRAI Crew | |

(2) Objective

The R/V Mirai is equipped with a multibeam echo sounding system (MBES; SEABEAM 3012, L3 Communications ELAC Nautik). The objective of using the MBES was to achieve continuous collection of bathymetric data along the ship's track (except in shallow depths) to contribute to regional geological and geophysical studies.

(3) Instruments and Methods

The "SEABEAM 3012" onboard the R/V Mirai was used for bathymetry mapping during this cruise. To obtain accurate sound velocity of the water column for ray-path correction of acoustic beams, we determined sound velocities at the depth of 6.62 m (the bottom of the ship) using a surface sound velocimeter. We produced sound velocity profiles using the equation of Del Grosso (1974) based on CTD, XCTD and Argo float data acquired during the cruise.

The system configuration and details of its performance are shown in Table 5.1.

Table 5.1: SEABEAM 3012 system configuration and performance

| | |
|------------------------|--|
| Frequency: | 12 kHz |
| Transmit beam width: | 2.0 degree |
| Transmit power: | 4 kW |
| Transmit pulse length: | 2 to 20 msec. |
| Receive beam width: | 1.6 degree |
| Depth range: | 50 to 11,000 m |
| Number of beams: | 301 beams (Spacing mode: Equi-angle) |
| Beam spacing: | 1.5 % of water depth (Spacing mode: Equi-distance) |
| Swath width: | 60 to 150 degrees |
| Depth accuracy: | < 1 % of water depth (average across the swath) |

(4) Preliminary Results

The results will be published after primary processing.

(5) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(6) Remarks

1. During the following periods, data acquisition was suspended owing to difficulties with the workstation.

13:07 UTC on 06 November 2019 to 13:23 UTC on 06 November 2019

19:17 UTC on 06 November 2019 to 19:24 UTC on 06 November 2019

2. During the following periods, data acquisition was suspended owing to the R/V Mirai track passing through areas of shallow sea.

01:00 UTC on 07 October 2019 to 23:43 UTC on 10 October 2019

09:49 UTC on 26 October 2019 to 07:10 UTC on 30 October 2019

3. During the following periods, data acquisition was suspended owing to the observation of microstructure measurements (T-MAP).

18:00 UTC on 18 October 2019 to 18:20 UTC on 18 October 2019

23:24 UTC on 18 October 2019 to 00:09 UTC on 19 October 2019

06:43 UTC on 19 October 2019 to 07:13 UTC on 19 October 2019

10:18 UTC on 19 October 2019 to 11:10 UTC on 19 October 2019

14:58 UTC on 19 October 2019 to 15:29 UTC on 19 October 2019

23:44 UTC on 19 October 2019 to 00:09 UTC on 20 October 2019

07:15 UTC on 20 October 2019 to 08:08 UTC on 20 October 2019

11:13 UTC on 20 October 2019 to 12:18 UTC on 20 October 2019

16:08 UTC on 20 October 2019 to 16:33 UTC on 20 October 2019

21:56 UTC on 20 October 2019 to 22:22 UTC on 20 October 2019

04:17 UTC on 21 October 2019 to 04:42 UTC on 20 October 2019

09:57 UTC on 21 October 2019 to 10:30 UTC on 20 October 2019

14:59 UTC on 21 October 2019 to 15:28 UTC on 20 October 2019

16:59 UTC on 21 October 2019 to 17:21 UTC on 20 October 2019

05:29 UTC on 22 October 2019 to 05:55 UTC on 22 October 2019

09:31 UTC on 22 October 2019 to 10:06 UTC on 22 October 2019

14:53 UTC on 22 October 2019 to 15:18 UTC on 22 October 2019

16:45 UTC on 22 October 2019 to 17:09 UTC on 22 October 2019

23:45 UTC on 22 October 2019 to 00:12 UTC on 23 October 2019

05:00 UTC on 23 October 2019 to 05:41 UTC on 23 October 2019

08:39 UTC on 23 October 2019 to 09:16 UTC on 23 October 2019

12:38 UTC on 23 October 2019 to 13:09 UTC on 23 October 2019

15:46 UTC on 23 October 2019 to 16:13 UTC on 23 October 2019

21:59 UTC on 23 October 2019 to 22:26 UTC on 23 October 2019

02:53 UTC on 24 October 2019 to 03:16 UTC on 24 October 2019
09:14 UTC on 24 October 2019 to 09:51 UTC on 24 October 2019
14:29 UTC on 24 October 2019 to 14:50 UTC on 24 October 2019
16:18 UTC on 24 October 2019 to 16:43 UTC on 24 October 2019
00:02 UTC on 25 October 2019 to 00:29 UTC on 25 October 2019
08:03 UTC on 25 October 2019 to 08:44 UTC on 25 October 2019
00:02 UTC on 25 October 2019 to 00:29 UTC on 25 October 2019
23:45 UTC on 25 October 2019 to 00:06 UTC on 26 October 2019
22:58 UTC on 02 November 2019 to 23:29 UTC on 02 November 2019

5.2. Sea Surface Gravity Measurement

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|--------------------|------------|-----|
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| Kazuho Yoshida | NME | |
| Yutaro Murakami | NME | |
| Takehito Hattori | MIRAI Crew | |

(2) Objective

Local gravity is an important parameter in geophysics and geodesy. We collected gravity data during this cruise.

(3) Parameters

Relative Gravity [CU: Counter Unit]

$$[\text{mGal}] = (\text{coefl: } 0.9946) * [\text{CU}]$$

(4) Instruments and Methods

We measured relative gravity using a LaCoste and Romberg air-sea gravity meter S-116 (Micro-g LaCoste, LLC) during the cruise. To convert relative gravity to absolute gravity, we measured gravity using a portable gravity meter (Scintrex gravity meter CG-5) at the ports of Sekinehama and Hachinohe as reference points.

(5) Preliminary Results

Absolute gravity measured at the ports of Sekinehama and Hachinohe is shown in Table 5.2.

Table 5.2: Absolute gravity of the MR19-03C cruise

| No. | Date | UTC | Port | Absolute Gravity [mGal] | Sea Level [cm] | Ship Draft [cm] | Gravity at Sensor * [mGal] | S-116 Gravity [mGal] |
|-----|-----------|-------|------------|-------------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| #1 | 26-Sep-19 | 06:50 | Sekinehama | 980371.86 | 248 | 622 | 980372.83 | 12655.67 |
| #2 | 11-Nov-19 | 00:24 | Hachinohe | 980353.29 | 262 | 618 | 980354.30 | 12632.49 |

*: Gravity at Sensor

$$= \text{Absolute Gravity} + \text{Sea Level} * 0.3086 / 100 + (\text{Draft} - 530) / 100 * 0.2222$$

(6) Observation Log

26 Sep. 2019 to 11 Nov. 2019

(7) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the “Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)” on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(8) Remarks

- i) At the following times, the Depth and Gyro values in the GRV data were invalid because of server error.
05:36 UTC on 29 September 2019
21:48 UTC on 14 October 2019

- ii) During the following period, data acquisition was suspended owing to difficulties with operation of the PC.
07:43 UTC on 04 October 2019 to 08:45 UTC on 04 October 2019

- iii) During the following period, data were invalid owing to Spring Motor trouble.
15:29 UTC on 08 October 2019 to 01:00 UTC 09 October 2019

5.3. Surface Magnetic Field Measurement

(1) Personnel

| | | |
|--------------------|------------|-----|
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(2) Objective

Measurement of magnetic force on the sea is required for geophysical investigations of marine magnetic anomalies caused by magnetization in upper-crustal structures. We measured the geomagnetic field using a three-component magnetometer during this cruise.

(3) Instruments and Methods

A shipboard three-component magnetometer system (SFG2018, Tierra Tecnica) is installed onboard the R/V Mirai. Three-axis flux-gate sensors with ring-cored coils are fixed on the foremast. Outputs from the sensors are digitized by a 20-bit A/D converter (1 nT/LSB) and sampled eight times per second. Yaw (heading), pitch and roll are measured by the Inertial Navigation System (INS) used for controlling the attitude of the Doppler radar. The ship's position (differential GNSS), speed over ground and gyro data are taken from the LAN every second.

The relation between a magnetic field vector observed onboard, \mathbf{H}_{ob} , (in the ship's fixed coordinate system) and the geomagnetic field vector, \mathbf{F} , (in the Earth's fixed coordinate system) can be expressed as follows:

$$\mathbf{H}_{ob} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}} \tilde{\mathbf{R}} \tilde{\mathbf{P}} \tilde{\mathbf{Y}} \mathbf{F} + \mathbf{H}_p \quad (\text{a})$$

where $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{P}}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{Y}}$ are the matrices of rotation due to roll, pitch and heading of the ship, respectively. $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}$ is a 3×3 matrix that represents the magnetic susceptibility of the ship, and \mathbf{H}_p is a magnetic field vector produced by a permanent magnetic moment of the ship's body. Rearrangement of Eq. (a) gives the following:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{B}} \mathbf{H}_{ob} + \mathbf{H}_{bp} = \tilde{\mathbf{R}} \tilde{\mathbf{P}} \tilde{\mathbf{Y}} \mathbf{F} \quad (\text{b})$$

where $\tilde{\mathbf{B}} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}^{-1}$ and $\mathbf{H}_{bp} = -\tilde{\mathbf{B}} \mathbf{H}_p$. The magnetic field, \mathbf{F} , can be obtained by measuring $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{P}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{Y}}$ and \mathbf{H}_{ob} , if $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}$ and \mathbf{H}_{bp} are known. Twelve constants in $\tilde{\mathbf{B}}$ and \mathbf{H}_{bp} can be determined by measuring the variation of \mathbf{H}_{ob} with $\tilde{\mathbf{R}}$, $\tilde{\mathbf{P}}$ and $\tilde{\mathbf{Y}}$ at a place where the geomagnetic field, \mathbf{F} , is known.

(4) Preliminary Results

The results will be published after primary processing.

(5) Data archives

The data obtained during the cruise will be submitted to the Data Management Group of JAMSTEC, and they will be made available to the public via the "Data Research System for Whole Cruise Information in JAMSTEC (DARWIN)" on the JAMSTEC website (<http://www.godac.jamstec.go.jp/darwin/e>)

(6) Remarks

1. For calibration of the ship's magnetic effect, we conducted "figure-of-eight" turns (a pair of clockwise and anticlockwise rotations) for the following periods at the listed positions.

05:45–06:15 UTC on 12 October 2019 at around 73-46°N, 145-10°W

04:46–05:15 UTC on 24 October 2019 at around 77-15°N, 164-00°W

04:00–04:20 UTC on 07 November 2019 at around 40-18°N, 145-59°E

2. During the following period, navigational data (i.e., Position, COG, SOG LOG, Heading and Depth) were not updated owing to server error.

05:36:11–05:36:24 UTC on 29 September 2019

3. During the following periods, data acquisition was stopped.

19:39:54–19:40:16 UTC on 14 October 2019

23:41:03–23:42:17 UTC on 14 October 2019

6. Notice on using

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