

MIRAI MR12-E03 Total CO₂ (TCO₂)

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Observation Items: Total Dissolved inorganic carbon, Sea surface temperature, Sea surface salinity

Science Keywords:

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Instrument

Instrument:

TCO₂ measurement system (MR09-04

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Information on Underway TCO₂ data observed on R/V MIRAI

Instrument : Underway TCO₂ measuring system ; Nippon ANS Ltd.

Method : Coulometric

Precision : -

Reference Material/Calibration : Certified Reference Material for TCO₂ analysis provided by Dr A. G. Dickson (batch 120, 104)

TCO₂ samples are analyzed using coulometric technique (Ishii, et al., 1998). Batches of Certified Reference Material for TCO₂ analysis provided by Dr A. G. Dickson have been used for quality control. Significant offset, if any, has been corrected.

Also, please refer to [cruise report](#) for details of the analytical method.

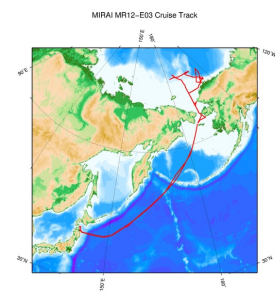
Reference

Masao Ishii, Hisayuki Y. Inoue, Hidekazu Matsueda and Eiichiro Tanoue (1998) Close coupling between seasonal biological production and dynamics of dissolved inorganic carbon in the Indian Ocean sector and the western Pacific Ocean sector of the Antarctic Ocean. *Deep Sea Research Part I: Oceanographic Research Papers*, Volume 45, 7, 1187-1209.

Note

- 1) Total alkalinity data was not calculated and its data column was filled with missing data value (-999).
- 2) For detailed information about this data, please make contact with Data Management Group (DMG) via ["Contact Us"](#) page.

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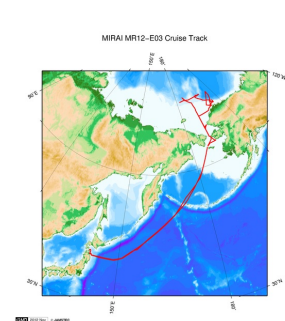
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1	Ship	Ship name
2	Cruise	Cruise ID
3	Serial No.	Serial No.
4	Date	year (YYYY) in UTC
5		month (MM) in UTC
6		day (DD) in UTC
7	Time	hour (HH) in UTC
8		minute (MM) in UTC
9	Latitude	Latitude (degree) ; Positive in north
10	Longitude	Longitude (degree) ; degree in eastward (0 - 360)
11	TCO ₂	Total Dissolved inorganic carbon (umol/kg)
12	F	Quality flag for TCO ₂
13	TA_calcd	Total alkalinity (umol/kg) *
14	F	Quality flag for TA_calcd
15	SST	Sea surface temperature (degree-C)
16	F	Quality flag for SST
17	SSS	Sea surface salinity
18	F	Quality flag for SSS

* : calculated from TCO₂, SST, SSS and pCO₂ (Roy et al., 1993)

Definition of Quality Control Flags

- 2 - Good
- 3 - Questionable
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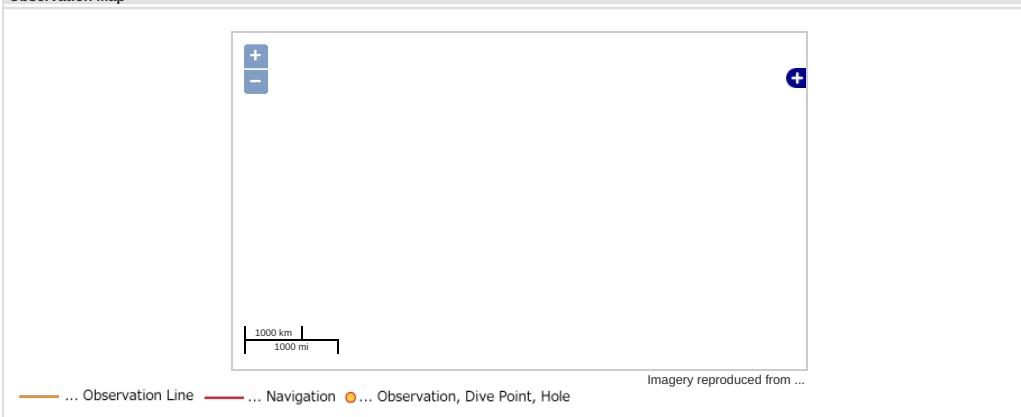
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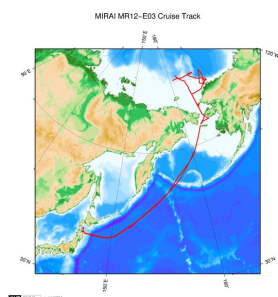
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