

## Cruise summary

### 1. Cruise Information

<u>Cruise number</u> :	YK09-11
<u>Ship name</u> :	Yokosuka
<u>Title of the cruise</u> :	Production of the TV program with 'SHINKAI6500' dive
<u>Chief Scientist</u> :	Shozo Tashiro
<u>Affiliation</u> :	JAMSTEC
<u>Cruise period</u> :	Aug 19, 2009 – Aug 27, 2009
<u>Port call</u> :	Yokosuka-Hachinohe-Ohfunato
<u>Dive area</u> :	Japan Trench off Miyako

### 2. Overview

The navigation was executed to produce for the 'Production of the TV program with SHINKAI6500 dive', which was proposed by Public Relations division to apply for the internal use of JAMSTEC's vessels in 2009 and was adopted.

The proposals of this navigation were collected from TV companies and were examined by the review committee in which nonfiction writer, Mr. Kazuma Yamane, participated as an external specialist then 'Jump and go, Mr. Science' broadcasted by TBS was adopted from nine proposals.

### 3. Result

Because the season's 10<sup>th</sup> typhoon was anticipated to approach closer, it was worried about the execution of the diving. Shinkai6500 was able to be executed one dive with Shoko Nakagawa's embarkation, an entertainer, on schedule.

It was a useful dive since a wide variety and numbers of deep sea creatures could be observed for the Japan Trench.