

MIRAI MR11-03 Shipboard Three Component Magnetometer (STCM)

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Period (UTC)

2011-04-14 01:04 – 2011-05-04 23:44

Instrument

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Three component magnetometer



Overview

The data provided is for corrected three component geomagnetic field anomalies. Three-axes flux-gate sensors with ring-cored coils were fixed on the roof of the bridge.

They measure the following items :

- h-component : along track line component, positive for the bow direction pitch.
- s-component : across track line component, positive for the starboard side roll.
- v-component : vertical component, positive for the downward direction.

The effect of ship motion was eliminated by roll and pitch data which was provided by a tilt sensor. The apparent magnetic influence can be detected through a "Figure of 8 turn"(a pair of clockwise and anti-clockwise turns) on each cruise. If no Figure of 8 turn on the cruise was completed, the latest Figure of 8 turn from the previous cruise was applied (see section 4.). As a quality control, data of low reliability was removed (see section 5. for quality control criteria).

Synthetic geomagnetic field values were calculated from IGRF models.

Measurement System

(1) Magnetometer

Manufacturer : Tierra Technica Ltd.
Type : SFG1214
Measurement range : $\pm 100,000$ nT
Accuracy : less than 100 nT
Resolution : 1 nT
Location : Dry Laboratory

(2) Magnetic Sensor

Manufacturer : Tierra Technica Ltd.
Form : flux-gate sensors with ring-cored coils
Location : Foremast

(3) Attitude sensor and Gyro compass

Manufacturer : IXBLUE
Type : PHINS
Accuracy(Roll, Pitch) : 0.01 degree
Accuracy(Gyro) : 0.01 degree *Secant(Lat.)
Location : In the doppler radar dome

Duration of the Figure of 8 turn

On this cruise

Date (UTC)

2011/04/20 14:43:00 - 2011/04/20 15:10:00

2011/04/28 14:05:00 - 2011/04/28 14:33:00

Data processing

The following corrections and calculations were performed.

(1) Ship magnetization correction
 $Hob = ARPYF + Hbp \text{ ---(i)}$
Hob: Observed magnetic field vector (Ship coordinates)
A: Effect of induced magnetization of the ship
R: Matrix of rotation due to the roll
P: Matrix of rotation due to the pitch
Y: Matrix of rotation due to the heading
F: Geomagnetic field vector
Hp: Ship's permanent magnetic moment

Following the equation(i), we calculate the geomagnetic field F.
 $RPYF = BHob + Hbp \text{ ---(ii)}$
B: coefficient of Figure of 8 turn
Hbp: Permanent magnetic field vector of the ship

Reference: Isezaki,N., A new shipboard three-component magnetometer, GEOPHYSICS. VOL.51,NO10(1986);P1992-1998

(2) International Geomagnetic Reference Field (IGRF)
Synthetic geomagnetic field values are calculated from IGRF 11th Generation models by using navigation data ; latitude, longitude and date.
Reference: IAGA Division V-MOD Geomagnetic Field Modeling[<http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/IAGA/vmod/igrf.html>]

(3) Calculation of the geomagnetic field anomaly
 $An = F - Figrf$
An: Geomagnetic field anomaly vector
F: Geomagnetic field vector
Figrf: Synthetic geomagnetic field vector from IGRF

(4) Quality control of data
Following criteria were used for removal of data of low reliability:

- Time error (inversion of time, continuation of same timestamps)
- Summation of the difference of heading by one second exceeding 20 degree per 5 minutes
- Ground speed of the ship below 3knot or exceeding 20knot
- X, Y, or Z component of geomagnetic field anomaly exceeding $\pm 4000nT$

(5) Filtering of the geomagnetic field anomaly
Due to the residual undulation of the ship, a 120 second length Gaussian filter was applied for each component of the geomagnetic field anomaly data.

(6) Output of the data
Time (UTC)
Latitude (degree)
Longitude (degree)
X: Northward (positive on the north) component of geomagnetic field anomaly (nT)
Y: Eastward (positive on the east) component of geomagnetic field anomaly (nT)
Z: Vertical (positive for downward) component of geomagnetic field anomaly (nT)
T: Absolute value of geomagnetic field anomaly (nT)

Coefficient of the Figure of 8 turn and Permanent magnetic field vector of the ship

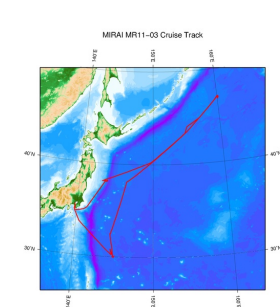
This coefficient was calculated from the Figure of 8 turn (see section 4.)

	0.9899	0.0593	0.0321		2020.9939
B=	-0.0640	1.0545	-0.0111	Hbp=	69.8256
	0.0396	0.0060	0.9780		325.0790

Note

- (1) File naming rule: Cruise_ID_corr.stcm
- (2) Sampling rate: 10 seconds
- (3) Geodetic system: WGS84
- (4) If you would like the raw data set, please contact us from "Contact Us" above.

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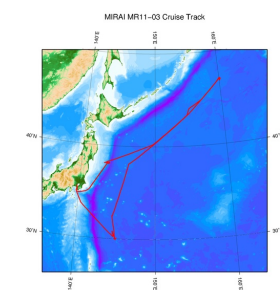
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1	1 - 8	Date	i4,i2,i2		YYYYMMDD (UTC)
2	10 -15	Time	i2,i2,i2		hhmmss (UTC)
3	17 -25	Latitude	f9.5	degree	No sign for the northern hemisphere. Negative for the southern hemisphere.
4	27 -36	Longitude	f10.5	degree	No sign for eastern hemisphere. Negative for the western hemisphere.
5	38 -43	X component of geomagnetic field anomaly	f6.0	nT	Positive on the north
6	45 -50	Y component of geomagnetic field anomaly	f6.0	nT	Positive on the east
7	52 -57	Z component of geomagnetic field anomaly	f6.0	nT	Positive for downward
8	59 -64	Absolute value of geomagnetic field anomaly	f6.0	nT	

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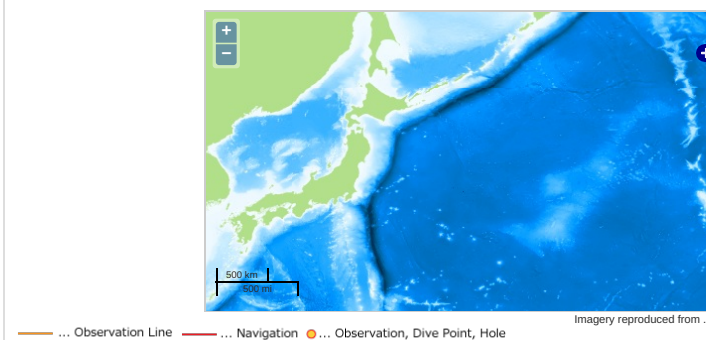
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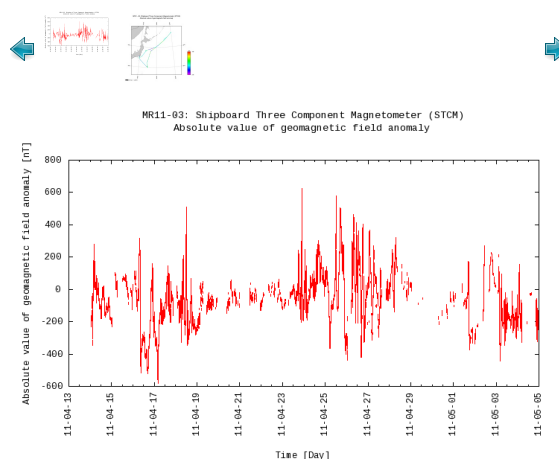
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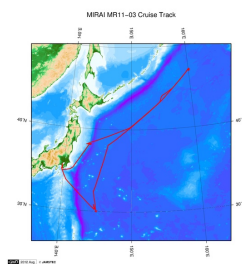
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