

## MIRAI MR03-K04 Leg6 Conductivity-Temperature-Depth Profiler (CTD)

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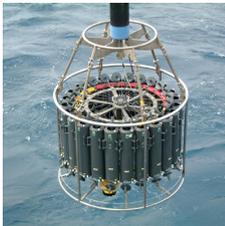
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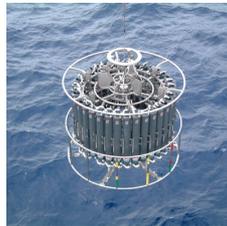
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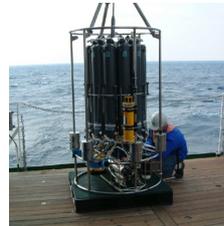
Instrument:

Water sampling system with CTD (12  
litters \* 36 bottles)



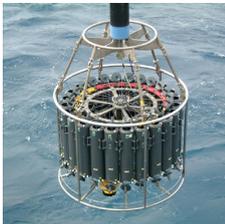
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Instrument:

Conductivity temperature depth  
measurements (CTD)



### Overview

CTD(Conductivity-Temperature-Depth profiler) is used to observe the vertical profiles of temperature and conductivity.

Usually, this system is operated with multicylinder water sampler.

Observed signal is transmitted from sensor to the operation room on board using wire cable, and electric power is supplied from vessel to sensor.

Details of sensors attached to CTD system for MR03-K04 Leg6 cruise are presented in "System".

The following software, developed and supplied by the Sea-Bird Electronics, Inc., was used in MR03-K04 Leg6.

SEASAVE(ver 5.27b) for data acquisition

SEASOFT(ver 5.27b) for data processing

Data presented on this website is averaged over 1db.

### System

#### • Pressure sensor

Model : SBE9plus, Sea-Bird Electronics,Inc.

Serial number : 79511

Measurement range : up to 10500m

Accuracy : 0.015% F.S.

Resolution : 0.001% F.S.

#### • Temperature sensor

Model : SBE3, Sea-Bird Electronics,Inc.

Serial number : 034188

Measurement range : -5.0 to +35degC

Accuracy : 0.001degC

Resolution : 0.0002degC

#### • Salinity sensor

Model : SBE4, Sea-Bird Electronics,Inc.

Serial number : 042240

Measurement range : 0.0 to 7 S/m

Accuracy : 0.0003 S/m

Resolution : 0.00004 S/m

#### • DO sensor

Model : SBE43, Sea-Bird Electronics,Inc.

Serial number : 430394  
Measurement range : 120% of surface saturation  
Accuracy : 2% of saturation

Sensors used in each cast is as follows.

Cast name	Serial number of sensor			
	Pressure	Temperature	Salinity	Dissolved Oxygen
601M01	79511	034188	042240	430394
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605M01	79511	034188	042240	430394
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613M01	79511	034188	042240	430394
615M01	79511	034188	042240	430394
617M01	79511	034188	042240	430394

#### Calibration Information

Calibration Information is as follows.

##### Calibration Information

#### Data processing

(1) Data processing sequence for SEASOFT is as follows;

command	function
datcnv	Convert raw data to engineering units, and store converted data in file.
alignctd	Align data relative to pressure(typically used for conductivity, temperature, and oxygen).
wildedit	Mark a data value with badflag to eliminate wild points.
celltm	Perform conductivity thermal mass correction.
filter	Low-pass filter columns of data.
wfilter	Median filter removes spikes of fluorometer data.
section	Extract rows of data from file.
loopedit	Mark a scan with badflag if scan fails pressure reversal or minimum velocity tests.
derive	Calculate oxygen. (with oxygen sensor)
binavg	Average data, basing bins on pressure, depth, scan number, or time range.
derive	Calculate salinity, density, etc..
split	Split data in file into upcast and downcast files.

(2) Quality control

QCed data were added flag according to the NODC (National Oceanographic Data Center) quality control procedure.

- 1) The gradient check of adjacent depth data
- 2) The density inversion check
- 3) The broad range check set up at given ocean space and depth

Please see the site of NODC of the following link for quality control procedure in detail.

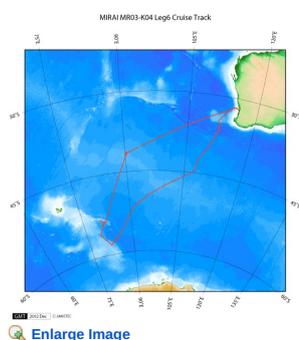
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In addition, an abnormal value is identified by a visual check, and the data after visual QC is released.

#### Note

(1) In this cruise, there is extra data (fluorescence intensity, distance to bottom) in additional to temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen that has been opened to the public. Please contact us from "Contact Us" above if necessary.

#### Related Information



#### MR03-K04 Leg6

Ship Name: MIRAI  
Period: 2004-01-27 - 2004-02-19  
Chief Scientist: Shuichi Watanabe (JAMSTEC)  
Project Name: [Blue Earth Global Expedition 2003]

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### CTD DMO

#### Format Description for the Corrected Data

Provided in the Exchange Format of CCHDO (CLIVAR and Carbon Hydrographic Data Office). Please see the following link for details of Exchange Format.

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Data in following cruise is not expressed with Exchange Format. Please see the site of each cruise for format.

MR02-K05 Leg1

MR04-05

#### Format Description for the QCed Data

Each data file contains one line header (meta data) followed by data lines for each cast.

The number of data lines are recorded in the header.

Header part

No.	Column	Content	Format	Remarks
1	1	Header ID	a1	fixed as '#'
2	3 - 6	Data ID	a4	CTD
3	8 - 22	Cruise ID	a15	MYYY-(K)XX(_legx)
4	24 - 31	Cast name	a8	
5	33 - 40	Date	i8	YYYYMMDD (UTC)
6	42 - 45	Time	i4	hhmm (UTC)
7	47 - 55	Latitude	i2,a1,f5.2,a1	dd-mm.mmN(S)
8	57 - 66	Longitude	i3,a1,f5.2,a1	ddd-mm.mmE(W)
9	68 - 71	Number of data lines	i4	
10	72 - 73	Terminator	-	CR+LF

Data part

No.	Column	Content	Unit	Format	Remarks
1	1 - 11	Pressure	dbar	f11.3	
2	12 - 22	Temperature	deg-C	f11.4	ITS-90
3	23 - 33	Salinity	PSU	f11.4	PSS-78
4	34 - 44	Dissolved oxygen	umol/kg	f11.3	
5	45 - 55	Flag	-	i11	1 - 7 : space 8 : flag of pressure 9 : flag of temperature 10 : flag of salinity 11 : flag of dissolved oxygen * reference : <a href="#">'Definition of Quality Control Flags'</a>
6	56 - 57	Terminator	-	-	CR+LF

Each contents of the data part is stored in 11 bytes.

Missing value is presented by '-5', and error value is presented by '-9'.

Definition of Quality Control Flags

#### 1. Depth Flags

- 0 - accepted value
- 1 - error in recorded depth ( same or less than previous depth )
- 2 - density inversion

#### 2. Observed Level Flags

- N - missing value
- 0 - accepted value
- 1 - range outlier ( outside of broad range check )
- 2 - failed inversion check
- 3 - failed gradient check
- 4 - zero anomaly
- 5 - failed combined gradient and inversion checks
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- 7 - failed range and gradient checks
- 8 - failed range and zero anomaly checks
- 9 - failed range and combined gradient and inversion checks
- A - failed visual check

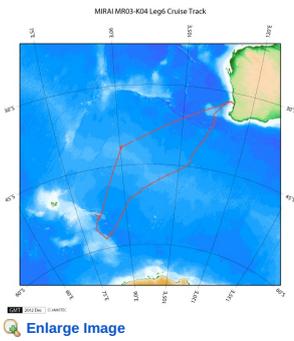
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#### Sample Program

[ex\\_read2.f](#)

#### Related Information



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Project Name: [Blue Earth Global Expedition 2003]

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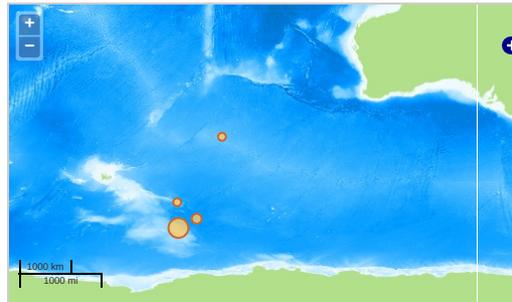
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**Observation Map**

1. Clicking the icon displays a balloon with observation information.
2. Then click the observation name, figures will be displayed.



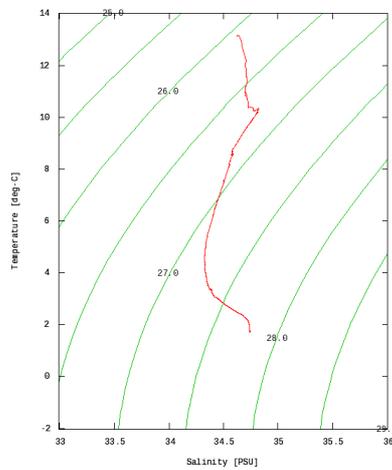
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**Figures**

601M01



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Only values evaluated as "good : all flags are 0" are plotted in profiles.  
Please see Format Page for the definition of quality flags.

**Data List**

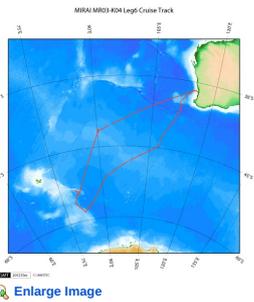
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- Observation List  
The list of observation is shown as follows.

Observation	Time and Date	Lat. [°]	Lon. [°]
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605M01	2004-02-07 00:10	-58.2373	82.3068
606M01	2004-02-07 03:41	-58.0558	82.6206
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610M01	2004-02-08 04:55	-57.5758	83.6228
611M01	2004-02-09 23:51	-57.4586	83.8490
612M01	2004-02-10 05:14	-57.2218	84.3225
613M01	2004-02-10 10:48	-56.9773	84.8105
615M01	2004-02-10 23:51	-56.5960	85.5296
617M01	2004-02-11 07:08	-56.0951	86.4483

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