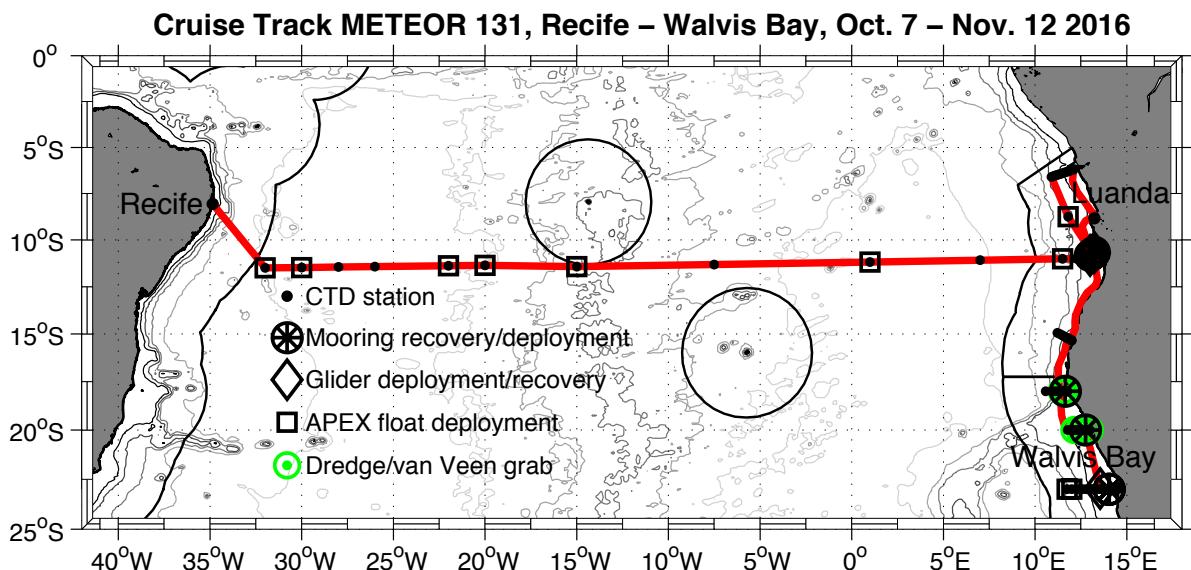


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Short Cruise Report
R/V METEOR M131 Recife – Walvis Bay
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Bathymetric map with ship track of R/V METEOR cruise M131, including locations of CTD stations, mooring recoveries and deployments, glider and Argo float deployments and dredge/ van Veen grab stations. Black solid lines mark exclusive economic zones of Brazil, Ascension, Saint Helena, Angola and Namibia.

Objectives

During R/V METEOR cruise M131 a physical oceanography research program with a biogeochemical component was carried out in the eastern boundary upwelling region off Angola and Namibia. The program is an integral component of the EU collaborative project PREFACE (“Enhancing prediction of tropical Atlantic climate and its impacts”) and the BMBF collaborative project SACUS (“Southwest African Coastal Upwelling System and Benguela Niños“). The major aim of the cruise was (1) to determine the variability of eastern boundary current transport, water masses variability and wave propagation along the coastal wave guide; (2) to quantify the physical processes controlling the mixed-layer heat and freshwater budgets in the eastern boundary region, including the loss of heat due to turbulent

mixing; and (3) to investigate the upper-ocean water mass variability associated with the variability of the meridional overturning circulation along a transatlantic transect at about 11°S. Altogether, five moorings with instrumentation observing the variability of currents, hydrography and oxygen along the continental margin of Angola and Namibia were successfully recovered (while two additional moorings could not be recovered) and six moorings were deployed (two short-term moorings were deployed and recovered). Seven high-resolution hydrographic and microstructure sections that included oxygen, nutrient, turbidity and particle measurements across selected international repeat-lines in the eastern boundary current system were successfully completed, advancing the understanding of seasonal and interannual variability of hydrography, mixed-layer properties and diapycnal heat flux. At two of these sections, autonomous measurement platforms (gliders) with microstructure probes and/or nutrient sensors were deployed sampling the sections at very high resolution for a period of up to six days. A high-resolution transatlantic hydrographic section was successfully completed using an underway sampling system. The observational program was complemented by sampling the sediment, measurements of the size distribution of aerosols and echosounder measurements of zooplankton.

Narrative

R/V METEOR departed from Recife on October 7, 2016 at 9:30 and headed southeast toward the starting point of our transatlantic measurements at 11°30'S, 32°W outside the exclusive economic zone (EEZ) of Brazil. Port stops in Recife are often used by our groups, together with our scientific partners from the Universidade Federal de Pernambuco in Recife, to hold joint scientific colloquiums aimed at enhancing the scientific and technical exchange between students, scientists and technicians. This year, on October 5, we had already the fifth seminar of the Bilateral Cooperation DOCEAN (Departamento de Oceanografia) – GEOMAR. This time the German Consul General Maria Könning-De Siqueira Regueira participated. She welcomed the scientists and stressed the importance of the visit of the German RV METEOR in Recife. She stated that „science is a fundamental pillar of the cooperation between Brazil and Germany“.

The measurements along the ~11°S section across the basin encompasses measurements with the Underway CTD (UCTD) system, shipboard ADCP measurements using the 75kHz and the 38kHz Ocean Surveyors aboard Meteor, and additional CTD stations for calibration of the UCTD probes. The CTD system includes an upward and downward looking lowered ADCP (LADCP) and an Underwater Vision Profiler (UVP). During the transit seven Argo floats provided by the BSH (Bundesamt für Seeschifffahrt und Hydrographie, Federal Maritime and Hydrographic Agency) were deployed within the German Argo program. The UCTD worked very well and we were able to acquire hydrographic data in the upper 400 m with 1 hour resolution across the entire basin. On October 20, the ~11°S section was completed when we reached our eastern boundary mooring array consisting of three moorings that were installed during Meteor cruise M120. Early in the morning of October 21, we started the mooring service with the successful recovery of a mooring equipped with an 75kHz Longranger ADCP. At the same location we deployed a glider with a SUNA nutrient sensor on its mission along a cross-shelf section at about 11°S. Still before lunch, we arrived at the second mooring

position equipped with 4 MicroCATs and 4 oxygen loggers. We received a signal from the release, but later on, using triangulation, located the release about 2 km from the deployment position. Upon sending the release command, the release remained at the bottom, suggesting that the mooring wire was broken above the release, very likely due to strong fishing activities in the region. As this was already the second mooring loss, we decided not to redeploy this mooring at the shelf break. The third mooring was a bottom shield equipped with a 75kHz Longranger ADCP. However, we were not able to receive an answer from the release installed in the bottom shield and we decided not to send a release command as we wanted to use the rest of the daylight for the deployment of two additional gliders. Both gliders were equipped with MicroRider probes to measure turbulent mixing. One glider was sent on mission along the same cross-shelf section, the other glider was put in a mooring mode profiling repeatedly between positions at about 200m water depths. All three gliders were planned to be recovered 6 days later, after our return from our measurements at about 6°S. In between the mooring locations and toward the shallowest station on the shelf, we used another Underway CTD system, called RapidCast that was delivered by Oceanscience, San Diego, USA for testing. With the RapidCast system we acquired hydrographic profiles down to 125m in a fast repeat mode with a temporal resolution of about 5 min (up to 2 min in shallower water on the shelf). During the night, the first measurements using the ScanFish system were performed from the shallow station on the shelf across the shelf break. The ScanFish worked very well and delivered temperature, salinity, oxygen, chlorophyll and turbidity data from the upper 100 m of the ocean showing strong variability associated with internal waves.

After finishing the measurements at 11°S, Meteor headed north towards our northernmost study area located in the vicinity of the Congo river mouth at about 6°S. During the transit, measurements with the RapidCast system were performed and another Argo float was deployed. The bearing of the UCTD winch drum failed and could not be repaired on board. Later we switched to our second UCTD system provided by the University of Hamburg. The 6°S section was surveyed within 25 hours on October 23 and 24. The measurements comprise 13 CTD-O₂/LADCP/UVP and 13 shipboard microstructure stations. On October 25, at 8:00 we arrived in Luanda for a port stop which was organized during the days prior with great help of the German embassy in Luanda and our partner institute INIP (Instituto Nacional de Investigação Pesqueira Republica de Angola). A reception aboard RV Meteor was very well received in Luanda, including the visit of two ministers, the Minister of Fisheries and the Minister of Science. The interest by the media was very large with several interviews for television and newspapers. Overall, the reception can be regarded as a great success, strengthening the good relations between Angola and Germany in the field of ocean research. On October 26, we left the port of Luanda and headed south to the 11°S section to continue the measurements started 6 day before. The first glider was recovered on October 27, at 1:50 without problems. Reaching the position of the bottom shield that was so far not recovered, we tried to acoustically release it. However, we obtained no return signal and the shield did not come to the surface. The shield must be regarded as lost. We still decided to deploy a new shield nearby. However, this time we used an additional bottom line that could be dredged in case the release does not work with the shield still in place. After recovery of the second

glider, the subsurface mooring with a Longranger ADCP was deployed at same position where we had recovered a similar mooring 6 days before. After the end of the mooring work along 11°S, we started the hydrographic section with 14 CTD-O₂/LADCP/UVP and 14 shipboard microstructure stations. The last glider was successfully recovered almost at the end of the section ending the glider swarm measurements at 11°S.

From 11°S to 15°S, we closely followed the 500m depth contour to produce an along shelf hydrographic section using the two UCTD systems aboard that will stretch from about 10°S to 20°S across the Angola Benguela Frontal Zone (ABFZ). On October 30, we reached the 15°S section and, within about 34 hours, took 15 CTD-O₂/LADCP/UVP and 15 shipboard microstructure stations. After completing the 15°S section, we returned to the 500m depth contour and continued the along-shelf section with UCTD measurements and microstructure stations every 15 minutes in latitude.

On November 2nd, a bottom shield with an ADCP and MicroCAT was successfully recovered at the 18°S section. Subsequently, a new shield was deployed at the same location. Along the 18°S section, 11 CTD-O₂/LADCP/UVP and 11 shipboard microstructure stations were taken. At this section also the first samples with the van Veen grab were taken. Unfortunately the dredge for bottom sediment sampling was lost during first use because of a broken wire. The use of the second dredge aboard METEOR was postponed to the 20°S section. After completing the 18°S section, measurements with the UCTD and RapidCast system were conducted approximately along the 500m depth contour.

On November 4th, the work at the 20°S section started with the successful recovery of a similar bottom shield as was deployed at 18°S. It was followed by the deployment of a short-term mooring. The measurement program along 20°S consist again of CTD and microstructure stations as well as sediment sampling with the van Veen grab and the dredge. Due to strong swell and wind waves, few of the stations planned in deeper waters farther offshore were omitted. Use of the ScanFish on November 5th had to be stopped because of the failure of few sensors. On November 6, an almost full day of measurements with the shipboard microstructure probe was obtained to observe the short-term variability of mixing activity on the shelf. Finally, on November 7, the short-term mooring was recovered and the new bottom shield deployed. After a short test with the ScanFish, Meteor headed to the last section at 23°S off Walvis Bay.

On November 8, a glider with a MicroRider system was deployed. This glider will be recovered at the beginning of the next METEOR cruise from Walvis Bay to Cape Town. Following the glider deployment, two moorings, one with a sediment trap, were recovered successfully. The sediment trap sampled sinking particles at about monthly resolution. At the mooring position another short-term mooring was deployed to be recovered before heading to the port of Walvis Bay. Along the 23°S section, 18 CTD-O₂/LADCP/UVP and 14 shipboard microstructure stations were taken. On the way back across the shelf break toward the coast, the ScanFish was used, starting in the evening of November 10. This section ended on the shelf close to the mooring locations. Here the short-term mooring was recovered and the other two moorings were deployed for the next mooring period finishing the scientific program of METEOR cruise M131.

The ship arrived at the port of Walvis Bay, Namibia on November 12, 2016 at 6:00.

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Tab. 1.1: Station list of R/V METEOR cruise M131.

Station No. M119 Ship/Science		Latitude	Longitude	Time	Work
1162	CTD_1	11°30'S	32°00'W	08.10. 11:26- 12:43	CTD station (2000m)
1163	Argo_1	11°30'S	32°00'W	08.10. 12:55	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901842)
1164	UCTD	11°30'S	32°00'W	08.10. 13:02	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1165	CTD_2	11°29'S	30°00'W	09.10. 02:20- 05:27	CTD station (bottom)
1166	Argo_2	11°29'S	30°00'W	09.10. 05:39	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901843)
1167	UCTD	11°29'S	30°00'W	09.10. 06:00	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1168	CTD_3	11°27'S	28°00'W	09.10. 17:53- 21:33	CTD station (bottom)
1169	UCTD	11°27'S	28°00'W	09.10. 21:49	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1170	CTD_4	11°26'S	26°00'W	10.10. 11:11- 14:54	CTD station (bottom)
1171	UCTD	11°26'S	26°00'W	10.10. 15:12	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1172	CTD_5	11°23'S	22°00'W	11.10. 15:54- 17:09	CTD station (2000m)
1173	Argo_3	11°23'S	22°00'W	11.10. 17:26	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901867)
1174	UCTD	11°23'S	22°00'W	11.10. 18:00	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1175	CTD_6	11°22'S	20°00'W	12.10. 05:36- 06:51	CTD station (2000m)
1176	Argo_4	11°22'S	20°00'W	12.10. 07:01	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901868)
1177	UCTD	11°22'S	20°00'W	12.10. 07:17	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1178	CTD_7	11°26'S	15°00'W	13.10. 15:35- 16:50	CTD station (2000m)
1179	Argo_5	11°26'S	15°00'W	13.10. 17:13	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901844)
1180	UCTD	11°26'S	15°00'W	13.10. 17:22	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1181	CTD_8	11°19'S	07°30'W	15.10. 19:24- 19:52	CTD station (500m)
1182/3	UCTD	11°19'S	07°30'W	15.10. 20:08	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1184	CTD_9	11°11'S	01°00'E	17.10. 21:40- 22:59	CTD station (2000m)
1185	Argo_6	11°11'S	01°00'E	18.10. 23:05	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901866)
1186/7	UCTD	11°11'S	01°00'E	18.10. 23:14	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1188	CTD_10	11°05'S	07°00'E	19.10. 10:00- 10:45	CTD station (700m)
1189	UCTD	11°05'S	07°00'E	19.10. 11:02	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1190	CTD_11	11°01'S	11°30'E	20.10. 12:15- 14:41	CTD station (~3500m/bottom)
1191	Argo_7	11°01'S	11°30'E	20.10. 14:53	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901846)
1192	UCTD	11°01'S	11°30'E	20.10. 15:07	Underway-CTD (every 1h)
1193	CTD_12	11°00'S	12°15'E	20.10. 19:06- 20:24	CTD station (~1590m/bottom)
1194	UCTD	11°00'S	12°15'E	20.10. 20:37	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1195	KPO1153	10°50.00'S	13°00.01'E	21.10. 05:50- 07:25	Mooring recovery
1196	Ifm13	10°50.06'S	13°00.1'E	21.10. 08:37- 09:33	Glider deployment
1197	UCTD	10°50.06'S	13°00.1'E	21.10. 09:45	Rapid Cast
1198	KPO1151	10°42.13'S	13°11.83'E	21.10. 14:00	Mooring (releases at bottom located,

					mooring not recovered)
1199	KPO1152	10°42.57'S	13°11.13'E	21.10. 14:42-16:00	Mooring (no response from releases, not released so far)
1200	Ifm03	10°42.13'S	13°11.83'E	21.10. 16:48-17:32	Glider deployment
1201	Ifm09	10°42.13'S	13°11.83'E	21.10. 17:51-18:23	Glider deployment
1199	KPO1152	10°42.57'S	13°11.13'E	21.10. 20:50-21:15	Mooring (no response from releases, not released so far)
1202	UCTD	10°42'S	13°11'E	21.10. 21:47	Rapid Cast
1203	SCF_1	10°28.3'S	13°26.6'E	21.10. 00:10-04:21	ScanFish (Start at 40m depth at 6kn speed) and echosounder measurements
1204	UCTD	10°42'S	13°07'E	22.10. 04:32	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1205	CTD_13	08°45'S	11°48'E	22.10. 18:26-19:53	CTD station (2000m)
1206	Argo_8	08°45'S	11°48'E	22.10. 20:02	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901847)
1207	UCTD	08°45'S	11°48'E	22.10. 20:11	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1208	CTD_14	06°36'S	10°54'E	23.10. 08:46-10:01	CTD station (1613m/bottom)
1209	MSS_1	06°36'S	10°54'E	23.10. 10:04-11:12	MSS station
1210	CTD_15	06°34'S	11°00'E	23.10. 12:07-13:04	CTD station (1444m/bottom)
1211	MSS_2	06°34'S	11°00'E	23.10. 13:19-14:25	MSS station
1212	CTD_16	06°32'S	11°06'E	23.10. 15:03-15:50	CTD station (1170m/bottom)
1213	MSS_3	06°32'S	11°06'E	23.10. 16:00-16:46	MSS station
1214	CTD_17	06°30'S	11°12'E	23.10. 17:23-18:12	CTD station (976m/bottom)
1215	MSS_4	06°30'S	11°12'E	23.10. 18:15-18:59	MSS station
1216	CTD_18	06°28'S	11°18'E	23.10. 19:36-20:15	CTD station (705m/bottom)
1217	MSS_5	06°28'S	11°18'E	23.10. 20:18-21:08	MSS station
1218	CTD_19	06°27'S	11°22'E	23.10. 21:44-22:13	CTD station (532m/bottom)
1219	MSS_6	06°27'S	11°22'E	23.10. 22:15-23:07	MSS station
1220	CTD_20	06°24'S	11°30'E	24.10. 00:00-00:28	CTD station (334m/bottom)
1221	MSS_7	06°24'S	11°30'E	24.10. 00:31-01:36	MSS station
1222	CTD_21	06°22'S	11°36'E	24.10. 02:05-02:20	CTD station (190m/bottom)
1223	MSS_8	06°22'S	11°36'E	24.10. 02:26-02:58	MSS station
1224	CTD_22	06°20'S	11°42'E	24.10. 03:32-03:44	CTD station (115m/bottom)
1225	MSS_9	06°20'S	11°42'E	24.10. 03:50-04:14	MSS station
1226	CTD_23	06°18'S	11°48'E	24.10. 04:56-	CTD station (102m/bottom)

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1227	MSS_10	06°18'S	11°48'E	24.10. 05:16-05:34	MSS station
1228	CTD_24	06°16'S	11°54'E	24.10. 06:14-06:25	CTD station (80m/bottom)
1229	MSS_11	06°16'S	11°54'E	24.10. 06:27-06:54	MSS station
1230	CTD_25	06°14'S	12°00'E	24.10. 07:37-07:45	CTD station (60m/bottom)
1231	MSS_12	06°14'S	12°00'E	24.10. 07:51-08:20	MSS station
1232	CTD_26	06°12'S	12°06'E	24.10. 09:02-09:13	CTD station (41m/bottom)
1233	MSS_13	06°12'S	12°06'E	24.10. 09:17-09:42	MSS station
		08°44.54'S	13°17.13'E	25.10. 08:00	Luanda Reception
		08°44.54'S	13°17.13'E	26.10. 11:00	Departure Luanda
1234	UCTD	08°56'S	12°49'E	26.10. 14:38	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast
1235	Ifm03	10°46.4'S	13°03.3'E	27.10. 01:50	Glider recovery
1236	KPO1152	10°42.57'S	13°11.13'E	27.10. 05:40-7:30	Mooring (could not be recovered, no signal from release)
1237	CTD_27	10°42.75'S	12°11.38'E	27.10. 08:24-8:52	CTD station (500m/bottom)
1238	KPO1174	10°42.74'S	13°11.34'E	27.10. 09:26-11:53	Mooring deployment
1239	Ifm13	10°47.5'S	13°04.7'E	27.10. 13:20	Glider recovery
1240	KPO1175	10°50.00'S	13°00.00'E	27.10. 15:19-16:22	Mooring deployment
1241	UCTD	10°57'S	12°49'E	27.10. 17:48	Underway-CTD
1242	CTD_28	11°00'S	12°45'E	27.10. 18:24-19:25	CTD station (1427m/bottom)
1243	MSS_14	11°00'S	12°45'E	27.10. 19:28-20:16	MSS station
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1246	CTD_30	10°53.3'S	12°55'E	27.10. 23:28-00:23	CTD station (1268m/bottom)
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1248	CTD_31	10°50.6'S	13°00.4'E	28.10. 01:22-02:43	CTD station (1210m/bottom) Keep distance to mooring position
1249	MSS_17	10°50.6'S	13°00.4'E	28.10. 02:51-03:30	MSS station
1250	CTD_32	10°48'S	13°03'E	28.10. 03:55-04:45	CTD station (1136m/bottom)
1251	MSS_18	10°48'S	13°03'E	28.10. 04:51-05:30	MSS station
1252	CTD_33	10°46'S	13°06'E	28.10. 05:59-06:37	CTD station (935m/bottom)
1253	MSS_19	10°46'S	13°06'E	28.10. 06:44-07:26	MSS station
1254	CTD_34	10°44'S	13°09'E	28.10. 07:52-	CTD station (689m/bottom)

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1255	MSS_20	10°44'S	13°09'E	28.10. 08:25-09:06	MSS station
1256	CTD_35	10°42'S	13°12'E	28.10. 09:36-10:13	CTD station (426m/bottom)
1257	MSS_21	10°42'S	13°12'E	28.10. 10:16-10:59	MSS station
1258	CTD_36	10°40'S	13°15'E	28.10. 11:29-11:47	CTD station (219m/bottom)
1259	Ifm09	10°40.68'S	13°15.95'E	28.10. 12:19	Glider recovery
1260	MSS_22	10°40'S	13°15'E	28.10. 12:57-13:37	MSS station
1261	CTD_37	10°38'S	13°18'E	28.10. 14:05-14:18	CTD station (122m/bottom)
1262	MSS_23	10°38'S	13°18'E	28.10. 14:28-15:03	MSS station
1263	CTD_38	10°36'S	13°21'E	28.10. 15:31-15:44	CTD station (106m/bottom)
1264	MSS_24	10°36'S	13°21'E	28.10. 15:51-16:34	MSS station
1265	CTD_39	10°34'S	13°24'E	28.10. 16:55-17:09	CTD station (85m/bottom)
1266	MSS_25	10°34'S	13°24'E	28.10. 17:16-17:51	MSS station
1267	CTD_40	10°32'S	13°27'E	28.10. 18:12-18:23	CTD station (59m/bottom)
1268	MSS_26	10°32'S	13°27'E	28.10. 18:30-18:54	MSS station
1269	CTD_41	10°30'S	13°30'E	28.10. 19:20-19:30	CTD station (43m/bottom)
1270	MSS_27	10°30'S	13°30'E	28.10. 19:36-20:01	MSS station
1271	UCTD	10°30'S	13°30'E	28.10. 20:23	RapidCast
1272	KPO1154	10°40.443'S	13°14.439'E	28.10. 22:19-22:41	PIES communication (not successful)
1273	KPO1155	10°42.682'S	13°11.085'E	28.10. 23:22-23:36	PIES communication (not successful)
1274	UCTD	10°42.682'S	13°11.085'E	28.10. 23:49	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast (along the 500m depth contour)
1275	CTD_42	14°57'S	11°13'E	30.10. 10:22-12:53	CTD station (2894m/bottom)
1276	MSS_28	14°57'S	11°13'E	30.10. 12:57-13:42	MSS station
1277	CTD_43	15°01'S	11°21'E	30.10. 14:40-16:28	CTD station (2699m/bottom)
1278	MSS_29	15°01'S	11°21'E	30.10. 16:32-17:15	MSS station
1279	CTD_44	15°05'S	11°29'E	30.10. 18:16-19:18	CTD station (~2000m/bottom)
1280	MSS_30	15°05'S	11°29'E	30.10. 19:20-20:04	MSS station
1281	CTD_45	15°08'S	11°35'E	30.10. 20:56-22:14	CTD station (2050m/bottom)
1282	MSS_31	15°08'S	11°35'E	30.10. 22:18-	MSS station

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1283	CTD_46	15°11'S	11°41'E	30.10.23:54-00:55	CTD station (1584m/bottom)
1284	MSS_32	15°11'S	11°41'E	31.10.01:02-01:41	MSS station
1285	CTD_47	15°13'S	11°45'E	31.10.02:23-03:18	CTD station (1338m/bottom)
1286	MSS_33	15°13'S	11°45'E	31.10.03:25-04:12	MSS station
1287	CTD_48	15°15'S	11°49'E	31.10.04:42-05:26	CTD station (954m/bottom)
1288	MSS_34	15°15'S	11°49'E	31.10.05:29-06:16	MSS station
1289	CTD_49	15°16'S	11°51'E	31.10.06:39-07:28	CTD station (749m/bottom)
1290	MSS_35	15°16'S	11°51'E	31.10.07:30-08:12	MSS station
1291	CTD_50	15°17'S	11°53'E	31.10.08:42-09:19	CTD station (555m/bottom)
1292	MSS_36	15°17'S	11°53'E	31.10.09:21-10:07	MSS station
1293	CTD_51	15°18'S	11°55'E	31.10.10:47-11:19	CTD station (676m/bottom)
1294	MSS_37	15°18'S	11°55'E	31.10.11:21-12:05	MSS station
1295	CTD_52	15°18.5'S	11°56'E	31.10.12:28-13:00	CTD station (639m/bottom)
1296	MSS_38	15°18.5'S	11°56'E	31.10.13:03-13:46	MSS station
1297	CTD_53	15°19'S	11°57'E	31.10.14:11-14:35	CTD station (435m/bottom)
1298	MSS_39	15°19'S	11°57'E	31.10.14:37-15:19	MSS station
1299	CTD_54	15°19.5'S	11°58'E	31.10.15:40-15:56	CTD station (227m/bottom)
1300	MSS_40	15°19.5'S	11°58'E	31.10.16:00-16:34	MSS station
1301	CTD_55	15°20'S	11°59'E	31.10.16:53-17:09	CTD station (97m/bottom)
1302	CTD_56	15°21'S	12°01'E	31.10.17:35-17:45	CTD station (43m/bottom)
1303	MSS_41	15°21'S	12°00.5'E	31.10.18:00-18:45	MSS station
1304	MSS_42	15°20'S	11°59'E	31.10.18:57-19:36	MSS station
1305	MSS_43	15°19.5'S	11°58'E	31.10.19:45-20:34	MSS station
1306	UCTD	15°18.5'S	11°56'E	31.10.20:53	Rapid Cast (along the 500m depth contour)
1307	MSS_44	15°30'S	11°45'E	31.10.22:38-23:16	MSS station
1308	UCTD	15°31'S	11°44'E	31.10.23:19	Rapid Cast
1309	MSS_45	15°45'S	11°38'E	01.11.01:01-01:50	MSS station

1310	UCTD	15°45'S	11°38'E	01.11. 01:58	Rapid Cast
1311	MSS_46	15°52'S	11°37'E	01.11. 02:45-03:28	MSS station
1312	UCTD	16°53'S	11°37'E	01.11. 03:31	Rapid Cast
1313	MSS_47	16°00'S	11°34'E	01.11. 04:23-05:03	MSS station
1314	UCTD	16°01'S	11°33'E	01.11. 05:05	Rapid Cast
1315	MSS_48	16°15'S	11°27'E	01.11. 06:36-07:19	MSS station
1316	UCTD	16°16'S	11°27'E	01.11. 07:20	Rapid Cast
1317	MSS_49	16°30'S	11°21'E	01.11. 08:53-09:35	MSS station
1318	UCTD	16°31'S	11°21'E	01.11. 09:37	Rapid Cast
1319	MSS_50	16°45'S	11°17'E	01.11. 11:10-11:52	MSS station
1320	UCTD	16°46'S	11°16'E	01.11. 11:54	Rapid Cast
1321	MSS_51	17°00'S	11°16'E	01.11. 13:30-14:13	MSS station
1322	UCTD	17°01'S	11°16'E	01.11. 14:16	Rapid Cast
1323	MSS_52	17°15'S	11°16'E	01.11. 15:54-16:32	MSS station
1324	UCTD	17°15'S	11°16'E	01.11. 16:40	Rapid Cast
1325	MSS_53	17°30'S	11°18'E	01.11. 18:32-19:20	MSS station
1326	UCTD	17°30'S	11°18'E	01.11. 19:20	Rapid Cast
1327	MSS_54	17°45'S	11°19'E	01.11. 21:07-21:54	MSS station
1328	UCTD	17°45'S	11°19'E	01.11. 21:59	Rapid Cast
1329	CTD_57	18°00'S	11°22'E	01.11. 23:51-00:19	CTD station (539m/bottom)
1330	MSS_55	18°00'S	11°22'E	02.11. 00:24-01:12	MSS station
1331	CTD_58	18°00'S	11°27'E	02.11. 02:02-02:22	CTD station (274m/bottom)
1332	MSS_56	18°00'S	11°27'E	02.11. 02:27-03:08	MSS station
1333	CTD_59	18°00'S	11°31'E	02.11. 03:46-04:06	CTD station (230m/bottom)
1334	MSS_57	18°00'S	11°31'E	02.11. 04:09-04:44	MSS station
1335	CTD_60	18°00'S	11°35'E	02.11. 05:17-05:36	CTD station (182m/bottom)
1336	MSS_58	18°00'S	11°35'E	02.11. 05:41-06:19	MSS station
1337	CTD_61	18°00'S	11°38'E	02.11. 06:41-06:57	CTD station (127m/bottom)
1338	MSS_59	18°00'S	11°38'E	02.11. 06:59-07:42	MSS station
1339	LTKC	18°00'S	11°39'E	02.11. 08:01-08:43	Mooring recovery
1340	LTKC	18°00'S	11°39'E	02.11. 09:39-10:01	Mooring deployment
1341	CTD_62	18°00'S	11°43'E	02.11. 10:43-10:54	CTD station (89m/bottom)

1342	VGRAB	18°00'S	11°43'E	02.11. 11:08-11:50	Van Veen Grab
1343	MSS_60	18°00'S	11°43'E	02.11. 12:03-12:34	MSS station
1344	VGRAB	18°01'S	11°43'E	02.11. 12:43-12:50	Van Veen Grab
1345	DRG	18°00'S	11°43'E	02.11. 13:16-14:18	Dredge (lost, broken wire)
1346	CTD_63	18°00'S	11°46'E	02.11. 15:05-15:14	CTD station (51m/bottom)
1347	VGRAB	18°00'S	11°46'E	02.11. 15:33-15:59	Van Veen Grab
1348	MSS_61	18°00'S	11°46'E	02.11. 16:03-16:37	MSS station
1349	VVG	18°00'S	11°35'E	02.11. 17:50-18:46	Van Veen Grab
1350	VVG	18°00'S	11°27'E	02.11. 19:43-20:55	Van Veen Grab
1351	CTD_64	18°00'S	10°35'E	03.11. 01:42-04:01	CTD station (3486m/bottom)
1352	MSS_62	18°00'S	10°35'E	03.11. 04:04-04:47	MSS station
1353	CTD_65	18°00'S	10°55'E	03.11. 06:45-08:58	CTD station (2807m/bottom)
1354	MSS_63	18°00'S	10°55'E	03.11. 09:01-09:49	MSS station
1355	UCTD	18°01'S	10°56'E	03.11. 10:04	Rapid Cast
1356	CTD_66	18°00'S	11°07'E	03.11. 11:20-12:38	CTD station (~1970m/bottom)
1357	MSS_64	18°00'S	11°07'E	03.11. 12:42-13:25	MSS station
1358	CTD_67	18°00'S	11°17'E	03.11. 14:37-15:22	CTD station (~800m/bottom)
1359	MSS_65	18°00'S	11°17'E	03.11. 15:24-16:12	MSS station
1360	UCTD	18°00'S	11°22'E	03.11. 16:58	Underway-CTD and Rapid Cast (along the 500m depth contour)
1361	UCTD	20°00'S	11°40'E	04.11. 05:00	Rapid Cast (only Rapid Cast along 20°S)
1362	LTB	19°59.97'S	12°44.98'E	04.11. 11:30-12:31	Mooring recovery
1363	HRTB	19°59.97' S	12°44.98'E	04.11. 12:55-13:34	Mooring deployment
1364	CTD_68	20°00'S	12°58.3'E	04.11. 15:21-15:30	CTD station (41m/bottom)
1365	VGRAB	20°00'S	12°58.3'E	04.11. 15:37-16:00	Van Veen Grab
1366	DRG	20°00'S	12°58.3'E	04.11. 16:16-17:08	Dredge
1367	MSS_66	20°00'S	12°58.3'E	04.11. 17:20-17:53	MSS station
1368	CTD_69	20°00'S	12°57.1'E	04.11. 18:13-18:22	CTD station (54m/bottom)
1369	MSS_67	20°00'S	12°57.1'E	04.11. 18:29-	MSS station

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1370	CTD_70	20°00'S	12°51'E	04.11. 19:41-19:54	CTD station (99m/bottom)
1371	VGRAB	20°00'S	12°51'E	04.11. 19:59-20:39	Van Veen Grab
1372	MSS_68	20°00'S	12°51'E	04.11. 20:44-21:26	MSS station
1373	CTD_71	20°00'S	12°45'E	04.11. 22:11-22:24	CTD station (119m/bottom)
1374	MSS_69	20°00'S	12°45'E	04.11. 22:25-23:09	MSS station
1375	CTD_72	20°00'S	12°41'E	04.11. 23:43-23:57	CTD station (124m/bottom)
1376	MSS_70	20°00'S	12°41'E	05.11. 00:11-00:47	MSS station
1377	CTD_73	20°00'S	12°35.5'E	05.11. 01:36-01:52	CTD station (134m/bottom)
1378	MSS_71	20°00'S	12°35.5'E	05.11. 01:55-02:36	MSS station
1379	CTD_74	20°00'S	12°30'E	05.11. 03:23-03:40	CTD station (151m/bottom)
1380	MSS_72	20°00'S	12°30'E	05.11. 03:43-04:39	MSS station
1381	CTD_75	20°00'S	12°25'E	05.11. 05:16-05:33	CTD station (196m/bottom)
1382	VGRAB	20°00'S	12°25'E	05.11. 05:43-06:38	Van Veen Grab
1383	MSS_73	20°00'S	12°25'E	05.11. 06:41-07:36	MSS station
1384	CTD_76	20°00'S	12°20'E	05.11. 08:12-08:28	CTD station (213m/bottom)
1385	MSS_74	20°00'S	12°20'E	05.11. 08:29-09:11	MSS station
1386	CTD_77	20°00'S	12°15'E	05.11. 09:48-10:03	CTD station (246m/bottom)
1387	MSS_75	20°00'S	12°15'E	05.11. 10:05-10:53	MSS station
1388	CTD_78	20°00'S	12°09'E	05.11. 11:32-11:51	CTD station (280m/bottom)
1389	VGRAB	20°00'S	12°09'E	05.11. 11:57-13:09	Van Veen Grab
1390	MSS_76	20°00'S	12°09'E	05.11. 13:15-14:02	MSS station
1391	CTD_79	20°00'S	12°04'E	05.11. 14:44-15:04	CTD station (310m/bottom)
1392	MSS_77	20°00'S	12°04'E	05.11. 15:07-15:49	MSS station
1393	CTD_80	20°00'S	11°58.4'E	05.11. 16:34-17:01	CTD station (345m/bottom)
1394	MSS_78	20°00'S	11°58.4'E	05.11. 17:08-18:04	MSS station
1395	CTD_81	20°00'S	11°46.8'E	05.11. 19:26-19:56	CTD station (450m/bottom)
1396	MSS_79	20°00'S	11°46.8'E	05.11. 19:59-	MSS station

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1397	SCF	20°02'S	11°46'E	05.11.20:59-22:00	ScanFish (sensor failure)
1398	MSS_80	20°00'S	12°45'E	06.11.08:18-05:39	MSS station
1399	HRTB	19°59.97' S	12°44.98'E	07.11.06:00-06:45	Mooring recovery
1400	LTTB	19°59.97'S	12°44.98'E	07.11.07:10-07:37	Mooring deployment
1401	SCF	20°01'S	12°45'E	07.11.08:56-10:30	ScanFish (test)
1402	Ifm09	22°58'S	13°33'E	08.11.07:25-08:00	Glider deployment
1403	LTMB	22°59.90'S	14°02.90'E	08.11.11:20-12:16	Mooring recovery
1404	WBST	23°01.00'S	14°02.20'E	08.11.12:38-13:25	Mooring sediment trap recovery
1405	HRMB	22° 59.98'S	14°02.27'E	08.11.14:03-14:30	Mooring deployment
1406	CTD_82	23°00'S	14°22'E	08.11.16:50-17:00	CTD station (40m/bottom)
1407	MSS_81	23°00'S	14°22'E	08.11.17:03-17:33	MSS station
1408	CTD_83	23°00'S	14°19'E	08.11.18:00-18:11	CTD station (71m/bottom)
1409	MSS_82	23°00'S	14°19'E	08.11.18:12-18:52	MSS station
1410	CTD_84	23°00'S	14°13'E	08.11.19:35-19:47	CTD station (108m/bottom)
1411	MSS_83	23°00'S	14°13'E	08.11.19:51-20:30	MSS station
1412	CTD_85	23°00'S	14°08'E	08.11.21:13-21:27	CTD station (135m/bottom)
1413	MSS_84	23°00'S	14°08'E	08.11.21:29-22:16	MSS station
1414	CTD_86	23°00'S	14°03'E	08.11.22:57-23:11	CTD station (134m/bottom)
1415	MSS_85	23°00'S	14°03'E	08.11.23:13-23:45	MSS station
1416	CTD_87	23°00'S	13°57.5'E	09.11.01:44-01:52	CTD station (141m/bottom)
1417	MSS_86	23°00'S	13°57.5'E	09.11.02:07-02:57	MSS station
1418	CTD_88	23°00'S	13°52'E	09.11.03:56-04:12	CTD station (143m/bottom)
1419	MSS_87	23°00'S	13°52'E	09.11.04:17-05:00	MSS station
1420	CTD_89	23°00'S	13°41'E	09.11.06:09-06:28	CTD station (150m/bottom)
1421	MSS_88	23°00'S	13°41'E	09.11.06:32-07:14	MSS station
1422	CTD_90	23°00'S	13°30'E	09.11.08:27-08:42	CTD station (235m/bottom)
1423	MSS_89	23°00'S	13°30'E	09.11.08:45-	MSS station

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1424	Ifm09	22°57.76'S	13°18.82'E	09.11. 11:05	Glider (visit to check MSS sensors)
1425	CTD_91	23°00'S	13°19'E	09.11. 11:48-12:11	CTD station (357m/bottom)
1426	MSS_90	23°00'S	13°19'E	09.11. 12:18-13:06	MSS station
1427	CTD_92	23°00'S	13°09'E	09.11. 14:12-14:34	CTD station (315m/bottom)
1428	MSS_91	23°00'S	13°09'E	09.11. 14:40-15:25	MSS station
1429	CTD_93	23°00'S	13°03'E	09.11. 16:15-16:37	CTD station (407m/bottom)
1430	MSS_92	23°00'S	13°03'E	09.11. 16:39-17:32	MSS station
1431	CTD_94	23°00'S	12°57'E	09.11. 18:20-18:51	CTD station (589m/bottom)
1432	MSS_93	23°00'S	12°57'E	09.11. 18:56-19:36	MSS station
1433	UCTD	23°00'S	12°49.5'E	09.11. 20:20	Underway-CTD
1434	CTD_95	23°00'S	12°47'E	09.11. 20:43-21:37	CTD station (936m/bottom)
1435	MSS_94	23°00'S	12°47'E	09.11. 21:39-22:26	MSS station
1436	UCTD	23°00'S	12°39'E	09.11. 23:19	Underway-CTD
1437	CTD_96	23°00'S	12°35'E	09.11. 23:48-00:53	CTD station (1423m/bottom)
1438	MSS_95	23°00'S	12°35'E	09.11. 00:55-01:01	MSS station (cable broken)
1439	CTD_97	23°00'S	12°20'E	10.11. 02:41-04:28	CTD station (2062m/bottom)
1440	CTD_98	23°00'S	12°00'E	10.11. 06:31-08:37	CTD station (2703m/bottom)
1441	Argo_9	23°00'S	12°00'E	10.11. 08:46	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901869)
1442	CTD_99	23°00'S	11°45'E	10.11. 10:21-12:41	CTD station (3260m/bottom)
1443	Argo_10	23°00'S	11°45'E	10.11. 12:47	FLOAT deployment (WMO #3901870)
1444	SCF	23°00'S	12°47'E	10.11. 19:02-09:43	ScanFish (section along 23°W)
1445	HRMB	22° 59.98' S	014° 02.27' E	11.11. 11:32-12:19	Mooring recovery
1446	WBST	23° 01.00' S	014° 02.20' E	11.11. 12:30-12:47	Mooring sediment trap deployment
1447	LTMB	22° 59.81' S	014° 02.36' E	11.11. 13:12-13:30	Mooring deployment