

"In Situ Technologies to Contribute to the Tropical Pacific Observing System (TPOS 2020) Project."

In this solicitation COM invites proposals to

>advance the readiness of *in situ* observing platforms (e.g. floats, gliders, moorings)

>contribute to the Tropical Pacific Observing System (TPOS 2020) Project (http://tpos2020.org/).

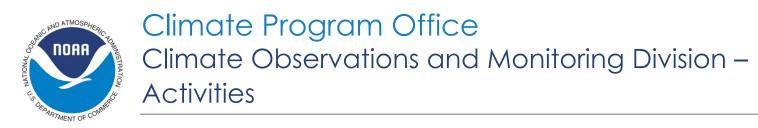
>Technology Readiness Level between 4 and 8 (http://www.sab.noaa.gov/Reports/RRT_Report-080604.pdf; Appendix V.A).

LOI Deadline: 30 July 2015

Proposal Deadline: 23 September 2015

For more information please visit

http://cpo.noaa.gov/GrantsandProjects/ClimateProgramOfficeFFO.aspx



Tropical Pacific Observing System (TPOS 2020)

BackBone Task Team

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Planetary Boundary Layers Task Team

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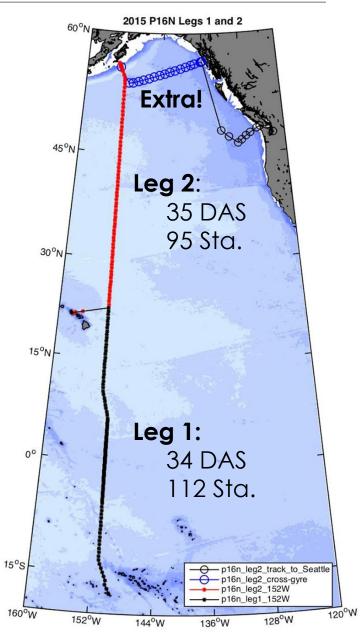
US Go-SHIP Repeat Hydrography P16N 2015



Leg 1 Crossing the Equator
Chief Scientist Jessica Cross
Co-Chief Scientist Samantha Siedlecki



Leg 2 In Flat Seas
Chief Scientist Alison Macdonald
Co-Chief Scientist Sabine Mecking





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Facts and figures:

Release date: 7 September 2015

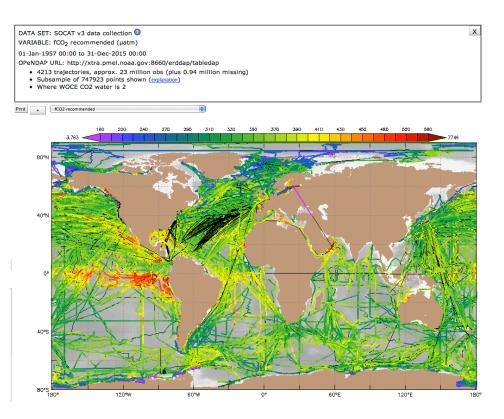
> Data span: 1957-2014

CO2 data points: 23 million

> # cruises: 4200

Improvements over V2.

- Inclusion of buoy data
- Improved/consistent meta data
- Improved data and submission tracking
- Improved graphical user interface and data retrieval

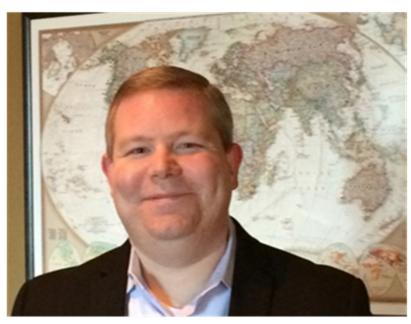


Cruise track with surface CO₂ level color coded

Black lines are tracks with low data coverage (lines over Asian continent are equatorial Africa a location plotting artifacts)



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Jeremy Mathis has joined NOAA's Climate Program Office as the Director for the Arctic Research Program within the Climate Observation and Monitoring Division.



Ocean Acidification Program

Activities

Two cruises currently underway:

ECOA cruise is currently off the East coast collecting samples- led by Joe Salisbury from UNH.

Alaska cruise is also underway- led by Jessica Cross from PMEL.

New Award:

PI: Joe Salisbury, UNH

Title: Tracking Ocean Alkalinity Using New Carbon Measurement Technologies (TAACT)

Funded by OAP – IOOS FY2014 Marine Sensor and Other Advanced Observing Technologies Transition Project.

Project description: Transitioning an alkalinity sensor and will be working in conjunction with several shellfish hatcheries and other stakeholders on the east coast.



For more information please visit www.oceanacidification.noaa.gov