

BGC-Argo & 3rd Deep-Argo Meeting

27 September – 1 October 2021

Virtual meeting

Agenda - draft

Session 1 - Monday 27/09/2021 - BGC-Argo: Best practices 3h

Part 1 (Chair: Emanuele Organelli, Moderator: Hervé Claustre)

- Context of the meeting H. Bittig 10'
- Float technology and new sensors 40'
 - ◆ SOLO II BGC 10' S. Purkey
 - ◆ NKE BGC CTS4, CTS5-USEA, Jumbo float: 10' E. Leymarie
 - ◆ Sensors: OPUS (NO3), RAMSES (radiometry), UVP (particle size + zooplankton) 10'
E. Leymarie + H. Bittig
 - ◆ Discussion 10'
- Sensors and float and preparation 30'
 - ◆ Preparation and programmation 15' A. Poteau
 - Fleet analysis of sampling resolution in the current BGC array - Is there a "standard"?
 - Procedure for test of sensors and float
 - Provor CTS5 GUI
 - ◆ Pre-deployment procedure 10' N. Poffa
 - ◆ Discussion 5'

Part 2 (Chair: Ingrid Angel Benavides, Moderator: Henry Bittig)

- Float at Sea: 25'
 - ◆ Float monitoring:
 - Euro-Argo fleetmonitoring and data selection web interfaces 10' R. Cancouët
 - Shipboard operations: ancillary data to provide metrological verification of sensors 5' A. Poteau
 - ◆ Recovery activities 5' N. Poffa
 - ◆ Ice strategy 5' I. Angel Benavides
- Data management: 55'
 - ◆ BGC-Argo data visualization interface 10' H. Claustre / A. Poteau
 - ◆ Metadata and NVS 10' V. Paba
 - ◆ RT and DM QC 10' C. Schmechtig / G. Dall'Olmo
 - RT updates
 - DM updates
 - ◆ GDAC overview 10' T. Carval
 - ◆ Discussion 15'

Session 2 - Tuesday 28/09/2021 – Deep Argo: Scientific motivation, results and requirements 3h

Part 1 (Chair: Tamaryn Morris, Moderator: Damien Desbruyeres)

- Introduction and objectives of the workshop 5' [Virginie Thierry](#)
- Design and status of the Deep Argo array, national plan and funding status 10' [Nathalie Zilberman](#)
- Scientific highlights 1h
 - ◆ Estimation of regional deep temperature trends from Deep Argo and historical hydrographic transect data 10' [Greg Johnson](#)
 - ◆ Science motivations and results from the Deep Argo observation and 4D-VAR data assimilation (ESTOC). 10' [Shigeki Hosoda and Satoshi Osafune](#)
 - ◆ Science results from the Deep Argo array in the subpolar gyre of the North Atlantic. 10' [Virginie Thierry](#)
 - ◆ Science results from the Deep Argo array in the Australian Antarctic Basin 10' [Annie Foppert](#)
 - ◆ Revisiting the 2003-2018 deep-ocean warming through multi-platform weak-constraint analysis of the global energy budget. 10' [Andrea Storto](#)
- Break 10'

Part 2 (Chair: Virginie Thierry, Moderator: Gilles Reverdin)

- Requirements from users 1h
 - ◆ How to reveal the present deep ocean circulation with Deep-Argo 10' [Brian King](#)
 - ◆ Climate change, what does Deep argo have to do in order to contribute to GOOS and what are the requirements 10' [Karina von Schuckman](#)
 - ◆ Sea level 10' [William Llovel](#)
 - ◆ Modelling community and operational oceanography 10' [Peter Oke](#)
 - ◆ Bottom topography 10' [Mathias Jonas](#)
- Discussion on the compatibility between the current Deep-Argo mission and the requirements expressed by the users 30' (Discussion Leader: [Greg Johnson](#))

Session 3 - Wednesday 29/09/2021 - Interactions: BGC/Deep Argo and cross networks 3h

Part 1 (Chair: Catherine Schmechtig; Moderator: Hervé Claustre)

- Implementing O2 sensor on Deep-Argo 1h40
 - ◆ Scientific motivation and users need (sampling, accuracy) (biological community, water mass identification). 10' [Laurent Coppola](#)
 - ◆ Scientific results
 - ISOW spreading and mixing as revealed by deep-Argo floats with O2 sensor launched in the Charlie Gibbs Fracture Zone. 10' [Virginie Racape](#)
 - Multiplatform investigations of oxygen in the subpolar North Atlantic 10' [David Nicholson](#)
 - ◆ Sensors readiness (performance versus needed accuracy from the users) and QC
 - Aanderaa and SBE63 20' [Henry Bittig](#)
 - SBE83 10' [Steve Riser and Seabird](#)

- AROD-FT(RINKO) 10' Hiroshi Uchida / Kanako Sato and Hua LI (JFE)
 - ◆ Discussion 30' (Discussion Lead: Brian King)
- Break 10'

Part 2 (Chair: Kamila Walicka, Moderator: Peter Oke)

- Cross networks interactions (presentation of the program, 2 slides on what they can do for and expect from Deep Argo, 2 slides on what they can do for and expect from BGC Argo) 1h15
- ◆ EOV shared by various platforms: T, S, O2 (Deep) and Chla, bbp, pH, O2, UVP (BGC) (including data management) 15' Hervé Claustre, Virginie Thierry
 - ◆ DOOS presentation 10' Lisa Levin
 - ◆ OceanGlider presentation 10' Pierre Testor
 - ◆ GO-SHIP presentation 10' Yvonne Firing
 - ◆ Ocean-sites presentation 10' Raquel Somavilla
 - ◆ Discussion on the way forward 20' (Discussion Lead: George Petihakis)

Session 4 - Thursday 30/09/2021 - BGC-Argo: interaction with users - modeling and ocean color communities 3h

Part 1 (Chair: Giorgio Dall'Olmo ; Moderator: Hervé Claustre)

- Ocean Color 1h30 (E. Organelli, A. Mangin)
- ◆ From multi- to hyper-spectral radiometry on BGC-Argo floats 15' E. Organelli
 - ◆ How BGC-Argo contributes to cal/val of present and future satellites 15' E. Boss
 - ◆ BGC-Argo floats for satellite sensors and product validation 15' A. Mangin
 - ◆ Synergies between OC and BGC-Argo for a 3D ocean 15' R. Sauzède
 - ◆ Discussion 30'

Part 2 (Chair: Joan Llort, Moderator: Laurent Memery)

- BGC-modelers/assimilators (J. Lamouroux, G. Cossarini, A. Samuelsen) 1h30
- ◆ Review of questions, request/needs, from CMEMS working groups: BGC Data Assimilation + Product quality (BGC-Argo)
 - Two examples of BGC Argo use within models
 - Integration of BGC Argo data in modeling : Biological Carbon Pump, with an emphasis on the meso pelagic layer 5' L. Memery
 - Bridging the gaps between particulate backscattering measurements and modeled particulate organic carbon in the ocean 5' M. Gali
 - BGC-Argo: Overview of present use, needs and future outlook for BGC data assimilation 15' Julien Lamouroux and Annette Samuelsen
 - Discuss the usefulness of new BGCArgo-based products
 - Nutrients CANYON based products 5' R. Sauzède
 - Discussion 15'
 - Status on bio-optical modules integration in BGC models (invited speaker: J. Skakala 15')
 - Discussion 30'
- General discussion on the items above as well as ideas on how to improve interaction between modelers/assimilators/OC/ BGC-Argo communities

Session 5 - Friday 01/10/2021 – Deep Argo: Implementation plan

Part 1 (Chair: Virginie Thierry; Moderator: Breck Owens) 1h

- Floats technology: performances (including actual and expected longevity), issues, and future plans 25'
 - ◆ Deep-SOLO 5' Nathalie Zilberman
 - ◆ Deep-APEX 5' Brian King, Shigeki Hosoda
 - ◆ Deep-NINJA 5' Taiyo Kobayashi
 - ◆ Deep-ARVOR 5' Xavier André
 - ◆ HM4000 5' Zhaoui Chen
- Performances and issues of CTD sensors (accuracy and stability) 15'
 - ◆ SBE61 presentation 5' Nathalie Zilberman, Dave Murphy, Phil Sutton
 - ◆ RBR presentation 5' Brian King and Mat Dever
 - ◆ SBE41 presentation 5' Taiyo Kobayashi
- Discussion 20'
- Break 10'

Part 2 (Chair: Kamila Walicka; Moderator: Brian King)

- DMQC strategy (progress on CPcor, addition of oxygen to existing temperature/salinity/pressure data) 1h
 - ◆ Presentation of the current strategy 5' Cécile Cabanes
 - ◆ 3-head float experiment results 5' Virginie Thierry
 - ◆ Feedback from DM operator about CPcor, long term stability and reference data (5' per group)
 - Feedback from Ifremer 5' Cécile Cabanes
 - Feedback from Jamstec 5' Kanako Sato
 - Feedback from UW 5' Annie Wong
 - ◆ Existing status and future evolution of reference dataset 5' Sarah Purkey
 - ◆ Discussion (**Discussion Leader: Annie Wong**)
- Deep-Argo implementation paper to publish in Frontiers in 2022 (discussion about publication). 5' Nathalie/ Brian/ Virginie