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Preface

The KH-79-4 Cruise of the R.V. Hakuho Maru of the University of Tokyo was conducted in Equatorial and Subequatorial Western Pacific Ocean during a period of 74 days from August 28, to November 9, 1979 with port calls at Honiara in the Solomon Islands, Brisbane in Australia and Noumea in New Caledonia.

This report contains biological, biochemical and hydrographical data obtained during this cruise and short summaries of research carried out by each scientist aboard.

On behalf of the scientists aboard, I wish to express our sincere thanks to the officers in the Japanese Ministry of Education, Science and Culture and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for their diplomatic arrangement of permission to carry out marine scientific research in coastal waters. Thanks are also extended to Captain I. Tadama, officers and crew members of the Hakuho Maru for their cooperation and capable assistance throughout this cruise.

Nobuo Taga
Chief Scientist

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Outline of the cruise

Under the overall title of "Studies on Ecosystem in Equatorial and Subequatorial Western Pacific Ocean", the following research topics were investigated: (1) taxonomy, ecology and activity of microorganisms, (2) taxonomy, ecology and production of plankton, (3) taxonomy, ecology and production of benthos, (4) the method of fish stock assessment by means of an underwater acoustic-optical system, (5) biochemical activity and metabolism in the sea, (6) hydrographic observation of water temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen and nutrient salts and (7) observation of gravity anomaly

The cruise consisted of four legs:

Leg 1 from Tokyo to Honiara (Solomon Islands), Leg 2 from Honiara to Brisbane (Australia), Leg 3 from Brisbane to Noumea (New Caledonia), Leg 4 from Noumea to Tokyo. The cruise itinerary is shown in Table 1. The location of observation lines and stations are given in Fig. 1.

The names and specialities of the 31 scientists who participated in the cruise are listed in Table 2.

Table 1. Cruise itinerary

	Arrival	Departure
Tokyo		Aug. 28, 1979
Honiara	Sept. 14	Sept. 17
Brisbane	Sept. 26	Oct. 1
Noumea	Oct. 12	Oct. 17
Tokyo	Nov. 9	

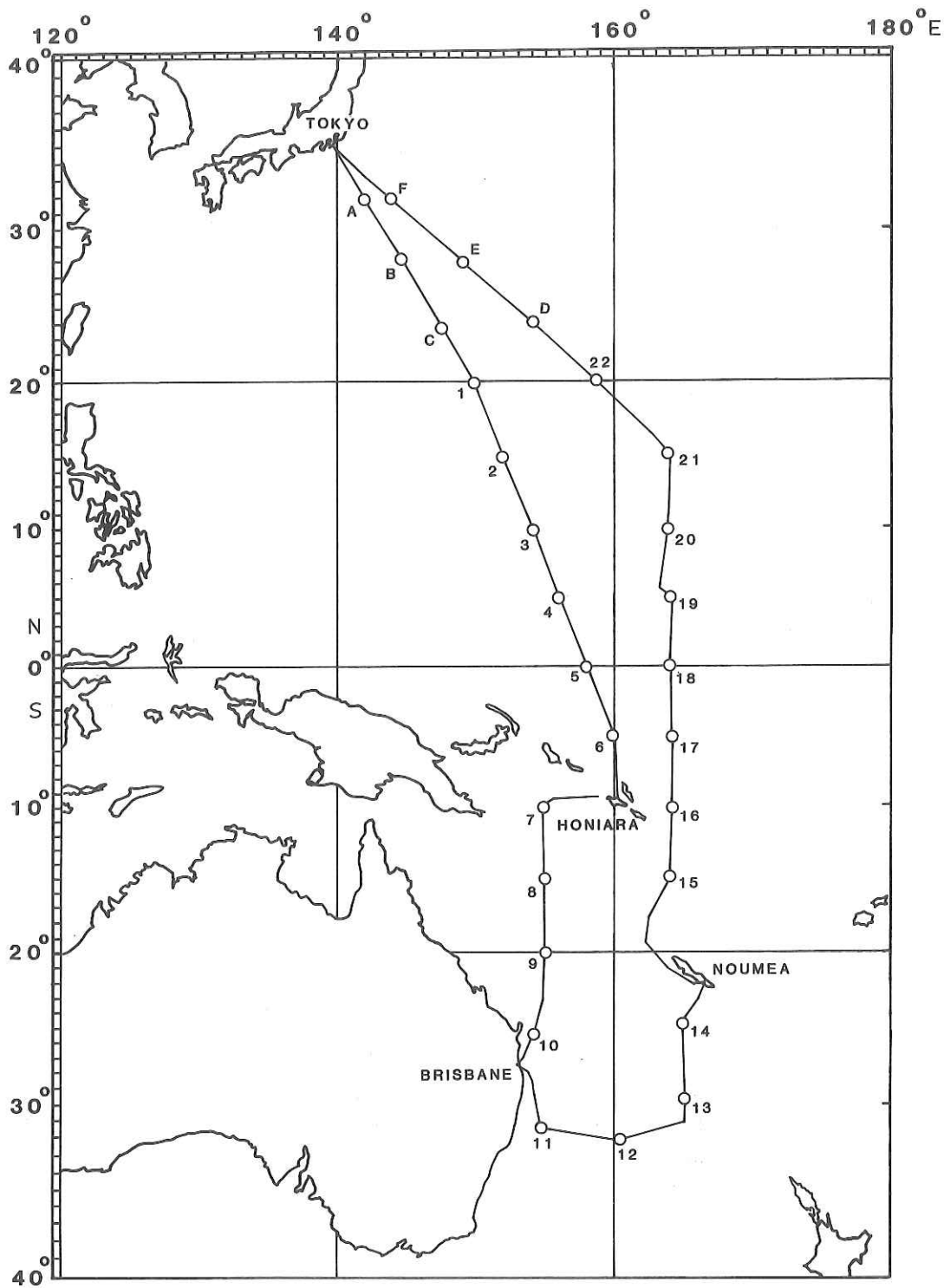


Fig. 1. Track chart and observation stations of the KH-79-4 cruise of the Hakuho-maru.

Table 2. Scientists aboard

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1. Hydrographic characteristics

T. Nakai and H. Hasumoto

The vertical distributions of water properties were obtained through routine observations. Two hydrographic observational lines were occupied that ran from the sea adjacent to Japan to the east of Australia. Using these data, hydrographic characteristics are described for each section.

1. Temperature (Figs. 2 and 8)

A strong thermocline was found in the low latitude region and high temperature water covered the surface of this region. The thermocline in the vicinity of 10°N was shallowest and the vertical gradient of temperature largest. A vertical spreading of the thermocline just below the equator indicated the existence of the Equatorial Undercurrent. In the northern part of the section, the isotherms indicated the existence of stratification remaining from the immediately preceding summer, while in the southern part of the section, the isotherms indicated a state of convection stemming from the preceding winter. The distributional pattern of temperature around the equator corresponded well with that expected for the Equatorial Current System.

2. Salinity (Figs. 3 and 9)

The various water types encountered in the present sections can easily be identified from the distribution of salinity, because the sections cut across the lines of latitude. Low salinity water covered the surface between 20°N and 20°S as the Equatorial Surface Water. High salinity water with a salinity exceeding 35‰ extended equatorward from both hemispheres below the Equatorial Surface Water, and is called the North Pacific Tropical Water and South Pacific Tropical Water, respectively. The North Pacific major salinity minimum water can be traced from the north to 5°S as the North Pacific Intermediate Water. Another salinity minimum water was observed originating at the Antarctic Convergence and is called the Antarctic Intermediate Water.

3. Dissolved oxygen (Figs. 5 and 11)

The oxygen minimum water with a content less than 1.5 ml/l

lay in the deeper layers of the North Pacific Intermediate water. In the southern hemisphere, the oxygen values were relatively high due to the effects of sinking at the Antarctic Convergence.

4. Watermasses and currents

The following watermasses are distinguished along the present observational lines on the basis of their temperature and salinity characteristics:

<u>Watermass</u>	<u>Station</u>
The Western North Pacific Central Water	1,2,21,22
The transition region of the Western North Pacific Central Water and the Pacific Equatorial Water	3,4,19,20
The Pacific Equatorial Water	5,6,17,18
The transition region of the Pacific Equatorial Water and the Western South Pacific Central Water	7,8,9,15,16
The Western South Pacific Central Water	11,12,13,14

Geostrophic currents were qualitatively evident from the sections of σ_t , and could be calculated quantitatively through dynamic computations. The Equatorial Current System of the present section may be divided into three major zones: (1) the North Equatorial Current flowing westward between 20°N and 10°N ; (2) the Equatorial Countercurrent flowing eastward between 10°N and 5°N ; (3) the South Equatorial Current between 5°N and 15°S . Just below the equator, the Equatorial Under Current can be detected from the spreading of isopleths at about 300-m depth in each section. A part of the South Equatorial Current flowed into the Solomon Sea and the Coral Sea, and streamed southward as the East Australian Current. The southern observational stations were located on the western boundary of the South Pacific Subtropical Gyre.

2. Studies on phytoplankton, zooplankton and micronekton

T. Nemoto, K. Furuya and K. Ogawa

1. Abundance and community structure of phytoplankton

In order to study the abundance and community structure of phytoplankton, four kinds of quantitative assessment were carried out.

- 1) Water samples were collected by Van Dorn samplers in the layers from the surface to 300-m depth at all station. The abundance of phytoplankton was estimated by Tsuji's method using a fluorescent microscope (Tsuji et al. 1976). Cell volume of phytoplankton was also measured and converted to phytoplankton carbon by Strathmann's method (Strathmann 1976).
- 2) Portions (5 to 10 l) of water samples were also filtered through nylon gauze with a 20 μm aperture size and fixed with 1% glutal-aldehyde. These samples have been examined with electron and ordinary compound microscopes.
- 3) Larger phytoplankton in the upper water column (0-150 m) were collected by vertical tows with a NORPAC net (100 μm mesh) at all stations. Samples were fixed with neutralized formalin.
- 4) Phytoplankton were also collected by vertical layered hauls with a closing NORPAC net (100 μm mesh) at intervals of 50 m between 0- and 200-m depth at stations with odd numbers and at intervals of 20 m at Stns. 20 and 22, and fixed with 2% neutralized formalin.

Specimens collected using methods 3 and 4 above have been examined with an inverted microscope to assess the abundance and species composition and by scanning electron microscope to examine species and fine structures.

2. Measurement of growth rates of natural phytoplankton

Experiments to measure the in situ growth rates of phytoplankton and to examine the effects of nutrients on them were carried out with the subsurface water at Stns. 3,5,8,13,15 and 19. Each water sample, filtered through gauze (100 μm mesh) to eliminate the larger zooplankton, was introduced into four 5-liter glass bottles. Two of the four bottles were enriched with sodium nitrate (2 $\mu\text{g-atN/l}$) and potassium phosphate (0.25 $\mu\text{g-atP/l}$). The bottles were enclosed with blue filter boxes. The transmittance of the blue filter resembles closely that of clear oceanic

water at 100-m depth. All the bottles were incubated in a deck incubator cooled by running surface water under natural sun light. Subsamples were extracted from the bottles at 8-hour intervals. Cell number, cell volume, chlorophyll a, nitrate and phosphate were determined for each subsample. Growth rates were calculated by analysis of the time evolution of cell volume, and they were compared with time variations in other parameters.

3. Abundance and composition of micronekton and zooplankton

Micronekton and zooplankton were collected with a Isaacs-Kidd midwater trawl and NORPAC net. Micronekton sampling by IKMT was carried out for Stns. 11,12,14,15,17,18 and 22. The trawl was towed obliquely paying out 2,000 m of wire. The main constituents of micronekton are pisces, cephalopods, decapods, euphausiids and amphipods. The biomass of micronekton was large at Stns. 11 and 12, where pisces were dominant at more than 140 g per tow. On the other hand, the biomass of pisces at stations 15 to 22 decreased considerably. This trend is also observed in other groups of micronekton organisms including euphausiids, decapods and amphipods and apparently coincides with changes in the sea current system, as shown in figures. Surface zooplankton were collected by NORPAC net of 300 μ m mesh, towing from 150-m depth to the surface. These samples are now under examination.

3. Geographical distribution of appendicularians

N. Shiga

The geographical distribution of appendicularians was studied in the tropical and subtropical western Pacific Ocean. Vertical hauls from 150-m depth to the surface were carried out with a twin Norpac net which was composed of two 45 cm x 180 cm conical nets, one with a 0.35 mm mesh opening and one with 0.10 mm mesh, at 30 stations. In order to observe the vertical distribution of this animal group, separate vertical hauls were taken at 20-m intervals in the upper 200 m at 5 stations in the daytime and at night. The species composition of appendicularian communities will be analyzed in relation to the characteristics of

the water masses they live in.

4. Vertical distribution of microzooplankton

K. Dohi

In order to investigate the vertical distribution of microzooplankton, samples of seawater were collected with Van Dorn bottles from various depths at 12 stations in the tropical and subtropical western Pacific Ocean. 40-liter samples of seawater were taken from several depths at stations 4, 9, 14, and 18 and filtered through a 20 μ -mesh net, the filtered materials being retained on 20 μ cloth. At the same time, each 1-liter sample of filtered seawater was preserved to examine animals smaller than 20 μ in size. At another 8 stations, 10-liter seawater samples were filtered with a 20 μ -mesh net to obtain microzooplankton. All the samples were preserved in 3% lugol-eosin fixative solution. After allowing to stand, the samples were concentrated to 10 ml by gently withdrawing the supernatant with a siphon and then the sample was examined under an inverted microscope.

Identification and examination of the numbers of microzooplankton are under way. Geographical differences in biomass and vertical distribution will be examined.

5. Microzooplankton in the tropical and subtropical Pacific Ocean

T. Maruyama and S. Suzuki

In order to examine the biomass, distribution and food of pelagic ciliates, especially tintinnids, water samples of 4-10 liters were collected by Van Dorn Samplers at 5-10 depths (0, 10, 30, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150, 175 and 200 m) at stations 1 to 9 from 20°N to 20°S, and were immediately concentrated to 100 ml after filtering through a 25 μ -mesh net and were then fixed with Phodohe's Iodine. At the same time, 1-liter water samples were also taken for the examination of the food of ciliates, and were fixed in neutralized formalin. Microscopical examination will

carried out at the Research Laboratory of Fisheries Resources of Tokyo University of Fisheries.

6. Threshold response of copepod grazing

A. Okuzawa and S. Nishizawa

One of the major behavioral characteristics recently revealed in grazing by copepods is the threshold response of this type of animal to a reduced concentration of preferred food species if given a multiple choice of species for diet. This characteristic can be interpreted as serving as a significant factor in maintaining the population stability of the phytoplankton community. An attempt was made to carry out shipboard experiments during this cruise to get information on the functional response of copepods.

The structure of the feeding bottle (Fig. 15) was the same as the one used by Richman and Rogers (1969). The feeding bottle was a 1.8 liter pyrex test tube and contained three glass tubes and two net holders ((Teflon rings) covered with 40 μ (top) and 200 μ (bottom) mesh nets. Air was pumped down the inlet tube and collected by the funnel at the foot of the siphon tube. Injected air and the medium traveled up the siphon tube, and fecal pellets and phytoplankton contained in the medium were sieved through the top net thereby retaining the fecal pellets on the net.

The medium water was sampled either from the sea surface or from a depth of 100 m. Zooplankton were collected by gentle tows of a drift net at some stations.

Zooplankton animals in tropical or subtropical sea areas are usually small and are not easily cultivated in the laboratory, and so only a few experiments were performed during this cruise. Specimens of Aetideus armatus (Boeck) collected at St. 7 were successfully cultivated in natural sea water, and the results showed a grazing threshold of about 0.006 μg chlorophyll a/liter. This value is not significantly different from zero. As for the other sets of experiments, the data are still under processing.

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7. Marine particle trapping experiments

(Vertical transport of particles)

H. Sasaki and S. Nishizawa

Some studies (e.g. Iseki, 1977) have emphasized that large particles sinking rapidly constitute a major component in the downward vertical transport of organic matter produced in the upper euphotic layer. The large particles consist mainly of fecal pellets of zooplankton, loose particles of fecal origin and organic aggregates which are rarely collected by the use of conventional sampling bottles of small volume because of patchiness in the occurrence and distribution of these particles (Sasaki, 1979).

Two methods were employed to catch large marine particles during this cruise. One was the Particle Collector (PC) experiment which could give direct measurements of the vertical flux of particles, and the other method employed large volume water sampling with a 200-liter Van-Dorn bottle.

1) Particle Collector (PC) Experiment

The configuration of the PC and the suspension system for the PCs have already been shown in the Preliminary Report of the Hakuho-Maru Cruise KH-79-1 (Horikoshi, in preparation).

The PC experiments were carried out at two sampling stations, Sts. 4 and 9. A series of collectors were suspended at St. 4 in the equatorial Pacific for 24 hours, September 7 to 8, and at St. 9 in the Coral Sea for about 30 hours, September 22 to 23. 18 PCs were attached to a suspension rope at 13 depths, 50*, 100, 150*, 200, 300, 400, 500*, 750, 1,000*, 1,250, 1500, 1750 and 2,000*m, respectively, in each experiments (* : 2 PCs attached). During PC operation, seawater was collected with 23-liter Niskin bottles from the same depths to determine the

vertical profile of background POC (particulate organic carbon) concentrations. This profile will be compared with that of vertical flux obtained using PCs to examine possible mechanisms controlling the processes of vertical material transport in these areas.

PC suspension and retrieval at Sts. 4 and 9 were successful. The PCs suspended at depths below about 400 m caught only a small amount of particles compared to those at shallower depths primarily because of inadequate sampling period. However, these catches contained a number of large particles such as fecal material indicating that these particles were the predominant contributors to the sedimentation processes in the deep layers. Their chemical and microscopic analyses are now in progress.

2) Large Volume Water Sampling

180-liter samples of seawater were dipped using a 200-liter Van-Dorn bottle and particles large than about 10 μm in diameter were concentrated on board the ship according to a modified method of Dodson and Thomas (1964), at stations, 4, 9, 14, 15, 17 and 19.

Since some large particles were found in the concentrated water samples, counting of these particles would possibly give an approximate measure of the "concentration" of large particles which usually escape from small volume water samples.

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8. Studies of box core samples

Y. Shirayama, David D. Swinbanks and E. Tsuchida

Six USNEL box core samples were successfully taken during the Hakuho Maru cruise KH-79-4. From each box core sample (50x50 cm in size), a total of 27 subcores were taken for various purposes. Eight cylindrical subcores ($\phi=3.6$ cm i.e., 10.2 cm²) were taken from the undisturbed area of the core for the study of meiobenthos, and the sediment in these subcores was sliced at intervals of 0-1, 1-2, 2-3, 3-6, 6-9, 9-12, 12-15, 15-20, 20-25 and 25-30 cm in order to study the vertical profile of meiobenthic distribution. Two other cylindrical subcores of the same size were taken for sediment analysis and were sliced at the same intervals as those for the study of meiobenthos. A further four cylindrical subcores of the same size were taken and two of them were used for the study of benthic bacteria by Dr. Akagi, ORI, and the other two for the analysis of nutrients in interstitial waters by Dr. Koike, ORI.

One large cylindrical subcore ($\phi=5$ cm) was taken in order to measure the redox potential of the sediment.

Eight square subcores, 10x10 cm in size, were taken for the study of macrobenthos and two other subcores of the same size were taken for the study of the vertical distribution of radio isotopes and organic matter by Dr. Yamada, Hokkaido Univ. and Dr. Handa, Nagoya Univ., respectively. These subcores were frozen immediately after sampling without any pretreatment.

Two rectangular subcores, 5x10 cm in size, were used to take X-ray radiographs of the sediment and to study the vertical distribution of solid phase Mn and Fe.

The remaining sediment was used for the study of radio isotopes and benthic bacteria by Dr. Yamada, Hokkaido Univ. and Dr. Hara, Osaka Univ., respectively.

9. Oligotrophic bacteria in the West Pacific Ocean

U. Simidu

The differences in bacterial numbers obtained by the direct

microscopic method and the agar plate method often reach four orders magnitude. Although the direct viable count method (DVC) gave counts that are one to two orders higher than the agar plate method, the bacteria that grow on the DVC tubes have not been isolated, hence the characteristics of these DVC organisms are not known. During the present cruise an attempt was made to compare the different methods of counting bacteria and to isolate the bacteria that grew on media with different nutrient concentrations.

For the isolation of oligotrophic bacteria two media containing 115 mg/l and 4 mg/l of organic nutrient were used. The composition of the media is given in Table 33. Total bacterial counts was obtained using the epifluorescent microscopic method, and DVC was determined according to Kogure et al. (1979). Plate counts were carried out using PPES-II medium and oligotrophic bacteria were counted by the MPN procedure using two different media. Seawater samples were collected aseptically at stations 16, 17 and 19 from depths of 0, 100, and 800 m.

The results of counting bacteria by different methods are shown in Table 34. The counts of oligotrophic bacteria for M medium that contained 4 mg/l of organic nutrients were higher by one order magnitude than those obtained for D medium, although the numbers on M medium were still lower than those obtained by the DVC method.

For the samples taken from St. 19, bacterial cultures grown on PPES-II agar plates and MPN tubes of both the M and D media were isolated. The cultures were examined for their cultural, morphological and biochemical characteristics, and classified into various genera. The results are shown in Table 35. The dominant bacteria groups were Vibrionaceae, Pseudomonas, Moraxella, Flavobacterium and Alcaligenes. An interesting feature was the differences in the proportion of Flavobacterium among the populations obtained with different media. The lower the content of organic nutrients in the medium, the higher the proportion of Flavobacterium in the population became. The percentage of flavobacteria in the isolates from M medium, which contained least nutrient, reached 67 per cent.

These results indicate that the oligotrophic bacterial population in the sea may be comprised of bacteria groups that are different from those grown on conventional agar media.

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10. Heterotrophic potential in seawater and sediment
Y. Akagi and N. Taga

Decomposing activity of organic matter in seawater or sediment sample, which has been usually expressed in the term of heterotrophic potential in situ, might be experimentally measured as a value of assimilation (uptake) or catabolism (CO₂-formation) for an isotope-labelled organic substrate added to the sample. On the KH-79-4 cruise, the values of both activities in samples were measured, after adding ¹⁴C-amino acids mixture into 10 ml of seawater or 5 ml of sediment and reacting for 1 hour.

Heterotrophic potential in seawater samples was measured at Stations, 4, 9, 14 and 18 of this cruise. At St. 4 and 9, assimilation activities in the samples were scarcely found, though the CO₂-formation were considerably large values. On the other hand, there was found a phenomenon that the vertical fluctuation of assimilation values was identical with that of bacterial viable counts in samples at St. 14, while the identical relation between the above fluctuations was not distinctly found at St. 18. A general tendency, that catabolism values in seawater samples were rather larger than the assimilation ones, was characteristically found throughout the observations in this cruise. This fact might indicate that the microorganisms in seawater of oligotrophic open-sea utilize organic matter in situ as energy source for their life maintenance much more than as substrate for their assimilation and biosynthesis.

As for heterotrophic potential in sediment samples, only the values of CO₂-formation for added organic substrate were measured,

because the background of assimilation values was usually too high in sediment. Viable counts of bacteria in sediment samples were dropped suddenly in the cores deeper than 20 cm. However, the fluctuation of CO₂-formation values was similar with that of bacterial viable counts in sediment samples. It is assumed from this trend that a contribution of bacterial activity is actually large for mineralization process of organic matter in sediment.

11. Distribution of particulate organic carbon (POC)
and nitrogean (PON)

K. Fukami, T. Maruyama and N. Taga

The concentrations of POC and PON between 0- and 300-m depth were determined. Seawater samples were collected with PVC Van-Dorn samplers. A 5-liter subsample was filtered through double-layered Reeve Angel 984H glass-fiber filters which were precombusted at 450°C for 1 hr to remove organic matter. The concentrations of POC and PON were determined by the method of Sharp (1974) using a CHN-corder (Yanagimoto MT-2). The value for the underlying filter acted as a blank and was subtracted from that of the upper filter. The POC maximum layers seldom coincided with the chl a maximum layers. High values of POC concentration were often observed at 300 m. The vertical fluctuations of PON showed roughly the same pattern as that of POC.

The C:N ratio of particulate organic matter (POM) increased with increasing depth down to 200 m. However, at several stations where the POC concentrations at 300 m were high, the C:N ratio of POM at 300 m was low. (Tables 27 and 28)

12. Dissolved free amino acid in the West Pacific Ocean

M. Amano and N. Taga

The water samples were collected with Van-Dorn samplers and filtered through Reeve Angel 984H glass-fiber filters. Aliquots of the filtrate were stored at -20°C until they were analyzed in the laboratory. Total dissolved free amino acid (DFAA) concentration

was determined by the method of North (1974) using fluorescamine. The value was usually very low (around 1.0 μM), whereas relatively high concentrations (around 1.0 μM) were detected at Stns. 11-14 and 16. The DFAA maxima were often observed at 100 m.

Dissolved amino acid composition was also analyzed at Stn. 18. Gly, Ala, Orn and Ser were predominant components.

13. Muramic acid in sea water

S. Hara

In order to measure bacterial biomass, muramic acid which is a unique component of the bacterial cell wall was analyzed.

Water samples were collected in Van Dorn samplers. Immediately after collection, particulate matter was collected on a 984-ultra filter (H. Reeves Angel & Co.) by filtration of the seawater samples. Particulate samples were kept in a vacuum desiccator over phosphorus pentoxide.

Filters containing particulate matter were hydrolyzed for 16 hr at 110°C with 6N HCl in vacuo. The hydrolysates were filtered to remove disintegrated filter fibers, then dried on a rotary evaporator at 55°C and dissolved in 0.2 N citrate buffer, pH 2.2. The samples thus obtained were analyzed by an amino acid analyzer (Hitach, Model 835-50). Fifty to five hundred pmoles of muramic acid per one liter of seawater were detected.

14. Survey of large-sized individual fish such as tuna species using an echo pattern counting system and underwater TV

T. Ishii and K. Nagashima

1. Collection of the echo pattern fish with a fish detector

The echo signals of fish, recorded on magnetic tape, were obtained at 13 stations. These signals were recorded at a ship speed of 6 knots for 30 minutes. At 4 of these stations video data were simultaneously recorded using an underwater TV.

The counting of echo patterns recorded during this cruise will be left to the future.

2. Development of an underwater TV system to monitor and check the target of the echo pattern.

It is extremely difficult to identify the species of the target fish in the echo survey, and so, in order to overcome this difficulty, an underwater TV and film camera system was developed. This system includes a star-light SIT TV camera, an underwater 35m/m film camera, and a VTR. Also, it is possible to display and record the depth of the TV camera.

During this cruise, TV observations were made at 21 stations, a total 33 volumes of video tapes were obtained, and several targets were recorded in these observations.

Detailed analysis and cross-checks between echo data and video records are now in progress.

15. Studies on the distribution of eggs and larvae K. Matsushita

It is considered that larval mortality caused by starvation is determined by the frequency of encounter with food organisms. The frequency of encounter is determined by the distribution structure of larvae and food organisms. The distribution of pelagic eggs and larvae is strongly influenced by ocean currents.

With these points in mind, a survey was carried out across a cross section of the Equatorial Current. In addition, in order to examine the general distribution of eggs and larvae during cruise, sea water was pumped up from beneath the ship and eggs and larvae were continuously collected by filtration of the sea water. Areas of high density of pelagic eggs were observed off the coast of Japan, the Mariana Islands, the Caroline Islands and in the equatorial area (Fig. 16).

MTD net tows across a cross section of the Equatorial Current (7 Sts., 9 layers) revealed peaks in the distribution of eggs in the 25-50-m layer, while larvae were mainly distributed below 50 m (Tables 36 and 37). High density areas of eggs and larvae were also observed, but it is considered that further analyses of their relation to the structure of the current are needed to understand their origin.

In order to determine differences caused by the direction of net towing, MTD nets and surface nets were towed in a triangular course at Sts. 7, 8 and 9.

The results of surface-net tows at St. 7, revealed clear differences that are thought to arise from the direction of towing (Fig. 17). The main cause of the differences is thought to be side slip of the ship in the wind which tends to sweep away floating matter at the surface. Differences due to variation in towing direction of the MTD net were not observed in the case of eggs, but were observed in the case of larvae (Tables 38 and 39). It is thought that the larvae have the ability to escape from the net.

The results of this survey suggest that the eggs and larvae show various types of distribution depending on ocean currents and other conditions.

16. Measurements of ETS activity and RNA content
in pelagic fish (myctophids)
T. Ikeda and A. W. Mitchell

Specimens of myctophid fish were collected from the Coral Sea during this cruise of the Hakuho-Maru.

Collections were made at night with an ORI-net which was towed through surface water at a speed of 2 knots for 5-10 minutes. Sampling locations are shown in Table 40. Immediately following net retrieval, the fish specimens were sorted, rinsed with filtered seawater and frozen at -20°C within 30 minutes of capture. The specimens were kept at -20°C for 14-17 days before measurements of ETS activity and RNA content were made.

The analytical methods used were those of Owens and King (1975) for ETS assays and Dagg and Littlepage (1972) for RNA. The incubation temperatures used for the ETS assays were within $\pm 0.2^{\circ}\text{C}$ of the in situ temperature. All results were standardized on a protein basis as measured by the method of Lowry et al. (1951) (Table 41).

No marked differences were observed between ETS activity and RNA content of specimens frozen whilst still living and those which were already dead prior to freezing. Identification of

species is tentative at present but will be completed shortly. Respiration rates of these myctophid fishes may be estimated from ETS activities using a factor obtained from two inshore fish species by similar techniques in our laboratory (ETS activity/Respiration rate = 1.6 ± 0.35 , Ikeda and Mitchell unpublished data).

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17. Chemical study on the removal of substances from the surface water with special reference to biological processes
in a warm water region*
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In the surface layer various particles are formed chiefly by biological processes. The particles settle down to the abyss of the ocean and chemical substances in the surface water are removed by these particles. We have attempted to clarify this process quantitatively through the use of natural radionuclides such as ^{234}Th , ^{210}Pb and ^{210}Po as tracers. The main advantage in the use of radionuclides lies in the fact that we can estimate the removal rate from a water mass directly from the inventory of the radionuclide in the water mass. For this purpose we took the following samples and have analyzed them in part. The analysis of the data and detailed discussion will be made after all the chemical analysis are finished.

1. ^{234}Th , ^{226}Ra , ^{210}Pb and ^{210}Po in seawater

Surface seawater samples (50 liter) were obtained at 78 stations including all the hydrocast stations and the surface stations. At the following stations, the seawater samples were collected from various depths with Niskin bottles; Stn. 4 (13 samples), Stn. 17 (13), and Stn. 20 (14). At Stns. 6 and 12, the subsurface samples were collected with the aid of a suction pump and a 150-m long plastic hose.

The radioisotopes in seawater and yield tracers added were

coprecipitated with carbonates and hydroxides. Po, Pb, Th and Ra were isolated successively from the precipitate using ion exchange and coprecipitation techniques (Tsunogai, et al. 1977). The β activity of ^{234}Th was counted on board the vessel. Further purification and counting procedures were carried out ashore.

2. ^{232}Th , ^{230}Th and ^{228}Ra in the surface and subsurface water

At Stns. 4, 9, 14, 18, and 21, large volume water samples (about 500 liter) were collected from the surface and the subsurface layer by using a suction pump and a plastic hose. The radio-nuclides were coprecipitated with carbonate and hydroxides. They were purified with an ion exchanger and their α activity was measured with a counter equipped with a Si detector and a pulse-height analyzer.

3. ^{234}Th , ^{210}Pb and ^{210}Po in the particulate matter

At Stns. 4 and 20, seawater samples of about 100 liter each were obtained from the surface and the subsurface, and filtered through HA Millipore filters. Pb, Po and Th were chemically separated and the β activity of ^{234}Th was counted on board the vessel.

4. Chemical composition of particulate matter in the surface water

Seawater samples (5-10 liter) collected from the surface stations were filtered through Nuclepore filters (pore size, 0.6 μm). The dry weight of particulate matter was determined by the method of Uematsu et al. (1978). The concentrations of metals such as Cu, Fe, Al and Mn were determined by an atomic absorption method. The dry weights of particulate matter in the surface water are shown in Tables 42 and 43.

5. Chemical studies of sediments

Sediment samples were obtained with a Spade corer at Stns. SC-5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and with an Okean grab and a Phleger corer at Stns. 9, 12, 14, 18, 19 and 22. Their water contents, ignition losses, carbonate contents and concentrations of radioisotopes such as Th, U, ^{226}Ra and ^{210}Pb were or will be determined. The sediment samples will also be divided into various fraction by treating with redox reagents for the determination of metals

such as Fe, Mn, Al, Zn, Co, Ni, Ba, Cu and Pb by an atomic absorption method.

6. Compositions of interstitial water

To obtain interstitial water, the following two types of squeezers (A and B) were used: A) 10 ml or more of interstitial water was squeezed out from about 50 ml of sediment in a temperature-controlled water bath at the in situ temperature of the bottom water. B) To obtain large volume samples of interstitial water, a large volume squeezer, which was cooled by ice, was used. This squeezed out about 200 ml of interstitial water from about 600 ml of sediments.

The samples collected by method (A) were used for analysis of P, Si, Mn, Fe, Al, Zn, Co, Ni, Ba, Cu and Pb by colorimetric and atomic absorption methods. ^{226}Ra , ^{210}Pb and other radioisotopes were determined for the samples collected by method (B).

7. Hg concentration in the surface water

Surface water samples (500 ml for each sample) were collected in an acid-cleaned plastic bucket at Stns. 12, 13, 14, 15, 17 and 20. The concentration of Hg in the seawater samples was determined by the method of Nishimura et al. (1975, 1979).

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18. Gravity measurements at sea

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Observation period: 28 Aug. 1979, 00:00-07 Sep. 1979, 17:14

Gravity meter system: T.S.S.G.

Gravity meter: Model Z-68-7-14 (string type)

Vertical gyro: Model 72-A (a pair of single freedom gyros)

Data processing system: Model 76-1 (0.05 sec. sampling rate)

Trouble with gravity meter:

On 07 Sep. some trouble occurred with the data processing system. Some interfaces of NOVA (electronic computer for data processing), the power supplies for the Multi Purpose Input/Output System (for data sampling in real time), and one of the electronic parts of the digital timer (for time control of the whole system) successively went out of order. The observer, therefore, failed to make gravity measurements after Sept. 07.

Position fixing: Loran A and C, Dead reckoning and NNSS.

Time when NNSS was out of order:

Five times during the whole cruise, but none of these occurred during the observation period.

Time when PDR was out of order: None.

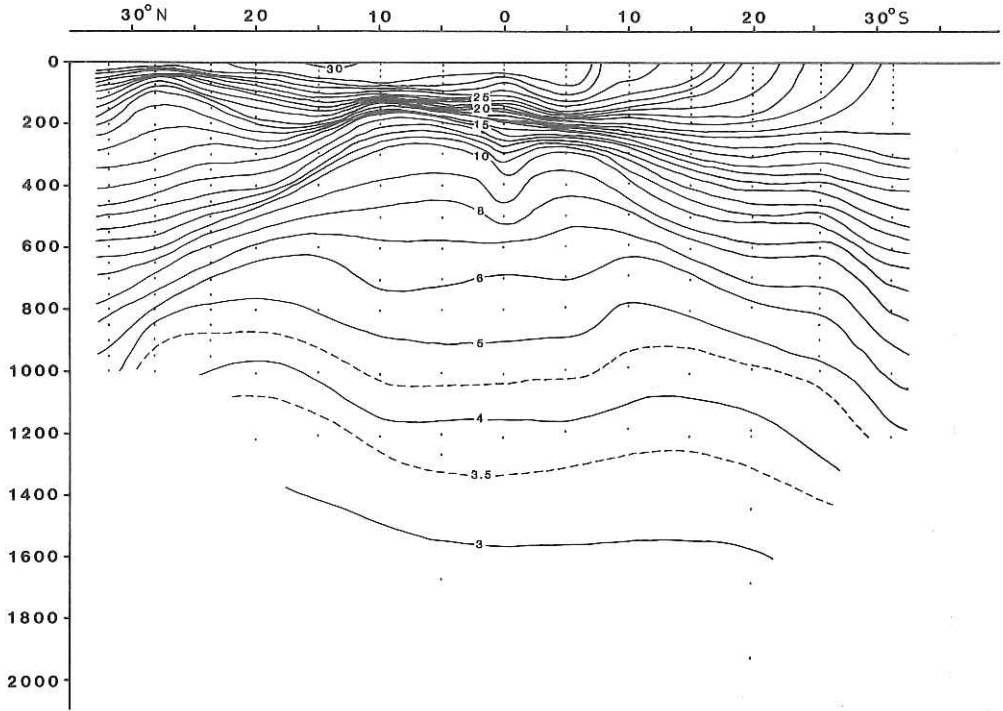


Fig. 2. Water temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) along Section I.

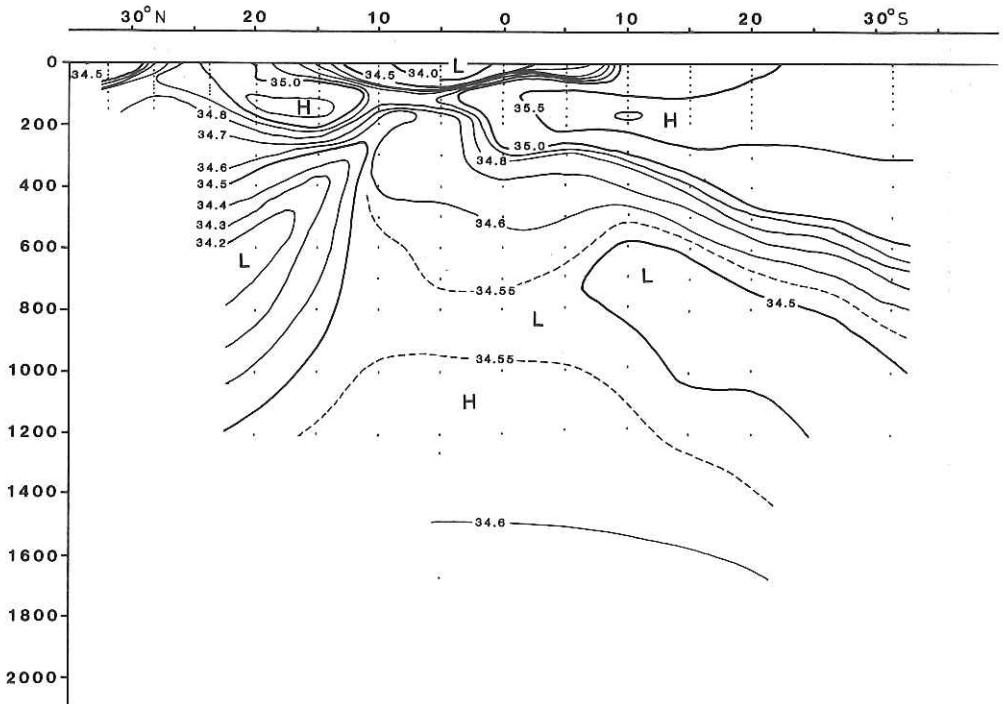


Fig. 3. Salinity (‰) along Section I.

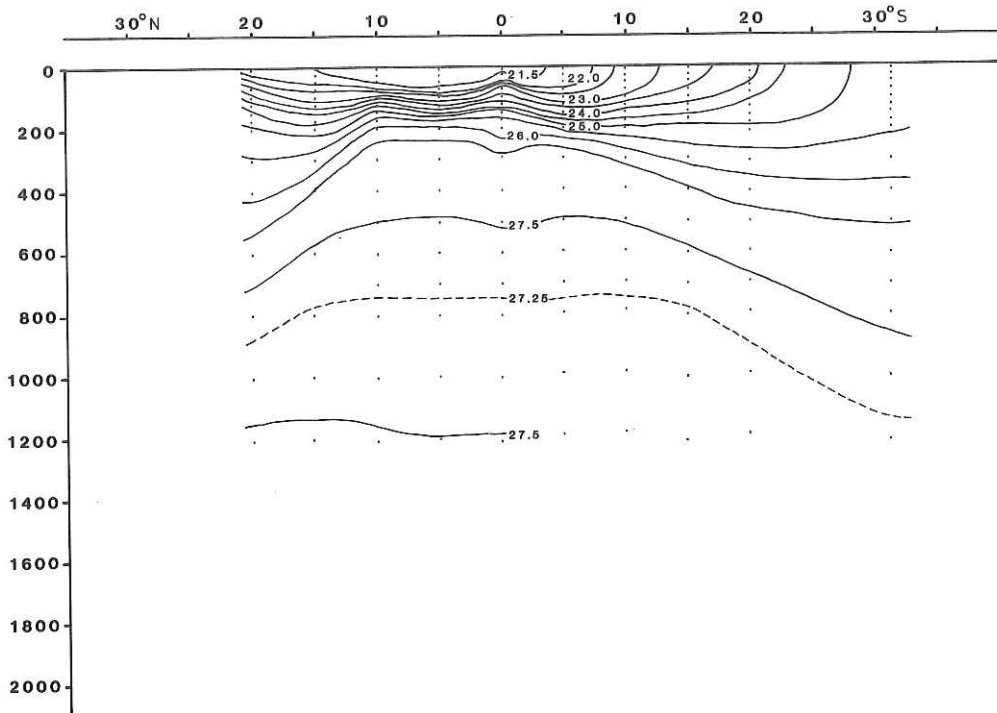


Fig. 4. Sigma-t along Section I.

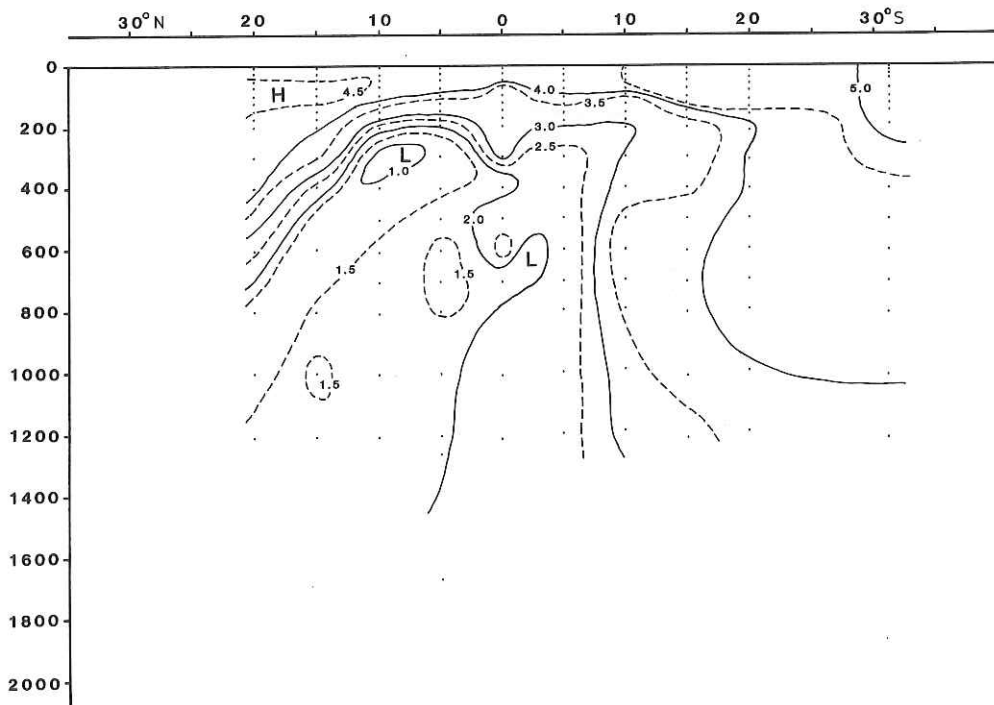


Fig. 5. Dissolved oxygen (ml/l) along Section I.

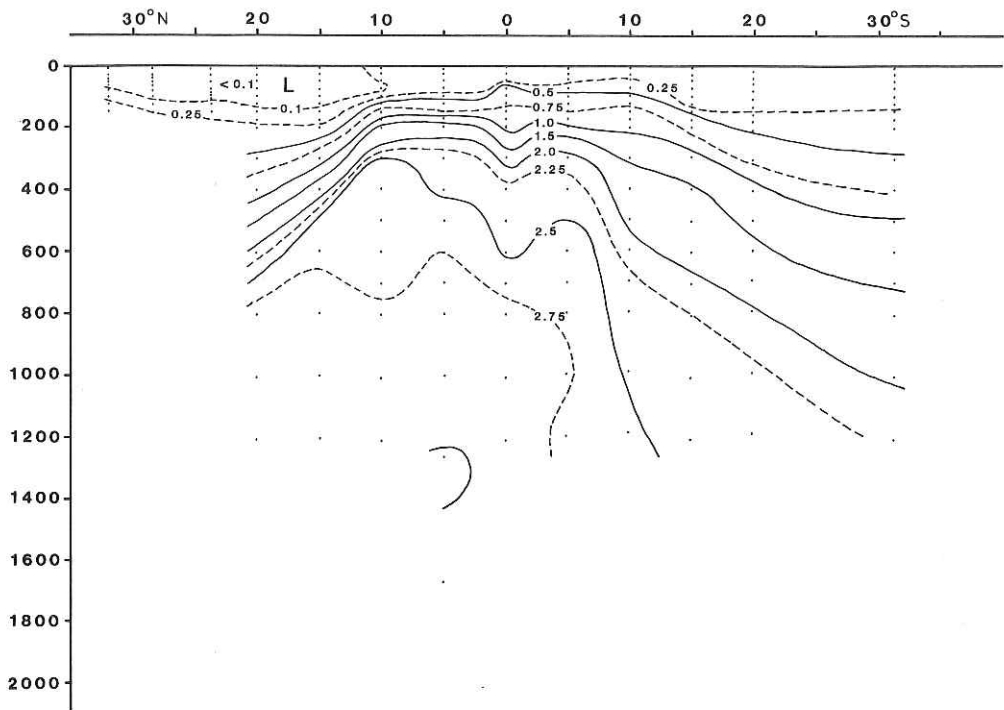


Fig. 6. Phosphate-P ($\mu\text{g-atoms/l}$) along Section I.

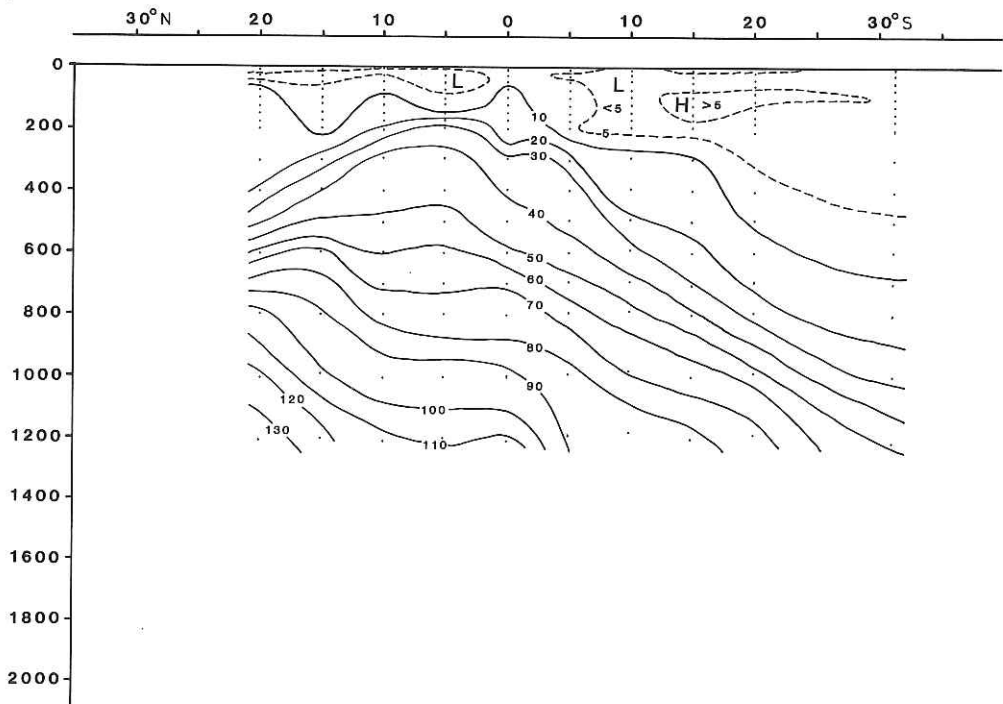


Fig. 7. Silicate-Si ($\mu\text{g-atoms/l}$) along Section I.

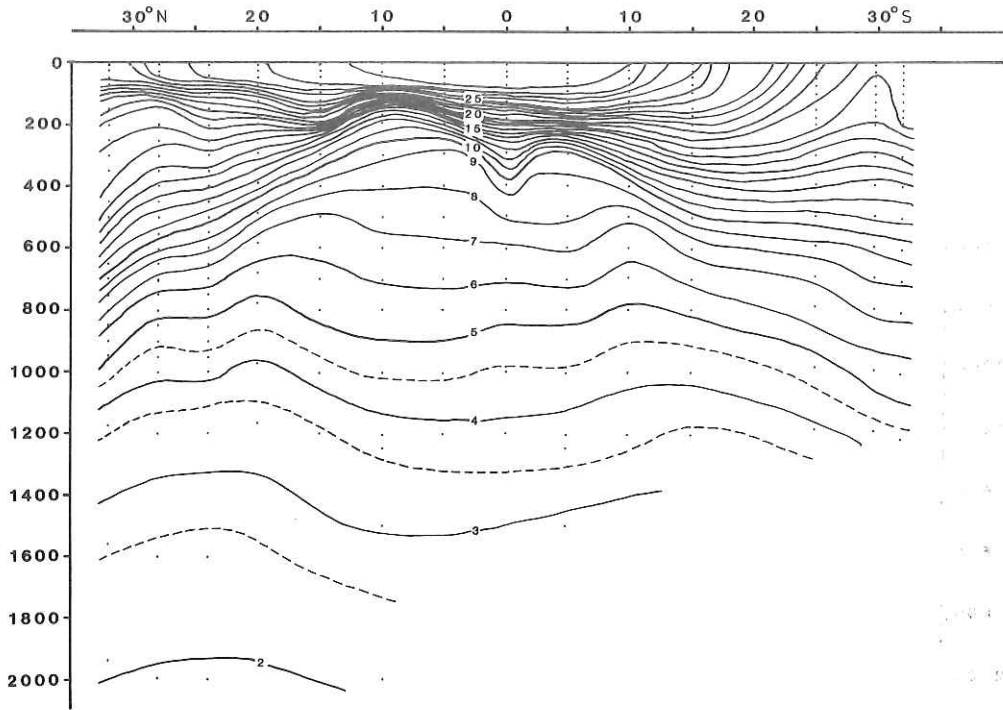


Fig. 8. Water temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) along Section II.

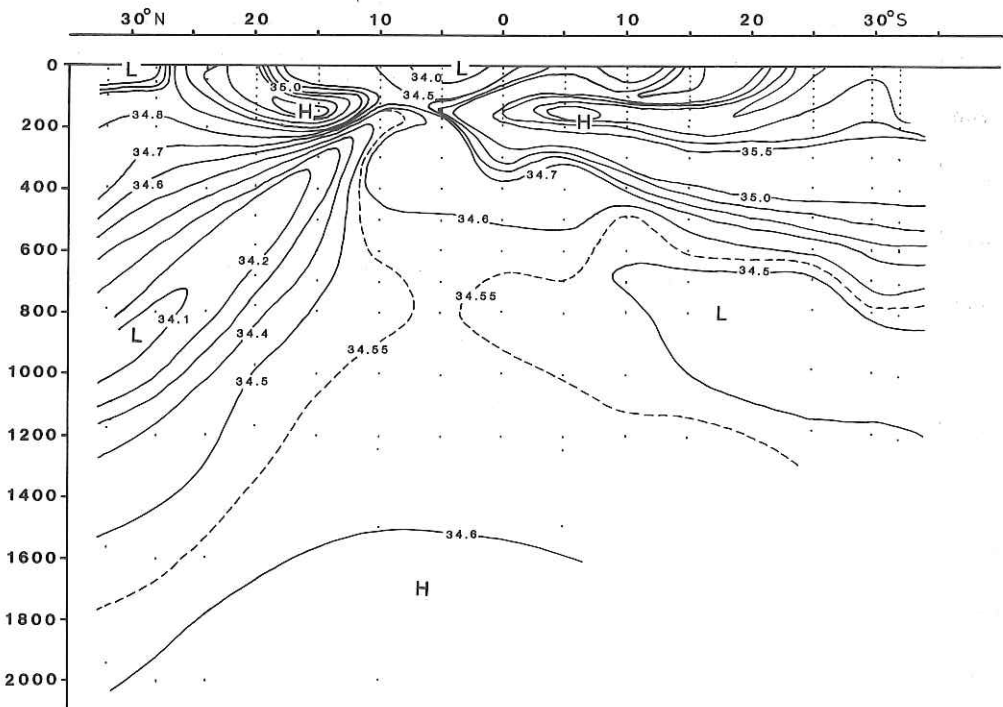


Fig. 9. Salinity (‰) along Section II.

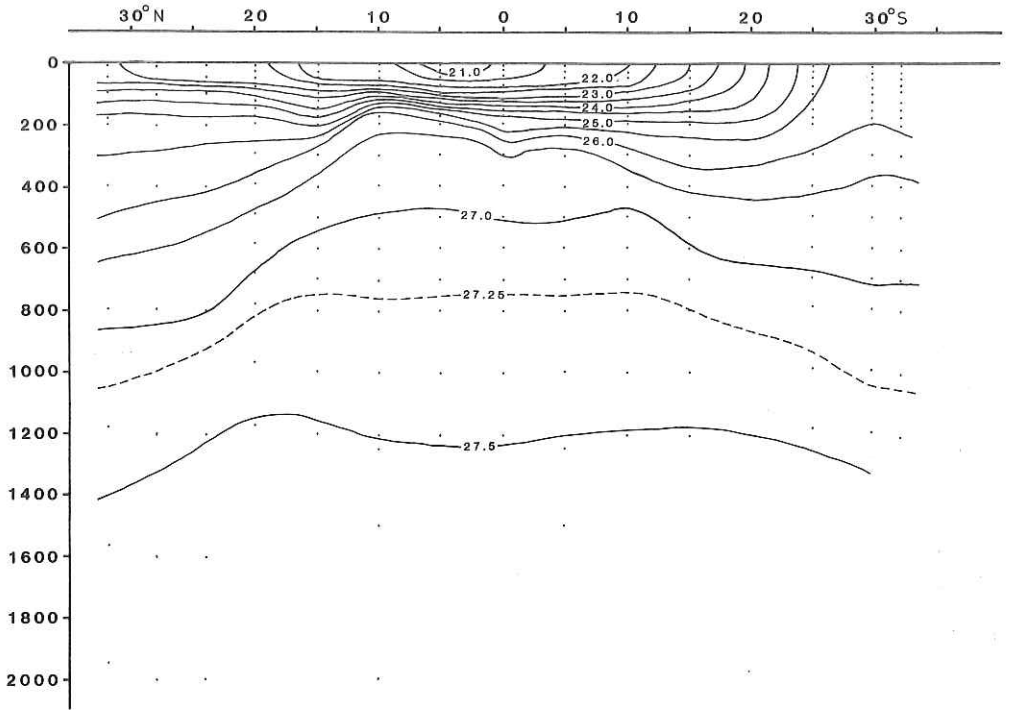


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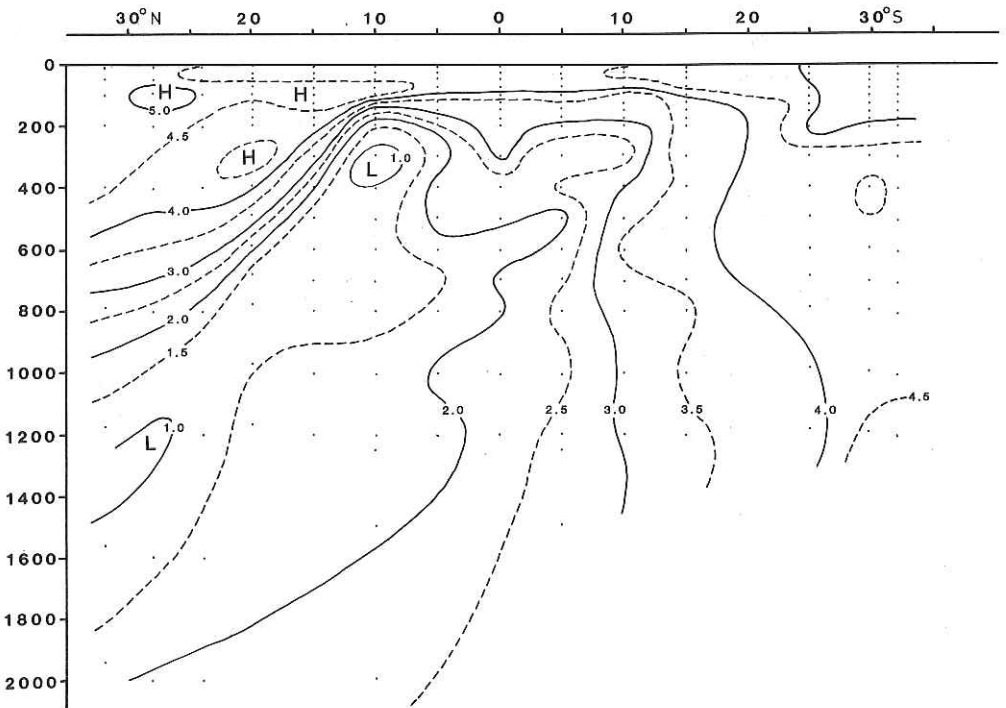


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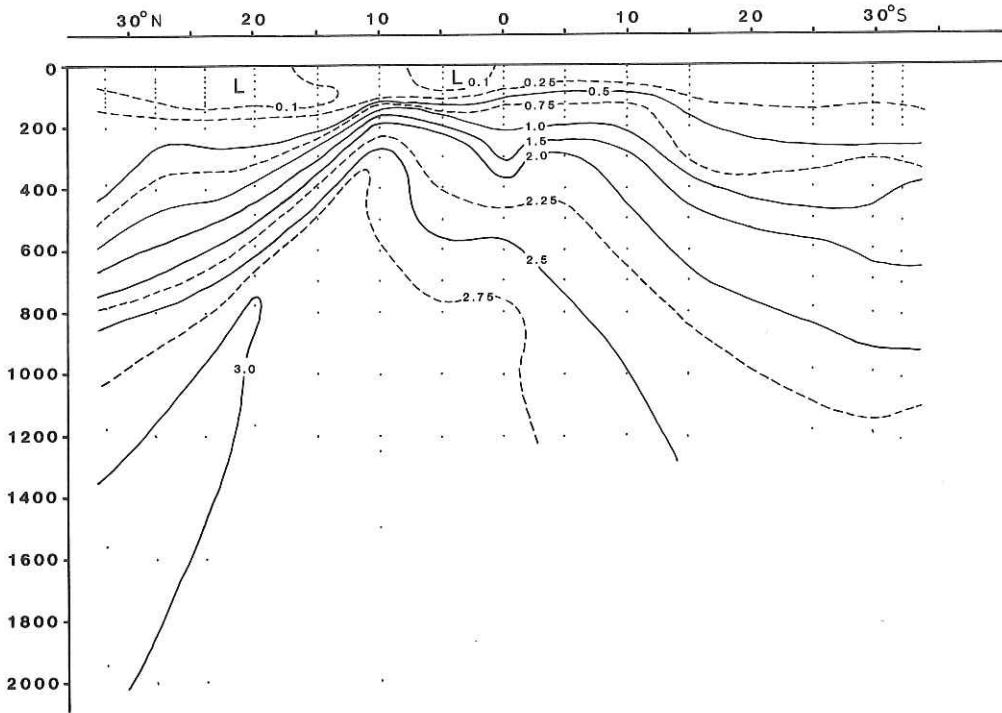


Fig. 12. Phosphate-P ($\mu\text{g-atoms/l}$) along Section II.

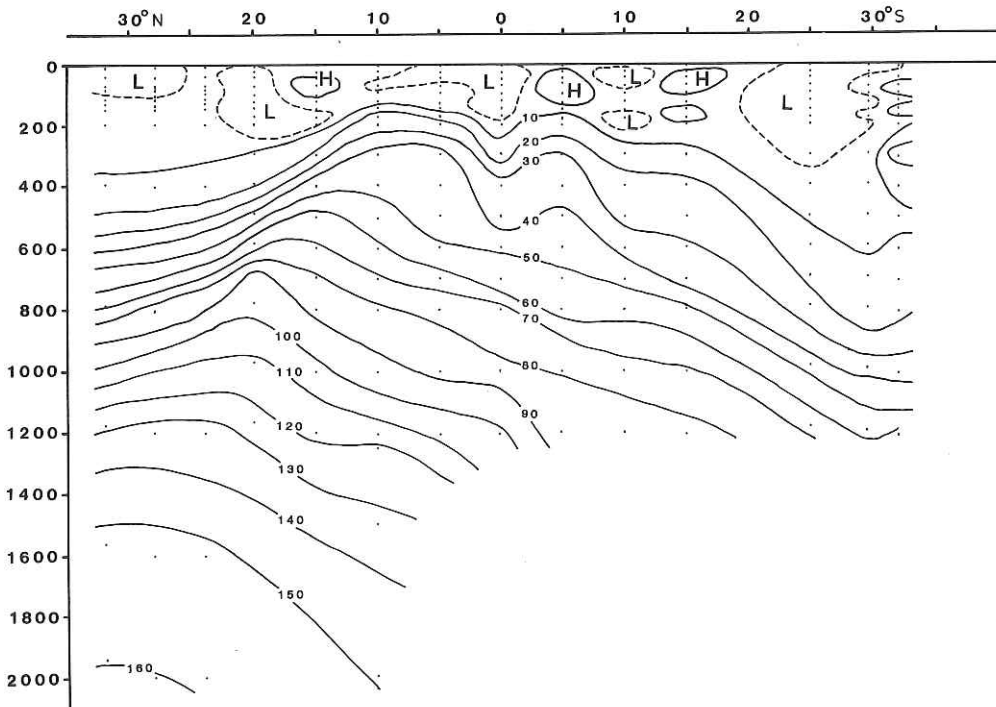


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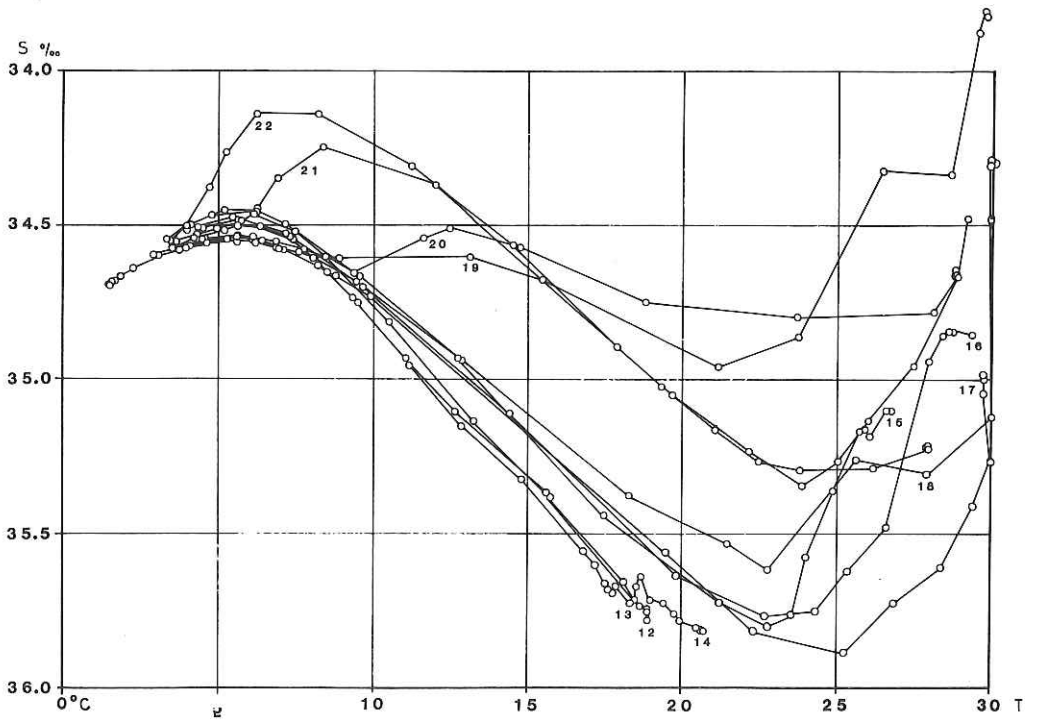
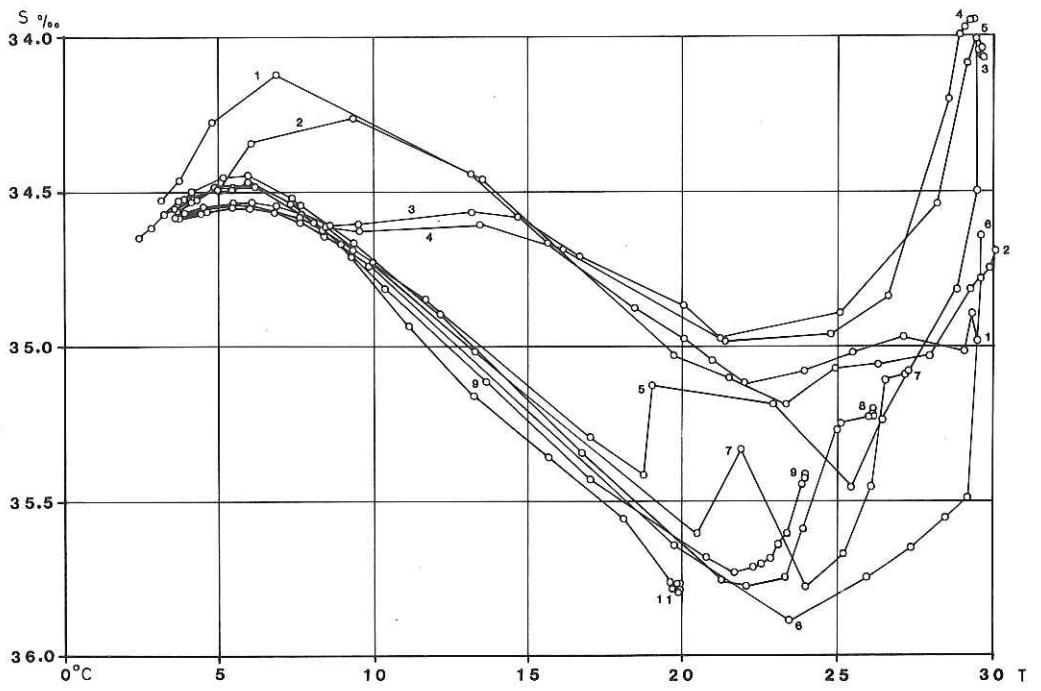


Fig. 14. T-S diagram.

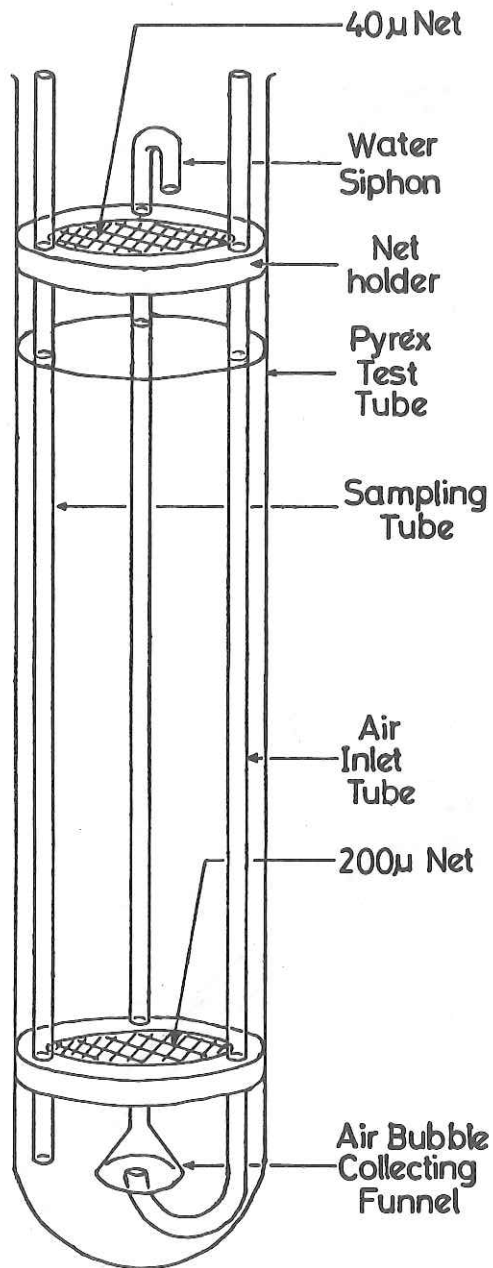


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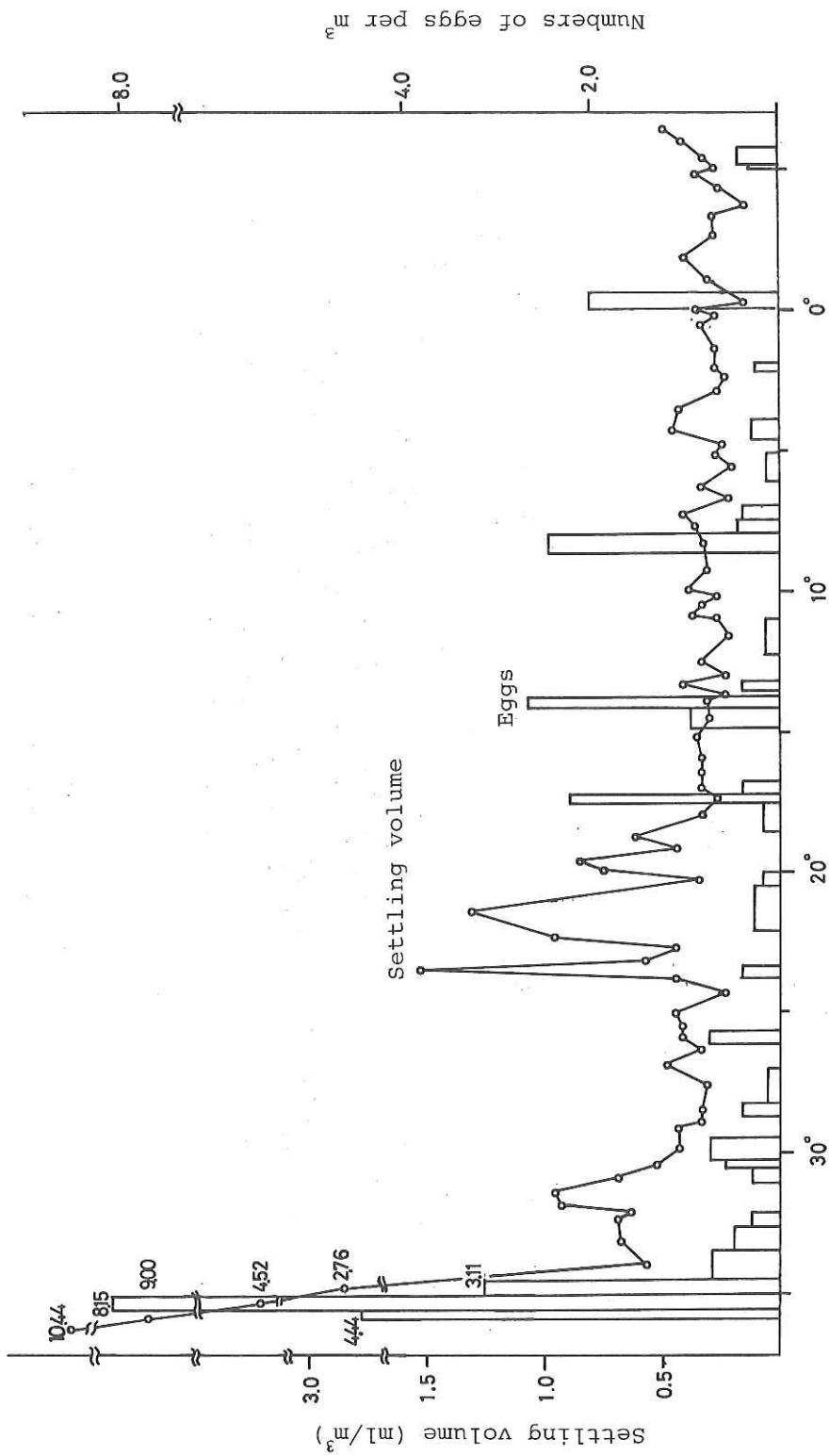
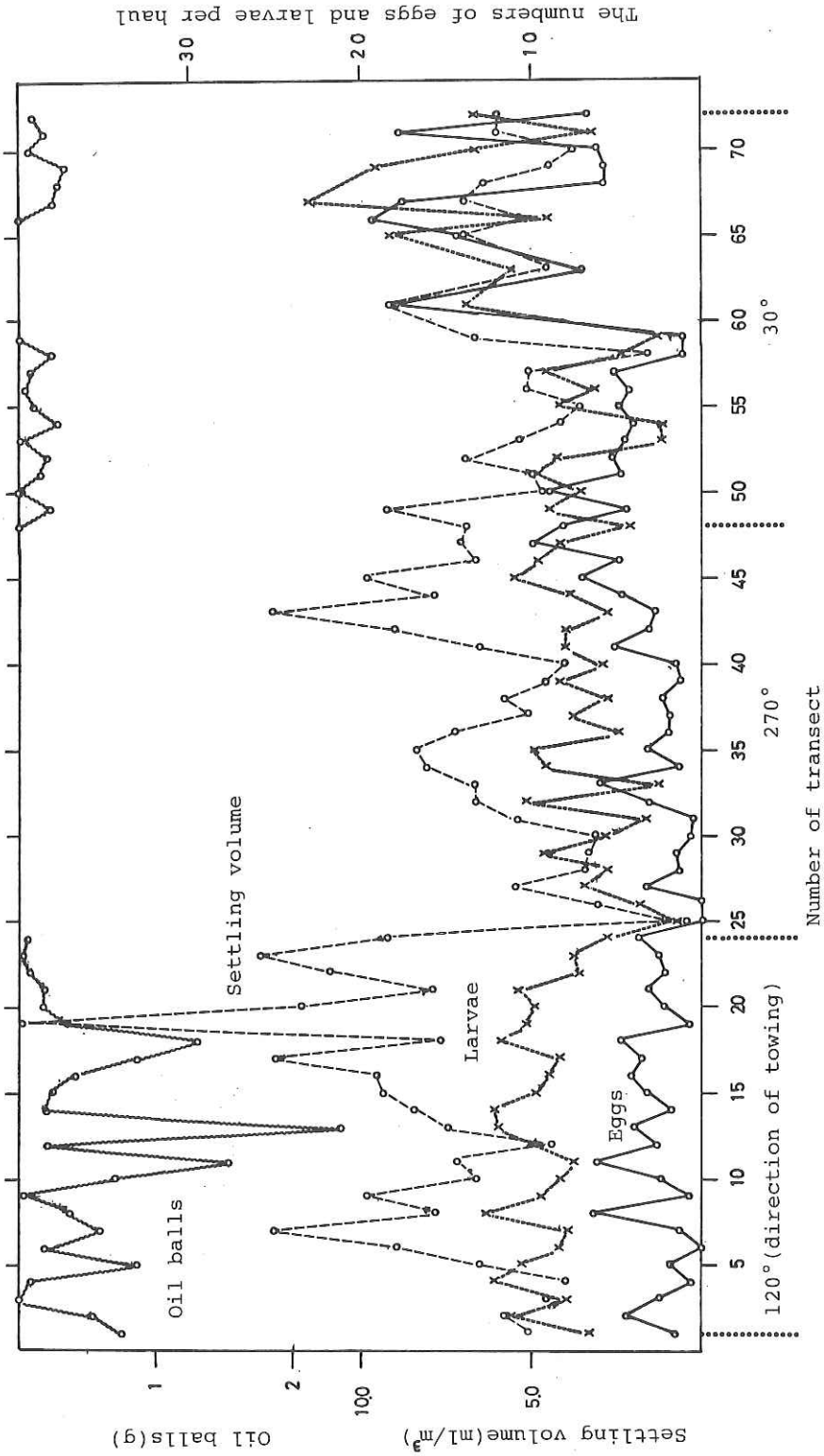


Fig. 16. The distribution of eggs and settling volume from the Tokyo Bay to the equatorial area.



The numbers of eggs and larvae per haul

Fig. 17. The numbers of eggs, larvae, settling volume and oil balls by surface nets towings continuously in three directions.

Explanation of Tables 3 to 26.

Abbreviations and symbols used: D depth
 T temperature
 S salinity
 σ_t sigma t $[(p-1) \times 1000]$
 DO dissolved oxygen
 O₂-Sat percent oxygen saturation
 ΔD dynamic depth anomaly
 Chl. a chlorophyll-a
 * Niskin sampler (23 liter)
 () unreliable data

Table 3.

Station 1 20°00.5'N, 150°00.5'E Depth: 2750m Date: Sep. 2, 1979 Time: 13:49-15:17 Weather: Fine Air Temp.: 28.9°C Wind Dir.: WSW Wind Speed: 9.5 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1															
Observed										Interpolated					
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ_t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μ g at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μ g at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μ g at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μ g at/l)	Chl. a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ_t	ΔD
0	29.50	34.981	21.90	4.28	97.5	0.01	11.5	0.00	0.17	0.066	0	29.50	34.981	21.90	0.000
10	29.31	34.892	21.90	4.38	99.5	0.01	8.0	1.17	0.51	0.062	10	29.31	34.892	21.90	0.059
30	29.07	35.013	22.07	4.45	100.7	0.02	3.6	0.02	0.25	0.081	30	29.07	35.013	22.07	0.176
50	27.11	34.967	22.68	4.77	104.6	0.01	6.4	0.03	0.24	0.111	50	27.11	34.967	22.68	0.286
76	25.47	35.020	23.23	4.69	100.0	0.02	14.3	0.02	0.18	0.188	75	25.52	35.017	23.21	0.410
101	23.96	35.076	23.73	4.76	99.0	0.02	12.7	0.15	0.13	0.299	100	24.02	35.074	23.71	0.521
126	21.99	35.117	24.33	4.28	86.0	0.09	14.0	0.10	0.03	0.339	125	22.06	35.116	24.31	0.620
152	20.96	35.044	24.56	4.51	88.9	0.14	15.0	0.15	0.24	0.172	150	21.02	35.052	24.55	0.709
177	20.10	34.977	24.74	4.42	85.7	0.16	14.6	0.05	1.49	0.089	175	20.18	34.983	24.72	0.794
202	18.46	34.879	25.08	4.34	81.6	0.27	13.1	0.39	0.84	0.017	200	18.60	34.887	25.06	0.872
303	15.66	34.663	25.58	4.57	81.3	0.59	19.1	0.22	0.10	0.011	250	16.73	34.759	25.41	1.013
404	13.14	34.441	25.95	4.08	68.8	0.91	20.3	0.19	0.32		300	15.70	34.667	25.58	1.142
606	6.86	34.122	26.77	2.63	38.6	2.14	60.2	0.28	0.51		400	13.24	34.449	25.94	1.376
807	4.78	34.273	27.15	1.23	17.2	2.90	103.0	0.10	0.17		500	10.00	34.250	26.39	1.573
1009	3.75	34.461	27.41	1.41	19.2	2.88	123.0	0.09	0.37		600	7.03	34.127	26.75	1.730
1211	3.12	34.524	27.52	1.62	21.8	2.80	136.0	0.12	0.18		700	5.56	34.161	26.97	1.859
											800	4.81	34.264	27.14	1.969
											1000	3.78	34.454	27.40	2.149
											1200	3.14	34.524	27.51	2.292

Table 4.

Station 2 14°59.1'N, 152°01.8' E Depth: 6000m Date: Sep. 4, 1979 Time: 00:33-02:00 Weather: Fine											Air Temp.: 28.7°C Wind Dir.: ESE Wind Speed: 2.0 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	30.10	34.690	21.48	4.27	98.1	0.03	23.2	0.00	0.04	0.051	0	30.10	34.690	21.48	0.000
10	30.06	34.692	21.50	4.31	99.0	0.01	6.1	0.02	0.04	0.058	10	30.06	34.692	21.50	0.063
30	29.89	34.741	21.59	4.32	98.9	0.05	3.6	0.00	0.03	0.058	30	29.89	34.741	21.59	0.189
50	29.28	34.813	21.85	4.40	99.8	0.04	2.3	0.00	0.03	0.057	50	29.28	34.813	21.85	0.311
75	27.96	35.029	22.45	4.72	105.0	0.01	7.1	0.00	0.10	0.079	75	27.96	35.029	22.45	0.454
100	26.36	35.046	22.98	4.60	99.6	0.02	9.3	0.08	0.03	0.123	100	26.36	35.046	22.98	0.583
125	24.93	35.070	23.44	4.56	96.4	0.05	5.8	0.00	0.13	0.219	125	24.93	35.070	23.44	0.701
150	23.34	35.184	23.99	4.22	86.9	0.11	8.6	0.08	0.04	0.221	150	23.34	35.184	23.99	0.808
175	21.50	35.102	24.45	4.13	82.2	0.18	5.7	0.03	0.35	0.058	175	21.50	35.102	24.45	0.901
200	19.73	35.030	24.87	4.02	77.5	0.29	4.2	0.13	0.14	0.018	200	19.73	35.030	24.87	0.986
300	13.52	34.459	25.89	3.78	64.3	0.95	21.6	0.06	0.03	0.001	250	16.41	34.749	25.48	1.129
400	9.35	34.263	26.51	2.47	38.4	1.94	39.0	0.00	0.01		300	13.52	34.459	25.89	1.249
601	6.06	34.349	27.05	1.29	18.6	2.70	75.7	0.08	0.14		400	9.35	34.263	26.51	1.440
802	5.04	34.481	27.28	1.61	22.7	2.91	91.8	0.04	0.16		500	7.15	34.263	26.84	1.585
1005	4.12	34.530	27.42	1.38	19.0	2.86	107.0	0.05	0.45		600	6.06	34.348	27.05	1.705
1207	3.24	34.565	27.54	1.84	24.8	2.81	122.0	0.03	0.00		700	5.41	34.416	27.19	1.809
											800	5.04	34.480	27.28	1.902
											1000	4.14	34.529	27.42	2.067
											1200	3.27	34.564	27.53	2.208

Table 5.

Station 3 10°00.1'N, 154°05.2'E Depth: 5570m Date: Sep. 5, 1979 Time: 19:30-20:55 Weather: Fine											Air Temp.: 28.8°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 7.0 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.70	34.062	21.15	4.39	99.9	0.12	13.1	0.00	0.15	0.025	0	29.70	34.062	21.15	0.000
10	29.64	34.059	21.16	4.35	98.9	0.10	3.9	0.10	0.28	0.032	10	29.64	34.059	21.16	0.066
31	29.48	34.040	21.20	4.35	98.6	0.10	7.7	0.00	0.40	0.039	30	29.49	34.040	21.20	0.199
51	29.16	34.080	21.34	4.44	100.1	0.11	7.7	0.00	0.09	0.056	50	29.18	34.074	21.33	0.330
76	28.18	34.536	22.01	4.39	97.7	0.09	7.7	0.00	0.21	0.047	75	28.25	34.514	21.97	0.485
101	25.08	34.892	23.26	4.46	94.5	0.14	11.4	0.06	0.21	0.195	100	25.24	34.892	23.20	0.617
127	20.05	34.866	24.67	3.80	73.6	0.55	10.2	0.16	0.09	0.223	125	20.44	34.878	24.57	0.719
152	16.67	34.708	25.39	3.37	61.1	0.86	14.0	0.04	0.10	0.147	150	16.89	34.722	25.35	0.795
177	14.72	34.587	25.73	3.08	53.7	1.10	15.9	0.02	0.22	0.096	175	14.84	34.594	25.71	0.858
202	13.15	34.567	26.05	2.20	37.1	1.57	21.3	0.06	0.30	0.024	200	13.26	34.566	26.02	0.913
303	9.51	34.604	26.75	0.96	15.0	2.50	41.9	0.03	0.16	0.009	250	10.98	34.575	26.47	1.005
405	8.55	34.607	26.90	1.07	16.4	2.55	43.7	0.04	0.42		300	9.57	34.602	26.73	1.080
506	7.66	34.564	27.00	1.36	20.4	2.63	52.6	0.07	0.32		400	8.56	34.608	26.90	1.211
607	6.86	34.544	27.10	1.56	22.9	2.61	59.3	0.16	0.18		500	7.71	34.567	27.00	1.330
708	6.06	34.534	27.20	1.57	22.7	2.68	67.8	0.42	0.42		600	6.91	34.545	27.09	1.442
809	5.53	34.541	27.27	1.61	22.9	2.82	77.9	0.16	0.22		700	6.12	34.534	27.19	1.544
1011	4.61	34.558	27.39	1.61	22.4	2.88	92.8	0.16	0.23		800	5.57	34.540	27.26	1.639
1213	3.64	34.578	27.51	1.92	26.1	2.83	112.0	0.09	0.21		1000	4.66	34.557	27.38	1.811
											1200	3.70	34.577	27.50	1.961

Table 6.

Station 4 5°00.9'N, 156°06.0'E Depth: 3600m Date: Sep. 7, 1979 Time: 06:20-07:26 Weather: Clear											Air Temp.: 28.4°C Wind Dir.: Calm Wind Speed: 0 Sea: 0 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.40	33.939	21.16	4.40	99.5	0.07	8.3	0.00	0.07	0.058	0	29.40	33.939	21.16	0.000
10	29.27	33.943	21.20	4.42	99.8	0.08	4.8	0.10	0.20	0.065	10	29.27	33.943	21.20	0.066
30	29.07	33.966	21.29	4.39	98.8	0.13	1.7	0.01	0.14	0.046	30	29.07	33.966	21.29	0.197
50	28.92	33.988	21.35	4.43	99.5	0.14	3.9	0.00	0.16	0.056	50	28.92	33.988	21.35	0.327
75	28.57	34.198	21.63	4.41	98.6	0.13	3.6	0.00	0.10	0.103	75	28.57	34.198	21.63	0.486
100	26.65	34.831	22.72	3.85	83.7	0.30	5.8	0.20	0.08	0.167	100	26.65	34.831	22.72	0.628
126	24.76	34.958	23.40	3.36	70.8	0.51	4.8	0.13	0.04	0.330	125	24.85	34.961	23.38	0.750
151	21.38	34.810	24.27	3.30	65.5	0.64	9.9	0.06	0.03	0.111	150	21.55	34.818	24.23	0.854
176	16.17	34.687	25.49	2.67	48.0	1.23	23.5	0.01	0.15	0.086	175	16.37	34.691	25.44	0.934
201	13.45	34.605	26.01	2.16	36.7	1.60	38.7	0.05	0.27	0.040	200	13.53	34.608	26.00	0.992
302	9.55	34.625	26.76	1.14	17.8	2.47	42.5	0.02	0.00	0.002	250	10.68	34.582	26.53	1.083
403	8.40	34.612	26.93	1.47	22.4	2.47	46.6	0.03	0.00		300	9.56	34.622	26.75	1.156
504	7.59	34.585	27.03	1.60	23.9	2.61	55.8	0.06	0.00		400	8.41	34.613	26.93	1.285
604	6.89	34.567	27.11	1.36	20.0	2.75	62.4	0.02	0.11		500	7.62	34.586	27.03	1.402
705	6.05	34.551	27.21	1.44	20.8	2.84	65.6	0.04	0.03		600	6.92	34.568	27.11	1.511
806	5.44	34.549	27.29	1.49	21.2	2.92	76.6	0.02	0.16		700	6.09	34.552	27.21	1.612
1008	4.42	34.565	27.42	1.80	25.0	2.86	94.4	0.03	0.03		800	5.47	34.549	27.28	1.705
1209	3.74	34.581	27.50	1.91	26.1	2.92	109.0	0.03	0.10		1000	4.45	34.564	27.41	1.872
1268*	3.53	(34.585)	27.53	1.92	26.1	3.03	119.0	-	0.00		1200	3.76	34.580	27.50	2.019
1672*	2.57	(34.615)	27.64	2.23	29.6	2.96	141.0	-	0.14						
2065*	2.01	34.644	27.71	2.60	34.0	2.85	148.0	-	0.28						
2597*	1.74	34.660	27.74	2.90	37.6	2.79	151.0	-	0.04						
3080*	1.59	34.673	27.76	3.24	41.9	2.73	148.0	-	0.36						
3575*	1.54	34.722	27.81	3.42	44.2	2.69	148.0	-	0.14						

Table 7.

Station 5 0°00.2'N, 158°04.1'E Depth: 2250 m Date: Sep. 10, 1979 Time: 00:41-02:33 Weather: Cloudy											Air Temp.: 28.0°C Wind Dir.: WNW Wind Speed: 4.0 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.60	34.036	21.16	4.43	100.6	0.07	15.6	0.00	0.07	0.060	0	29.60	34.036	21.16	0.000
10	29.40	34.001	21.20	4.44	100.5	0.10	6.1	0.04	0.15	0.044	10	29.40	34.001	21.20	0.066
30	29.47	34.494	21.55	4.50	102.2	0.16	6.4	0.00	0.20	0.124	30	29.47	34.494	21.55	0.195
50	28.82	34.812	22.00	4.48	100.9	0.22	6.7	0.00	0.13	0.140	50	28.82	34.812	22.00	0.316
75	26.44	35.237	23.10	3.31	71.9	0.64	11.2	0.16	0.00	0.341	75	26.44	35.237	23.10	0.449
100	25.43	35.452	23.57	3.29	70.3	0.68	16.9	0.13	0.05	0.229	100	25.43	35.452	23.57	0.564
125	22.91	35.185	24.12	3.20	65.4	0.67	10.8	0.04	0.05	0.071	125	22.91	35.185	24.12	0.667
150	19.01	35.125	25.13	3.24	61.6	0.90	14.3	0.04	0.04	0.026	150	19.01	35.125	25.13	0.751
176	18.76	35.411	25.41	3.33	63.2	0.88	13.1	0.01	0.04	0.003	175	18.75	35.400	25.41	0.820
201	17.00	35.294	25.76	3.36	61.6	0.98	10.8	0.00	0.05	0.002	200	17.08	35.302	25.74	0.882
302	11.63	34.849	26.56	3.04	49.8	1.66	30.1	0.03	0.13	0.010	250	14.03	35.058	26.24	0.987
403	9.32	34.682	26.84	1.86	28.9	2.27	39.0	0.01	0.21		300	11.71	34.856	26.55	1.072
505	8.31	34.621	26.95	2.43	37.0	2.27	42.5	0.03	0.05		400	9.36	34.684	26.83	1.216
606	6.80	34.559	27.12	2.52	37.0	2.41	50.7	0.01	0.00		500	8.35	34.623	26.95	1.342
707	5.98	34.551	27.22	1.88	27.1	2.69	69.1	0.00	0.27		600	6.89	34.562	27.11	1.455
808	5.44	34.543	27.28	2.06	29.3	2.78	76.6	0.04	0.09		700	6.02	34.551	27.22	1.555
1011	4.43	34.554	27.41	2.27	31.5	2.71	94.0	0.00	0.01		800	5.48	34.544	27.28	1.648
1214	3.66	34.582	27.51	2.10	28.6	2.81	114.0	0.00	0.12		1000	4.48	34.553	27.40	1.817
											1200	3.71	34.580	27.50	1.964

Table 8.

Station 6											4°59.6'S, 159°59.2'E					Depth: 1650m		Date: Sep. 11, 1979		Time: 21:10-22:23		Weather: Rainy	
											5°00.4'S, 159°58.3'E					Sep. 12, 1979		00:07-01:05					
Air Temp., 26.6°C											Wind Dir.: SE		Wind Speed: 8.0 m/s		Sea: 3		Swell: 1						
Observed											Interpolated												
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl. a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD								
0	29.6	34.644	21.62	4.43	100.9	0.20	8.6	0.00	0.10	0.066	0	29.6	34.644	21.62	0.000								
10	29.59	34.639	21.62	4.42	100.7	0.19	8.6	0.03	0.30	0.069	10	29.59	34.639	21.62	0.062								
30	29.59	34.777	21.72	4.39	100.1	0.19	4.2	0.00	0.09	0.080	30	29.59	34.777	21.72	0.185								
50	29.53	34.779	21.74	4.41	100.5	0.21	7.7	0.00	0.06	0.134	50	29.53	34.779	21.74	0.307								
75	29.19	35.487	22.39	4.22	96.0	0.40	9.9	0.27	0.20	0.309	75	29.19	35.487	22.39	0.452								
100	28.46	35.552	22.68	3.90	87.7	0.55	9.3	1.97	0.19	0.340	100	28.46	35.552	22.68	0.586								
125	27.35	35.648	23.11	3.66	80.9	0.69	6.1	0.58	0.14	0.239	125	27.35	35.648	23.11	0.712								
150	25.94	35.746	23.64	3.42	73.9	0.73	7.7	0.06	0.05	0.164	150	25.94	35.746	23.64	0.826								
175	23.47	35.884	24.49	3.13	64.8	0.84	9.6	0.02	0.79	0.087	175	23.47	35.884	24.49	0.924								
200	19.76	35.642	25.33	2.89	55.9	1.04	5.2	0.06	0.22	0.013	200	19.76	35.642	25.33	1.002								
299	9.83	34.737	26.80	2.40	37.8	2.03	28.9	0.03	0.24	0.012	250	13.74	35.129	26.36	1.114								
399	8.34	34.640	26.96	2.32	35.3	2.28	35.2	0.03	0.26		300	9.79	34.734	26.80	1.190								
498	7.61	34.600	27.04	2.05	30.7	2.50	38.4	0.04	0.25		400	8.33	34.639	26.96	1.315								
598	6.75	34.565	27.13	2.08	30.5	2.57	45.0	0.04	0.16		500	7.59	34.599	27.04	1.430								
698	6.02	34.545	27.21	2.15	31.0	2.62	52.9	0.02	0.02		600	6.73	34.564	27.13	1.537								
797	5.40	34.539	27.28	2.26	32.1	2.73	63.0	0.01	0.20		700	6.01	34.545	27.21	1.636								
997	4.46	34.551	27.40	2.17	30.1	2.78	83.6	0.03	0.01		800	5.38	34.539	27.29	1.729								
1196	3.88	34.565	27.47	2.39	32.7	2.73	88.4	0.03	0.08		1000	4.45	34.551	27.40	1.896								
											1200	3.87	34.565	27.48	2.047								

Table 9.

Station 7											9°59.4'S, 154°58.0'E					Depth: 3420m		Date: Sep. 18, 1979		Time: 16:35-17:32		Weather: Cloudy	
Air Temp.: 26.0°C											Sind Dir.: E		Wind Speed: 12.0 m/s		Sea: 4		Swell: 3						
Observed											Interpolated												
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl. a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD								
0	27.20	35.081	22.74	4.50	98.9	0.27	3.6	0.00	0.50	0.207	0	27.20	35.081	22.74	0.000								
10	27.22	35.078	22.73	4.50	98.9	0.23	2.6	0.05	0.20	0.178	10	27.22	35.078	22.73	0.051								
30	27.17	35.078	22.74	4.51	99.0	0.22	3.3	0.04	0.34	0.200	30	27.17	35.078	22.74	0.154								
50	27.13	35.084	22.76	4.51	99.0	0.26	2.0	0.01	0.23	0.196	50	27.13	35.084	22.76	0.257								
75	26.50	35.109	22.98	4.22	91.6	0.29	3.9	0.29	0.13	0.363	75	26.50	35.109	22.98	0.382								
99	26.05	35.451	23.38	3.50	75.6	0.64	3.6	0.10	0.20	0.253	100	26.02	35.462	23.40	0.500								
124	25.18	35.669	23.81	3.23	68.8	0.72	2.0	0.04	0.19	0.133	125	25.14	35.680	23.83	0.609								
149	24.00	35.777	24.25	3.10	64.8	0.82	3.9	0.07	0.04	0.023	150	23.92	35.757	24.26	0.707								
174	21.89	35.331	24.52	3.20	64.3	0.72	2.3	0.08	0.21	0.014	175	21.83	35.340	24.54	0.797								
199	20.49	35.703	25.19	2.98	58.5	0.91	3.6	0.07	0.23	0.018	200	20.41	35.704	25.21	0.876								
298	13.23	35.012	26.37	3.04	51.6	1.48	11.2	0.06	0.00	0.024	250	16.67	35.537	26.02	0.999								
396	9.95	34.728	26.77	3.42	54.0	1.73	15.6	0.05	0.04		300	13.14	35.004	26.39	1.094								
495	7.62	34.544	26.99	3.83	57.3	1.92	21.6	0.07	0.10		400	9.84	34.718	26.78	1.248								
594	6.18	34.489	27.15	3.82	55.3	2.07	31.1	0.00	0.13		500	7.53	34.539	27.00	1.374								
692	5.46	34.482	27.23	3.75	53.3	2.24	41.9	0.03	0.09		600	6.12	34.488	27.15	1.481								
791	4.94	34.485	27.30	3.65	51.3	2.36	51.7	0.03	0.11		700	5.41	34.482	27.24	1.578								
989	4.26	34.524	27.40	3.44	47.5	2.42	69.4	0.03	0.10		800	4.90	34.486	27.30	1.667								
1188	3.64	34.559	27.49	3.20	43.5	2.57	85.2	0.03	0.07		1000	4.22	34.526	27.41	1.832								
											1200	3.60	34.561	27.50	1.978								

Table 10.

Station 8 15°00.9'S, 155°00.4'E Depth: 3430m Date: Sep. 20, 1979 Time: 10:04-11:19 Weather: Fine															
Air Temp.: 25.2°C Wind Dir.: E Wind Speed: 9.0 m/s Sea: 4 Swell: 3															
Observed						Interpolated									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	26.0	35.223	23.22	4.57	98.5	0.22	11.1	0.00	0.12	0.130	0	26.0	35.223	23.22	0.000
10	26.13	35.201	23.17	4.63	100.0	0.22	6.0	0.03	0.24	0.106	10	26.13	35.201	23.17	0.047
30	26.09	35.223	23.19	4.61	99.5	0.21	3.8	0.03	0.18	0.172	30	26.09	35.223	23.19	0.141
50	26.10	35.214	23.18	4.60	99.3	0.20	5.4	0.00	0.18	0.207	50	26.1	35.214	23.18	0.235
75	25.12	35.243	23.51	4.79	101.7	0.11	4.1	0.02	0.22	0.341	75	25.12	35.243	23.51	0.349
100	24.93	35.261	23.58	4.67	98.9	0.12	7.0	0.03	0.18	0.294	100	24.93	35.261	23.58	0.459
125	23.89	35.585	24.14	4.51	93.9	0.13	8.6	0.25	0.18	0.260	125	23.89	35.585	24.14	0.562
150	23.30	35.749	24.43	3.84	79.2	0.41	6.0	0.07	0.51	0.088	150	23.30	35.749	24.43	0.654
176	22.10	35.771	24.79	3.56	71.9	0.58	6.7	0.04	0.18	0.056	175	22.15	35.772	24.78	0.739
201	21.23	35.755	25.02	3.43	68.2	0.63	4.2	0.04	0.16	0.021	200	21.26	35.756	25.02	0.818
302	16.76	35.348	25.86	3.20	58.4	1.09	10.2	0.04	0.13	0.024	250	19.17	35.594	25.45	0.959
403	12.13	34.898	26.50	3.31	54.8	1.52	14.0	0.02	0.18		300	16.86	35.359	25.84	1.081
505	9.36	34.661	26.81	3.69	57.5	1.73	18.1	0.02	0.02		400	12.26	34.910	26.49	1.277
606	7.37	34.520	27.01	3.89	57.9	1.89	23.8	0.03	0.18		500	9.46	34.669	26.80	1.427
708	5.94	34.449	27.15	3.93	56.5	2.11	31.2	0.00	0.02		600	7.47	34.526	27.00	1.553
809	5.17	34.451	27.24	3.83	54.1	2.25	42.9	0.02	0.07		700	6.03	34.452	27.14	1.663
1011	4.11	34.496	27.40	3.66	50.4	2.32	64.6	0.03	0.02		800	5.22	34.449	27.23	1.761
1212	3.52	34.544	27.49	3.45	46.8	2.45	84.0	0.02	0.00		1000	4.15	34.493	27.39	1.934
											1200	3.54	34.541	27.49	2.082

Table 11.

Station 9 20°02.0'S, 154°59.7'E Depth: 3170m Date: Sep. 22, 1979 Time: 09:24-10:28 Weather: Fine															
Air Temp.: 22.9°C Wind Dir.: SE Wind Speed: 9.0 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1															
Observed						Interpolated									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	23.85	35.412	24.02	4.84	100.6	0.13	10.8	0.01	0.06	0.079	0	23.85	35.412	24.02	0.000
23	23.96	35.410	23.98	4.75	99.0	0.12	4.2	0.02	0.05	0.079	10	23.92	35.409	24.00	0.039
43	23.93	35.422	24.00	4.81	100.2	0.14	3.0	0.03	0.06	0.077	30	23.99	35.404	23.97	0.118
63	23.37	35.604	24.30	4.88	100.7	0.12	3.3	0.00	0.13	0.092	50	23.75	35.684	24.10	0.196
88	23.08	35.640	24.41	4.72	97.0	0.14	7.3	0.00	0.18	0.154	75	23.20	35.634	24.38	0.289
113	22.83	35.683	24.52	4.43	90.6	0.25	8.3	0.13	0.06	0.344	100	22.96	35.662	24.47	0.378
138	22.52	35.702	24.62	4.81	97.9	0.16	3.9	0.21	0.05	0.509	125	22.68	35.694	24.57	0.464
162	22.29	35.712	24.70	4.31	87.4	0.30	3.0	0.07	0.04	0.103	150	22.42	35.707	24.65	0.549
187	21.68	35.730	24.88	4.00	80.2	0.44	4.8	0.01	0.14	0.115	175	22.01	35.725	24.78	0.632
212	20.78	35.680	25.09	3.94	77.7	0.47	2.0	0.00	0.13	0.026	200	21.23	35.708	24.99	0.710
310	17.01	35.436	25.86	4.02	73.7	0.70	4.8	0.00	0.11	0.003	250	19.32	35.595	25.41	0.853
406	13.61	35.115	26.38	4.01	68.6	1.06	6.1	0.00	0.08		300	17.40	35.465	25.79	0.977
502	10.35	34.816	26.77	4.23	67.4	1.37	9.8	0.00	0.05		400	13.82	35.136	26.35	1.183
599	8.94	34.672	26.89	4.35	67.1	1.54	11.1	0.00	0.08		500	10.41	34.821	26.76	1.343
697	7.32	34.528	27.02	4.38	65.1	1.81	17.4	0.02	0.09		600	8.92	34.670	26.89	1.477
796	5.93	34.464	27.16	4.22	60.7	2.07	29.9	0.01	0.19		700	7.27	34.525	27.03	1.599
994	4.41	34.492	27.36	3.84	53.2	2.28	56.1	0.03	0.05		800	5.89	34.464	27.16	1.707
1193	3.74	34.527	27.46	3.63	49.5	2.44	72.4	0.04	0.10		1000	4.38	34.493	27.37	1.890
1205*	3.67	34.528	27.47	-	-	-	-	-	-		1200	3.73	34.528	27.46	2.045
1446*	3.23	34.570	27.54	-	-	-	-	-	-						
1688*	2.82	34.611	27.61	-	-	-	-	-	-						
1931*	2.43	34.648	27.68	-	-	-	-	-	-						

Table 12.

Station 11 31°23.1'S, 154°53.5'E Depth: 4760m Date: Oct. 3, 1979 Time: 09:00-10:20 Weather: Fine											Air Temp.: 17.3°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 8.0 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	19.9	35.769	25.39	5.18	100.6	0.17	3.4	0.16	1.14	0.503	0	19.9	35.769	25.39	0.000
10	19.85	35.779	25.41	5.16	100.1	0.18	2.8	0.20	0.32	0.515	10	19.85	35.779	25.41	0.026
30	19.84	35.785	25.42	5.16	100.1	0.16	1.6	0.19	0.29	0.643	30	19.84	35.785	25.42	0.077
50	19.85	35.796	25.43	5.12	99.3	0.15	3.4	0.16	0.19	0.595	50	19.85	35.796	25.43	0.129
75	19.84	35.776	25.41	5.05	97.9	0.17	0.7	0.20	0.15	0.129	75	19.84	35.776	25.41	0.194
101	19.78	35.769	25.42	5.09	98.6	0.18	4.9	0.36	0.10	0.122	100	19.78	35.769	25.42	0.259
126	19.74	35.777	25.44	5.23	101.2	0.20	1.6	0.50	0.08	0.120	125	19.74	35.777	25.44	0.324
151	19.74	35.765	25.43	5.05	97.8	0.26	1.9	0.48	0.12	0.068	150	19.74	35.766	25.43	0.389
202	19.62	35.762	25.46	5.19	100.2	0.26	1.3	0.37	0.22	0.051	175	19.72	35.766	25.44	0.454
303	18.08	35.552	25.69	4.35	81.5	0.56	3.4	0.04	0.08	0.011	200	19.63	35.762	25.46	0.519
403	15.65	35.358	26.12	4.18	74.6	0.74	3.1	0.04	0.10	0.006	250	19.05	35.678	25.54	0.648
504	13.21	35.158	26.49	4.29	72.8	1.04	6.1	0.01	0.26		300	18.14	35.560	25.68	0.771
605	11.09	34.937	26.73	4.34	70.3	1.18	8.5	0.04	0.18		400	15.73	35.364	26.11	0.994
706	9.25	34.706	26.87	4.38	68.1	1.46	10.6	0.04	0.07		500	13.30	35.166	26.48	1.181
807	8.03	34.590	26.97	4.38	66.2	1.70	13.6	0.03	0.12		600	11.19	34.948	26.72	1.339
1010	6.20	34.480	27.14	4.19	60.6	1.96	27.7	0.04	0.11		700	9.35	34.718	26.86	1.480
1213	4.86	34.478	27.30	(2.43)	34.1	2.20	49.3	0.04	0.10		800	8.10	34.596	26.96	1.609
											1000	6.27	34.482	27.13	1.841
											1200	4.93	34.475	27.29	2.041

Table 13.

Station 12 31°59.7'S, 160°37.7'E Depth: 1400m Date: Oct. 5, 1979 Time: 06:03-07:15 Weather: Cloudy											Air Temp.: 15.0°C Wind Dir.: ESE Wind Speed: 7.5 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1				
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	18.83	35.755	25.66	5.28	100.5	0.19	19.7	0.16	0.38	0.341	0	18.83	35.755	25.66	0.000
10	18.89	35.787	25.67	5.24	99.8	0.20	3.3	0.17	0.40	0.553	10	18.89	35.787	25.67	0.023
30	18.92	35.754	25.64	5.20	99.1	0.19	7.2	0.18	0.43	0.376	30	18.92	35.754	25.64	0.070
51	18.92	35.769	25.65	5.24	99.9	0.19	8.4	0.17	0.31	0.270	50	18.92	35.768	25.65	0.118
76	18.92	35.750	25.63	5.22	99.5	0.19	10.6	0.18	0.28	0.317	75	18.92	35.751	25.63	0.177
101	18.90	35.747	25.63	5.13	97.8	0.22	11.2	0.21	0.24	0.351	100	18.90	35.747	25.63	0.237
127	18.83	35.741	25.65	5.16	98.2	0.21	5.4	0.31	0.30	0.364	125	18.84	35.742	25.65	0.297
152	18.65	35.736	25.69	5.17	98.0	0.28	10.6	0.48	0.18	0.052	150	18.66	35.736	25.69	0.357
177	18.60	35.736	25.70	5.12	97.0	0.28	10.3	0.55	0.26	0.043	175	18.61	35.737	25.70	0.416
203	18.15	35.661	25.76	4.87	91.4	0.35	7.5	0.07	0.34	0.020	200	18.21	35.672	25.75	0.474
304	15.59	35.370	26.14	4.26	76.0	0.73	21.5	0.01	0.24	0.001	250	17.06	35.524	25.92	0.587
405	12.67	35.107	26.56	4.37	73.3	1.02	10.6	0.01	0.20		300	15.71	35.381	26.13	0.691
506	11.05	34.932	26.73	4.40	71.2	1.19	9.0	0.01	0.22		400	12.80	35.119	26.54	0.870
607	9.30	34.735	26.88	4.41	68.6	1.42	14.8	0.00	0.11		500	11.13	34.941	26.73	1.023
708	8.01	34.611	26.99	4.41	66.6	1.65	13.9	0.01	0.40		600	9.42	34.748	26.87	0.160
809	7.13	34.530	27.05	4.44	65.7	1.82	18.8	0.00	0.15		700	8.10	34.619	26.98	1.286
1010	5.44	34.477	27.23	4.15	59.0	2.07	36.1	0.00	0.08		800	7.20	34.536	27.05	1.404
1211	4.32	34.508	27.38	3.86	53.4	2.32	62.5	0	0.23		1000	5.52	34.477	27.22	1.617
											1200	4.37	34.504	27.38	1.797

Table 14.

Station 13 29°45.3'S, 164°56.5'E Depth: 3400m Date: Oct. 7, 1979 Time: 08:12-09:17 Weather: Fine										
Air Temp.: 19.6°C Wind Dir.: NNW Wind Speed: 13.5 m/s Sea: 5 Swell: 3										
Observed										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)
0	18.5	35.732	25.72	5.21	98.5	0.27	8.9	0.02	0.19	0.451
10	18.33	35.731	25.77	5.22	98.4	0.23	4.6	0.03	0.34	0.533
30	18.31	35.736	25.78	5.22	98.4	0.22	1.9	0.04	0.22	0.453
50	17.86	35.676	25.84	5.19	96.9	0.29	6.8	0.08	0.18	0.352
75	17.76	35.696	25.88	5.42	101.0	0.23	5.6	0.07	0.74	0.373
100	17.63	35.692	25.91	5.32	98.9	0.23	8.9	0.08	0.40	0.313
125	17.60	35.683	25.91	5.41	100.5	0.25	2.2	0.08	0.31	0.206
149	17.55	35.665	25.91	5.41	100.4	0.29	4.9	0.15	0.41	0.095
174	17.19	35.605	25.95	5.10	94.0	0.38	5.9	0.12	0.29	0.098
199	16.81	35.560	26.01	4.91	89.8	0.42	0.3	0.02	0.18	0.056
299	14.77	35.325	26.29	4.48	78.6	0.75	8.3	0.01	0.19	0.009
399	12.82	35.151	26.56	4.53	76.2	0.92	7.1	0.01	0	
498	11.14	34.951	26.73	4.50	73.0	1.18	5.9	0.00	0.26	
598	9.46	34.748	26.87	4.45	69.5	1.99	8.9	0.00	0.09	
697	8.44	34.655	26.96	4.34	66.2	1.58	13.6	0	0.18	
797	7.27	34.549	27.05	4.28	63.5	1.81	11.1	0	1.13	
996	5.59	34.483	27.22	4.13	58.9	2.11	38.2	0	0	
1195	4.47	34.516	27.37	3.91	54.3	2.26	55.8	0	0.19	

Interpolated										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD						
0	18.5	35.732	25.72	0.000						
10	18.33	35.731	25.77	0.026						
30	18.31	35.736	25.78	0.067						
50	17.86	35.676	25.84	0.112						
75	17.76	35.696	25.88	0.166						
100	17.63	35.692	25.91	0.219						
125	17.60	35.683	25.91	0.273						
150	17.54	35.663	25.91	0.327						
175	17.18	35.603	25.95	0.380						
200	16.79	35.558	26.01	0.432						
250	15.82	35.442	26.15	0.533						
300	14.75	35.323	26.29	0.627						
400	12.80	35.149	26.57	0.798						
500	11.10	34.945	26.73	0.949						
600	9.44	34.746	26.87	1.086						
700	8.40	34.652	26.96	1.213						
800	7.24	34.547	27.05	1.332						
1000	5.56	34.483	27.22	1.545						
1200	4.45	34.518	27.38	1.726						

Table 15.

Station 14 24°57.2'S, 165°08.7'E Depth: 3640m Date: Oct. 9, 1979 Time: 14:42-15:50 Weather: Clear										
Air Temp.: 22.2°C Wind Dir.: SW Wind Speed: 2.5 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1										
Observed										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)
0	20.7	35.818	25.22	5.07	99.9	0.09	4.3	0	0.12	0.179
10	20.69	35.811	25.21	5.14	101.3	0.11	2.1	0.09	0.28	0.211
30	20.50	35.807	25.26	5.13	100.7	0.10	1.8	0.01	0.20	0.324
50	19.92	35.786	25.40	5.12	99.5	0.13	2.7	0.08	0.13	0.266
75	19.75	35.765	25.43	4.95	95.8	0.19	4.0	0.14	0.41	0.176
100	19.40	35.729	25.49	4.79	92.1	0.24	2.7	0.08	0.36	0.086
125	19.00	35.717	25.59	4.89	93.3	0.22	2.4	0.16	0.32	0.062
150	18.69	35.646	25.61	4.60	87.3	0.37	1.8	0.04	0.12	0.033
175	18.52	35.677	25.68	4.83	91.3	0.30	2.7	0.08	0.23	0.047
200	18.46	35.721	25.73	5.07	95.8	0.25	0.3	0.29	0.14	0.038
299	15.67	35.377	26.13	4.28	76.5	0.71	2.7	0	0.10	0.003
397	13.22	35.137	26.47	4.29	72.8	0.95	5.5	0	0.17	
494	10.47	34.812	26.74	4.32	69.0	1.31	9.8	0	0.03	
591	8.40	34.604	26.92	4.41	67.2	1.59	12.5	0	0.09	
689	7.10	34.496	27.03	4.45	65.8	1.78	17.7	0	0	
788	6.21	34.460	27.12	4.35	63.0	1.98	25.4	0	0.14	
985	4.77	34.470	27.30	3.99	55.8	2.22	48.6	0	0.03	
1184	3.93	34.516	27.43	3.74	51.2	2.38	69.1	0	0.03	

Interpolated										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD						
0	20.7	35.818	25.22	0.000						
10	20.69	35.811	25.21	0.028						
30	20.50	35.807	25.26	0.083						
50	19.92	35.786	25.40	0.136						
75	19.75	35.765	25.43	0.201						
100	19.40	35.729	25.49	0.265						
125	19.00	35.717	25.59	0.327						
150	18.69	35.646	25.61	0.388						
175	18.52	35.677	25.68	0.448						
200	18.46	35.721	25.73	0.508						
250	17.29	35.592	25.92	0.621						
300	15.64	35.374	26.13	0.724						
400	13.13	35.127	26.48	0.907						
500	10.32	34.796	26.76	1.060						
600	8.26	34.590	26.93	1.192						
700	6.99	34.490	27.04	1.311						
800	6.11	34.458	27.13	1.420						
1000	4.69	34.472	27.31	1.612						
1200	3.89	34.521	27.44	1.775						

Table 16.

Station 15 14°55.6'S, 163°54.6'E Depth: 3710m Date: Oct. 20, 1979 Time: 06:45-08:62 Weather: Cloudy										
Air Temp.: 25.6°C Wind Dir.: SSW Wind Speed: 9.5 m/s Sea: 4 Swell: 1										
observed										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)
0	26.6	35.103	22.94	4.64	100.9	0.17	24.5	0.02	0.10	0.071
10	26.74	35.103	22.90	4.59	100.1	0.19	18.0	0.01	0.10	0.078
30	26.04	35.189	23.18	4.64	100.0	0.17	12.1	0.00	0.37	0.091
50	25.91	35.168	23.21	4.66	100.2	0.15	12.8	0.02	0.12	0.111
75	25.70	35.172	23.28	4.67	100.1	0.12	10.0	0.00	0.12	0.103
100	24.86	35.361	23.68	4.45	94.1	0.17	17.1	0.10	0.18	0.235
125	24.01	35.579	24.10	3.95	82.4	0.26	7.7	0.08	0.07	0.350
150	23.53	35.768	24.38	3.81	78.9	0.44	16.8	0.05	0.03	0.202
175	22.77	35.799	24.62	3.82	78.1	0.52	22.3	0.06	0.03	0.086
200	21.18	35.725	25.01	3.55	70.5	0.48	7.2	0.04	0.10	0.057
301	17.50	35.443	25.75	3.70	68.5	0.68	21.2	0.01	0.09	0.009
401	12.65	34.932	26.43	3.54	59.3	1.28	22.8	0.02	0.09	
501	9.56	34.665	26.78	3.68	57.6	1.69	24.0	0.03	0.07	
602	7.46	34.522	27.00	3.86	57.5	1.85	32.4	0.02	0.07	
703	6.17	34.466	27.13	3.76	54.4	2.06	37.6	0.01	0.11	
804	5.16	34.454	27.25	3.76	53.1	2.23	51.7	0.03	0.14	
1005	4.05	34.500	27.41	3.59	49.3	2.37	70.3	0.02	0.09	
1207	3.40	34.552	27.51	3.44	46.5	2.46	85.6	0.01	0.07	

Interpolated					
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD	
0	26.6	35.103	22.94	0.000	
10	26.74	35.103	22.90	0.050	
30	26.04	35.189	23.18	0.146	
50	25.91	35.168	23.21	0.240	
75	25.70	35.172	23.28	0.357	
100	24.86	35.361	23.68	0.468	
125	24.01	35.579	24.10	0.570	
150	23.53	35.768	24.38	0.664	
175	22.77	35.799	24.62	0.751	
200	21.18	35.725	25.01	0.832	
250	19.16	35.598	25.46	0.973	
300	17.53	35.446	25.75	1.097	
400	12.70	34.937	26.42	1.301	
500	9.58	34.667	26.78	1.455	
600	7.49	34.524	27.00	1.583	
700	6.20	34.467	27.13	1.693	
800	5.19	34.454	27.24	1.792	
1000	4.07	34.498	27.40	1.962	
1200	3.41	34.550	27.51	2.108	

Table 17.

Station 16 9°59.9'S, 163°59.9'E Depth: 3800m Date: Oct. 21, 1979 Time: 15:46-17:16 Weather: Overcast										
Air Temp.: 27.9°C Wind Dir.: W Wind Speed: 3.0 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1										
Observed										
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)
0	29.3	34.857	21.88	4.43	100.6	0.24	9.0	0.00	0.13	0.067
10	28.72	34.846	22.06	4.53	101.9	0.24	5.6	0.08	0.24	0.064
30	28.61	34.844	22.10	4.46	100.1	0.22	3.2	0.01	0.12	0.063
50	28.36	34.862	22.19	4.50	100.6	0.23	4.2	0	0.20	0.119
75	27.92	34.944	22.40	4.49	99.7	0.26	2.9	0.01	0.16	0.406
100	26.52	35.484	23.26	3.38	73.6	0.63	6.3	0.32	0.33	0.328
125	25.29	35.620	23.74	3.05	65.1	0.70	3.9	0.07	0.05	0.190
150	24.33	35.751	24.13	3.25	68.3	0.80	5.3	0.04	0.12	0.112
175	22.69	35.769	24.62	3.03	61.9	0.84	2.2	0.02	0.01	0.017
200	19.87	35.639	25.30	2.95	57.2	0.97	3.2	0.02	0.07	0.012
300	14.38	35.112	26.21	2.45	42.6	1.60	12.7	0.01	0.08	0.015
400	9.59	34.708	26.81	3.00	47.0	1.88	22.9	0.01	0.09	
501	7.19	34.541	27.05	3.46	51.3	2.09	28.6	0.01	0.07	
601	6.29	34.505	27.15	3.55	51.5	2.12	35.7	0.00	0.04	
701	5.59	34.499	27.23	3.38	48.2	2.28	44.5	0.01	0.15	
802	4.91	34.515	27.32	3.18	44.6	2.48	59.4	0.00	0.13	
1003	4.22	34.532	27.41	3.11	42.9	2.50	71.9	0.00	0	
1206	3.57	34.554	27.50	3.15	42.8	2.52	87.5	0	0	

Interpolated					
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD	
0	29.3	34.857	21.88	0.000	
10	28.72	34.846	22.06	0.059	
20	28.61	34.844	22.10	0.174	
50	28.36	34.862	22.19	0.288	
75	27.92	34.944	22.40	0.427	
100	26.52	35.484	23.26	0.554	
125	25.29	35.620	23.74	0.665	
150	24.33	35.751	24.13	0.766	
175	22.69	35.769	24.62	0.857	
200	19.87	35.639	25.30	0.933	
250	16.50	35.368	25.93	1.056	
300	14.38	35.112	26.21	1.158	
400	9.59	34.708	26.81	1.319	
500	7.20	34.542	27.05	1.440	
600	6.29	34.505	27.15	1.546	
700	5.60	34.499	27.23	1.643	
800	4.92	34.515	27.32	1.733	
1000	4.23	34.532	27.41	1.895	
1200	3.59	34.553	27.49	2.042	

Table 18.

Station 17 4°59.0'S, 164°00.5'E Depth: 1600m Date: Oct. 23, 1979 Time: 06:43-07:53 Weather: Overcast															
Air Temp.: 27.6°C Wind Dir.: E Wind Speed: 1.8 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1															
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.7	34.985	21.84	4.38	100.1	0.20	6.9	0.01	0.33	0.109	0	29.7	34.985	21.84	0.000
10	29.68	34.989	21.85	4.35	99.4	0.23	6.2	0.02	0.42	0.104	10	29.68	34.989	21.85	0.060
30	29.70	35.046	21.88	4.35	99.5	0.20	18.6	0.02	0.48	0.125	30	29.70	35.046	21.88	0.179
50	29.92	35.260	21.97	4.39	100.9	0.24	14.3	0.02	0.54	0.135	50	29.92	35.260	21.97	0.298
75	29.36	35.411	22.27	4.29	97.8	0.34	16.9	0.42	0.45	0.295	75	29.36	35.411	22.27	0.441
100	28.30	35.613	22.78	3.86	86.6	0.56	13.9	2.00	0.23	0.222	100	28.30	35.613	22.78	0.575
125	26.78	35.722	23.35	3.51	76.9	0.71	10.6	0.35	0.33	0.166	125	26.78	35.722	23.35	0.697
150	25.15	35.887	23.99	3.20	68.2	0.79	9.5	0.08	0.10	0.087	150	25.15	35.887	23.99	0.804
175	22.26	35.815	24.78	3.13	63.4	0.89	16.9	0.07	0.23	0.062	175	22.26	35.815	24.78	0.894
200	19.50	35.592	25.36	2.82	54.3	1.05	10.1	0.03	0.12	0.026	200	19.50	35.592	25.36	0.969
300	9.84	34.734	26.79	2.45	38.6	2.05	30.3	0.02	0.00	0.009	250	14.00	35.110	26.29	1.081
400	8.71	34.663	26.92	2.51	38.5	2.12	32.9	0.01	0.07		300	9.84	34.734	26.79	1.160
501	8.13	34.632	26.99	1.98	30.0	2.41	41.1	0.01	0.10		400	8.71	34.663	26.92	1.287
601	7.05	34.579	27.10	2.28	33.7	2.41	45.5	0.02	0.13		500	8.14	34.632	26.99	1.406
701	6.32	34.550	27.18	2.42	35.1	2.47	51.2	0.02	0.22		600	7.06	34.580	27.10	1.518
802	5.56	34.532	27.26	2.64	37.6	2.55	56.5	0.03	0.23		700	6.33	34.550	27.18	1.621
1004	4.47	34.549	27.40	2.42	33.6	2.65	79.1	0.02	0.00		800	5.57	34.532	27.26	1.717
1208	3.65	34.573	27.50	2.62	35.7	2.67	78.2	0.01	0.03		1000	4.49	34.548	27.40	1.888
1250*	3.53	34.574	27.52	2.64	35.8	2.76	98.2				1200	3.68	34.572	27.50	2.037
1500*	2.87	34.598	27.60	2.80	37.4	2.80	114.8				1500	2.87	34.598	27.60	2.230

Table 19.

Station 18 0°00.7'S, 163°59.7'E Depth: 4450m Date: Oct. 24, 1979 Time: 17:01-17:58 Weather: Fine															
Air Temp.: 29.2°C Wind Dir.: NW Wind Speed: 6.0 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 1															
Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.9	34.287	21.25	4.47	102.1	0.14	5.0	0	0.02	0.060	0	29.9	34.287	21.25	0.000
10	29.95	34.299	21.19	4.40	100.6	0.13	4.1	0.01	0.05	0.052	10	29.95	34.229	21.19	0.066
30	29.86	34.307	21.28	4.42	100.9	0.14	2.1	0	0.05	0.071	30	29.86	34.307	21.28	0.197
50	29.92	34.487	21.39	4.44	101.6	0.14	4.4	0	0.03	0.111	50	29.92	34.487	21.39	0.327
75	30.05	35.119	21.82	4.44	102.2	0.23	3.4	0.01	0.44	0.157	75	30.05	35.119	21.82	0.483
100	27.87	35.303	22.69	3.87	86.1	0.49	4.4	0.30	0.39	0.446	100	27.87	35.303	22.69	0.624
125	25.59	35.260	23.38	3.18	68.1	0.68	4.4	0.03	0.00	0.143	125	25.59	35.260	23.38	0.746
150	22.76	35.617	24.49	3.26	66.6	0.81	3.7	0.03	0.06	0.086	150	22.76	35.617	24.49	0.847
175	21.44	35.531	24.80	3.27	65.2	0.76	3.7	0.02	0.09	0.143	175	21.44	35.531	24.80	0.931
200	18.28	35.379	25.51	3.32	62.4	0.88	5.4	0	0.11	0.016	200	18.28	35.379	25.51	1.003
300	12.79	34.934	26.40	3.18	53.4	1.44	16.3	0.02	0.09	0.013	250	14.69	35.128	26.16	1.115
400	9.46	34.684	26.82	2.07	32.3	2.17	30.9	0	0.42		300	12.79	34.934	26.40	1.207
500	8.02	34.608	26.98	2.41	36.4	2.28	34.9	0	0.23		400	9.46	34.684	26.82	1.358
601	6.89	34.578	27.12	1.62	23.8	2.66	49.8	0	0.08		500	8.02	34.608	26.98	1.483
701	6.01	34.544	27.21	2.06	29.7	2.66	57.5	0.01	1.27		600	6.90	34.578	27.12	1.594
802	5.25	34.544	27.31	1.97	27.9	2.82	72.1	0.03	0.02		700	6.02	34.544	27.21	1.694
1004	4.46	34.556	27.41	2.17	30.1	2.77	88.0	0.03	0.26		800	5.26	34.544	27.30	1.785
1208	3.92	34.573	27.48	2.09	28.6	2.84	101.3	0.01	0.03		1000	4.47	34.556	27.40	1.951
											1200	3.94	34.572	27.47	2.101

Table 20.

Station 19 5°03.4'N, 163°55.3'E Depth: 4655m Date: Oct. 27, 1979 Time: 06:08-07:21 Weather: Fine
 Air Temp.: 28.9°C Wind Dir.: E Wind Speed: 5.0 m/s Sea: 2 Swell: 1

Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.7	33.821	20.97	4.46	101.3	0.05	9.7	0.00	0.49	0.059	0	29.7	33.821	20.97	0.000
10	29.76	33.822	20.95	4.42	100.5	0.03	2.7	0.01	0.08	0.054	10	29.76	33.822	20.95	0.068
30	29.65	33.807	20.97	4.41	100.1	0.03	3.3	0.00	0.13	0.049	30	29.65	33.807	20.97	0.205
50	29.49	33.875	21.08	4.44	100.6	0.04	4.7	0.01	0.53	0.061	50	29.49	33.875	21.08	0.341
75	28.65	34.337	21.70	4.47	100.1	0.08	6.7	0.02	0.19	0.112	75	28.65	34.337	21.70	0.502
100	26.44	34.326	22.41	3.96	85.5	0.14	7.7	0.11	0.28	0.293	100	26.44	34.326	22.41	0.647
125	23.73	34.868	23.64	3.48	72.0	0.47	5.4	0.04	0.23	0.181	125	23.73	34.868	23.64	0.769
150	21.13	34.960	24.45	3.44	68.0	0.61	8.7	0.04	0.05	0.058	150	21.13	34.960	24.45	0.867
175	15.49	34.680	25.64	2.96	52.5	1.16	19.3	0.02	0.05	0.021	175	15.49	34.680	25.64	0.942
200	13.13	34.606	26.08	2.52	42.5	1.49	23.9	0.02	0.10	0.014	200	13.13	34.606	26.08	0.997
300	8.88	34.610	26.85	1.57	24.2	2.38	40.9	0.01	0.12	0.006	250	10.27	34.578	26.60	1.084
400	8.02	34.610	26.99	2.29	34.6	2.25	41.9	0.02	0.01		300	8.88	34.610	26.85	1.154
501	7.52	34.590	27.04	2.23	33.3	2.38	44.2	0.02	0.12		400	8.02	34.610	26.99	1.274
601	6.89	34.576	27.12	1.87	27.5	2.52	51.1	0.02	0.14		500	7.52	34.590	27.04	1.387
702	6.16	34.562	27.21	1.43	20.7	2.72	65.8	0.02	0.04		600	6.90	34.576	27.12	1.495
802	5.57	34.556	27.28	1.85	26.4	2.76	73.1	0.02	0.06		700	6.17	34.562	27.21	1.596
1004	4.67	34.566	27.39	2.08	29.0	2.68	88.4	0.02	0.00		800	5.59	34.556	27.28	1.689
1207	3.91	34.585	27.49	1.96	26.9	2.77	108.3	0.02	0.04		1000	4.69	34.566	27.39	1.860
											1200	3.93	34.584	27.48	2.012

Table 21.

Station 20 9°59.7'N, 163°58.5'E Depth: 5000m Date: Oct. 28, 1979 Time: 17:57-19:12 Weather: Cloudy
 Air Temp.: 27.7°C Wind Dir.: ESE Wind Speed: 5.5 m/s Sea: 3 Swell: 3

Observed											Interpolated				
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl.a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	29.15	34.474	21.64	4.31	97.4	0.22	12.4	0.00	0.17	0.038	0	29.15	34.474	21.64	0.000
10	29.26	34.476	21.61	4.37	98.9	0.09	7.9	0.00	0.15	0.037	10	29.26	34.476	21.61	0.062
30	29.21	34.480	21.62	4.32	97.7	0.14	3.7	0.02	0.15	0.034	30	29.21	34.480	21.62	0.186
50	28.85	34.664	21.88	4.41	99.3	0.18	6.3	0.00	0.23	0.043	50	28.85	34.664	21.88	0.308
75	28.10	34.780	22.22	4.56	101.5	0.19	4.3	0.00	0.18	0.071	75	28.10	34.780	22.22	0.453
100	23.73	34.800	23.59	4.53	93.7	0.16	7.6	0.02	0.15	0.113	100	23.73	34.800	23.59	0.578
126	18.81	34.750	24.90	3.85	72.8	0.51	8.5	0.12	0.19	0.234	125	19.00	34.754	24.85	0.672
151	14.75	34.570	25.71	2.72	47.5	1.26	19.3	0.04	0.13	0.192	150	14.89	34.577	25.69	0.740
176	12.48	34.509	26.13	2.11	35.1	1.80	24.5	0.00	0.19	0.084	175	12.54	34.509	26.12	0.794
201	11.61	34.541	26.33	1.54	25.2	2.05	27.7	0.00	0.17	0.024	200	11.63	34.539	26.32	0.840
301	9.36	34.652	26.81	0.78	12.1	2.74	40.8	0.00	0.10	0.007	250	10.30	34.607	26.61	0.922
402	8.42	34.608	26.92	1.05	16.0	2.60	48.6	0.02	0.12		300	9.37	34.651	26.80	0.992
502	7.61	34.580	27.02	1.29	19.3	2.65	53.1	0.00	0.13		400	8.43	34.610	26.92	1.118
603	6.83	34.558	27.12	1.31	19.2	2.88	61.6	0.01	1.29		500	7.63	34.580	27.02	1.235
703	6.07	34.548	27.21	1.29	18.6	2.79	72.3	0.00	0.06		600	6.85	34.558	27.11	1.344
804	5.53	34.546	27.27	1.44	20.5	2.88	82.1	0.00	0.06		700	6.09	34.548	27.21	1.445
1005	4.65	34.561	27.39	1.58	22.0	2.90	94.8	0.00	0.00		800	5.55	34.546	27.27	1.539
1206	3.85	34.580	27.49	1.86	25.4	2.86	111.0	0.00	0.01		1000	4.67	34.560	27.39	1.710
1249*	3.64*	34.580*	27.51	1.93*	26.3	2.97*	121.4*	-	-		1200	3.87	34.579	27.49	1.862
1499*	3.03*	34.600*	27.59	1.94*	26.0	2.93*	132.4*	-	-						
1998*	2.21*	34.642*	27.69	2.33*	30.6	2.84*	149.0*	-	-						
2496*	1.82*	34.665*	27.74	2.75*	35.8	2.75*	153.0*	-	-						
2995*	1.63*	34.680*	27.77	3.07*	39.7	2.64*	154.3*	-	-						
3497*	1.50*	34.687*	27.78	3.38*	43.6	2.57*	147.7*	-	-						
3997*	1.46*	34.699*	27.79	3.70*	47.7	2.47*	145.7*	-	-						

Table 22

Station 21 15°00.3'N, 164°00.8'E Depth: 5140m Date: Oct. 30, 1979 Time: 07:55-09:10 Weather: Cloudy															
Air Temp.: 28.3°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 11.5 m/s Sea: 4 Swell: 3															
Observed						Interpolated									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl. a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	28.9	34.658	21.86	4.40	99.1	0.16	13.6	0.00	0.20	0.032	0	28.9	34.658	21.86	0.000
10	28.81	34.665	21.90	4.42	99.5	0.15	11.6	0.00	0.21	0.035	10	28.81	34.665	21.90	0.059
30	28.80	34.642	21.88	4.42	99.4	0.15	8.3	0.00	0.13	0.037	30	28.80	34.642	21.88	0.178
50	28.83	34.656	21.88	4.37	98.4	0.14	11.6	0.00	0.25	0.038	50	28.83	34.656	21.88	0.298
75	27.47	34.958	22.56	4.72	104.1	0.07	11.0	0.00	0.24	0.066	75	27.47	34.958	22.56	0.439
100	26.01	35.137	23.15	4.74	102.1	0.06	10.0	0.01	0.49	0.095	100	26.01	35.137	23.15	0.565
125	25.02	35.264	23.56	4.69	99.4	0.07	9.3	0.00	0.19	0.165	125	25.02	35.264	23.56	0.679
150	23.92	35.345	23.95	4.56	94.9	0.12	7.4	0.09	0.09	0.209	150	23.92	35.345	23.95	0.785
175	22.17	35.235	24.37	4.15	83.7	0.30	4.7	0.03	0.09	0.122	175	22.17	35.235	24.37	0.880
200	19.71	35.051	24.90	4.03	77.6	0.36	4.4	0.01	0.10	0.062	200	19.71	35.051	24.90	0.965
300	11.99	34.367	26.12	3.22	53.0	1.43	25.7	0.00	0.14	0.009	250	15.39	34.668	25.65	1.104
400	8.27	34.248	26.66	2.11	32.0	2.27	48.0	0.01	0.13		300	11.99	34.367	26.12	1.214
500	6.90	34.350	26.94	1.28	18.8	2.75	67.0	0.01	0.05		400	8.27	34.248	26.66	1.385
600	6.21	34.449	27.11	1.23	17.8	2.78	70.7	0.01	0.00		500	6.90	34.350	26.94	1.518
700	5.61	34.492	27.22	1.35	19.3	2.84	81.2	0.00	0.09		600	6.21	34.449	27.11	1.630
800	5.16	34.518	27.30	1.42	20.1	2.87	86.7	0.00	0.10		700	5.61	34.492	27.22	1.729
1000	4.17	34.543	27.43	1.63	22.5	2.96	103.8	0.01	0.01		800	5.16	34.518	27.30	1.821
1200	3.47	34.574	27.52	1.78	24.1	2.92	116.2	0.01	0.04		1000	4.17	34.543	27.43	1.984
											1200	3.47	34.574	27.52	2.126

Table 23.

Station 22 20°02.7'N, 158°36.0'E Depth: 5500m Date: Nov. 1, 1979 Time: 07:44-09:02 Weather: Fine															
Air Temp.: 27.8°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 11.5 m/s Sea: 4 Swell: 3															
Observed						Interpolated									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)	Chl. a (mg/m ³)	D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	ΔD
0	27.9	35.220	22.61	4.44	98.7	0.06	6.0	0.01	0.06	0.057	0	27.9	35.220	22.61	0.000
10	27.93	35.214	22.60	4.42	98.3	0.01	2.5	0.00	0.06	0.062	10	27.93	35.214	22.60	0.053
30	27.92	35.222	22.61	4.47	99.4	0.04	2.5	0.00	0.03	0.062	30	27.92	35.222	22.61	0.158
49	27.95	35.226	22.60	4.49	99.9	0.03	2.5	0.00	0.14	0.054	50	27.90	35.228	22.62	0.263
74	26.14	35.289	23.23	4.96	107.2	0.00	0.8	0.00	0.05	0.106	75	26.04	35.290	23.26	0.387
98	23.84	35.296	23.93	4.62	96.0	0.05	1.8	0.01	0.02	0.207	100	23.71	35.296	23.97	0.495
123	22.47	35.265	24.31	4.48	90.9	0.10	1.1	0.09	0.04	0.188	125	22.37	35.259	24.33	0.590
148	21.06	35.161	24.62	4.44	87.7	0.14	2.5	0.04	0.16	0.127	150	20.91	35.150	24.65	0.678
172	19.29	35.028	24.99	4.14	79.1	0.33	2.2	0.02	0.01	0.042	175	19.10	35.011	25.02	0.757
197	17.89	34.891	25.23	4.18	77.7	0.43	3.6	0.02	0.06	0.006	200	17.76	34.878	25.26	0.830
295	14.53	34.562	25.76	4.53	78.7	0.67	10.2	0.01	0.04	0.002	250	15.86	34.688	25.56	0.962
392	11.20	34.312	26.22	4.24	68.6	1.18	17.9	0.01	0.01		300	14.35	34.547	25.78	1.083
489	8.18	34.143	26.60	3.21	48.5	1.95	41.3	0.03	0.00		400	10.93	34.293	26.26	1.291
585	6.22	34.140	26.87	2.04	29.5	2.48	67.8	0.01	0.04		500	7.91	34.135	26.63	1.459
682	5.20	34.265	27.09	1.23	17.4	2.90	90.2	0.01	0.01		600	6.01	34.155	26.91	1.596
778	4.74	34.380	27.24	1.18	16.5	3.05	97.8	0.02	0.14		700	5.09	34.288	27.12	1.709
973	3.97	34.500	27.41	1.50	20.6	2.90	112.9	0.01	0.03		800	4.64	34.399	27.26	1.805
1169	3.31	34.543	27.51	1.74	23.5	2.90	126.5	0.01	0.00		1000	3.87	34.510	27.43	1.970
											1200	3.22	34.543	27.52	2.110

Table 24.

Station D									
24°00.0'N, 154°17.6'E Depth: 5150m Date: Nov. 3, 1979 Time: 04:50-06:30									
Weather: Fine Air Temp.: 26.6°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 6.0 m/s Sea: 3									
Swell: 1									
Observed									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)
0	27.8	35.092	22.55	4.54	100.7	-	-	-	-
10	27.94	35.088	22.50	4.41	98.1	-	-	-	-
50	27.90	35.110	22.53	4.46	99.1	-	-	-	-
100	22.25	34.997	24.17	4.99	100.6	-	-	-	-
200	18.23	34.854	25.12	4.48	83.8	-	-	-	-
400	13.33	34.486	25.95	4.46	75.6	0.84	15.0	0.01	0.15
800	5.34	34.159	26.99	1.79	25.3	2.72	86.4	0.00	0.49
1200	3.19	34.460	27.46	1.14	15.3	3.01	136.0	0.04	0.00
1600	2.32	34.573	27.63	1.72	22.6	2.98	152.0	0.02	0.20
2000	1.91	34.631	27.71	2.33	30.4	2.86	157.0	0.00	0.17

Table 25.

Station E									
28°01.6'N, 149°07.5'E Depth: 6000m Date: Nov. 4, 1979 Time: 18:09-19:43									
Weather: Fine Air Temp.: 24.6°C Wind Dir.: ENE Wind Speed: 11.0 m/s Sea: 4									
Swell: 3									
Observed									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)
0	26.3	34.621	22.68	4.67	100.8	-	-	-	-
10	26.50	34.592	22.59	4.66	100.9	-	-	-	-
50	26.51	34.602	22.60	4.68	101.4	-	-	-	-
100	19.51	34.826	24.78	5.26	100.8	-	-	-	-
200	16.74	34.746	25.40	4.77	86.7	-	-	-	-
400	13.43	34.507	25.94	4.36	74.0	0.82	15.0	0.00	0.45
800	5.03	34.076	26.96	2.27	31.9	2.61	84.2	0.00	0.41
1200	3.22	34.401	27.41	0.92	12.4	3.09	135.9	0.00	0.00
1600	2.43	34.536	27.59	1.41	18.6	3.04	154.4	0.00	0.11
2000	1.99	34.610	27.68	2.02	26.4	3.94	160.3	0.00	0.18

Table 26.

Station F									
31°57.8'N, 143°46.0'E Depth: 5830m Date: Nov. 6, 1979 Time: 06:15-07:40									
Weather: Fine Air Temp.: 24.9°C Wind Dir.: SSW Wind Speed: 16.0 m/s Sea: 5									
Swell: 4									
Observed									
D (m)	T (°C)	S (‰)	σ _t	DO (ml/l)	O ₂ sat. (%)	PO ₄ -P (μg at/l)	SiO ₂ -Si (μg at/l)	NO ₂ -N (μg at/l)	NH ₄ -N (μg at/l)
0	24.1	34.510	23.26	4.79	99.5	-	-	-	-
10	24.17	34.512	23.24	4.68	97.4	-	-	-	-
49	24.17	34.510	23.24	4.64	96.5	-	-	-	-
99	20.21	34.837	24.60	4.70	91.3	-	-	-	-
197	17.82	34.793	25.17	4.64	86.1	-	-	-	-
395	16.18	34.718	25.51	4.80	86.3	0.40	11.9	0.02	0.09
787	6.77	34.213	26.85	2.66	38.9	2.25	69.2	0.02	0.12
1176	3.62	34.386	27.36	1.38	18.8	2.93	129.0	0.01	0.03
1561	2.57	34.503	27.55	1.27	16.8	3.07	158.2	0.00	0.00
1943	2.11	34.582	27.65	2.55	20.3	3.01	159.2	0.01	0.04

Table 27. Particulate organic carbon (POC).

Depth (m)	Station																					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
0	115	36	41	46	33	29	49	44	40	70	53	74	28	39	48	55	15	32	18	18	37	
10	72	47	45	66	26	15	51	39	64	88	61	53	52	53	43	38	16	35	14	13	43	
30	91	49	52	43	37	47	47	55	97	83	98	58	41	44	33	38	22	53	22	18	41	
50	88	47	60	36	14	41	57	46	54	62	94	58	27	45	55	61	23	35	31	21	51	
75	90	43	49	45	8.0	30	52	41	52	28	60	46	31	49	59	47	26	31	35	20	32	
100	61	51	55	67	28	58	43	29	49	33	73	53	18	64	34	31	43	48	17	19	35	
125	54	55	57	46	15	48	18	31	45	31	70	69	14	50	46	40	14	34	15	13	81	
150	88	42	38	29	42	29	46	31	38	60	160	32	37	36	51	29	10	30	11	14	42	
175	135	38	58	18	22	13	45	18	26	187	36	34	14	68	14	41	18	37	40	9.1	18	
200	40	21	40	36	57	-	27	26	20	119	46	43	12	34	23	29	2.9	23	39	8.8	19	
300	38	68	45	88	24	44	47	38	52	86	94	43	4.7	43	115	48	2.5	37	38	7.4	81	

Table 28. Particulate organic nitrogen (PON).

Depth (m)	Station																					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
0	15	6.3	6.0	6.2	4.8	3.7	7.0	8.1	6.4	11	9.8	13	6.0	6.3	8.5	8.9	2.8	4.5	2.2	2.1	5.7	
10	9.6	5.9	6.8	11	3.9	2.7	8.6	5.9	8.5	13	10	9.4	8.7	8.7	7.0	6.5	3.0	5.7	2.6	1.3	6.2	
30	11	6.6	6.6	5.6	5.6	7.8	8.3	8.4	11	13	16	11	7.1	7.5	5.0	6.7	4.3	8.9	3.0	2.6	5.8	
50	12	6.5	13	4.6	2.0	6.9	9.7	7.3	7.4	10	16	8.1	5.2	7.0	8.3	11	3.6	6.0	5.1	2.6	8.1	
75	14	4.9	4.4	5.8	0.9	4.8	7.6	6.3	7.0	4.2	10	7.1	5.5	7.1	10	9.6	3.9	4.8	5.3	2.8	5.6	
100	9.4	6.3	-	10	4.0	9.1	6.9	4.5	7.2	3.6	12	8.3	3.5	10	5.8	6.6	7.4	8.7	3.0	2.2	6.2	
125	7.9	7.5	-	6.6	1.9	8.0	3.2	4.8	6.3	4.0	11	8.2	2.7	8.4	6.2	6.7	2.8	4.9	2.5	2.0	12	
150	8.4	4.7	-	3.7	6.3	3.9	6.6	4.5	5.8	5.2	14	3.7	4.1	5.1	8.4	4.8	1.5	4.4	2.0	1.4	6.5	
175	4.5	5.0	6.8	2.0	2.6	1.7	6.8	2.5	2.4	6.8	2.9	4.3	3.2	6.1	1.8	5.5	3.5	4.7	4.0	1.1	2.9	
200	4.0	2.4	4.8	5.2	5.0	1.3	3.8	2.8	2.3	3.7	4.5	5.6	2.3	5.6	3.2	5.1	0.6	2.9	4.8	0.8	1.8	
300	2.8	8.2	4.9	11	3.5	3.8	5.2	6.0	8.4	5.2	8.8	5.8	2.5	7.3	16	6.5	1.1	4.7	4.9	0.6	16	

Table 29. Data on plankton sampling with Norpac net and the biomass in the upper 150 m.

Station	Position	Date	Ship's time	Depth* of net reached (m)	Kind of net cloth	Volume** of water filtered (m ³)	Wet weight of sample		Settling volume of sample	
							per haul (g)	per 1000m ³ (g)	per haul (ml)	per 1000m ³ (ml)
B	28-17.8 N 147-38.7 E	Aug. 30	2303	149	Pylen #60 #200	23.6	0.9	38.1	4.3	182.2
			2312				1.2	53.8	5.4	242.2
C	23-47.4 N 147-38.5 E	Sept. 1	0857	150	#60 #200	22.3	0.7	31.4	3.8	170.4
			0907				1.5	72.5	6.8	328.5
1	20-00.8 N 150-00.6 E	Sept. 2	1625	149	#60 #200	20.4	0.7	34.3	2.9	142.2
			1635				1.0	52.6	4.3	226.3
2	14-58.5 N 152-02.9 E	Sept. 4	0408	150	#60 #200	20.2	-	-	-	-
			0415				-	-	-	-
3	09-59.5 N 154-05.4 E	Sept. 5	2240	150	#60 #200	23.7	1.0	42.2	5.6	236.3
			2249				1.5	70.4	6.2	291.1
4	05-02.1 N 156-10.0 E	Sept. 8	1029	150	#60 #200	19.0	0.5	26.3	2.2	115.8
			1037				0.9	48.6	3.9	210.8
4-1	03-29.4 N 156-43.4 E	Sept. 8	2210	151	#60 #200	23.1	1.3	56.3	6.9	298.7
			2217				1.6	74.8	5.1	238.3
4-2	01-57.7 N 157-13.0 E	Sept. 9	1145	150	#60 #200	23.9	2.5	104.6	10.0	418.4
			1155				3.3	147.3	9.4	419.6
5	00-00.7 N 158-02.5 E	Sept. 10	0440	150	#60 #200	32.1	2.3	71.7	8.2	255.5
			0449				4.3	144.8	18.0	606.1
5-1	01-40.2 S 158-38.6 E	Sept. 10	2004	150	#60 #200	24.1	1.9	78.8	8.7	361.0
			2011				3.5	155.6	11.3	502.2
5-2	03-19.2 S 159-19.0 E	Sept. 11	0711	150	#60 #200	19.8	1.4	70.7	4.5	227.3
			0719				2.8	153.0	7.4	404.4
6	05-00.4 S 159-57.7 E	Sept. 12	0229	151	#60 #200	23.3	2.7	115.9	8.9	382.0
			0239				1.9	83.3	8.4	368.4
7	09-57.0 S 154-56.2 E	Sept. 18	2224	150	#60 #200	25.9	3.7	142.9	13.0	501.9
			2234				8.2	348.9	24.1	1025.5
8	15-01.0 S 155-00.3 E	Sept. 20	1231	150	#60 #200	24.4	2.2	90.2	13.4	549.2
			1240				3.5	157.7	19.0	855.9

* Estimated from angle of wire.

** Calculated from flow-meter readings.

Table 30. (Continued).

Station	Position	Date	Ship's time	Depth* of net reached (m)	Kind of net cloth	Volume** of water filtered (m ³)	Wet weight of sample		Settling volume of sample	
							per haul (g)	per 1000m ³ (g)	per haul (ml)	per 1000m ³ (ml)
9	20-04.3 S	Sept. 22	1438	150	Pylon #60	23.2	1.5	64.7	4.5	194.0
	154-57.3 E		1445				1.2	59.1	4.9	241.4
11	31-22.7 S	Oct. 3	1148	150	#60	26.6	3.8	142.9	16.2	609.0
	154-53.1 E		1200				5.0	222.2	28.8	1280.0
12	32-00.4 S	Oct. 5	0757	150	#60	21.0	2.5	119.0	11.3	538.1
	160-38.1 E		0806				4.6	257.0	20.0	1117.3
13	29-44.8 S	Oct. 7	1008	150	#60	24.4	6.1	250.0	18.3	750.0
	164-55.5 E		1020				4.6	211.0	18.2	834.9
14	24-56.3 S	Oct. 9	1606	150	#60	22.1	3.1	140.3	10.5	475.1
	165-10.0 E		1615				12.5	657.9	35.4	1863.2
15	14-55.5 S	Oct. 20	0839	150	#60	20.7	1.8	87.0	6.0	289.9
	163-5. E		0852				1.6	94.1	8.2	482.4
16	10-00.2 S	Oct. 21	1808	150	#60	21.8	2.2	100.9	10.8	495.4
	163-58.8 E		1815				3.5	175.9	16.0	804.0
17	04-59.5 S	Oct. 23	0544	151	#60	24.2	1.6	66.1	4.2	173.6
	164-00.4 E		0548				2.0	90.9	10.5	477.3
18	00-00.8 S	Oct. 25	0811	148	#60	33.9	1.0	29.5	6.2	182.9
	164-00.9 E		0820				1.8	54.9	4.6	140.2
19	05-03.2 N	Oct. 27	0441	150	#60	20.7	1.5	72.5	4.9	236.7
	163-54.3 E		0450				1.6	85.1	8.3	441.5
20	10-00.1 N	Oct. 28	2007	150	#60	23.8	1.4	58.8	4.9	205.9
	163-57.7 E		2018				1.6	71.4	7.0	312.5
21	15-03.6 N	Oct. 30	1625	148	#60	21.4	0.2	9.3	1.8	84.1
	164-01.6 E		1631				1.1	55.0	4.3	215.0
22	20-03.4 N	Nov. 1	0940	150	#60	25.7	1.0	38.9	5.0	194.6
	158-34.8 E		0948				2.1	88.6	10.0	421.9

* Estimated from angle of wire.

** Calculated from flow-meter readings.

Table 31. (Continued).

Station	Position	Date	Ship's time	Depth of net reached (m)	Kind of net cloth	Volume** of water filtered (m ³)	Wet weight of sample		Settling volume of sample	
							per haul (g)	per 1000m ³ (g)	per haul (g)	per 1000m ³ (ml)
D	24-00.0 N 154-17.2 E	Nov. 3	0435	149	Pylon #60	21.9	1.4	63.9	5.1	232.9
			0442				1.8	90.5	9.3	467.3
E	28-03.8 N 149-07.6 E	Nov. 4	2139	151	#60	25.0	1.9	76.0	7.2	288.0
			2147				1.3	56.5	9.0	391.3
F	31-56.1 N 143-44.9 E	Nov. 6	0939	150	#60	57.2	2.9	50.7	11.0	192.3
			0952				4.1	77.7	14.9	282.2

* Estimated from angle of wire.

** Calculated from flow-meter readings.

Table 32A. Bacterial population in seawater samples

Depth (m)	Station 1		Station 2		Station 3		Station 4		Station 5		Station 6		Station 7	
	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.
0	4.5x10 ³	3.2x10 ⁶	2.1x10 ³	1.2x10 ⁶	2.3x10 ³	1.9x10 ⁶	2.1x10 ²	3.1x10 ⁶	1.1x10 ³	2.8x10 ⁶	3.2x10 ³	3.7x10 ⁶	2.4x10 ³	2.7x10 ⁶
10	7.4x10 ²	3.8x10 ⁶	7.8x10	3.3x10 ⁶	6.2x10	2.4x10 ⁵	3.7x10	3.2x10 ⁶	5.1x10	1.0x10 ⁶	6.9x10	2.4x10 ⁶	1.2x10 ²	1.5x10 ⁶
30	2.5x10 ²	3.4x10 ⁶	5.0x10	2.3x10 ⁶	2.5x10	2.1x10 ⁶	4.9x10	1.9x10 ⁶	4.2x10	1.7x10 ⁶	6.9x10	1.2x10 ⁶	1.3x10 ²	3.7x10 ⁶
50	2.4x10 ²	3.3x10 ⁶	1.4x10 ²	3.4x10 ⁶	7.3x10	6.6x10 ⁵	4.7x10	1.0x10 ⁶	6.4x10	3.7x10 ⁶	7.0x10	1.4x10 ⁶	1.5x10 ²	3.0x10 ⁶
75	3.9x10	4.3x10 ⁶	6.3x10	3.0x10 ⁶	3.3x10	1.6x10 ⁶	4.1x10	2.4x10 ⁶	6.1x10	1.7x10 ⁶	4.3x10	3.0x10 ⁶	2.8x10 ²	1.2x10 ⁶
100	5.8x10	2.3x10 ⁵	4.7x10	3.3x10 ⁶	1.5x10	1.0x10 ⁵	5.1x10	1.1x10 ⁵	3.0x10	2.1x10 ⁶	4.0x10	2.0x10 ⁶	9.6x10 ²	1.8x10 ⁶
150	1.5x10	9.8x10 ⁵	1.6x10	1.5x10 ⁶	1.3x10	2.3x10 ⁵	2.1x10	1.2x10 ⁶	2.8x10	1.4x10 ⁶	2.1x10	1.2x10 ⁶	3.0x10	1.5x10 ⁶
200	2.6x10	9.8x10 ⁵	3.6x10	1.2x10 ⁶	5.9x10 ⁵	5.9x10 ⁵	1.3x10	7.6x10 ⁵	2.4x10	1.0x10 ⁶	1.6x10	6.7x10 ⁵	3.0x10	5.2x10 ⁵
400	2.4x10	9.4x10 ⁵	2.0x10	1.0x10 ⁶	4	6.8x10 ⁵	3	8.7x10 ⁵	8	1.0x10 ⁶	7	7.9x10 ⁵	9	1.0x10 ⁶
800	2.3x10	7.5x10 ⁵	3	7.6x10 ⁵	2	1.5x10 ⁵	1.3x10	5.8x10 ⁵	4	7.1x10 ⁵	1.4x10	5.7x10 ⁵	2	7.1x10 ⁵
1200	2.1x10	4.3x10 ⁵	1	2.2x10 ⁵	0.4	8.4x10 ⁴	3	5.4x10 ⁵	9	4.8x10 ⁵	5	4.6x10 ⁵	7	1.3x10 ⁶

V.C. : Viable counts of bacteria (c.f.u./10 ml).

D.C. : Total microscopic counts of bacteria by epifluorescent method (No./10 ml).

Table 32B. (Continued).

Depth (m)	Station 8		Station 9		Station 11		Station 12		Station 14		Station 15		Station 16	
	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.
0	5.7×10^3	1.9×10^6	4.4×10^3	2.5×10^6	2.3×10^2	3.5×10^6	1.6×10^2	1.7×10^6	5.8×10^3	2.4×10^6	6.0×10^2	1.5×10^6	2.7×10^2	2.4×10^6
10	4.0×10^6	1.4×10^6	2.0×10^6	3.0×10^6	9.3×10^6	1.1×10^6	6.3×10^6	1.2×10^6	4.5×10^6	2.2×10^6	5.8×10^6	1.7×10^5	9.0×10^6	6.5×10^6
30	9.3×10^6	1.6×10^6	4.1×10^6	3.7×10^6	9.2×10^6	2.3×10^6	3.2×10^6	1.5×10^6	3.1×10^6	1.4×10^6	1.2×10^6	1.7×10^6	1.4×10^2	3.9×10^6
50	7.9×10^6	1.2×10^6	3.9×10^6	3.4×10^6	6.6×10^6	3.1×10^6	4.3×10^6	7.6×10^5	4.5×10^6	2.7×10^6	2.3×10^6	3.1×10^5	1.2×10^2	1.1×10^5
75	6.8×10^6	3.3×10^6	3.7×10^6	2.1×10^6	6.1×10^6	6.1×10^5	8.5×10^6	9.3×10^5	2.9×10^6	4.0×10^6	4.2×10^6	2.7×10^6	5.8×10^6	3.3×10^6
100	3.3×10^6	1.8×10^6	3.3×10^6	7.8×10^5	3.7×10^6	4.6×10^5	5.9×10^6	9.3×10^5	4.4×10^6	1.7×10^6	5.5×10^6	2.6×10^6	7.7×10^6	1.8×10^6
150	2.4×10^6	4.4×10^5	4.2×10^6	4.4×10^5	3.5×10^6	2.4×10^6	5.1×10^6	1.8×10^6	4.3×10^6	3.9×10^6	2.3×10^6	1.3×10^6	3.3×10^6	1.9×10^6
200	3.3×10^6	5.3×10^5	7.0×10^6	8.8×10^5	3.1×10^6	3.6×10^5	8.5×10^6	1.3×10^6	3.7×10^6	2.3×10^6	1.7×10^6	9.6×10^5	1.9×10^6	4.8×10^5
400	1.9×10^6	6.3×10^5	1.3×10^6	8.7×10^5	1.8×10^6	1.0×10^6	2.6×10^6	3.2×10^5	2.1×10^6	1.4×10^6	1.6×10^6	4.2×10^5	2.9×10^6	5.3×10^5
800	3	7.0×10^4	1	2.5×10^5	4	5.9×10^5	5	4.6×10^5	4	7.3×10^5	3	1.6×10^5	4.2×10^5	2.1×10^5
1200	6	2.3×10^5	1	2.1×10^5	2	6.0×10^5	6	3.7×10^5	1	2.0×10^6	0.9	3.3×10^5	2	2.7×10^5

Table 33C. (Continued).

Depth (m)	Station 17		Station 18		Station 19		Station 20		Station 21		Station 22	
	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.	V.C.	D.C.
0	2.8×10^2	2.7×10^6	1.4×10^2	2.1×10^6	3.7×10^6	3.9×10^6	5.5×10^0	3.9×10^6	1.2×10^1	3.7×10^6	3.4×10^1	4.7×10^6
10	1.0×10^2	8.6×10^5	1.4×10^2	2.0×10^6	1.8×10^6	6.5×10^0	4.2×10^1	2.8×10^6	9.2×10^0	3.2×10^6	1.0×10^1	4.2×10^6
30	9.6×10^6	9.3×10^5	1.4×10^2	2.2×10^6	2.2×10^6	5.8×10^0	1.7×10^1	3.6×10^6	1.1×10^1	3.8×10^6	1.7×10^1	3.1×10^6
50	6.9×10^6	8.6×10^5	3.1×10^2	2.8×10^6	2.9×10^6	5.3×10^0	1.0×10^1	2.2×10^6	9.4×10^0	3.4×10^6	1.4×10^1	4.4×10^6
75	5.9×10^6	7.2×10^5	8.3×10^6	2.7×10^6	3.5×10^6	9.2×10^0	8.4×10^0	3.2×10^6	1.0×10^1	2.7×10^6	1.5×10^1	5.0×10^6
100	6.6×10^6	3.2×10^5	5.5×10^6	2.1×10^6	1.3×10^6	4.0×10^0	4.8×10^0	2.1×10^6	1.8×10^1	1.0×10^6	7.5×10^0	3.0×10^6
150	3.9×10^6	1.2×10^6	2.7×10^6	1.2×10^6	1.8×10^6	2.5×10^0	4.0×10^0	4.0×10^6	4.9×10^0	1.0×10^6	1.6×10^6	1.6×10^6
200	4.2×10^6	4.5×10^5	2.1×10^6	1.5×10^6	1.1×10^6	1.5×10^0	1.1×10^6	2.6×10^0	2.6×10^0	5.4×10^5	4.9×10^0	9.0×10^5
400	3.5×10^2	6.0×10^5	9	6.7×10^5	7.4×10^5	3.9×10^{-1}	1.8×10^0	4.2×10^5	4.6×10^{-1}	8.7×10^5	1.3×10^0	7.3×10^5
800	2.9×10^2	2.8×10^5	2	5.4×10^5	4.9×10^5	5.5×10^{-1}	8.8×10^0	3.3×10^5	1.3×10^{-1}	3.2×10^5	1.1×10^0	4.8×10^5
1200	2.0×10^2	1.3×10^5	2	3.2×10^5	3.8×10^5	1.2×10^{-1}	6.1×10^5	2.0×10^5	4.0×10^{-2}	3.3×10^5	3.4×10^{-1}	3.1×10^5

V.C. : Viable counts of bacteria (c.f.u./10 ml).

D.C. : Total microscopic counts of bacteria by epifluorescent method (No./10 ml).

Table 33. Composition of the MPN media

	mg/L	
	D	M
Proteose Peptone No.3(Difco)	50	1
Bacto Yeast Extract(Difco)	50	1
Ferric citrate -----	5	0.1
Glucose -----	2.5	0.5
Mannitol -----	2.5	0.5
Sodium acetate -----	2.5	0.5
Sodium malate -----	2.5	0.5

Table 34. Bacterial counts by different methods (The Pacific Ocean)

		TC	DVC	MPN		PC	DVC/TC
				M	D		
St 16	0m	1.4×10^5	2.3×10^3	1.7×10^2	4.0×10^1	2.7×10^1	1.6%
	100m	1.2×10^5	1.7×10^3	1.1×10^2	2.7×10^1	7.7×10^0	1.4
St 17	0m	1.1×10^5	2.7×10^3	7.9×10^2	3.5×10^2	2.8×10^1	2.5
	100m	5.5×10^4	1.2×10^3	1.3×10^2	1.3×10^1	6.1×10^0	2.2
	800m	2.3×10^4	1.9×10^3	3.4×10^2	1.1×10^2	2.9×10^1	8.3
St 19	0m	5.0×10^4	1.6×10^3	4.9×10^1	2.3×10^1	1.9×10^1	3.2
	100m	7.6×10^4	6.8×10^2	4.9×10^1	3.5×10^1	4.0×10^0	0.9
	800m	3.0×10^4	6.4×10^2	3.3×10^0	3.3×10^0	5.5×10^{-1}	2.1

Table 35. Composition of the isolates
(The Pacific Ocean, St. 19)

	Plate	MPN	
	PPES-II	D	M
Conc. of nutrients mg/1	5100	115	4.1
Vibrionaceae	19.4 %	21.4 %	5.6 %
Pseudomonas	22.6	21.5	16.7
Alcaligenes	11.3	7.1	0.0
Moraxella	37.0	21.4	11.1
Flavobacterium	8.1	28.6	66.6
Chromobacterium	1.6	0.0	0.0
No. of strains	62	14	18

Table 36. The distribution of eggs at the cross section of the Equatorial Current.

Station Depth	4	4-1	4-2	5	5-1	5-2	6
0 m	0	0	0	828	9	47	683
10	0	0	0	0	13	61	220
25	524	0	0	0	0	30	19
50	188	0	13	122	0	12	0
75	99	9	0	12	6	0	0
100	0	0	0	12	13	0	6
125	12	3	0	0	16	6	0
150	7	3	9	0	20	0	0
200	27	8	9	0	13	51	0
Total	857	23	31	974	90	207	925

Table 37. The distribution of the larvae at the cross section of the Equatorial Current.

Station Depth	4	4-1	4-2	5	5-1	5-2	6
0 m	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	14	0	0	31	45	7	6
25	12	17	17	21	0	0	71
50	0	23	66	29	32	43	70
75	8	9	46	17	166	61	83
100	10	131	55	65	513	28	97
125	12	97	61	35	94	23	100
150	15	100	46	64	60	26	67
200	0	50	35	0	32	17	36
Total	71	427	326	262	942	205	530

Table 38. The numbers of the eggs collected by MTD nets towsings in three directions.

Station Depth	8			9		
	A	B	C	A	B	C
0 m	72	21	40	49	53	17
10	20	20	39	73	97	84
25	4	25	23	77	64	76
50	-	34	97	17	119	49
75	62	38	6	8	4	38
100	-	43	37	7	35	8
125	38	76	32	20	26	5
150	-	24	10	4	0	24
200	6	17	4	8	12	0
Total	202	298	288	263	410	301

Table 39. The numbers of the larvae collected by MTD nets towsings in three directions.

Station Depth	8			9		
	A	B	C	A	B	C
0 m	120	117	170	49	8	0
10	111	53	120	321	9	12
25	41	46	107	12	40	34
50	-	61	90	4	15	0
75	23	42	34	12	0	27
100	-	22	59	26	9	30
125	49	46	25	24	32	5
150	-	29	19	22	7	8
200	6	9	14	4	36	7
Total	350	425	638	474	156	123

Table 40. Sampling data

Station code	Date	Time	Position	Surf Temp (°C)	Frozen specimen collected	Type of net
A1	Sept 17	1752-	9 14.8S 159 09.2E-	27.2	0	ORI
		1808	9 14.9 159 08.3			
A2	Sept 18	1814-	9 58.8 154 08.3-	27.2	10	ORI
		1830	9 59.2 154 57.3			
A3	Sept 19	1836-	12 29.6 154 47.10	25.6	2	ORI
		1841	12 29.7 154 47.0			
A4	Sept 20	2200-	15 40.5 154 58.7	25.4	1	ORI
		2205	15 40.5 154 58.9			
A5	Sept 21	1836-	18 06.6 154 54.6-	24.6	13	ORI
		1841	18 06.7 154 54.5			
		1845-	18 06.7 154 54.4-			
		1850	18 06.8 154 64.3			
		1854-	18 06.8 154 54.1			
		1859	18 06.9 154 54.1			
		1904-	18 07.0 154 54.0-			
		1909	18 07.1 154 53.9			
A6	Sept 22	1912-	18 07.1 154 53.9-	23.8	4	ORI
		1917	18 07.2 154 53.8			
A7	Sept 23	2123-	20 02.3 154 54.9-	23.9	2	ORI
		2131	20 02.3 154 50.8			
A8	Sept 23	1835-	20 04.8 154 56.8-	23.9	0	IKMT
		1840	20 05.0 154 56.7			
A8	Sept 23	0311-	20 02.3- 154 54.9-	23.9	0	IKMT
		0353	10 01.4 154 53.3			

Table 41. ETS activity and RNA content of myctophid fish. Refer Table 40 for sample code.

Sample Code	Species Code*	Condition before frozen (L: Living; D: Dead)	Wet wt. (gr.)	Protein (% wet wt.)	ETS activity (ul O ₂ /mg protein/h)	RNA content (mg/mg protein)
A2(1)	M	L	1.101	12	5.41	0.015
A2(2)	M	L	0.437	12	5.21	0.016
A2(3)	M	L	0.179	14	5.21	0.021
A2(4)	M	L	0.330	13	4.60	0.017
A2(5)	M	D	0.471	12	4.98	0.017
A2(6)	H	D	0.108	11	3.44	0.020
A2(7)	M	D	0.201	12	11.72	0.017
A2(8)	M	D	0.121	14	11.42	0.018
A2(9)	M	D	0.232	12	12.74	0.016
A2(10)	M	D	0.189	12	11.44	0.018
A3(1)	M	L	0.089	15	9.50	0.019
A3(2)	C	L	0.360	13	9.27	0.012
A4(1)	S	L	0.112	12	6.13	0.021
A5(1)	M	L	0.040	15	6.53	0.024
A5(2)	S	L	0.364	13	6.17	0.009
A5(3)	S	L	0.398	13	6.52	0.011
A5(4)	M	L	0.206	17	7.10	0.014
A5(5)	M	L	0.037	16	4.75	0.023
A5(6)	M	L	0.030	17	6.24	0.023
A5(7)	M	D	0.051	16	5.22	0.022
A5(8)	M	D	0.039	15	6.34	0.025
A5(9)	M	D	0.136	14	7.52	0.019
A5(10)	M	D	0.102	14	5.04	0.015
A5(11)	M	D	0.096	15	6.18	0.015
A5(12)	M	D	0.071	14	7.66	0.021
A5(13)	X	D	0.167	12	6.84	0.023
A6(1)	M	D	0.225	13	8.07	0.018
A6(2)	M	D	0.134	13	7.66	0.018
A6(3)	M	D	0.026	16	7.10	0.033
A6(4)	M	D	0.032	13	7.42	0.033
A7(1)	M	L	0.038	13	9.54	0.031
A7(2)	M	L	0.048	13	8.82	0.025

* M : Myctophum sp.

H : Hygophum proximum

C : Centrobranchus nigrocellatus

S : Symbolophorus evermanni

Table 42. Dry weight of particulate matter in the surface matter

No. of stations	Dry weight	No. of stations	Dry weight	No. of stations	Dry weight	No. of stations	Dry weight
A	72	S-15	93	S-26	303	S-39	91
S-1	99	S-16	53	Stn.14	145	Stn.20	51
S-2	31	Stn.6	48	S-27	130	S-40	65
B	91	Stn.7	38	S-28	107	S-41	36
S-3	84	S-17	77	S-29	87	Stn.21	34
S-4	64	Stn.8	70	Stn.15	91	S-42	65
C	76	S-18	74	S-30	57	S-43	80
S-5	110	Stn.9	59	S-31	85	Stn.22	79
S-6	111	S-19	49	Stn.16	88	S-44	91
Stn.1	105	Stn.10	100	S-32	54	S-45	266
S-7	114	S-20	193	S-33	63	D	63
S-8	59	Stn.11	142	Stn.17	41	S-46	87
Stn.2	72	S-21	126	S-34	38	S-47	85
S-9	201	S-22	27	S-35	94	E	96
Stn.3	30	Stn.12	78	Stn.18	143	S-48	105
S-11	63	S-23	82	S-36	64	S-49	87
S-12	84	Stn.13	80	S-37	90	F	97
Stn.4	80	S-24	88	Stn.19	54	S-50	82
S-13	96	S-25	98	S-38	17		
	µg/l		µg/l		µg/l		µg/l

The position of the stations are given in Table 43.

Table 43. Positions of the stations where surface-water samples were collected

Station	Position		Date	Station	Position	
	Latitude	Longitude			Latitude	Longitude
S-1	30°59.0'N	142°45.4'E	Aug. 29	S-26	25°34.3'S	164°58.7'E
S-2	29°58.3'N	143°30.2'E	Aug. 30	S-27	21°00.5'S	163°47.9'E
S-3	27°00.0'N	145°33.3'E	Aug. 31	S-28	19°22.9'S	162°18.3'E
S-4	25°33.6'N	146°32.6'E	Aug. 31	S-29	17°30.7'S	162°17.8'E
S-5	22°31.8'N	148°28.1'E	Sep. 1	S-30	13°33.5'S	163°54.8'E
S-6	21°05.8'N	149°19.2'E	Sep. 2	S-31	11°50.0'S	163°56.5'E
S-7	18°34.8'N	150°34.1'E	Sep. 3	S-32	8°10.5'S	164°05.8'E
S-8	16°54.1'N	151°15.0'E	Sep. 3	S-33	6°36.0'S	164°00.8'E
S-9	13°26.1'N	152°39.7'E	Sep. 4	S-34	3°10.2'S	164°04.0'E
S-10	-	-	-	S-35	1°41.3'S	164°04.8'E
S-11	8°23.9'N	154°48.1'E	Sep. 6	S-36	1°42.0'N	164°05.9'E
S-12	6°24.0'N	155°34.3'E	Sep. 6	S-37	3°40.7'N	164°01.9'E
S-13	3°29.4'N	156°43.4'E	Sep. 8	S-38	7°10.7'N	163°20.0'E
S-14	1°41.8'N	157°18.5'E	Sep. 9	S-39	8°44.7'N	163°39.8'E
S-15	1°40.7'S	158°38.4'E	Sep. 10	S-40	11°31.0'N	163°57.0'E
S-16	3°19.1'S	159°18.7'E	Sep. 11	S-41	13°19.2'N	163°59.1'E
S-17	12°29.7'S	154°47.0'E	Sep. 19	S-42	16°53.7'N	162°57.7'E
S-18	15°00.9'S	155°00.4'E	Sep. 21	S-43	18°27.0'N	160°21.7'E
S-19	23°04.5'S	154°57.2'E	Sep. 24	S-44	21°32.6'N	157°04.7'E
S-20	29°18.5'S	154°09.2'E	Oct. 2	S-45	22°55.0'N	155°31.0'E
S-21	30°52.6'S	154°40.6'E	Oct. 4	S-46	25°10.2'N	152°46.0'E
S-22	31°26.6'S	155°32.3'E	Oct. 4	S-47	26°43.1'N	150°44.4'E
S-23	31°26.5'S	163°06.2'E	Oct. 6	S-48	29°20.5'N	147°24.5'E
S-24	27°37.0'S	165°00.4'E	Oct. 8	S-49	30°38.5'N	145°41.8'E
S-25	26°41.8'S	164°58.8'E	Oct. 8	S-50	32°38.9'N	142°48.4'E