

OCEANGLIDERS FROM “EMERGING” TO “MATURE” GOOS NETWORK !

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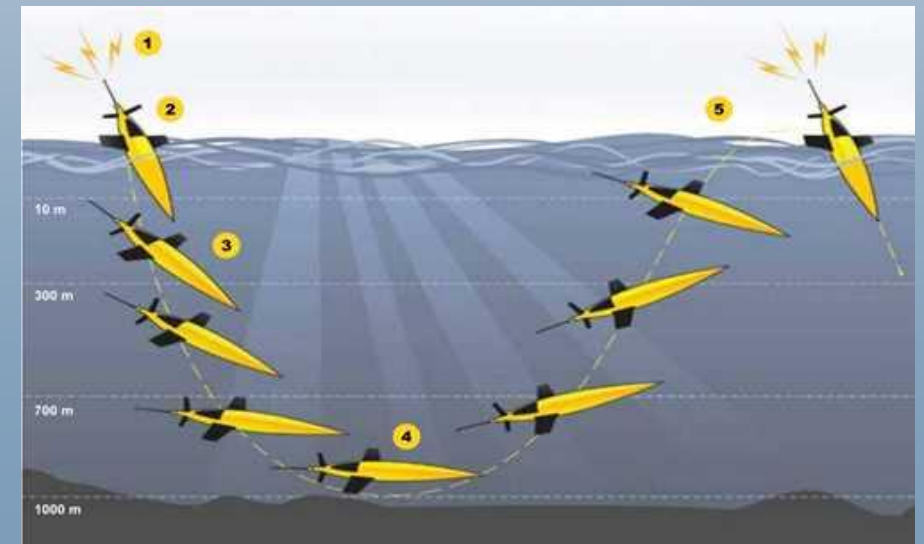
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Gliders ? A long story short...



- Autonomous Underwater Vehicles,
- Long range (more than 3 month at sea),
- Manually deployed and recovered from small boats
- Remotely piloted
- 1000m depth standard
- Standard payload: T, S, O₂, Chl_a, CDOM, BBP, Depth average current,
- Extra payload: Nitrate, Turbulence, Hydrocarbone, PH, CO₂ (primilinary results), ADCP, UVP6, Acitve and passive acoustics...
- Perfectly suited to sample on the oceanic shelf



The different glider models. From top left to bottom right: Spray, Slocum, SeaExplorer, SeaGlider

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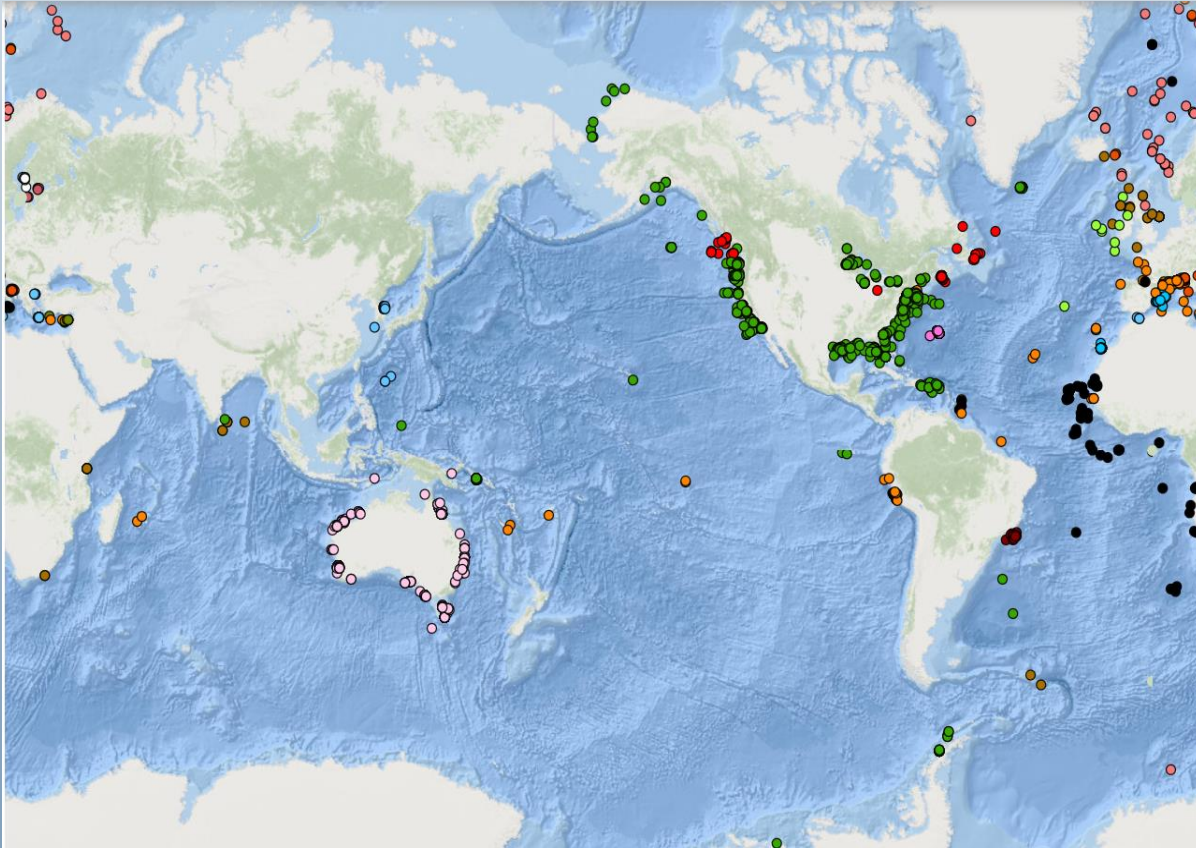
From a glider community ...

EGO – Everyone's Gliding Observatories

The screenshot displays the EGO website interface. At the top, there are navigation links for 'Logout', 'My account', and 'EGO /'. The main header area includes a search bar and a date stamp '2019-09-30 03:31:15'. The left sidebar contains several menu categories: 'HOME' with links to 'What is ego?', 'Why gliders?', 'What are gliders?', 'How do gliders work?', and 'Vision documents'; 'COMMUNITY' with links to 'Intl coordination', 'Newsletters', 'References', 'Links', 'EGO Groups', and 'Forum'; 'WORKSHOPS AND GLIDER SCHOOLS' listing various events from 2006 to 2019; 'GLIDER ACTIVITY' with links to 'Deployments', 'Projects', 'Observatories', and 'Fleet experiments'; 'DATA MANAGEMENT' with links to 'Reference documents', 'How to register a glider', 'Upload your data', and 'Data access'; and 'RESOURCES' with links to 'GFCP', 'Community Tools', 'Glider Simulator', 'Tutorials', and 'Technical notes'. The main content area features a mission statement: 'Developing a new observational capacity for process studies and long term observations of the ocean physics, biogeochemistry and biology with gliders. Going beyond the marine sciences frontiers.' Below this is a 'Welcome to the EGO website' section, followed by a paragraph explaining the site's purpose and a 'Tweets by gliderman' section showing a tweet from @ego_gliderman. A news item titled '6th Workshop on Military Applications of Underwater Glider Technology, NATO STO CMRE, La Spezia, 12-14 November 2019' is also visible. The right sidebar lists various observatory groups such as [ANFOG], [AWI], [BAS], [BCCR], [CEFREM], [CETSM], [CMRE], [CNR-ISMAR], [CSIR], [DFO], [DISAM], [DSTO], [DT INSU], [ENSTA Paris], [FMI], [GEOMAR], [HCMR], [HZG], [IFREMER], [IMARPE], [IMEDEA], [IOLR], [KNU], [LEGOS], [LOCEAN], [LPO], [MARS], [MI], [MIO], [MSI-TTU], [MUN], [NOCS], [OC-UCY], [OGS], and [OOV-LOV].

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... to an international program of the GOOS



OceanGliders a component of the integrated GOOS

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(Community White Paper, *Frontiers Marine Sciences*, *OceanObs'19*)

OceanGliders Strategy and organization



OceanGliders

- recommend the development of a global operational program to undertake **key ocean observing challenges addressing societal needs**.
- recommend that the global glider program first consider three key areas of ocean observation: **Ocean Boundary Currents, Storms, and Water Transformation**. We recommend that OceanGliders lead an assessment by the ocean observation community on how best to address these three areas of societal need for ocean data.
- recommend the development of a **global data management system to ensure the effective sharing and use of ocean data** from underwater gliders.
- recommend that OceanGliders develop an **implementation plan for a sustained Boundary Ocean Observing Network** to meet the societal needs of improving ocean observing in this key region of the global ocean.



Monitoring the Boundary regions

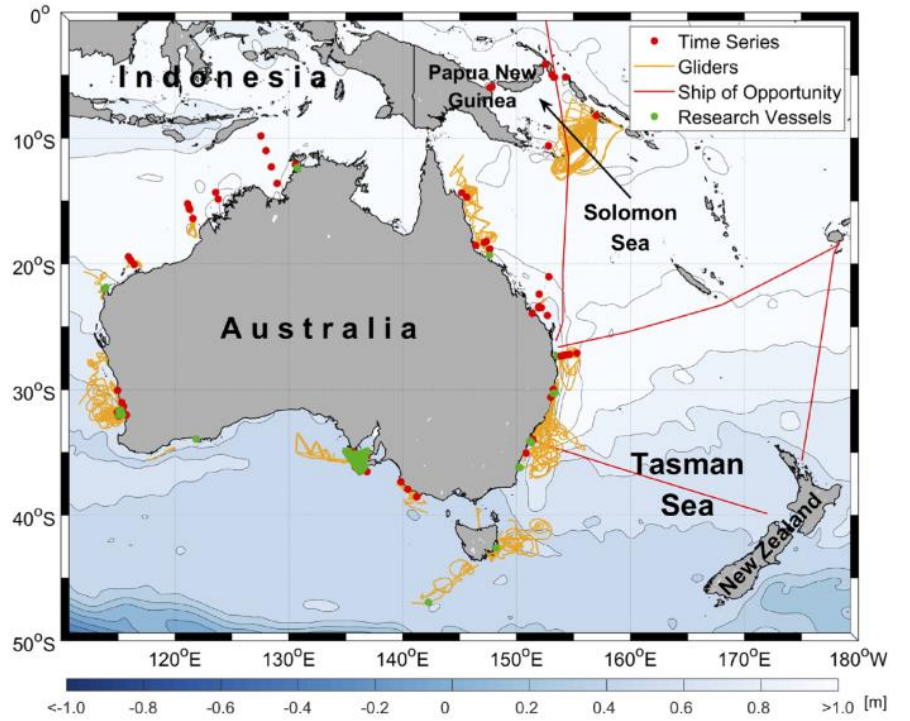


FIGURE 7 | Map of the boundary current observing efforts for the Leeuwin and South Australian Current Systems

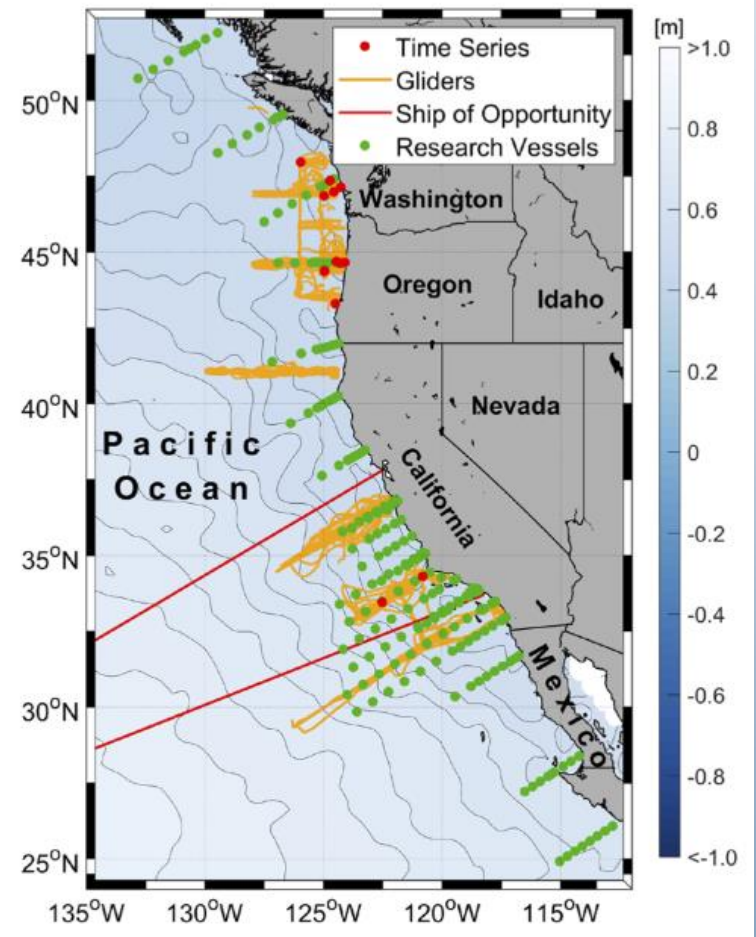


FIGURE 5 | Map of observing efforts extending more than 1 year during the past decade for the California Current System (see the section *California Current System*). Glider trajectories are shown in orange, SOOP/XBT lines are red, moorings are red dots, and stations routinely occupied by research vessels are green. Contours are mean sea surface height over the period 2009–2017 from AVISO.

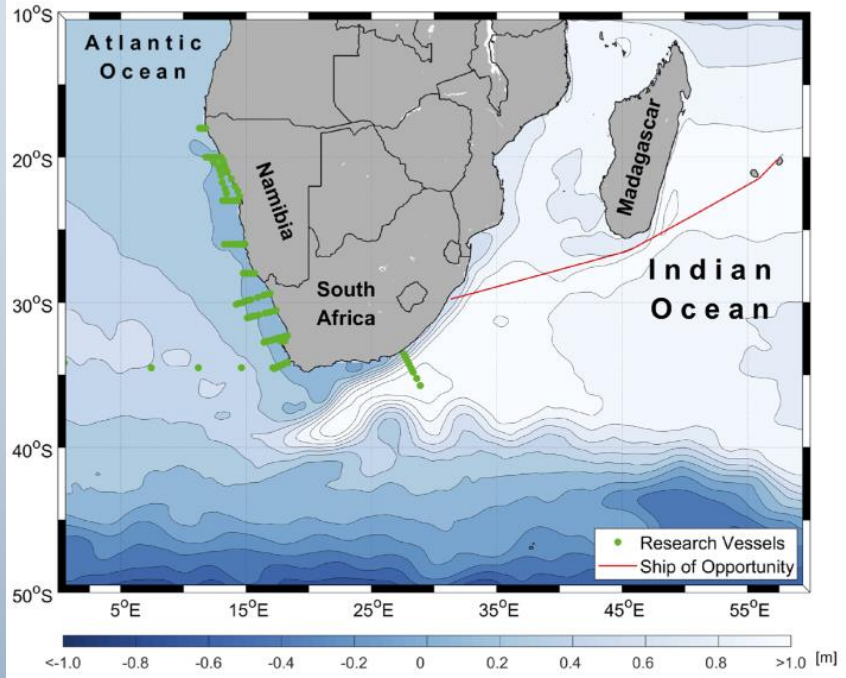


FIGURE 8 | Map of the boundary current observing effort for the Benguela Current System

Monitoring the Boundary regions

Why ocean boundaries?

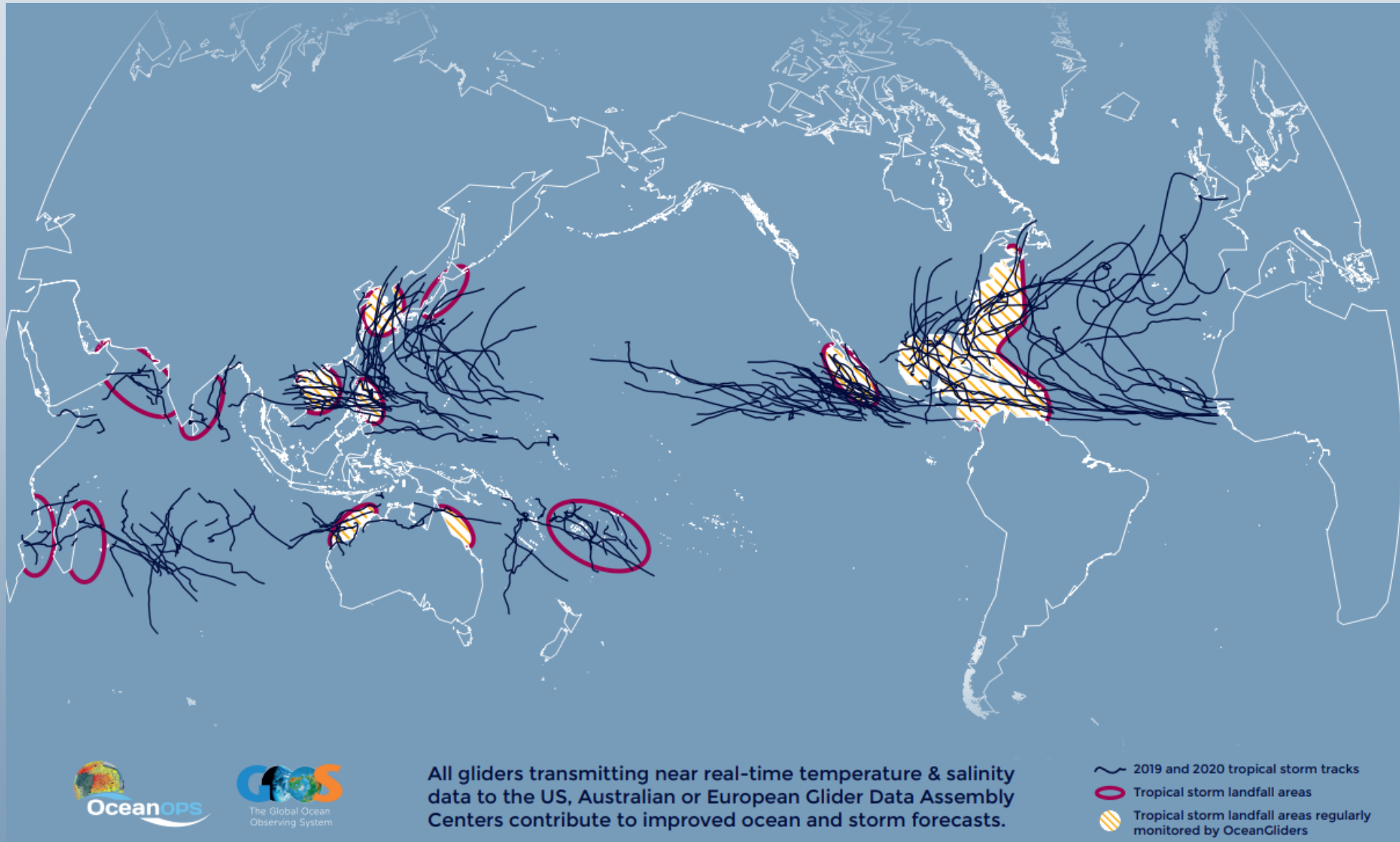
- Society feels the effects of ocean variability through boundaries
- Ecosystems are highly impacted by human activities in these zones
- Extreme weather and marine events affect billions of people who live and work near the coast
- Boundaries have high economic value for coastal communities

**Climate, Weather, Fisheries,
Pollutants, Transportation,
Recreation**

Why gliders & boundaries?

- Gliders connect the coast and open ocean
- Gliders capture physical, biogeochemical and biological variability
- Gliders sample across high gradients, along swift currents and in extreme weather conditions
- Gliders effectively integrate with other ocean boundary monitoring systems and ocean models

Measuring under the storms



Measuring under the storms

Why storm forecasts?

- Storms effect billions of people that live and work near the coast, causing 100's of billions of dollars in damage annually
- Many storms originate at sea, and are affected by specific Ocean Features such as boundary currents and eddies, subsurface thermal structure, and major river plumes
- Some of the world's best weather forecasts are produced by coupled atmosphere-ocean models that assimilate real-time data from a vast global observation network

How do gliders improve hurricane forecasts?

- OceanGliders operate unhindered by storms in a broad range of water depths
- All OceanGliders provide critical data for assimilation well ahead of the storms to better define Essential Ocean Features impacting storm intensity
- OceanGliders encountering storms improve scientific understanding of Essential Ocean Processes and their atmospheric feedbacks
- Uncertainties in forecast models provide guidance on where and when to deploy OceanGliders to maximize value

Observing water transformation



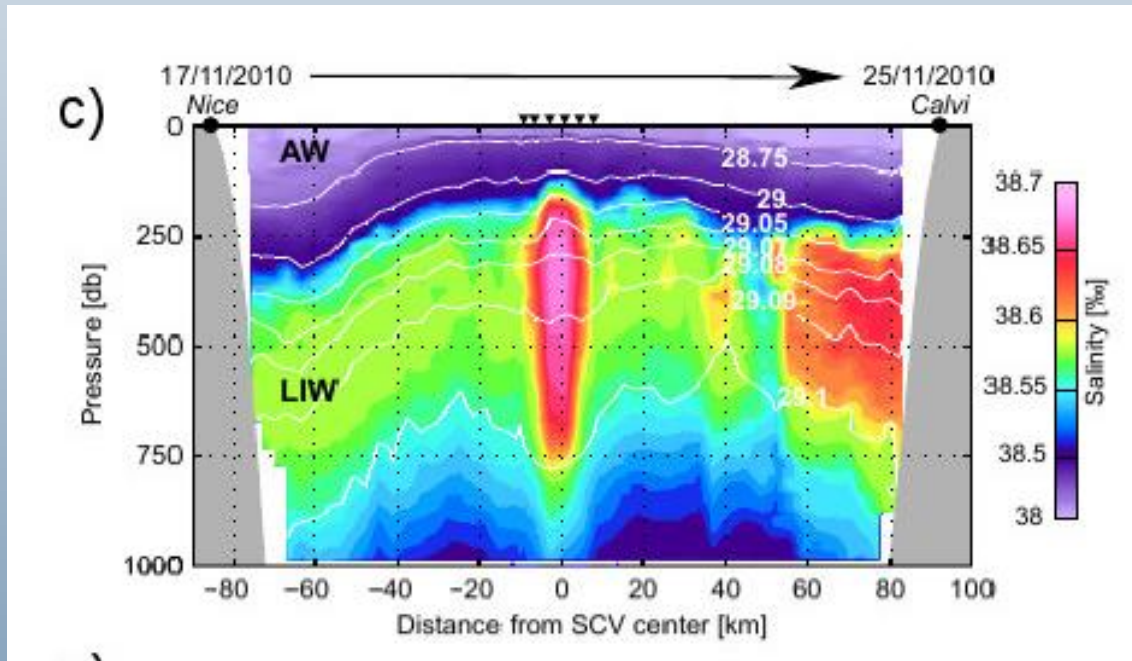
Water Transformation

Monitor shelf/open sea water formations & (sub)mesoscale variability

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Some highlights of (sub)mesoscale oceanic processes revealed by gliders that have been identified as important for the functioning of the physical, chemical and biological ocean (Community White Paper, OceanObs'19)



Understanding the Ocean Processes

Physical domain:

- Circulation
- Mixing
- Water transformation
- Transport
- Atmospheric and Oceanic exchanges
- Marine Heat Waves

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BioGeoChemical domain :

- Eutrophisation
- Phytoplankton Bloom
- Nutrient cycle
- Acidification
- ...

Biological domain :

- Passive acoustic
- Animal Tracking
- Behavioural studies
- ...

Numerical Ocean domain:

- Regional to coastal model validation
- Regional forecasting (data assimilation)
- Reanalysis (data assimilation)
- ...

The OceanGliders program

A component of the integrated GOOS



Best
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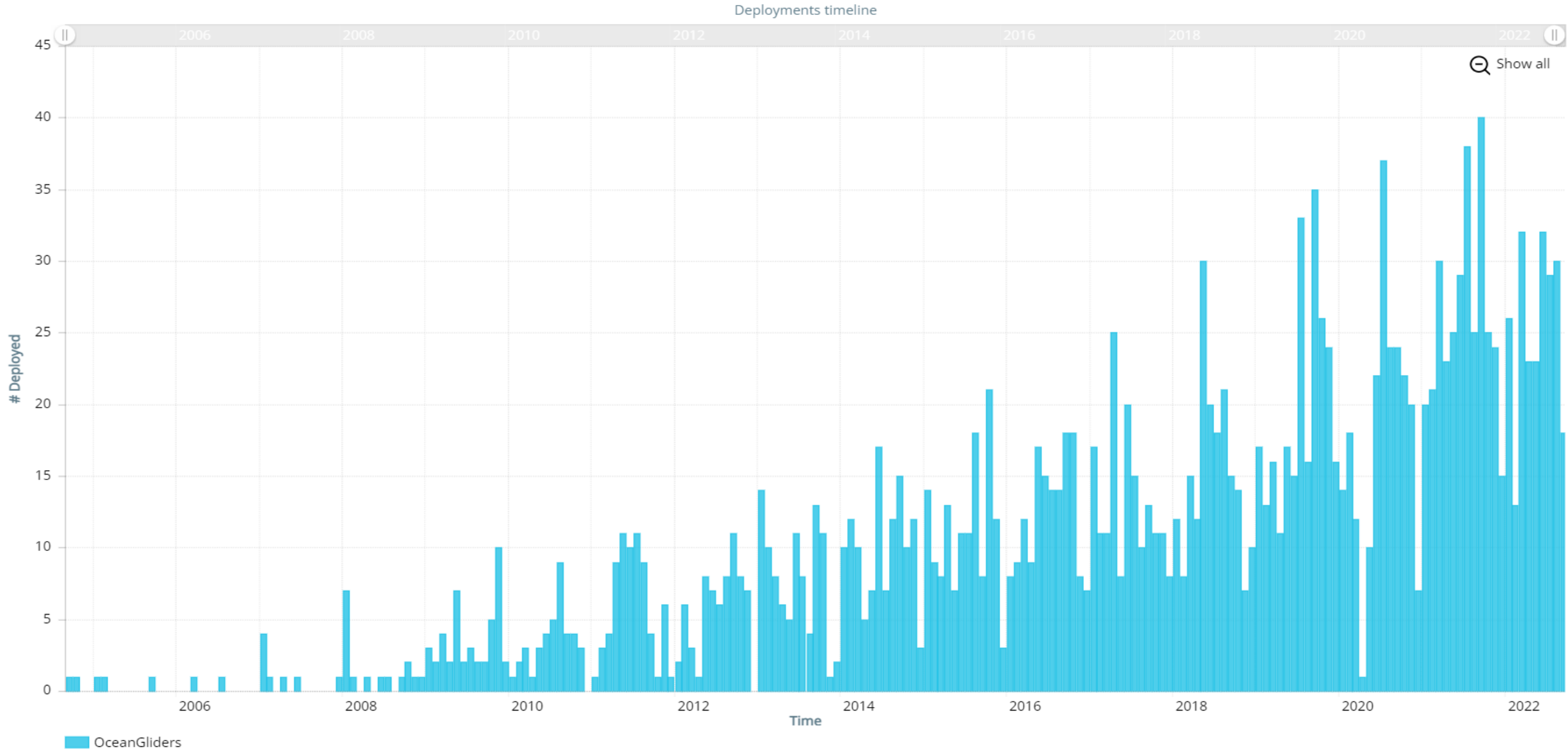
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Following the GOOS-OCG (increasing level of) requirements...

GOOS-OCG report card 2018

Emerging networks and extending capabilities	Highlights	Readiness level
OceanGliders	Operational multidisciplinary systems exist in several different regions.	MATURE regionally; PILOT globally

GOOS-OCG report card 2020

GOOS <i>in situ</i> networks ¹	Implementation Status ²	Data & metadata			Best practices ⁶	GOOS delivery areas ⁷		
		Real time ³	Archived high quality ⁴	Meta-data ⁵		Operational services	Climate	Ocean health
OceanGliders	Emerging	★★★	★★★★	★★★	★★★			

GOOS-OCG report card 2022

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Target 2023

- Unique format (Meta-data, Real time, status, BP)
- Network strategy for archived Delayed mode data



Loose monitoring
Loose governance
No community BP

Real Time monitoring
Active governance
Network targets

Community BP
Active Data Management Team
Improved monitoring (KPI, maps, statistics)

From an “emerging” to a “mature” OCG network

The example of OG1.0: The common format for gliders
From 3 format to a unique one



Figure 1: current OceanGliders data management scheme

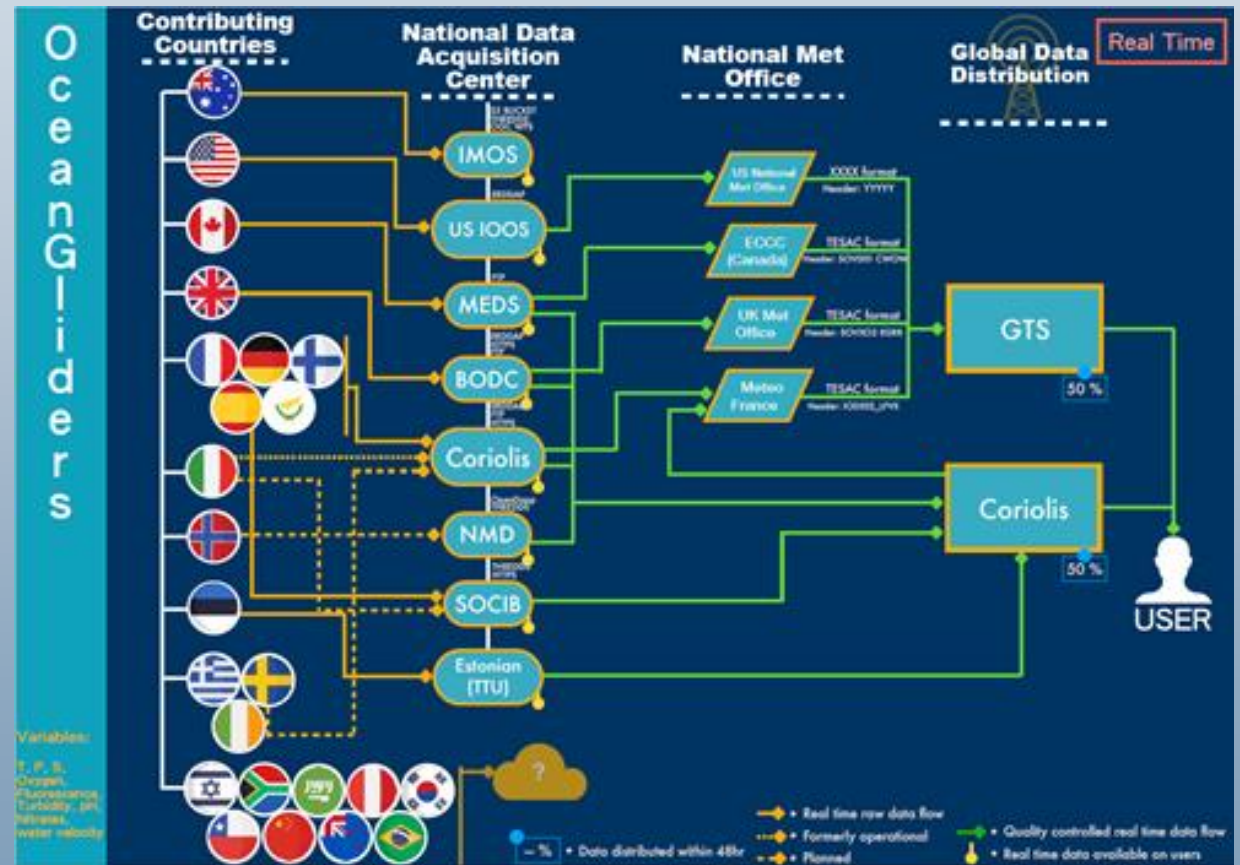
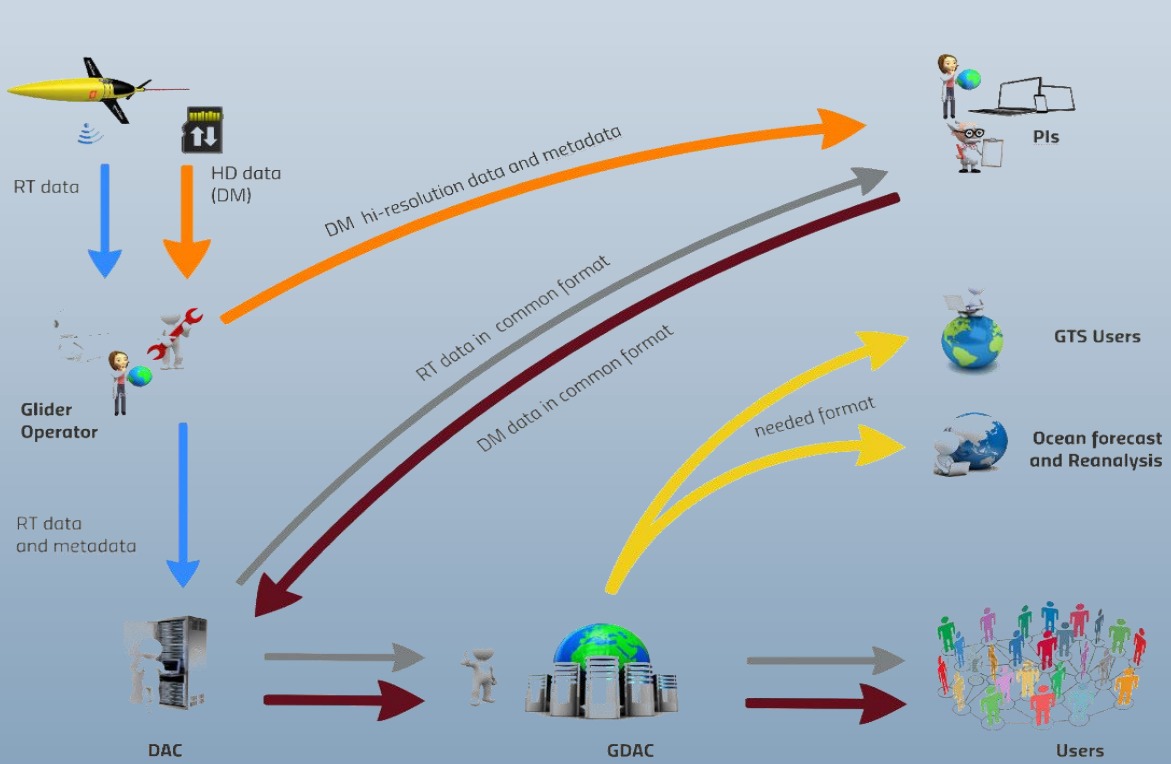
Figure 2: Gliders data management harmonization goal.

<https://github.com/OceanGlidersCommunity>

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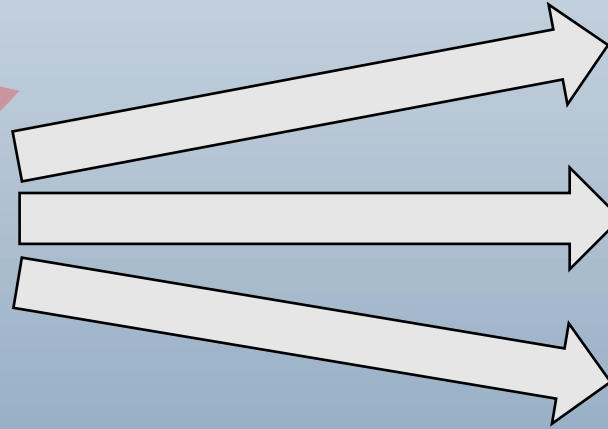
A unique data flow



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The example of OG1.0: inspired by Argo success story

- An active data team
- A unique format
- A unique data flow
- Common vocabularies



- Better RT monitoring
- Improved status
- Stronger BP
- Improve metadata management
- Impact on long-term archiving
- High impact on network status

Спасибо

Thank you

Gracias

Merci

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Improving network



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