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Welcome to the RBR technical webinar:

Assessment of RBRcoda T.ODO optode for profiling and long-term deployments

A few quick notes:

- This webinar will be recorded and posted on the RBR website
- Slides will be available on the website after the presentation
- You can use the chat section to ask questions at any time

Next week's webinar



CTD and sensor calibrations at RBR

Greg Johnson

November 25, 2020

Learn about RBR's calibration process for conductivity, temperature, pressure, and DO, and how you can maintain, and verify some sensors in the field.

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Assessment of RBRcoda T.ODO optode for profiling and long-term deployments

Greg Johnson, PhD
President, RBR

November 18, 2020

T.ODO Introduction



- **RBRcoda T.ODO**
- **introduction**
- **Sensor technology**
- **Field validations**
 - Moored
 - Profiling
- **Applications**
- **Questions**

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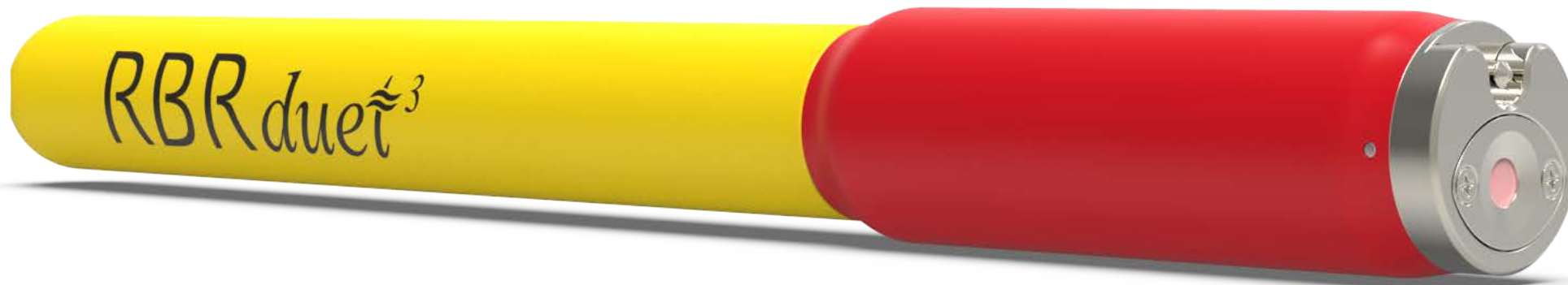
Interface

- RS-232 polled or autonomous streaming

Output values

- Temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)
- Dissolved O₂ concentration ($\mu\text{mol/l}$)
- Dissolved O₂ concentration (salinity comp ($\mu\text{mol/l}$))
- Dissolved O₂ saturation (%)
- Dissolved O₂ phase ($^{\circ}$)

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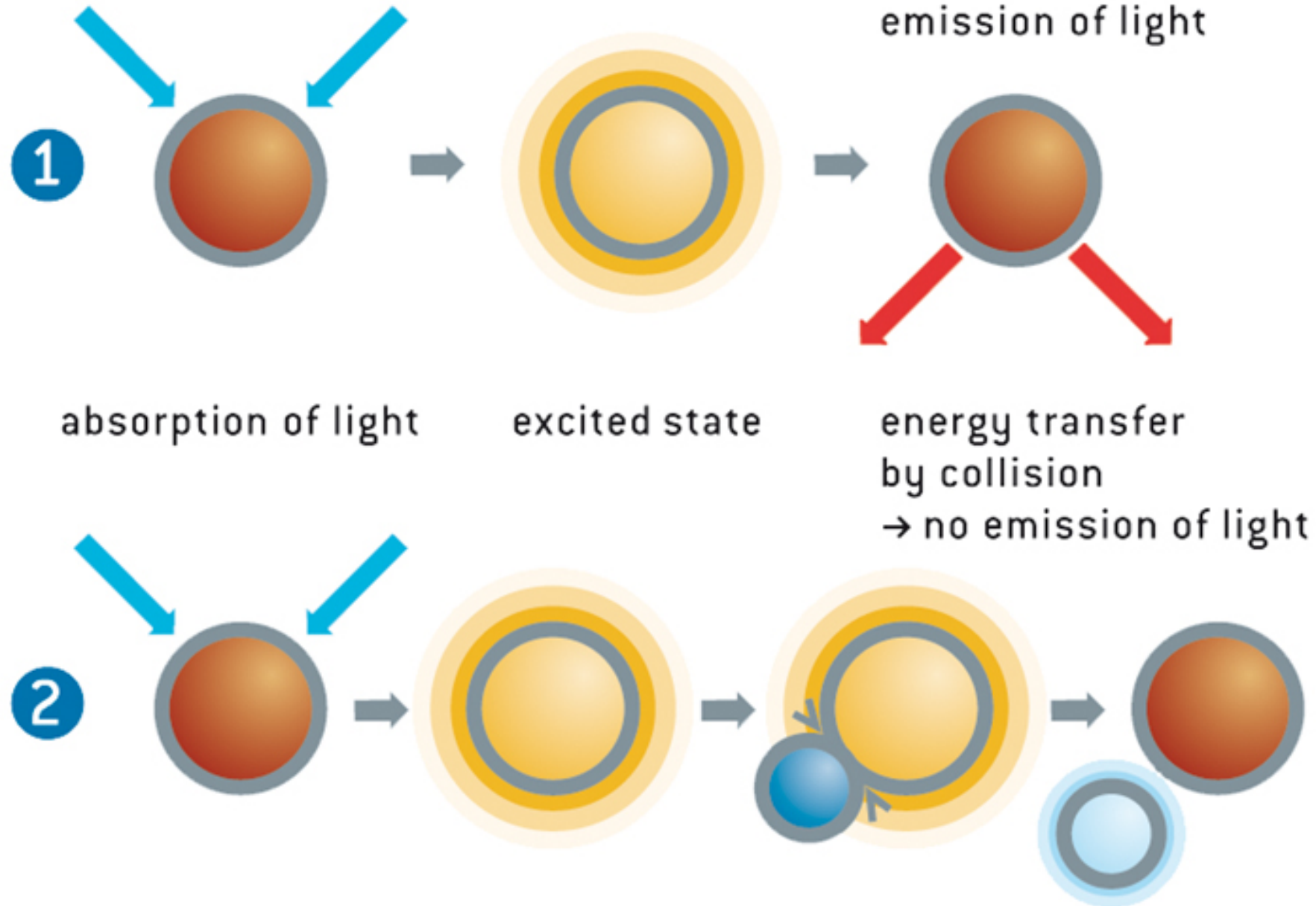
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20M measurements
Any AA battery
USB-C download

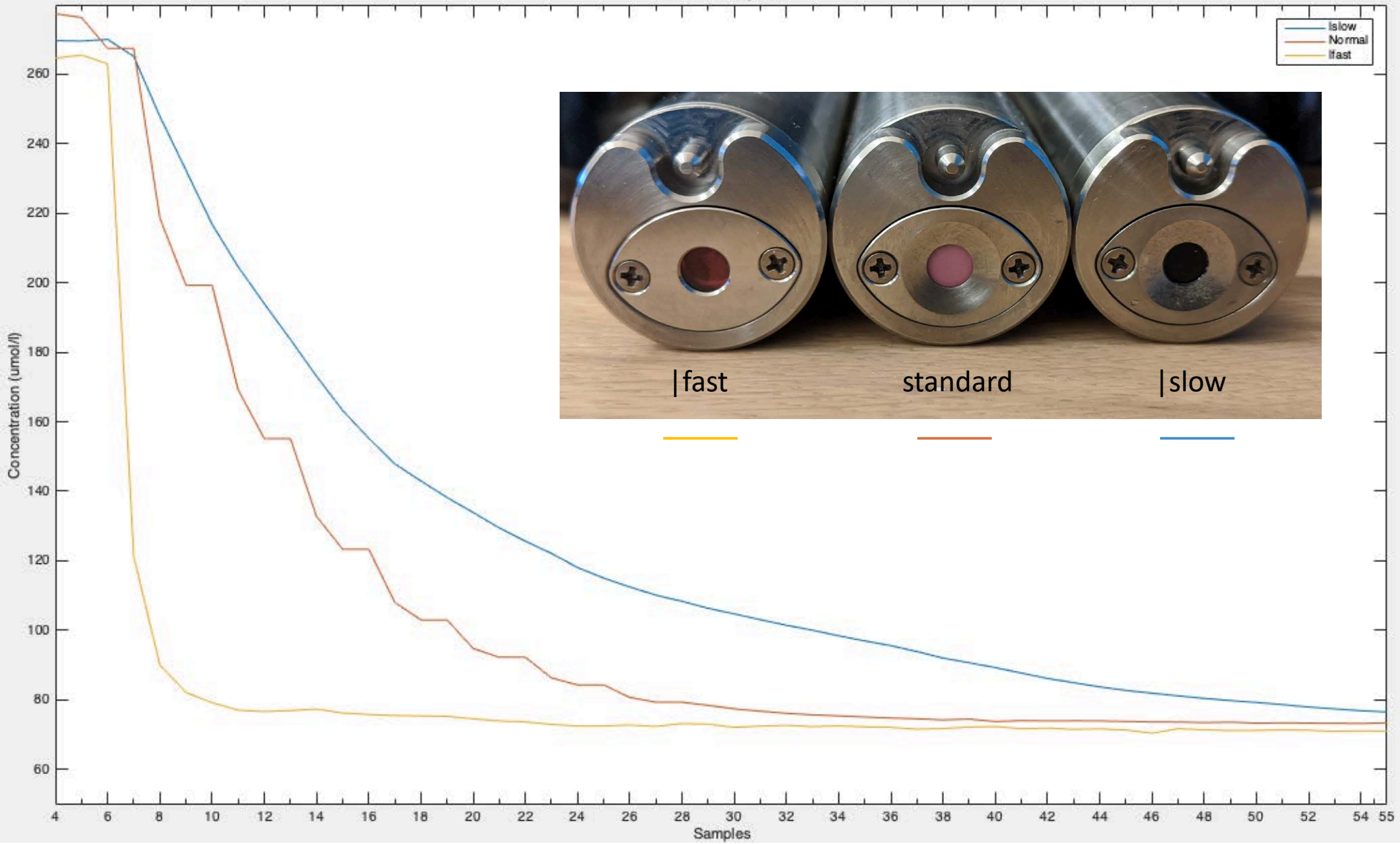
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Sensor Technology

Luminescence quenching by molecular oxygen

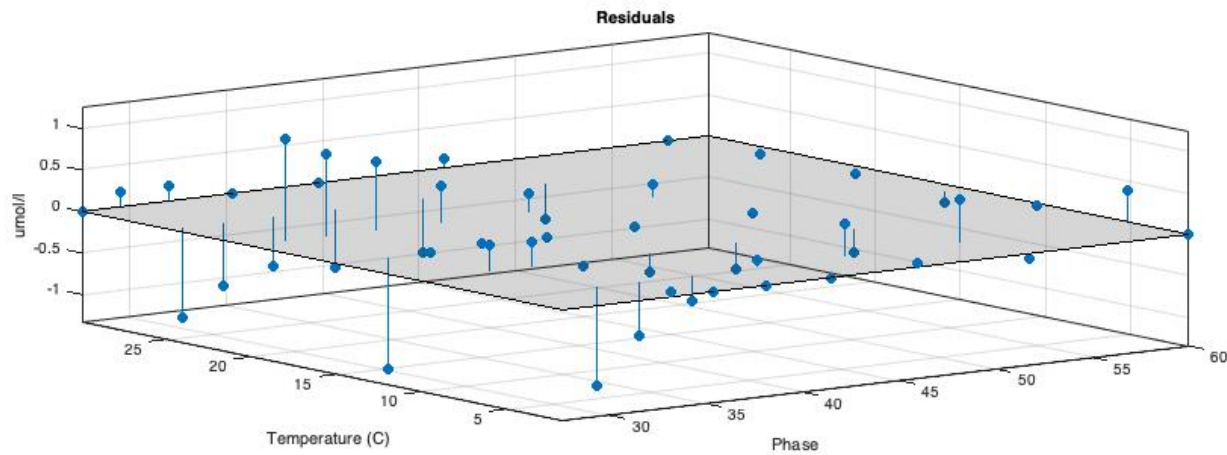
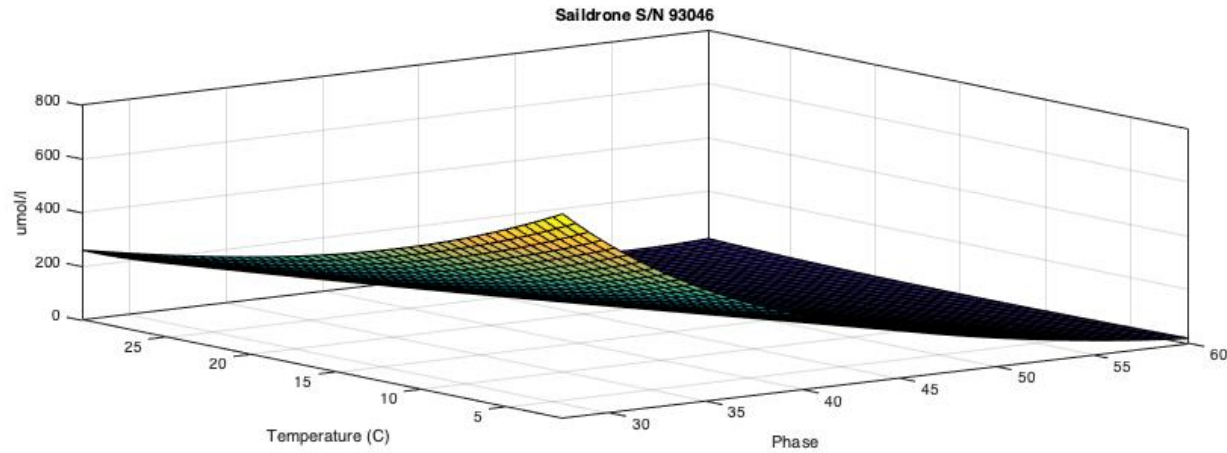


ODO time response



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RBRcoda T.ODO - Calibration



Dissolved Oxygen calibration

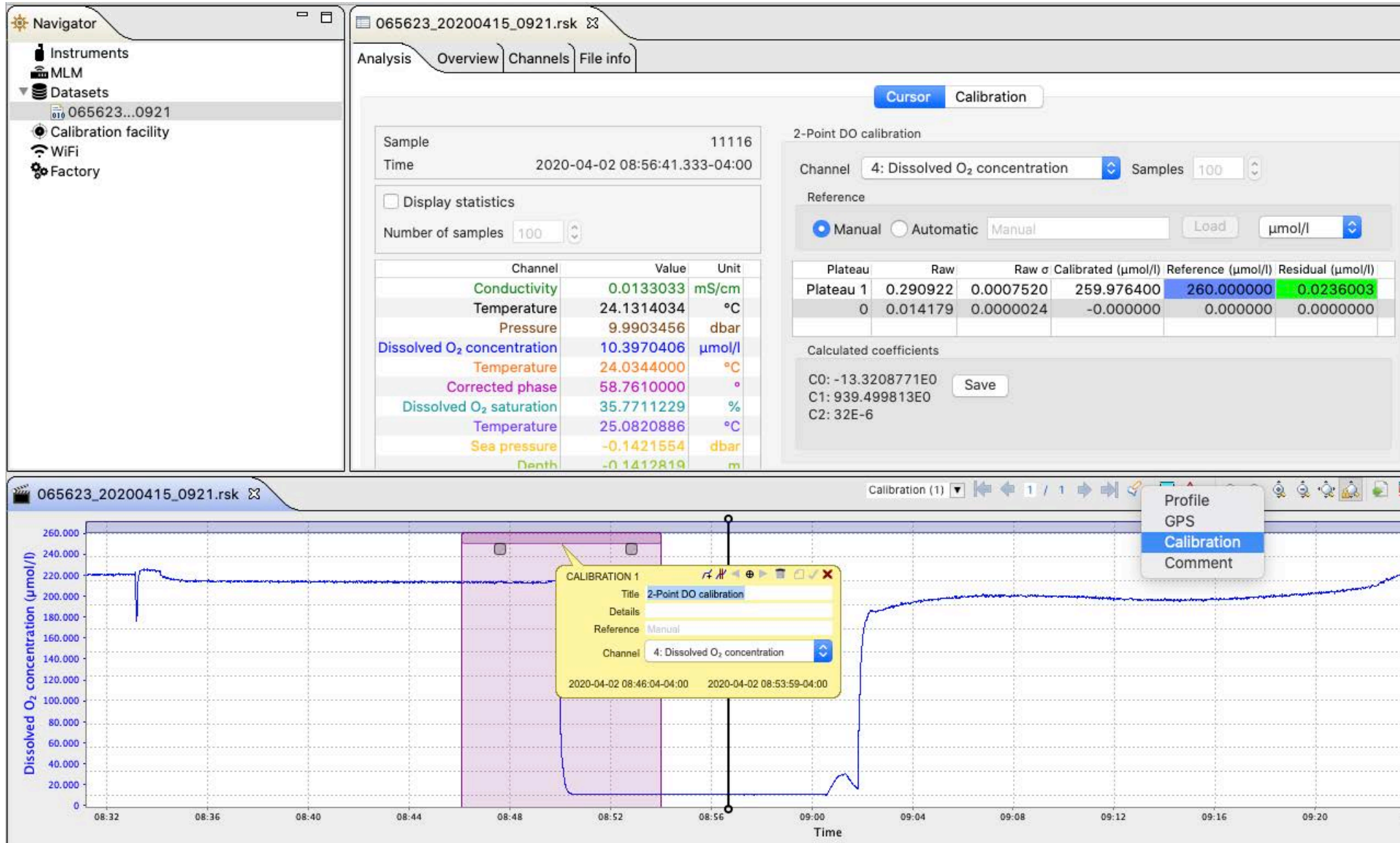
- 49 plateaus
- Temperature range: 1.5 – 30 °C
- Saturation: 0 – 120%
- Residuals: < 4 μmol/l

Temperature

- Accuracy: 0.002 °C
- Range: -5 to 35°C

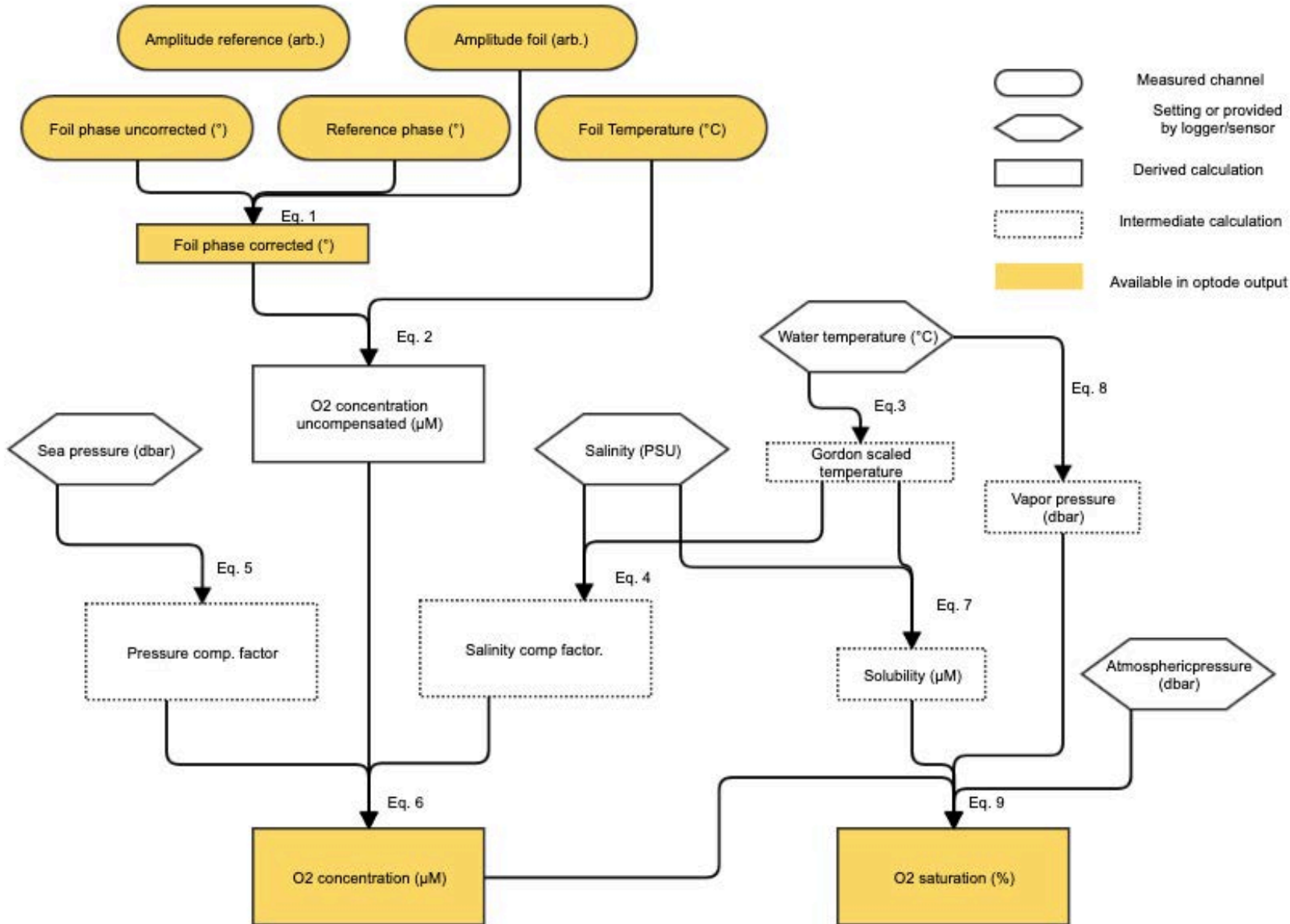
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RBRcoda T.ODO - Customer calibration



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Equations used by the RBR DO Sensor



Eq. 2

$$C(t, \phi) = [\phi^0 \ \phi^1 \ \phi^2 \ \phi^3 \ \phi^4] \begin{bmatrix} C_{00} & C_{01} & C_{02} & C_{03} \\ C_{10} & C_{11} & C_{12} & C_{13} \\ C_{20} & C_{21} & C_{22} & C_{23} \\ C_{30} & C_{31} & C_{32} & C_{33} \\ C_{40} & C_{41} & C_{42} & C_{43} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} t^0 \\ t^1 \\ t^2 \\ t^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Eq. 4

$$F_{cs} = e^{(s(\sum_{i=0}^3 G_{bi} t_s^i) + G_{c0} S^2)}$$

Eq. 5

$$F_{cp} = 1 + P \times C_p$$

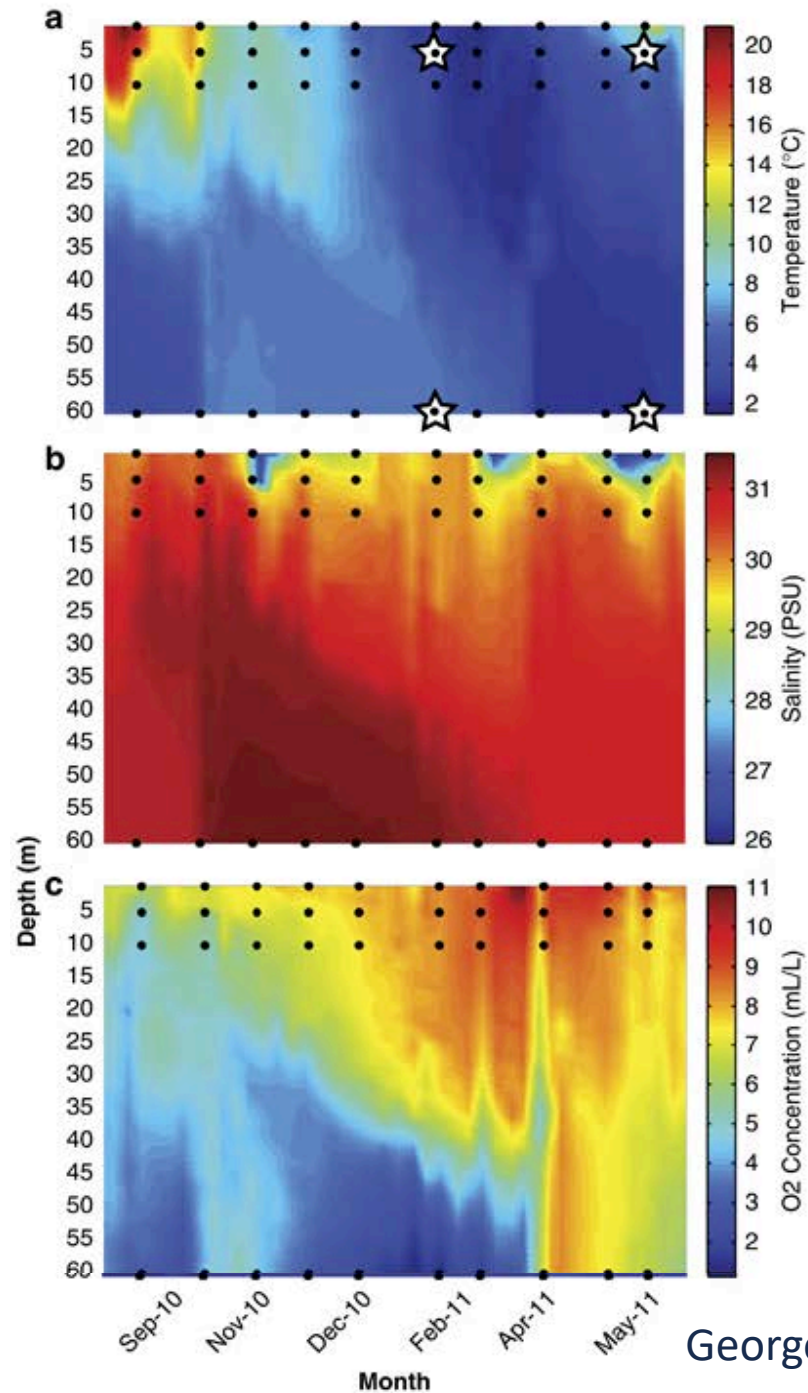
Eq. 6

$$C_c = C_u \times F_{cp} \times F_{cs}$$

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Field Validations

Bedford Basin, NS



Compass Buoys Station
(44°41'37''N, 63°38'25''W)

Strong seasonal variation of
dissolved oxygen

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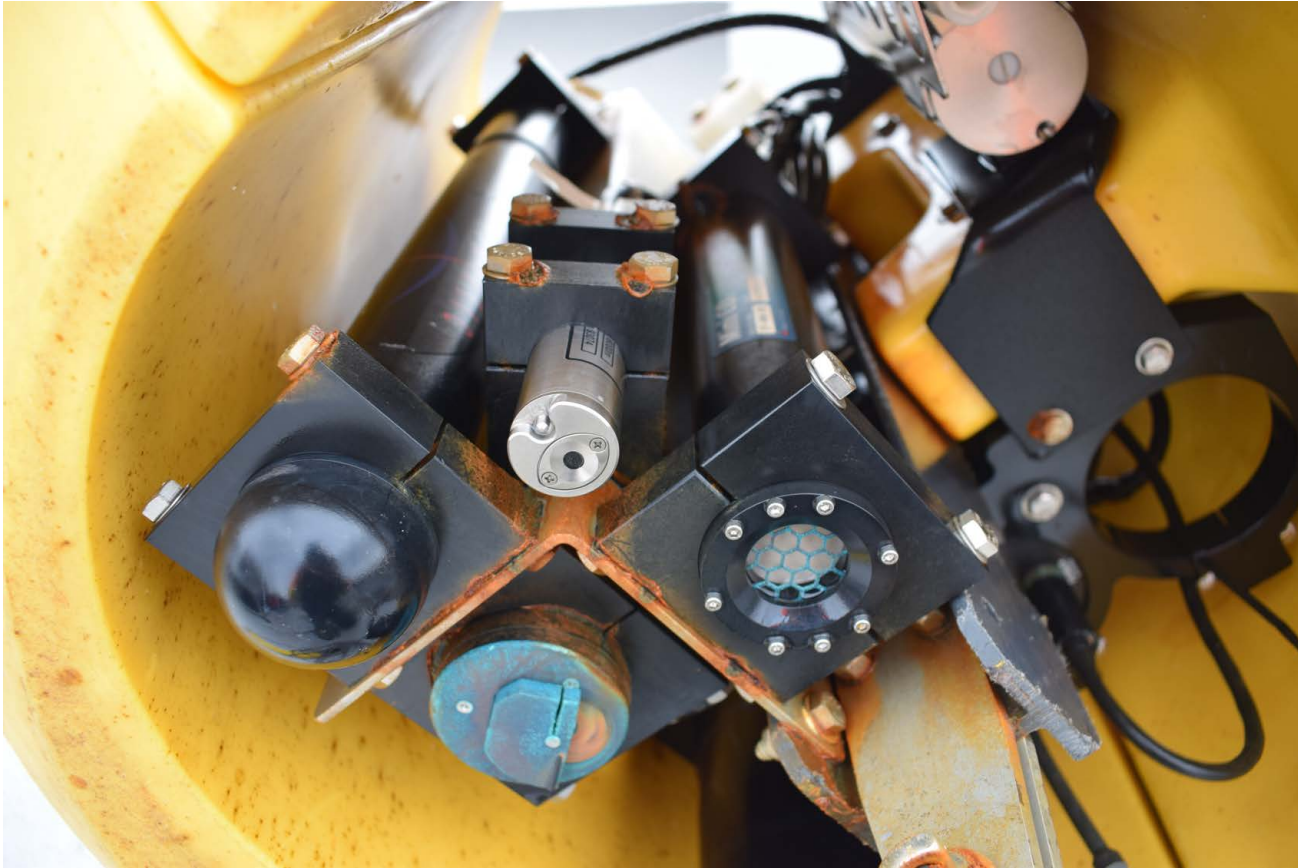
Georges et al. 2014

Mooring



Deployed in partnership between Dalhousie University and DFO Bedford Institute of Oceanography

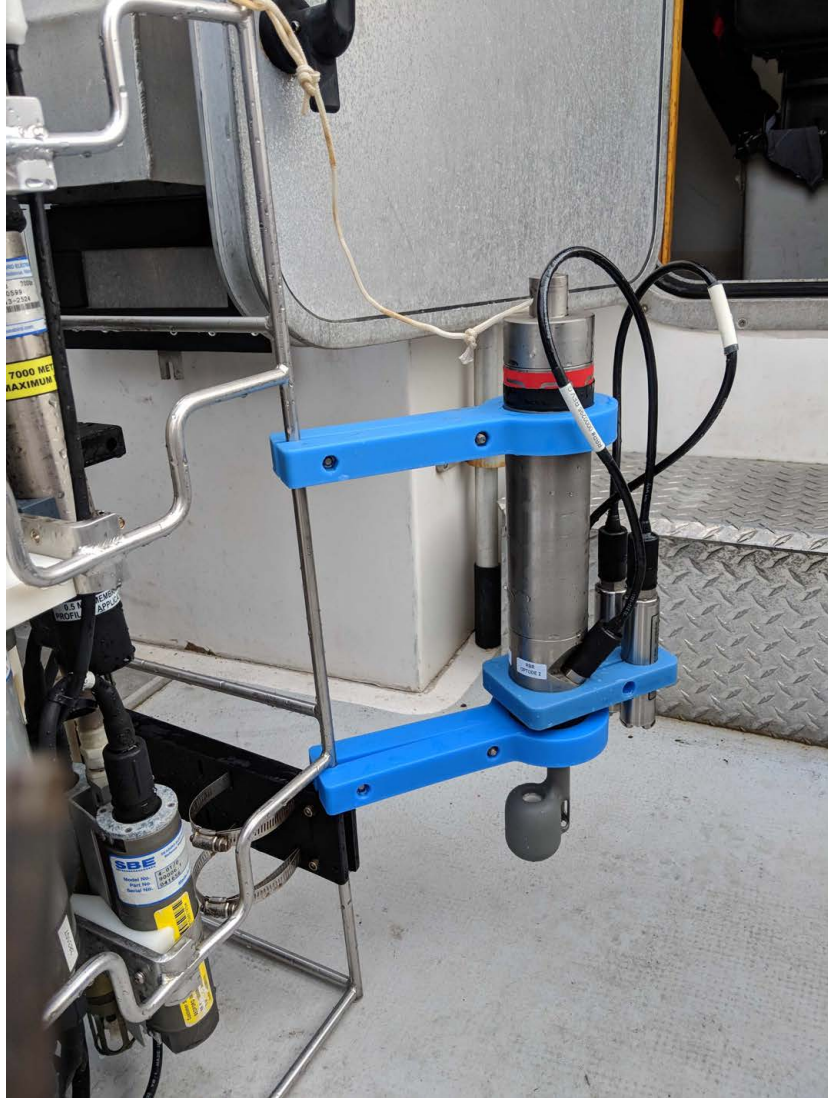
Mooring



- RBRcoda T.ODO|slow (30s time constant)
- SBE-37 CTD
- 60m depth
- Sep – Dec 2018
- Sample at 1Hz for the first minute of every hour

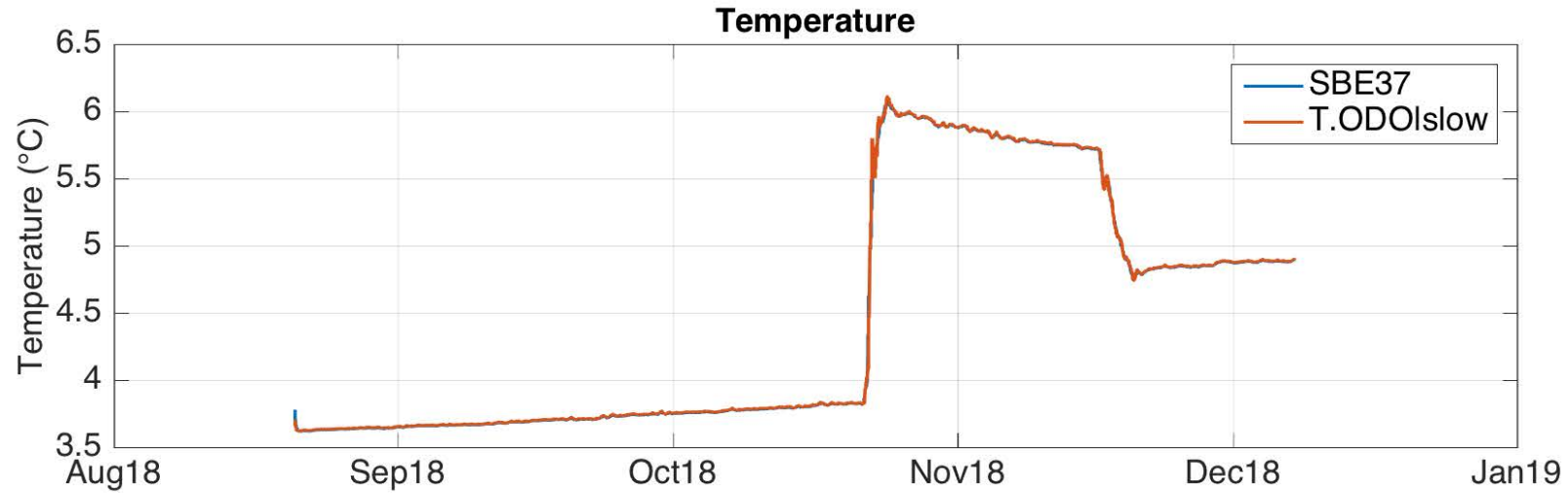
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Profiling

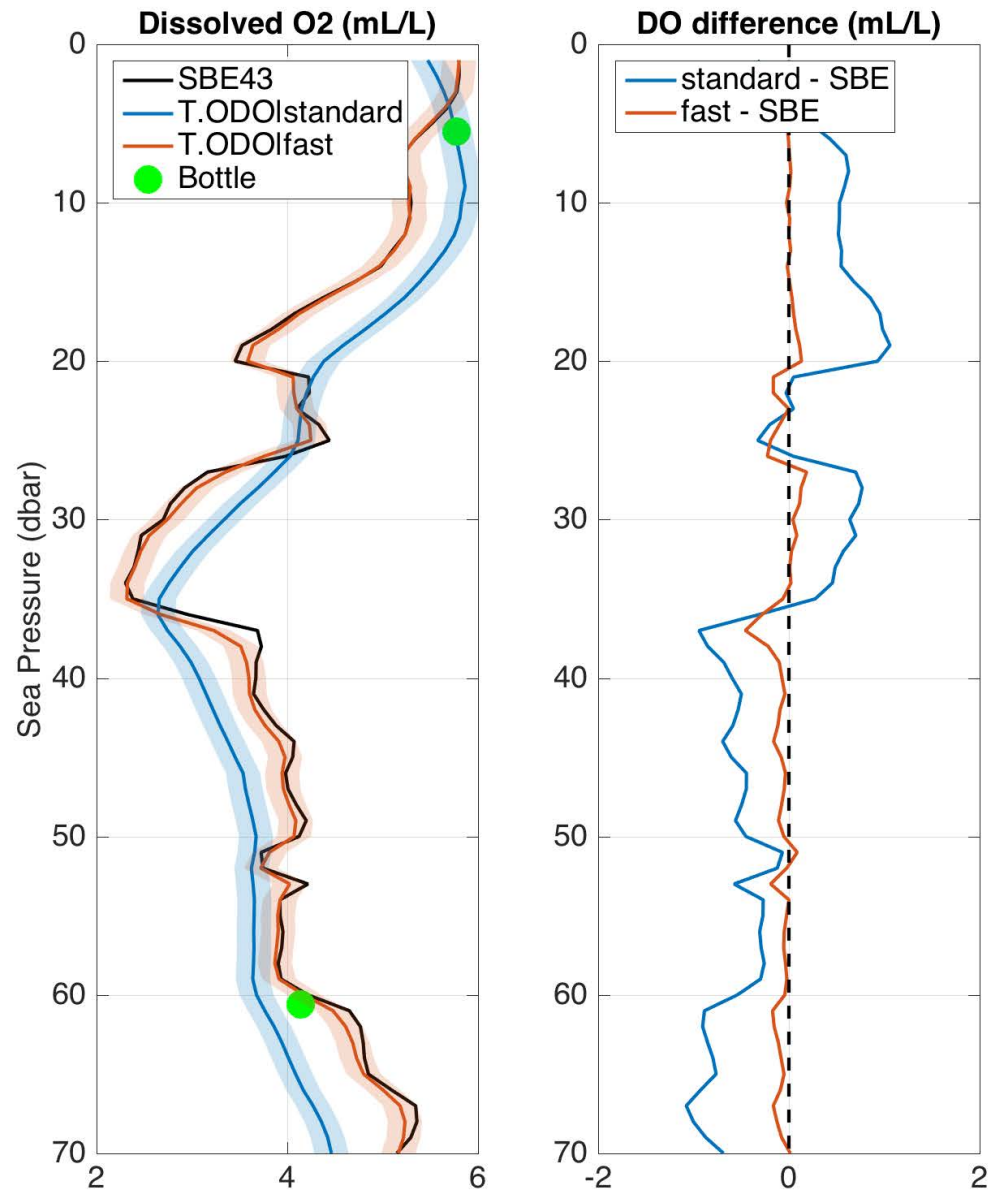


- Bedford Basin Monitoring Program
- Weekly vertical profiles over mooring
- Date: Oct 24, 2018
- Instruments:
 - RBRcoda T.ODO (8s time constant)
 - RBRcoda T.ODO|fast (1s time constant)
 - SBE-25 CTD
 - SBE-43 DO
 - Water bottles

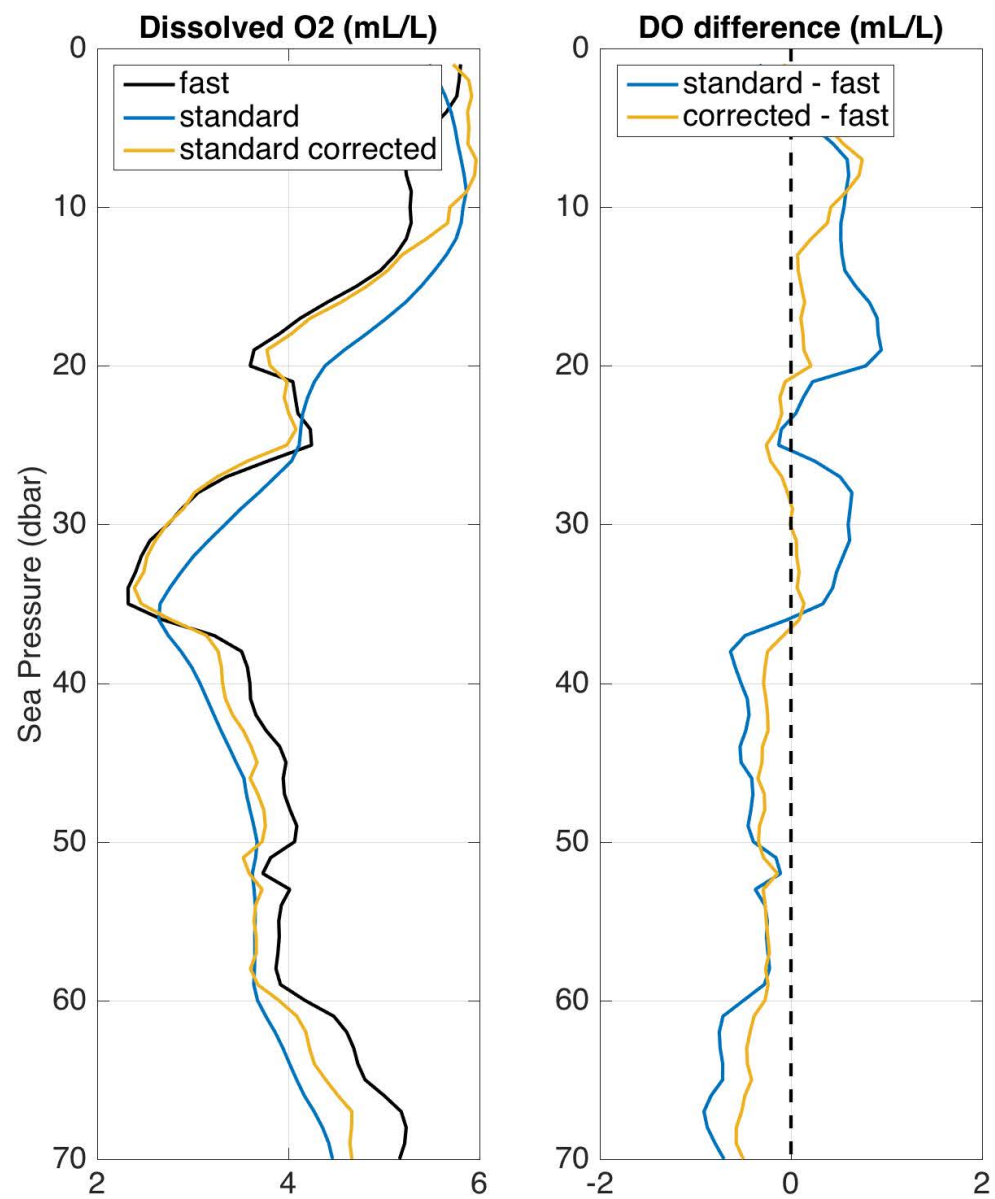
Results - Mooring



Results - Profiling



Results - Profiling



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Field Validation Summary

- *RBRcoda* T.ODO|slow – Stable for **mooring** application
- *RBRcoda* T.ODO|fast – Accurate for **profiling** application
- *RBRcoda* T.ODO standard – Expected time constant lag during profiling which can be improved in post-processing

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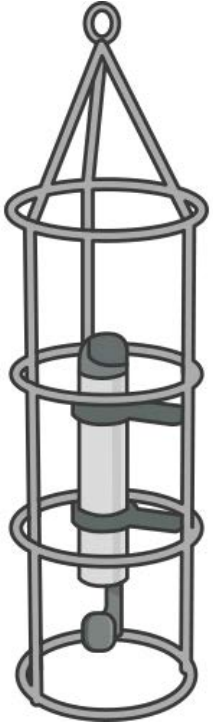


Fisheries and Oceans
Canada

Applications

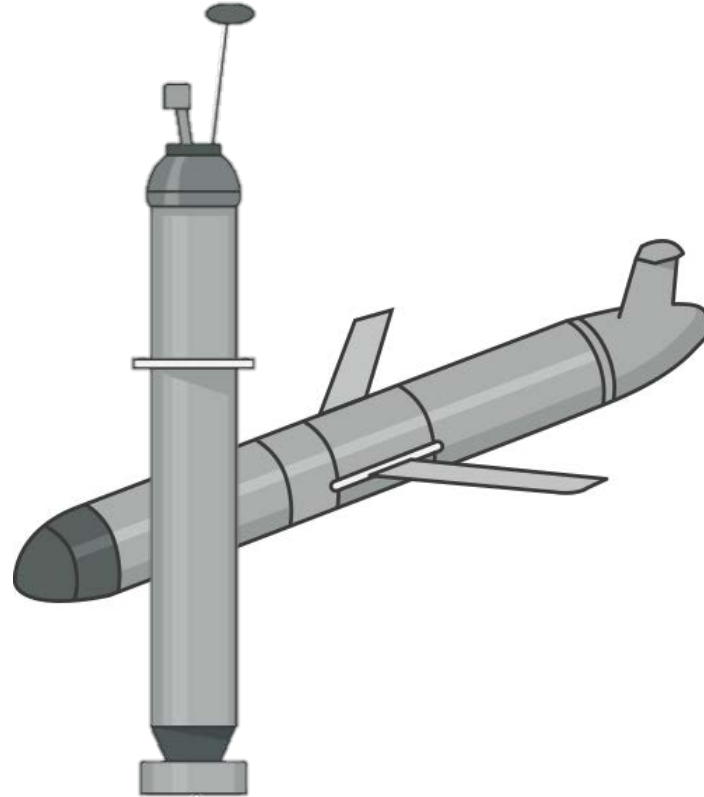
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T.ODO|fast



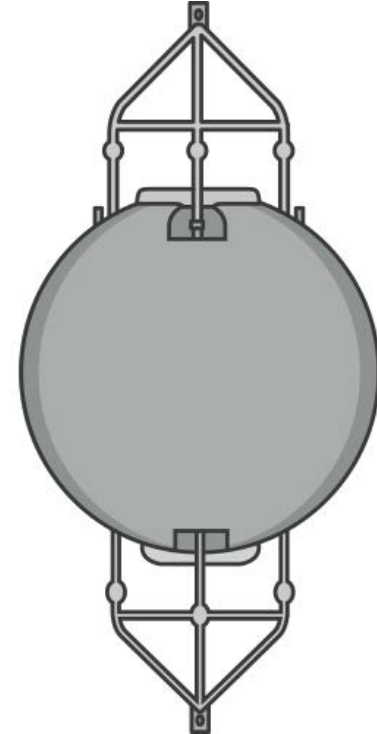
Vertical
Profiling

T.ODO



Vehicles
& Floats

T.ODO|slow



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Vertical Profiling



T.ODO|fast



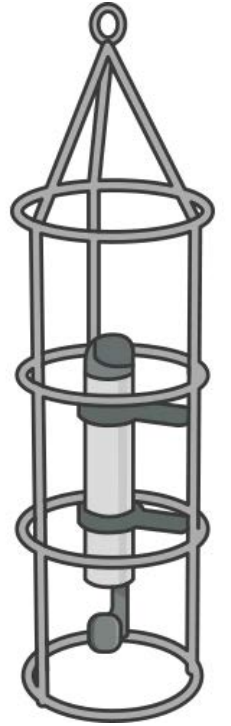
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Vertical Profiling



Photo from Nature Trust of British Columbia

T.ODO|fast

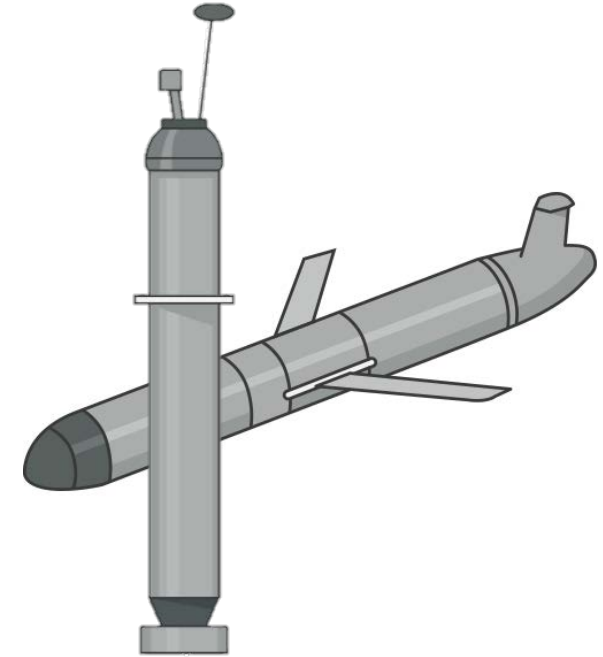


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Vehicles and Floats



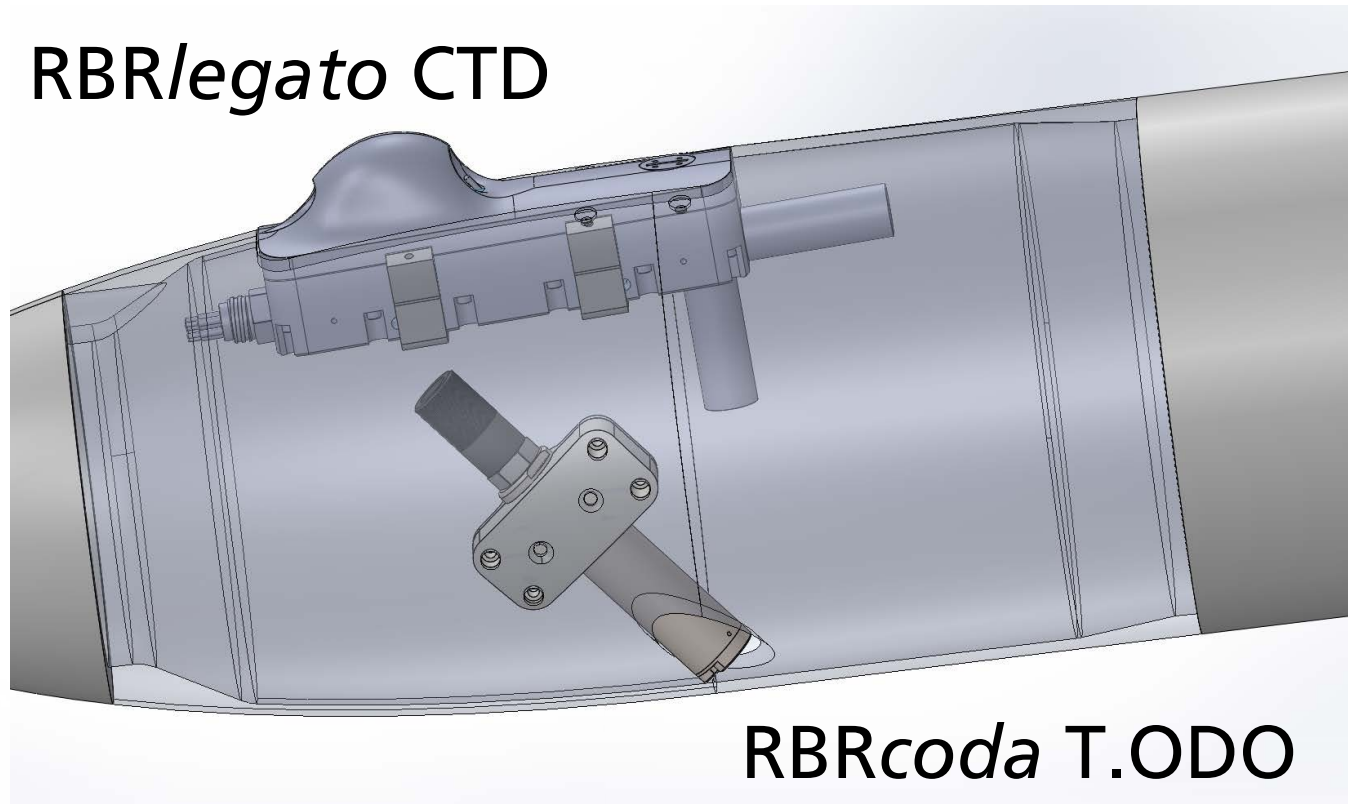
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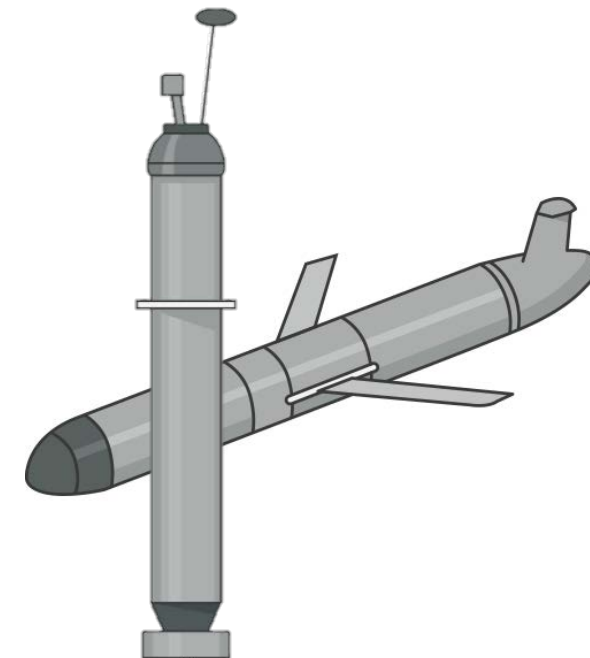


RBRcoda T.ODO



Kongsberg/Hydrod Seaglider

T.ODO



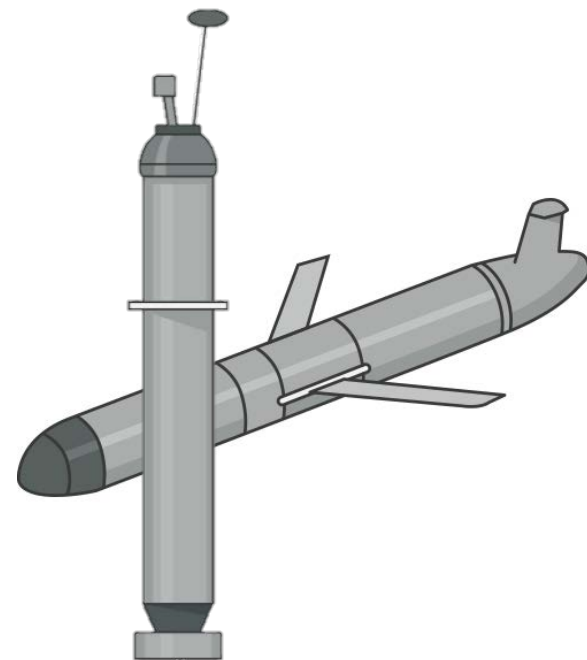
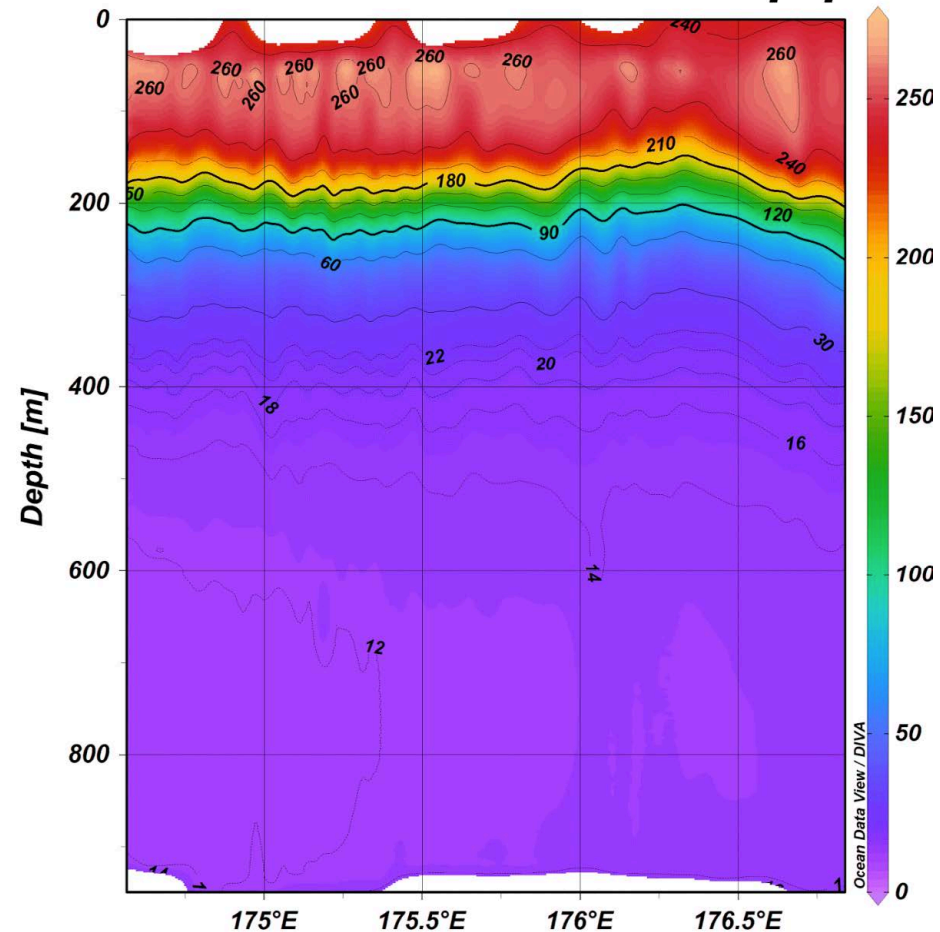
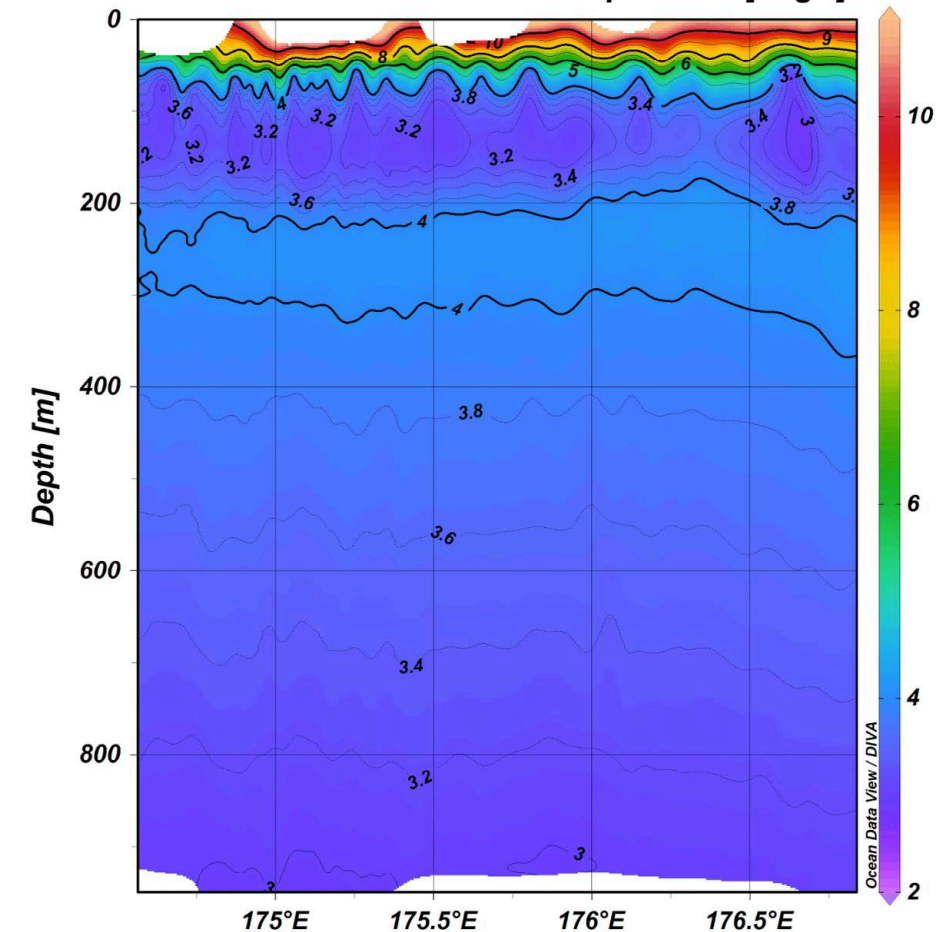
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T.ODO

Temperature [degC]

DO [μM]



Data from AMT

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Moorings

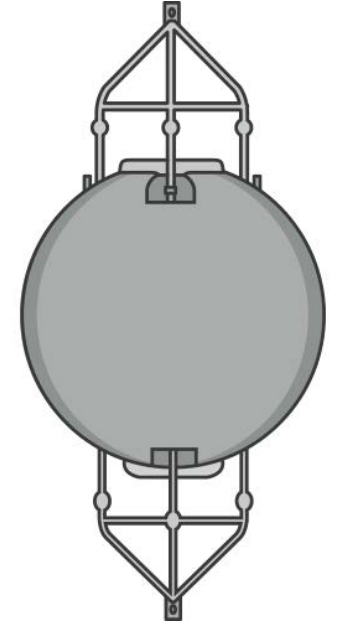


Photo from UC Davis Tahoe Environmental Research Center



Zebra-Tech Hydro-Wiper

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