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on**

Discovery and Use of Operational Ocean Data Products and Services

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INCOIS Marine Data Services

❖ **IN-SITU**

Argo, CTD, XBT, XCTD, Bio-Argo

❖ **Remote Sensing**

NOAA (AVHRR, AVHRR-AMSR), MODIS

❖ **Model Data**

MOM, ROMS, HYCOM

Data types

In situ

- Argo (las)
- Moored buoys (odis)
- Drifting buoys (odis)
- Tide gauge (odis)
- Bottom pressure recorders (odis)
- XBT observations (odis)
- Current meters (odis)
- HF Radars (odis)
- Automatic Weather Stations (odis)
- Wave Rider Buoys (odis)
- Wave Height Meter (odis)
- CTD (odis)

Remote sensing

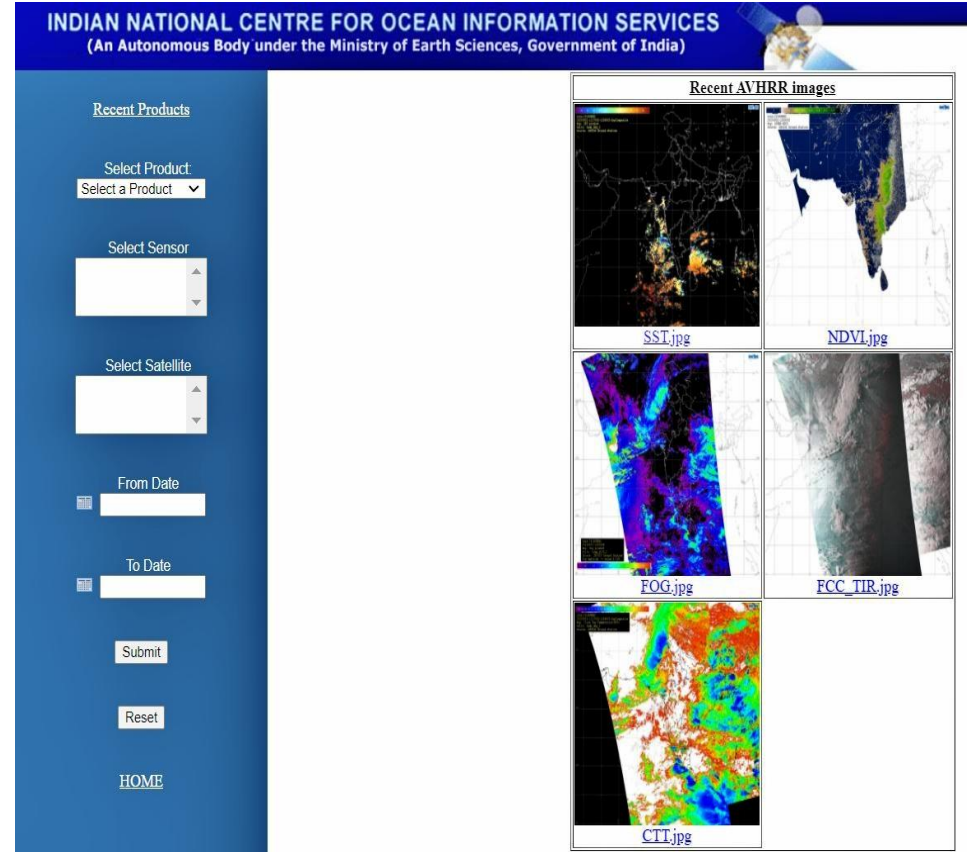
- MODIS/Terra and Aqua (las)
- OCM-1&2/Oceansat-2 (las)
- TMI (las)
- Quicksat & ASCAT (las)

Parameters

- temperature/ salinity
- air pressure
- air temperature
- wind speed and direction
- water temperature
- wave height and direction
- current speed and direction
- wave parameters
- SST and air temperature
- atmospheric pressure
- sea surface currents
- sea level

- SST
- chlorophyll
- sea level, SST
- rainfall

Remote Sensing





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Recent Products

Select Product:

Sea Surface Temp ▼

Select Sensor

AVHRR ▲

MODIS ▼

Select Satellite

METOP-1 ▲

METOP-2 ▼

NOAA-17 ▼

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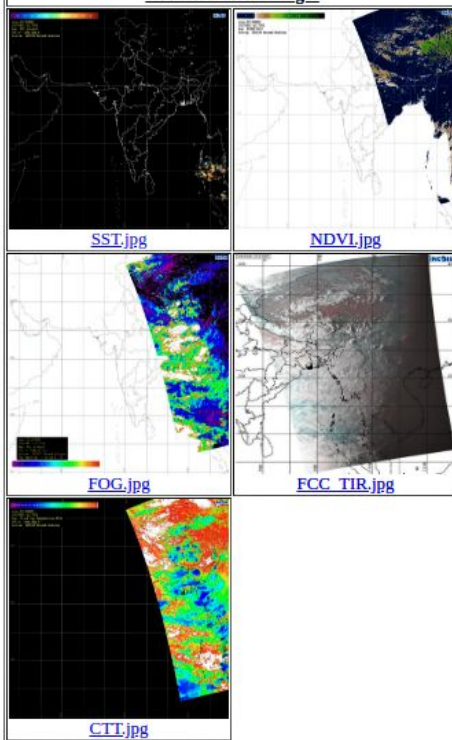
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In Situ

- INCOIS HOME >> Data & Information >> In Situ Data >> Argo



The image shows a screenshot of the Argo Home web interface. On the left is a blue sidebar menu with the following items: 'Argo Home', 'Data Access' (with a right arrow), 'Regional Data Centre' (with a down arrow), '» Floats in Indian Ocean', '» Value Added Products' (highlighted with a red rectangle), '» Density Maps', '» Statistics' (with a right arrow), 'APEX User Manuals', 'Active Floats in EEZ', and 'Argo Data Viewer'. On the right is a main content area with the title 'ARGO Home' in green. Below the title is a list of links, each preceded by a blue folder icon: 'About Argo', 'Objectives', 'Argo Info Center', 'ARGO Data Management' (which is expanded to show 'National', 'Regional', 'Global', and 'Long Term Archive'), 'Other Links' (which is expanded to show 'Other Programs', 'Global Ocean', and 'Other Data Centres'), and 'Float Mission'.

Argo Home

Data Access »

Regional Data Centre ∨

» Floats in Indian Ocean

» **Value Added Products**

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Active Floats in EEZ

Argo Data Viewer

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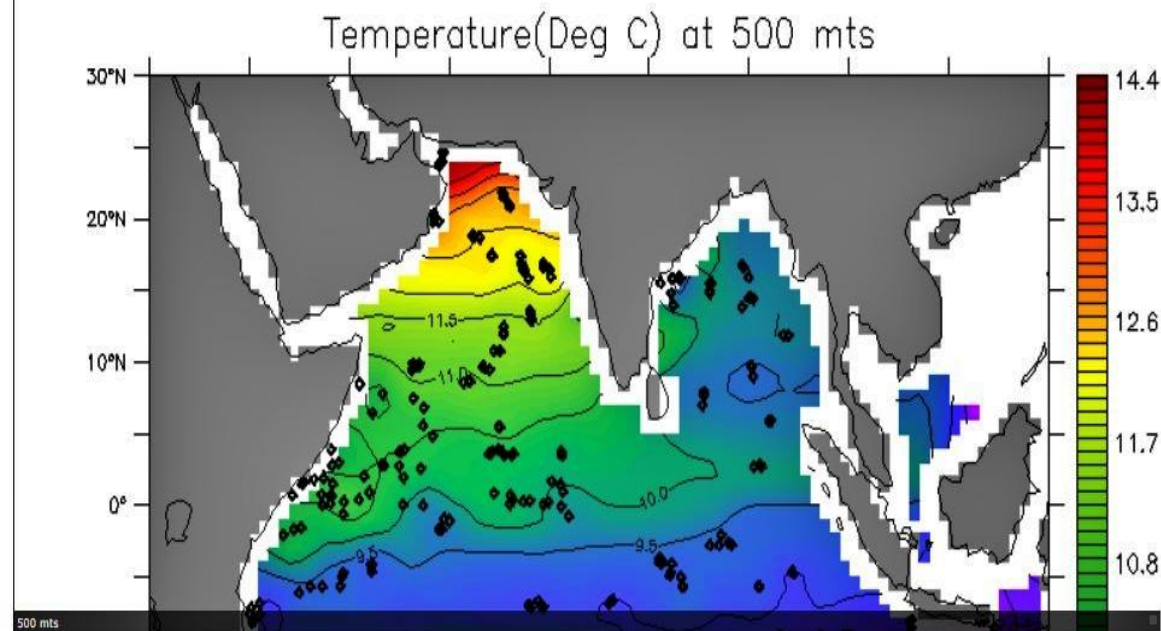
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Objectively Analysed Products

Year: 2004 Month: February Type: Temperature

Temperature Products for the Year: 2004 and month: February



Output available at
different depth levels

Live Access Server (LAS)

<https://las.incois.gov.in>

- The Live Access Server (LAS) is a highly configurable web server designed to provide flexible access to geo-referenced scientific data (since 1994)
- It provides visualization, comparison and substituting of multi-dimensional scientific data for web users
- LAS functions as a virtual window, supports Windows, Unix / Linux platform with netcdf output
- This is Ferret based application, though tools (Matlab,GrADS) can also be used
- Opendap is available for LAS for global recognition. It is a framework to deliver the output and capable for dissemination
- LAS in INCOIS (I-LAS) is being maintained since 2010

Products available on INCOIS Live Access Server (las.incois.gov.in)

Product	Availability Period
Objectively Analyzed Argo (10 days & Monthly)	Jan 2002–Till date
AMSRE (3 day & monthly)	June 2002–Till date
NOAA High resolution SST	Sep 1981–Till date
NOAA SST (INCOIS ground station)	2008–Till date
WHOI Air – Sea Fluxes	Jan 1985–Jul 2010
OCEAN Analysis (MOM –GODAS)	Jan 2003–Jun 2011
Ocean Color Monitor (OCM1)	Jan 2003–Apr 2006
QuikScat Wind products	Aug 1999–Nov 2009
TMI (3 day and monthly)	Jan 1998–Till date
ASCAT wind products	November 2008–Till date

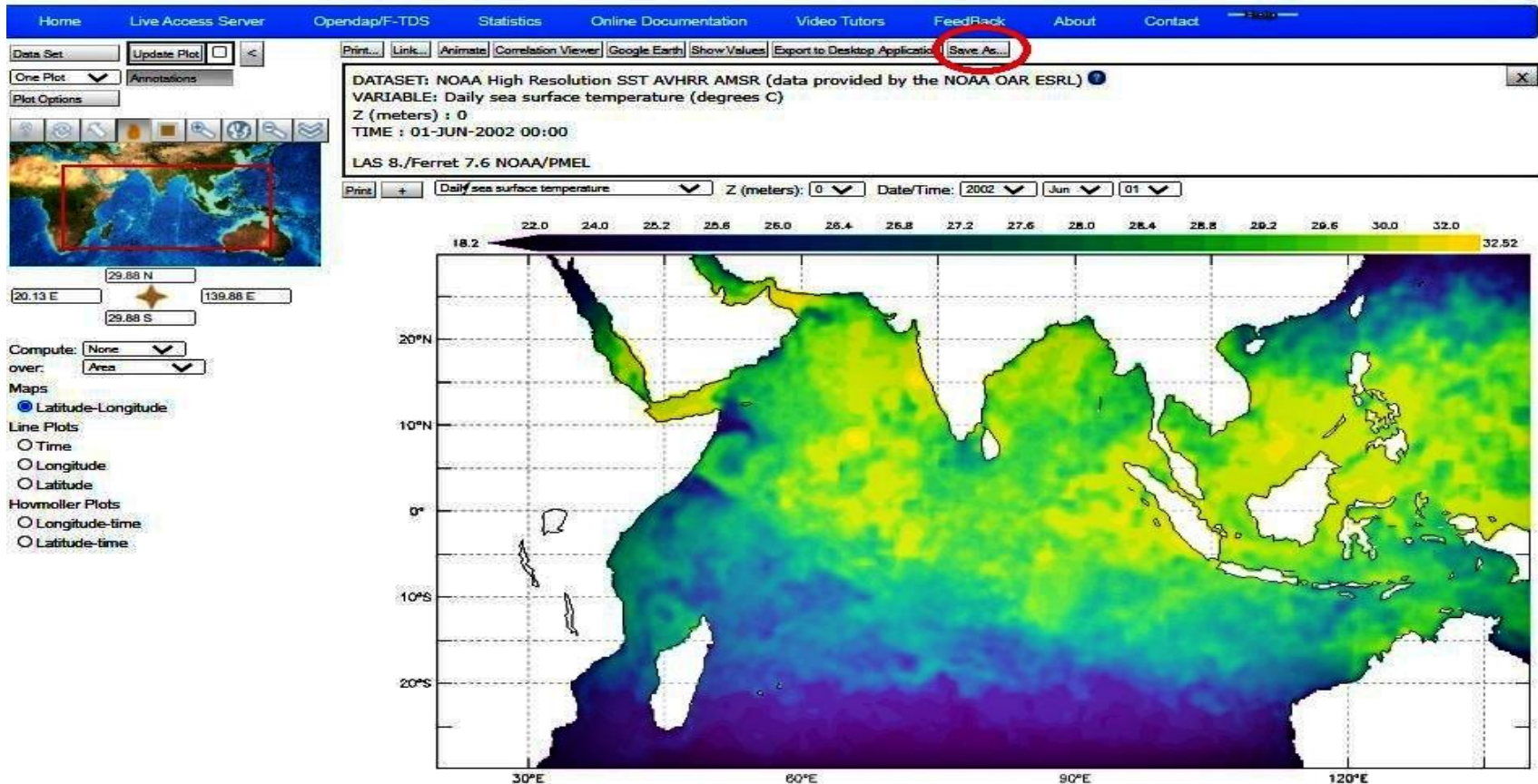
List of products on I-LAS

- Argo derived Products
 - > Argo derived products (SST), Value added products (MLD)
 - > Gridded products (OA and VAM)
- ASCAT wind product
 - > wind speed and wind stress (eastward and northward)
- Microwave data products
 - > AMSR-E, AMSR-2
 - > TMI
- New Global Climatology (NIO)
 - > Temperature and Salinity
- NOAA
 - > AVHRR and AVHRR-AMSR
- Ocean colour products
 - > OCM-1 : Chlorophyll
 - > OCM-2 : Chlorophyll-a



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(An Autonomous Body under the Ministry of Earth Sciences, Govt. of India)



Specify your data's requirements and then
click "Save" to download.

Selected Region:

Longitude range: [20.125, 139.88]

Latitude range: [-29.875, 29.88]

Select a Data Format:

NetCDF ▾

Select Time:

Start date/time: 2002 ▾ Jun ▾ 01 ▾

End date/time: 2011 ▾ Sep ▾ 30 ▾

Select Depth:

Start (meters): 0 ▾

End (meters): 0 ▾

Save

Output:

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A34761216A_ferret_listing.nc

Type: NC File (.nc)

INCOIS LIVE ACCESS SERVER: Property-Property Viewer

Update Plot Print

Help Latitude, Longitude and Time Constraints:


 29.88 N
 20.13 E 139.88 E

29.88 S

Start date/time: 2002 Jun 01 Reset

End date/time: 2002 Jun 02

Start (meters): 0

End (meters): 0

Variable Constraints: Add a variable constraint...

☒ Apply 17.75 < sst <= 33.25

☐ Apply -4.5 < anom <= 3.3

Annotations

DATA SET: NOAA High Resolution SST AVHRR AMSR (data provided by the NOAA OAR ESRL)

VARIABLE: Daily sea surface temperature (degrees C) vs Daily sea surface temperature anomalies (degrees C)

LONGITUDE: 20.125E to 139.88E

LATITUDE: 29.875S to 29.88N

Z (meters) : 0

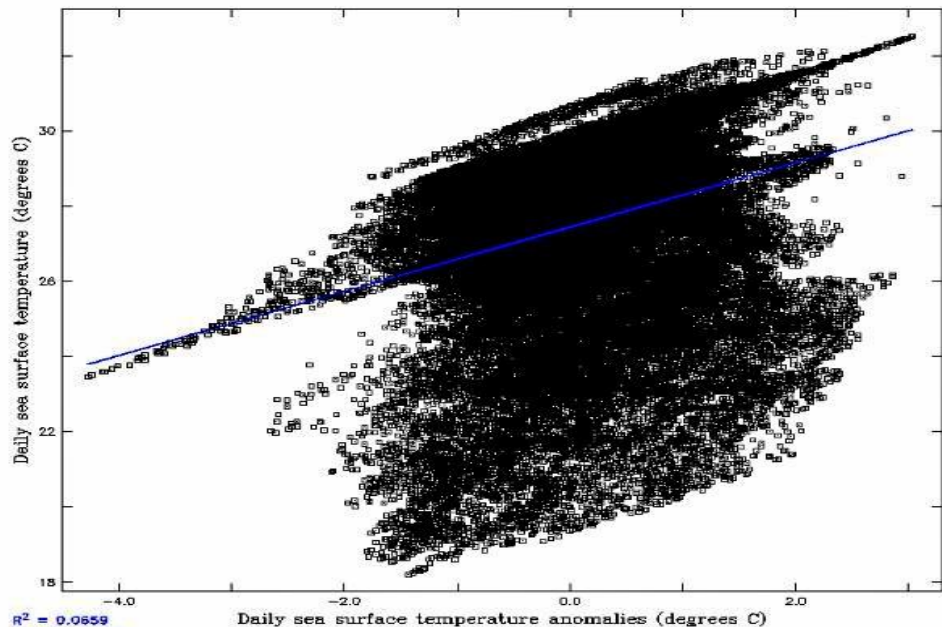
TIME : 01-JUN-2002 00:00

LAS 8./Ferret 7.6 NOAA/PMEL

Help

☒ Daily sea surface temperature

 as a function of ☒ Daily sea surface temperature anomalies

 Colored By ☐ Daily sea surface temperature

 $R^2 = 0.0659$
 Slope = 0.853

Ocean Data and Information System (ODIS)

<http://odis.incois.gov.in/>

- ODIS provide ocean data and data products required for both research and operational oceanography
- The data received from various observing systems in real-time at different communication systems are assembled and standardized
- ODIS was designed and developed using open access data management and web access tools like MySQL, UMN MapServer and OpenLayers
- It serves as an end-to-end ocean data management system



Ocean Data and Information System

Language Switcher

English ▼

Main Menu

- Home
- In-situ Data
 - **Moored Buoy**
 - Drifting Buoy
 - Realtime Automatic Weather Stations
 - Wave Rider Buoy
 - Coastal HF Radar
 - Equatorial Current Meter Array
 - XBT
 - Argo Data
 - Tide Gauge data
 - BPR Data
 - All In-situ Data
- Remote Sensing Data
- Live Access Server (LAS)
- QC Manuals
- Project Datasets
- Publications
- Contact Us

You are here: In-situ Data > All In-situ Data



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Log in

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Developed by Data and Information Management Group(DMG)

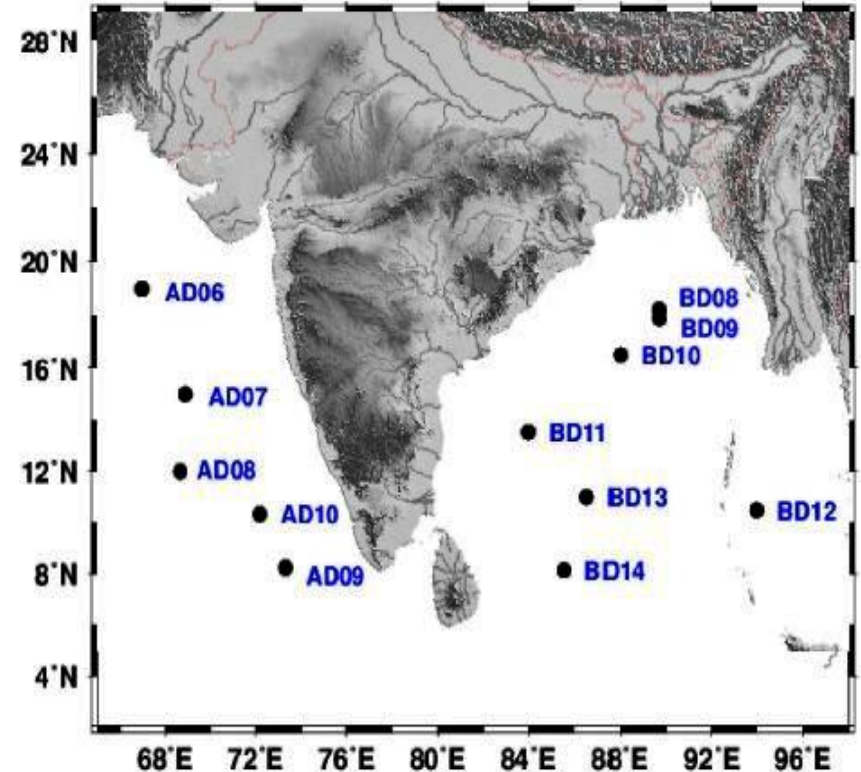
Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS), "Ocean Valley", Pragathi Nagar (BO), Huzurpet (SO) Hyderabad-500090

Ocean Data and Information System at INCOIS for dissemination of in situ data (Shesu et al., 2013)

Moored Buoy OMNI

- OMNI provides High resolution real-time Data.
- Record both meteorological and oceanographic parameters
 - > air temperature, pressure, surface winds, radiation, rainfall, humidity
 - > surface temperature, conductivity, surface layer currents
- Currently 12 active buoys
- Deploy and maintained by NIOT; data processing and dissemination through INCOIS

Moored buoy >> Data Access





Ocean Data and Information System

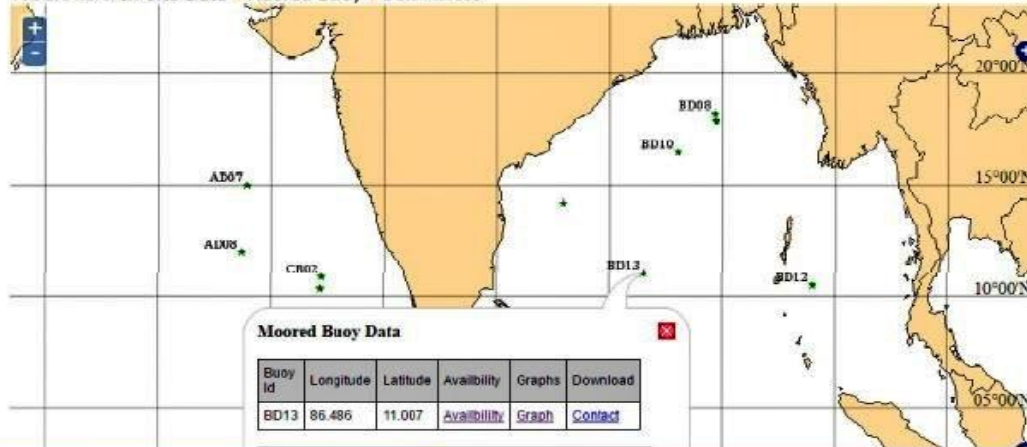
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You are here: In-situ Data > Moored Buoy > Data Access



Moored Buoy Data

Buoy Id	Longitude	Latitude	Availability	Graphs	Download
BD13	86.486	11.007	Availability	Graph	Contact

Search

Search...

Login Form

User Name

Password

Remember Me ☐

[Log in](#)

- Change your password? OR
- Forgot your password?
- Forgot your username?

BD08 : 31 May 2011 to 13 April 2017



80°00'E

Air Pressure





- Serve different type of data at unifies platform
- Simple and consistent data server to download subsets of scientific datasets
- Outputs are available in many formats as as .html table, ESRI .asc and .csv, Google Earth .kml, OPeNDAP binary, .mat, .nc, ODV .txt, .csv, .tsv, .json, and .xhtml
- ERDDAP can also return a .png or .pdf image with a customized graph or map.




Protocol	Description
griddap datasets	Griddap lets you use the OPeNDAP hyperslab protocol to request data subsets, graphs, and maps from gridded datasets (for example, satellite data and climate model data). griddap documentation
tabledap datasets	Tabledap lets you use the OPeNDAP constraint/selection protocol to request data subsets, graphs, and maps from tabular datasets (for example, buoy data). tabledap documentation
"files" datasets	ERDDAP's "files" system lets you browse a virtual file system and download source data files. WARNING! The dataset's metadata and variable names in these source files may be different than elsewhere in ERDDAP! You might prefer using the dataset's Data Access Form instead. "files" documentation
WMS datasets	The Web Map Service (WMS) lets you request an image with data plotted on a map. WMS documentation


ERDDAP HOME >> GRIDDED DATASETS >> MAKE A GRAPH


Grid DAP Data	Sub-set	Table DAP Data	Make A Graph	W M S	Title	Summary	Meta-data	Back-ground Info	RSS	E mail	Institution	Dataset ID
data			graph	M	AMSR2 Monthly Global Data	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	AMSR2_mnt_Global
data			graph	M	AMSRE 3Day Global Data	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	AMSRE_3DAY_GLOBAL
data			graph	M	AMSRE Monthly Global Data	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	AMSRE_MONTHLY_GLOBAL
data			graph	M	Daily ASCAT global wind field	?	M	background	RSS		ifremer	ascat_daily_datasets
data			graph	M	Daily-OI-V2, final, Data (Ship, Buoy, AMSR-E, AVHRR, GSFC-ice)	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	NOAA_AVHRR_AMSR_datasets
data			graph	M	Daily-OI-V2, final, Data (Ship, Buoy, AVHRR, GSFC-ice)	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	NOAA_AVHRR_datasets
data			graph	M	Data from a local source.	?	M	background	RSS		???	AMSR2_3day_Global
data			graph	M	INCOIS ARGO 10 Day data Kessler-McCreary Methodology	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	incois_argo_10day_McCreary
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data			graph	M	INCOIS argo SST data Weekly	?	M	background	RSS		INCOIS	incois_argo_sst_weekly
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Dataset Title: **AMSR2 Monthly Global Data**  


Institution: INCOIS (Dataset ID: AMSR2_mnt_Global)

Information: [Summary](#)  | [License](#)  | [Metadata](#) | [Background](#)  | [Data Access Form](#)

Graph Type: 

X Axis: 

Y Axis: 




Color: 

Dimensions 

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latitude (degrees_north)       


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Graph Settings

Color Bar:  Continuity:  Scale: 

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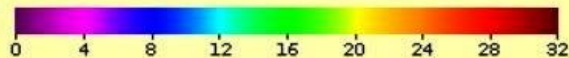
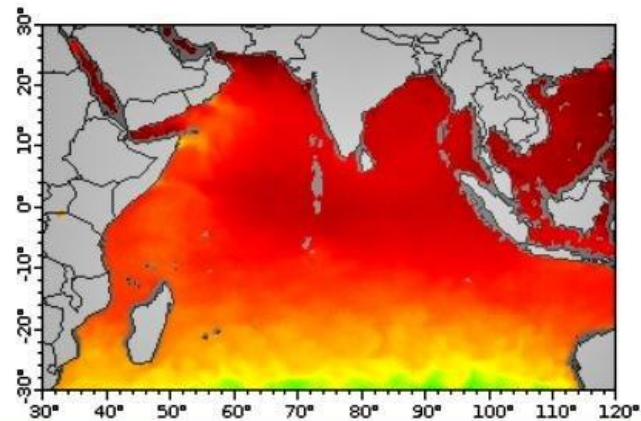
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([Documentation](#) / [Bypass this form](#) )

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Sea Surface Temperature (Degree C)

AMSR2 Monthly Global Data

(2020-07-15T00:00:00Z)

Data courtesy of INCOIS

Set file type as your choice, viz. png for download image etc.

TropFlux

- Aims at providing daily, timely, accurate air-sea heat and momentum flux data for the entire Indian ocean region
- Data available since 1979
- TropFlux data is freely available for research and education purposes.



Data Access

See in [TropFlux products](#) for access period

See in [Changes](#) for information about

The data is in NetCDF format.

Note: To download TropFlux data, registration is required.

Offline Data via DVDs

- Argo data and products for Indian Ocean consisting of 2 lakhs+ profiles is prepared and being distributed to students and researchers
- Upon registration, DVD contains software with Graph User Interface, similar feature to traditional Web GIS where in the user can search, query, visualize and download the data of their choice
- For huge data sets, FTP platform can be provided to download the desire data



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Argo Data Viewer

Indian Ocean Argo Data Viewing Application

About Argo Data Viewing Application

A new version (2.2) of the "Argo Data and Products for Indian Ocean" is available for download. It is sequel to the version 2.1 developed by the Data Management and Information Group (DMG) of the Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services (INCOIS), Hyderabad, India. The data can be interactively obtained by using the interface software developed in Java. This application works on Windows operating system and can be best view in 1024 X 768 screen resolution.

Salient Features of this Product

- GUI for easy navigation, browsing, data extraction with user defined spatial and temporal domains
- Spatial Coverage : 20°E – 140°E and 70°S – 30°N
- Temporal Coverage : January 2001 – April 2017
- Number of Argo Floats : 2863 Argo floats deployed by India and other countries in the Indian Ocean
- Number of Profiles : ~3,21,445 Temperature and Salinity Profiles collected by Argo Floats, excluding profiles in the Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ)
- Value Added Products: Temperature, Salinity and Geostrophic Currents (0, 75, 100, 200, 500, 1000 M depths), Heat Content up to 300 M, Mixed Layer Depth, Isothermal Layer Depth, Depth of 20deg and 26 deg Isotherms, Dynamic Height
- T/S Plots : Plots of temperature and salinity of a single profile and all profiles from a float can be viewed with a single mouse click
- Filtering & Sorting :
 - Enhanced querying option for filtering and retrieving specific data of interest
 - Objectively analyzed data products in NetCDF format

Contents of the Software product

- **dbase** : This folder consists of the Argo databases and netcdf files
- **documents** : This folder consists of the supporting, help documents and manuals
- **html pages** : This folder consists of the supporting pages
- **images** : This folder consists of the support images
- **products** : This folder consists of the images of the various products
- **jre** : This folder contains the java runtime environment to execute the software application
- **lib** : This folder contains the necessary library files to execute the application
- **LatestUpdates** : This folder consists of the latest argo data to be updated.
- **argo.bat** : This file is used to execute the ADV software application.

Support

For Software support, please contact Geetha (geetha[at]incois[dot]gov[dot]in) or Uday (uday[at]incois[dot]gov[dot]in).

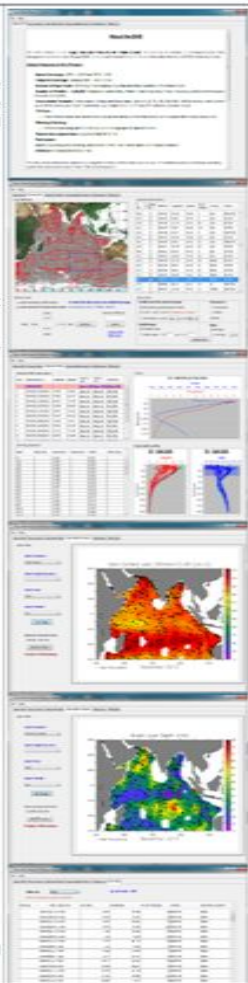
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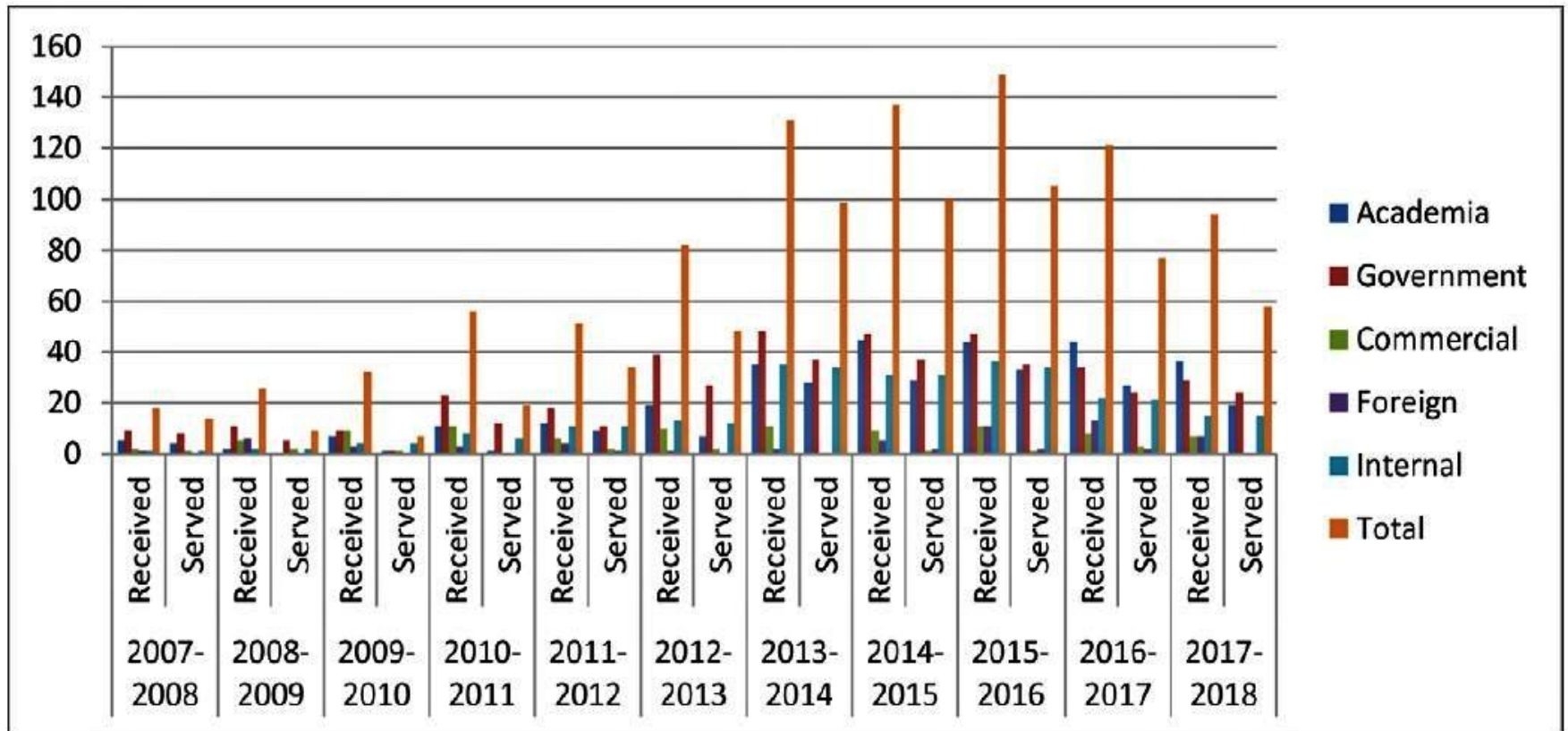
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How to acknowledge data plotted in the software:

The following paper must be cited while publishing any paper/report based on the data in the software.

"Argo Data and Products of Indian Ocean for Low Bandwidth Users, G. Geetha, T.V.S. Udaya Bhaskar, E. Pattabhi Rama Rao, International Journal of Oceans and Oceanography, Vol 5, Issue 1, pp 1 – 8, 2011."





Distribution of the different types of requests processed (Pattabhi et al. 2018)

DATA REQUISITION FORM



DATA REQUISITION FORM

1. Institution / Dept. Address:
2. Name & designation of the officer requiring data:
3. Details of data requirement:

Parameters	Platform / Instrument	Period

4. Project for which the above data is required and the project cost:
5. Please indicate whether the data is required for:
 - a. Own research
 - b. Sponsored & consultancy projects*
6. If it is for consultancy project, whether the project has obtained the approval from Central/State Government, if so, please provide the details:

7. CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKING:

- a. Data supplied are exclusively for the use of the organization only.
- b. The data will be used only for the purpose for which it is supplied.
- c. These data shall not be passed on to any other party or agency (India/abroad) either in part, in full or in any form. If needed, prior approval should be taken from Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services for the same under special circumstances.
- d. Due acknowledgement shall be given to Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services for the source of data in all reports / publications etc. made by you.

Signature of the Officer (Requisite)

Signature of the Head of the Institution

Station:
Date & office seal:

Note:

* For sponsored and consultancy projects, INCOIS will be charging for the data to be supplied as per INCOIS norms.

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