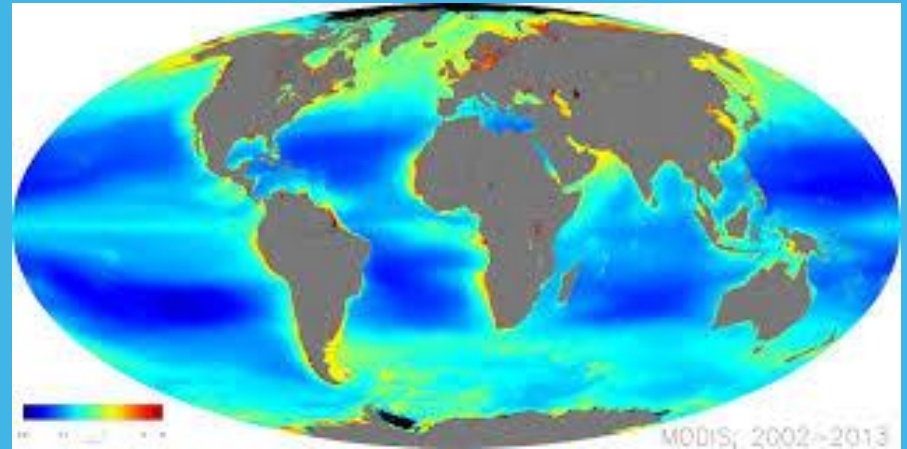


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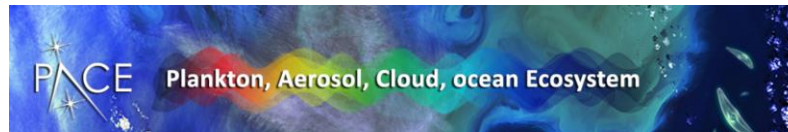


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IOCS, Busan, Korea - 08 April 2019,

Existing programs

Several databases – SeaBASS, MERMAID, PANGAEA, PACE, OC-CCI, International PFT etc



European Space Agency



Satellite Phytoplankton Functional Type
Algorithm Intercomparison Project



Marine Optical Buoy (MOBY)

Provides vicarious calibration of ocean color satellites

André Valente, et al (2019). A compilation of global bio-optical in situ data for ocean-colour satellite applications – version two. Submitted to Earth System Science Data

Future Parameters

For PFT analyses there is a need to go beyond absorption, pigment and TSS data

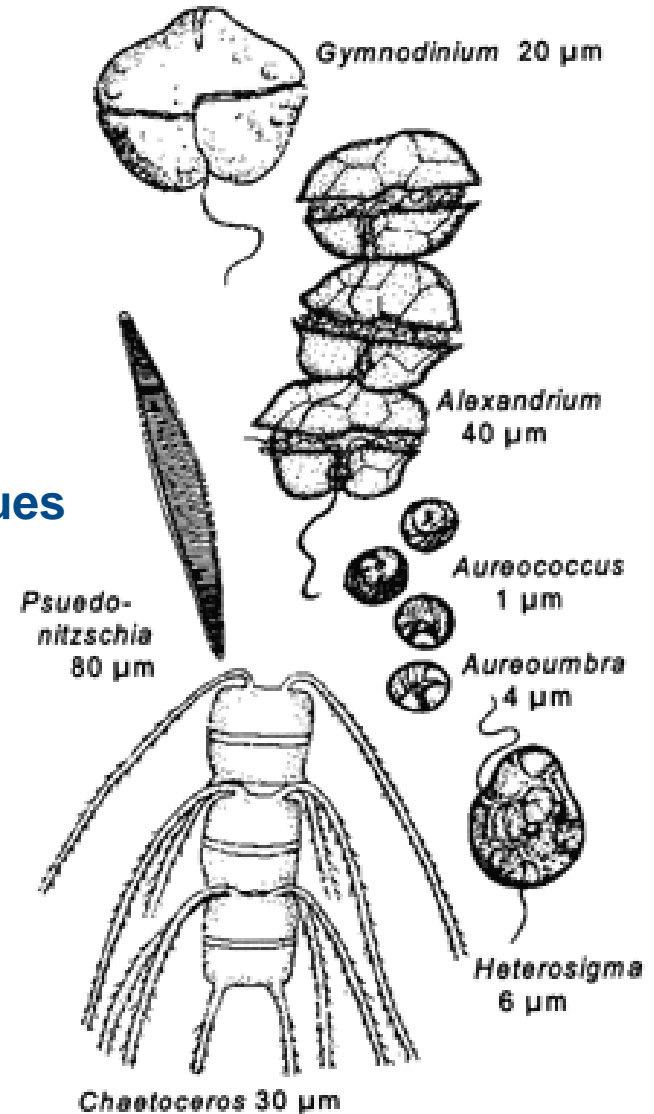
Flow cytometry data - issues

Microscopic species identification - issues

Imagery data available from above methods - issues

Phytoplankton Taxonomy Working Group

Objective: In an effort to facilitate community-wide access to phytoplankton data products that support critical satellite algorithm development and validation



Future Parameters

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A NEW WORKING GROUP

“Integration of Plankton-Observing Sensor Systems to Existing Global Sampling Programs”

Chairs: Emmanuel Boss & Anya Waite

First meeting of the WG: Portland, Feb 2018

The WG has just started to work on recommendations for incorporating biological measurements beyond chlorophyll fluorescence into ongoing ocean observing programs (initially GO-SHIP and expansion to the OceanSITES mooring array), including best practices (technologies and sampling protocols) and technical feasibility.

P-OBS RECOMMENDED MEASUREMENTS INCLUDE

Imaging

HPLC

→ Relevant to phytoplankton diversity
Should promote the acquisition of diversity data beyond HPLC only

Genetics

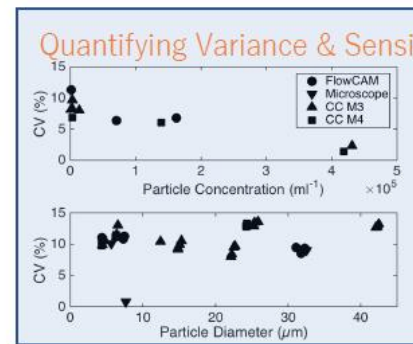
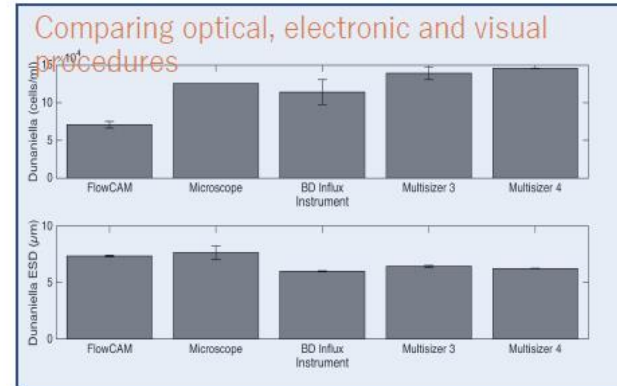
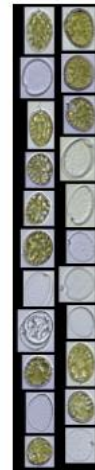
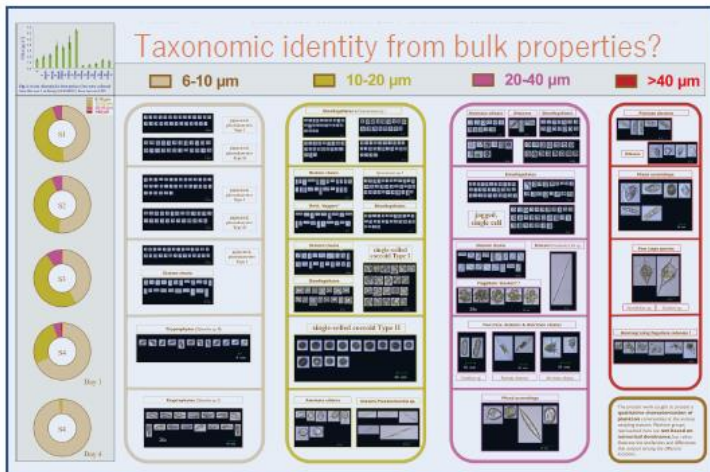
Flow cytometry

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EXPORTS:

Inter-comparison to link remotely & in situ determined plankton abundance, size and taxonomy

- at sea and in the lab, whole seawater and mono-specific cultures
- particle abundance, taxonomic identity, size and abundance/size spectra
- instrument sensitivity and measurement variance



Courtesy of Susanne Menden-Deuer
(Export PSD collaborative)

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A NEW APPROACH FOR COMBINING OPTICAL AND DIVERSITY DATA *Courtesy of Julia Uitz (LOV-France)*

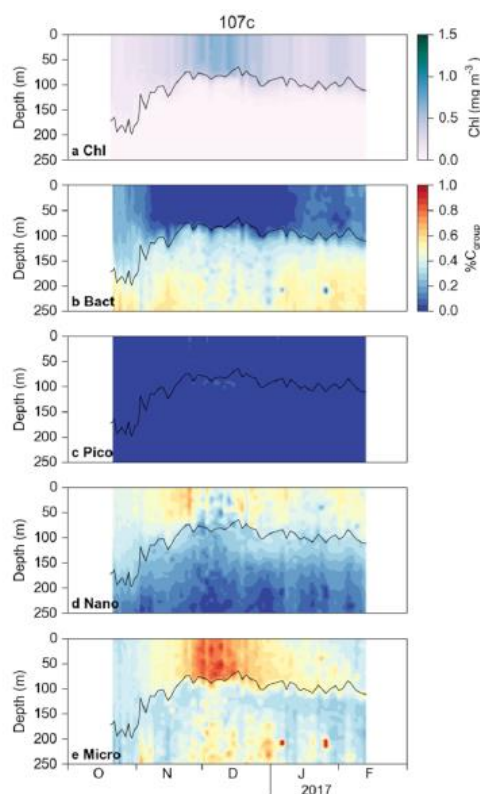
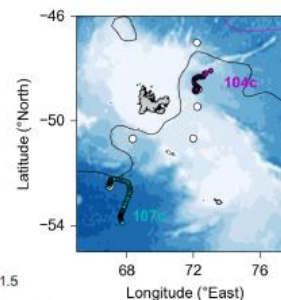
Field sampling for optics (c_p , b_{bp} , Chl) and diversity (flow cytometry, microscopy, POC) measurements

• Development of a statistical predictive model linking optics and phytoplankton diversity (carbon partitioning of PSCs)

• Application of the predictive model to BGC-Argo float observations collected in the "calibration" area

- Similar approach combining different sources of diversity (PFT) information could be applied to hyperspectral data
- BGC-Argo floats offer new possibilities for in situ PFT products that can be used for validation of ocean color products over a broad range of space and time scales

Rembauville et al. JGR 2017



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