

# U.S. Advanced Arctic Data and Information System (ACADIS)

## Considerations for Archival of Distributed Biological Observatory Field Data

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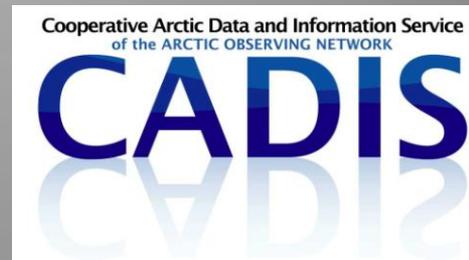
Distributed Biological Observatory  
Workshop

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# ACADIS Goals

- To build from CADIS a service for *all* NSF Arctic data that:
  - easily accepts *complete* data submissions (ingest),
  - makes the data available to NSF investigators *and many more* (access),
  - *preserves* the data (preservation),
  - makes the data *more useful* to more people (value-added products, integration).

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# The New ACADIS Gateway

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Cooperative Arctic Data and Information Service  
of the ARCTIC OBSERVING NETWORK

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## Welcome to the Cooperative Arctic Data and Information Service (CADIS)

CADIS supports the Arctic Observing Network (AON). CADIS is a portal for AON project data discovery: AON projects can upload data to CADIS for secure archiving, and CADIS makes those data immediately available through this site. CADIS is growing to provide access to other data that AON investigators will find useful, and to provide the means to visualize data with tools like NCAR's Integrated Data Viewer (IDV).

### Search for Data

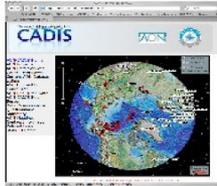
 Search for data using variable, principal investigator, discipline, temporal/spatial coverage, and other parameters.

### View NSF AON Projects

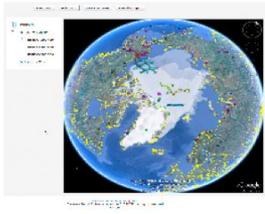
Each of these options below represents a different way to view the AON project locations (or the location of a component of each project). Click on an icon to view that option in a new window.



**MapSurfer shows...** All NSF-funded Arctic Observing Network projects with the option of displaying alongside other field projects supported by NCAR.



**ARMAP shows...** All NSF-funded Arctic Observing Network projects with the option of showing other NSF-funded research project locations.



**Google Earth shows...** All NSF-funded Arctic Observing Network projects with the option of layering KML-format data files such as sea ice extent.

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Metadata and  
Data Publishing

Data Discovery

Data Search

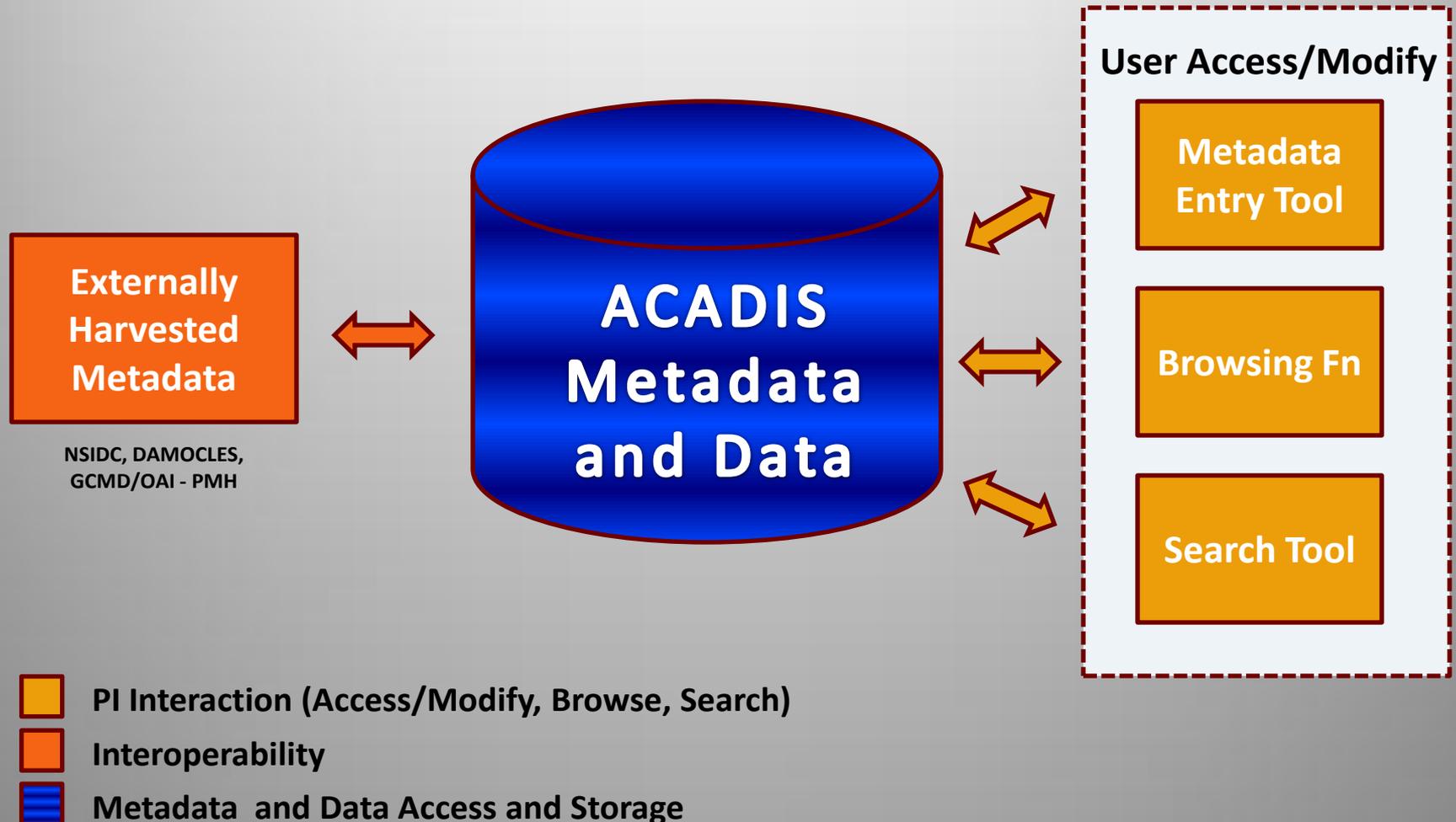
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Visualization

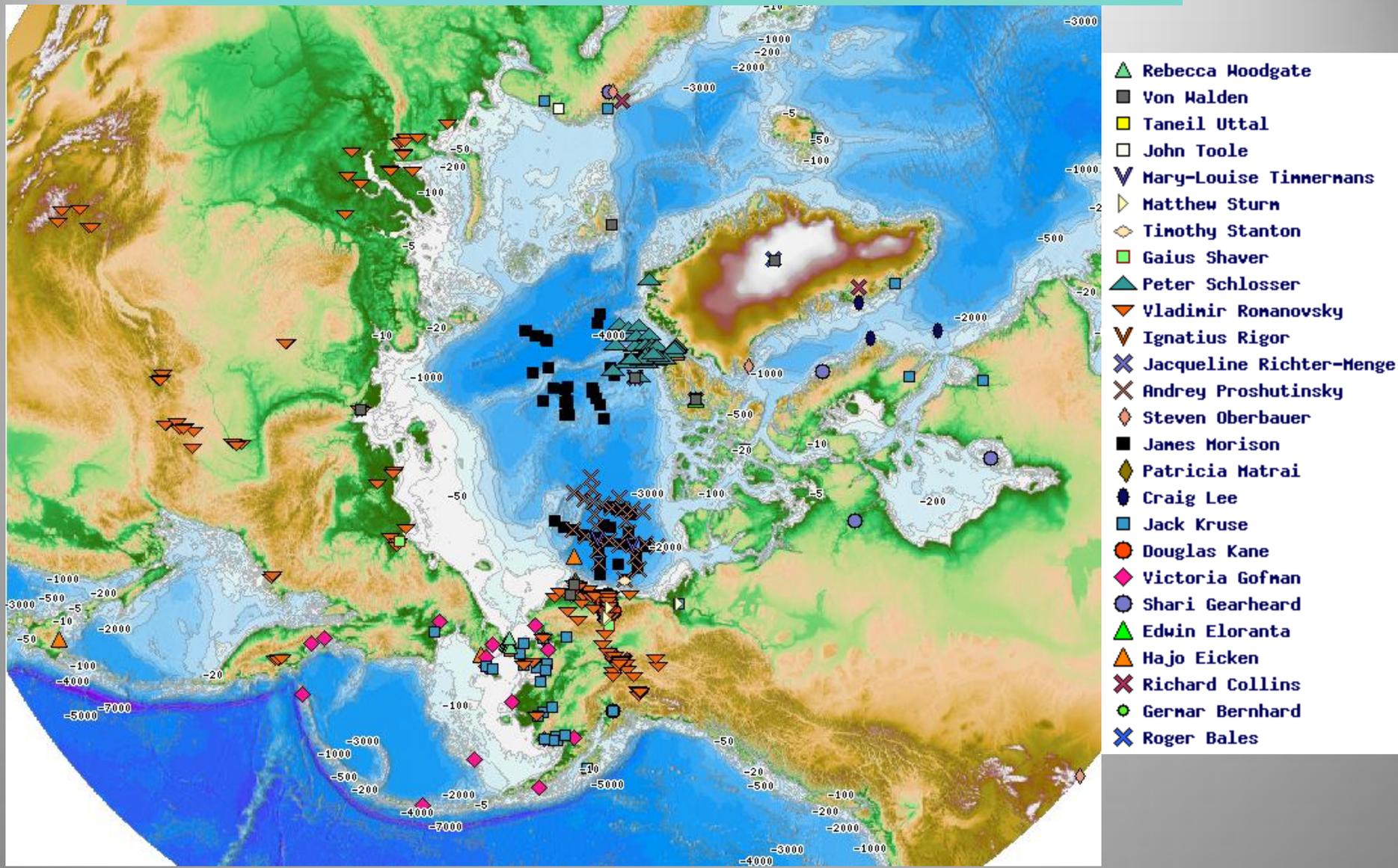
Interoperability  
with other  
archives

# ACADIS Gateway Access and Flow

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# AON Network Distribution across the pan-Arctic



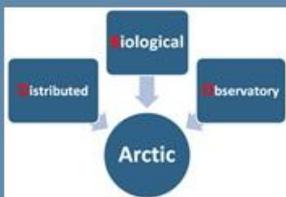
Schematic of AON site distributions across 12 nations in the pan-Arctic. NSF funded AON Investigators are listed with unique icons identifying measurement site(s). Drifting buoys are not accurately represented. *Map prepared by Scot Loehrer (NCAR) in fall 2009.*

# Primary ACADIS Goals (Year 1)

- Continue data ingest and user services
- Develop PI Data management plan template
- Organize ACADIS Advisory Committee
- Generate inventory of arctic data brought through NSF grants
- Implement ingest for new project datasets
- Develop Level of Service (LoS)
- Virtual PI Workshop
- New web site for multi-agency and international data exchange

How can ACADIS Help  
Support DBO Data  
Management Needs?

# DBO Web Site hosted by NOAA/ARP



## Distributed Biological Observatory (DBO)

*Linking Physics & Biology*

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### DBO sites (red boxes) are

- regional “hotspot” transect lines and stations located along a latitudinal gradient
- considered to exhibit high productivity, biodiversity, and overall rates of change

### DBO sites will

- serve as a change detection array for the identification and consistent monitoring of biophysical responses
- be occupied by national and international entities with shared data plan



# SBI Data Archive at NCAR EOL



## Shelf Basin Interactions Data Archive

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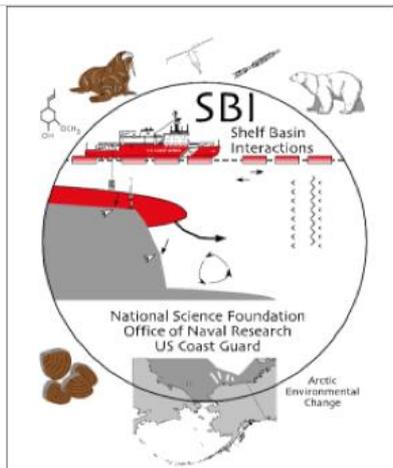
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## SBI Data Archive

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### Data Access

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- [Service-CTD](#)
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biogeochemical processes occurring over the arctic shelves and a synoptic understanding of these processes is essential to understand the impacts of climate change. For example, carbon dioxide fluxes from sources or sinks on Arctic shelves may have direct negative ramifications for local marine resources and human populations that are dependent upon them for subsistence processes that are sentinel indicators of global change, including alteration of current biogeochemical cycles. These in

## Shelf Basin Interactions Project (SBI)

The Western Arctic Shelf-Basin Interactions (SBI) project is a contribution of the National Science Foundation's (NSF) Arctic System Science (ARCSS) global change SBI project is that global change will especially influence physical and biological basins. As such, SBI field efforts will converge on the zone comprised of the out water mass exchange and biogeochemical cycles, and where the greatest respect Western Arctic SBI study area covers the Chukchi and Beaufort seas. It is anticipated to a Pan-Arctic perspective.

### Project Objectives

The fundamental goal of the Shelf-Basin Interactions (SBI) program is to link the arctic shelves, slopes, and deep basins within the context of global change, and physics of the Arctic Ocean and its associated ecosystems and atmosphere by both physical and biogeochemical mechanisms, such as convection and thermohaline circulation of the world ocean.

## Data by Cruise

- [HLY-04-04: Mooring](#)
- [HX-290: Bering Strait](#)
- [HLY-04-03: Process](#)
- [HLY-04-02: Process](#)
- [HLY-03-03: Mooring](#)
- [NBP03-04a: Survey](#)
- [HX-274: Bering Strait](#)
- [2003-14: Helo Survey](#)
- [HLY-02-03: Process](#)
- [AWS02: Chk/Bft Mooring](#)
- [HX-260: Bering Strait](#)
- [HLY-02-01: Process](#)

## Data by Discipline

- [Benthic](#)
- [Hydrography](#)
- [Ice](#)
- [Meteorology](#)
- [Microbiology](#)
- [Optics](#)
- [Plankton](#)
- [Primary Productivity](#)
- [Water Chemistry](#)

# Follow the process used for successful support to SBI Project

- A DBO Project web site
- Upload of DBO datasets using ACADIS
- A focused DBO Data management web site within ACADIS
- Information includes metadata, documentation and the data itself
- Data can be secured as providers and project require (password protection)
- Eventually it would be open to broad community access
- Focus on long term preservation/access

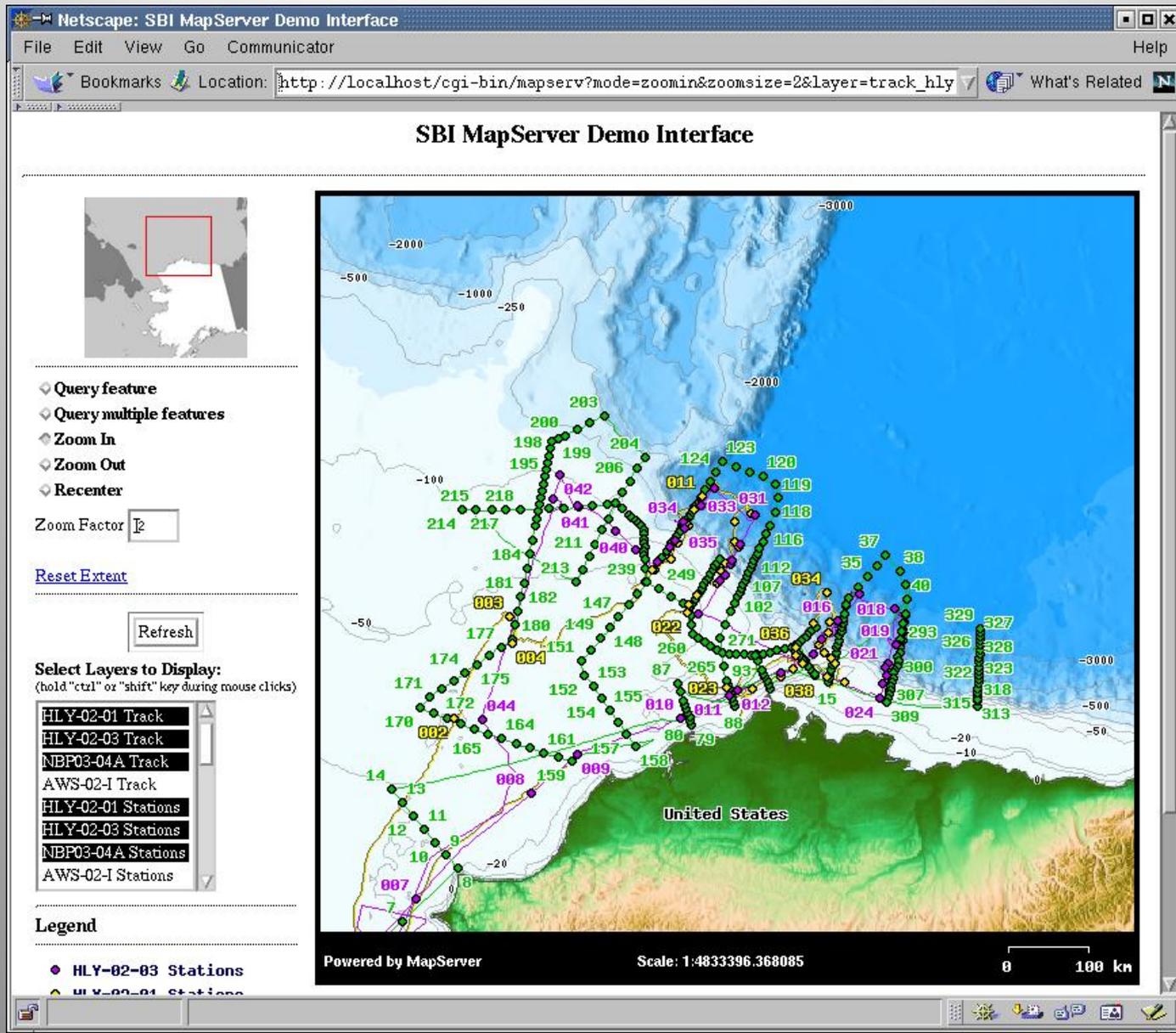
# SBI Data Categories, Authors and Cruise information

## SBI Archive Summary

**Total Number of Datasets: 360**

<b>Author/PI:</b> Total defined: 360	<b>Category:</b> Total defined: 1098	<b>Event:</b> Total defined: 333	<b>Site:</b> Total defined: 358
Aagaard, K., R. Woodgate, and T. Wein ... 5	Abundance 6	2003-14 3	Arctic Ocean 346
Aagaard, K., and R. Woodgate 1	Bathymetry 1	AOS-94 4	Barrow 1
Ashjian, C. 4	Benthos 79	AWS-02 7	Bering Strait 11
Ashjian, C., and R. Campbell 4	Biogeochemical 38	HLY-02-01 83	
Ashjian, Carin, Cabell Davis, Robert ... 1	Biology 2	HLY-02-03 92	
Bates, N. R. 8	Biomass 50	HLY-03-01 4	
Bates, N., D. Hansell 4	Buoy 3	HLY-03-03 8	
Benner, R. 6	CTD 30	HLY-04-02 52	
Campbell, R. and C. Ashjian 8	Hydrography 124	HLY-04-03 46	
Christensen, J. 1	Meteorology 55	HLY-04-04 8	
Christensen, J. P. 1	Microbiology 11	HX-235 3	
Christensen, J. and H. Melling 3	Model 3	HX-250 3	
Cooper, L., and J. Grebmeier 4	Mooring 10	HX-260 3	
Cota G., L. Pomeroy 1	Navigation 22	HX-274 3	
Cutter, G. 8	Nutrient 22	HX-290 2	
Darby, D. 10	Oceanography 58	NBP03-04a 12	
Devol, A. H. and J. P. Christensen 2	Optics 15		
Dunton K., J. Grebmeier, D. Maidment 2	Paleoceanography 8		
Dunton, K. 8	Plankton 43		
Eicken, H. 3	Production 10		
Eicken, H., K. Tateyama 1	R/V Alpha Helix 14		
Eicken, H., R. Gradinger 1	R/V Nathaniel B. Palmer 12		
Flagg, C. 14	Radioisotope 16		
Gradinger, R. 5	Satellite 23		
Gradinger, R. and H. Eicken 1	Sea Ice 18		
Grebmeier, J. 4	Sediment 15		
Grebmeier, J. and L. Cooper 16	Ship Based 1		
Hansell, D. and N. Bates 2	Stable Isotope 11		
Hansell, D. and N.R. Bates 6	USCGC Healy 238		

# Special Products such as EOL GIS Mapserver



# DBO Data Management Considerations

- >Develop an International DBO data policy and exchange protocol (including priority measurements) to facilitate:
  - Dataset exchange and access
  - Preparation of datasets for data integration, intercomparison and modeling studies
- >Encourage broad access to data and metadata beyond national restrictions through scientific collaboration/cooperation
- >Coordinate with other National and International Projects
- >Consider data format and documentation guidelines to enhance international data exchange and analysis
- >Document and standardize (if possible) data collection protocols (time, sensors, processing, parameters, units)

# DBO Data Matrices for 2010-11

DBO 2010 Data Parameter Matrix (SE Chukchi Sea-SECS) and Barrow Canyon (BC)

Cruise (DBO PI Lead)	Period (DBO lines)	CTD*	Chl-extracts	Nutrients	Algae-Ice/Phytoplankton: size, biomass, composition	Zooplankton: size, biomass, composition	Benthos: size, biomass, composition	Seabird surveys	Marine Mammal surveys
Healy 1001 (Pickart)	June-July (both)	x	x	x	x			x	
Sir Wilfrid Laurier (Vagle)	July (both)	x	x-SECS only	x		x**	x**	x	
Moana Wave** (Grebmeier)	July-Aug (both**)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Xuelong (He)	July								

DBO 2011 Data Parameter Matrix (SChukchi Sea-SCS) and Barrow Canyon (BC)

Cruise (DBO PI Lead)	Period (DBO lines)	CTD*	Chlorophyll-extractions	Nutrients	Algae-Ice/Phytoplankton: size, biomass, composition	Zooplankton: size, biomass, composition	Benthos: size, biomass, composition	Seabird surveys	Marine Mammal surveys
Alaskan Enterprise (Napp/CHAOZ)	Aug (BC)								
Khromov (Woodgate)	Aug (SE)								
Healy 1003 (Pickart)	Sep								
Mirai (Itoh)	Oct one SEC								
Healy 1101 (Pickart and Arrigo)	June 15-July 25 (both)	x	x	x	x				
Sir Wilfrid Laurier (Vagle and Grebmeier)	July 6-21 (both)	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Araon (Chung)	July 29-? Aug	x	x						
Khromov (Woodgate)	July 9-25 (SECS)=RUSALCA CS line	x	x	x		x			x
Shell cruise (Weingartner)	August	x				x	x	x	x
Annika Marie (Ashjian)	August (BC)	x	x	x		x			x
Mystery Bay (Napp/CHAOZ)	Aug-Sept (BC)	x				x			x
Westward Wind (Day)	Aug-Oct (BC, uncertain)								
Healy 1003 (Pickart)	Sept (BC)	x		x				x	

\*=T, S, plus some cruises

\*\*= all water column, plan

\*\*\*= 3 stations per transe

\*=T, S, plus some cruises transmissivity, fluorescence (chlorophyll), CDOM, dissolved oxygen, pH

# ACADIS Lessons Learned and Next Steps for DBO Data Management

Effective project data management support includes:

- \* A systematic approach to meet project needs
- \* Support to the data providers – be responsive
- \* Effective and easy to use tools for data and metadata upload to the archive
- \* A uniform metadata standard to enhance international data exchange
- \* Single access point to search/download data
- \* Improve data search capabilities
- \* Remain flexible regarding data formats
- \* Consider uniform time and units

# DBO Diversity of Data Sources and Disciplines

- Satellite data from multiple sources
- International ship participation (~14 vessels)
- Ship based data (e.g. CTDs, ADCPS, bio sampling, animal surveys, backscatter etc.
- Moored arrays (e.g. ADCP, temp, salinity, whale recorders, pH, etc.)
- Modeling efforts
- Multiple archive sites

# Some challenges and opportunities for DBO Data Management

DBO Data Management web page

International Collaboration/Cooperation

- Timing of observations to address short and long term variability

Representativeness of observations

Changes in satellites, sensors and algorithms

Data intercomparison

Single repository/access point

Utilize distributed archive structure where possible

Project –and-- data integration

Data collection, sharing and access protocols

- Data questionnaire to DBO team

# Comments and Questions?

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