A New Approach to BATHY Data Transmission

Hour/Minute

Bottom depth

SST sensor depth

Code for SST type

Fall Rate

Call Sign

Ship Name

- Full Resolution with each transmission
 - Temperature Values each 60 cm (approx).
- Metadata with each transmission
 - MMDDYY SEAS Version
 - XBT Manufacturer Probe Type
 - Instrument Code
 - How transmitted (ASCII/binary)
 - SST sampling method
 - Drop Number
 - TWI Line Number
 - Prior ob. Type Prior ob. Date
 - Prior ob. Position Prior Call Sign

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Environment: Windows 98/NT

INMARSAT Std-C Comms:

Format: Compressed Binary

Full Resolution with Metadata Content:

Distribution: GTS, NODC, AOML, MEDS

Delayed Mode: Transmitted as Super-Message

SEAS 2000

BATHY Data Transmission

Environment: Windows 98/NT

Comms: INMARSAT Std-C

Format: Compressed Binary

Content: 29 Inflection points (max)

Distribution: GTS, NODC (delayed mode)

Delayed Mode: FTP'd when ship is met