

North Pacific Data Buoy Advisory Panel (NPDBAP)



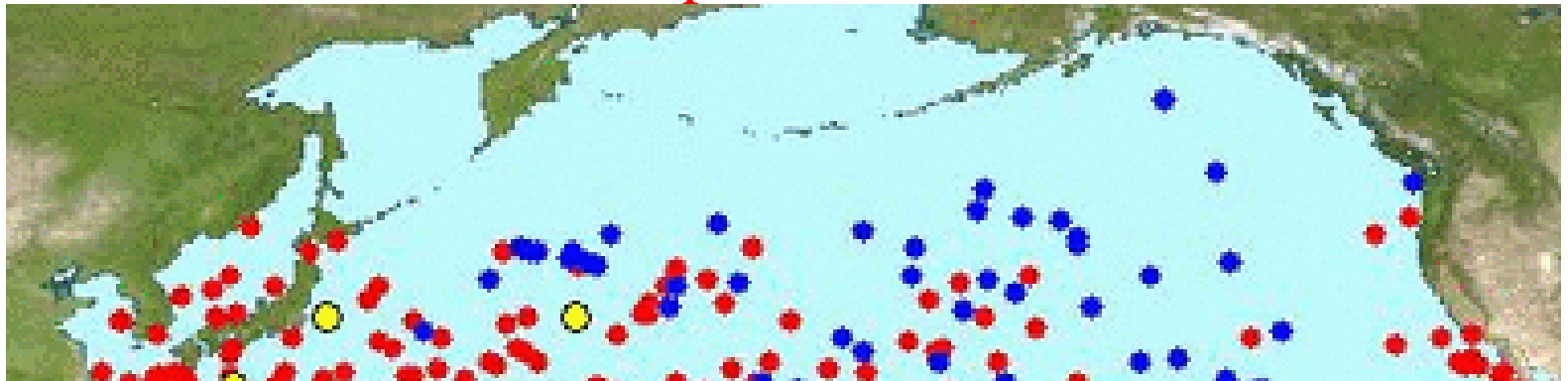
North Pacific Buoy Deployment Locations

from
1 September, 2008 to 31 August, 2009



Current North Pacific Buoy Locations

as of
07 September, 2009

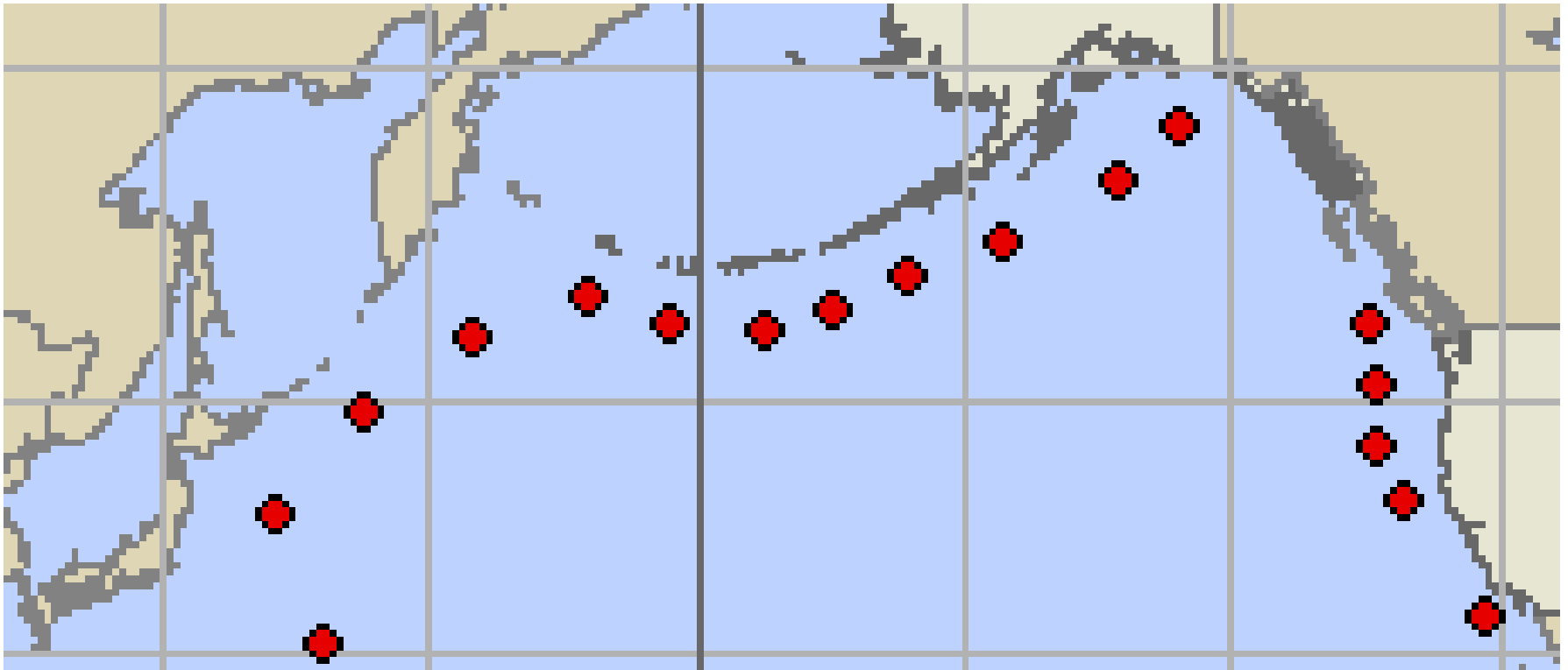


2008-2009 Results and Current Status

- Between 1 September, 2008 and 31 August, 2009, there were a total of 65 buoys deployed north of 30°, between 110°E and 110°W.
- Of these 65 deployments in the North Pacific, 28 of these buoys were SVP drifters (43%), 22 were SVPB drifters (34%), 13 were SVPG drifters (20%), and the remaining 2 deployments were SVPI (Iridium) buoys (~1%) .

NDBC Moored Buoys

Deep-ocean Assessment and Reporting of Tsunamis (**DART**)



NPDBAP 2010 Goals

- Increase NPDBAP participation
- Recruit additional deployment opportunities
- Deployment of 75 SVPB buoys