



NORTH PACIFIC DATA BUOY ADVISORY PANEL



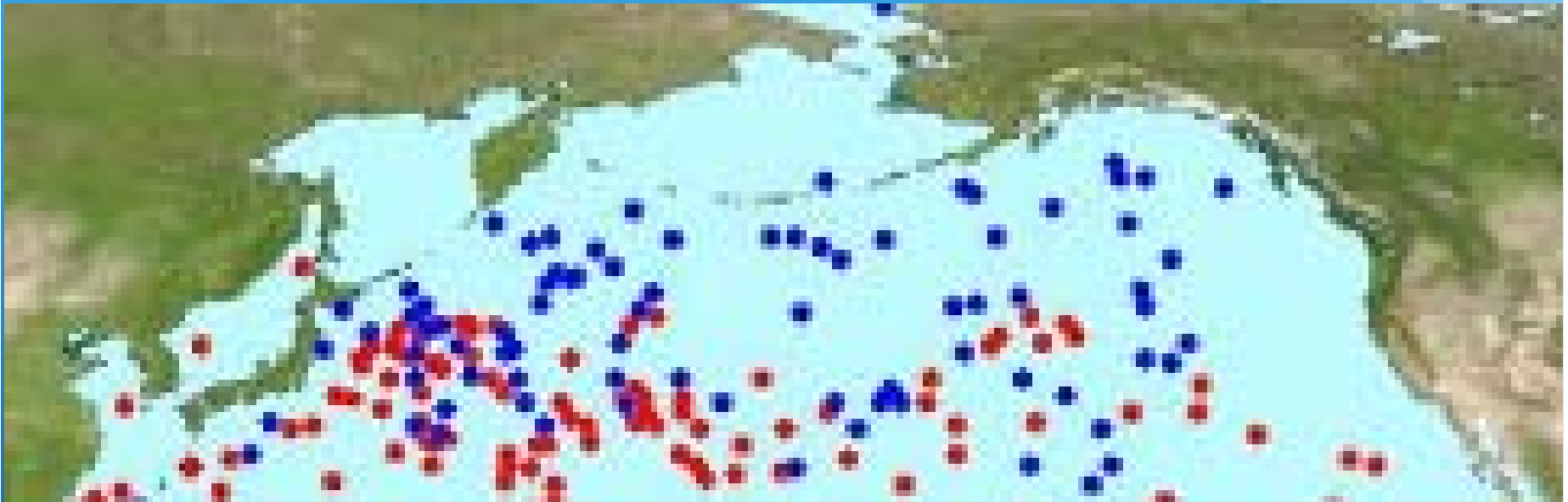
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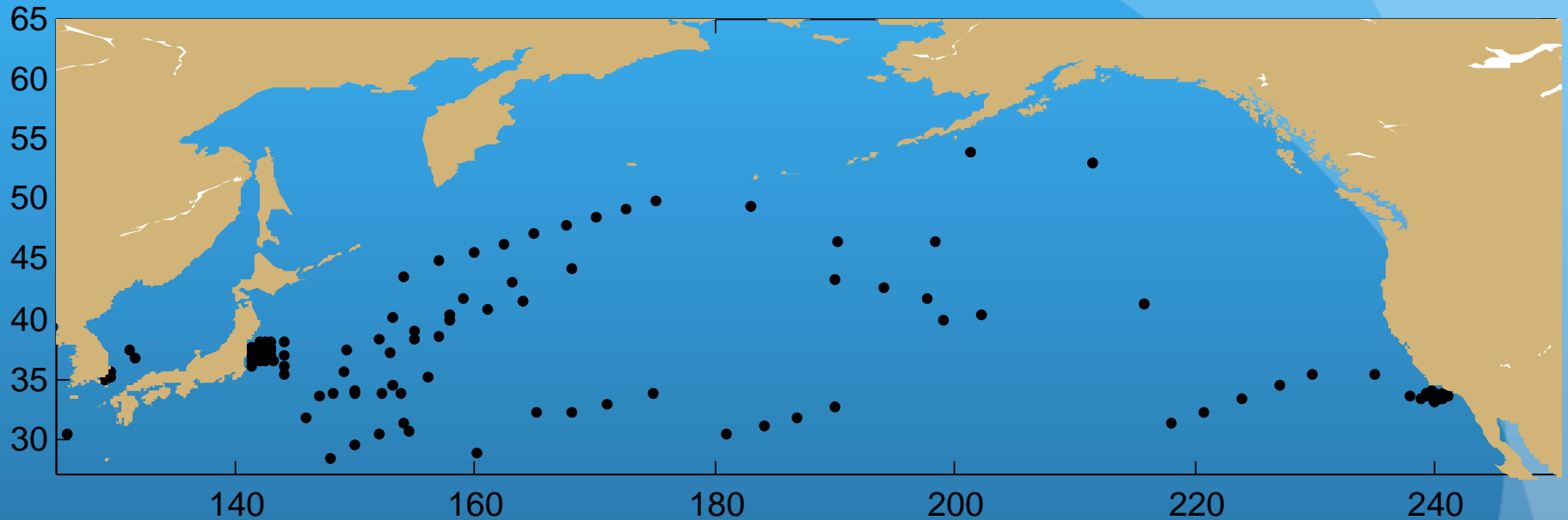
Current Status of Drifter Array

(As of 26 September, 2011)



<http://www.aoml.noaa.gov/phod/dac/index.php>

2011 Drifter Deployments



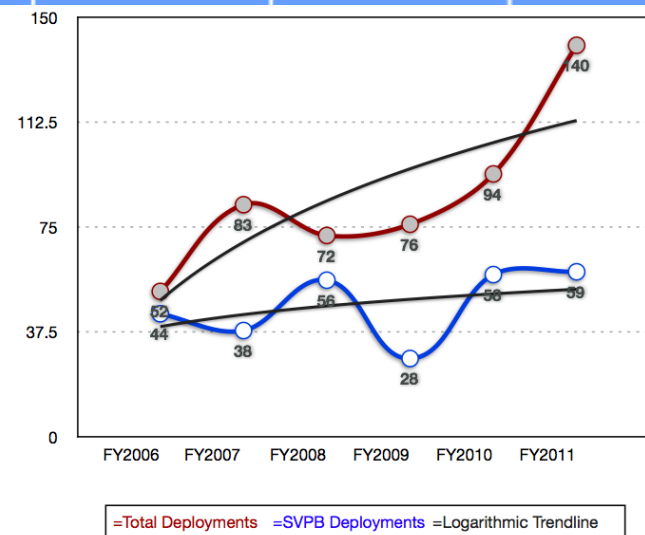
SVPB: 59

SVP: 81

Total Deployments: 140
(as of 31 July, 2011)

Deployment Trends

	Total	SVPB	SVP	SVPW	SVPBW	SVPG
FY2006	52	44	6	0	2	0
FY2007	83	38	44	1	0	0
FY2008	72	56	16	0	0	0
FY2009	76	28	35	0	0	13
FY2010	94	58	13	1	0	22
FY2011	140	59	81	0	0	0

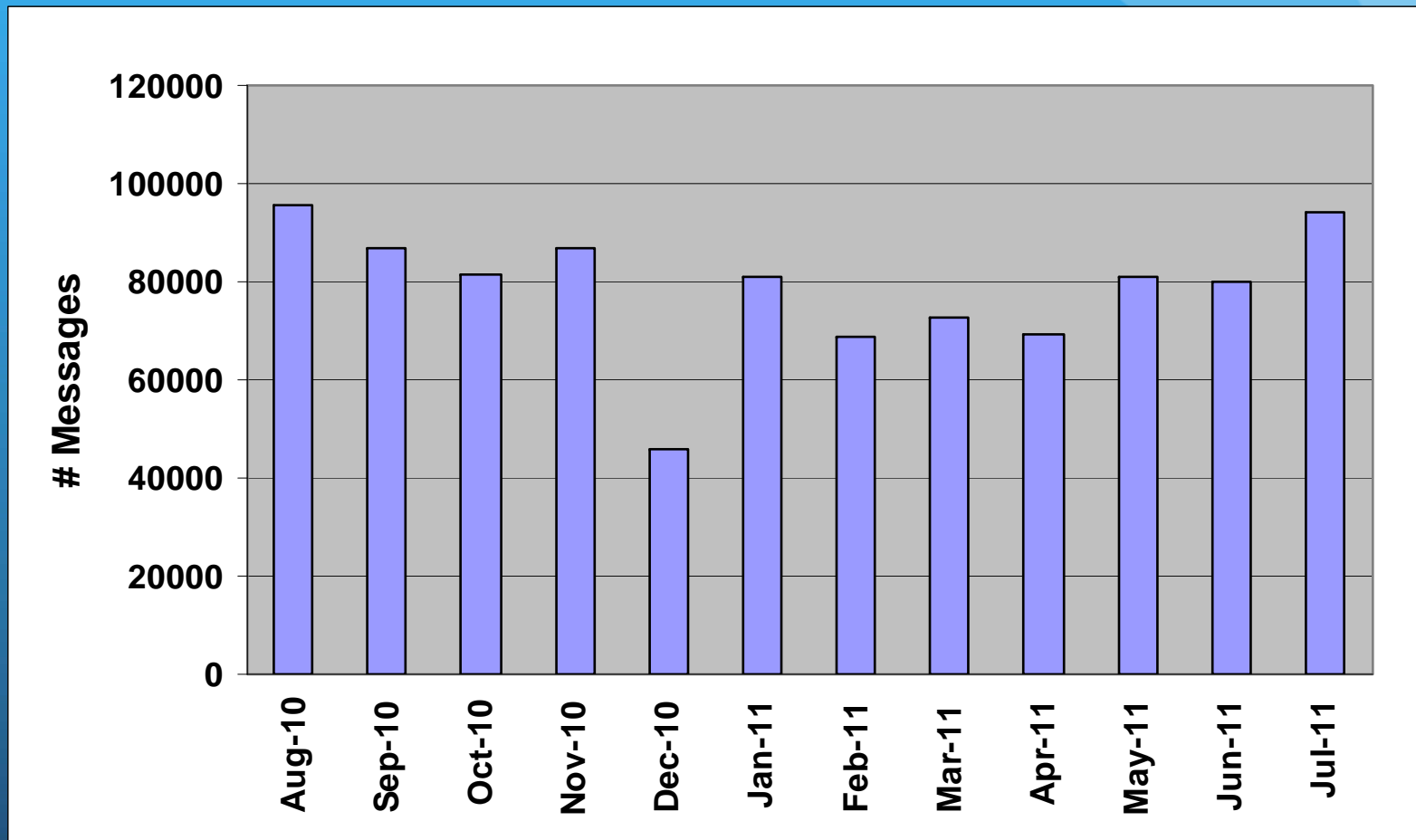


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Number of Messages Archived per Month

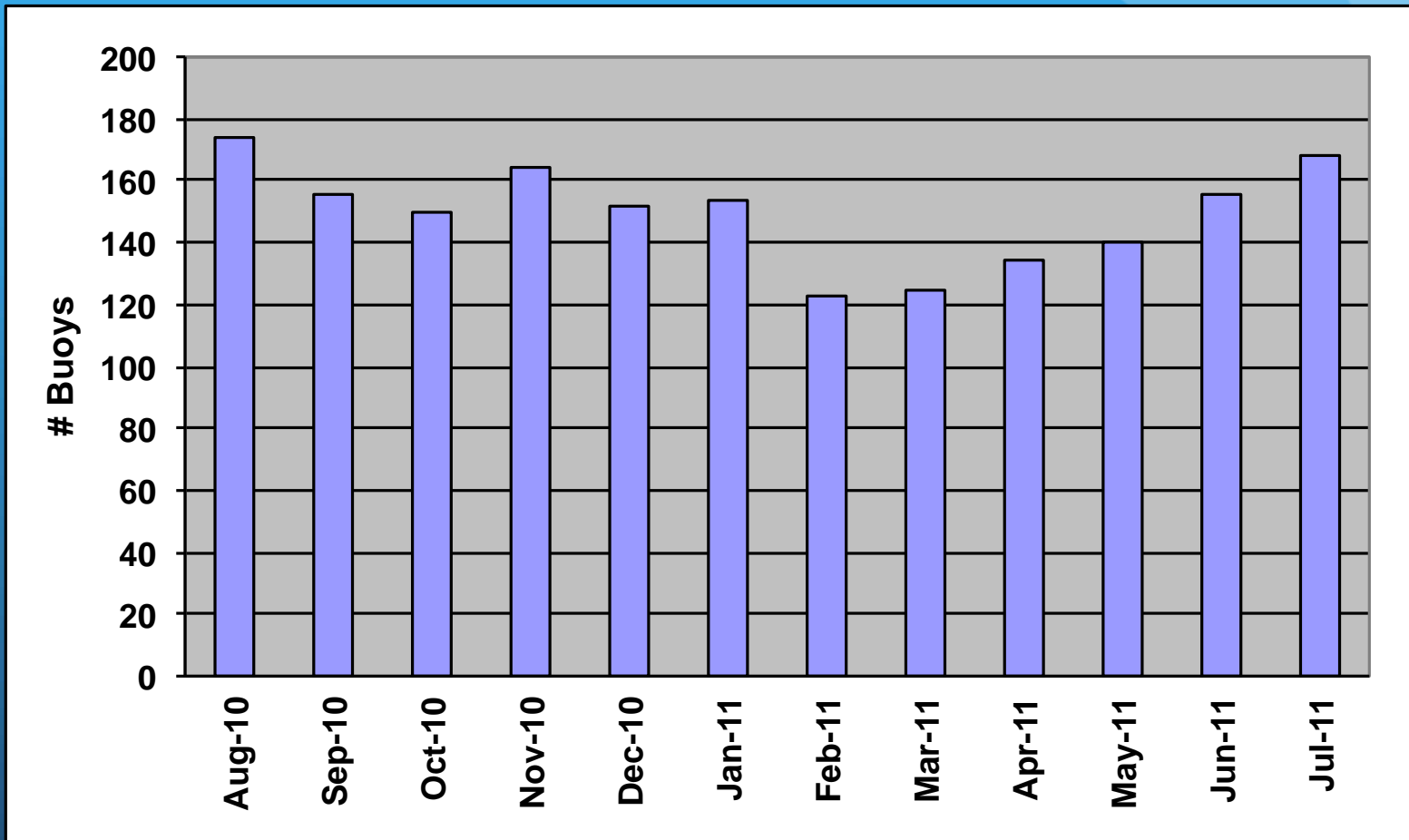
August 2010 to July 2011

988,888 Total - 82,407/month Average



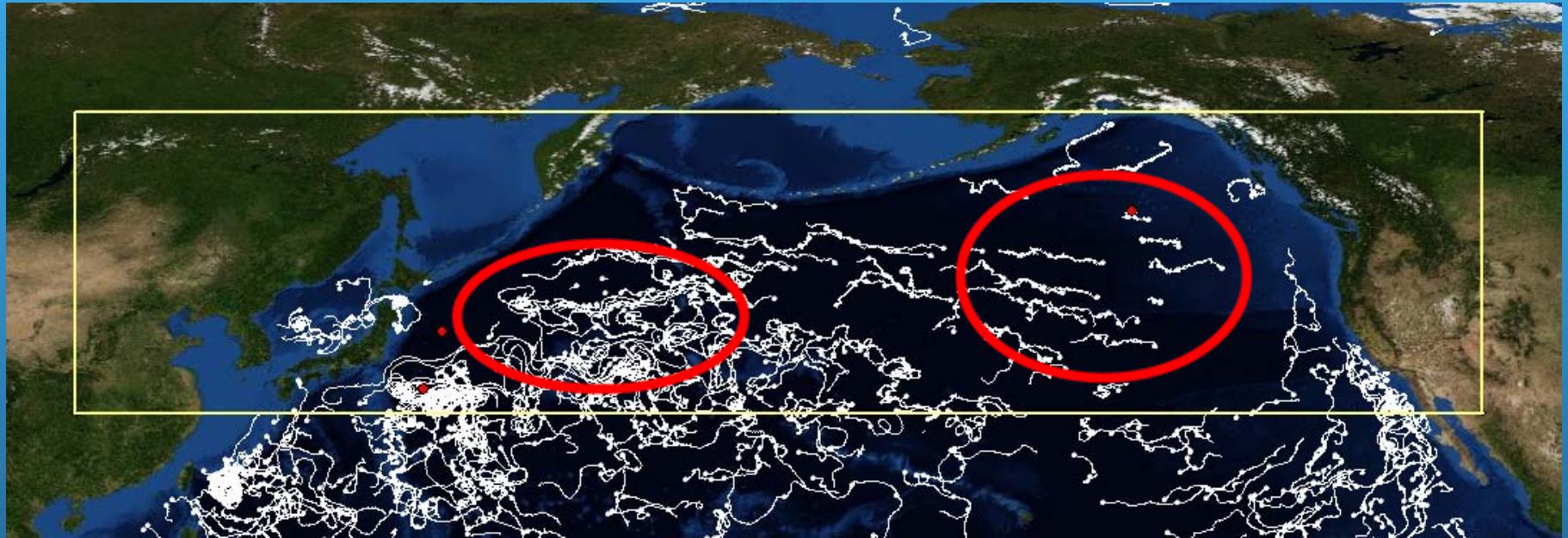
Number of Buoys per Month August 2010 to July 2011

404 Unique Buoys Total - 150 buoys per Month Average



Drifter Trajectories

2012 Deployment Plan



<http://isdm.gc.ca/isdm-gdsi/drib-bder/gts-smt/index-eng.asp?actn=NPAC>

2012 Goals

1. Deployment of 70 SVPB Drifters
2. Deep-ocean Assessment and Reporting of Tsunamis (DART) Cruise Utilization
3. Deployment of Iridium SVPB Drifters

Attendees at this years meeting:

Al Wallace - Chairman

Shaun Dolk - Technical Coordinator

Joe Linguanti

Bill Burnett

Ignatius Rigor

Chris Marshall