

5. Argos monthly status report

5.1 As at 8 December 1987, the Argos service was handling reports from 476 drifting buoys, 74 moored buoys, 11 ships, 80 animal trackings, 391 fixed stations and 156 miscellaneous platforms. On the same date, during a period of 24 hours, 1077 DRIBU reports from 14<sup>c</sup> drifting buoys were transmitted to the RTH Paris for insertion into the GTS. The list of platforms reporting through Argos and distributed over the GTS is given below.

## (a) DRIBU code:

<u>Operating country</u>	<u>WMO Identifier/call sign</u>	<u>Argos Identifier</u>
Australia	55531	02931
	55532	02932
	55533	02933
	55537	02937
	55551	02951
	55552	02952
	55553	02953
	55555	02955
	55556	02956
	56526	01161
	56527	01162
	56528	01163
	56531	01166
	62551	00249
France	46751	05633
	62004	01448
	62501	05638
	62503	05790
	65514	05791
Germany, Federal Republic of	71515	03311
	71516	03312
	71517	03313
	71518	03314
	71520	03316
Netherlands	44612	04186
	65571	04185
Norway	64515	03708
	71001	01757
South Africa*	25890	09490
	25892	09492
United Kingdom	44722	06290
	44724	06286
	44725	06289
	44726	04037
	62502	05639
	62601	06291
	64547	04035

\* The Government of the Republic of South Africa has been suspended by Resolution 36 (Cg-VII) from exercising its rights and enjoying its privileges as a Member of WMO.

<u>Operating country</u>	<u>WMO Identifier/call sign</u>	<u>Argos Identifier</u>
United States of America	11801	04850
	11804	04853
	14801	06733
	14802	06735
	15501	06742
	15502	06745
	16802	06758
	17806	06741
	17807	06743
	17808	06744
	17809	06746
	17810	06747
	17811	06750
	17812	06751
	17813	06752
	17814	06753
	17815	08812
	17816	08814
	32512	04821
	32513	04823
	32514	06864
	32515	06859
	32516	06860
	32517	06863
	32518	02987
	32537	03139
	32538	03138
	32540	04813
	32542	04806
	32545	04807
	32546	04811
	32547	03111
	32548	03142
	32549	04816
	32801	06782
	32802	06765
	32803	06784
	32805	06397
	32806	06777
	32807	06780
	33801	06748
	33802	06766
	33803	06749
	33804	06767
	33814	06023
	33815	08813
	34809	06781
	34810	06391
	34811	06779
	34812	06768
	42508	07234
42509	03344	
43501	04825	
43502	06856	
43503	06867	
43504	06858	
43505	06868	
44508	04560	
44509	04553	
44511	04528	
44512	04562	
51510	02988	
51512	04824	
51514	04819	
51515	04820	
51516	06854	
51517	06855	
51518	06857	

<u>Operating country</u>	<u>WMO Identifier/call sign</u>	<u>Argos Identifier</u>
United States of America (continued)	51519	06862
	52801	04828
	52802	03143
	52803	04829
	52804	06850
	52805	06851
	52811	03149
	52814	04803
	52816	04805
	52819	01340
	52820	01341
	52823	01344
	52824	01345
	53801	06852
	53811	06761
	54803	06044
	54810	06045
	54813	06722
	54814	06047
	54815	06069
	54816	06724
	54817	06770
	54818	06771
	54819	06772
	55825	06769
	55826	06774
	55827	06775
	55828	06776
	56805	06078
	56806	06734
	56808	06736
	56809	06738
	56811	06737
	56816	06730
	56819	06756
	56820	06731
	56821	06755
	56822	06759