

5. Argos monthly status report

5.1 As at 27 January 1988, the Argos service was handling reports from 465 drifting buoys, 73 moored buoys, 14 ships, 66 animal trackings, 409 fixed stations and 173 miscellaneous platforms. On the same date, during a period of 24 hours, 1102 DRIBU reports from 140 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
	55551	02951
	55552	02952
	55553	02953
	55555	02955
	55556	02956
	56526	01161
	56527	01162
	56528	01163
	56531	01166
	62551	00249
	France	62004
62501		05638
62503		05790
62552		00206
65514		05791
Netherlands	44612	04186
	65571	04185
Norway	64515	03708
	71001	01757

<u>Operating country</u>	<u>WMO Identifier/call sign</u>	<u>Argos Identifier</u>
South Africa*	25890	09490
	25892	09492
United Kingdom	44722	06290
	44724	06286
	44725	06289
	44726	04037
	62801	06291
	64547	04035
United States of America	11801	04850
	11804	04853
	14801	06733
	14802	06735
	15501	06742
	15502	06745
	15801	08826
	16802	06758
	17806	06741
	17807	06743
	17808	06744
	17809	06746
	17810	06747
	17811	06750
	17812	06751
	17813	06752
	17814	06753
	17815	08812
	17816	08814
	17817	08822
	17818	08829
	17819	08824
	32512	04821
	32513	04823
	32514	06864
	32515	06859
	32516	06860
	32517	06863
	32518	02987
	32537	03139
	32538	03138
	32542	04806
	32545	04807
	32546	04811
	32547	03111
	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	
33816	08817	
33817	08818	
33818	08819	
33819	08827	
34810	06391	
34811	06779	

* The Government of the Republic of South Africa has been suspended by Resolution 38 (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 (continued)	34812	06768
	34813	08821
	42509	03344
	43501	04825
	43502	06856
	43503	06867
	43504	06858
	43505	06868
	44508	04560
	44509	04553
	44511	04528
	44512	04562
	51510	02988
	51514	04819
	51515	04820
	51516	06854
	51517	06855
	51518	06857
	51519	06862
	52801	04828
	52803	04829
	52804	06850
	52805	06851
	52814	04803
	52816	04805
	52819	01340
	52820	01341
	52823	01344
	53811	06761
	54803	06044
	54810	06045
	54813	06722
	54814	06047
	54815	06069
	54816	06724
	54817	06770
	54818	06771
	54819	06772
	54820	08820
	55825	06769
	55826	06774
	55827	06775
	55828	06776
	56805	06078
	56806	06734
	56808	06736
	56809	06738
	56819	06756
	56820	06731
	56821	06755
	56822	06759
71804	08810	
74807	08816	

5.2 As of 28 January 1988 data in the DR18U code were entered into the GTS through the Argos Local Users Terminal (LUT) in Edmonton from the following platforms:

<u>Operating country</u>	<u>WMO Identifier/call sign</u>	<u>Argos Identifier</u>
Canada	-	02380
	48540	03831
	25521	07001
	25522	07002
	25523	07004
	25524	07006
	25525	07007
	48547	07026
	48551	07427