



IMOS Bulletin

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New Deployments

This section will list any new Facility deployments in the previous month

Argo- 5 Argo floats were deployed from the Research Vessel *Kaharoa* and a container carrier *Florence* between the 24th of October and the 1st of November.

Ships of Opportunity- the Astrolabe pCO₂ system was installed and ran successfully for the first cruise of the season (Oct 23-Nov 8).

Ocean Gliders- Two ocean gliders have been deployed recently; a Seaglider off the coast of South Australia on the 20th November and a slocum glider off the coast at Perth, WA on the 22nd November.

Autonomous Underwater Vehicle – has been deployed at Batemans Bay over the last week.

Satellite Remote Sensing (Altimetry Calibration and Validation) – Moorings for the measurement of precise sea surface height along the ground track of satellite altimeters were deployed in Bass Strait and Storm Bay in October. The Storm Bay deployment incorporates a WQM instrument as part of Tasmanian IMOS activities.

Recent & Upcoming Events

For a full list of upcoming conferences please visit the Calendar page at <http://imos.org.au/calendar.html>. If you would like an event or conference featured on our website calendar please contact Marian McGowen via email Marian.McGowen@utas.edu.au.

IMOS is supported by the Australian Government through the National Collaborative Research Infrastructure Strategy and the Super Science Initiative.
It is led by the University of Tasmania on behalf of the Australian marine & climate science community.

9-11 February 2011 AMOS and MetSoc NZ - Joint Conference: Extreme Weather. Te Papa, Wellington, New Zealand. <http://www.amos.org.au/>

14-18 March 2011 Biologging4- 4th International Science Symposium on Bio-logging. Hobart, Tasmania. <http://www.cmar.csiro.au/biologging4/> Registration closes COB Friday **4 March 2011**.

4-8 April 2011 Greenhouse 2011 The Science of Climate Change. Cairns, Queensland. <http://www.greenhouse2011.com> Early bird registration until **21 January 2011**.

27-30 June 2011 Advances in Marine Ecosystem Modelling Symposium 3. Plymouth, UK. <http://www.amemr.info/> Abstract submission is open, deadline **21 January 2011**.

28 June-7 July 2011 IUGG General Assembly. Melbourne, Victoria. <http://www.iugg2011.com> Registration and Call for Abstracts Opens: Monday 16 August 2010. Call for Abstracts Close: **17 January 2011**.

26-30 September 2011 World Conference on Marine Biodiversity. Aberdeen, Scotland, UK. <http://www.marine-biodiversity.org/> Abstract submission is now open - deadline **31 January 2011**.