

North East Asian Regional Global Ocean Observing System

NEAR-GOOS

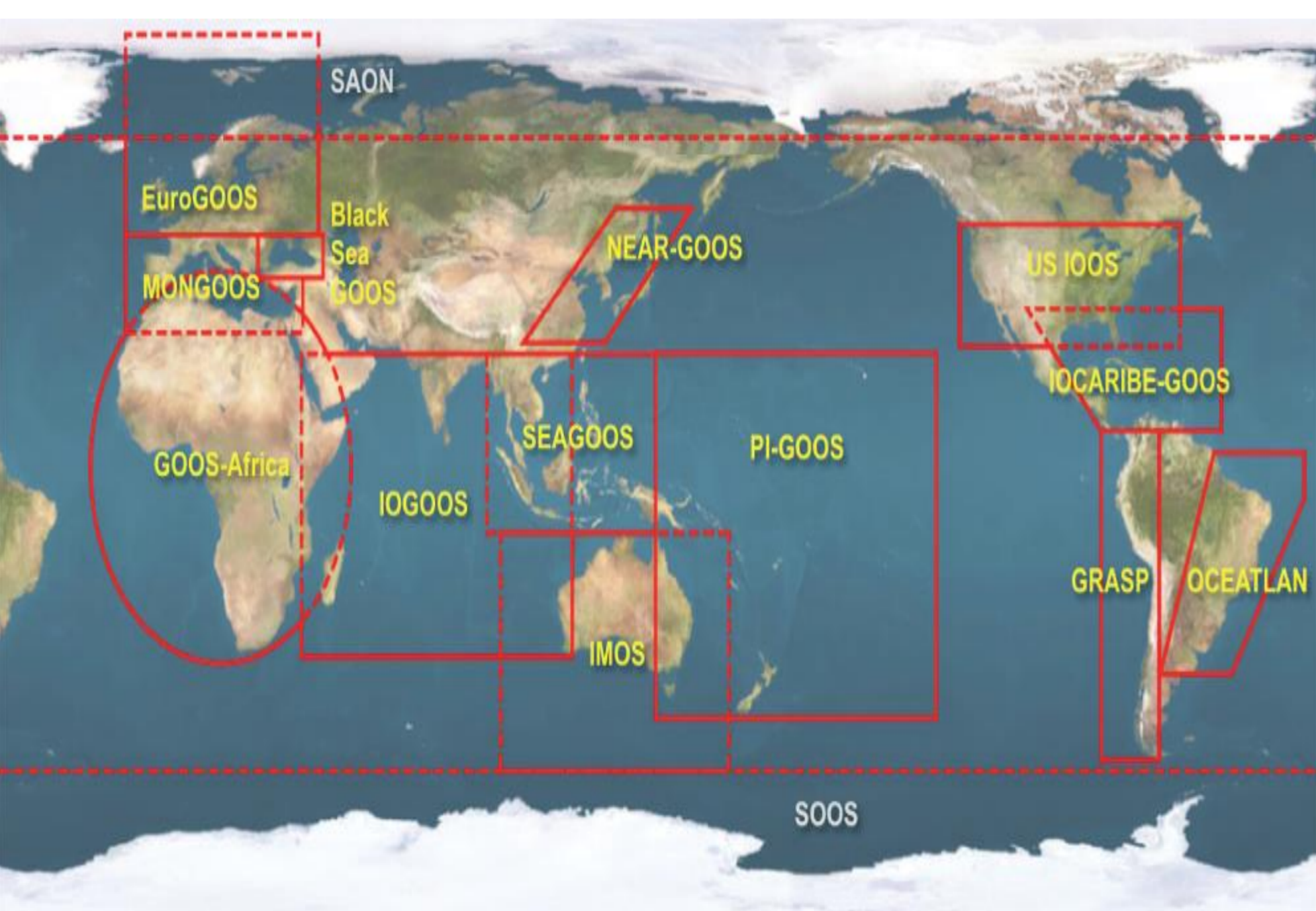
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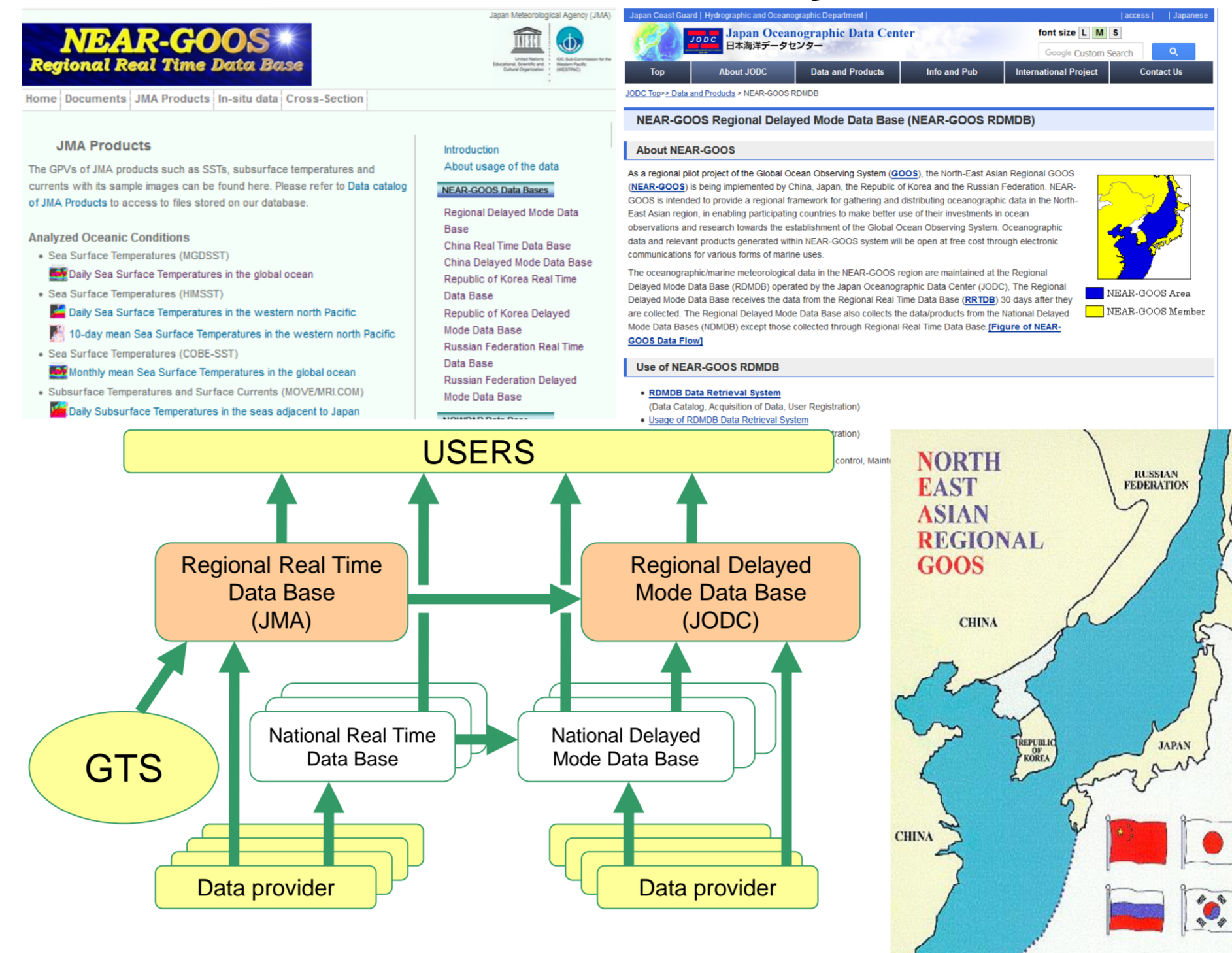
NEAR-GOOS is a regional ocean observing initiative being undertaken in partnership between PR China, Japan, the Republic of Korea, and the Russian Federation, in association with the GOOS. It was initiated in 1996 upon the formal adoption by the 29th Executive Council of the IOC following a recommendation from the WESTPAC Regional Sub commission of IOC.

One of 13 GOOS Regional Alliances



The North-East Asian Regional-Global Ocean Observing System (NEAR-GOOS) is the first regional pilot project of GOOS.

NEAR-GOOS Data System



NEAR-GOOS provides through its database system various oceanographic data that are useful for PICES community.

IOC/WESTPAC Coordinating Committee for NEAR-GOOS

- To review the status of NEAR-GOOS and progress,
- To discuss the follow up activities towards the goals of NEAR-GOOS strategy,
- To identify the role of NEAR-GOOS in global GOOS development and effective ways of interactions with other GRAs and related regional programs and projects



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NEAR-GOOS Databases

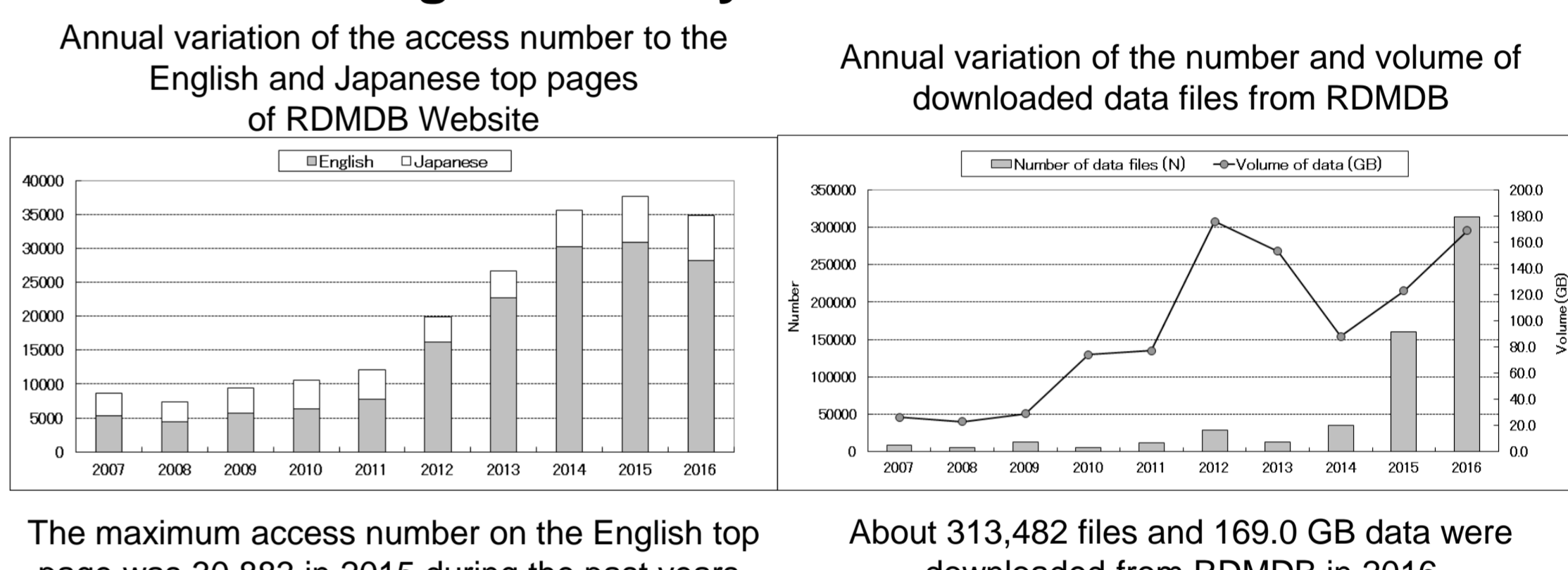
Country	Database	Responsible organization	URL
Japan	Regional RTDB	JMA	https://www.data.jma.go.jp/gmd/goos/data/database.html
	Regional DMDB	JODC	http://near-goos1.jodc.go.jp
China	National RTDB	NMEFC	http://neargoos.nmefc.cn/index.shtml
	National DMDB	NMDIS	http://near-goos.nmdis.org.cn
Korea	National RTDB	KHOA	http://www.khoa.go.kr/neargoos/
	National DMDB	NIFS	http://www.nifs.go.kr/kodc/eng/01_about/02.jsp
Russia	National RTDB	FERHRI	http://rus.ferhri.ru/esimo/Projects/Neargoos/
	National DMDB	POI	http://pacificinfo.ru/near-goos/

RTDB: Real-Time DataBase
DMDB: Delayed mode DataBase

Regional Real-Time Database

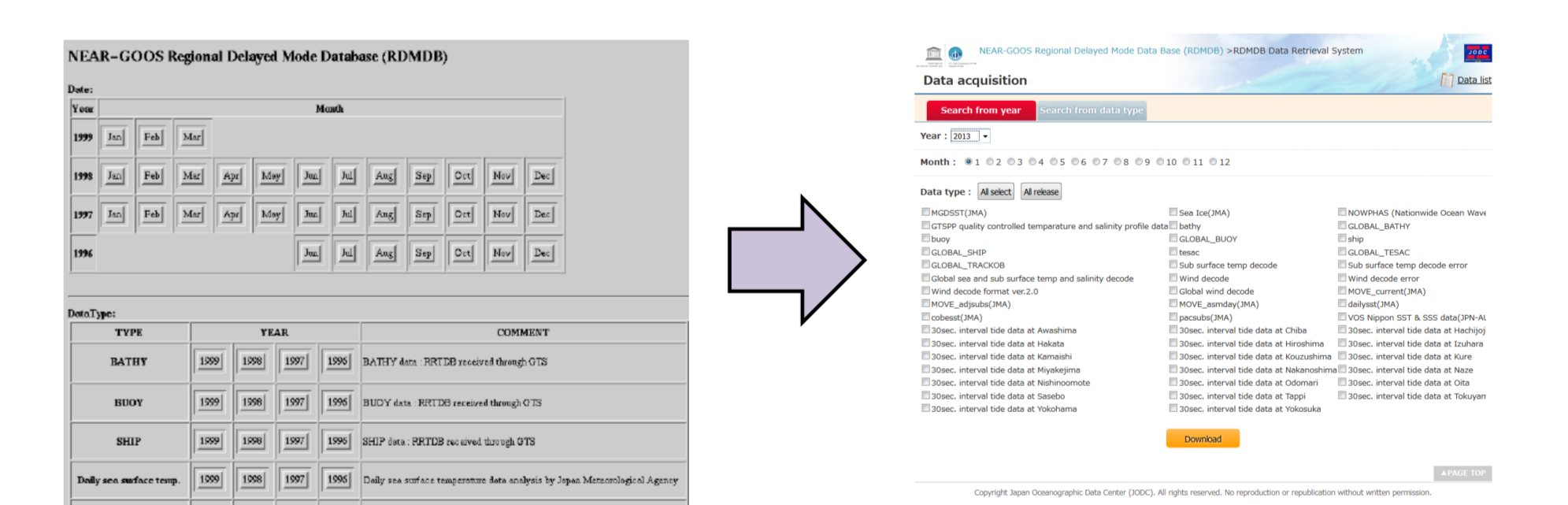
Description of data	Source	Type	Remarks
Data			
WMO international codes for oceanographic and marine meteorological data (NEAR-GOOS region and global)	GTS	In-situ data	FM13 SHIP, FM18 BUOY, FM62 TRACKOB, FM63 BATHY, FM64 TESAC
Decoded data (temperature, salinity and wind data: NEAR-GOOS region and global)			
GTSP quality controlled temperature and salinity data	GTSP		
Products			
Daily SSTs (MGDSST ¹ and HIMSST ²)			¹ Global ² western North Pacific
10 day mean SSTs (HIMSST)			western North Pacific
Monthly mean SSTs (COBE-SST)			Global
Daily subsurface temperatures and surface currents (MOVE/MRI.COM)	JMA	Images and analysis GPVs	the seas adjacent to Japan
10 day mean subsurface temperatures and surface currents (MOVE/MRI.COM)			the seas adjacent to Japan
Monthly mean subsurface temperatures (MOVE/MRI.COM)			the seas adjacent to Japan
Monthly mean subsurface temperatures (3DVAR)			Pacific
Monthly mean sea surface height anomalies (CMEMS, Pacific)			Reanalysis products only
Sea ice concentrations			north-east Asian marginal seas
JMA research vessels cruise plan			
Cross-basin climate monitoring section	JMA and POI	Images and in-situ data	

Regional Delayed Mode Database



The maximum access number on the English top page was 30,883 in 2015 during the past years. About 313,482 files and 169.0 GB data were downloaded from RDMD in 2016

- Japan Oceanographic Data Center (JODC) has been operating NEAR-GOOS Regional Delayed Mode Data Base (RDMD) since October 1996.
- RDMD contains 59 types of data (as of June 2018).
 - 51 types data have been transferred from RRTDB
 - Others are from Japan Coast Guard, Tohoku University and Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism.
- The data volume of RDMD was totally 210 GB
- The new web page of the RDMD was opened in June 2017



NEAR-GOOS Working Groups

WG on Data Management

- To improve NEAR-GOOS databases networking system (QA/QC, data inventories, standard formats etc.)

WG on Products

- To improve the NEAR-GOOS products in a comprehensive manner.
- Complete the user analysis and discuss necessary actions

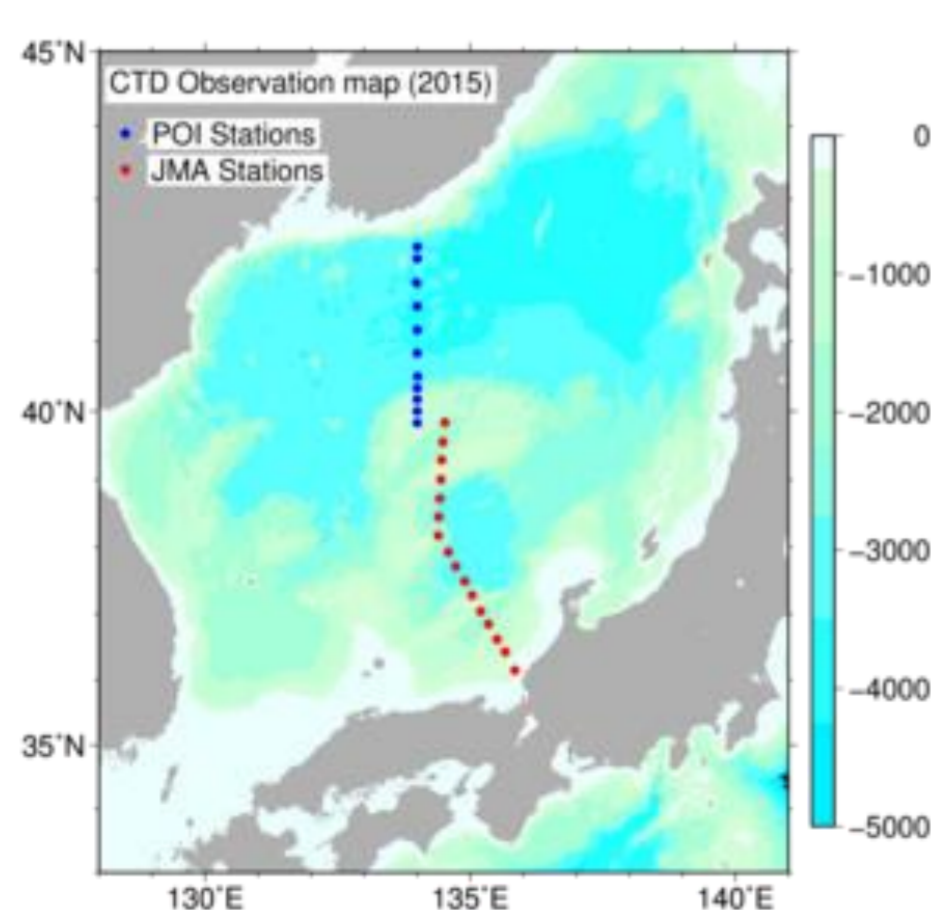
WG on Ocean Forecasting Systems

- To enhance an efficiency of the existing forecasting capability in the region and cooperation between national operational forecasting systems

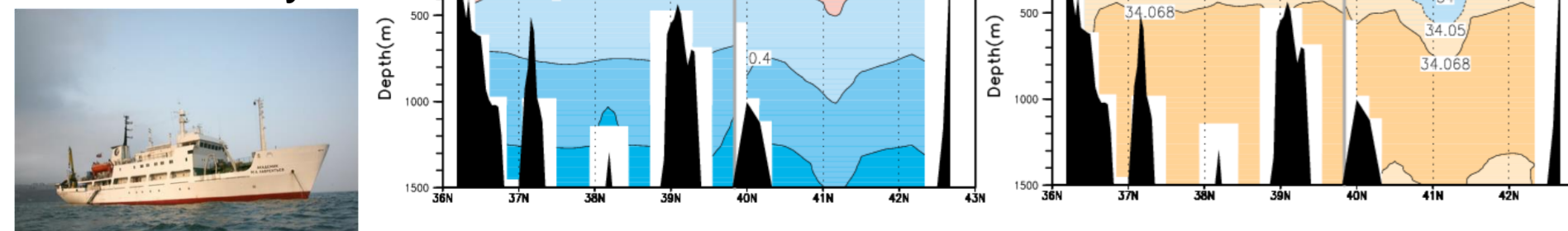
Pilot project

Cross-basin Climate Monitoring Section

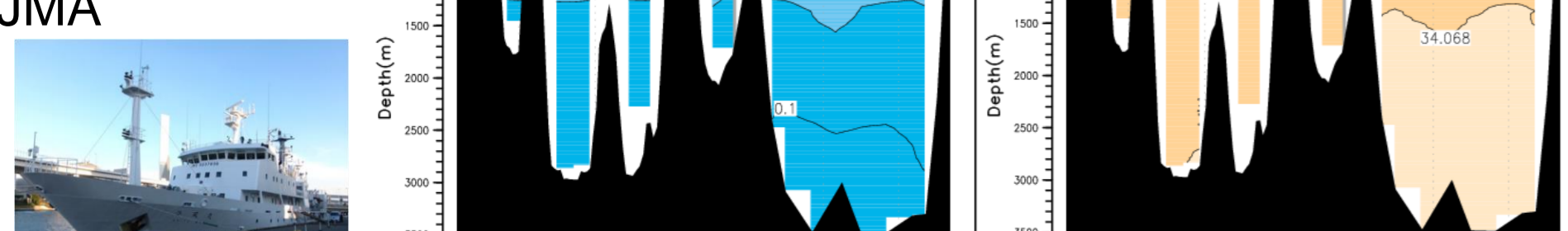
- jointly conducted by JMA, Japan and POI, Russia since 2011
- to improve the understanding of the response of the regional seas to climate change
- Observation period: 2011~
 - Late October - early November
- CTD02 profile data available at RRTDB
 - Vertical resolution: 1 dbar
 - Parameters: Pressure, Temperature, Salinity, Dissolved Oxygen



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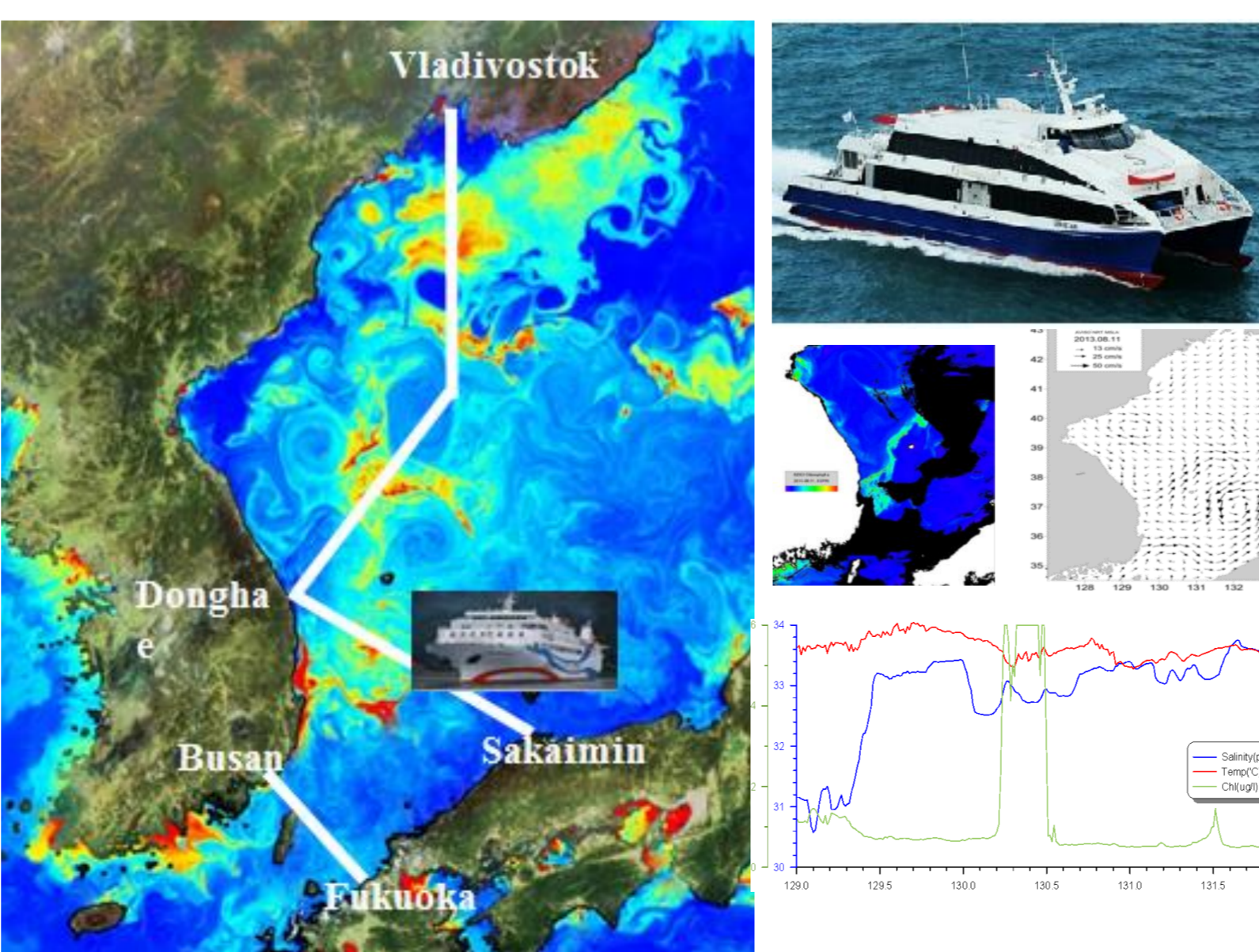


<https://www.data.jma.go.jp/gmd/goos/data/rrtdb/cross-section/cross-section.html>

Pilot project

Ferry Boat Monitoring (since 2017)

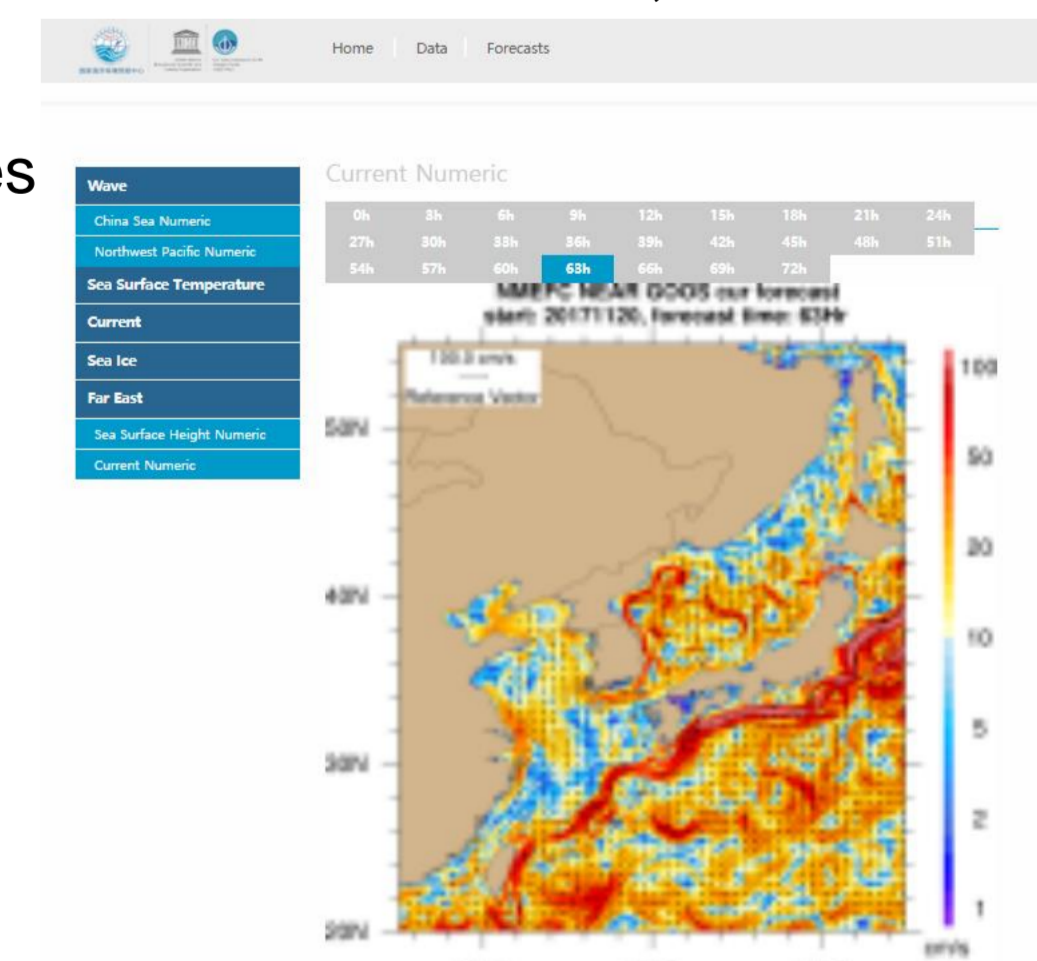
- Objective: Monitoring the status and changes in the marine environment
- Ferry boats observe surface water temperature and salinity during cruising
 - The obtained data is transmitted by using local cellular phone system.



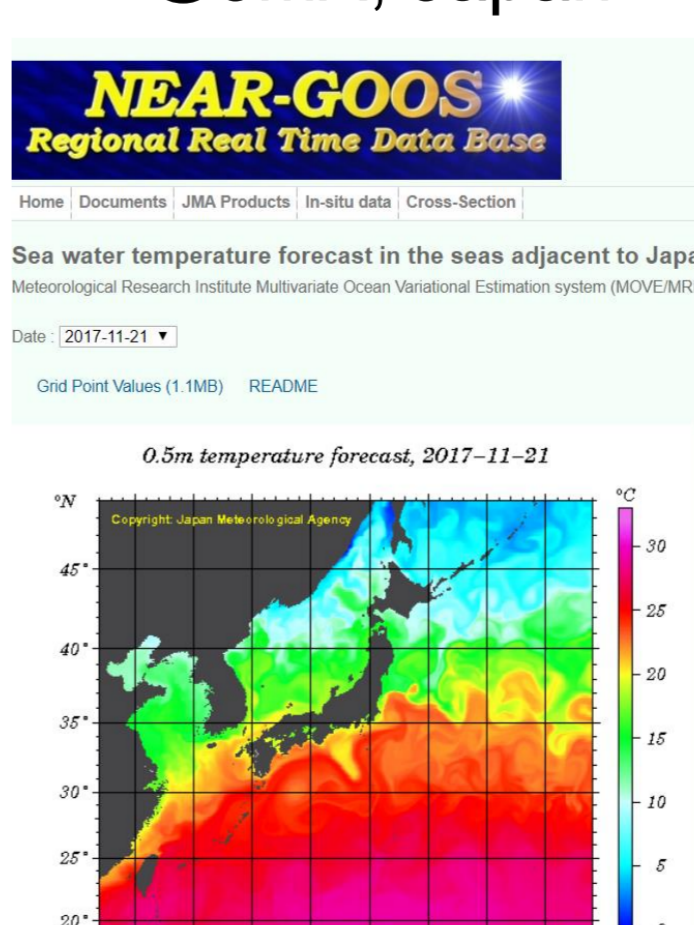
Ocean Forecasting System (since 2017)

- Ocean Forecasting System WG (OFS WG) organized its 1st technical meeting in Ansan, Korea on 16-18 August, 2017
- agreed that prepare pre-operational web pages of ocean forecasts
 - Forecast Elements:
 - Wind
 - Ocean current
 - Sea water temperature
 - Ocean wave
 - Sea Ice (under consideration)
- The pre-operational forecast pages are being prepared by Members.

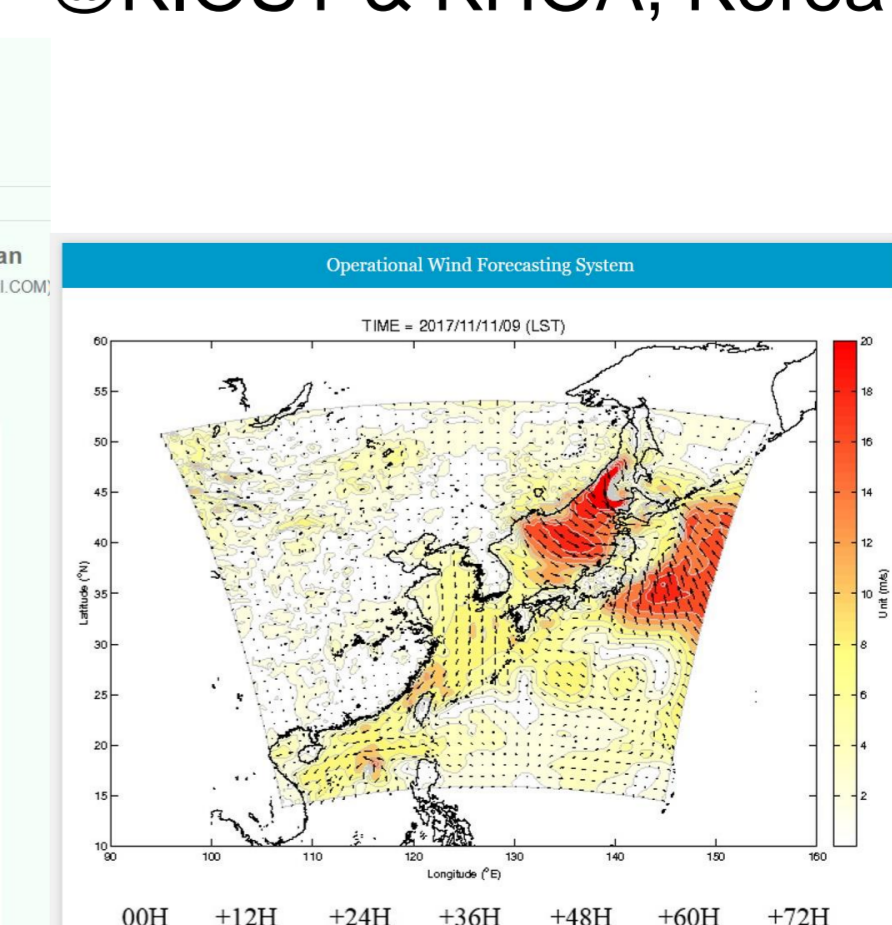
Ocean Current @NMEFC, China



Water Temperature @JMA, Japan



Wind @KIOST & KHOA, Korea



Ocean Wave @FERHRI, Russia

