

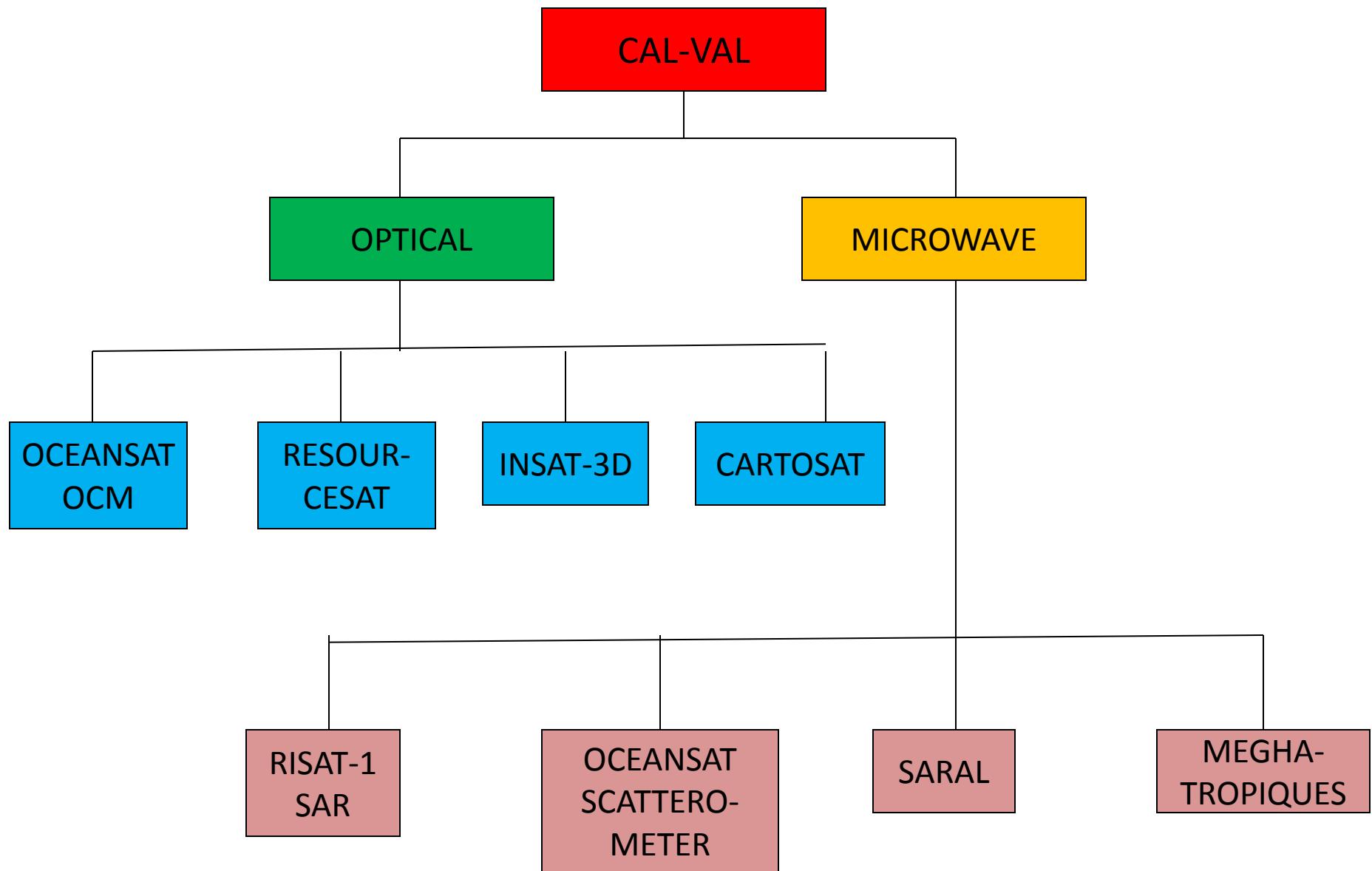
ISRO CAL-VAL ACTIVITIES

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Outline

- ISRO Cal-Val activities
- OCM2 Ocean color Cal-Val
- Kavaratti Cal-Val site in ocean
- Vicarious calibration of OCM2 using Kavaratti
- Briefs on other Cal-Val activities

CAL/VAL activities for Land, Ocean & Atmosphere



ISRO missions

Satellite	Sensor(s)
IRS-1D	LISS-III , PAN , WiFS
OCEANSAT-1	OCM
TES	TES PAN
KALPANA-1	DRT-S&R , VHRR
INSAT-3A	CCD camera , DRT-S&R , VHRR
CARTOSAT-1	PAN
CARTOSAT-2	PAN
IMS-1	HySI (IMS-1) , MxT
RISAT-2	SAR-X
OCEANSAT-2	OCM , ROSA , Scatterometer

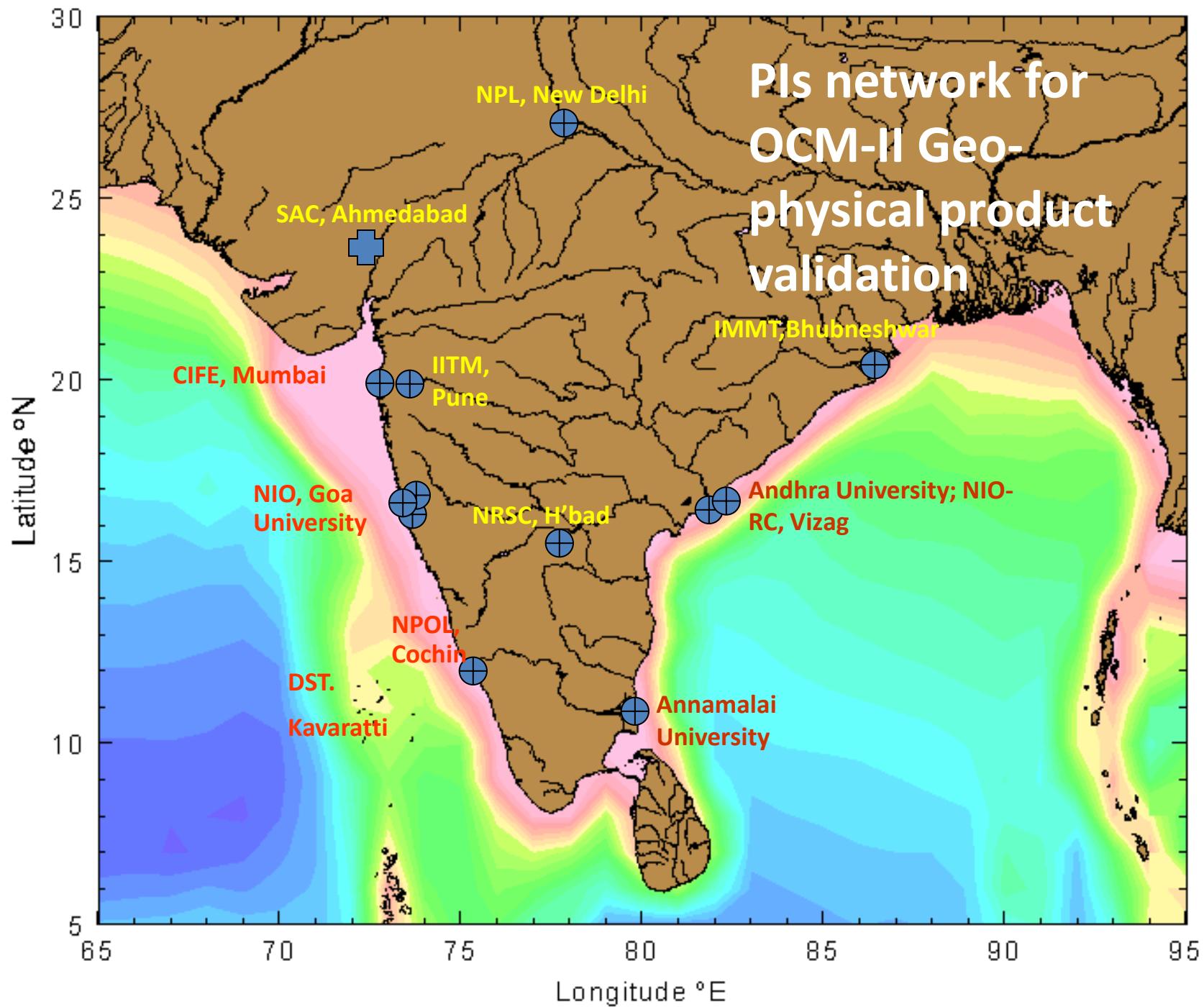
Air-borne	Sensor(s)
DMSAR	C-SAR
AHySI	Hyper-spectral

Satellite	Sensor(s)
RESOURCESAT-2	AWIFS , LISS-III , LISS-IV
Youthsat	LiVHySI
RISAT-1	SAR
MEGHA-TROPIQUES	MADRAS , SAPHIR , ScaRaB , ROSA
INSAT-3D	Imager , Sounder
SARAL	AltiKa , ARGOS
CARTOSAT-3	Panchromatic, VNIR, SWIR, LWIR
TES-HYS	HySI
OCEANSAT-3	OCM3
RESOURCESAT-3	AWIFS , LISS-III , LISS-IV
RISAT-L	SAR L

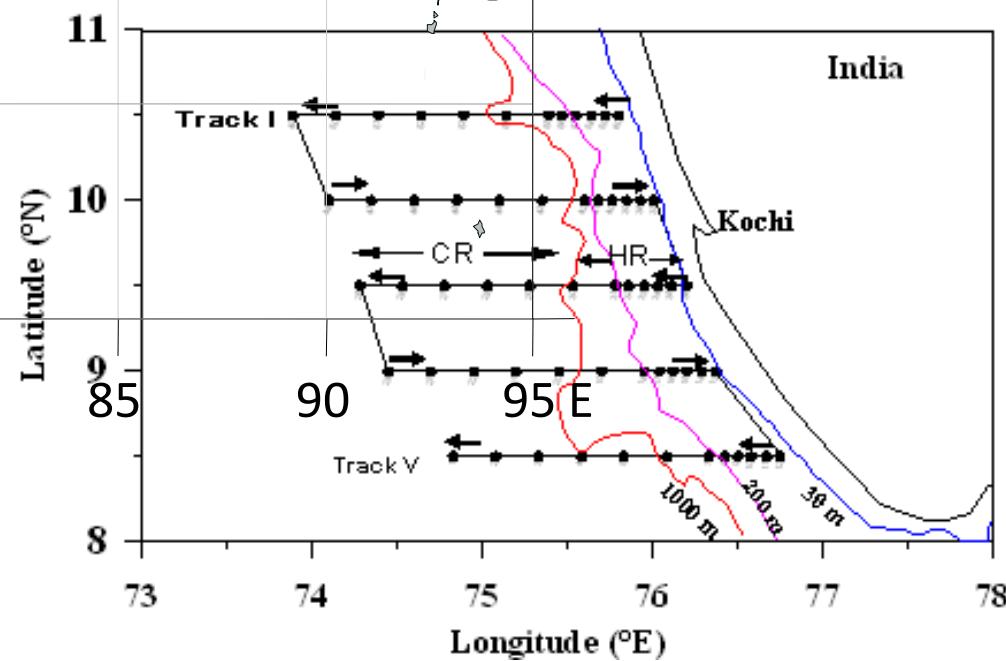
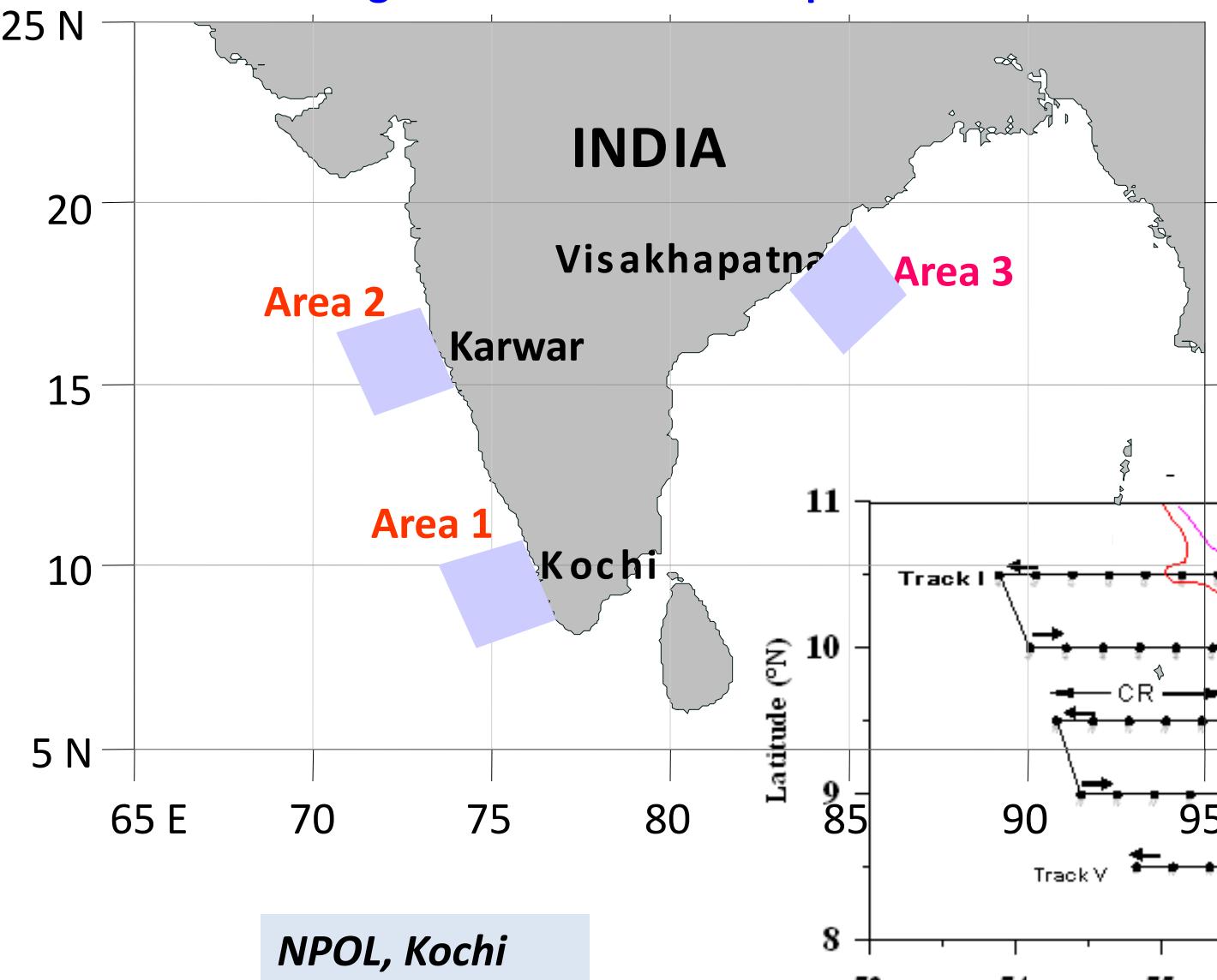
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1	Integrated water vapor	MT	operational	34	Surface reflectance	Research
2	Humidity profile	MT	operational	35	VI	Research
3	Temperature profile	MT	operational	36	LAI	Research
4	Wind speed	MT	operational	37	FAPAR	Research
5	Precipitation	MT	operational	38	Insolation	Research
6	SWR & LWR	MT	operational	39	Albedo	Research
7	Cloud liquid water	MT	operational	40	LST	Research
8	Wind speed	SARAL/AltiKa	operational	41	Net radiation	Research
9	Significant wave height	SARAL/AltiKa	operational	42	Evapotranspiration	Research
10	Sea surface height	SARAL/AltiKa	operational	43	Biomass	Research
11	Chlorophyll-a,	OCEANSAT-II	operational	44	NPP	Research
12	Total suspended matter	OCEANSAT-II	operational	45	Snow/Ice products	Research
13	Kd (490nm)	OCEANSAT-II	operational	46	Climate change index	Research
14	AOT(865nm)	OCEANSAT-II	operational			
15	Wind speed	OCEANSAT-II	operational			
16	Wind direction	OCEANSAT-II	operational			
17	AMV (CMV,WVV)	INSAT-3D	operational			
18	OLR	INSAT-3D	operational			
19	UTH	INSAT-3D	operational			
20	SST	INSAT-3D	operational			
21	Aerosol,	INSAT-3D	operational			
22	T, q – profile	INSAT-3D	operational			
23	Stab. Indices	INSAT-3D	operational			
24	Fire, Smoke	INSAT-3D	operational			
25	Fog	INSAT-3D	operational			
26	Rain	INSAT-3D	operational			
27	Snow cover	INSAT-3D	operational			
28	NDVI	INSAT-3D	operational			
29	Ozone	INSAT-3D	operational			
30	Wind Speed	RISAT	operational			
31	Oil slick map	RISAT	operational			
32	vegetation extent map	RISAT	Research			
33	Soil moisture	RISAT	Research			

**Geo-physical
parameters/products**

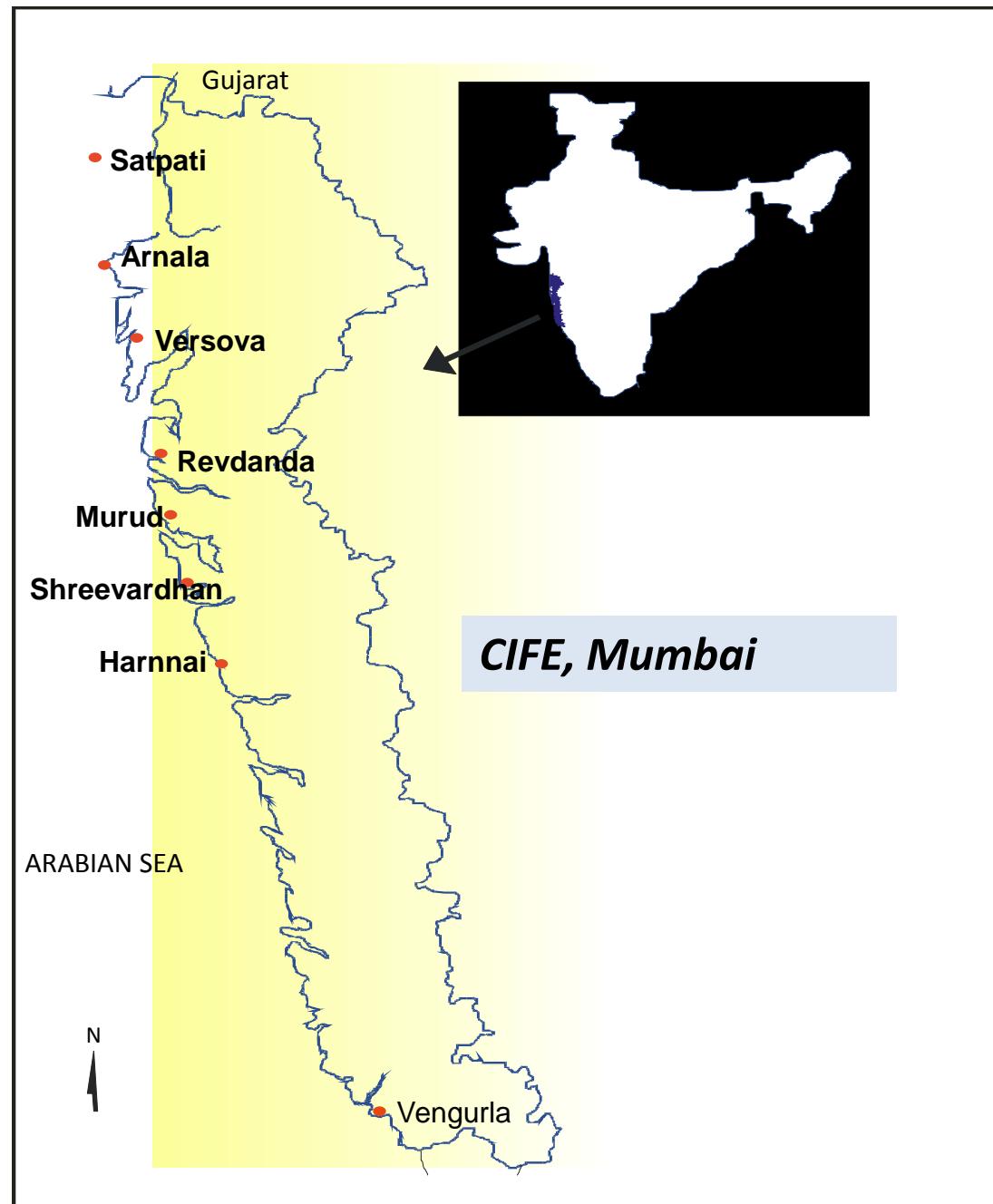
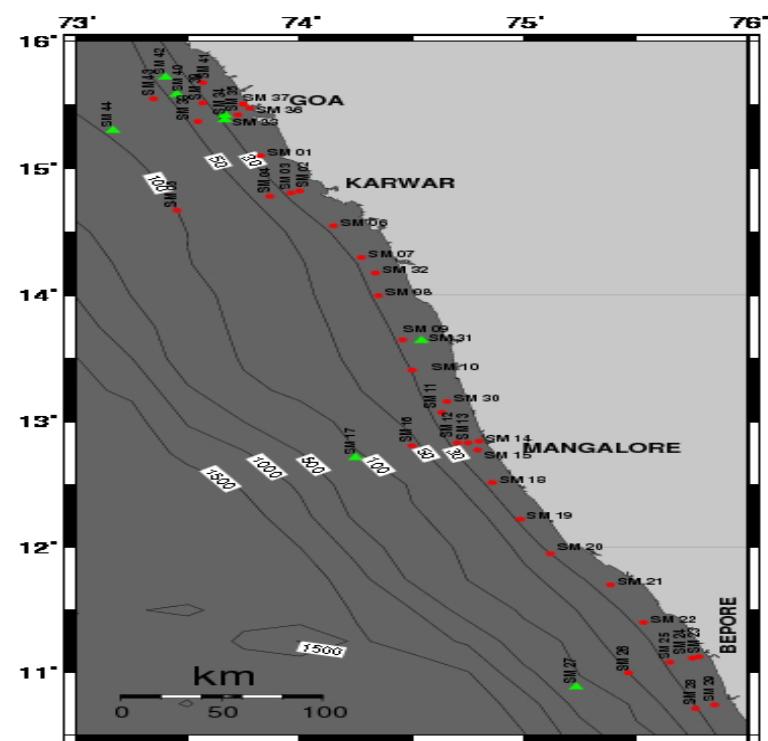
OCM2 OCEAN COLOR CAL-VAL



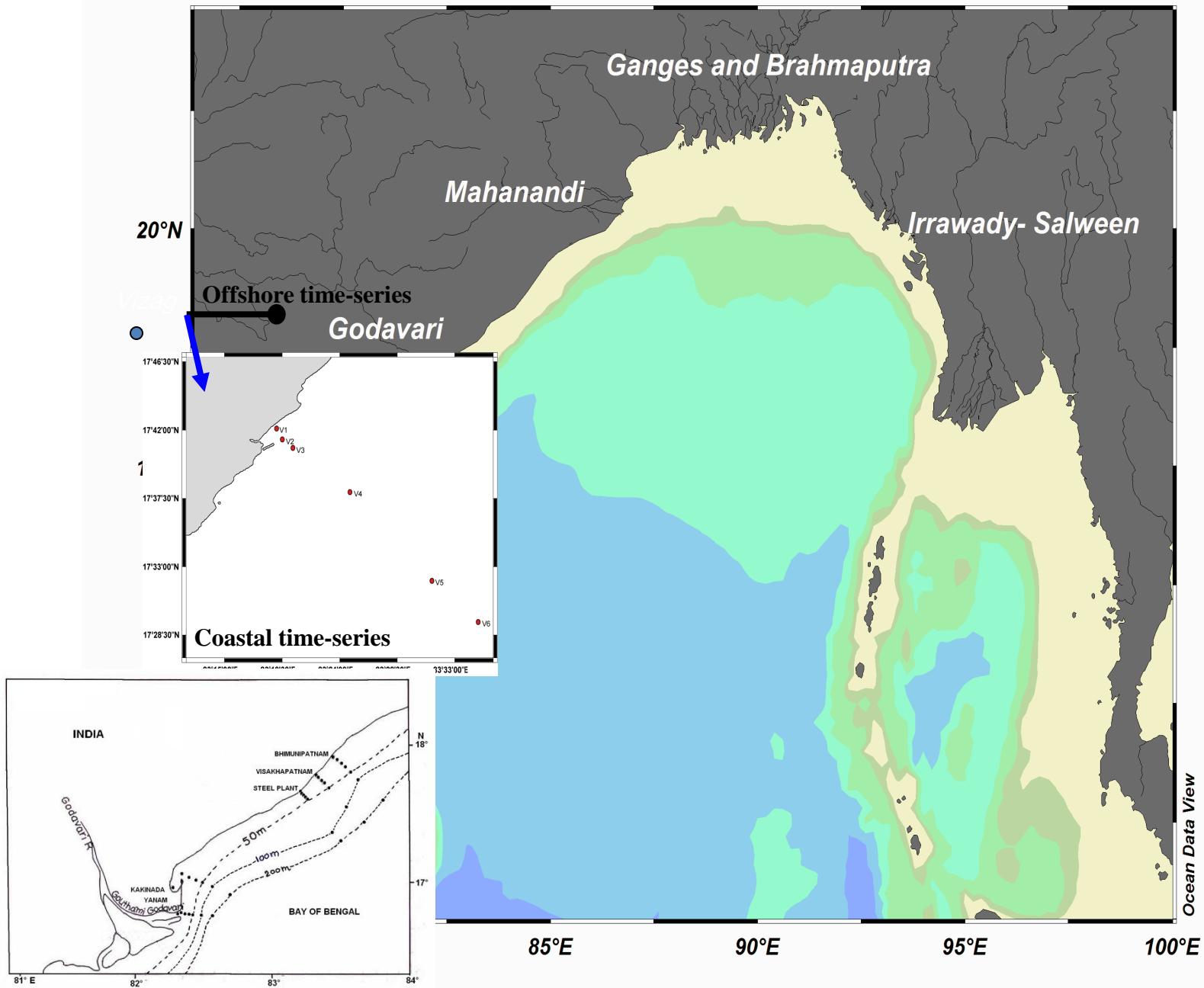
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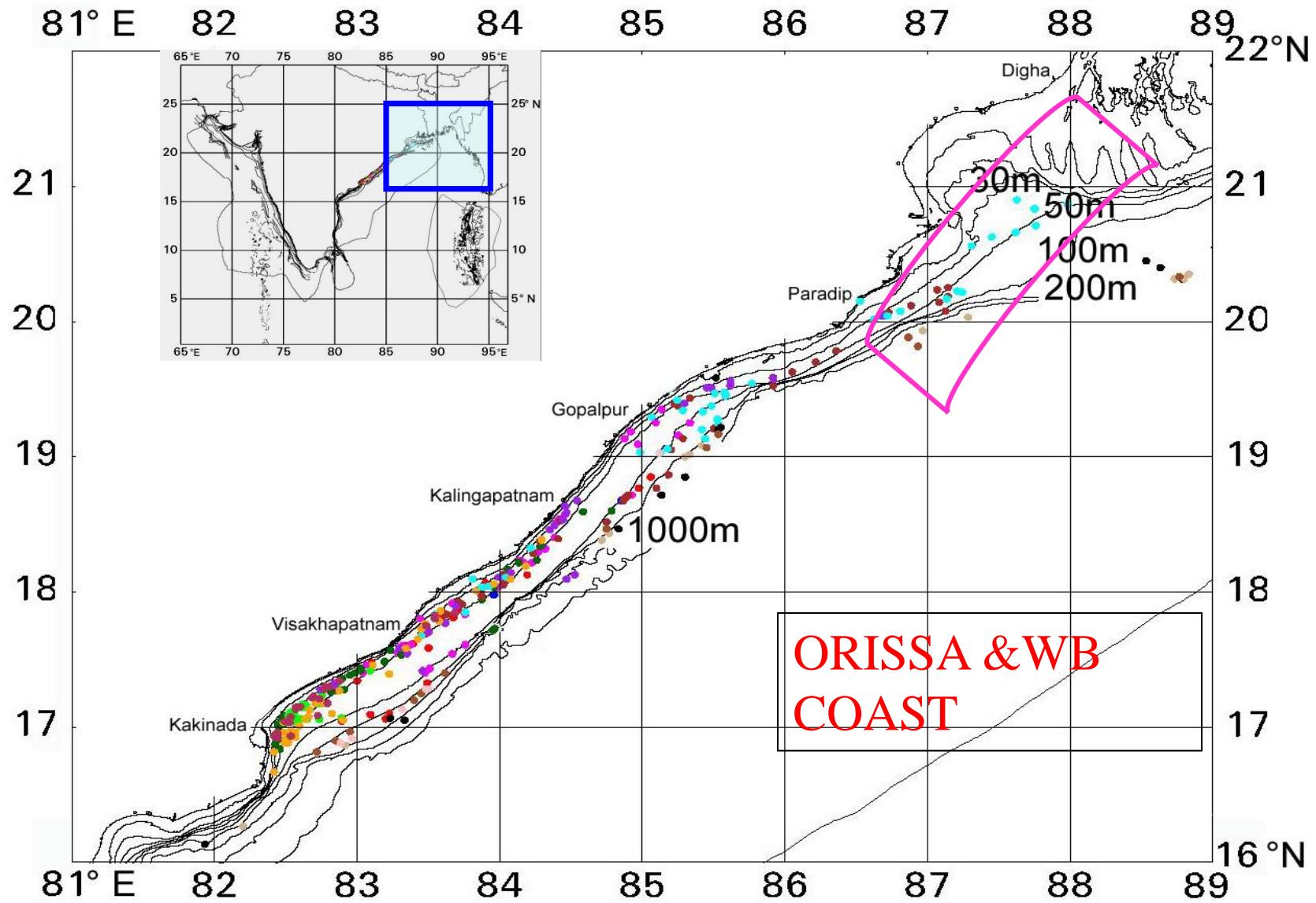


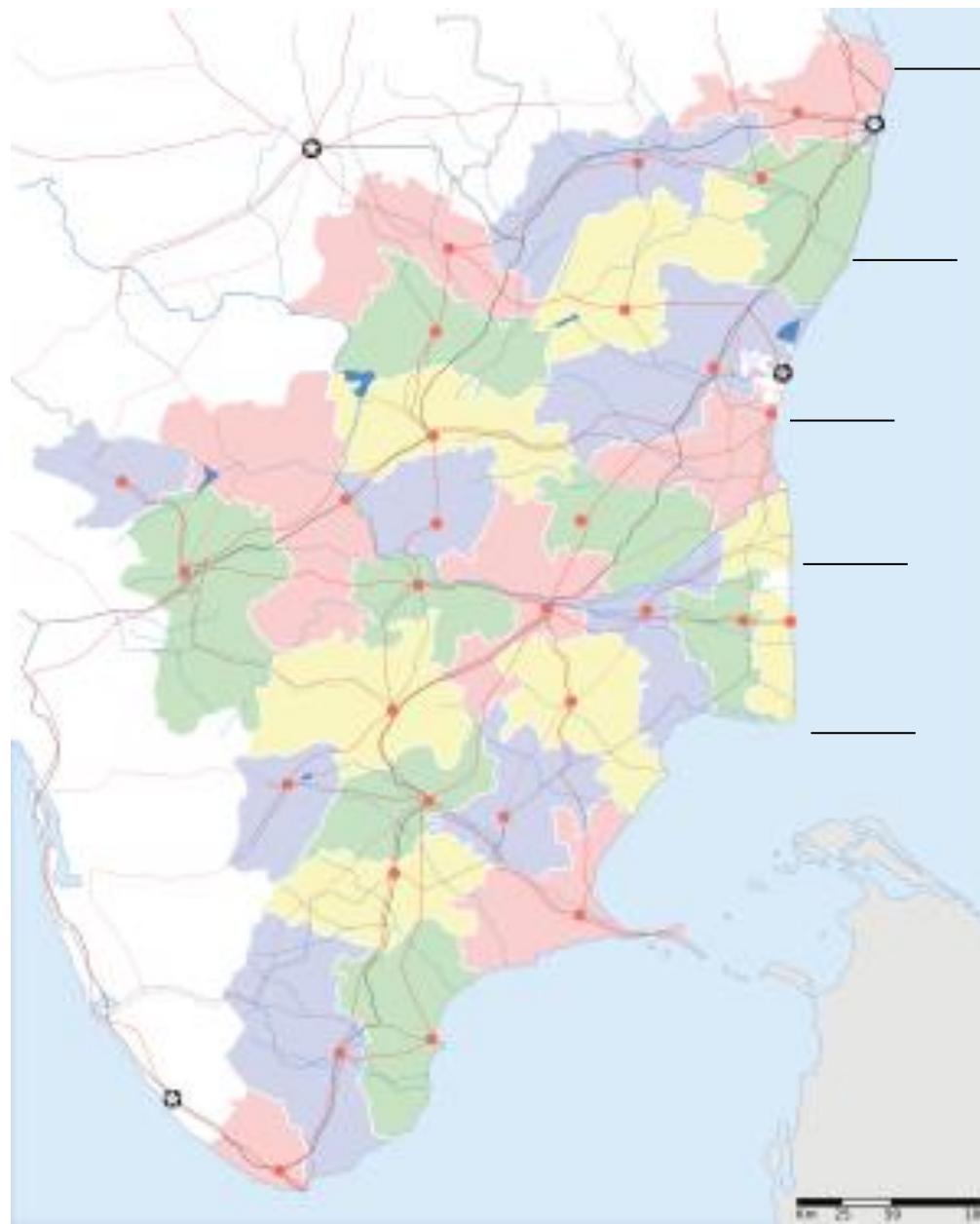
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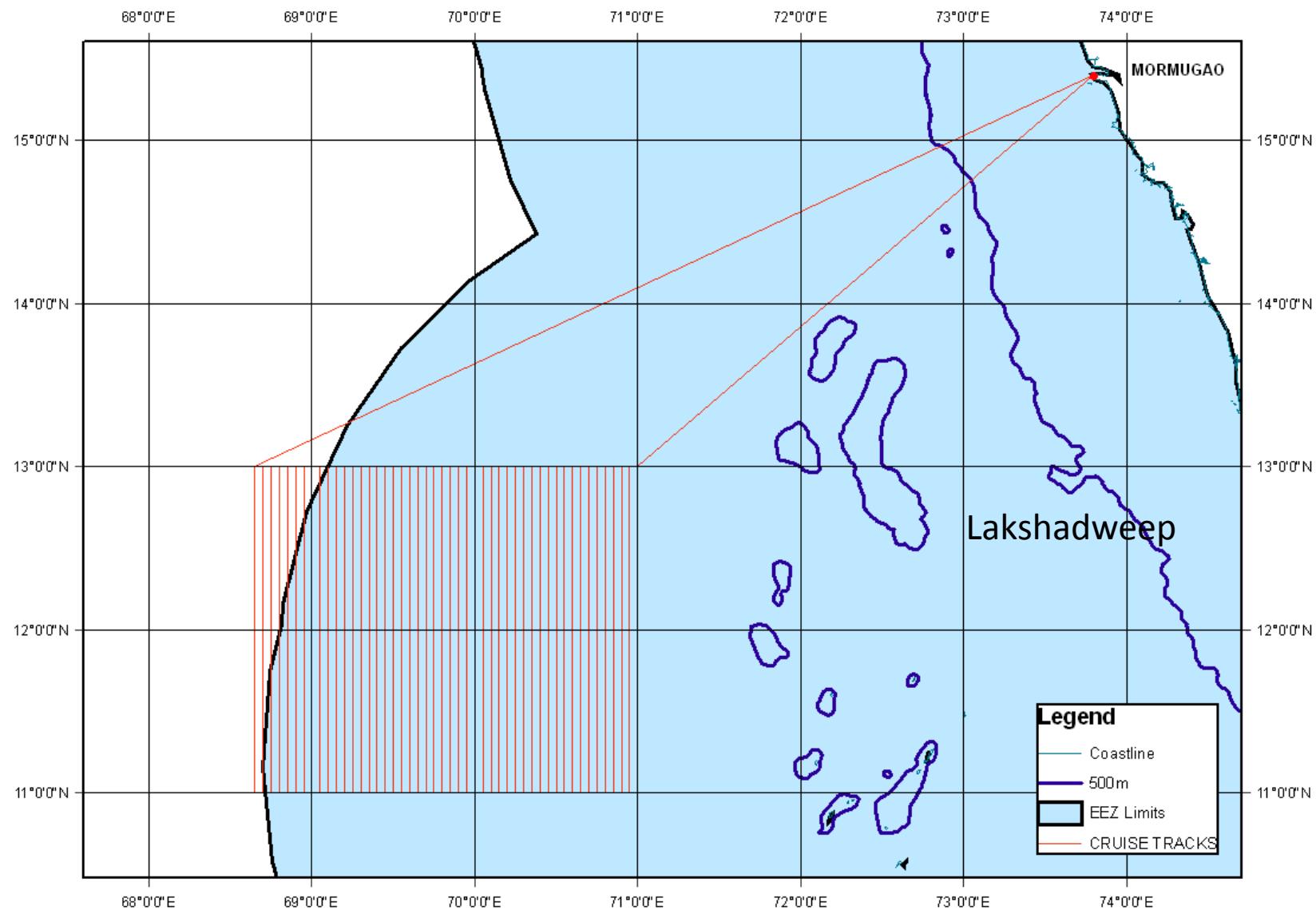
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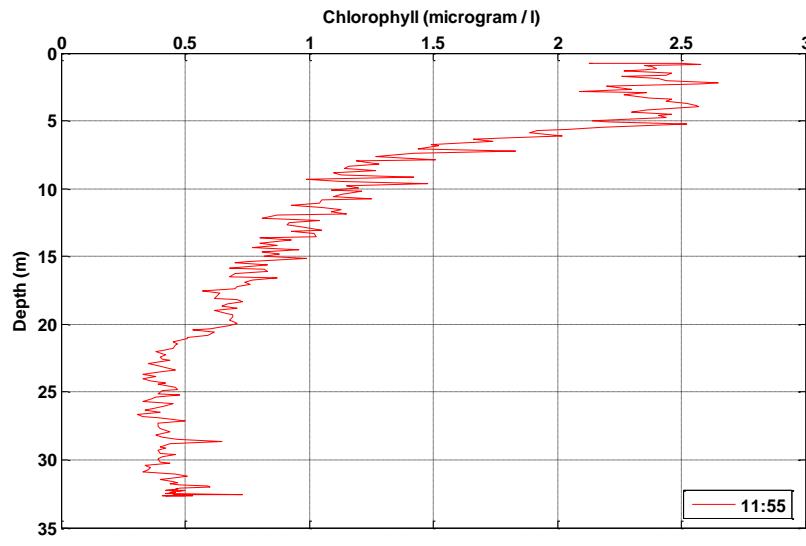
Site 4 (20, 30, 50, 100, 200m)

Site 5 (20, 30, 50, 100, 200m)

Sagar Kanya transect during Dec.09 – Jan.10, 2010

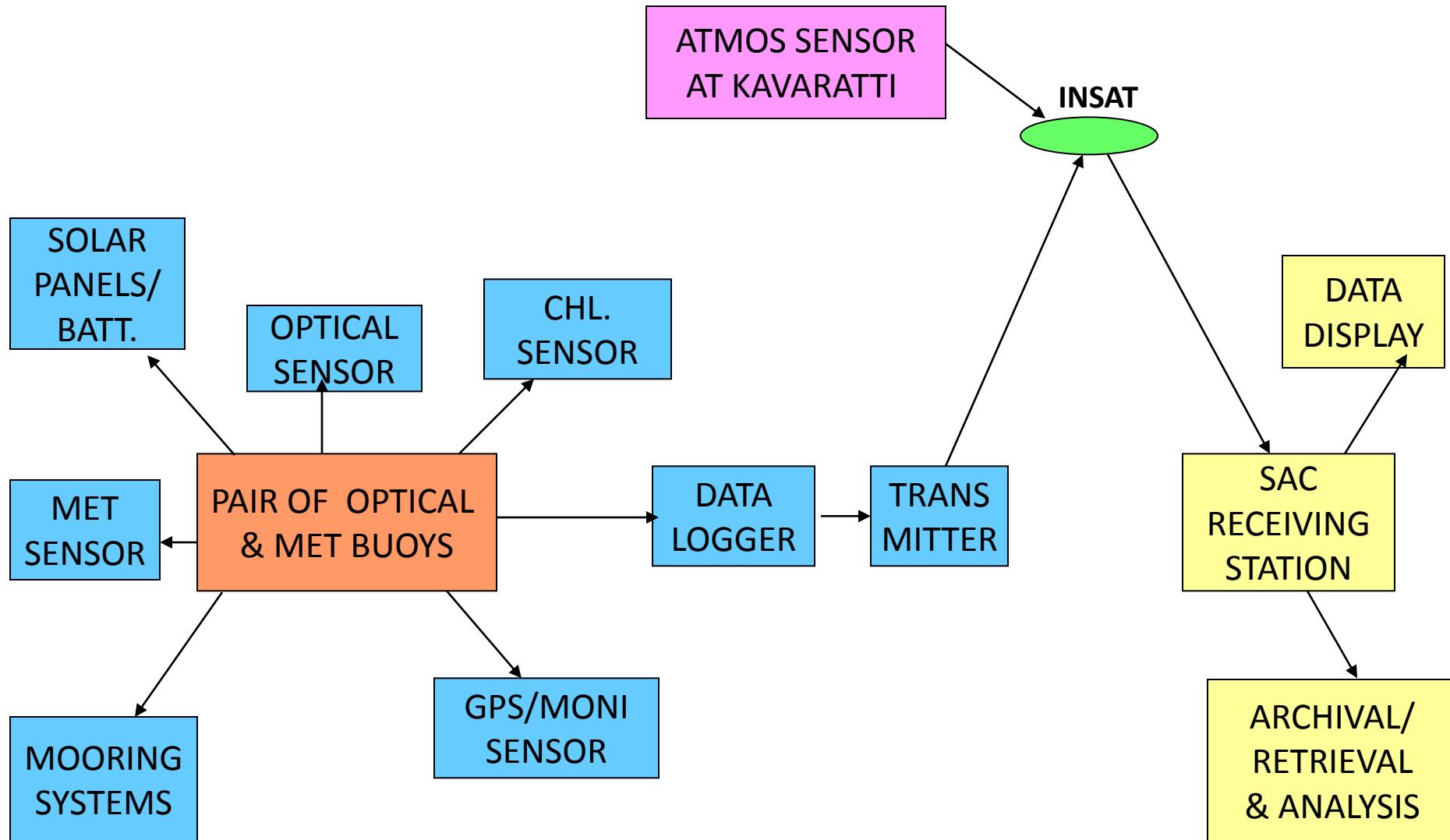


The Autonomous Vertical Profiler with Chl sensor

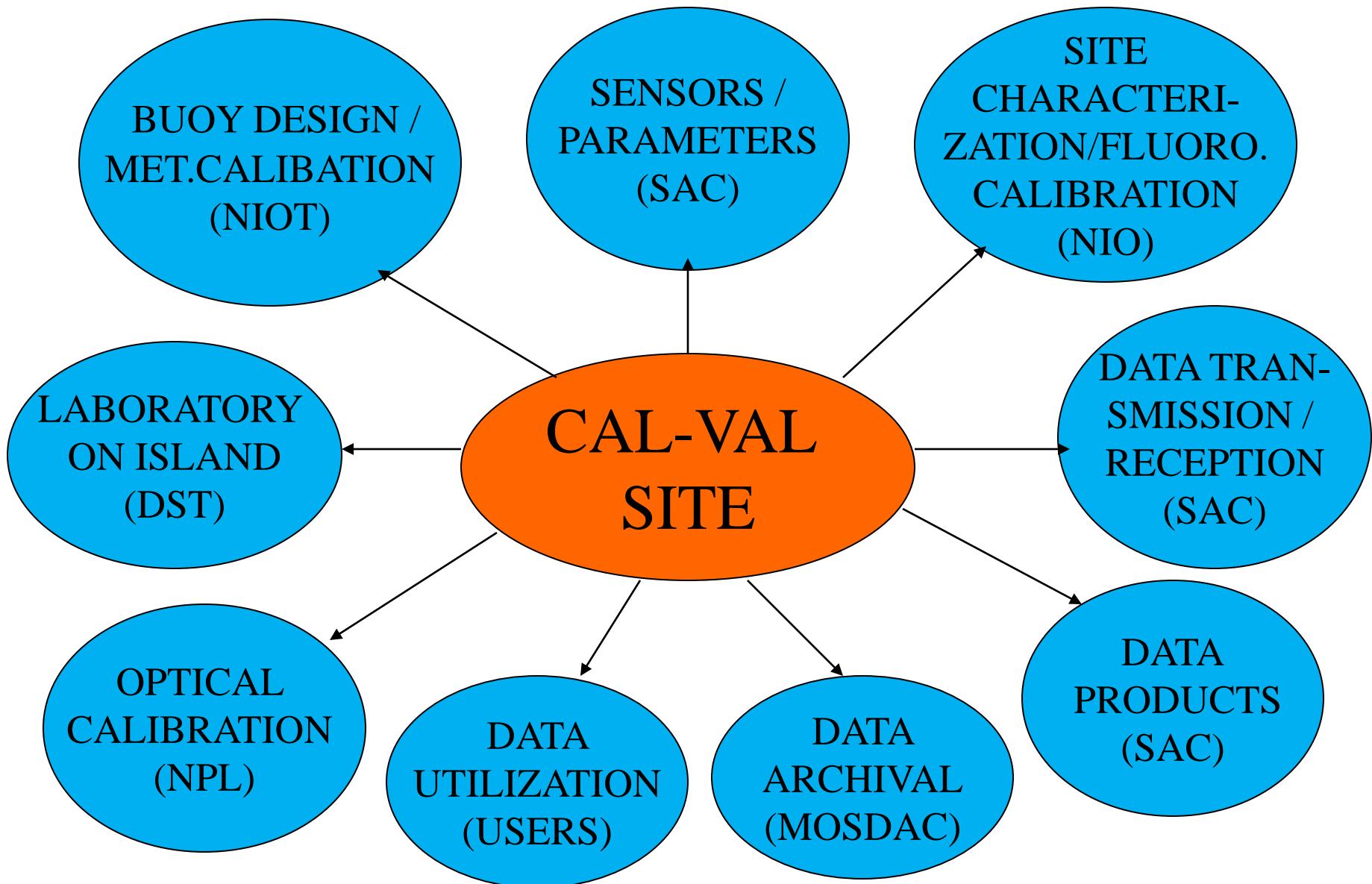


**KAVARATTI CAL-VAL SITE FOR
OCEAN COLOR**

Conceptualization of Kavaratti CAL-VAL site development



Kavaratti CAL-VAL site in deep ocean in Lakshadweep



AREA - 362.749 HECTARS
SCALE 1 : ABOUT 27-



GUIDE MAP OF KAVARATTI

A COMPLIMENT FROM

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(ENVIRONMENT FRIENDLY)

ASSN. OF ARTS, SPORTS, CULTURAL & SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

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= CONCRETE ROAD
YOU ARE HERE

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- 2. GOVT. HOUSE
- 3. MUDZERI PALLI
- 4. TALUK ISLAM MADRASAH
- 5. JUMA MASQD
- 6. MUNNUUDHEETI PALLI
- 7. SANMAYETTAJUHATH KANAKASSI
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- 13. VILLAGE CO. TRANSACTIONS
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- 15. SHARIQAS STUDIO
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- 18. LIGHT HOUSE
- 19. SPORTS OFFICE
- 20. UZASHEL ISLAM MADRASAH
- 21. S. V. SCHOOL
- 22. JUNATHA DIL OFFICE
- 23. KHADI BAZAR
- 24. CONGRESS OFFICE
- 25. DRA OF SOCIAL WELFARE
- 26. G.R.D.A.
- 27. MANDI MARKET
- 28. I.G. HOSPITAL
- 29. STATE BANK
- 30. WORKING MEN'S HOSTEL
- 31. POST OFFICE
- 32. S.P.'S OFFICE
- 33. DISTRICT COURT
- 34. FINANCIAL KASBAN
- 35. DISTT. PINCH. POTS OFFICE
- 36. POST FIELD / TEL. DIVISION
- 37. ENCL. EXCHANGE
- 38. MUD. DIL. DIV. IN ACCOUNT
- 39. SECRET TARIAT
- 40. PAYD. CIRCLE OFFICE
- 41. ELECTION OFFICE
- 42. LILLE DIVISION OFFICE
- 43. SYNDICATE BANK
- 44. TELECOM
- 45. BEST HOUSE
- 46. GOVT. POLICE
- 47. DAK BUNGLOW
- 48. ST. ST. COLLEGE
- 49. DOG'S OFFICE
- 50. POLICE STATION
- 51. VILL. P. AGRI/ A.H.
- 52. DEVT. S.S. SCHOOL
- 53. STADIUM
- 54. ALL INDIA RADIO
- 55. CLOCK TOWER BLD
- 56. S.C. S. OFFICE
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- 59. NAVAL ATTACHMENT
- 60. HARBOUR OFFICE
- 61. HELI BASE

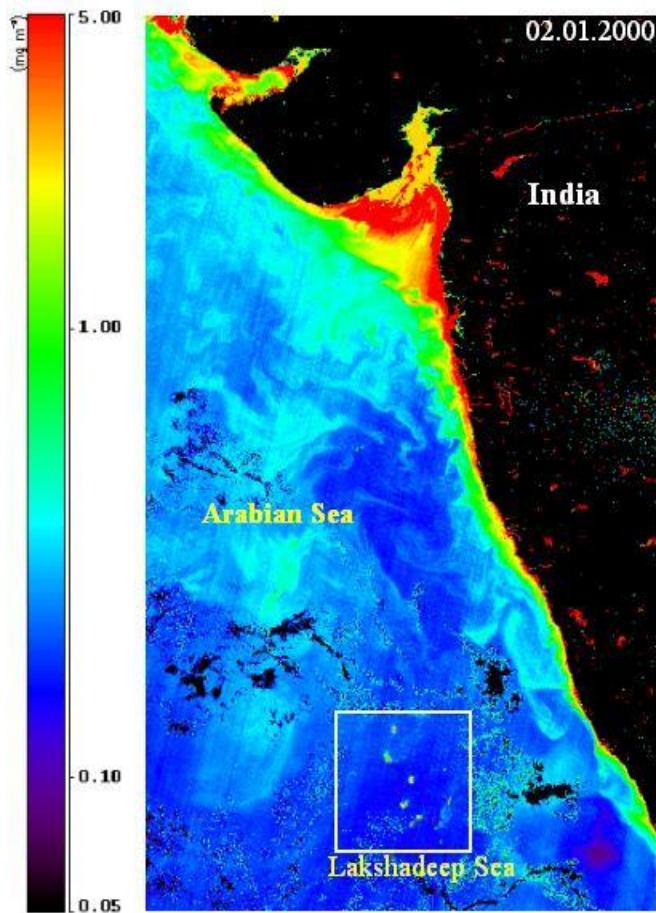
DEDICATED ON 15TH OCT '98

BY
SRI. P. KAMARAJ, I.P.S.
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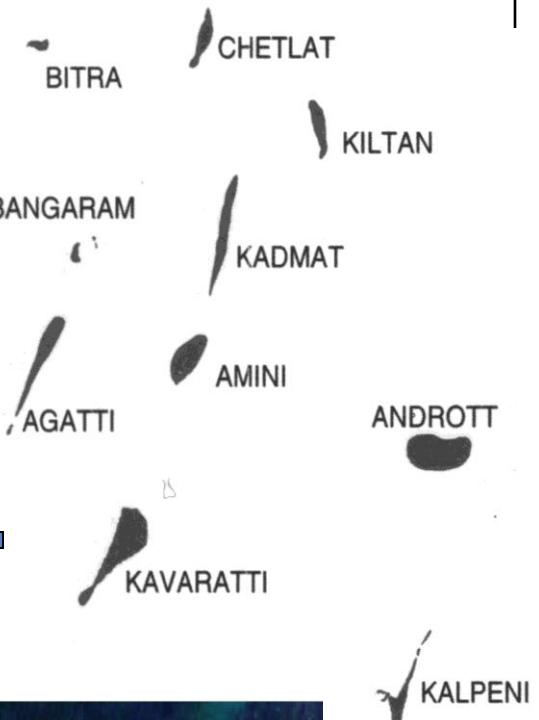
Location of Kavaratti Site



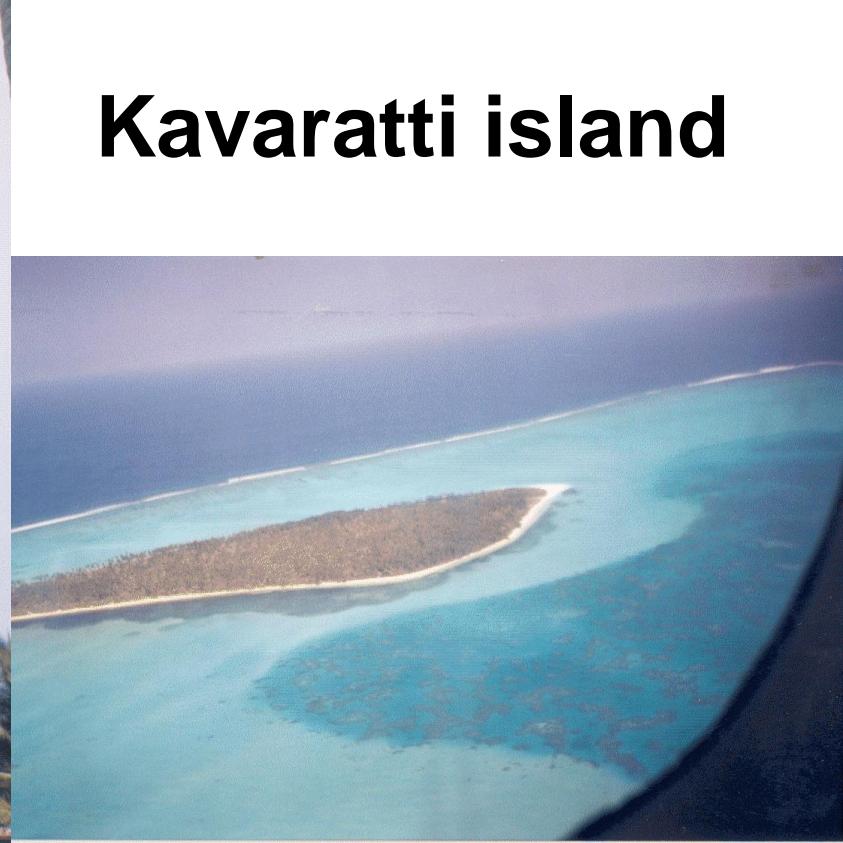
- Sea depth : 1900 mtrs.
- Case-1 water
- Low chlorophyll



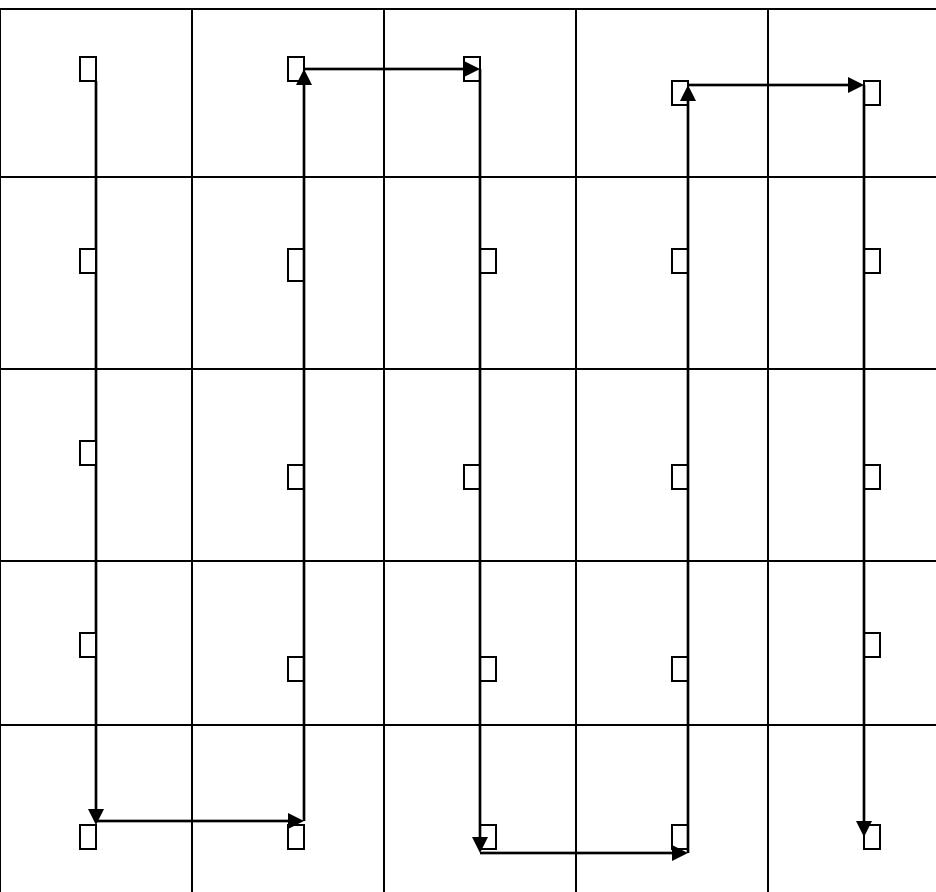
IRS-P4 OCM derived chlorophyll image showing the Lakshadweep Sea and its group of Islands surrounded by the Arabian Sea and west coast of India



Kavaratti island

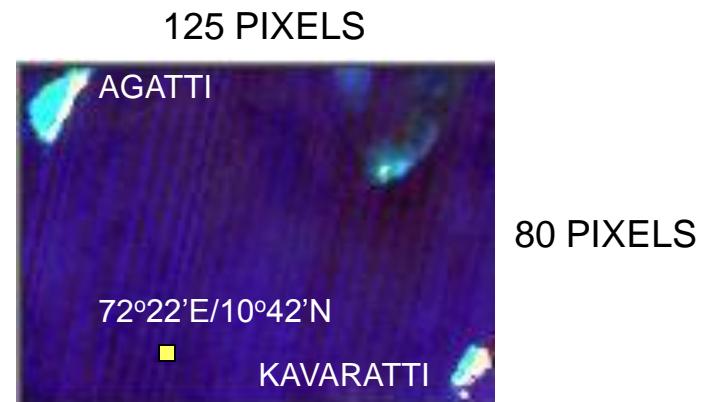


Design of experiment for CAL-VAL Site characterization at Kavaratti using Saga-Sukti vessel



□ Station for data collection

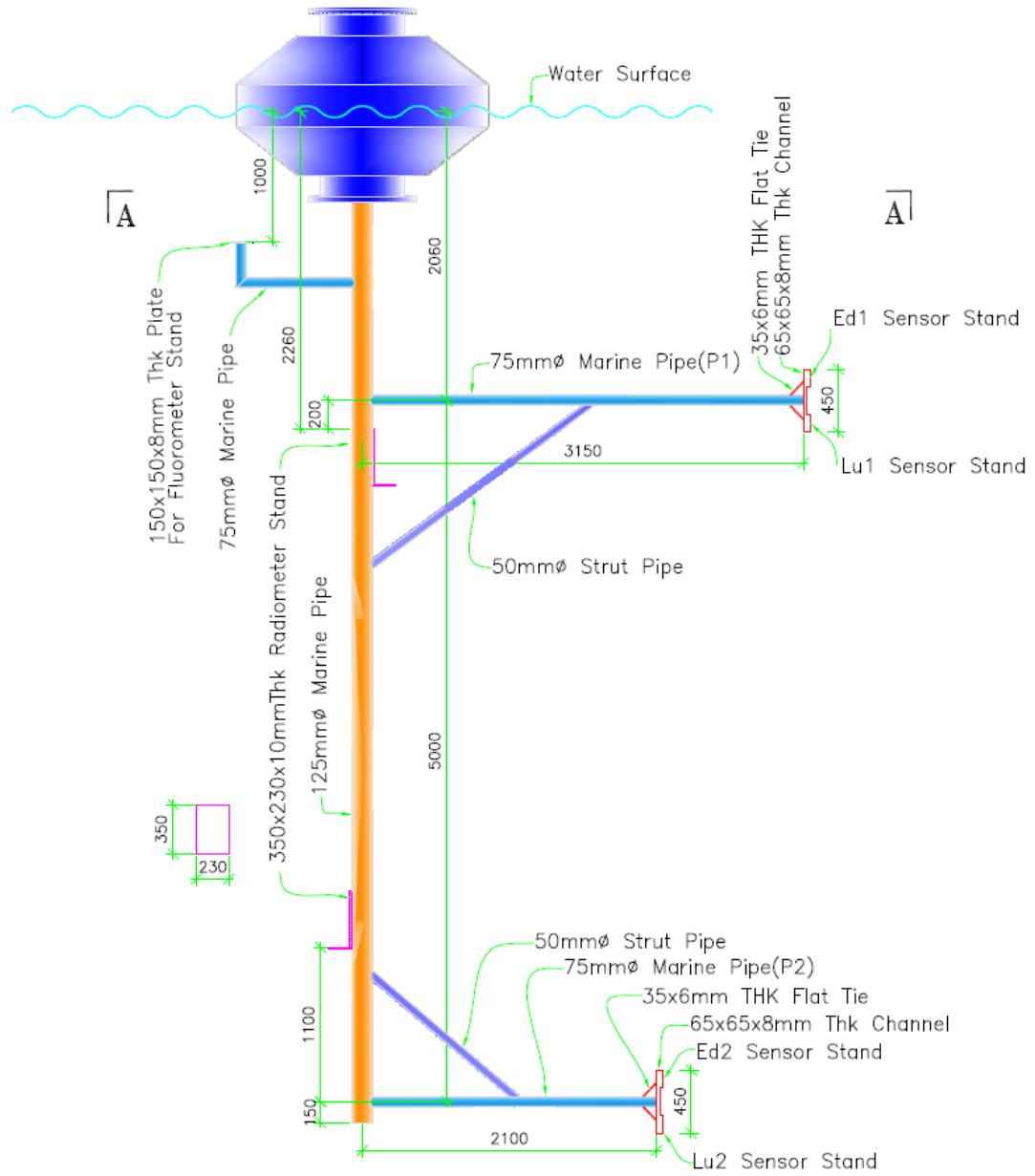
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DAY-3 : 5 Kms.x 5 Kms.
DAY-4 : 5 Kms.x 5 Kms.
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OPTICAL & MET buoy deployment on Kavaratti site



Kavaratti Optical buoy

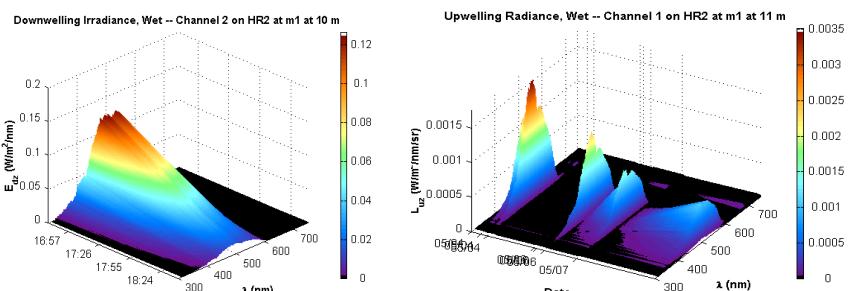
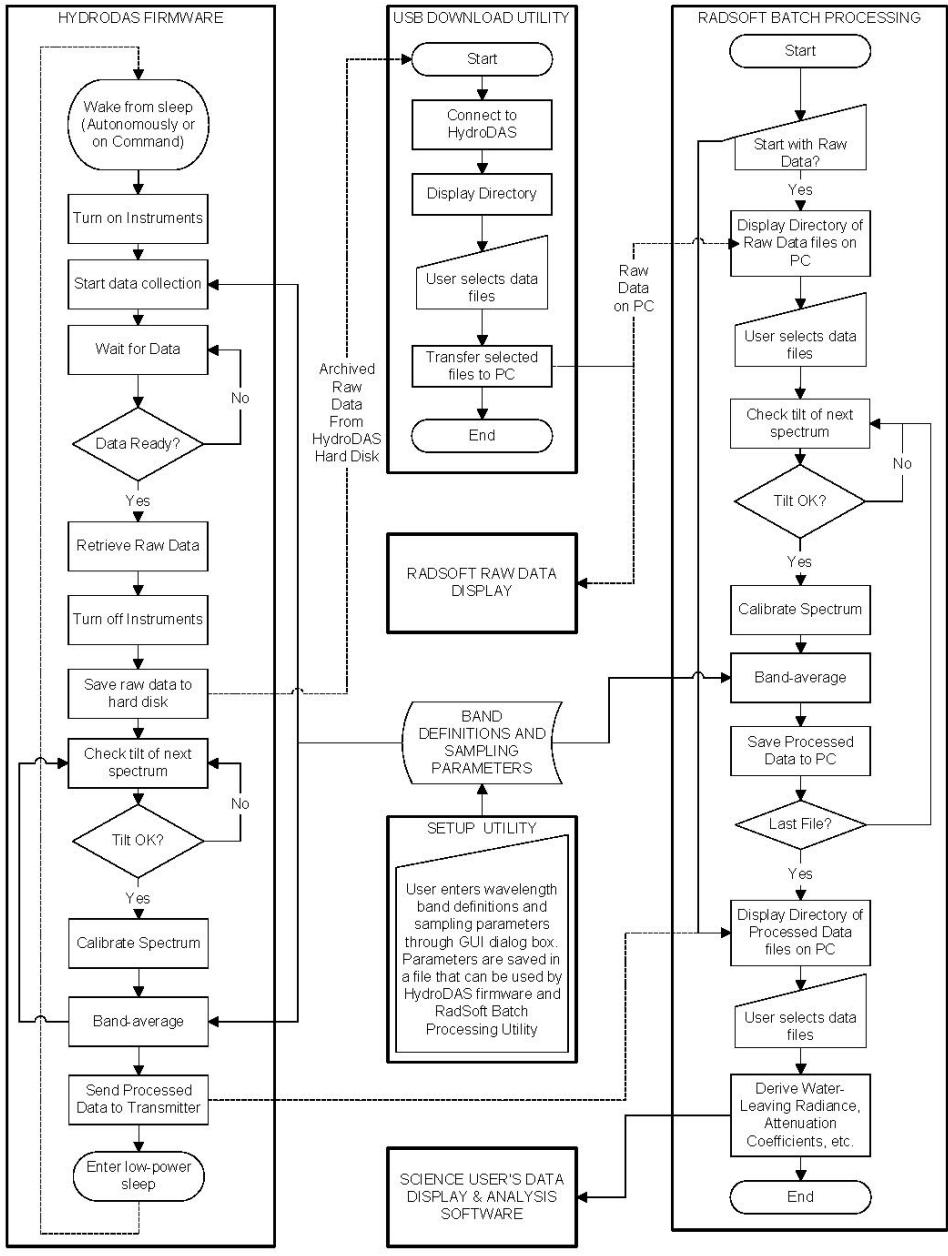
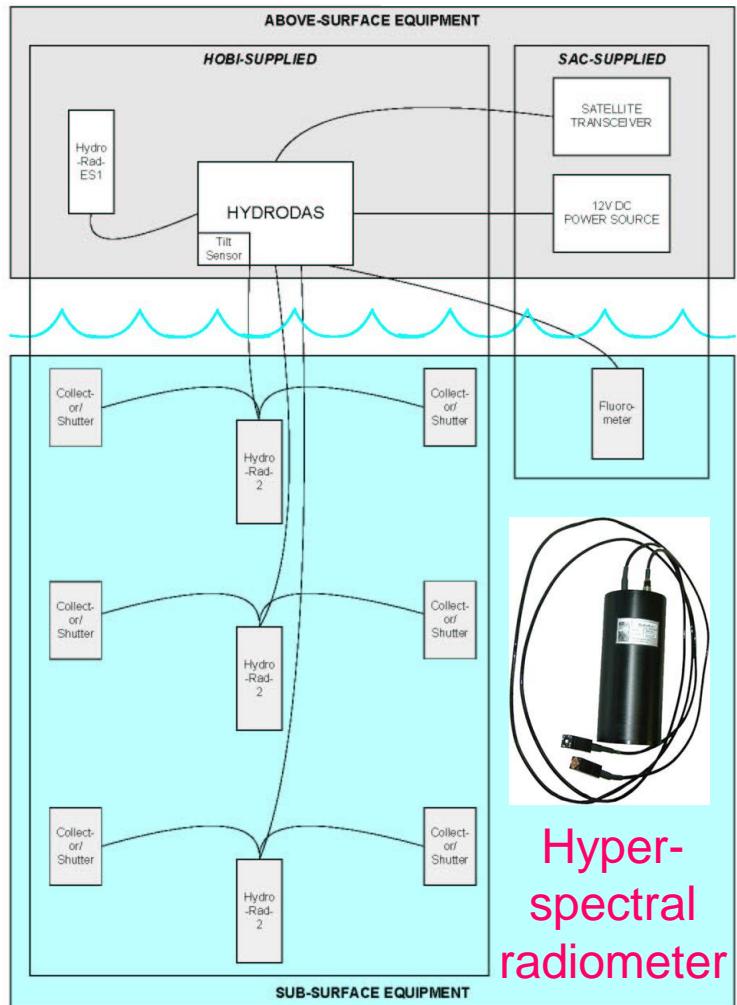


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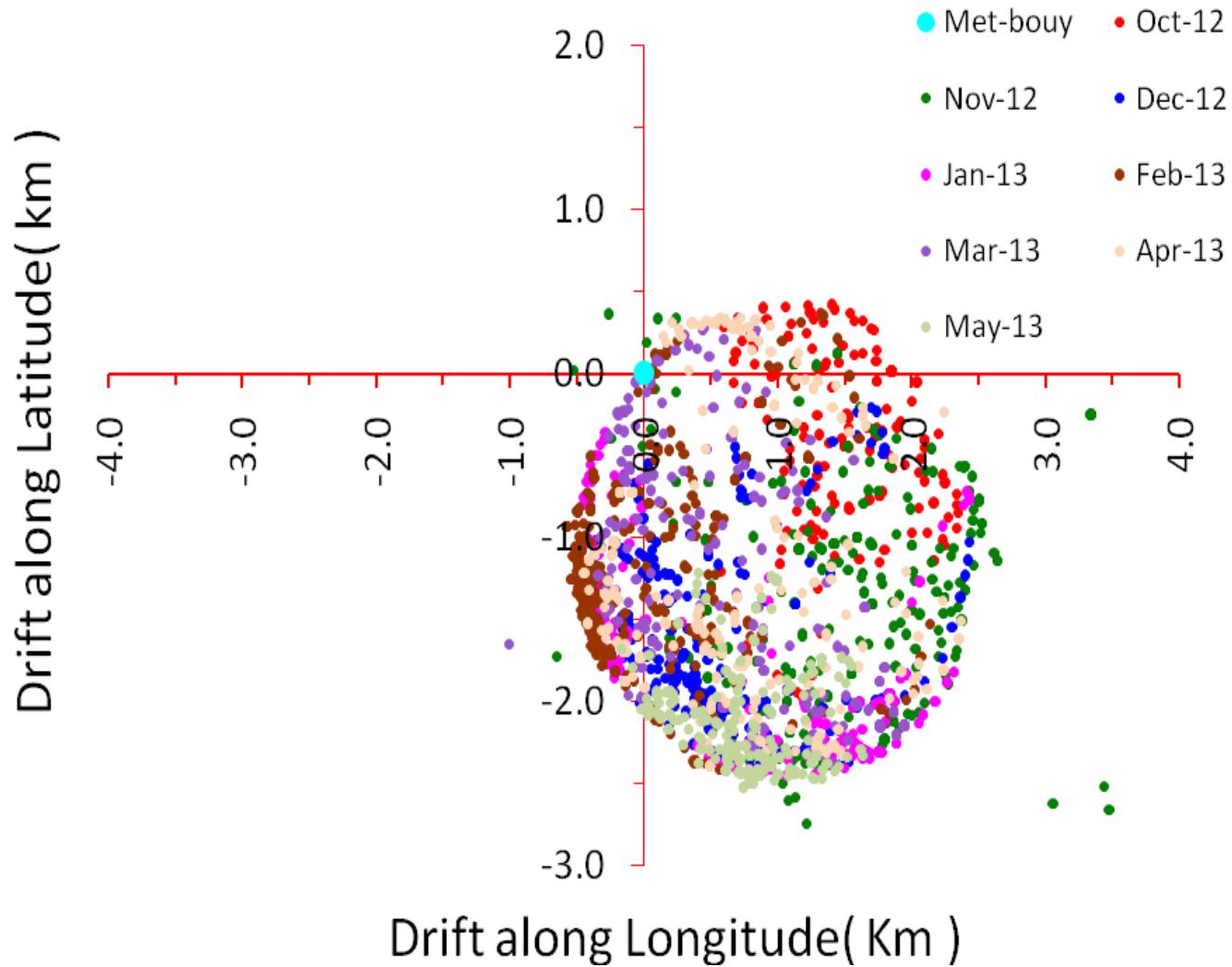


OPTICAL buoy

SAC / HYDRODAS / HYDRORAD
SOFTWARE & DATA FLOW



OPTICAL Buoy drift on Kavaratti site



INSAT 3C

CAL-VAL site, Kavaratti

S-Band

C-Band



S-Band



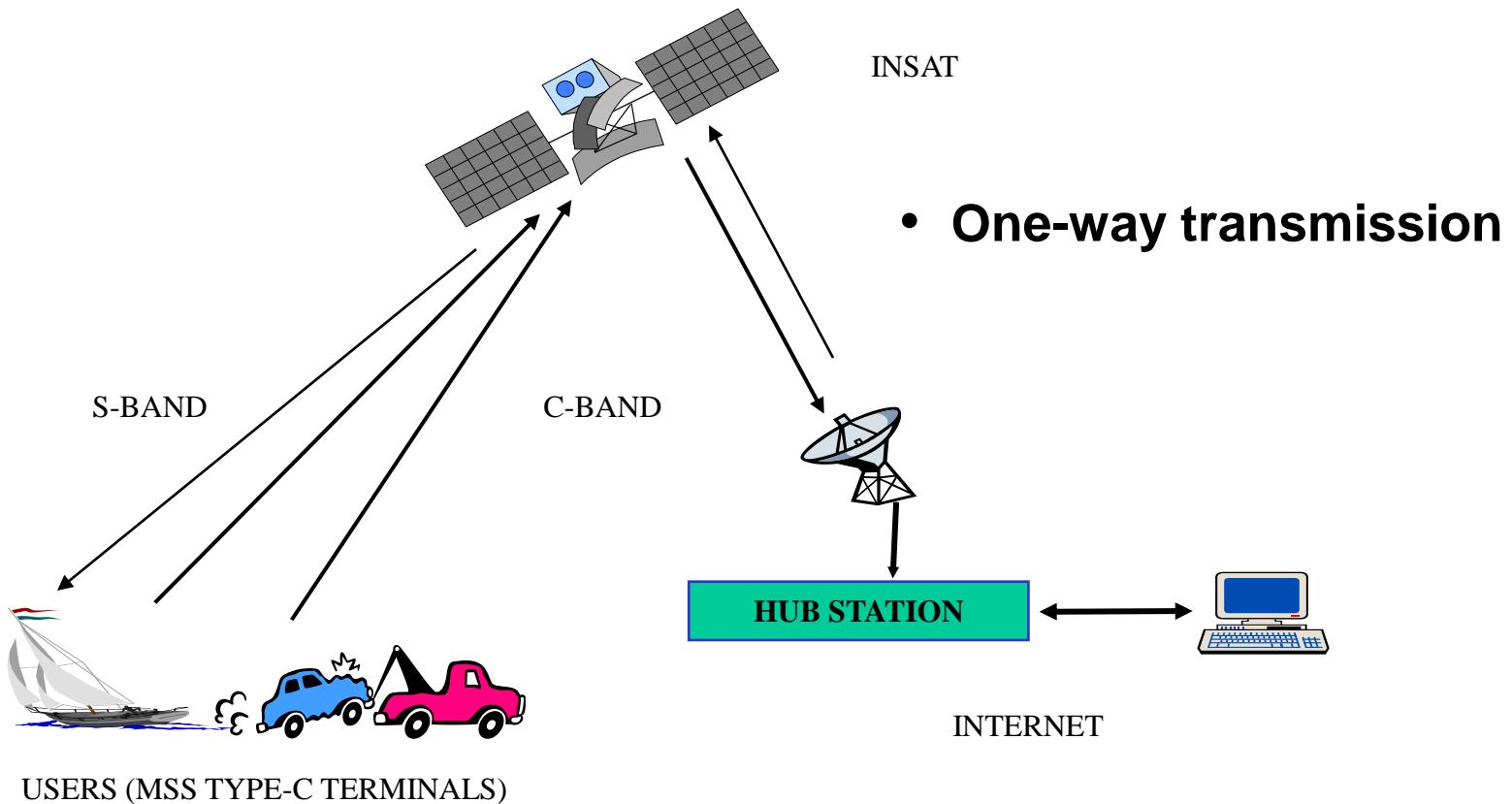
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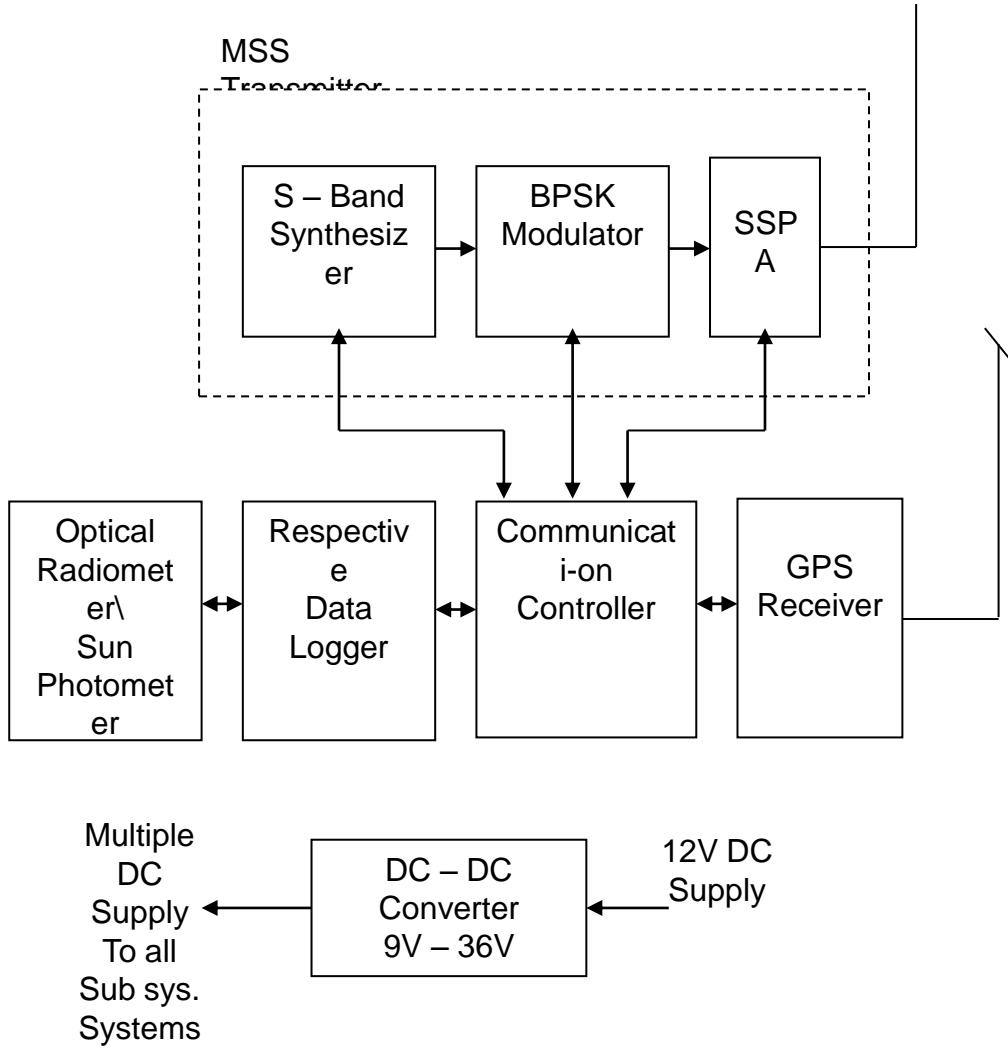
SAC/MOSDAC/INCOIS

INSAT MSS TYPE-C System



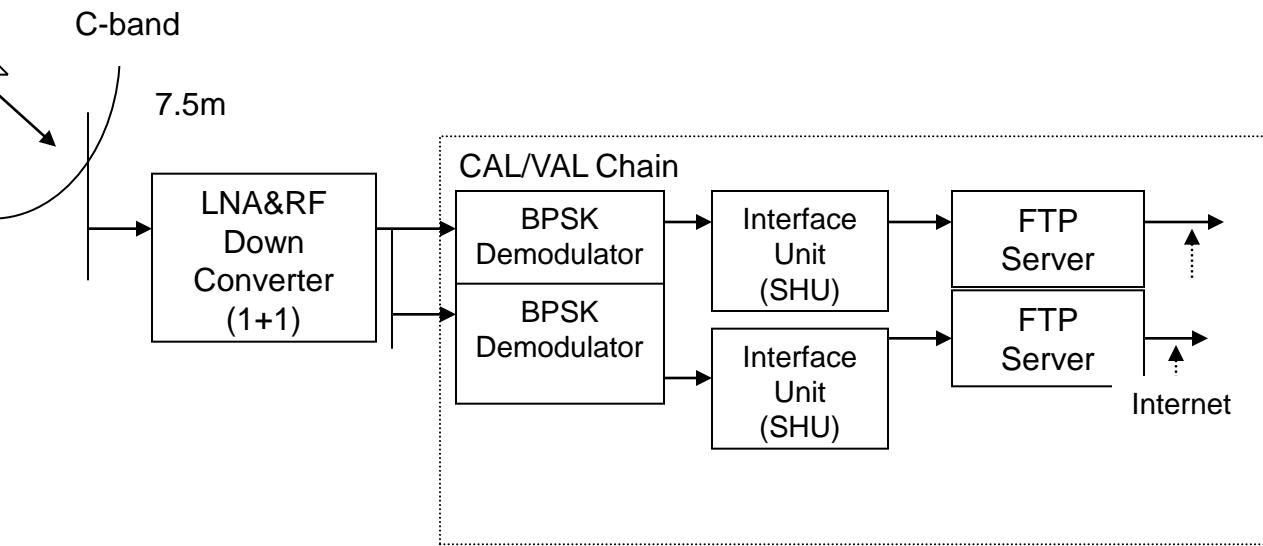
Data Transmission

- GPS acquisition
- Data collection
- Every hourly data transmission
- Re-transmission to avoid data loss
- Transmission time : 0800-1700 hrs.
- Sleep /wakeup mode feature
- Volume : 70kbytes/day



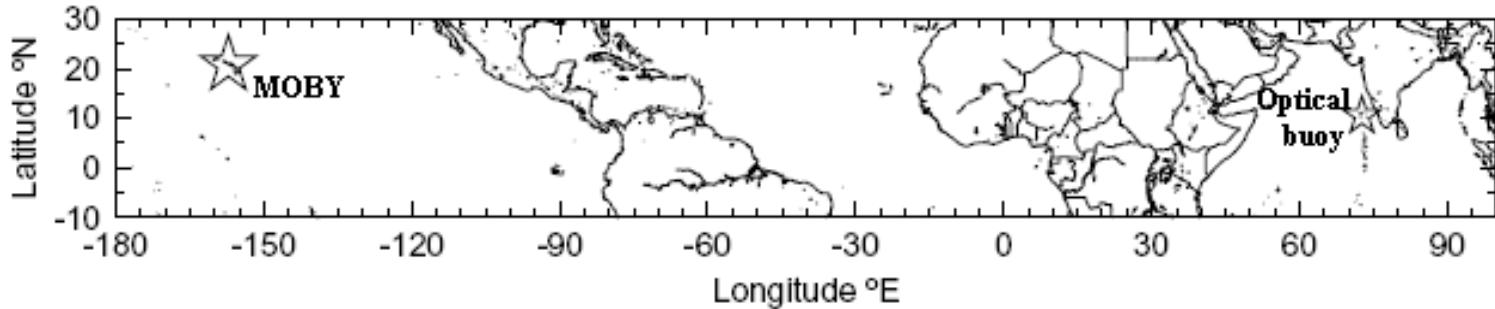
Block Diagram of CAL – VAL Site Transmitter

Data reception



- Error free packets from two transmissions
- Data access through FTP server

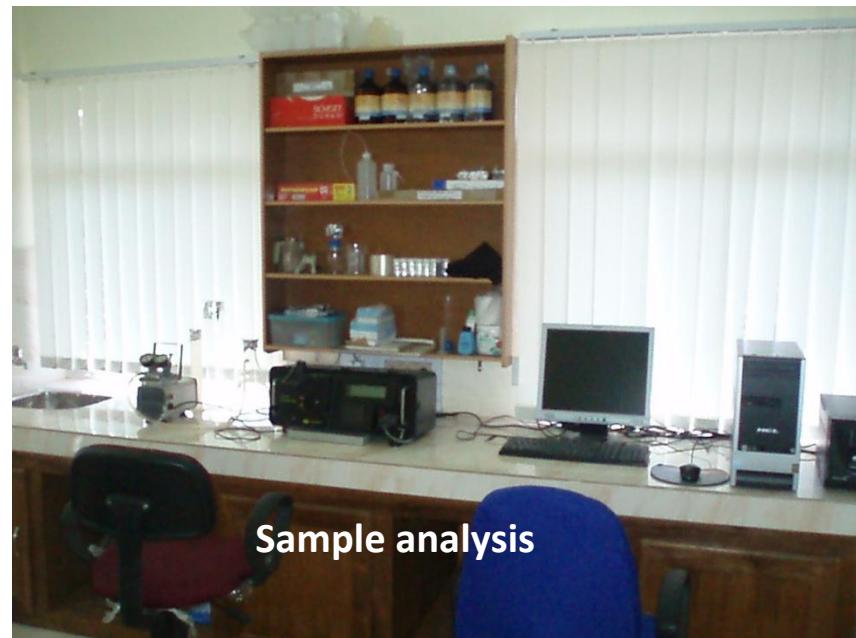
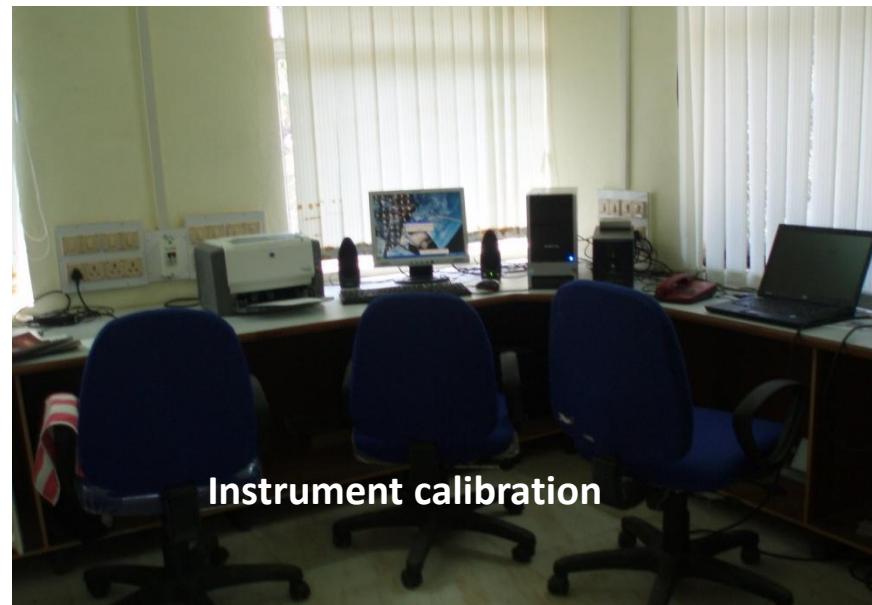
MOBY Vs OPTICAL BUOY



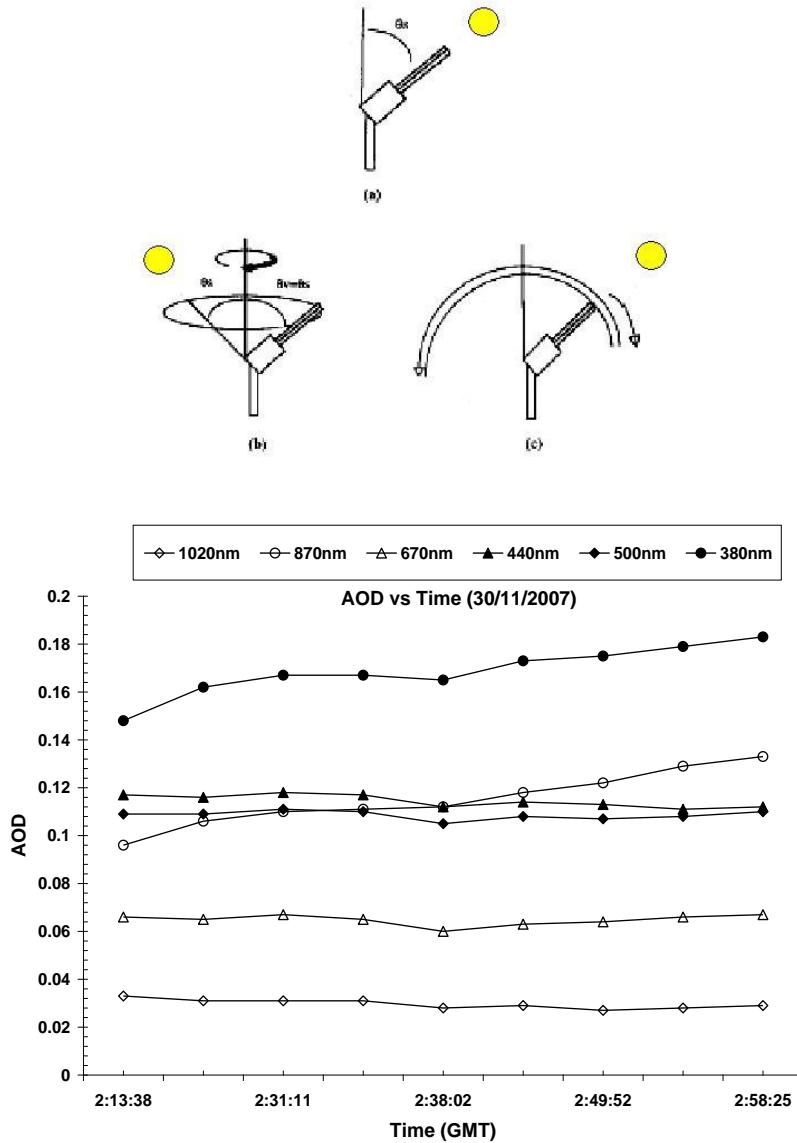
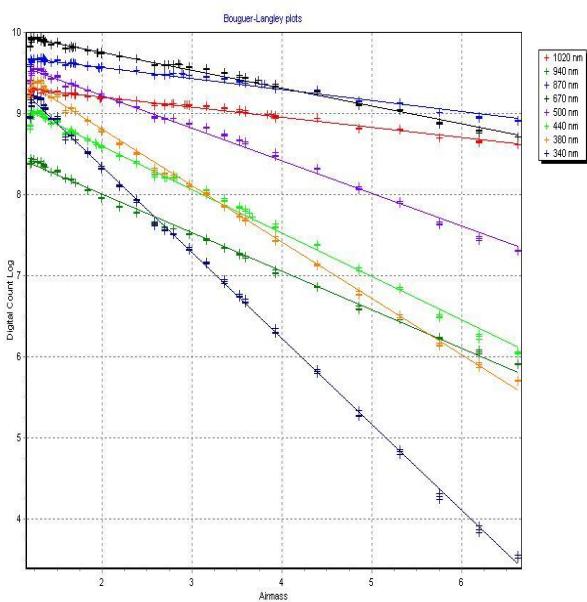
Ship version of OPTICAL BUOY

Spatial measurement

CAL-VAL setup on Kavaratti island



CIMEL Sun/sky Photometer on Kavaratti island



Parameters being measured at Kavaratti

Sr. No.	Instrument	Parameters
1	Hyper spectral radiometer	Spectral surface irradiance Spectral irradiance at 1.8m & 6.5m depth Spectral radiance at 2.26m & 7.2m depth Spectral attenuation coefficient for irradiance Spectral water leaving radiance Spectral normalized water leaving radiance Spectral remote sensing reflectance
2	Fluorometer	Chlorophyll-a concentration Normalized turbidity unit
3	Met buoy sensors	Air pressure Air temperature,Wind speed,Wind direction Relative humidity,Water temperature
4	Sun photometer	Aerosol optical depth Integrated water vapor
5	Micro rain radar	Rain rate
6	Disdrometer	Rain intensity,Rain amount Total rain amount
7	Dr.Pisharoty sonde	Air pressure,Air temperature,Relative humidity Wind speed,Wind direction

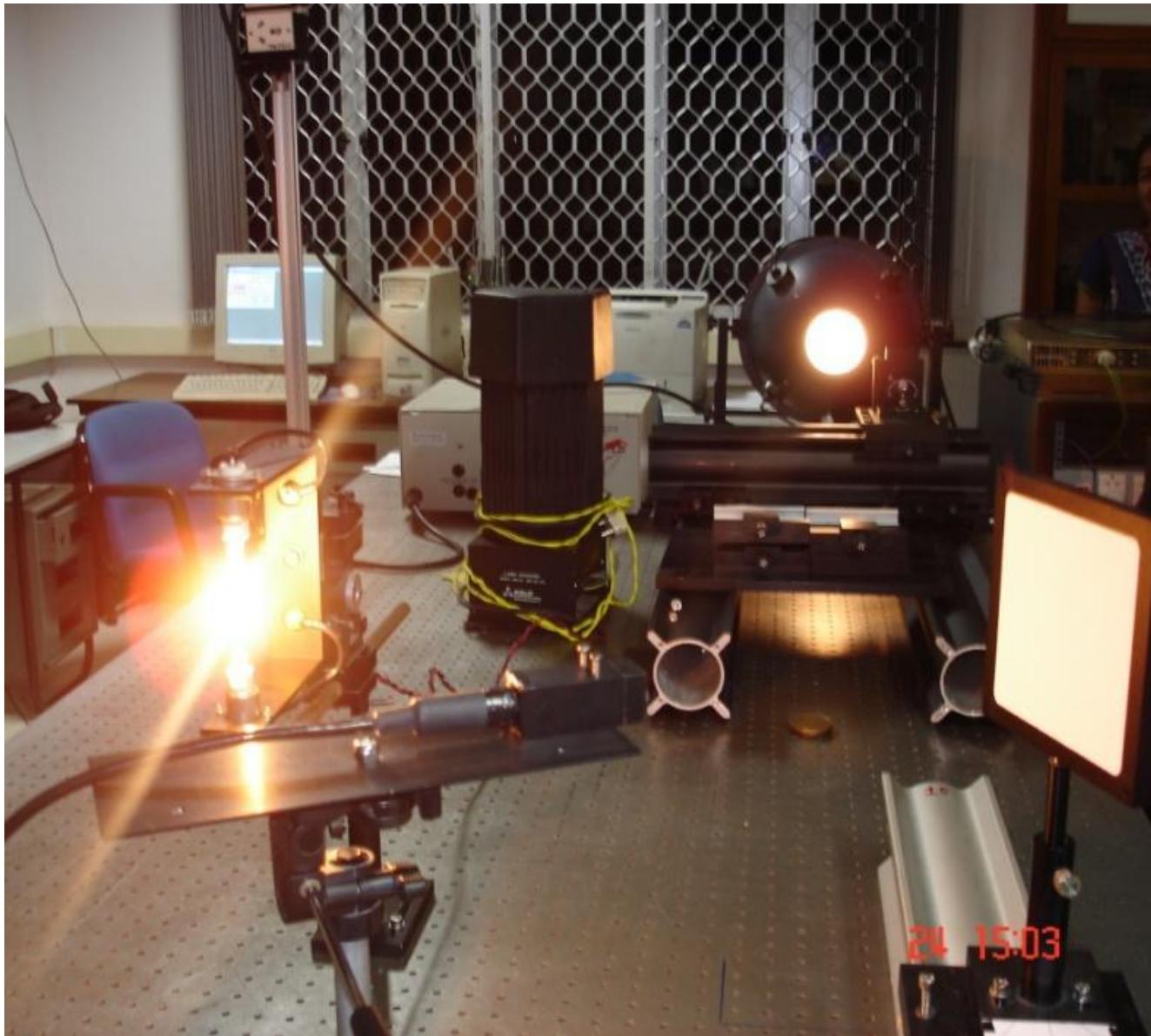
Accuracy of in-situ parameters

Sr.No.	Instrument	Parameter	Measureme-nt error
1	In-air Hyper-spectral radiometer (350-850nm)	Down-welling irradiance	+/- 2%
2	In-water Hyper-spectral radiometer (350-850nm)	Up-welling radiance	+/- 2%
		Down-welling irradiance	+/- 2%
3	Fluorometer	Chlorophyll-a concentration	0.02 µg/ltr.*
4	Turbidity sensor	Turbidity	0.1 NTU
5	Sun photometer	Direct-sun irradiance	+/- 2%
		Sky radiance	+/- 2%
6	Anemometer	Wind speed	+/- 2%
		Wind direction	+/- 1%
7	Air temperature sensor	Air temperature	+/- 0.1 °C
8	Hygrometer	% Relative Humidity	+/- 1%
9	Barometer	Air pressure	+/- 0.05%
10	Thermometer	Sea surface temperature	+/-0.005 °C

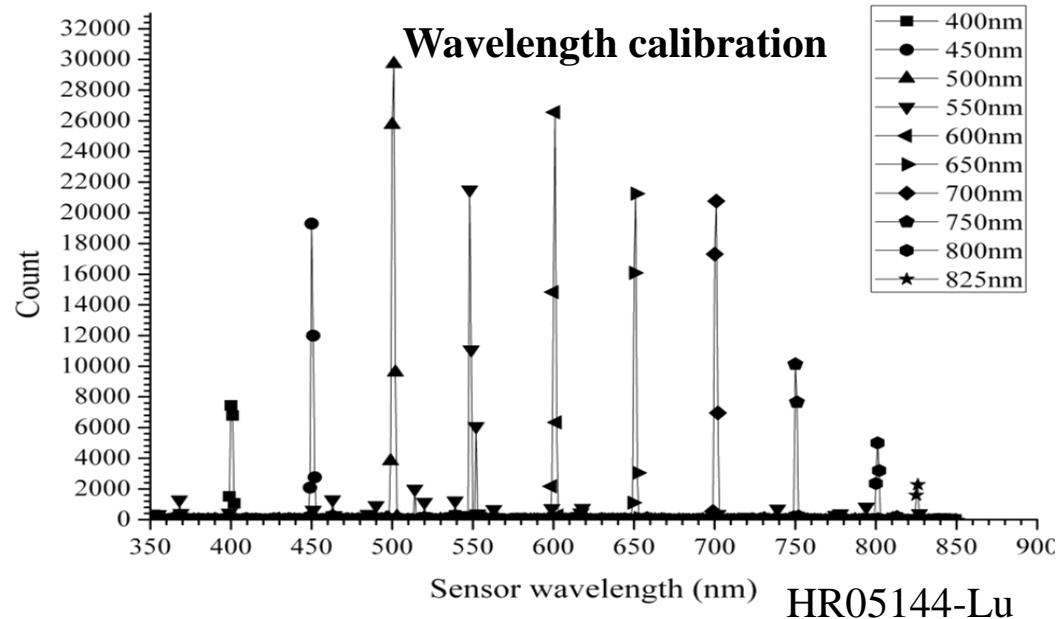
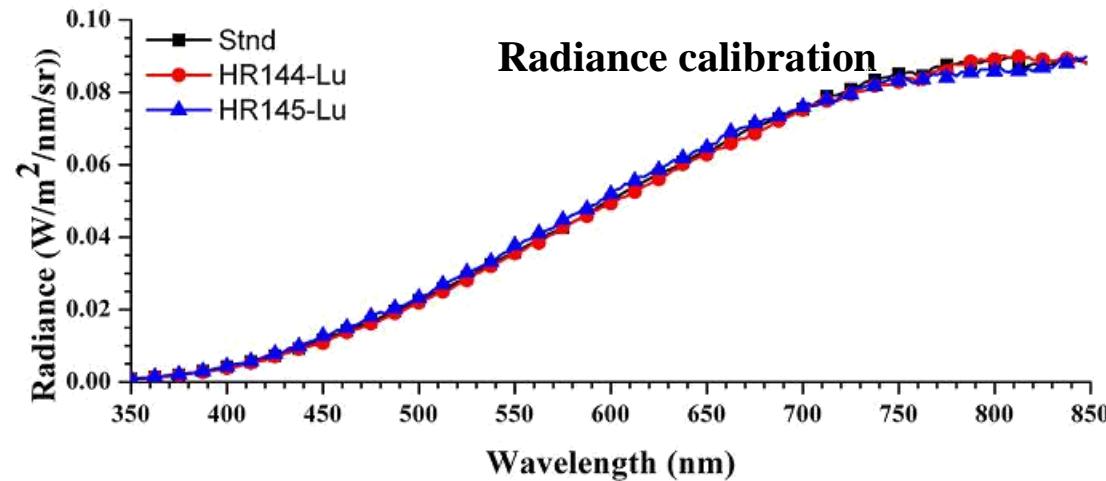
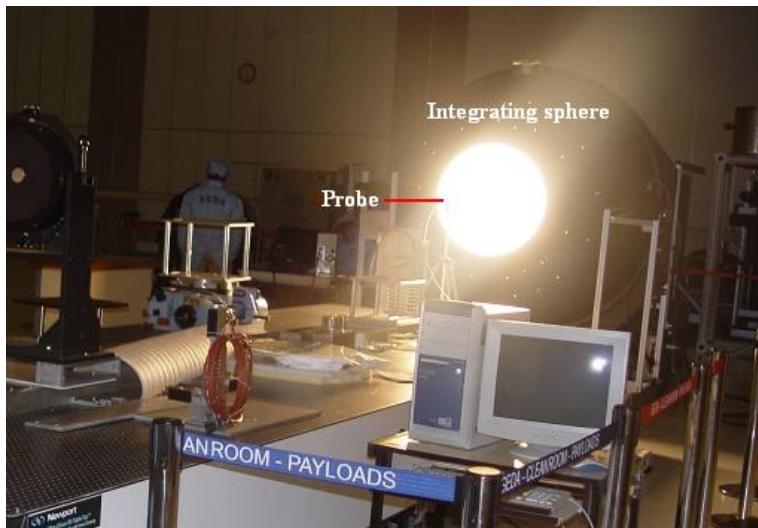
Integrating sphere for Radiance calibration



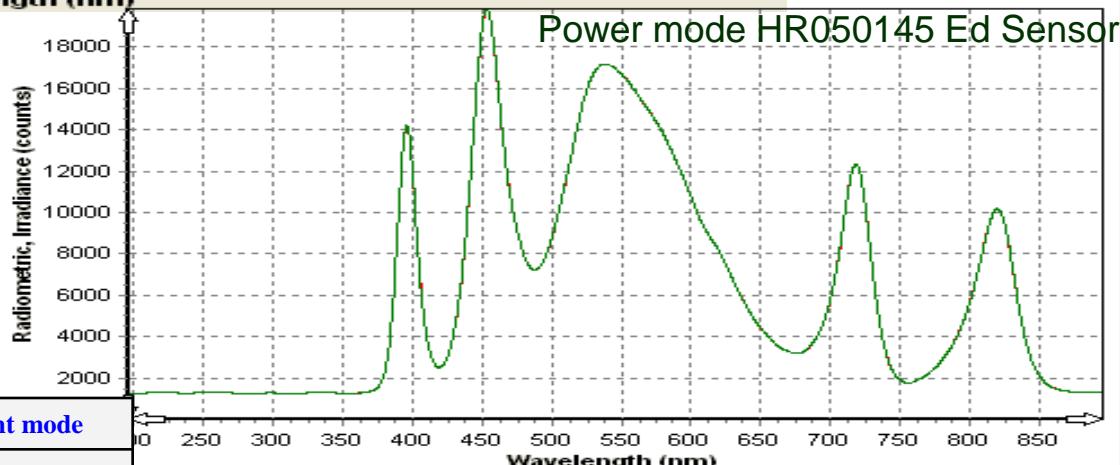
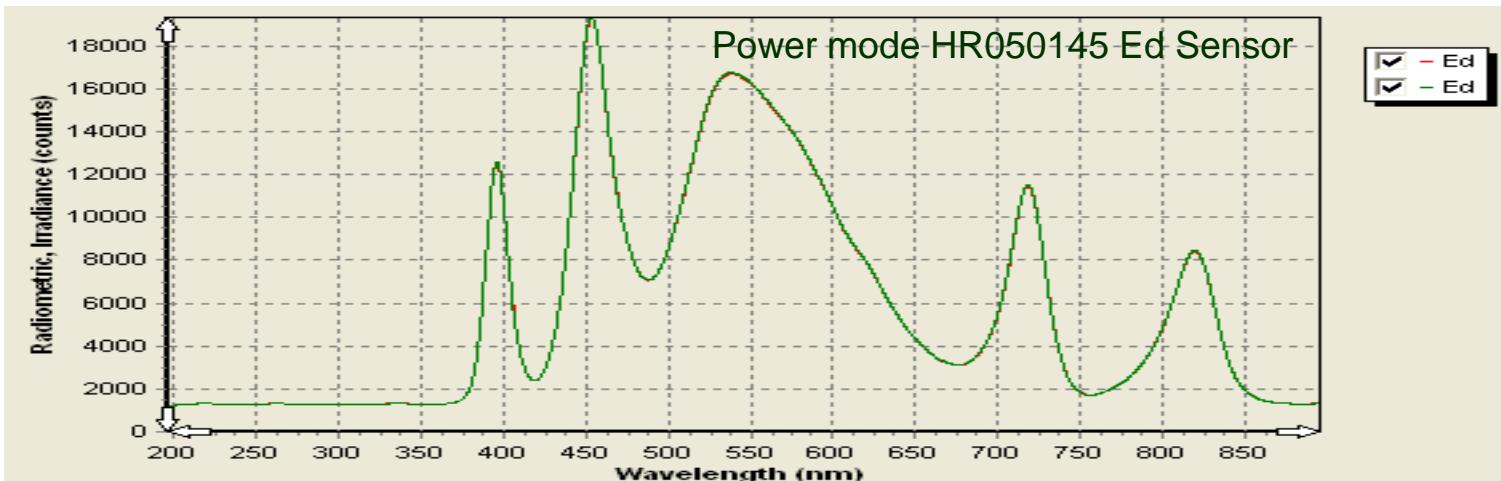
Calibration setup for irradiance calibration



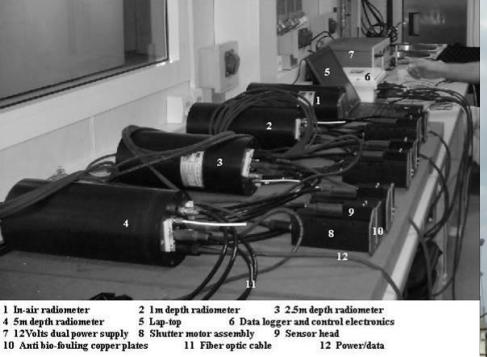
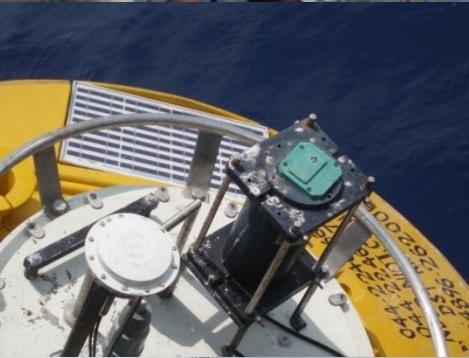
Absolute rad./wavelength calibration of radiometers



Temporal stability of radiometric sensor



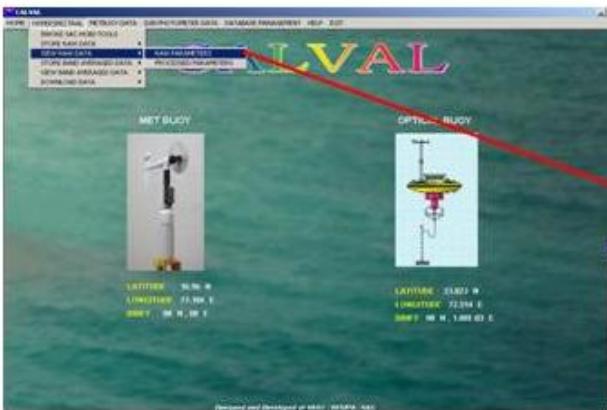
Peak	Power mode		Current mode	
	RMS Error	Median Error	RMS Error	Median Error
UV (390-405nm)	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Blue (440-470nm)	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Green(500-610nm)	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
White(440-610nm)	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
Red(700-730nm)	0.6	0.6	0.1	-1.0
IR(800-830nm)	0.4	0.5	0.1	-0.1
Entire spectrum(390-830nm)	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1



1 In air radiometer 2 1m depth radiometer 3 2.5m depth radiometer
4 5m depth radiometer 5 Lap top 6 Data logger and control electronics
7 12Vdc dual power supply 8 Shutter motor assembly 9 Sensor head
10 Anti bio-fouling copper plates 11 Fiber optic cable 12 Power/data



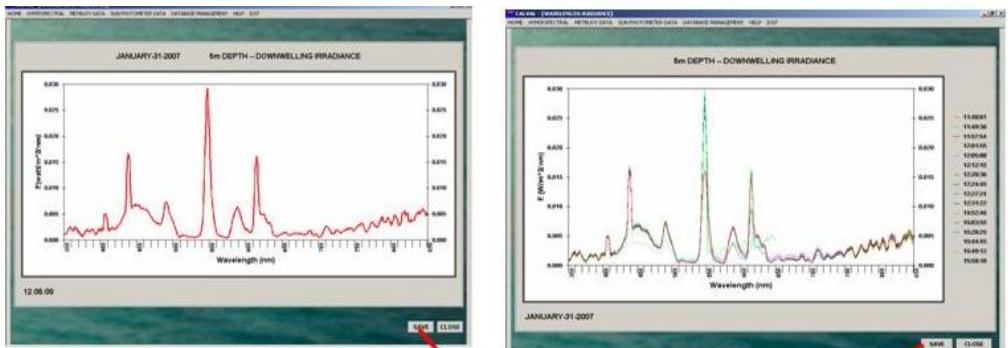
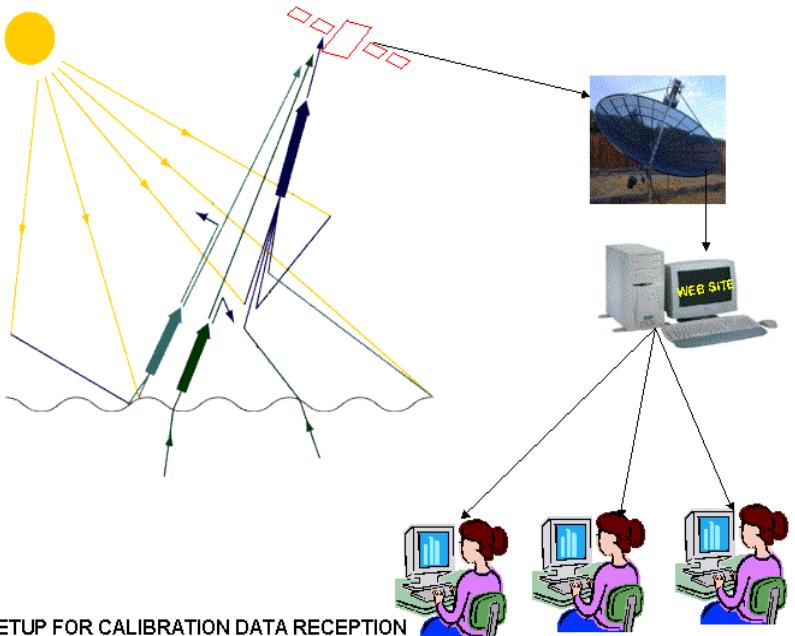
CAL-VAL Package for data archival/ retrieval



On clicking **View Raw data – Raw parameters**, new window opens.



Before selecting any raw data parameter if user perform any activity then a message is being displayed i.e **select parameter first**



on clicking **SAVE** button, user can save these plots for future reference. On clicking **CLOSE** button control goes back to previous window.

Data dissemination and web portal

CALIBRATION AND VALIDATION PROGRAM
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Calibration & Validation Program

ISRO has taken multi pronged initiatives for understanding key issues concerning global changes. This activity requires validation for all the products generated thereby.

A high-tech site is developed at Kavaratti with sensors installed in the ocean for measuring various parameters. Similarly, Principal Investigators and Collaborating Agencies also collect data at field level. Other sites and sub sites are being developed at Kolkata, Gadanki and so on for collecting in-situ data and supporting CALVAL activity for all ISRO Science Missions.

This web site facilitates the archival, visualisation and dissemination of the in-situ data for scientific interpretation and analysis of data from these and future missions.

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OCEANSAT-II is India's second satellite launched for the study of the oceans as well as the interaction of oceans and the atmosphere to facilitate climatic studies. It carries two major payloads viz. Scatterometer (Ku band) and ROSA (GPS receiver).

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Sensors



Met & Optical buoys on CAL-VAL Site



Sun/Sky Photometry on Island

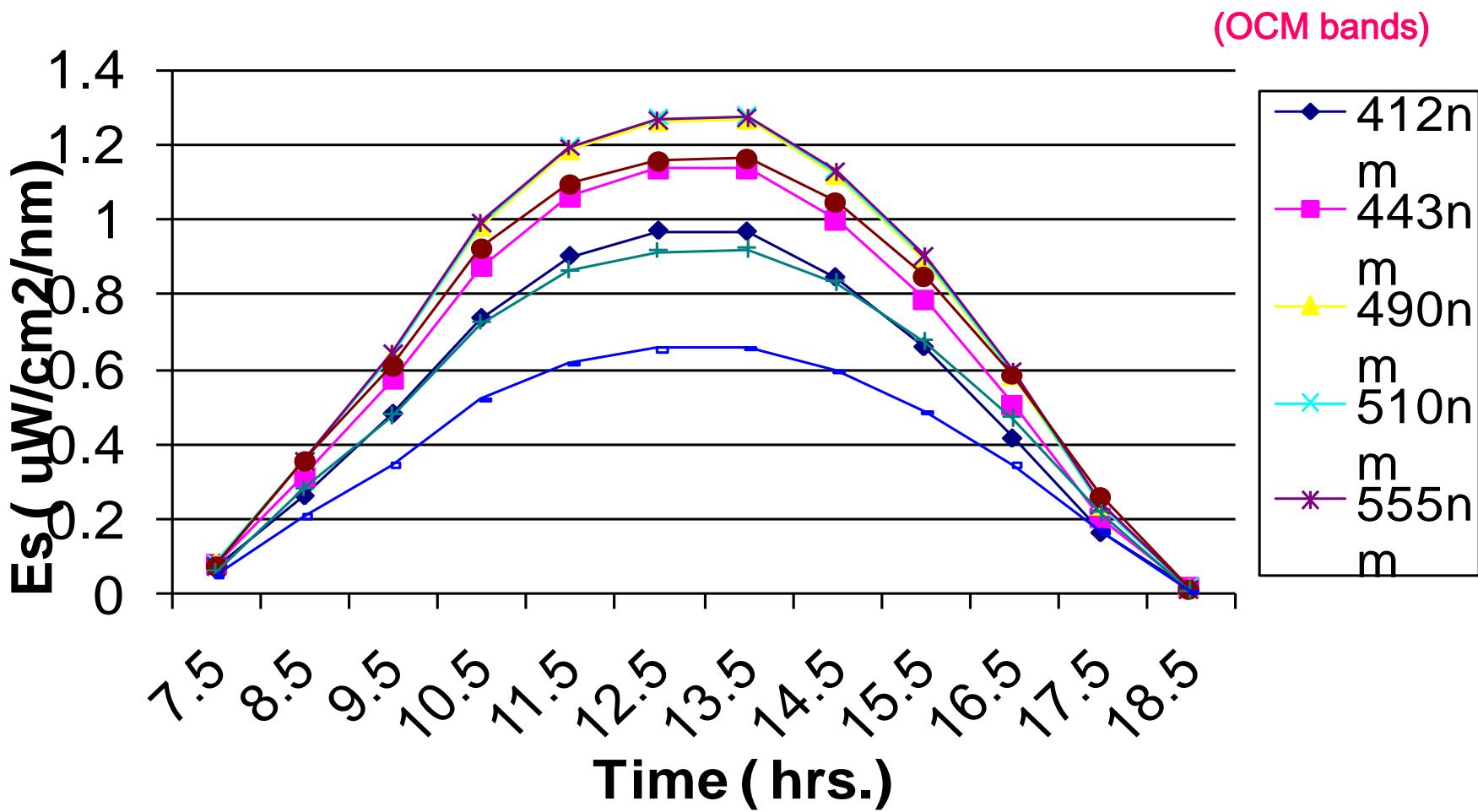


Optical Distorimeter

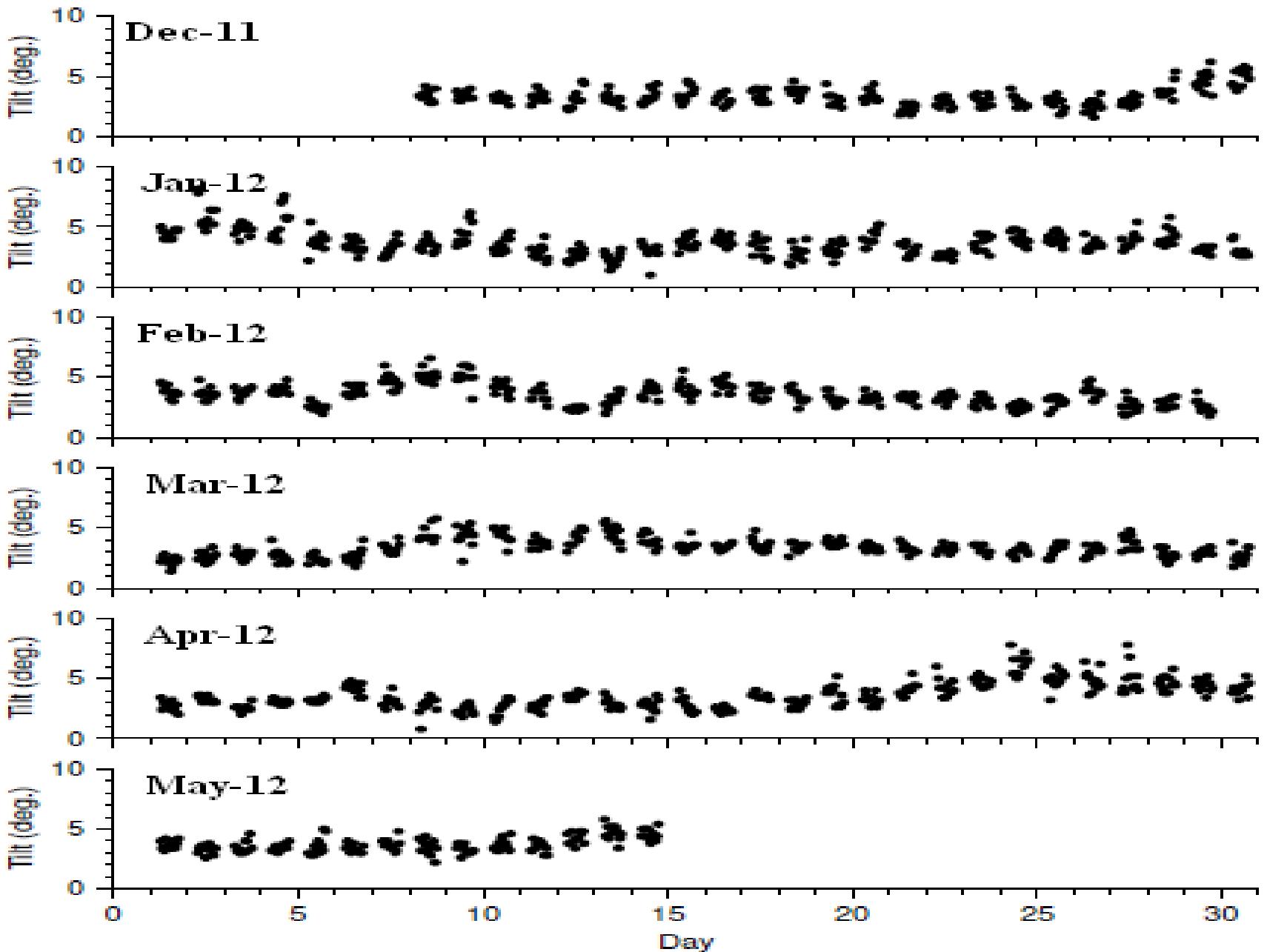


DATA ANALYSIS FOR VICARIOUS CALIBRATION OF OCM2

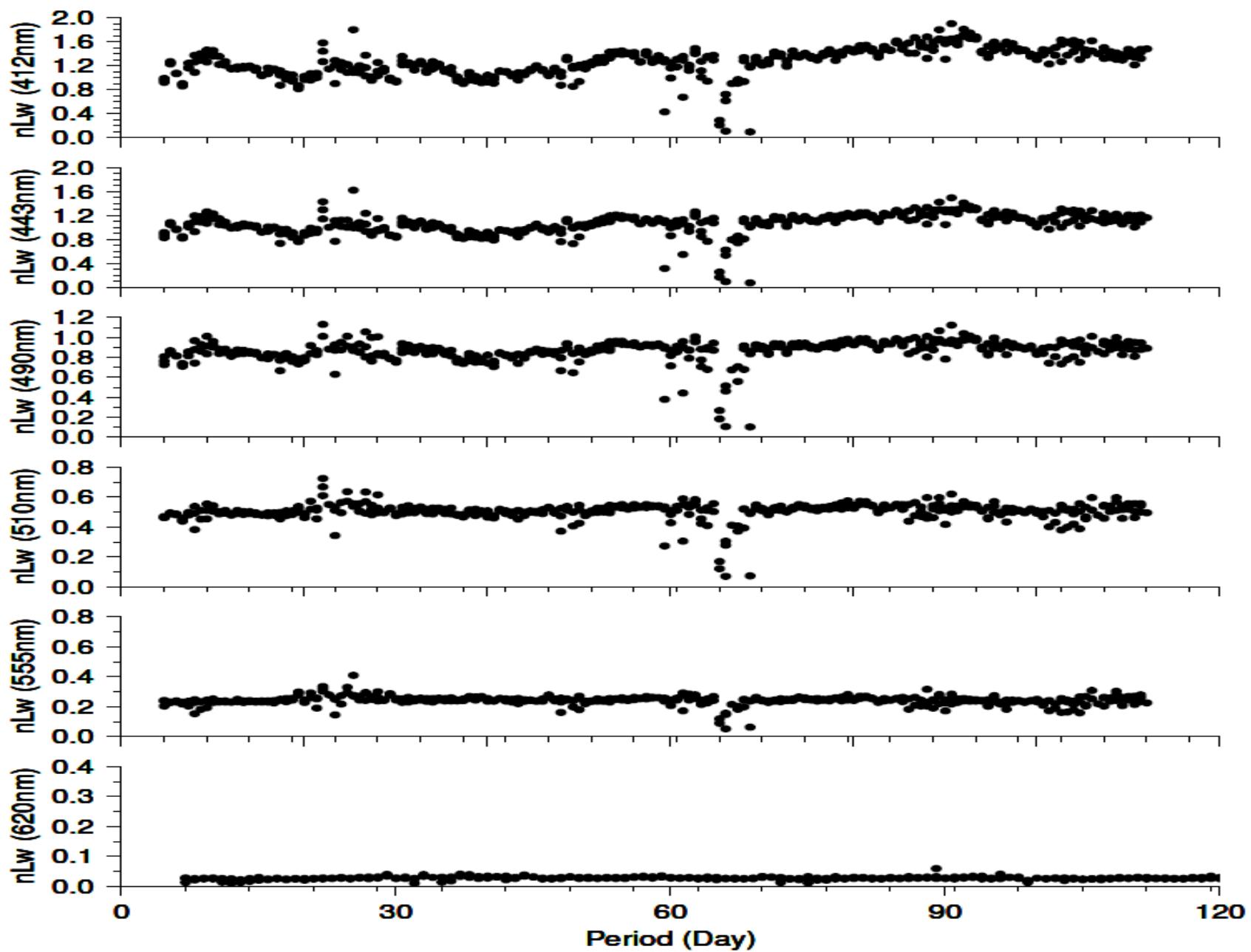
Solar irradiance at sea surface (Good day at Kavaratti)



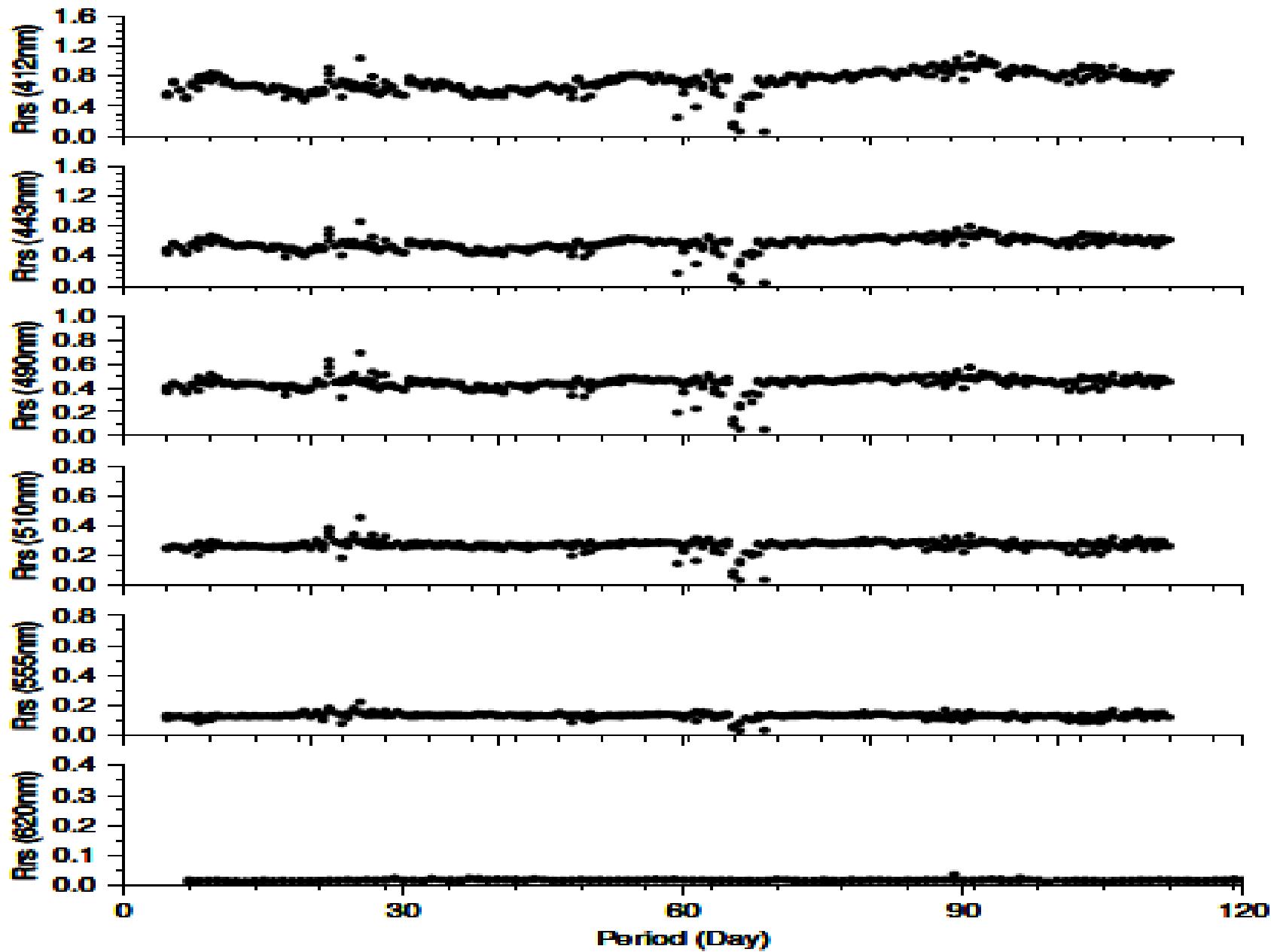
OPTICAL buoy tilt during deployment



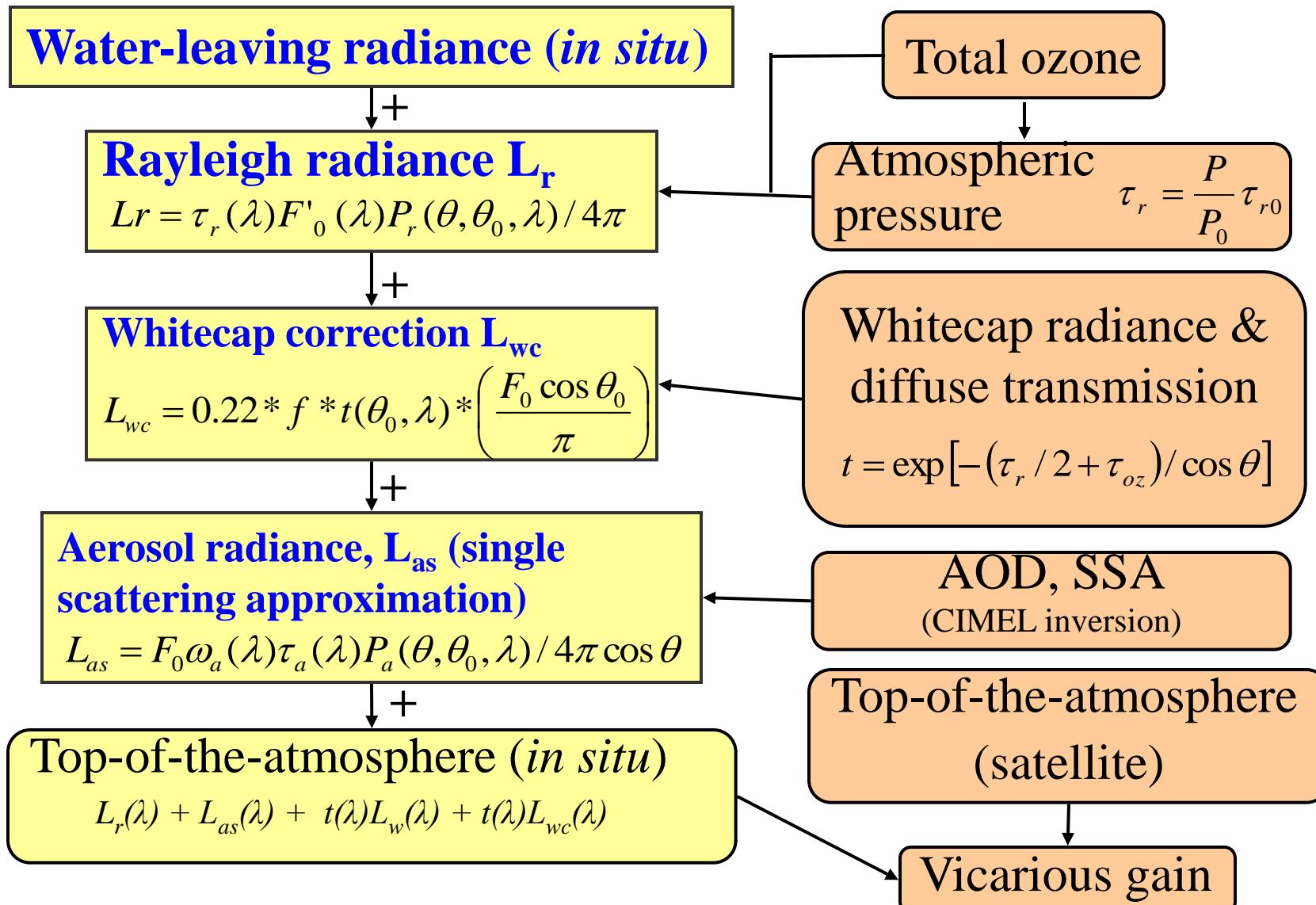
nLw from OPTICAL buoy during deployment



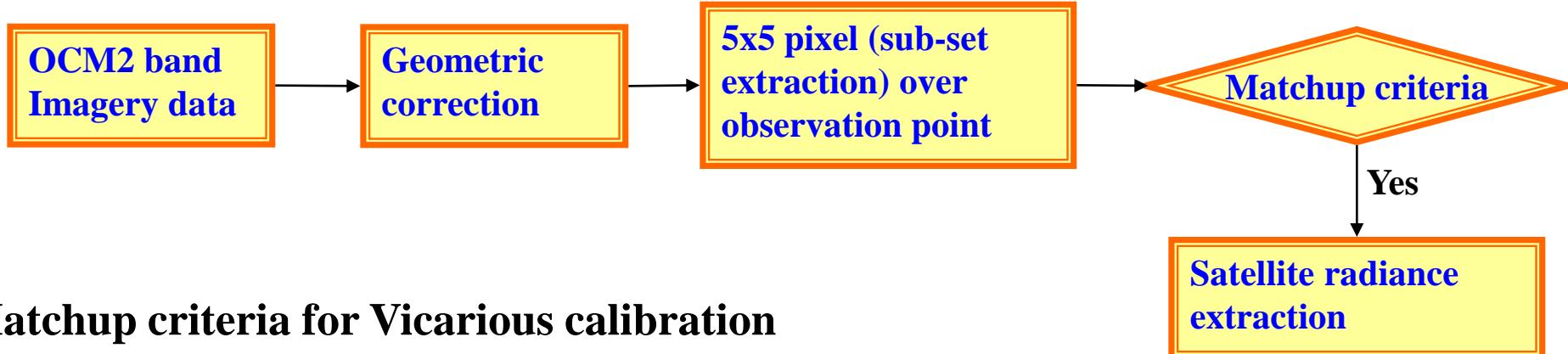
Rrs from OPTICAL buoy during deployment



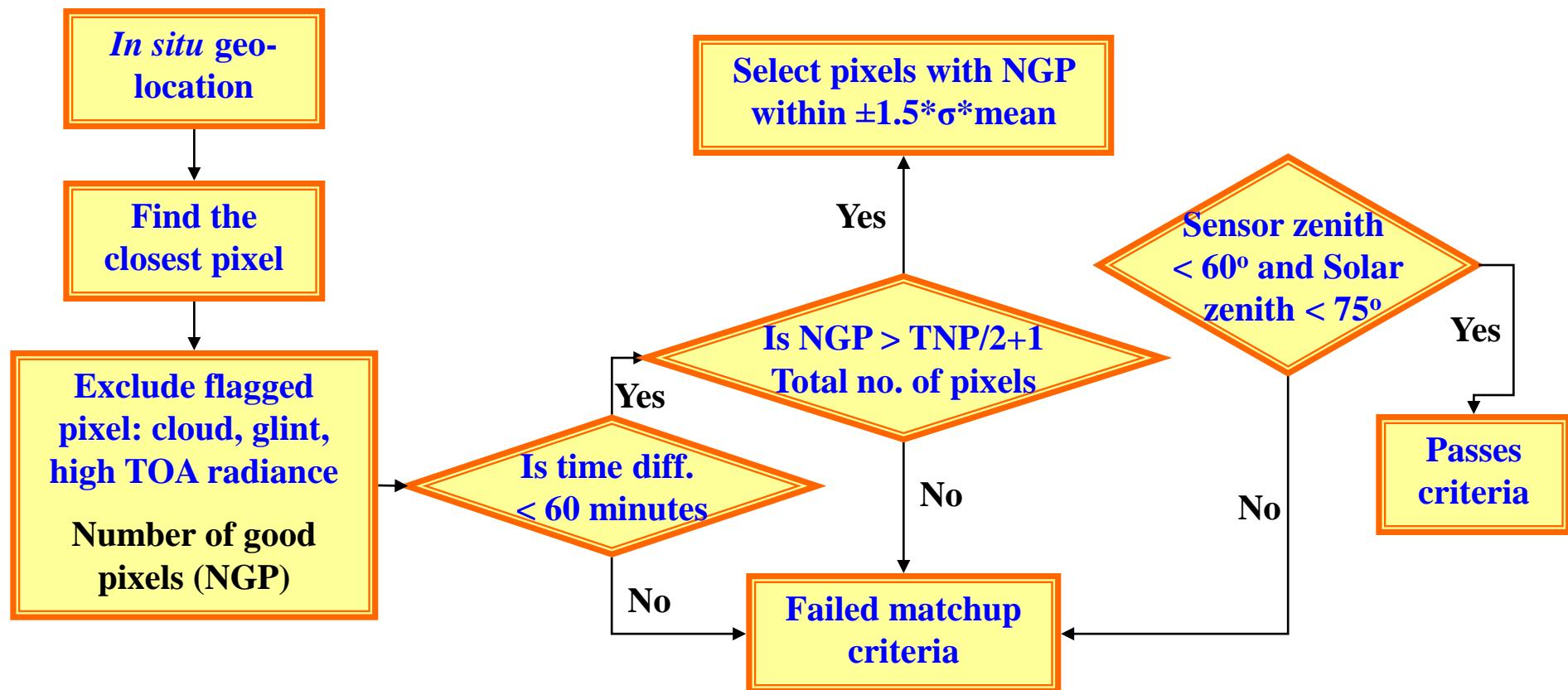
Vicarious calibration of OCM2 sensor



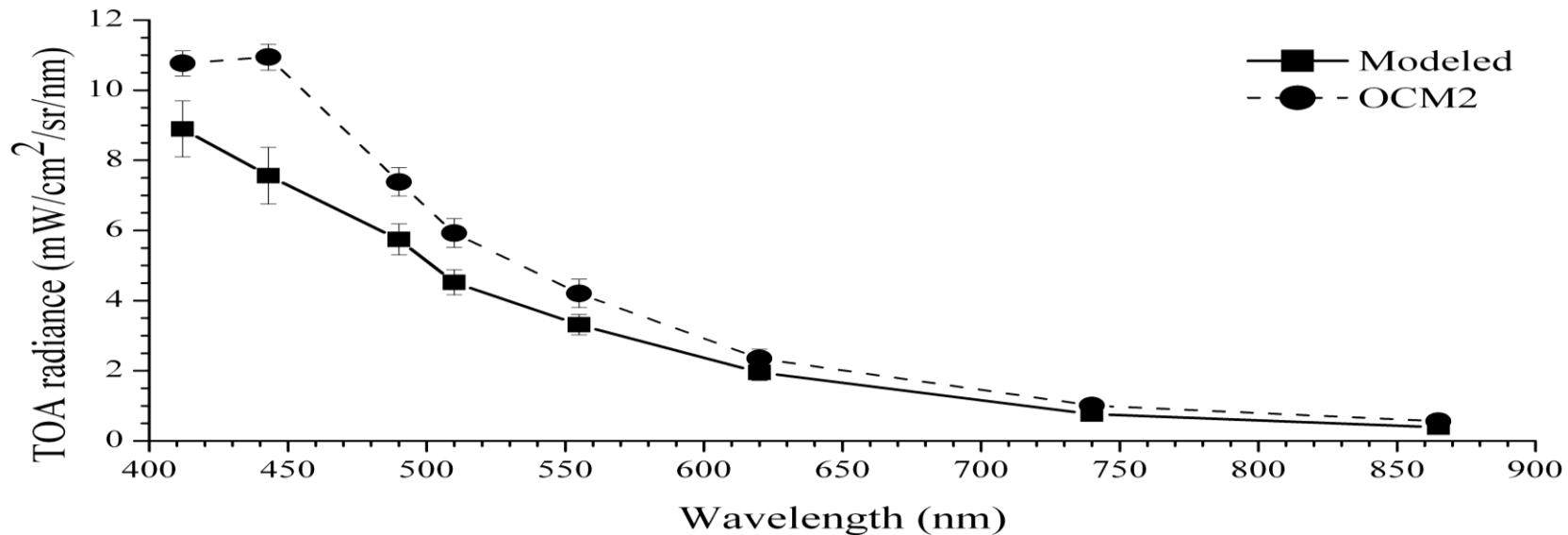
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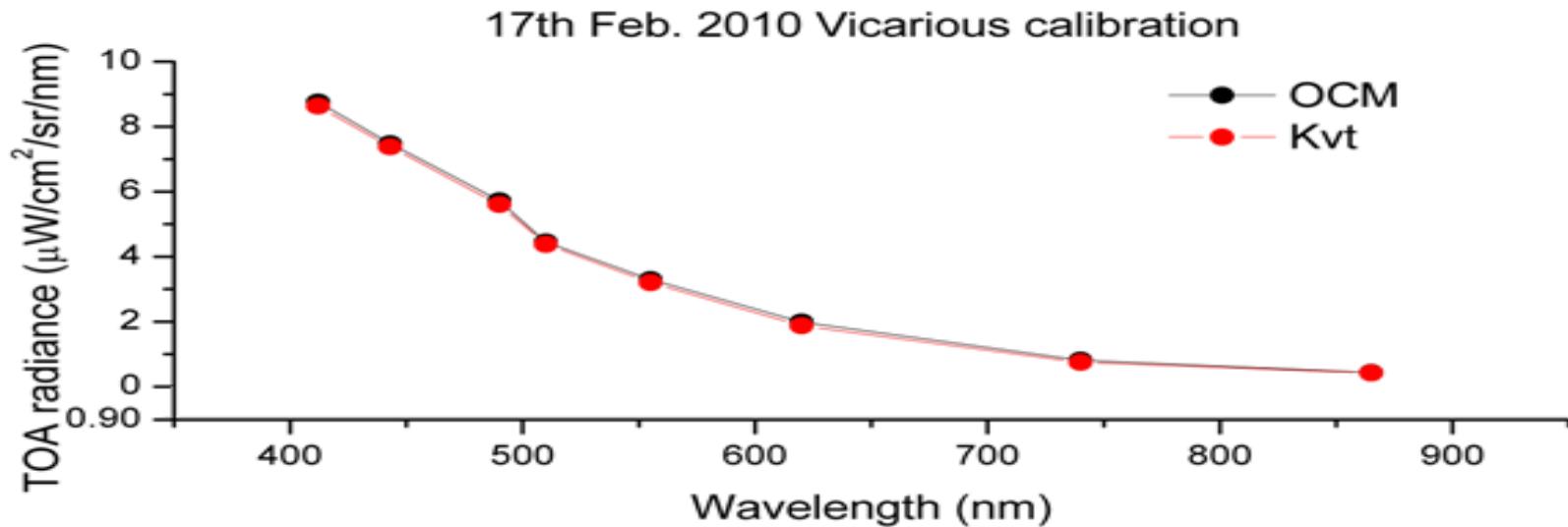
Matchup criteria for Vicarious calibration

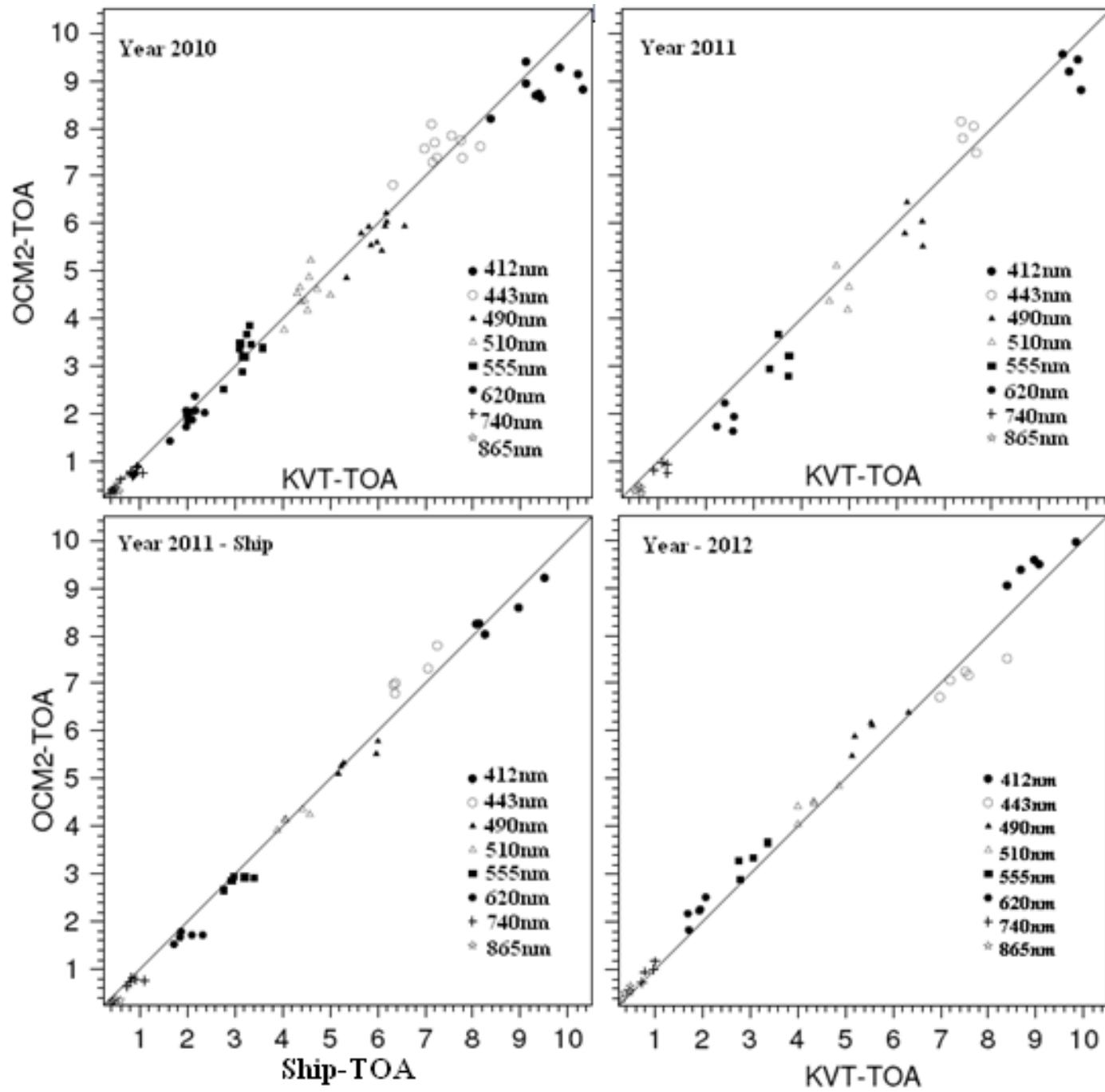


TOA radiance comparison before Vicarious calibration



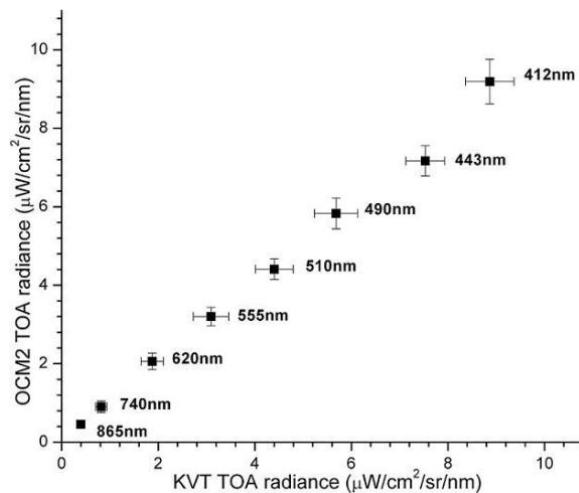
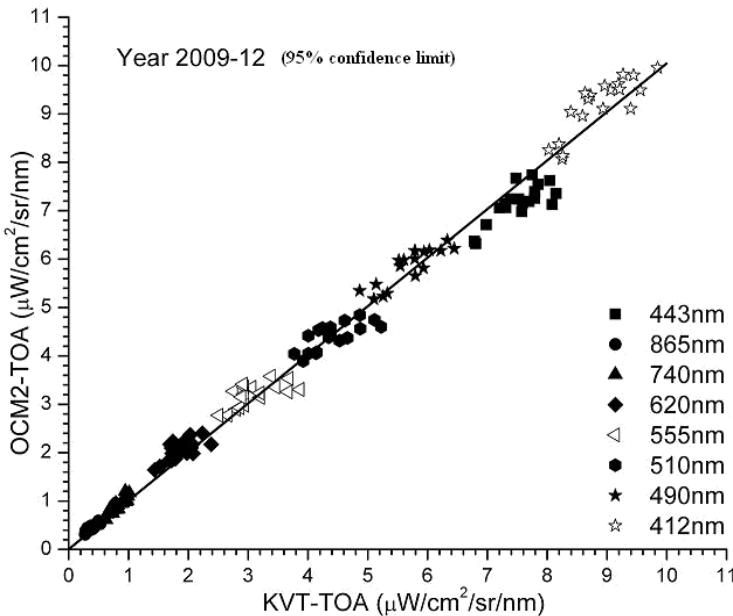
TOA radiance comparison after Vicarious calibration





Vicarious calibration of OCM2

TOA radiance with 95% confidence



Band No.	Total points	CC (R^2)	Mean TOA radiance ($\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2/\text{sr}/\text{nm}$)	
			KVT	OCM2
1	20	0.978	8.865	9.191
2	19	0.977	7.530	7.169
3	17	0.976	5.684	5.830
4	21	0.936	4.402	4.410
5	19	0.876	3.094	3.202
6	20	0.873	1.873	2.059
7	21	0.929	0.817	0.904
8	15	0.910	0.392	0.455

Kavaratti vicarious calibration gain coefficients

Band	Year 2009-10	Year 2011	Year 2012	Year 2010-12
	Gain± SD	Gain± SD	Gain± SD	Gain± SD
1	0.93±0.04	0.97±0.03	0.95±0.03	0.95±0.03
2	1.03±0.04	1.06±0.04	1.06±0.02	1.05±0.04
3	0.96±0.04	0.97±0.04	0.92±0.04	0.96±0.04
4	1.00±0.07	0.97±0.05	0.97±0.04	0.98±0.06
5	1.00±0.09	0.93±0.07	0.91±0.05	0.95±0.09
6	0.95±0.08	0.86±0.07	0.87±0.06	0.90±0.08
7	0.88±0.07	0.88±0.06	0.92±0.07	0.89±0.06
8	0.88±0.05	0.71±0.05	0.81±0.02	0.80±0.08

Scale factors for OCM 2 sensor radiance

Central wavelength (nm)	Year 2009-2010	Year 2011	Year 2012	Year 2013
	Scale factor, NRSC	Scale factor, NRSC	Scale factor, NRSC	Scale factor, NRSC
412	1.00	0.89	0.89	0.95
443	1.00	0.67	0.67	0.76
490	1.00	0.81	0.81	0.83
510	1.00	0.76	0.76	0.84
555	1.00	0.76	0.76	0.84
620	1.00	0.87	0.87	0.95
740	1.00	0.86	0.86	0.97
865	1.00	0.80	0.80	1.01

OTHER CAL-VAL DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

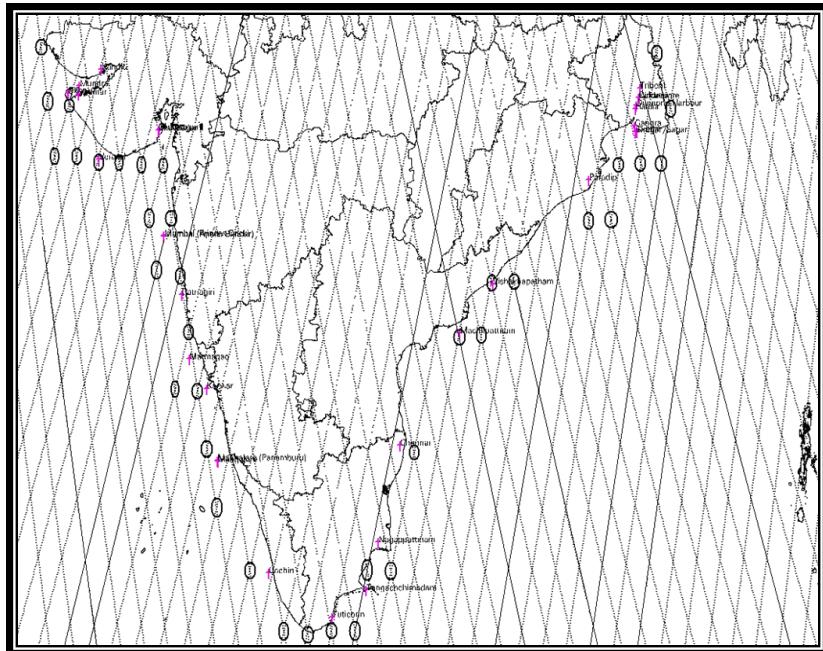
Development of Coastal CAL-VAL site in Krishna-Godavari basin (KG Site)



Saral-AltiKa Calibration/Validation

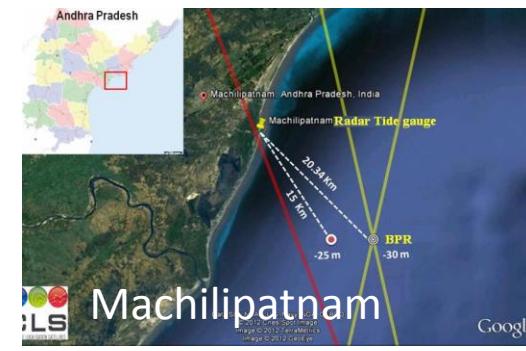
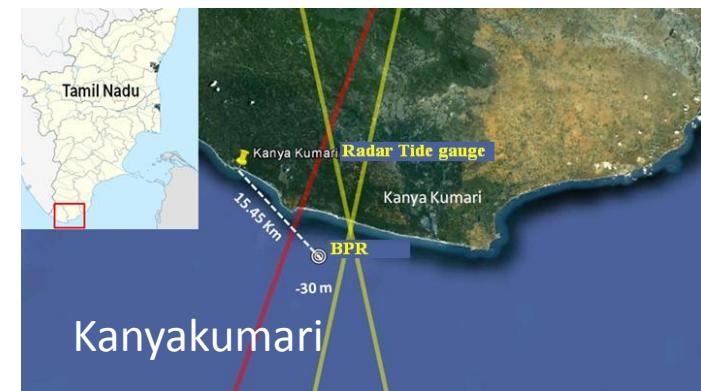
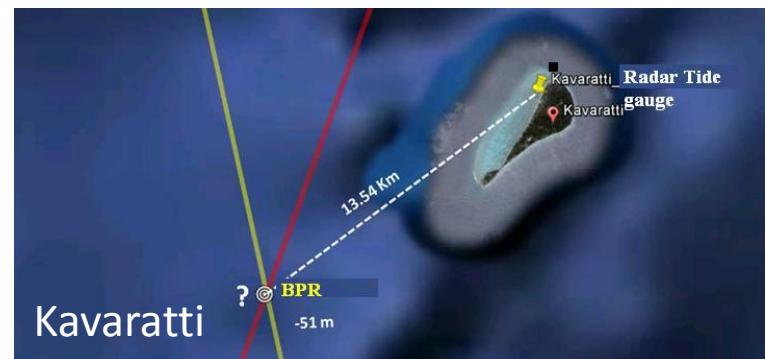
Parameters (accuracies)

- Absolute calibration
 - Sea surface height (2-3cm)
- Geo-physical product validation
 - Significant wave height (0.4-0.5m)
 - Wind speed (1.7-2m/s)



Saral pass

Calibration sites



SSH absolute calibration

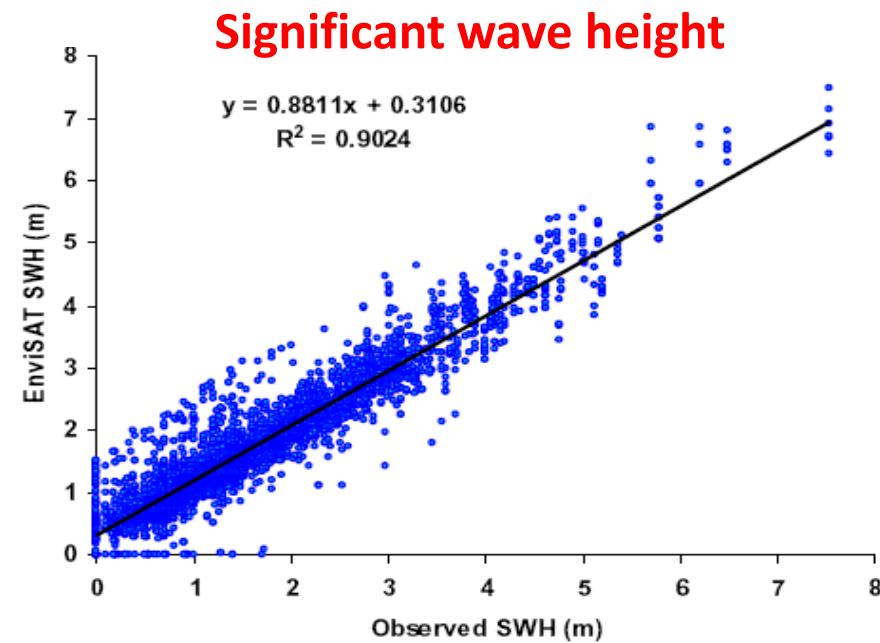
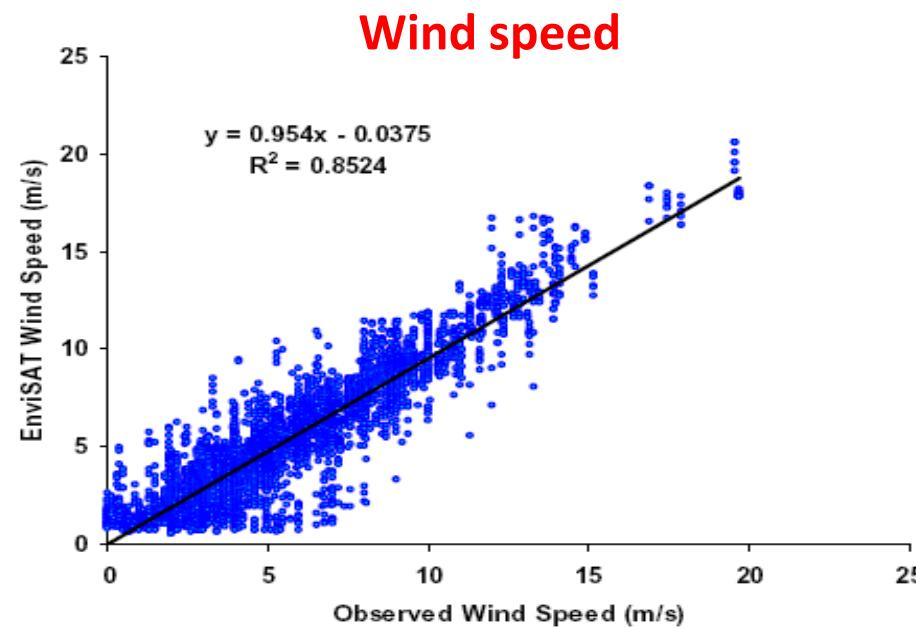
GPS Buoy



Radar gauge



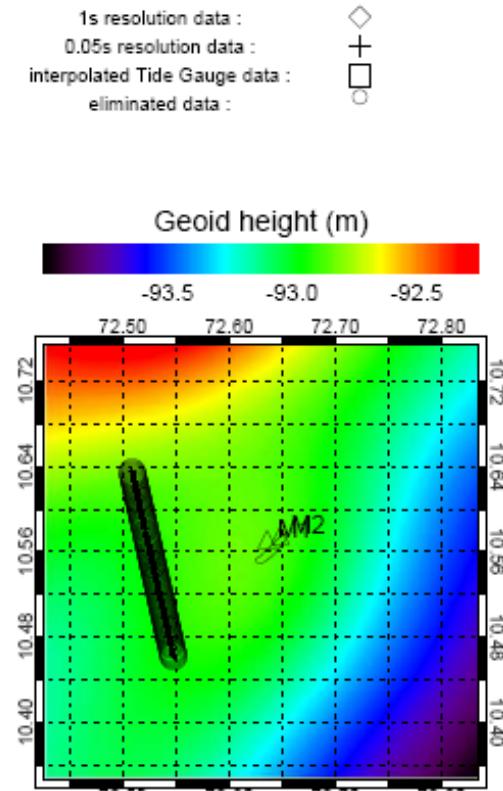
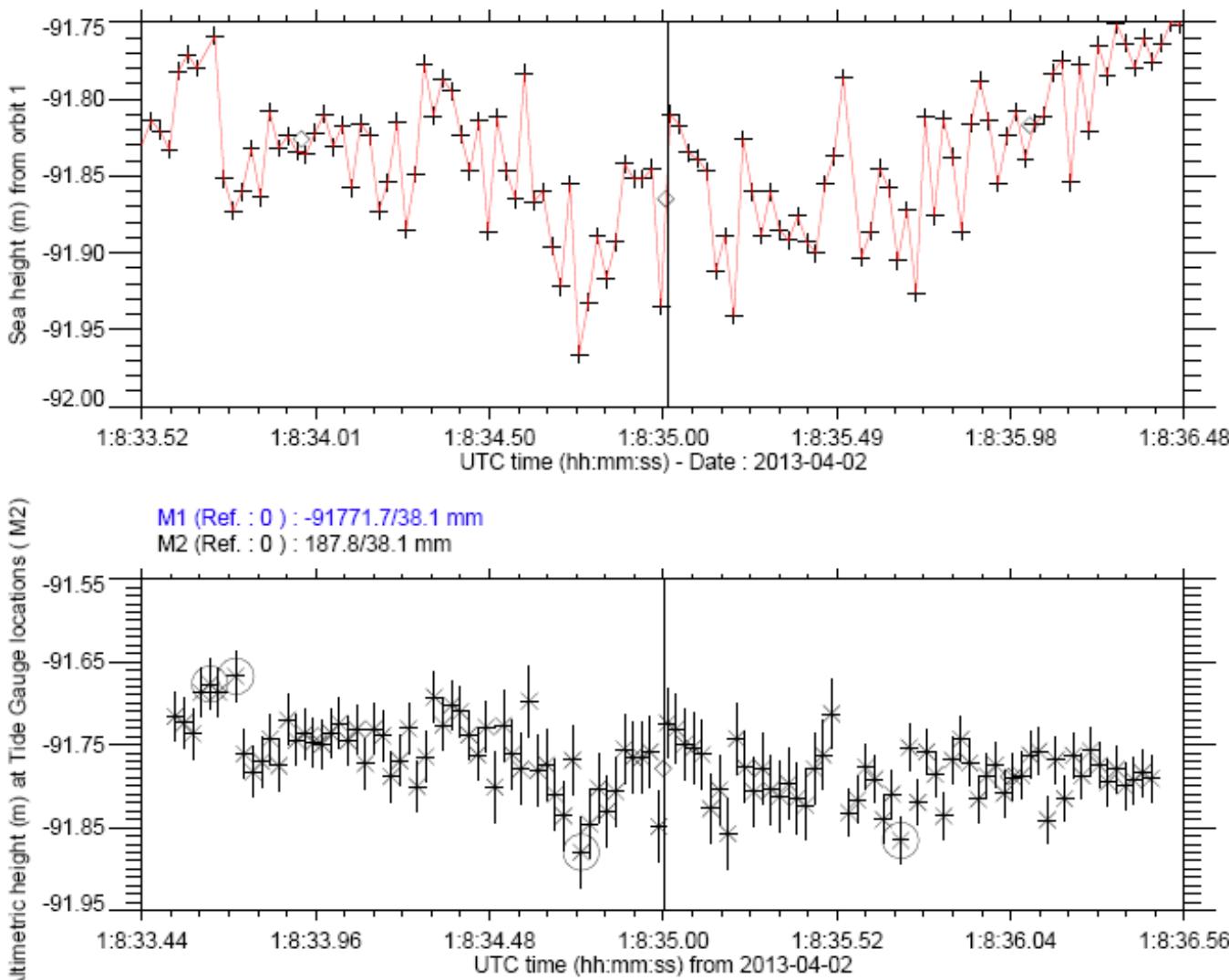
Geo-physical product validation



SARAL AltiKa: Calibration

IGDR

Absolute calibration result for SARAL OGDR on 2nd April 2013



PCA point : *
Tide Gauge location : △

Applied correction
 Center of mass
 Dry tropospheric correction
 Wet tropospheric correction (radiometer)
 Ionospheric correction (Model)
 Sea State Bias correction (model 1)
 loading, solid and pole Tides

Point of Closest Measurement
 -> Ref: M1
 Lat: 10.5490
 Lon: 72.5278
 Distance: 13.43 (Km)
 Time: 1:8:35.02 (UTC)

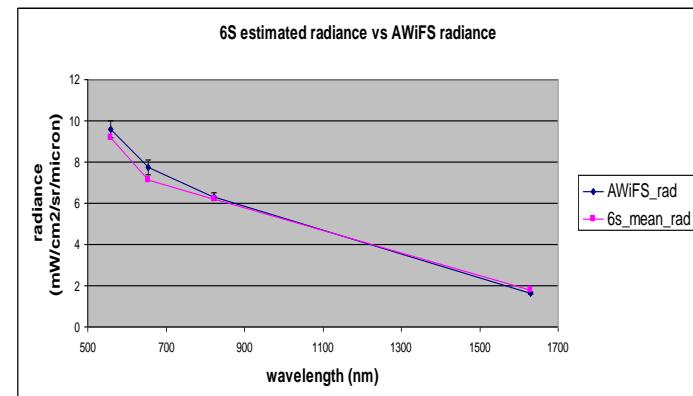
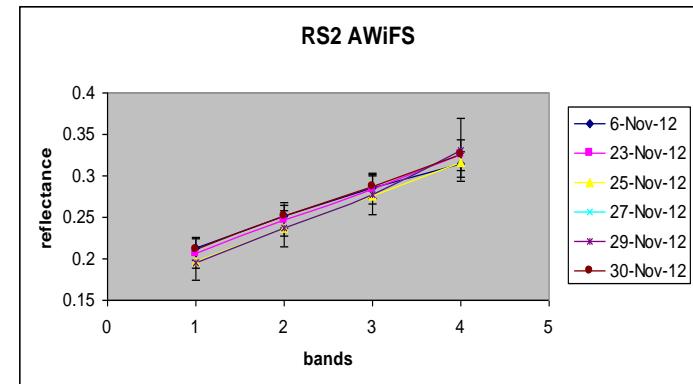
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 Lon: 72.5279
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Along track distance PCM-PCA
 0.052 (Km)
 Along track distance PCM-Coast
 12.02 (Km)

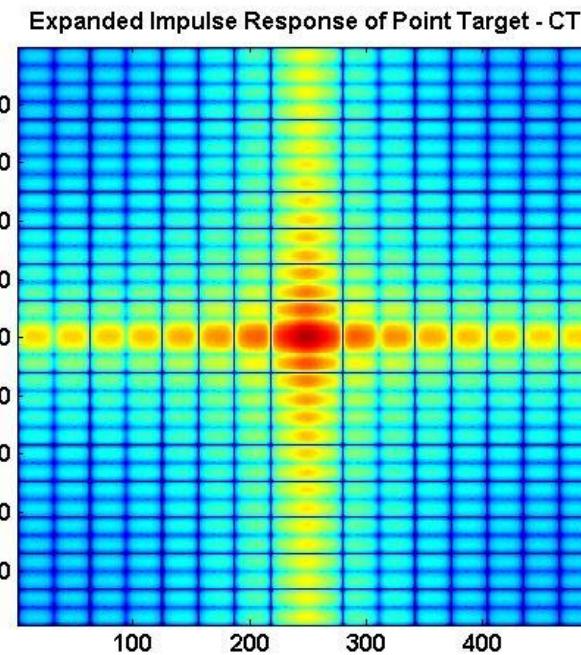
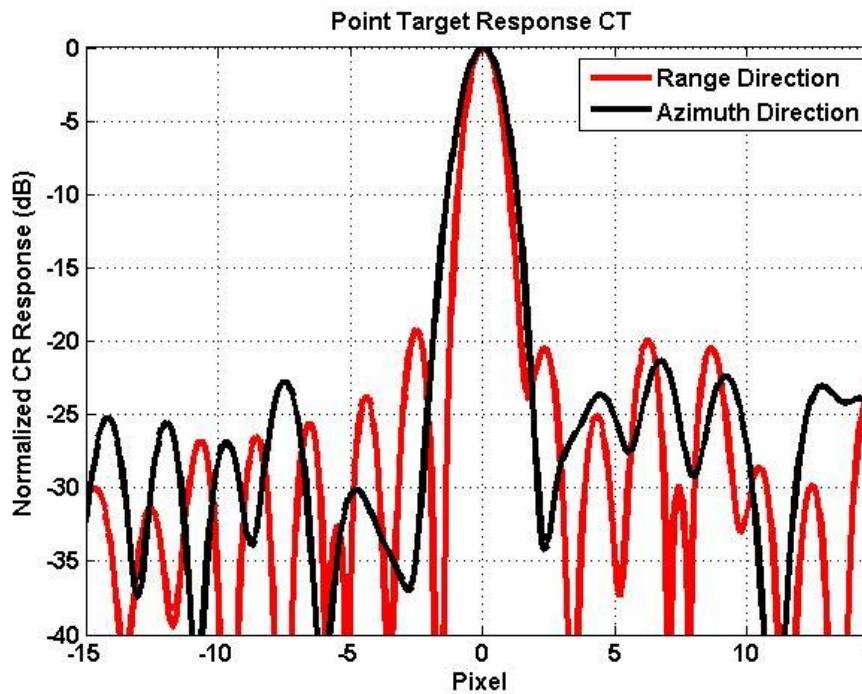
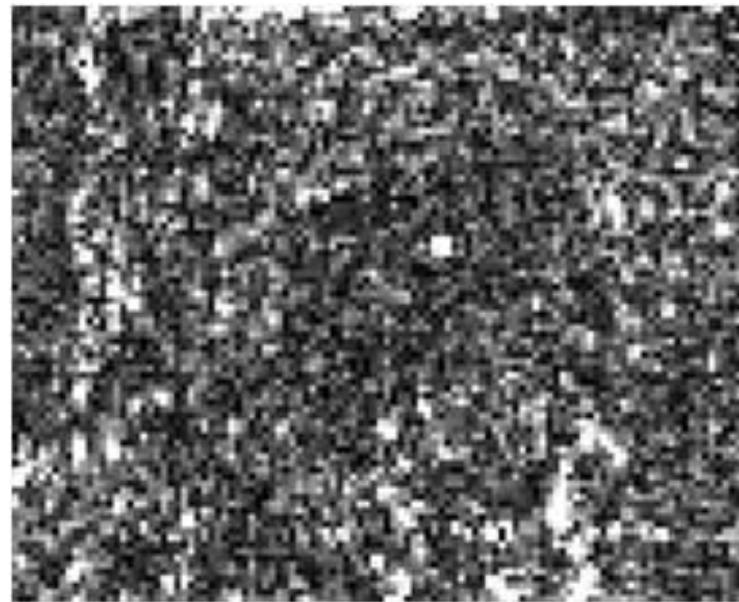
Vicarious calibration of Resourcesat-2

- Fully instrumented sites being developed (AWS, MRR, CIMEL,etc) in Rann of Kutch and SAC-Bopal campus
- Low aerosol loading $\sim 0.2 - 0.3$
- Inter-calibration of MODIS vs OCM2 and RS1, RS2 vs Landsat 7
- Vicarious calibration of RS1 LISS-III, LISS-IV, AWIFS RS2 LISS-III, LISS-IV, AWIFS,OCM2 , Landsat-7, MODIS

AWIFS	Spectral bands	Vicarious calibration coefficient
B1	520 – 590	0.96
B2	620 -680	0.92
B3	770 – 860	0.95
B4	1550-1750	1.11



RISAT-1 SAR Calibration

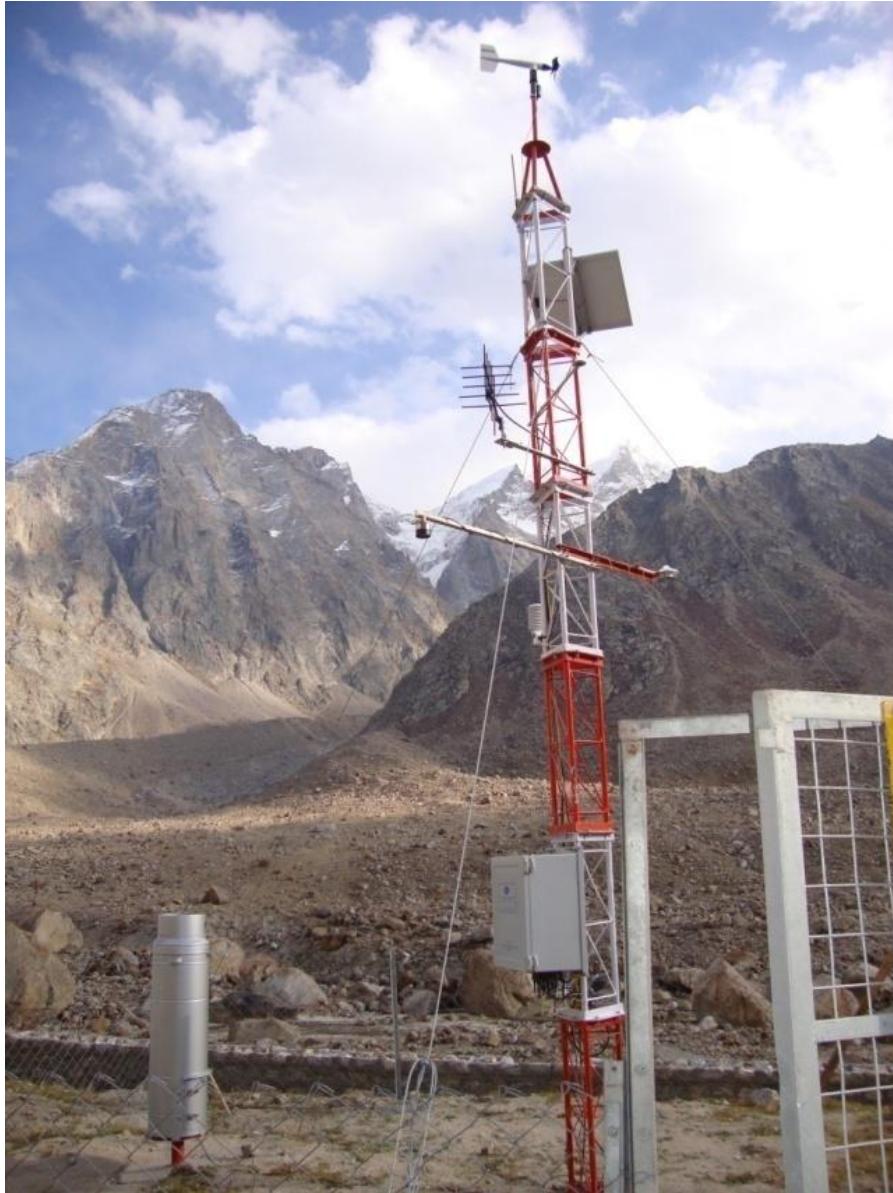


Meghatropiques Validation

- AWS, MRR & Disdrometer data collection at Kavaratti
- Dr.Pishroty Sonde data collection at Kavaratti
- Development of SAC-Bopal & Desalpar site in Rann of Kutch for in-situ measurements
- Validation of Meghatropiques products using site data
- Time series analysis of atmospheric parameters using Kavaratti, SAC-Bopal and Desalpar sites



Snow & Glacier - Chhota Shigri

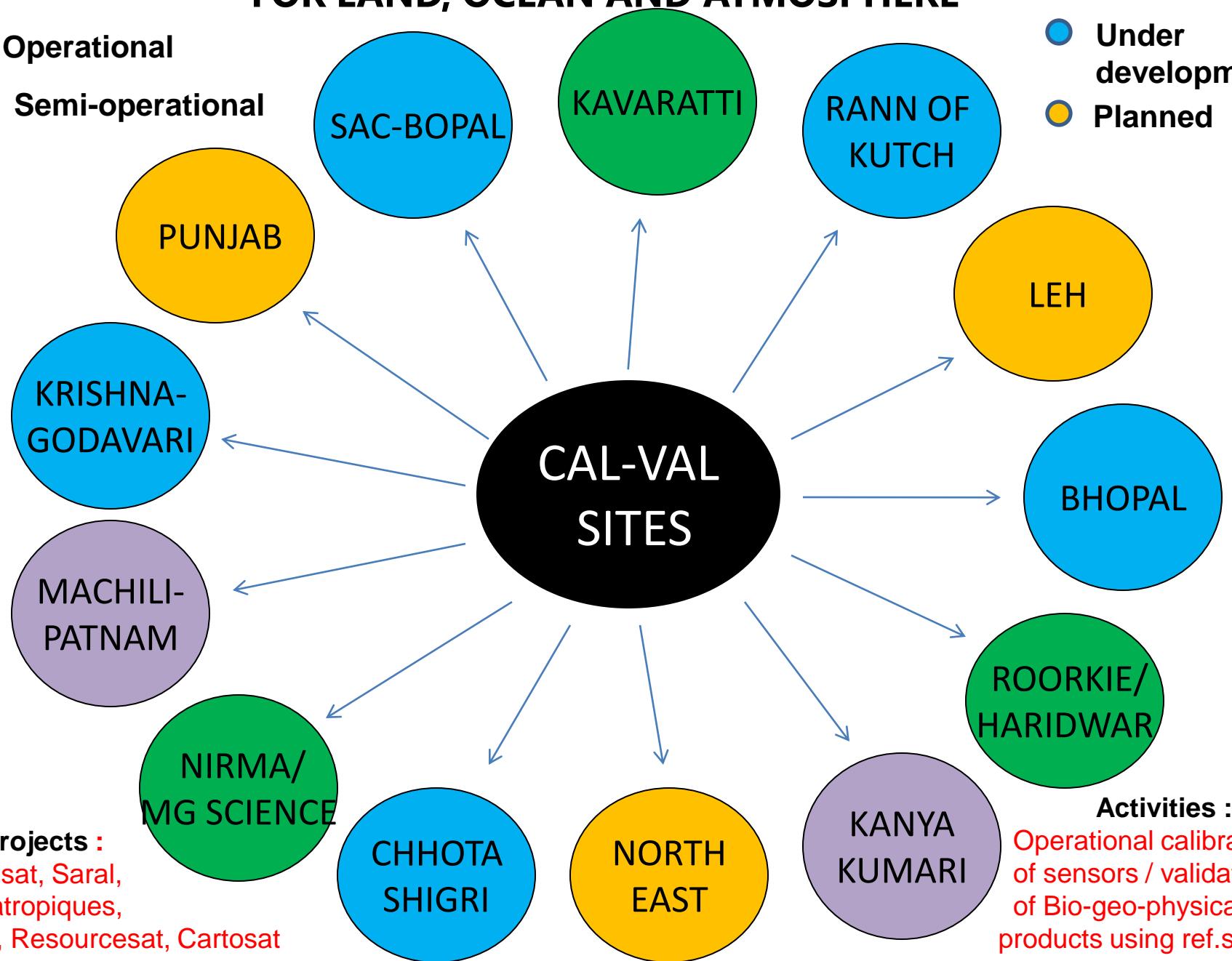


Sr. No	Sensor
1	Net Radiation Sensor
2	Albedo Sensor
3	Air temperature sensor (ventilated)
4	Relative humidity sensor
5	Atmospheric pressure sensor
6	Wind Speed sensor (ultrasonic)
7	Wind Direction Sensor (ultrasonic)
8	Snow surface temperature sensor (ventilated)
9	Snow depth sensor (ultrasonic)

INCVSLOA – INDIAN NETWORK OF CALIBRATION & VALIDATION SITES FOR LAND, OCEAN AND ATMOSPHERE

- Operational
- Semi-operational

- Under development
- Planned



Projects :

Oceansat, Saral,
Meghatropiques,
RISAT, Resourcesat, Cartosat

Activities :

Operational calibration
of sensors / validation
of Bio-geo-physical
products using ref.sites

Thank you