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### Pacific Islands Ocean Observing System

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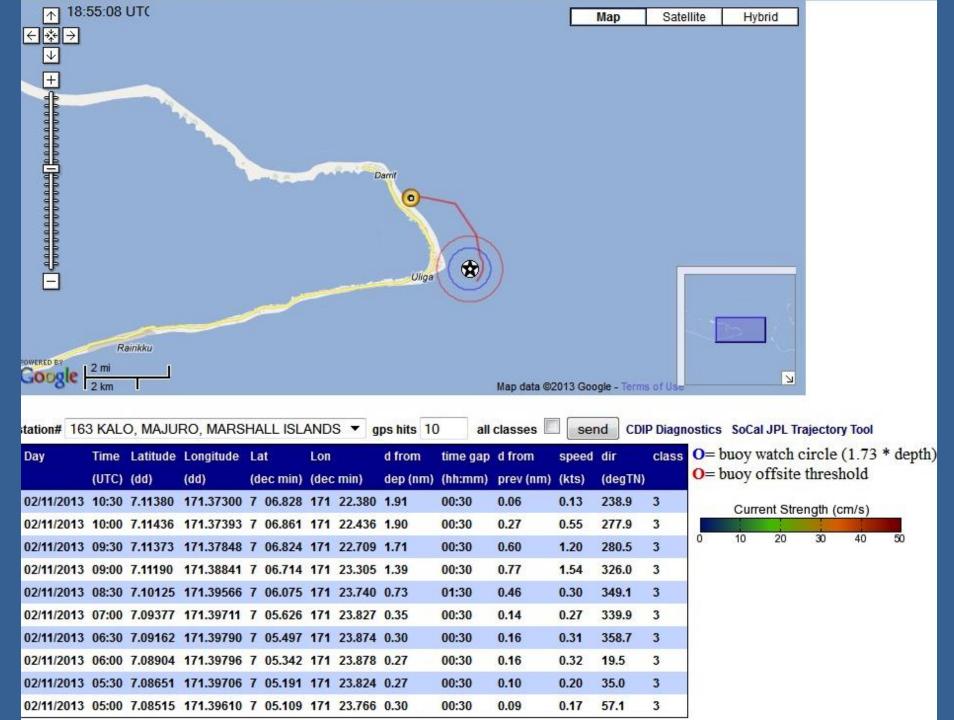
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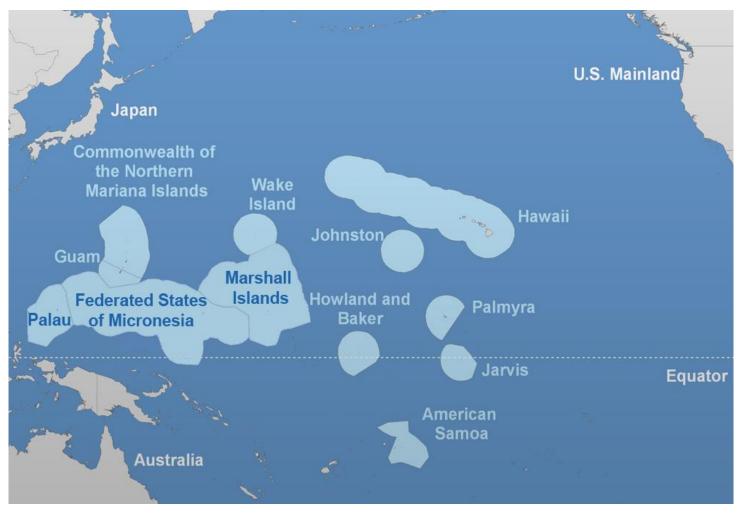


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#### Hawaii

- Liquid Robotics
- UH- SOEST
- Hawaii Department of Transportation Harbors
- Hawaii Office of Planning
- Hawaii Harbors User Group
- Marine and Coastal Zone Advocacy Council
- Archinoetics, Inc.
- Malama Maunalua
- Maui Ocean Center
- U.S. Coast Guard D-14
- Kohala Center

#### Regional

- NOAA PIFSC
- WPR Fishery Management Council
- Outrigger Enterprises, Inc.
- US Army Corps of Engineers
- SAIC
- CODAR Ocean Sensors
- U.S. Pacific Command
- Pacific Disaster Center

### **Republic of the Marshall Islands**

• College of the Marshall Islands

### **Federated States of Micronesia**

College of Micronesia

#### Palau

- Palau International Coral Reef Center
- Coral Reef Research Foundation

#### **American Samoa**

- American Samoa EPA
- Department of Marine and Wildlife Resources

#### Guam

- Guam, Office of the Governor
- University of Guam Sea Grant

#### CNMI

- CNMI, Office of the Governor
- Pacific Marine Resources Institute

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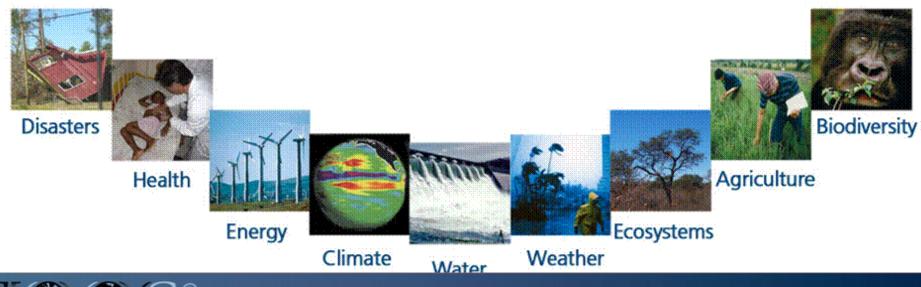
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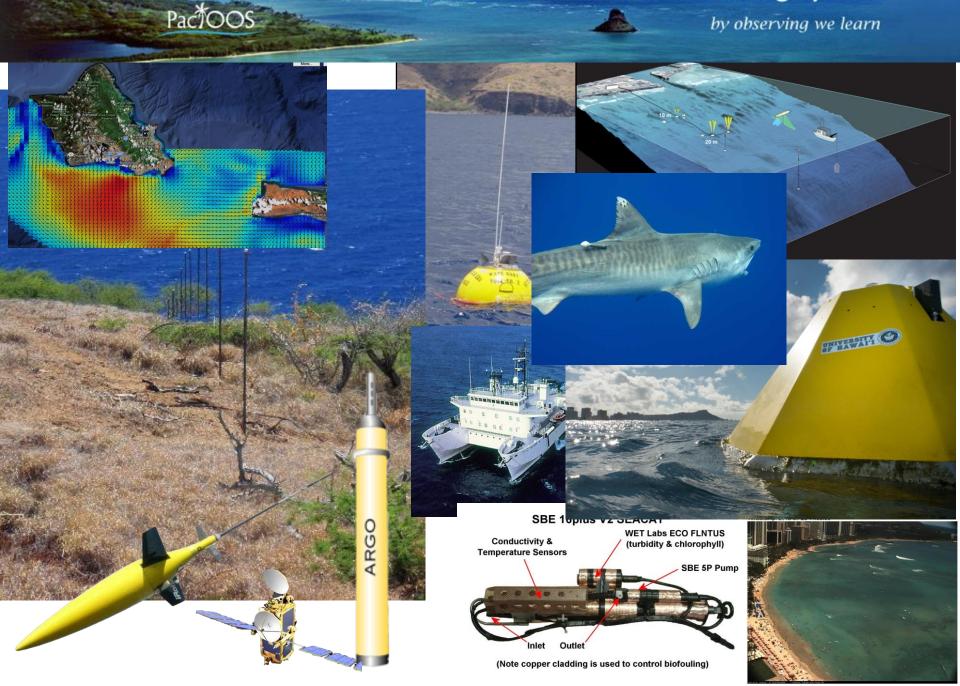


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### Information to address global, societal, complex issues

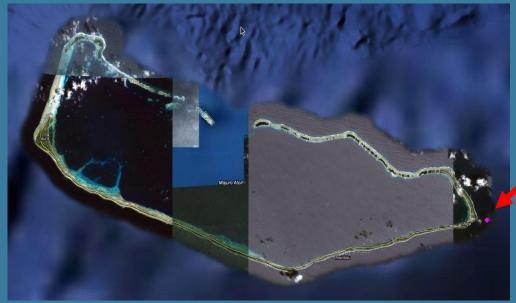


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## **Wave Observations**

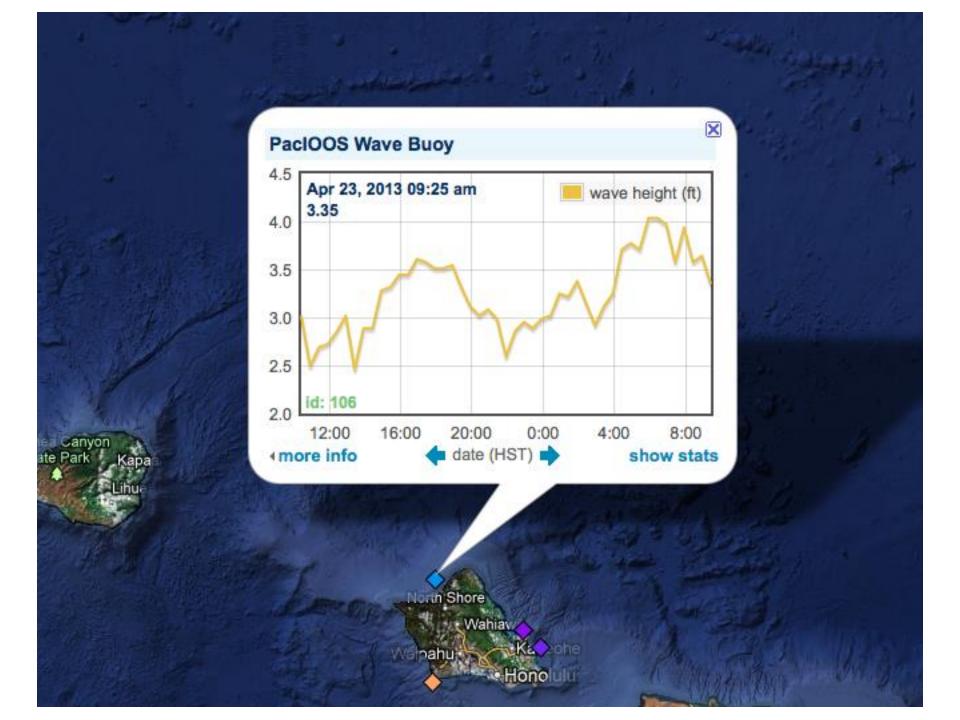
### Current live locations provided by PacIOOS

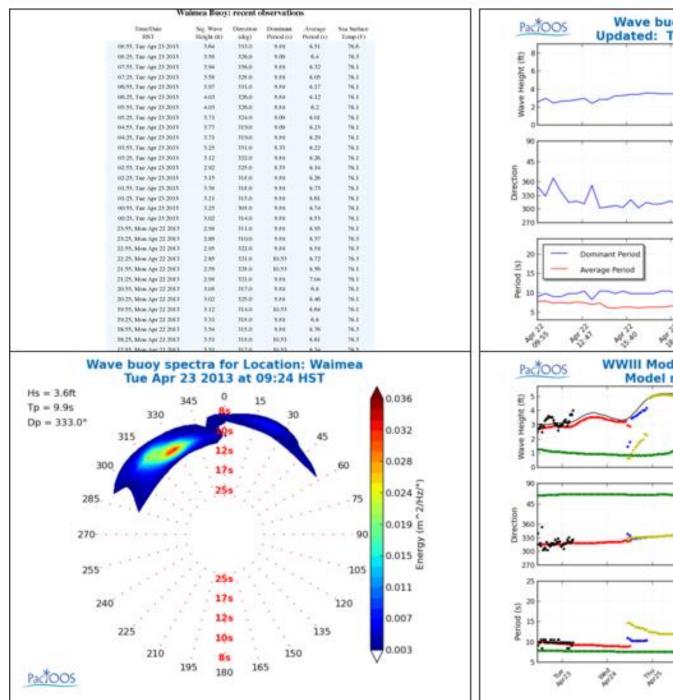


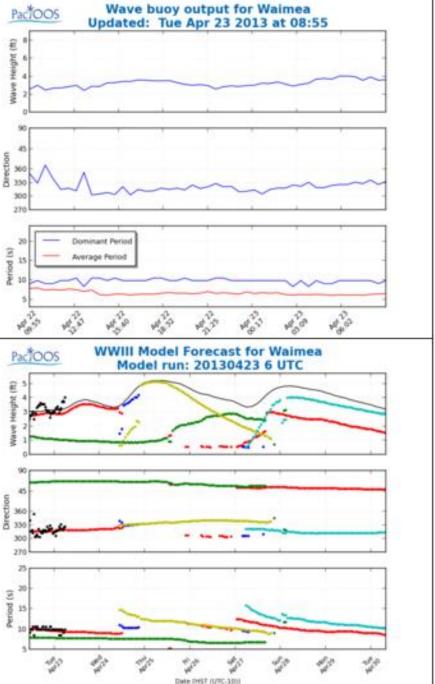
## Majuro (Kalo)

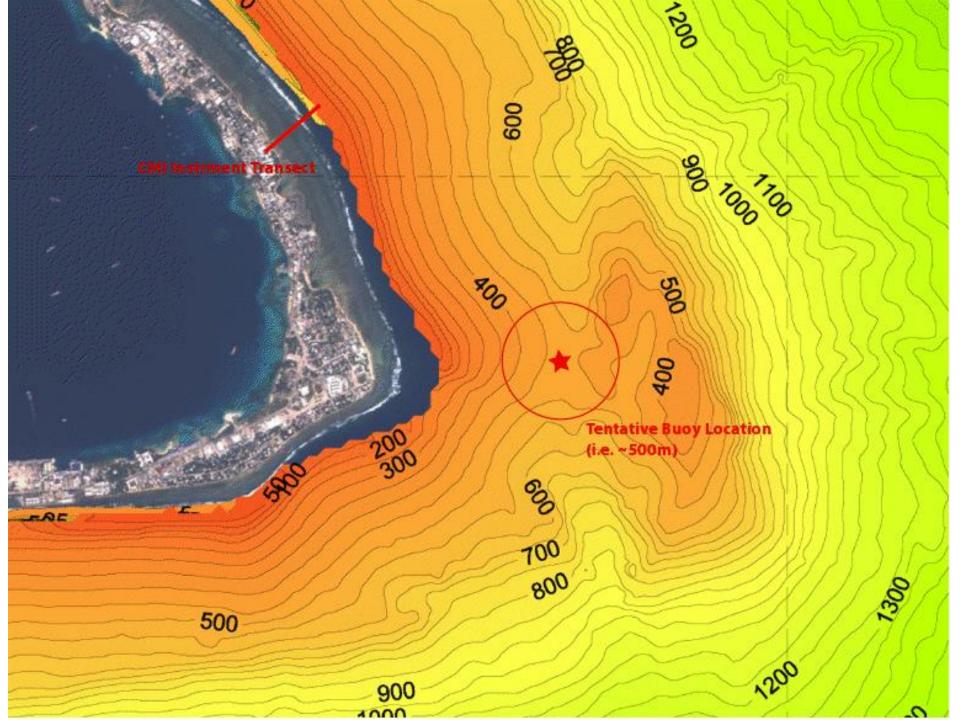
The additional data provided by the Kalo Buoy enhanced our capability to provide reliable wave information and conditions to the mariners and the coastal communities. We are able to provide quality advisories and warnings and have saved lives and better protected coastal properties. - R. White





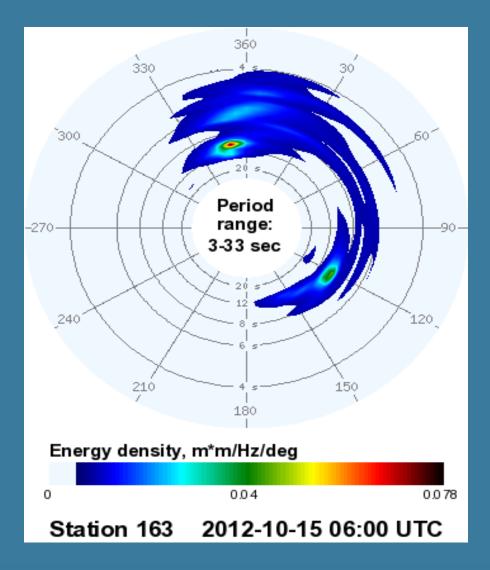




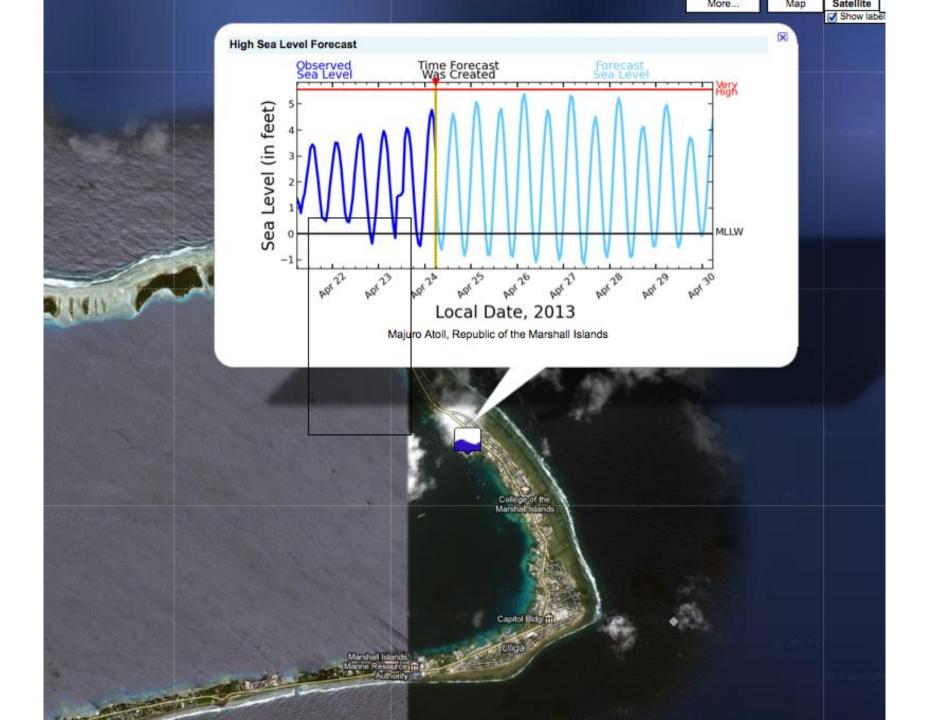


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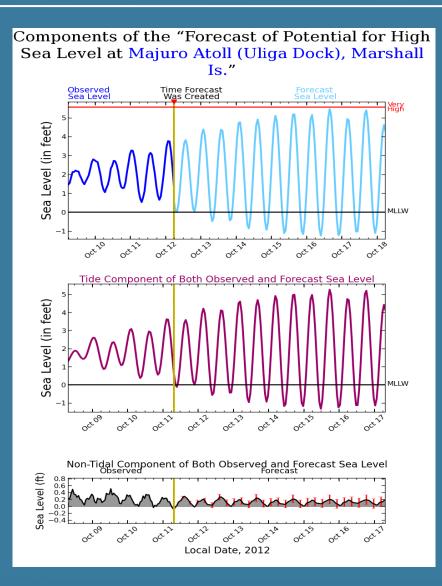
Majuro real time spectral energy density form CDIP. This data allows for the spatial differentiation of incoming swell. With local directional swell, accurate run-up and inundation forecast become possible.







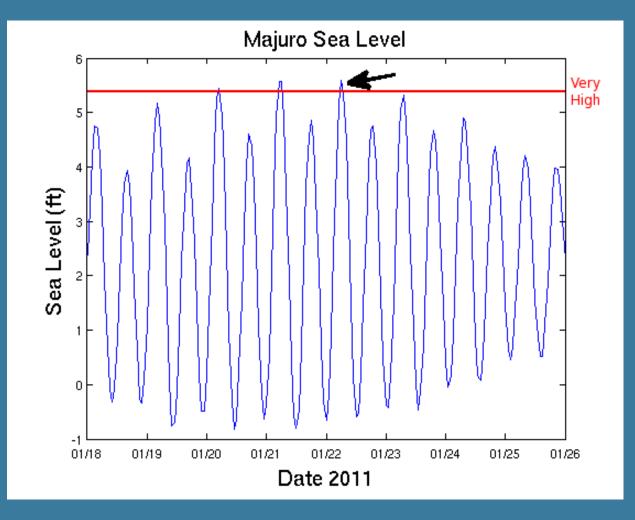
## Sea Level Forecast for Harbors/Lagoons



Example of PaclOOS Majuro sea level forecast. Second page shows the forecast tide and residual forecast. Only two products are necessary to create a forecast for each station, a historical sea level record and real time sea level.



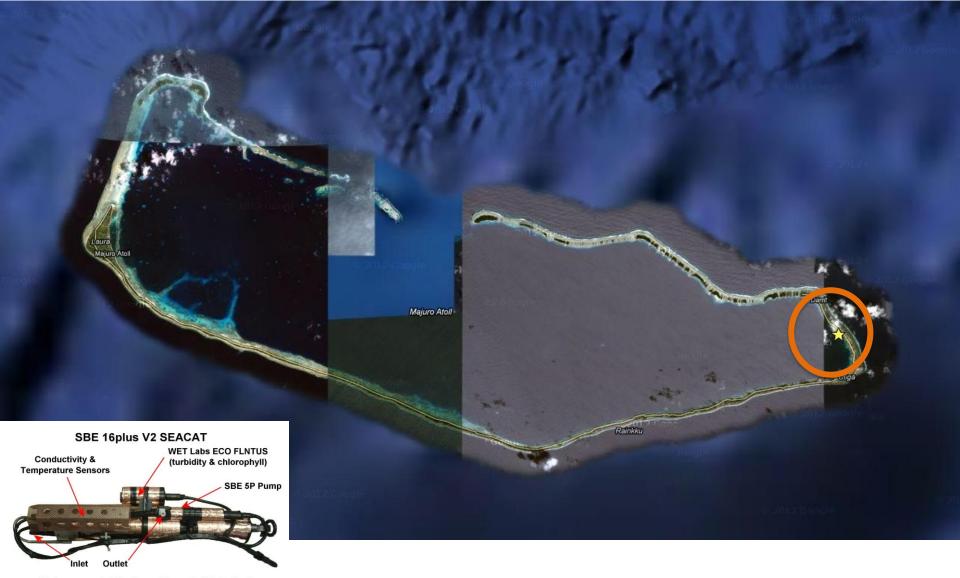
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An Example of Majuro Atoll Sea Level Driven to Higher Levels Resulting in Roadway Flooding (video)







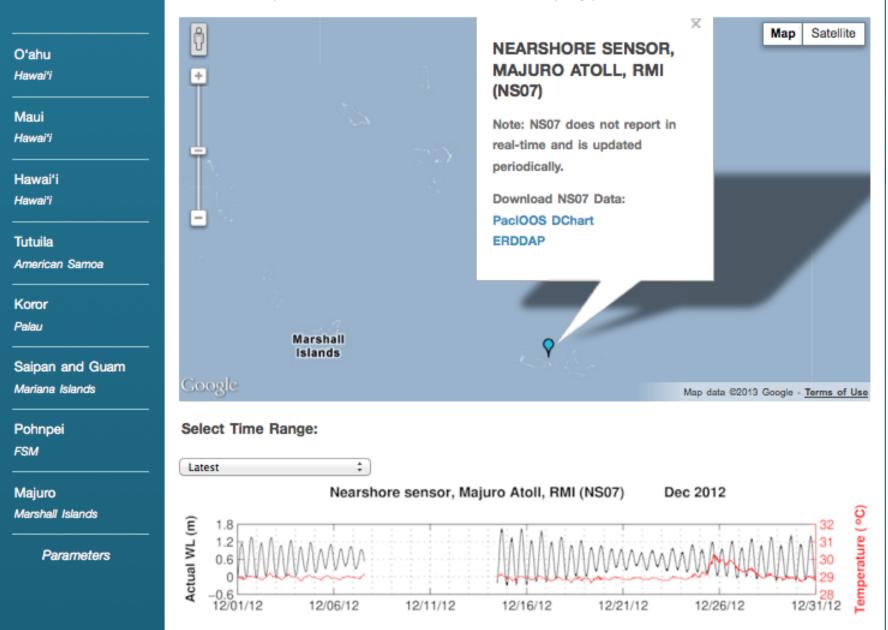
(Note copper cladding is used to control biofouling)

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### Water Quality

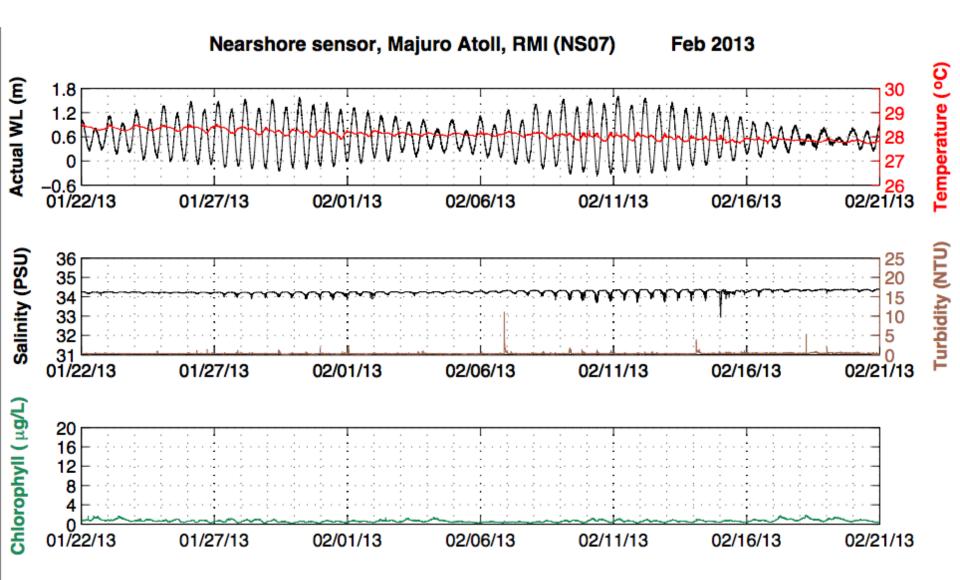
### Majuro

Click on the location of interest to view the most recent data available for the site. Use the drop down menu below to obtain historical plots. Click here for more information on water quality parameters.









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