

A global data sharing and clearinghouse for marine biodiversity data through the

Ocean Biogeographic Information System (OBIS)

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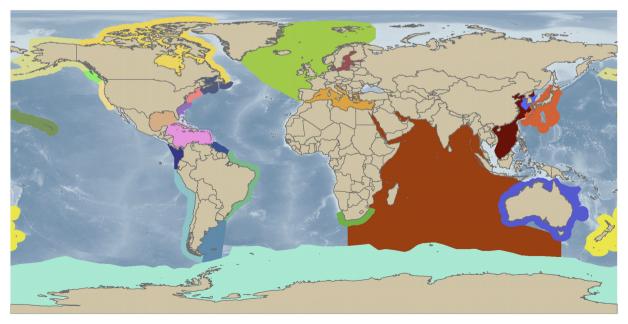


A brief history of OBIS...

2000-2010: OBIS was created as data repository and information dissemination for the 16 projects of the CoML and the regional committees.

2009: the project was adopted by the IOC-UNESCO under the IODE programme (IOC Resolution XXV-4)

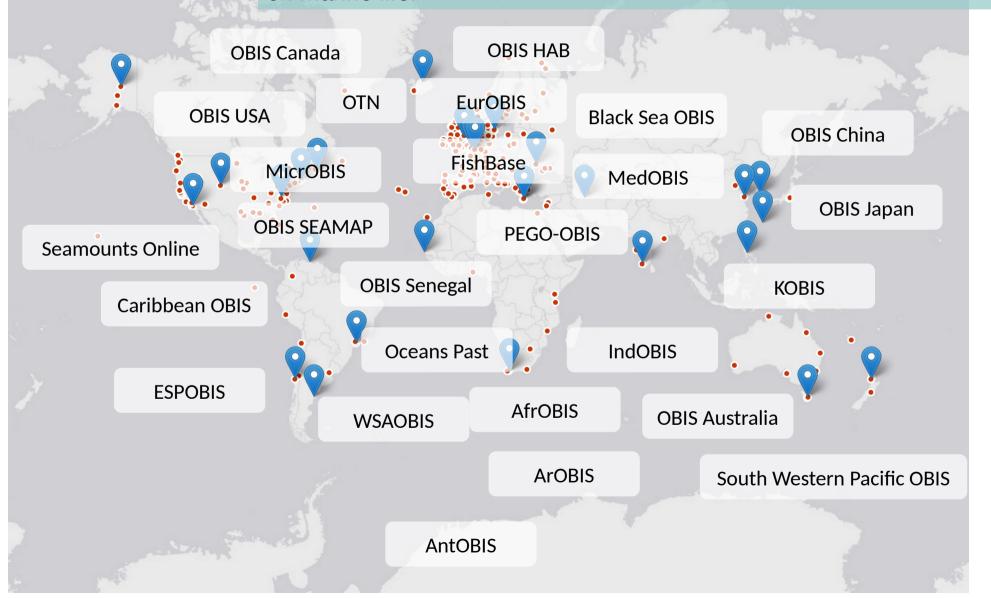
2011: the Secretariat and iOBIS was moved from Ruttgers University to Oostende, Belgium

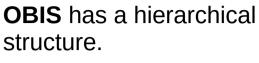




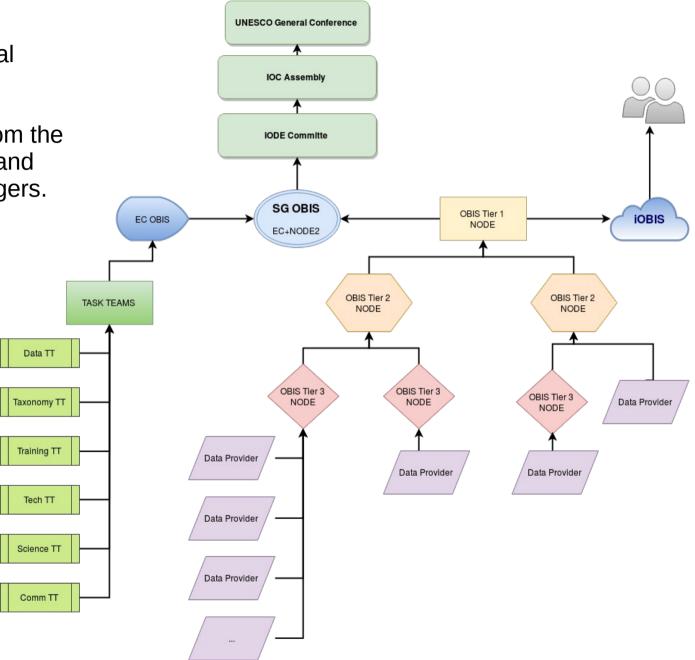
Arctic OBIS

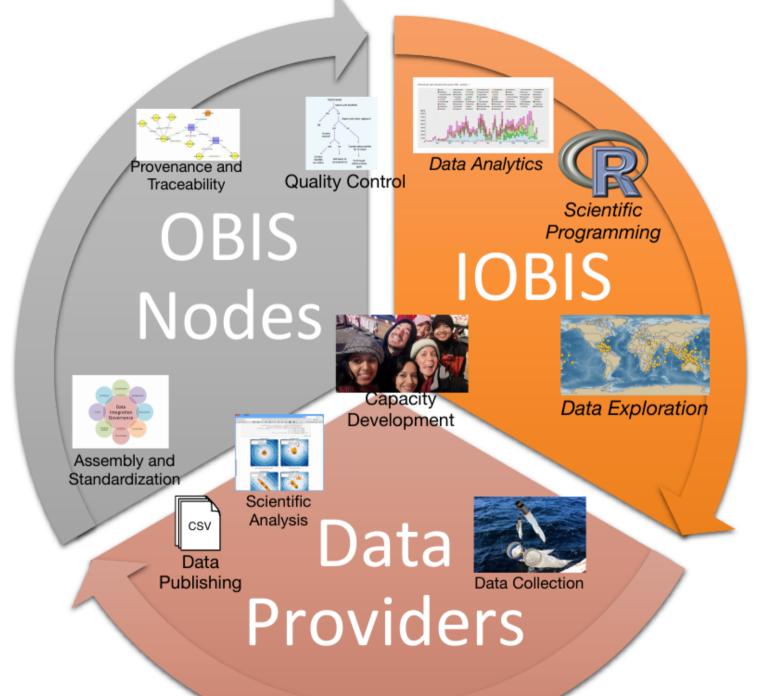
"To build and maintain a **global alliance** that **collaborates with scientific communities** to facilitate free and **open access** to, and application of, biodiversity and biogeographic data and information on marine life."





Governance comes from the Executive Committee and Nodes (TIER 2) Managers.





Capacity Development





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Data cleaning
Data formatting
Data publication
Data access
Data visualization
Data analysis



South Africa



Venezuela

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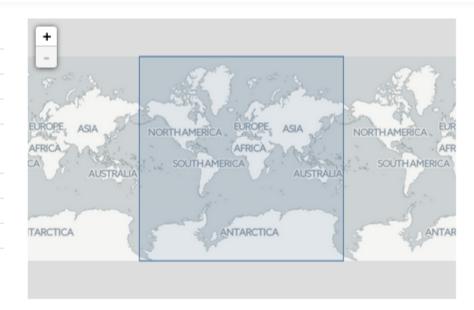
Scientists from 73 countries used OBIS in research publications

Connections of >500 co-authored papers citing OBIS (Web of Science)

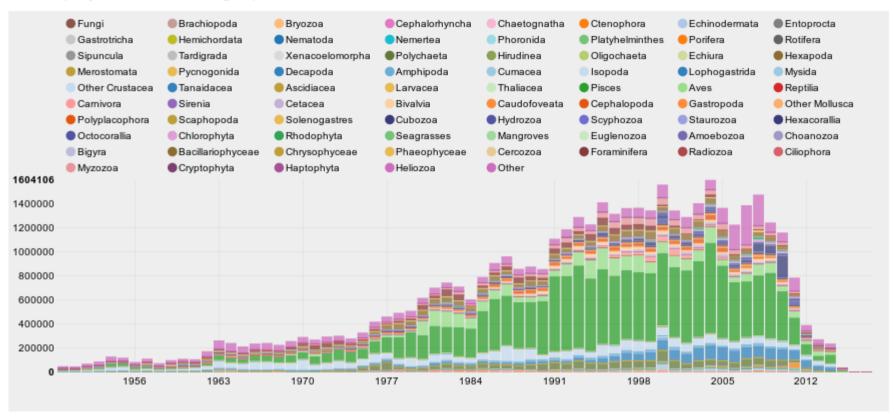


Records	47,777,791	4
Datasets	2,182	4
Contributing institutes	596	
Taxa	151,921	4
Species	107,230	
Red List species	10,495	₫.
Invasive species	212	
Harmful microalgae	142	
Only observed here	114,100	

Overview

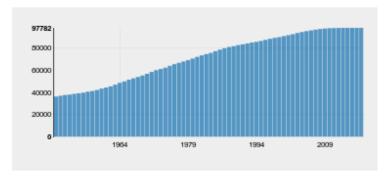


Records per year and taxonomic group (1950 - present)

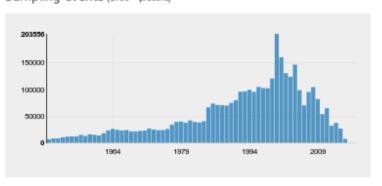


Species per taxonomic group o Fungi Brachlopoda Bryozoa Cephalorhyncha Chaetognatha Ctenophora Echinodermata Entoprocta Gastrotricha Hemichordata Mesozoa Nematoda Nemertea Phoronida Platyhelminthes Porifera Rotifera Sipuncula Tardigrada Xenacoelomorpha Polychaeta Hirudinea Oligochaeta Echlura Hexapoda Merostomata Pycnogonida Acarina Pseudoscorpionida Decapoda Amphipoda Cumacea Isopoda Lophogastrida Mysida Other Crustacea Tanaldacea Ascidiacea Larvacea Thallacea Pisces Aves Reptilia Carnivora Sirenia Cetacea Biyalyla Caudofoveata Cephalopoda Gastropoda Other Mollusca Polyplacophora Scaphopoda Solenogastres Cubozoa Hydrozoa Scyphozoa Staurozoa Hexacorallia Octocorallia Chlorophyta Rhodophyta Seagrasses Mangroves Euglenozoa Amoebozoa Choanozoa Bigyra Comycota Bacillariophyceae Chrysophyceae Phaeophyceae Cercozoa Foraminifera Radiozoa Cilliophora Myzozoa Cryptophyta Haptophyta Heliozoa Other 10000 18494 5000 15000

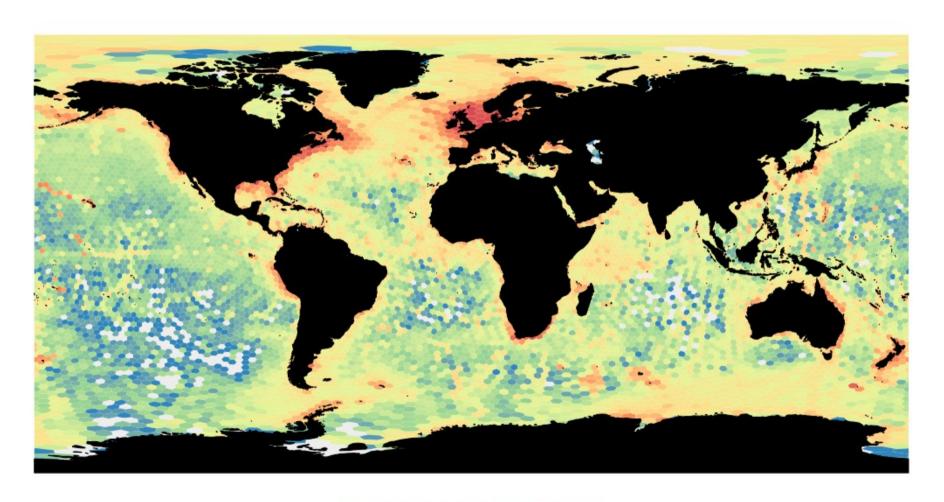
Species accumulation (1950 - present)



Sampling events (1950 - present)

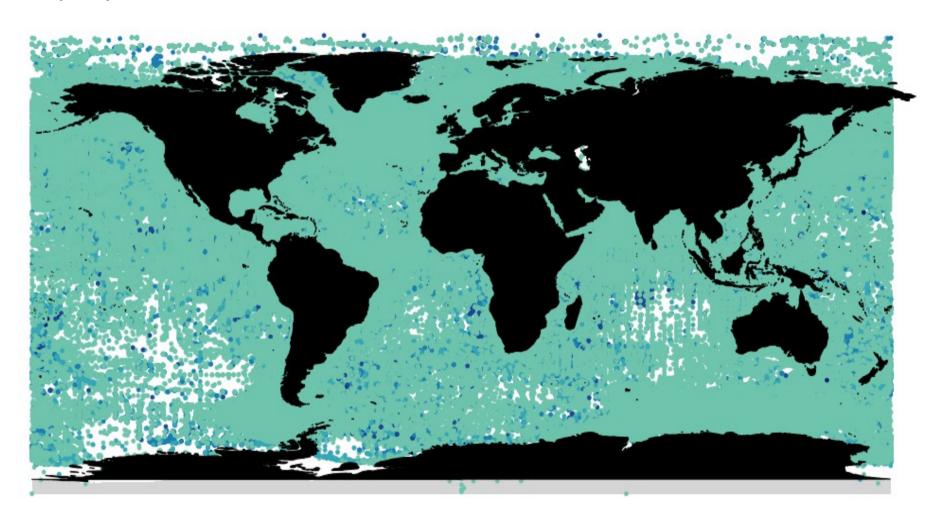


All OBIS records **47,000,000**

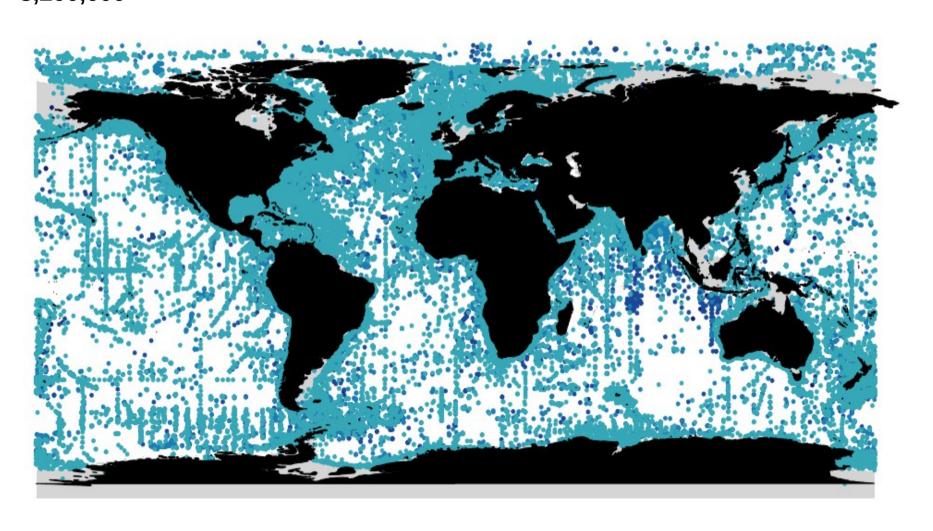




all sampling locations **47,000,000**

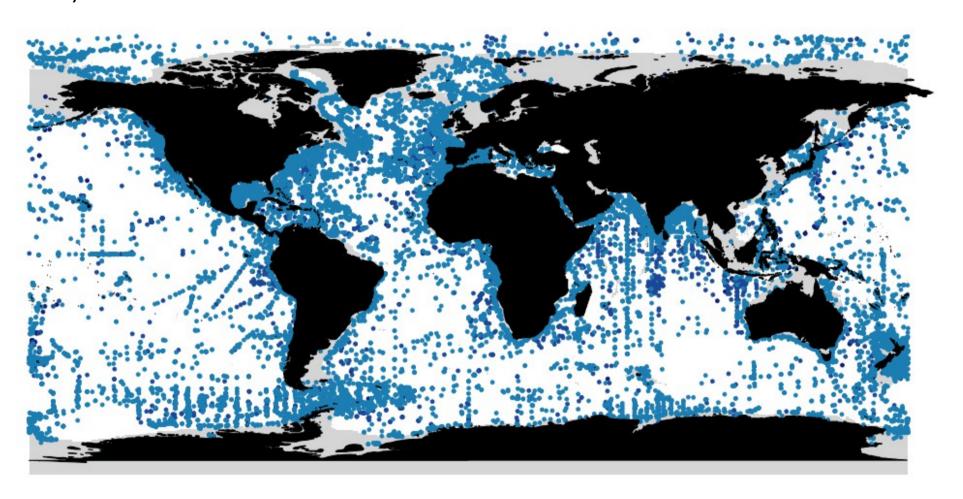


> 200 m depth **3,200,000**



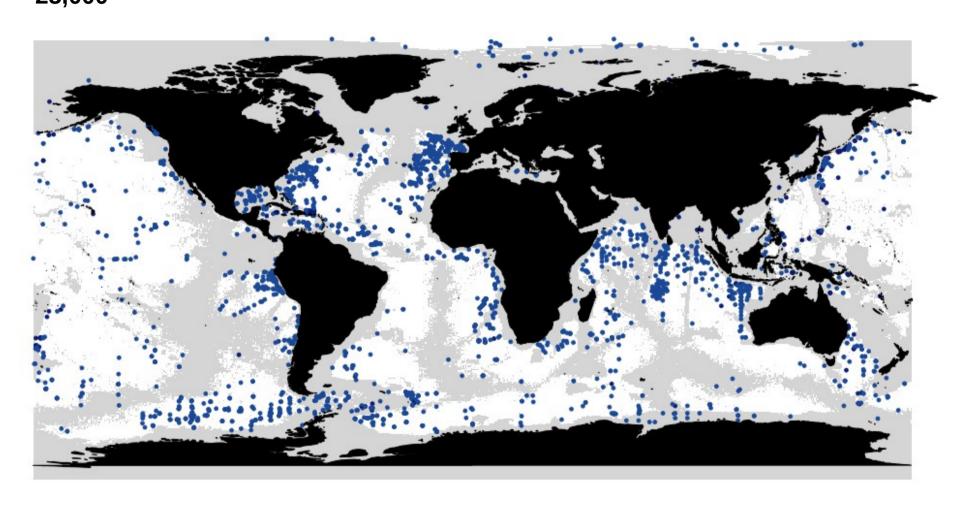
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> 1000 m depth **600,000**



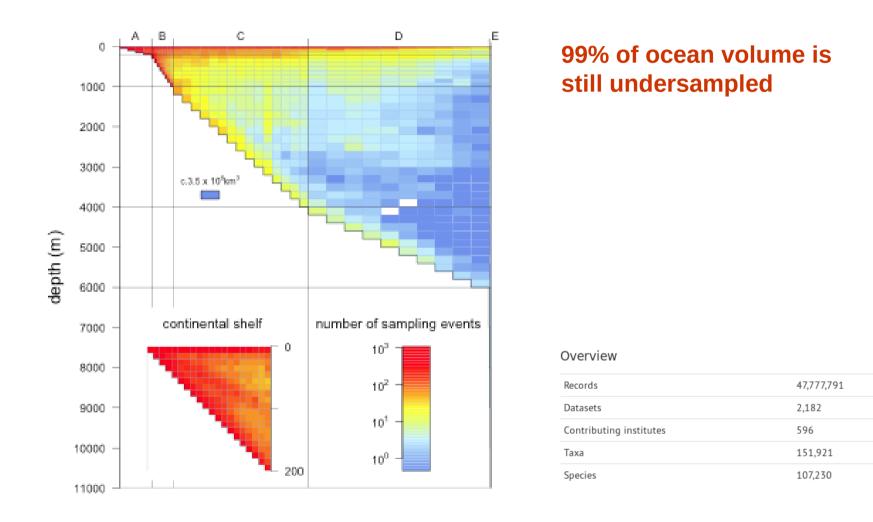
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> 4000 m depth **25,000**



no depth information: 18,000,000

Number of sampling days per depth volume



Appeltans W., Dujardin F., Flavell M., Miloslavich P., Webb T. (2015). Biodiversity Baselines in the Global Ocean. In: Fischer A. et al (Eds). Open Ocean Technical Assessment Report for the GEF Transboundary Water Assessment Programme (TWAP). UNEP, IOC-UNESCO.

DATA standards



DATA

The Darwin Core is **body of standards**. It includes a **glossary of terms** (in other contexts these might be called properties, elements, fields, columns, attributes, or concepts) intended to **facilitate the sharing** of information about biological diversity by providing **reference definitions**, examples, and commentaries. The Darwin Core is primarily **based on taxa**, their occurrence in nature as documented by observations, specimens, samples, and related information.

META DATA

Ecological Metadata Language (EML) is a metadata specification developed by the ecology discipline and for the ecology discipline.

Modularity, Detailed Structure, Compatibility, Strong Typing

Data QC

Database (Oxford), 2015 Jan 28:2015, pii: bau125, doi: 10.1093/database/bau125, Print 2015,

Fishing for data and sorting the catch: assessing the data quality, completeness and fitness for use of data in marine biogeographic databases.

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Abstract

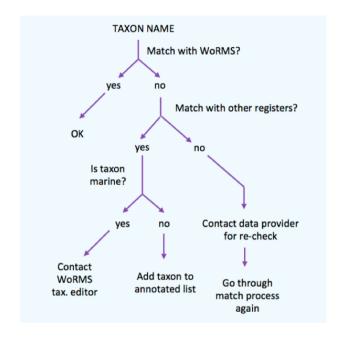
Being able to assess the quality and level of completeness of data has become indispensable in marine biodiversity research, especially when dealing with large databases that typically compile data from a variety of sources. Very few integrated databases offer quality flags on the level of the individual record, making it hard for users to easily extract the data that are fit for their specific purposes. This article describes the different steps that were developed to analyse the quality and completeness of the distribution records within the European and international Ocean Biogeographic Information Systems (EurOBIS and OBIS). Records are checked on data format, completeness and validity of information, quality and detail of the used taxonomy and geographic indications and whether or not the record is a putative outlier. The corresponding quality control (QC) flags will not only help users with their data selection, they will also help the data management team and the data custodians to identify possible gaps and errors in the submitted data, providing scope to improve data quality. The results of these quality control procedures are as of now available on both the EurOBIS and OBIS databases. Through the Biology portal of the European Marine Observation and Data Network (EMODnet Biology), a subset of EurOBIS records—passing a specific combination of these QC steps—is offered to the users. In the future, EMODnet Biology will offer a wide range of filter options through its portal, allowing users to make specific selections themselves. Through LifeWatch, users can already upload their own data and check them against a selection of the here described quality control procedures. Database URL: www.eurobis.org (www.iobis.org; www.emodnet-biology.eu/).

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towards a standard for georeferenced marine names



30 QC Flags Taxonomy Geography

OBIS nodes use IPT as a publishing tool

The IPT allows an easy translation from researcher data set to Darwin Core

IPT facilitates the upload of the metadata according to the EML



About the IPT

The Integrated Publishing Toolkit (IPT) is a free open source software tool written in Java that is used to publish and share biodiversity datasets through the GBIF network. Designed for interoperability, it enables the publishing of content in databases, Microsoft Excel spreadsheets, or text files using open standards namely the Darwin Core and the Ecological Metadata Language. You can also use a 'one-click' service to convert your metadata into a draft data paper manuscript for submission to a peer-reviewed journal.



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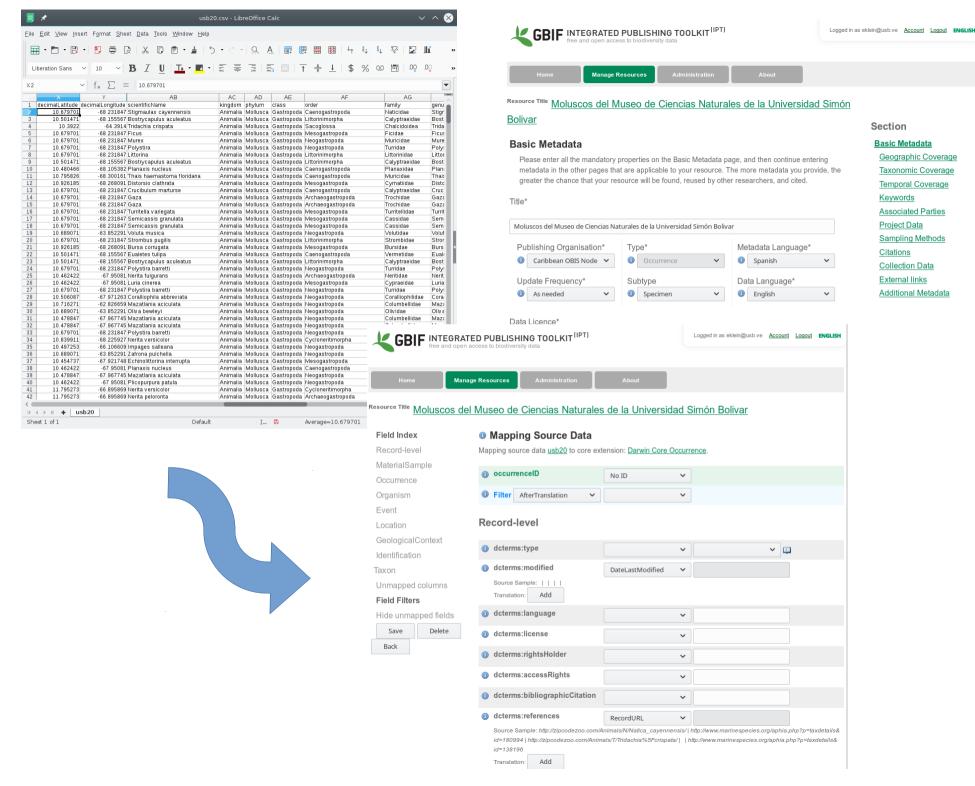
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Resources you have rights to manage

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Pez león	Not registered	Occurrence	-	468	2015-02-18	2015-02-18	-	Public	Cesar Paz
Fishes from Madagascar Reef, Campeche Bank, México	Not registered	Occurrence		54	2015-01-29	2015-01-29	-	Public	Cesar Paz
Halophila stipulacea in the Caribbean Sea	Not registered	Occurrence	-	28	2015-01-28	2015-01-28	-	Public	Cesar Paz
NaGISA Project	Not registered	Occurrence	-	64,560	2014-11-04	2014-11-04		Public	Cesar Paz
Censo de biodiversidad marina Edo. Miranda	Not registered	Occurrence	-	1,391	2014-07-22	2014-07-22	-	Public	Cesar Paz



Section

Basic Metadata

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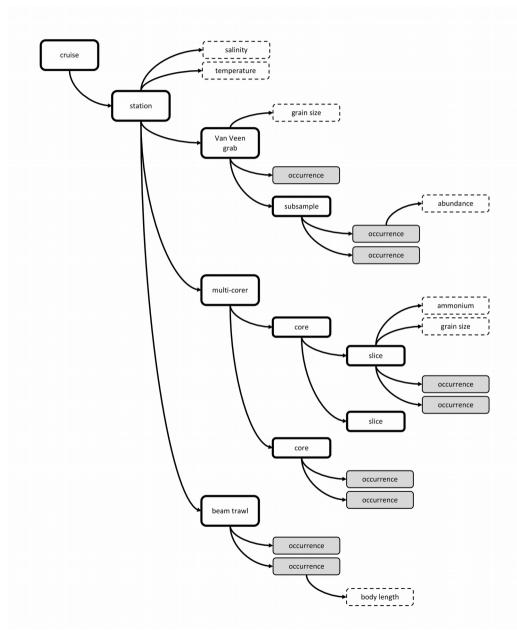
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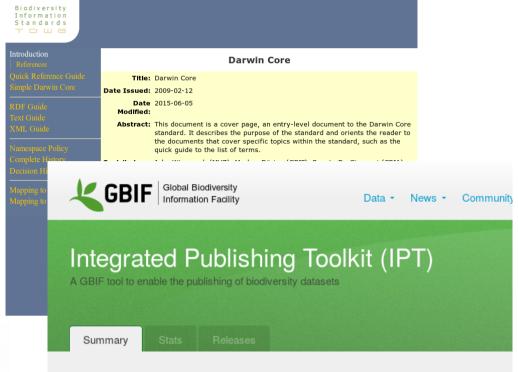


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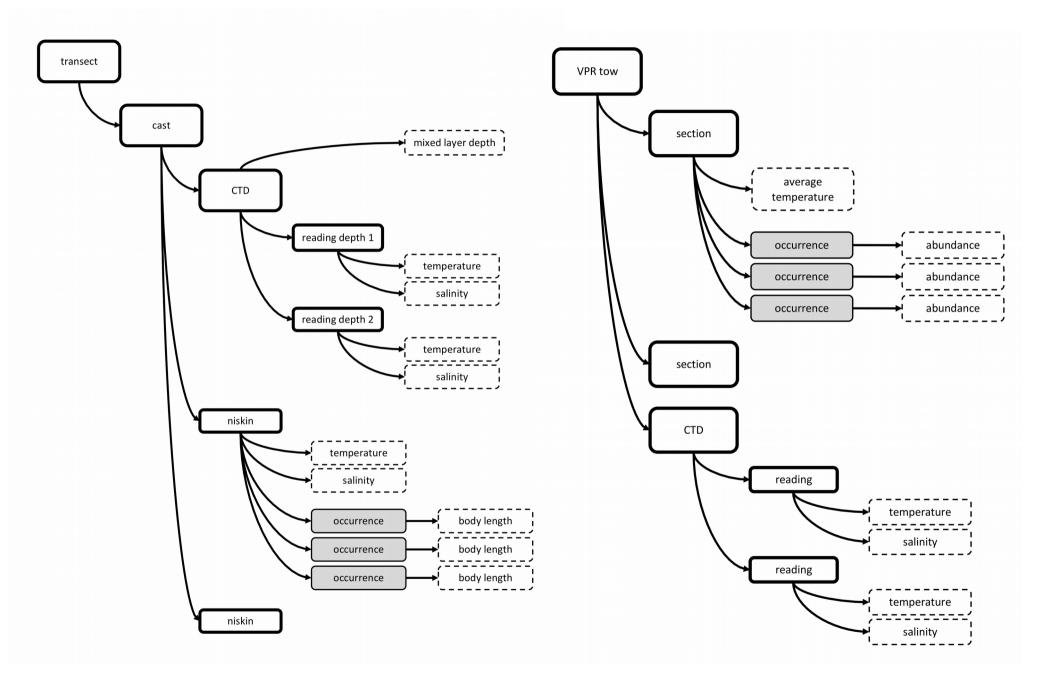


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Video Plankton Recorder



Example

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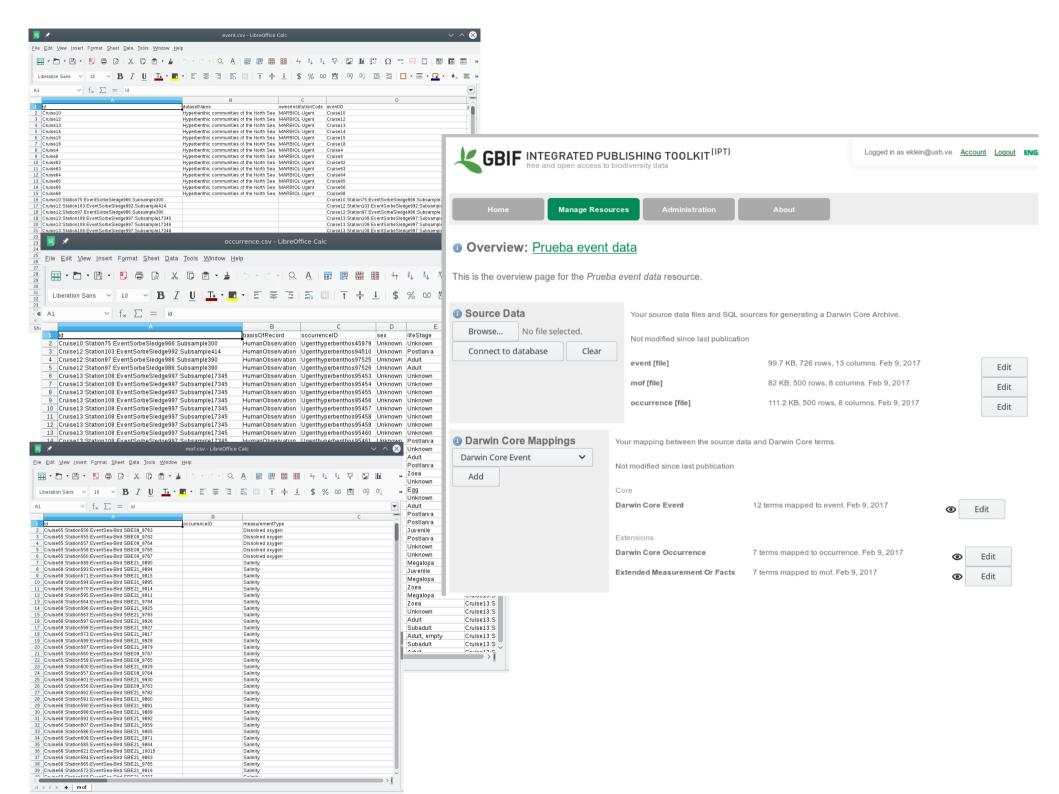
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Occurrence extension

					Lifestage
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Sample1	Occurrence2	Abra alba	urn:lsid:marinespecies.org:taxname:126436	HumanObservation	

eMoF extension

EventID	Occ irrenceID	MoFtype	MoFValue	MoFUnit
Sample1		Proportion clay in sediment	5	%
Sample1	Ÿ	Proportion silt in sediment	10	%
Sample1	Occurrence1	Ash-free dry weight biomass	0,2	Kg/m²
Sample1	Occurrence1	Abundance	150	Individuals/m2
Sample1	Occurrence2 Ash-free dry weight biomass		0,5	Kg/m²
Sample1	nple1 Occurrence2 Abundance		1020	Individuals/m2



Event

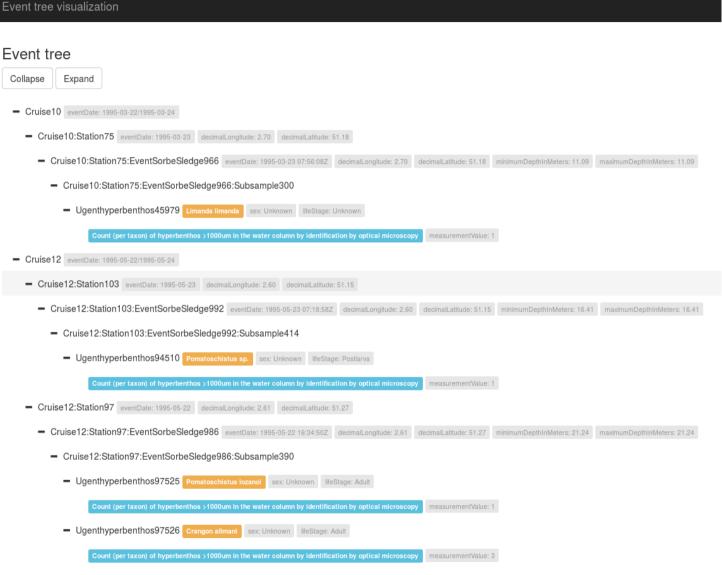
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Occurrence

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id occurrenceID measurementType measurementTypeID me measurementUnitID cruise65:Station556;EyentSea-Bird SBE09_9763 Dissolved ox /P01/current/DOXYZZXX 244 umol/kg http://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/



How to use OBIS



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The R packages

CONTACT

Explore OBIS Taxon search

Dataset sea

Enter taxon name Enter datas

Common name search Institute se

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News

6th OBIS Steering Group meeting, Okinawa, Japa

The 6th session of the IODE Steering Group for OBIS will The meeting is kindly hosted by the Japanese OBIS node I (GODAC). Important topics for discussion are (i) represent and data providers, (ii) agreement on a succession plan for the Color of the Co

The Portal



For making maps, we can use the OBIS:drs with woa layer, which will be faster than OBIS:points ex.

For example, to display all Pterois volitans (OBIS ID 501083) occurrences on top of the GEBCO and country base maps, we can do:

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http://www.iobis.org/geoserver/wms?SERVICE=WMS&VERSION=1.1.1&REQUEST=GetMap&FORMAT=image/png&SRS=EPSG:4326&LAYERS=OBIS:GEBCO,OBIS:country,OBIS:drs with woa&VIEWPARAMS=where:valid id=501083&BBOX=-180,-90,180,90&WIDTH=480&HBIGHT=256

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Visualizing gridded data

Species distributions

For plotting species distributions, we can to use the of

- where: filter on valid id or scientific
- table: one of dist_sp_5deg , dist_sp_1deg ,
- count_column: nincl (child taxa included) or 1

For example:

http://www.iobis.org/geoserver/wms?SERVIC try&VIEWPARAMS=where:valid id=501083;coun



OGC services

robis

build failing coverage 88%

R client for the OBIS API

Installation

install.packages("devtools")
devtools::install_github("iobis/robis")

Occurrence

Get occurrences by scientific name:

data <- occurrence("Abra alba")</pre>

Get occurrences by AphiaID:

data <- occurrence(aphiaid = 141433)

Restrict fields in result set:

data <- occurrence("Abra alba", fields = c("decimalLongitude", "decimalLatitude"))

Filter occurrences by QC flags:

data <- occurrence("Abra nitida", qc = c(22, 23))

The PORTAL

http://iobis.org



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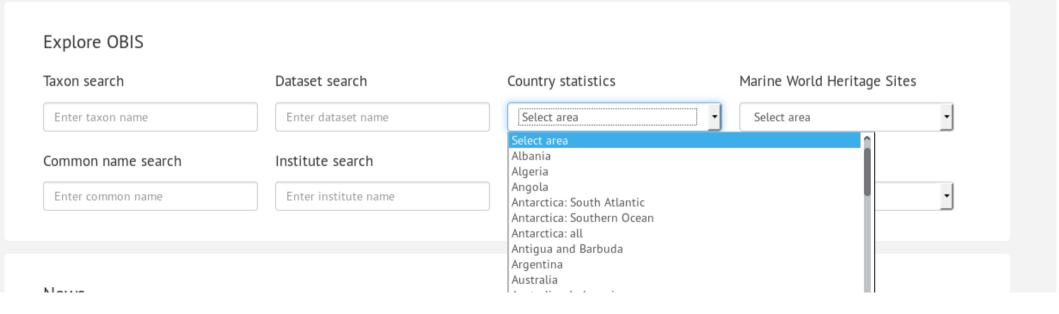
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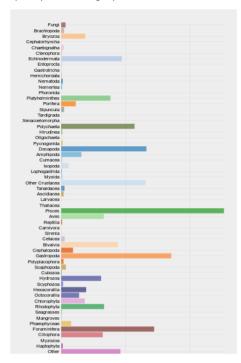


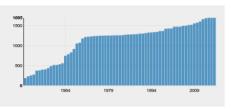
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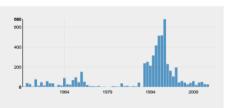
Overview

Records	85,254	1
Datasets	82	1
Contributing institutes	55	
Taxa	9,966	1
Species	8,901	
Red List species	1,067	1
Invasive species	58	
Harmful microalgae	0	
Only observed here	394	





Sampling events (1950 - present)



IUCN Red List species

Name	Group	Status	Records	Datasets
Thunnus albacares	Pisces	NT	4,612	4
Xiphias gladius	Pisces	LC	3,101	3
Coryphaena hippurus	Pisces	LC	1,095	4
Acanthocybium solandri	Pisces	LC	712	6
Rhincodon typus	Pisces	VU	628	6
Montastraea cavernosa	Hexacorallia	LC	486	3
Thunnus obesus	Pisces	VU	358	3
Caretta caretta	Reptilia	EN	353	13
Eretmochelys imbricata	Reptilia	CR	346	11
Colpophyllia natans	Hexacorallia	[LC]	307	4

Invasive species (from Global Invasive Species Database)

Name	Group	Records	Datasets
Chthamalus proteus	Other Crustacea	22	1
Pterois volitans	Pisces	17	1
Columba livia	Aves	12	1
Rangia cuneata	Bivalvia	9	1
Branta canadensis	Aves	9	1
Crepidula fornicata	Gastropoda	9	1
Anas platyrhynchos	Aves	9	1
Bubulcus ibis	Aves	9	1
Tubastraea coccinea	Hexacorallia	8	3
Alitta succinea	Polychaeta	7	2

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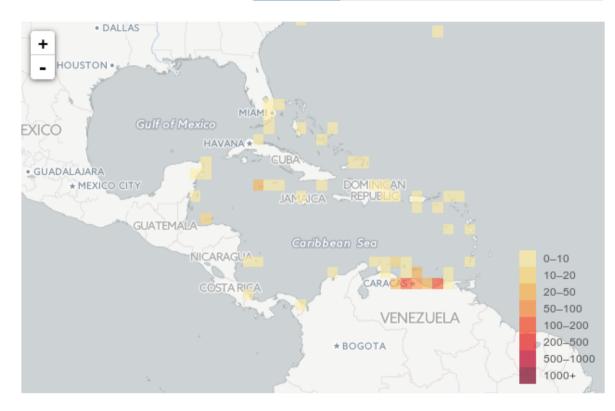
Records per area

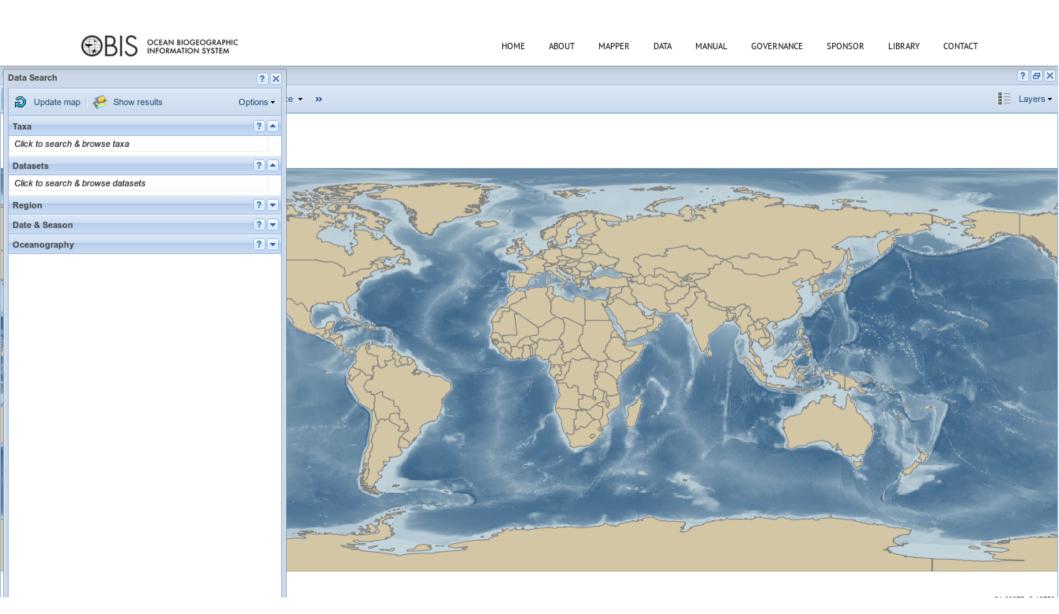
Area	Records	%	Since
Venezuela	484	32	2009
Australia	368	24	1882
Egypt: Red Sea	125	8	1928
Indonesia	63	4	1758
Philippines	32	2	2004
United Kingdom: Cayman Islands	25	2	2011
Maldives	23	2	2000
Dominican Republic	17	1	2009
Mexico: North Atlantic	17	1	2010
Honduras: North Atlantic	16	1	2010

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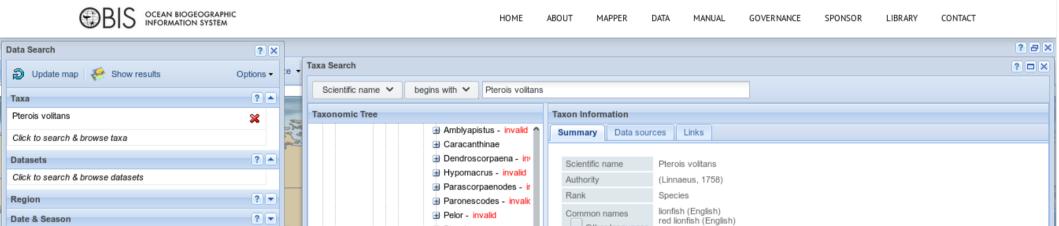








Oceanography



Other languages

Geographic coverage

Environmental Information

Sample depth 0 - 253

Bottom depth -2,290 - 4,935

Temperature 13.319 - 29.171 °C

0.050 - 24.969

1.546 - 5.122

0.026 - 1.636

0.523 - 37.951

32.185 - 40.360 PPS

Temporal coverage

#records this rank

OBIS Taxon ID

WoRMS AphiaID

ITIS TSN

Nitrate

Salinity

Oxygen

Silicate

Phosphate

turkeyfish (English)

1758-07-02 - 2014-11-18

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umol/l

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166883

1.642

Brachypterois

Dendrochirus

Pterois andover Pterois antennat

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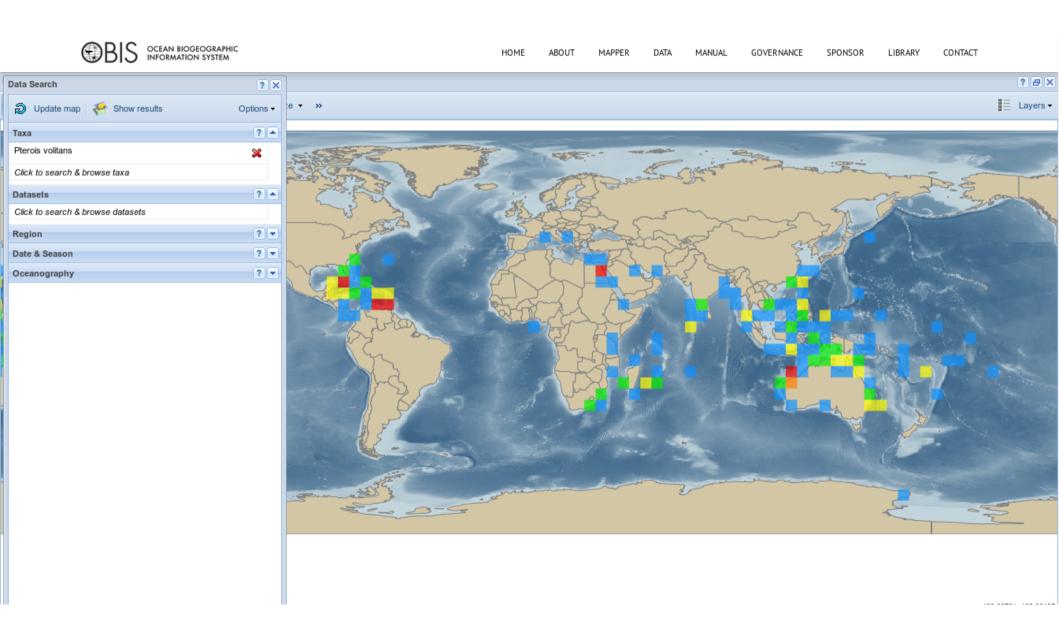
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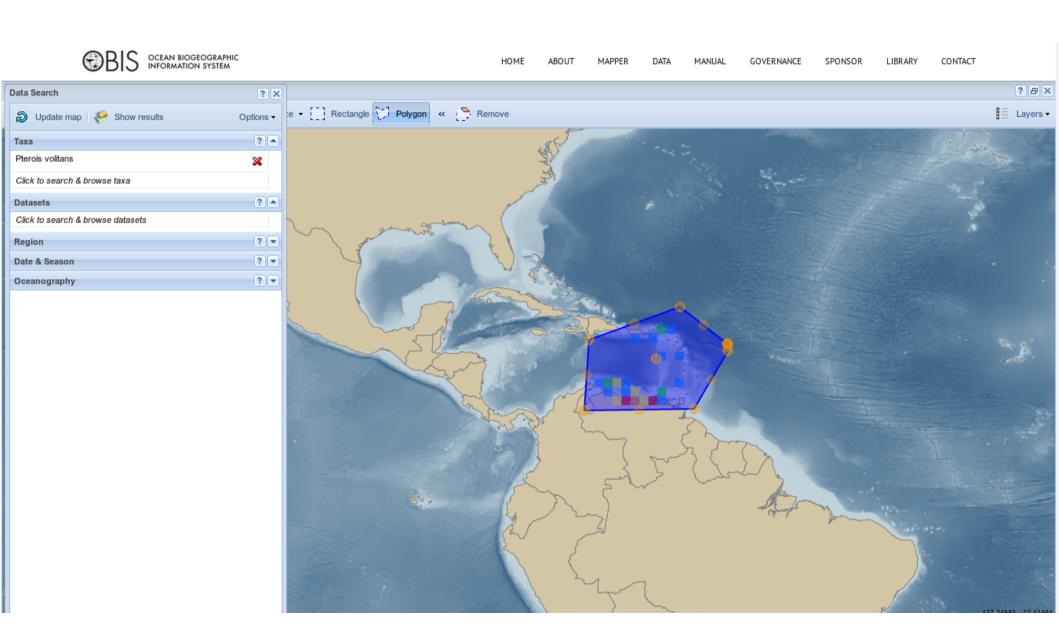


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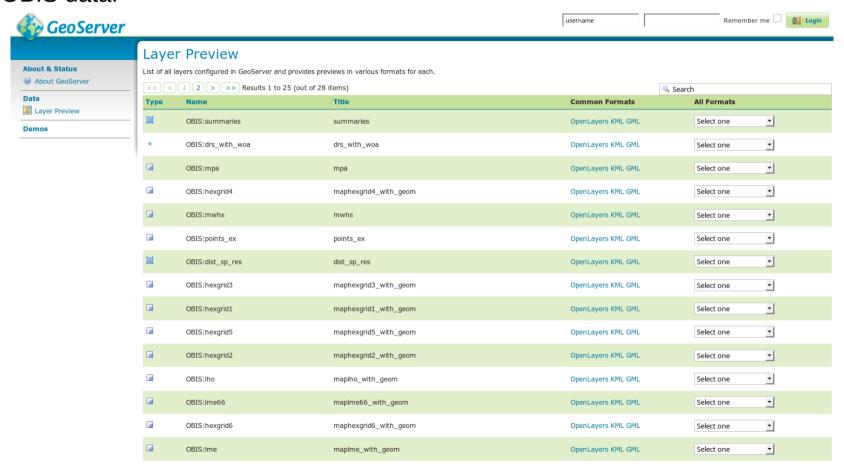
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OGC services

OBIS uses GeoServer to expose a number of tables or views as **WMS** (for raster data) or **WFS** (for vector data) services. These services can be used by third party applications such as desktop GIS applications or online maps to fetch OBIS data.

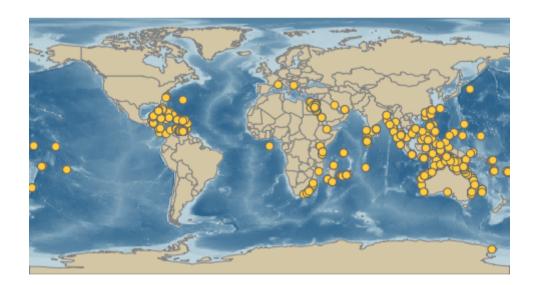


OGC services: WMS request

http://www.iobis.org/geoserver/wms?

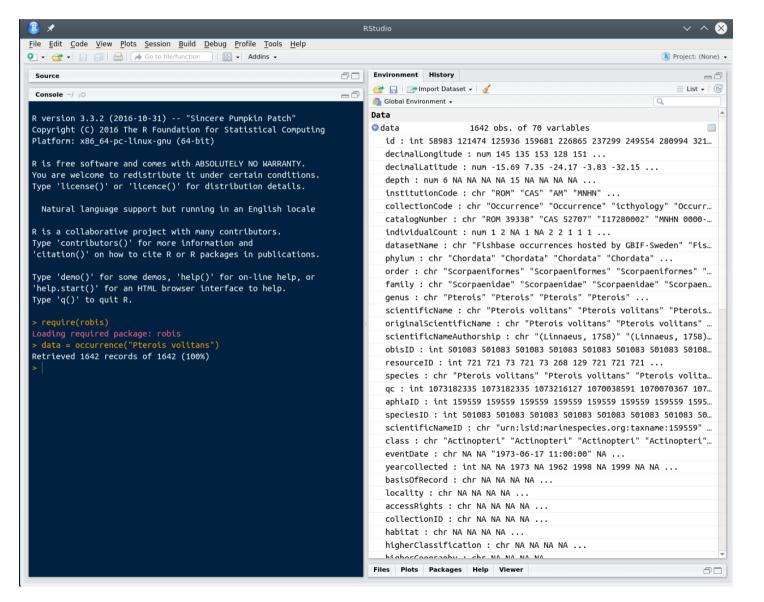
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OBIS id for Pterois volitans = 501083



More examples at http://iobis.org/manual/webservices/

https://github.com/iobis/robis



occurrence() checklist() leafletmap()

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```
checklist(scientificname = NULL, year = NULL, obisid = NULL,
aphiaid = NULL, resourceid = NULL, startdate = NULL, enddate = NULL,
startdepth = NULL, enddepth = NULL, geometry = NULL, qc = NULL,
verbose = FALSE)
```

```
occurrence(scientificname = NULL, year = NULL, obisid = NULL,
aphiaid = NULL, resourceid = NULL, nodeid = NULL, startdate = NULL,
enddate = NULL, startdepth = NULL, enddepth = NULL, geometry = NULL,
qc = NULL, fields = NULL, verbose = FALSE)
```

Geometry = WKT like POINT or POLYGON

Example: checklist for Venezuela EEZ (sensu marineregions.org)

```
require(mregions)
require(wellknown)
require(jsonlite)
require(robis)

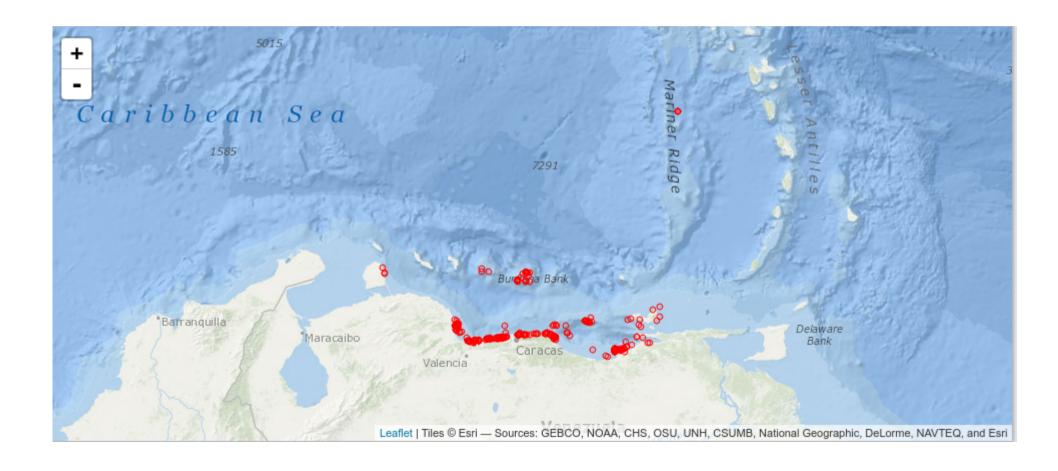
id = "eez.121"
print("Getting the geometry...")
jsonstr <- mr_features_get("MarineRegions:eez", id, format = "json", version = "1.0.0")
json <- fromJSON(jsonstr, simplifyVector = FALSE, simplifyDataFrame = FALSE)
wkt <- geojson2wkt(json$features[[1]]$geometry)
print("Getting the taxa checklist from OBIS...")
taxa <- checklist(geometry = wkt)</pre>
```

Example: checklist for Venezuela EEZ (sensu marineregions.org)

```
Retrieved 3011 records of 3011 (100%)
> str(taxa)
'data.frame':
               3011 obs. of 19 variables:
           : int 501 395650 395657 395746 395747 395815 395911 396140 396851 396957 ...
 s id
$ valid id : int 501 395650 395657 395746 395747 395815 395911 396140 396851 396957 ...
$ parent id: int 812157 748828 774929 695236 695236 395814 769048 771138 396867 695290 ...
$ rank name: chr "Species" "Genus" "Species" "Species" ...
$ tname
           : chr "Metula (Agassitula) guppyi" "Acanella" "Acanthacaris caeca" "Acanthephyra acanthitelson
is" ...
$ tauthor : chr "Olsson & Bayer, 1972" "Gray, 1870" "A. Milne-Edwards, 1881" "Spence Bate, 1888" ...
 $ worms id : int 491115 125303 293250 240809 158347 158044 127014 151210 137616 104644 ...
$ records : int 1 6 6 4 2 1 39 36 16 1 ...
$ datasets : int 1211112121...
$ phylum : chr "Mollusca" "Cnidaria" "Arthropoda" "Arthropoda" ...
S order
           : chr "Neogastropoda" "Alcyonacea" "Decapoda" "Decapoda" ...
 $ family : chr "Buccinidae" "Isididae" "Nephropidae" "Acanthephyridae" ...
           : chr "Metula" "Acanella" "Acanthacaris" "Acanthephyra" ...
 $ genus
 $ species : chr "Metula (Agassitula) guppyi" NA "Acanthacaris caeca" "Acanthephyra acanthitelsonis" ...
$ class
           : chr "Gastropoda" "Anthozoa" "Malacostraca" "Malacostraca" ...
$ redlist : logi NA NA TRUE NA NA NA ...
           : chr NA NA "LC" NA ...
$ status
$ gisd
           : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
           : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
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```

Example: map of the Lion Fish occurences in Venezuela

```
> lionfish = occurrence("Pterois volitans", geometry=wkt)
Retrieved 395 records of 395 (100%)
> leafletmap(lionfish)
```



Example: map of the Lion Fish occurences in Venezuela

```
lionfish
                             395 obs. of 41 variables
  id : int 367718400 367719401 367719851 367719853 367720922 391040178 391040179 391040180
  decimalLongitude : num -64.5 -66.8 -67.9 -67.9 -65.3 ...
  decimalLatitude : num 10.5 10.6 10.5 10.5 11 ...
  depth : num 18.5 3 6 6 5 NA NA NA 22 14 ...
  basisOfRecord : chr "Occurrence" "Occurrence" "Occurrence" "Occurrence" ...
  eventDate : chr "2014-04-26 10:00:00" "2013-02-24 11:00:00" "2014-01-11 11:00:00" "2014-0
  institutionCode : chr "Diveboard" "Diveboard" "Diveboard" ...
  collectionCode : chr "Diveboard" "Diveboard" "Diveboard" "Diveboard" ...
  catalogNumber : chr "diveboard:130572 212303 0" "diveboard:122580 212303 0" "diveboard:12
  locality : chr "Isla El Mono, Parque Nacional Mochima" "El Velero, Caraballeda" "Isla Lar
  datasetName : chr "Diveboard - Scuba diving citizen science observations" "Diveboard - Sc
  phvlum : chr "Chordata" "Chordata" "Chordata" "Chordata" ...
  order: chr "Scorpaeniformes" "Scorpaeniformes" "Scorpaeniformes" ...
  family : chr "Scorpaenidae" "Scorpaenidae" "Scorpaenidae" ...
  genus : chr "Pterois" "Pterois" "Pterois" ...
  scientificName : chr "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans" "Pterois vo
  originalScientificName : chr "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans" "Pt
  scientificNameAuthorship: chr "(Linnaeus, 1758)" "(Linnaeus, 1758)" "(Linnaeus, 1758)" "(
  obisID : int 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 ...
  resourceID : int 3422 3422 3422 3422 3422 3207 3207 3207 3207 ...
  yearcollected : int 2014 2013 2014 2014 2013 2009 2009 2009 2009 2010 ...
  species : chr "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans" "Pterois volitans"
  gc : int 1070070911 1073216639 1073216639 1073216639 1073216639 1073217151 1073217151 107
  aphiaID : int 159559 159559 159559 159559 159559 159559 159559 159559 159559 ...
  speciesID: int 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 501083 ...
  minimumDepthInMeters : num 0 0 0 0 0 NA NA NA 22 14 ...
  maximumDepthInMeters : num 37 6 12 12 10 NA NA NA 22 14 ...
  continent : chr "isla el mono" "el velero" "Isla Larga" "Isla Larga" ...
  datasetID : chr "IMIS:dasid:4542" "IMIS:dasid:4542" "IMIS:dasid:4542" "IMIS:dasid:4542" .
  eventTime : chr "02:00:00" "02:00:00" "10:00:00" "10:00:00" ...
  modified : chr "2014-11-27 15:38:23" "2014-11-27 15:38:23" "2014-11-27 15:38:23" "2014-11
  occurrenceID : chr "diveboard:130572 212303 0" "diveboard:122580 212303 0" "diveboard:120
  recordedBy : chr "Antonio Enrique Dugarte Guedez" "Antonio Enrique Dugarte Guedez" "Carlo
  references: chr "http://www.diveboard.com/antonio-enrique-dugarte-guedez/D4ZmXxp" "http:
```

Obistools: under development

Off-line tools

Taxon matching
Check required fields
Plot points on a map
Identify points on a map
Check points on land

Check eventID and parentEventID

Check eventID in an extension

Flatten event records

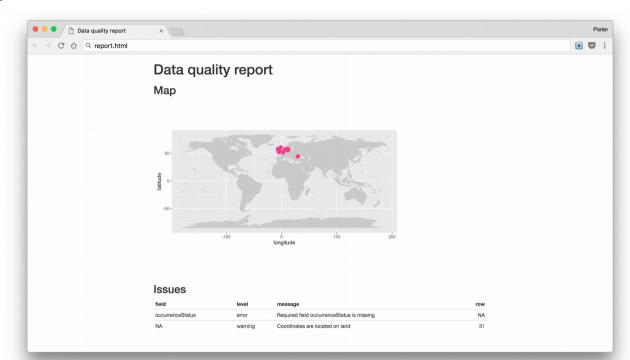
Flatten occurrence and event records

Calculate centroid and radius for WKT geometries

Map column names to Darwin Core terms

Check eventDate

Data quality report



Expose ENV data.

Have very recent records

Handle high traffic of queries

More sophisticated visualizations

Expose ENV data.

- a) Now we're harvesting ENV data. New OBIS 2.0 will expose the ENV to the API
- b) New IODE project to involve programs with ENV-like data to test the system and provide insights of tools/indicators/visualizations

Have very recent records

Handle high traffic of queries

More sophisticated visualizations

Expose ENV data.

Have very recent records.

- a) new harvester. Data will be in OBIS central few moments after it was uploaded into node's IPT.
- b) New allainces. Many programs that are collecting biodiv info that are not aware of OBIS capabilities

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Expose ENV data.

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- a) OBIS 2.0. New architecture.
- b) Distributed cloud services

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Partnership with other programs/projects. Joint development of tools and visualizations

Expose ENV data.

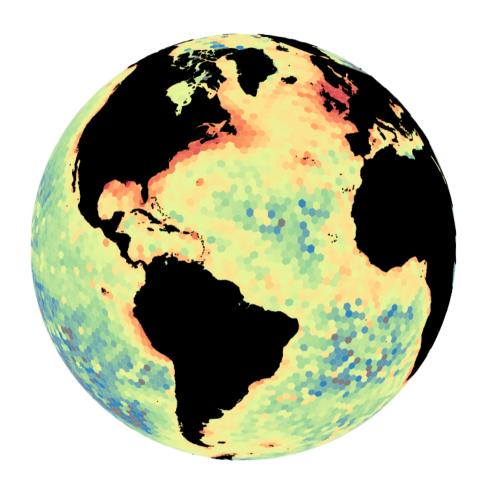
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DOI, private datasets...

OBIS 2.0, new architecture, quarantine on data sets



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Thank you!