

HARMONIZING GLIDER DATA ACCESS WITH ERDDAP

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TrajectoryProfile feature type

- no defined trajectory or profile ids



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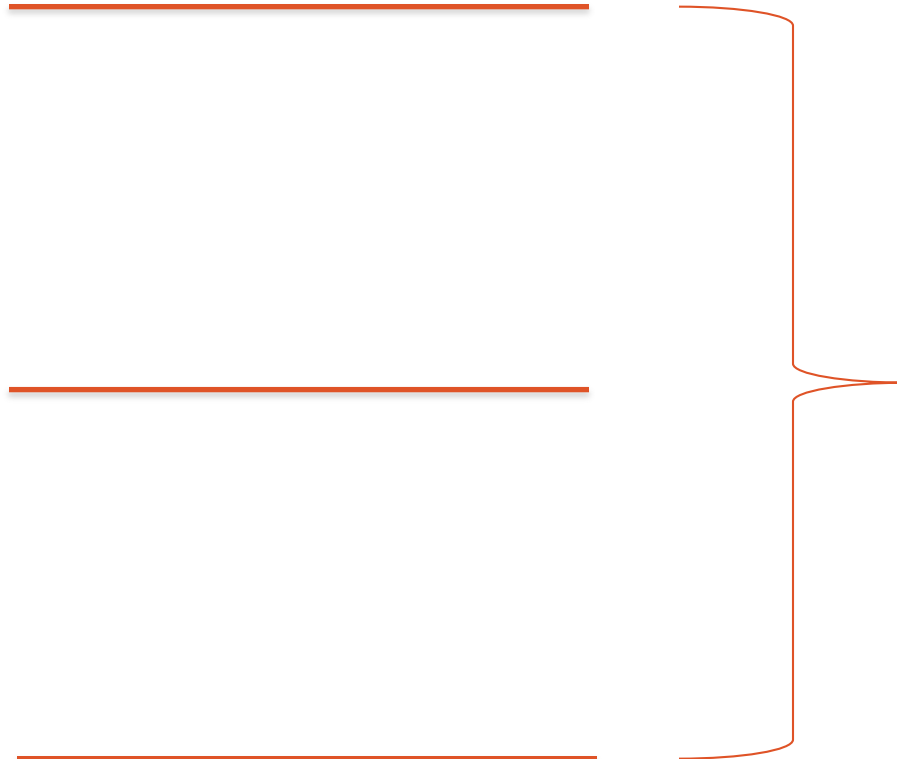
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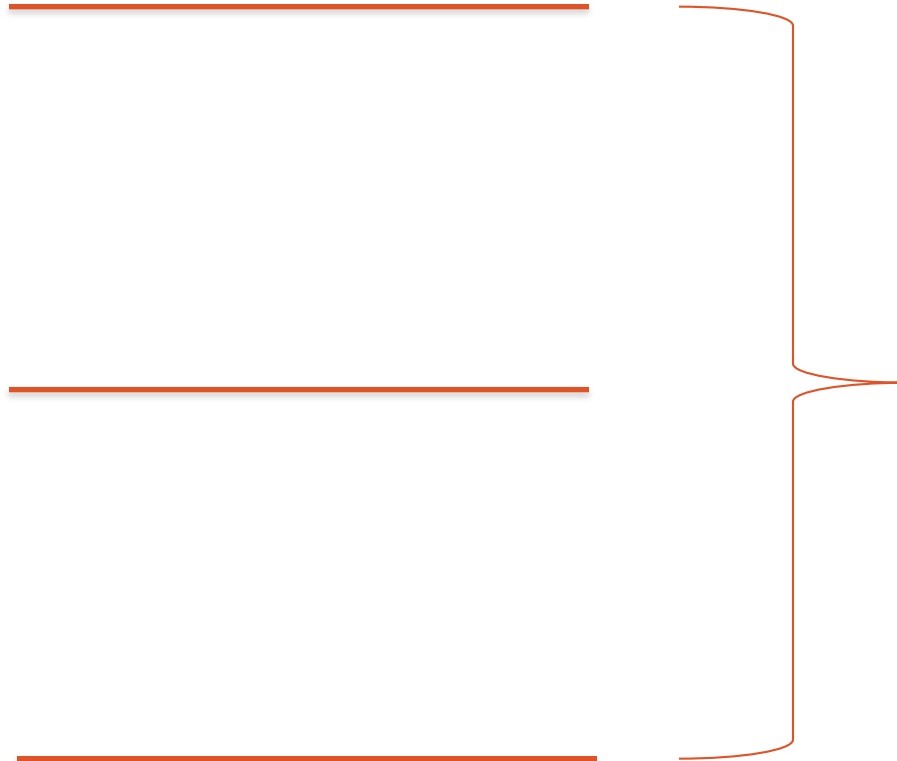
- Use ERDDAP to provide access to "collection"

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Three different formats potentially mean the user will have to develop two or three different means of converting data in order to use with their favorite client

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Until the “blessed” Ocean Glider data format is implemented by all, how to provide a more uniform access for users?

ERDDAP

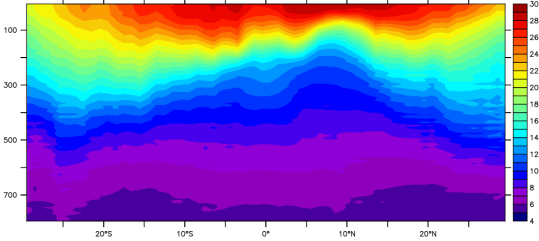
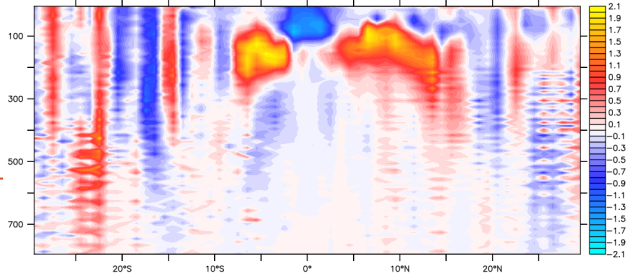
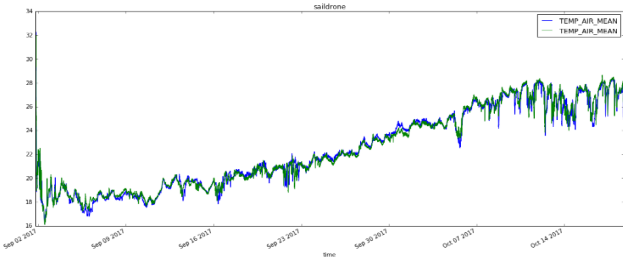
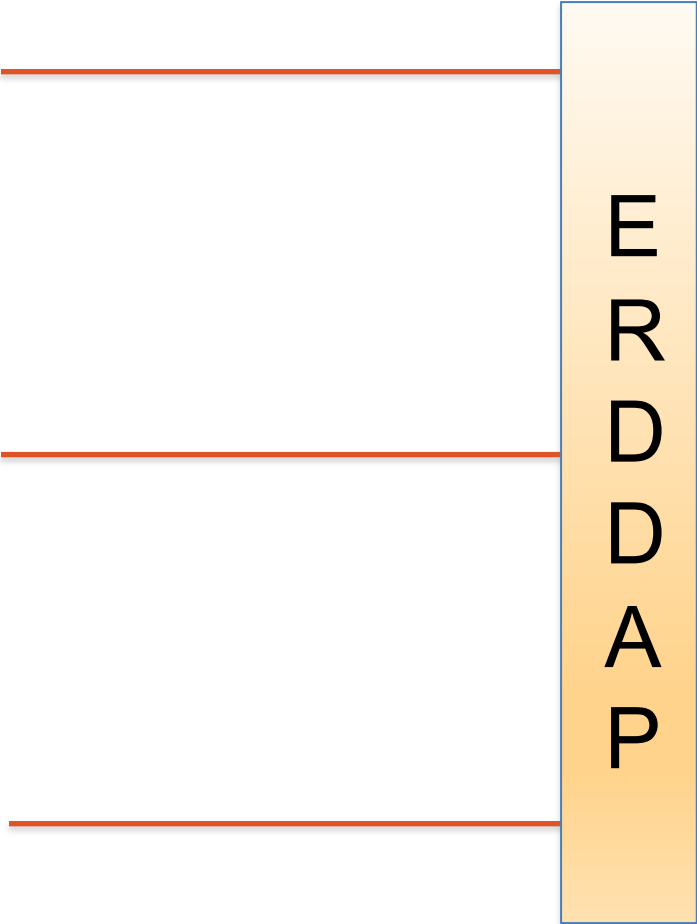
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- ERDDAP is a data platform that brokers between data producers and data users
- ERDDAP is free/open source software that is widely used in the international community
- Benefits for providers
 - Provides data to users in many different formats
 - Supports Machine-to-Machine services
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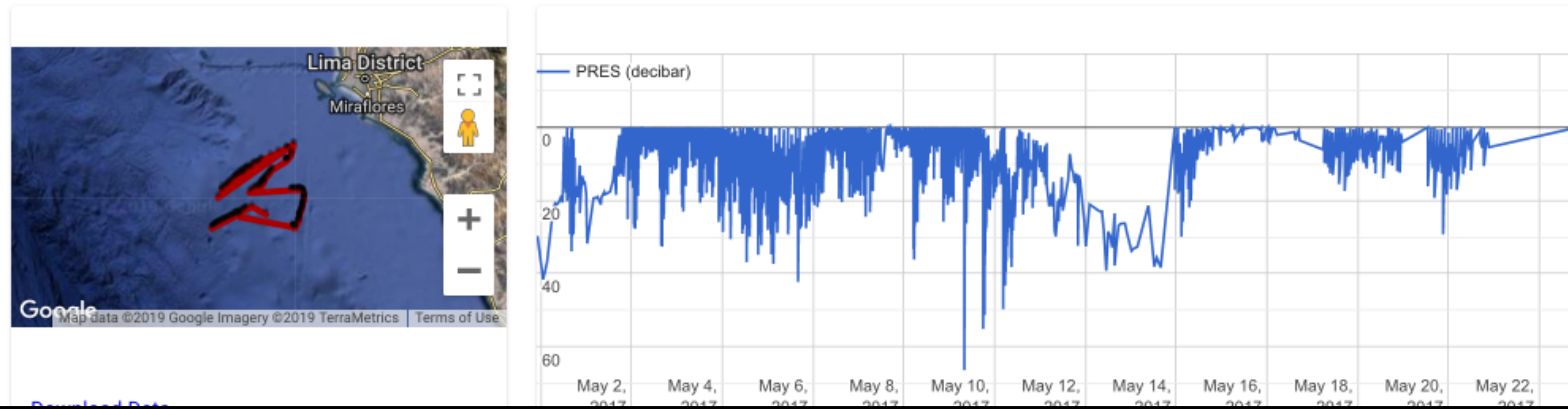
ERDDAP > List of All Datasets

12 matching datasets, listed in alphabetical order.

Grid DAP Data	Sub-set	Table DAP Data	Make A Graph	W M S	Source Data Files	Title	Summary	FGDC, ISO, Metadata	Back-ground Info	RSS	E mail	Institution	Dataset ID
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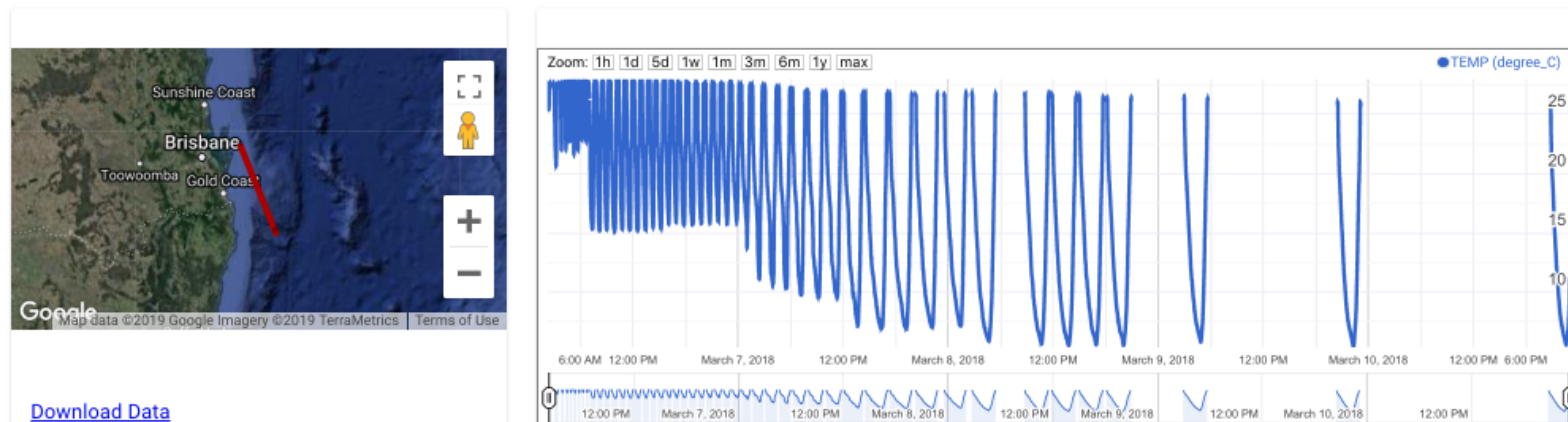
The information in the table above is also available in other file formats (.csv, .htmlTable, .itx, .json, .jsonlCSV, .jsonlKVP, .mat, .nc, .nccsv, .tsv, .xhtml) [via a RESTful web service](#).

EGO IFM03



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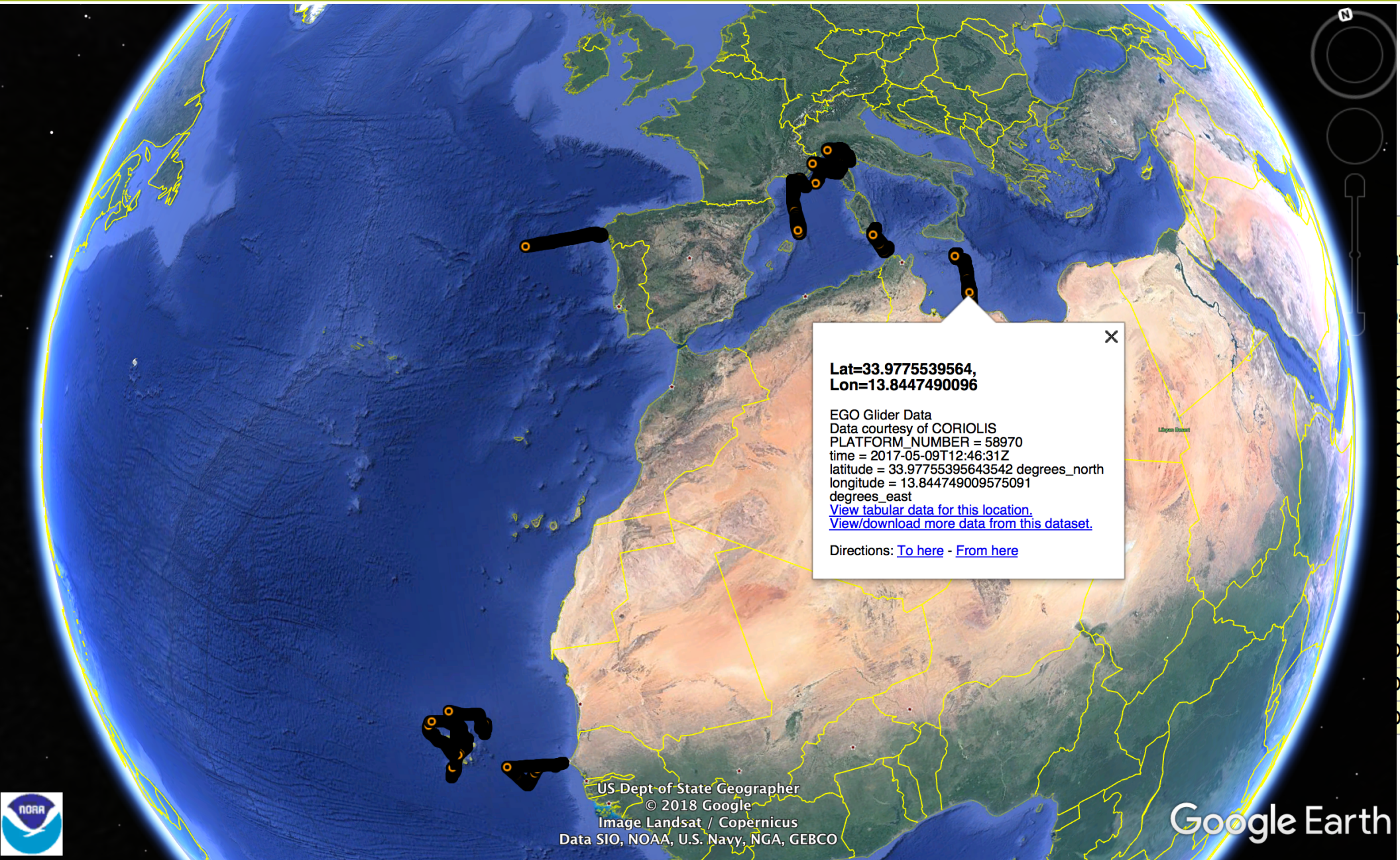


Dataset
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Information

Variable

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☐ HAND
☐ REFERENCE
☐ DATE
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☐ PLATFORM
☐ PROJECT
☐ PI_NAME
☐ CYCLE
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☐ DATA
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Dataset ID

Datasets

O_ifm03

O_ifm07

O_ifm08

O_ifm09

O_ifm12

O_ifm13

O_ifm14

OS_sg540

OS_sg516

OS_sg152

OS_sg154

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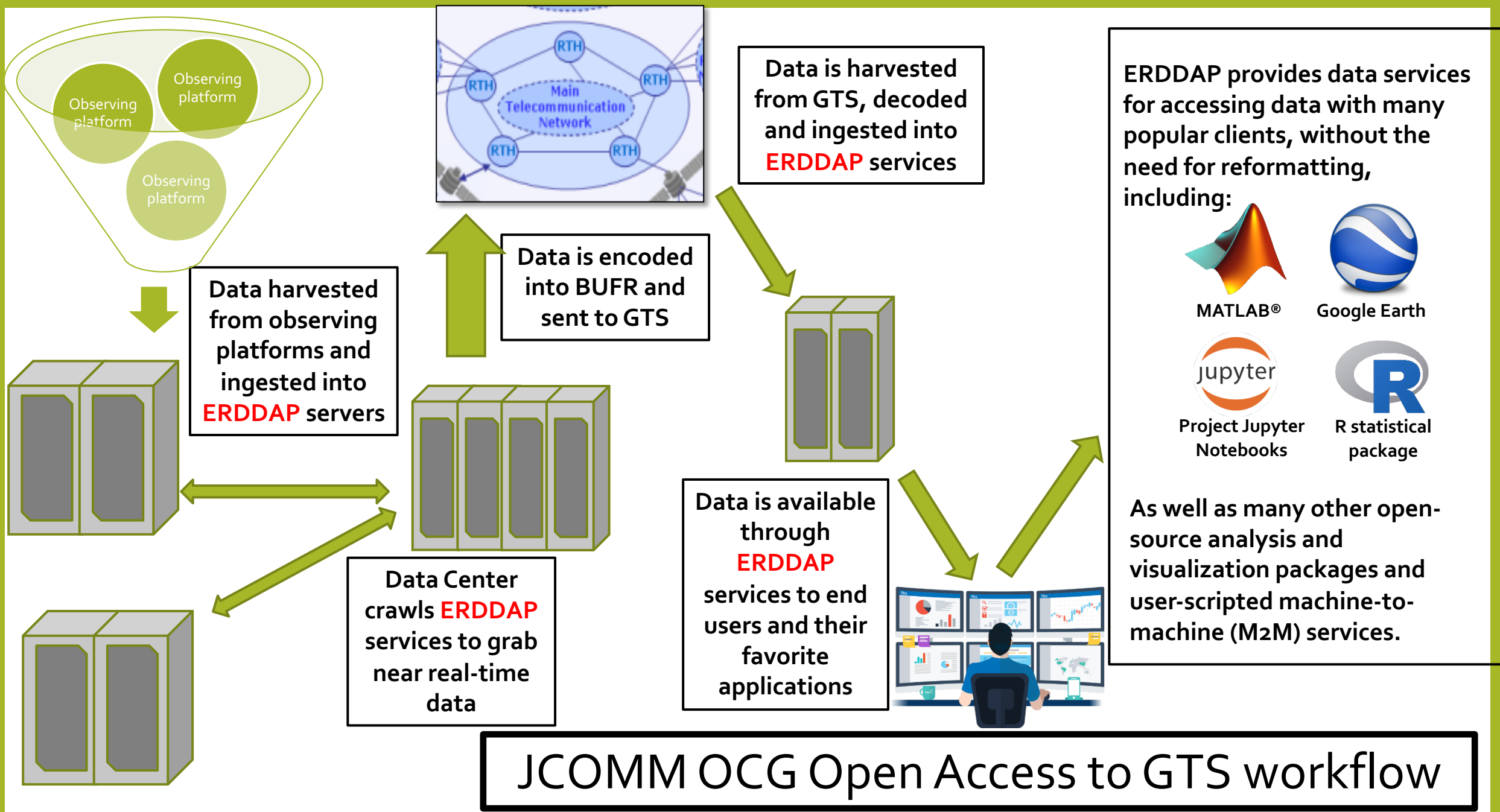


JCOMM OCG is working to improve data interoperability and integration between and within the various observing networks in support of GOOS ECV/EOV/EBV

ERDDAP is the JCOMM OCG recommended data platform

ERDDAP can help harmonize glider data access currently, but will continue to provide benefits to users after implementation of single format





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Thank you!

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