



Towards Interoperable Ocean Observations: Demonstrating Cross-Infrastructure Integration in the South Adriatic

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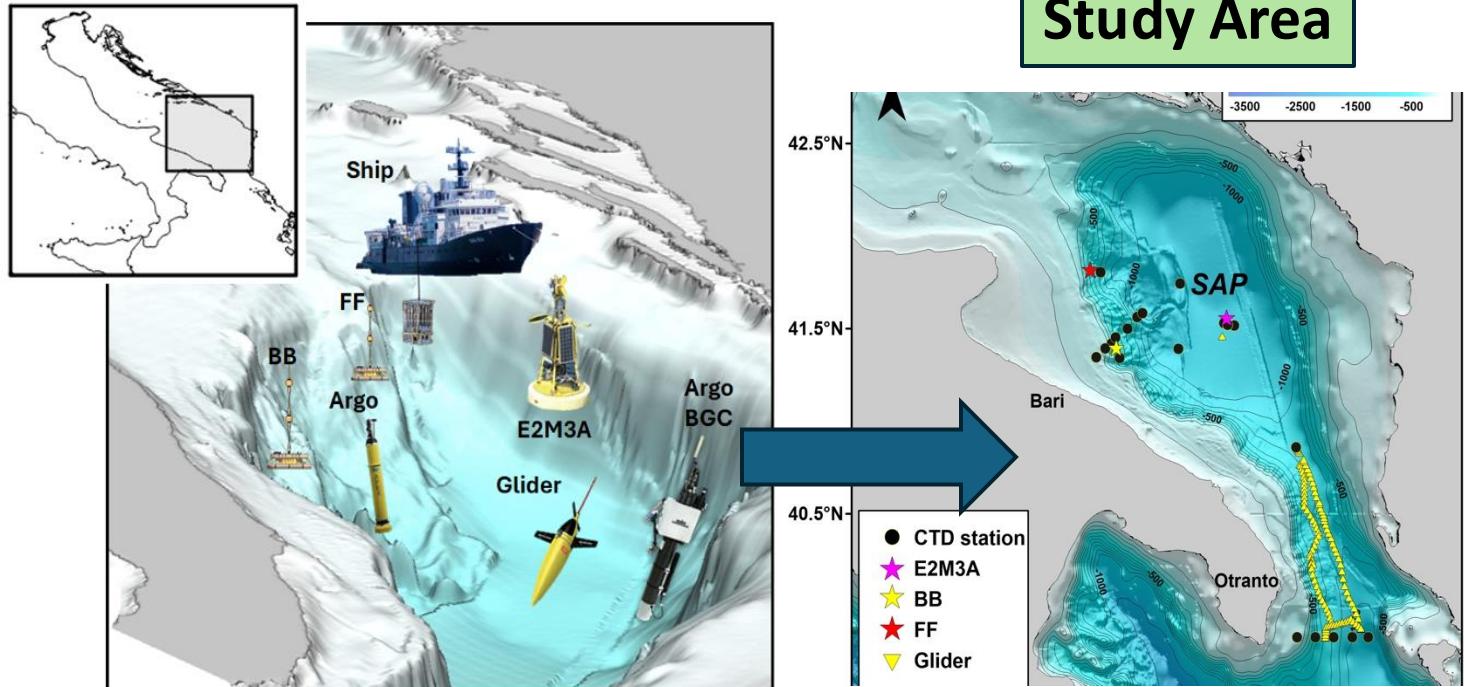
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Study Area

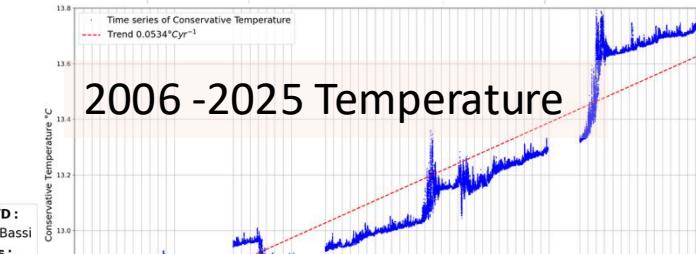
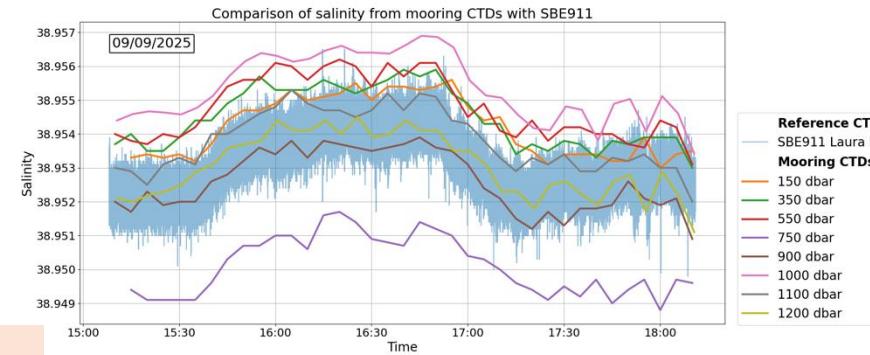
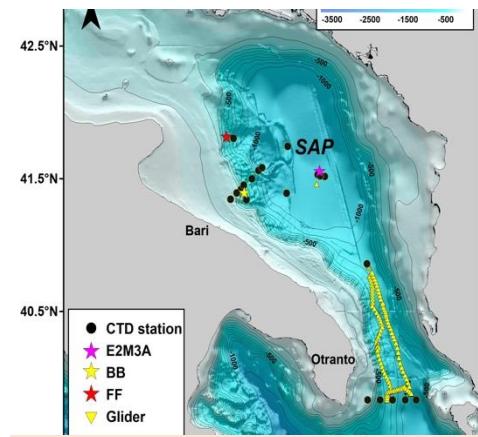
Activities

- **Glider** Deployment and recovery
- Surface Velocity Program Barometer (SVPB) drifter deployment
- **Biogeochemical Argo – Float** deployment
- **EMSO-SA** – site maintenance
 - E2M3A-B buoy deployment
 - Recovery, service and re-deployment of the E2M3A-M deep mooring
 - Calibration and cross validation CTD
- **Fix stations (CTDs + sampling):**
 - Otranto Strait transect
 - Bari – Dubrovnik transect
 - Floats, drifters and glider calibration

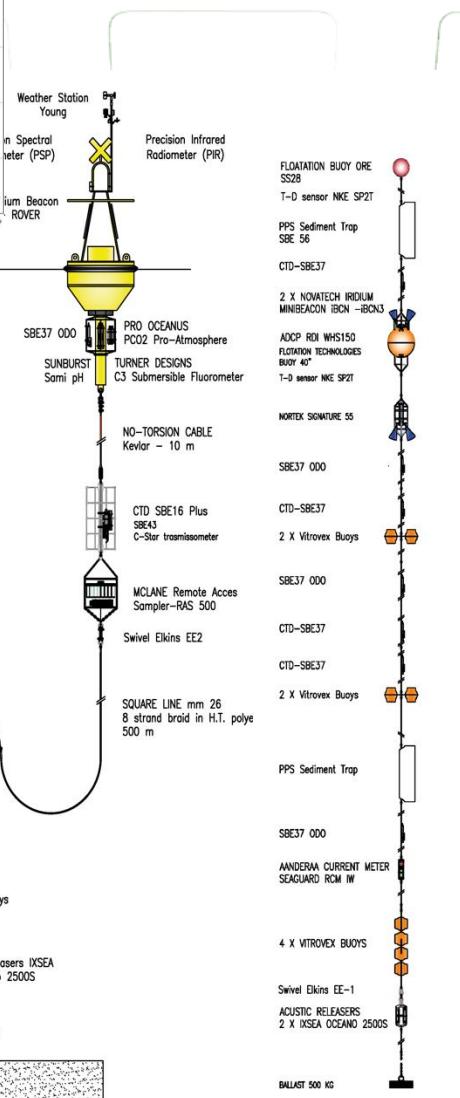
Cross - Validation Platforms

- Ionian Sea
- Otranto Strait
- South Adriatic

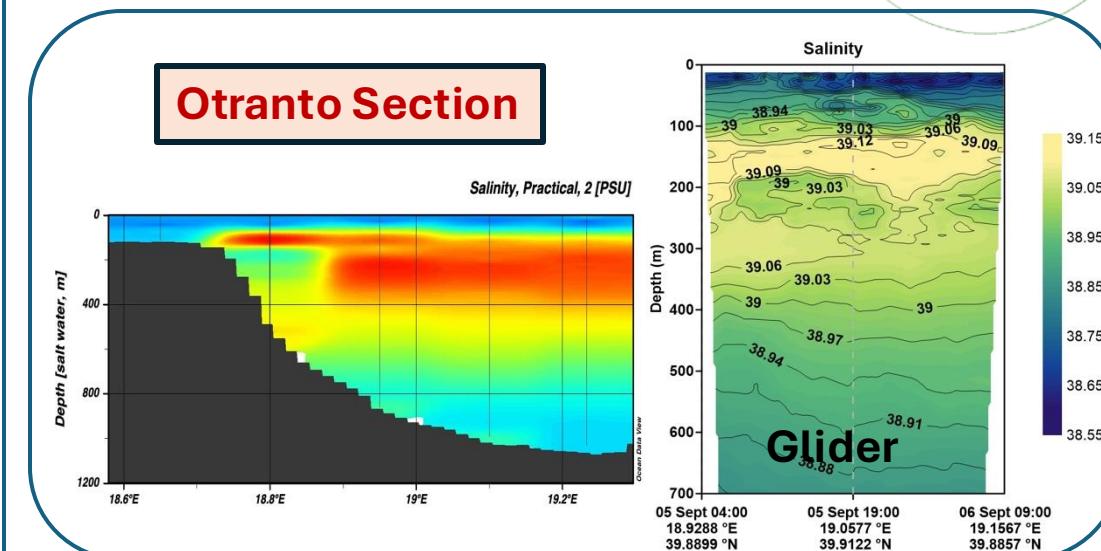
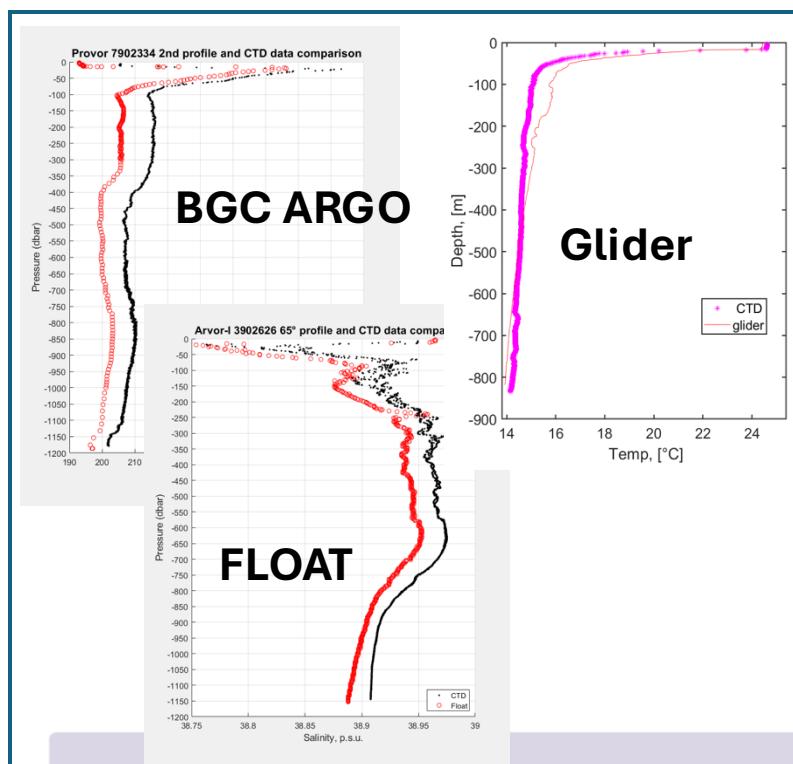
Cross- Calibration



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Cross – Infrastructures intercomparison





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