

DATA DOCUMENTATION FORM

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 O.M.B. No. 41-R2651

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THIS MATERIAL IS A PART OF THE DATA/  
 DOCUMENTATION OF THE MODE-1 DATA SET.  
 DO NOT REMOVE, DISPOSE OF, OR GIVE  
 THIS MATERIAL AWAY WITHOUT THE PRIOR  
 APPROVAL OF THE NODC DATA SERVICES  
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## A. ORIGINATOR IDENTIFICATION

THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY DONOR FOR ALL DATA TRANSMITTALS

1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INSTITUTION, LABORATORY, OR ACTIVITY WITH WHICH SUBMITTED DATA ARE ASSOCIATED

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution  
 Woods Hole MA 02543

2. EXPEDITION, PROJECT, OR PROGRAM DURING WHICH DATA WERE COLLECTED

POLYMODE  
 ARRAY 1

3. CRUISE NUMBER(S) USED BY ORIGINATOR TO IDENTIFY DATA IN THIS SHIPMENT

Cruise numbers not used for data identification

4. PLATFORM NAME(S)

Data identified by  
 mooring number

5. PLATFORM TYPE(S)  
 (E.G., SHIP, BUOY, ETC.)

Mooring

6. PLATFORM AND OPERATOR NATIONALITY(IES)

U.S.

7. DATES

FROM: MO/DAY/YR TO: MO/DAY/YR

U.S.

8. ARE DATA PROPRIETARY?

NO  YES

IF YES, WHEN CAN THEY BE RELEASED FOR GENERAL USE? YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ MONTH \_\_\_\_\_

9. ARE DATA DECLARED NATIONAL PROGRAM (DNP)?

(I.E., SHOULD THEY BE INCLUDED IN WORLD DATA CENTERS HOLDINGS FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE?)

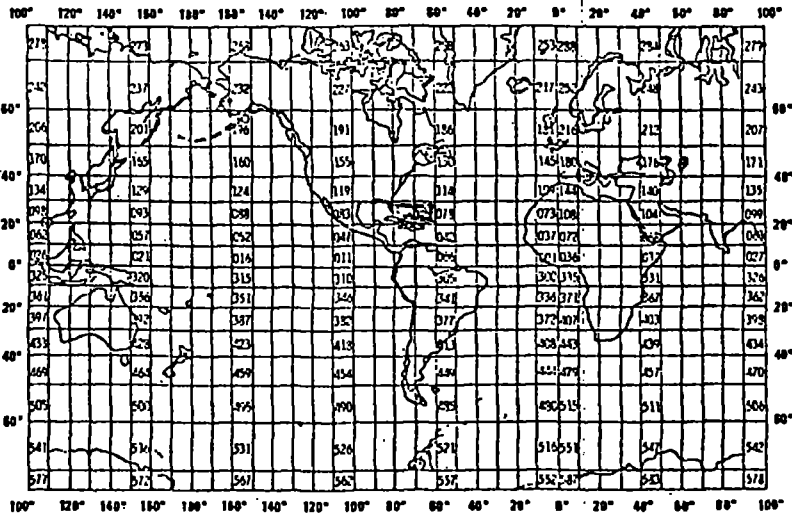
NO  YES  PART (SPECIFY BELOW)

10. PERSON TO WHOM INQUIRIES CONCERNING DATA SHOULD BE ADDRESSED WITH TELEPHONE NUMBER (AND ADDRESS IF OTHER THAN IN ITEM-1)

Richard E. Payne  
 (617) 548-1400 ext. 531

11. PLEASE DARKEN ALL MARSDEN SQUARES IN WHICH ANY DATA CONTAINED IN YOUR SUBMISSION WERE COLLECTED.

GENERAL AREA



**B. SCIENTIFIC CONTENT**

NAME OF DATA FIELD	REPORTING UNITS OR CODE	METHODS OF OBSERVATION AND INSTRUMENTS USED (SPECIFY TYPE AND MODEL)	ANALYTICAL METHODS (INCLUDING MODIFICATIONS) AND LABORATORY PROCEDURES	DATA PROCESSING TECHNIQUES WITH FILTERING AND AVERAGING
<p>NOTE IDENTIFICATION LABEL FOR EACH</p> <p>East component</p> <p>North component</p> <p>Direction</p> <p>Speed</p> <p>Time</p> <p>Temperature</p>	<p>mm/sec</p> <p>mm/sec</p> <p>128 level binary</p> <p>mm/sec</p> <p>milliseconds</p> <p>Deg. C</p>	<p>CURRENT METER RECORD</p> <p>Instrument</p> <p>Manufacturer</p> <p>Code</p> <p>02 = EG&amp;G Model 850</p> <p>10 = AMF Vector Averaging (VACM)</p>	<p>Instrument modified to improve reliability</p> <p>Change manufacturers' accuracy specifications on sensors</p>	<p>Vector averaged</p>

### C. DATA FORMAT

COMPLETE THIS SECTION FOR PUNCHED CARDS OR TAPE, MAGNETIC TAPE, OR DISC SUBMISSIONS.

LIST RECORD TYPES CONTAINED IN THE TRANSMITTAL OF YOUR FILE  
GIVE METHOD OF IDENTIFYING EACH RECORD TYPE

Current Meter Data Only

GIVE BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FILE ORGANIZATION

GATE Format

ATTRIBUTES AS EXPRESSED IN  PL-1  ALGOL  COBOL  
 FORTRAN  \_\_\_\_\_ LANGUAGE

RESPONSIBLE COMPUTER SPECIALIST:

NAME AND PHONE NUMBER John Maltais (617) 548-1400 ext. 535  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF DATA ARE ON MAGNETIC TAPE

<p>6. RECORDING MODE <input type="checkbox"/> BCD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BINARY <input type="checkbox"/> ASCII <input type="checkbox"/> EBCDIC <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>9. LENGTH OF INTER-RECORD GAP (IF KNOWN) <input type="checkbox"/> 3/4 INCH. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>0.5-0.6 inch</u></p>
<p>7. NUMBER OF TRACKS (CHANNELS) <input type="checkbox"/> SEVEN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NINE <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>10. END OF FILE MARK <input type="checkbox"/> OCTAL 17 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>IBM standard</u></p>
<p>8. PARITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ODD <input type="checkbox"/> EVEN</p>	<p>11. PASTE-ON-PAPER LABEL DESCRIPTION (INCLUDE ORIGINATOR NAME AND SOME LAY SPECIFICATIONS OF DATA TYPE, VOLUME NUMBER) <u>CD20, CD21 NODE # 9499 = CD20</u> <u>9520 = CD21</u> <u>BUOY GROUP</u> <u>WOODS HOLE OCEAN INST.</u> <u>CURRENT METER DATA</u> <u>POLYMODE ARRAY 1</u></p>
<p>12. DENSITY <input type="checkbox"/> 200 BPI <input type="checkbox"/> 1600 BPI <input type="checkbox"/> 556 BPI <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 800 BPI <input type="checkbox"/> _____</p>	<p>12. PHYSICAL BLOCK LENGTH IN BYTES <u>Variable, never more than 2,048</u></p>
	<p>13. LENGTH OF BYTES IN BITS <u>8 bits/byte</u></p>

RECORD FORMAT DESCRIPTION

RECORD NAME \_\_\_\_\_

14. FIELD NAME	15. POSITION FROM -1 MEASURED IN (e.g. bits, bytes)	16. LENGTH		17. ATTRIBUTES	18. USE AND MEANING
		NUMBER	UNITS		
					<p>Not constant. Can be slightly different for different current meter records. Check individual record labels.</p>

### D. INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

This calibration information will be utilized by NOAA's National Oceanographic Instrumentation Center in their efforts to develop calibration standards for voluntary acceptance by the oceanographic community. Identify the instruments used by your organization to obtain the scientific content of the DDF (i.e., STD, temperature and pressure sensors, salinometers, oxygen meters, velocimeters, etc.) and furnish the calibration data requested by completing and/or checking ("✓") the appropriate spaces. Add the interval time (i.e., 3 months, 6 months, 9 months, etc.) if the fixed interval calibration cycle is checked.

INSTRUMENT TYPE (MFR., MODEL NO.)	DATE OF LAST CALIBRATION	INSTRUMENT WAS CALIBRATED BY		CHECK ONE: INSTRUMENT IS CALIBRATED					INSTRUMENT IS NOT CALI- BRATED
		YOUR ORGANIZATION (✓)	OTHER ORGANIZATION (GIVE NAME)	AT FIXED INTERVALS (✓)	BEFORE OR AFTER USE (✓)	BEFORE AND AFTER USE (✓)	ONLY AFTER REPAIR (✓)	ONLY WHEN NEW (✓)	
current meter rotors	Not individually calibrated								
		X			X				