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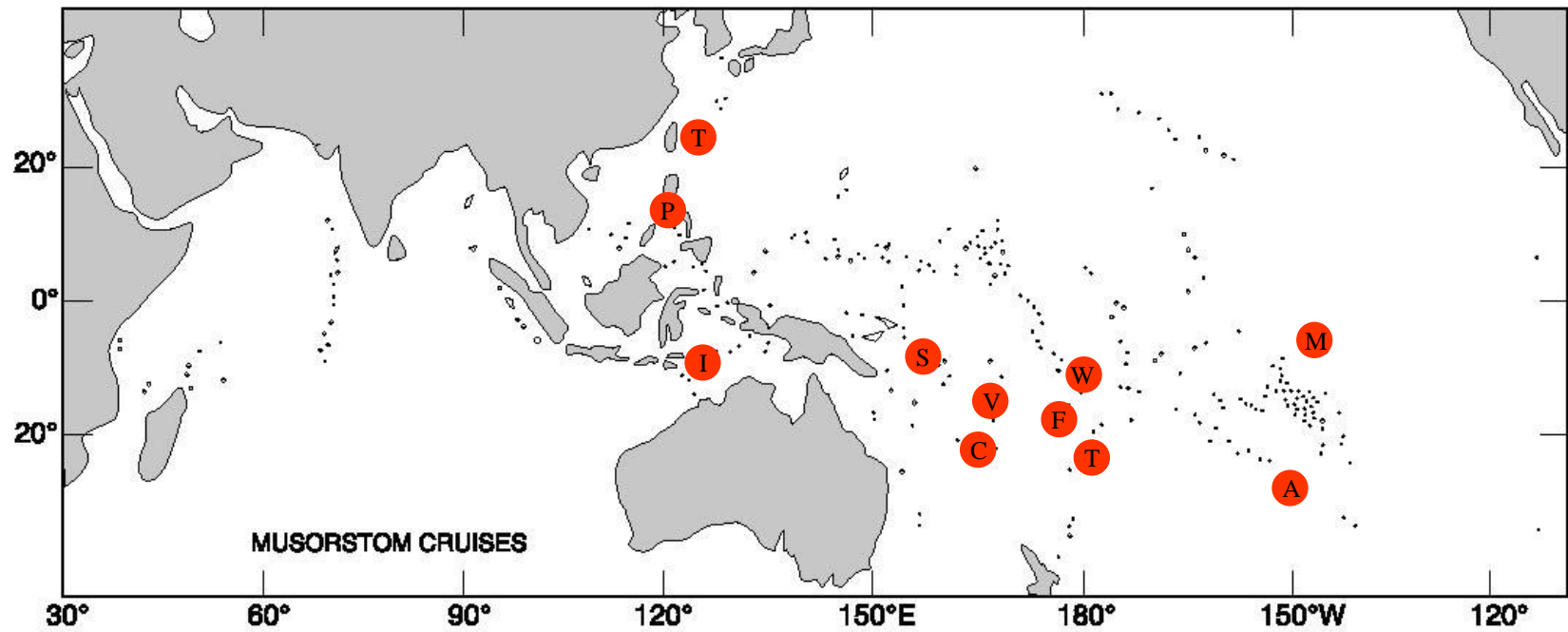
SURFACE OF THE EARTH

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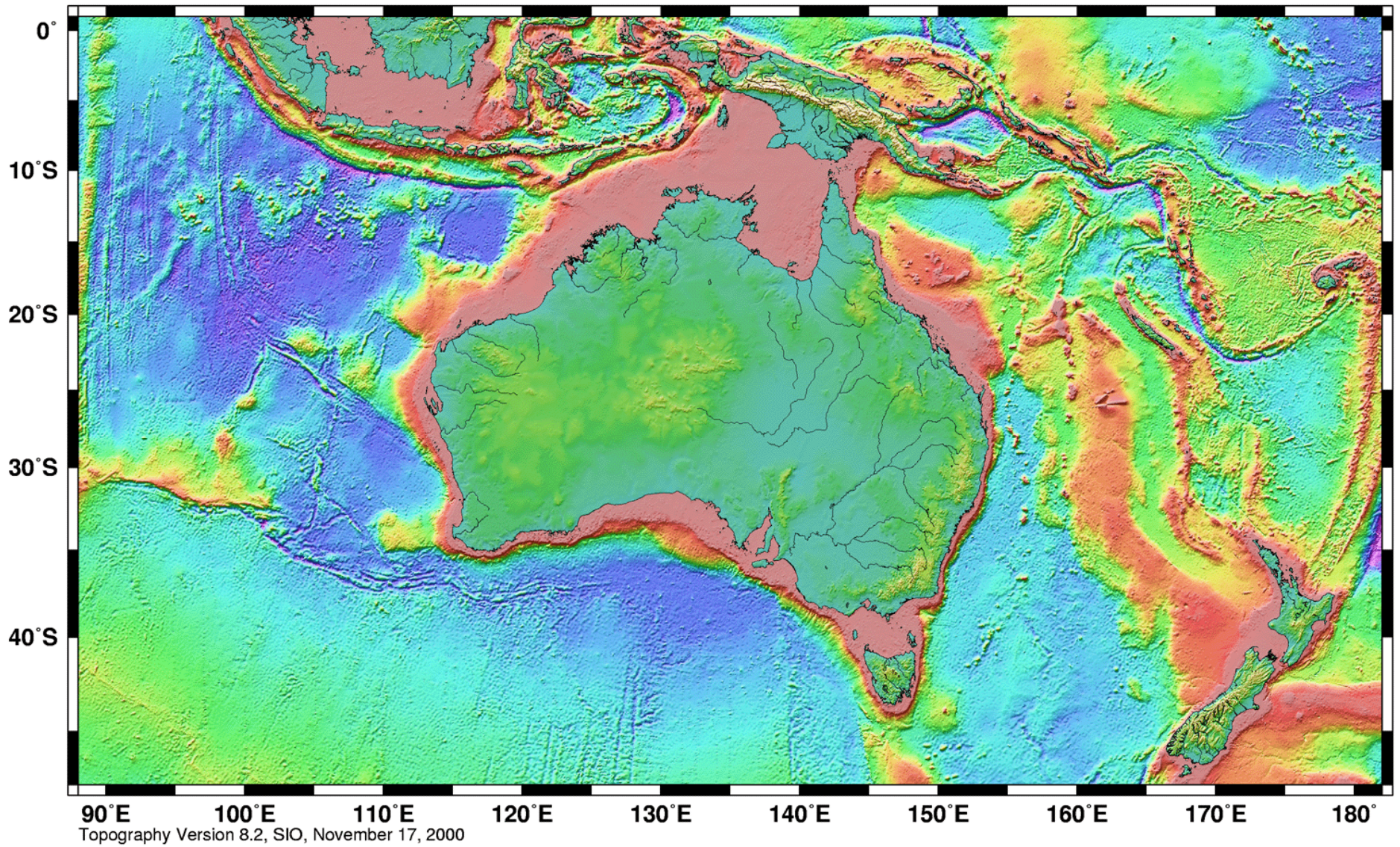
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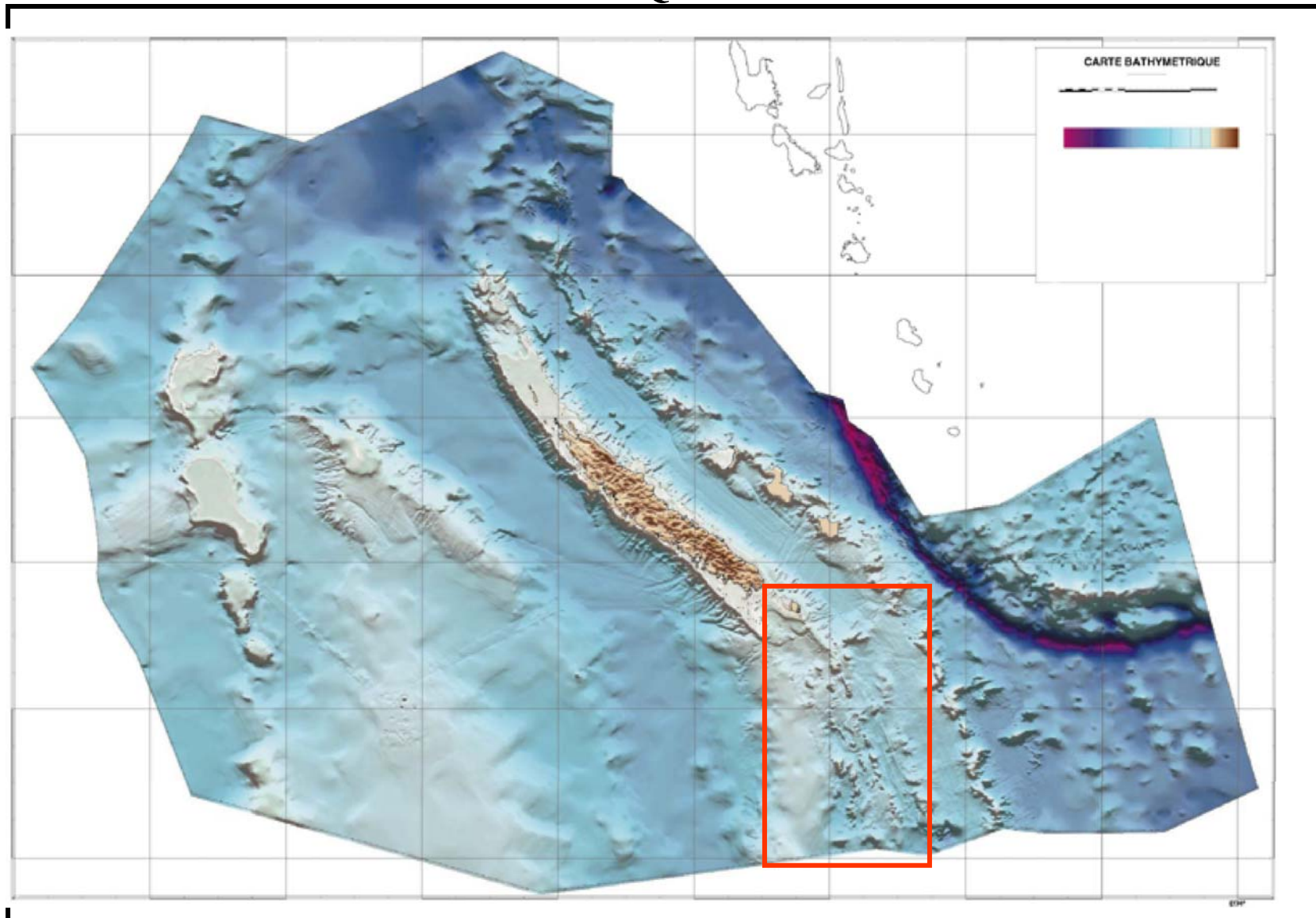
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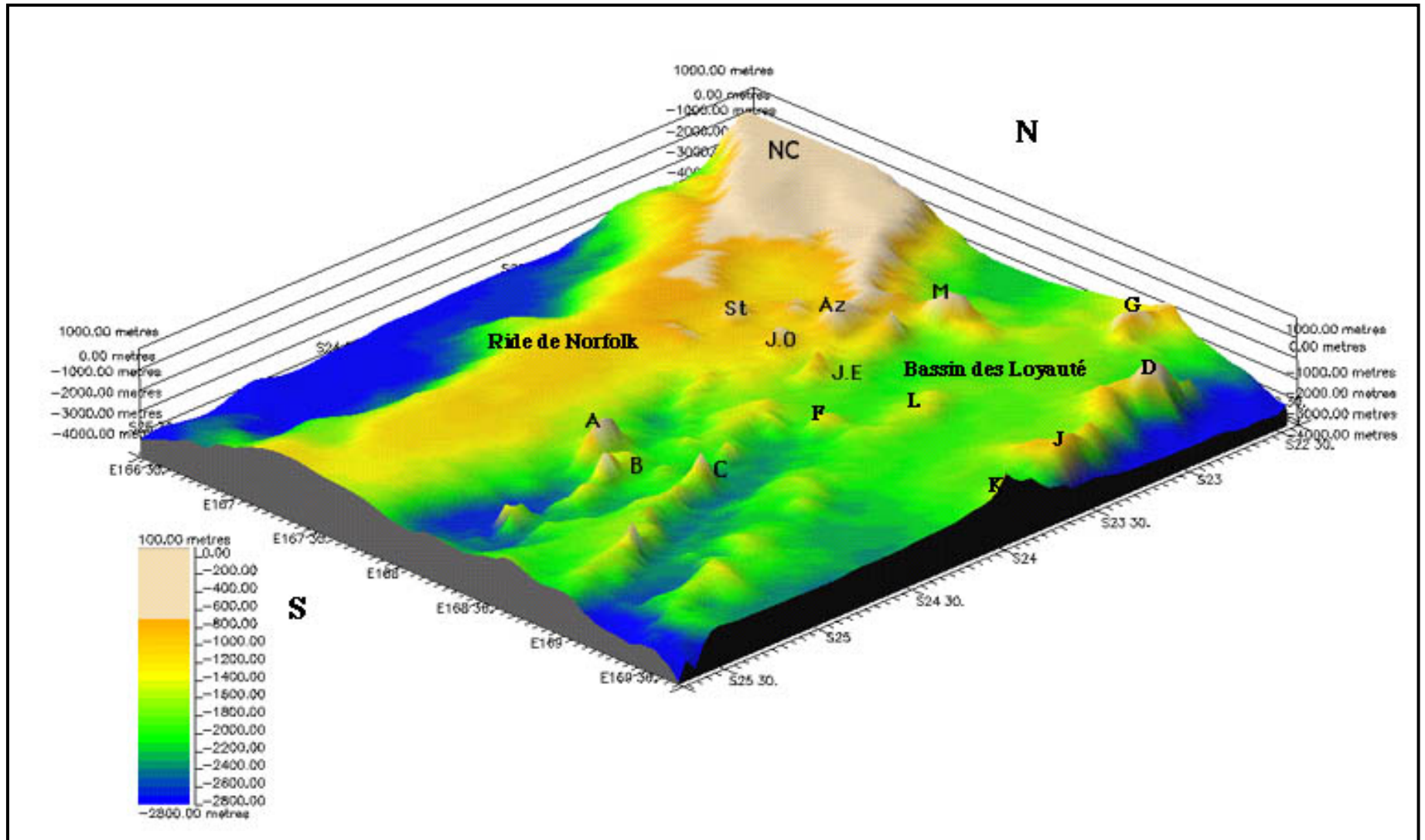
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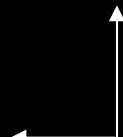


NORFOLK RIDGE SEAMOUNTS ARCHIPELAGO

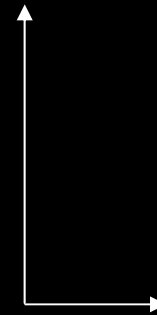


3D VIEW OF NEW CALEDONIA





Beam trawl :
4 . 2 m Wide

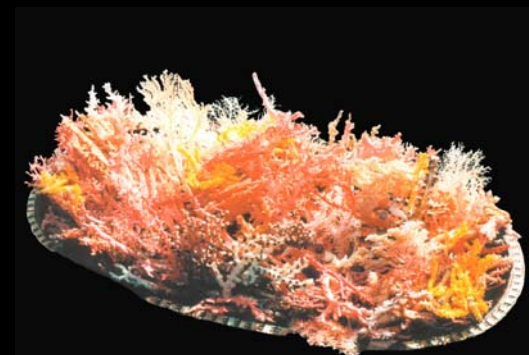


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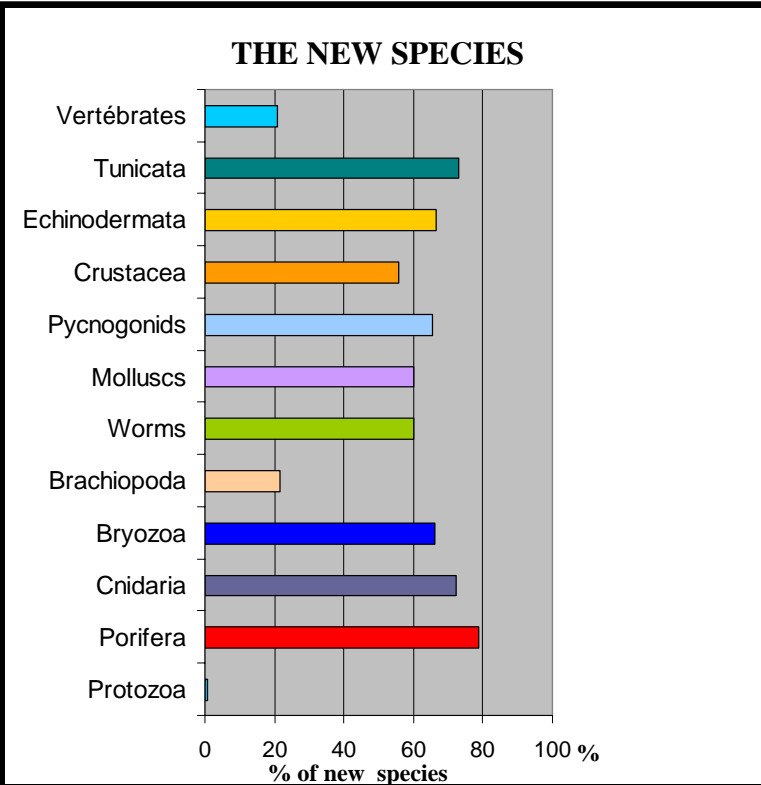


ZOOLOGICAL RESULTS IN THE NEW CALEDONIAN EEZ (August 2002)

GROUPS	FAMILIES	GENERA	SPECIES	NEW SPECIES	% NEW OF SPECIES
Protozoa	29	83	124	1	0.8
Porifera	54	111	170	134	78.8
Cnidaria	8	18	72	52	72.2
Bryozoa	60	123	201	133	66.1
Brachiopoda	13	18	23	5	21.7
Worms	6	13	20	12	60
Molluscs	73	200	619	371	59.9
Pycnogonids	8	22	61	40	65.5
Crustacea	94	295	633	354	55.9
Echinodermata	14	27	33	22	66.7
Tunicata	13	37	63	46	73
Vertebrates	68	143	240	50	20.8
TOTAL	440	1090	2259	1220	54



Stylasterid Corals



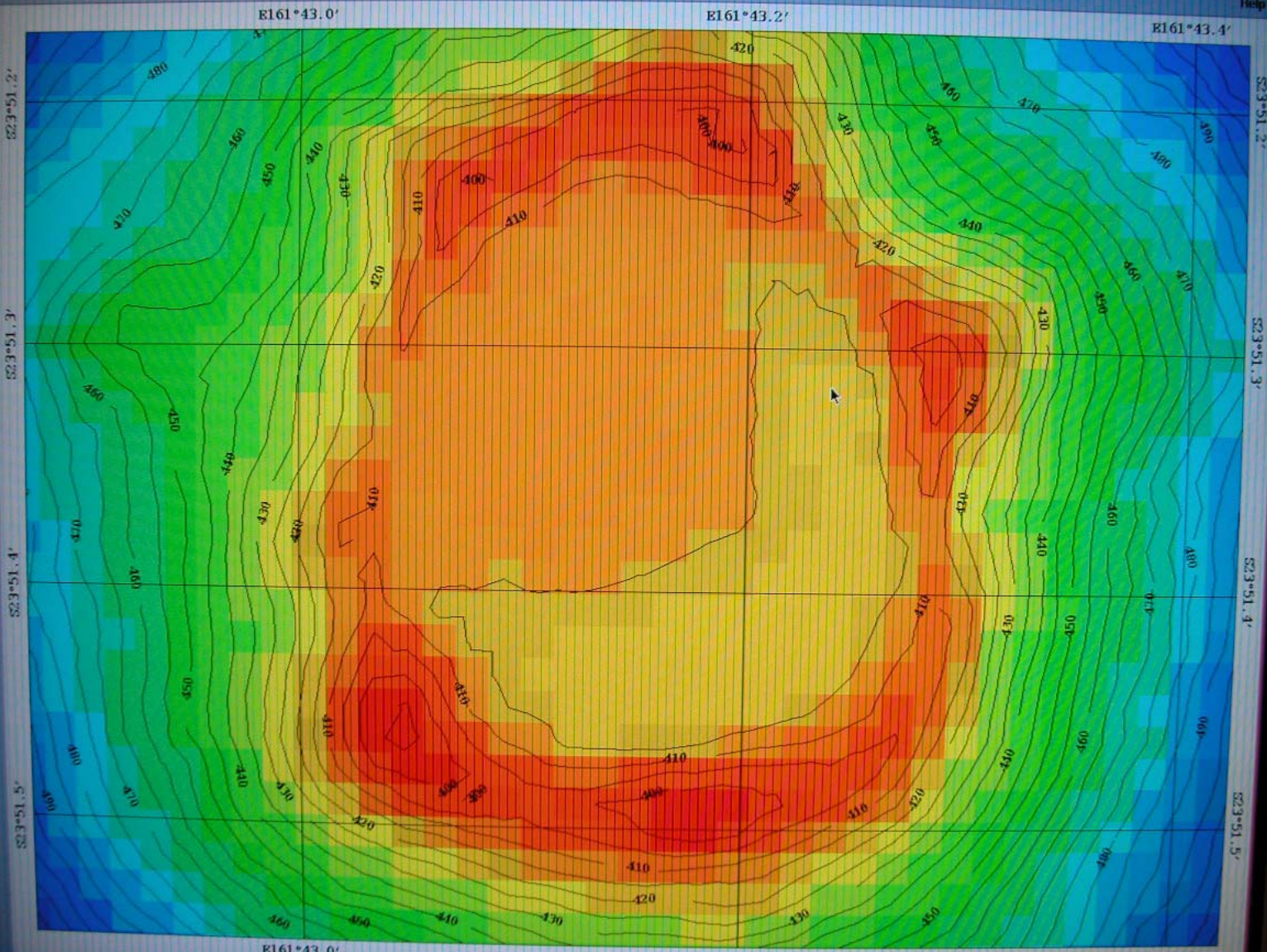
- The deep-sea fauna is very rich (> 2000 species)
- More than half of the species collected were new to science

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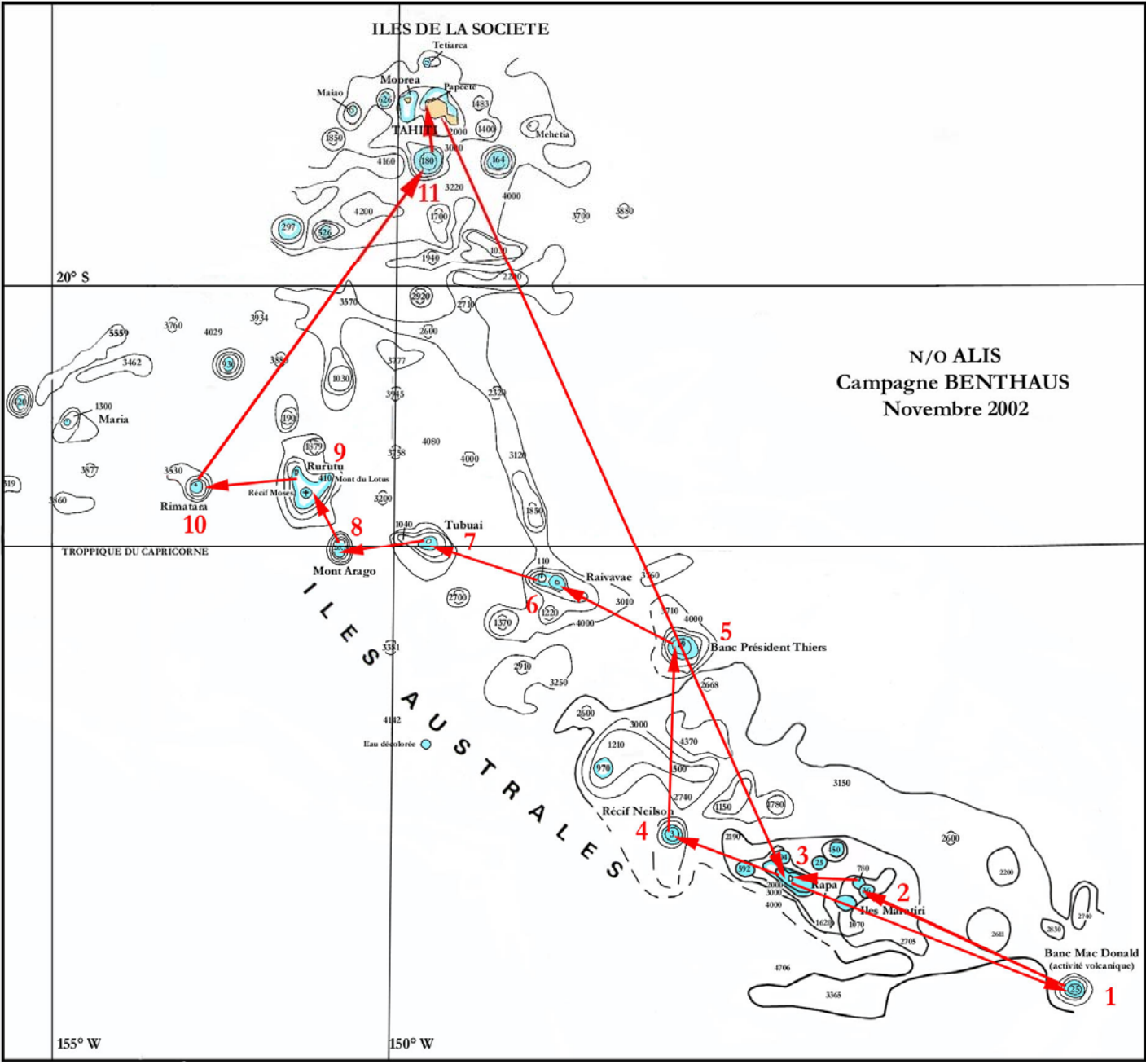
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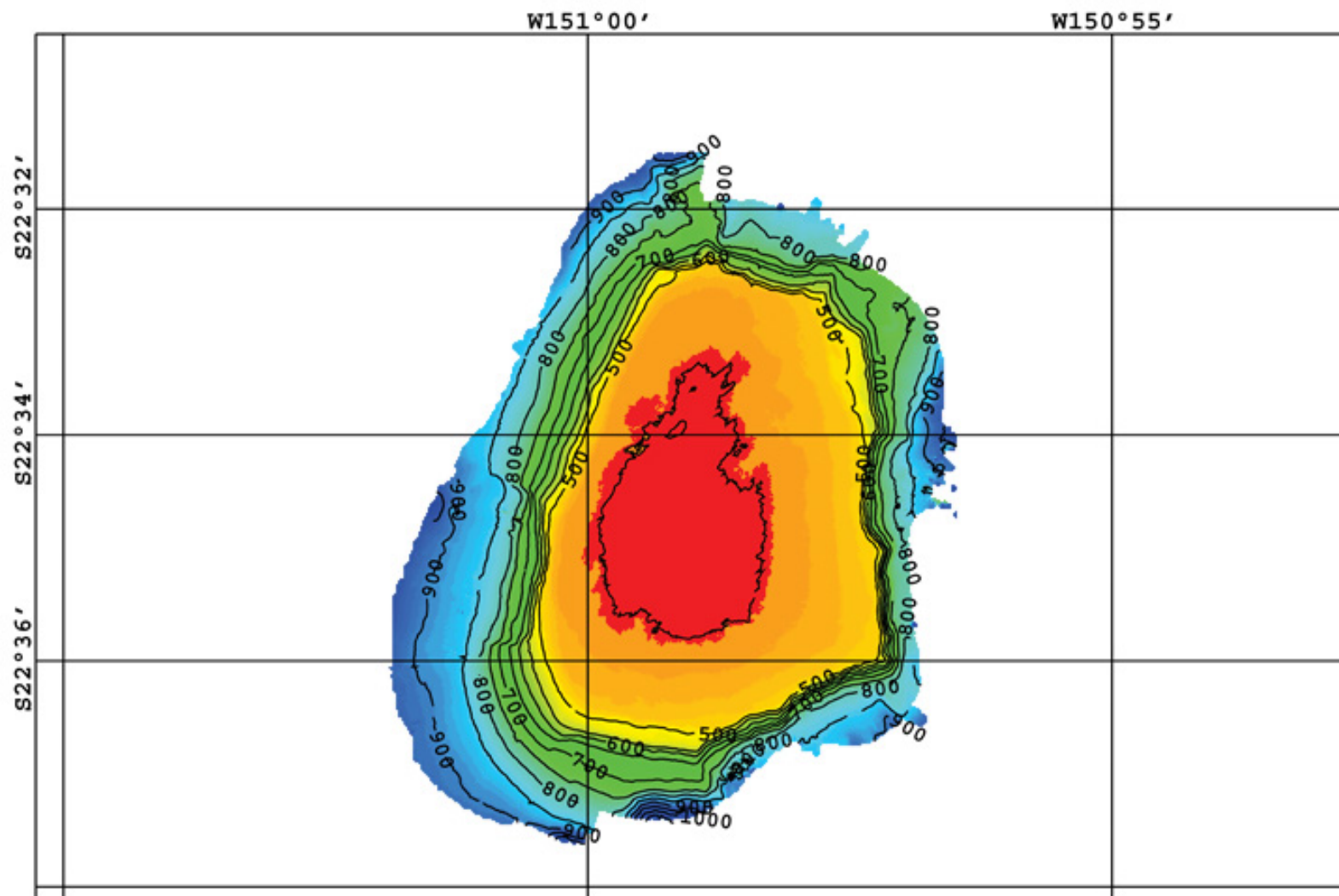
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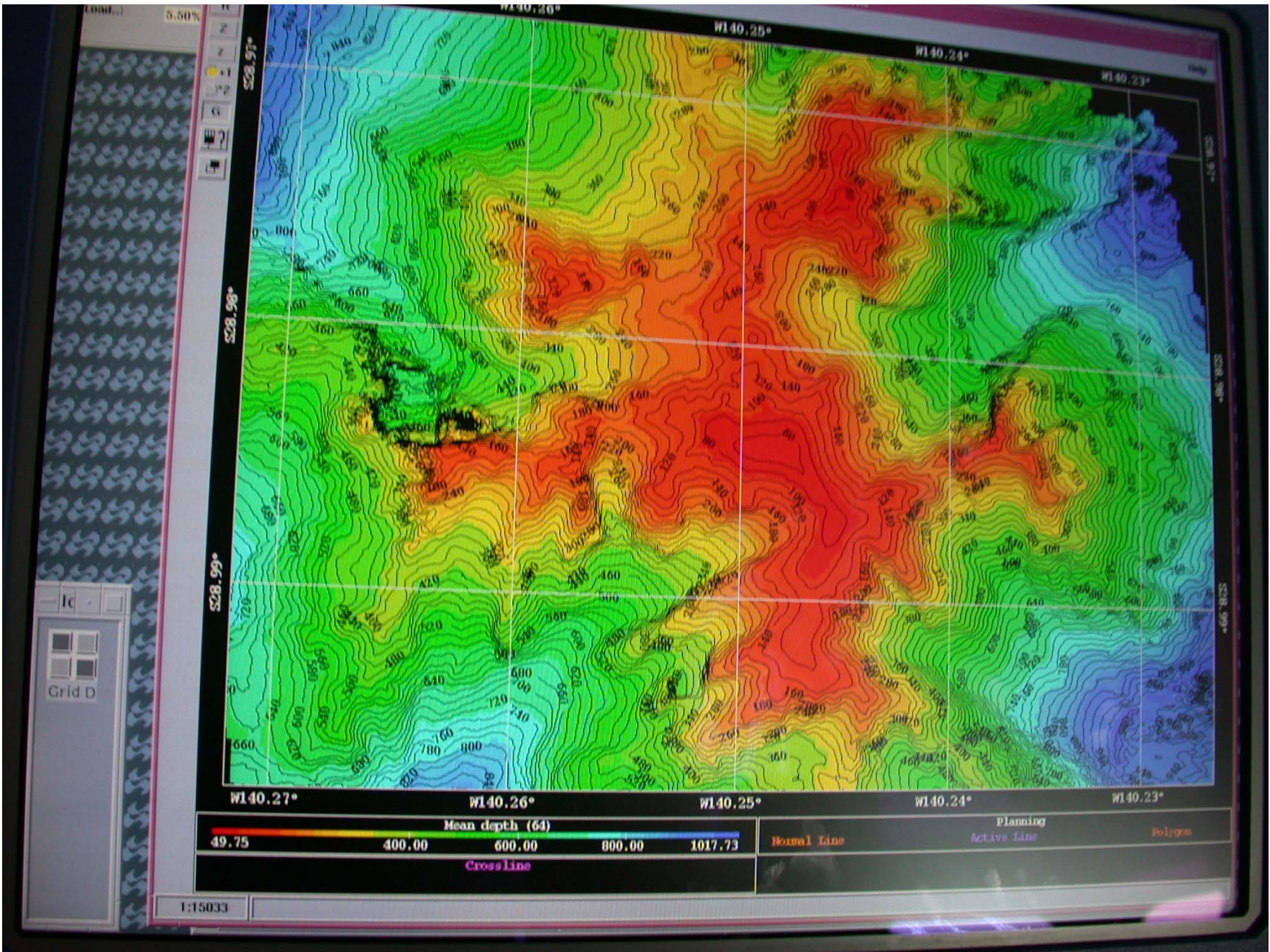
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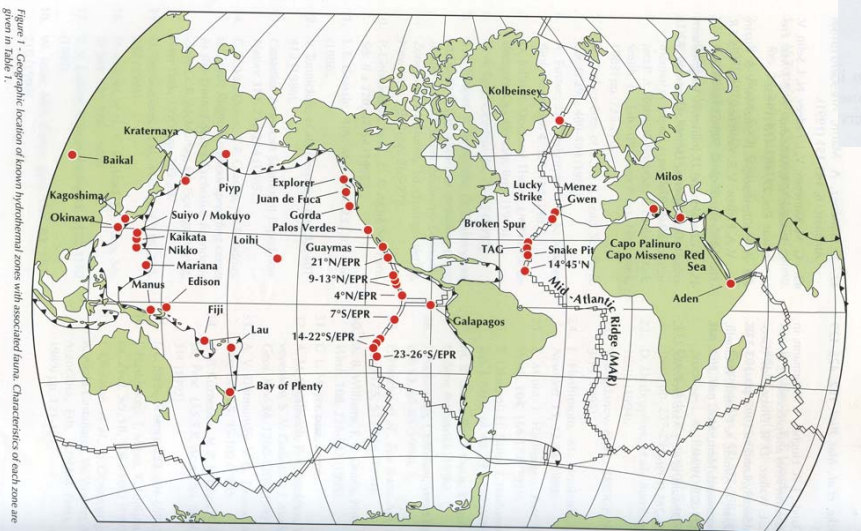
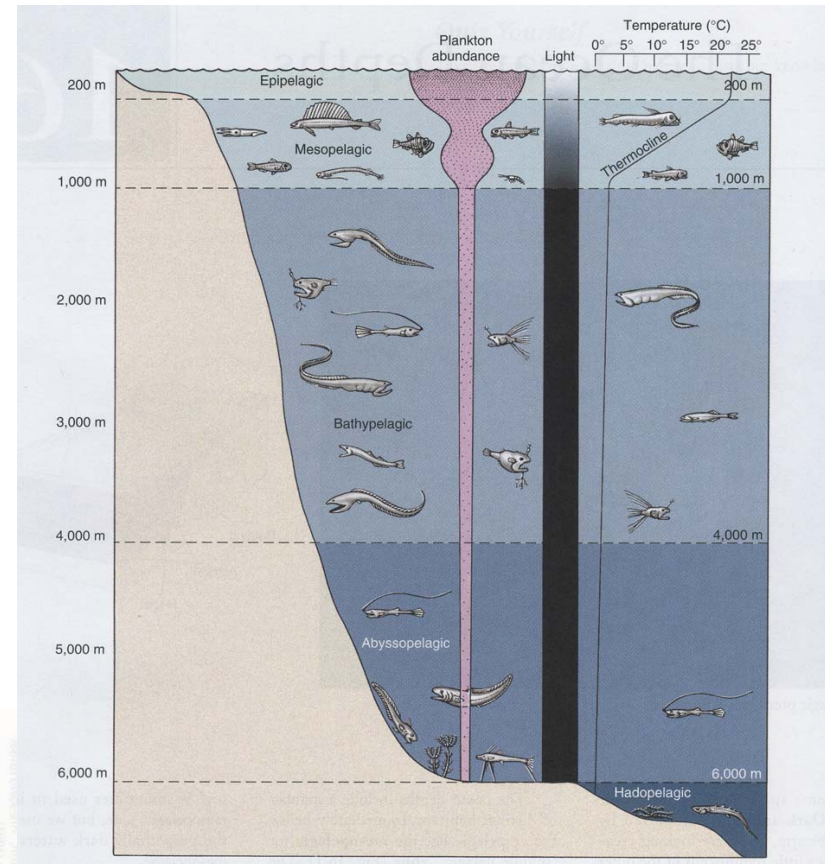
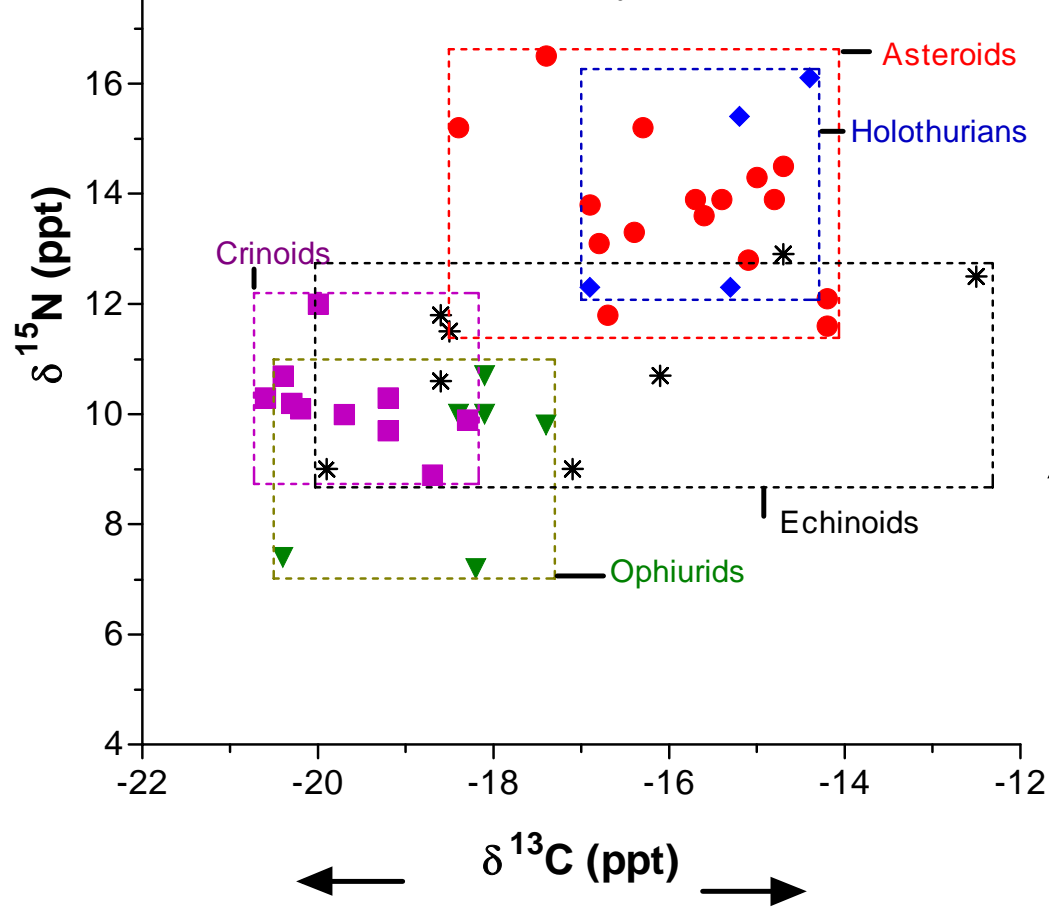


Figure 1. Geographic location of known hydrothermal vents with associated bathythermograph (BT) characteristics of each zone are given in Table 1.

Echinoderms

Large differences in morphology and
Life-style translate into trophic
diversity



Carbon from Surface
Phytoplankton Production
(‘fresh’ C)
and or some import of
terrestrial matter

Biologically-processed
(recycled) ‘old’ carbon
And /or
Increasing carnivory



Echinoderms appear
To derive carbon from a
Variety of sources and
Feed at multiple trophic
levels

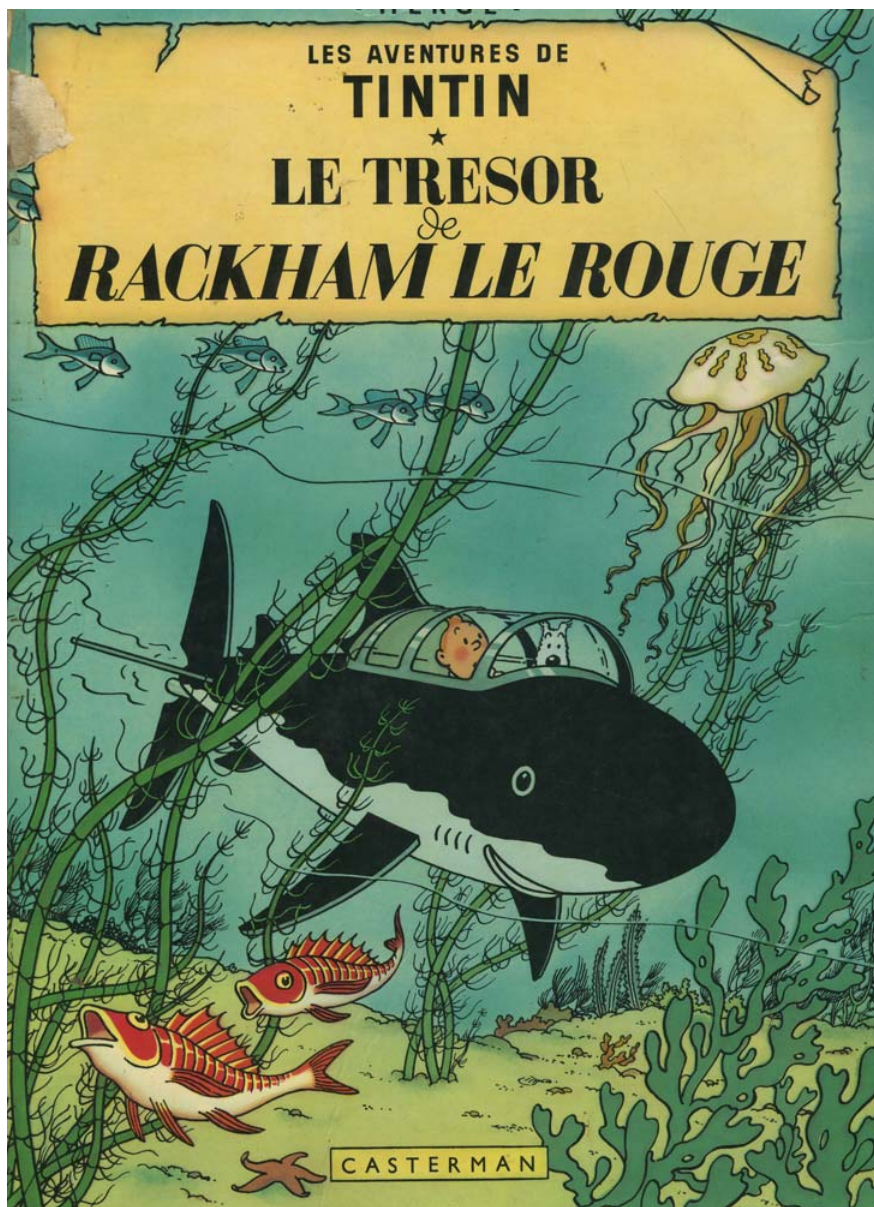
Increasing Trophic Level
And/or
utilisation of
Biologically-processed
(‘old’) nitrogen





*Palinustus
unicornis*





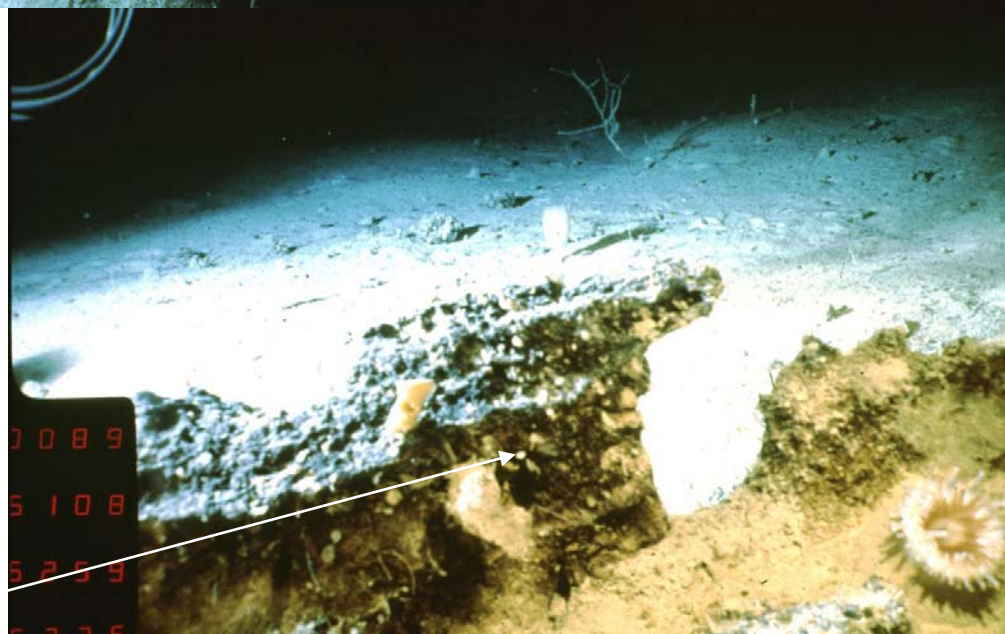
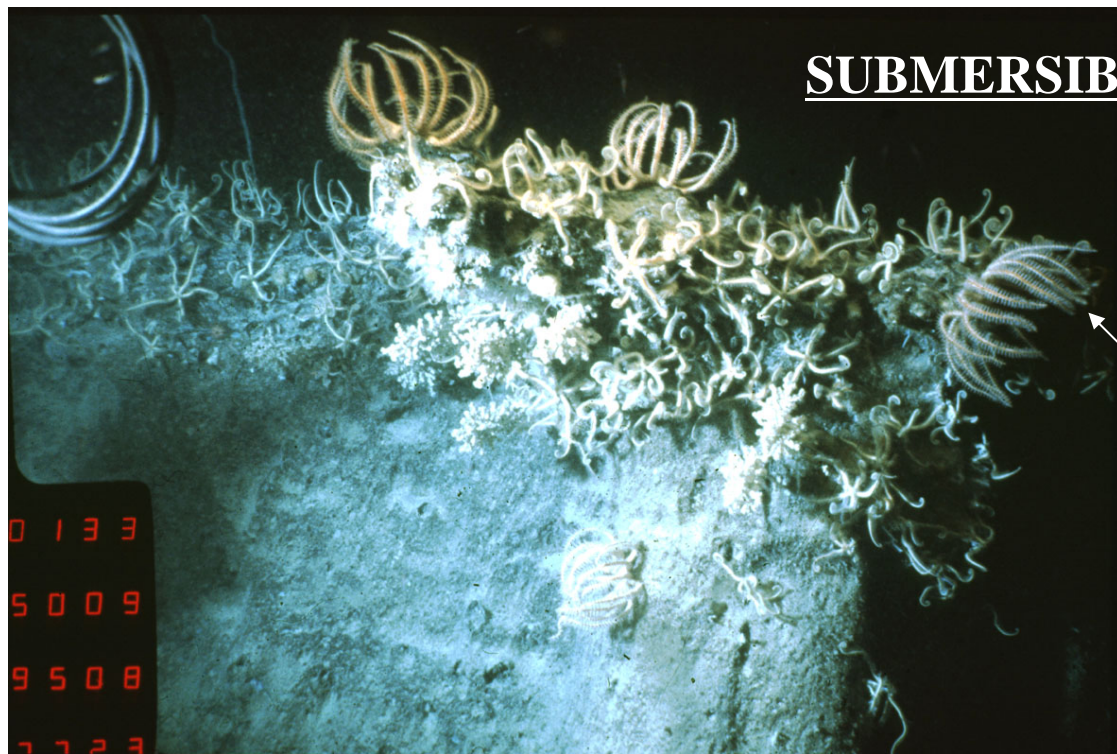
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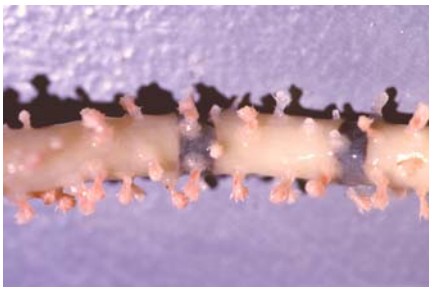
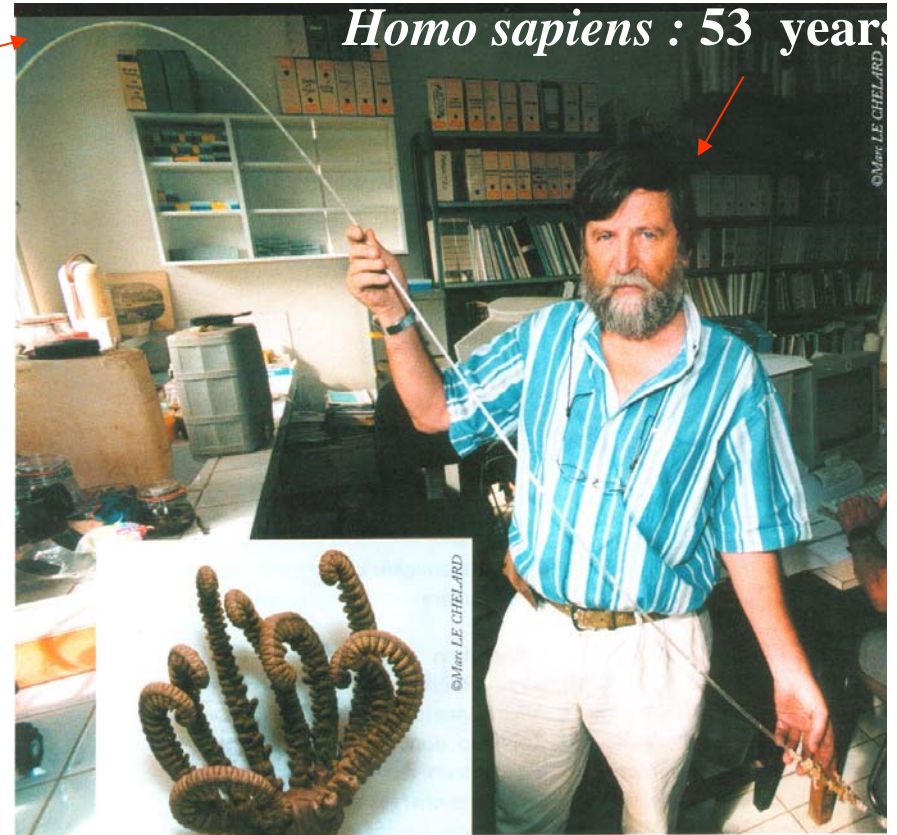


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Figure 19.32 Some of the submersibles used for investigation of the deep ocean. (a) The French submersible, *Cyana*, capable of operating to depths of 4000 m. The hull is titanium, and the submersible carries a pilot, navigator, and one scientist. It is usually equipped with underwater lights, an arm, claw, and video. (Courtesy of Professor P. Tyler, SOC.) (b) The Russian *Mir I* submersible, capable of operating to 6000 m carrying two pilots and a scientist. The hull is titanium. The submersible is here carrying a (red) sediment trap, and still and video cameras; it has been used to investigate hydrothermal systems in the North Atlantic (see Chapter 13). (Courtesy of Professor P. Tyler, SOC.) (c) The US *Johnson Sealink* submersible in preparation for deployment. It is capable of operating to 900 m with a pilot and scientist in the front compartment and with a technician and second scientist in an aft compartment. The sphere is acrylic. In addition to lights and cameras, the submersible has a manipulation claw. (Courtesy of Professor P. Tyler, SOC.) (d) The US Navy-owned Deep Submergence Vehicle (DSV) *Alvin* operated by the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution. A typical 8 hr dive takes two scientists and pilot to 4500 m with 4 hours on the bottom for observation, photography, and experiments. Three video and two 800 frame cameras are usually carried, together with two hydraulic arms and instruments such as corers, temperature probes, water samplers, and a biological sample pump. (Courtesy of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution.)

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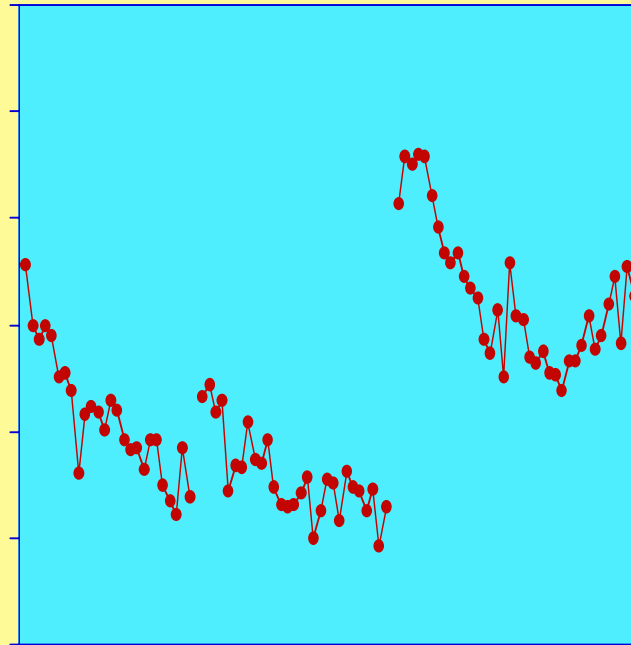


Fig. 10. – Example of temperatures measured on 3 samples (A-C) of isidid gorgonians from the seamounts of Norfolk Ridge. A : Graphic with on the left Mg/Ca (molar), on the right water temperature with the scale of 1° C on the graph. B: A cross crossing of Isidid gorgonian showing the growth rings and the radial samples serie. (from Richer de Forges, S., 2002, modified by T. Corrège).



Gymnocrinus

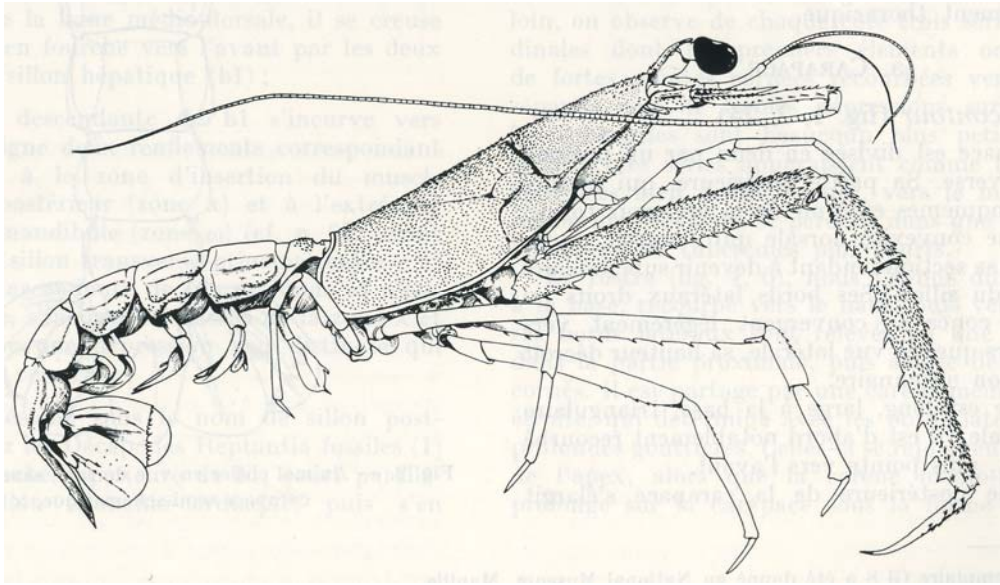


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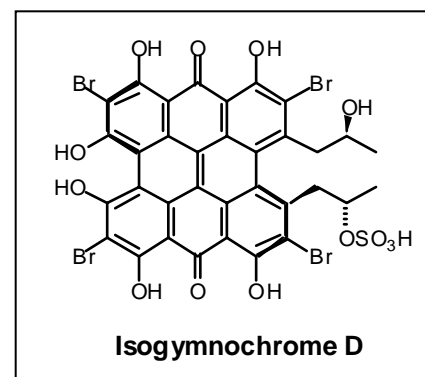


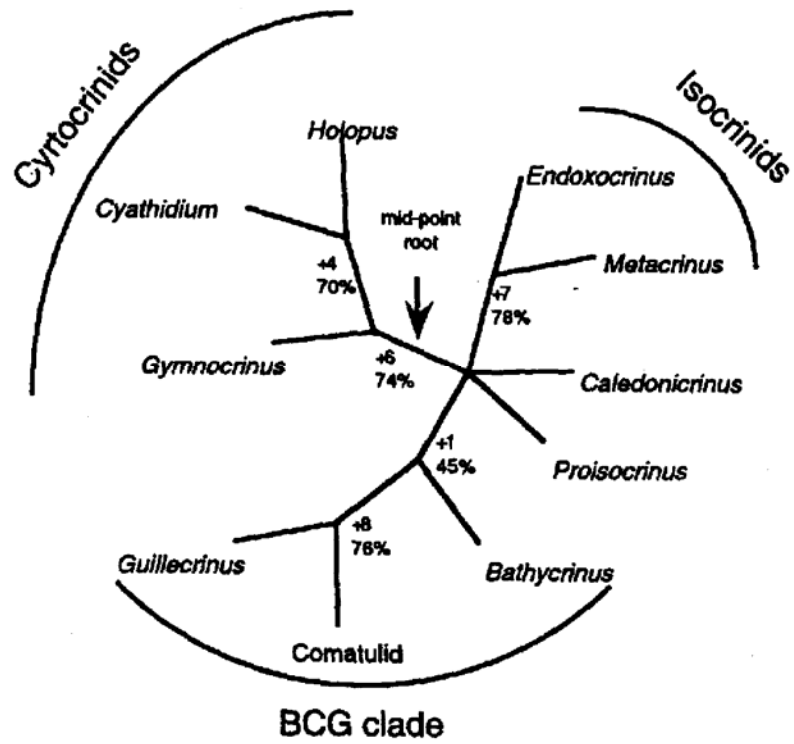
Ostracodes

- Lord Howe Ridge seamounts

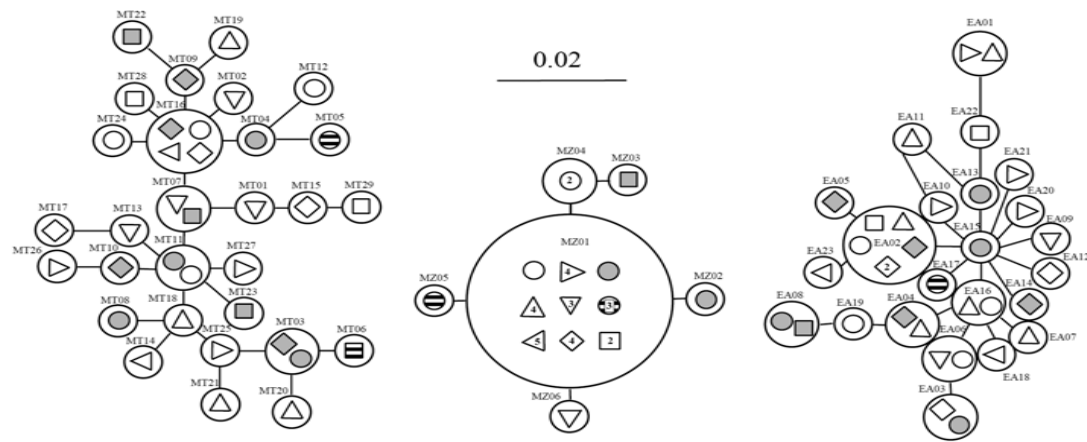


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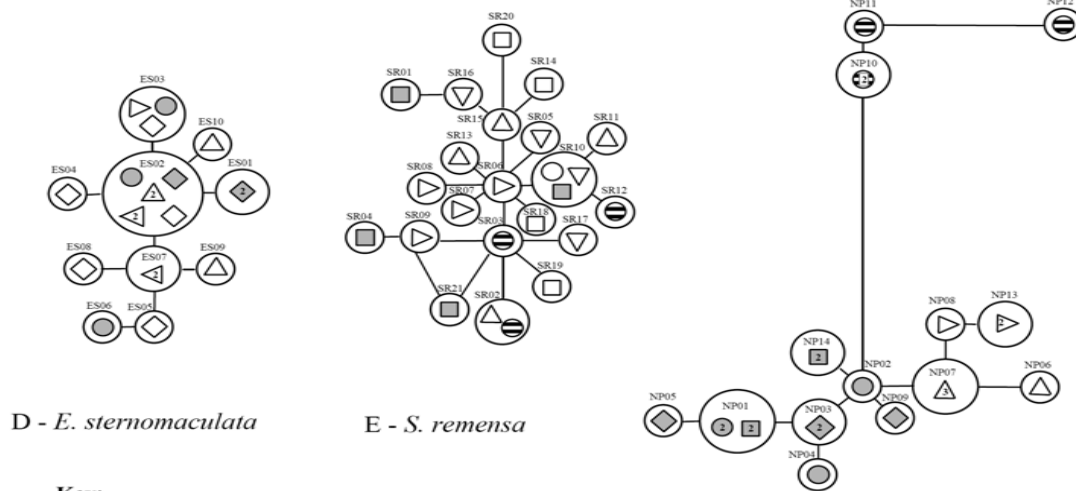


A - *M. thoe*

B - *M. zebra*

C - *E. annulosa*

Figure 3 - Minimum spanning networks constructed using Tamura-Nei distances between mitochondrial COI haplotypes (represented by circles); areas proportional to the number of individuals sharing a given haplotype. The symbols inside the circle represent the localities where the haplotype was found (see key).



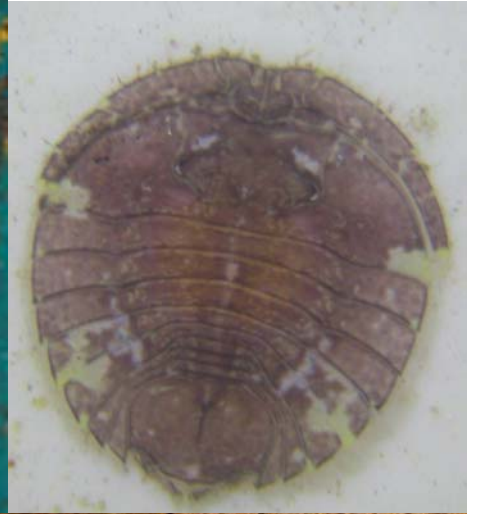
D - *E. sternomaculata*

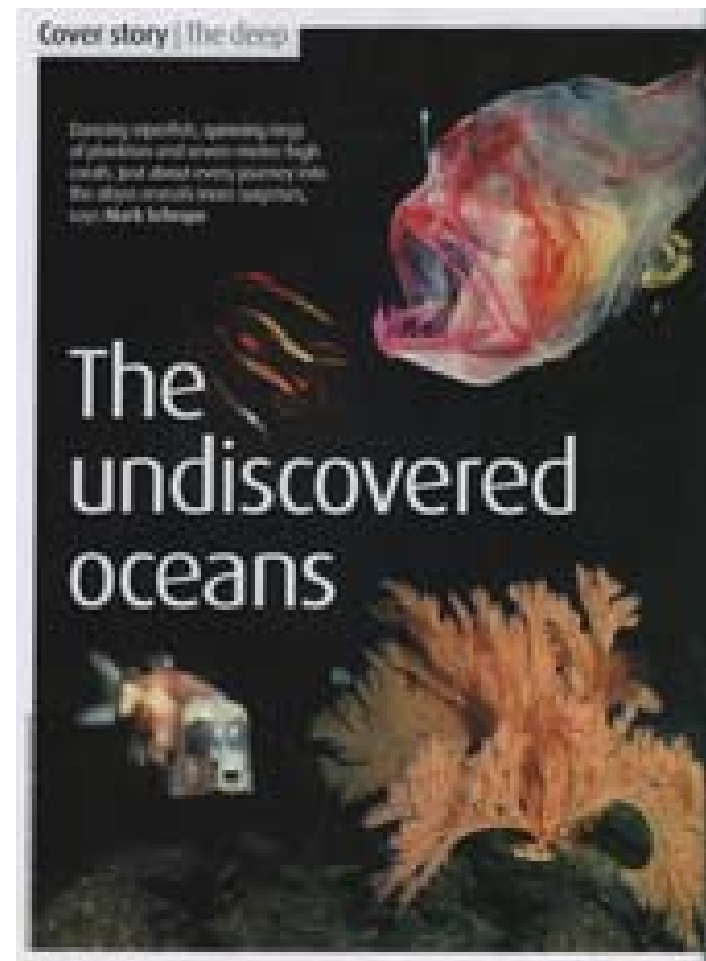
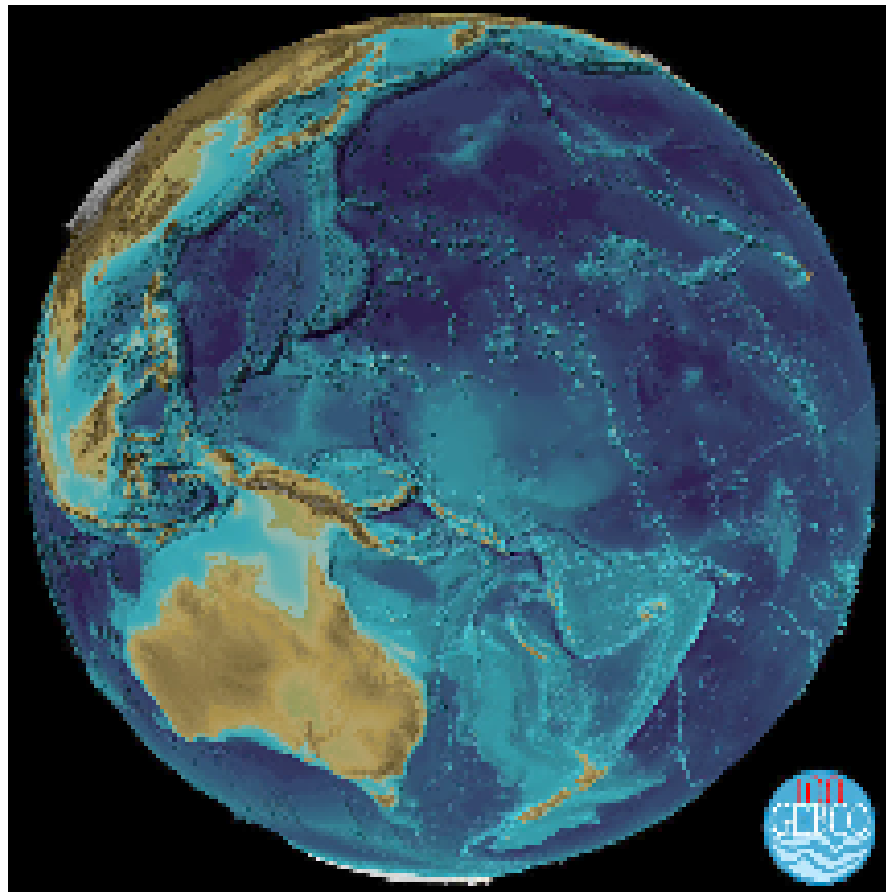
E - *S. remensa*

F - *N. problematica*

Key:

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| Northern area | □ | Munida | ● | Eponge |
| | ○ | Antigonia | ◆ | Introuvable |
| | ◇ | Stylaster | ■ | Kaimon Maru |
| | △ | Jumeau est | ⊖ | Isle des pins |
| | ▽ | Jumeau ouest | ▣ | Wallis and Futuna |
| | ▷ | Crypthelia | | |
| Out of ridge | ◁ | Brachiopode | | |
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