

ROV *Lu'ukai*
Deep CCZ Survey
ALOHA Cabled Observatory

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ROV *Lu'ukai* 2018

- February – Test dives
 - 5480 m, 4.4 h on bottom
- May – Deep CCZ
 - 12 dives, max 5240 m, max bottom 9.9 h, 15.9 h total
- June – ACO
 - 3 dives, 4728 m, max bottom 16 h, 22.7 h total **Dive 100**
- December – PMRF Kauai
 - 4 dives, shallow water surveys 350 – 36 m, 50 h submerged, 17 km transects.

ROV *Lu'ukai* operational

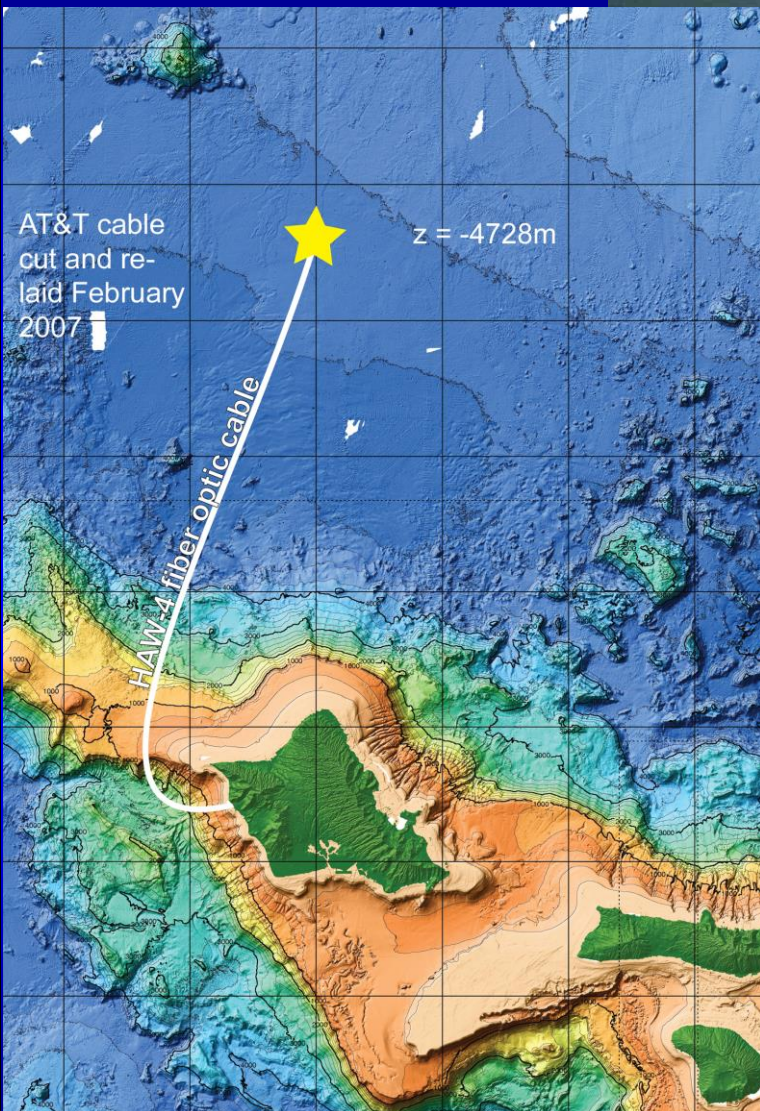
UH ROV *Lu'ukai* - Sea Diver

- On Deep CCZ cruise, May 2018

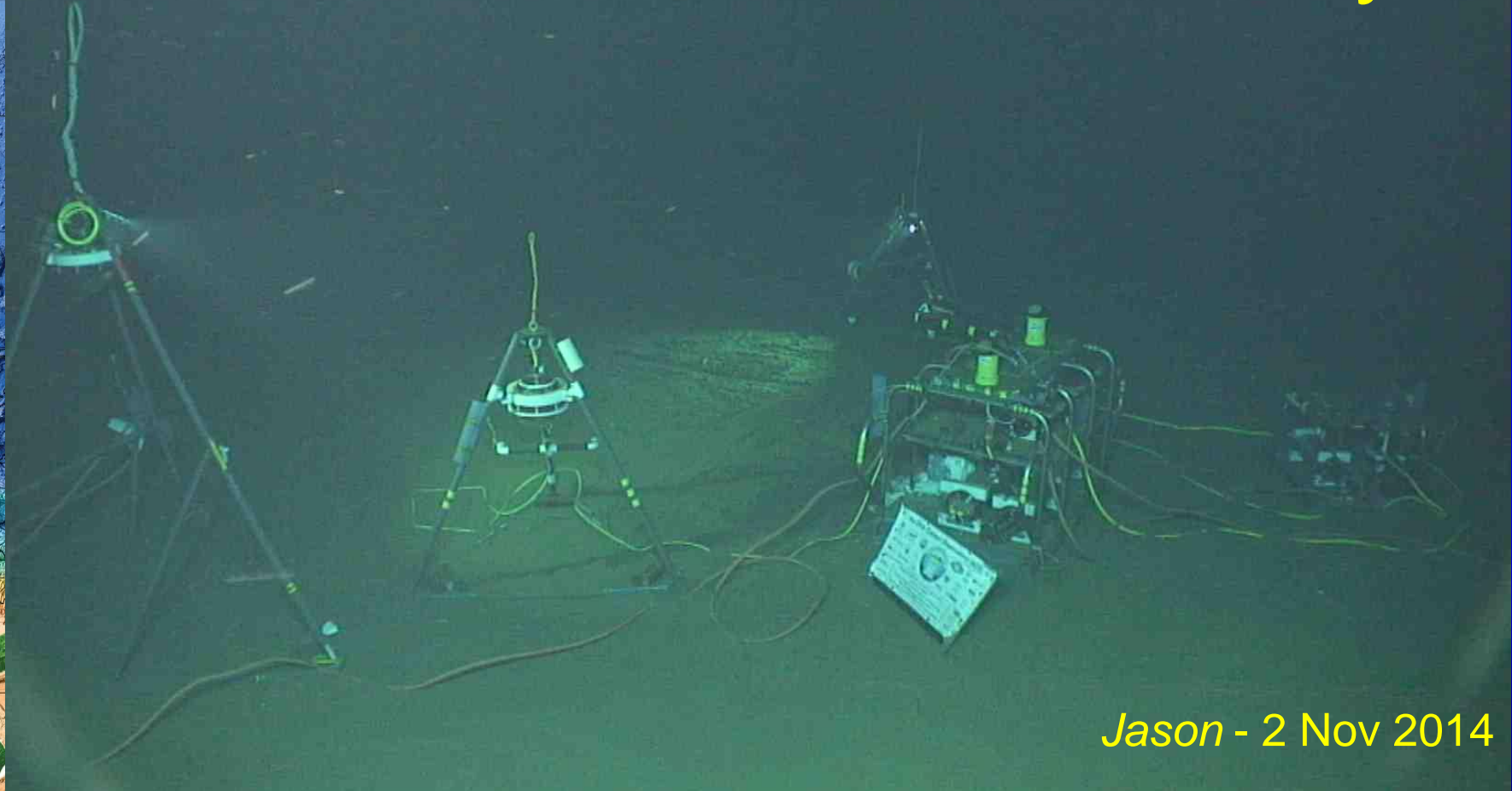




Station ALOHA



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Jason - 2 Nov 2014

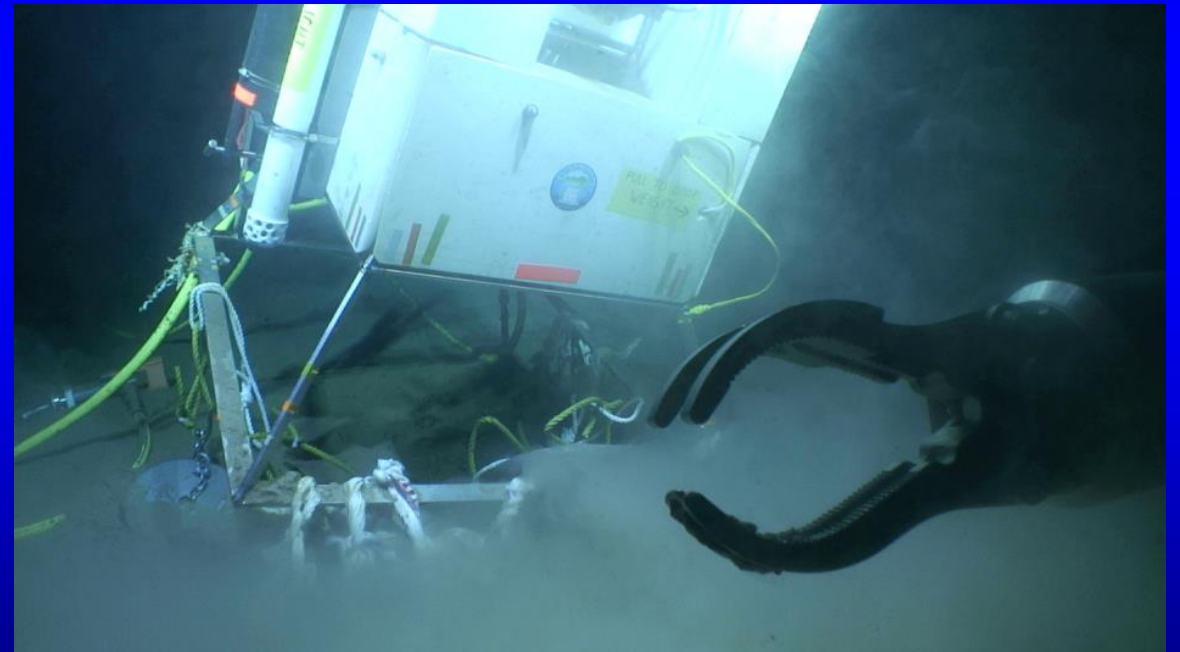
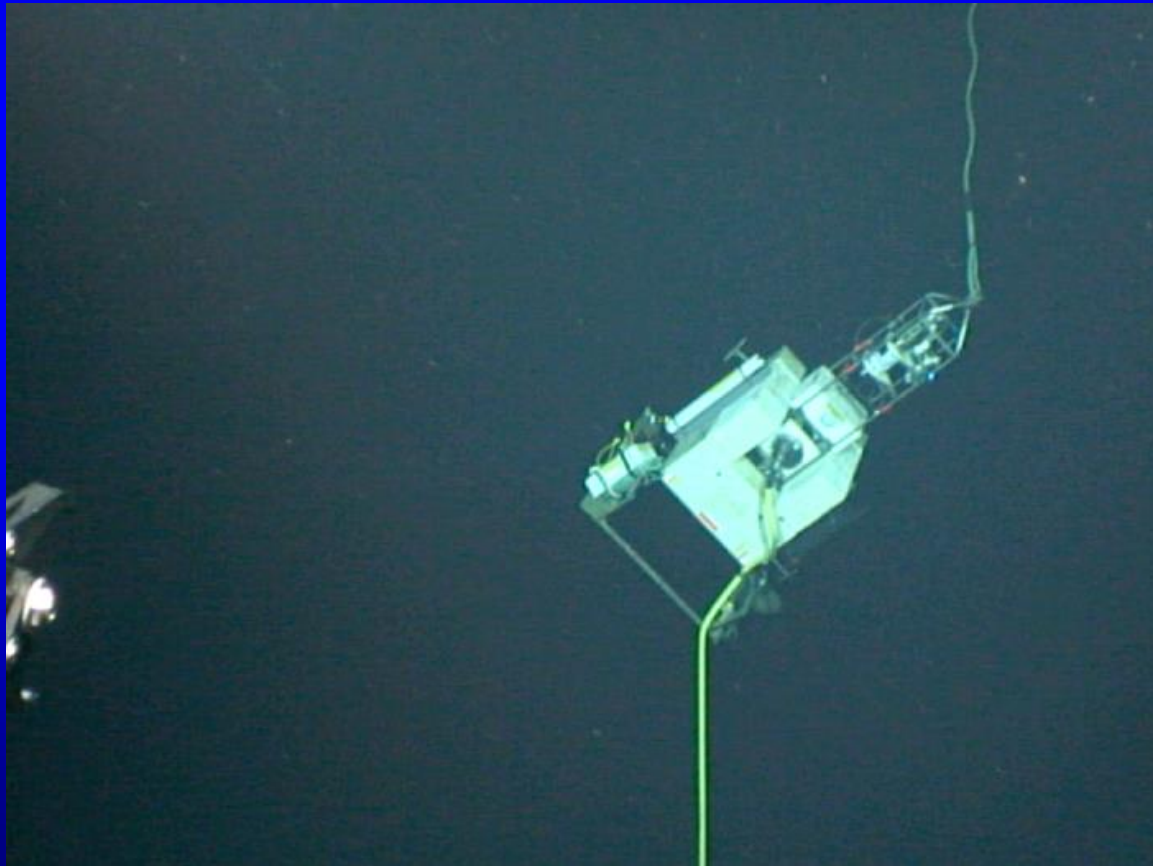
4728 m – Deepest Internet and power on the planet

ACO June 2018

- Deal with Basic sensor package 2 (BSP2)
- Connect LIGHT4
- Deploy and connect
 - BSP3 (icListen)
 - SN1 (secondary node)
- Recover BSP1

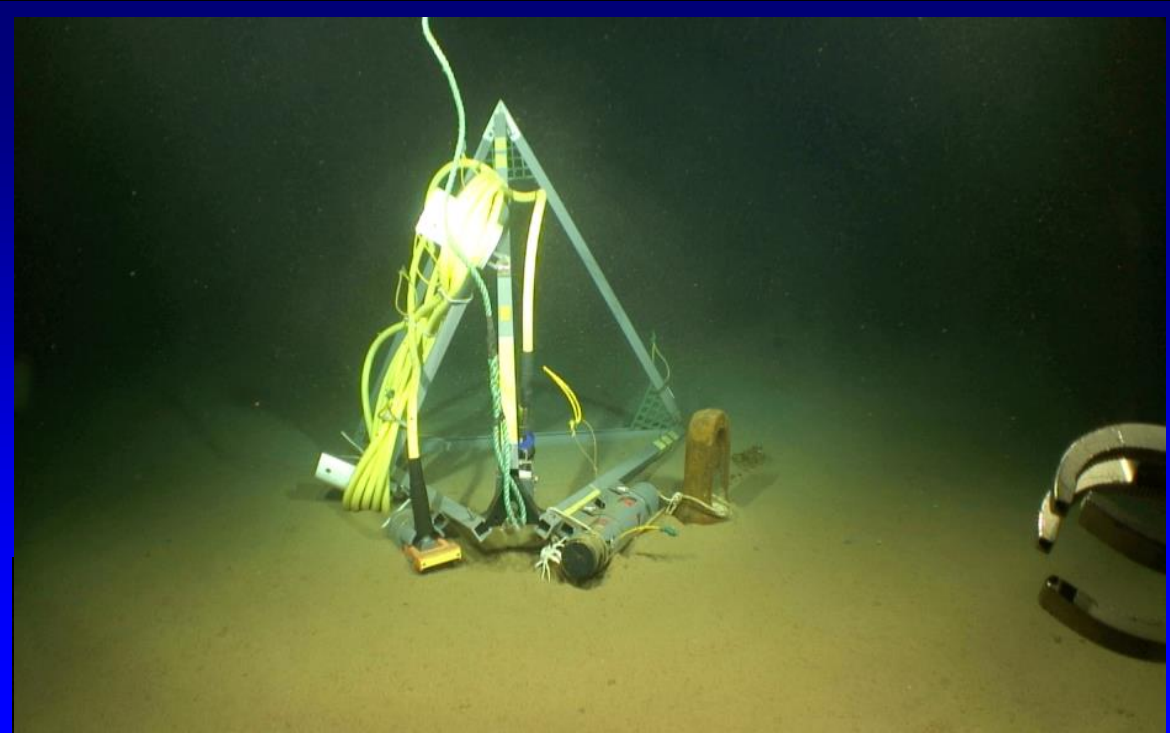
Deal with BSP2

- Corrosion of bolt/nut/washer holding recovery drop weight



Connect LIGHT4

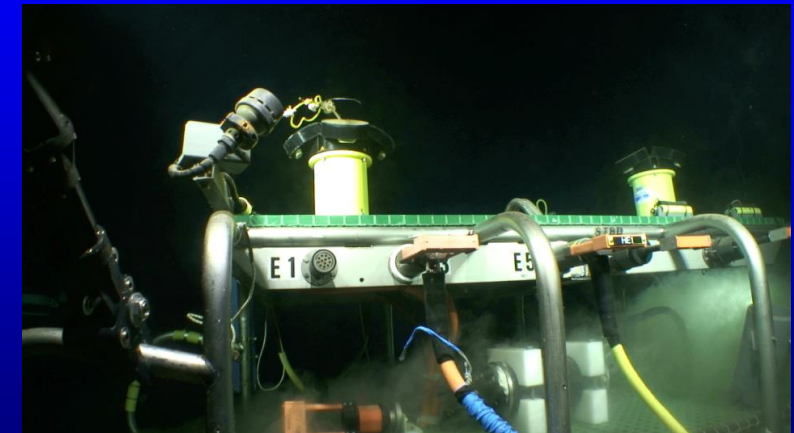
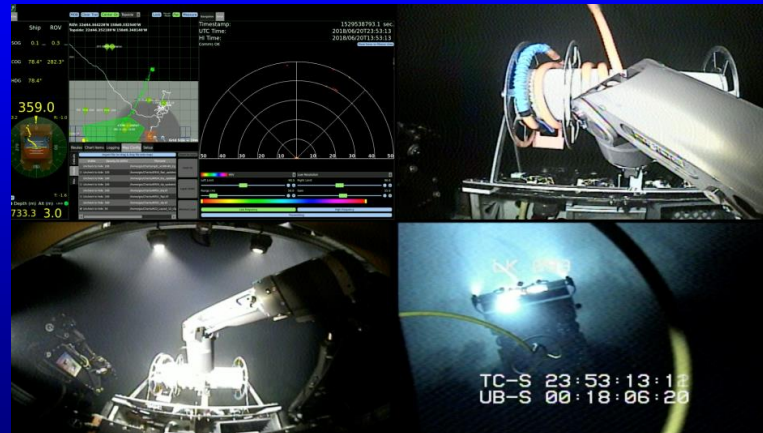
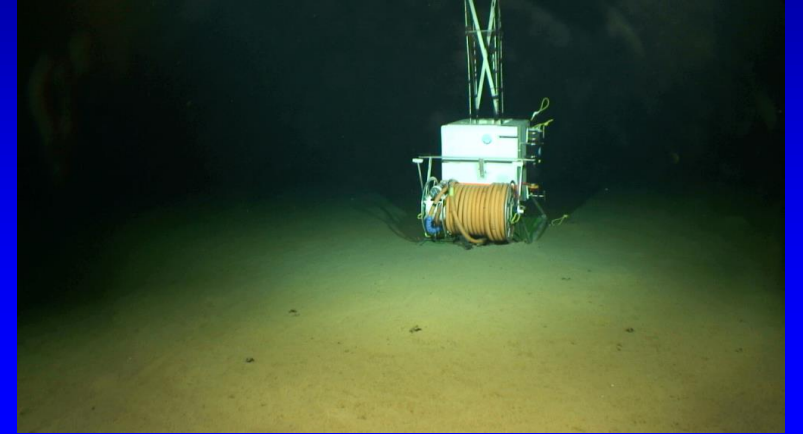
- Had been left on bottom in September 2015



<http://aco-ssds.soest.hawaii.edu/cam1vid.html>

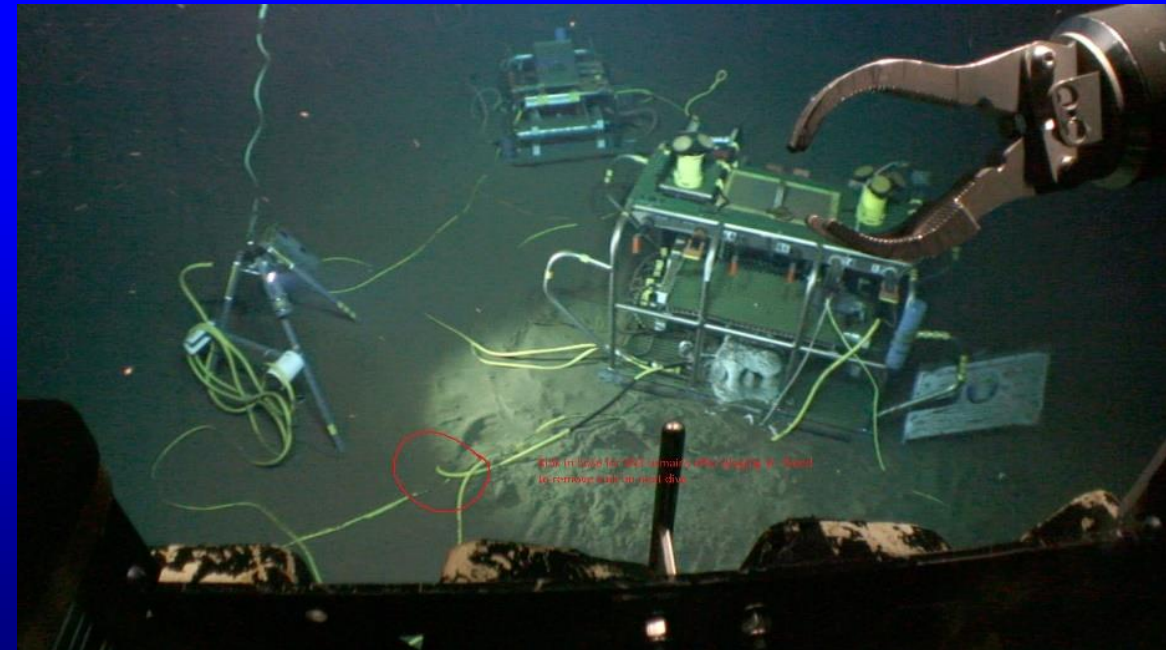
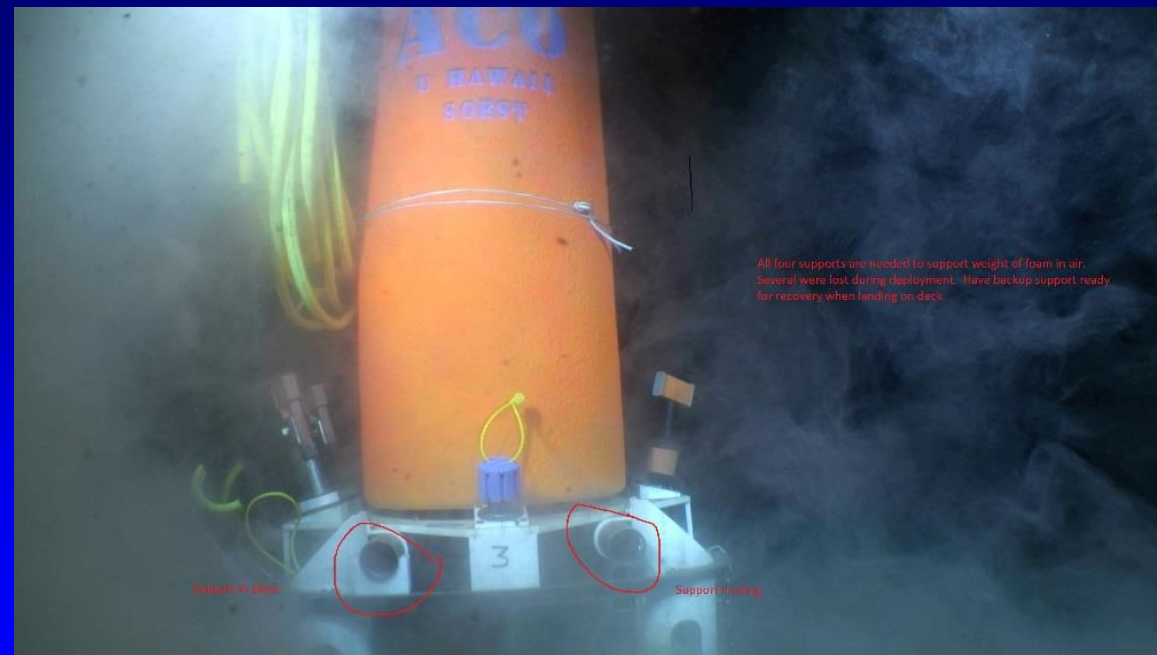
Connect BSP3

- icListen
hydrophone
- Donated by
OceanSonics



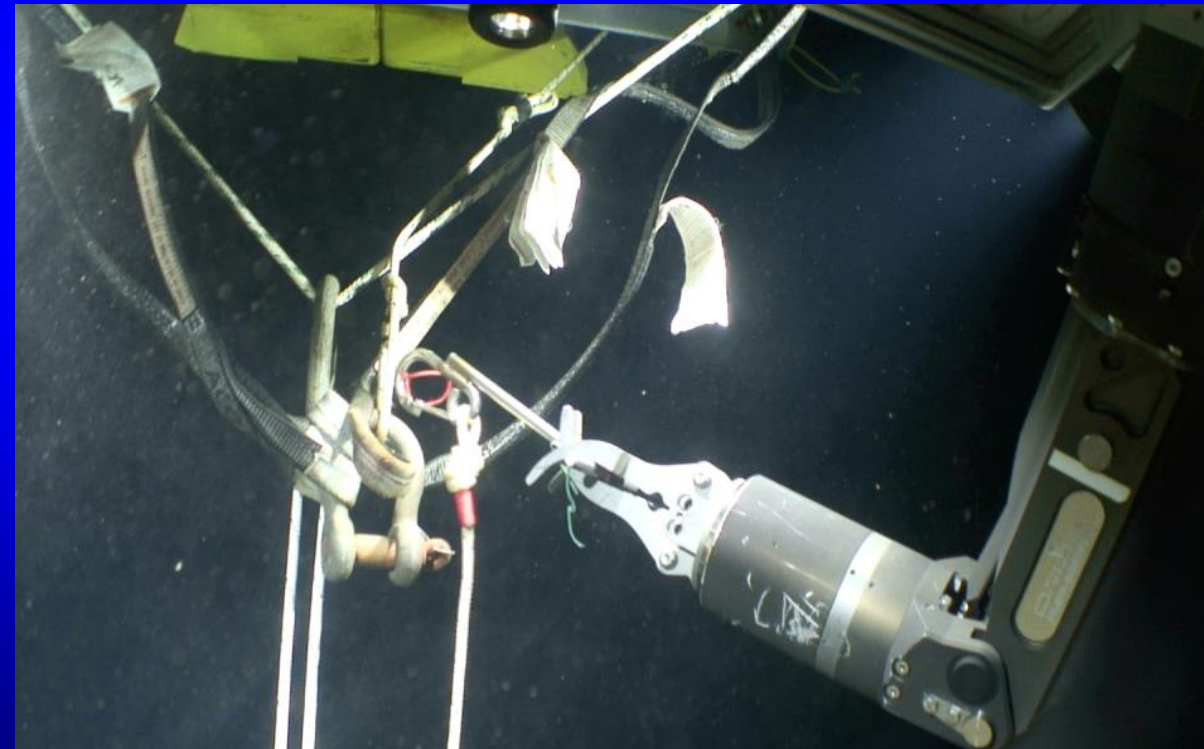
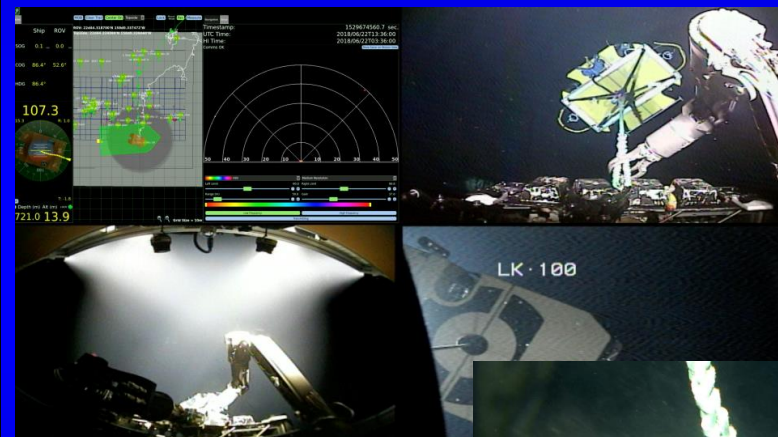
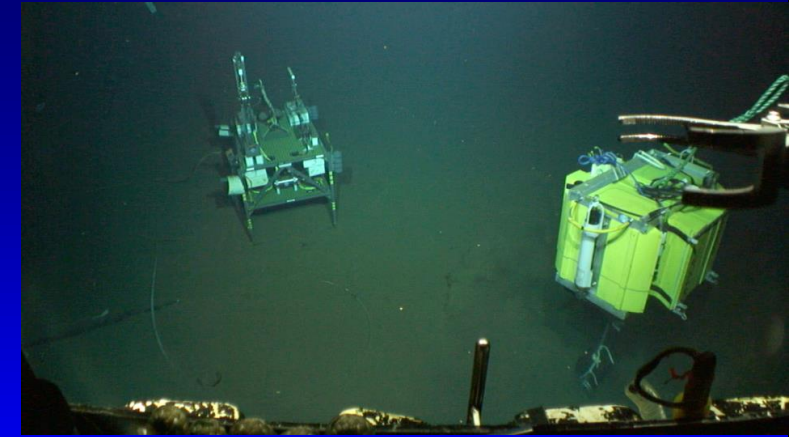
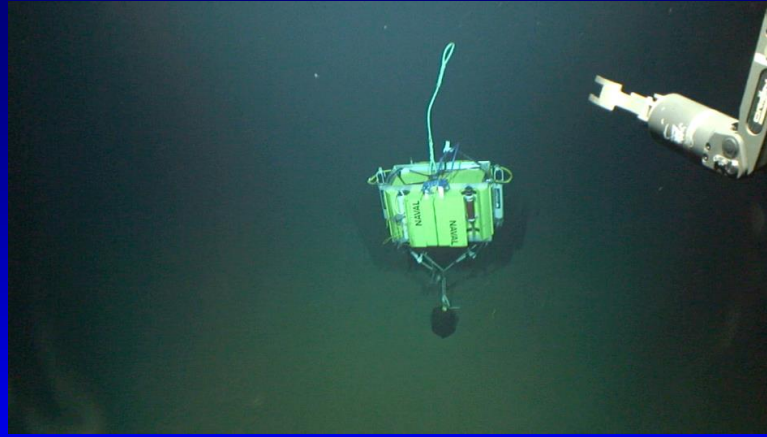
Connect SN1

- Secondary Node 1
- Additional 4 ports



Recover BSP1

- Using ELEVATOR



Deep CCZ Expedition

- **Exploration of biodiversity and ecosystem structure on seamounts in the western CCZ**
- J. C. Drazen, M. Church, T. Dahlgren, J. Durden, A. Glover, E. Goetze, A. Leitner, C. R. Smith, and A. Sweetman
- <https://oceanexplorer.noaa.gov/explorations/18ccz/welcome.html>
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