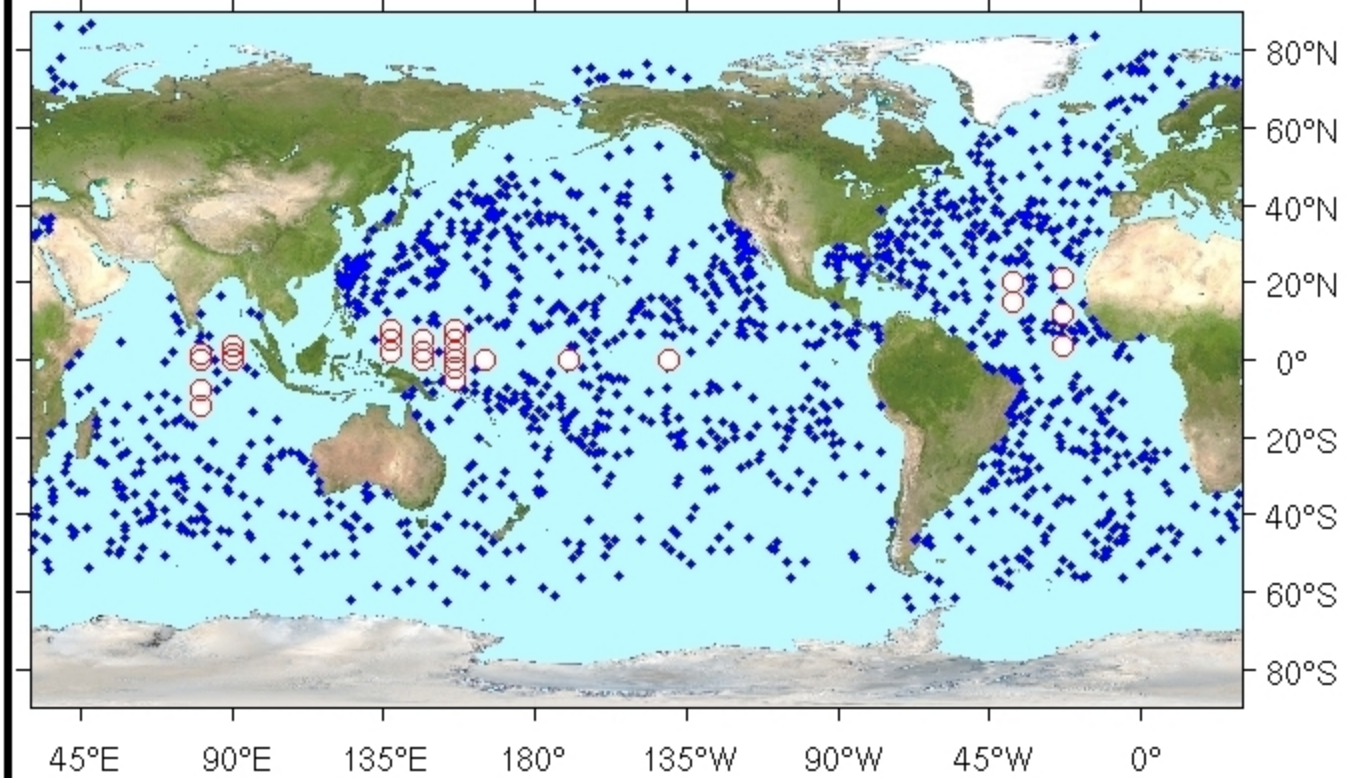


Observing System Status: 2010, Q3. Surface Currents

Requirement: 2 cm/s accuracy (drogue on); 600 km resolution;
1 sample per month (GOOS/GCOS, 1999)

Performance measure: reduce the error in global
measurement of surface velocity



Observing system status, July-September 2010

• Drogued drifting buoys: 1446 ○ Moored buoys: 27

Requirement: all boxes blue

