

**Name:** SOP for vessel:meteor:tsg\_meteor:sbe\_38\_0749 (7493)

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## 2. Purpose & Scope

**Description:** This SOP describes device configuration, parameter characteristics, transmission and processing of its output, ingest procedure, storage, data access possibilities, and publishing. Intended user groups are device owners, technicians, and data managers.

**Comment:** This item is managed and processed by the Deutsche Allianz Meeresforschung (German Marine Research Alliance), please see [www.allianz-meeresforschung.de](http://www.allianz-meeresforschung.de) for further information.

## 3. Item Description

**Short Name:** SBE\_38\_0749

**Long Name:** SBE 38 Digital oceanographic thermometer

**URN:** vessel:meteor:tsg\_meteor:sbe\_38\_0749

**ID:** 7493

**UUID:** b8115f80-0be3-42e5-b9fc-581d9020cfaa

**Description:** Thermometer with housing for depths up to 10500 m. Used as remote temperature sensor for the SBE 21 Thermosalinograph. Installed near the water inlet connection at starboard side.

**Serial No.:** 0749

**Manufacturer:** Sea-Bird Scientific

**PID/Handle:** <https://hdl.handle.net/10013/sensor.b6d9e55f-5420-4fcf-938a-4c6b027f9657>

#### 4. Parameter Description

**Short Name:** water\_temperature

**Long Name:** water temperature

45 **full URN:** vessel:meteor:tsg\_meteor:sbe\_38\_0749:water\_temperature

**ID:** 87922

**UUID:** 95d33861-488b-45a0-b27a-1ffdcb193a85

**Type:** water temperature

**Unit:** °C

50 **Comment:**

**Measurement Properties:** none

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#### 5. Processing

55 This instrument measures temperature of sea water (Sea-Bird Electronics 2020). Usually, an additional thermosalinograph SBE21 (Sea-Bird Electronics 2015) is related to the SBE38. All data are stored through the data management system DAVIS-SHIP (DSHIP). After the cruise all data are transferred to the DSHIP land system. From there data are obtained for further evaluation.

##### 5.1. Acquisition

60 The SBE38 is installed directly at the sea water inlet in about 5m depth (Bergmann 2021).

**Auxiliary Files:**

**Name:** "Meteor" Bordhandbuch für Expeditionsteilnehmer

**Type:** Manual

**Description:** General overview on the research vessel Meteor with detailed information on onboard scientific devices

65 **URL:** <https://fiona.uni-hamburg.de/d1574276/meteorhandbuch.pdf>

**Last Modification:** Jan. 2021

**Name:** SBE21 SeaCAT Thermosalinograph

**Type:** Manual

70 **Description:** User manual of SBE45 MicroTSG Thermosalinograph

**URL:** <https://www.seabird.com/asset-get.download.jsa?id=54627862330>

**Last Modification:** 2015

**Name:** SBE38 Digital Oceanographic Thermometer

75 **Type:** Manual

**Description:** User manual of SBE38 Digital Oceanographic Thermometer

**URL:** <https://www.seabird.com/asset-get.download.jsa?id=54627862501>

**Last Modification:** 2020

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##### 5.2. Extraction

Data are extracted from the DSHIP land system at BSH (dship.bsh.de). The data are stored per cruise and extracted likewise. Together with accompanying system parameters like latitude, longitude, ships speed, and flow rate

through the system, all relevant SBE38 parameters are extracted in one-second resolution. Output of the extraction  
85 is the usual DSHIP export, consisting of a folder with three files, (1) a \*.dat ASCII-data file, (2) a \*.xml order-file  
and (3) a \*.sys log-file.

**Auxiliary Files:** none

### 5.3. Conversion

90 The aforementioned DSHIP-Export is processed with Python with the following steps: (1) parsing of the data file  
with the output of a Geodataframe using the time as index, (2) checking for dummy-values, (3) comparison of  
position data against Mastertrack, (4) checking whether position data are in an EEZ, (5) averaging into one-minute  
means, (6) several quality tests (global range test, spike test, gradient test, test of adjacent values, flow speed test),  
and (if applicable) (7) calibration of temperature data with independent data (usually CTD data from inlet depth).

95 **Software:** -

**Network Share Name:** - ← *public version, input cropped*

**Filename Convention:** -

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**Auxiliary Files:**

100 **Name:** -

**Type:** -

**Description:** -

**URL:** -

**Last Modification:** -

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## 6. Ingest

Ingest is part of the O2A process chain (Koppe et al. 2015, Gerchow et al. 2017) and is the starting point to collect,  
store, and redistribute data and metadata.

110 There is no automated data transfer available for this workflow. All data must be retrieved manually from BSH.

**Protocol:** MDM

**Project path:** *public version, input removed*

**Campaign Data:** yes

**Filename Convention:** per campaign

115 **Expected Data Interval:** per campaign

**Ingest Data Interval:** per campaign

**Mapping:** -

**Save Directory:** -

**json/xml:**

120 **Script:** -

**Script call:**

**Repository:** -

## 7. Storage

### 125 7.1. Raw Data

**Location** *public version, input cropped*

**Backup Policy:** does not apply

### 7.2. Near Real-Time Data

130 **Info:** no NRT for this workflow

**Service:** [link to near real-time data service](#)

### 7.3. Publications and further Reading

**Publication:** Wollschläger and Schlundt 2022, Menapace and Schlundt 2021, Koschinsky and Schlundt 2021,  
135 Hübscher and Schlundt 2022, Hansteen and Schlundt 2022, Grevemeyer and Schlundt 2022, Geldmacher and  
Schlundt 2022, Dürkefälden and Schlundt 2021, Achterberg and Schlundt 2022

**Further Reading:** This device and workflow is part of DAM, please check <https://www.allianz-meeresforschung.de/>  
for further information.

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