

Interactive comment on “From pole to pole: 33 years of physical oceanography on board of R/V POLARSTERN” by Amelie Driemel et al.

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Dear authors,

from the beginning I saw the importance of your paper and data set. Looking at the referees' comments I would like to have from you a couple of clarifications:

- you answered that SeaDataNet is harvesting Pangaea data. My question is: is a partner of SeaDataNet doing this? Is it the SDN coordinator? For me this is important, since is demonstrating the need of stronger collaborations among different communities.

- the use of controlled vocabularies is of paramount importance also for interoperability. Please specify this aspect in the paper.

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