# SEACAR Continuous Water Quality Analysis: Salinity Southeast Region

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# Purpose

The purpose of this script is to analyze the continuous salinity data that is created from the SEACAR database, apply filtering criteria, create summary plots, and perform seasonal Kendall Tau analysis for each program location and summary statistics for values measured at the desired depth.

All scripts and outputs can be found on the SEACAR GitHub repository:

https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Panzik

Note: The top 2% of data is excluded when computing mean and standard deviations in plotting sections solely for the purpose of getting y-axis scales. The exclusion of the top 2% is not used in any statistics that are exported.

### Adjustable Inputs

This is placed early so that is is easier to edit parameters that users may want to adjust.

The first variable is whether you want to create the summary plots in the appendices. If you want to see all appendix plots, set APP\_Plots to TRUE. If you would like to only perform the analysis and export the data files with minimal plots, set APP\_Plots to FALSE. This option is available because generating the plots in the appendices increases the processing time significantly.

Since the file names all have similar structure with only the parameter name being varied, the code below sets variables to include standard string information that is the same across all data files.

This includes: the raw data directory (in\_dir), output file directory (out\_dit), file prefix (file\_pref), date the files were created from the database (file\_date), the name of the parameter of interest (param\_name), and region location (region). The complete file name is created by pasting all of the strings together with the specific parameter name without spaces (paste0 command).

```
APP_Plots <- TRUE
in_dir <- "data/"
out_dir <- "output/"
file_pref <- "Combined_WQ_WC_NUT_cont_"
file_date <- "2022-Apr-12"
param_name <- "Salinity"
region <- "SE"</pre>
```

#### Libraries

Loads libraries used in the script. The inclusion of scipen option limits how frequently R defaults to scientific notation.

```
library(knitr)
library(data.table)
library(dplyr)
library(lubridate)
library(ggplot2)
library(ggpubr)
library(scales)
library(tidyr)
options(scipen = 999)
```

# File Import

Creates file name from inputs above and read in the file from txt format with pipe delimiters.

The code creates output directories for the output files if they don't exist in the directory.

The command fread is used because of its improved speed while handling large data files. Only columns that are used by the script are imported from the file, and are designated in the select input.

# **Data Filtering**

Most data filtering is performed on export from the database, and is indicated by the Include variable. Include values of 1 indicate the data should be used for analysis, values of 0 indicate the data should not be used for analysis. Documentation on the database filtering is provided here: SEACAR Documentation-Analysis Filters and Calculations.docx

The filtering that is performed by the script at this point removes rows that are missing values for ResultValue and RelativeDepth, and removes any activity type that has "Blank" in the description. Data passes the filtering the process if it is has an Include value of 1.

The script then gets the units of the parameter, sets the SampleDate as a date object, and creates various scales of the date to be used by plotting functions.

Because the continuous data is extensive and most measurements are taken every 15 minutes, a daily average is determined and used based on grouping ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID, and SampleDate. The new ResultValue is the mean of all values on that date from that specific monitoring location.

Creates a variable for each MonitoringID which is defined as a unique combination of ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramAreaName, and ProgramLocationID.

After the initial filtering, a second filter variable is created to determine whether enough time is represented in the managed area, which is that each managed area has 5 year or more of unique year entries for observation that pass the initial filter. If data passes the first set of filtering criteria and the time criteria, they are used in the analysis.

```
data$Include <- as.logical(data$Include)
data <- data[data$Include==TRUE,]
data <- data[!is.na(data$ResultValue),]
data <- data[!is.na(data$RelativeDepth),]
data <- data[!grep("Blank", data$ActivityType),]

if(param_name == "Water_Temperature"){
   data <- data[data$ResultValue>=-5,]
} else{
   data <- data[data$ResultValue>=0,]
```

```
unit <- unique(data$ParameterUnits)</pre>
data <- data %>%
   group_by(ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID,
            SampleDate) %>%
   summarise(Year = unique(Year), Month = unique(Month),
             RelativeDepth = unique(RelativeDepth),
             ResultValue = mean(ResultValue), Include = unique(Include))
## 'summarise()' has grouped output by 'ManagedAreaName', 'ProgramID', 'ProgramName', 'ProgramLocationI
data$SampleDate <- as.Date(data$SampleDate)</pre>
data$YearMonth <- pasteO(data$Month, "-", data$Year)</pre>
data$YearMonthDec <- data$Year + ((data$Month-0.5) / 12)</pre>
data$DecDate <- decimal_date(data$SampleDate)</pre>
data <- as.data.table(data[order(data$ManagedAreaName, data$ProgramID, data$ProgramName,
                                  data$ProgramLocationID), ])
data <- data %>%
   mutate(MonitoringID = group_indices(., ManagedAreaName, ProgramID,
                                         ProgramName, ProgramLocationID))
## Warning: The '...' argument of 'group_keys()' is deprecated as of dplyr 1.0.0.
## Please 'group_by()' first
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call 'lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()' to see where this warning was generated.
Mon_Years <- data[data$Include == TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(MonitoringID) %>%
   summarize(ManagedAreaName = unique(ManagedAreaName),
             ProgramID = unique(ProgramID), ProgramName = unique(ProgramName),
             ProgramLocationID = unique(ProgramLocationID),
             Y = length(unique(Year)), RelativeDepth = unique(RelativeDepth))
Mon_Years <- as.data.table(Mon_Years[</pre>
   order(Mon Years$MonitoringID), ])
Mon_Years$Enough_Time <- ifelse(Mon_Years$Y < 5, FALSE, TRUE)</pre>
data$Exclude_MonitoringID <- is.element(data$MonitoringID,</pre>
                                         Mon_Years$MonitoringID[
                                             Mon_Years$Enough_Time == FALSE])
data$Use_In_Analysis <- ifelse(data$Include == TRUE &</pre>
                                   data$Exclude_MonitoringID == FALSE,
                                TRUE, FALSE)
Mon_IDs <- unique(data$MonitoringID[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE])</pre>
Mon_IDs <- Mon_IDs[order(Mon_IDs)]</pre>
n <- length(Mon_IDs)</pre>
```

### **Monitoring Location Statistics**

Gets summary statistics for each monitoring location. Excluded monitoring locations are not included into whether the data should be used or not. Uses piping from dplyr package to feed into subsequent steps. The following steps are performed:

- 1. Take the data variable and only include rows that have a Use\_In\_Analysis value of TRUE
- 2. Group data that have the same ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID, Year, and Month.
  - Second summary statistics consider the monitoring location grouping and Year.
  - Third summary statistics consider the monitoring location grouping and Month.
- 3. For each group, provide the following information: Earliest Sample Date (EarliestSampleDate), Latest Sample Date (LastSampleDate), Number of Entries (N), Lowest Value (Min), Largest Value (Max), Median, Mean, Standard Deviation, and a list of all Program IDs included in these measurements.
- 4. Sort the data in ascending (A to Z and 0 to 9) order based on ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID, Year, and Month in that order.
- 5. Write summary stats to a pipe-delimited .txt file in the output directory

```
Mon YM Stats <- data[data$Use In Analysis == TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID,
            Year, Month) %>%
   summarize(RelativeDepth = unique(RelativeDepth),
             EarliestSampleDate = min(SampleDate),
             LastSampleDate = max(SampleDate), N = length(ResultValue),
             Min = min(ResultValue), Max = max(ResultValue),
             Median = median(ResultValue), Mean = mean(ResultValue),
             StandardDeviation = sd(ResultValue))
Mon_YM_Stats <- as.data.table(Mon_YM_Stats[order(Mon_YM_Stats$ManagedAreaName,
                                                 Mon_YM_Stats$ProgramID,
                                                 Mon_YM_Stats$ProgramName,
                                                 Mon_YM_Stats$ProgramLocationID,
                                                 Mon_YM_Stats$Year,
                                                 Mon_YM_Stats$Month), ])
fwrite(Mon_YM_Stats, paste0(out_dir,"/", param_name, "_", file_date, "_", region,
                            "_MonitoringLoc_YearMonth_Stats.txt"), sep = "|")
Mon_Y_Stats <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID,
            Year) %>%
   summarize(RelativeDepth = unique(RelativeDepth),
             EarliestSampleDate = min(SampleDate),
             LastSampleDate = max(SampleDate), N = length(ResultValue),
             Min = min(ResultValue), Max = max(ResultValue),
             Median = median(ResultValue), Mean = mean(ResultValue),
             StandardDeviation = sd(ResultValue))
Mon_Y_Stats <- as.data.table(Mon_Y_Stats[order(Mon_Y_Stats$ManagedAreaName,
                                               Mon_Y_Stats$ProgramID,
                                               Mon_Y_Stats$ProgramName,
                                               Mon_Y_Stats$ProgramLocationID,
                                               Mon_Y_Stats$Year), ])
fwrite(Mon_Y_Stats, paste0(out_dir,"/", param_name, "_", file_date, "_", region,
                           "_MonitoringLoc_Year_Stats.txt"), sep = "|")
```

```
Mon_M_Stats <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, ProgramLocationID,
            Month) %>%
   summarize(RelativeDepth = unique(RelativeDepth),
             EarliestSampleDate = min(SampleDate),
             LastSampleDate = max(SampleDate), N = length(ResultValue),
             Min = min(ResultValue), Max = max(ResultValue),
             Median = median(ResultValue), Mean = mean(ResultValue),
             StandardDeviation = sd(ResultValue))
Mon_M_Stats <- as.data.table(Mon_M_Stats[order(Mon_M_Stats$ManagedAreaName,</pre>
                                                Mon_M_Stats$ProgramID,
                                                Mon_M_Stats$ProgramName,
                                                Mon_M_Stats$ProgramLocationID,
                                                Mon M Stats$Month), ])
fwrite(Mon_M_Stats, paste0(out_dir,"/", param_name, "_", file_date, "_", region,
                            "_MonitoringLoc_Month_Stats.txt"), sep = "|")
```

### Seasonal Kendall Tau Analysis

Gets seasonal Kendall Tau statistics using the kendallSeasonalTrendTest from the EnvStats package. The Trend parameter is determined from a user-defined function based on the median, Senn slope, and p values from the data. Analysis modified from that performed at The Water Atlas: https://sarasota.wateratlas.usf.edu/water-quality-trends/#analysis-overview

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Define the trend function.
- 2. Take the data variable and only include rows that have a Use In Analysis value of TRUE
- 3. Group data that have the same ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, and ProgramLocationID.
- 4. For each group, provides the following information: Earliest Sample Date (EarliestSampleDate), Latest Sample Date (LastSampleDate), Number of Entries (N), Lowest Value (Min), Largest Value (Max), Median, Mean, Standard Deviation,
- 5. For each group, a temporary variable is created to run the kendallSeasonalTrendTest function using the Year values for year, and Month as the seasonal qualifier, and Trend.
  - An independent obs value of TRUE indicates that the data should be treated as not being serially
    auto-correlated. An independent obs value of FALSE indicates that it is treated as being serially auto-correlated, but also requires one observation per season per year for the full time of
    observation.
  - tau, Senn Slope (SennSlope), Senn Intercept (SennIntercept), and p are extracted from the model results.
- 6. The two stats tables are merged based on similar groups, and then Trend is determined from the user-defined function.
- 7. Write summary stats to a pipe-delimited .txt file in the output directory

- Click this text to open Git directory with output files
- 8. Add the Monitoring IDS to KT. Stats for easier use while plotting.

```
tauSeasonal <- function(data, independent, stats.median, stats.minYear,</pre>
                          stats.maxYear) {
   tau <- NULL
   tryCatch({
      ken <-
         kendallSeasonalTrendTest(
             y = data$ResultValue,
             season = data$Month,
             year = data$Year,
             independent.obs = independent
         )
      tau <- ken$estimate[1]</pre>
      p <- ken$p.value[2]</pre>
      slope <- ken$estimate[2]</pre>
      intercept <- ken$estimate[3]</pre>
      trend <- trend_calculator(slope, stats.median, p)</pre>
   }, warning = function(w) {
      print(w)
   }, error = function(e) {
      print(e)
   }, finally = {
      if (!exists("tau")) {
          tau <- NULL
      if (!exists("p")) {
         p <- NULL
      if (!exists("slope")) {
          slope <- NULL</pre>
      if (!exists("intercept")) {
          intercept <- NULL</pre>
      }
      if (!exists("trend")) {
          trend <- NULL
   })
   KT <-c(unique(data$MonitoringID),</pre>
           independent,
           stats.median,
           nrow(data),
           stats.minYear,
           stats.maxYear,
           tau,
           slope,
           intercept,
           trend)
   return(KT)
}
```

```
runStats <- function(data) {</pre>
   data$Index <- as.Date(data$SampleDate) # , "%Y-%m-%d")</pre>
   data$ResultValue <- as.numeric(data$ResultValue)</pre>
   # Calculate basic stats
   stats.median <- median(data$ResultValue, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
   stats.minYear <- min(data$Year, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
   stats.maxYear <- max(data$Year, na.rm = TRUE)</pre>
   # Calculate Kendall Tau and Slope stats, then update appropriate columns and table
   KT <- tauSeasonal(data, TRUE, stats.median,</pre>
                      stats.minYear, stats.maxYear)
   if (is.null(KT[11])) {
      KT <- tauSeasonal(data, FALSE, stats.median,</pre>
                         stats.minYear, stats.maxYear)
   if (is.null(KT.Stats) == TRUE) {
      KT.Stats <- KT</pre>
   } else{
      KT.Stats <- rbind(KT.Stats, KT)</pre>
   return(KT.Stats)
trend_calculator <- function(slope, median_value, p) {</pre>
   trend <-
      if (p < .05 \& abs(slope) > abs(median_value) / 10.) {
         if (slope > 0) {
             2
         }
         else {
             -2
         }
   else if (p < .05 & abs(slope) < abs(median_value) / 10.) {</pre>
      if (slope > 0) {
         1
      }
      else {
         -1
   }
   else
   return(trend)
}
KT.Stats <- NULL
# Loop that goes through each managed area. List of managed areas stored in MA_Years$ManagedAreaName
c_names <- c("MonitoringID", "Independent", "Median", "N", "EarliestYear",</pre>
              "LatestYear", "tau", "p", "SennSlope", "SennIntercept", "Trend")
if(n==0){
   c_names <- c("ManagedAreaName", "ProgramID", "ProgramName",</pre>
                 "ProgramLocationID", "Independent", "Median", "N",
                 "EarliestYear", "LatestYear", "tau", "p", "SennSlope",
                 "SennIntercept", "Trend")
   KT.Stats <- data.frame(matrix(ncol=14, nrow=0))</pre>
```

```
colnames(KT.Stats) <- c_names</pre>
   fwrite(KT.Stats, paste0(out_dir,"/", param_name, "_", file_date, "_", region,
                             "_KendallTau_Stats.txt"), sep = "|")
} else{
   for (i in 1:n) {
      values <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                          data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ]
      if (nrow(values) > 0) {
         KT.Stats <- runStats(values)</pre>
   }
   KT.Stats <- as.data.frame(KT.Stats)</pre>
   if(dim(KT.Stats)[2]==1){
      KT.Stats <- as.data.frame(t(KT.Stats))</pre>
   c_names <- c("MonitoringID", "Independent", "Median", "N", "EarliestYear",</pre>
                 "LatestYear", "tau", "p", "SennSlope", "SennIntercept", "Trend")
   colnames(KT.Stats) <- c_names</pre>
   rownames(KT.Stats) <- seq(1:nrow(KT.Stats))</pre>
   KT.Stats$Independent <- as.logical(KT.Stats$Independent)</pre>
   KT.Stats$Median <- as.numeric(KT.Stats$Median)</pre>
   KT.Stats$N <- as.integer(KT.Stats$N)</pre>
   KT.Stats$EarliestYear <- as.integer(KT.Stats$EarliestYear)</pre>
   KT.Stats$LatestYear <- as.integer(KT.Stats$LatestYear)</pre>
   KT.Stats$tau <- round(as.numeric(KT.Stats$tau), digits=4)</pre>
   KT.Stats$p <- round(as.numeric(KT.Stats$p), digits=4)</pre>
   KT.Stats$SennSlope <- as.numeric(KT.Stats$SennSlope)</pre>
   KT.Stats$SennIntercept <- as.numeric(KT.Stats$SennIntercept)</pre>
   KT.Stats$Trend <- as.integer(KT.Stats$Trend)</pre>
   KT.Stats <- merge.data.frame(Mon_Years[,-c("Y", "Enough_Time")], KT.Stats, by = "MonitoringID")</pre>
   KT.Stats$MonitoringID <- NULL</pre>
   fwrite(KT.Stats, paste0(out_dir,"/", param_name, "_", file_date, "_", region,
                             "_KendallTau_Stats.txt"), sep = "|")
   KT.Stats$MonitoringID <- Mon_IDs</pre>
```

# Appendix I: Dataset Summary Box Plots

Box plots are created by using the entire data set and excludes any data that has been previously filtered out. The scripts that create plots follow this format

- 1. Use the data set that only has Use\_In\_Analysis of TRUE
- 2. Set what values are to be used for the x-axis, y-axis, and the variable that should determine groups for the box plots
- 3. Set the plot type as a box plot with the size of the outlier points
- 4. Create the title, x-axis, y-axis, and color fill labels
- 5. Set the y and x limits
- 6. Make the axis labels bold

#### 7. Plot the arrangement as a set of panels

This set of box plots are grouped by year.

```
min_RV <- min(data$ResultValue[data$Include == TRUE])</pre>
mn RV <- mean(data$ResultValue[data$Include == TRUE &</pre>
                                   data$ResultValue <</pre>
                                   quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
sd_RV <- sd(data$ResultValue[data$Include == TRUE &</pre>
                                 data$ResultValue <
                                 quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
y_scale \leftarrow mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV
p1 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],
             aes(x = Year, y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Autoscale", x = "Year",
        y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p2 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],</pre>
             aes(x = Year, y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation", x = "Year",
        y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y scale) + theme(axis.text.x = element text(face = "bold"),
                             axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p3 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],
             aes(x = as.integer(Year), y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(max(data$Year) - 10.5, max(data$Year)+0.5),
                      breaks = seq(max(data$Year) - 10, max(data$Year), 2)) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
set <- ggarrange(p1, p2, p3, ncol = 1)</pre>
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title = "Summary Box Plots for Entire Data",
                      subtitle = "By Year") + theme bw() +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
         panel.border = element_blank(), panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
Yset <- ggarrange(p0, set, ncol=1, heights = c(0.07, 1))
```

This set of box plots are grouped by year and month with the color being related to the month.

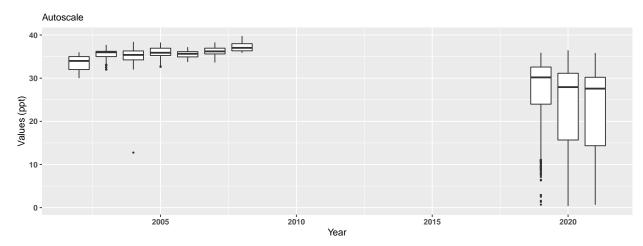
```
p1 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],</pre>
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Autoscale", x = "Year",
        y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), color="Month") +
   theme(legend.position = "top", legend.box = "horizontal",
         axis.text.x = element text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold")) +
   guides(color = guide_legend(nrow = 1))
p2 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],</pre>
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 5x Standard Deviation",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y_scale) +
   theme(legend.position = "none", axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p3 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 5x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(max(data$Year) - 10.5, max(data$Year)+0.5),
                      breaks = seq(max(data$Year) - 10, max(data$Year), 2)) +
   theme(legend.position = "none", axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
leg <- get_legend(p1)</pre>
set <- ggarrange(leg, p1 + theme(legend.position = "none"), p2, p3, ncol = 1,</pre>
                 heights = c(0.1, 1, 1, 1)
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title = "Summary Box Plots for Entire Data",
                      subtitle = "By Year & Month") + theme_bw() +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
         panel.border = element_blank(), panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
YMset <- ggarrange(p0, set, ncol=1, heights = c(0.07, 1))
```

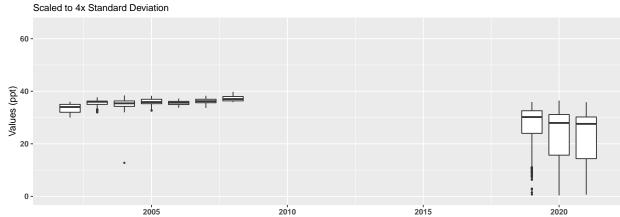
The following box plots are grouped by month with fill color being related to the month. This is designed to view potential seasonal trends.

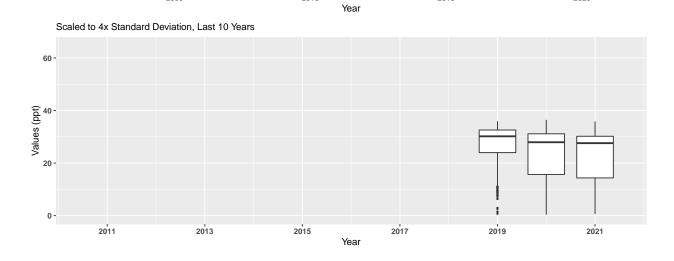
```
scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
   theme(legend.position = "top", legend.box = "horizontal",
         axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold")) +
   guides(fill = guide_legend(nrow = 1))
p2 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE, ],</pre>
             aes(x = Month, y = ResultValue,
                 group = Month, fill = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 5x Standard Deviation",
        x = "Month", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
   theme(legend.position = "none", axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p3 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Include == TRUE &
                            data$Year >= max(data$Year) - 10, ],
             aes(x = Month, y = ResultValue,
                 group = Month, fill = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 5x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
        x = "Month", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(0, y scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
   theme(legend.position = "none", axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
leg <- get_legend(p1)</pre>
set <- ggarrange(leg, p1 + theme(legend.position = "none"), p2, p3, ncol = 1,</pre>
                 heights = c(0.1, 1, 1, 1)
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title = "Summary Box Plots for Entire Data",</pre>
                      subtitle = "By Month") + theme_bw() +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
         panel.border = element_blank(), panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
Mset <- ggarrange(p0, set, ncol=1, heights = c(0.07, 1))</pre>
```

#### **Summary Box Plots for Entire Data**

By Year

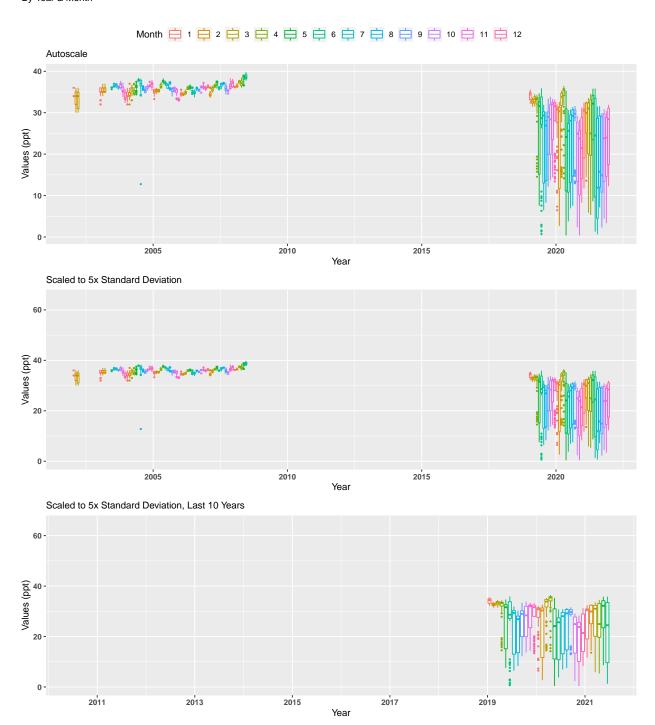






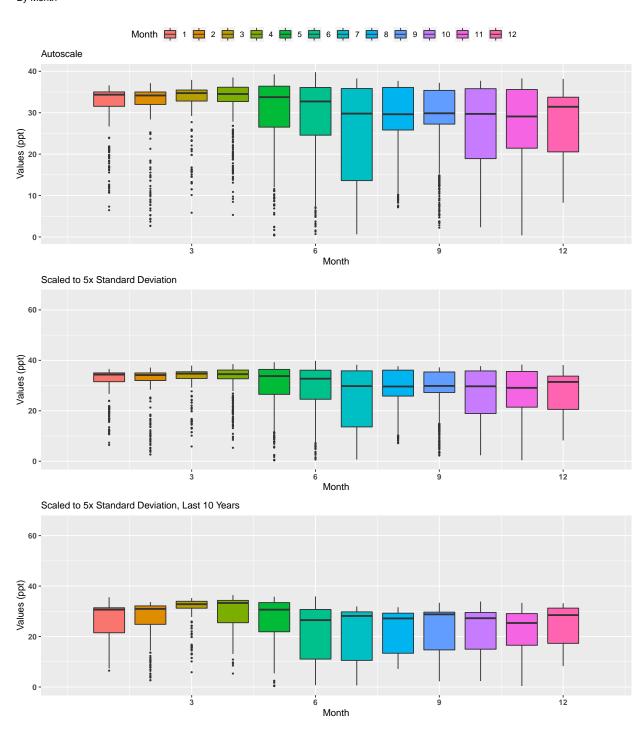
#### **Summary Box Plots for Entire Data**

By Year & Month



#### **Summary Box Plots for Entire Data**

By Month



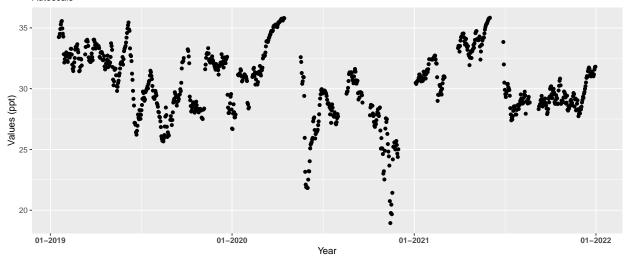
## Appendix II: Excluded Monitoring Locations

Scatter plots of data values are created for monitoring locationss that have fewer than 5 separate years of data entries.

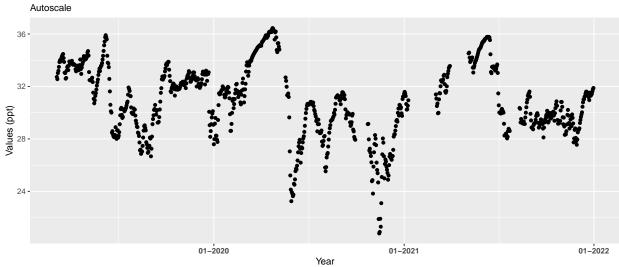
```
Mon_Exclude <- Mon_Years[Mon_Years$Enough_Time==FALSE,]</pre>
Mon_Exclude <- Mon_Exclude[order(Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID),]</pre>
z=length(Mon Exclude$MonitoringID)
if(z==0){
   print("There are no monitoring locations that qualify.")
} else {
   for(i in 1:z){
      MA_name <- unique(data$ManagedAreaName[</pre>
         data$MonitoringID==Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID[i]])
      Mon_name <- paste(unique(data$ProgramID[</pre>
         data$MonitoringID==Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID[i]]),
         unique(data$ProgramName[
            data$MonitoringID==Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID[i]]),
         unique(data$ProgramLocationID[
            data$MonitoringID==Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID[i]]),
         sep = " | ")
      p1<-ggplot(data=data[data$MonitoringID==Mon_Exclude$MonitoringID[i]&
                               data$Include == TRUE, ],
                 aes(x = SampleDate, y = ResultValue)) +
         geom_point() +
         labs(title=
                 pasteO("Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location ",
                         MA_name, "\n", Mon_name, "\n(", Mon_Exclude$Y[i],
                         " Unique Years)"),
              subtitle="Autoscale", x = "Year",
              y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
         theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold")) +
         scale_x_date(labels = date_format("%m-%Y"))
      print(p1)
   }
}
```

Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve 5077 | Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserves Continuous Water Quality Monitoring | BBBB14 (3 Unique Years)

Autoscale

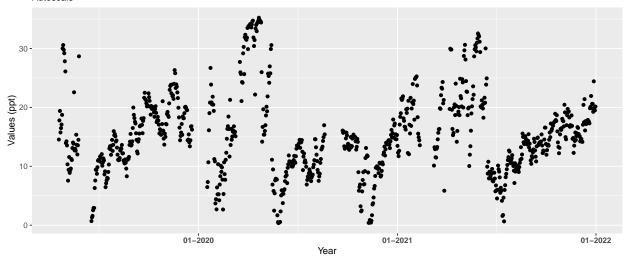


Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve 5077 | Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserves Continuous Water Quality Monitoring | BBJT71 (3 Unique Years)



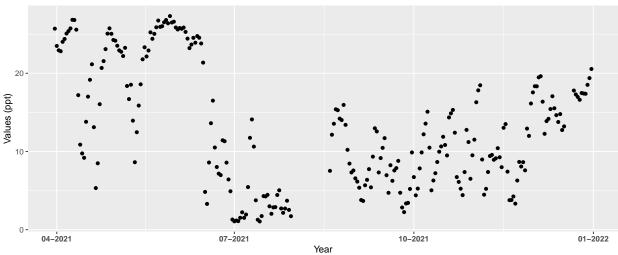
Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve 5077 | Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserves Continuous Water Quality Monitoring | BBLR03 (3 Unique Years)

Autoscale

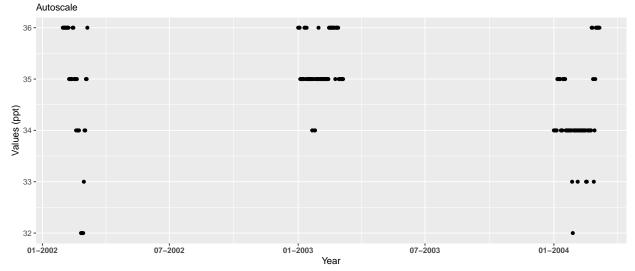


Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserve 5077 | Biscayne Bay Aquatic Preserves Continuous Water Quality Monitoring | BBMRDW (1 Unique Years)

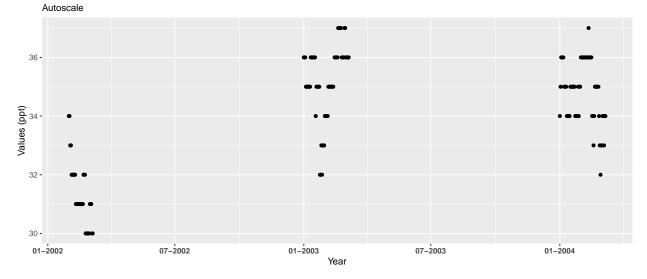




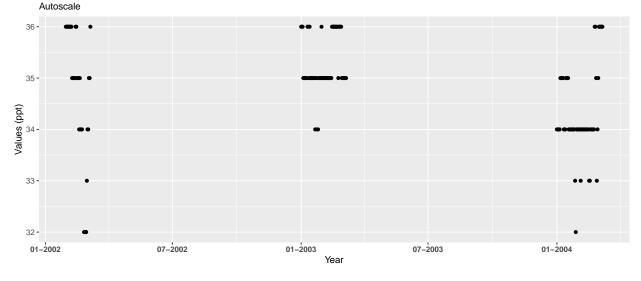
Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary 7 | National Water Information System | 245323080410100 (3 Unique Years)



Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary 7 | National Water Information System | 245622080364200 (3 Unique Years)



Scatter Plot of Excluded Monitoring Location Lignumvitae Key Aquatic Preserve 7 | National Water Information System | 245323080410100 (3 Unique Years)



# Appendix III: Monitoring Location Trendlines

The plots created in this section are designed to show the general trend of the data. Data is taken and grouped by MonitoringID. The trendlines on the plots are created using the Senn slope and intercept from the seasonal Kendall Tau analysis. The scripts that create plots follow this format

- 1. Use the data set that only has Use\_In\_Analysis of TRUE for the desired monitoring location
- 2. Determine the earliest and latest year of the data to create x-axis scale and intervals
- 3. Determine the minimum, mean, and standard deviation for the data to be used for y-axis scales
  - Excludes the top 2% of values to reduce the impact of extreme outliers on the y-axis scale
- 4. Set what values are to be used for the x-axis, y-axis, and the variable that should determine groups for the plots
- 5. Set the plot type as a point plot with the size of the points
- 6. Add the linear trend
- 7. Create the title, x-axis, y-axis, and color fill labels
- 8. Set the y and x limits
- 9. Make the axis labels bold
- 10. Plot the arrangement as a set of panels

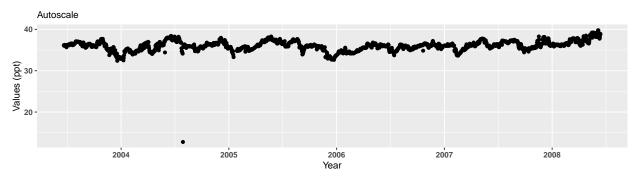
```
data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]])
mn_RV <- mean(data$ResultValue[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                    data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                                    data$ResultValue <
                                    quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
sd_RV <- sd(data$ResultValue[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                 data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                                 data$ResultValue <</pre>
                                 quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
x_scale <- ifelse(year_upper - year_lower > 30, 10, 5)
y_scale \leftarrow mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV
tau <- KT.Stats$tau[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]</pre>
s_slope <- KT.Stats$SennSlope[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]</pre>
s_int <- KT.Stats$SennIntercept[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]</pre>
trend <- KT.Stats$Trend[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]</pre>
p <- KT.Stats$p[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]</pre>
model <- lm(ResultValue ~ DecDate,</pre>
            data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]])
m_int <- coef(model)[[1]]</pre>
m slope <- coef(model)[[2]]</pre>
MA_name <- KT.Stats$ManagedAreaName[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]
Mon name <- paste(KT.Stats$ProgramID[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]],</pre>
   KT.Stats$ProgramName[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]],
   KT.Stats$ProgramLocationID[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]],
   sep = " | ")
p1 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                             data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = DecDate, y = ResultValue)) +
   geom_point(size = 1.5) +
   geom_abline(aes(slope=s_slope, intercept=s_int),
               color="red", size=1.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Autoscale",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face="bold"))
p2 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                             data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = DecDate, y = ResultValue)) +
   geom_point(size = 1.5) +
   geom_abline(aes(slope=s_slope, intercept=s_int),
               color="red", size=1.5) +
   ylim(min_RV-0.1*y_scale, y_scale) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face="bold"))
KTset <- ggarrange(p1, p2, ncol = 1, heights = c(1, 1))</pre>
```

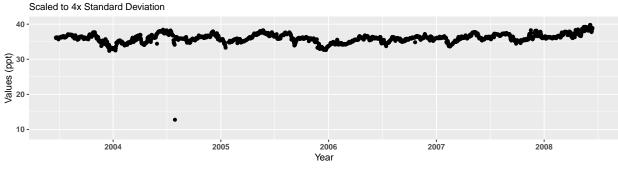
```
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title = paste0("Data Points with Trendlines for ",
                                            MA_name, "\n", Mon_name),
                            subtitle =paste0("Senn Slope = ", s_slope,
                                                     Senn Intercept = ", s_int,
                                              "\nTrend = ", trend,
                                                     tau = ", tau,
                                                     p = ", p,
                                              "\nLinear Trendline: ",
                                              "y = ", m_slope, "x + ", m_int)) +
         theme_bw() + theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
                            panel.border = element_blank(),
                            panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
                            panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
                            axis.line = element_blank())
      print(ggarrange(p0, KTset, ncol = 1, heights = c(0.20, 1)))
   }
}
```

#### **Data Points with Trendlines for Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary**

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Senn Slope = 0.12944444444444445, Senn Intercept = -404.001963498266 Trend = 1, tau = 0.1175, p = 0 Linear Trendline: y = 0.191559208635439x + -348.261795097725





# Appendix IV: Monitoring Location Summary Box Plots

Data is taken and grouped by MonitoringID. The scripts that create plots follow this format

1. Use the data set that only has Use\_In\_Analysis of TRUE for the desired monitoring location

- 2. Determine the earliest and latest year of the data to create x-axis scale and intervals
- 3. Determine the minimum, mean, and standard deviation for the data to be used for y-axis scales
  - Excludes the top 2% of values to reduce the impact of extreme outliers on the y-axis scale
- 4. Set what values are to be used for the x-axis, y-axis, and the variable that should determine groups for the box plots
- 5. Set the plot type as a box plot with the size of the outlier points
- 6. Create the title, x-axis, y-axis, and color fill labels
- 7. Set the y and x limits
- 8. Make the axis labels bold
- 9. Plot the arrangement as a set of panels

The following plots are arranged by MonitoringID with data grouped by Year, then Year and Month, then finally Month only. Each program area will have 3 sets of plots, each with 3 panels in them. Each panel goes as follows:

- 1. Y-axis autoscaled
- 2. Y-axis set to be mean + 4 times the standard deviation
- 3. Y-axis set to be mean + 4 times the standard deviation for most recent 10 years of data

```
if(n==0){
   print("There are no monitoring locations that qualify.")
} else {
   for (i in 1:n) {
      year_lower <- min(data$Year[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                      data$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]])
      year_upper <- max(data$Year[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                       data$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]])
      min_RV <- min(data$ResultValue[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                          data$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]])
      mn_RV <- mean(data$ResultValue[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                          data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                                          data$ResultValue <</pre>
                                          quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
      sd_RV <- sd(data$ResultValue[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &</pre>
                                        data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                                        data$ResultValue <</pre>
                                        quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
      x_scale <- ifelse(year_upper - year_lower > 30, 10, 5)
      y_scale <- mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV</pre>
      MA_name <- KT.Stats$ManagedAreaName[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]]
      Mon_name <- paste(KT.Stats$ProgramID[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]],</pre>
         KT.Stats$ProgramName[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i]],
         KT.Stats$ProgramLocationID[KT.Stats$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i]],
         sep = " | ")
      ##Year plots
      p1 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                                   data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
                    aes(x = Year, y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
         geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
         labs(subtitle = "Autoscale",
              x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
```

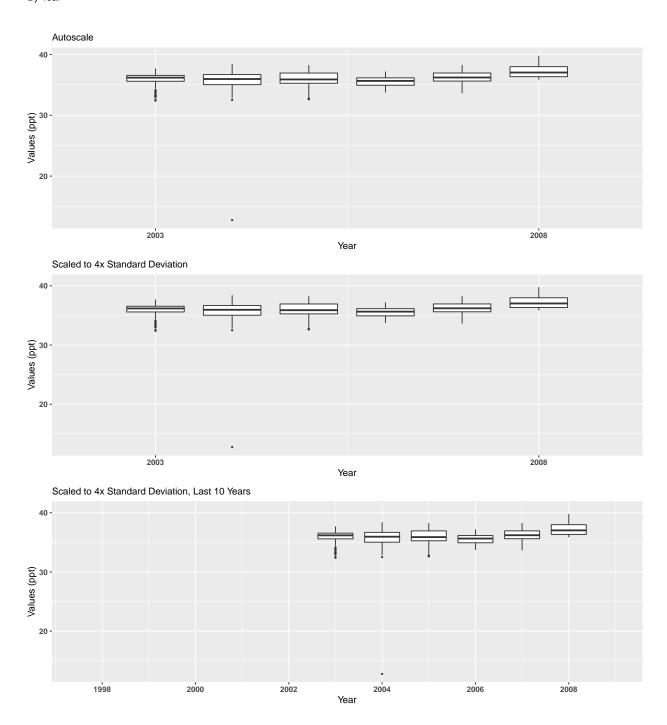
```
scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_lower - 1, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper,
                                       year_lower, -x_scale))) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p2 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = Year, y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_lower - 1, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper,
                                       year_lower, -x_scale))) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p3 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                            data$Year>=year_upper-10, ],
             aes(x = Year, y = ResultValue, group = Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(min RV, y scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_upper - 10.5, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper, year_upper - 10,-2))) +
   theme(axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
Yset <- ggarrange(p1, p2, p3, ncol = 1)</pre>
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title = paste0("Summary Box Plots for ",
                                     MA_name, "\n", Mon_name),
                      subtitle = "By Year") +
   theme_bw() + theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
         panel.border = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
## Year & Month Plots
p4 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Autoscale",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), color = "Month") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_lower - 1, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper,
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year_lower, -x_scale))) +
   theme(legend.position = "none",
         axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
p5 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), color = "Month") +
   ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_lower - 1, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper,
                                       year_lower, -x_scale))) +
   theme(legend.position = "top", legend.box = "horizontal",
         axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold")) +
   guides(color = guide_legend(nrow = 1))
p6 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = YearMonthDec, y = ResultValue,
                 group = YearMonth, color = as.factor(Month)
             )) +
   geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
   labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
        x = "Year", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), color = "Month") +
   ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits = c(year_upper - 10.5, year_upper + 1),
                      breaks = rev(seq(year_upper, year_upper - 10,-2))) +
   theme(legend.position = "none",
         axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
         axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
leg1 <- get_legend(p5)</pre>
YMset <- ggarrange(leg1, p4, p5 + theme(legend.position = "none"), p6,
                   ncol = 1, heights = c(0.1, 1, 1, 1)
p00 <- ggplot() + labs(title = paste0("Summary Box Plots for ",
                                     MA_name, "\n", Mon_name),
                       subtitle = "By Year & Month") + theme bw() +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
         panel.border = element_blank(),
        panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
## Month Plots
p7 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                            data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
             aes(x = Month, y = ResultValue,
                 group = Month, fill = as.factor(Month))) +
```

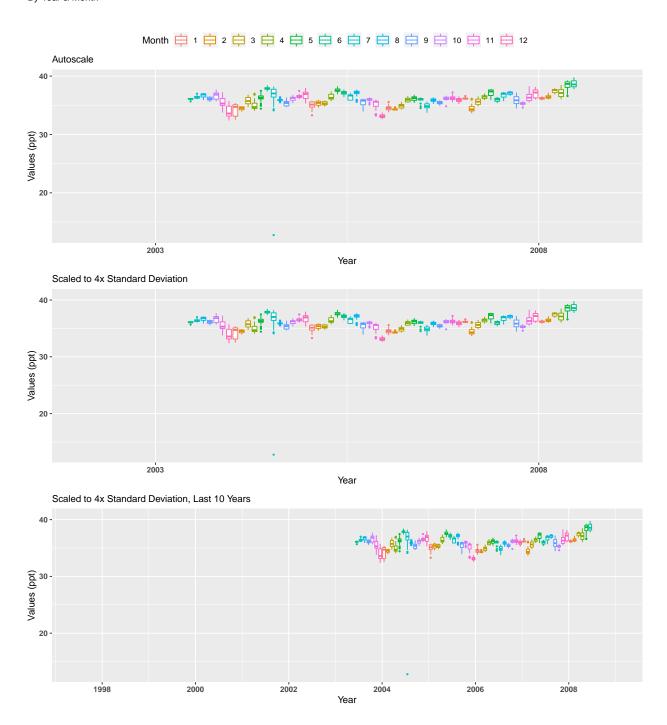
```
geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
      labs(subtitle = "Autoscale",
           x = "Month", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), fill = "Month") +
      scale_x = continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
      theme(legend.position = "none",
            axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
            axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
   p8 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                               data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i], ],
                aes(x = Month, y = ResultValue,
                    group = Month, fill = as.factor(Month))) +
      geom boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
      labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
           x = "Month", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), fill = "Month") +
      ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
      scale_x_continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
      theme(legend.position = "top", legend.box = "horizontal",
            axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
            axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold")) +
      guides(fill = guide_legend(nrow = 1))
   p9 <- ggplot(data = data[data$Use_In_Analysis == TRUE &
                               data$MonitoringID == Mon_IDs[i] &
                               data$Year >= year_upper - 10, ],
                aes(x = Month, y = ResultValue,
                    group = Month, fill = as.factor(Month))) +
      geom_boxplot(outlier.size = 0.5) +
      labs(subtitle = "Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
           x = "Month", y = paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), fill = "Month") +
      ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
      scale_x = continuous(limits = c(0, 13), breaks = seq(3, 12, 3)) +
      theme(legend.position = "none",
            axis.text.x = element_text(face = "bold"),
            axis.text.y = element_text(face = "bold"))
   leg2 <- get_legend(p8)</pre>
   Mset <- ggarrange(leg2, p7, p8 + theme(legend.position = "none"), p9,</pre>
                     ncol = 1, heights = c(0.1, 1, 1, 1)
   p000 <- ggplot() + labs(title = paste0("Summary Box Plots for ",
                                        MA_name, "\n", Mon_name),
                           subtitle = "By Month") + theme bw() +
      theme(plot.title = element_text(face="bold"),
            panel.border = element_blank(),
            panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
            panel.grid.minor = element_blank(), axis.line = element_blank())
   print(ggarrange(p0, Yset, ncol = 1, heights = c(0.1, 1)))
   print(ggarrange(p00, YMset, ncol = 1, heights = c(0.1, 1)))
   print(ggarrange(p000, Mset, ncol = 1, heights = c(0.1, 1)))
}
```

}

# Summary Box Plots for Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary 2 | Atlantic Oceanographic and Meteorological Laboratory (AOML) South Florida Program Moored Instrument Array By Year



# Summary Box Plots for Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary 2 | Atlantic Oceanographic and Meteorological Laboratory (AOML) South Florida Program Moored Instrument Array By Year & Month



# Summary Box Plots for Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary 2 | Atlantic Oceanographic and Meteorological Laboratory (AOML) South Florida Program Moored Instrument Array | By Month

