# SEACAR Discrete Water Quality Analysis: Lab Bottom Total Nitrogen

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# **Important Notes**

These scripts were created by J.E. Panzik (jepanzik@usf.edu) for SEACAR. All scripts and outputs can be found on the SEACAR GitHub repository: https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Trend\_Analyses

This markdown file is designed to be compiled by SEACAR\_WC\_Discrete\_ReportRender.R (https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Trend\_Analyses/blob/main/WC\_Discrete/SEACAR\_WC\_Discrete ReportRender.R).

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.

### Libraries and Settings

Loads libraries used in the script. The inclusion of scipen option limits how frequently R defaults to scientific notation. Sets default settings for displaying warning and messages in created document, and sets figure dpi.

```
library(knitr)
library(data.table)
library(dplyr)
library(ggplot2)
library(ggpubr)
library(scales)
library(EnvStats)
library(tidyr)
library(kableExtra)
options(scipen=999)
knitr::opts_chunk$set(
    warning=FALSE,
    message=FALSE,
    dpi=200
)
```

# File Import

Imports file that is determined in the SEACAR WC Discrete ReportRender.R script.

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.

The script then gets the name of the parameter as it appears in the data file and units of the parameter.

 $The latest version of WC Discrete data is available at: \ https://usf.box.com/s/fbimxw4hrmazfn5b1d4jbn0addmcsld8$ 

The file being used for the analysis is:  $Combined_WQ_WC_NUT_Total_Nitrogen-2023-Jun-01.txt$ 

```
unit <- unique(data$ParameterUnits)
cat(paste("The data file(s) used:", file_short, sep="\n"))
## The data file(s) used:</pre>
```

### 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.pdf

The filtering that is performed by the script at this point removes rows that are missing values for ResultValue, and only keeps data that is measured at the relative depth (surface, bottom, etc.) and activity type (field or sample) of interest. This is partly handled on export with the RelativeDepth variable, but there are some measurements that are considered both surface and bottom based on measurement depth and total depth. By default, these are marked as Surface for RelativeDepth and receive a SEACAR\_QAQCFlag indicator of 12Q. Data passes the filtering the process if it is from the correct depth and has an Include value of 1. The script also only looks at data of the desired ActivityType which indicates whether it was measured in the field (Field) or in the lab (Sample).

After the initial filtering, a second filter variable is created to determine whether enough time is represented in the monitoring location, which is that each monitoring location has 10 year or more of unique year entries and have at least 2 consecutive years of observations with at least 2 repeating months for observations that pass the initial filter. If data passes the first set of filtering criteria and the time criteria, they are used in the analysis.

The function that determines whether a managed area has at least 2 consecutive years of observations with at least 2 repeating months takes the data, creates a list of the managed area and cycles through each managed area. For each managed area cycle:

1. List the unique years and put them in ascending order

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- 2. If there are fewer than 2 unique years, skip to the next area
- 3. If there are 2 or more unique years, start a loop that compares adjacent year entries for the area
  - Start with the first two year entries
- 4. See if the year entries are subsequent years (1 year apart)
  - If not, skip to next pair of years
- 5. For the two years being compared, get the list of months for each
- 6. Compare the two lists of months to see what months are the same
  - If there are two or more months that are the same, the managed area passes the criteria and is stored in a variable
- 7. The list of managed areas that pass the 2 consecutive years with at least 2 repeating months is returned and used to determine if there is sufficient data for analysis.

A data frame is created that stores summary information for each managed area. This information is stored and combined with the results of the Seasonal Kendall Tau analysis and export to a data file once combined.

The sufficient data qualifier is merged with the original data, and a variable Use\_In\_Analysis is created to indicate what data should be used.

```
# Removes data rows with missing ResultValue
data <- data[!is.na(data$ResultValue),]</pre>
# Changes "Sample" to "Lab" for ActivityType
data$ActivityType <- gsub("Sample", "Lab", data$ActivityType)</pre>
# Gets data for the specific activity type for Chlorophyll, salinity, TSS,
# and Turbidity
if((param_name=="Chlorophyll_a_uncorrected_for_pheophytin" |
    param_name=="Salinity" | param_name=="Total_Suspended_Solids_TSS" |
    param_name=="Turbidity") & activity!="All"){
   data <- data[grep(activity, data$ActivityType[!is.na(data$ActivityType)]),]</pre>
}
# Changes RelativeDepth to Bottom for the QAQC flag 12Q that indicates
# measurements are both surface and bottom if the relative depth is bottom
if (depth=="Bottom"){
   data$RelativeDepth[grep("12Q", data$SEACAR_QAQCFlagCode[
      data$RelativeDepth=="Surface"])] <- "Bottom"</pre>
}
# Removes missing RelativeDepth data and data for RelativeDepth not of interest
# from all parameters except Secchi Depth
if(param_name!="Secchi_Depth" & depth!="All"){
   data <- data[!is.na(data$RelativeDepth),]</pre>
   data <- data[data$RelativeDepth==depth,]</pre>
}
# Removes data rows that have "Blank" as an ActivityType
if(length(grep("Blank", data$ActivityType))>0){
   data <- data[-grep("Blank", data$ActivityType),]</pre>
}
# Removes data rows with ResultValue below 0, or -2 for Water_Temperature
if(param_name=="Water_Temperature"){
   data <- data[data$ResultValue>=-2,]
} else{
   data <- data[data$ResultValue>=0,]
# Changes Include to be either TRUE or FALSE
data$Include <- as.logical(data$Include)</pre>
# Changes Include to be TRUE for ProgramID 476 if it had the H value qualifier
data$Include[grep("H", data$ValueQualifier[data$ProgramID==476])] <- TRUE</pre>
# Change Include to be FALSE for Secchi_Depth with U value qualifier
if(param_name=="Secchi_Depth"){
   data$Include[grep("U", data$ValueQualifier)] <- FALSE</pre>
# Gets AreaID for data by merging data with the managed area list
data <- merge.data.frame(MA_All[,c("AreaID", "ManagedAreaName")],</pre>
             data, by="ManagedAreaName", all=TRUE)
# Creates function to checks managed area for at least 2 years of
# continuous consecutive data
DiscreteConsecutiveCheck <- function(con_data){</pre>
   # Gets AreaIDs
   IDs <- unique(con_data$AreaID[con_data$Include==TRUE &
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!is.na(con_data$Include)])
   # Loops through each AreaID
   for(i in 1:length(IDs)) {
      # Gets list of Years for AreaID
      Years <- unique(con_data$Year[con_data$AreaID==IDs[i] &
                         con data$Include==TRUE &
                         !is.na(con_data$Include)])
      # Puts Years in order
      Years <- Years[order(Years)]
      # If there are fewer than 2 years, skip to next AreaID
      if(length(Years)<2) {</pre>
         next
      # Starts loop to make sure there are at least 2 consecutive years
      # with consecutive months of data
      for(j in 2:length(Years)) {
         # If adjacent year entries are not 1 year apart, skip to the
         # next set of year entries
         if(Years[j]-Years[j-1]!=1) {
            next
         # Gets the list of months from the first year
         Months1 <- unique(con_data$Month[</pre>
            con_data$AreaID==IDs[i] &
               con data$Year==Years[j-1] &
               con data$Include==TRUE &
               !is.na(con_data$Include)])
         # Gets list of months for the second year
         Months2 <- unique(con_data$Month[</pre>
            con_data$AreaID==IDs[i] &
               con_data$Year==Years[j] &
               con_data$Include==TRUE &
               !is.na(con_data$Include)])
         # If there are more than 2 months shared between the two
         # years, the AreaID passes the check and is stored
         if(length(intersect(Months1, Months2))>=2) {
            # Creates variable for stored AreaID if it
            # doesn't exist
            if(exists("consecutive")==FALSE){
               consecutive <- IDs[i]</pre>
               break
            # Adds to variable for storing AreaID if does exist
               consecutive <- append(consecutive, IDs[i])</pre>
               break
         }
      }
   # After going through all AreaID, return variable with list of all
   # that pass
   return(consecutive)
}
```

```
# Stores the AreaID that pass the consecutive year check
consMonthIDs <- DiscreteConsecutiveCheck(data)</pre>
# Creates data frame with summary for each managed area
MA Summ <- data %>%
   group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName) %>%
   summarize(ParameterName=parameter,
          RelativeDepth=depth,
          ActivityType=activity,
          N_Data=length(ResultValue[Include==TRUE & !is.na(ResultValue)]),
          N_Years=length(unique(Year[Include==TRUE & !is.na(Year)])),
          EarliestYear=min(Year[Include==TRUE & N_Data!=0]),
          LatestYear=max(Year[Include==TRUE & N_Data!=0]),
          LastSampleDate=max(SampleDate[Include==TRUE]),
          ConsecutiveMonths=ifelse(unique(AreaID) %in%
                          consMonthIDs==TRUE, TRUE, FALSE),
          # Determines if monitoring location is sufficient for analysis
          # based on having more than O data entries, more than the
          # sufficient number of year, and the consecutive month criteria
          SufficientData=ifelse(N_Data>0 & N_Years>=suff_years &
                       ConsecutiveMonths == TRUE, TRUE, FALSE),
          Median=median(ResultValue[Include==TRUE & N_Data!=0], na.rm=TRUE))
MA_Summ$ConsecutiveMonths <- NULL
# Creates column in data that determines how many years from the start for each
# managed area
data <- data %>%
  group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName) %>%
  mutate(YearFromStart=Year-min(Year))
# Adds SufficientData column to data table based on managed area
data <- merge.data.frame(data, MA_Summ[,c("ManagedAreaName", "SufficientData")],</pre>
             by="ManagedAreaName")
# Creates Use_In_Analysis column for data that is determined if the row has
\# Include value of TRUE and SufficientData value of TRUE
data$Use_In_Analysis <- ifelse(data$Include==TRUE & data$SufficientData==TRUE,
                TRUE, FALSE)
# Rearranges the summary data frame columns to be AreaID, ManagedAreaName,
# ParameterName RelativeDepth, ActivityType, SufficientData, everything else
MA Summ <- MA Summ %>%
   select(AreaID, ManagedAreaName, ParameterName, RelativeDepth, ActivityType,
       SufficientData, everything())
# Puts summary data in order based on managed area
MA_Summ <- as.data.frame(MA_Summ[order(MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName), ])
# Put SampleDate as date object
data$SampleDate <- as.Date(data$SampleDate)</pre>
# Creates character object for Month and Year
data$YearMonth <- pasteO(data$Month, "-", data$Year)</pre>
# Creates variable that puts year and month into a decimal year format
data$YearMonthDec <- data$Year + ((data$Month-0.5) / 12)</pre>
# Converts ampleDate to a decimal date
data$DecDate <- decimal_date(data$SampleDate)</pre>
# Get list of and number of managed areas that are to be used in analysis
```

```
MA_Include <- MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName[MA_Summ$SufficientData==TRUE]

n <- length(MA_Include)

# Get list of and number of managed areas that are excluded from analysis

MA_Exclude <- MA_Summ[MA_Summ$N_Years<10 & MA_Summ$N_Years>0,]

MA_Exclude <- MA_Exclude[,c("ManagedAreaName", "N_Years")]

z <- nrow(MA_Exclude)
```

### Data Impacted by Specific Value Qualifiers

Reports the amount of data impacted by the H (for dissolved oxygen & pH in program 476), I, Q, S (for Secchi depth), and U value qualifiers. It determines how much of the data for the given ParametetrName, RelativeDepth, and ActivityType is impacted by each value qualifier. Percentages are determined using  $100^*$ (# of value qualifier)/(# of total data)

A variable is also created that determines if scatter plot points should be a different color based on value qualifiers of interest.

A summary data frame is created that determines the amount of data and percentage of data impacted by the value qualifiers for each managed area by year and is written to a csv file in the output directory. Columns with  $\mathbb{N}$  are the number impacted by the value qualifier, and those with  $\operatorname{perc}$  are the percent of the data for that managed area and year impacted by the value qualifier. + WC Discrete Output Files in SEACAR GitHub (https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Trend\_Analyses/tree/main/WQ\_Discrete/output)

```
# Find out how much total data exists and how much passed the initial filters
total <- length(data$Include)</pre>
pass_filter <- length(data$Include[data$Include==TRUE])</pre>
# Get the number and percentage of data entries impacted by value qualifier H
count_H <- length(grep("H", data$ValueQualifier[data$ProgramID==476]))</pre>
perc_H <- 100*count_H/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
# Get the number and percentage of data entries impacted by value qualifier I
count_I <- length(grep("I", data$ValueQualifier))</pre>
perc_I <- 100*count_I/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
# Get the number and percentage of data entries impacted by value qualifier Q
count_Q <- length(grep("Q", data$ValueQualifier))</pre>
perc Q <- 100*count Q/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
# Get the number and percentage of data entries impacted by value qualifier S
count_S <- length(grep("S", data$ValueQualifier))</pre>
perc_S <- 100*count_S/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
\# Get the number and percentage of data entries impacted by value qualifier U
count_U <- length(grep("U", data$ValueQualifier))</pre>
perc_U <- 100*count_U/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
# Copy ValueQualifier to a new VQ_Plot to create codes for plots
data$VQ_Plot <- data$ValueQualifier</pre>
# Determine if data with value qualifier H should be included for plots based
# on the parameter being observed
inc_H <- ifelse(param_name=="pH" | param_name=="Dissolved_Oxygen" |</pre>
          param_name=="Dissolved_Oxygen_Saturation", TRUE, FALSE)
# Loops through conditions to determine what indicators to include in plots.
# If H should be included
if (inc_H==TRUE){
      # Remove any Value qualifiers that aren't H or U
      data$VQ_Plot <- gsub("[^HU]+", "", data$VQ_Plot)</pre>
      # Standardize order of qualifiers. Puts UH as HU
```

```
data$VQ_Plot <- gsub("UH", "HU", data$VQ_Plot)</pre>
      # Remove anything from ValueQualifier that isn't U from programs and that
      # aren't ProgramID 476
      data$VQ_Plot[na.omit(data$ProgramID!=476)] <-</pre>
            gsub("[^U]+", "", data$VQ_Plot[na.omit(data$ProgramID!=476)])
      # Changes blank character strings to NA
      data$VQ_Plot[data$VQ_Plot==""] <- NA</pre>
      # Prints the number and percentage of H, I, Q, U value qualifiers
      cat(paste0("Number of Measurements: ", total,
                 ", Number Passed Filter: ", pass_filter, "\n",
                 "Program 476 H Codes: ", count_H, " (", round(perc_H, 6), "%)\n",
                 "I Codes: ", count_I, " (", round(perc_I, 6), "%)\n",
                 "Q Codes: ", count_Q, " (", round(perc_Q, 6), "%)\n",
                 "U Codes: ", count_U, " (", round(perc_U, 6), "%)"))
# If Parameter is Secchi_Depth
} else if (param_name=="Secchi_Depth") {
      # Count the number of S ValueQualifier
      count_S <- length(grep("S", data$ValueQualifier))</pre>
      # Get percentage of S ValueQualifier
      perc_S <- 100*count_S/length(data$ValueQualifier)</pre>
      # Remove anything from ValueQualifier that isn't S or U
      data$VQ_Plot <- gsub("[^SU]+", "", data$VQ_Plot)</pre>
      # Change all ValueQualifier that are US to be US, standardizes codes
      data$VQ_Plot <- gsub("US", "SU", data$VQ_Plot)</pre>
      # Sets any blank character ValueQualifier to be NA
      data$VQ Plot[data$VQ Plot==""] <- NA</pre>
      # Prints the number and percentage of I, Q, S, U
      cat(paste0("Number of Measurements: ", total,
                 ", Number Passed Filter: ", pass_filter, "\n",
                 "I Codes: ", count_I, " (", round(perc_I, 6), "%)\n",
                 "Q Codes: ", count_Q, " (", round(perc_Q, 6), "%)\n",
                 "S Codes: ", count_S, " (", round(perc_S, 6), "%)\n",
                 "U Codes: ", count_U, " (", round(perc_U, 6), "%)"))
# For all other scenarios
} else{
      # Remove all ValueQualifier except U
      data$VQ_Plot <- gsub("[^U]+", "", data$VQ_Plot)</pre>
      # Sets any blank character ValueQualifier to be NA
      data$VQ_Plot[data$VQ_Plot==""] <- NA</pre>
      # Prints the number and percentage of I, Q, U
      cat(pasteO("Number of Measurements: ", total,
                 ", Number Passed Filter: ", pass_filter, "\n",
                 "I Codes: ", count_I, " (", round(perc_I, 6), "%)\n",
                 "Q Codes: ", count_Q, " (", round(perc_Q, 6), "%)\n",
                 "U Codes: ", count_U, " (", round(perc_U, 6), "%)"))
}
## Number of Measurements: 8940, Number Passed Filter: 8929
## I Codes: 15 (0.167785%)
## Q Codes: 2 (0.022371%)
## U Codes: 8889 (99.42953%)
```

```
# Creates a data table that summarizes the number and percentage of
# ValueQualifier H, I, Q, S, and U for each managed area each year
data summ <- data %>%
     group by (AreaID, ManagedAreaName, Year) %>%
      summarize(ParameterName=parameter,
                RelativeDepth=depth,
                ActivityType=activity,
                N_Total=length(ResultValue),
                N AnalysisUse=length(ResultValue[Use In Analysis==TRUE]),
                N_H=length(grep("H", ValueQualifier[ProgramID==476])),
                perc_H=100*N_H/length(ValueQualifier),
                N_I=length(grep("I", ValueQualifier)),
                perc_I=100*N_I/length(ValueQualifier),
                N_Q=length(grep("Q", ValueQualifier)),
                perc_Q=100*N_Q/length(ValueQualifier),
                N_S=length(grep("S", ValueQualifier)),
                perc_S=100*N_S/length(ValueQualifier),
                N_U=length(grep("U", ValueQualifier)),
                perc_U=100*N_U/length(ValueQualifier))
# Orders the data table rows based on managed area name
data summ <- as.data.table(data summ[order(data summ$ManagedAreaName,
                                           data summ$Year), ])
# Writes the ValueQualifier summary to a csv file
fwrite(data_summ, paste0(out_dir_param,"/WC_Discrete_", param_abrev, "_",
                         activity, "_", depth, "_VQSummary.csv"), sep=",")
rm(data summ)
```

## Managed Area Statistics

Gets summary statistics for each managed area. Excluded managed areas 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 SufficientData value of TRUE
- 2. Group data that have the same ManagedAreaName, Year, and Month.
  - Second summary statistics do not use the Month grouping and are only for ManagedAreaName and Year.
  - Third summary statistics do not use Year grouping and are only for ManagedAreaName and Month
- 3. For each group, provide the following information: 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 then Year then Month
- 5. Write summary stats to a pipe-delimited .txt file in the output directory
  - WC Discrete Output Files in SEACAR GitHub (https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Trend\_Analyses/tree/main/WQ\_Discrete/output)

```
# Create summary statistics for each managed area based on Year and Month
# intervals.
MA_YM_Stats <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis==TRUE, ] %>%
group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName, Year, Month) %>%
```

```
summarize(ParameterName=parameter,
      RelativeDepth=depth,
       ActivityType=activity,
       N_Data=length(ResultValue),
       Min=min(ResultValue),
      Max=max(ResultValue),
      Median=median(ResultValue),
      Mean=mean(ResultValue),
       StandardDeviation=sd(ResultValue),
       Programs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramName), decreasing=FALSE),
               collapse=', '),
       ProgramIDs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramID), decreasing=FALSE),
               collapse=', '))
# Puts the data in order based on ManagedAreaName, Year, then Month
MA_YM_Stats <- as.data.table(MA_YM_Stats[order(MA_YM_Stats$ManagedAreaName,
                          MA_YM_Stats$Year,
                          MA_YM_Stats$Month), ])
# Writes summary statistics to file
fwrite(MA_YM_Stats, pasteO(out_dir_param,"/WC_Discrete_", param_abrev, "_",
               activity, "_", depth, "_MA_MMYY_Stats.txt"), sep="|")
# Get year from start for each managed area
MA_YM_Stats <- MA_YM_Stats %>%
  group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName) %>%
  mutate(YearFromStart=Year-min(Year))
# Create decimal value of year and month values
MA_YM_Stats$YearMonthDec <- MA_YM_Stats$Year + ((MA_YM_Stats$Month-0.5) / 12)
# Create summary statistics for each managed area based on Year intervals.
MA_Y_Stats <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis==TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName, Year) %>%
   summarize(ParameterName=parameter,
      RelativeDepth=depth,
       ActivityType=activity,
      N=length(ResultValue),
       Min=min(ResultValue),
       Max=max(ResultValue),
       Median=median(ResultValue),
      Mean=mean(ResultValue),
       StandardDeviation=sd(ResultValue),
       Programs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramName), decreasing=FALSE),
               collapse=', '),
       ProgramIDs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramID), decreasing=FALSE),
              collapse=', '))
# Puts the data in order based on ManagedAreaName then Year
MA_Y_Stats <- as.data.table(MA_Y_Stats[order(MA_Y_Stats$ManagedAreaName,
                        MA_Y_Stats$Year), ])
# Writes summary statistics to file
fwrite(MA_Y_Stats, paste0(out_dir_param,"/WC_Discrete_", param_abrev, "_",
               activity, "_", depth, "_MA_Yr_Stats.txt"), sep="|")
rm(MA_Y_Stats)
# Create summary statistics for each managed area based on Month intervals.
MA_M_Stats <- data[data$Use_In_Analysis==TRUE, ] %>%
   group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName, Month) %>%
   summarize(ParameterName=parameter,
```

```
RelativeDepth=depth,
       ActivityType=activity,
       N=length(ResultValue),
       Min=min(ResultValue),
       Max=max(ResultValue),
       Median=median(ResultValue),
       Mean=mean(ResultValue),
       StandardDeviation=sd(ResultValue),
       Programs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramName), decreasing=FALSE),
               collapse=', '),
       ProgramIDs=paste(sort(unique(ProgramID), decreasing=FALSE),
               collapse=', '))
# Puts the data in order based on ManagedAreaName then Month
MA_M_Stats <- as.data.table(MA_M_Stats[order(MA_M_Stats$ManagedAreaName,
                        MA_M_Stats$Month), ])
# Writes summary statistics to file
fwrite(MA_M_Stats, paste0(out_dir_param,"/WC_Discrete_", param_abrev, "_",
               activity, "_", depth, "_MA_Mo_Stats.txt"), sep="|")
rm(MA_M_Stats)
```

### **Monitoring Location Statistics**

Gets monitoring location statistics, which is defined as a unique combination of ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramAreaName, and ProgramLocationID, using piping from dplyr package. The following steps are performed:

- 1. Take the data variable and only include rows that have a SufficientData value of TRUE
- 2. Group data that have the same ManagedAreaName, ProgramID, ProgramName, and ProgramLocationID.
- 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, and Standard Deviation.
- 4. Sort the data in ascending (A to Z and 0 to 9) order based on ManagedAreaName then ProgramName then ProgramLocationID
- 5. Write summary stats to a pipe-delimited .txt file in the output directory
  - WC Discrete Output Files in SEACAR GitHub (https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR Trend Analyses/tree/main/WQ Discrete/output)

### 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 code created by Jason Scolaro that performed at The Water Atlas: https://sarasota.wateratlas.usf.edu/water-quality-trends/#analysis-overview

The following steps are performed:

- 1. Define the functions used in the analysis
- 2. Check to see if there are any groups to run analysis on.
- 3. Take the data variable and only include rows that have a SufficientData value of TRUE
- 4. Group data that have the same ManagedAreaName.
- 5. 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, tau, Senn Slope (SennSlope), Senn Intercept (SennIntercept), and p.
  - The analysis is run with 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.
- 6. Reformat columns in the data frame from export.
- 7. Write summary stats to a pipe-delimited .txt file in the output directory
  - WC Discrete Output Files in SEACAR GitHub (https://github.com/FloridaSEACAR/SEACAR\_Trend\_Analyses/tree/main/WQ\_Discrete/output)

```
independent.obs=independent)
   # Gets the values of interest from the trend fit
   tau <- ken$estimate[1]</pre>
   p <- ken$p.value[2]</pre>
   slope <- ken$estimate[2]</pre>
   intercept <- ken$estimate[3]</pre>
   chi_sq <- ken$statistic[1]</pre>
   p_chi_sq <- ken$p.value[1]</pre>
   trend <- trend_calculator(slope, stats.median, p)</pre>
   rm(ken)
   # Prints warnings if a fit does not exist and stores values as NA
   }, warning=function(w) {
   print(w)
   }, error=function(e) {
   print(e)
   }, finally={
   if (!exists("tau")) {
      tau <- NA
   if (!exists("p")) {
      p <- NA
   if (!exists("slope")) {
      slope <- NA
   if (!exists("intercept")) {
      intercept <- NA
   }
   if (!exists("trend")) {
      trend <- NA
  })
   # Puts variables in a vector for the managed area currently being analyzed
   KT <-c(unique(dat$AreaID),</pre>
       unique(dat$ManagedAreaName),
       independent,
       tau,
       p,
       slope,
       intercept,
       chi_sq,
       p_chi_sq,
       trend)
   # Returns the fit parameters
   return(KT)
# Function that determines statistics from data
runStats <- function(dat, med, minYr, maxYr) {</pre>
   # Get basic stats
   dat$Mean <- as.numeric(dat$Mean)</pre>
   stats.median <- med
   stats.minYear <- minYr</pre>
   stats.maxYear <- maxYr</pre>
```

```
# Calculate Kendall Tau and Slope stats assuming they are serially
   # independent, then store in variable
  KT <- tauSeasonal(dat, TRUE, stats.median,</pre>
            stats.minYear, stats.maxYear)
   # If variable returned is empty, run again assuming they are NOT serially
   # independent
  if (is.null(KT[9])) {
  KT <- tauSeasonal(dat, FALSE, stats.median,</pre>
            stats.minYear, stats.maxYear)
   # If KT.Stats does not exist, create it and store values
   if (is.null(KT.Stats)==TRUE) {
  KT.Stats <- KT
   # If KT.Stats does exist, add values to it
   } else{
  KT.Stats <- rbind(KT.Stats, KT)</pre>
  return(KT.Stats)
}
# Function to determine trend of Kendal Tau
trend_calculator <- function(slope, median_value, p) {</pre>
   # Trend depends on series of conditions
  trend <-
   # If the p value is less than 5% and the slope is greater than 10% of the
   # median value, the trend is large (2).
   if (p < .05 \& abs(slope) > abs(median_value) / 10.) {
     if (slope > 0) {
     2
      }
     else {
      -2
      }
   # If the p value is less than 5% and the slope is less than 10% of the
   # median value, there is a trend (1).
   else if (p < .05 & abs(slope) < abs(median_value) / 10.) {</pre>
   if (slope > 0) {
      1
  else {
   # Otherwise, there is no trend (0)
  } else
  return(trend)
}
# Creates a null data frame for storing kendall tau results
KT.Stats <- NULL
# List for column names
c_names <- c("AreaID", "ManagedAreaName", "Independent", "tau", "p",</pre>
       "SennSlope", "SennIntercept", "ChiSquared", "pChiSquared", "Trend")
# Determines if there are any monitoring locations to analyze
```

```
if(n==0){
   # Creates data frame to store analysis values in
   KT.Stats <- data.frame(matrix(ncol=length(c_names),</pre>
                  nrow=length(MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName)))
   colnames(KT.Stats) <- c_names</pre>
   KT.Stats[, c("AreaID", "ManagedAreaName")] <-</pre>
   MA Summ[, c("AreaID", "ManagedAreaName")]
} else{
   # Starts cycling through managed areas to determine seasonal Kendall Tau
   for (i in 1:n) {
   # Gets the number of rows of data for the managed area
   x <- nrow(MA_YM_Stats[MA_YM_Stats$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i], ])
   # Perform analysis if there is more than 1 row
   if (x>0) {
      # Store the managed area summary statistics to be used in trend analysis
      SKT.med <- MA_Summ$Median[MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i]]
      SKT.minYr <- MA_Summ$EarliestYear[MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName==
                          MA_Include[i]]
      SKT.maxYr <- MA_Summ$LatestYear[MA_Summ$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i]]
      # Get seasonal Kendall Tau statistics by running data for managed areas
      # through the functions
      KT.Stats <- runStats(MA_YM_Stats[MA_YM_Stats$ManagedAreaName==</pre>
                         MA_Include[i], ],
               SKT.med, SKT.minYr, SKT.maxYr)
   }
   }
   # Stores as data frame
   KT.Stats <- as.data.frame(KT.Stats)</pre>
   # If there was only one location, it is stored as a column vector. Change to
   # row vector
   if(dim(KT.Stats)[2]==1){
   KT.Stats <- as.data.frame(t(KT.Stats))</pre>
   # Sets column and row names for KT.Stats
   colnames(KT.Stats) <- c_names</pre>
   rownames(KT.Stats) <- seq(1:nrow(KT.Stats))</pre>
   # Sets variables to proper format and rounds values if necessary
   KT.Stats$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$SennIntercept)</pre>
   KT.Stats$ChiSquared <- round(as.numeric(KT.Stats$ChiSquared), digits=4)
   KT.Stats$pChiSquared <- round(as.numeric(KT.Stats$pChiSquared), digits=4)</pre>
  KT.Stats$Trend <- as.integer(KT.Stats$Trend)</pre>
# Combines the KT.Stats with MA_Summ
KT.Stats <- merge.data.frame(MA_Summ, KT.Stats,</pre>
               by=c("AreaID", "ManagedAreaName"), all=TRUE)
KT.Stats <- as.data.table(KT.Stats[order(KT.Stats$ManagedAreaName), ])</pre>
# Writes combined statistics to file
fwrite(KT.Stats, paste0(out_dir_param,"/WC_Discrete_", param_abrev, "_",
```

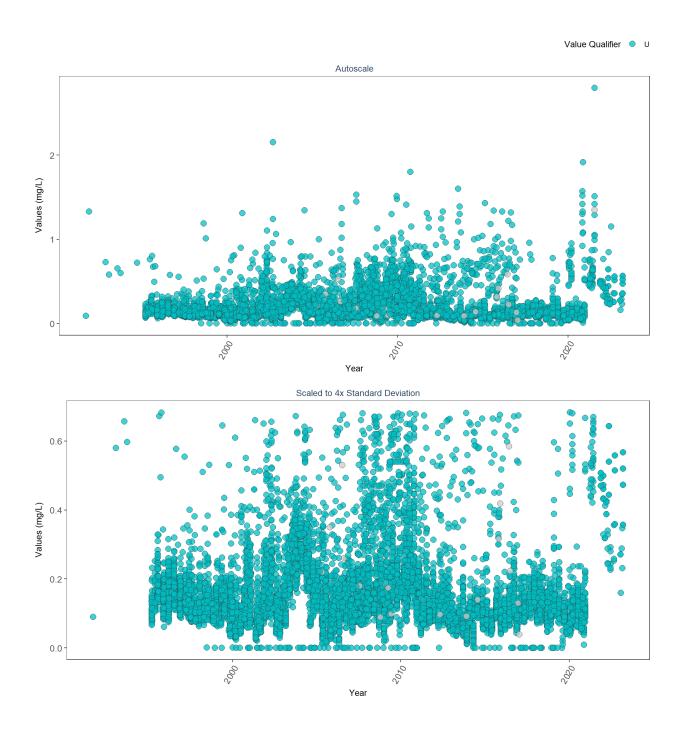
```
activity, "_", depth, "_KendallTau_Stats.txt"),
    sep="|")
# Removes data rows for managed areas with no ResultValue
data <- data[!is.na(data$ResultValue),]</pre>
# Gets x and y values for starting point for trendline
KT.Plot <- KT.Stats %>%
   group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName) %>%
   summarize(x=EarliestYear,
       v=SennIntercept)
# Gets x and y values for ending point for trendline
KT.Plot2 <- KT.Stats %>%
   group_by(AreaID, ManagedAreaName) %>%
   summarize(x=decimal_date(LastSampleDate),
       y=(x-EarliestYear)*SennSlope+SennIntercept)
# Combines the starting and endpoints for plotting the trendline
KT.Plot <- bind_rows(KT.Plot, KT.Plot2)</pre>
rm(KT.Plot2)
KT.Plot <- as.data.table(KT.Plot[order(KT.Plot$ManagedAreaName), ])</pre>
KT.Plot <- KT.Plot[!is.na(KT.Plot$y),]</pre>
```

### Appendix I: Scatter Plot of Entire Dataset

This part will create a scatter plot of the all data that passed initial filtering criteria with points colored based on specific value qualifiers. The values determined at the beginning (year\_lower, year\_upper, min\_RV, mn\_RV, x\_scale, and y\_scale) are solely for use by the plotting functions and are not output as part of the computed statistics.

```
# Defines standard plot theme: black and white, no major or minor grid lines,
# Arial font. Title is centered, size 12, and blue (hex coded). Subtitle is
# centered, size 10, and blue (hex coded). Legend title is size 10 and the
# legend is left-justified. X-axis title is size 10 and the margins are padded
# at the top and bottom to give more space for angled axis labels. Y-axis title
# is size 10 and margins are padded on the right side to give more space for
# axis labels. Axis labels are size 10 and the x-axis labels are rotated -45
# degrees with a horizontal justification that aligns them with the tick mark
plot theme <- theme bw() +
   theme(panel.grid.major = element_blank(),
      panel.grid.minor = element_blank(),
      text=element_text(family="Arial"),
      plot.title=element text(hjust=0.5, size=12, color="#314963"),
      plot.subtitle=element_text(hjust=0.5, size=10, color="#314963"),
      legend.title=element_text(size=10),
      legend.text.align = 0,
      axis.title.x = element_text(size=10, margin = margin(t = 5, r = 0,
                                b = 10, 1 = 0)),
      axis.title.y = element_text(size=10, margin = margin(t = 0, r = 10,
                                b = 0, 1 = 0)),
      axis.text=element_text(size=10),
      axis.text.x=element_text(angle = 60, hjust = 1))
# Gets first and most recent years from data set
year lower <- min(data$Year)</pre>
year_upper <- max(data$Year)</pre>
```

```
# Gets minimum, mean, and standard deviation of ResultValue for setting y-axis
# scale
min RV <- min(data$ResultValue)</pre>
mn RV <- mean(data$ResultValue[data$ResultValue <
                   quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
sd_RV <- sd(data$ResultValue[data$ResultValue <</pre>
                 quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
x_scale <- ifelse(year_upper - year_lower > 30, 10, 5)
y_scale \leftarrow mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p1 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE,],
       aes(x=SampleDate, y=ResultValue, fill=VQ_Plot)) +
   geom_point(shape=21, size=3, color="#333333", alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Autoscale",
     x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")"),
     fill="Value Qualifier") +
   plot theme +
   theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal",
      legend.justification="right") +
   scale_x_date(labels=date_format("%Y")) +
   {if(inc H==TRUE){
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("H"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                  "HU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
   } else if(param_name=="Secchi_Depth"){
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("S"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                  "SU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
   } else {
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("U"= "#00BFC4"), na.value="#cccccc")
  }}
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p2 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE,],</pre>
       aes(x=SampleDate, y=ResultValue, fill=VQ_Plot)) +
   geom_point(shape=21, size=3, color="#333333", alpha=0.75) +
  ylim(min RV, y scale) +
  labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
     x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  plot theme +
   theme(legend.position="none") +
   scale_x_date(labels=date_format("%Y")) +
   {if(inc_H==TRUE){
   scale fill manual(values=c("H"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                  "HU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
   } else if(param_name=="Secchi_Depth"){
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("S"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                  "SU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
   } else {
   scale_fill_manual(values=c("U"= "#00BFC4"), na.value="#cccccc")
   }}
# Create legend object
leg <- get_legend(p1)</pre>
# Arrange plots and legend
pset <- ggarrange(leg, p1 + theme(legend.position="none"), p2,</pre>
```



# Appendix II: 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 SufficientData 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.

```
# Get minimum, mean, and standard deviation of the data
min RV <- min(data$ResultValue[data$Include==TRUE])</pre>
mn_RV <- mean(data$ResultValue[data$Include==TRUE &</pre>
                   data$ResultValue <
                   quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
sd_RV <- sd(data$ResultValue[data$Include==TRUE &</pre>
                 data$ResultValue <
                 quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
# Sets y scale based on data
y_scale \leftarrow mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p1 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],</pre>
       aes(x=Year, y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
          outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
          outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Autoscale", x="Year",
     y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  plot_theme
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p2 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],</pre>
       aes(x=Year, y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
          outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
          outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
  labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation", x="Year",
     y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
  plot_theme
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
p3 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],
       aes(x=as.integer(Year), y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
          outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
          outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
     x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(max(data$Year) - 10.5, max(data$Year)+1),
             breaks=seq(max(data$Year) - 10, max(data$Year), 2)) +
  plot_theme
# Arrange plot objects
set <- ggarrange(p1, p2, p3, ncol=1)</pre>
```

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

```
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p1 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],</pre>
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#cccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Autoscale", x="Year",
     y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), color="Month") +
   plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal") +
   guides(color=guide_legend(nrow=1))
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p2 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],</pre>
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#cccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
     x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
   ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
  plot theme +
  theme(legend.position="none", axis.text.x=element_text(face="bold"),
      axis.text.y=element_text(face="bold"))
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
p3 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#cccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
     x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(max(data$Year) - 10.5, max(data$Year)+1),
             breaks=seq(max(data$Year) - 10, max(data$Year), 2)) +
  plot_theme +
  theme(legend.position="none")
# Create legend item
leg <- get_legend(p1)</pre>
# Arrange plots and legend
set <- ggarrange(leg, p1 + theme(legend.position="none"), p2, p3, ncol=1,</pre>
           heights=c(0.1, 1, 1, 1))
# Create plot title object
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title="Summary Box Plots for Entire Data",
             subtitle="By Year & Month") + plot_theme +
   theme(panel.border=element_blank(), panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
      panel.grid.minor=element_blank(), axis.line=element_blank())
```

```
# Arrange plots and title
YMset <- ggarrange(p0, set, ncol=1, heights=c(0.07, 1))</pre>
```

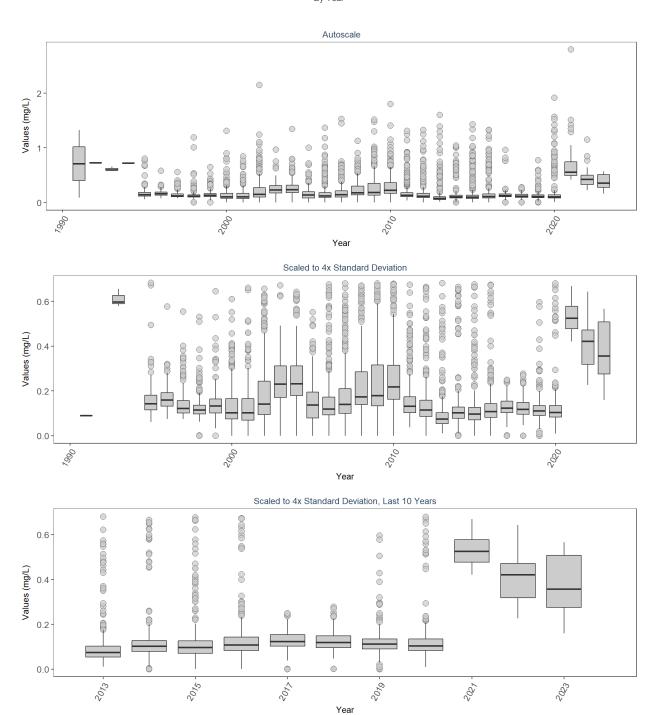
The following box plots are grouped by month with fill color being related to the month. This is designed to view potential seasonal trends.

```
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p1 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],
       aes(x=Month, y=ResultValue,
           group=Month, fill=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
          outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Autoscale", x="Month",
     y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), fill="Month") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(0, 13), breaks=seq(3, 12, 3)) +
  plot_theme +
  theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal") +
   guides(fill=guide_legend(nrow=1))
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p2 <- ggplot(data=data[data$Include==TRUE, ],</pre>
       aes(x=Month, y=ResultValue,
           group=Month, fill=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
          outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
  labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation",
     x="Month", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  ylim(min RV, y scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(0, 13), breaks=seq(3, 12, 3)) +
  plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="none")
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
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(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
          outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
     x="Month", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
  ylim(min_RV, y_scale) +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(0, 13), breaks=seq(3, 12, 3)) +
  plot_theme +
  theme(legend.position="none")
# Create legend object
leg <- get_legend(p1)</pre>
# Arrange plots and legend
set <- ggarrange(leg, p1 + theme(legend.position="none"), p2, p3, ncol=1,</pre>
           heights=c(0.1, 1, 1, 1))
# Create title object for plots
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title="Summary Box Plots for Entire Data",
             subtitle="By Month") + plot_theme +
   theme(panel.border=element_blank(), panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
      panel.grid.minor=element_blank(), axis.line=element_blank())
```

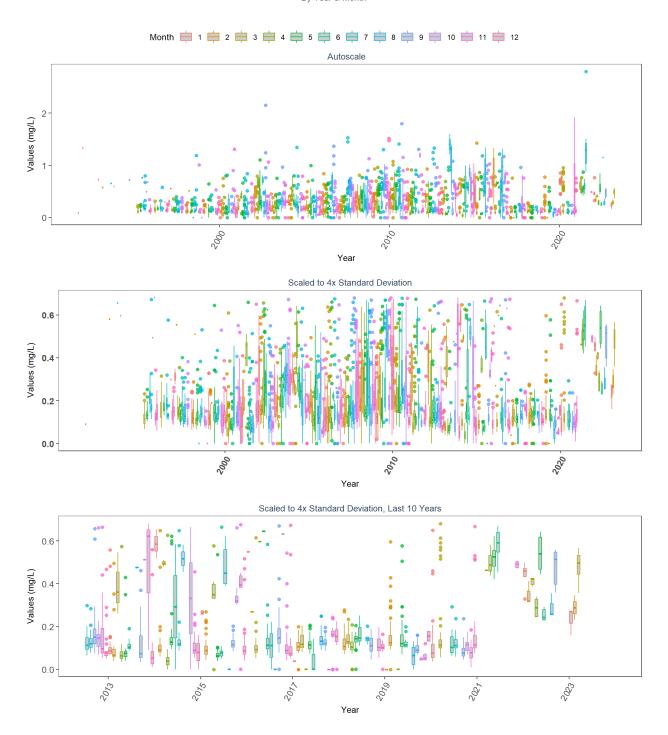
### # Arrange plots and title

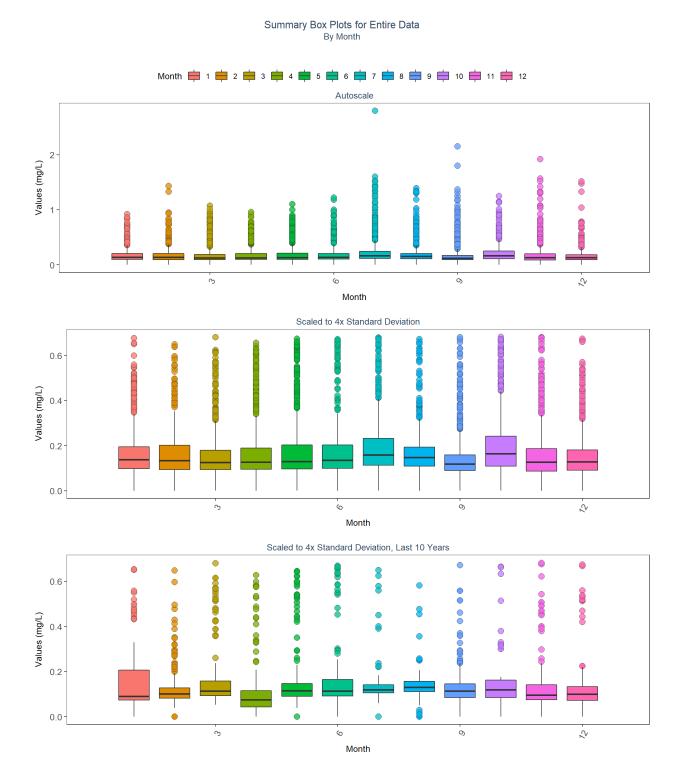
Mset <- ggarrange(p0, set, ncol=1, heights=c(0.07, 1))</pre>

### Summary Box Plots for Entire Data By Year



### Summary Box Plots for Entire Data By Year & Month





# Appendix III: Managed Area Trendlines

The plots created in this section are designed to show the general trend of the data. Data is taken and grouped by ManagedAreaName. The trendlines on the plots are created using the Senn slope and intercept

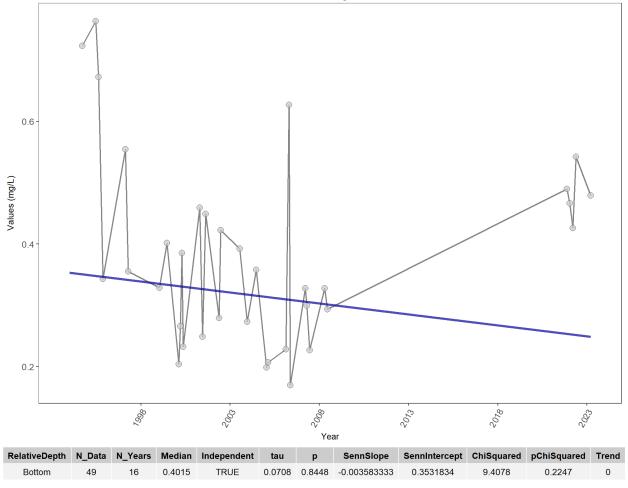
from the seasonal Kendall Tau analysis. The scripts that create plots follow this format

- 1. Use the data set that only has SufficientData of TRUE for the desired managed area
- 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

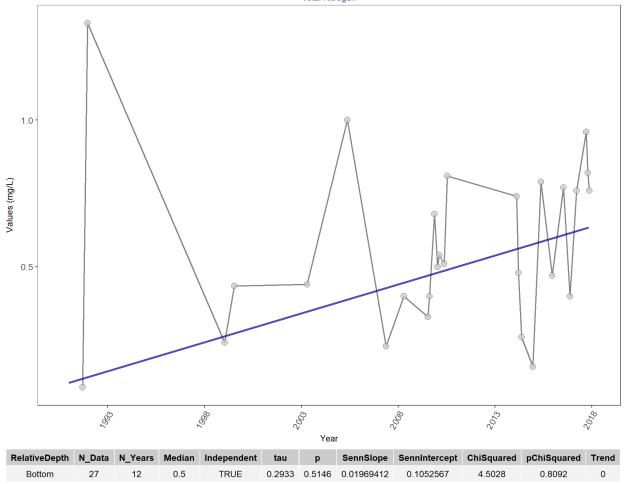
```
# Determines whether analyzed managed areas exist. If they do, begins
# looping through them
if(n==0){
   print("There are no managed areas that qualify.")
} else {
   # Begins looping through each managed area
   for (i in 1:n) {
   # Gets data to be used in plot for managed area
   plot_data <- MA_YM_Stats[MA_YM_Stats$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i],]</pre>
   # Gets trendline data for managed area
   KT.plot_data <- KT.Plot[KT.Plot$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i],]</pre>
   #Determine max and min time (Year) for plot x-axis
   t_min <- min(plot_data$Year)</pre>
   t_max <- max(plot_data$YearMonthDec)</pre>
   t_max_brk <- as.integer(round(t_max, 0))</pre>
   t <- t_max-t_min
   min_RV <- min(plot_data$Mean)</pre>
   # Sets break intervals based on the number of years spanned by data
   if(t>=30){
      brk <- -10
   else if(t<30 \& t>=10){
      brk <- -5
   }else if(t<10 & t>=4){
      brk <- -2
   }else if(t<4){</pre>
      brk <- -1
   # Create plot object with data and trendline
   p1 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,</pre>
          aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=Mean)) +
      geom_line(size=0.75, color="#333333", alpha=0.6) +
      geom_point(shape=21, size=3, color="#333333", fill="#cccccc",
           alpha=0.75) +
      geom_line(data=KT.plot_data, aes(x=x, y=y),
          color="#000099", size=1.2, alpha=0.7) +
      labs(title=paste0(MA_Include[i]),
```

```
subtitle=parameter,
        x="Year", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")")) +
      scale_x_continuous(limits=c(t_min-0.25, t_max+0.25),
                breaks=seq(t_max_brk, t_min, brk)) +
      plot_theme
   # Creates ResultTable to display statistics below plot
   ResultTable <- KT.Stats[KT.Stats$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i], ] %>%
      select(RelativeDepth, N_Data, N_Years, Median, Independent, tau, p,
          SennSlope, SennIntercept, ChiSquared, pChiSquared, Trend)
   # Create table object
   t1 <- ggtexttable(ResultTable, rows=NULL,</pre>
            theme=ttheme(base_size=10)) %>%
      tab_add_footnote(text="p < 0.00005 appear as 0 due to rounding.\n
              SennIntercept is intercept value at beginning of
              record for monitoring location",
              size=10, face="italic")
   # Arrange and display plot and statistic table
   print(ggarrange(p1, t1, ncol=1, heights=c(0.85, 0.15)))
   # Add extra space at the end to prevent the next figure from being too
   cat("\n \n \n")
   rm(plot data)
   rm(KTset, leg)
  rm(plot_data)
   rm(KTset, leg)
   }
}
```

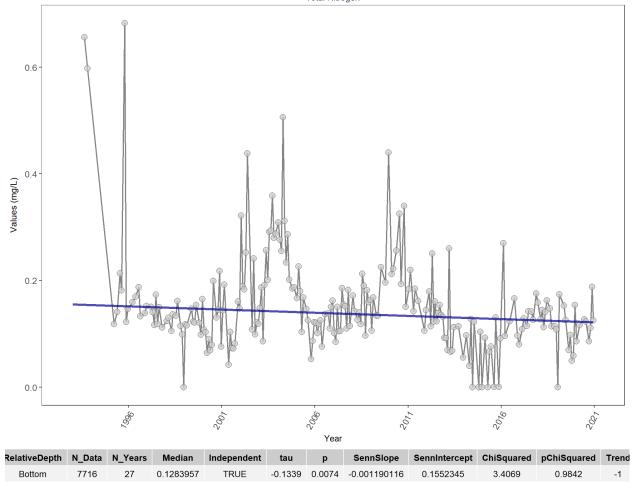
Cape Romano-Ten Thousand Islands Aquatic Preserve Total Nitrogen



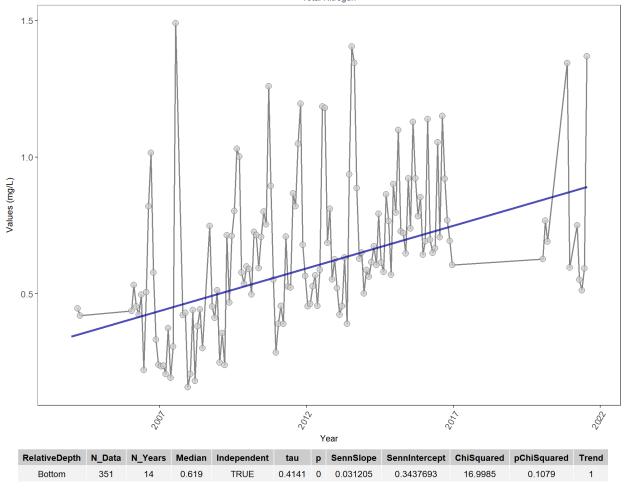
Estero Bay Aquatic Preserve Total Nitrogen



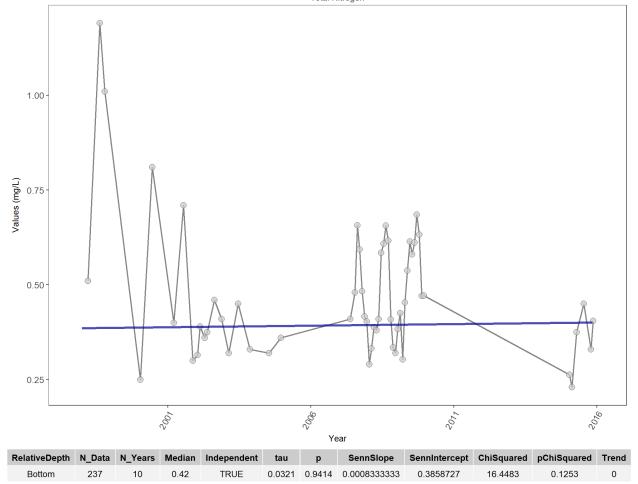
Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary
Total Nitrogen



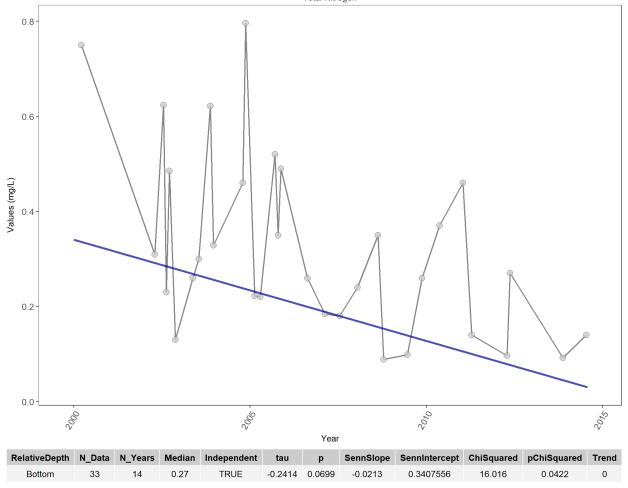
Gasparilla Sound-Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserve Total Nitrogen



Nature Coast Aquatic Preserve Total Nitrogen



### Pine Island Sound Aquatic Preserve Total Nitrogen



p < 0.00005 appear as 0 due to rounding.

# Rookery Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve Total Nitrogen 0.8 0.6 0.0 0.

Year

-0.1714 0.3835 -0.009096429

SennSlope

0.3978075

p < 0.00005 appear as 0 due to rounding.

8.1597

SennIntercept ChiSquared pChiSquared Trend

0.6989

SennIntercept is intercept value at beginning of record for monitoring location

# Appendix IV: Managed Area Summary Box Plots

Median Independent

TRUE

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

- 1. Use the data set that only has SufficientData of TRUE for the desired managed area
- 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
  - $\bullet$  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

RelativeDepth N\_Data N\_Years

Bottom

- 8. Make the axis labels bold
- 9. Plot the arrangement as a set of panels

The following plots are arranged by ManagedAreaName with data grouped by Year, then Year and Month, then finally Month only. Each managed 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

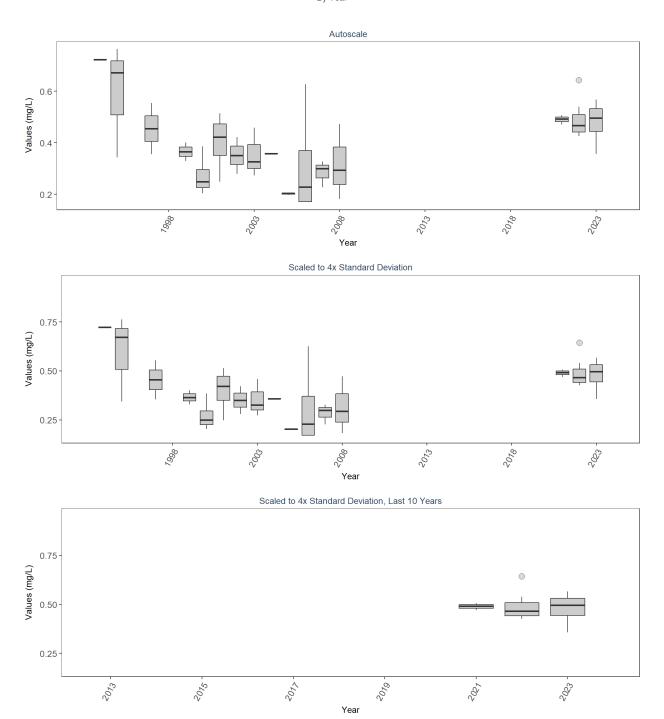
```
# Determines whether analyzed managed area exist. If they do, begins
# looping through them
if(n==0){
   print("There are no managed areas that qualify.")
} else {
   # Begin looping through managed area
   for (i in 1:n) {
   # Determine upper and lower bounds of time for x-axis
   plot_data <- data[data$SufficientData==TRUE &</pre>
               data$ManagedAreaName==MA_Include[i],]
   year lower <- min(plot data$Year)</pre>
   year_upper <- max(plot_data$Year)</pre>
   # Determine upper and lower bounds of ResultValue for y-axis
   min_RV <- min(plot_data$ResultValue)</pre>
   mn_RV <- mean(plot_data$ResultValue[plot_data$ResultValue <</pre>
                         quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
   sd_RV <- sd(plot_data$ResultValue[plot_data$ResultValue <</pre>
                      quantile(data$ResultValue, 0.98)])
   # Sets x- and y-axis scale
   x_scale <- ifelse(year_upper - year_lower > 30, 10, 5)
   y_scale <- mn_RV + 4 * sd_RV</pre>
   ##Year plots
   # Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
   p1 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,</pre>
          aes(x=Year, y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
      geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
             outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
             outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
      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))) +
      plot_theme
   # Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
   p2 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,</pre>
          aes(x=Year, y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
      geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
             outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
             outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
      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))) +
   plot_theme
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
p3 <- ggplot(data=plot_data[plot_data$Year >= year_upper - 10, ],
       aes(x=Year, y=ResultValue, group=Year)) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", fill="#cccccc", outlier.shape=21,
          outlier.size=3, outlier.color="#333333",
          outlier.fill="#cccccc", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   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))) +
   plot_theme
# Arrange plot objects
Yset <- ggarrange(p1, p2, p3, ncol=1)</pre>
# Create plot title object
p0 <- ggplot() + labs(title=paste0(MA_Include[i]),</pre>
             subtitle="By Year") +
   plot_theme + theme(panel.border=element_blank(),
             panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
             panel.grid.minor=element_blank(),
             axis.line=element_blank())
## Year & Month Plots
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p4 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#cccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   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,
                   year_lower, -x_scale))) +
   plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="none")
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p5 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#cccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   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))) +
   plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal") +
   guides(color=guide_legend(nrow=1))
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
```

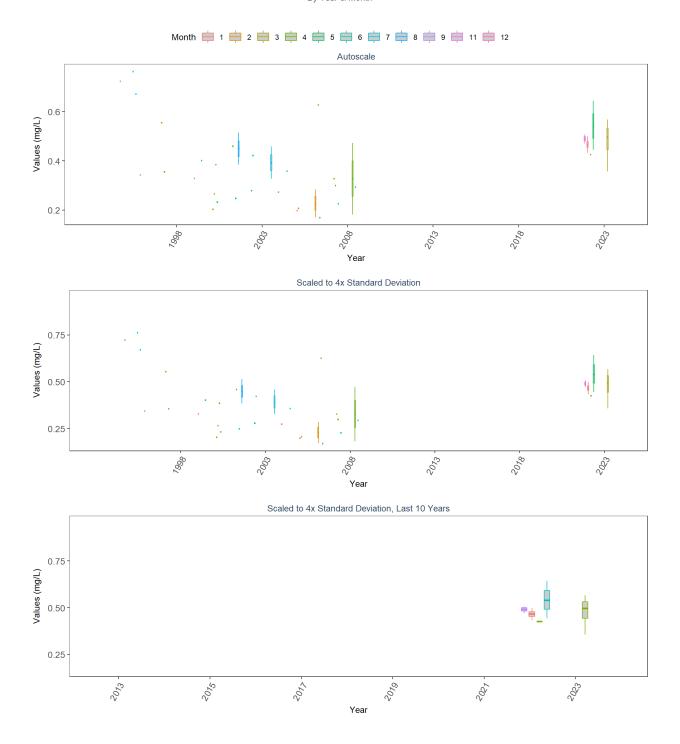
```
p6 <- ggplot(data=plot_data[plot_data$Year >= year_upper - 10, ],
       aes(x=YearMonthDec, y=ResultValue,
           group=YearMonth, color=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(fill="#ccccc", outlier.size=1.5, outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Scaled to 4x Standard Deviation, Last 10 Years",
     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))) +
   plot theme +
   theme(legend.position="none")
# Create legend object
leg1 <- get_legend(p5)</pre>
# Arrange plots and legend
YMset <- ggarrange(leg1, p4, p5 + theme(legend.position="none"), p6,
          ncol=1, heights=c(0.1, 1, 1, 1))
# Create plot title object
p00 <- ggplot() + labs(title=paste0(MA_Include[i]),</pre>
              subtitle="By Year & Month") + plot_theme +
   theme(panel.border=element_blank(),
      panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
      panel.grid.minor=element_blank(), axis.line=element_blank())
## Month Plots
# Create plot object for auto-scaled y-axis plot
p7 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,
       aes(x=Month, y=ResultValue,
           group=Month, fill=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
          outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   labs(subtitle="Autoscale",
     x="Month", y=paste0("Values (", unit, ")"), fill="Month") +
   scale_x_continuous(limits=c(0, 13), breaks=seq(3, 12, 3)) +
   plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="none")
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot
p8 <- ggplot(data=plot_data,
       aes(x=Month, y=ResultValue,
           group=Month, fill=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
          outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
   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)) +
   plot_theme +
   theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal") +
   guides(fill=guide_legend(nrow=1))
# Create plot object for y-axis scaled plot for past 10 years
p9 <- ggplot(data=plot_data[plot_data$Year >= year_upper - 10, ],
       aes(x=Month, y=ResultValue,
           group=Month, fill=as.factor(Month))) +
   geom_boxplot(color="#333333", outlier.shape=21, outlier.size=3,
```

```
outlier.color="#333333", outlier.alpha=0.75) +
      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)) +
      plot_theme +
      theme(legend.position="none")
   # Create legend object
   leg2 <- get_legend(p8)</pre>
   # Arrange plots and legend
   Mset <- ggarrange(leg2, p7, p8 + theme(legend.position="none"), p9,</pre>
            ncol=1, heights=c(0.1, 1, 1, 1))
   # Create title object
   p000 <- ggplot() + labs(title=paste0(MA_Include[i]),</pre>
               subtitle="By Month") + plot_theme +
      theme(panel.border=element_blank(),
         panel.grid.major=element_blank(),
         panel.grid.minor=element_blank(), axis.line=element_blank())
   # Arrange and display plots with titles for all combinations
   print(ggarrange(p0, Yset, ncol=1, heights=c(0.07, 1)))
   print(ggarrange(p00, YMset, ncol=1, heights=c(0.07, 1)))
   print(ggarrange(p000, Mset, ncol=1, heights=c(0.07, 1, 0.7)))
   rm(plot_data)
   rm(p1, p2, p3, p4, p5, p6, p7, p8, p9, p0, p00, p000, leg1, leg2,
      Yset, YMset, Mset)
}
```

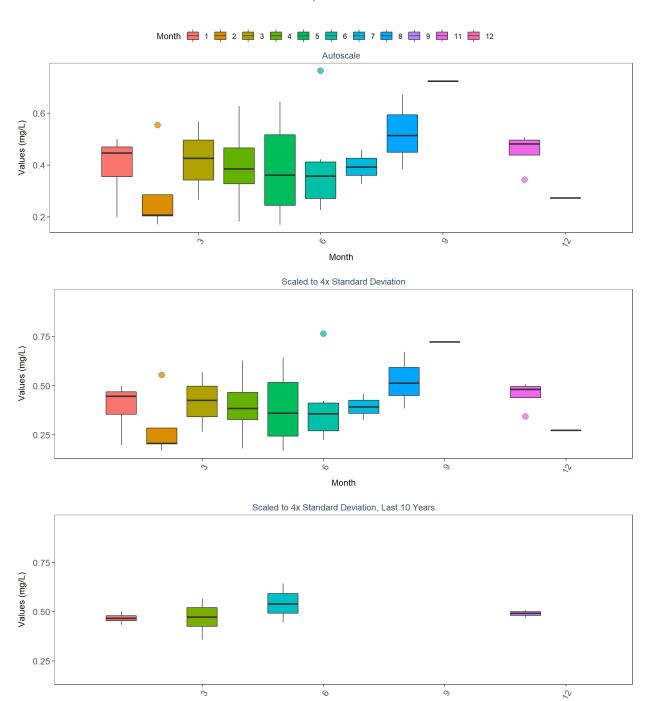
## Cape Romano-Ten Thousand Islands Aquatic Preserve By Year



## Cape Romano-Ten Thousand Islands Aquatic Preserve By Year & Month

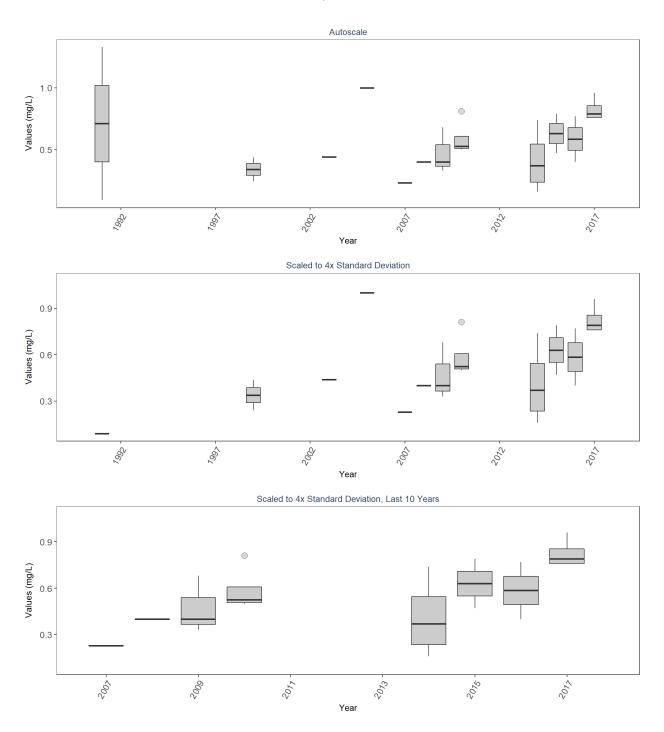


## Cape Romano-Ten Thousand Islands Aquatic Preserve By Month

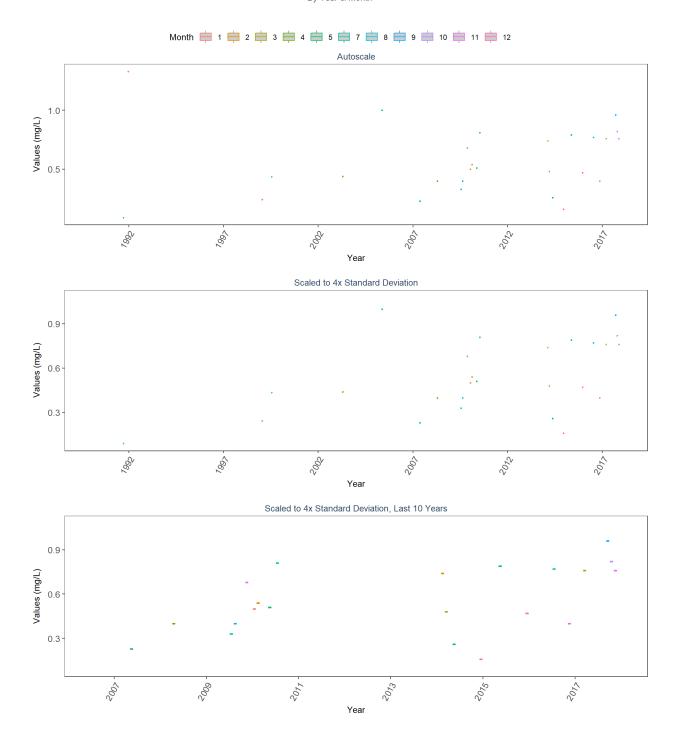


Month

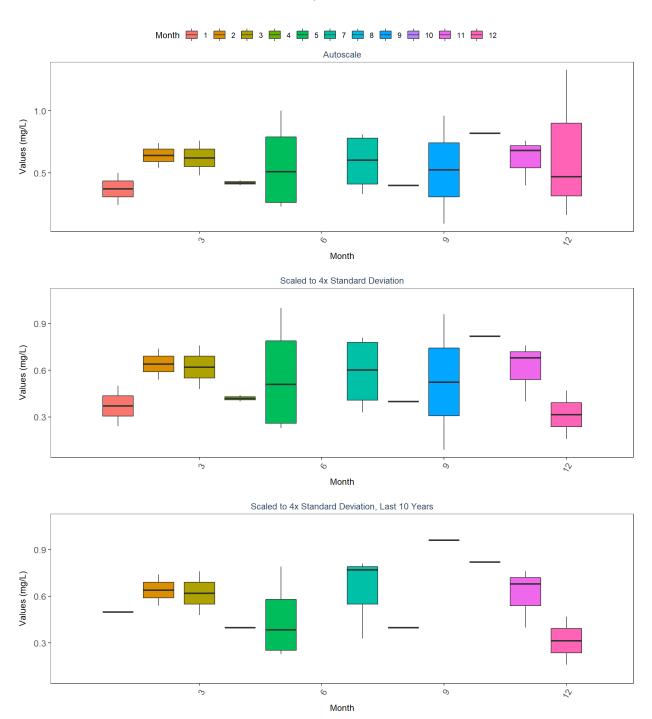
#### Estero Bay Aquatic Preserve By Year



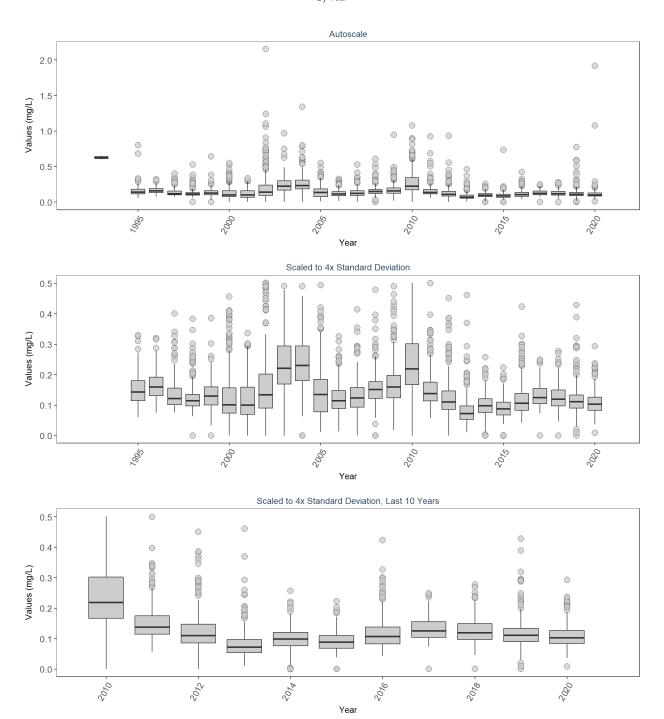
#### Estero Bay Aquatic Preserve By Year & Month



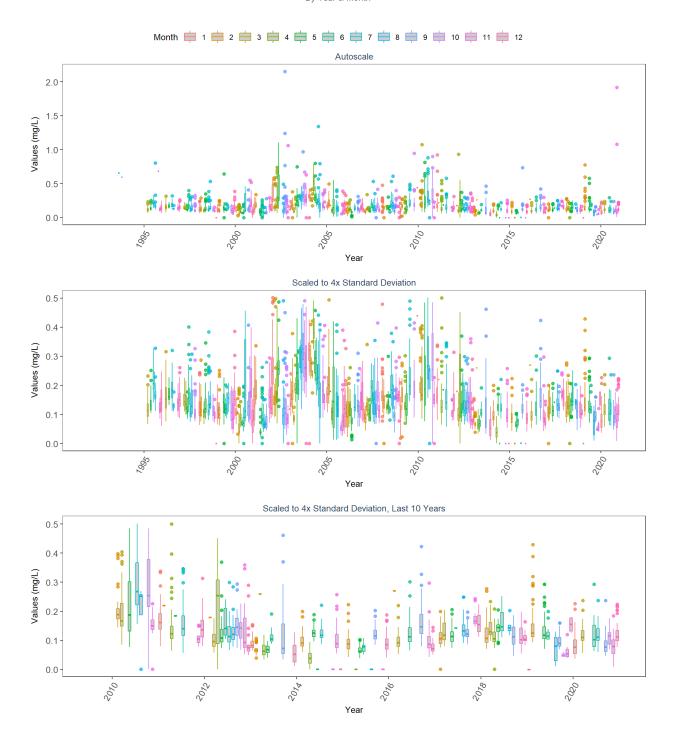




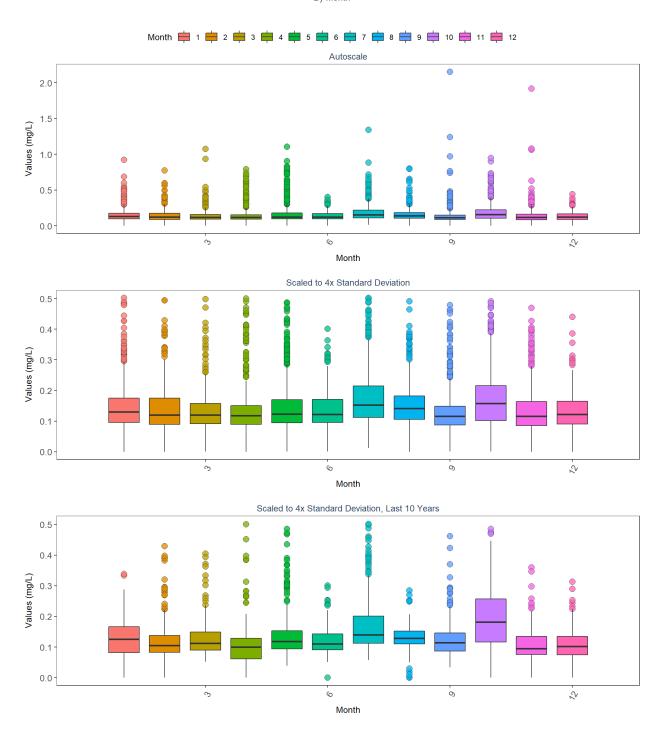
## Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary By Year



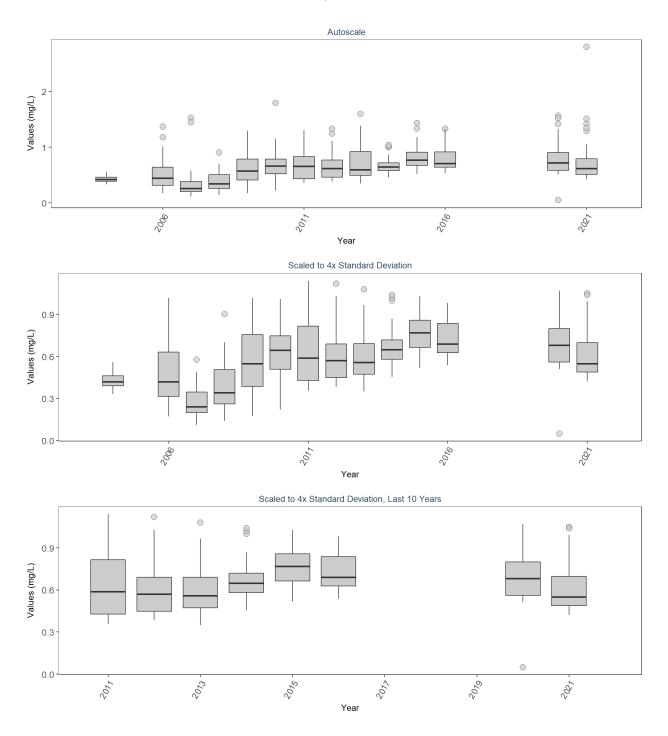
## Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary By Year & Month



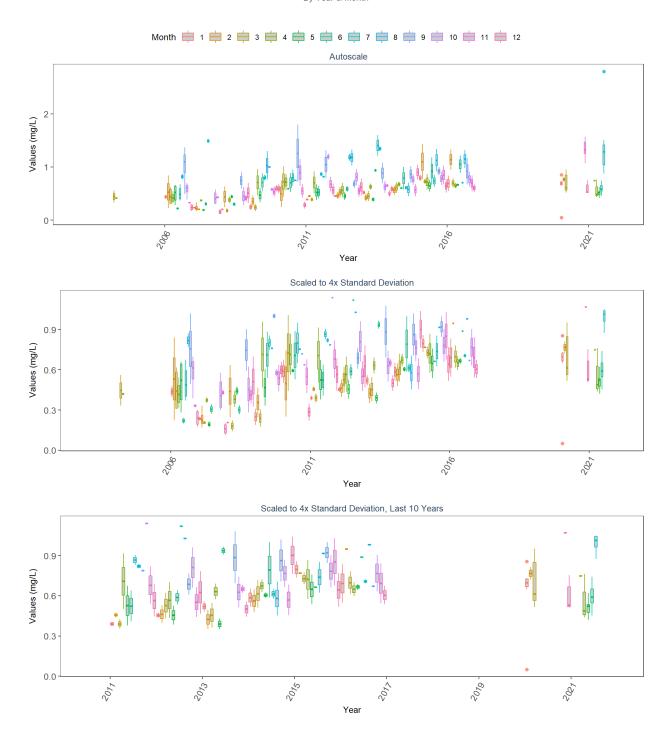
# Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary By Month



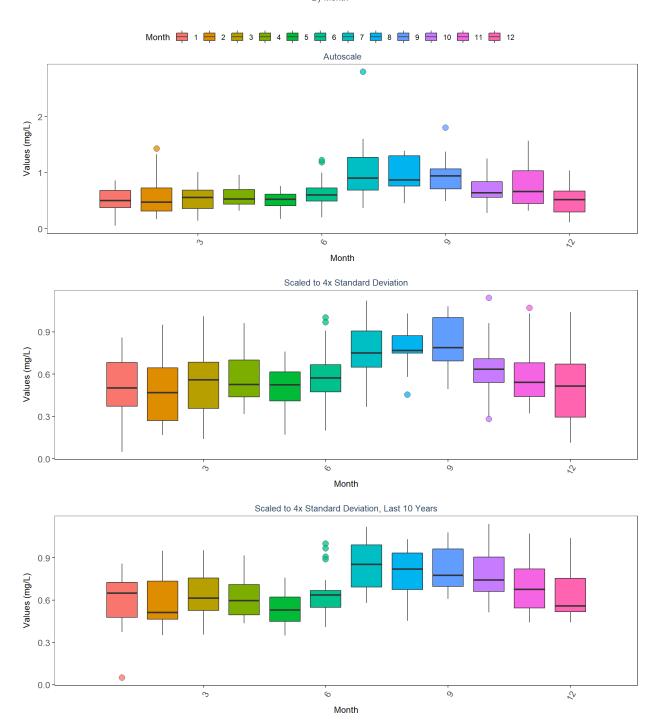
# Gasparilla Sound-Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserve By Year



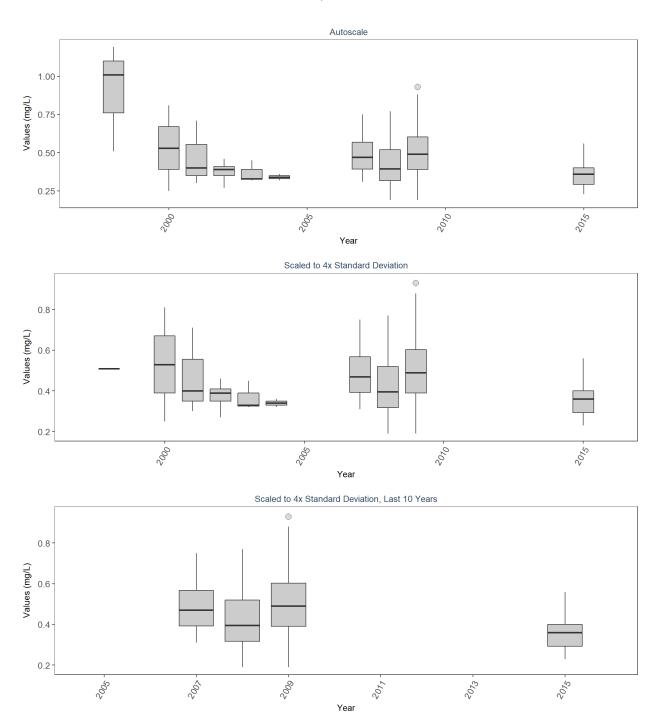
## Gasparilla Sound-Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserve By Year & Month



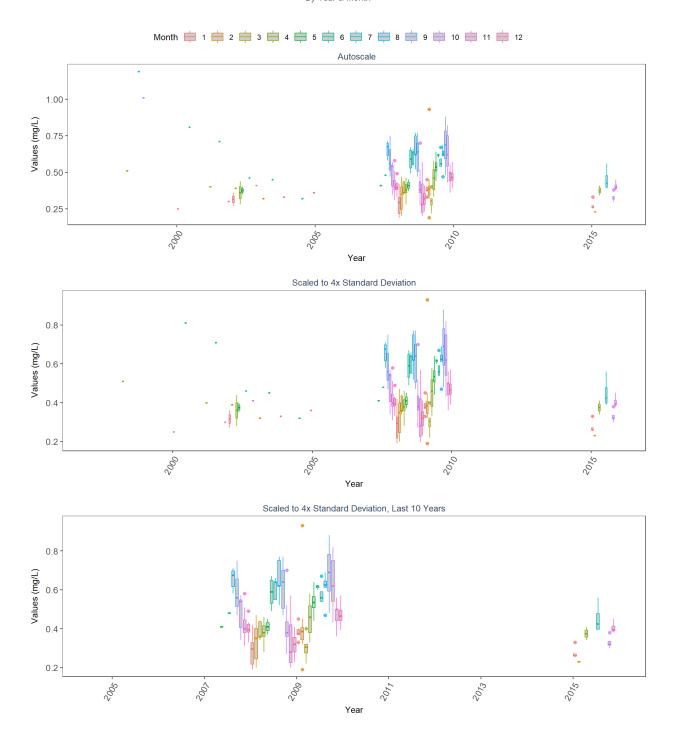
## Gasparilla Sound-Charlotte Harbor Aquatic Preserve By Month



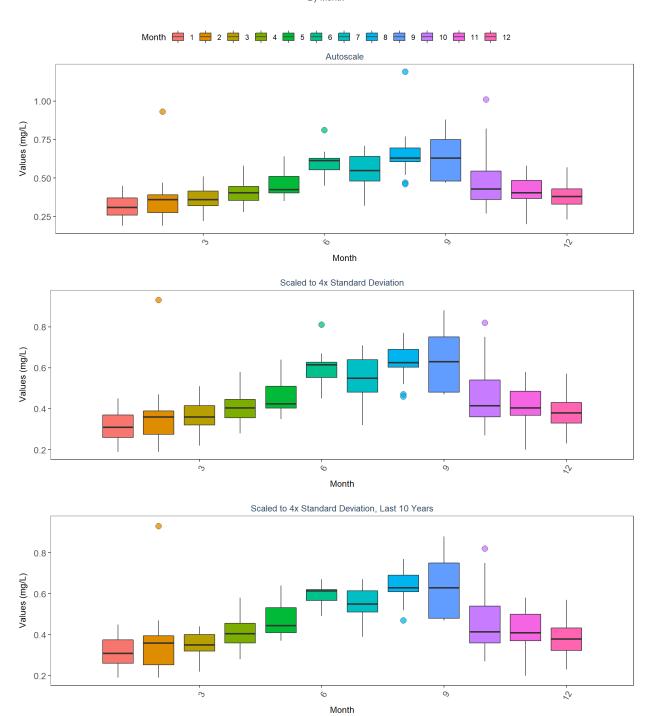
#### Nature Coast Aquatic Preserve By Year



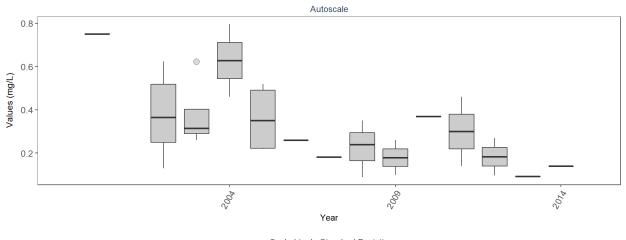
#### Nature Coast Aquatic Preserve By Year & Month

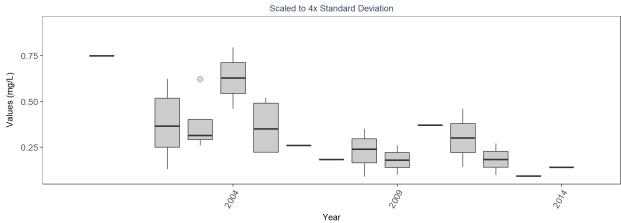


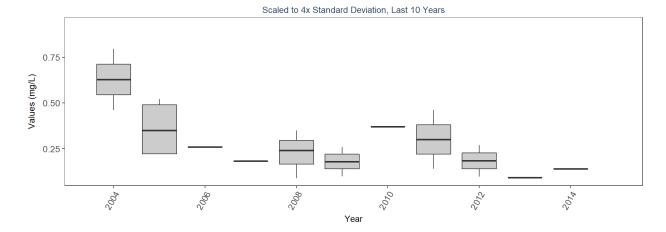
## Nature Coast Aquatic Preserve By Month



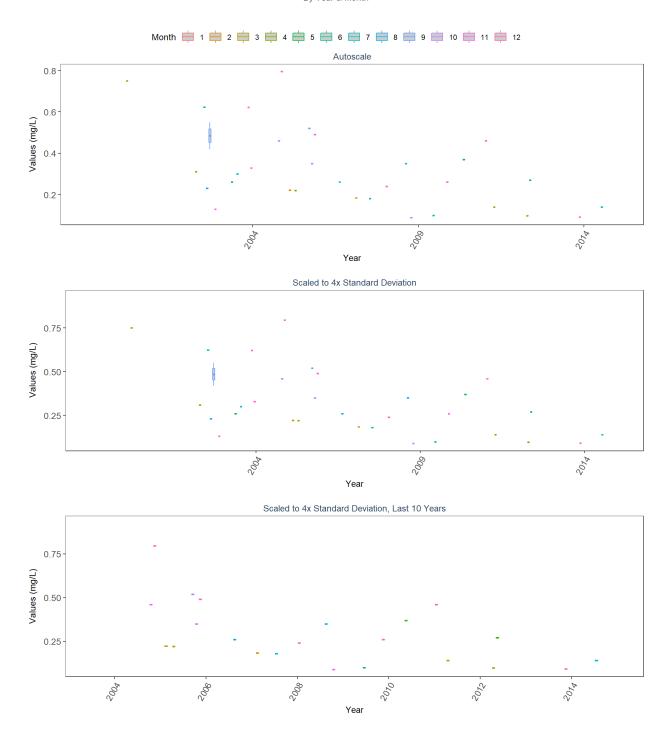
# Pine Island Sound Aquatic Preserve By Year



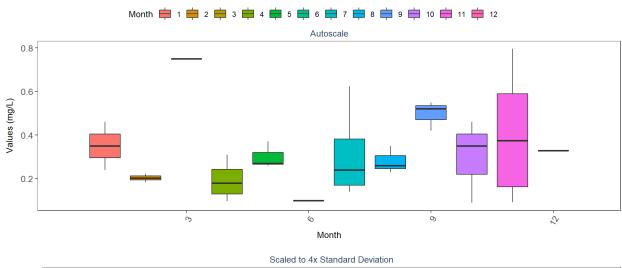


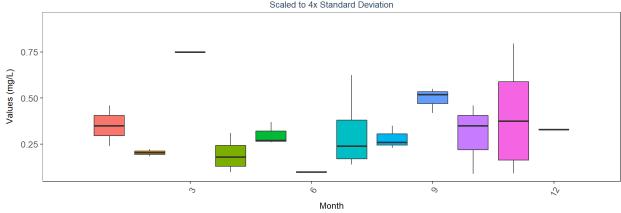


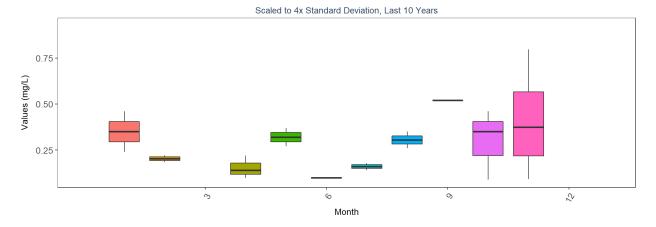
#### Pine Island Sound Aquatic Preserve By Year & Month



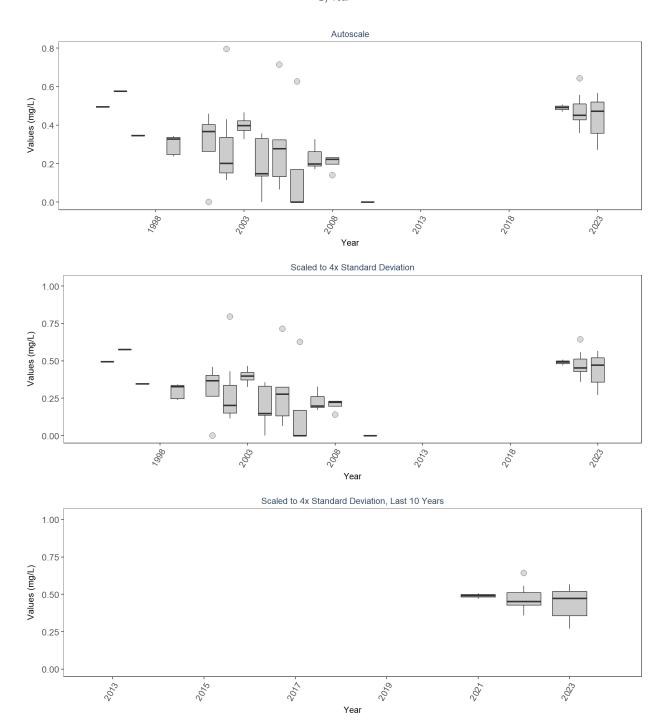
# Pine Island Sound Aquatic Preserve By Month



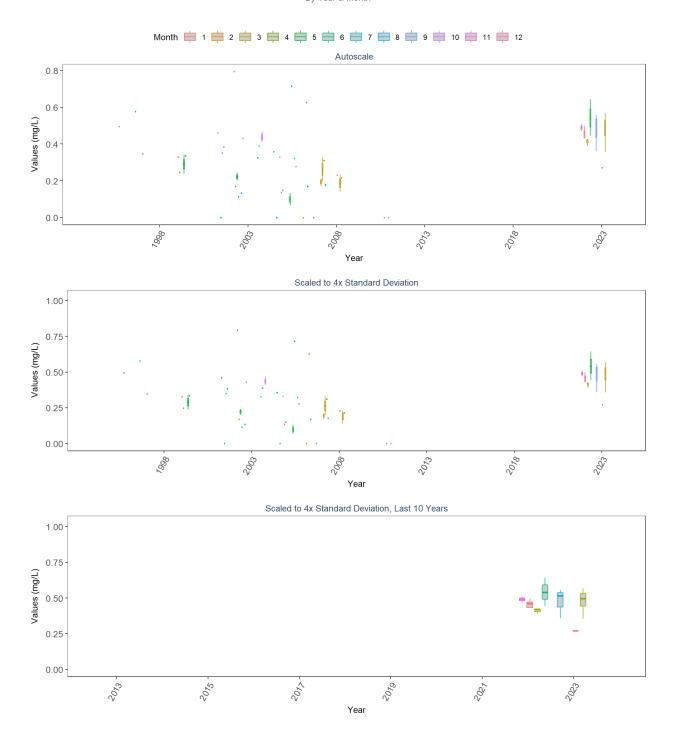


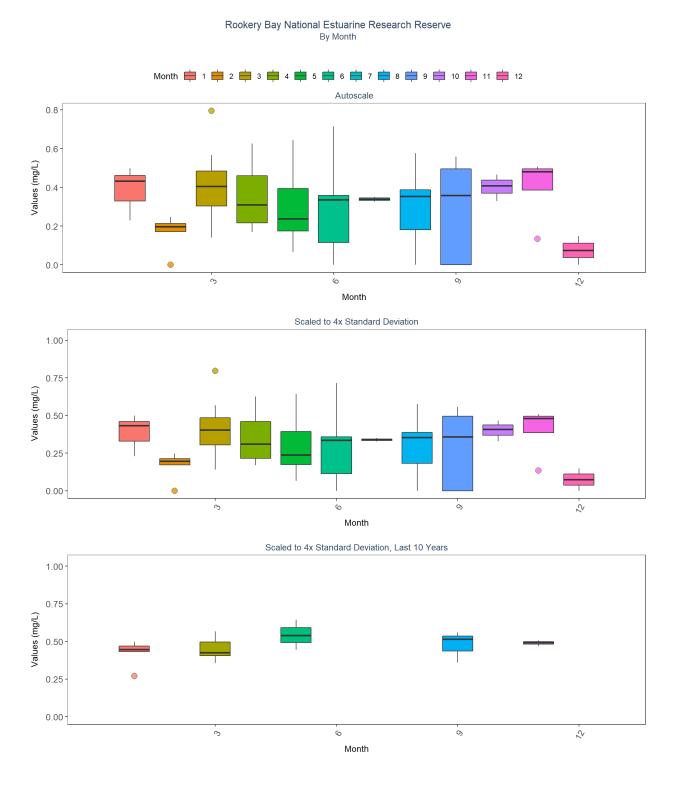


# Rookery Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve By Year



#### Rookery Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve By Year & Month





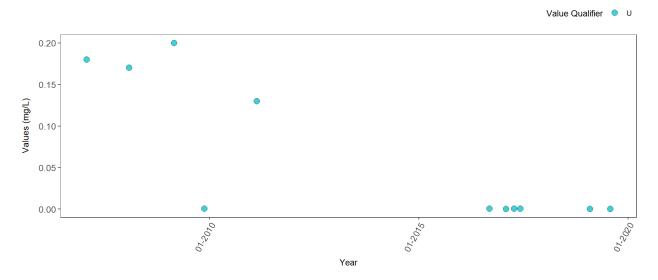
### Appendix V: Excluded Managed Areas

Scatter plots of data values are created for managed areas that have fewer than 10 separate years of data entries. Data points are colored based on specific value qualifiers of interest.

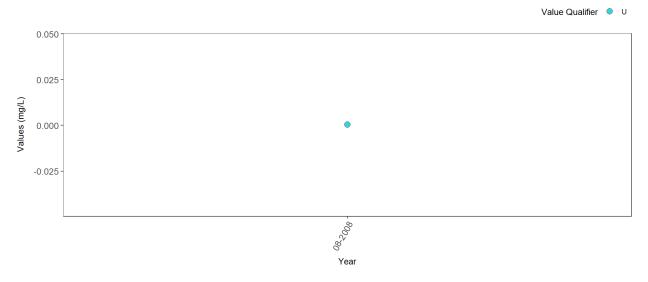
```
# Determines whether excluded managed areas exist. If they do, begins
# looping through them
if(z==0){
  print("There are no managed areas that qualify.")
} else {
   for(i in 1:z){
   # Create scatter plot with data
  p1<-ggplot(data=data[data$ManagedAreaName==MA_Exclude$ManagedAreaName[i]&
               data$Include==TRUE, ],
           aes(x=SampleDate, y=ResultValue, fill=VQ_Plot)) +
      geom_point(shape=21, size=3, color="#333333", alpha=0.75) +
      labs(title=paste0(MA_Exclude$ManagedAreaName[i], " (",
               MA_Exclude$N_Years[i], " Unique Years)"),
        subtitle="Autoscale", x="Year",
        y=pasteO("Values (", unit, ")"), fill="Value Qualifier") +
     plot_theme +
      theme(legend.position="top", legend.box="horizontal",
         legend.justification="right") +
      scale_x_date(labels=date_format("%m-%Y")) +
      {if(inc_H==TRUE){
      scale fill manual(values=c("H"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                     "HU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
      } else if(param_name=="Secchi_Depth"){
      scale_fill_manual(values=c("S"= "#F8766D", "U"= "#00BFC4",
                     "SU"="#7CAE00"), na.value="#cccccc")
      } else {
      scale_fill_manual(values=c("U"= "#00BFC4"), na.value="#cccccc")
     }}
   print(p1)
```

Alligator Harbor Aquatic Preserve (7 Unique Years)

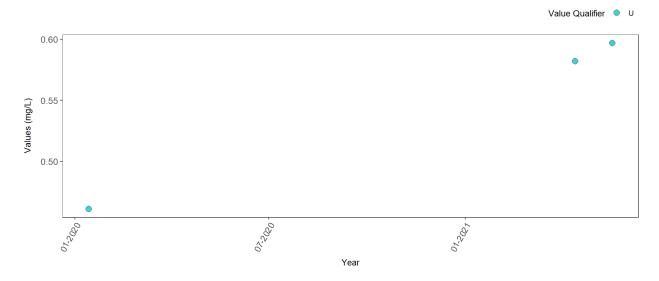
Autoscale



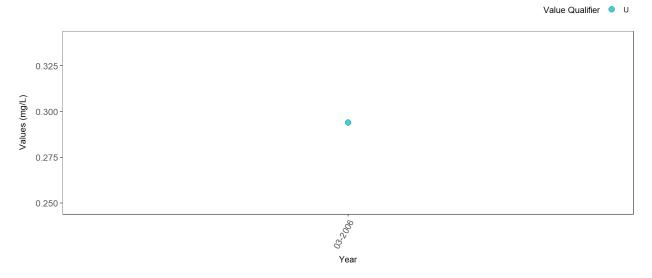
### Apalachicola National Estuarine Research Reserve (1 Unique Years) Autoscale



### Cape Haze Aquatic Preserve (2 Unique Years) Autoscale

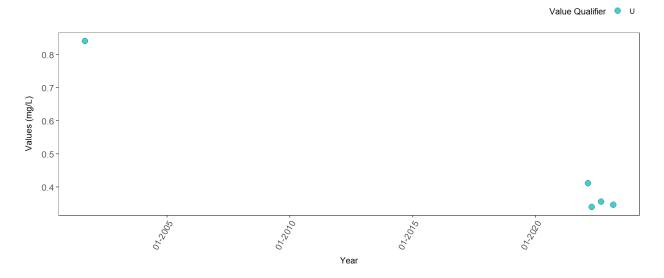


### Coupon Bight Aquatic Preserve (1 Unique Years) Autoscale

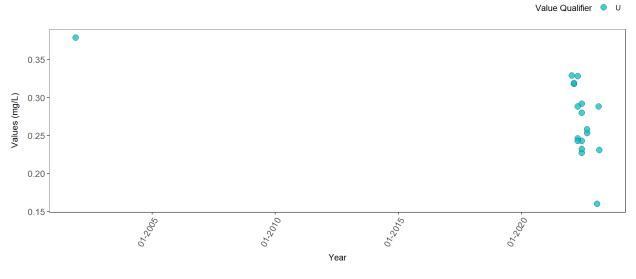


Indian River-Vero Beach to Ft. Pierce Aquatic Preserve (3 Unique Years)

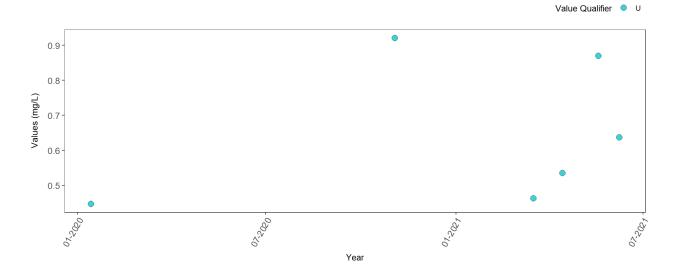
Autoscale



### Jensen Beach to Jupiter Inlet Aquatic Preserve (3 Unique Years) Autoscale

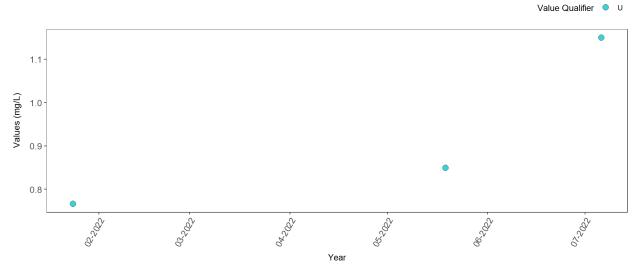


### Lemon Bay Aquatic Preserve (2 Unique Years) Autoscale



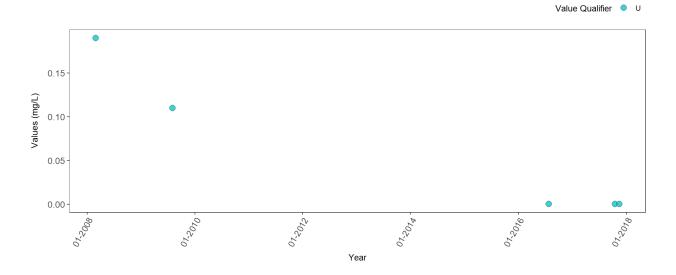
North Fork St. Lucie Aquatic Preserve (1 Unique Years)

Autoscale

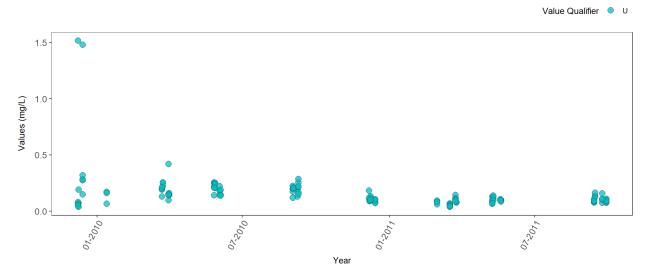


Rocky Bayou State Park Aquatic Preserve (4 Unique Years)

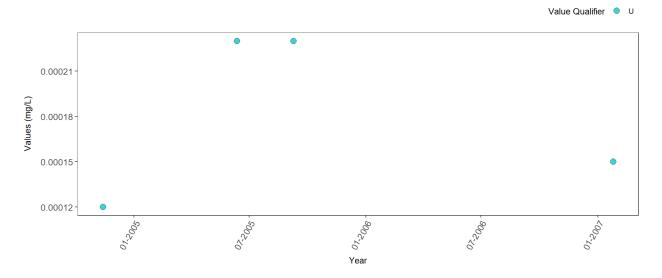
Autoscale



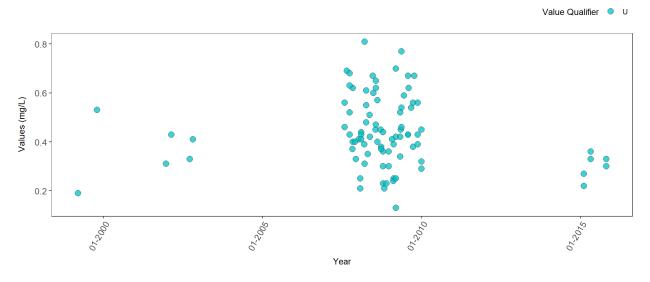
### Southeast Florida Coral Reef Ecosystem Conservation Area (3 Unique Years) Autoscale



### St. Andrews State Park Aquatic Preserve (3 Unique Years) Autoscale



### St. Martins Marsh Aquatic Preserve (7 Unique Years) Autoscale



### Tomoka Marsh Aquatic Preserve (2 Unique Years) Autoscale

