# Seaglider File Formats Manual SCHOOL OF OCEANOGRAPHY and APPLIED PHYSICS LABORATORY UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON Version 66.12 May 2012, Updated by KUTI July



# Chapter 1 Conventions and Introduction

#### 1.1 Conventions

Example files are given in **bold Courier font**. Direct annotations of files are given in smaller font. Parameters are in **UPPER CASE BOLD** font, and have a preceding **\$**. File names that are used in Seaglider command, control, or operations are given in **lowercase bold font**. Documents and sections of documents are *italicized*.

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123 is used throughout this document as a placeholder for Seaglider serial number, and 55 is used as a placeholder for dive number. Many file names include a three digit Seaglider serial number, followed by a four digit dive number, both with preceding zeros (e.g. **p1230055.log**). Numerals after the dot in a file name are represented by 0's and, when additional numerals are needed, 9's. Because they represent various meanings, numerals after the dot are always annotated the first time the file name appears, and in the file description heading.

#### 1.2 Introduction

This manual is designed to help the Seaglider user identify and interpret files he or she will encounter on the basestation. It is to be used in conjunction with the Seaglider User's Guide, Piloting Parameters Manual, and Extended PicoDOS Reference Manual.

#### 1.2.1 List of Files Found on the Basestation

(using SG132, dive 55, for example file names)

processed\_files.cache baselog\_080221110101 baselog.log sg\_calib\_constants.m cmdfile comm.log p1230055.asc p1230055.cap p1230055.dat p1230055.log p1230055.log p1230055.pro p1230055.pvt

**p** indicates that these files have been processed by the basestation. They are the files that contain information from the glider, for use by the pilot, operator, and scientist.

These files are described in the document below.

p1230000.prm

cmdedit.log
targedit.log
sciedit.log
comm\_merged.log
history.log
cmdfile.0
targets.0
science.0
p1230055.000.pdos

This file is sent at the beginning of Sea Launch. It contains a list of the parameters and their settings at the time of the Sea Launch start, and some information about the transmission of files from and to the glider during this time.

These files are created by the basestation, and document each change made to the command file, targets file, and science file using cmdedit, targedit, and sciedit.

Merged comm log and history file information

Record of shell commands

Every time a **cmdfile**, **targets file**, or **science file** is taken up by the glider, it is saved on the basestation and renamed to include the dive number. **PDOS command files** are also saved, but already include the dive number, so they are saved with a serial number. If there are multiple calls on one surfacing, a **cmdfile** is sent each time, and a serial number is added after the dive number.

These files are intermediates found on the basestation. They are used to create the processed files documented in this manual. Characters in the file names indicate the following: st: The file is from a self-test. If from a normal dive, this prefix will be sgb: has had duplicate sections removed "Bogue Syndrome processing" 1a: has been stripped of the padding characters added for transmission from the Seaglider.

- u: uncompressed
- z: zipped
- r: raw; a reconstruction of the raw ASCII text file on the glider
- x: The following sequence number is in the hexidecimal system

st0055du.1a.x00 st0055du.r st0055du.x00

st0055lu.1a.x00 st0055lu.x00

st0055kz.1a.x02 st0055kz.1a.x03 st0055kz.b.1a.x04 st0055kz.b.x04 st0055kz.r st0055kz.x00

st0055kz.x01

st0055kz.x00.PARTIAL.1

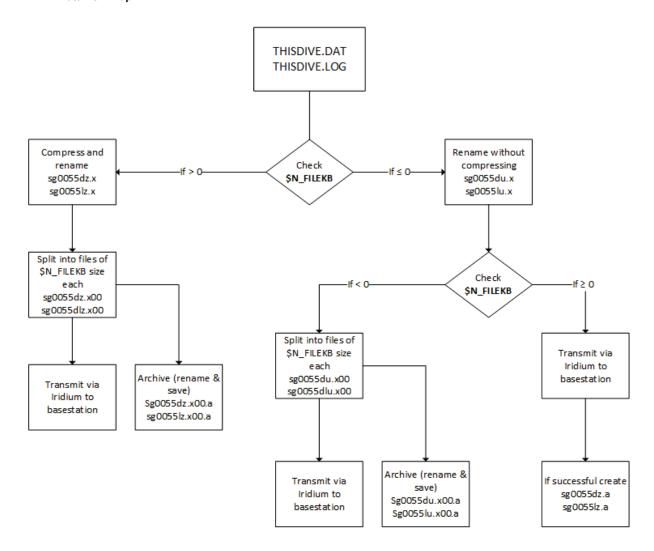
d indicates that these intermediate files will be used to create a data file.

*I* indicates that these intermediate files will be used to create a log file.

k indicates that these intermediate files will be used to create a capture file.

Partial files appear when the basestation does not receive a complete file from the Seaglider, and is unable to process it. Transmission errors are addressed in the Communications Log section of this document, and in the Seaglider User's Guide.

#### 1.2.2 Data Flow Map



#### Chapter 2

#### **File Descriptions**

This section describes the files relevant to the Seaglider user. Where appropriate, excerpts from real files, with explanatory annotation, are shown.

#### 2.1 Processed Files

## 2.1.1 Log File (p1230055.log)

One **log file** is made for each dive. The first portion of the data is a list of the Seaglider's parameters and their values for that dive. See the *Parameter Reference Manual* for more information. The second section, beginning with the entry **\$GPS1**, contains information concerning the pre-dive period at the surface. The

\$GC-labeled lines describe motor actions (pitch, roll, or VBD), one line per motor move. The information listed after the \$GC lines are data collected at the end of the dive (surface maneuver data, final temperature reading, etc). Some of this data is from the previous surfacing (before the start of the current dive). Not all Seagliders will report all of the lines that appear in the example given here, because the devices installed vary among Seagliders.

#### Example Log File

version: 66.11

Seaglider operating code version

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revision: 1138 Seaglider operating code revision number
glider: 566
                      Seaglider serial number
mission: 1
                      Mission number counter, settable by pilot or launch operator or automatically incremented by software
dive: 25
                      Dive number
start: 12 16 115 14
                                        Date and time (UTC) of start of dive
                                          seconds (UTC, starting with 0)
                                         seconds (UTC, starting with 0)
                                   hour (UTC, starting with 0)
                                  year after 1900
                                dav

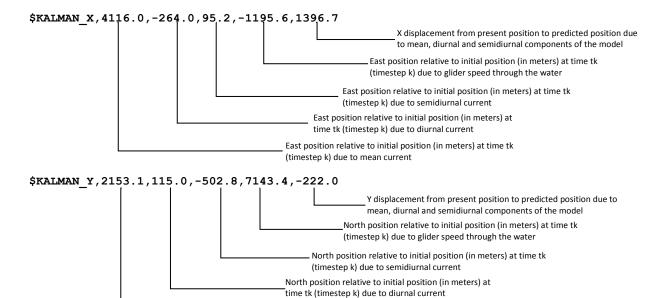
→ month

data:
                       Glider parameters
$ID,566
                       See the Parameter Reference Manual for information on parameters reported in the log file
$MISSION,1
$DIVE, 25
$N DIVES,30
$D SURF, 3
$D FLARE, 3
$D TGT,150
$D ABORT,210
$D NO BLEED, 100
$D BOOST,5
$T_BOOST,0
$D_FINISH,0
$D PITCH, 0
$D SAFE, 0
$D CALL, 0
$SURFACE URGENCY, 0
$SURFACE URGENCY TRY,0
$SURFACE URGENCY FORCE, 0
$T DIVE, \overline{5}0
$T MISSION, 65
$T_ABORT,120
$T TURN,500
$T TURN SAMPINT,5
$T NO W,120
$T LOITER, 0
$T EPIRB,0
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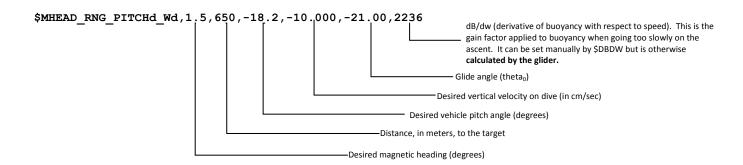
\$USE BATHY,0 \$USE ICE,0 \$ICE FREEZE MARGIN, 0.30000001 \$D OFFGRID, 100 \$T WATCHDOG, 10 \$RELAUNCH, 0 \$APOGEE PITCH,-5 \$MAX BUOY,150 \$COURSE BIAS,0 \$GLIDE\_SLOPE,30 \$SPEED FACTOR,1 \$RHO,1.0233001 \$MASS,53476 \$MASS COMP, 0 \$NAV\_MODE,2 \$FERRY MAX,45 \$KALMAN USE, 2 \$HD A,0.0038360001 \$HD B,0.010078 \$HD C,9.8500004e-06 \$HEADING,-1 \$ESCAPE HEADING,0 \$ESCAPE\_HEADING\_DELTA,10 \$FIX MISSING TIMEOUT, 0 \$TGT\_DEFAULT\_LAT,4743.1001 \$TGT\_DEFAULT\_LON,-12223.12 \$TGT AUTO DEFAULT,0 \$SM CC,360 \$N FILEKB, 4 \$FILEMGR,0 \$CALL NDIVES,1 \$COMM SEQ,0 \$PROTOCOL, 9 \$N NOCOMM, 5 \$NOCOMM ACTION, 3 \$N NOSURFACE, 0 \$UPLOAD DIVES MAX,-1 \$CALL\_TRIES,5 \$CALL WAIT,60 \$CAPUPLOAD,1 \$CAPMAXSIZE,400000 \$HEAPDBG,0 \$T GPS,5 \$N GPS,20 \$T GPS ALMANAC, 0 \$T GPS CHARGE, -2147.1975 \$T RSLEEP, 3 \$STROBE,0 \$RAFOS PEAK OFFSET,1.5 \$RAFOS\_CORR\_THRESH,60 \$RAFOS\_HIT\_WINDOW,3600 \$PITCH MIN,298 \$PITCH MAX,3938 \$C PITCH, 2663 \$PITCH DBAND, 0.1 \$PITCH CNV, 0.003125763 \$P\_OVSHOOT,0.07999998 \$PITCH GAIN,26 \$PITCH TIMEOUT, 16 \$PITCH AD RATE, 175 \$PITCH MAXERRORS,1 \$PITCH ADJ GAIN,0 \$PITCH\_ADJ\_DBAND,0 \$ROLL MIN, 208\$ROLL\_MAX,3799 \$ROLL DEG,40 \$C ROLL DIVE, 1891

\$C ROLL CLIMB, 1846 \$HEAD ERRBAND, 10 \$ROLL CNV, 0.028270001 \$ROLL TIMEOUT,15 \$R PORT OVSHOOT,28 \$R STBD OVSHOOT,38 \$ROLL AD RATE,350 \$ROLL\_MAXERRORS,1 \$ROLL\_ADJ\_GAIN,0 \$ROLL ADJ DBAND,0 \$VBD MIN,600 \$VBD MAX, 3960 \$C VBD,2623 \$VBD DBAND,2 \$VBD CNV,-0.24529999 \$VBD TIMEOUT,720 \$PITCH VBD SHIFT, 0.0012300001 \$VBD PUMP AD RATE SURFACE, 5 \$VBD PUMP AD RATE APOGEE, 4 \$VBD BLEED AD RATE,8 \$UNCOM BLEED, 60 \$VBD MAXERRORS,1 \$W ADJ DBAND,0 \$DBDW,0 \$PITCH W GAIN, 0 \$PITCH W DBAND, 0 \$CF8\_MAXERRORS,20 \$AH0 24V,310 \$AH0 10V,0 \$MINV 24V,11.5 \$MINV 10V,10 \$FG AHR 10V,0 \$FG AHR 24V,0 \$PHONE SUPPLY, 2 \$PRESSURE\_YINT,-175.44975 \$PRESSURE\_SLOPE, 0.000140579 \$AD7714Ch0Gain, 32 \$TCM PITCH OFFSET,0 \$TCM ROLL OFFSET, 0 \$COMPASS USE, 0 \$ALTIM BOTTOM PING RANGE, 0 \$ALTIM TOP PING RANGE, 20 \$ALTIM BOTTOM TURN MARGIN, 0 \$ALTIM TOP TURN MARGIN, 0 \$ALTIM TOP MIN OBSTACLE,1 \$ALTIM PING DEPTH, 100 \$ALTIM PING DELTA,5 \$ALTIM FREQUENCY,13 \$ALTIM PULSE, 3 \$ALTIM\_SENSITIVITY,3 \$XPDR\_VALID,6 \$XPDR\_INHIBIT,90 \$INT PRESSURE SLOPE, 0.0097660003 \$INT PRESSURE YINT, 0 \$DEEPGLIDER, 0 \$DEEPGLIDERMB, 0 \$MOTHERBOARD, 4 \$DEVICE1,2 \$DEVICE2,133 \$DEVICE3,147 \$DEVICE4,-1 \$DEVICE5,-1 \$DEVICE6,-1 \$LOGGERS,0 \$LOGGERDEVICE1,-1 \$LOGGERDEVICE2,-1 \$LOGGERDEVICE3,-1

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$LOGGERDEVICE4,-1
$COMPASS DEVICE,33
$COMPASS2 DEVICE,-1
$PHONE DEVICE, 49
$GPS DEVICE, 32
$RAFOS DEVICE,-1
$XPDR DEVICE,24
$SIM \overline{W},0
$SIM PITCH, 0
$SEABIRD T G,0.0042689471
$SEABIRD T H,0.00061728043
$SEABIRD T 1,2.1528307e-05
$SEABIRD T J,2.205049e-06
$SEABIRD C G,-9.8820391
$SEABIRD C H,1.1285278
$SEABIRD C_I,-0.00050328113
$SEABIRD C J, 0.00012978025
$GPS1,161215,140948,4743.9064,-12224.0852,2,1.1,21,16.6,0.8,238.2,8,5.3
                                                                                                                        Horizontal position
                                                                                                                        error, in meters
                                                                                                                      Number of satellites
                                                                                                                      contributing to final
                                                                                                                      fix
                                                                                                                  Estimated surface drift
                                                                                                                  direction, in degrees true
                                                                                                     Estimated surface drift speed, in knots
                                                                                                     Magnetic variance (degrees.
                                                                                                     positive East
                                                                                                     Total time, in seconds, to acquire fix,
                                                                                                     See $N GPS in the Parameter Reference
                                                                                                     Manual for details
                                                                                         HDOP (Horizontal Dilution of Precision) - a measure of the
                                                                                         strength of the figure used to compute the GPS fix
                                                                                        Time to first fix, in seconds
                                                                                   Longitude (+/- dddmm.mmm; sign: only minuses are shown,
                                                                                    positive East)
                                                                           Latitude (+/- ddmm.mmm; sign: only minuses are shown, positive North)
                                                             Time (hhmmss UTC)
                                                         Date (ddmmyy)
$ CALLS,1
                               Total number of calls made in an attempt to connect to the basestation on the previous surfacing
  XMS NAKs,0
                               Total number of file transfers that ended with a NAK (No Acknowledgements) on the previous surfacing
$ XMS TOUTs,0
                               Total number of file transfers that ended with a timeout on the previous surfacing
$ SM DEPTHo, 1.08
                               Glider measured depth, in meters, while the glider is at the surface at the end of the previous dive
$ SM ANGLEO, -72.5
                               Glider measured angle, in degrees, at the surface at the end of the previous dive
$GPS2,161215,141428,4743.8613,-12224.1331,4,1.0,17,16.6,1.7,55.7,9,5.0
                                                                                                   GPS position just prior to the start of
                                                                                                   the next dive; the format is the same as
                                                                                                   that for GPS1 above
$SPEED LIMITS, 0.173, 0.261
                                          The minimum and maximum horizontal speed attainable by the Seaglider on this dive, in meters per
                                          second. These values are based on the minimum and maximum dive angles and the allowable buoyancy
                                          force. The minimum speed corresponds to the maximum dive angle; the maximum speed is obtained as the
                                          minimum value of the horizontal speed.
$TGT NAME, C2
                              The name of the active target of this dive. See the Targets File section for details.
$TGT LATLONG, 4744.200, -12224.000
                                                             The latitude and longitude for the target position of this dive. Same format as GPS1
$TGT RADIUS, 200.000
                                         The radius for the active target for this dive, in meters
$KALMAN CONTROL, 0.082, 0.346
                                                     Desired glider speeds to north and east, from which heading is derived
                                                  Desired speed to the east, in meters/second
                                            Desired speed to the north, in meters/second
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(timestep k) due to mean current



North position relative to initial position (in meters) at time tk

\$D\_GRID , 150 Depth, in meters, to the apogee maneuver, as read from the currently active bathymetry map

\$GCHEAD, st\_secs, pitch\_ctl, vbd\_ctl, pitch\_ad\_start, roll\_ad\_start, vbd\_pot1\_ad\_start, vbd\_p ot2\_ad\_start, depth, ob\_vertv, data\_pts, end\_secs, pitch\_secs, roll\_secs, vbd\_secs, vbd\_i, gcph ase, pitch\_i, roll\_i, pitch\_ad, roll\_ad, vbd\_ad, vbd\_pot1\_ad, vbd\_pot2\_ad, pitch\_retries, pitch\_errors, roll\_retries, roll\_errors, vbd\_retries, vbd\_errors, pitch\_volts, roll\_volts, vbd\_volts

st\_secs: Elapsed time from the start of the dive to the start of GC
pitch\_ctl: Position of the pitch mass, in centimeters, relative to the \$C\_PITCH (positive aft)

vbd\_ctl: Position of the VBD, in cc, relative to \$C\_VBD (positive buoyant)

pitch\_ad\_start: Position of the pitch motor, in AD counts, at the beginning of the motor move roll\_ad\_start: Position of the roll motor, in AD counts, at the beginning of the motor move

vbd\_pot1\_ad\_start: Position of the vbd linear potentiometer 1, in AD counts, at the beginning of the motor move vbd\_pot2\_ad\_start: Position of the vbd linear potentiometer 2, in AD counts, at the beginning of the motor move

depth: Depth at the start of GC. in meters

ob\_vertv: Observed vertical velocity, in centimeters/second data\_pts: Number of data records collected thus far in the dive end secs: Elapsed time from the start of the dive to the end of GC

pitch\_secs: Number of seconds the pitch motor was on roll\_secs: Number of seconds the roll motor was on vbd\_secs: Number of seconds the VBD was on vbd\_i: Average current used by the VBD, in amps

gcphase: GC phase is a logical 'or' of all the actions that occurred in a given active period.

1: pitch change 2: VBD change 4: roll 8: turning (passive)

16: passive mode (waiting)
32: GCPHASE\_VBD\_W\_ADJ
64: GCPHASE\_PITCH\_W\_ADJ

128: GCPHASE\_PITCH\_ADJ 256: GCPHASE\_ROLL\_POS 512: GCPHASE\_ROLL\_NEG

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2048: GCPHASE PITCH POS
                           4096: GCPHASE PITCH NEG
                           8192: GCPHASE_VBD_PUMP
                           16384: GCPHASE VBD BLEED
                           Average current used by the pitch motor, in amps
         pitch_i:
         roll_i:
                           Average current used by the roll motor, in amps
         pitch_ad:
                           Position of the pitch motor, in AD counts, at the end of the motor move
         roll ad:
                           Position of the roll motor, in AD counts, at the end of the motor move
                           Position of the VBD motor, in AD counts, at the end of the motor move
         vbd ad:
         vbd_pot1_ad:
                           Position of the vbd linear potentiometer 1, in AD counts, at the end of the motor move
         vbd_pot2_ad:
                           Position of the vbd linear potentiometer 2, in AD counts, at the end of the motor move
                           Number of pitch retries (instantaneous AD rate move of less than $PITCH_AD_RATE) during this motor move
         pitch_retries:
         pitch errors:
                           Number of pitch motor errors (timeouts) during this motor move n
                           Number of roll retries (instantaneous AD rate move less than $ROLL_AD_RATE) during this motor move
         roll_retries:
         roll_errors:
                           Number of roll motor errors (timeouts) during this motor move
         vbd_retries:
                           Number of VBD retries (instantaneous AD rate move less than $VBD_PUMP_AD_RATE_APOGEE, $VBD_PUMP_RATE_SURFACE
                           or VBD BLEED RATE as appropriate) during this motor move
         vbd errors:
                           Number of VBD errors (timeouts) during this motor move
         pitch_volts:
                           Minimum observed voltage during the pitch motor move.
                           The value is 28.83 (high) if the pitch motor did not move in this active period.
                           Minimum observed voltage during the roll motor move.
         roll volts:
                           The value is 28.83 (high) if the roll motor did not move in this active period.
         vbd_volts:
                           Minimum observed voltage during the VBD motor move.
                           The value is 28.83 (high) if the pitch motor did not move in this active period.
$STATE, 12, end surface, CONTROL FINISHED OK
$STATE, 12, begin dive
$GC,14,-0.88,-146.6,294,1880,1238,1064,0.0,0.0,0.77,0.00,0.00,-60.97,0.000,16386,
0.000, 0.000, 294, 1881, 2923, 2956, 2891, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 28.83, 28.83, 28.83\\
$GC,79,-0.88,-146.6,293,1881,2957,2891,3.3,-6.6,9,102,7.12,2.42,-6.80,0.000,18948,
0.490, 0.099, 2359, 479, 3221, 3301, 3142, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 14.53, 14.69, 14.91
$GC,129,-0.88,-146.6,1424,479,3284,3134,14.0,-16.3,17,138,0.00,2.38,0.00,0.000,1030,
0.000, 0.050, 2350, 1906, 3221, 3304, 3138, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 28.83, 14.74, 28.83
...lines omitted..
$GC,238,-0.88,-146.6,1408,1904,3285,3133,31.5,-15.8,37,246,0.00,2.35,0.00,0.000,260,
0.000, 0.072, 2339, 3295, 3221, 3305, 3137, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 28.83, 14.73, 28.83
$STATE, 1020, end dive, TARGET DEPTH EXCEEDED
$STATE, 1020, begin apogee
$GC,1023,-0.19,0.0,2368,1888,3305,3136,151.3,-15.0,122,1143,0.62,0.00,110.50,1.571,
10246,0.282,0.000,2588,1884,2624,2748,2501,0,0,0,0,0,0,14.79,28.83,13.73
$STATE, 1144, end apogee, CONTROL FINISHED OK
$STATE, 1144, begin climb
$GC,1145,0.88,146.6,2588,1885,2748,2501,156.6,0.0,134,1263,0.90,0.00,113.15,1.486,1024
6,0.179,0.000,2931,1884,2025,2173,1877,0,0,0,0,0,0,14.19,28.83,13.63
$GC,1381,0.88,146.6,2932,1884,2172,1877,132.8,13.6,158,1382,0.00,0.00,0.00,0.000,6,0.0
00,0.000,2932,1884,2024,2172,1877,0,0,0,0,0,0,28.83,28.83,28.83
...lines omitted...
$GC,2266,0.88,146.6,1920,1875,2117,1871,5.8,11.5,274,2273,0.00,0.00,0.00,0.000,6,0.000
,0.000,2956,1877,2024,2171,1877,0,0,0,0,0,0,28.83,28.83,28.83
$STATE, 2284, end climb, SURFACE DEPTH REACHED
$STATE,2284,begin surface coast
$FINISH, 1.9, 1.020151
                                                   Water density, in grams per cc, at the first sample taken after
                                                   reaching $D SURF (or $D FINISH, if enabled)
                                        Depth of glider, in meters, at the first sample taken after reaching
                                        $D_SURF (or $D_FINISH, if enabled)
$STATE,2301,end surface coast,CONTROL FINISHED OK
$STATE,2301,begin surface
$SM CCo,2314,113.72,0.164,0,0,1154,360.10
                                                                    Final position of the VBD after the Surface Maneuver pump, in cc's
                                                                Final position of the VBD after the SM pump, in AD counts
                                                           Number of VBD errors during the SM pump
                                                      Number of VBD retries during the SM pump
                                                  Average current for the VBD during the SM pump, in amps
                                            - Time, in seconds, for the SM pump
                                        Time in seconds from the start of the dive to when the SM pump was started
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1024: GCPHASE ROLL CENTER

## \$SM\_GC,1.30,6.62,0.00,113.72,0.151,0.000,0.164,279,1877,1154,-7.33,-0.40,360.10,0,0,0,0,0,0,14.83,28.83,14.71

Glider depth at the end of the surface maneuver, in meters Time to complete pitch surface maneuver, in seconds

Time to complete roll surface maneuver, in seconds

Time for the SM pump, in seconds

Average current for pitch during surface maneuver, in amps

Average current for roll during the surface maneuver, in amps

Average current for the VBD during the SM pump, in amps

Final position of the pitch after the surface maneuver, in AD counts

Final position of the roll after the surface maneuver, in AD counts

Final position of the VBD after the SM pump, in AD counts

Final position of the pitch after the surface maneuver, in cm

Final position of the roll after the surface maneuver, in degrees

Final position of the VBD after the Surface Maneuver pump, in cc's

Number of pitch retries (instantaneous AD rate move of less than \$PITCH\_AD\_RATE) during this motor move

Number of pitch motor errors (timeouts) during this motor move

Number of roll retries (instantaneous AD rate move less than \$ROLL AD RATE) during this motor move

Number of roll motor errors (timeouts) during this motor move

Number of VBD retries (instantaneous AD rate move less than \$VBD PUMP AD RATE APOGEE,

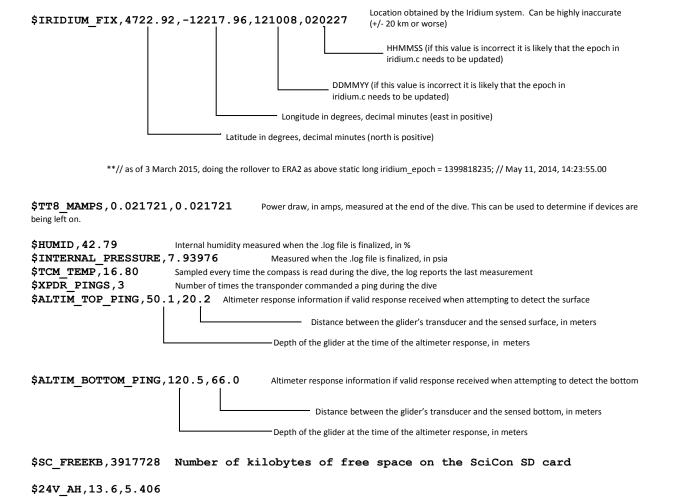
\$VBD\_PUMP\_AD\_RATE\_SURFACE or \$VBD\_BLEED\_RATE as appropriate) during this motor move

Number of VBD errors (timeouts) during this motor move

Minimum observed voltage during the pitch motor move

Minimum observed voltage during the roll motor move

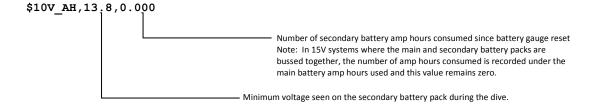
Minimum observed voltage during the VBD motor move



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- Minimum voltage seen on the main battery pack during the dive

Number of main battery amp hours consumed since battery gauge reset



**\$FG\_AHR\_24Vo,0.000** This parameter is a remnant of UW development and is not used **\$FG\_AHR\_10Vo,0.000** This parameter is a remnant of UW development and is not used

\$DEVICES,Pitch\_motor,Roll\_motor,VBD\_pump\_during\_apogee,VBD\_pump\_during\_surface,VBD\_valve,Iridium\_during\_init,Iridium\_during\_connect,Iridium\_during\_xfer,Transponder\_ping,GUMSTIX\_24V,GPS,TT8,LPSleep,TT8\_Active,TT8\_Sampling,TT8\_CF8,TT8\_Kalman,Analog\_circuits,GPS\_charging,Compass,RAFOS,Transponder,Compass2

Provides the "column map" for the \$DEVICE\_SECS and \$DEVICE\_MAMPS data in the next lines.

\$DEVICE\_SECS,15.650,51.750,223.650,113.725,0.000,22.792,29.449,137.831,2.500,0.000,18.593,710.943,657.018,456.862,865.631,38.213,0.000,803.319,0.000,637.434,0.000,14.466,0.000

The cumulative number of seconds each device was on during the last dive.

\$DEVICE\_MAMPS,490.365,98.685,1570.545,163.710,0.000,30.600,160.000,223.000,420.000,0.0
00,21.720,10.620,2.190,10.620,30.840,36.840,0.000,11.100,0.000,20.970,0.000,30.000,0.0
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Current values used to calculate battery usage.

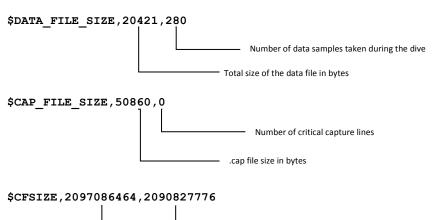
Reports a measured value (phone, motors etc.) or a value from the CURRENTS file (sensors) or a hardcoded value (if not measured and not in the CURRENTS file)

 $SENSOR\_SECS, 189.371, 277.362, 433.750, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000$  The cumulative number of seconds each sensor was powered on during the previous dive

\$SENSOR\_MAMPS, 23.220, 43.440, 51.680, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000, 0.000

Reports a measured current value, in milliamps, or a value from the CURRENTS file or a hardcoded value (if not measured and not in the CURRENTS file) for each sensor

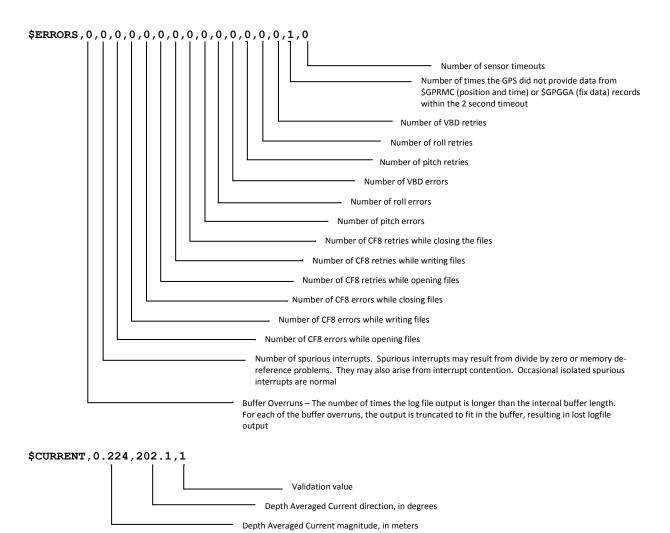
\$MEM, 351456 The available free memory. If this value drops dive over dive, then there is a memory leak.



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- Total capacity of the compact flash card

Available free space on the compact flash card



\$GPS,161215,145611,4743.899,-12224.167,16,0.9,16,16.6

GPS position obtained at the end of the current dive, same format as GPS1 and GPS2

## 2.1.2 Data File (p1230055.dat)

The .dat file is an ASCII text file generated by the Seaglider and transmitted to the basestation for further processing. The first line is the only actual value; all following lines are differences. It serves as the primary conduit for the science data collected by the Seaglider. Each data file covers one dive of information. The format is designed to minimize transmission size and, while clear text, is not intended for direct use by users.

The numbers in the data file can be interpreted by the column titles listed in the "columns" line at the beginning of the file. The meaning of each column title is summarized below. The first 10 columns ("rec" through "GC\_phase") are always present. The remaining columns depend on the sensors installed on the individual glider.

rec: the record number of the individual sample

elaps\_t: time since the start of the dive

depth: depth, in centimeters, at the start of the sample

heading: vehicle heading at the start of the sample, in degrees (magnetic) times 10 pitch: vehicle pitch angle at the start of the sample, in degrees times 10, positive up

roll: vehicle roll at the start of the sample, in degrees times 10, positive starboard wing down

AD\_pitch: Pitch mass position, in A/D counts AD\_roll: roll mass position, in A/D counts AD\_vbd: VBD position, in A/D counts GC phase: GC phase, encoded as follows

1: Pitch change

2: VBD change

3: Roll

4: Turning

5: Roll back (to center)

6: Passive mode

sbe.TempFreq: Temperature, in cycle counts of 4 MHz, in 255 cycles of signal frequency sbe.CondFreq: Conductivity, in cycle counts of 4 MHz, in 255 cycles of signal frequency

aa4330.O2: oxygen concentration, in  $\mu M$  units times 1000

aa4330.AirSat: air saturation, in % times 1000

aa4330.Temp: temperature, in degrees C times 1000

aa4330.CalPhase: in degrees times 1000 aa4330.TCPhase: in degrees times 1000

wlbbfl2.BB1ref: backscatter 1 reference, in A/D counts wlbbfl2.BB1sig: backscatter 1 data, in A/D counts wlbbfl2.FL1ref: fluorescence 1 reference, in A/D counts wlbbfl2.FL1sig: fluorescence 1 data, in A/D counts wlbbfl2.FL2ref: : fluorescence 2 reference, in A/D counts wlbbfl2.FL2sig: fluorescence 2 data, in A/D counts

wlbbfl2.temp: temperature, in A/D counts

qsp.PARuV: photosynthetically active radiation, in uV

## 2.1.3 ASC File (p1230055.asc)

The .asc, or ASCII, files are created on the basestation. They are essentially the reconstituted (uncompressed, reassembled, and differentially summed) versions of the data (.dat) files created on the Seaglider. See the Data File section (2.1.2) for a description of the column names. The entry NaN indicates that there was no sample returned for that sensor. Either the sensor was not installed, or the sensor was not enabled for that sample/deployment, as controlled by the Science File. The entry 9999 indicates that an installed and enabled sensor did not respond when queried by the glider. This could indicate a sensor failure and should be investigated.

## 2.1.4 Eng File (p1230055.eng)

The .eng, or engineering, files are created on the basestation. They restate data contained in the .asc and .log files, but with the Seaglider control state and attitude observations converted into engineering units. The column titles are described below. The first 10 columns are always present, while the remaining 10 columns vary, depending on the installed sensors.

```
elaps t 0000: Time, in seconds, since 0000UTC of the current day
elaps t: Time, in seconds, since the start of the dive
depth: Depth, in centimeters, at the start of the sample
head: Vehicle heading, in degrees magnetic
pitchAng: Vehicle pitch at the start of the sample, in degrees; positive nose-up
rollAng: Vehicle roll at the start of the sample, in degrees; positive starboard wing down (rolled to
pitchCtl: Pitch mass position relative to $C_PITCH, in centimeters; positive nose up
rollCtl: Roll mass position, in degrees relative to $C ROLL DIVE or $C ROLL CLIMB; positive starboard wing
vbdCC: VBD value relative to $C VBD, in cc's; positive buoyant
rec: Record/sample number
sbect.condFreq: Conductivity frequency, in Hertz.
sbect.tempFreq: Temperature frequency, in Hertz.
sbe43.02Freq: Oxygen concentration (in Hertz)
aa4330.O2: oxygen concentration, in μM
aa4330.AirSat: air saturation, in %
aa4330.Temp: temperature, in degrees C
aa4330.CalPhase: in degrees
aa4330.TCPhase: in degrees
wlbbfl2.BB1ref: backscatter 1 reference, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.BB1sig: backscatter 1 data, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.FL1ref: fluorescence 1 reference, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.FL1sig: fluorescence 1 data, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.FL2ref: : fluorescence 2 reference, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.FL2sig: fluorescence 2 data, in A/D counts
wlbbfl2.temp: temperature, in A/D counts
gsp.PARuV: photosynthetically active radiation, in V
```

## 2.1.5 Profiles File (p1230055.pro)

The .pro files contain the scientific data that was acquired during the dive, such as temperature and salinity. The column names are as follows:

elapse\_time\_s\_v: time, in seconds, since the beginning of the dive (before the first sample is taken)

Pressure v: pressure, in decibars depth m v: depth, in meters

TempC Cor v: temperature, in degrees C, corrected for 1st order time lag (response time of sensor)

Cond Cor v: conductivity, corrected as above

Salinity v: salinity, calculated

SigmaT\_v: density at the current temperature

dive\_pos\_lat\_dd\_v: estimated latitude, in decimal degrees. It should be noted that this position is a rough estimate based on the position at the surface, and the depth-averaged current, not an actual GPS or other reading.

dive\_pos\_lon\_dd\_v: estimated longitude (see above).

## 2.1.6 Binned Profiles File (p1230055.bpo)

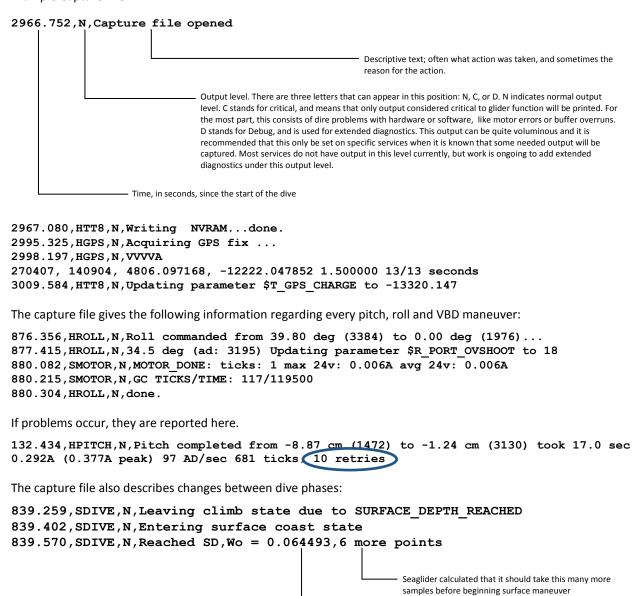
This is the same data as in the .pro files, but here it is "binned", or averaged, into depth intervals specified by the user.

## 2.1.7 Capture File (p1230055.cap)

The capture file contains information about all of the actions the Seaglider took during the dive. It captures the output written to the console while the Seaglider is operating. Capture files are a great source of information on the glider's performance, especially in error analysis and debugging.

The format of the capture file is not as hard and fast as other file formats, but it usually conforms to that shown below:

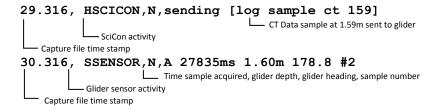
Example Capture File



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Vertical velocity when surface depth reached

The capture file describes the sampling done by the SciCon (if installed) and the glider



## 2.1.8 NetCDF File

(p1230055.nc)

The netCDF file captures all processed files (i.e. .cap, .log and .eng), and is self-documenting. Read-write access to netCDF files is provided by the software libraries supplied by UCAR (University Corporation for Atmospheric Research). The netCDF file is meant primarily for sharing data between scientific users. This is a common data format and is supported also by MATLAB. Open source tools available for Linux & Windows machines allow for reading the contents of the file.

The NetCDF file (.nc) is generated on the basestation and captures all of the raw data collected during a dive as well as the output from data QA/QC checks done on the basestation. This file is used to generate the dive plots used by the pilots to trim the glider during flight. Information on the QA/QC process is located in the Seaglider Quality Control Manual.

# 2.1.9 Private File (p1230055.pvt)

.pvt, or private, files are created on the basestation. They contain data that was originally in the logfile that could pose a security problem if propagated off of the basestation (as the logfile may well be). Thus, the data is stripped from the log file and placed in the matched pvt file. The lines in the pvt file correspond with parameters that are listed in the Parameter Reference Manual.

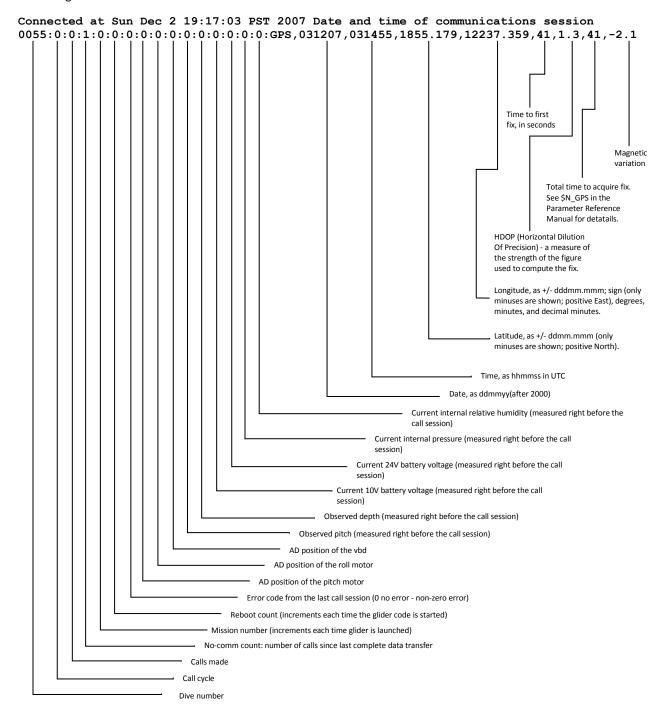
#### 2.2 Processing Control Files

This section includes files that are used by the pilot to monitor and, when necessary, modify, how the basestation processes Seaglider data.

## 2.2.1 Communications Log

(comm.log)

The "comm log" file is appended during each communication session, and so is a complete record of the Seaglider's communications over an entire deployment. It is a plain-text file that resides in the Seaglider's home directory. Running tail -f comm.log in the Seaglider's home directory during (or while waiting for) communication sessions is a useful monitor.



Example of comm.log when data transmitted via XMODEM. This is normally the case if the glider has an older Iridium modem that is not capable of raw data transfer using flow control.

ver=66.041,rev=1243M,frag=4,launch=110908,151311
Iridium bars: 5 geolocation: 1846.424805,12238.228516,031207,020210 Location obtained by the iridium

Location obtained by the iridium phone's geolocation property. This may be accurate to +/- 20km or more

```
Sun Dec 2 19:17:20 2007 [sg123] cmdfile/XMODEM: 128 Bytes, 17 BPS Received cmdfile 17
            bytes
                                                                                            Describes the transmission
            Sun Dec 2 19:17:49 2007 [sg123] sector number = 1, block length = 1024
                                                                                            of the command file from
                                                                                            the basestation to the
            Sun Dec 2 19:17:54 2007 [sg123] sector number = 2, block length = 1024
                                                                                            Seaglider
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:00 2007 [sg123] sector number = 3, block length = 1024
                                                                                            These lines describe the
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:05 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 1024
                                                                                           glider sending a file to the
                                                                                            basestation.
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:07 2007 [sg123] received EOT and read timed out
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:07 2007 [sg123] sector number = -10,block length = 1024

    Indicates end of file

            Sun Dec 2 19:18:07 2007 [sg123] done - sending ACK
                                                                       Acknowledgement that file was sent
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:07 2007 [sg123] sg00551z.x00/XMODEM: 4096 Bytes, 178 BPS
                                                                            The name of the file is printed after the glider has
                                                                            finished sending it.
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:07 2007 [sg123] Exiting (0)
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:14 2007 [sg123] sector number = 1, block length = 1024
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:19 2007 [sg123] sector number = 2, block length = 1024
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:23 2007 [sg123] sector number = 3, block length = 1024
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:28 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 1024 Sun Dec 2
            19:18:31 2007 [sq123] received EOT and read timed out
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:31 2007 [sq123] sector number = -10, block length = 1024 Sun Dec 2
            19:18:31 2007 [sg123] done - sending ACK
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:31 2007 [sg123] sg0055dz.x00/XMODEM: 4096 Bytes, 189 BPS
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:31 2007 [sg123] Exiting (0)
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:38 2007 [sg123] sector number = 1, block length = 1024
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:43 2007 [sg123] sector number = 2, block length = 1024 Sun Dec 2
            19:18:49 2007 [sg123] timeout trying to read next sector Errors in transmission are reported. If the Iridium
                                                                            connection drops, the communications session times
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:50 \ 2007 \ [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 999
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:50 2007 [sg123] got 0x2d sector header
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:53 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 746
            Sun Dec 2 19:18:54 2007 [sg123] got 0x40 sector header
Sun Dec 2 19:18:57 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 787
Sun Dec 2 19:18:59 2007 [sg123] sector number = 3, block length = 128
Sun Dec 2 19:19:02 2007 [sg123] timeout trying to read next sector
Sun Dec 2 19:19:03 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 999
Sun Dec 2 19:19:04 2007 [sg123] got 0xe6 sector header
Sun Dec 2 19:19:06 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = -1
Sun Dec 2 19:19:06 2007 [sg123] got 0xb7 sector header
Sun Dec 2 19:19:07 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 875
Sun Dec 2 19:19:08 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 128
                                                                               Duplicate and/or missing
                                                                               sector numbers indicate
Sun Dec 2 19:19:10 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 128
                                                                               loss of synchronization
Sun Dec 2 19:19:10 2007 [sg123] received dup sector = 4
                                                                               between the Seaglider and
Sun Dec 2 19:19:12 2007 [sg123] timeout trying to read next sector
                                                                               the basestation.
Sun Dec 2 19:19:13 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 999
Sun Dec 2 19:19:13 2007 [sg123] got 0xaf sector header
                                                                               Errors can also be caused
                                                                               by dropped Iridium
                                                                               connections. The Seaglider
                                                                               will automatically call back
                                                                               and try sending data again
Sun Dec 2 19:19:15 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = -1
Sun Dec 2 19:19:15 2007 [sg123] got 0x59 sector header
Sun Dec 2 19:19:17 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 543
Sun Dec 2 19:19:17 2007 [sg123] got 0x59 sector header
```

```
Sun Dec 2 19:19:21 2007 [sg123] finished waiting for next line - cnt = 130
Sun Dec 2 19:19:23 2007 [sg123] sector number = 6, block length = 128
Sun Dec 2 19:19:23 2007 [sg123] sync error in protocol
Sun Dec 2 19:19:23 2007 [sg123] sg0055dz.x01/XMODEM: got error Renamed partial file sg0055dz.x01 to sg0055dz.x01.PARTIAL.1
Sun Dec 2 19:19:23 2007 [sg123] processed partial file sg0055dz.x01 (0x0)
Sun Dec 2 19:19:23 2007 [sg123] Exiting (128)
```

Disconnected at Sun Dec 2 19:19:39 PST 2007

In this case, the glider "realizes" that the basestation did not receive a complete file. The glider will automatically resend the file on the next call.

If no error is reported, but the basestation does not receive a complete file, the pilot can command the glider to resend the dive by using a Pdos command (see resend\_dive in the Extended PicoDos Reference Manual).

```
Connected at Sun Dec 2 19:21:39 PST 2007
159:0:2:0 GPS,031207,031455,1855.179,12237.359,41,1.3,41,-2.1
ver=66.03, rev=1243M, frag=4
Iridium bars: 5 geolocation: 1846.424805,12241.375977,031207,070746
Sun Dec 2 19:21:58 2007 [sg123] cmdfile/XMODEM: 128 Bytes, 14 BPS Received cmdfile 17 bytes
Sun Dec 2 19:22:28 2007 [sg123] sector number = 1, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:33 2007 [sg123] sector number = 2, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:37 2007 [sg123] sector number = 3, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:42 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:45 2007 [sg123] received EOT and read timed out
Sun Dec 2 19:22:45 2007 [sg123] sector number = -10, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:45 2007 [sg123] done - sending ACK
Sun Dec 2 19:22:45 2007 [sg123] sg0055dz.x01/XMODEM: 4096 Bytes, 186 BPS
                                                                      The file was successfully resent.
Sun Dec 2 19:22:45 2007 [sg123] Exiting (0)
Sun Dec 2 19:22:53 2007 [sg123] sector number = 1, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:22:58 2007 [sg123] sector number = 2, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:23:03 2007 [sg123] sector number = 3, block length = 1024
Sun Dec 2 19:23:07 2007 [sg123] sector number = 4, block length = 1024 Sun Dec 2 19:23:10 2007 [sg123]
received EOT and read timed out
Sun Dec 2 19:23:10\ 2007\ [sg123] sector number = -10, block length = 1024\ Sun\ Dec\ 2\ 19:23:10\ 2007\ [sg123]
done - sending ACK
Sun Dec 2 19:23:10 2007 [sq123] sq0055dz.x02/XMODEM: 4096 Bytes, 186 BPS
```

Example of comm.log when raw data is transmitted using flow control. This is normally the case if the glider has an newer Iridium modem that is capable of raw data transfer using flow control.

```
Connected at Thu Feb 18 17:26:06 UTC 2016
logged in
0:0:1:0:5:396:0:818:2070:498:-57.37:0.06:10.65:26.00:8.65:42.71 GPS,180216,17151
2,4741.237,-12224.216,16,1.2,16,16.6
ver=66.11, rev=1138, frag=4, launch=020615:151827
Iridium bars: 5 geolocation: 4722.920898,-12220.666992,151208,065115
Thu Feb 18 17:26:19 2016 [sg556] Sending 468 bytes of cmdfile
Thu Feb 18 17:26:19 2016 [sg556] Sent 468 bytes of cmdfile
Thu Feb 18 17:26:44 2016 [sg556] Sending 817 bytes of targets
Thu Feb 18 17:26:44 2016 [sg556] Sent 817 bytes of targets
Thu Feb 18 17:26:53 2016 [sg556] Sending 115 bytes of science
Thu Feb 18 17:26:53 2016 [sg556] Sent 115 bytes of science
Thu Feb 18 17:26:58 2016 [sg556] Sending 14 bytes of pdoscmds.bat
Thu Feb 18 17:26:58 2016 [sg556] Sent 14 bytes of pdoscmds.bat
Thu Feb 18 17:27:08 2016 [sg556] ready to receive st0040pz.000
Thu Feb 18 17:27:10 2016 [sg556] received four size bytes 0 0 1 221
Thu Feb 18 17:27:10 2016 [sg556] Receiving 477 bytes of st0040pz.000
Thu Feb 18 17:27:11 2016 [sg556] Received 477 bytes of st0040pz.000 (353.0 Bps)
Thu Feb 18 17:27:15 2016 [sg556] ready to receive st00401z.x00
Thu Feb 18 17:27:17 2016 [sq556] received four size bytes 0 0 7 214
Thu Feb 18 17:27:17 2016 [sq556] Receiving 2006 bytes of st00401z.x00
Thu Feb 18 17:27:22 2016 [sg556] Received 2006 bytes of st0040lz.x00 (371.3 Bps)
Thu Feb 18 17:27:25 2016 [sg556] ready to receive st0040dz.x00
Thu Feb 18 17:27:27 2016 [sg556] received four size bytes 0 0 2 126
Thu Feb 18 17:27:27 2016 [sg556] Receiving 638 bytes of st0040dz.x00
Thu Feb 18 17:27:29 2016 [sg556] Received 638 bytes of st0040dz.x00 (353.9 Bps)
```

```
Thu Feb 18 17:27:36 2016 [sg556] ready to receive st0040kz.x
Thu Feb 18 17:27:38 2016 [sg556] received four size bytes 0 0 48 51
Thu Feb 18 17:27:38 2016 [sq556] Receiving 12339 bytes of st0040kz.x
Thu Feb 18 17:28:13 2016 [sg556] Received 12339 bytes of st0040kz.x (347.9 Bps)
0:0:1:0:5:396:1 logout
Disconnected at Thu Feb 18 17:28:17 UTC 2016
Connected at Thu Feb 18 18:14:20 UTC 2016
logged in
0:1:1:0:5:396:0:818:2070:498:-57.44:0.01:10.77:26.88:8.60:44.68 GPS,180216,18131
2,4741.235,-12224.213,14,1.5,14,16.6
ver=66.11, rev=1138, frag=4, launch=020615:151827
Iridium bars: 5 geolocation: 4722.920898,-12220.666992,151208,065201
Thu Feb 18 18:14:31 2016 [sg556] Sending 468 bytes of cmdfile
Thu Feb 18 18:14:31 2016 [sg556] Sent 468 bytes of cmdfile
Thu Feb 18 18:14:57 2016 [sq556] Sending 817 bytes of targets
Thu Feb 18 18:14:57 2016 [sg556] Sent 817 bytes of targets
Thu Feb 18 18:15:07 2016 [sg556] Sending 115 bytes of science
Thu Feb 18 18:15:07 2016 [sg556] Sent 115 bytes of science
Thu Feb 18 18:15:11 2016 [sg556] Sending 14 bytes of pdoscmds.bat
Thu Feb 18 18:15:11 2016 [sg556] Sent 14 bytes of pdoscmds.bat
Thu Feb 18 18:15:22 2016 [sg556] ready to receive sg0000pz.001
Thu Feb 18 18:15:24 2016 [sq556] received four size bytes 0 0 1 224
Thu Feb 18 18:15:24 2016 [sg556] Receiving 480 bytes of sg0000pz.001
Thu Feb 18 18:15:25 2016 [sg556] Received 480 bytes of sg0000pz.001 (356.4 Bps)
Thu Feb 18 18:15:30 2016 [sg556] ready to receive sg0000kl.x
Thu Feb 18 18:15:32 2016 [sg556] received four size bytes 0 0 18 47
Thu Feb 18 18:15:32 2016 [sg556] Receiving 4655 bytes of sg0000kl.x
Thu Feb 18 18:15:46 2016 [sg556] Received 4655 bytes of sg0000kl.x (344.6 Bps)
0:1:1:0:5:396:1 logout
                    Error code from the last call session (0 no error - non-zero error)
                Reboot count (increments each time the glider code is started)
             Mission number (increments each time glider is launched)
         No-comm count: number of calls since last complete data transfer
       Calls made
     Call cycle
   Dive number
```

#### 2.2.1 SG Calib Constants

(sg\_calib\_constants.m)

The "calib constants" file contains calibration information about each of the sensors on the Seaglider. This file is created by the pilot or operator, and exists only on the basestation. It does not have a counterpart on the Seaglider. Except for the compass, all of the Seaglider's sensors come calibrated from the original manufacturer. Their calibration numbers can be found in the notebook delivered with the glider, and should be entered in this file. The compass values are recorded when the Seaglider is fully assembled, and the compass is calibrated in the presence of the batteries and other hardware. The values in this file should be checked, and changed if necessary, whenever new sensors are installed, batteries are changed, or other hardware alterations are made.

The calib\_constants file is also used by various visualization tools (MATLAB, , etc.) to plot Seaglider data. Incorrect values in this file will result in incorrect scientific data in the plots.

## **Example Calibration Constants File**

```
% Last edited on 2/5/16 ABC
% Template file for sg_calib_constants.m, Kongsberg Document No. 4000122
% Applies to SG055_trim_sheet_ocean_for_mission_xxx_yyyymmdd.xlsx
% basic glider and mission params
   id_str='055'; Seaglider serial number
   mission title='CHANGE THIS!'; Pilot specified, changed for each mission
```

```
mass=52.620; % kg
                                                        Glider total mass, normally only changed after refurbishment
     volmax=51786;% cc
                                                        Volume in cc the glider displaces when fully pumped
     rho0=1027.5;% kg/m3
                                                        Maximum expected density of the operating area
% initial hydrodynamic model params
                                                       Seaglider hydrodynamic coefficients. For advanced piloting the a, b & c
     hd a=3.83600000E-03;
                                                       parameters can be adjusted for optimized flight performance. Normally done
     hd b=1.00780000E-02;
                                                       when you have enough flight data for regressions to be performed.
     hd c=9.85000000E-06;
% pump parameters
     pump rate intercept=1.275;
                                                       These parameters are determined at the factory and not changed.
     pump_rate_slope=-0.00015;
     pump_power_intercept=17.4033;
     pump_power_slope=0.017824;
```

The following sections include all calibration constants for the sensors installed on the Seaglider. All potential SerDev sensors are included in the sg\_calib\_constants.m file, however any sensor that is not actually installed should be commented out (%).

```
% % GPCTD params
    sg configuration=3; % selects GPCTD configuration
    calibcomm=' GPCTD Serial #: 0179 CAL: 09-Apr-16'; % Serial # and cal date
% % Seabird CT Sail sensor cal constants
     calibcomm=' Serial #: 141 CAL: 12-Jun-2013';% Serial # and cal date
      t g = 4.35656288E - 03;
      t h = 6.31518467E - 04;
                                           Calibration constants for the Seabird OEM CT Sail
      t i =2.45210333E-05;
      t_j = 2.68184128E - 06;
      c g = -9.90412383E+00;
      c h =1.14226880E+00;
      c i = -2.09251571E - 03;
      c_j = 2.42887281E - 04;
      cpcor =-9.5700000E-08;
      ctcor =3.2500000E-06;
      sbe_cond freq min=2.94983E+00;% kHz, from cal for 0 salinity
      sbe cond freq max=7.64979E+00;% kHz, est for greater than 34.9 sal max T
      sbe_temp_freq_min=2.218246E+00;% kHz, from cal for 1 deg T
      sbe temp freq max=7.177719E+00;% kHz, from cal for 32.5 deg T
 % Seabird oxygen cal constants
      comm_oxy_type='SBE_43f';% spec "SBE_43f" or "Pumped SBE 43f"
용
      calibcomm oxygen='Serial #: 0086 CAL: 29-Mar-2014';% Serial # and cal date
용
용
      Soc=2.6962E-04;
                                          Calibration constants for the Seabird oxygen sensor. For this vehicle this
용
      Foffset=-7.9809E+02;
                                          sensor is not installed.
      o a=-3.8512E-003
용
용
      o b=2.0588E-004;
용
      o_{c=-2.5796E-006};
      o e=0.036;
읒
      Tau20=1.83;
용
용
      Pcor=0;
  % CONTROS Hydroflash O2 sensor cal constants:
      comm oxy type =' Contros HydroFlash '; % type and model
용
      calibcomm contros optode =' Serial #: DO-0816-008 CAL: 15-Aug-2016 '; % Serial # and cal date
용
용용
    Static constants used by all Contros Hydroflash
      contopt A 0=5.80871E+00;
용
                                                                Calibration constants for CONTROS dissolved oxygen
                                                                sensor. For this vehicle this sensor is not installed
용
      contopt A 1=3.20291E+00;
용
      contopt_A_2=4.17887E+00;
용
      contopt_A_3=5.1006E+00;
용
      contopt A 4=-9.86643E-02;
용
      contopt A 5=3.80369E+00;
용
용
      contopt B 0=-7.01577E-03;
용
      contopt B 1=-7.70028E-03;
      contopt B 2=-1.13864E-02;
용
      contopt_B_3=-9.51519E-03;
```

```
contopt C 0=-2.75915e-07;
용
  욧
      Contros Hydroflash sensor serial number specific constants for SN: DO-0816-008
  욧
용
      they are used to re-compute pO2 using the glider's CTD temp
      contopt CC 0=8.13E-03;
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용
      contopt CC 1=6.40E-05;
      contopt_CC 2=2.30E-07;
용
      contopt CC 3=6.36E-04;
용
      contopt CC 4=-5.45E-02;
용
      contopt CC 5=2.05E-02;
욧
      contopt_CC_6=3.33E-06;
용
  % Aanderaa 3830 cal constants
용
      comm_oxy_type = ' AA3830 '; % type and model
      calibcomm optode = ' Serial #: 21 CAL: 26-Mar-2014 '; % serial # and cal date
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용
      optode PhaseCoef0=-8.330956E+00;
      optode_PhaseCoef1=1.269293E+00;
용
      optode PhaseCoef2=0.0;
용
                                                Calibration constants for the Aanderaa model 3830 oxygen sensor. For this
                                                vehicle this sensor is not installed
      optode PhaseCoef3=0.0;
      optode C00Coef=4.270193E+03;
용
      optode C01Coef=-1.327236E+02;
용
      optode C02Coef=2.156297E+00;
      optode_C03Coef=-1.402758E-02;
용
욧
용
      optode_C10Coef=-2.297296E+02;
용
      optode_C11Coef=5.742421E+00;
      optode_C12Coef=-6.853578E-02;
용
      optode_C13Coef=1.886123E-04;
용
용
      optode_C20Coef=5.064016E+00;
용
      optode C21Coef=-9.620849E-02;
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읒
      optode C22Coef=5.221808E-04;
용
      optode C23Coef=7.708897E-06;
      optode C30Coef=-5.263322E-02;
용
      optode C31Coef=7.154674E-04;
용
      optode C32Coef=3.311850E-06;
욧
      optode_C33Coef=-1.861240E-07;
용
      optode_C40Coef=2.109168E-04;
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용
      optode_C41Coef=-1.840878E-06;
      optode C42Coef=-4.286455E-08;
      optode_C43Coef=1.111203E-09;
% % Aanderaa cal constants
      comm_oxy_type=' AA4831 '; make and model e.g. AA4831 or AA4330
      calibcomm optode=' SN: 332 CAL: 13-Feb-2014 ';% Serial # and cal date
      optode PhaseCoef0=0.0;
      optode PhaseCoef1=1.0;
                                               Calibration constants for the Aanderaa 4831 oxygen sensor
      optode_PhaseCoef2=0.0;
      optode PhaseCoef3=0.0;
      optode FoilCoefA0=-2.988314E-06;
      optode_FoilCoefA1=-6.137785E-06;
      optode FoilCoefA2=0.001684659;
      optode FoilCoefA3=-0.1857173;
      optode_FoilCoefA4=0.0006784399;
      optode_FoilCoefA5=-5.597908E-07;
      optode FoilCoefA6=10.40158;
      optode FoilCoefA7=-0.05986907;
      optode FoilCoefA8=0.0001360425;
      optode FoilCoefA9=-4.776977E-07;
      optode FoilCoefA10=-303.2937;
      optode_FoilCoefA11=2.530496;
      optode_FoilCoefA12=-0.01267045;
      optode FoilCoefA13=0.0001040454;
             21 of 29
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optode FoilCoefB0=-3.56039E-07;
      optode FoilCoefB1=3816.713;
      optode FoilCoefB2=-44.75507;
      optode FoilCoefB3=0.4386164;
      optode FoilCoefB4=-0.007146342;
      optode FoilCoefB5=8.906236E-05;
      optode FoilCoefB6=-6.343012E-07;
      optode FoilCoefB7=0.0;
      optode FoilCoefB8=0.0;
      optode_FoilCoefB9=0.0;
      optode_FoilCoefB10=0.0;
      optode_FoilCoefB11=0.0;
      optode FoilCoefB12=0.0;
      optode FoilCoefB13=0.0;
 % Rinko ARO-FT Dissolved Oxygen Sensor
     comm oxy type = ' Rinko ARO-FT ';
                                                                       Calibration constants for the IEE Rinko AROET dissolved
     calibcomm.aroft.optode =' SN: OAA1011, CAL: 27-May-2016 ';
                                                                       oxygen sensor. For this vehicle this sensor is not
용
읒
      aroft c0=3.020188e-03
      aroft c1=1.239442e-04
      aroft c2=3.275705e-06
용
      aroft d0=5.928457e-04
용
      aroft d1=-1.461642e-01
      aroft_d2=1.850662e-01
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      aroft_d3=0.000000e+00
      aroft_d4=0.000000e+00
용
용
      aroft_e0=1.000000e+00
      aroft A=-1.274236e+01
용
      aroft B=1.483120e-03
용
용
      aroft C=-2.661703e-08
      aroft D=6.236005e-13
읒
      aroft E=-7.944576e-18
욧
읒
      aroft F=5.142597e-23
      aroft G=0.000000e+00
      aroft H=0.000000e+00
 % Biospherical PAR Calibration Constants and Device Properties
읒
      PARCalData_manufacturer='Biospherical Instruments, Inc';% Manufacturer
      PARCalData_serialNumber=0;% Serial #
용
                                                           Calibration constants for the Biospherical Instruments
      PARCalData.calDate='26-May-2011';% cal date
                                                            PAR sensor. For this vehicle this sensor is not installed
      PARCalData.darkOffset=10.6;% mv
      PARCalData.scaleFactor=6.678E+00;% Volts/uE/cm^2sec
     WETLabs wlbb2fl calibration constants.
     WETLabsCalData wlbb2fl_calinfo = ' SN: BB2FLVMT-1016, CAL: 31-MAR-2014 ';
     % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 470
                                                                      Calibration constants for the WET Labs BB2FL sensor.
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter470.wavelength=470;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter470.scaleFactor=1.255E-05;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter470.darkCounts=47;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter470.resolution=1.1;
     % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 700
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter700.wavelength=700;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter700.scaleFactor=3.303E-06;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter700.darkCounts=48;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Scatter700.resolution=1.3;
     % Chlorophyll cal constants
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.wavelength=695;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.darkCounts=46;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.scaleFactor=1.3200E-02;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.maxOutput=4130;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.resolution=1;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbb2fl.Chlorophyll.calTemperature=21.0;
```

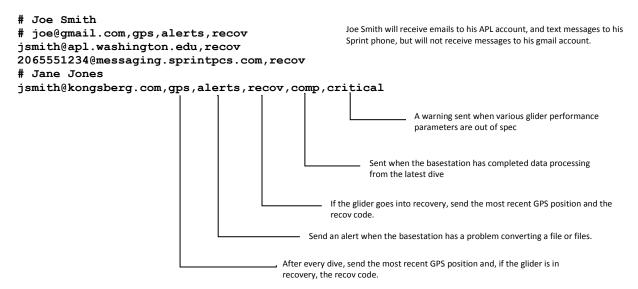
```
% WETLabs wlbb3 calibration constants.
      WETLabsCalData wlbb3 calinfo = ' SN: BB3IRB-991, CAL: 01-May-2014 ';
      % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 532
용
                                                                  Calibration constants for the WET Labs BB3 sensor. For
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter532.wavelength=532;
읒
                                                                 this vehicle this sensor is not installed
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter532.scaleFactor=7.560E-06;
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter532.darkCounts=49;
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter532.resolution=1.5;
용
      % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 650
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter650.wavelength=650;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter650.scaleFactor=3.703E-06;
읒
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter650.darkCounts=43;
욧
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter650.resolution=1.2;
      % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 880
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter880.wavelength=800;
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter880.scaleFactor=2.139E-06;
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter880.darkCounts=60;
      WETLabsCalData.wlbb3.Scatter880.resolution=1.3;
% % WETLabs wlbbfl2 calibration constants.
     WETLabsCalData wlbbf12 calinfo = ' SN: BBFL2VMT-402, CAL: 03-Apr-2014 ';
     % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 650
                                                                   Calibration constants for the WET Labs BBFL2 sensor.
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbfl2.Scatter650.wavelength=650;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Scatter650.scaleFactor=3.869E-06;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Scatter650.darkCounts=50;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbfl2.Scatter650.resolution=1.8;
     % Chlorophyll cal constants
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophyl1.wavelength=695;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophyl1.darkCounts=48;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophy11.scaleFactor=1.1400E-02;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophyll.maxOutput=4123;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophyll.resolution=1.0;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.Chlorophyl1.calTemperature=21.0;
     % CDOM cal constants
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.CDOM.wavelength=460;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.CDOM.maxOutput=4123;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.CDOM.scaleFactor=1.785E-01;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.CDOM.darkCounts=46;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbf12.CDOM.resolution=1.5;
     WETLabsCalData.wlbbfl2.CDOM.calTemperature=21.0;
 % WETLabs wlf13 calibration constants.
      WETLabsCalData wlf13 calinfo = ' SN: FL3IRB-2884, CAL: 30-Apr-2014 ';
읒
      % Chlorophyll cal constants ug/l/count
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Chlorophyl1.wavelength=695;
                                                                      Calibration constants for the WET Labs FL3 sensor
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Chlorophyll.darkCounts=38;
                                                                      options. For this vehicle this sensor is not installed
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Chlorophyl1.scaleFactor=1.2000E-02;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Chlorophyl1.maxOutput=4130;
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욧
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Chlorophyll.resolution=1;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Chlorophyll.calTemperature=21.0;
      % CDOM cal constants ppb/count
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.CDOM.wavelength=460;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.CDOM.maxOutput=4130;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.CDOM.scaleFactor=9.8400E-02;
읒
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.CDOM.darkCounts=49;
욧
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.CDOM.resolution=1.0;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.CDOM.calTemperature=21.0;
      % Phycoerythrin cal constants ppb/count
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycoerythrin.wavelength=570;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycoerythrin.maxOutput=4130;
읒
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycoerythrin.scaleFactor=4.3200E-02;
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WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycoerythrin.darkCounts=46;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycoerythrin.resolution=1.0;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycoerythrin.calTemperature=21.0;
      % Uranine cal constants ppb/count - wavelength 530 nm
읒
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Uranine.wavelength=530;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Uranine.maxOutput=4130;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Uranine.scaleFactor=4.3200E-02;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Uranine.darkCounts=46;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Uranine.resolution=1.0;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Uranine.calTemperature=21.0;
욧
읒
용
      % Rhodamine cal constants ppb/count - wavelength 570 nm
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Rhodamine.wavelength=570;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Rhodamine.maxOutput=4130;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Rhodamine.scaleFactor=4.3200E-02;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Rhodamine.darkCounts=46;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Rhodamine.resolution=1.0;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Rhodamine.calTemperature=21.0;
      % Phycocyanin cal constants ppb/count - wavelength 680 nm
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycocyanin.wavelength=680;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycocyanin.maxOutput=4130;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycocyanin.scaleFactor=4.3200E-02;
      WETLabsCalData.wlfl3.Phycocyanin.darkCounts=46;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycocyanin.resolution=1.0;
      WETLabsCalData.wlf13.Phycocyanin.calTemperature=21.0;
 % WETLabs SeaOWL calibration constants.
      WETLabsCalData wlseaowl calinfo = ' SN: SEAOWL2K-011, CAL: 12-SEPT-2016 ';
      % Backscattering cal constants - wavelength 700
                                                                     Calibration constants for the WET Labs SeaOWL sensor
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Scatter700.wavelength=700;
                                                                     For this vehicle this sensor is not installed
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Scatter700.scaleFactor=2.521E-07;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Scatter700.darkCounts=48;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Scatter700.maxOutput=4.03e-02
      % Chlorophyll cal constants
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Chlorophyll.wavelength=690;
읒
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Chlorophyll.darkCounts=49;
욧
읒
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Chlorophyll.scaleFactor=1.601E-03;
용
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Chlorophyll.maxOutput=4130;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.Chlorophyll.resolution=1.5;
      % FDOM cal constants
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.FDOM.wavelength=460;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.FDOM.maxOutput=1270;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.FDOM.scaleFactor=7.935e-03;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.FDOM.darkCounts=49;
      WETLabsCalData.wlseaowl.FDOM.resolution=1.6;
 % WETLabs wlflntu calibration constants.
     WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.calinfo = ' SN: FLNTUIRB - 4409, CAL: 20-July-2016 ';
읒
욧
      Chlorophyll cal constants - wavelength 695 nm
용
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.wavelength=695;
                                                                        Calibration constants for the WET Labs FLNTU sensor.
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.darkCounts=55;
                                                                        For this vehicle this sensor is not installed
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.scaleFactor=1.2100E-02;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.maxOutput=4130;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.resolution=1.2;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.Chlorophyll.calTemperature=22.3;
읒
      NTU cal constants - wavelength 700 nm
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.wavelength=700;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.maxOutput=4130;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.scaleFactor=6.1000E-02;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.darkCounts=50;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.resolution=1.1;
       WETLabsCalData.wlflntu.NT.calTemperature=22.3;
```

#### 2.2.1 Pagers File

(.pagers)

The "dot pagers" file controls the automatic notification system. It allows any of several types of messages to be sent to any valid email address: gps, alerts, comp, critical and recov (see below). This service is run by the data conversion script, which is invoked by a glider logout or disconnection. Lines beginning with a # are comment lines, and are ignored in processing.



#2063335555@vtext.com,gps,alerts,recov #2061239999@vtext.com,gps,alerts #Iridium Phone #881645559999@msg.iridium.com,gps

#### 2.2.2 .URLS

(.urls)

The "Dot URLs" file is read by the basestation, following processing of dive data (triggered by a Seaglider logout). It specifies URLs on which to run GET for each processed dive. This can be used for any supported httpd function, and is mainly used to poll for data transfers to support visualization servers. The first entry on the line is the timeout (in seconds) to wait for a response to the GET. It is separated from the URL by a tab. convert.pl adds arguments "instrument\_name=sg& dive=" with the proper separator. Comments in the file are indicated by a #

Example .urls file

1 sgbase99.kongsberg.com/~glider/cgi-bin/update.cgi

#### 2.2.3 Basestation Log

(baselog\_hhmmssddmmyy, baselog.log)

The baselog\_ file is produced by the basestation, and logs the output from the scripts that perform the data conversion and notification functions of the basestation. It is written during each invocation. The file name includes the hours, minutes, seconds, day, month and year for time and date as kept on the basestation.

This file is the first place to look when debugging problems with the data conversion. If the basestation cannot process a file, it sends an alert to any contact listed in the .pagers file that is designated for "alerts".

Example baselog\_file

```
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: BaseLog.py(77): Process id = 6727
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Utils.py(659): Base station version 2.8-R6
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Utils.py(662): Python version 2.7.3
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Utils.py(671): Numpy version 1.6.2
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Utils.py(680): Scipy version 0.9.0
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1348): Invoked with command line [/usr/local/basestation/Base.py --
mission dir . --verbose --make dive profiles --daemon --domain name=sogpress.org --base log
baselog 160203164737 ]
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1350): PID:6734
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: WARNING: BaseNetCDF.py(1292): Replacing nc metadata for sg_data_point_dive_number
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1392): Started processing 16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1418): Instrument ID = 619
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(902): Starting processing on .pagers for gps recov critical
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(914): Processing .pagers line (4253877122@txt.att.net,gps)
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: CommLog.py(51): prefix:dive:0 calls made:1 call cycle:0
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(976): Sending GPS (dive:0 calls made:1 call cycle:0 4741.2390 -
12224.2100 02/03/16 16:31:39 UTC) to 4253877122@txt.att.net
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(914): Processing .pagers line (lizcreed@gmail.com,gps,recov,alerts)
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: CommLog.py(51): prefix:dive:0 calls made:1 call cycle:0
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(976): Sending GPS (dive:0 calls made:1 call cycle:0 4741.2390 -
12224.2100 02/03/16 16:31:39 UTC) to lizcreed@gmail.com
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: CommLog.py(51): prefix:dive:0 calls made:1 call cycle:0
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(992): Finished processing on .pagers
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1459): Processing comm merged.log
16:47:37 03 Feb 2016 UTC: INFO: Base.py(1479): Finished processing comm merged.log
```

The baselog log is an accumulation of all of the basestation conversions reported in the baselog files, without the timestamps.

#### 2.3 On-board Glider Information

This section includes files that are stored on the Seaglider. Most of the information in these files is used by the glider in calculations regarding navigation and energy usage.

#### 2.2.6 Processed Files Cache

(processed\_files.cache)

This file contains the dives that have been processed and the time of processing. To force a file to be re-processed, delete the corresponding line from this file. Comment lines are indicated by a #.

Example processed files.cache

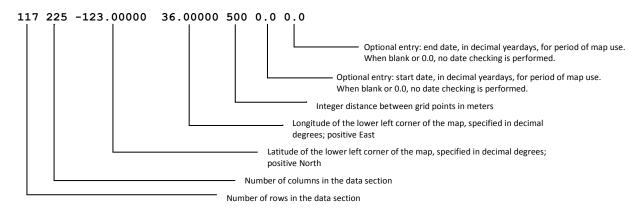
```
# Written 14:54:28 23 Feb 2008 UTC st0007pz.000, 19:05:58 21 Feb 2008 UTC sg0000kl, 14:54:28 23 Feb 2008 UTC st0007du, 19:05:58 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0007du, 19:05:58 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0009du, 19:40:22 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0009kz, 19:16:44 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0009lu, 19:37:51 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0010du, 20:21:33 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0010kz, 20:15:35 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0010lu, 20:15:34 21 Feb 2008 UTC st0011du, 14:54:28 23 Feb 2008 UTC st0011kz, 14:30:35 23 Feb 2008 UTC st0011lu, 14:30:35 23 Feb 2008 UTC
```

#### 2.3.1 Bathymap

When the bathymetry map-reading function of the glider is enabled, this file contains the map. It is usually uploaded to the Seaglider's compact flash before deployment, but may be uploaded in the field if necessary.

Map files provide the glider with geographic (and sometimes temporal) environmental information. A bathymetry map provides the glider with bathymetry data about a given region of the ocean. The glider may carry up to 999 bathymetry maps (the files are named bathymap.000), but in practice far fewer are on board. These maps are not required for gliders to fly. For more details on how bathymetry maps are used, see the Navigation section of the Seaglider User's Guide.

Both kinds of maps contain a fixed-size header, followed by a variable-length data section. The header is defined as follows:



For a bathymetry map, the data section contains the depth of the bottom at each grid point, expressed in integer meters. The data is stored in column major order.

#### 2.3.2 Battery File

(BATTERY)

The Battery File is used by the glider to keep track of power consumption by subsystems throughout the time the glider is using the battery pack. The Battery File is not intended to be edited by the user.

Example battery file

```
Pitch_motor 3041.069

Amp seconds drawn by this device since the battery pack power tracking was initiated

See $DEVICES and $SENSORS in the Log File section of this document.
```

VBD\_pump\_during\_apogee 216074.641 VBD pump during surface 82015.531

VBD\_valve 0.000 Iridium\_during\_init 17540.021 Iridium\_during\_connect 9597.448 Iridium\_during\_xfer 48699.711 Transponder\_ping 873.774 Mmodem\_TX 0.000 Mmodem\_RX 0.000 GPS 5227.668 TT8 11375.065 TT8 CF8 25142.061 TT8 Kalman 2861.964 Analog circuits 10045.106 GPS charging 0.000 Compass 5552.722 **RAFOS 0.000** Transponder 126.060 SBE CT 5738.196 SBE 02 4966.481 WL BB2F 59876.422 Pitch motor 165.697 Roll motor 37.766 VBD pump\_during\_apogee 3707.590 VBD pump during surface 2301.392 VBD valve 0.000 Iridium during init 281.459 Iridium\_during\_connect 602.443 Iridium during xfer 2647.719 Transponder ping 25.725 **GUMSTIX 24V 0.000** GPS 120.445 TT8 420.877 LPSleep 47.792 TT8 Active 184.559 TT8 Sampling 2098.736 TT8 CF8 141.948 TT8 Kalman 0.000 Analog circuits 450.930 GPS charging 0.000 Compass 462.710 **RAFOS 0.000** Transponder 11.701 Compass2 0.000 SBE CT 169.183 AA4330 445.621 WL BBFL2 875.208

LPSleep 3565.161 TT8\_Active 9204.906 TT8 Sampling 30932.490

## 2.3.3 Compass Calibration File (TCM2MAT.XXX)

The compass is calibrated in the assembled glider, to account for effects of the metal on the compass readings. This file is initially generated and stored on the glider by the manufacturer, and is not intended to be edited by the user. After each battery refurbishment the compass should be calibrated again. The compass calibration can also be done by the user on land prior to a mission or in the water during a mission. Refer to the compass calibration procedures for details.

The naming convention for the compass calibration file is tcm2mat.xxx where xxx is the glider's three digit serial number. A glider will only recognize a compass calibration file with this name followed by that specific glider's serial number.

**Example Compass Calibration File** 

"SG506 whirly compass cal using 506composcal04062016 collected at OSB Highbay on 3/4/2016 for SN K895 (IGRF = 539.042)" 0.0000 1.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0002 0.0002 0.0002 0.0004 -0.0004 -0.0036 1.0376 22.7895 23.2452 23.1456

#### 2.3.4 **Capvec File**

The Capvec File is parsed by the glider and updates one or more elements of the Capture Vector. Normally, this file is not used except for glider provisioning. See the capvec and parse\_capvecfile commands in Extended PicoDOS Reference Manual for details on updating the Capture Vector, and the section Capture Files in the Seaglider User's Guide for details how and when to use capture files. The Capvec File is a line oriented format. Lines may be comment lines, in which case the first character must be a /.

#### 2.4 **Command and Control Files**

These files are created by the pilot to control the Seaglider mission characteristics. Formats are given here, but usage of these files is discussed in the Seaglider User's Guide.

#### 2.4.1 **Targets File**

(targets)

The Pilot creates the targets file. One target is listed per line, and the target name must be listed first. The order of the other fields does not matter. Comments can be included, preceded by a /.

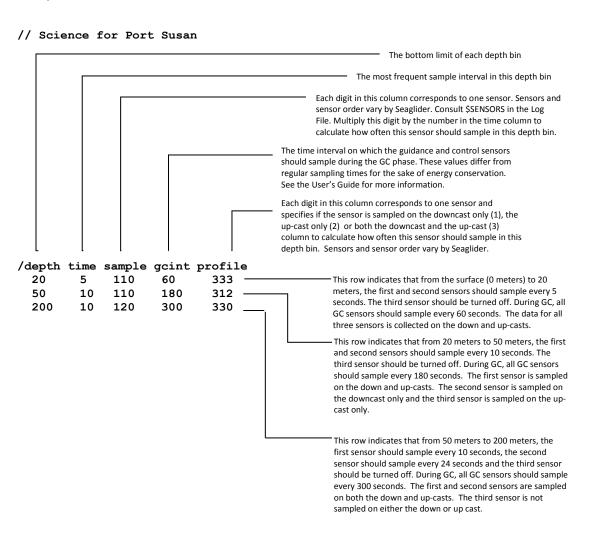
SEVEN SIX FIVE FOUR EIGHT KAYAKPT	lat=4807.0 lat=4806.0 lat=4805.0 lat=4804.0 lat=4808.0 lat=4808.0	lon=-12223.0 lon=-12222.0 lon=-12221.0 lon=-12220.0 lon=-12224.0 lon=-12223.0	radius=200 radius=200 radius=200 radius=200 radius=100	goto=SIX goto=FIVE goto=EIGHT goto=KAYAKPT goto=KAYAKPT
Target name - this can be any string of numbers and/or letters, without whitespace.	Latitude, in +/-ddmm.m; positive North	Longitude, in +/-dddmm.m; positive East	Radius, in meters, within which the Seaglider determines it has reached the target	Next target - this target name must be specified in the Target column

#### 2.4.1 Science File

(science)

This file, created by the pilot, contains instructions for the Seaglider about when to sample with the scientific instruments. Comment lines are indicated by a / and columns are separated by tabs.

Example Science File



#### 2.4.1 Command File

(cmdfile)

Refer to the Seaglider User's Guide for more information on the Command File.

#### 2.4.2 Pdos Commands File

(pdoscmds.bat)

The file pdoscmds.bat is created by the pilot, and uploaded to the Seaglider. It is used as needed by the pilot to, among other things, request the glider resend data from a dive, request present battery voltage, control level of verbosity of information generated in the capture (.cap) file, and send a new file to the glider. See the Seaglider User's Guide and Extended PicoDOS Reference Manual for information.