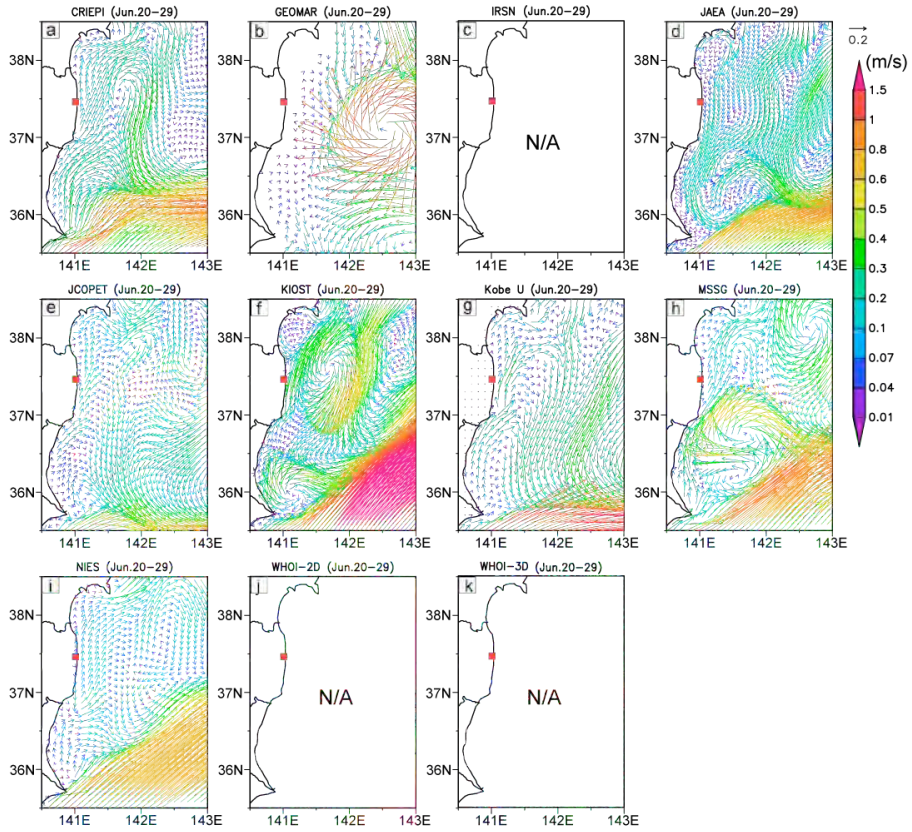

Figure 5B.20. Same as Fig. 5B.11 except for a period between June 20 and June 29.

Appendix 5C. Satellite Observations of the Anticyclonic Eddy off of the Ibaraki Coast

Evidence of the anticyclonic meso-scale eddy off of the coast of Ibaraki from late April to May can be obtained from several satellite images. Here, we show two examples of the sea-surface temperature and chlorophyll concentration observed by the Terra/MODIS satellite. A warm meso-scale eddy structure (Fig. 5C.1) with low chlorophyll-a concentration at the center of the eddy surrounded by high chlorophyll-a streamers (Fig. 5C.2) can be observed in a region off of the Ibaraki coast. Most of the models can capture this anticyclonic eddy in their simulations, although the detailed structure and location of the eddy differs among the models (see Fig.5.7).

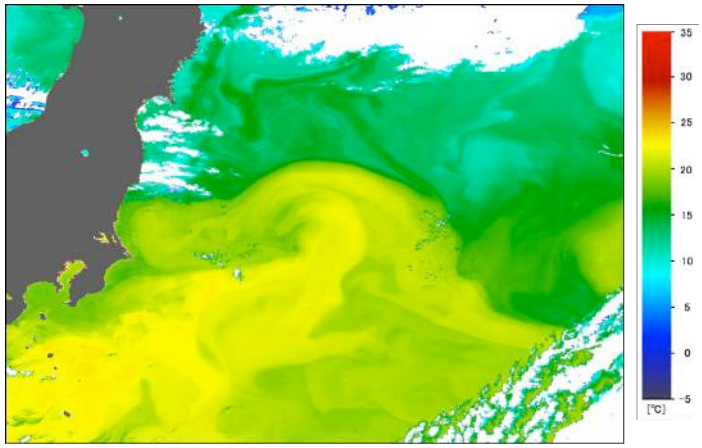

Figure 5C.1. Horizontal distribution of sea-surface temperature on May 15, 2011 observed by the Terra/MODIS satellite.

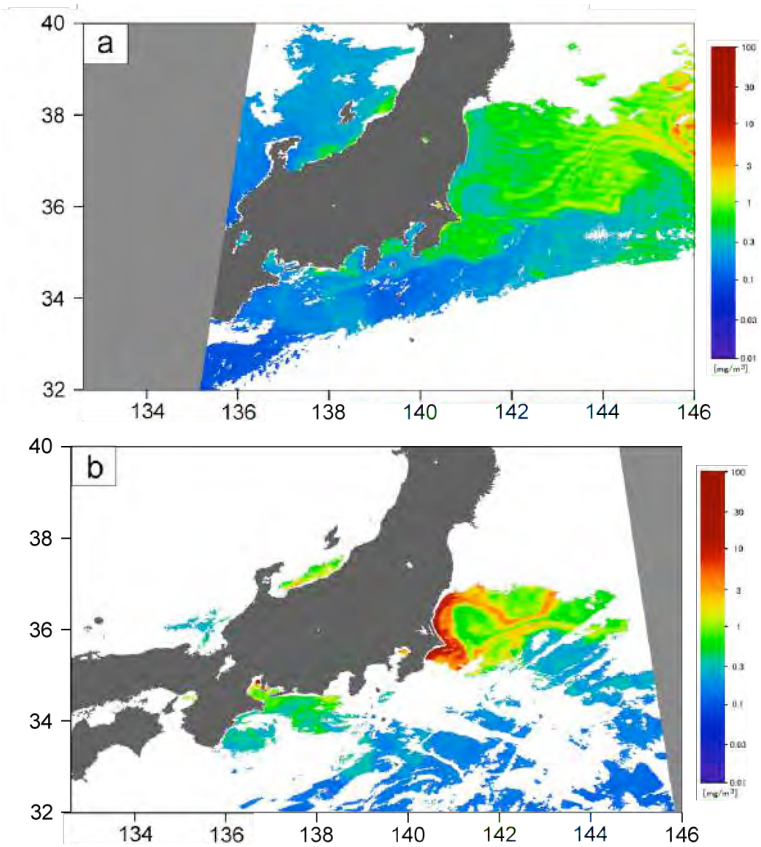

Figure 5C.2. Horizontal distribution of chlorophyll-a concentrations on (a) May 19, 2011 and (b) May 21, 2011 observed by the Terra/MODIS satellite.

Appendix 5D. Aerial measurements of radioactivity

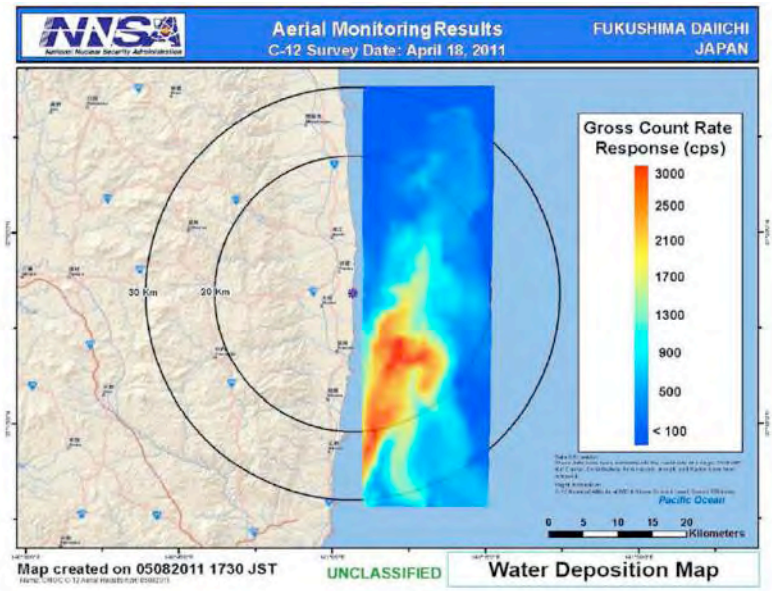

Figure 5D.1. An aerial measurement of the radioactivity (gross count rate response in cps) at the sea surface around the FDNPP on April 18, 2011. These data have been normalized to the count rate of a single 2 × 4 × 10 NaI crystal, and radon has been removed (Guss, 2011). Their flight altitudes were from 150 to 700 m above the ground (MEXT, 2011).

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