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## Short Cruise Report MARIA S MERIAN

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#### Objectives

The research program of RV MARIA S. MERIAN cruise MSM86 Vesteris Seamount was aimed at improving our understanding of the evolution of Vesteris Seamount, a large and lone intraplate volcano in the Greenland Sea. We had also planned to sample other basement highs in the region to determine their age and origin. Mapping and sampling several basement outcrops in the Greenland Basin, specifically Vesteris Seamount, Logi Ridge and Southern Seamount, as well as suspected volcanic edifices northeast of Vesteris Seamount were the main activites planned. We used the remotely operated vehicle MARUM SQUID 2000 and the TV-guided grab from GEOMAR for sampling rocks and biota. CTD casts were conducted to collect deep-sea water samples and sound velocity profiles for bathymetric mapping. The ship's EM122 and 712 echosounders were be used by bathymetry and backscatter surveys as well as for the collection of water column data, aimed at locating flares of CO<sub>2</sub> bubbles released from Vesteris seamount, which is a dormant volcano. Our research objectives include (1) resolving mantle melting dynamics and source composition and their bearing for the geodynamic evolution of the northern North Atlantic, (2) reconstructing the volcanic growth of Vesteris Seamount and its partial destruction by slope failures, (3) investigating the diversity of sponges and the microbiomes they host at Vesteris Seamount and other basement highs, and (4) examining the colonization of volcanic rocks by microorganisms, including fungi and bacteria, and determining the relation between rock alteration and endolithic life. Our work focused on four main areas (1) the main edifice of the Vesteris Seamount, (2) the volcanic edifices along the Logi Ridge and Southern Seamount, (3) the northeastern area, and (4) Luise Boyd Seamount on the northern flank of Mohns Ridge.

#### Narrative

On Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup> of August, RV Maria S. Merian left roadstead at Longyearbyen harbour at 06:50 at calm seas and no wind. The scientific program started at 07:45 with underway multibeam mapping. Our first mission was the recovery of a MeBo-plug and an autonomous monitoring platform installed during MSM57 on Vestnesa Ridge. Station MSM86\_001 began at 07:30 on Monday the 19<sup>th</sup>. It was intended to recover both pieces of equipment with the ROV. The platform was eventually recovered using the TV-guided grab, which was equipped with hooks, lowered, and maneuvered over the platform with the ship's DP system until the hooks had engaged. In the evening hours of the 19<sup>th</sup> August, the ROV was successfully lowered to the ocean floor, where it found and unscrewed the MeBo-plug. At 11:30 am on 19<sup>th</sup> August we started transiting towards the main working area at calm seas. During the early morning hours of the 21<sup>st</sup> August a CTD cast was performed to record a sound velocity profile of the water column and collect deep-sea water. On August 21-22, we performed five TV grab stations and a first ROV

dive along the eastern flank of Vesteris Seamount in 500 to 600 m water depth. During the evening of the 22<sup>nd</sup> August and the early morning of the 23<sup>rd</sup> August, five more TV grab stations were completed along the northern slope of Vesteris Seamount, followed by a CTD station and a multibeam transect. At noon on the 24<sup>th</sup> of August, the ROV dive was abandoned and a TV grab was lowered at the eastern ridge of Vesteris seamount. A subsequent ROV test was done during the afternoon of the 23rd August followed by three TV grab stations at the western ridge of Vesteris seamount. That same day, we took six successful TV grabs in the vicinity of Vesteris Seamount prior to conducting a hydroacoustic survey of the shallow sections of Vesteris overnight using the Kongsberg EM712 multibeam system. We continued with four TV grabs on the south western flank of Vesteris seamount but operations had to be abandoned due to increasing swell and winds and we performed a hydroacoustic survey towards the southern working area, where a multibeam survey was conducted during the August 27<sup>th</sup> and the early morning of August 28<sup>th</sup> at map Southern Seamount for the first time. We subsequently performed five TV grab stations from west to east on the Southern Seamount and a CTD station prior to surveying (EM122) back from southern Seamount to Vesteris Seamount. Dive 042 of MARUM-SQUID took place during the daytime August 29, followed by two TV grab stations along the northern parasitic cones of Vesteris Seamount. Winds increasing to 7 Bft and rising seas forced us to abandon work at Vesteris Seamount again. We headed to the northeastern working area and mapped (EM122) two seamounts there. Based on the newly generated maps, we selected three locations for TV grab stations on the two seamounts in the northeastern area and conducted successful rock sampling there. During the night to the 1<sup>st</sup> September we transited back to Vesteris Seamount where fair weather allowed us to successfully conduct an ROV dive followed by five TV grab and a CTD station prior to leaving the area again due to adverse sea state. We headed ESE and performed a multibeam survey towards Luise Boyd seamount at 72°N, 3°E just north of the Mohns Ridge. In the late morning hours of the 3<sup>rd</sup>, we were able to start rock sampling did four successful TV-grab stations followed by CTD station just east of Luise Boyd seamount. We then continued a hydroacoustic survey NW of Luise Boyd seamount and lowered two more TV grabs at the seamount. At noon that day, we started steaming back towards Vesteris Seamount where we arrived at 06:00 on 5<sup>th</sup> of September and did two TV grab stations prior to ROV dive 044 in the central area of Vesteris Seamount. Four TV grab stations followed and during the night to the 6<sup>th</sup> September we continued our detailed hydroacoustic survey of Vesteris Seamount. During daytime, we performed ROV dive 45 at the northwestern flank of Vesteris Seamount followed by five TV grabs along the eastern and northern flanks of the volcano. On the 7<sup>th</sup> of September, another hydroacoustic survey and the final ROV dive on Vesteris Seamount were successfully completed. During the evening of the 7<sup>th</sup> we transited south to Logi Ridge with an initial hydroacoustic survey followed by 3 TV grabs along Logi Ridge in the morning of the 8<sup>th</sup>

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September. The afternoon and evening we did another hydroacoustic survey at Logi Ridge, prior to a long hydroacoustic survey to Vesteris seamount and back due to heavy seas and storm during the 9<sup>th</sup> of September and two TV grabs and a CTD on Vesteris seamount during the afternoon of the 9<sup>th</sup> September. During the night we performed a hydroacoustic survey southeast of Vesteris. In the morning of the 10<sup>th</sup> of September we lowered two final TV grabs on Vesteris seamount prior to mapping the area towards the Southern Seamount where we performed three more TV grabs in the early morning. At 9:30 UTC we finished the working program at the southern Seamount and started transiting SE towards Jan Mayen. The scientific program ended at 9:05 am on the 11<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at 72°23.19'N, 11°22.57'W, the underway data collection was finalised at 13.09.2019 3:48 am at 64°48.40'N, 0°11.95'O. The vessel arrived in Emden on the 16<sup>th</sup> September 9:55 am UTC docking into the shipyard.

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19.08.19 06:20 Vestn	19.08.19 06:20 Vestn	06:20 Vestn	Vestn	esa Ridge	Latitude 79.005579	Longitude 6.908392	1205	06:55	Latitude 79.005587	Longitude 6.908399	1206		Latitude	Longitude		Aborted due to technical problems	
19.08.19 11:36 Vestn	19.08.19 11:36 Vestn	11:36 Vestn	Vestn	esa Ridge	79.006137	6.905167	1213	13:34	79.006247	6.904281	1213					TV-Grab used with hooks to salvage Measuring platform of Cruise MSM57	
19.08.19 13:58 Vest	19.08.19 13:58 Vestr	13:58 Vestr	Vestr	nesa Ridge	79.006504	6.904711	1213	14:21	79.006497	6.90473	1213					Dive aborted due to technical problems	
re_040 19.08.19 19:24 Vest	19.08.19 19:24 Vest	19:24 Vest	Vest	nesa Ridge	79.006571	6.905143	1212	23:30	79.006799	6.902717	1210					ROV used to salvage SonarCork	
21.08.19 00:24 Vest	21.08.19 00:24 Vest	00:24 Vest	Vest	nesa Ridge	74.541512	-3.244433	3601	02:37	74.541535	-3.244484	3601						Nater Samples: 11 (4 Depths)
21.08.19 02:58 Trans	21.08.19 02:58 Trans	02:58 Trans	rans	it to Vesteris	74.54078	-3.248016	3600	18:12	73.383006	-9.22604	2552						
21.08.19 18:49 \	21.08.19 18:49 \	18:49	_	/esteris	73.367638	-9.393453	1884	20:39	73.369101	-9.39274	1887	19:55	73.368960	-9.392371	1882	black, fine basaltic lava	Biology: 6 Sediment: 2 Geology: 3
21.08.19 21:31	21.08.19 21:31 \	21:31	[	/esteris	73.401157	-9.376564	2385	23:28	73.401307	-9.376083	2349	22:30	73.401130	-9.375700	2353	porphyritic basalt	Geology: 1
22.08.19 00:07 V	22.08.19 00:07 \	1 20:00	-	/esteris	73.440673	-9.266039	677	01:23	73.441141	-9.266055	986	0:57	73.441030	-9.265800	686	fine grained sand, black vesicular lava	Biology: 4 Sediment: 2 Geology: 4
22.08.19 01:56	22.08.19 01:56 \	01:56		/esteris	73.45152	-9.262659	979	02:58	73.451521	-9.261526	952	2:33	73.451480	-9.261330	958	black, glassy scoria	Biology: 19 Sediment: 1 Geology: 1
22.08.19 03:37	22.08.19 03:37	03:37		Vesteris	73.463998	-9.263547	738	04:23	73.463971	-9.263528	724	04:02	73.463880	-9.263230	731	pillow lava	Biology: 8 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1
ve_041 22.08.19 05:24	22.08.19 05:24	05:24		Vesteris	73.509514	-9.144789	603	14:36	73.510674	-9.148868	529					sponges, pillow lava, lapilli	Biology: 5 Water: 1 Geology: 6
22.08.19 15:34	22.08.19 15:34	15:34		Vesteris	73.614061	-9.035181	1791	17:07	73.614071	-9.034969	1777	16:30	73.614160	-9.035220	1804	lava balloon, glassy pillow lava rim, fine-grained mud to silt	Biology: 9 Geology: 4
22.08.19 17:48	22.08.19 17:48	17:48		Vesteris	73.589353	-9.039541	1399	19:29	73.589199	-9.039521	1408	18:56	73.589310	-9.039710	1417	aphyritic lava, rarely small crystals	Biology: 3 Geology: 1
22.08.19 20:15	22.08.19 20:15	20:15		Vesteris	73.569114	-9.059061	857	21:22	73.568942	-9.059125	843	20:59	73.568880	-9.059360	844	black, vesicular fine-grained basalt, scoria, lapilli	Biology: 10 Sediment: 1 Geology: 4
22.08.19 22:21	22.08.19 22:21	22:21		Vesteris	73.557854	-9.080938	604	23:25	73.557677	-9.080931	606	23:08	73.557600	-9.081300	550	black, glassy basalt	Biology: 1 Sediment: 1 Geology: 1
22.08.19 23:52	22.08.19 23:52	23:52		Vesteris	73.546042	-9.072975	302	00:27	73.545942	-9.073231	297	00:14	73.545940	-9.073630	297	lapilli, black, glassy lava pieces	Biology: 5 Sediment: 1 Geology: 2
23.08.19 01:22	23.08.19 01:22	01:22		Vesteris	73.650012	-9.082526	2922	03:13	73.649997	-9.082608	2921						Water: 11 (4 depths)
23.08.19 04:02	23.08.19 04:02	04:02		Vesteris	73.730111	-8.890957	3084	11:15	73.632827	-9.075802	2707						
23.08.19 12:07	23.08.19 12:07	12:07		Vesteris	73.518116	-9.145943	295	12:20	73.518142	-9.146008	298					test run	
23.08.19 13:20	23.08.19 13:20	13:20		Vesteris	73.488948	-8.968776	1612	14:38	73.488987	-8.96889	1591	14:01	73.489110	-8.968920	1601	unconsolidated sediment, clasts of black vulcanite	Biology: 20 Sediment: 5
23.08.19 17:01	23.08.19 17:01	17:01		Vesteris	73.502974	-9.007341	1142	18:05	73.503017	-9.007612	1149	17:37	73.502977	-9.007844	1156	black, glasy lava flow	Biology: 2 Geology: 1
23.08.19 18:26	23.08.19 18:26	18:26		Vesteris	73.508447	-9.026851	962	19:46	73.508559	-9.027555	957	19:22	73.508700	-9.027630	953	black, vesicular and glassy lava flow	Biology: 2 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1
23.08.19 20:22	23.08.19 20:22	20:22		Vesteris	73.52166	-9.090314	359	21:18	73.521727	-9.09097	357	21:03	73.521850	-9.091070	359	black to brown sediment	Biology: 11 Sediment: 3
23.08.19 22:16	23.08.19 22:16	22:16		Vesteris	73.629732	-9.087991	2698	05:29	73.461323	-9.364351	1914					end 24.08.2019	
24.08.19 08:52 V	24.08.19 08:52 V	08:52 V	~	/esteris	73.46498	-9.349588	1787	14:02	73.474707	-9.100214	1645						

### Station List

Station	ROV- station (Marum)	Date (UTC)	Start (UTC)	Location	Start Positior (Decima	l Degrees)	Water depth [m]	Ende (UTC)	End Positic (Decimal	n Degrees)	Water depth [m]	Sample time (UTC)	Sample Positi (Decimal	ion Degrees)	Waterdepth of sample [m]	comments	Size/number of samples
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025_TVG		24.08.19	14:37	Vesteris	73.514028	-9.326488	1049	15:51	73.514093	-9.325904	1062	15:21	73.514180	-9.326290	1057	rounded dropstones (gneiss?), black fine-grained to glassy volcanic pieces, muddy brown sediment	Biology: 2 Sediment: 3 Geology: 4
026_TVG		24.08.19	16:28	Vesteris	73.543402	-9.278268	1092	17:49	73.54332	-9.278713	1076	17:21	73.543300	-9.278600	1076	porphyritic lava with diverse matrix	Biology: 4 Geology: 1
027_TVG		24.08.19	18:22	Vesteris	73.545006	-9.233896	955	19:32	73.544585	-9.237455	951	19:07	73.544600	-9.237460	960	mafic, vesicular rock	Biology: 6 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1
028_TVG		24.08.19	20:02	Vesteris	73.532556	-9.220978	555	20:56	73.532189	-9.221033	575	20:38	73.532270	-9.221360	575	black, porphyritic/glassy, vesicular lava. Volcanoclastic, layered rock	Biology: 15 Sediment: 2 Geology: 2
029_TVG		24.08.19	21:38	Vesteris	73.518227	-9.146169	306	22:20	73.518319	-9.146123	304	22:01	73.518320	-9.014610	302	porphyritic lava with glassy matrix, lapilli	Biology: 1 Geology: 2
030_MBES		24.08.19	22:50	Vesteris	73.476158	-9.097284	1603	07:14	73.452091	-8.782904	2856					end 25.08.2019	
031_TVG		25.08.19	08:05	Vesteris	73.527214	-9.116766	163	60:60	73.527229	-9.116817	162	08:57	73.527200	-9.117300	161	Sediment with biomass	Biology: 16 Sediment: 3
032_TVG		25.08.19	09:47	Vesteris	73.51945	-9.160004	139	10:15	73.519199	-9.159344	148	10:03	73.519210	-9.159700	145	volcanoclastic breccia. Black, fine- grained, vesicular, porphyritic lava with attered phenocrysts	Biology: 17 Sediment: 2 Geology: 3
033_TVG		25.08.19	11:00	Vesteris	73.536033	-9.255824	944	12:26	73.535859	-9.254819	937	12:01	73.535800	-9.255300	923	Glassy & porphyritic, vesicular lava. Fine layered sedimentary rock.	Biology: 2 Sediment: 1 Geoloav: 3
034_TVG		25.08.19	12:56	Vesteris	73.51732	-9.258675	765	13:53	73.51708	-9.258448	751	13:33	73.517000	-9.258800	747	dark, grey, fine-grained lava	Biology: 3 Sediment: 2 Geology: 2
035_TVG		25.08.19	14:28	Vesteris	73.518461	-9.217871	352	15:02	73.518461	-9.217566	352	14:48	73.518460	-9.217580	352	very mafic lava	Biology: 8 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1
036_TVG		25.08.19	15:31	Vesteris	73.524668	-9.193775	255	16:31	73.524442	-9.193452	257	16:19	73.524400	-9.193880	257	black to grey sediment	Biology: 3 Sediment: 3
037_MBES		25.08.19	17:52	Vesteris	73.59033	-8.98336	1730	08:26	73.517637	-9.20658	343						
038_TVG		26.08.19	08:59	Vesteris	73.511811	-9.171353	226	09:38	73.511754	-9.171337	222	09:24	73.511620	-9.171420	221	hydroclastic sediment. Dropstone	Biology: 12 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1
039_TVG		26.08.19	10:37	Vesteris	73.505675	-9.194656	279	11:22	73.50563	-9.193701	279	11:10	73.505490	-9.193830	277	black, fine-grained basalt. Black to brown sediment with shells and lapilli	Biology: 1 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1
040_TVG		26.08.19	12:03	Vesteris	73.492042	-9.267309	993	13:05	73.492042	-9.266392	983	12:38	73.491910	-9.266600	972	black, glassy and fine-grained, vesicular basalt and scoria. Porphyritic and glassy lava. Lapilli	Biology: 4 Sediment: 2 Geology: 5
041_TVG		26.08.19	13:33	Vesteris	73.490564	-9.239644	517	14:36	73.490418	-9.239583	517	14:18	73.490270	-9.239730	517	fresh lava with vesicle bands and glassy crust. Few phenocrysts, pipe vesicles, scoria	Biology: 7 Sediment: 2 Geology: 3
042_MBES		26.08.19	15:34	Transit from vesteris to Southern Seamount	73.490138	-9.239444	523	01:05	72.488327	-11.857303	2308					End 27.08.2019	
043_CTD		27.08.19	01:14	Southern Seamount	72.484486	-11.862027	2316	02:44	72.484487	-11.862065	2312						Water: 10 (3 depths)
044_MBES		27.08.19	03:12	Southern Seamount	72.484183	-11.773902	2218	07:41	72.343001	-11.695047	1927						
045_TVG		28.08.19	08:10	Southern Seamount	72.373805	-11.653801	740	09:35	72.373605	-11.652335	704	09:10	72.373620	-11.652780	704	dark grey, reddish lava, manganese crusts, sediment	Biology: 22 Sediment:3 Geology: 4

Size/number of samples		Biology: 17 Sediment: 2 Geology: 3	Geology: 2	Biology: 2 Sediment: 1 Geology: 2	Biology: 2 Sediment: 1 Geoloav: 2			Biology: 4 Sediment: 2 Geology: 2	Biology: 1 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1	Biology: 6 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1			Biology: 8 Sediment: 2 Geology: 12	Biology: 2 Geology: 1	Biology: 2 Geology: 1		Biology: 5 Geology: 6	Biology: 5 Sediment: 3 Geology: 4	Biology: 11 Sediment: 2 Geology: 5		Biology: 1 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1	Geology: 1	Water: 24 (7 depths)		
comments		black, fine-grained lava, dropstones	breccia	black, fine-grained lava, dropstones	fresh alkali basalt, dropstones			black, fine-grained lava, glassy crusts, lapilli	dropstones	manganese crust			mantle complex, altered peridotites, gabbro, dunite & basalt with Manganese crusts	manganese crust	serpentinized olivine gabbro		porphyritic & fine-grained lava, lapilli	lava with layered vesicles, black glassy scoria	black, porphyritic and vesicular lavas	empty	grey, porphyritic volcanic rock	finde-grained aphanitic lava	SVP		End 03.09.2019
Waterdepth of sample [m]		536	1057	491	733				1778	2687			2550	2462	3094			363	538	849	793	1132			
ion I Degrees)	Longitude	-11.554700	-11.535887	-11.435100	-11.252000				-9.176770	-8.784840			-1.010020	-1.060020	-1.159400			-9.191387	-9.196630	-9.156398	-9.212626	-9.001729			
Sample Posi (Decima	Latitude	72.380150	72.432865	72.384000	72.460697				73.610600	73.678000			74.301760	74.310200	74.470100			73.527070	73.530635	73.554000	73.537381	73.526338			
Sample time (UTC)		11:53	14:18	15:52	17:47				16:14	18:57			09:13	12:19	16:02			15:18	16:42	18:15	19:59	21:44			
Water depth [m]		533	1060	497	730	446	180	188	1787	2648	3651	3755	2548	2466	3106	518	407	367	535	843	744	1180	2100	1804	2093
ion I Degrees)	Longitude	-11.554702	-11.53544	-11.43475	-11.251557	-9.15204	-9.178108	-9.145332	-9.177337	-8.785946	-2.023042	-0.529609	-1.009478	-1.060325	-1.159962	-9.196616	-9.192554	-9.191285	-9.196907	-9.156735	-9.212986	-9.002018	-8.885144	2.345133	3.089199
End Positi (Decima	Latitude	72.380153	72.432871	72.384004	72.460694	73.511178	73.513875	73.520596	73.610691	73.678259	74.430135	74.473175	74.301718	74.31037	74.470317	73.529119	73.527348	73.527196	73.530732	73.554109	73.537527	73.526428	73.5115	72.569547	72.775248
Ende (UTC)		11:27	14:45	16:07	17:49	06:10	08:31	13:50	16:52	19:56	10:03	06:42	10:08	13:13	17:05	05:45	14:16	15:33	16:58	18:39	20:26	22:16	90:00	21:47	07:24
Water depth [m]		551	1202	475	739	1262	226	295	1759	2676	3007	3648	2598	2462	3109	3873	505	370	542	808	751	1175	2104	2236	1804
n Il Degrees)	Longitude	-11.555534	-11.53653	-11.434809	-11.250906	-11.208706	-9.104157	-9.149006	-9.175571	-8.785591	-8.74235	-1.927422	-1.010206	-1.060363	-1.160346	-2.746831	-9.193821	-9.191366	-9.196907	-9.154596	-9.212699	-9.003532	-8.884488	-8.860786	2.345017
Start Positio (Decima	Latitude	72.379852	72.43404	72.384204	72.460929	72.454985	73.526524	73.517712	73.610838	73.678143	73.680207	74.42639	74.301139	74.310327	74.470181	74.400553	73.528698	73.52731	73.530905	73.553914	73.537112	73.526334	73.511625	73.510688	72.569523
Location		Southern Seamount	Southern Seamount	Southern Seamount	Southern Seamount	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Transit Vesteris to NE area	Transit Vesteris to NE area	NE area	NE area	NE area	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Boyd Seamount	Boyd Seamount
Start (UTC)		10:35	12:16	15:25	17:01	18:29	07:44	08:48	14:48	17:52	20:20	10:13	08:00	11:00	14:17	19:36	05:59	14:29	16:11	17:41	19:08	21:11	22:45	00:14	21:47
Date (UTC)		28.08.19	28.08.19	28.08.19	28.08.19	28.08.19	29.08.19	29.08.19	29.08.19	29.08.19	29.08.19	30.08.19	31.08.19	31.08.19	31.08.19	31.08.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	01.09.19	02.09.19	02.09.19
ROV- station (Marum)								Dive_042									Dive_043								
Station		046_TVG	047_TVG	048_TVG	049_TVG	050_MBES	051_MBES	052_ROV	053_TVG	054_TVG	055_MBES	056_MBES	057_TVG	058_TVG	059_TVG	060_MBES	061_ROV	062_TVG	063_TVG	064_TVG	065_TVG	066_TVG	067_CTD	068_MBES	069_MBES

Station	ROV- station (Marum)	Date (UTC)	Start (UTC)	Location	Start Positior (Decima	l Degrees)	Water depth [m]	Ende (UTC)	End Positi (Decima	on I Degrees)	Water depth [m]	Sample time (UTC)	Sample Posit (Decimal	ion I Degrees)	Waterdepth of sample [m]	comments	Size/number of samples
					Latitude	Longitude			Latitude	Longitude			Latitude	Longitude			
070_TVG		03.09.19	08:10	Boyd Seamount	72.711731	2.971778	845	09:10	72.711754	2.971774	846	08:45	72.711590	2.971340	851	dropstones	Biology: 8 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1
071_TVG		03.09.19	09:55	Boyd Seamount	72.690723	2.968985	1367	12:06	72.689872	2.971592	1403	11:34	72.689750	2.971120	1448	empty	-
072_TVG		03.09.19	12:37	Boyd Seamount	72.681101	2.862356	718	13:31	72.681141	2.862181	717	13:10	72.681100	2.861690	716	dropstones	Biology: 10 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1
073_TVG		03.09.19	14:31	Boyd Seamount	72.665156	2.665257	868	15:34	72.665188	2.665063	866	15:08	72.665161	2.664586	827	porphyritic pillow lava, dropstones	Biology: 5 Sediment: 2 Geology: 2
074_CTD		03.09.19	16:38	Boyd Seamount	72.628311	2.73499	2628	18:18	72.628353	2.735047	2626					SVP	Water 12 (5 depths)
075_MBES		03.09.19	18:56	Boyd Seamount	72.573651	2.587361	2863	03:02	72.49862	2.21312	1843					End 04.09.2019	
076_TVG		04.09.19	06:01	Boyd Seamount	72.711329	3.044053	1286	08:05	72.712235	3.039617	1207	07:33	72.712100	3.040020	1209	fine-grained aphanitic & tholeiltic basalt	Sediment: 2 Geology: 5
077_TVG		04.09.19	09:03	Boyd Seamount	72.678473	2.816087	621	10:43	72.678156	2.825324	666	10:18	72.678050	2.825730	665	smal piece ov lava	Biology: 5 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1
078_MBES		04.09.19	11:05	Vesteris	72.693701	2.724383	1503	06:00	73.541298	-9.088185	1744					End 05.06.2019	
079_TVG		05.09.19	06:15	Vesteris	73.540547	-9.158116	752	07:25	73.540544	-9.158573	751	07:01	73.540470	-9.158290	756	deeper equivalent of basaltic lava	Biology: 2 Geology: 1
080_TVG		05.09.19	07:56	Vesteris	73.537318	-9.13196	187	80:60	73.537052	-9.131266	171	08:57	73.536960	-9.130860	172		Biology: 21 Sediment: 2
081_ROV	Dive_044	05.09.19	09:40	Vesteris	73.528979	-9.115199	163	15:34	73.528845	-9.112582	208					lava	Biology: 5 Sediment: 1 Geology: 1
081-2_TVG		05.09.19	16:04	Vesteris	73.528787	-9.111307	212	16:38	73.528835	-9.111235	210	16:38	73.528830	-9.111200	210	hyaloclastite	Biology: 1 Geology: 2
082_TVG		05.09.19	17:04	Vesteris	73.516859	-9.098935	502	17:43	73.516845	-9.098866	500	17:23	73.516750	-9.098610	498	altered vesicular lava, fresh lava with round vesicles, olivine phenocrysts	Biology: Sediment: 2 Geology: 4
083_TVG		05.09.19	18:19	Vesteris	73.51768	-9.058541	786	19:07	73.51802	-9.058524	787	18:48	73.517920	-9.058190	785	fresh, vesicular alkaline lava, aphyritic pillow lava	Biology: 9 Sediment: 3 Geology: 2
084_TVG		05.09.19	19:44	Vesteris	73.557201	-9.009679	833	21:00	73.557202	-9.009656	831	20:31	73.557070	-9.009356	836	pillow lava with big pyroxenes	Geology: 1
085_MBES		05.09.19	21:16	Vesteris	73.559778	-8.957303	1469	04:19	73.481467	-8.974373	1901					End 06.09.2019	
086_ROV	Dive_045	06.09.19	06:01	Vesteris	73.540712	-9.276288	1171	14:31	73.542648	-9.279805	1095					porphyritic trachyte, basanite, lava with altered phenocrysts	Biology: 6 Geology: 8
087_TVG		06.09.19	14:54	Vesteris	73.523987	-9.312573	1450	16:06	73.523824	-9.312929	1429	15:34	73.523817	-9.312943	1399	vesicular lava	Biology: 5 Geology: 3
088_TVG		06.09.19	16:40	Vesteris	73.490476	-9.224829	576	17:57	73.490625	-9.224644	563	17:41	73.490540	-9.225080	574	porphyritic lava with olivine phenocrysts	Biology: 4 Geology: 1
089_TVG		06.09.19	18:30	Vesteris	73.501076	-9.14731	676	19:21	73.501078	-9.147209	668	19:01	73.501100	-9.146720	665	lapilli, scoria	Biology: 2 Geology: 2
090_TVG		06.09.19	20:13	Vesteris	73.533325	-9.089258	262	20:56	73.533283	-9.086738	299	20:43	73.533320	-9.086375	299	lapilli, hyaloclastite, porphyritic lava	Biology: 3 Sediment: 2 Geology: 3
091_TVG		06.09.19	21:34	Vesteris	73.567371	-9.05068	890	22:26	73.567381	-9.050349	899	21:59	73.567450	-9.050023	887	vesicular, porphyritic lava	Biology: 7 Sediment: Geology: 2
092 MBES		06.09.19	22:29	Vesteris	73.567507	-9.050381	928	00:20	73.469091	-10.09493	2943					End 07.09.2019	
093 PS		07.09.19	00:29	Vesteris	73.466151	-10.069373	2944	03:59	73.492253	-9.259722	897						

Size/number of samples		Biology: 7 Sediment: 2 Geology: 8			Biology: 1 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1	Biology: 25 Sediment: 3	Geology: 1		Biology: 3 Geology: 1	Biology: 1 Sediment: 3 Geology: 1			Geology: 1	Biology: 1 Geology: 1		Biology: 1 Geology: 1	Biology: 1 Sediment: 2 Geology: 1	Biology: 1
comments		vesicular lava, scoria with flow structure, lapilli		End 08.09.2019	sediment with black ash layers, dropstones		dropstones	End 09.09.2019	vesicular, aphyritic lava	sediment with glassy ash layers, FeOOH crusts	SVP	End 10.09.2019	porphyritic basalt	porphyritic lava	End 11.09.2019	Brecciated basalt with limestone matrix	lapilli	
Waterdepth of sample [m]					821	969	1104		1016	787			1351	719		601	569	517
tion I Degrees)	Longitude				-12.840200	-12.802255	-12.3959		-9.0121	-9.1526			-9.1892	-9.2354		-11.4434	-11.2885	-11.3862
Sample Posi (Decima	Latitude				72.476360	72.501780	72.5109		73.5267	73.5560			73.5636	73.4749		72.4428	72.4190	72.3854
Sample time (UTC)					05:14	06:57	10:09		14:46	17:08			06:45	09:23		04:14	06:28	08:41
Water depth [m]		836	1555	513	822	703	1117	2943	1014	795	2826	3021	1334	737	2149	611	572	515
ion I Degrees)	Longitude	-9.007346	-12.246825	-12.643454	-12.839692	-12.801774	-12.395582	-9.747897	-9.012455	-9.153125	-9.559367	-9.705325	-9.189588	-9.235807	-11.081374	-11.443809	-11.288815	-11.386512
End Positi (Decima	Latitude	73.553287	72.518042	72.466309	72.47638	72.501853	72.519113	73.0843	73.526792	73.556029	73.435563	73.741672	73.56362	73.474812	72.50441	72.442867	72.419123	72.385522
Ende (UTC)		13:51	22:00:54	03:47	05:38	07:17	10:35	11:17	15:12	17:30	20:38	04:13	07:15	09:41	01:51	04:32	06:44	08:57
Water depth [m]		864	774	1467	823	716	1124	1495	1014	769	2814	2851	1362	686	2477	577	561	476
l Degrees)	Longitude	-9.009494	-9.015927	-12.258215	-12.842027	-12.802346	-12.398391	-12.392197	-9.012498	-9.153057	-9.559522	-9.603071	-9.189877	-9.233636	-9.384726	-11.441587	-11.288033	-11.386681
Start Positior (Decima	Latitude	73.552726	73.552106	72.514406	72.476184	72.501503	72.518632	72.461112	73.526792	73.555614	73.435397	73.437305	73.563673	73.475626	73.390762	72.442817	72.41943	72.385992
Location		Vesteris	Logi Ridge	Logi Ridge	Logi Ridge	Logi Ridge	Logi Ridge	Logi Ridge, Southern Seamount and area N of it	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Vesteris	Southern Seamount	Southern Seamount	Southern Seamount
Start (UTC)		04:52	13:57	22:03	04:28	06:22	08:49	12:02	14:21	15:51	18:54	20:54	06:04	08:29	10:26	03:02	05:18	07:23
Date (UTC)		07.09.19	07.09.19	07.09.19	08.09.19	08.09.19	08.09.19	08.09.19	09.09.19	09.09.19	09.09.19	09.09.19	10.09.19	10.09.19	10.09.19	11.09.19	11.09.19	11.09.19
ROV- station (Marum)		Dive_046																
Station		094_ROV	095_MBES	096_MBES	097_TVG	098_TVG	099_TVG	100_MBES	101_TVG	102_TVG	103_CTD	104_MBES	105_TVG	106_TVG	107_MBES	108_TVG	109_TVG	110_TVG