

NOAA West Watch Update

18 June 2024

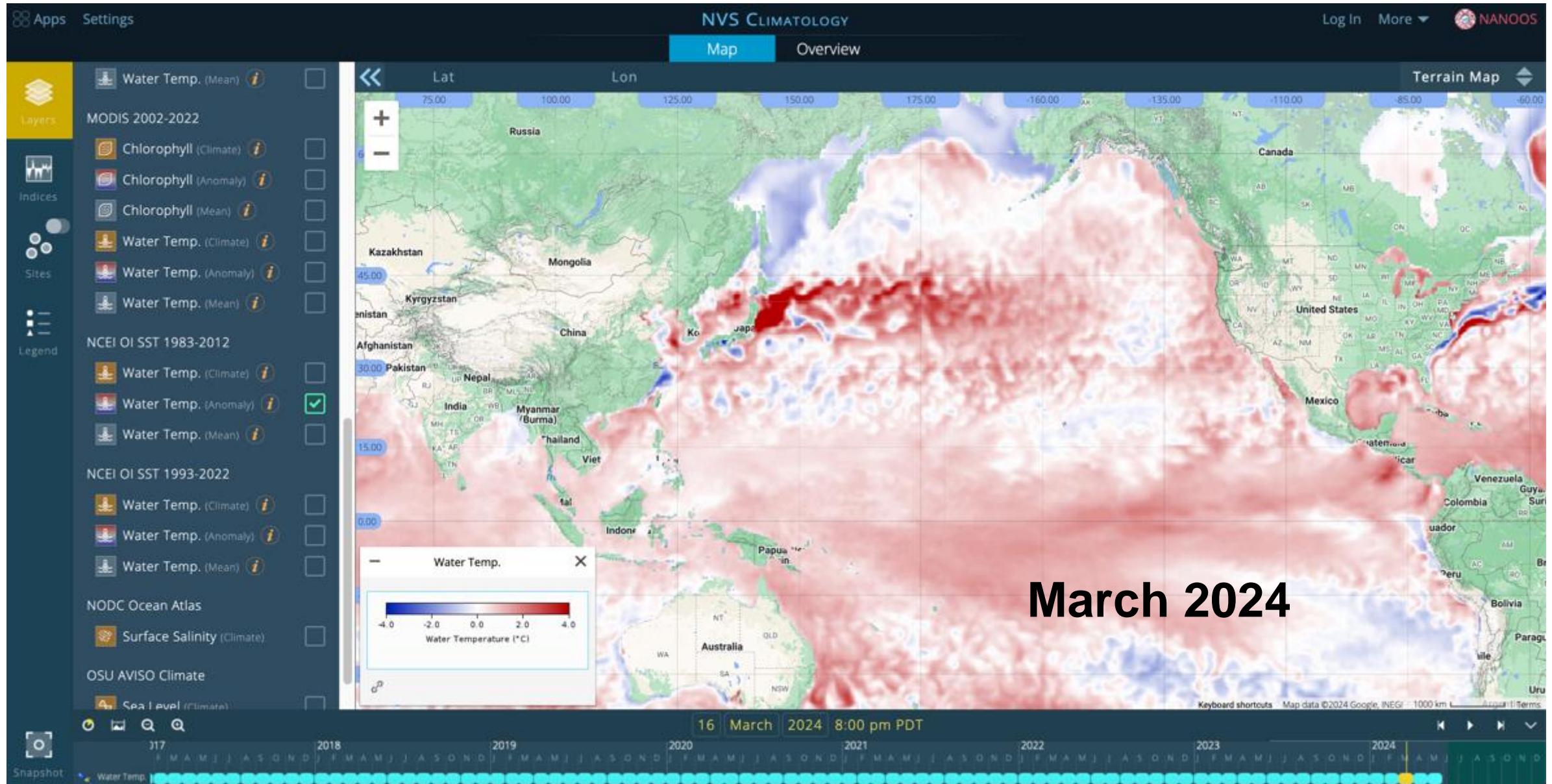
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Jan Newton, on behalf of many

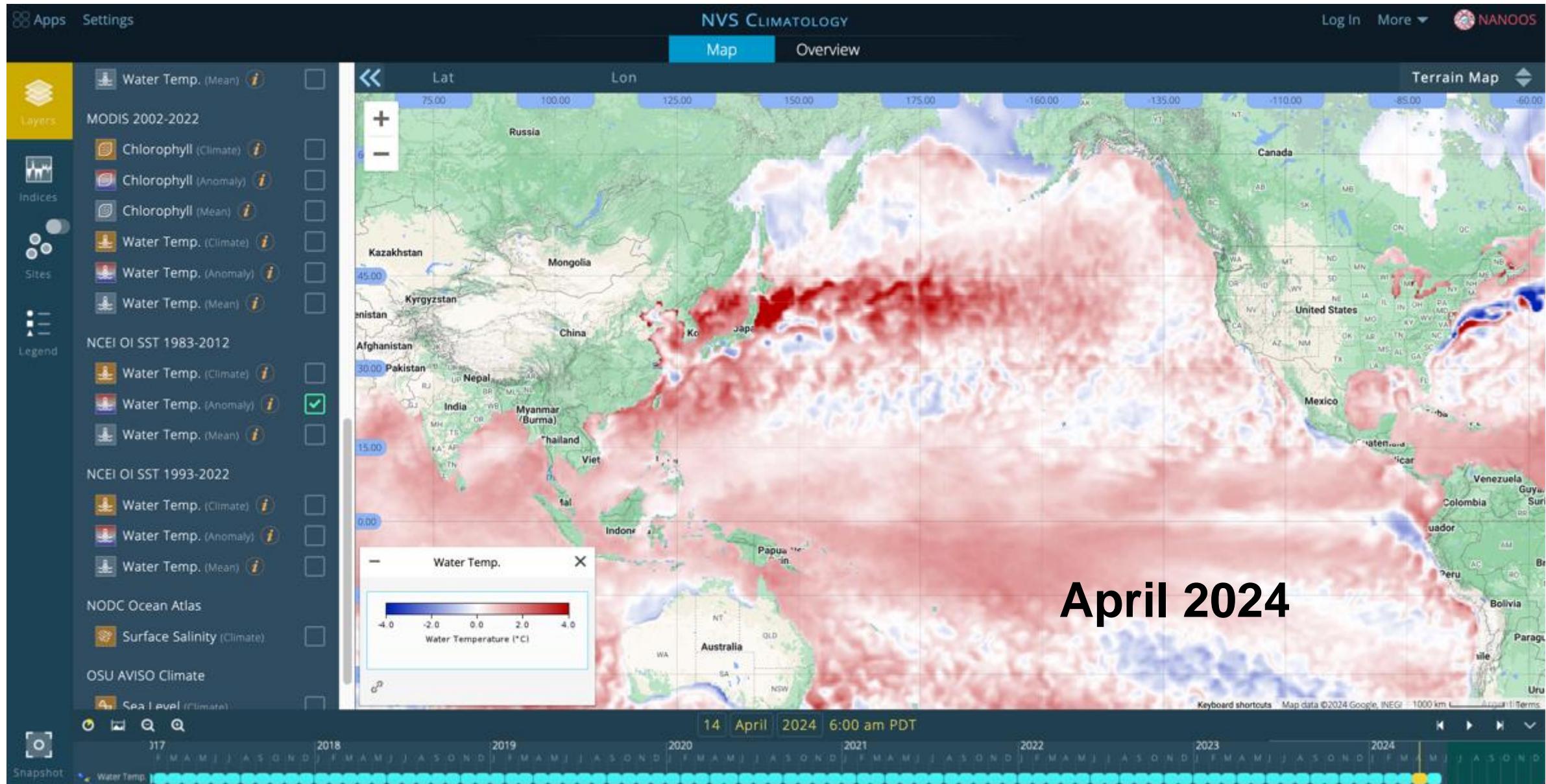
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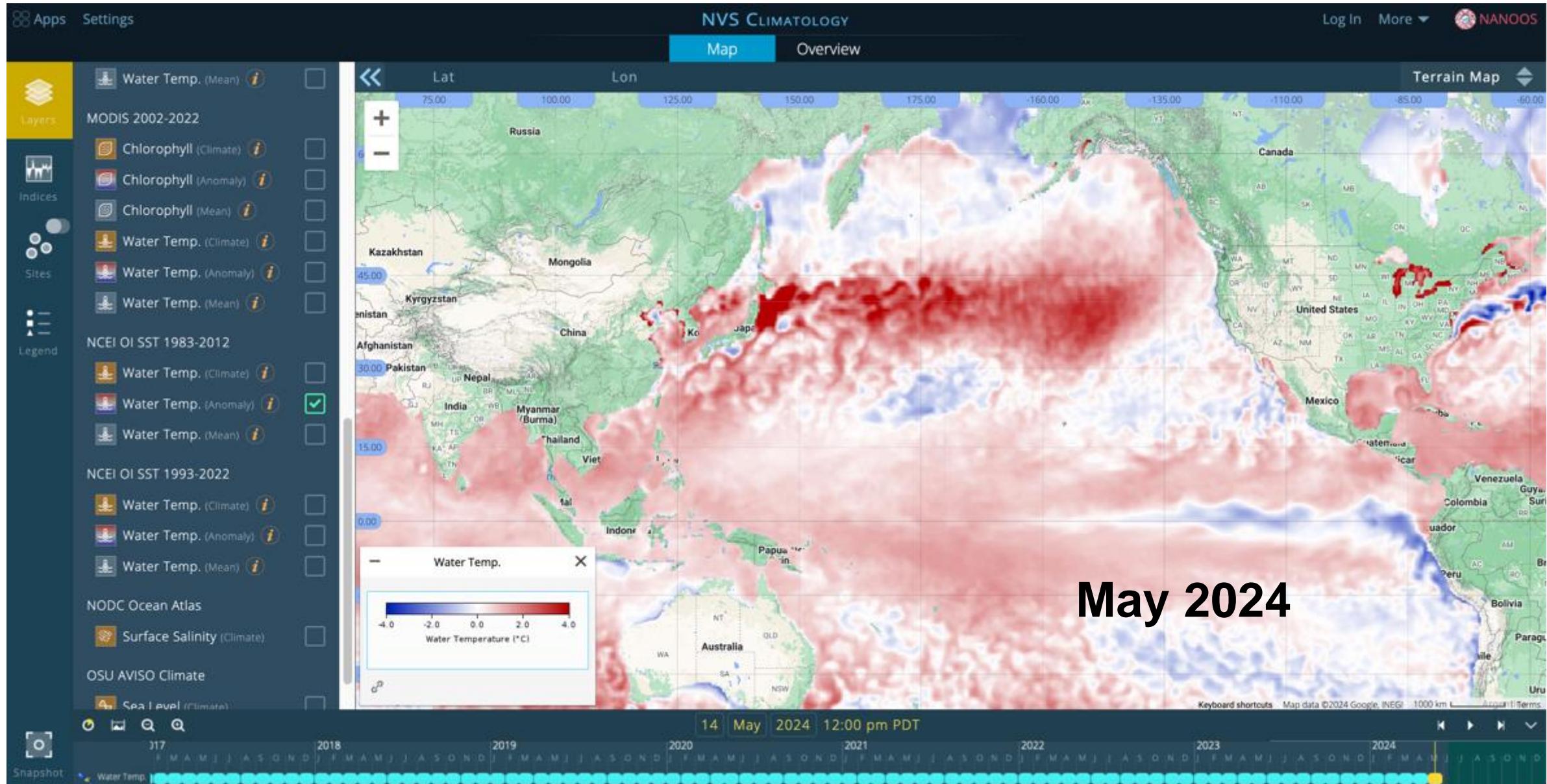
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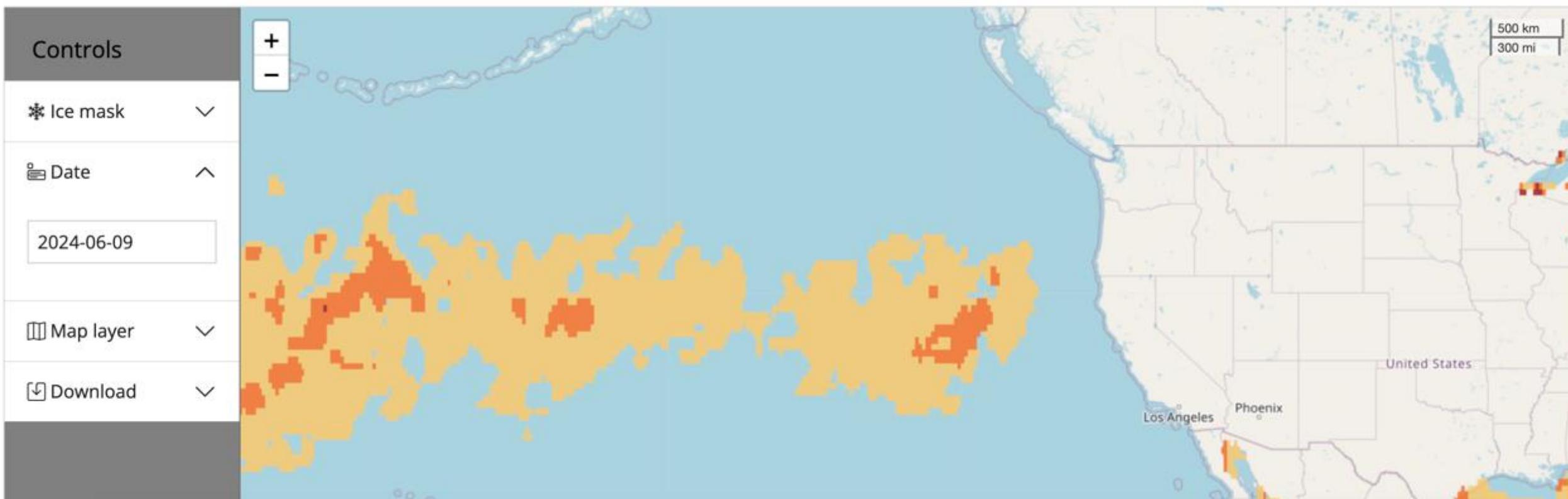


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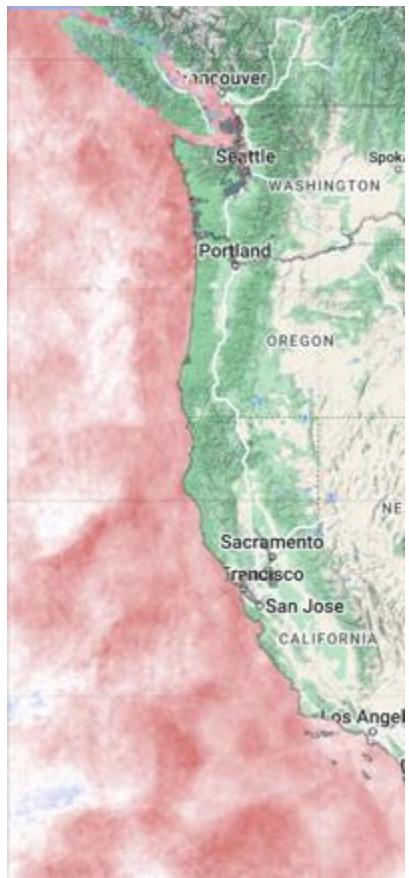
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<http://www.marineheatwaves.org/tracker.html>

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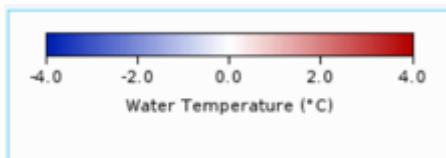
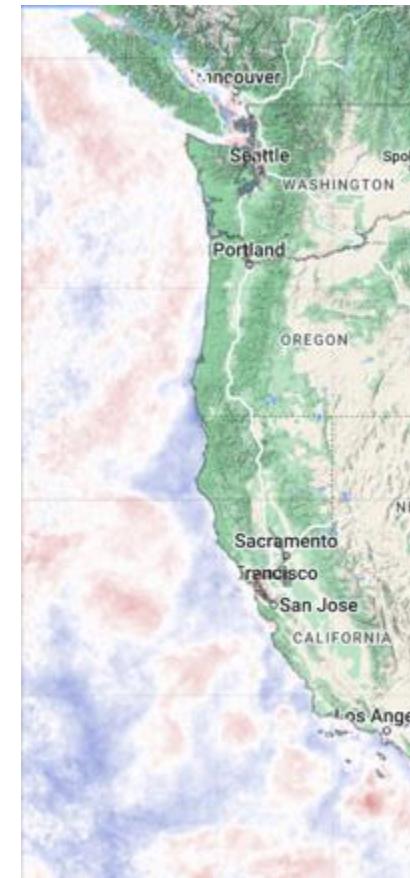
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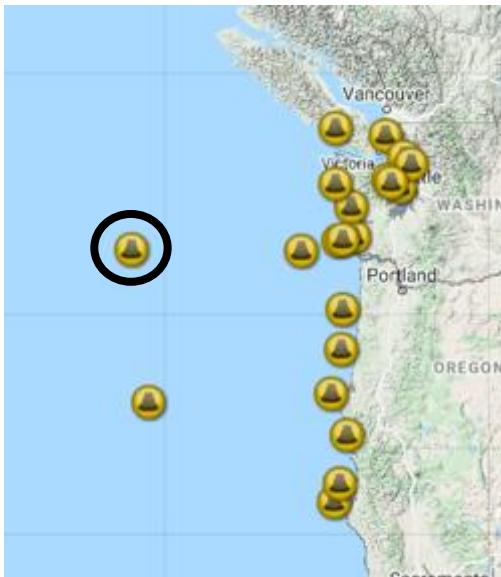
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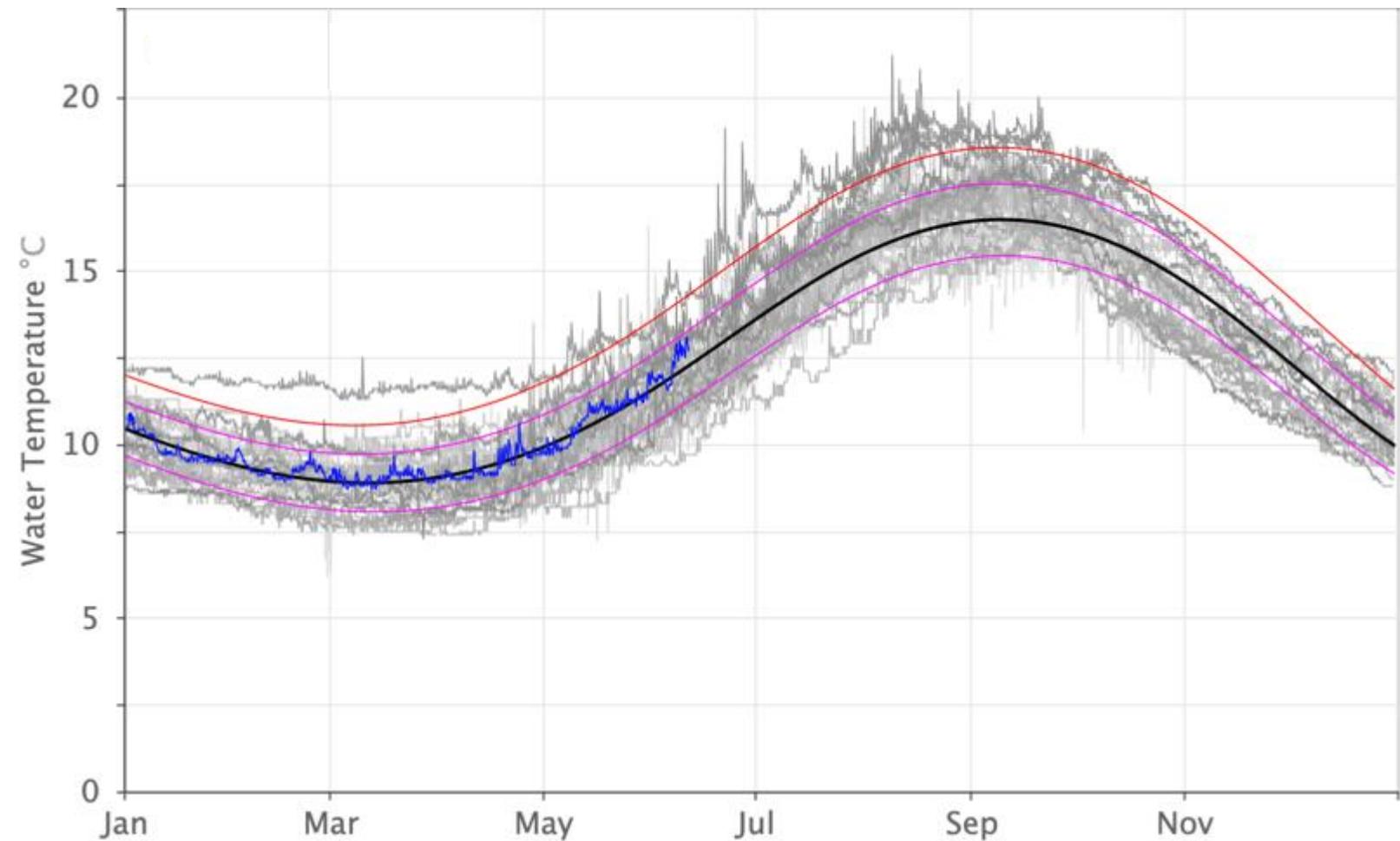
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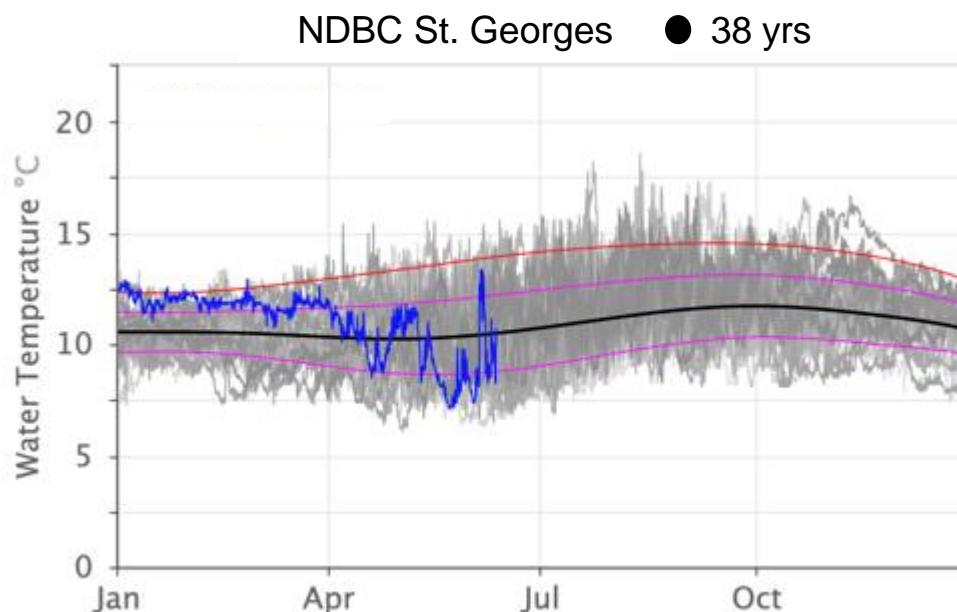
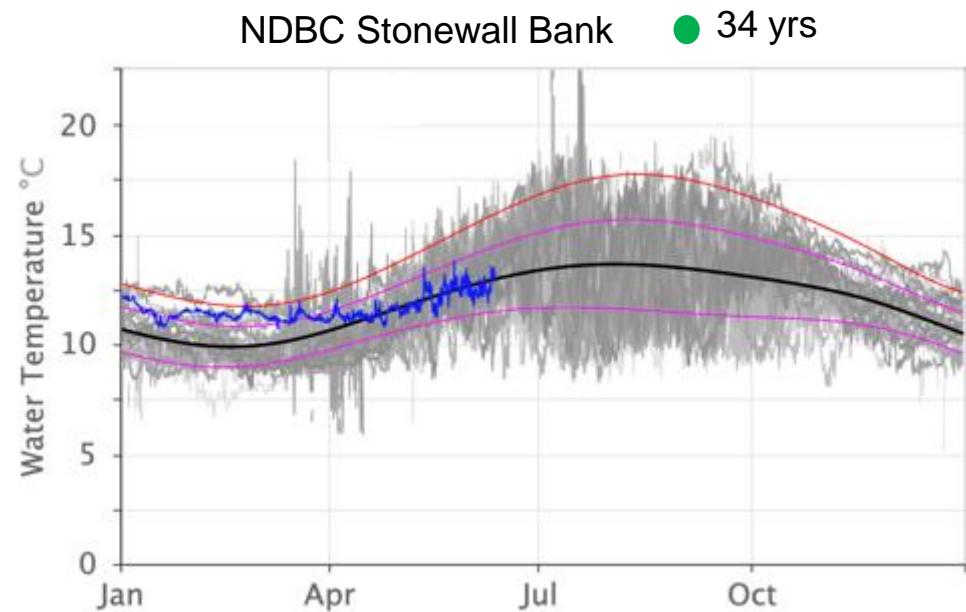
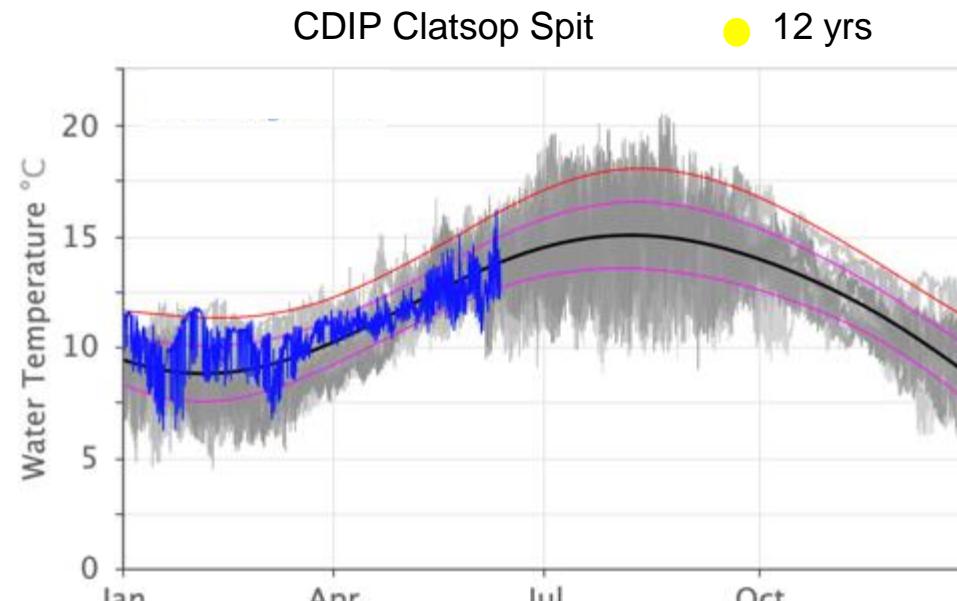
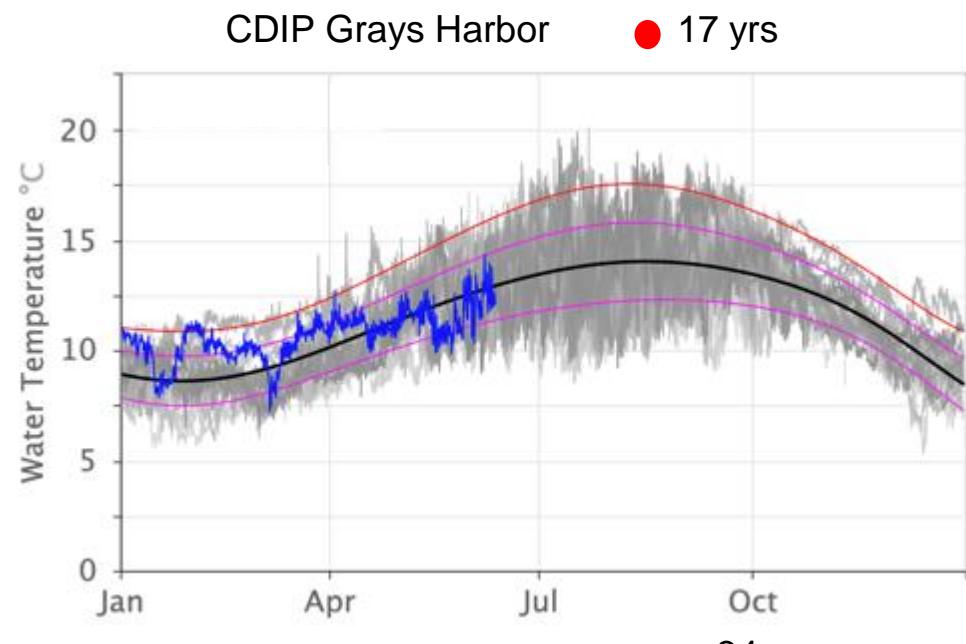




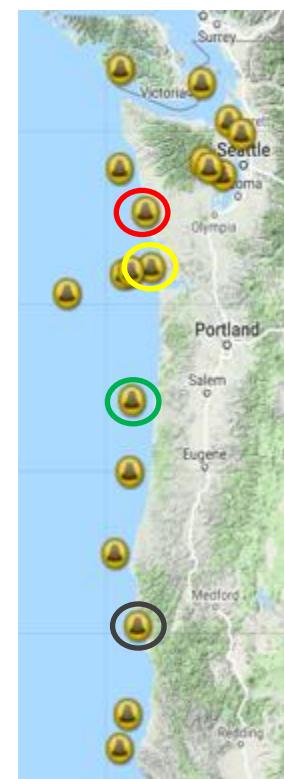
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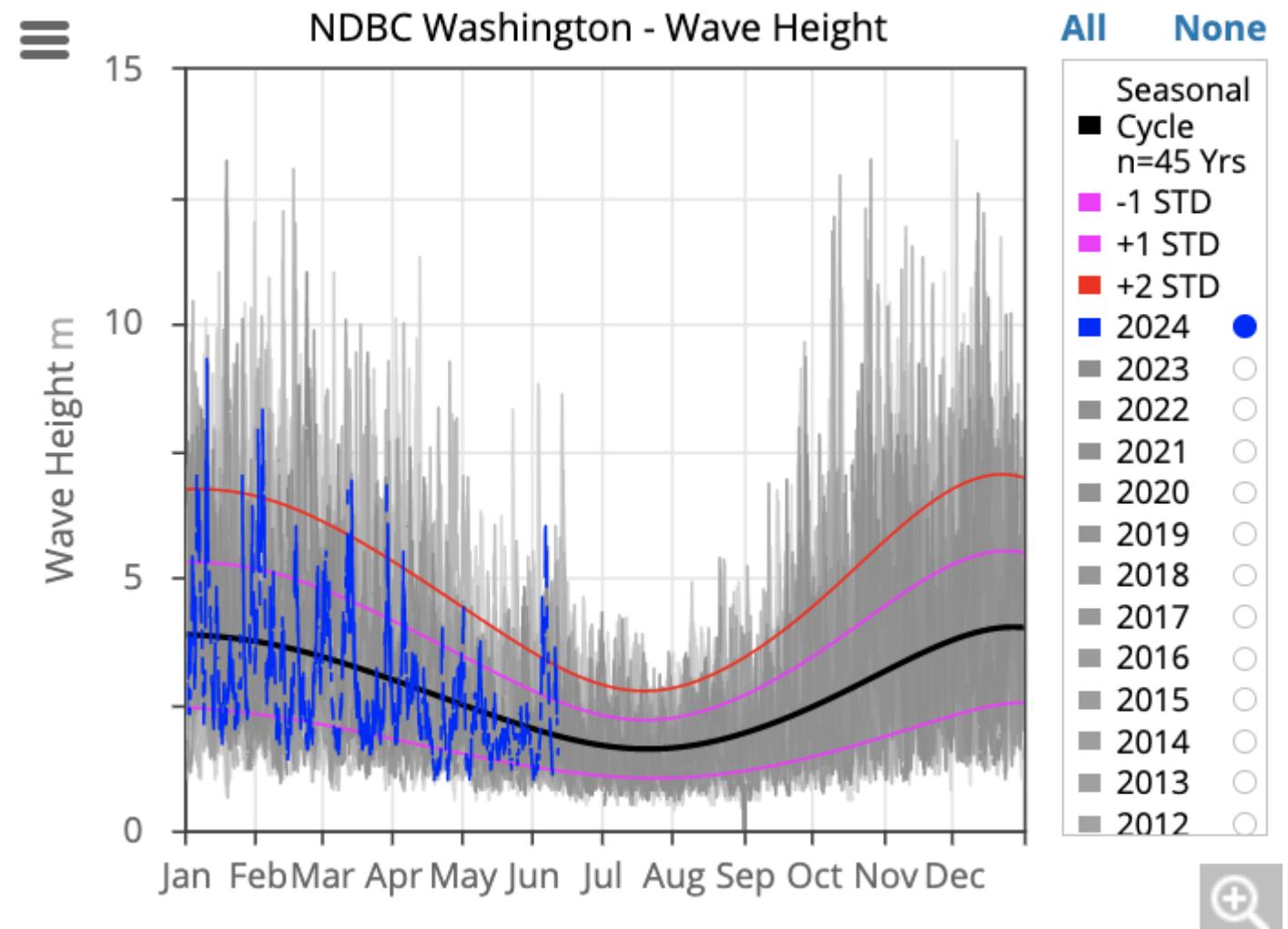
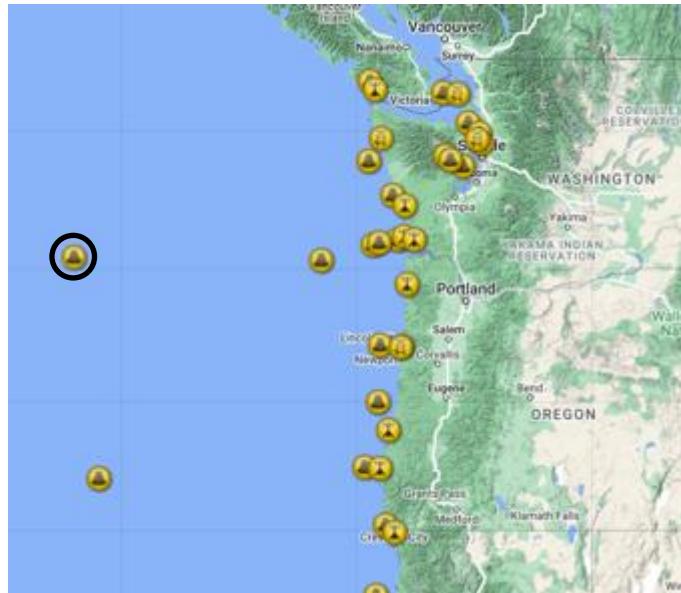




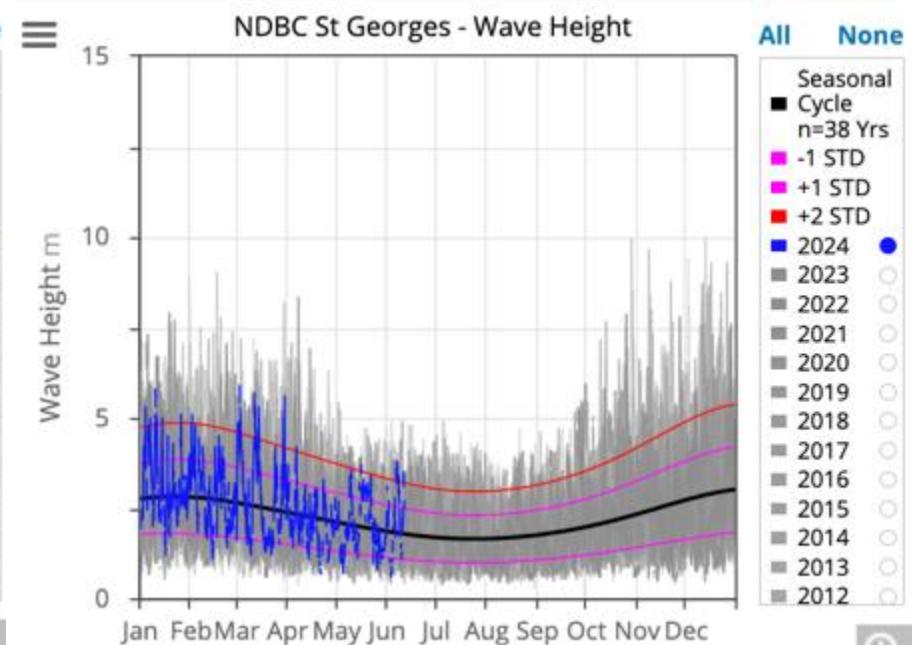
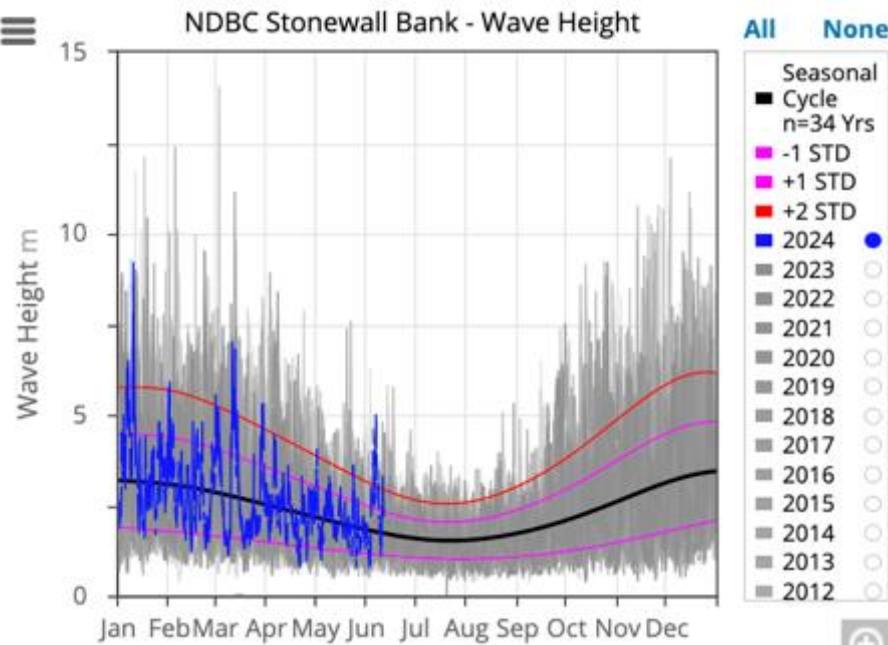
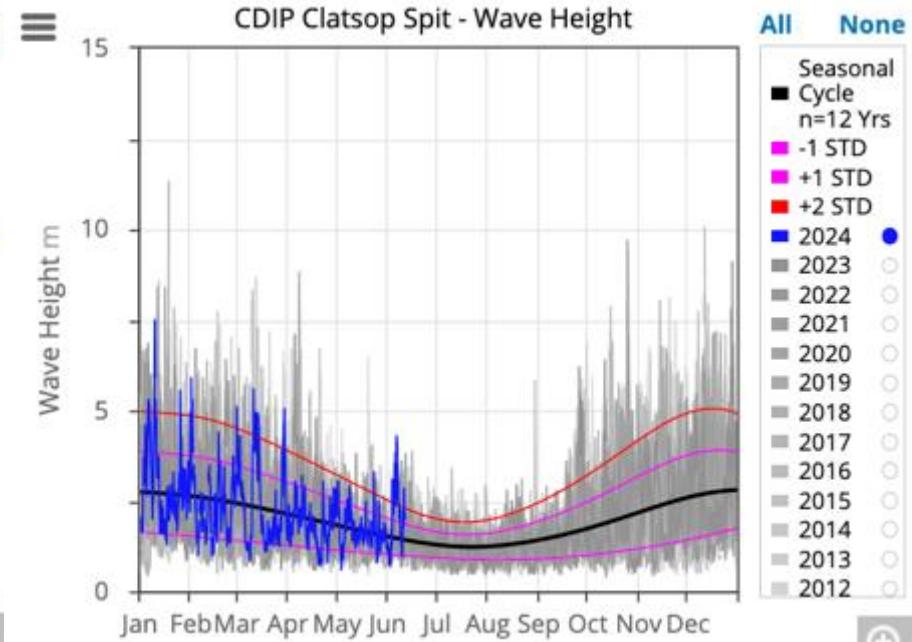
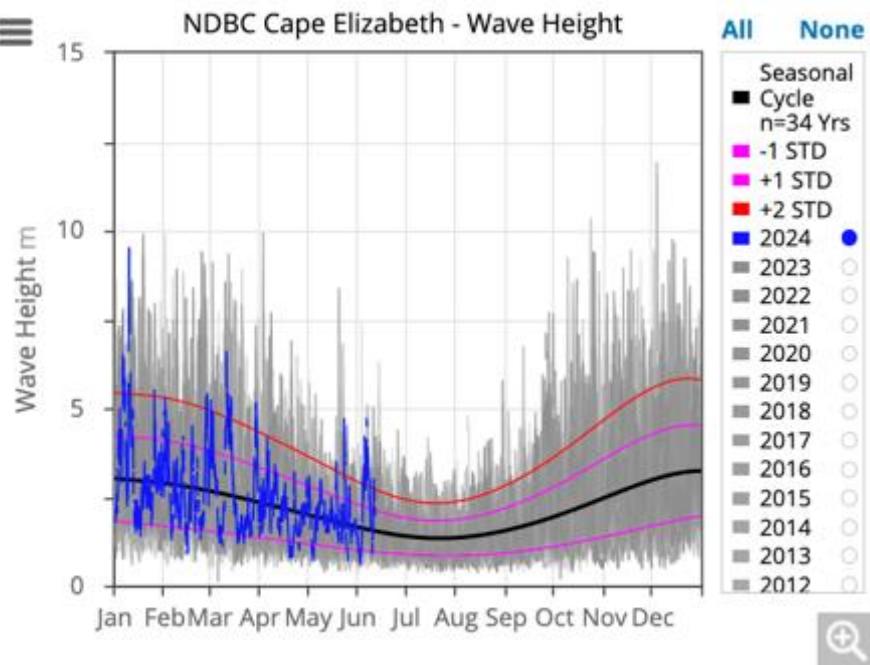
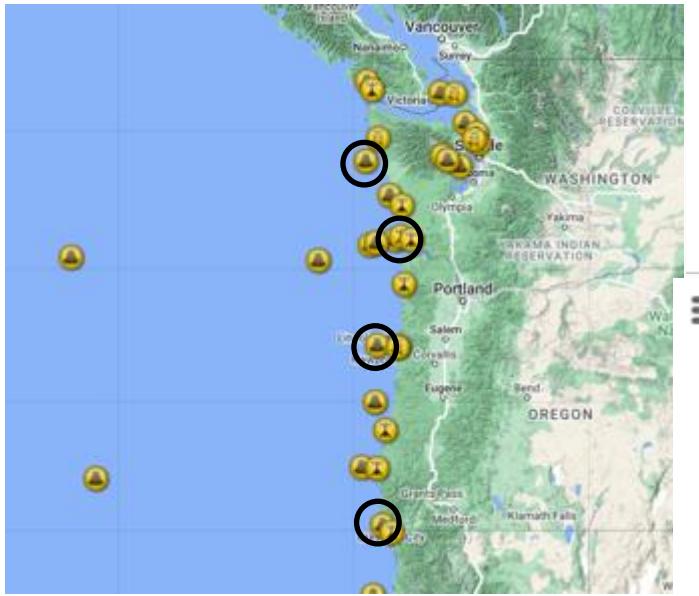
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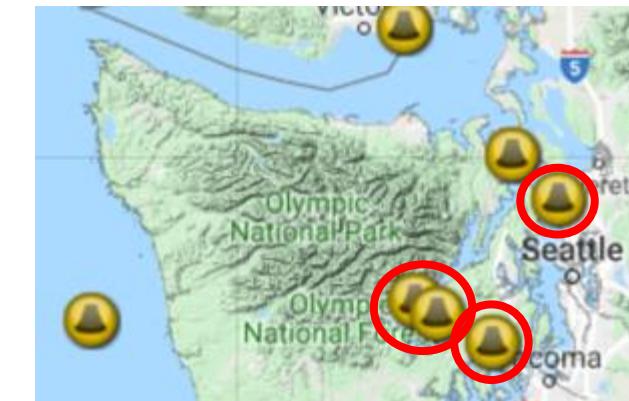
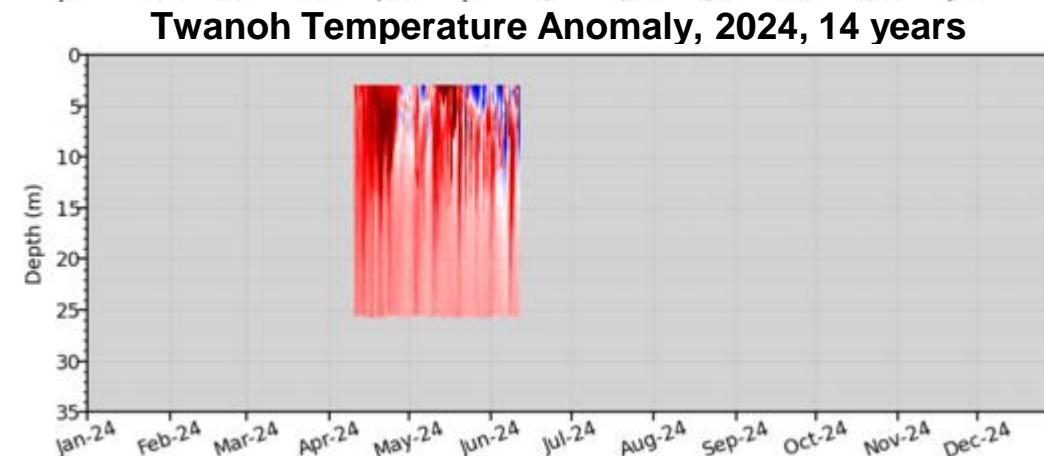
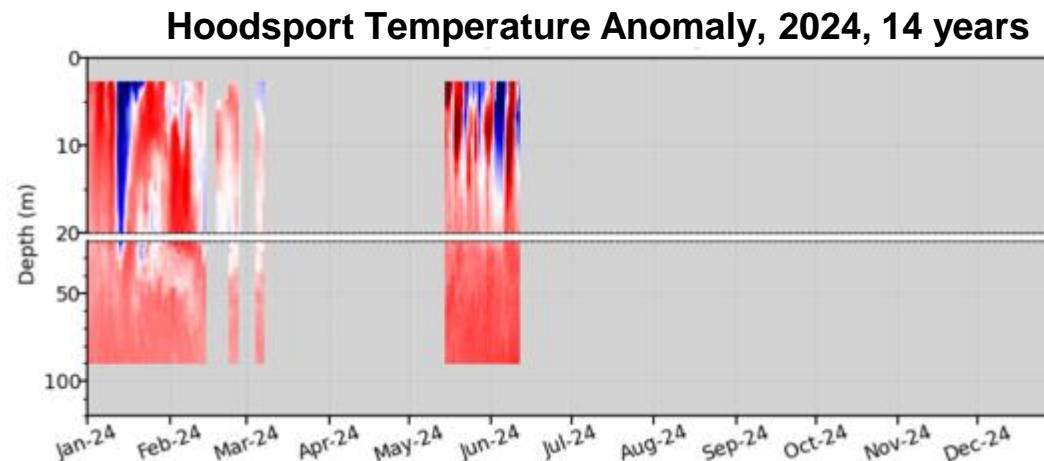
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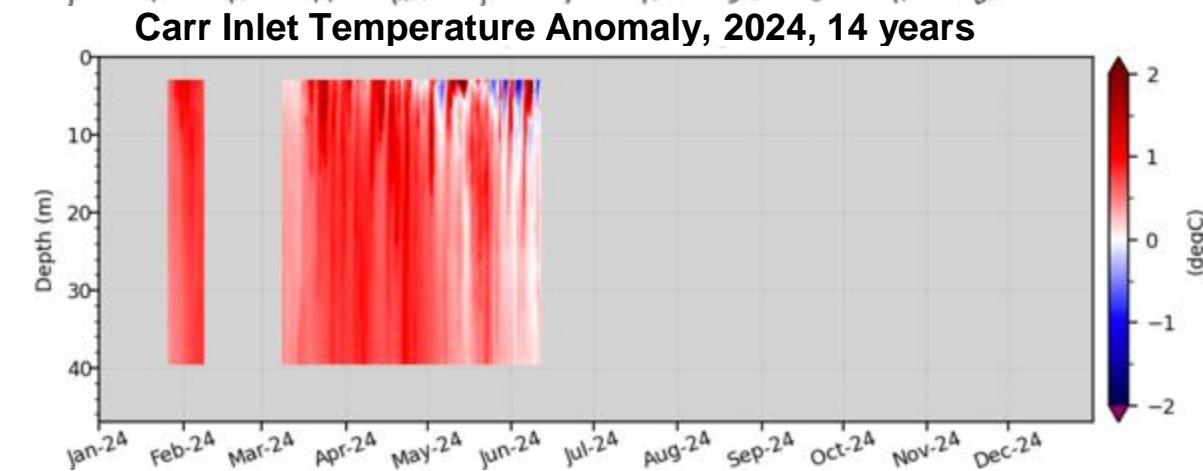
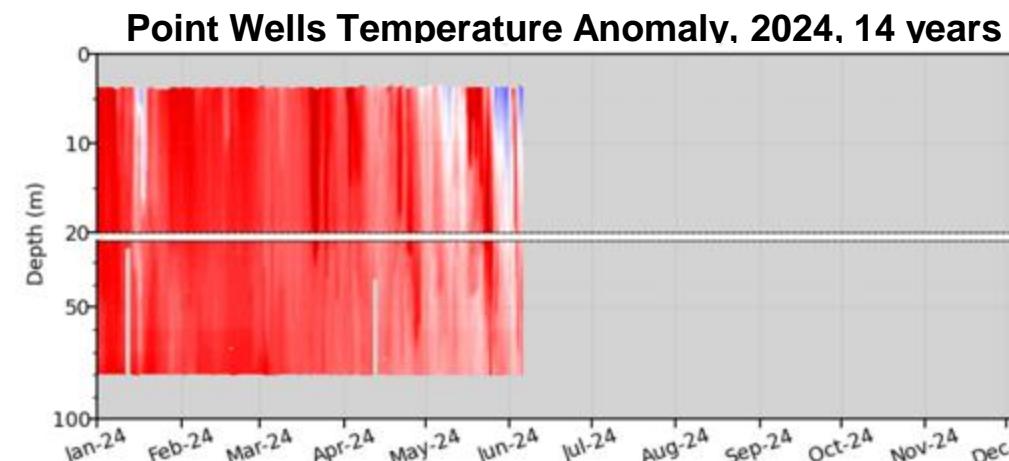
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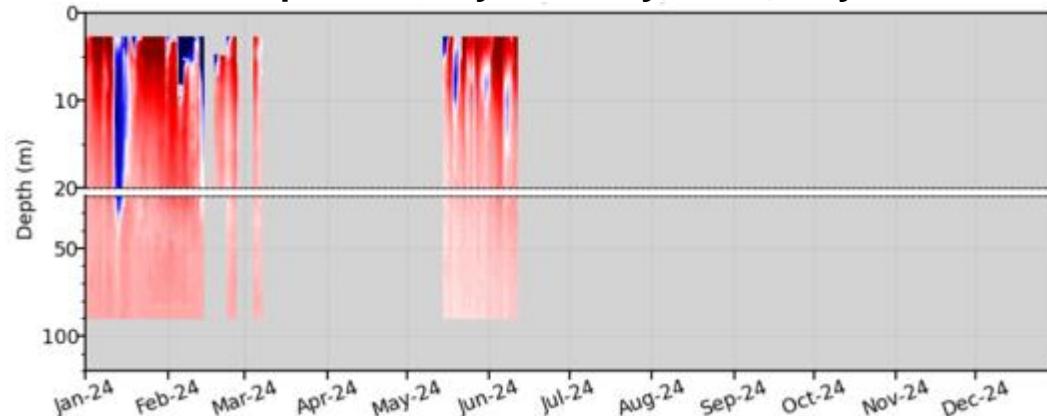
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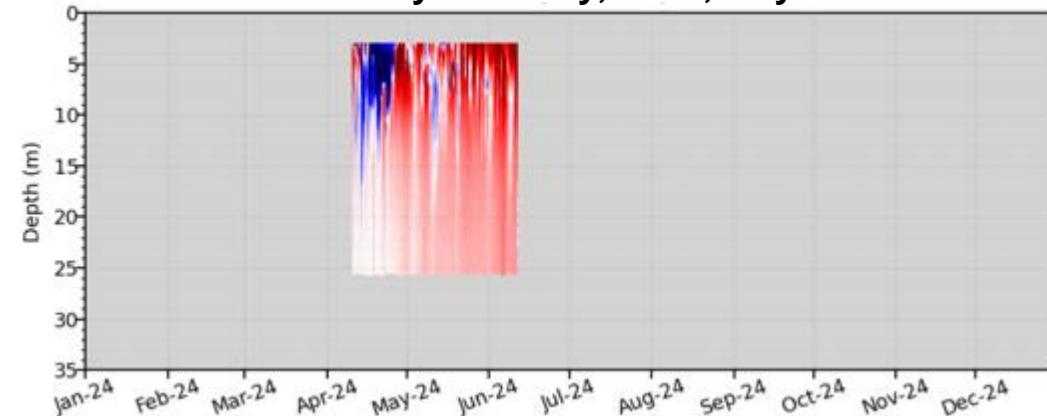
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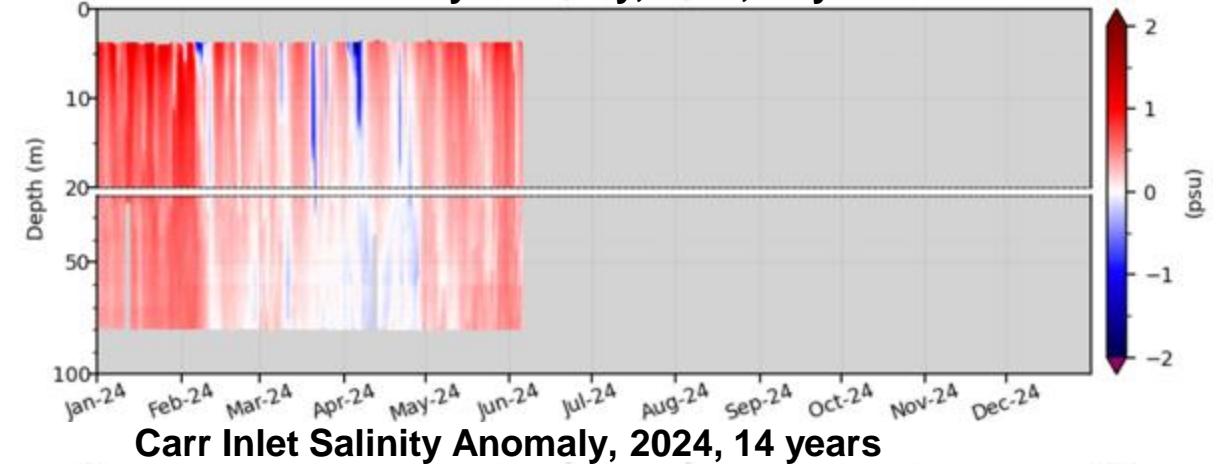
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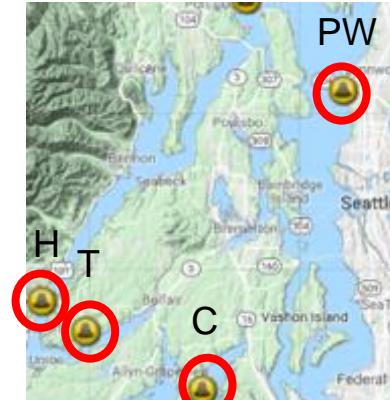
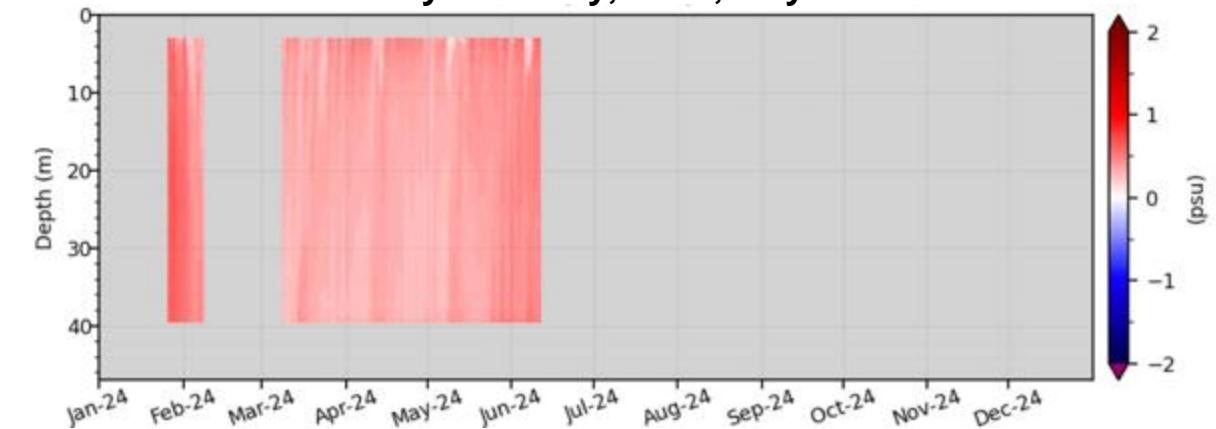
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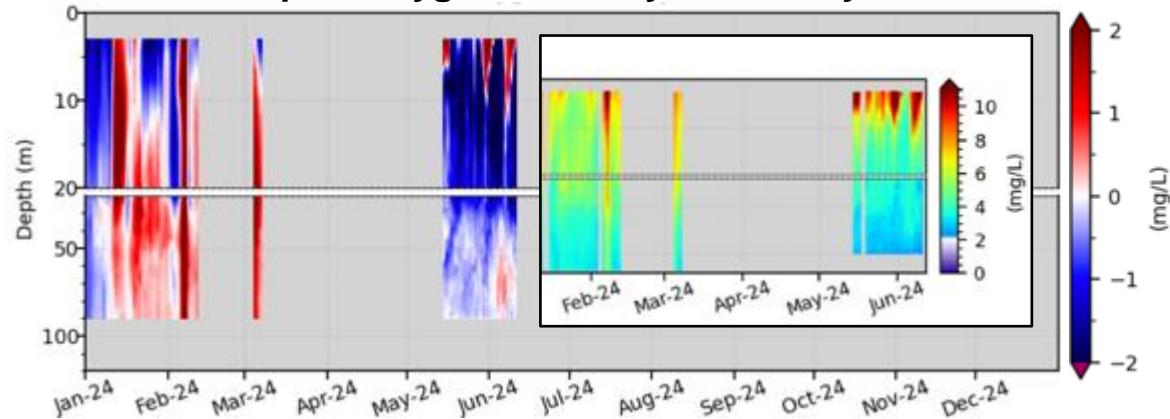
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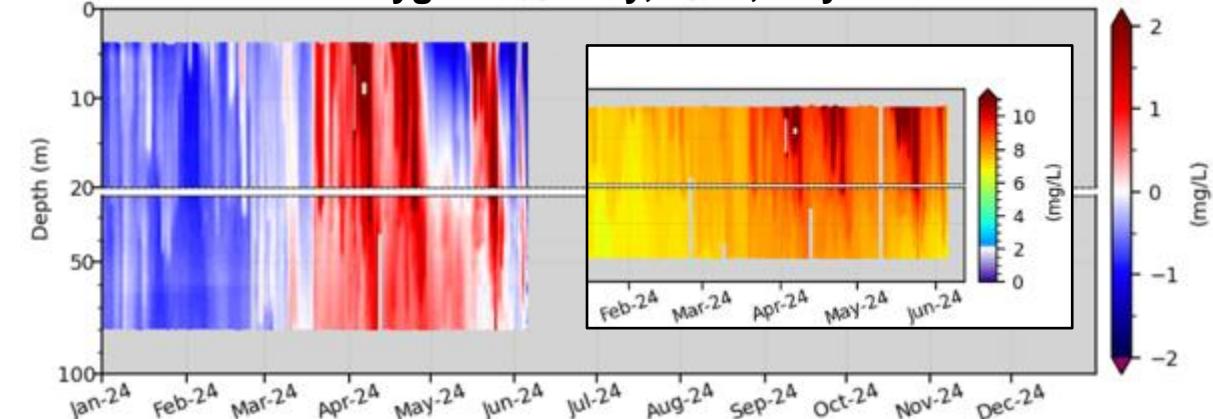
Oxygen Anomalies

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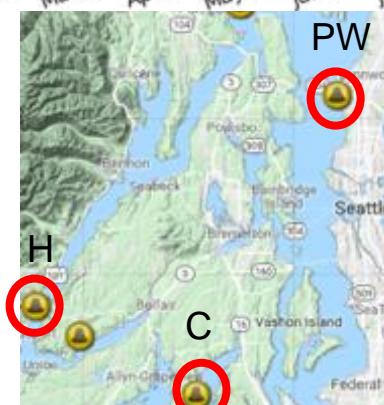
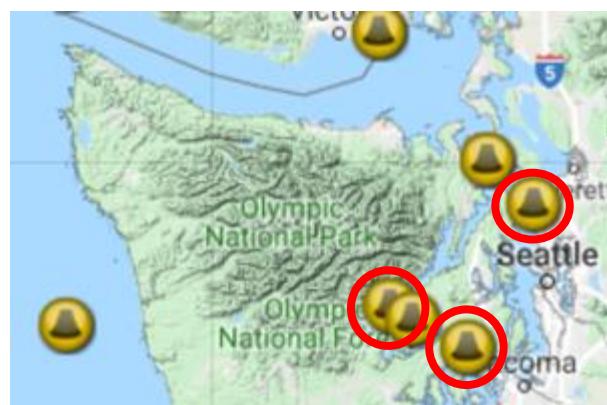
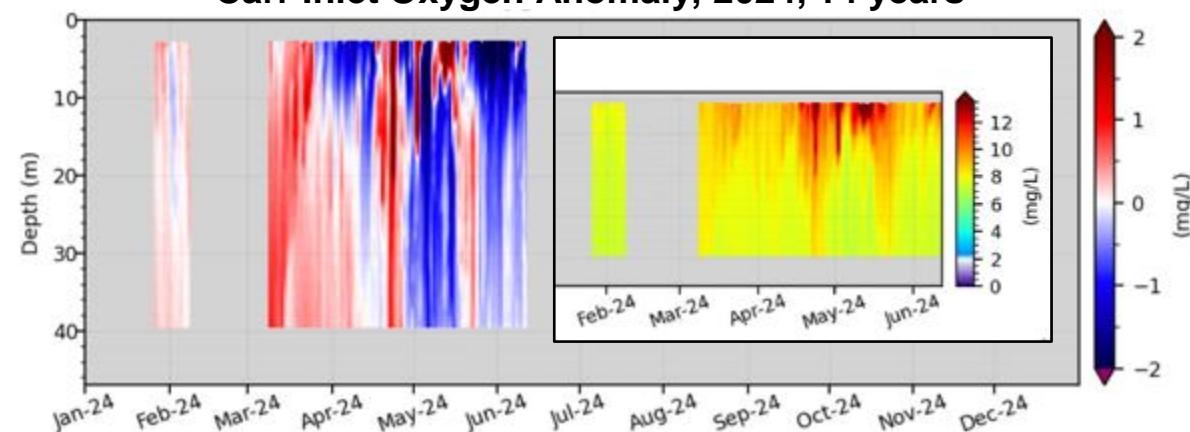
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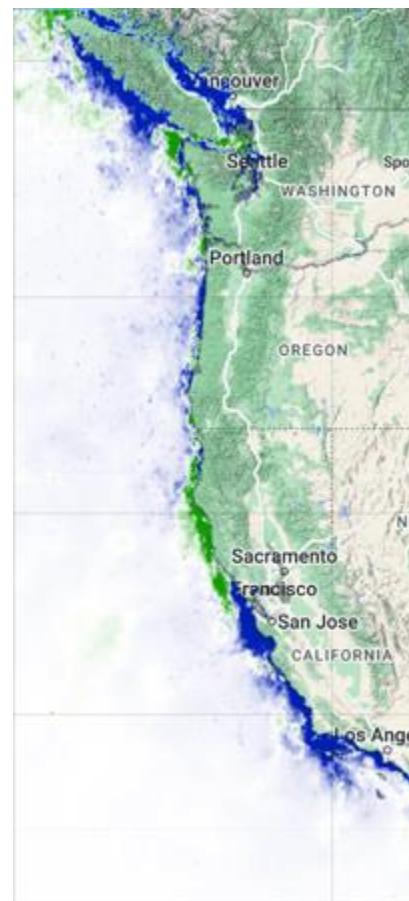
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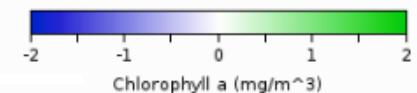


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Chlorophyll



Oregon officials close entire coast to mussel harvesting due to shellfish poisoning

Oregon authorities have closed the state's entire coastline to mussel harvesting due to an outbreak of shellfish poisoning they described as "unprecedented."

By Associated Press

June 1, 2024 at 8:39 p.m. EDT

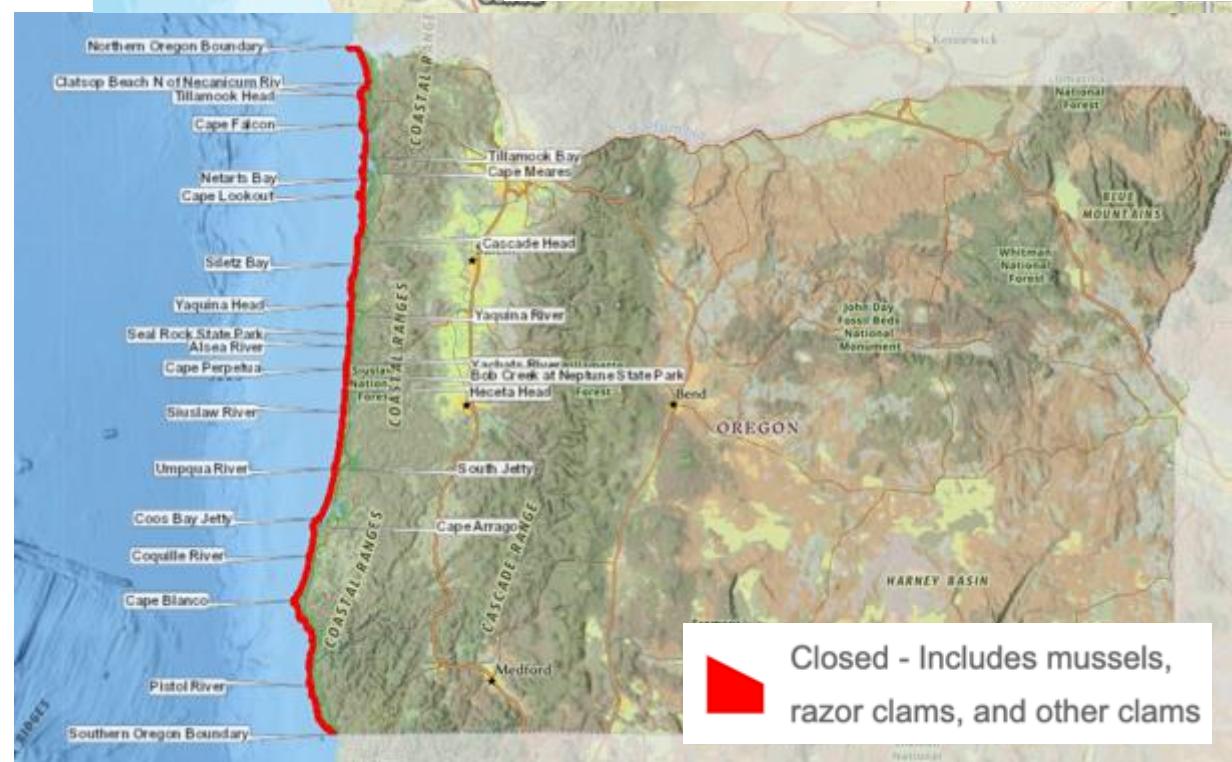
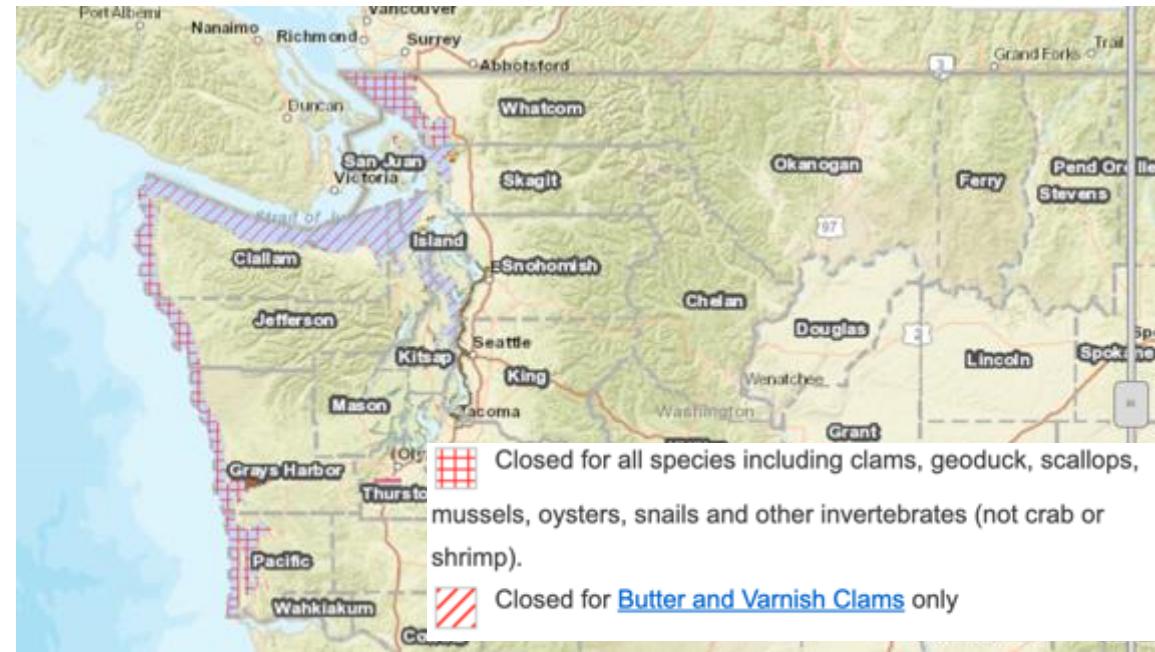
Biotoxin affects shellfish harvesting in Oregon, Washington



By [Elizabeth Castillo \(OPB\)](#)
May 31, 2024 3:53 p.m.

Mussels gathered on northern Oregon Coast have sickened at least 20

Anyone who gathered mussels from beaches near Seaside and Oceanside is asked to toss them out due to cases of paralytic shellfish poisoning.





To summarize:

Coastal conditions

- El Niño continues to weaken; no MHWs along the coast; transition to neutral/La Niña predicted.
- Offshore WA NDBC coastal buoy shows average T; inshore buoys show average to below average.

Waves

- Average wave conditions with some storms.

Puget Sound

- Temperature and salinity anomalies continue warm and salty with some cooler temperature anomalies at the surface.

Chlorophyll & HABs

- Satellite shows mostly lower than average ocean color values March and May, some blooms in April.
- Major PSP event on Oregon Coast, shellfish harvesting closures on OR and WA coasts.
- Domoic acid has been present, but relatively low.

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