

Rapport från SMHIs utsjöexpedition med R/V Aranda



Expeditionens varaktighet: 2016-02-15 - 2016-02-23
Undersökningsområde: Skagerrak, Kattegatt, Öresund, Egentliga Östersjön och Finska viken
Uppdragsgivare: SMHI samt Havs- och Vattenmyndigheten

SAMMANFATTNING

Under expeditionen, vilken ingick i det svenska havsövervakningsprogrammet, besöktes Skagerrak, Kattegatt, Öresund och egentliga Östersjön. I egentliga Östersjön genomfördes kartering av vinterhalter av näringsämnen. Denna rapport är baserad på preliminära, endast delvis kvalitetskontrollerade data.

Temperaturen i den övre vattenmassan låg över det normala i hela egentliga Östersjön. Halterna av närsalter i ytvattnet var generellt normala för årstiden i Västerhavet. I Östersjön uppvisade fosfat halter över det normala utom i de västra delarna. Silikatkoncentrationerna var förhöjda i hela området utom i södra delen där de låg klart under medel för årstiden. Effekten av det stora inflödet under december 2014 kunde fortfarande inte följas längre norrut än till stationen BY20 i östra Gotlandsbassängen. Gotlandsdjupet BY15 var åter syresatt i bottenvattnet. I västra samt norra Gotlandsbassängen var syresituationen fortsatt mycket allvarlig då helt syrefria förhållanden uppmättes från djup överstigande 70-100 meters djup. Det uppmättes även svavelväte på provtagningspunkten i Gdanskbukten vilket inte registrerats där sedan 2008. Enligt fluorescensmätningar har vårbloomingen börjat i centrala och södra Skagerrak samt norra delen av Kattegatt.

Nästa ordinarie expedition är planerad starta 15:e mars.

PRELIMINÄRA RESULTAT

Expeditionen genomfördes ombord det finska forskningsfartyget Aranda och startade i Helsingfors den 15:e februari samt avslutades i samma hamn den 23:e. Vindarna under expeditionen var huvudsakligen svaga utom i Skagerrak där det blåste upp till stormstyrka och 2 stationer fick strykas. Lufttemperaturen varierade mellan -1 och +4°C. I Östersjön genomfördes kartering av vintertillståndet av närsalter.

Skagerrak

Temperaturen i ytvattnet var normal för årstiden och varierade mellan 2,4 och 5,4 °C, lägst vid kusten. Salthalten i ytlagret var normal till något över normal, mellan 26,5 och 34,1 psu. Salt- och temperatursprångskikten sammanföll och fanns på mellan 10 och 25 meters djup.

Närsalthalterna uppvisade typiska koncentrationer för årstiden förutom silikat där koncentrationen var något över det normala i södra delarna. I ytvattnet låg halterna av fosfat på ca 0,5 µmol/l, oorganiskt kväve (nitrit + nitrat) mellan 6,2 och 11,2 µmol/l medan silikat varierade från 5,2 till 10,2 µmol/l. De lägsta syrehalterna i bottenvattnet uppmättes vid Släggö i Gullmarsfjordens mynning, 4,0 ml/l. Fluorescensmätningarna visade något ökad biologisk aktivitet i ytlagret i de södra och västra delarna av mätområdet. För mer detaljer rörande algsituationen se separat rapport AlgAware.

Kattegatt och Öresund

Temperaturen i ytvattnet var normal för årstiden och varierade mellan 2,3 och 3,0°C. Salthalten i ytlagret var lägre än normalt förutom i norra delen där den var normal, mellan 17,8 och 25,3. I Öresund var salthalten omkring 10 psu vilket är lägre än normalt. Öresund hade en starkt pyknoklin vid ca 14 meter medan den i övriga delarna återfanns vid ca 20 meter.

Halterna av närsalter i ytvattnet var normala till något förhöjda för årstiden. Fosfatkoncentrationerna låg mellan 0,5 och 0,7 µmol/l. Summa nitrit+nitrat i intervallet 4,6 – 6,1 µmol/l och silikat mellan 7,9 och 10,6 µmol/l.

Syreförhållandena i djupvattnet var goda vid samtliga stationer, lägst halt uppmättes i Öresund, 5,5 ml/l. Fluorescensmätningarna visade en början till vårblooming i norra delen av området.

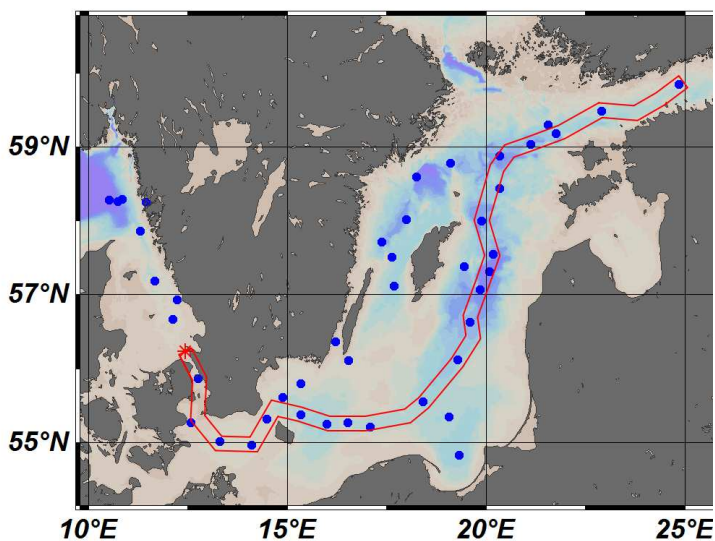
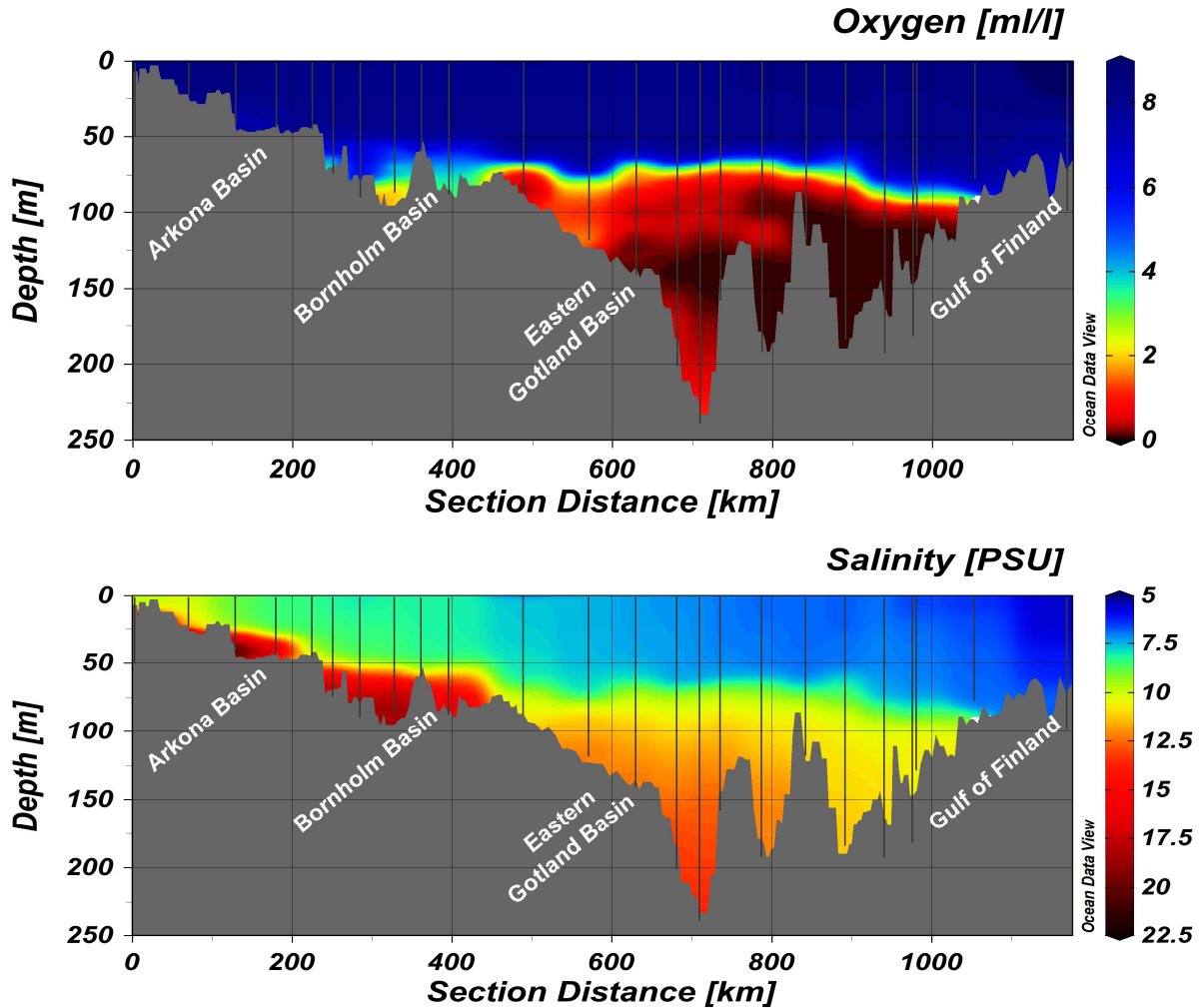
Egentliga Östersjön

Temperaturen i vattenmassan över språngskiktet var fortfarande något högre än normalt i hela området och varierade från 3,0 till 4,5°C. Ytsalthalten var något förhöjd i Hanöbukten, Bornholmsbassängen samt Arkonabassängen, i norra delen av östra Gotlandsbassängen något lägre än normalt och i övriga områden normal. Haloklin och termoklin sammanföll och återfanns på 40-60 meters djup i västra- och på 60-90 meters djup i östra- och norra Gotlandsbassängen, medan de låg något grundare i de södra delarna.

Fosfathalterna i ytvattnet låg fortfarande över det normala förutom i västra Gotlandsbassängen där den var normal för årstiden. Koncentrationerna låg mellan 0,6 och 1,1 µmol/l. Halterna av nitrit+nitrat var normala i hela det undersökta området och varierade från 2,6 till 4,7 µmol/l. Precis som vid förra besöket i januari var koncentrationen av silikat lägre än normalt i de södra delarna medan de var förhöjda i övriga områden. Halterna varierade mellan 9,0 och 17,2 µmol/l.

I hela det undersökta området observerades akut syrebrist (< 2 ml/l) på djup överstigande 60-90 meter. Vid Gotlandsdjupet BY15 uppmättes inget svavelväte i bottenvattnet den här gången men mycket låga syrehalter (<1 ml/l) uppmättes mellan 80 och 200 meter. Inflödet i december 2014 syns fortfarande inte längre norrut än BY20 i östra Gotlandsbassängen.

I västra samt norra Gotlandsbassängen var syresituationen fortfarande mycket allvarlig. I västra Gotlandsbassängen återfanns helt syrefria förhållanden, då svavelväte bildas, från 90-100 meter och den norra delen hade helt syrefria förhållanden från 90 meters djup. Svavelväte mättes vid den polska stationen PL-P1 i Gdanskbukten, vilken inte har uppmäts vid en karteringsexpedition sedan 2008



Figur 1. Snitt som visar syre- och salthalt genom Egentliga Östersjön från Öresund till Finska viken.



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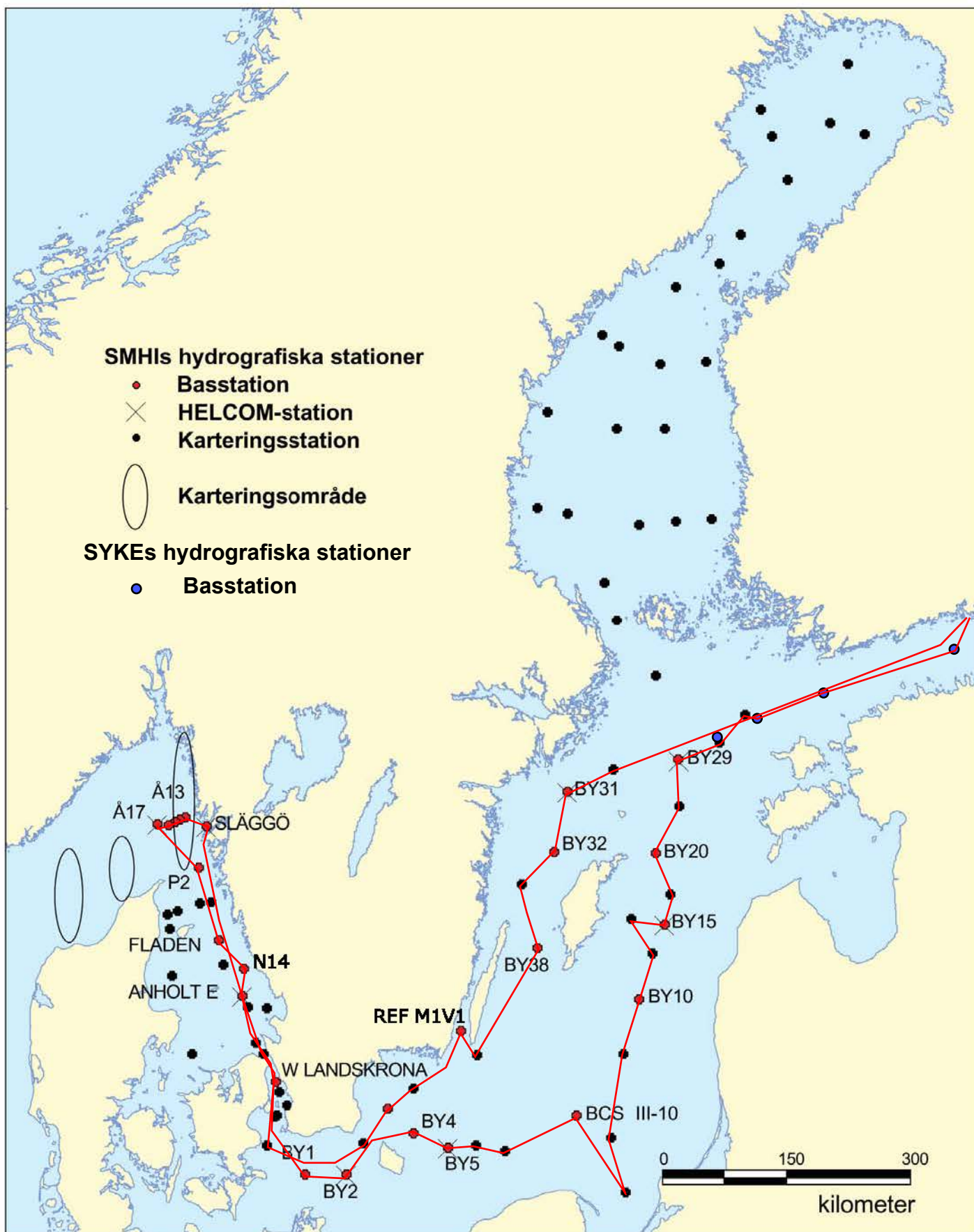
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BILAGOR

- Färdkarta
- Tabell över stationer, antal parametrar och provtagningsdjup
- Karta över syrehalter i bottenvattnet
- Vertikalprofiler för basstationer
- Månadsmedelvärdesplottar för ytvatten

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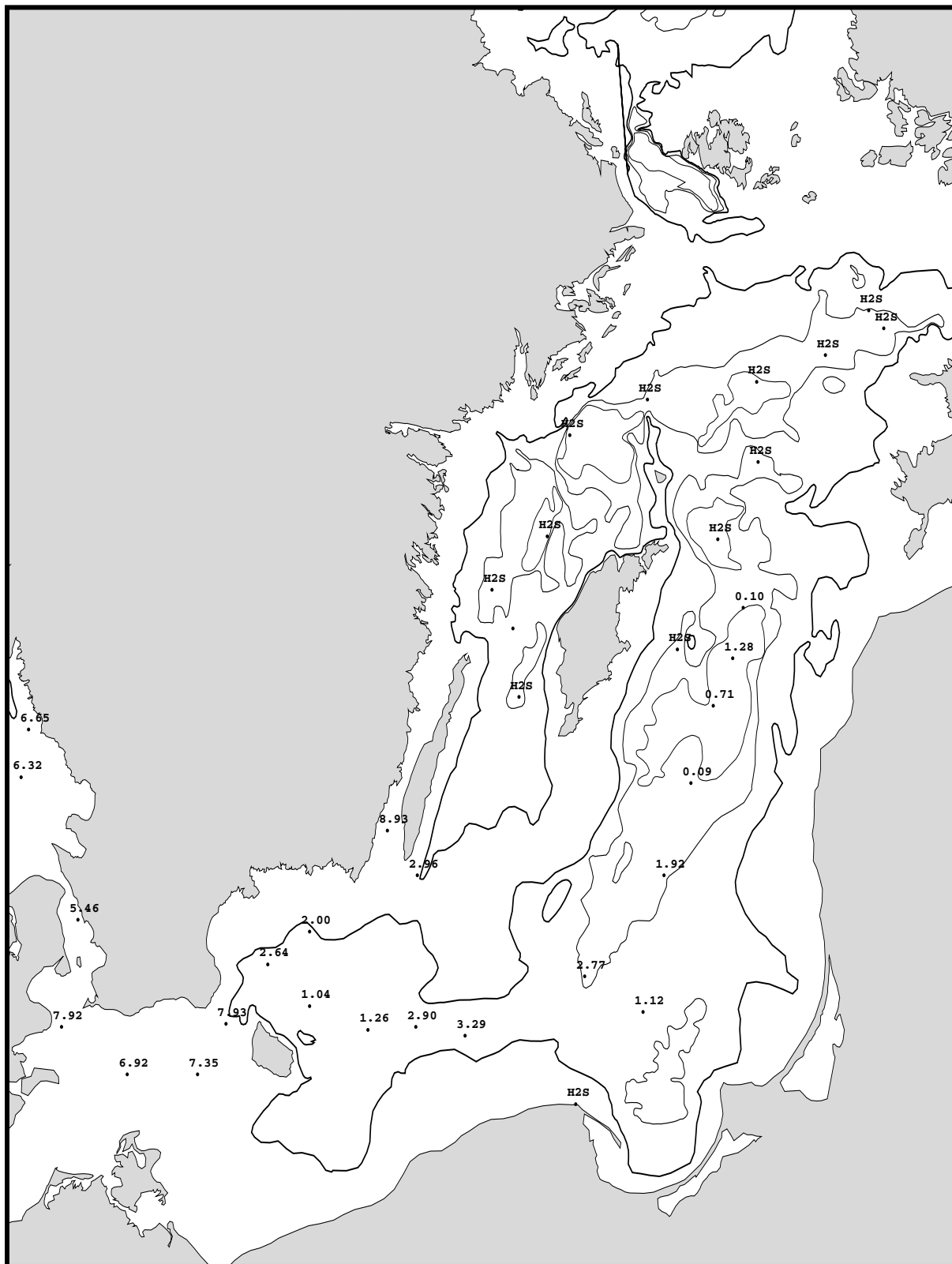
Bottom water oxygen concentration (ml/l)

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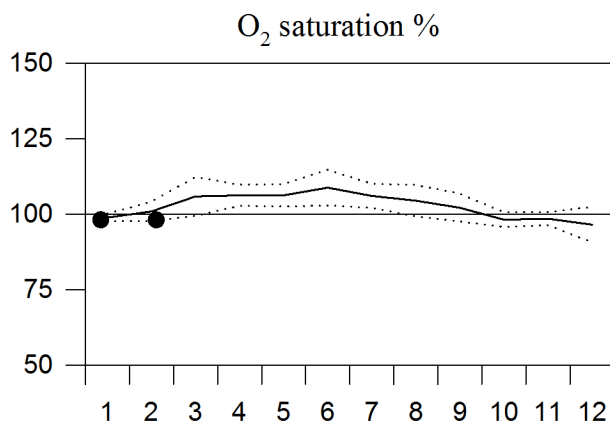
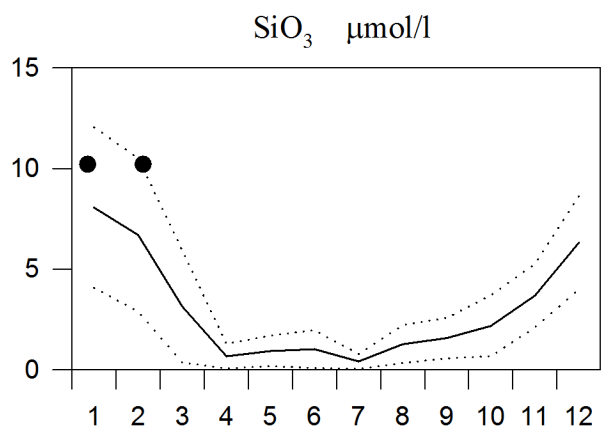
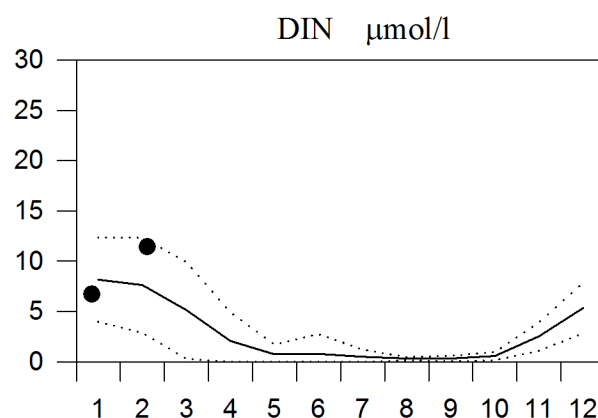
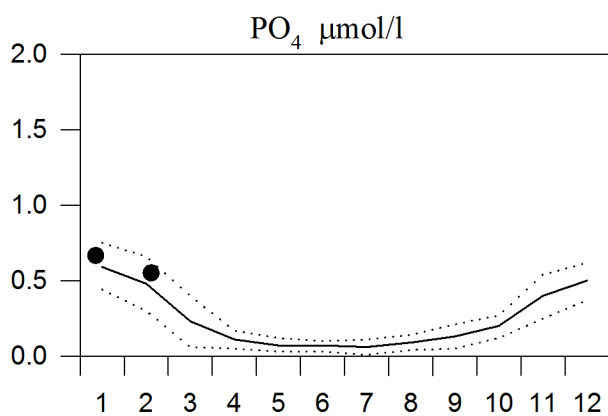
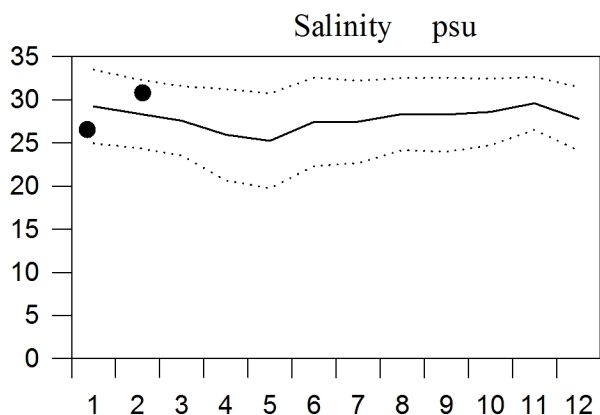
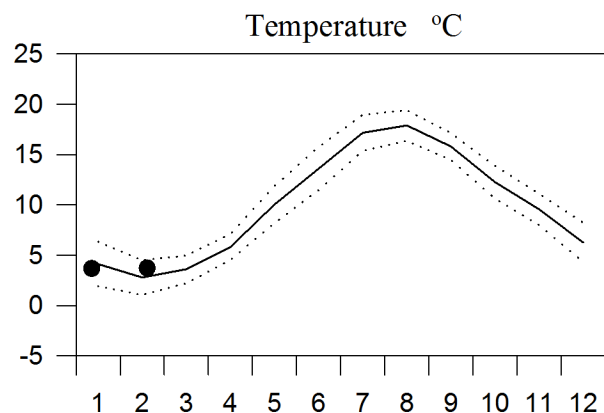
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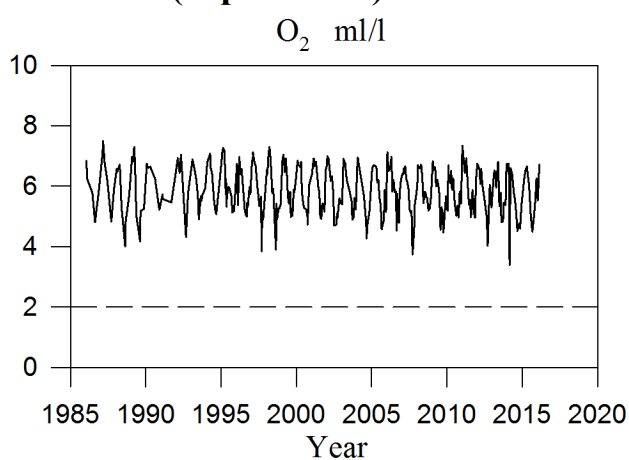
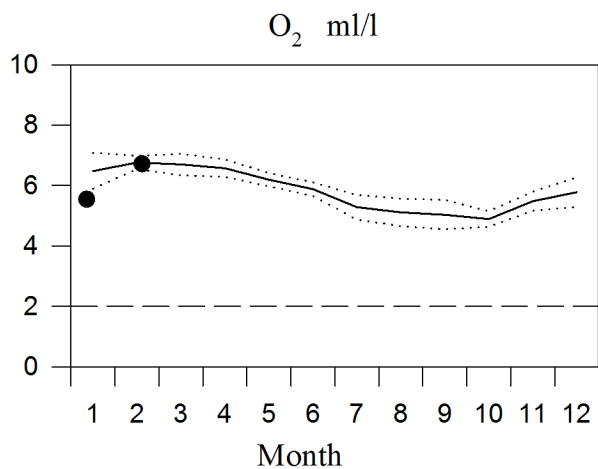
STATION P2 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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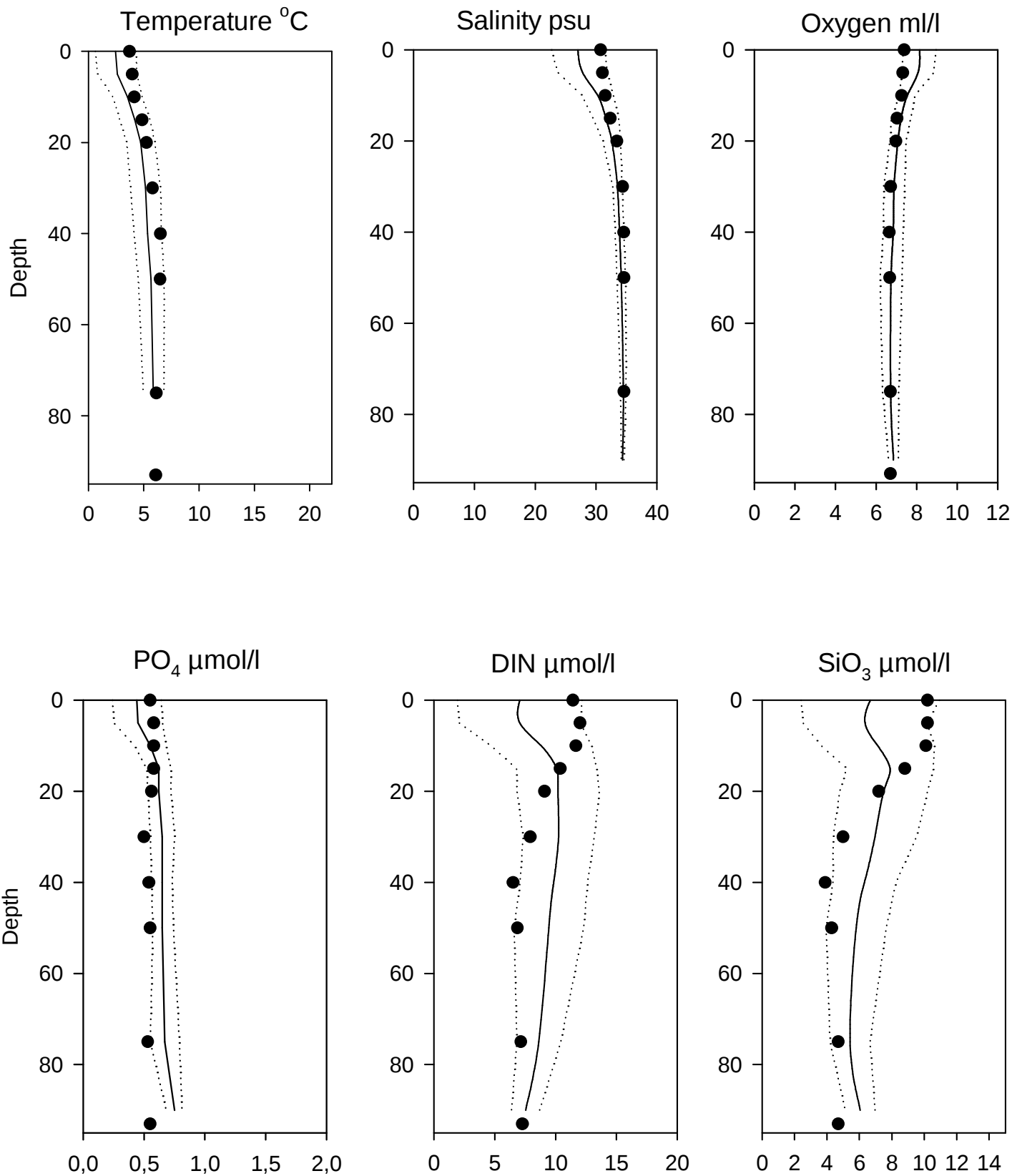


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >75m)



Vertical profiles P2 February

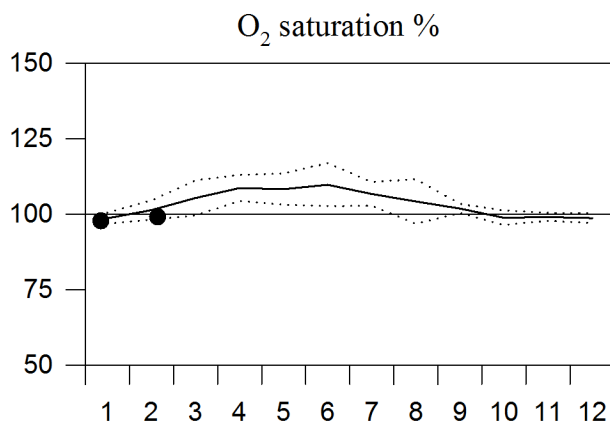
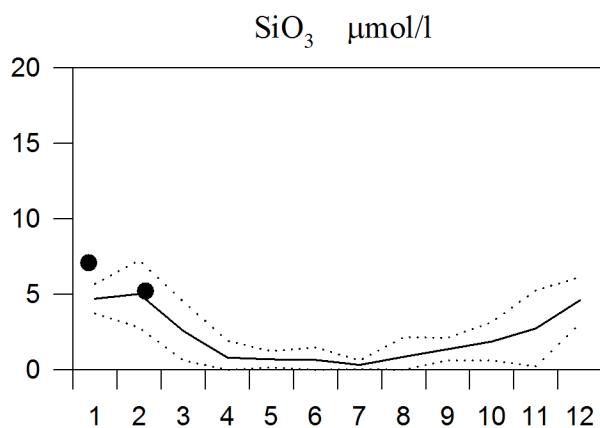
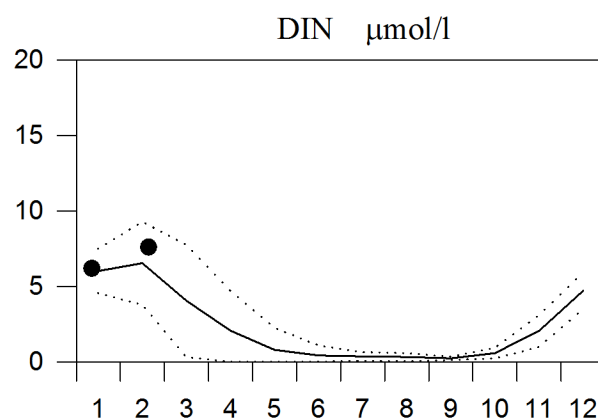
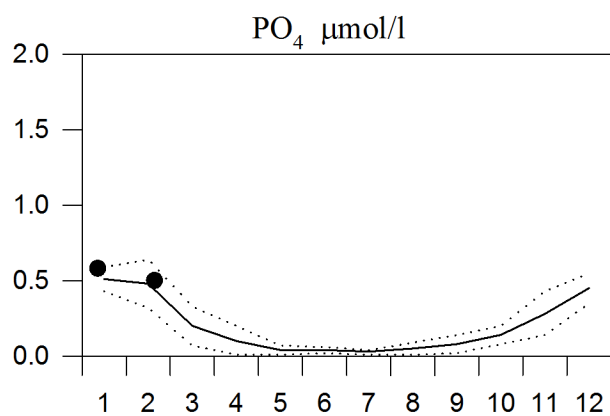
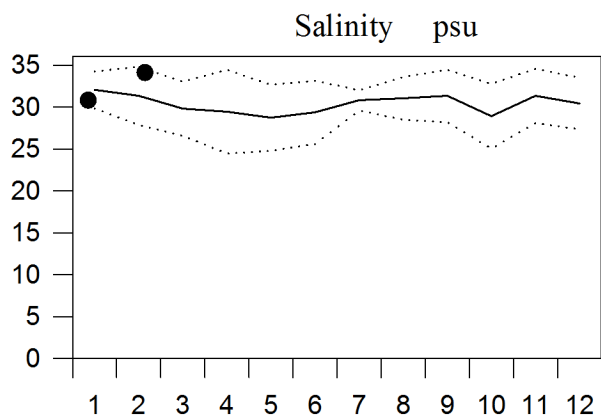
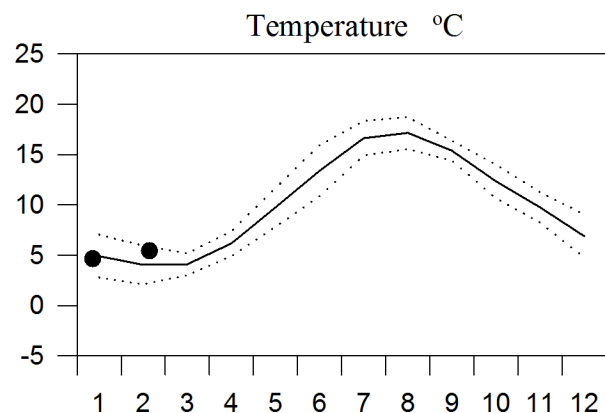
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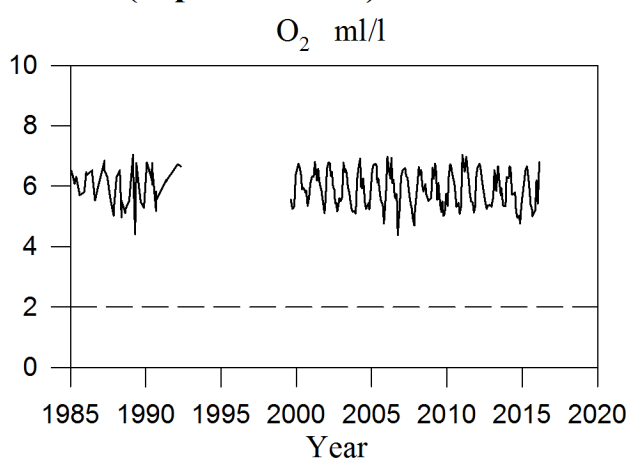
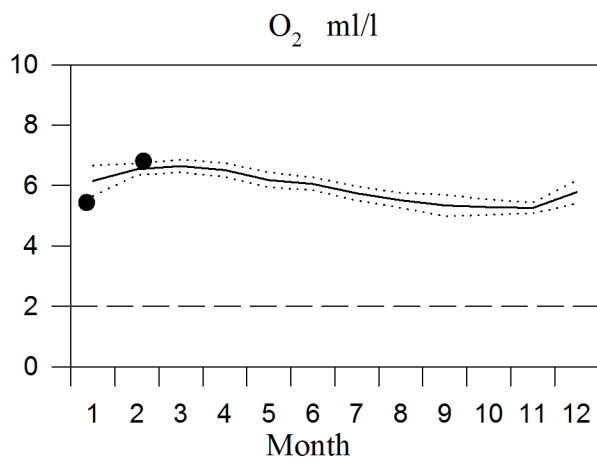
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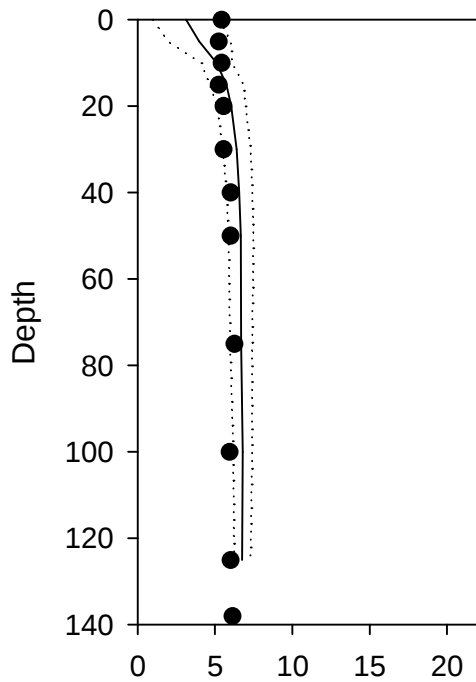
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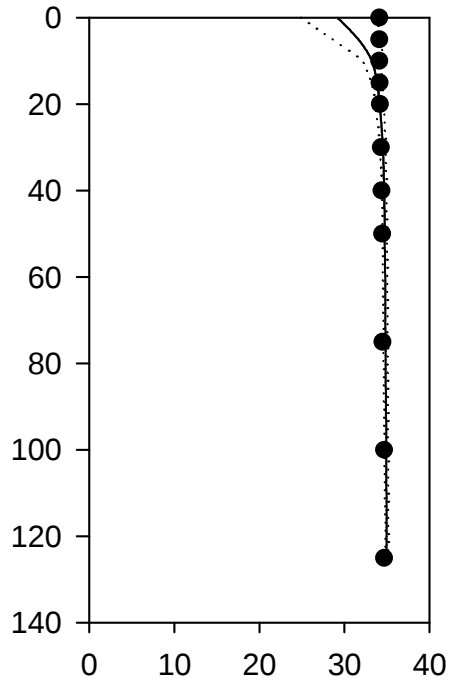
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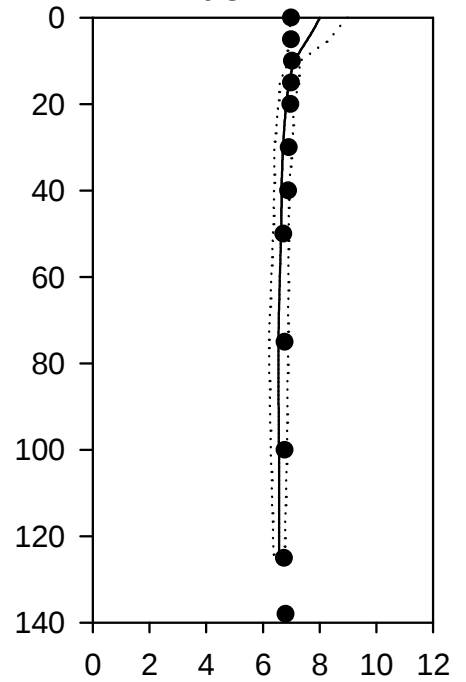
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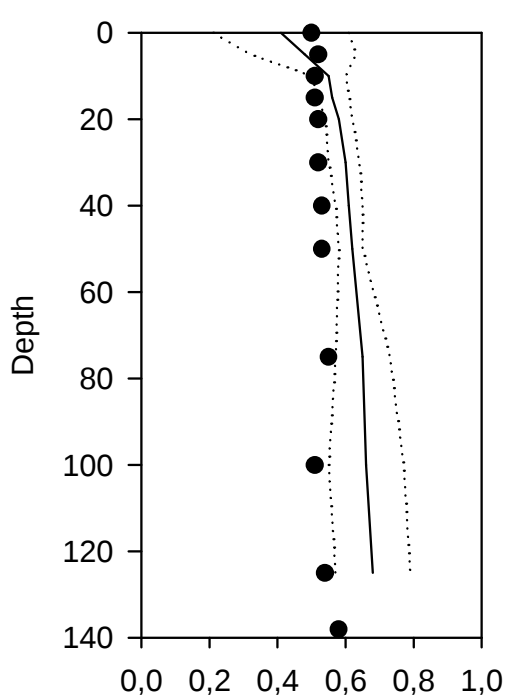
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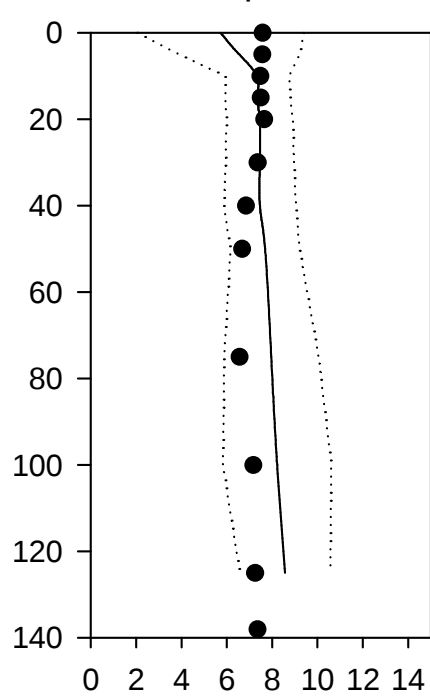
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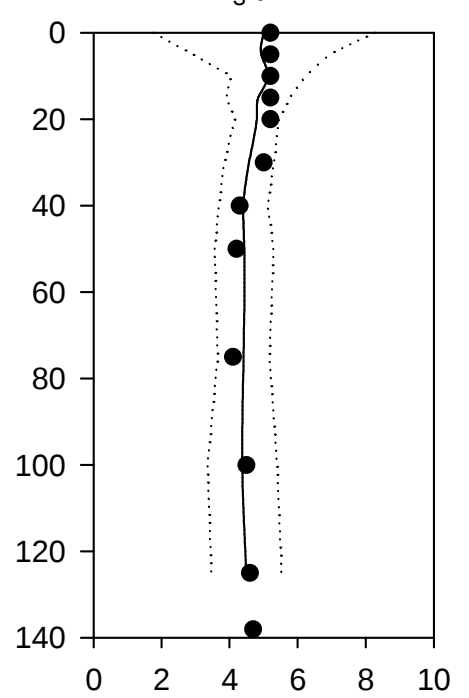
PO₄ μmol/l



DIN μmol/l



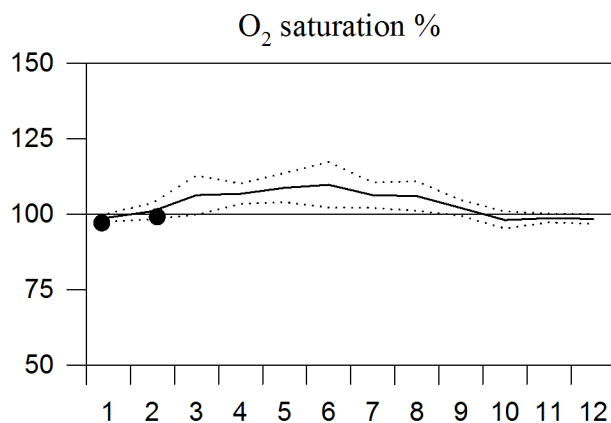
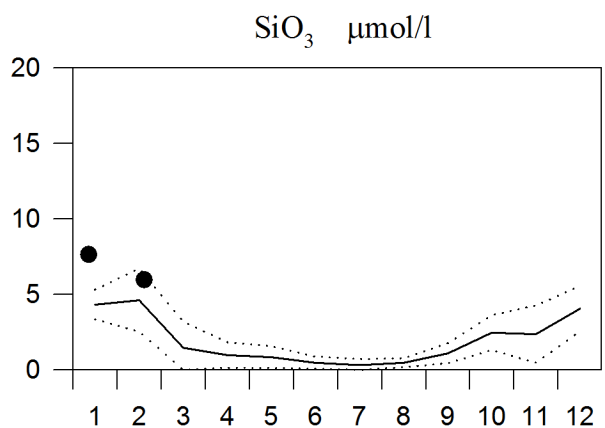
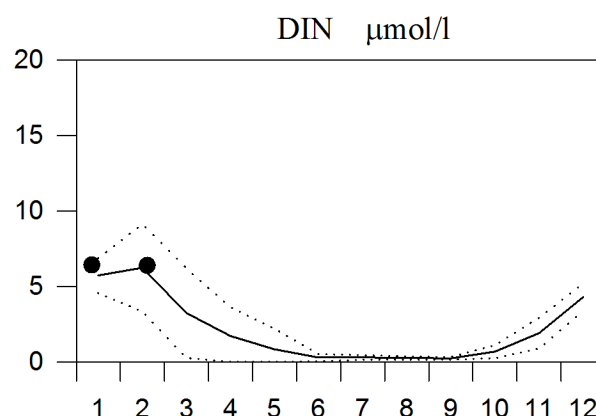
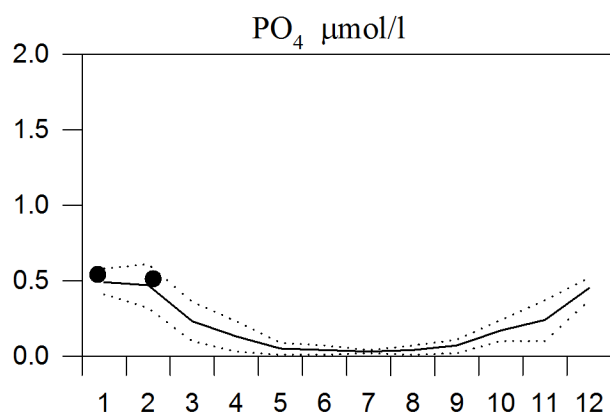
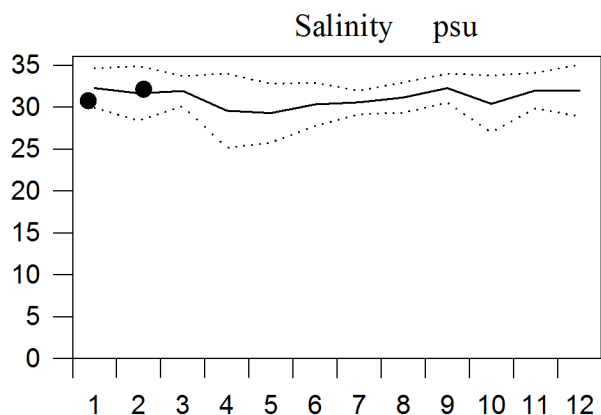
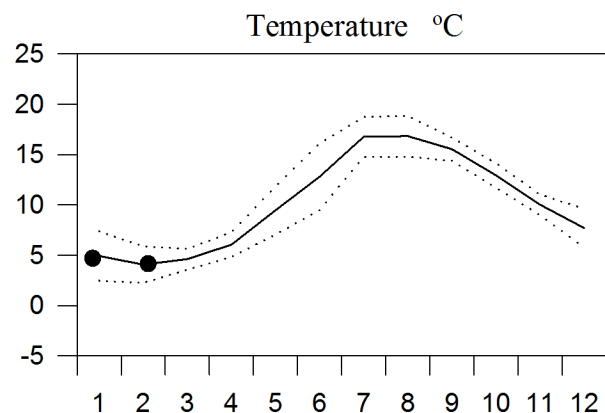
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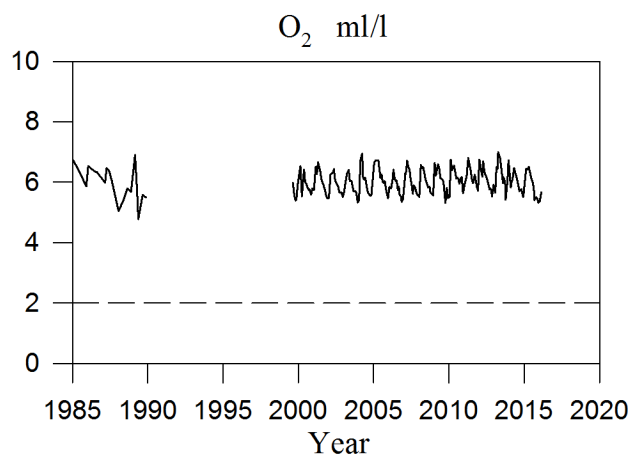
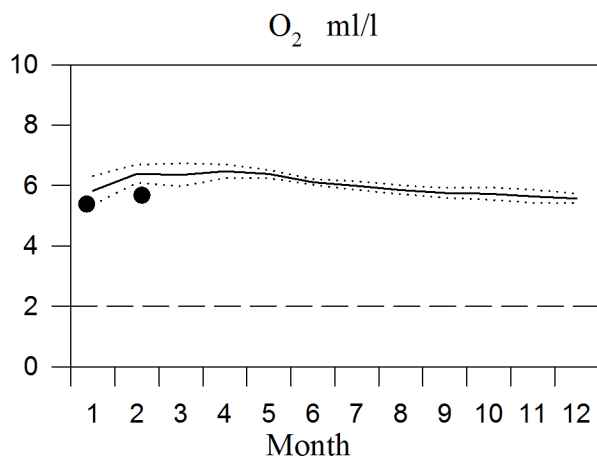
STATION Å17 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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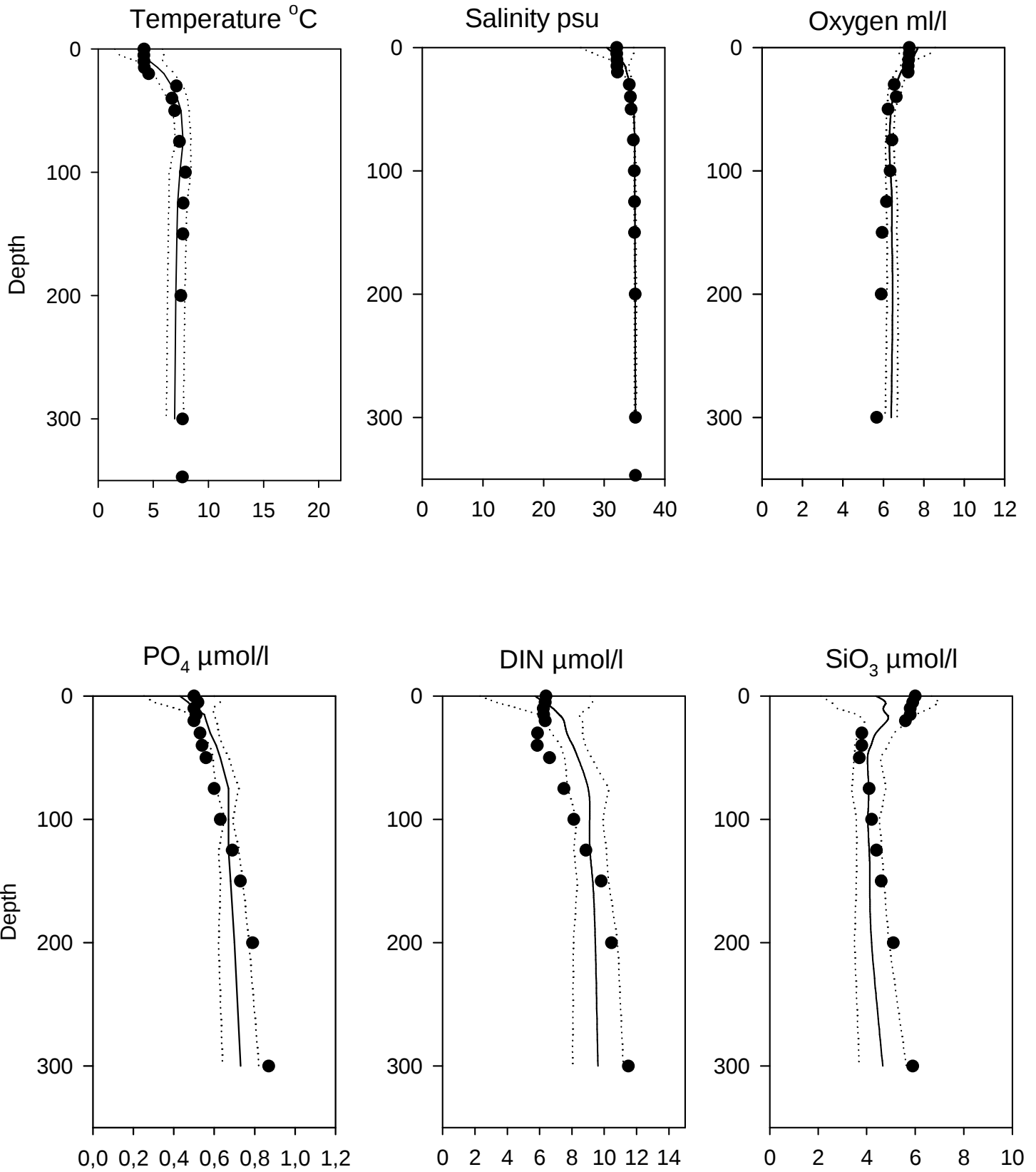


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth = 300m)



Vertical profiles Å17 February

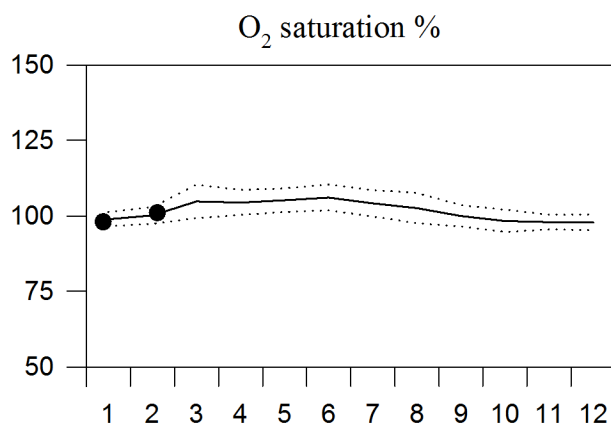
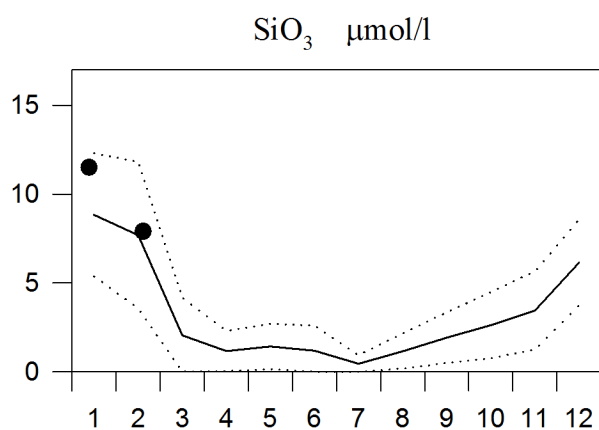
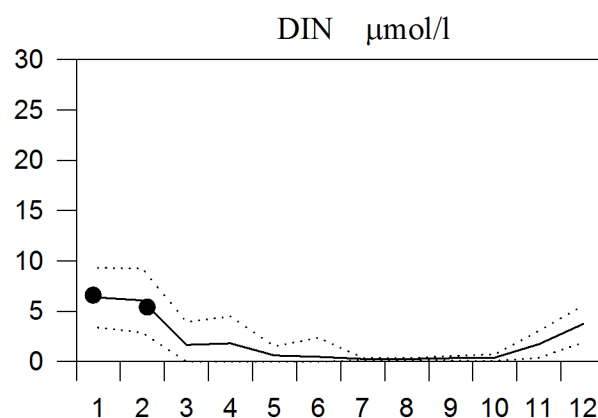
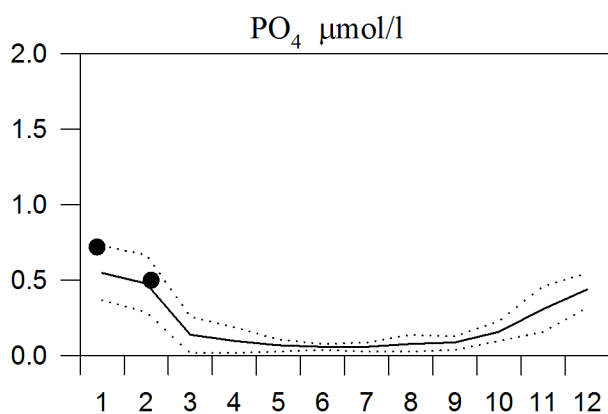
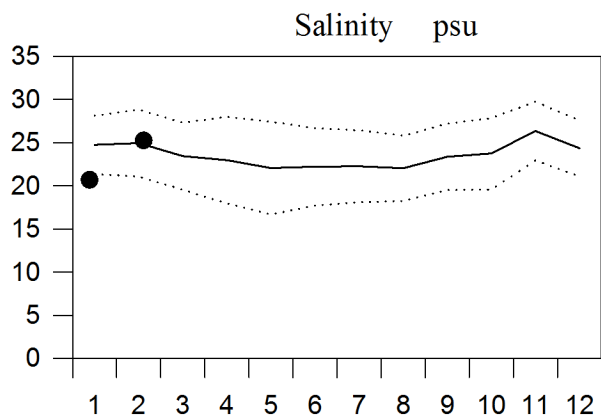
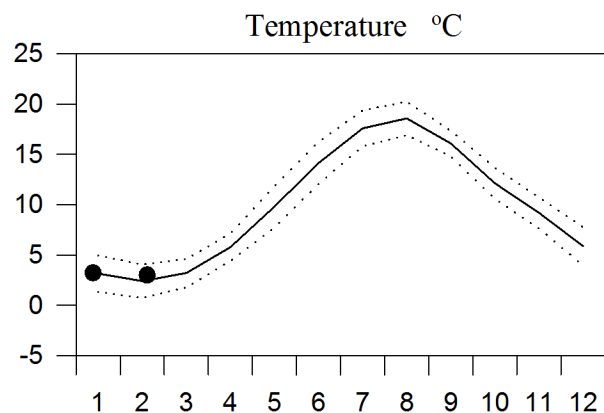
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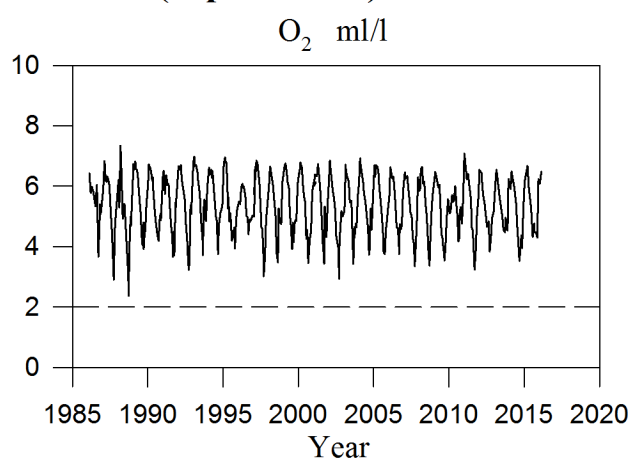
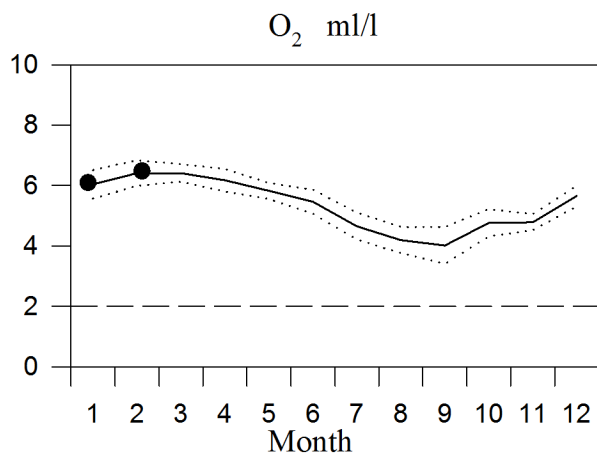
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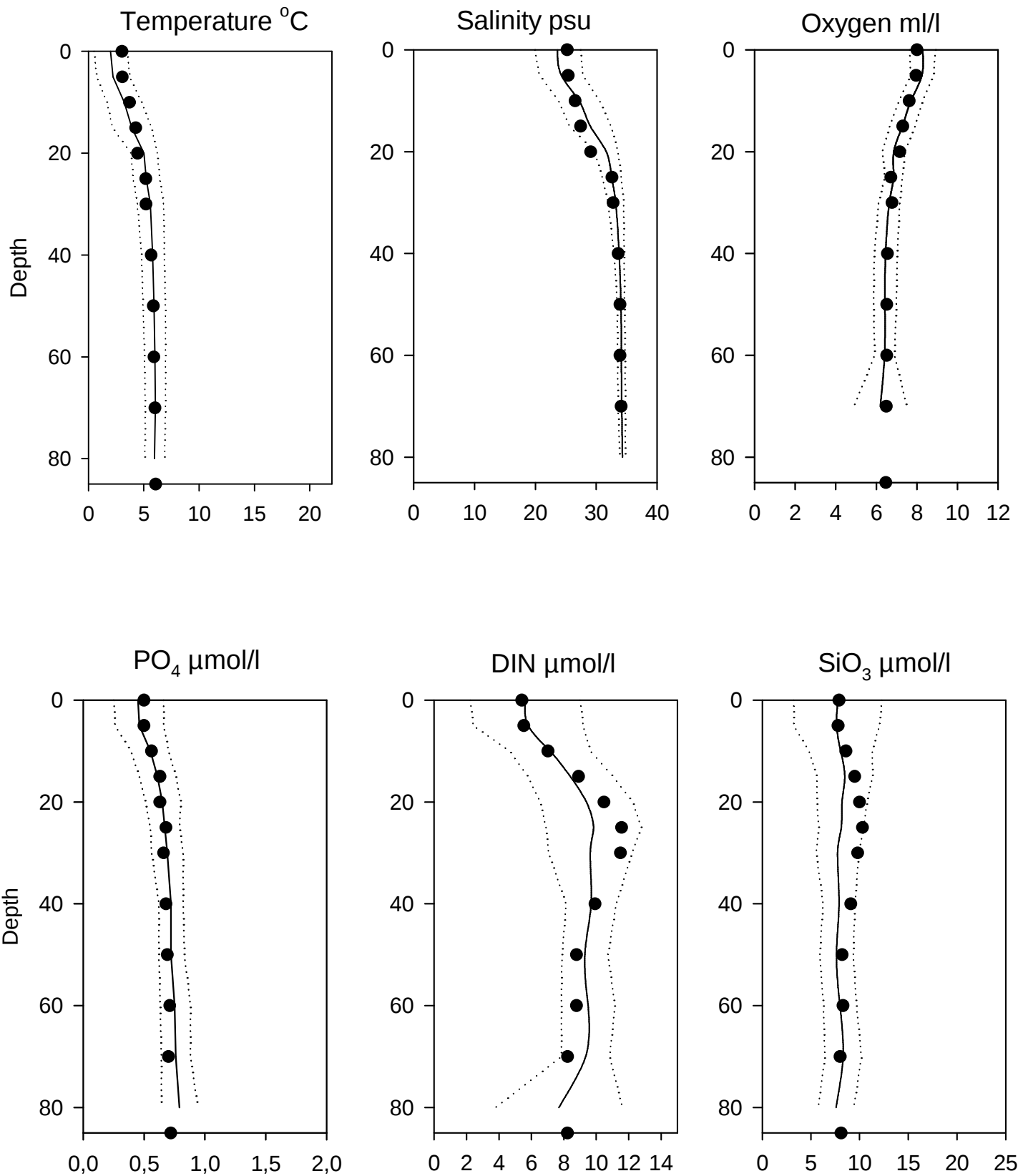


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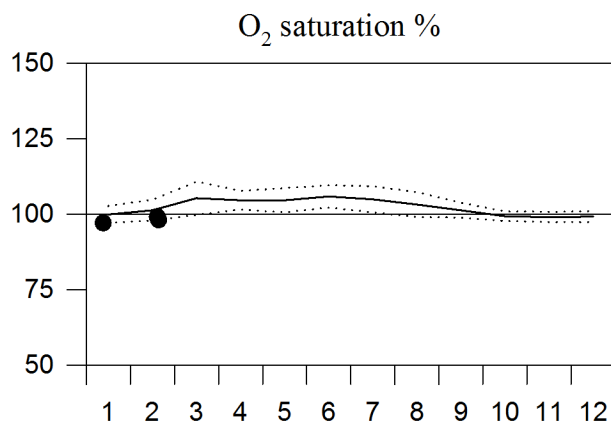
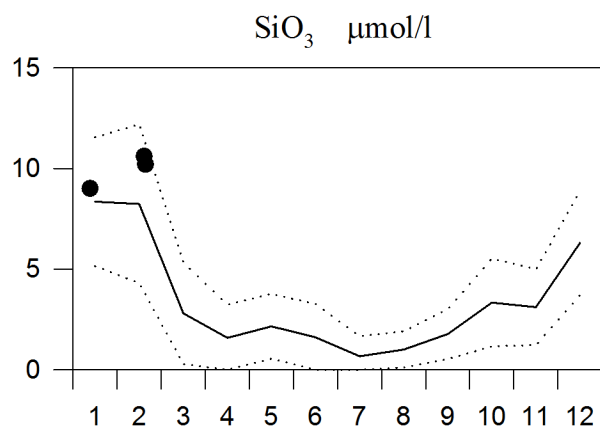
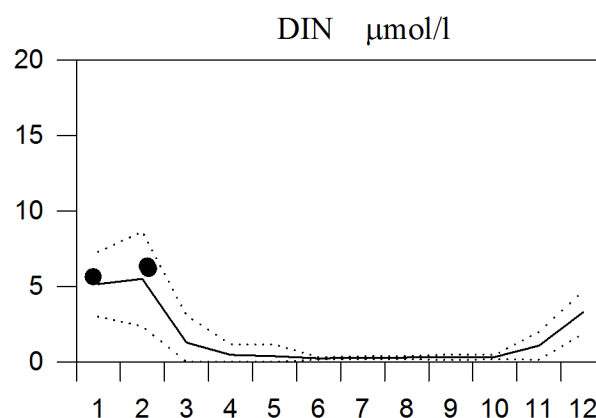
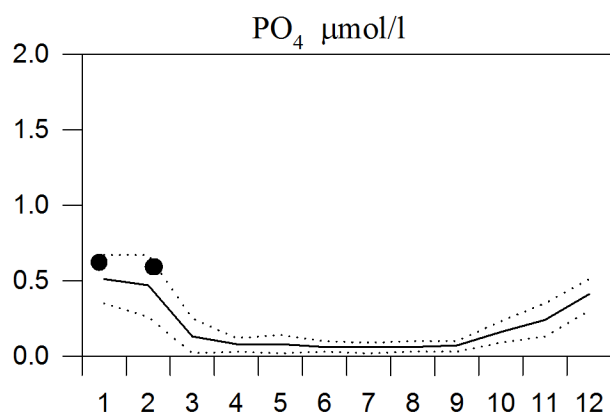
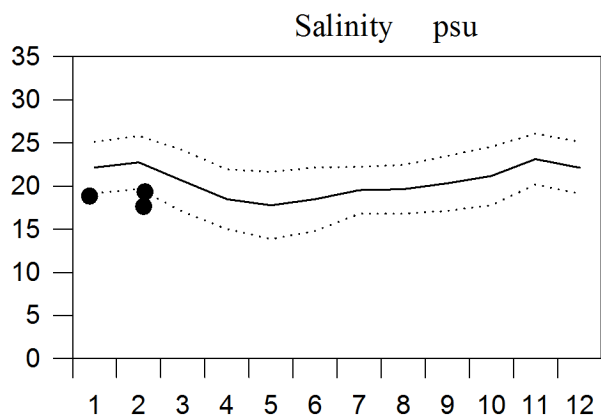
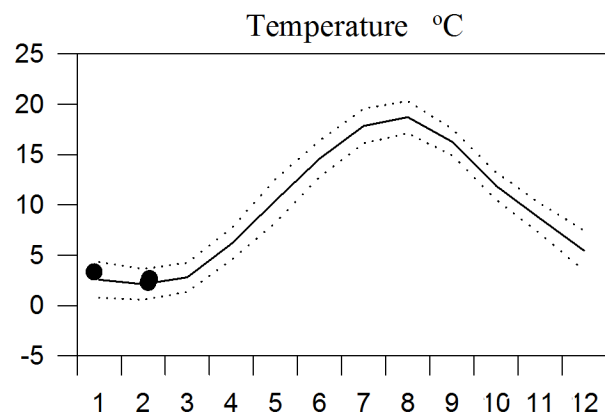
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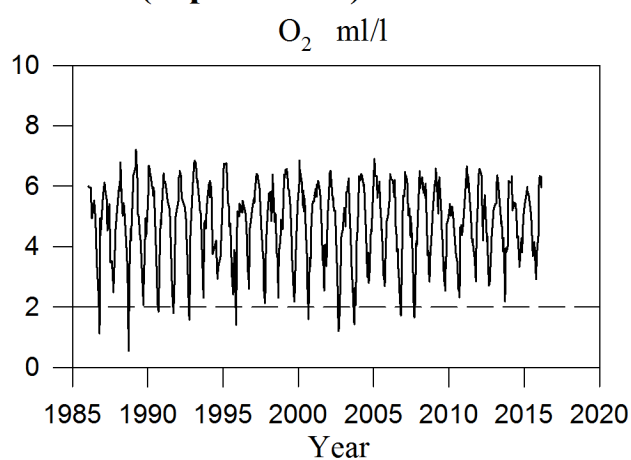
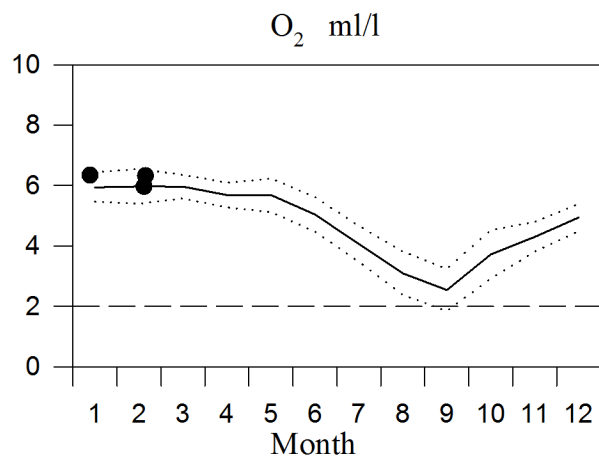
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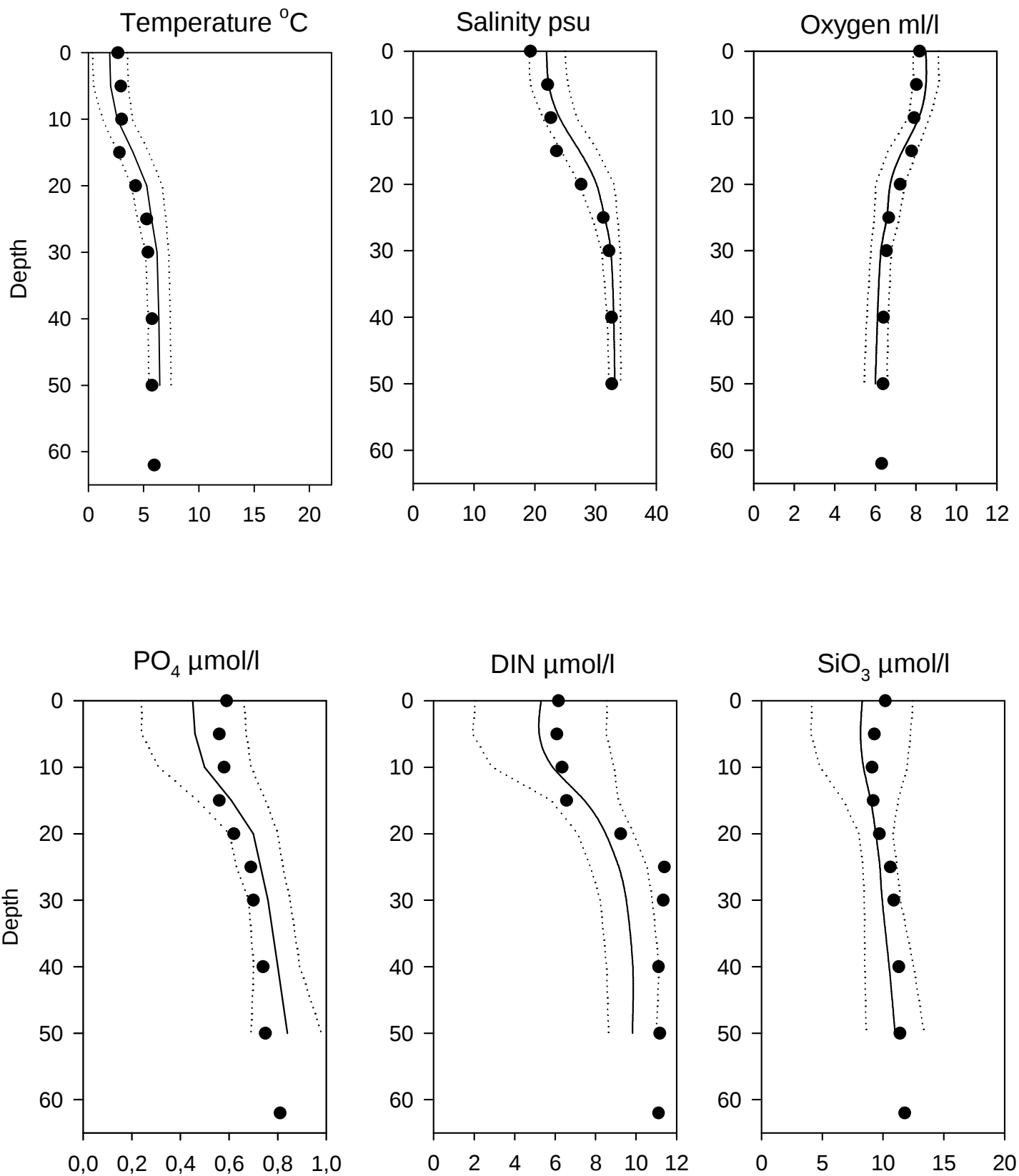


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth > 50m)



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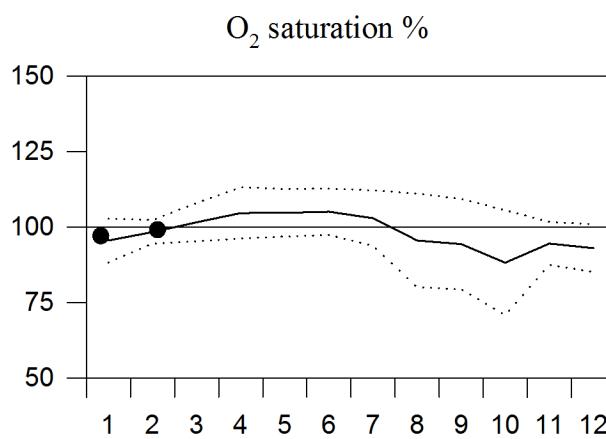
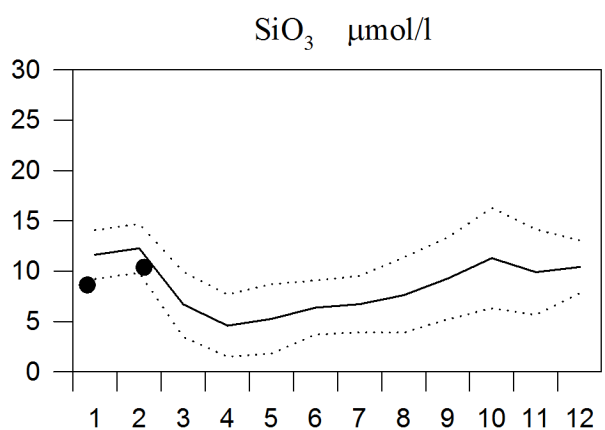
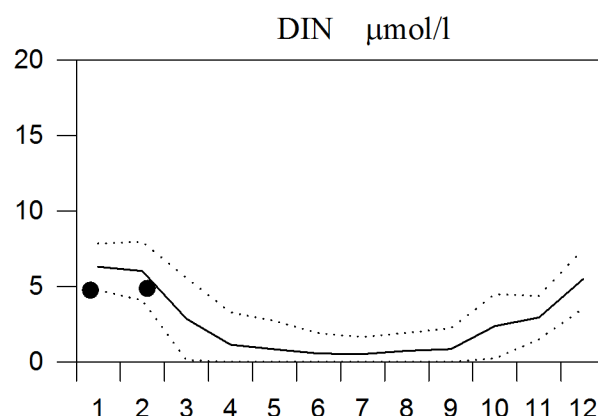
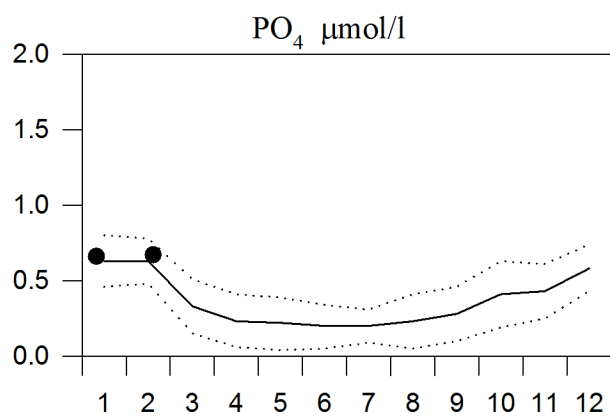
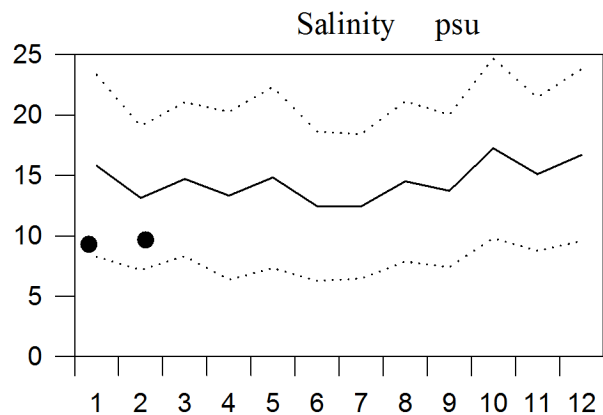
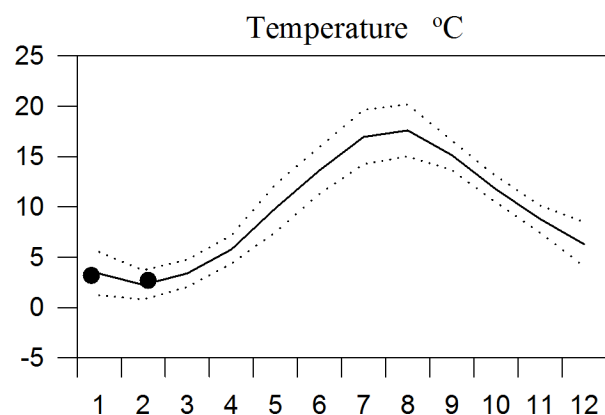
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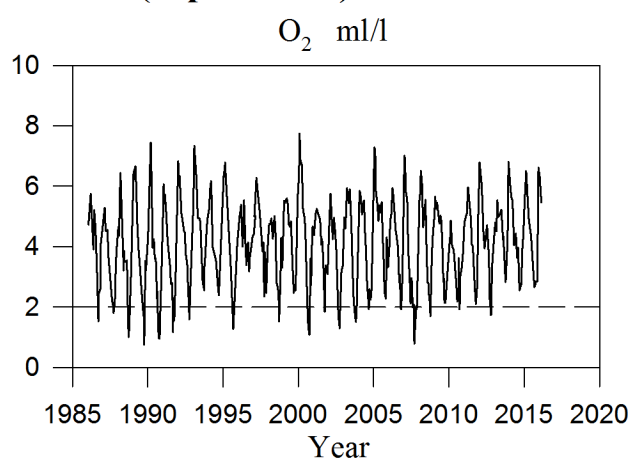
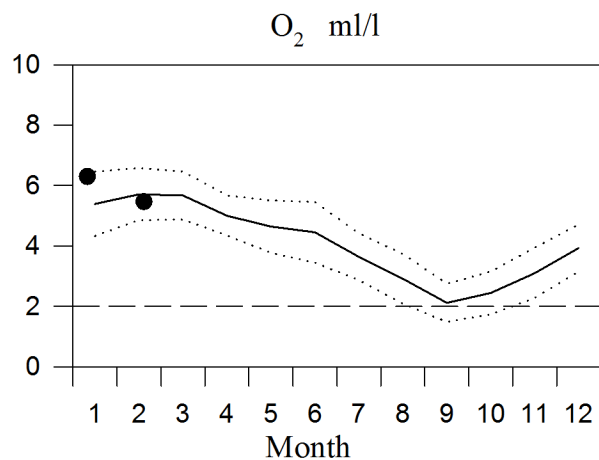
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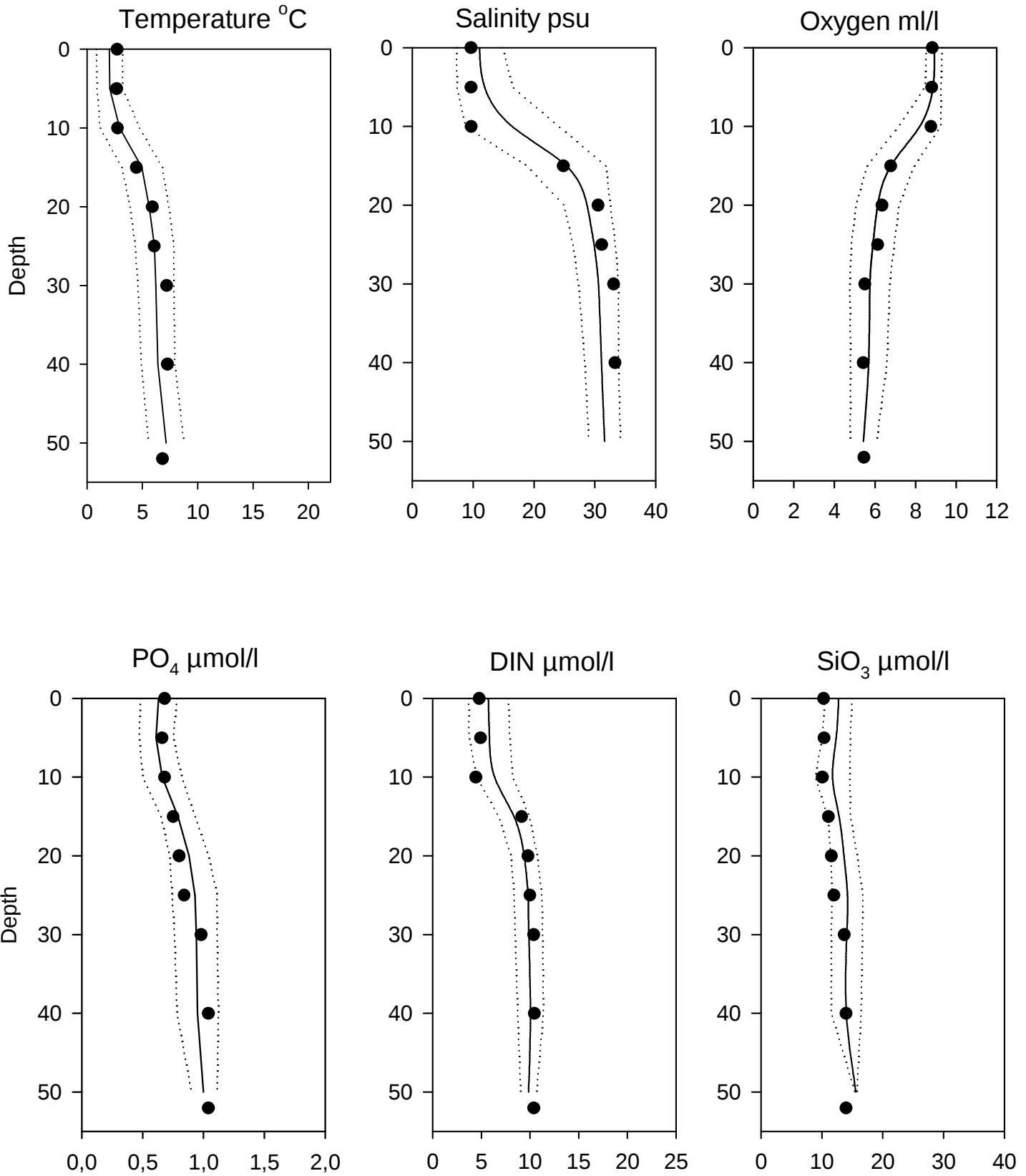


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >40m)



Vertical profiles W Landskrona Febuary

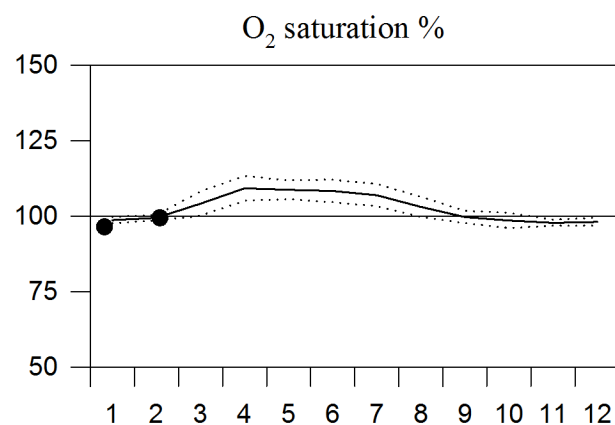
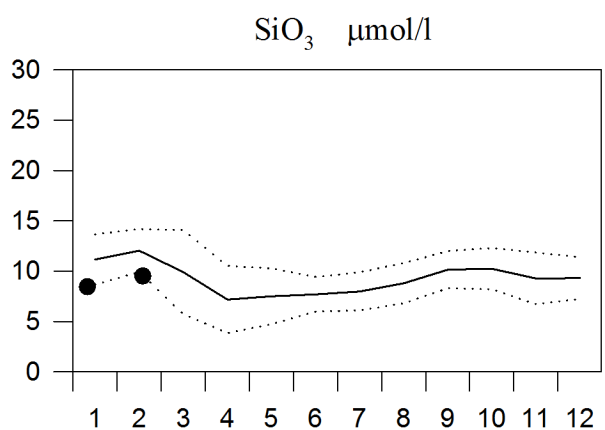
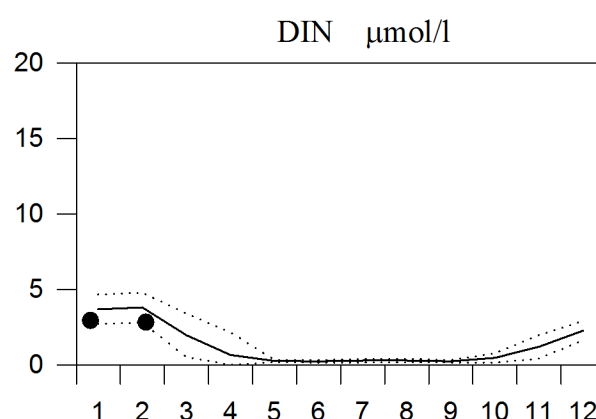
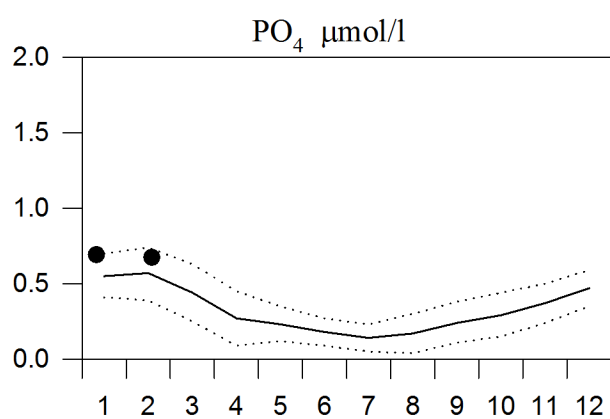
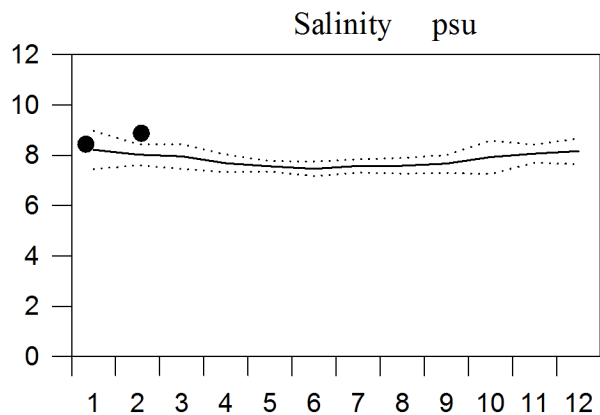
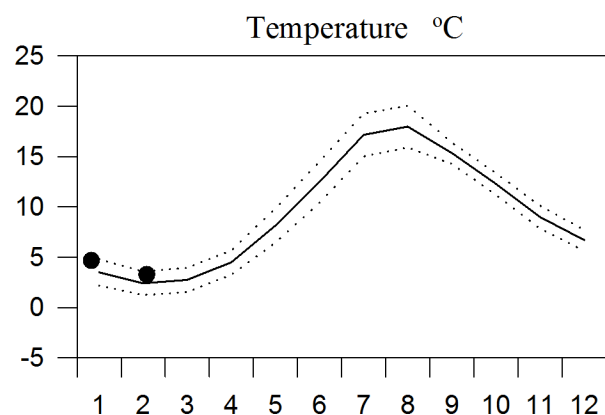
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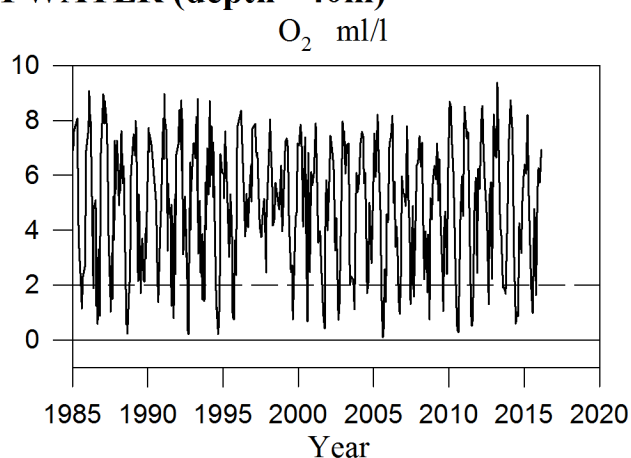
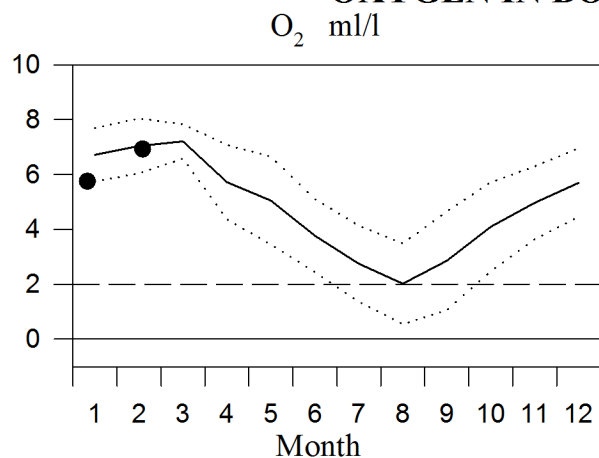
STATION BY1 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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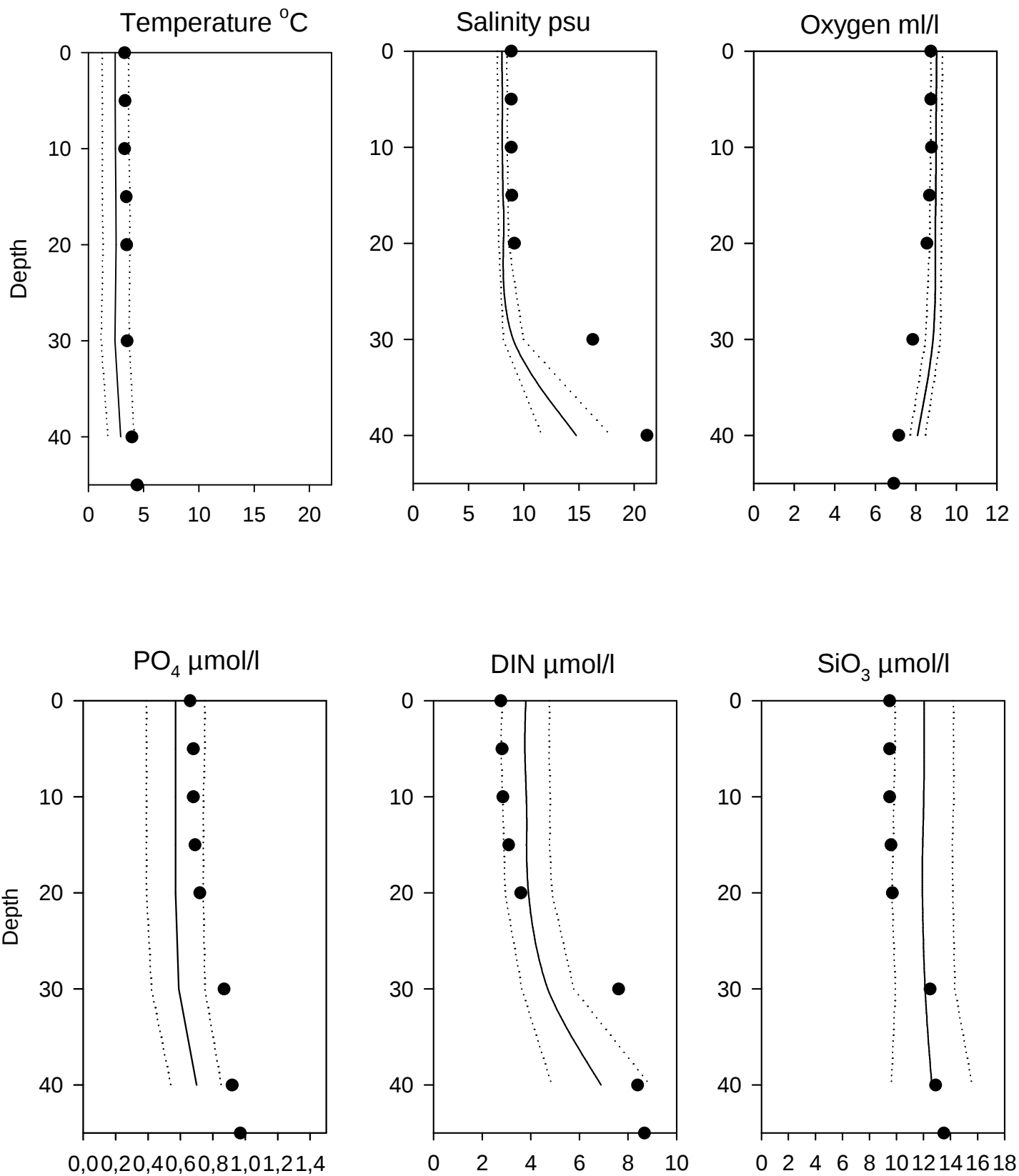


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >40m)



Vertical profiles BY1 February

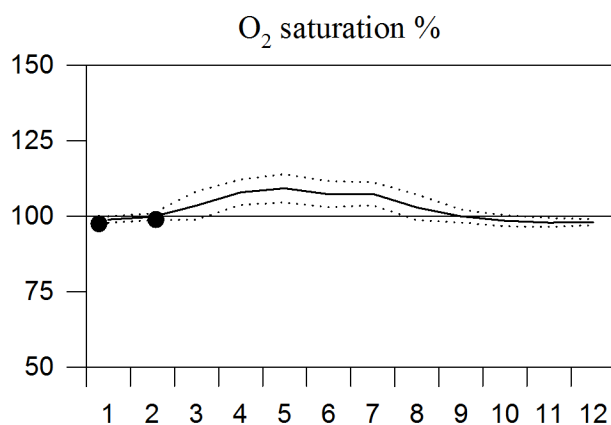
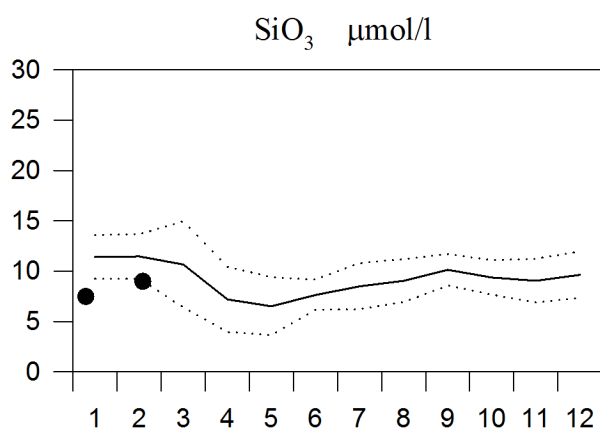
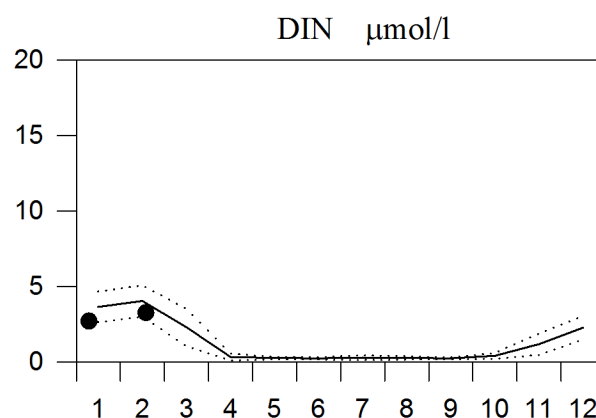
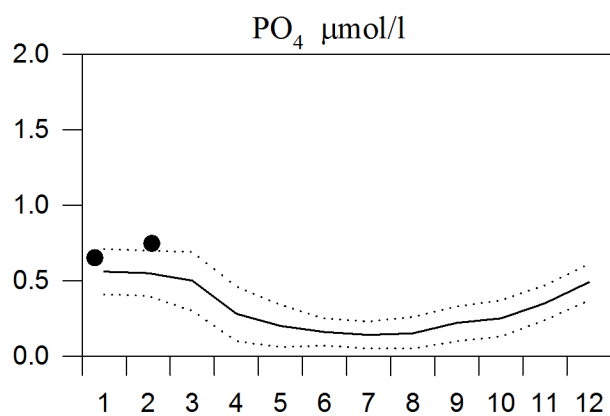
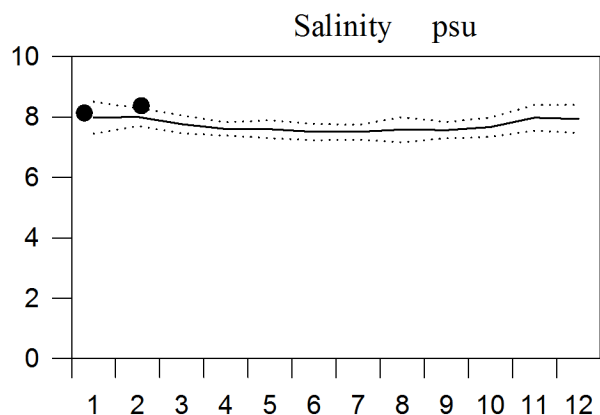
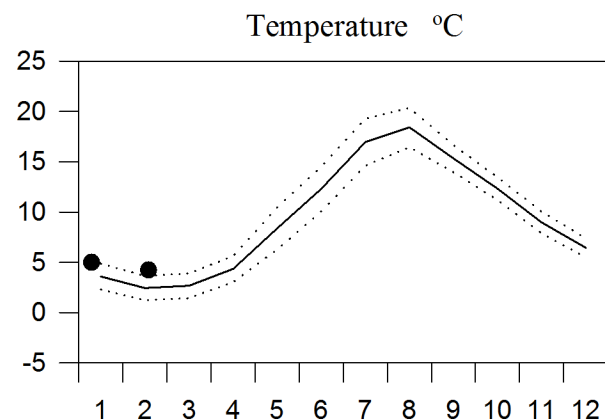
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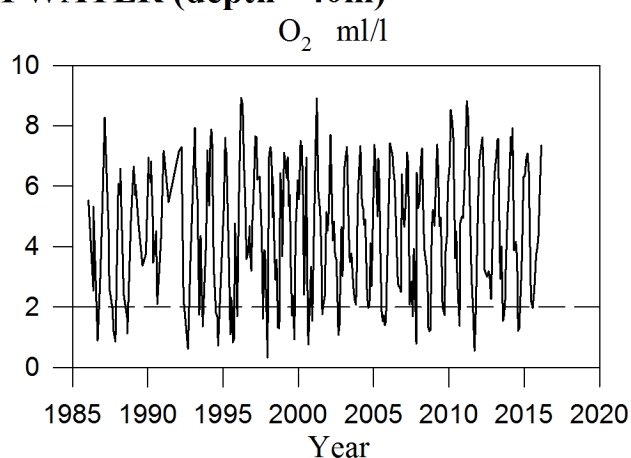
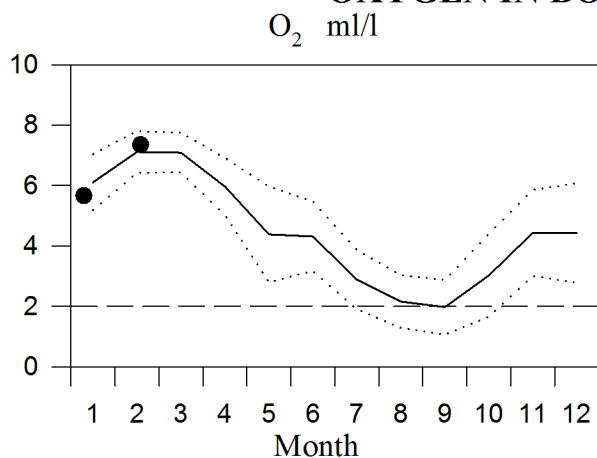
STATION BY2 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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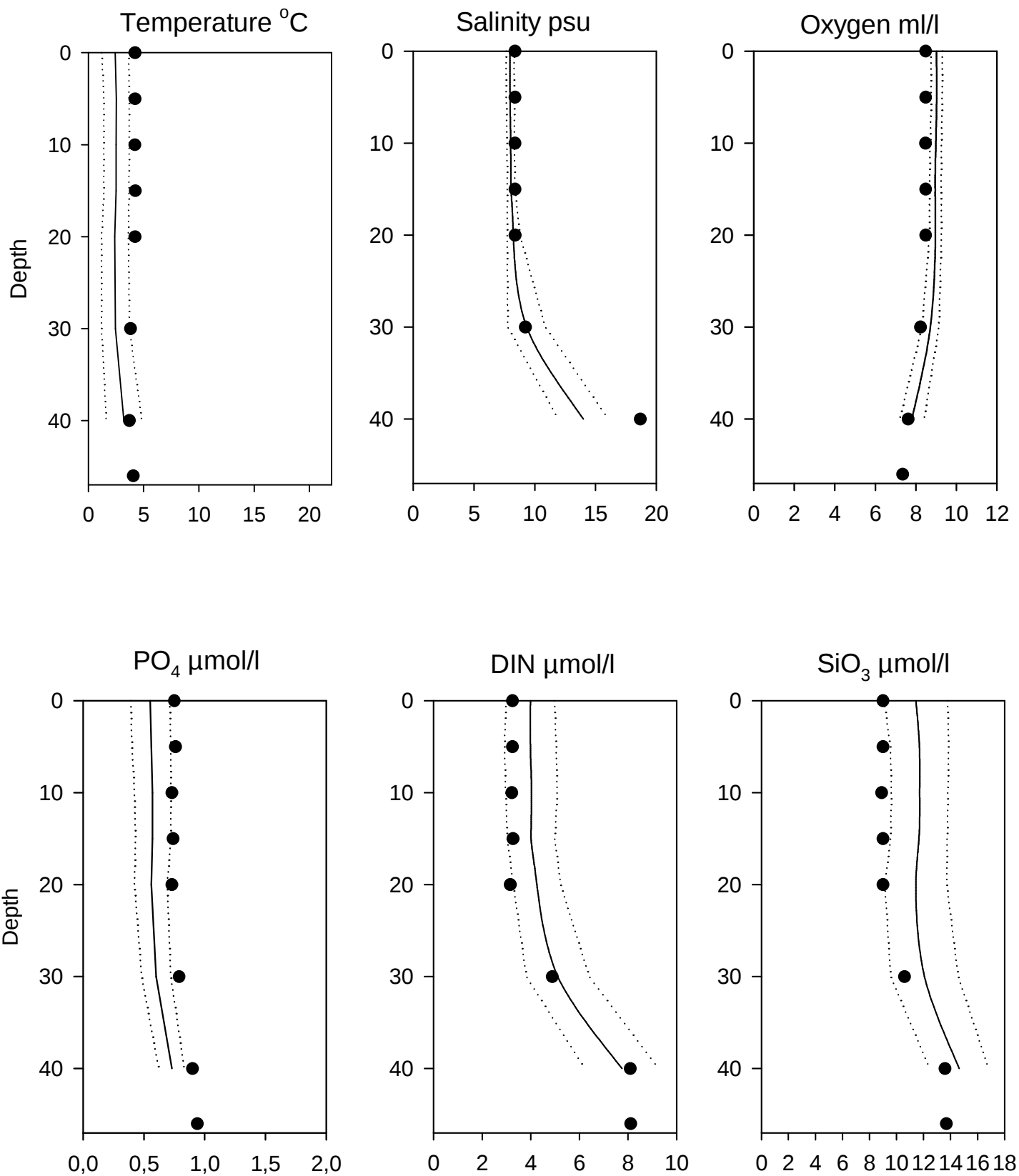


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >40m)



Vertical profiles BY2 February

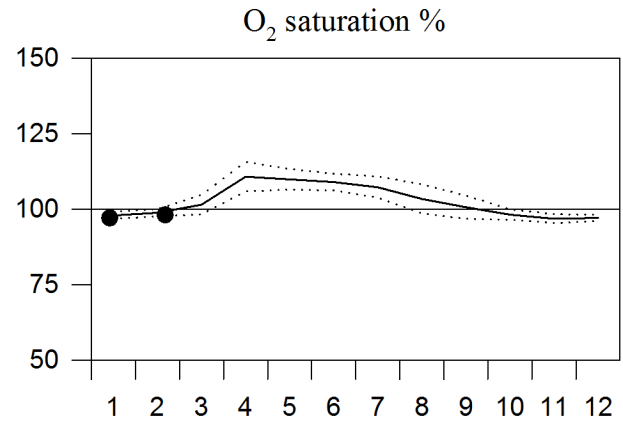
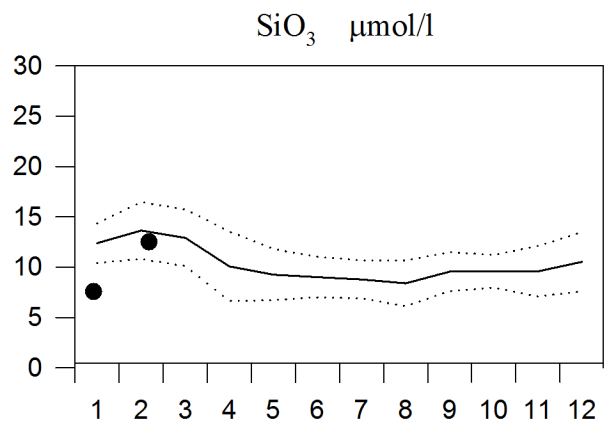
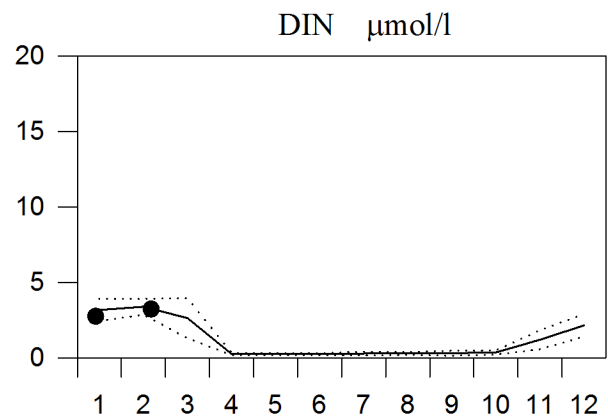
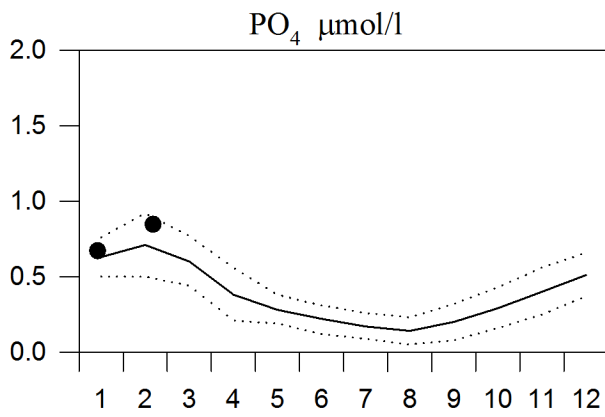
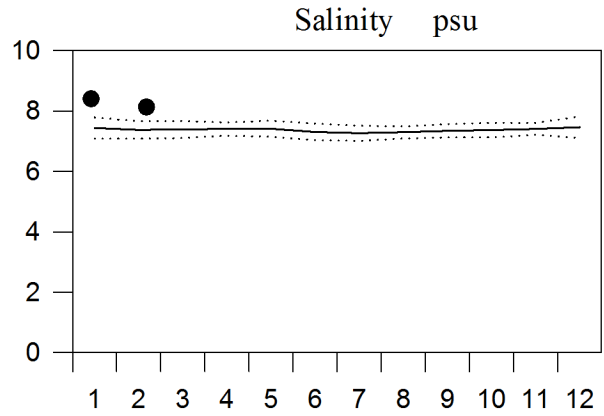
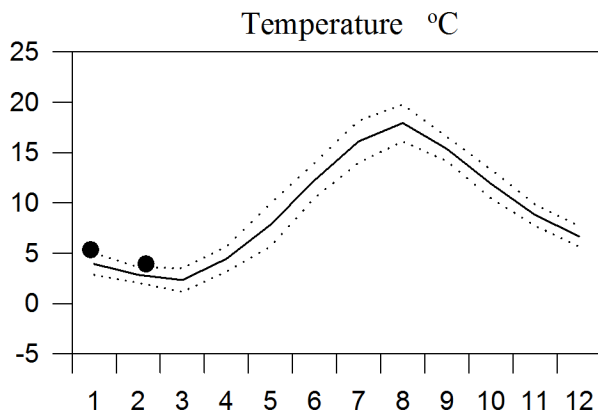
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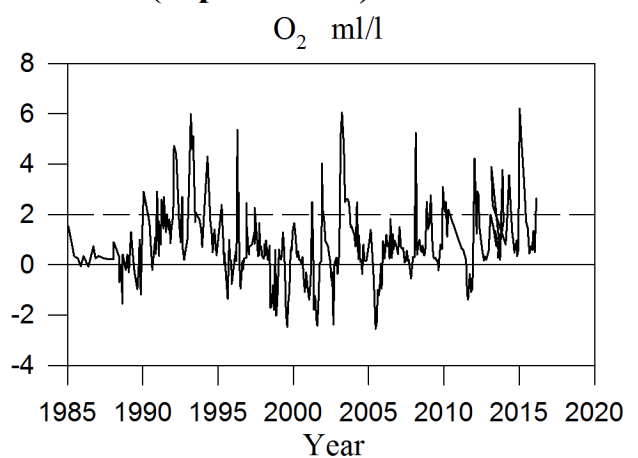
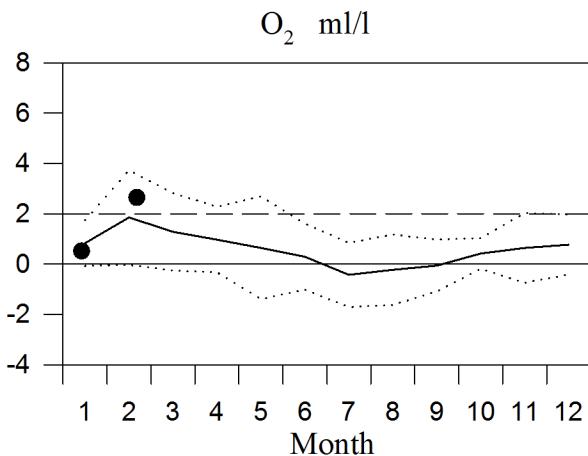
STATION HANÖBUKTEN SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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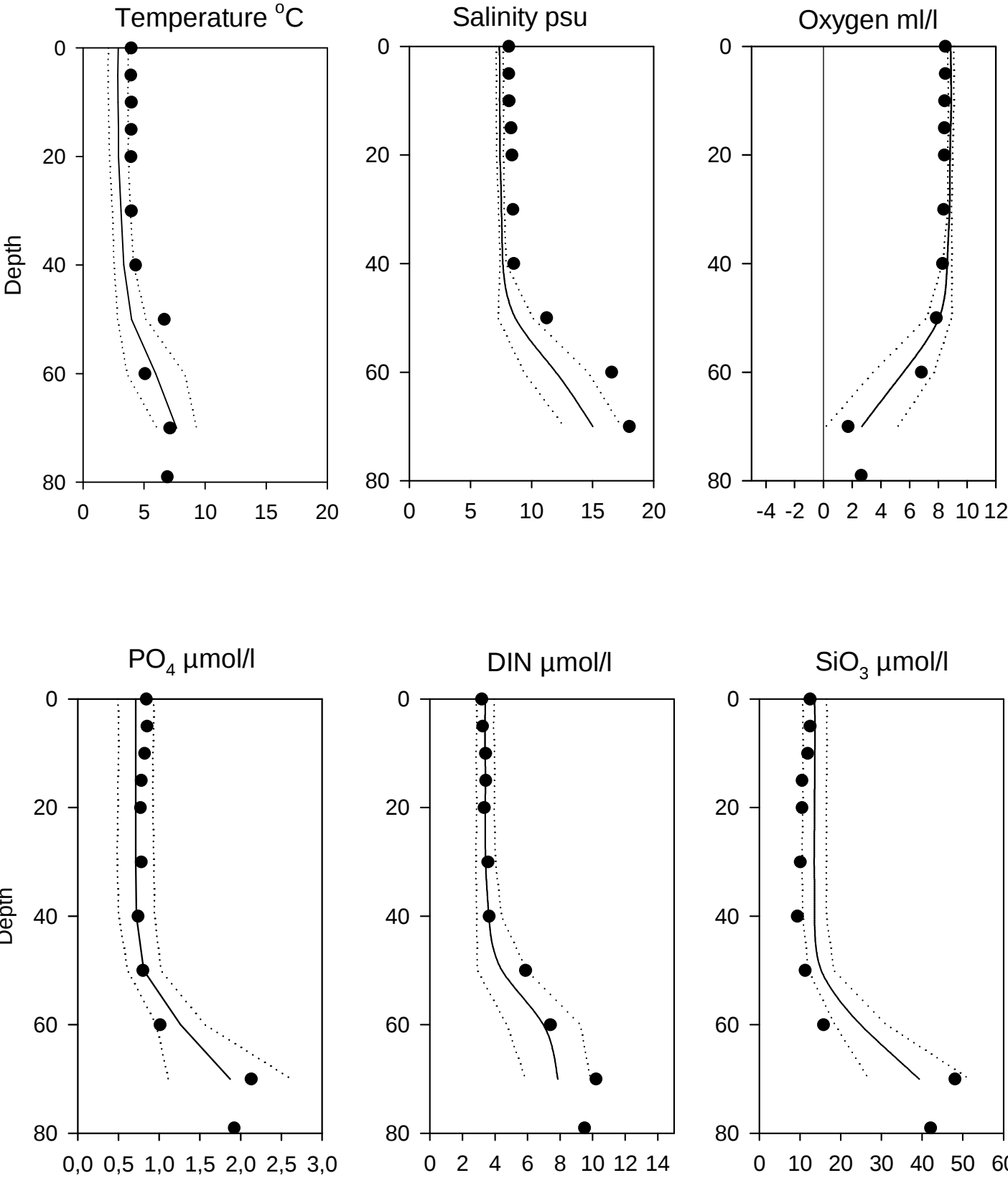


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth > 70m)



Vertical profiles Hanöbukten February

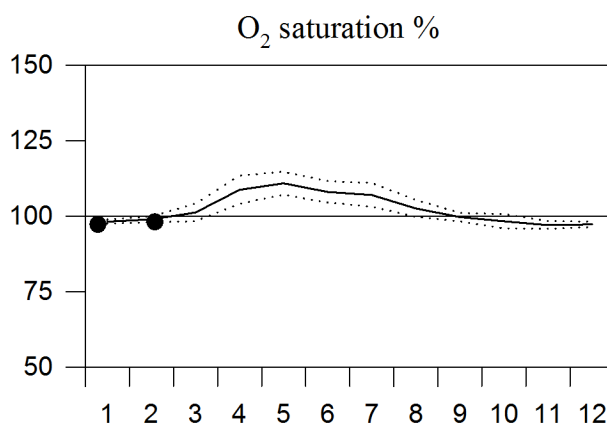
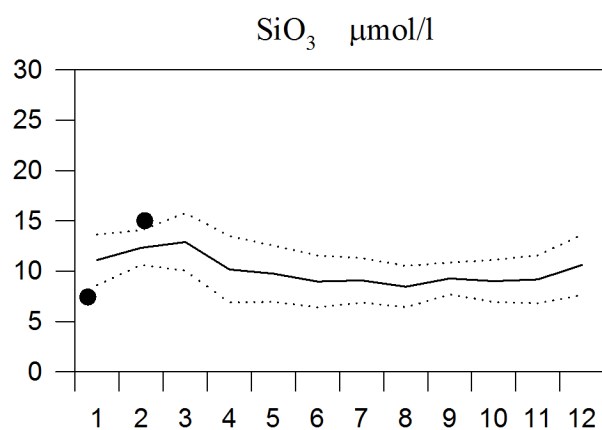
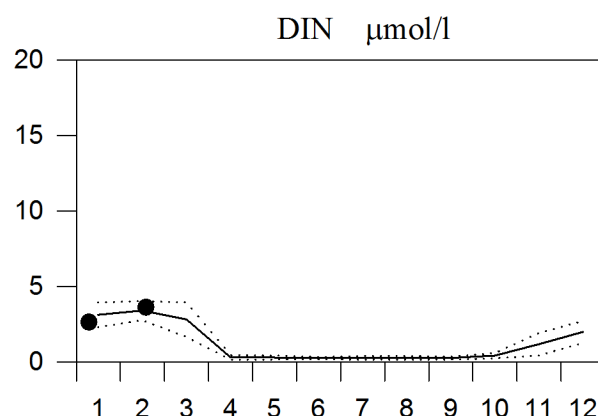
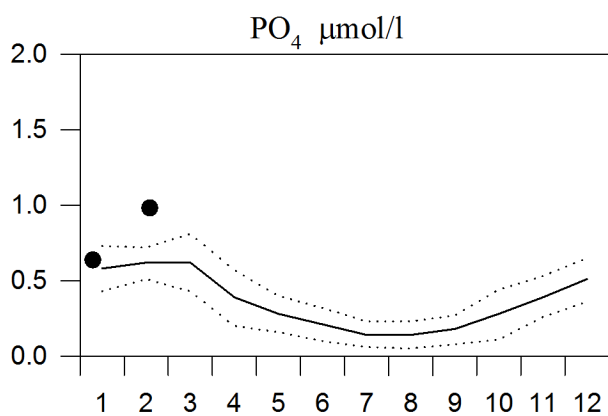
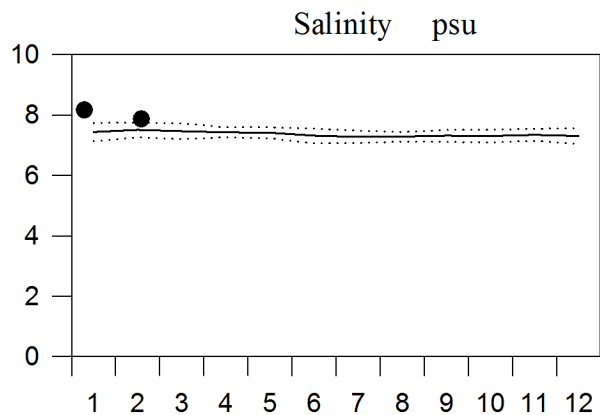
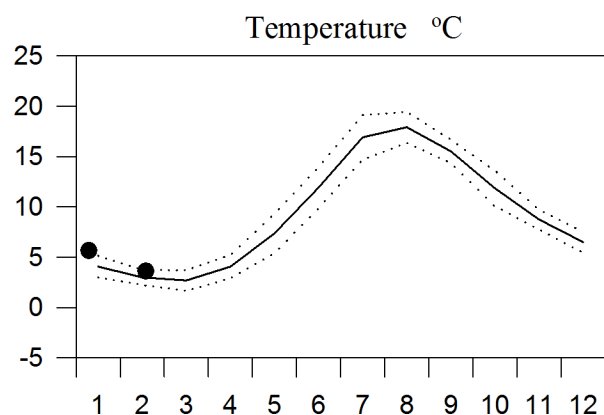
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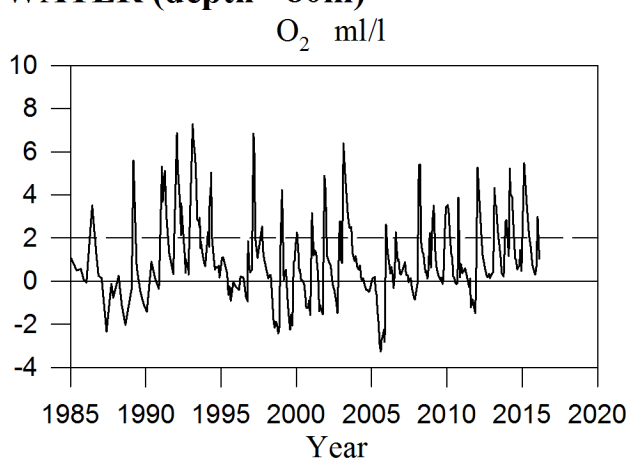
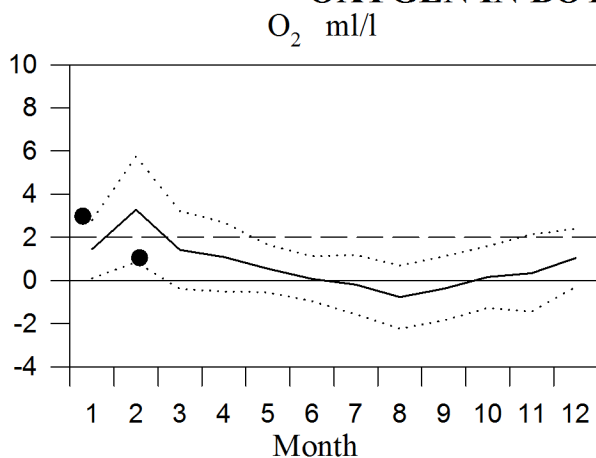
STATION BY4 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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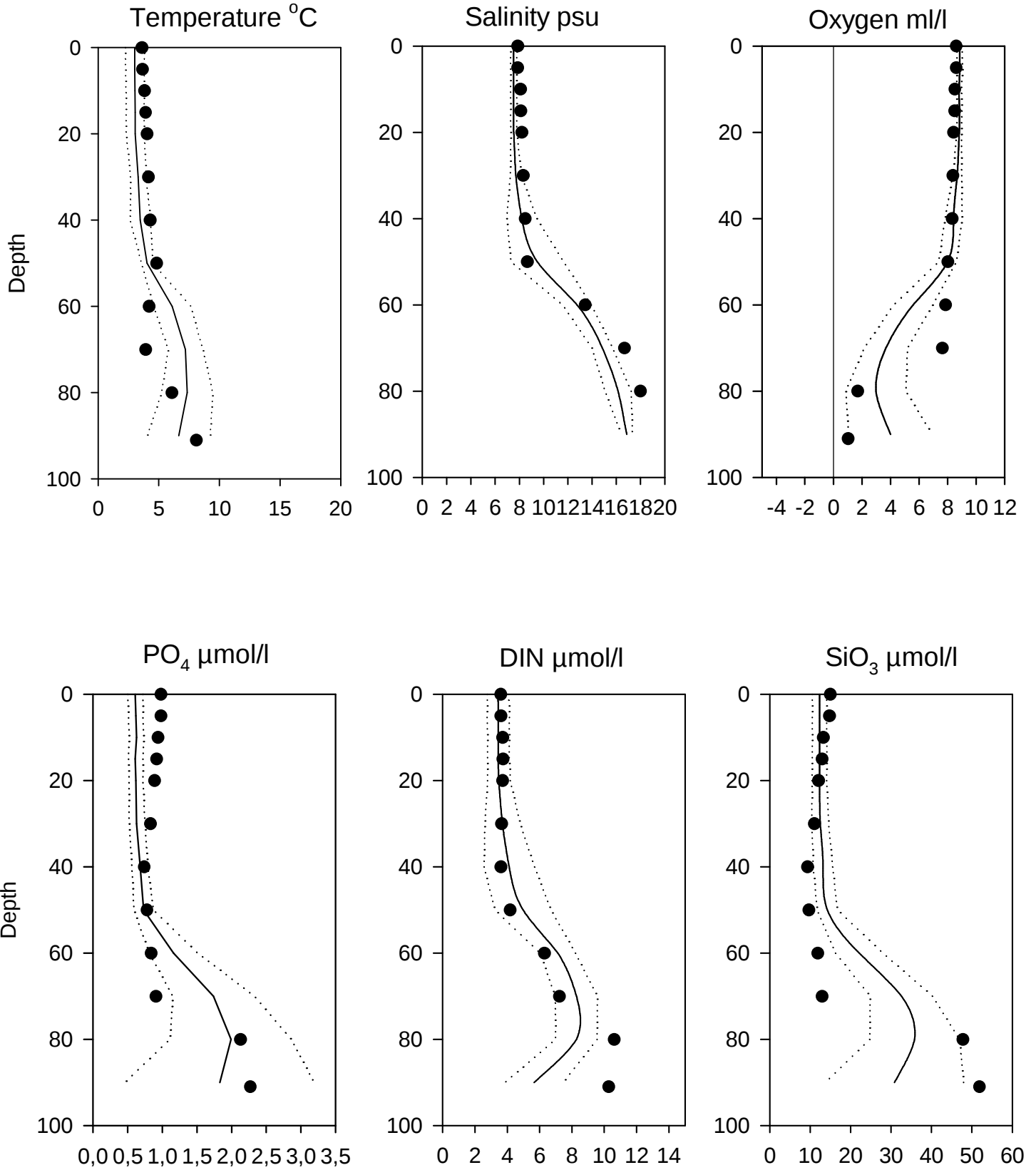


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >80m)



Vertical profiles BY4 February

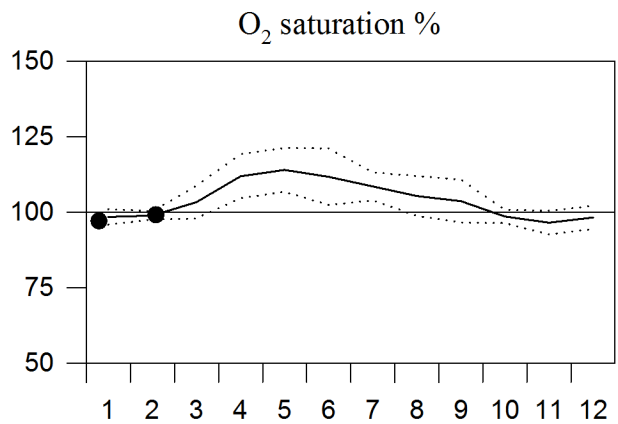
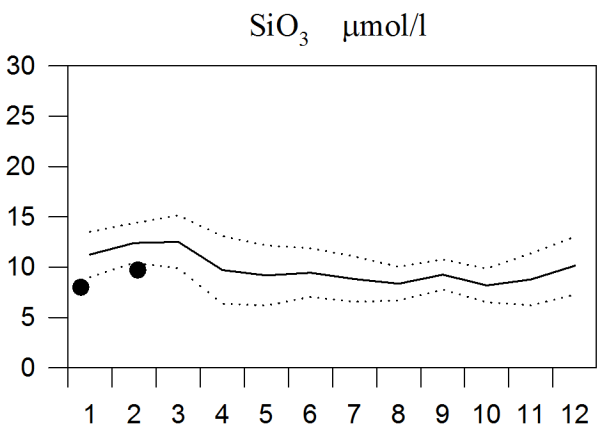
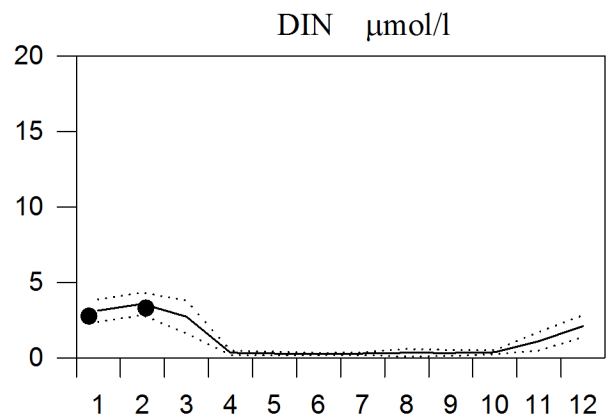
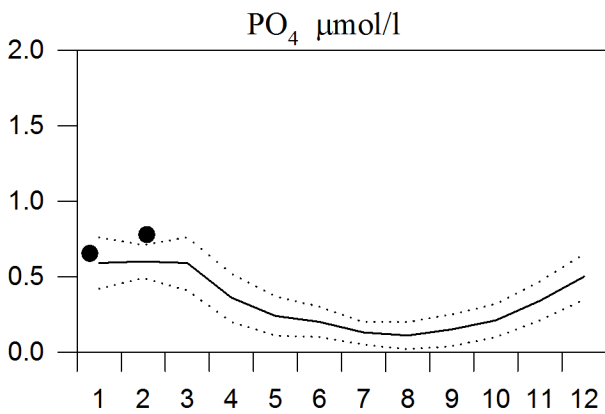
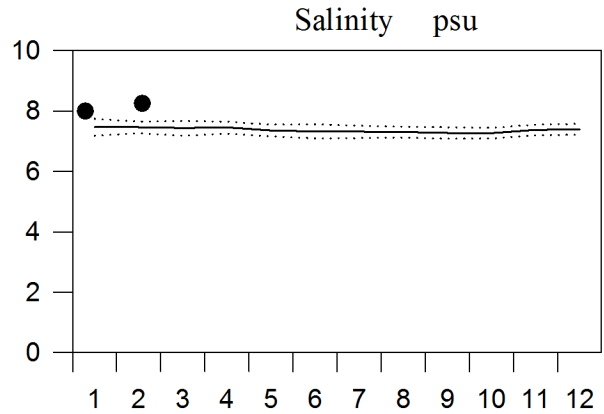
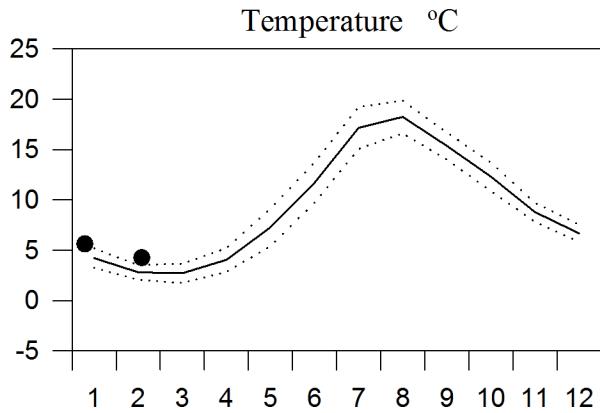
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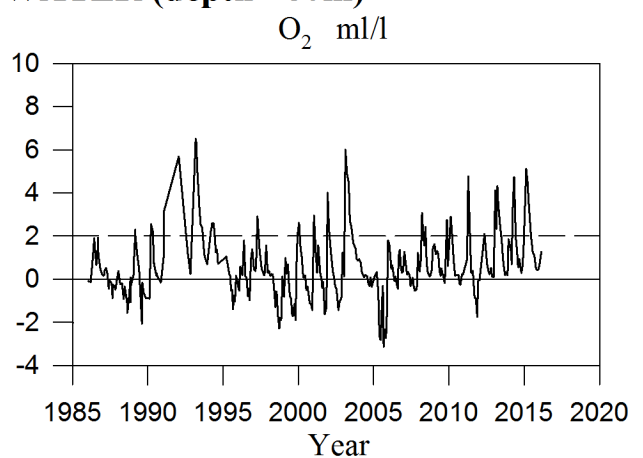
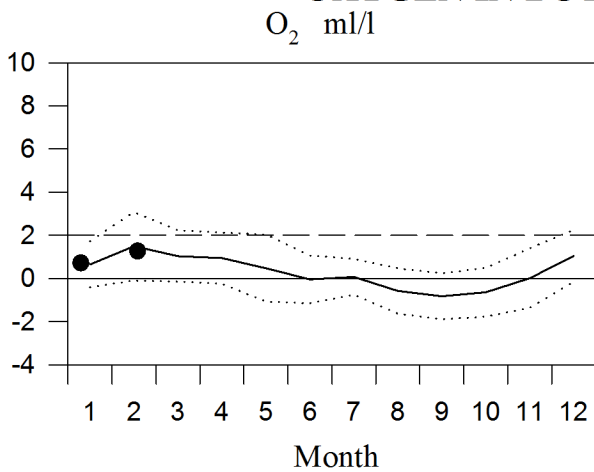
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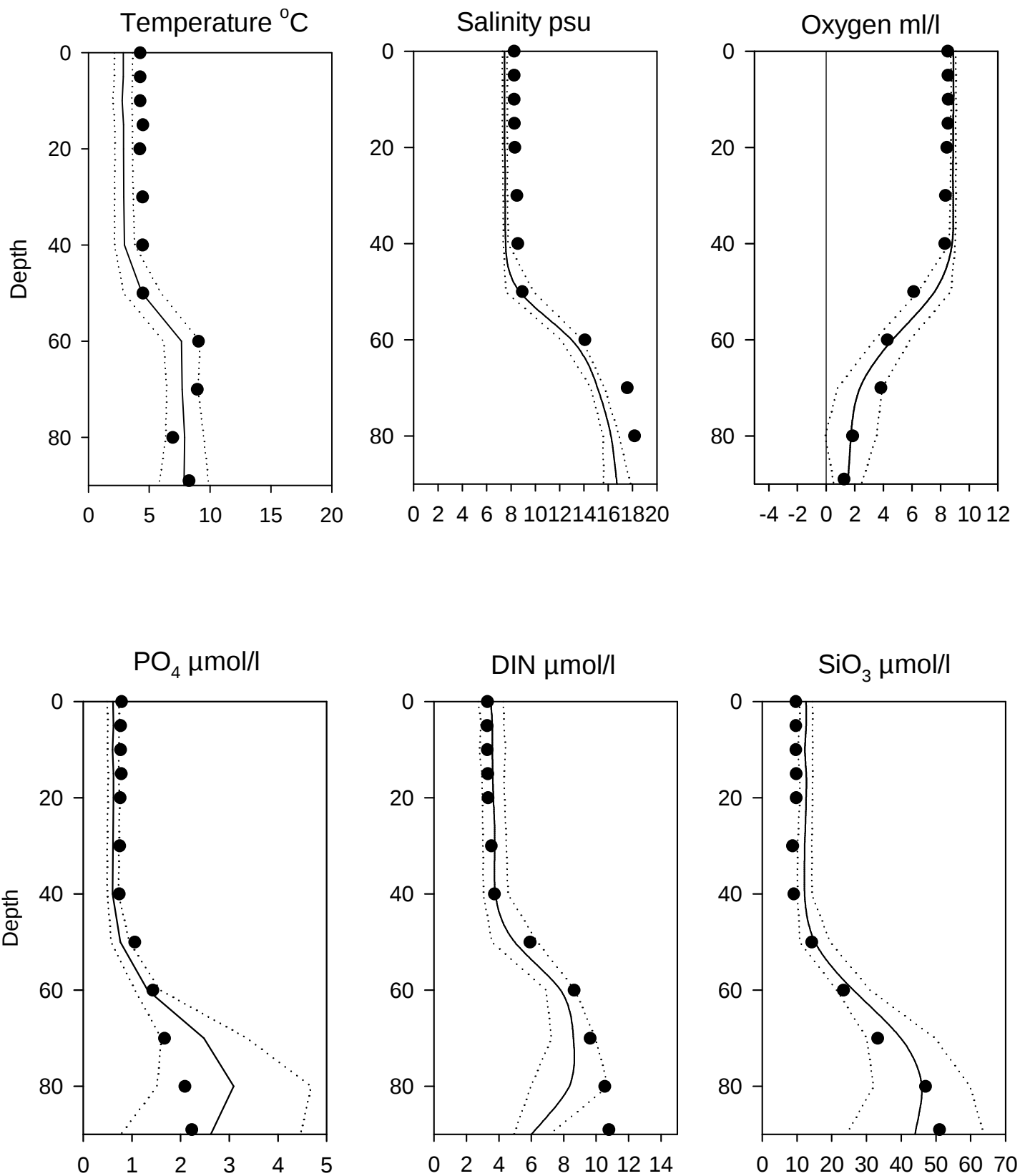


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >80m)



Vertical profiles BY5 February

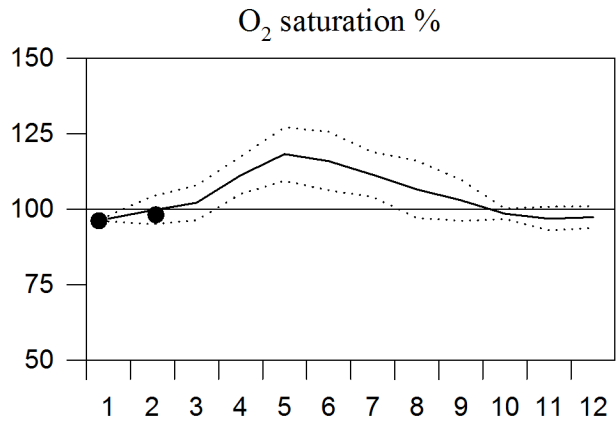
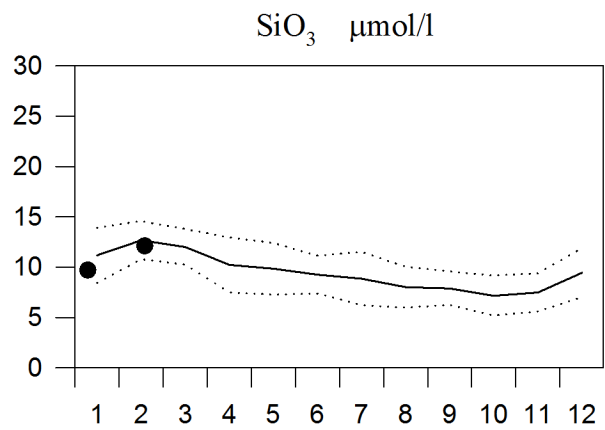
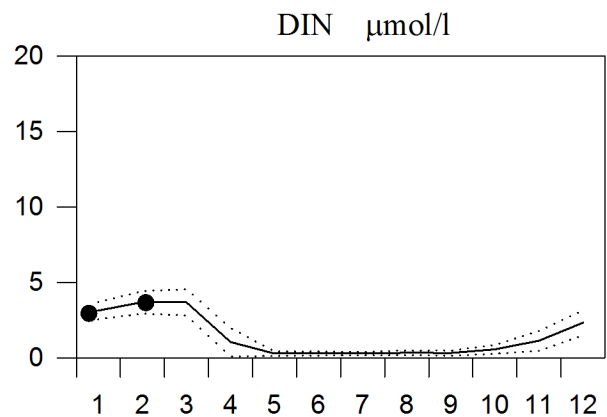
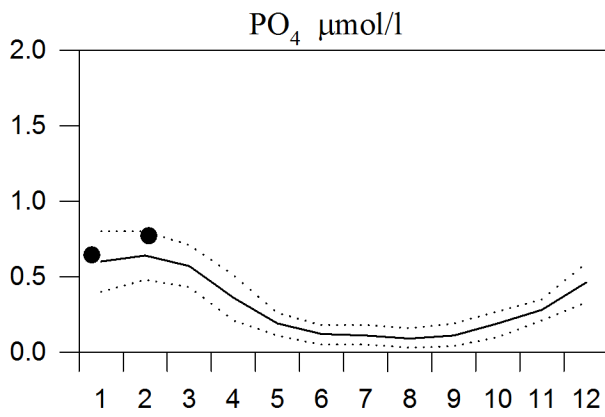
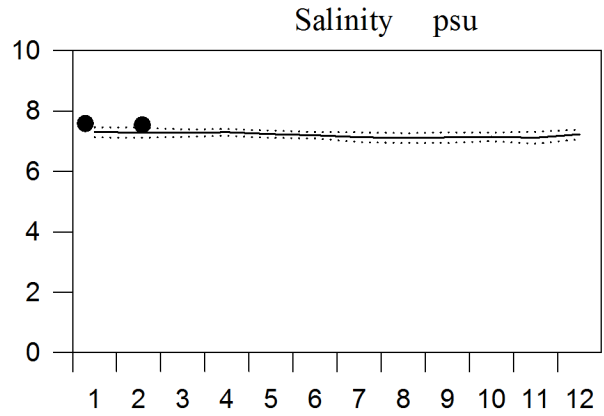
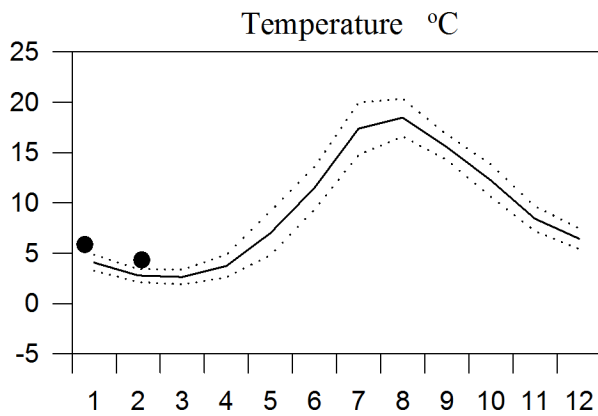
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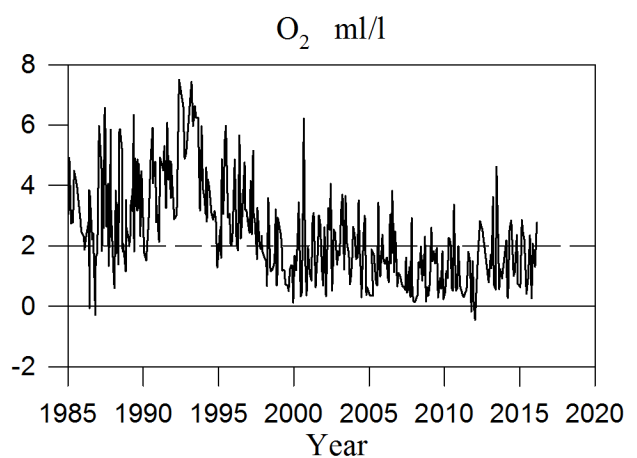
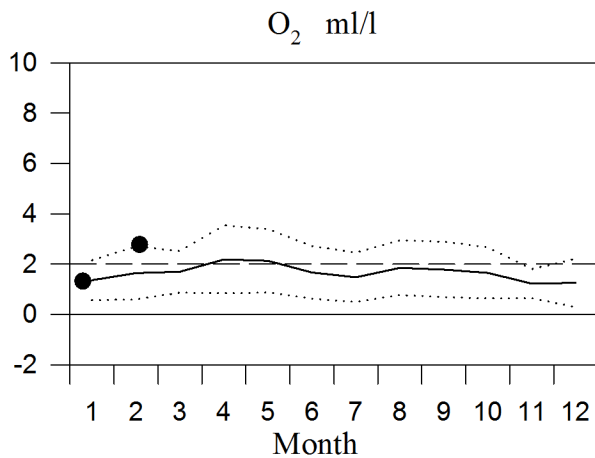
STATION BCS III-10 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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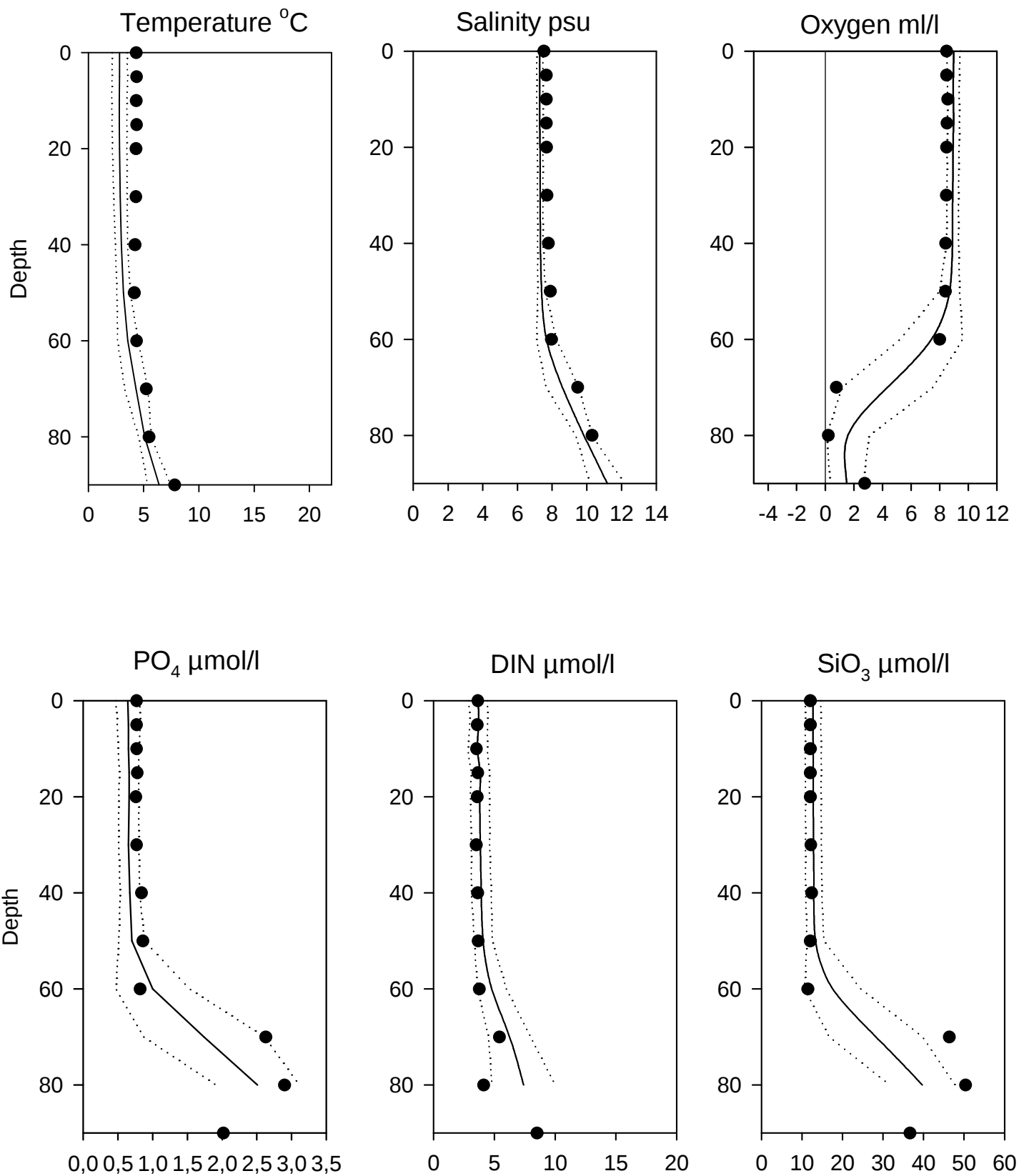


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth > 80m)



Vertical profiles BCS III-10 February

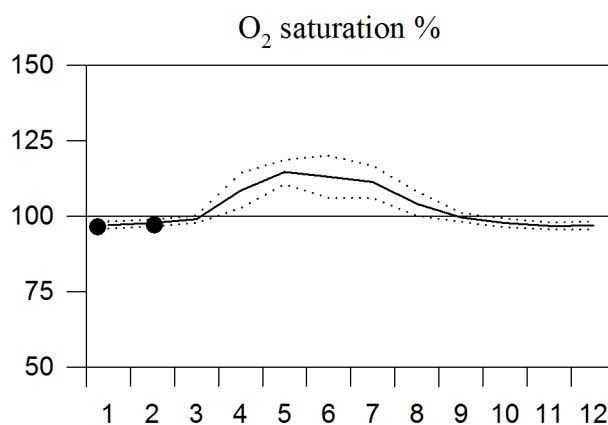
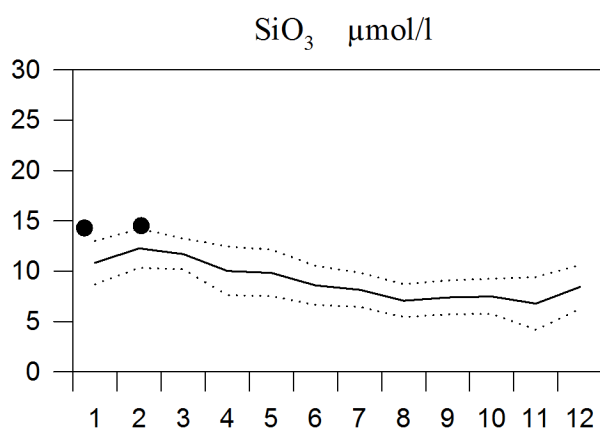
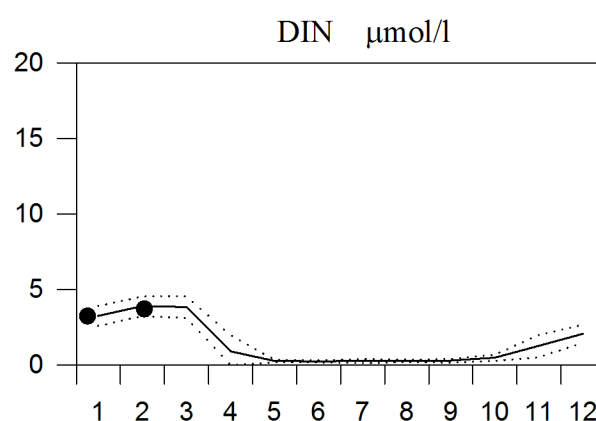
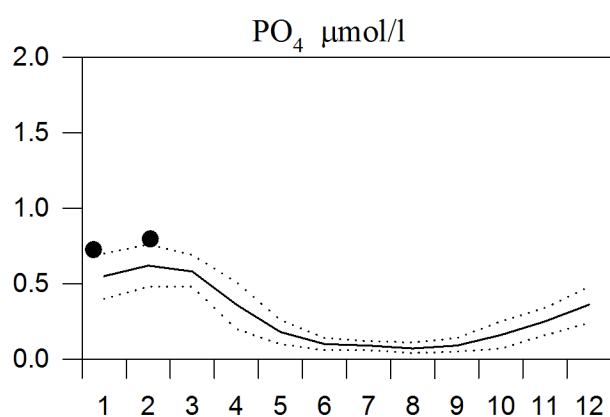
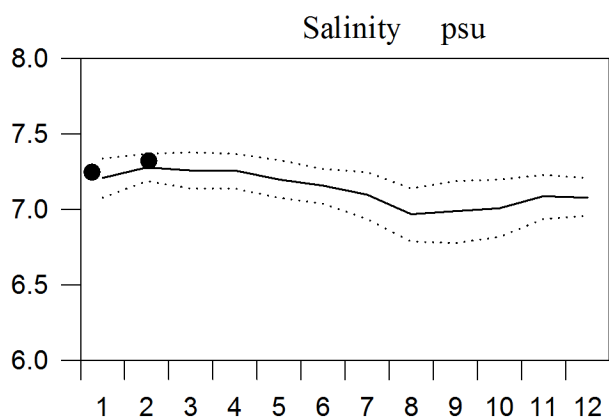
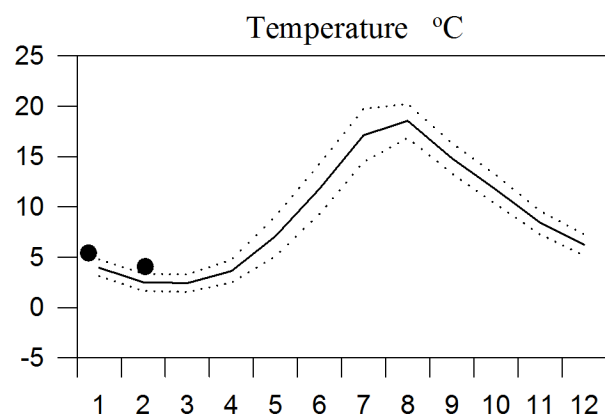
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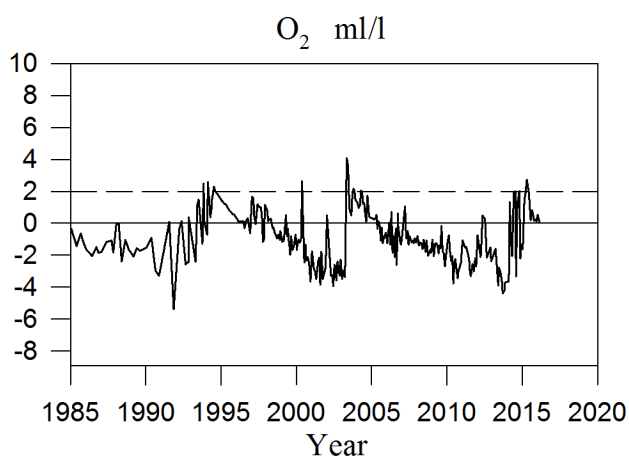
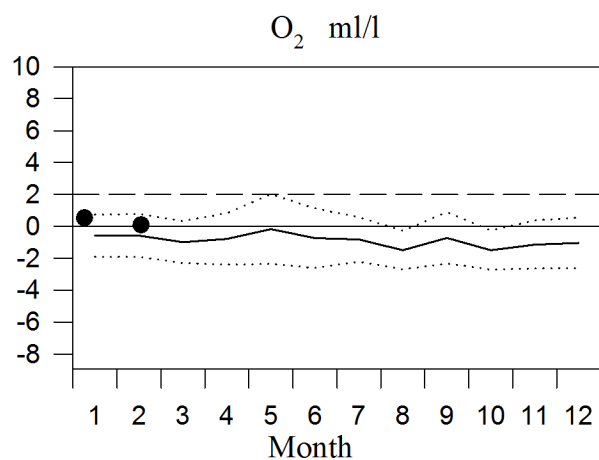
STATION BY10 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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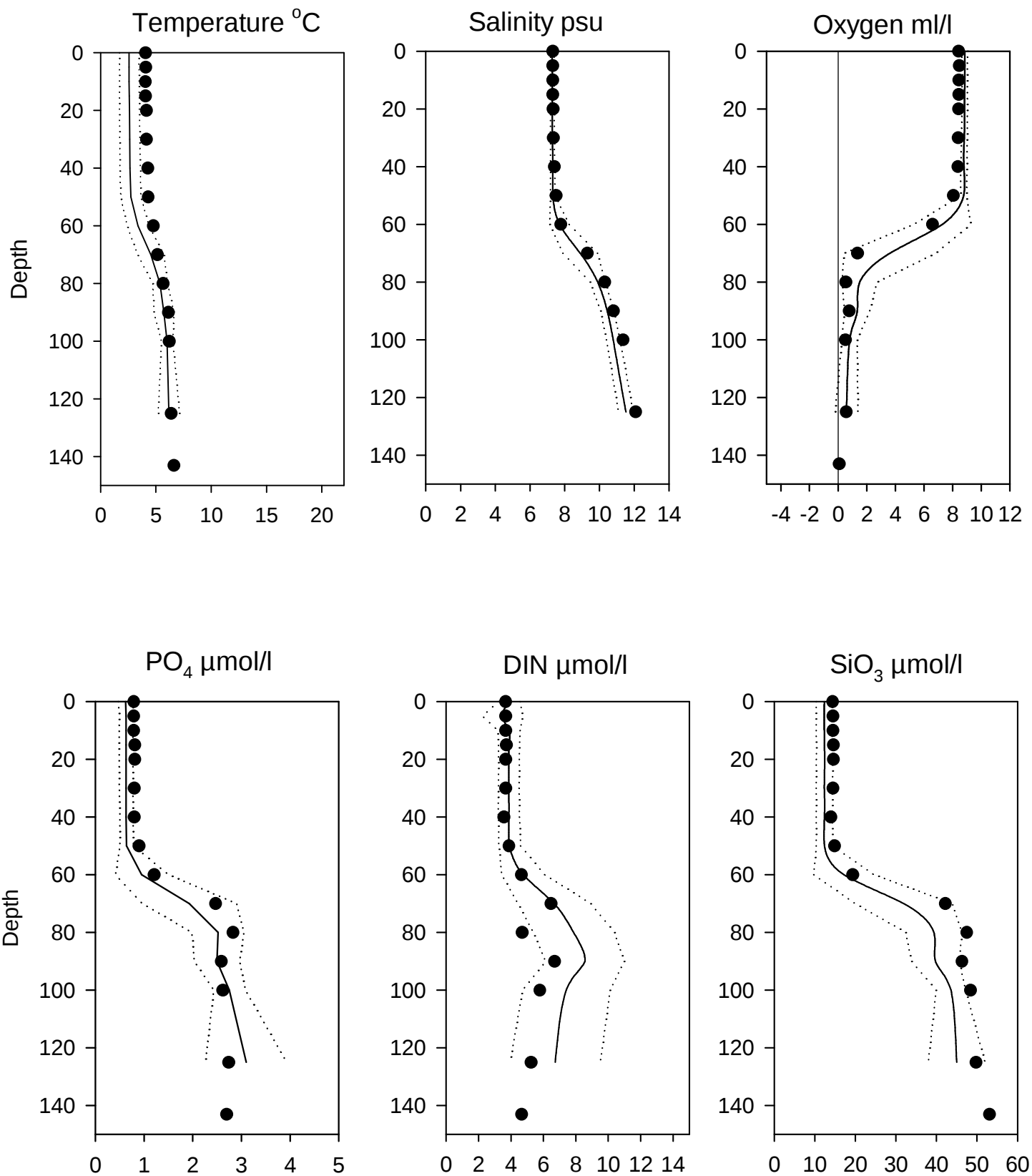


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >125m)



Vertical profiles BY10 February

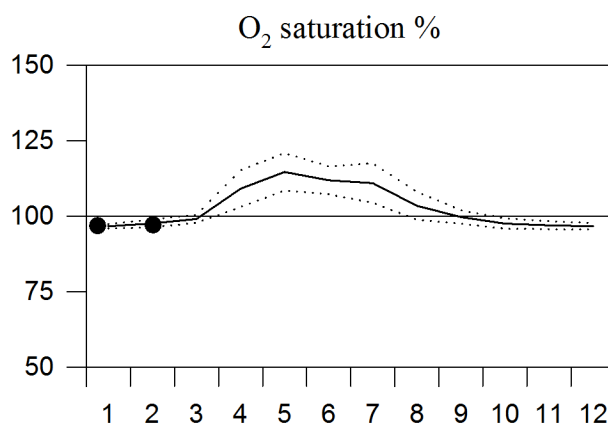
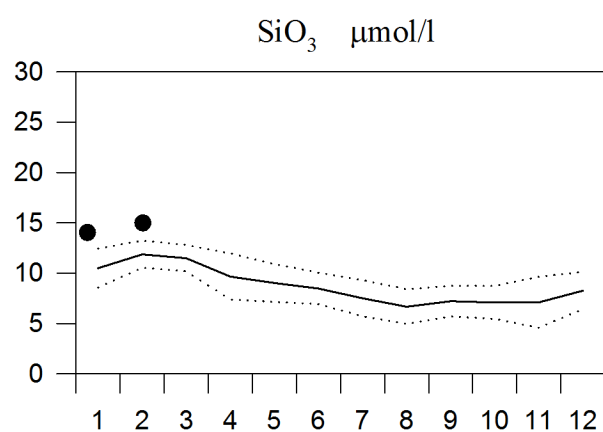
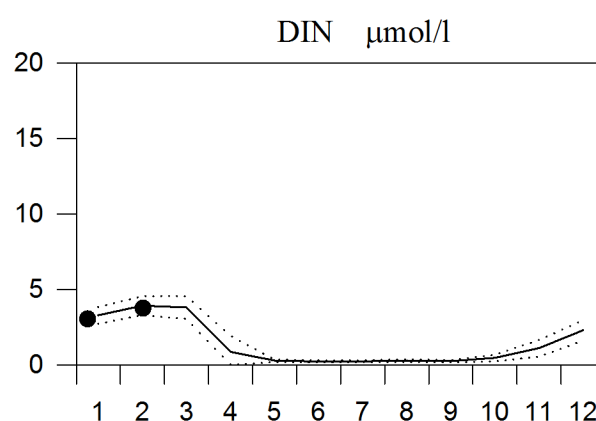
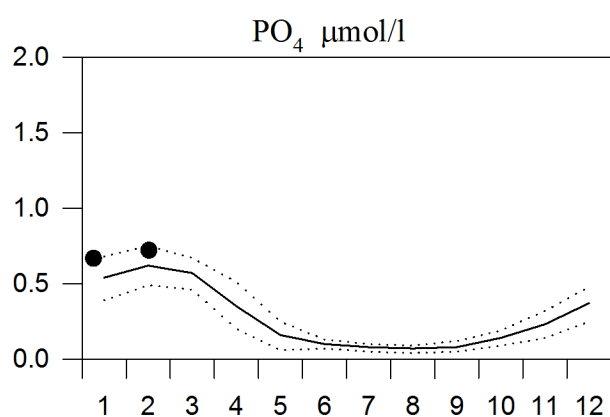
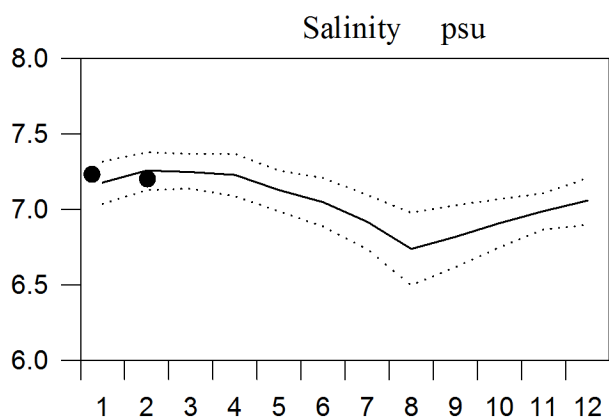
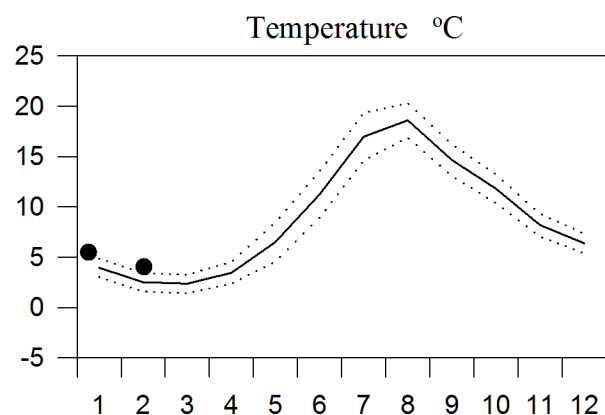
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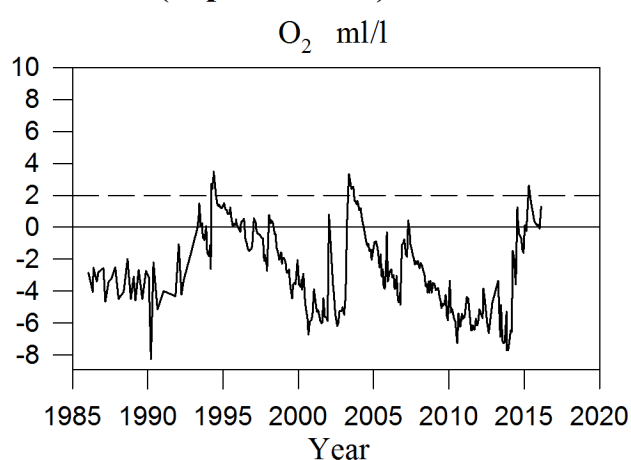
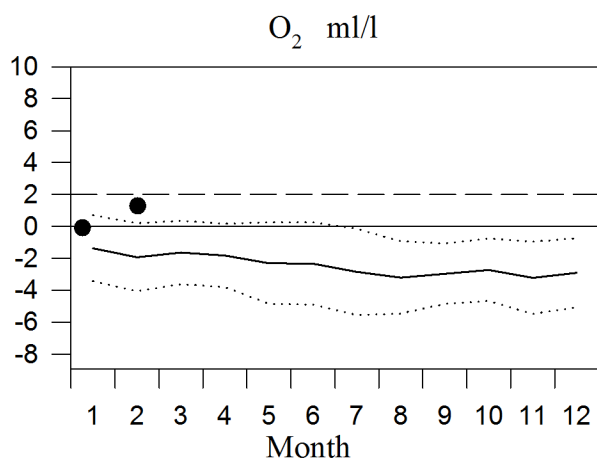
STATION BY15 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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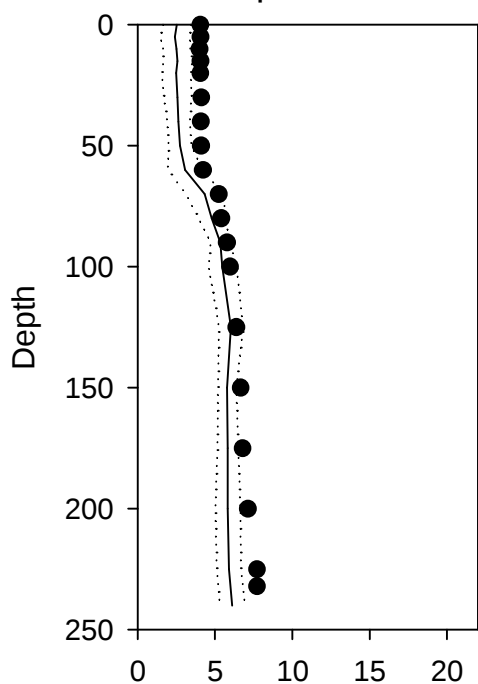
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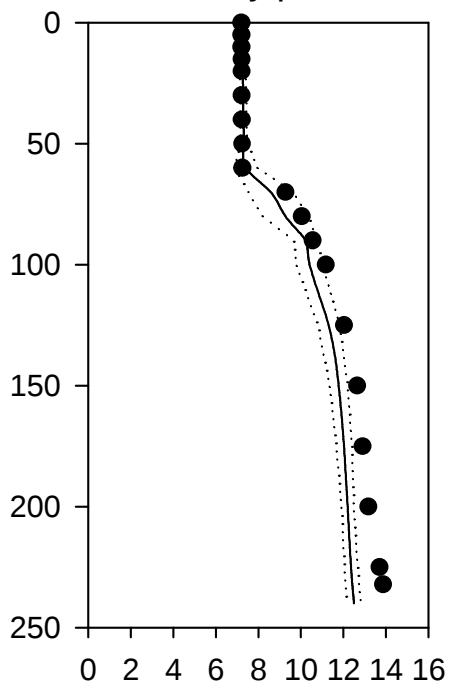
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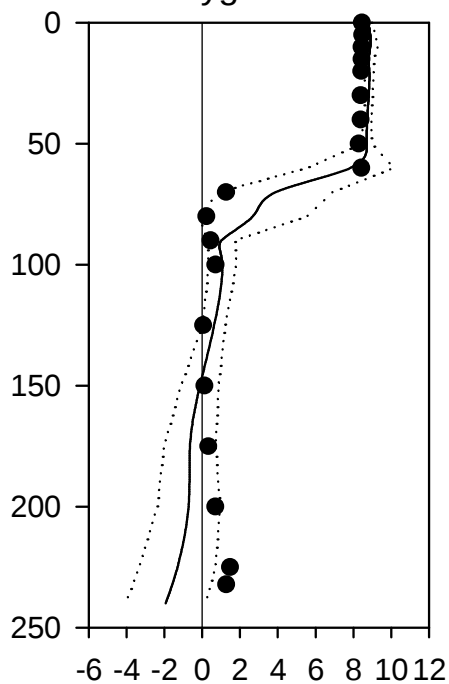
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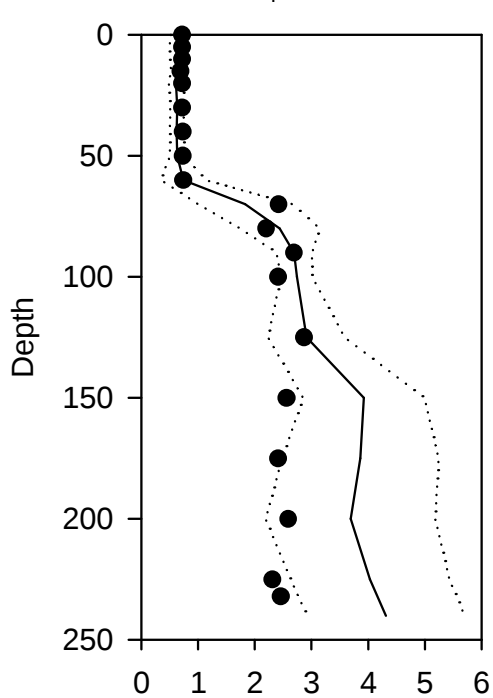
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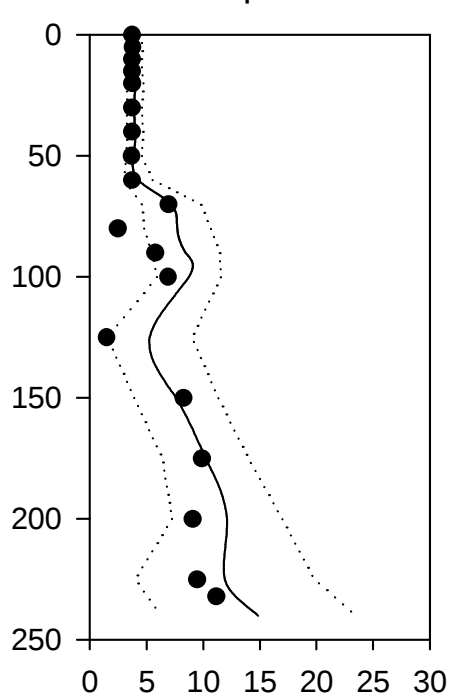
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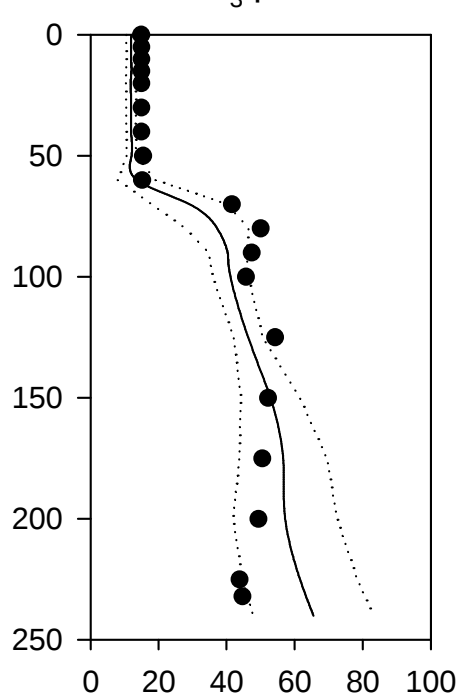
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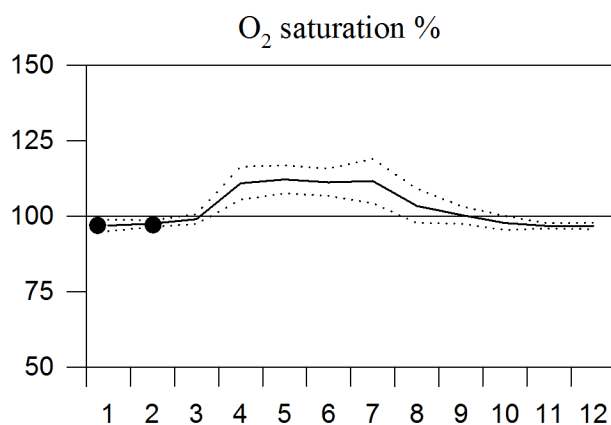
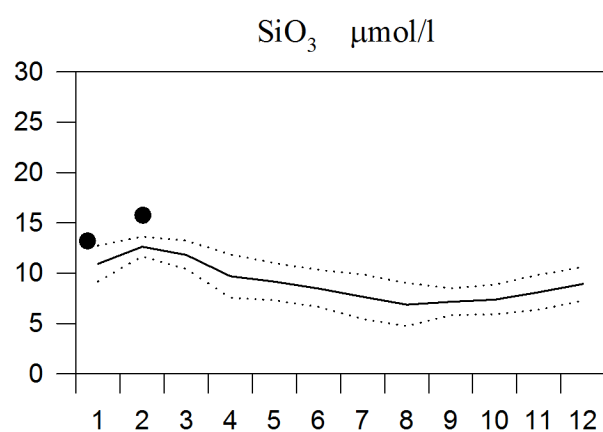
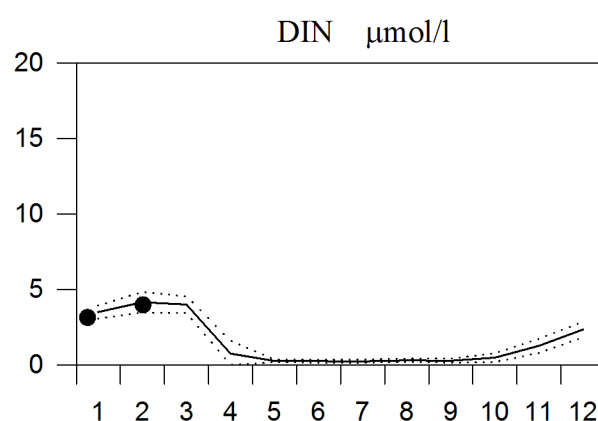
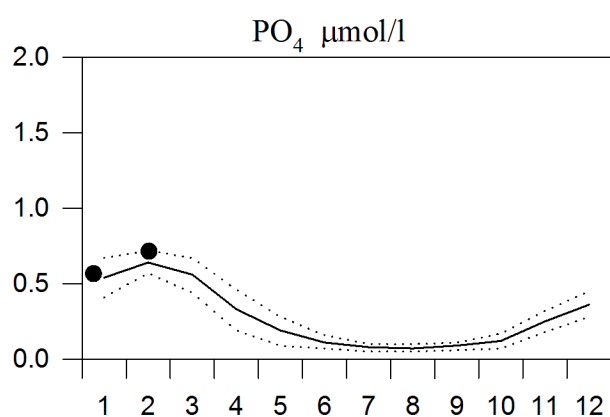
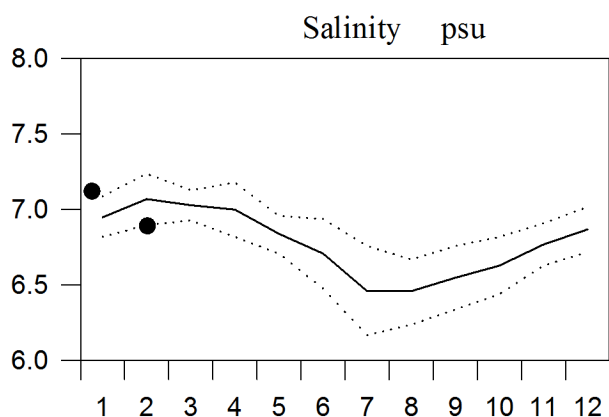
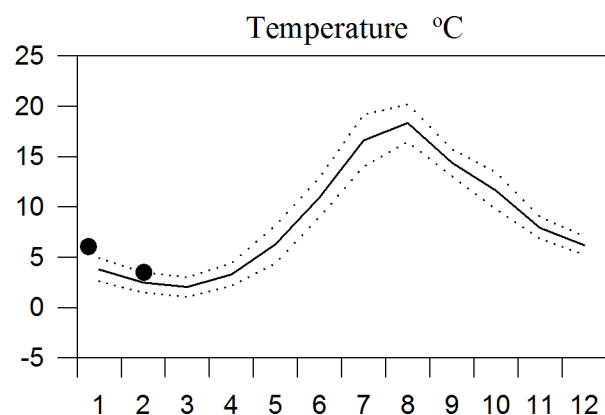
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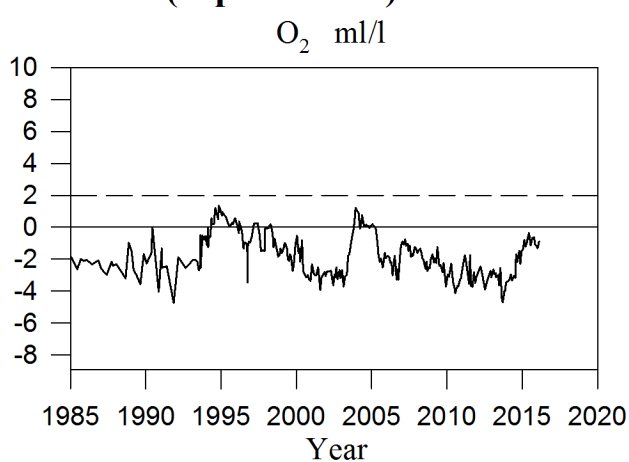
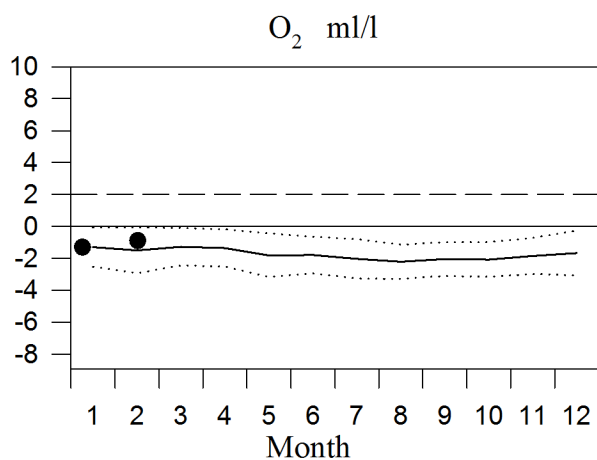
STATION BY20 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

— Mean 1996-2010 St.Dev. ● 2016



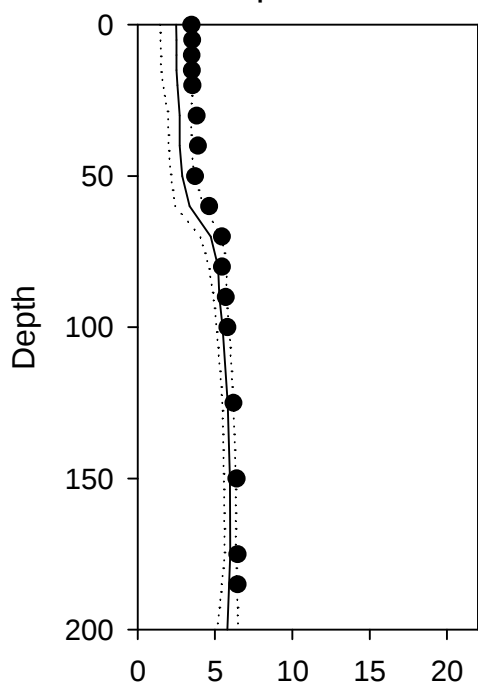
OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >175m)



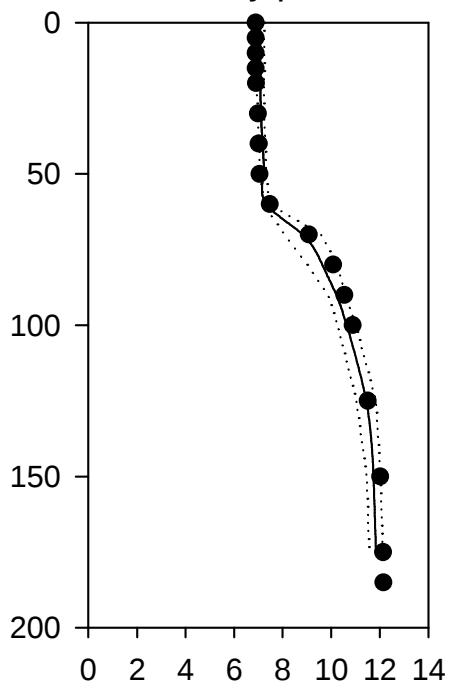
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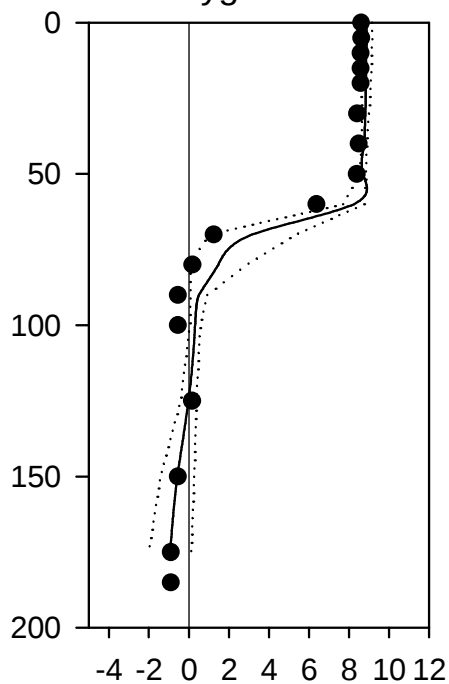
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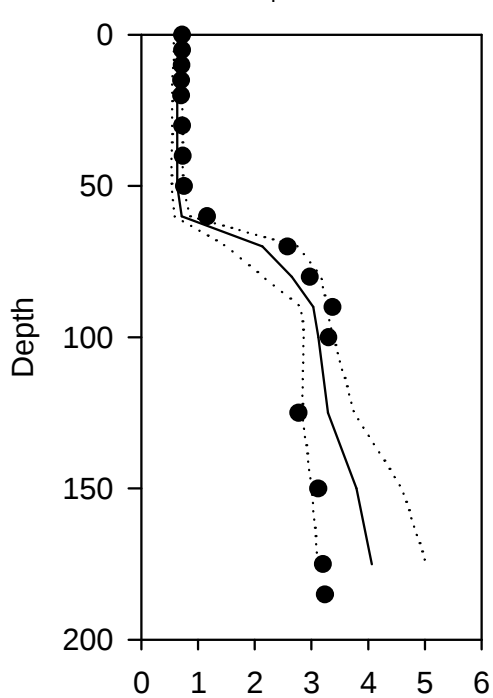
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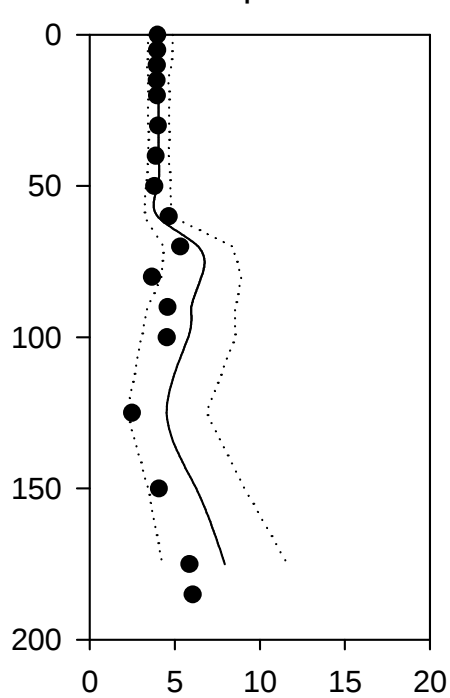
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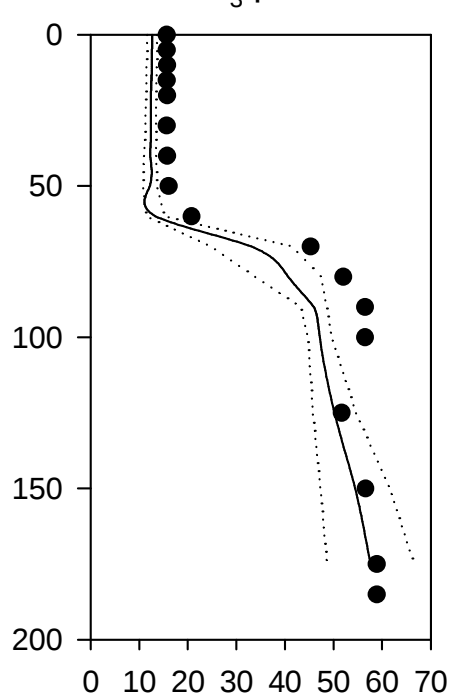
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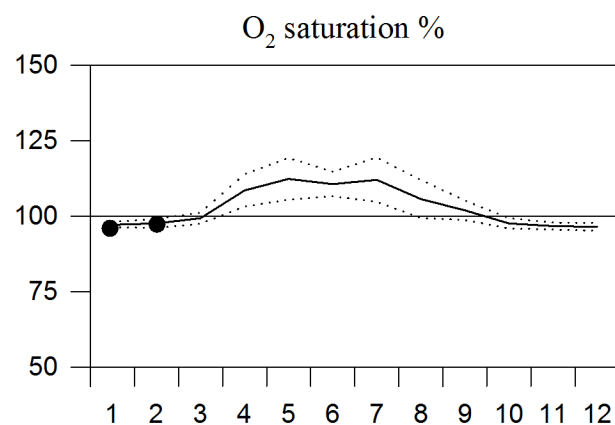
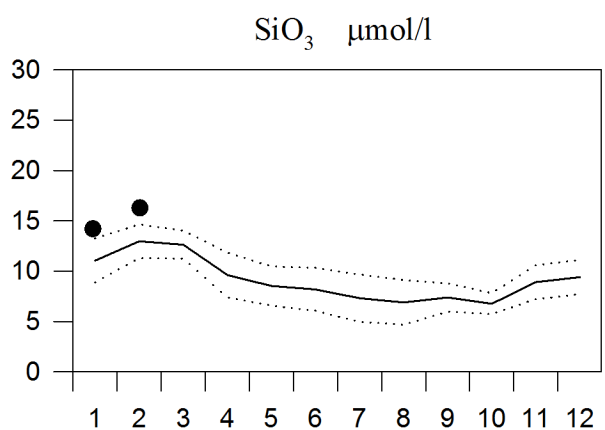
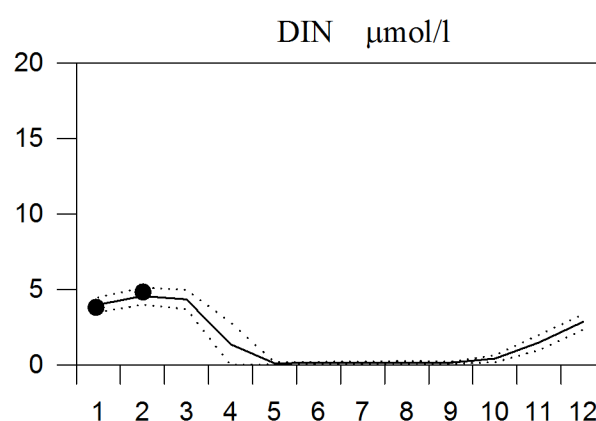
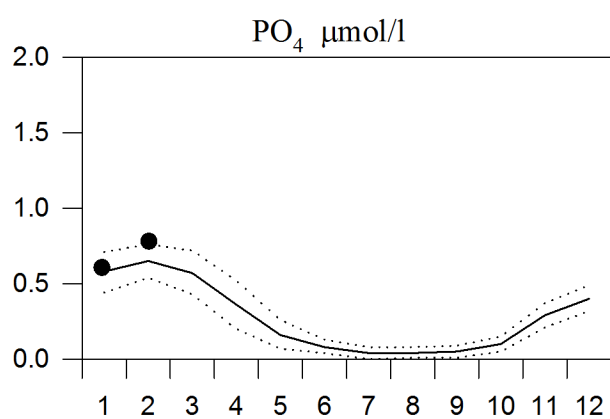
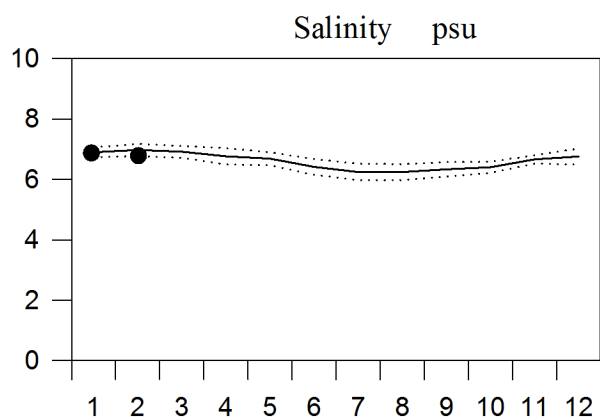
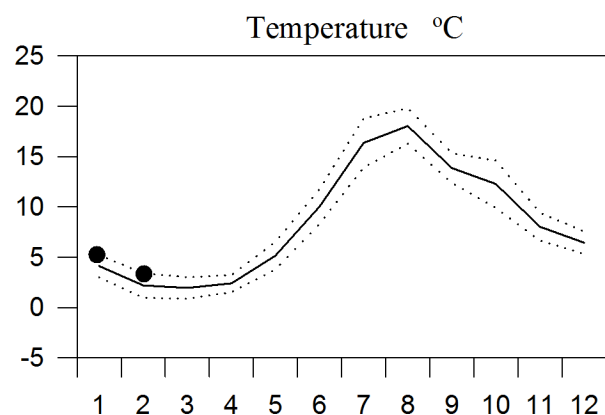
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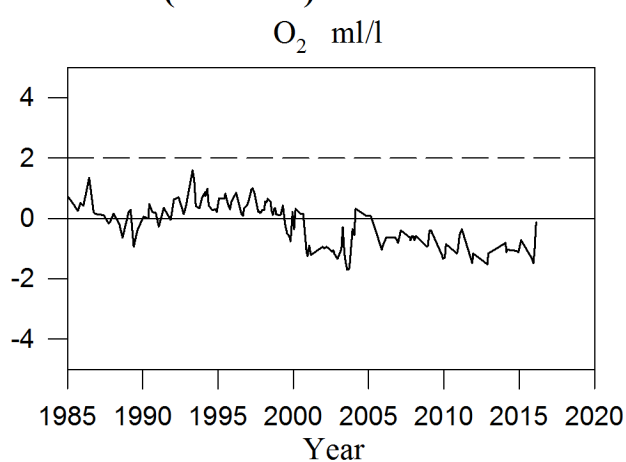
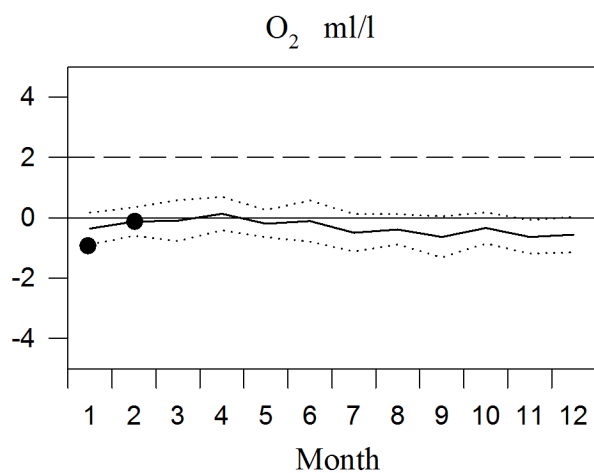
STATION BY29 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

— Mean 1996-2010 St.Dev. ● 2016

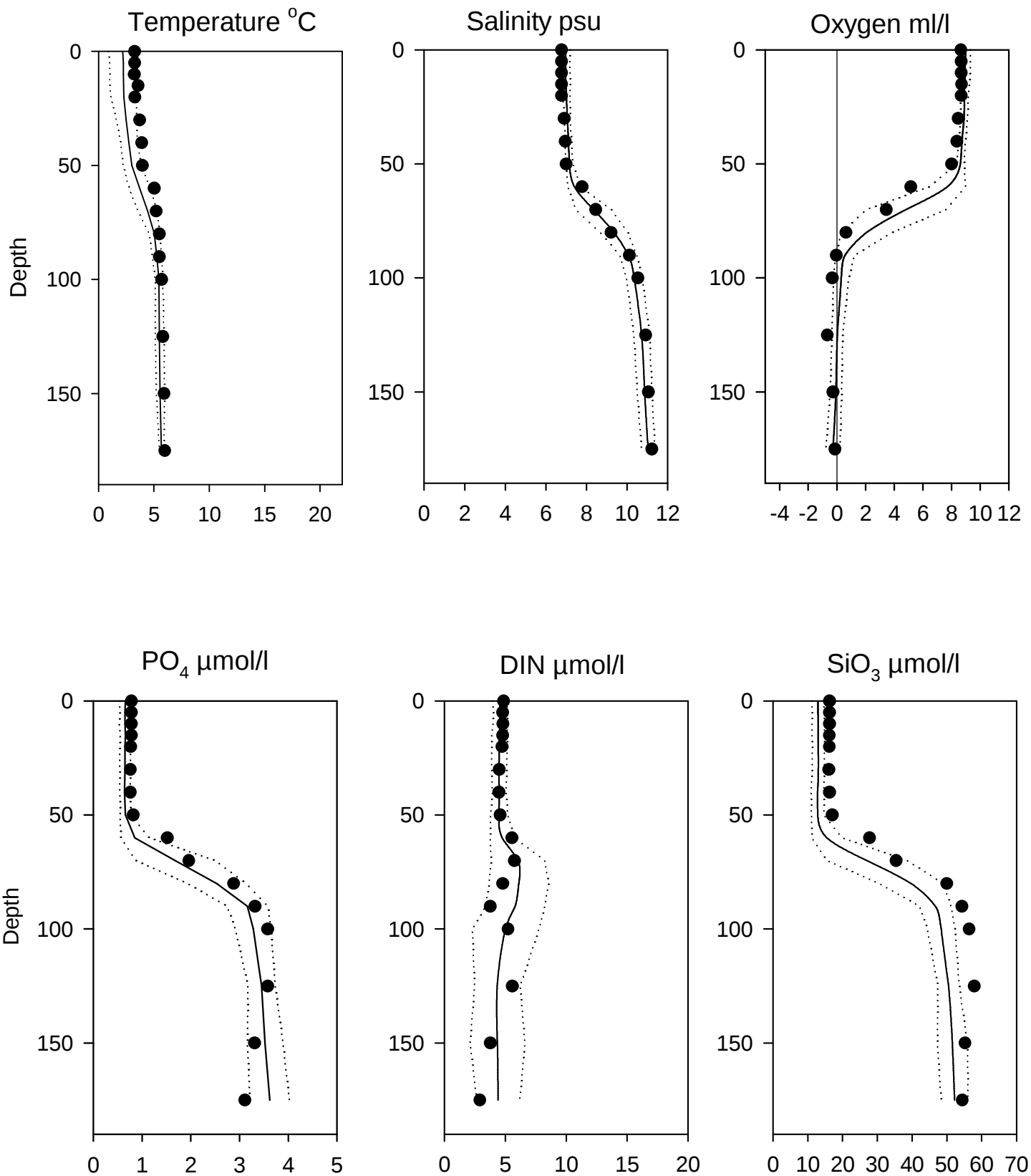


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (>=150m)



Vertical profiles BY29 February

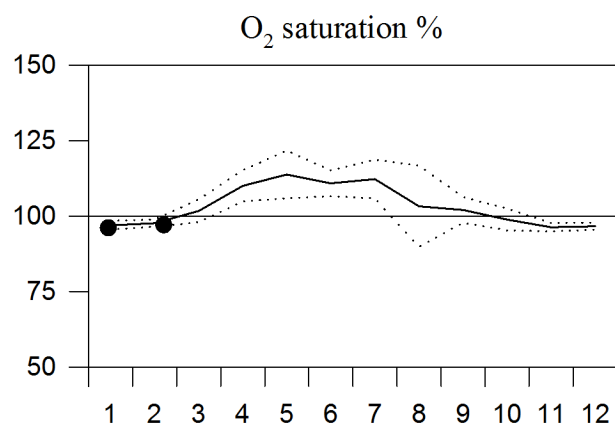
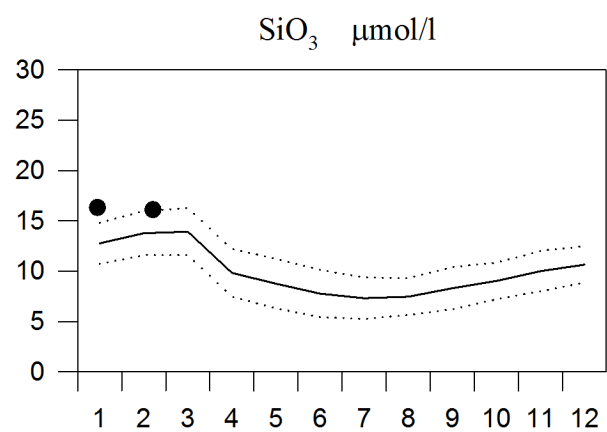
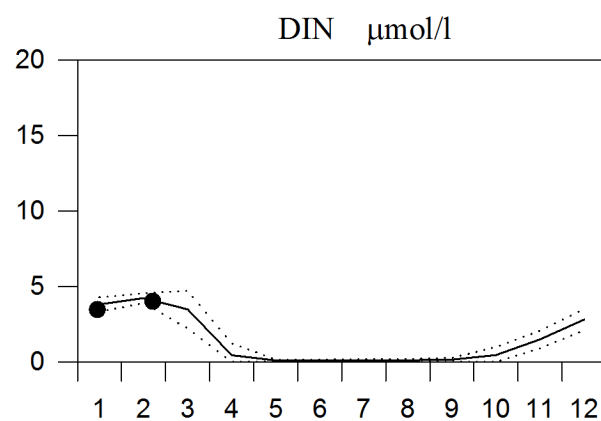
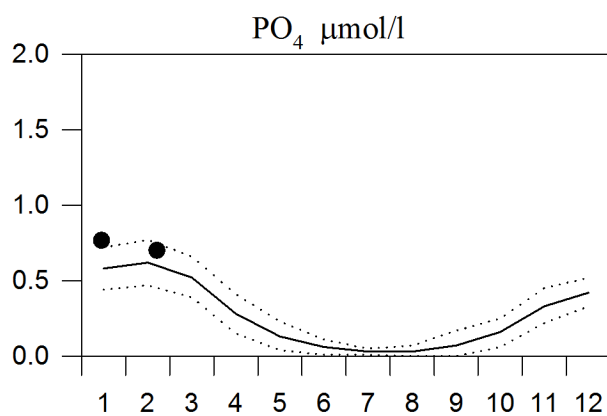
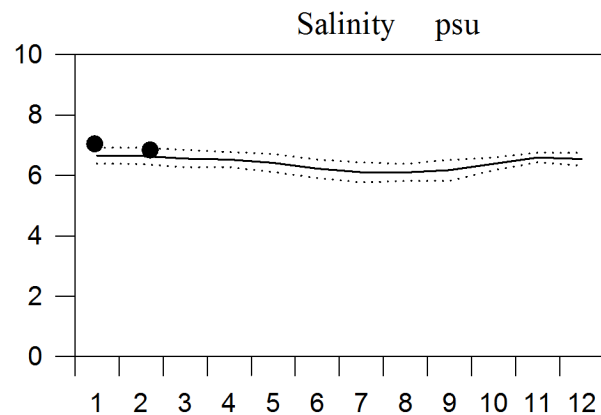
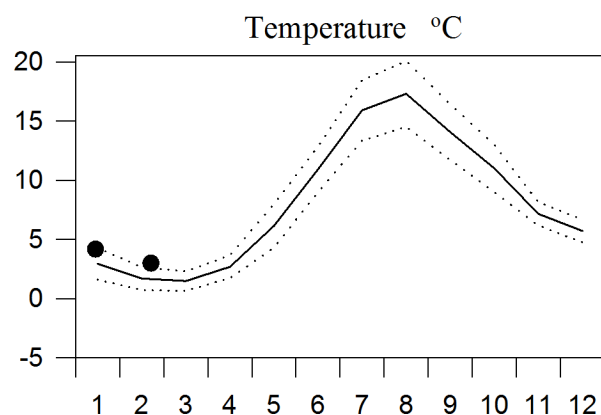
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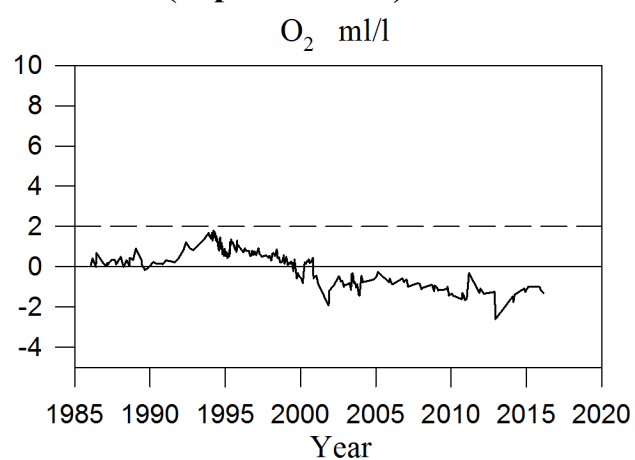
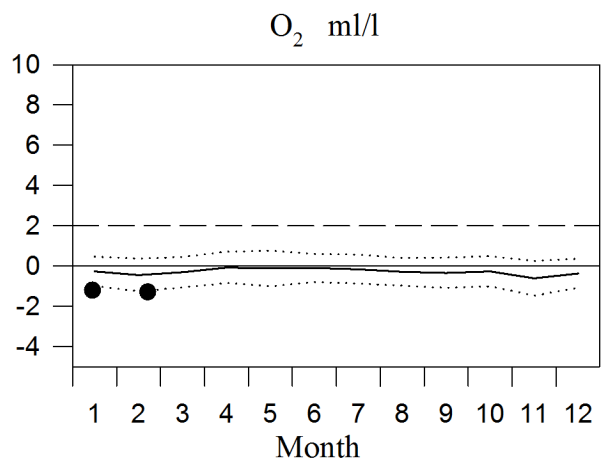
STATION BY31 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

— Mean 1996-2010 St.Dev. ● 2016

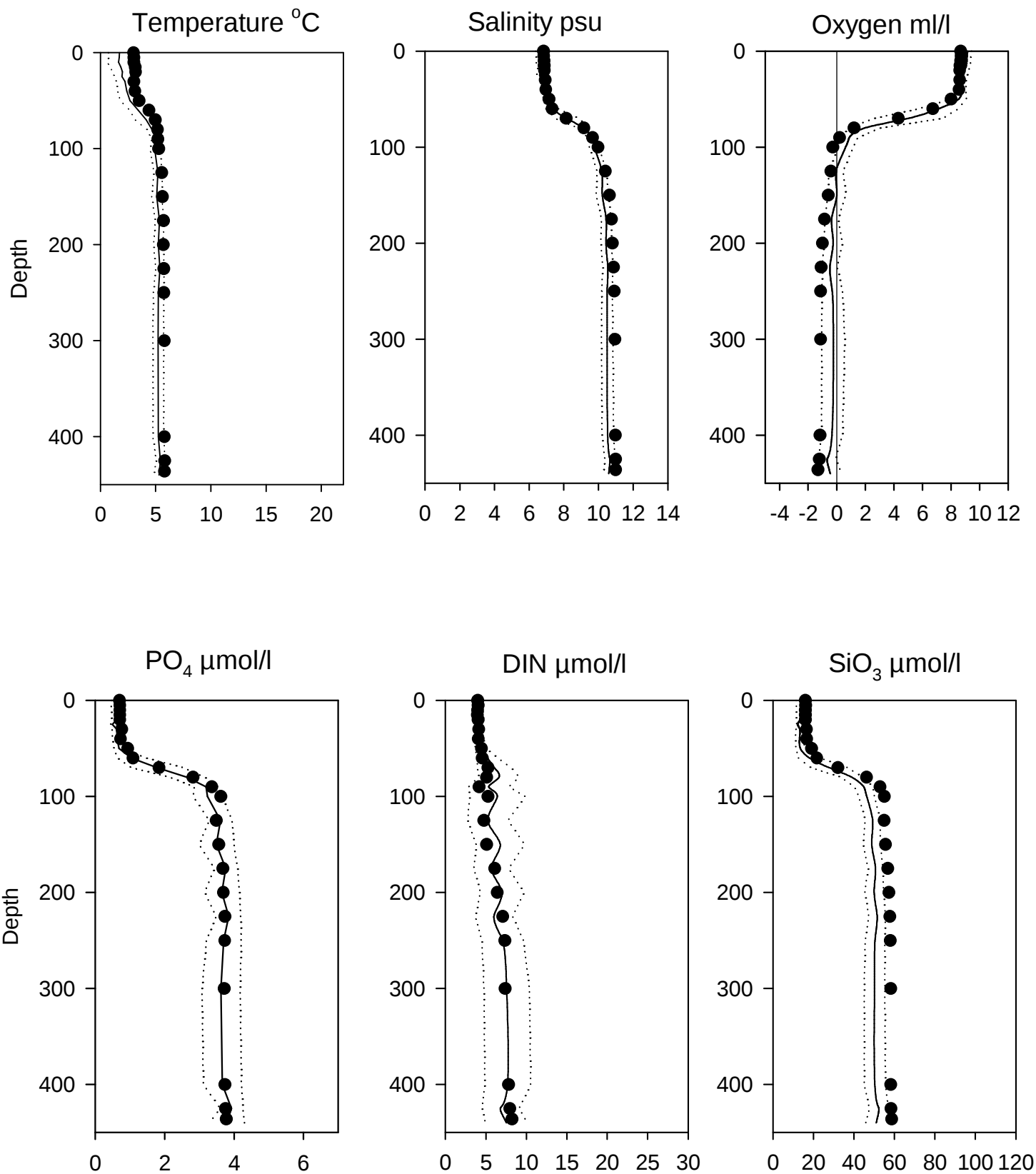


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth = 440m)



Vertical profiles BY31 February

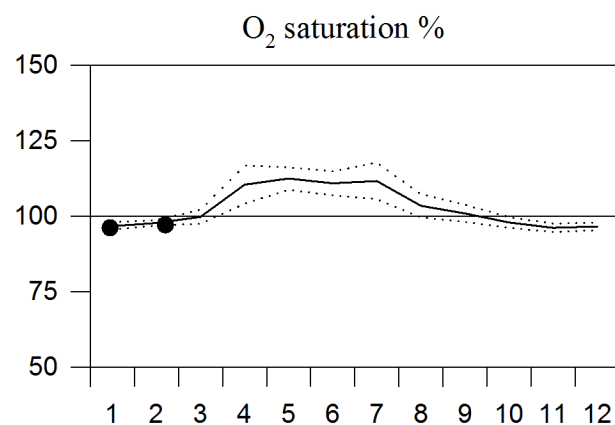
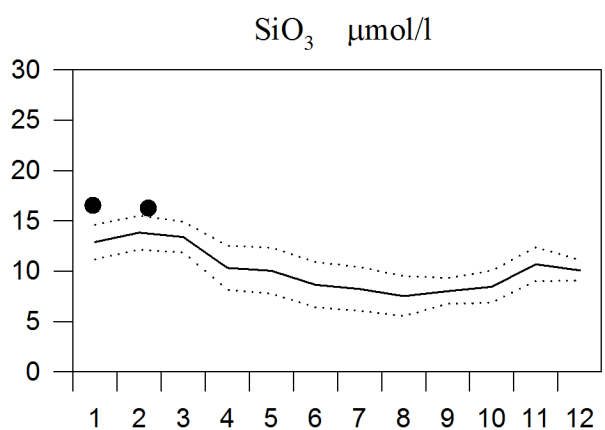
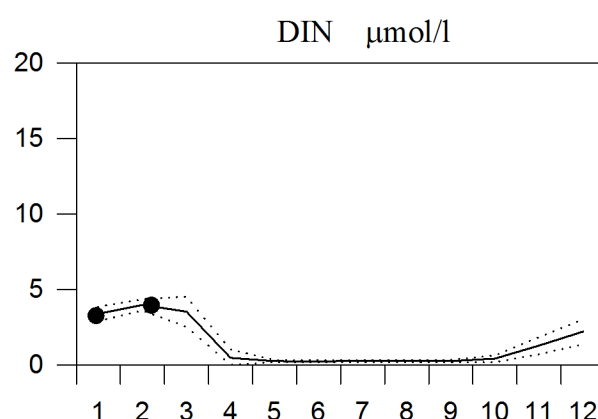
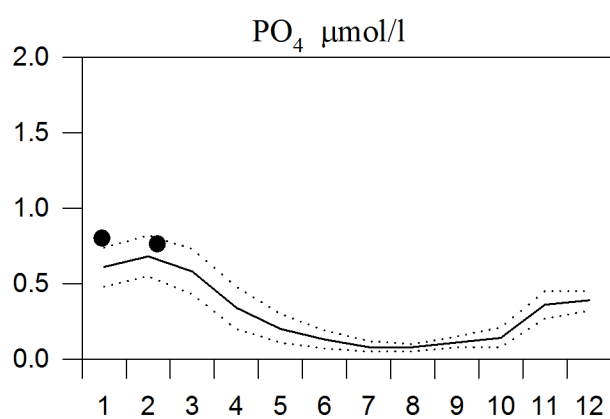
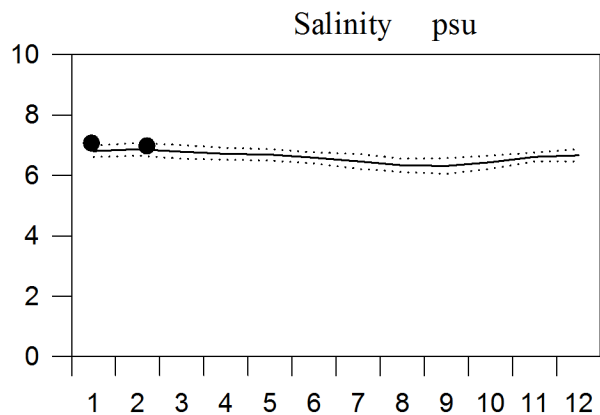
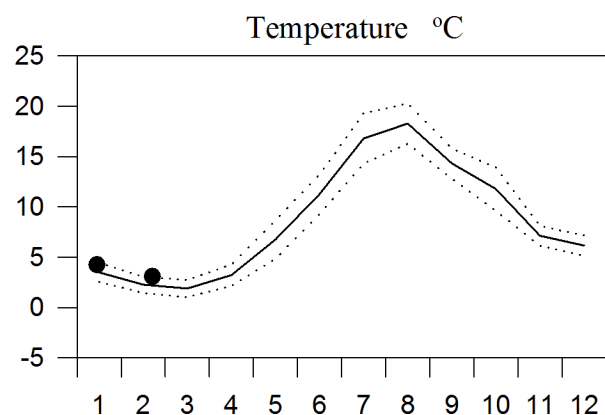
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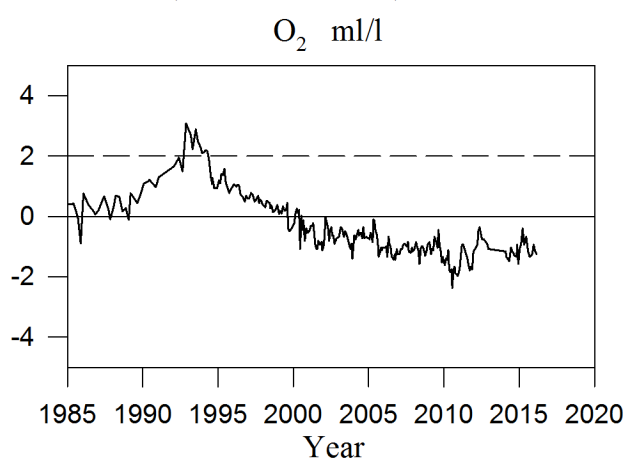
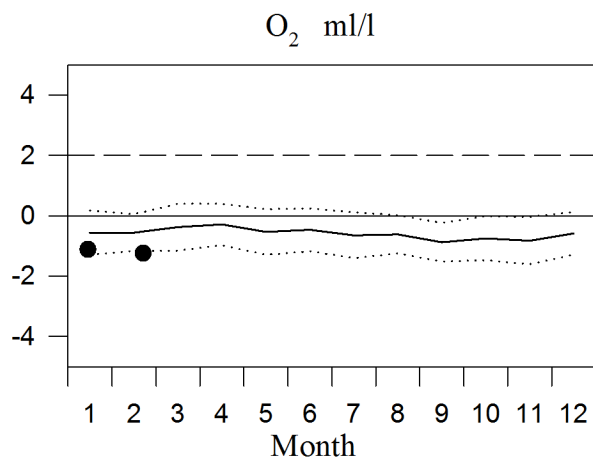
STATION BY32 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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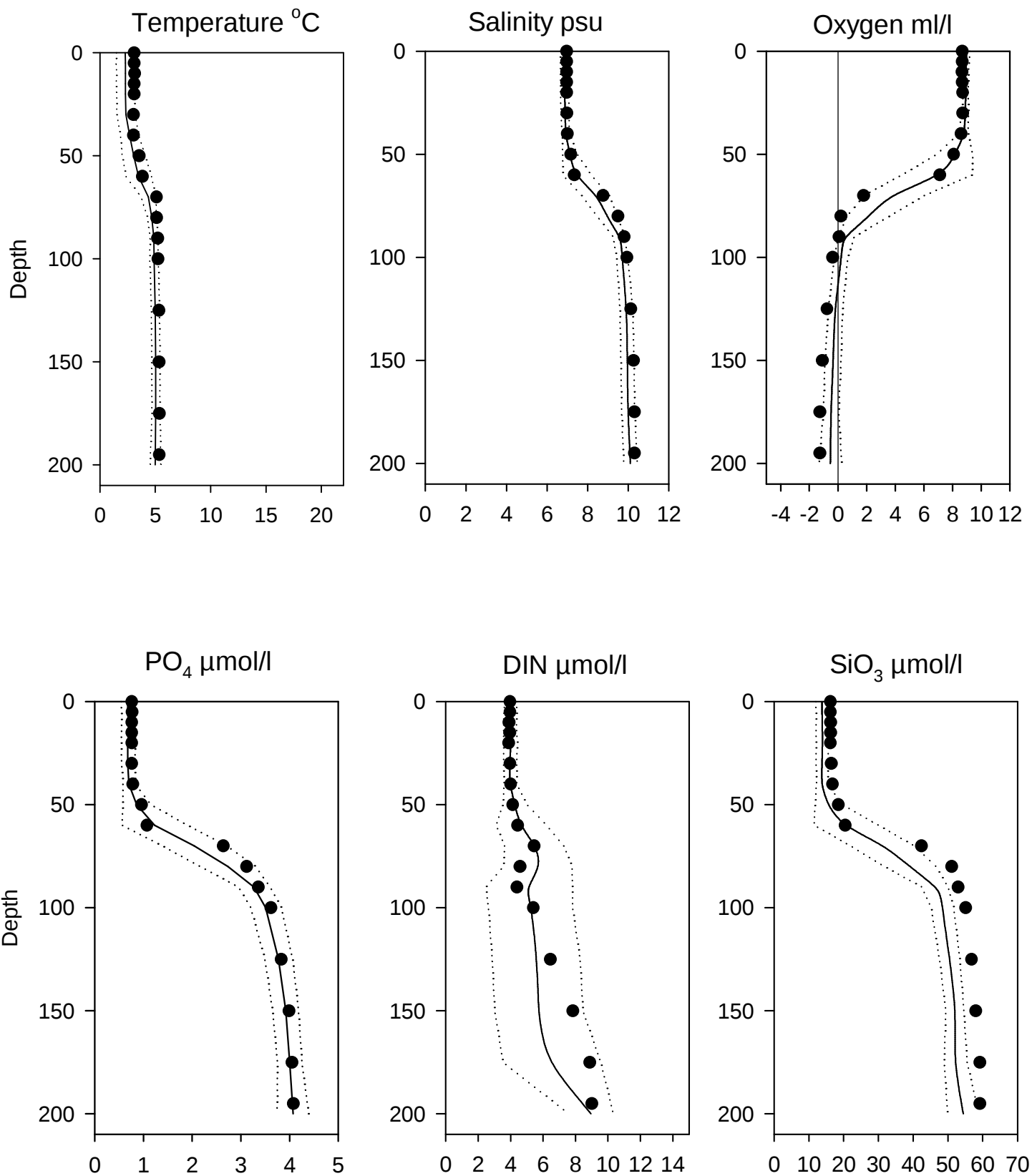


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth > 175m)



Vertical profiles BY32 February

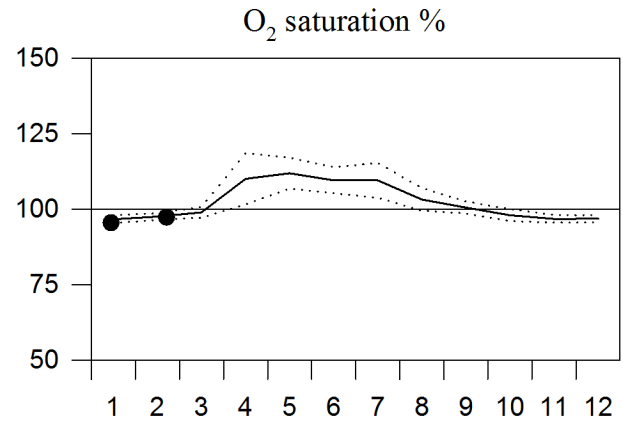
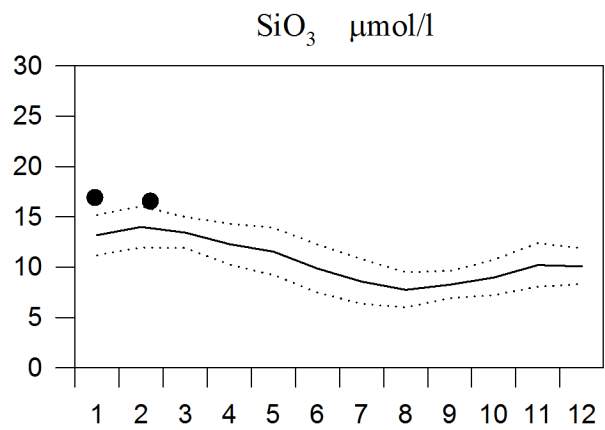
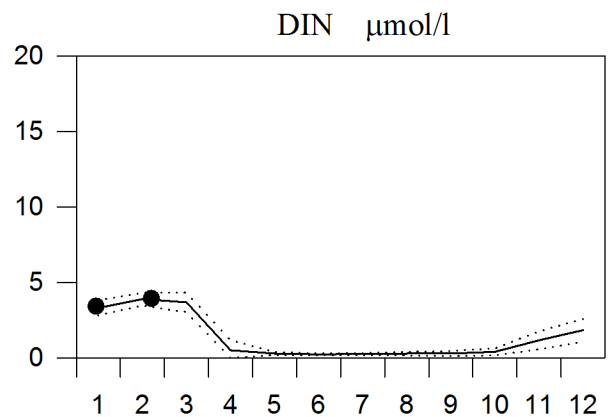
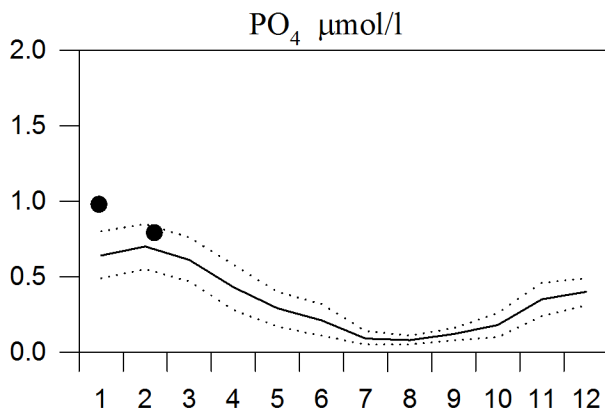
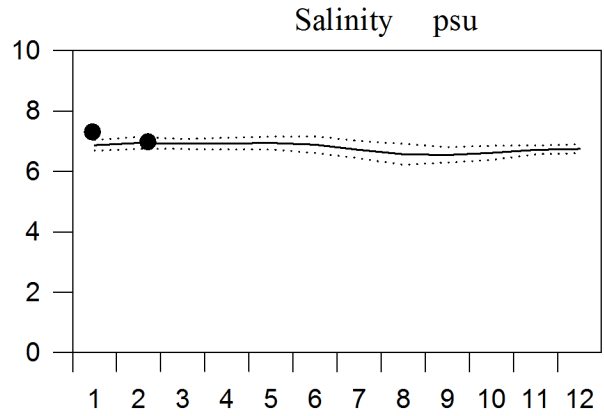
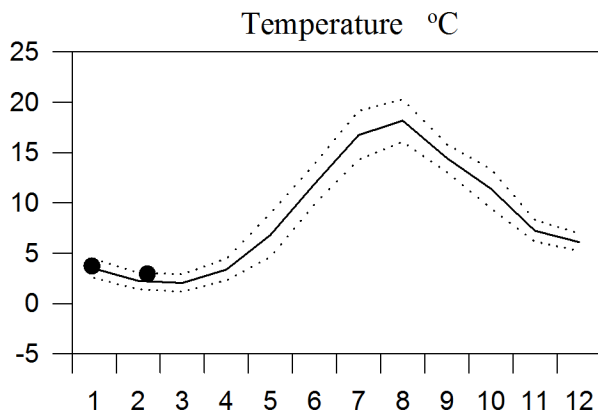
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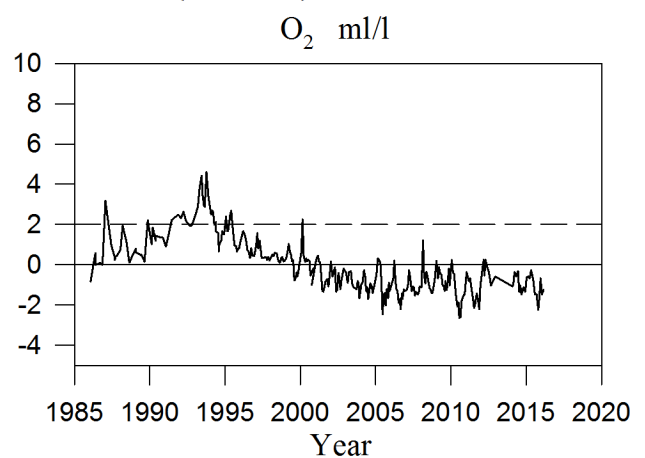
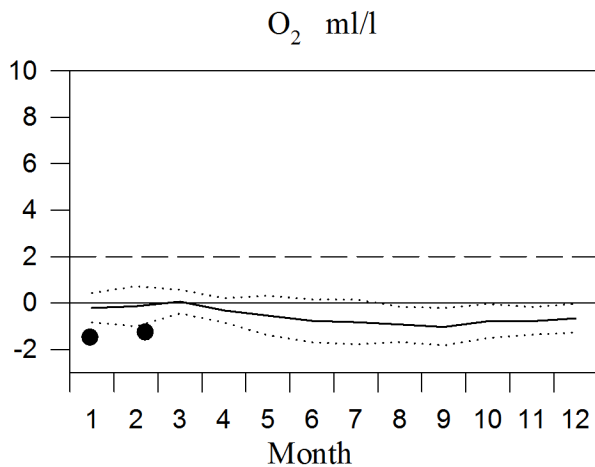
STATION BY38 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

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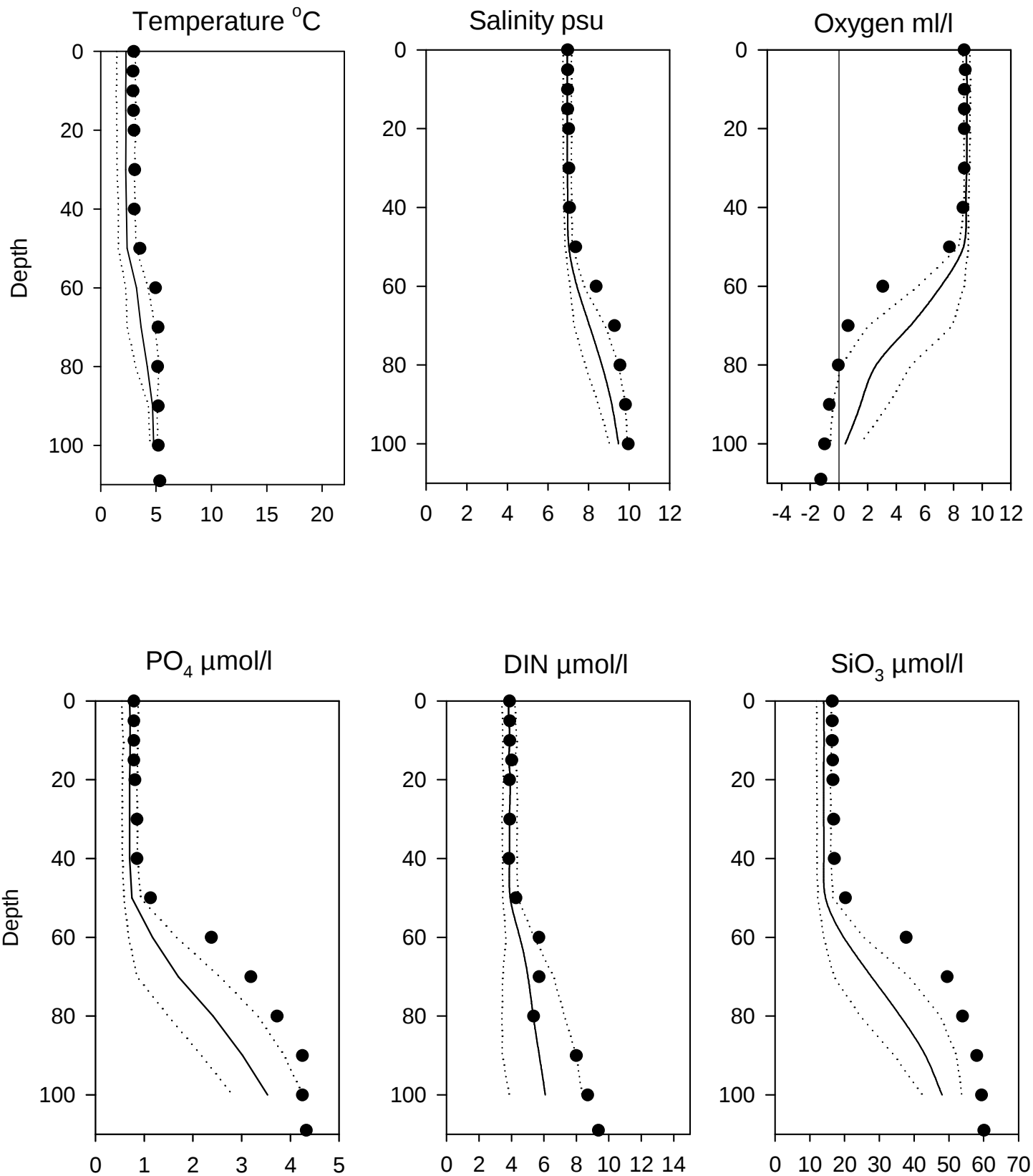


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (> 100m)



Vertical profiles BY38 February

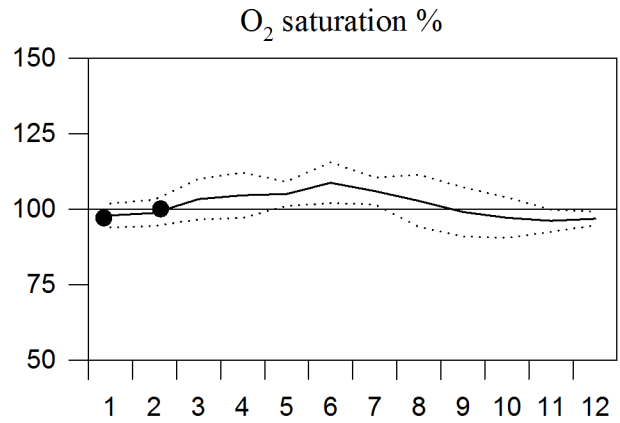
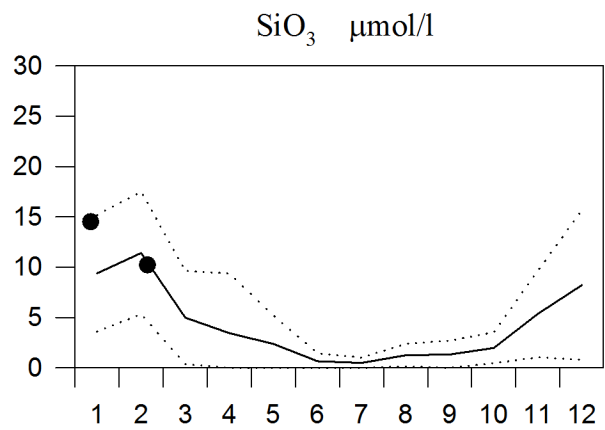
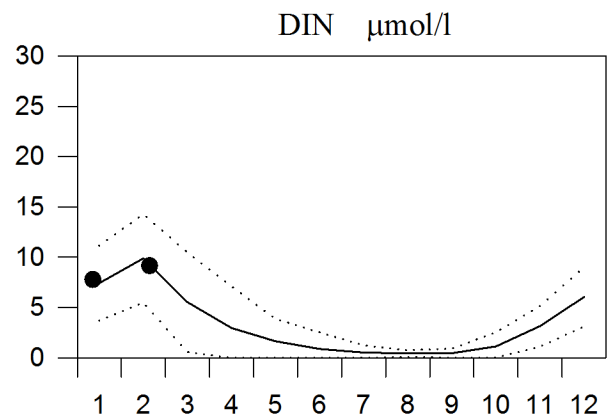
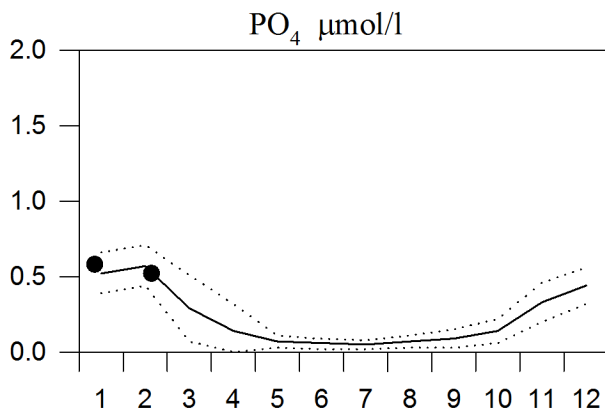
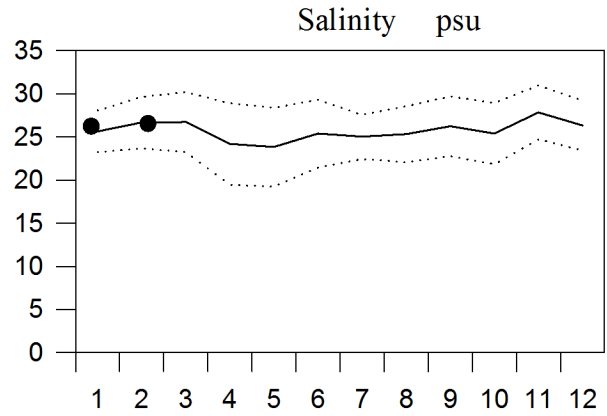
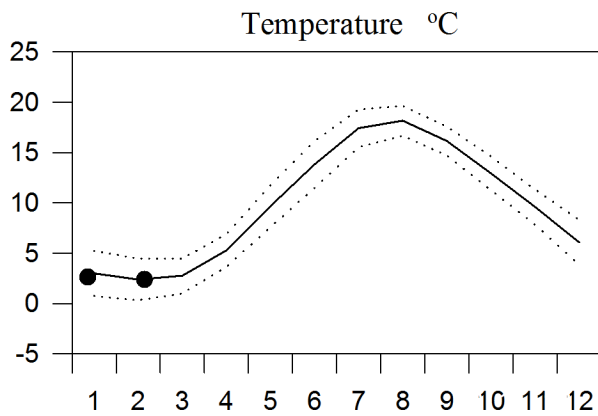
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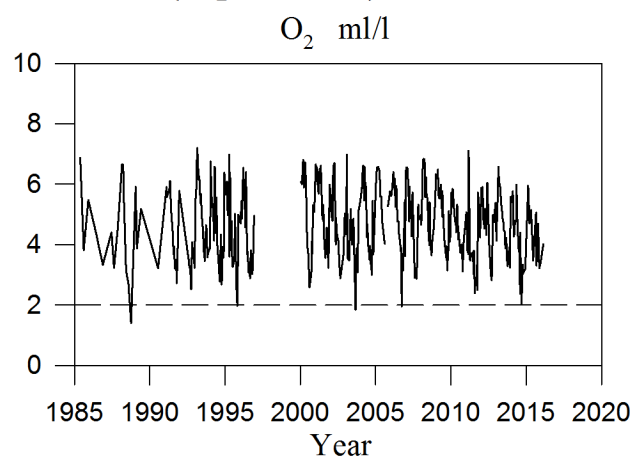
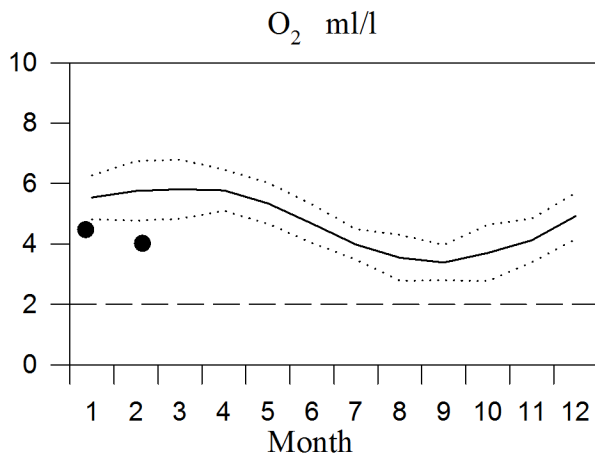
STATION SLÄGGÖ SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

— Mean 1996-2010 St.Dev. ● 2016



OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >50m)

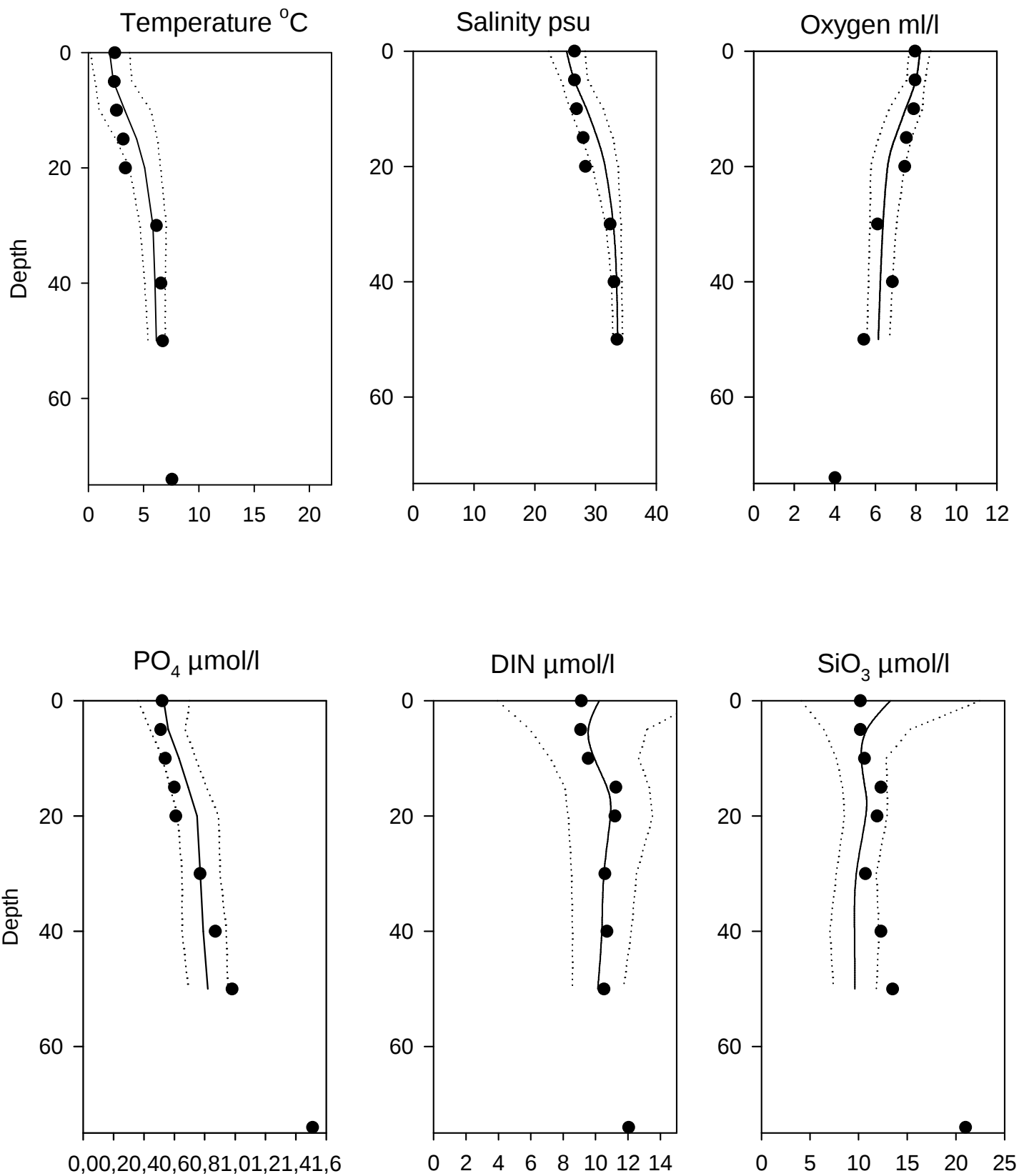


Vertical profiles Släggö February

Mean 1996-2010

St.Dev.

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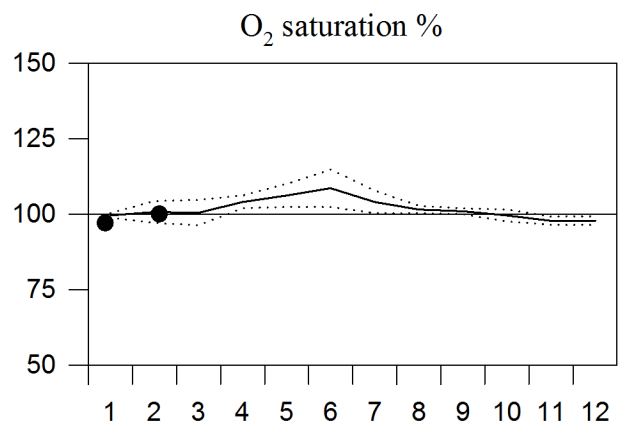
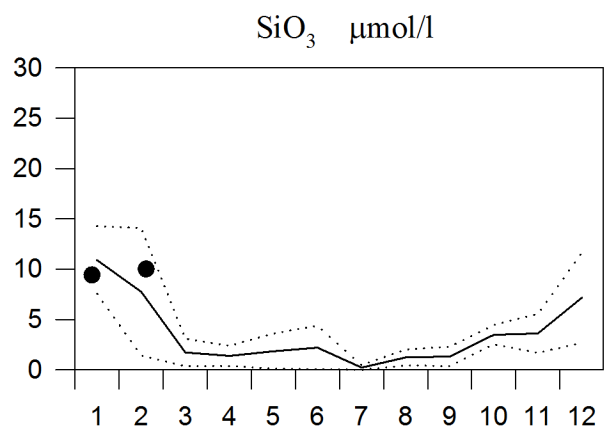
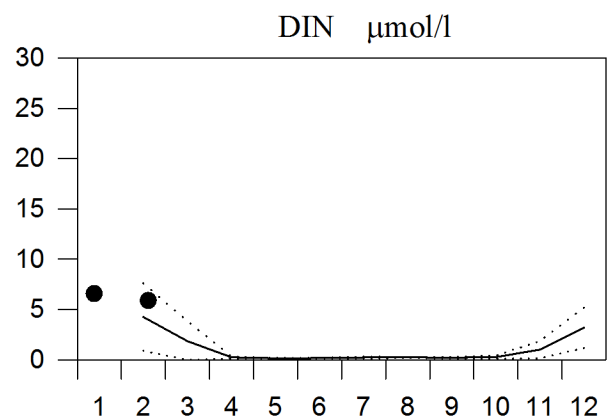
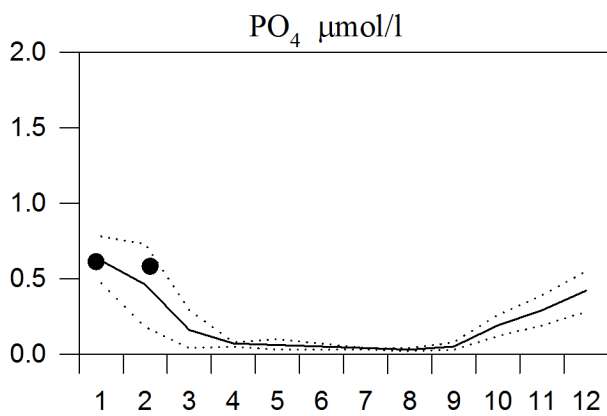
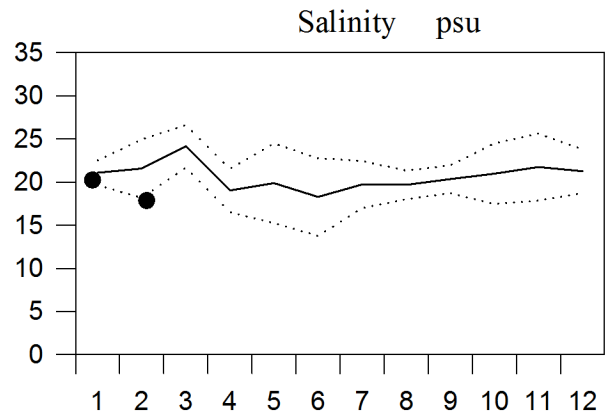
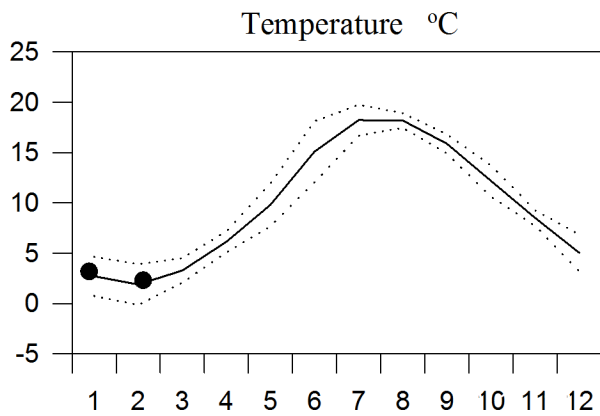
STATION N14 Falkenberg SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

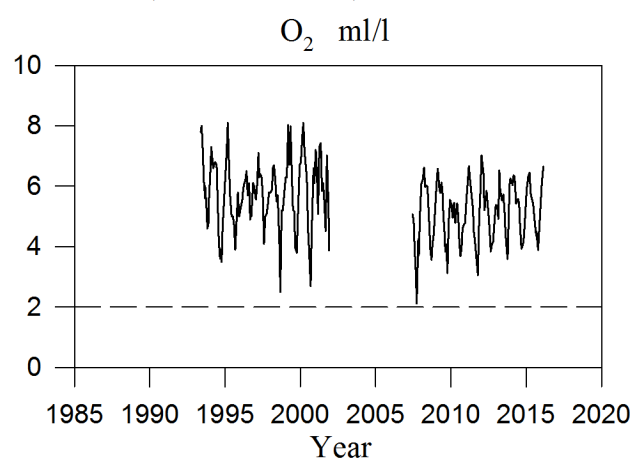
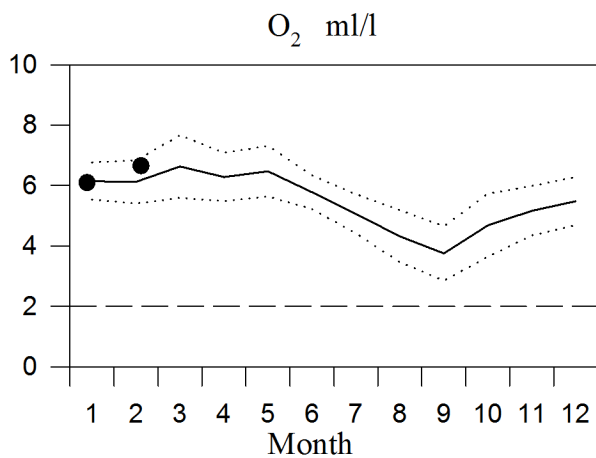
— Mean 2007-2010

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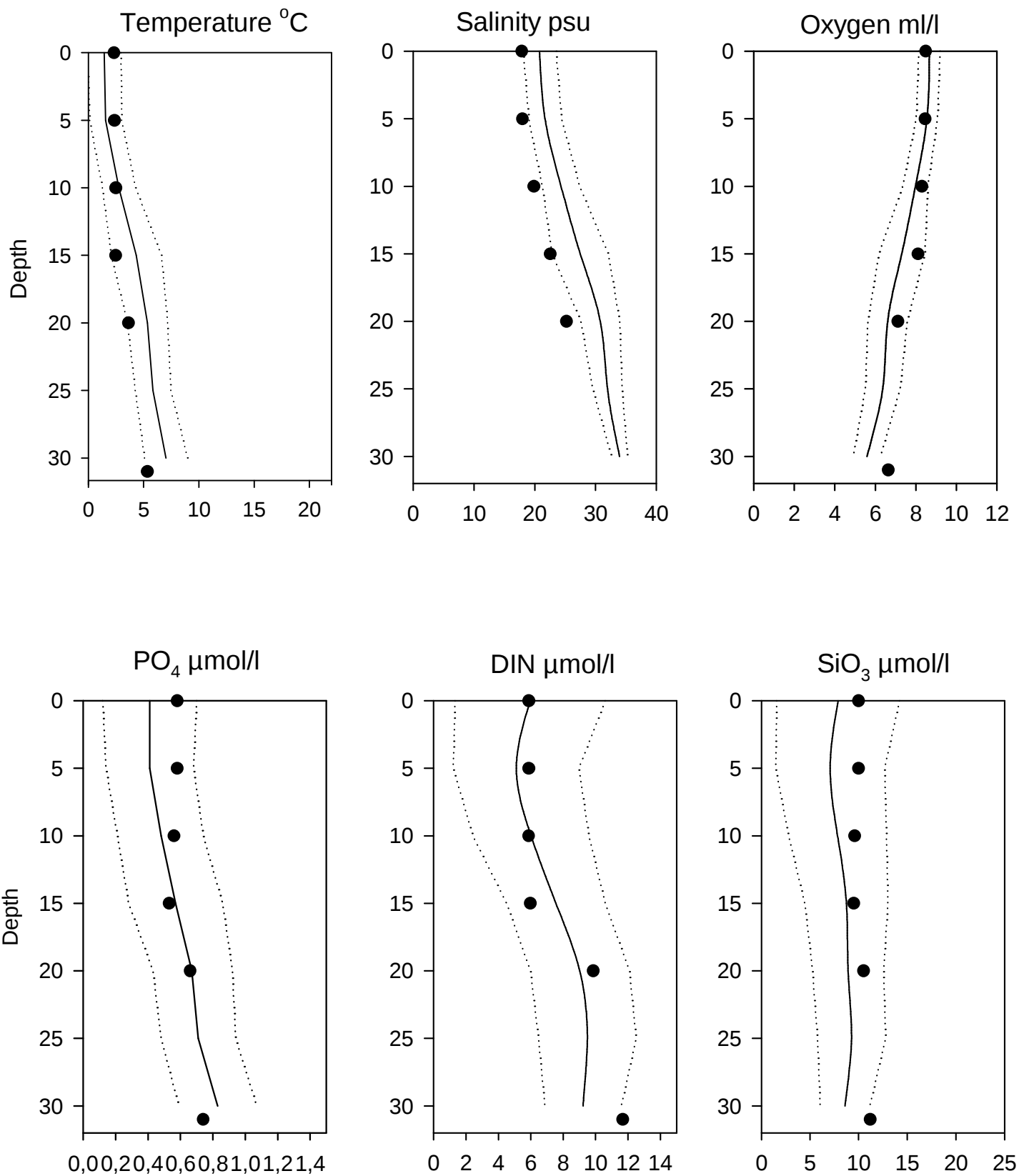


OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth > 25m)



Vertical profiles N14 Falkenberg February

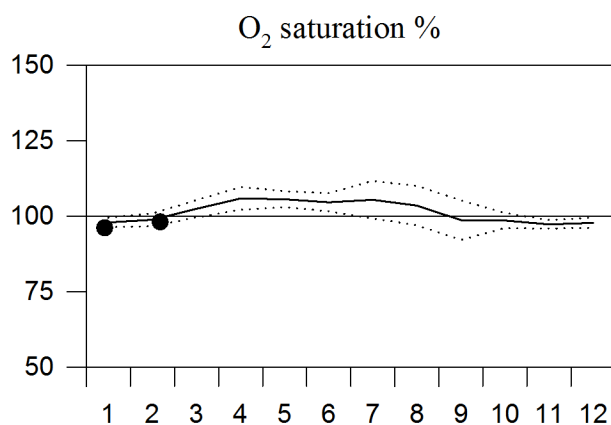
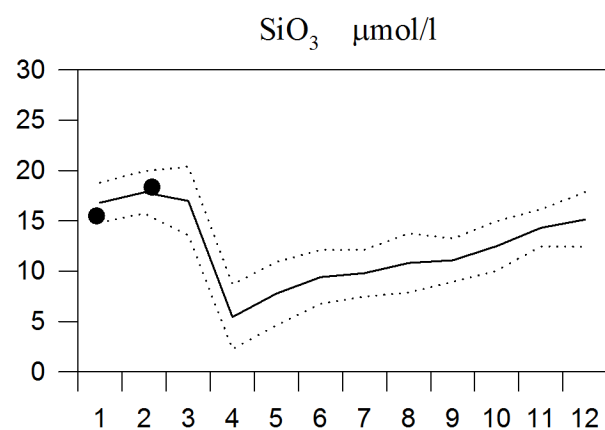
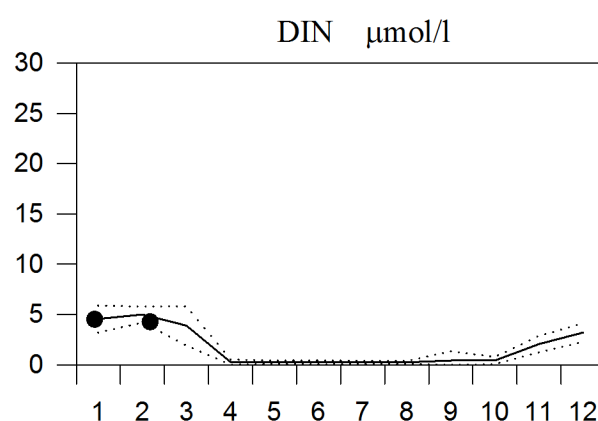
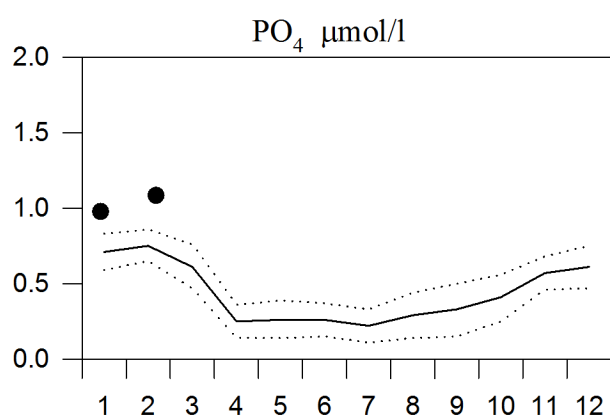
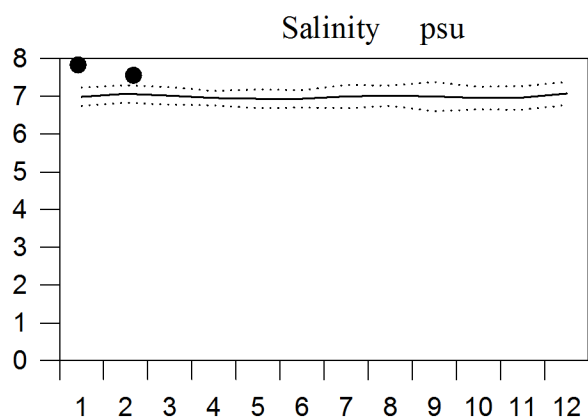
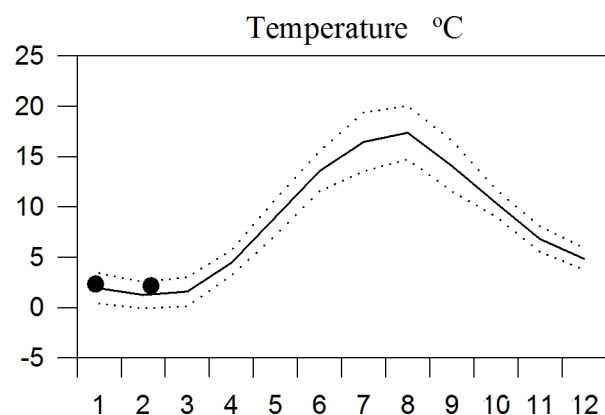
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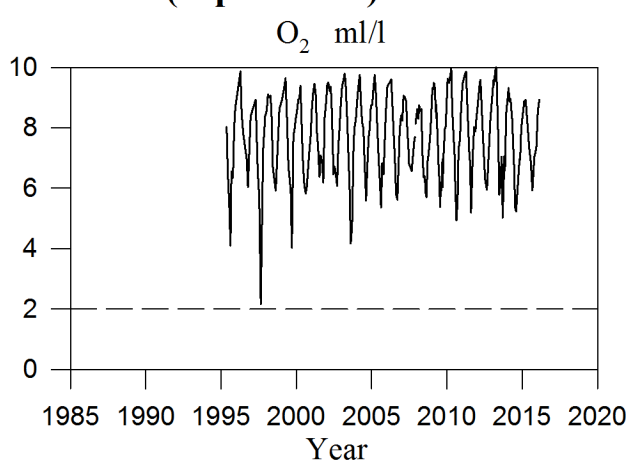
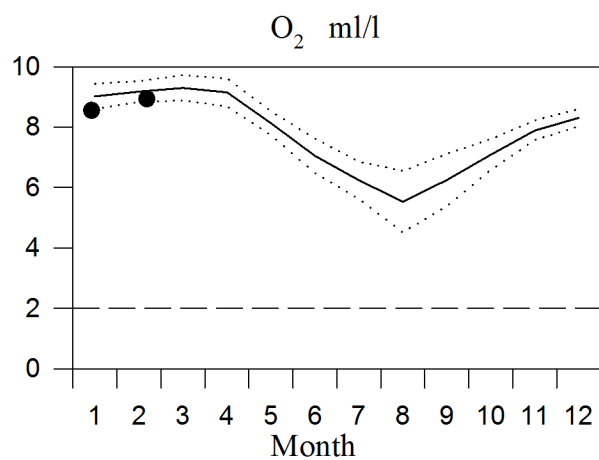
STATION REF M1V1 SURFACE WATER

Annual Cycles

— Mean 1996-2010 St.Dev. ● 2016



OXYGEN IN BOTTOM WATER (depth >15m)



Vertical profiles Ref M1V1 February

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