



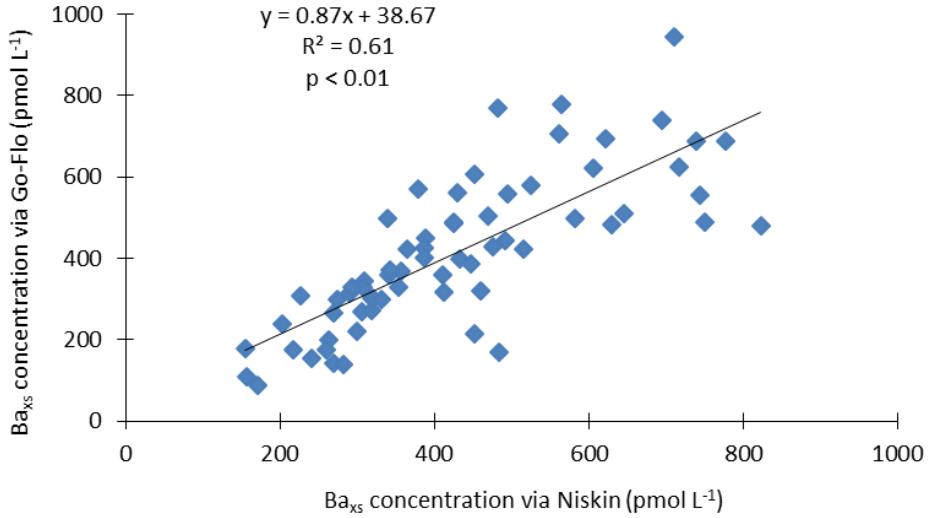
Supplement of

Particulate barium tracing of significant mesopelagic carbon remineralisation in the North Atlantic

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2 **Figure S1:** Comparison between the Ba_{xs} concentrations obtained on samples collected by two different sampling and
3 analytical methods (Niskin, $0.40 \mu\text{m}$ polycarbonate filters; and Go-Flo systems, paired $0.45 \mu\text{m}$ polyethersulfone and $5 \mu\text{m}$
4 mixed ester cellulose filters, see Gourain et al., 2018; this issue) for the 100-1000 m layer. See text for details.

5 **Table S1:** Particulate biogenic barium (Ba_{xs} ; in pmol L⁻¹) during GEOVIDE, obtained on samples collected from Niskin
 6 bottles. The apparent oxygen utilisation (AOU; in $\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) and the water mass age (in years) are also indicated.

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| Station 1 (40.3 °N/-10.0 °E) | | | | Station 13 (41.4°N/-13.9°E) | | | | Station 21 (46.5°N/-19.7°E) | | | |
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| Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age |
| (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) |
| 20 | 126 | ± 19 | | 20 | 239 | ± 53 | | 10 | 207 | ± 36 | |
| 40 | 195 | ± 13 | | 40 | 218 | ± 38 | | 20 | 566 | ± 113 | |
| 60 | 214 | ± 17 | | 60 | 177 | ± 42 | | 40 | 276 | ± 45 | |
| 79 | 363 | ± 35 | | 78 | 242 | ± 48 | | 60 | 181 | ± 35 | |
| 98 | 412 | ± 80 | 19 | 100 | 274 | ± 50 | 10 | 3.1 | 76 | 483 | ± 79 |
| 119 | 291 | ± 67 | | 120 | 306 | ± 50 | | 100 | 453 | ± 73 | 14 |
| 139 | 288 | ± 64 | | 140 | 379 | ± 71 | | 120 | 467 | ± 66 | 2.1 |
| 160 | 241 | ± 54 | 22 | 160 | 449 | ± 70 | | 140 | 502 | ± 74 | 14 |
| 200 | 340 | ± 88 | 30 | 200 | 425 | ± 64 | 14 | 2.9 | 160 | 338 | ± 56 |
| 249 | 470 | ± 111 | | 250 | 496 | ± 87 | | 200 | 340 | ± 51 | 15 |
| 299 | 310 | ± 101 | 43 | 300 | 582 | ± 90 | 31 | 9.0 | 300 | 491 | ± 76 |
| 399 | 263 | ± 70 | 54 | 400 | 961 | ± 147 | 17 | 4.6 | 400 | 379 | ± 57 |
| 499 | 286 | ± 86 | 72 | 500 | 357 | ± 62 | 34 | 13 | 500 | 524 | ± 91 |
| 597 | 483 | ± 103 | 79 | 600 | 319 | ± 61 | 51 | 22 | 600 | 424 | ± 69 |
| 702 | 156 | ± 95 | 81 | 700 | 305 | ± 54 | 79 | 38 | 700 | 364 | ± 59 |
| 800 | 159 | ± 62 | 82 | 800 | 259 | ± 51 | 89 | 48 | 800 | 308 | ± 48 |
| 1000 | 171 | ± 62 | 83 | 1000 | 270 | ± 49 | 88 | 59 | 1000 | 318 | ± 62 |
| 1505 | 157 | ± 62 | 58 | 1501 | 172 | ± 43 | 69 | 0.5 | 1200 | 212 | ± 40 |

| Station 26 (50.3°N/-22.6°E) | | | | Station 32 (55.5°N/-26.7°E) | | | | Station 38 (58.8°N/-31.3°E) | | | |
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| Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | Depth | Ba_{xs} | AOU | Water mass age |
| (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | ($\mu\text{mol kg}^{-1}$) | (years) |
| 20 | 1018 | ± 185 | | 10 | 86 | ± 16 | | 10 | 185 | ± 24 | |
| 50 | 1888 | ± 314 | | 20 | 170 | ± 26 | | 20 | 84 | ± 7 | |
| 75 | 378 | ± 54 | | 40 | 105 | ± 20 | | 40 | 159 | ± 28 | |
| 99 | 174 | ± 29 | 13 | 60 | 112 | ± 21 | | 60 | 103 | ± 18 | |
| 200 | 451 | ± 64 | 14 | 80 | 119 | ± 20 | | 80 | 169 | ± 29 | |
| 400 | 433 | ± 63 | 46 | 100 | 155 | ± 26 | -0.1 | 2.3 | 100 | 227 | ± 37 |
| 599 | 388 | ± 60 | 77 | 120 | 308 | ± 49 | | 120 | 346 | ± 51 | |
| 800 | 396 | ± 61 | 42 | 140 | 294 | ± 51 | 13 | 10 | 140 | 472 | ± 68 |
| 1000 | 320 | ± 47 | 49 | 161 | 480 | ± 80 | | 160 | 599 | ± 106 | |
| | | | 28 | 200 | 646 | ± 93 | 13 | 10 | 180 | 590 | ± 100 |
| | | | | 300 | 566 | ± 93 | 34 | 20 | 200 | 565 | ± 87 |
| | | | | 380 | 489 | ± 79 | 33 | 19 | 300 | 711 | ± 106 |
| | | | | 450 | 644 | ± 111 | 78 | 37 | 400 | 621 | ± 95 |
| | | | | 500 | 386 | ± 58 | 71 | 35 | 500 | 388 | ± 65 |
| | | | | 598 | 342 | ± 51 | 63 | 32 | 600 | 496 | ± 80 |
| | | | | 700 | 293 | ± 50 | 56 | 28 | 700 | 644 | ± 103 |
| | | | | 800 | 354 | ± 54 | 47 | 25 | 800 | 241 | ± 57 |
| | | | | 1000 | 269 | ± 46 | 40 | 22 | 1000 | 202 | ± 48 |

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| Station 44 (59.6°N/-38.9°E) | | | | | Station 51 (59.8°N/-42.0°E) | | | | | Station 53 (59.9°N/-43.01°E) | | | | |
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| Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | | Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | | Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | |
| (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | |
| 10 | 116 | ± 14 | | | 10 | 127 | ± 25 | | | 10 | 295 | ± 122 | | |
| 20 | 90 | ± 7 | | | 19 | 61 | ± 8 | | | 20 | 203 | ± 133 | | |
| 40 | 292 | ± 48 | | | 40 | 180 | ± 36 | | | 40 | 137 | ± 80 | | |
| 60 | 293 | ± 46 | | | 60 | 194 | ± 37 | | | 60 | 98 | ± 75 | | |
| 80 | 298 | ± 45 | | | 80 | 266 | ± 49 | | | 80 | 100 | ± 98 | | |
| 100 | 464 | ± 68 | 18 | 11 | 100 | 300 | ± 54 | 5.6 | 6.1 | 100 | 218 | ± 114 | | |
| 120 | 431 | ± 64 | | | 120 | 307 | ± 58 | | | 120 | 284 | ± 113 | | |
| 140 | 501 | ± 83 | 19 | 12 | 140 | 316 | ± 59 | 15 | 8.7 | 140 | 129 | ± 143 | | |
| 160 | 605 | ± 91 | | | 160 | 359 | ± 69 | | | | | | | |
| 200 | 695 | ± 104 | 18 | 11 | 180 | 251 | ± 55 | | | | | | | |
| 300 | 739 | ± 116 | 18 | 13 | 200 | 383 | ± 72 | 18 | 10 | | | | | |
| 400 | 747 | ± 111 | 19 | 12 | 300 | 495 | ± 84 | 22 | 12 | | | | | |
| 500 | 653 | ± 106 | 20 | 13 | 400 | 445 | ± 78 | 29 | 13 | | | | | |
| 600 | 483 | ± 83 | 24 | 15 | 500 | 299 | ± 65 | 38 | 17 | | | | | |
| 700 | 823 | ± 134 | 25 | 15 | 600 | 278 | ± 46 | | | | | | | |
| 800 | 632 | ± 89 | 22 | 14 | 700 | 275 | ± 47 | | | | | | | |
| 1100 | 284 | ± 54 | 40 | 24 | 800 | 225 | ± 47 | 40 | 17 | | | | | |
| 1401 | 298 | ± 52 | | | 1000 | 199 | ± 34 | 38 | 27 | | | | | |
| Station 64 (59.1°N/-46.1°E) | | | | | Station 69 (55.8°N/-48.1°E) | | | | | Station 77 (53.0°N/-51.1°E) | | | | |
| Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | | Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | | Depth | Ba _{xs} | AOU | Water mass age | |
| (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | | (m) | (pmol L ⁻¹) | (μmol kg ⁻¹) | (years) | |
| 10 | 61 | ± 13 | | | 11 | 58 | ± 13 | | | 10 | 104 | ± 6 | | |
| 20 | 143 | ± 32 | | | 20 | 148 | ± 11 | | | 20 | 113 | ± 9 | | |
| 40 | 99 | ± 22 | | | 41 | 178 | ± 40 | | | 39 | 170 | ± 16 | | |
| 60 | 97 | ± 22 | | | 60 | 198 | ± 46 | | | 60 | 316 | ± 57 | | |
| 80 | 112 | ± 23 | | | 80 | 358 | ± 72 | | | 80 | 374 | ± 63 | | |
| 100 | 282 | ± 47 | 10 | 7.3 | 100 | 459 | ± 89 | 20 | 13 | 100 | 411 | ± 71 | 6.8 | 7.8 |
| 120 | 432 | ± 77 | | | 120 | 505 | ± 96 | | | 120 | 381 | ± 68 | | |
| 140 | 506 | ± 86 | 17 | 9.0 | 140 | 550 | ± 102 | 22 | 14 | 140 | 369 | ± 61 | 11 | 9.6 |
| 160 | 458 | ± 91 | | | 160 | 525 | ± 91 | | | 160 | 418 | ± 84 | | |
| 199 | 447 | ± 89 | 19 | 10 | 200 | 619 | ± 97 | 20 | 13 | 200 | 493 | ± 87 | 15 | 11 |
| 300 | 500 | ± 104 | 19 | 12 | 300 | 768 | ± 121 | 23 | 13 | 300 | 503 | ± 75 | 17 | 12 |
| 400 | 332 | ± 82 | 20 | 12 | 400 | 682 | ± 119 | 22 | 14 | 401 | 470 | ± 80 | 23 | 13 |
| 500 | 717 | ± 115 | 18 | 10 | 502 | 778 | ± 123 | 23 | 13 | 500 | 509 | ± 86 | 23 | 16 |
| 600 | 696 | ± 100 | | | 601 | 831 | ± 135 | 23 | 15 | 601 | 445 | ± 73 | 24 | 14 |
| 700 | 516 | ± 83 | 22 | 13 | 700 | 863 | ± 135 | | | 700 | 561 | ± 88 | 24 | 15 |
| 800 | 750 | ± 121 | 19 | 11 | 802 | 744 | ± 113 | 23 | 15 | 800 | 575 | ± 101 | 26 | 16 |
| 900 | 630 | ± 108 | 22 | 14 | 900 | 663 | ± 111 | | | 901 | 583 | ± 93 | 25 | 15 |
| 1000 | 580 | ± 98 | 25 | 15 | 1001 | 741 | ± 119 | 24 | 16 | 1002 | 475 | ± 70 | 25 | 15 |
| | | | | | 1500 | 535 | ± 91 | | | | | | | |