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Submesoscale Processes in the Ocean

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Submesoscale currents occur on lateral scales of 100 m–10 km in the ocean and are found worldwide, in the upper ocean as well as in the abyssal ocean. A broad range of observational, theoretical, and numerical studies are needed to achieve further understanding of their generation mechanisms, 3D dynamics, variability, impact on energy dissipation, mixing and transport of tracers, and interactions with biogeochemical variables, as well as to quantify and parameterize the upscale effects of submesoscale processes on large-scale circulation and global biogeochemical budgets. In this Special Issue of Fluids, "Submesoscale Processes in the Ocean", we welcome all new research contributions to the field.

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