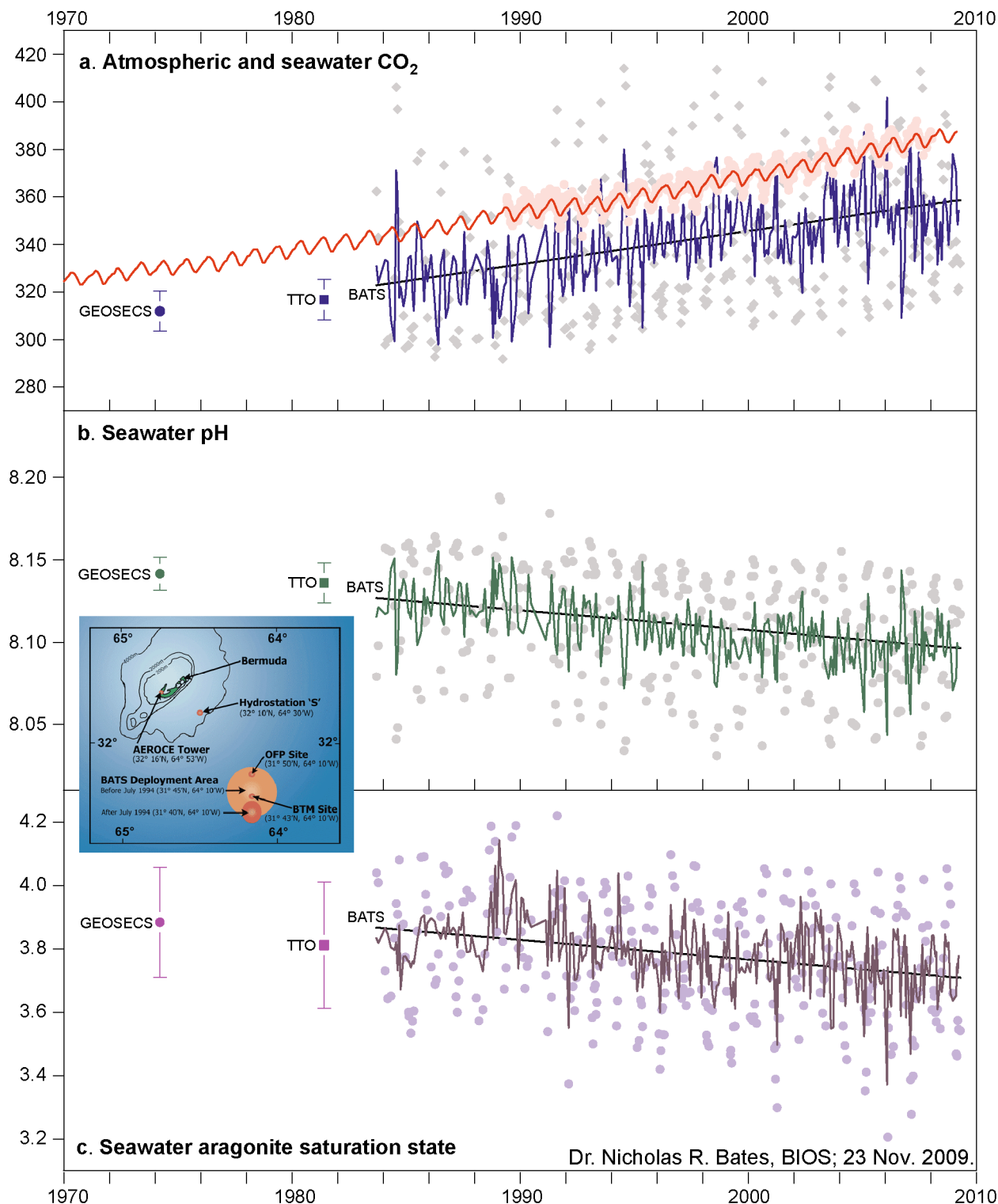


# Time-series BATS: The longest continuous ocean time-series of seawater carbon dioxide levels and the impact of ocean acidification on seawater pH and aragonite (calcium carbonate) saturation states



**Figure 1.** Time-series of atmospheric and ocean carbon dioxide, pH and aragonite saturation states. **a.** time-series of atmospheric carbon dioxide (in parts per million) from Mauna Loa, Hawaii (red line), and Bermuda (pink symbol), and surface ocean seawater carbon dioxide ( $\mu\text{atm}$ ) at the Bermuda Atlantic Time-series Study (BATS) site off -Bermuda. Observed (grey) and seasonally detrended (blue line) surface ocean seawater carbon dioxide levels are shown. Earlier seawater data from the GEOSECS and TTO expeditions in the North Atlantic Ocean are also shown in this and following panels. **b.** time-series of surface ocean seawater pH at the BATS site off Bermuda. Observed (grey) and seasonally detrended (green line) seawater pH are shown. **c.** time-series of surface ocean aragonite saturation state ( $\Omega$ ) for calcium carbonate at the BATS site off Bermuda. Observed (purple) and seasonally detrended (purple line) seawater aragonite saturation state ( $\Omega$ ) are shown. Statistical and seasonal detrending methods follow Bates (2007), Bates and Peters (2007), and Bindoff et al. (2007).

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