2 Itinerary and Cruise Track

The cruise track and science operation sites are shown in Figure 2.

Figure 1: JR16002 cruise track

3 Objectives

RRS James Clark Ross cruise JR16002 was a combination of logistics and two science projects:

- Continuous Ocean Monitoring Methods: Drake Passage
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  Aim: To recover five bottom pressure recorder (BPR) landers from the continental slopes on either side of the passage, contributing to the long time-series of Antarctic Circumpolar Current transport through Drake Passage; to maintain tide gauges at Stanley, Vernadsky, and Rothera. Funded by NERC National Capability ACCLAIM.