

Voyage SS10-2004

Hot subduction – recycling of oceanic crust in a dynamic W Pacific setting.

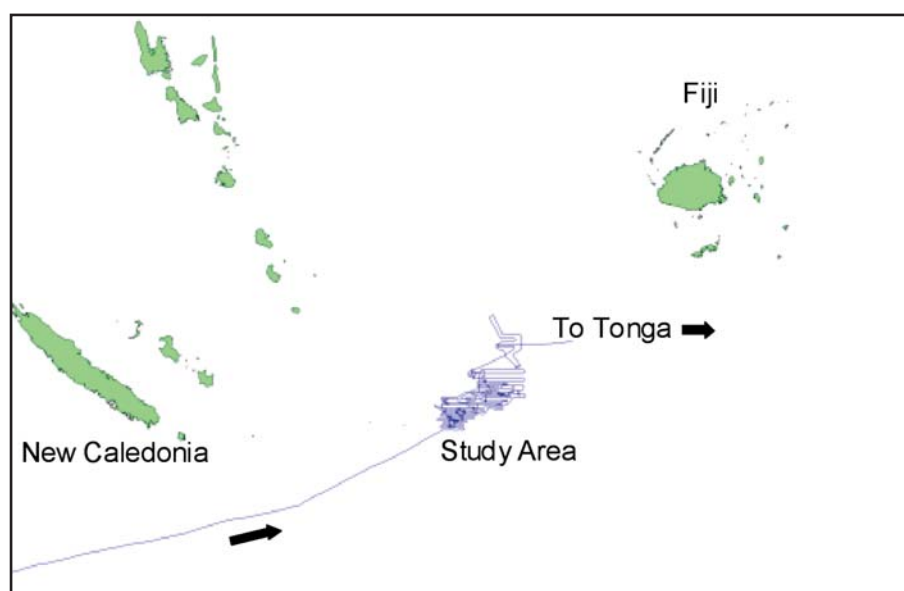
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The potential of the voyage to contribute to Australia's national benefit:

The SW Pacific region has, for at least the last 10 years, seen a great deal of marine based investigation by research groups from Australia, USA, France and Germany. The international focus illustrates the importance of the region.

The voyage enhanced knowledge of how the Australian continent is growing, and of the processes applicable to interpreting older rock sequences, which are valuable for our mineral exploration capacities.



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