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Observing coastal circulation in a hotspot of ocean warming.

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The ocean that lies between Australia and New Zealand is one of the fastest warming ocean regions on the planet. What do these changes mean for Australia and potentially NZ at the tail pipe of a major ocean current system? How does the global ocean circulation affect my piece of coastline? How do we know the ocean is warming? Where do baby lobster drift before settling at the coast? How will our coastal oceans change as the ocean gets warmer and how will this affect baby lobsters? What can New Zealand do to measure the impacts of ocean warming? These and other questions will be explored in this lecture.