

Future Work

Toward WGCV 30

WGCV-29, 30 September – October 3, 2008, Avignon, France



Main activities

- GEO Tasks (status just presented)
- Four questions have been raised during WGCV 29:
 - QA4EO implementation
 - Data Quality
 - Data Policy
 - Education and Communication
 - Cal/Val sites
 - Dictionary
 - Metadata Archiving



QA4EO Implementation

- We have now an approved framework
- Create a QA4EO implementation Working Group responsible for:
 - Maintain QA4EO
 - Promote the use of QA4EO
 - Support users in implementing QA4EO
 - Manage procedure review
- Setup cooperation with WGISS for its implementation



Calibration Validation Sites

- Four classes of sites
 - Land Equipped Sites
 - Sea Equipped Sites
 - Land Non Equipped Sites
 - Sea Non Equipped Sites
- The scope of the project is to make a list of the existing Cal/Val site with enough detailed information to give the CEOS WGCV the opportunity of selecting some of them as "CEOS Cal/Val sites" with the recommendation to use them for Sensor inter-calibration (a typical example is Dome-C).



Calibration Validation Sites

- A pre-filled questionnaire was sent.
- A formal request from CEOS WGCV Chair and IVOS Chair will be sent to the Cal/Val owners
 - Verify and complete the information included in the questionnaire.
 - Send back the questionnaire to WGCV / IVOS
- A working Group to review the report and to make a proposal for a list of "CEOS Cal/Val Sites".



Dictionary

- Part of QA4EO implementation Education and Communication
- In collaboration with WGISS
- Long Term activity
- Proposal
 - Create a working Group responsible for:
 - Collecting the existing information.
 - Propose a strategy (work plan) for completing the information
 - Liaising with WGISS.

CE S Committee on Earth Observation Satellites

Working Group on Calibration & Validation

Metadata Archiving

• Work with WGISS to define.





A Workshop ???

- To cover these issues
- Linked to the inter-calibration experiment ?
- At WGCV #27 (NPL Teddington) proposal to organise a Workshop in Ankara (S. Gürol -Tubitak Uzay)



WGCV #30

- One invitation from Gilberto Camara INPE.
 The WGCV Chair requests all WGCV members to
 - investigate the possibility to host future WGCV.
- WGCV # 30 Sao Jose dos Campos -Brazil
 - Before the workshop
 - After the workshop

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