



International DORIS Service

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GOVERNING BOARD MEETING Venice, Italy, March 14, 2006

AGENDA:

- DORIS Special Issue in Journal of Geodesy
- Annual reports (IERS, IDS, IAG)
- Station selection group
- Main conclusions from meeting discussions
- IDS web site
- IGN DORIS Data Center
- Future IDS GB meetings
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MAIN DECISIONS :

- 2003-2005 IDS report
- 2005 IERS report (F. Lemoine, M. Feissel-Vernier, H. Fagard) + IAG
- Analysis campaign to be defined (F. Lemoine, L. Soudarin, P. Willis, P. Stepanek + Analysis forum)
- Letter to CNES about PLEIADE and to NOAA+NASA+US Navy about NPOESS
- IDS reports: IDS recom. for ITRF2004...
- Letter to IGN about Data Center
- Next GB meeting: EGU, Vienna (TBD)
- Next IDS Workshop to be defined according to Analysis Campaign status before July 2007.

ATTENDEES:

Governing Board: Frank Lemoine, John Ries, Laurent Soudarin, Gilles Tavernier, Pascal Willis

Guest: Jean-Jacques Valette

DORIS Special Issue in Journal of Geodesy	18 papers of good quality received : - 2 accepted - 1 rejected - 7 sent back to authors after review - 1 in second review process - 7 being reviewed (to be finished before end of March) 17 papers = double issue. - 5 more papers not submitted, but some people are still working on them : would probably be published in regular issues of the Journal. Expected termination of the Special Issue : May-June for acceptance/rejection + 3 weeks for pdf on-line on Springer Web site + 1 to 3 months for printing	
Annual reports	- IERS :	

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(IERS, IDS, IAG)	Request by Bern Richter : Hervé and Frank - IDS (2005) GT send back every contribution for update (mi 2003-end 2005) Deadline mid April (1 week after EGU) - IAG Next IAG EC: April 3rd, Vienna (Austria)	
Station selection group	No need for a group as long as no beacon is available. What about people willing to buy a beacon for a new station? Using second generation beacons as is (possible to shift frequency by hand?) or with 3rd generation synthesizer? GT will check what is available in CNES and what can be done.	G. Tavernier
Main conclusions from meeting discussions	Future missions New “customer” looking for a DORIS receiver: volume, weight, power requirement, price? CB : add information on the web site PLEIADE & DORIS constellation: is it possible to get the DORIS measurements? GB to send a letter to? (GT contact Eric Boussarie) + NPOESS (FL)? Analysis coordination Define a plan for a campaign for different levels of participation (2004):. Simple tests for new ACs developing software packages, SAA effect on Jason, TRF scale factor, orbit differences between AC and external multitechnique solutions, geocenter.... 2-steps: short period (1 month: models, Jason/SAA...) then one year Frank + Pascal + Laurent + Petr, then forum discussion, then call for participation & call for validation + presentation of results during a specific workshop	Central Bureau G. Tavernier F. Lemoine
IDS web site	Current status and plans - Bibliography (3 levels). We should ask to different editors whether it is possible to put the pdf on a web site or at least be able to click using the DOI for most recent articles to get the abstract or more (depending on licence) - New site logs presentation: link to std/gif stations coordinates time series web page: - MOE residuals statistics: feedback expected - Need for a logbook text file (maneuvers...) : system events file? GT sends address of the page & JR sends the address of the equivalent Grace page. - IDS recommendations for ITRF 2004. Should we give an IDS document number (IDS report)? Yes, CB to make a proposal - Number of hits still growing. May need to get additional statistics if it corresponds to new users or more extensive uses from current users. - Ask Carey Noll for breakdown of volume and source of downloads by product type. IE we wish to answer question who is downloading what?	PW CB GB G. Tavernier CB CB



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	Future plans: Think about a new structure of the web site to ease navigation. Ideas to be found on the ILRS web site that could be taken as a good example. Get Martine Feissel-Vernier's Analysis web pages or information within these pages back to the IDS web site. STCD format description to be added (draft sent by Laurent to Frank) + script to make the plot should be made available to all ACs + same a priori values for station coordinates to be adopted by all ACs (proposal to be made) Analysis forum: Frank replaces Martine as moderator. EOP rate discussion to be transferred to the Analysis forum.	GB + CB CB CB + PW CB + PW
IGN DORIS Data Center	IDS should write a letter to IGN: Data Center not up-to-date, is IGN willing to go on maintaining this data center or should IDS look for another data center (Jacques Poulain). Letter by Frank.	FL + PW
Next GB Meeting	- EGU : Tuesday, Thursday ? (TBD) - AGU – San Francisco ? - Next workshop ? with an ILRS Meeting ? Spring or Summer 2007? Depends on the campaign? Decision before July 2006.	GT