

PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND WORK SCHEDULE

Meeting Room: Bulding 121 Room 027 (ground floor)

Day 1 – 5 Oct 2015 (half day)

12:30 *Site Entry / Registration*

13:00 1. Welcome and Opening Remarks

Welcome - Mark Drinkwater (Chair - PSTG)

Local host information / logistics (M. Gottwald / D. Floricioiu)

13:15 2. Introductions to Participants (All)

13:30 3. Approval of Agenda (M. Drinkwater)

14:00 4. Review of Action Items (Secretariat)

14:30 5. DLR Radar Based Polar and Cryosphere Activities

Keynote Presentation (M. Zink, DLR)

15:15 *Coffee Break*

15:30 6. EC-PORS-6 Update (M. Drinkwater) [doc.]

Update on WMO 17th Congress (Cg17)

Approved Projects and Extension of PSTG Mandate

16:00 7. Global Cryosphere Watch (GCW) [doc.]

CryoNet Status (J. Key) - via WebEx

SnowPEX Status (T. Nagler)

Snow Products Intercomparison Workshop (T. Nagler)

17:00 8. Finalizing the Strategic Plan 2015 – 2018 (M. Drinkwater)

17:45 *Adjourn Day 1*

Technical Visit (GSOC)

Day 2 – 6 Oct 2015

9:00 DLR Official Welcome (R. Bamler – Director)

9:05 9. DLR Atmospheric Missions with relevance to Cryosphere-Atmosphere Coupling

Keynote Presentation:

Stratospheric Ozone (D Loyola, DLR)

Future Atmospheric Missions (T. Trautmann, DLR)

9:50 10. Progress Update: SAR CWG Activities (Y. Crevier – Chair SAR CWG)

10:20 *Coffee Break*

10:35 11. Focus Session: Progress in Addressing Floating Ice User Requirements

PSTG Strategic Goals (M. Ondras)

Progress in Addressing Science Goals (TBC. S. Howell)

Agency Tour-de-Table: Initiatives Addressing User Requirements

(ASI, CNES, CSA, CMA, DLR, ESA, EUMETSAT, INPE, JAXA, NASA, NOAA, PLANETA, USGS)

Summary of Plans, Actions and Remaining Gaps (All)

12:00 12. World Glacier Monitoring by Satellites

Keynote Presentation:

WGMS and GTN-G – M. Zemp (WGMS)

Glacier Monitoring from Space - F. Paul (Glacier CCI)

12:45 *Lunch*

13:45 13. Focus Session: Progress in Addressing Glacier & Ice Sheet Requirements

PSTG Strategic Goals (M. Ondras)

Progress in Addressing Science Goals (B. Scheuchl & T. Nagler)

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15:45 *Coffee Break*

16:00 14. Year of Polar Prediction Planning Status (T. Jung)

YOPP Summit (T. Jung)

PSTG Strategic Goals (M. Ondras)

Discussion of Response to Polar Prediction Needs (All)

Potential Agency Contributions

18:00 *Adjourn Day 2*

Evening Event (about 19:30)

Day 3 – 7 Oct 2015

9:00 15. Focus Session: Progress in Addressing Permafrost User Requirements (All)

PSTG Strategic Goals (M. Ondras)

Progress in Addressing Science Goals (A. Bartsch)

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Summary of Plans, Actions and Remaining Gaps (All)

11:00 *Coffee Break*

11:30 16. Focus Session: Progress in Addressing Snow User Requirements

PSTG Strategic Goals (M. Ondras)

Progress in Addressing Science Goals & Remaining Gaps (D. Small/T. Nagler)

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Summary of Plans, Actions and Remaining Gaps (All)

12:30 *Lunch (“Bavarian Style”)*

13:30 17. New User Requirements

Community Review of Southern Ocean Satellite Data Needs (TBC SCAR/SOOS)
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Discussion

14:15 18. Synthesis of Agency Contributions to Address User Requirements (All)

15:15 *Coffee Break*

15:30 19. Status of Membership (M. Ondras)

15:15 20. Summary of PSTG-5 Actions - 60 mins

16:15 21. Plans for Next Meeting - 30 mins

17:00 22. Any Other Business - 30 mins

17:30 *Adjourn Session*

Note: SAR-CWG-4 to follow on 8-9 Oct at same venue. PSTG Members invited to stay for this meeting.

WebEx Participation:

Larry Hothem (USGS):

Tuesday, 6 Oct, between 14.00 and 18.00 local CEST time (12.00-16.00 UTC).

Wednesday 7 Oct, between 14.00 and 18.00 local CEST time (12.00-16.00 UTC).

Jeff Key (NOAA):

Tuesday, 6 Oct, 13:00hrs CEST onwards.

Wednesday 7 Oct, from 15:00 hrs CEST onwards