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MODIS Science Data Support Team (SDST) Meeting Minutes 08/21/92

TENDEES: Paul Anuta, Lloyd Carpenter, Paul Chan, Tom Goff, Jim  
nsby, J. J. Pan, Debbie Ramey, Lalit Wanchoo.

XT MEETING:      Date            Time      Building Room  
                 Friday, August 28 10:00 am    22      G95

PICS:

Debbie Ramey (MDSSC/CSC) discussed the EOS-AM1 Operations  
Concepts for Edward Chang (Code 421), EOS-AM Operations Manager.  
Presentation included:

1/ C Command and Data Handling (C&DH)

2/ Space-Ground Communication Links: K-Band and S-Band

3/ End-to-End Data System, Science and Engineering Data

4/ EOS - Return Link Data Processing

5/ CSDS Packet Data Format

6/ EOS - DAAC - Control Center, EOC Context

7/ Level-0 and Quick Look Processed Data

8/ Scheduling and Commanding - Command Data - Data Flow

9/ Housekeeping Data; Health and Safety Data.

MODIS AIRBORNE SIMULATOR (MAS): Liam Gumley (on vacation)

distributed a progress report for the handout. Considerable  
effort was spent on extending and improving the NetCDF file  
structure, including a re-write of the NetCDF interface routine  
FORTRAN-77. An itemized list of the major changes is given in  
handout, together with a detailed example of a flight-line

MAS software was also simplified and streamlined in the way  
location data are computed.

MAS Metadata generation program was written to summarize the  
headline parameters for all of the NetCDF MAS files for any

en flight.

processing of the MAS FIRE dataset is proceeding.

**MODIS HIGHER-LEVEL PROCESSING SHELL DESIGN:** J.J. Pan has  
lated the algorithm dependency diagram based on updated input  
a information provided by the SPSO. Several questions were  
ntified. These were discussed with Dr. Mike King who said  
: the dependency diagram would provide him with some useful  
ormation in considering which algorithms are essential in the  
t phase.

conceptual algorithm integration plan is being prepared to:

describe the relationships between algorithms and the shell,

address questions arising when required input data are  
nvalid or unavailable, and

specify the toolkit requirements for algorithm integration.

updated schedule for a typical algorithm integration was  
luded in the handout.

**MODIS LEVEL-0 PACKET SIMULATION:** Tom Goff presented a draft  
uirements specification for a MODIS Level-0 Packet Simulator.  
> requirements need more explanatory information. Ed Masuoka  
Al Fleig should check with SBRC to see if their simulator will  
et these requirements.

**MODIS LEVEL-1B GEOLOCATION:** Paul Hubanks presented initial  
ns for development of some of the modules required for  
location of MODIS data. He was asked to first check to see  
at existing software is available, and what EOSDIS plans to  
vide.

#### TION ITEMS:

24/92 [Lloyd Carpenter & Team] Develop a staffing plan for  
accomplishment of the tasks shown on the schedule. (A draft  
sion of the staffing plan has been developed and delivered.)  
ATUS: Open. Due Date: 06/12/92

12/92 [Tom Goff] Develop separate detailed schedules using  
rosoft Project for Level-1A and -1B software design and  
elopment. (Updated results were included in the handout and  
sented at the meeting on July 24, 1992.) STATUS: Open. Due  
e: 07/10/92

31/92 [Lloyd Carpenter] Call Ken Carder to tell him that we  
eived his input to the SCF Plan and it's good. Ask him if we  
use it as an example to the other TMs of what we need from

m. (The call was made, and the response was positive.)  
STATUS: Closed. Due Date: 08/28/92

31/92 [Ed Masuoka] Find out, or decide, who should interface  
with Code 930 on SLIP. (Ed says this may not be necessary,  
pending the outcome of current efforts.) STATUS: Open. Due  
Date: 08/28/92

31/92 [Tom Goff, Ed Masuoka, Al Fleig] Develop the purpose  
and requirements for a packet simulator. Get more information on  
a packet simulator being developed by SBRC. (A draft  
requirements specification was included in the handout. Ed or Al  
should check on the SBRC packet simulator. See if it will meet our  
needs, and if/when it will be available to the SDST.) STATUS:  
Open. Due Date: 09/04/92

21/92 [Paul Hubanks] Check to see what existing geolocation  
and pixel navigation software is available, and what EOSDIS plans  
to provide. STATUS: Open. Due Date: 09/04/92