

MODIS OCEAN SUMMARY

Processing Readiness

- Tremendous progress in MODAPS and testing over past 6 mos
- Concerted effort is needed to assure Ocean Products thru L3 are running efficiently at launch in MODAPS
- Coordination of L1A subset production and transfer, L1B interface for Validation and algo. improvement
- Prioritization of products for early ingest at GDAAC
- Implementation issues to be worked.

Validation Plans

- Plan update delivered today
- Initialization Cruise October 1 - 21 on R/V Melville
 - schedule is close - need to keep launch schedule
 - Participation by all team members plus Mexico
- Other significant plans for SST, coastal, fluorescence
- Web page updates

Early Science - very important effort

- Iron Limitation
- Fluorescence efficiency
- Regional Phenomena

PIP meeting

- Testing and readiness
- MODAPS to team distribution, team data saving plan
- Post launch algorithm upgrade deliveries
- Network oversight function ECS/MODIS/DAACS
- PM product refinements, AM+PM products
- Waivers for PGE 71