

Second Announcement: Call for Abstracts

1st International Workshop on Megha-Tropiques Ground Validation (MTGV)

25-27 septembre 2013, Observatoire Midi-Pyrénées, Toulouse, France

Direct and Hydrological Validation of Rainfall Products in the Tropics

This informal workshop will cover the following Topics:

- Ground Validation and Applications of Rainfall Products in the Tropics : Issues and Results
- Direct validation from rain gauges, weather radar and alternative rainfall measurement
 - Ground truth uncertainties / sampling errors
 - Conceptual / empirical error models for satellite products
- Hydrological Validation
 - Cross-Validations (soil moisture / water levels / outflow)
 - Hydrological model sensitivity to rainfall uncertainty / error propagation
- Preliminary results from Megha-Tropiques Validation exercises

With several key note talks on these subjects and a mini course on rain gauges processing for validation using the free R package.

Oral and poster presentations are welcome:

Abstract submission is now opened until June 25th 2013

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