



ACTRIS CCRES

Introduction
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Plan

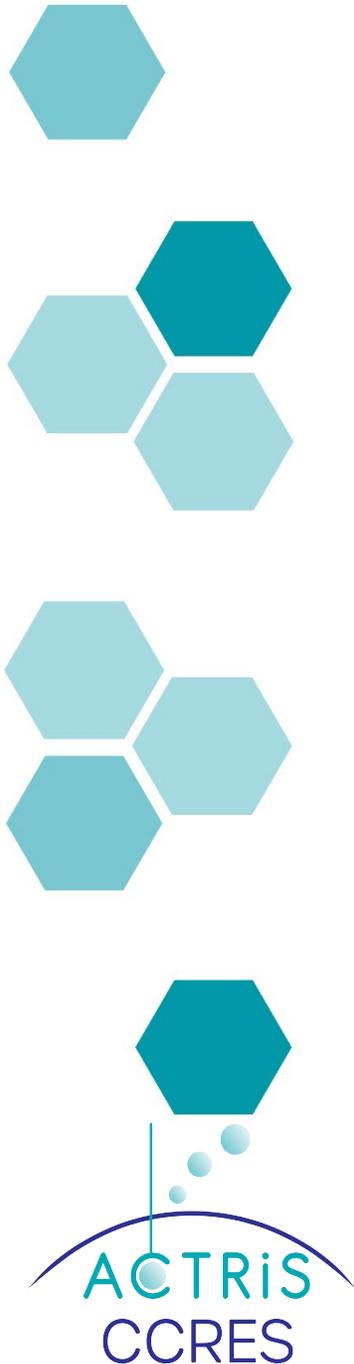
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Agenda

Morning

09:00 – 09:15	Introduction and workshop agenda	M. Haeffelin, E. Villard	15'
09:15 – 10:45	Doppler Cloud Radar operational services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction• DCR : new RPG operation guidelines• DCR Calibration transfer campaigns• DCR calibration constant monitoring with disdrometer	CCRES FR C. Unal (TUD) F. Toledo (OVSQ) J-C. Dupont, Y. Grit (IPSL)	5' 15' 15' 15'
	New research investigations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• First steps towards evaluating Parsivel disdrometer calibration• Discussion	S. Kneifel (LMU) All	15' 10'
	Microwave Radiometers operational services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• MWR activities	B. Pospichal (UCOL)	15'
	Break		
10:45 – 11:00			
11:00 – 11:45	Doppler Lidars operational services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Doppler Lidar monitoring	CCRES FI	15'
	Labelling operational services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Labelling step1b - ReOBS quality control procedure• Access to operational services : new website	J-F. Ribaud (IPSL) J-C. Dupont (UVSQ/IPSL)	15' 15'
11:45 – 12:15	New developments at CLU (CloudNet Data Centre) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update from CLU• Roadmap for future developments	E. O' Connor (FMI)	15' 15'
12:15 – 12:30	Feedback from NF on CCRES services/Discussion	All	15'
12:30 – 13:00	New operational services <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HKD monitoring : Grafana Q/A	M-A. Drouin (LMD/IPSL)	30'
13:00 – 14:15	Lunch break		



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Afternoon

14:15 – 14:45	Presentations		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Review of 20 years of Cloudnet observations at the Lindenberg Observatory and future directions to gain Cloudnet data consistencyLong-term statistics of water vapour and clouds from microwave radiometer observations in Jülich with focus on cloud properties	C. Knist (MOL-RAO) B. Pospichal (UCOL)	15' 15'
14:45 – 15:30	EarthCARE Cal/Val activities	F. Toledo (OVSQ), N. Feuillard (LATMOS/IPSL)	45'
15:30 – 15:45	Break		
15:45 – 16:15	Presentations		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Cloudnet deficiencies caused by presence targets below first range gateTechniques for better exploiting cloud radar Doppler spectraA novel approach to cloud classification: first results and challenges encountered	H. Griesche (TROPOS) T. Vogl (Leipzig University) Matheus da Silva (University of Granada)	15' 15' 15'
16:15 – 16:45	Discussion and buffer time	All	15'
16:45 – 17:00	Concluding remarks	All	15'



Participants

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PARTICIPANTS

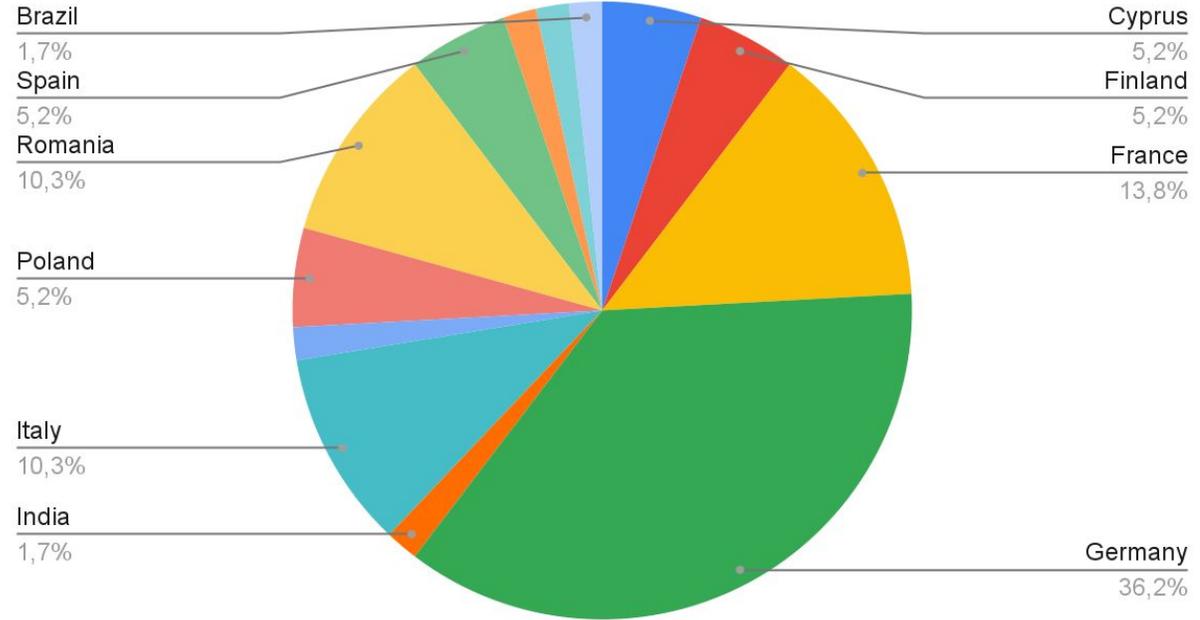
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Country



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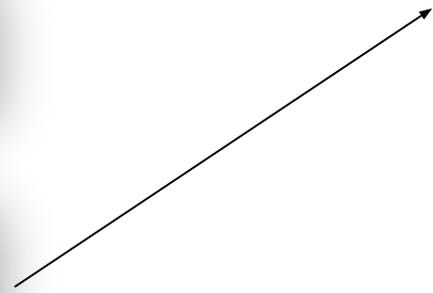
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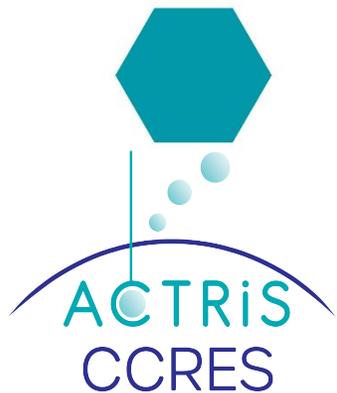
Poland	Rzecin Warsaw
The Netherlands	Cabauw
Germany	MOL-RAO JOYCE München KLOCX Melpitz CVAO
Italy	CIAO Lampedusa UNIAQ/CETEMPS
France	SIRTA OPAR
Romania	RADO-Bucharest RADO-Galati RADO-Cluj
Spain	AGORA
Switzerland	Payerne
Finland	Pallas SMEAR II



CCRES-CLU Operational Services for NFs

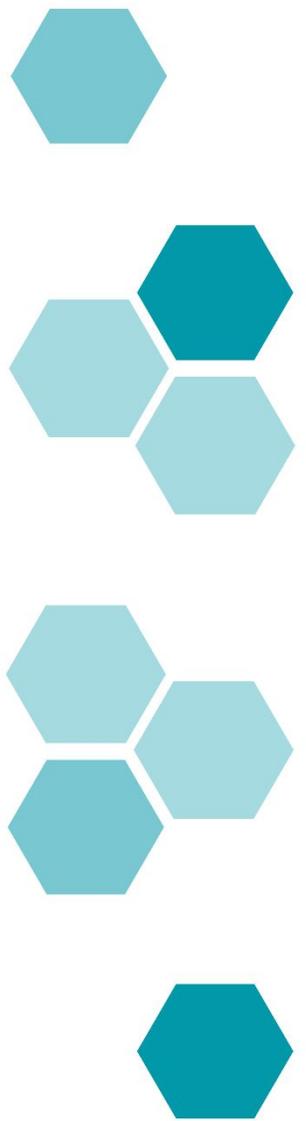
Now in operational phase based on following services provided to NFs :

- Training and consultancy (MWR, Disdrometer, Labelling, HDK monitoring)
- Quality Assurance : General SOPs, EarthCARE SOPs
- Quality Control :
 - DCR stability, MWR QC, Instrument Housekeeping Data monitoring
 - New site status and instrument status information on CloudNet portal
- Labelling process : step 1a and step 1b data availability and data quality monitoring
- Data processing: new products
- Access to operational support : CCRES website and CloudNet portal



Labelling step 1a : NF status

Accepted for step1a	Almost ready for initial acceptance	Entered the labelling process	Entering the labelling process in 2024
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Access to CCRES services

CCRES website

<https://www.actris.eu/topical-centre/ccres>

OUR MISSIONS

The mission of the Centre for Cloud Remote Sensing (CCRES) is to offer operational support to ACTRIS National Facilities operating Cloud remote sensing instrumentation. Additionally, the CCRES offers specialized services to ACTRIS users of various types: academia, business, industry and public services.

ACCESS CCRES SERVICES

OUR INSTRUMENTS

Click on the 5 CCRES instruments to know more about the methods and procedures available:

- Doppler Cloud Radar
- Microwave radiometer
- Doppler lidar
- Low power lidar and ceilometer
- Disdrometer



Services	Operation support	Frequency	User	Link to the service
1. Methods	Quality assurance guidelines and procedures for calibrating and operating the instruments and processing the observation data. Tools for controlling the quality of measurements to develop, update and implement central processing of observation data.	1 update/year	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NFExternal users	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Doppler Cloud RadarMicrowave radiometerDoppler lidarALCDisdrometer
2. Calibration	Provision of network-wide accurate calibration of the instruments following harmonized protocols and tools to put all measurements on a common absolute scale.	TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none">NFExternal users	TBD

Access the different CCRES services and download all our updated documents!



CCRES-CLU interactions with CRS community

- CCRES and CLU work closely together to provide an easy and complete access to their operational services for NF, however the process is still under construction (new website)
- Growing interactions within CRS community, CCRES & CLU encourages sharing of propositions and new results (as in today's workshop)
- More training sessions will be organised in the future, building up an efficient dynamic of exchanges between the topical center, data center and the facilities, and continuously collecting users feedback on CCRES-CLU services



Thank you