Meeting HYMEX-TTM3 and MedCORDEX

30 September, 2009

TTM3: task team modelling, Regional Climate Models Med-CORDEX: Mediterranean domain of the WCRP CORDEX program Venue: CNRM (Navier building), conference room at Météo-France

(Toulouse)

starting: 9.30 am (coffee, welcome)

For coming from the town center, check http://www.cnrm-game.fr/spip.php?article15#planCNRM it is 30 min from town centre

Main objectives of the meeting:

- 1. to meet all together as some of you were not in Toulouse or in Paris or this year in Crete
- 2. to synthesize the different contributions we already received through the web site for the climate modelling of the atmosphere-ocean-land surface-hydrology of the Mediterranean earth system
- 3. to present the starting point of the different teams: where we are now? what are the plan for next year? what do we plan for Hymex? what are the human/financial support needs?...
- 4. to finalize the Hymex International Implementation Plan (IIP) in terms of regional climate modelling including new ideas. You should know that the Hymex RCM activities will be grouped in the Task Team Model 3 (TTM3: Mediterranean Regional Earth System Models and their components) in the HYMEX IIP with the following sub-tasks including all the climate-scale modelling activities for the different components (atmosphere-ocean-surface-hydrology):

TTM3a: HyMeX campaign / case study simulations: 2010-2014 (SOP/EOP/LOP)

TTM3b: Long-term hindcast simulations: 1960-2010

TTM3c: Regional climate change scenarios (Med-CORDEX)

TTM3d: Diagnostics, validation and integrated analysis

TTM3e: Improvement of the Regional Climate Models parameterizations

One of the goal of the meeting is to list the scientific objectives (see the WGs science plan) that require the work done in TTM3, list the members of each sub-task, list the core group of each sub-task, start describing the work to do within the sub-task for the whole Hymex project and the agenda for the next 12 months, thinking about the setting-up of databases for the TTM3 simulations

- 5. to present the CORDEX intercomparison exercise planned by the WCRP for the next IPCC-AR5 report for which a Med-CORDEX part has been accepted
- 6. To start speaking about financial support.

AGENDA

10.00 - 10.30: Overall presentation of HYMEX: from the science plan (Working Groups) to the implementation plan (Task Teams) by V. Ducrocq

10.30 - 11.00: Presentation of the TTM3 by S. Somot

11.00 - 11.30: Presentation of Med-CORDEX by P. Ruti

--- Start of the sub-task discussion with the following objectives: ---

(1) scientific objectives (refer to WGs), (2) simulations/work to be done, (3) new ideas, (4) list of the sub-task members, (5) database, (6) planning for the next 12 months, (7) links with other TTO, TTM, TS and inside the TTM3

11.30 - 12.30: Discussion about TTM3a

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch break (Meteo-France cafeteria)

14.00 - 15.00: Discussion about TTM3b

15.00 - 16.00: Discussion about TTM3c

16.00 - 16.15: Coffee break

16.15 - 17.15: Discussion about TTM3d

17.15 - 18.15: Discussion about TTM3e

18.15 - 19.00: Financial support

LIST OF THE PARTICIPANTS (25 pers.):

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