

Network and Data Centre issues

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The position paper for the session on Network and Data Centre issues will be presented. This session concentrates on the current status and future directions of the IGS network, its data flow and data centre activities. We will review progress since the 2004 Bern Workshop "Celebrating a Decade of the International GPS Service IGS" and the goals set there. We will address IGS network documentation, relationships to dense local/regional networks, IGS data flow, standardized naming conventions for data/product file versions designed to allow sensible automatic handling of file replacements, and alternate compression schemes.