ITWG Technical Subgroup

Direct Broadcast Software Packages

Action Items

1. Liam Gumley to draft a report titled "Direct Broadcast Processing Packages For Terra, Aqua, MetOp, FY, POES, and NPP: Status And Future Plans" for presentation to the ITWG.
Status: Report is ready for presentation to the ITWG

2. Present the report and other relevant information in support of continued availability of direct broadcast to the WMO, GEO, IRC, and national space agencies.
Status: No activity yet.

3. Nigel A. and Kathy S. to evaluate the NOAA and Met Office utilities for converting AIRS L1B data into BUFR and recommend one version for porting and release as part of AAPP, IMAPP, or IPOPP.
Status: Nigel Atkinson provided working software to Kathy Strabala. Software was released as part of IMAPP in March 2009, with an update in September 2009. http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/imapp/bufr_v1.1.shtml

4. Kathy S. and Nigel A. to draft a requirements document describing the needs of the DB atmosphere community for visualization of DB products.
Status: No activity yet.