Actions assigned by the Executive Panel

• The following two slides contain a list of actions assigned by the Executive Panel to GRWG and/or GDWG, either through the Operations Plan, or through the list of actions agreed at ExP4 or ExP5

• For better readability, actions related to similar subjects have been aggregated
Tasks assigned by ExP (1/2)

• GEO-LEO Algorithm:
  – Detailed Implementation of the hierarchical ATBD structure to be finalized by GRWG
  GCC to implement operational JMA code for MTSAT-AIRS/IASI, and adapt it to each GEO, in order to serve as GSICS baseline algorithm for comparison/benchmarking purpose plan.
  – All GPRCs to perform operational GEO-LEO intercalibration using possibly an optimized algorithm with respect to the baseline algorithm

• Deliverables
  – Develop a procedure to calculate the best estimate of a calibration of a particular instrument channel at a given point in time
  – Improve and harmonize presentation of results in graphs and tables
  – Refine the specification of products and services in the GSICS roster
  – Finalize the recommendations for instrument performance monitoring website (action from CGMS36)

• Product acceptance procedure
  – Establish scientific (and data management) criteria to be met by GSICS products
  – Advise on acceptance of LEO-LEO products following the agreed procedure

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Tasks assigned by ExP (2/2)

• **User relationship**
  – Establish end-to-end demonstration toward an operational GSICS by including beta users in the GSICS process
  – Initiate preparation of a GSICS Users workshop in 2009

• **Methodology**

• **SADE**
  – CNES to report on SADE data request at GRWG/GDWG
  – Adopt a mechanism for SADE data requests from GSICS partners,
  – Propose/evaluate new targets sites for inclusion into SADE

• **Reports**
  – GCC (F. Weng) to report on calibration of MW channels
  – NOAA to report on CLARREO at GRWG4

• **Documentation**
  – *Review the GSICS Implementation Plan and consider the relevance of drafting an update or an additional strategy document*

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