

From MeteoMet to MeteoMet2

...and more

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Upper air measurements: sensors and techniques



Novel methods, instruments and measurements

Traceable measurement and protocols for land observations Assessment of the historical temperature data, harmonisation **GRUAN ICM-6**



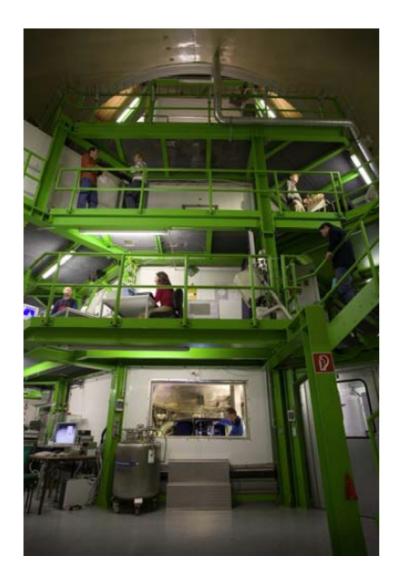


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In April 2013 the second international comparison of airborne hygrometers AquaVIT2 took place at the cloud simulation chamber AIDA at KIT Karlsruhe together with the Institute for Meteorology and Climate Research – Atmospheric Aerosol Research (IMK-AAF) of the KIT.

This inter-comparison offered for the first time the possibility to trace back the calibration devices and the hygrometers of the participants to the international humidity scale by means of a traceable calibrated frost point hygrometer and a commercial two-pressure generator offered by PTB at AIDA chamber. 12 research groups from 11 institutes from all over the world derived benefit from this possibility.





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The EDIE* chambers.

Transportable devices for the calibration of temperature, humidity and pressure sensors and the evaluation of the mutual influences of the parameters

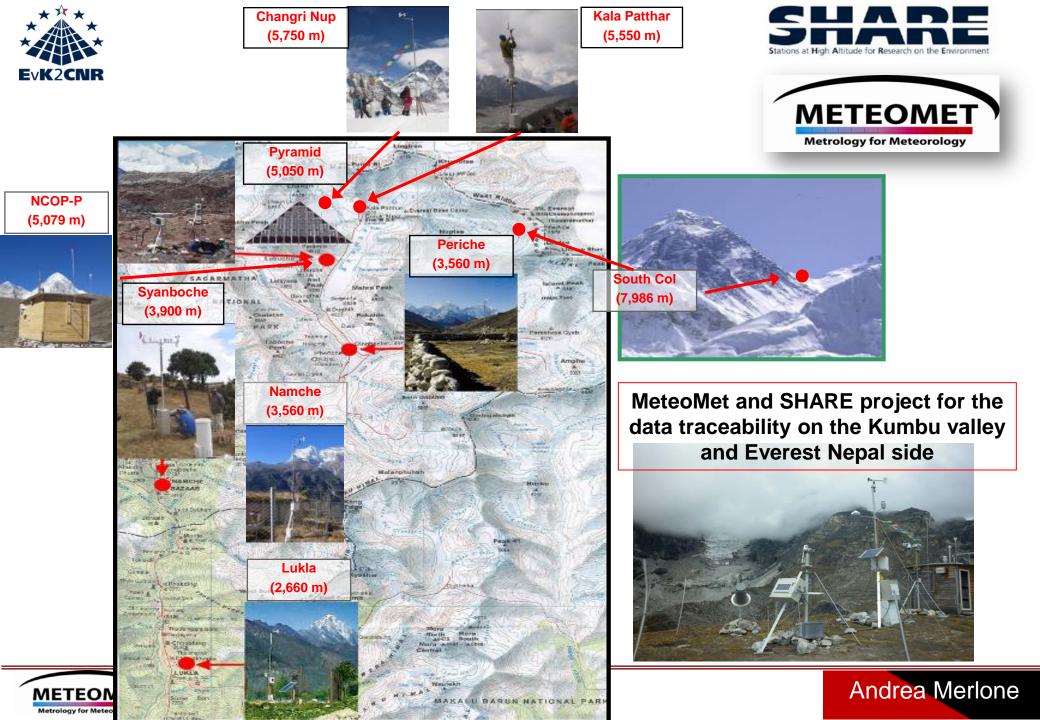


*Earth Dynamics Investigations Experiment



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A similar mission is planned during June 2014 at Ny Alesund.

An EDIE chamber will be shipped from INRiM to Ny Alesund. Three INRiM operators will reach the polar base and perform the calibration of instruments operating there.

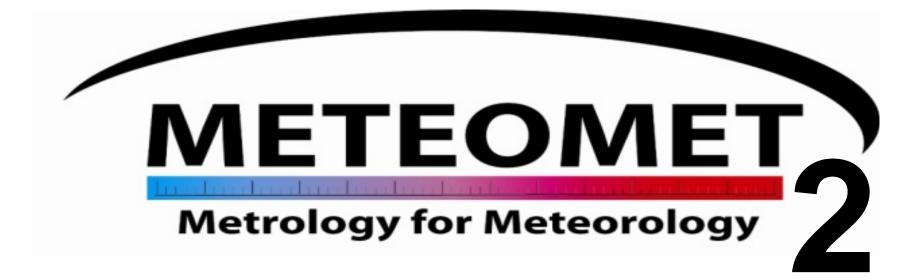
Air temperature and pressure sensors of the GRUAN site operated by the German Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research (AWI) will be calibrated. The chamber will remain in Ny alesund for one month approximately.

This will prepare also the basis to study the feasibility of a laboratory for metrology in Ny alesund.



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Metrology for Essential Climate Variables



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WP1 AIR. (GRUAN-oriented activities)

•Improving the representativeness of radiosonde calibrations to actual measurement conditions (MIKES, INRiM)

•Enhancement factor up to stratospheric range (CETIAT)

•Requirements for airborne traceability of humidity measurements (PTB)

•Metrology for fast changing quantities in upper air (NPL)

WP2 water

•Quantities of influence on deep-sea sensors (VSL, CNAM, SHOM) •Thermodynamic characterization of oceanographic reference thermometers (CNAM, SHOM)

- •Characterisation of deep-sea thermometers (VSL, CNAM)
- •Buoys and fibre optics (CEM, CSIC, INRiM, REG-UPC)



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WP3 Land

•Metrological requirements for traceable measurements of soil moisture (NPL)

Air Temperature sensors characteristics (CEM, CMI, DTI, INRIM, SMD)
Comparison protocols (UL, CEM, INRIM)

Air humidity sensors characteristics (PTB, CETIAT, CMI, NPL, TUBITAK)
High mountains observations: permafrost and albedo (INRiM, BEV)
Siting related uncertainty (INRiM, CEM, CMI, IMBIH)



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Metrology for Meteorology and Climate international workshop - MMC 2014

15-18 September 2014 – Brdo – Slovenia.



Topics:

- Traceability and uncertainty. METROLOGY FOR METEOROLOGY AND CLIMATE

- Ground based systems. Temperature, humidity and pressure sensors. Wind speed and direction, solar radiation. Quantities of influence and mutual influences. Sensors dynamics.

- Upper air measurements. Aircraft-based measurements.

- Ocean research: metrological traceability to the SI system for the measurement of the key variables salinity, pH, composition and dissolved oxygen content of sea water.

- Water: water vapour, liquid water, ice, hygrometry, soil moisture. Rain and snow gauges. Permafrost temperature measurements: instruments, procedures and calibrations.

- Assessment of the historical temperature measurement data with respect to uncertainties on instruments used.

- Thermal and chemical metrology for environment.

- Instruments and measurements capabilities, calibration procedures, best practice and regulations.



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