

PP CARMA

Common Area with Rfdbk/MEC Application

STATUS REPORT

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OVERVIEW

- 1. Tasks advancement**
- 2. Issues (Past)**
- 3. Issues / Requests / Questions (New)**
- 4. Summary for each center**

1. Tasks advancement

Task 1. First Level Support Implementation and Training Start 12.2018 – End 06.2019 – **DONE**

- 1.1 Documentation review (MEC-Rfdbk), analysis of resources required – **done**
- 1.2 Documentation preparation (MEC-Rfdbk) – **done**
- 1.3 Preparation of a complete example set of data (one season, one model) to be used – **done**
- 1.4 Training provided by DWD experts for first level support to the PST – **done**
- 1.5 Implementation of the MEC-Rfdbk system @NMA and @HNMS* – **done**
- 1.6 Adaptation of scripts for the production of the CP requirements – **done**

- 1.7 Setup of web interface with the use of Shiny R routines on COSMO server
Start 05.2019 – End 06.2019 **done**
- it was decided to use the existing shiny platform also used for the NWP Test Suite

Task 2. Second Level Implementation and support Start 05.2019 – End 10.2019 **ON-GOING**

- 2.1 Remote training PST for users from each center. Dissemination of instructions, mailing list creation for problems solving, videoconferences, etc. - **ON-GOING**
- 2.2 Implementation of MEC-Rfdbk system in each participating center with support of PST - **ON-GOING**

REMINDER – Documentation

- **Documentation uploaded to the WG5 Repository:** <http://cosmo-model.org/view/repository/wg5/PP-CARMA/Task1>

How to install

Task-1.2_Install_notes_CARMA_v1.2.pdf

How to use (example based on NWP Test Suite @ECMWF)

NWPTest-Suite_Doc4CARMA.docx

About RFDBK

FFverificationsuite[at]DWD.docx

About feedback files

cosmoFeedbackFileDefinition.pdf

REMINDER – Data available on the FTP server

- Observations in netcdf format
- Template for running MEC
- Template for running Rfdbk

For FTP server credentials, write to us (Amalia or Bogdan).

REMINDER – Data available on GITHUB

- Source code for DACE
- Sources for the Rfdbk package
- Scripts to run verification using Rfdbk

For GITHUB access, see documentation [Task-1.2_Install_notes_CARMA_v1.2.pdf](#)

ON-GOING & Next

Task 3. Cross-validation of implementation Start 03.2020 – End 08.2020 - delayed

3.1 Performance of a complete seasonal test with all the necessary output for the CP reports.

Start 03.2020 – End 08.2020

3.2 Transfer of statistical output to COSMO web server and visualization of results.

Start 03.2020 – End 08.2020

3.3 Optional comparison of test output with VERSUS system or any other “home” verification system.

Start 04.2020 – End 08.2020

Task 4. Elaboration of guidelines for CARMA (MEC-Rfdbk) system use

Start 08.2020 – End 09.2020

- delayed, dependant on previous tasks

2. ISSUES (PAST)

1. obtaining the code for some participants – **OK**
2. **processing of cumulated parameters in MEC (mainly precipitation) – solved**

HOW: **switch in the MEC namelist** (see next slide)

3. **missing gust data from observations – solved**

HOW: (see next slide)

- using a new set of observations
- **use the archives named with AED (if several archives are available)**

Q: does anyone still need the old observation archives (those without wind gust)?

4. some issues with defining verification area in Rfdbk – **tackled before distributing the template**, so should be **OK**

5. COMMUNICATION – please write back!

2. processing of cumulated parameters in MEC (precipitation) – solved

HOW: switch in the MEC namelist

Thanks @DWD

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verif_obs
fc_times      = TO_FILL ! forecast lead times (hhmm)
rm_old        = 2        ! overwrite entries in verification file ?
fc_file       = 'INAME_fcday-vvVVVMM.grib' ! template for forecast file name
prefix_out    = 'ver'
det_suffix    = ''
fg_check      = 0

! suffix for determ. file name
! quality check switch
! 0: no QC (quality control)
! 1: QC against deterministic run
! 2: QC against ensemble mean
! 3: QC against all ensemble members
! 4: check for blacklisting + gross

interpolation = 1

! time interpolation
! -1: linear
! 0: nearest leadtime
! >0: use nth slot (nearest upper leadtime)

time_range    = 1
/
    
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Before producing FF files

Adapt your MEC namelist, if you haven't already!

3. missing gust data from observations – solved

HOW:

- using a new set of observations
 - compared to those from VERSUS, this set contains both the common_new* observations and the common_wg (both sets of data, continuous parameters and wind gust)
 - more on the observations: follow-up presentation with some results
- **use the archives named with AED (if several archives are available)**

Q: does anyone still need the old observation archives (those without wind gust)?

- If not, can they be removed to avoid confusions?

Consequence: when comparing results to VERSUS, scores might differ!

3. NEW ISSUES / REQUESTS / QUESTIONS to be tackled

- **Some centers are unable to verify COSMO bc.**
 - MEC model data requirements
 - storage resources / not all required model data are archived
- **Migration from COSMO to ICON** – use MEC+Rfdbk for ICON
 - In fact, more people are interested in applying to ICON instead of COSMO
- **ICON-global** is usually included in the CP graphs - we are working on this
- **Shiny server** on the COSMO web site is used
 - OK for CP needs, but **not for individual verification** by each center

These were not foreseen in the initial PP request!

Status: **DELAY** in the **COMPLETION** of some **TASKS** / need for Additional ones

Extension for 1 year required, pending approval from SMC / STC.

Task 3. Cross-validation of implementation

NEW TASKS : Deadline August 2021

3.4 Set-up and testing of MEC+Rfdbk capabilities for ICON-LAM

3.5 (optional) Set-up of individual shiny server for visualization

Resource distribution and timeline for extended tasks

Task	0	1	2		3					4
			2.1	2.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	
Remaining to be done	0.16	0	0.165	0.15	0	0.08	0	1.41	0.4	0.08
Additional (New)	0.1	-	0.2	-	-	-	-	0.33	0.4	-
Redistribute res. (to <u>other</u> task)	-	0.025 (2.1)	-	-	0.9 (3.4)	-	0.18 (3.4)	-	-	-

4. Summary for each center

	Implementation		Run		VERSUS comp	<u>CP</u>
	<u>MEC</u>	<u>Rfdbk</u>	<u>MEC</u>	<u>Rfdbk</u>		
<u>NMA</u>	y	y	y	y	y	y
<u>HNMS</u>	y	y	x			
<u>DWD</u>	-	-	y	y	-	y
<u>MCH</u>	-	-				
<u>IMGW</u>	y	y	y	y	y	y
<u>COMET</u>	y	y	p	y		
<u>RHM</u>	y	(y)				
<u>IMS</u>	y	y				
<u>ARPAE</u>	y					
<u>ARPA-PT</u>						

STATUS of IMPLEMENTATION – NMA (*A. Iriza-Burca, B. Maco, R.C. Dumitrache*)

- DACE and RFDBK implemented (*Thanks to H. Anlauf, R. Potthast, F. Fundel!*)
- bufr2netcdf software implemented (*Thanks to D.Cesari*)
- Extraction of bufr observations from MARS and conversion to netcdf.
- adaptation of scripts for the production of the CP requirements (*with F. Fundel, DWD*)
- **MEC runs for MAM on own data**
- **Rfdbk runs for MAM on own data**

→ *Results in next presentation*

Tasks finished

STATUS of IMPLEMENTATION – DWD (*F. Fundel*)

- adaptation of scripts for the production of the CP requirements
- **MEC runs for MAM on own data**
- **Rfdbk runs for MAM on own data**

@Felix: Thank you for the support!

→ *Results in next presentation*

Tasks finished

PP CARMA status at IMGW-PIB



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|---|---|
| 1. Installation of MEC, Rfdbk and Shiny Server | ✓ |
| 2. Test Rfdbk using feedback files examples downloaded from github | ✓ |
| 3. Test MEC configuration with hindcast data from the Test Suite (provided by Amalia) | ✓ |
| 4. Preparation of COSMO PL model data and observational data: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- implementation of bufr2netcdf software- creation of cdfin_synop.nc files, based on our local synop data, (not from MARS) | ✓ |



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5. Creation of COSMO PL feedback
(season MAM)



6. Run of starter_Rfdbk_template.bash



7. Verification Scores creation

SYNOP_bs_.Rdata
CATEG_.Rdata
CATEG_bs_.Rdata
CONT_.Rdata
CONT_TS_.Rdata



➔ *Results in next presentation*

Tasks finished

HNMS - CARMA

1. Successful run of test cases MEC @ECMWF (cca)

2. Installation of Rbdfk @ECMWF (ecgate)

3. Problems for continuing the Task work

➔ **No upper-air fields available** for COSMO-GR4 for CA
Only surface data available for CA / complete set over Greece

➔ Only option to skip COSMO CP verification and **continue with ICON-GR**

➔ Adaptation of running routines and necessary data archiving need to be done.

➔ HNMS management decision for continuation of running COSMO-GR4 will influence the timeline of the ICON-GR CP verification.

HNMS - CARMA

Additional issues that CARMA PST could help if project extended to ICON

- **ICON-GR output in netcdf format** – has to be converted in grib2 (**iconremap tools**)
- Some variables not properly converted.
- **Currently testing** to exclude these variables and run MEC with the remaining ones
- **More time needs to be dedicated for these procedures (fall-winter 2020?)**
- ICON-GR output is being verified for now with VERSUS for CP.

@Flora: Thank you for the support!

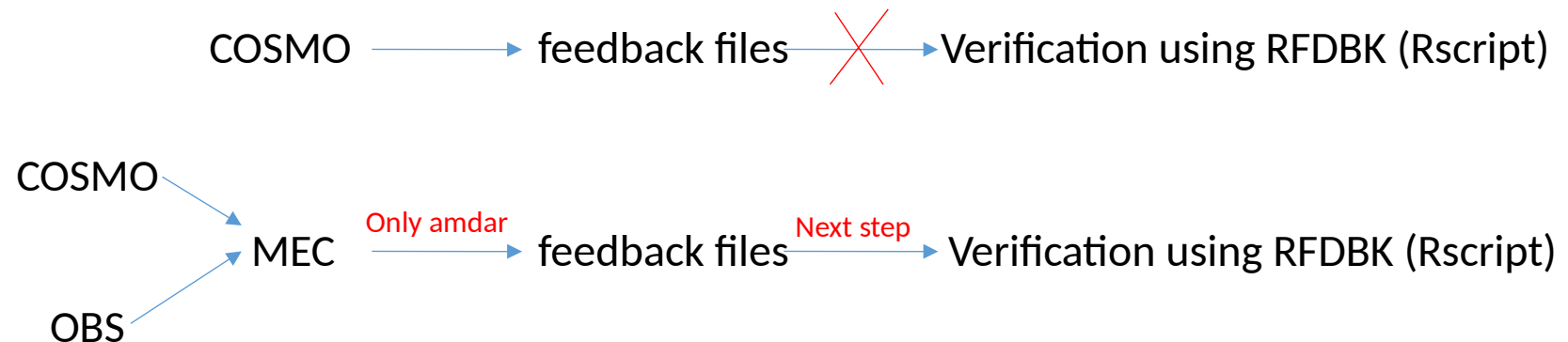
STATUS of DACE/MEC and RFDBK IMPLEMENTATION – **COMET** (*F. Batignani*)

- ➔ DACE and RFDBK implemented
- ➔ FF files from COSMO model produced for test period: 01.03 – 03.03
- ➔ Rfdbk run for test period: 01.03 – 03.03

➔ *Results in next presentation*

CARMA PROJECT

IMS' members: Itzhak Carmona, Pavel Khain, Alon Shtivelman



STATUS of DACE/MEC and RFDBK IMPLEMENTATION – Arpa-PT (N. Vela)

no installation yet, work to be done in the next period

discussions during GM for more detailed information about the software and machine specifications

will probably dedicate a machine just for this system

STATUS of DACE/MEC and RFDBK IMPLEMENTATION – Arpa-E (M.S. Tesini)

MEC implemented



- STATUS of DACE/MEC and RFDBK IMPLEMENTATION – **MCH** (*P. Kaufmann, A. Pauling*)

- MEC and Rfdbk installed and in use before the project
- MEC is run regularly to produce feedback files from the forecasts for the verification
- currently, they use their own scripts based on Rfdbk for upper air verification

- STATUS of DACE/MEC and RFDBK IMPLEMENTATION – **RHM** (*A. Kirsanov*)



- Problems with outside ssh connection => dace code uploaded to ftp
- MEC installed and tested

Thank you!

Questions?

PLEASE COMMUNICATE...!