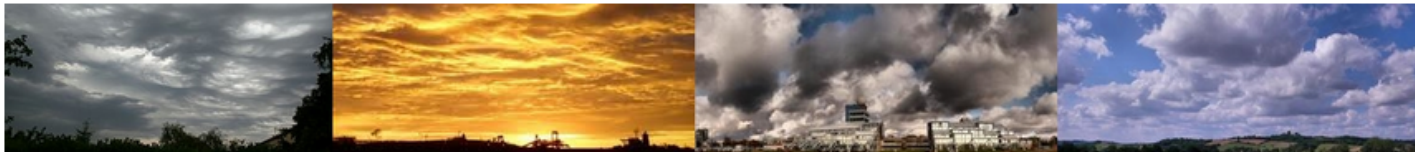


# Standardization of input/output files for SCM and LES simulations.

Initially planned as a practical session of the conference :

## Improvement and calibration of clouds in models

*Centre International de Conférences      June 15-19, 2020*  
*Météo-France, Toulouse, France*



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Due to current conditions, we have decided to postpone the meeting to the 12 to 16 April 2021.

The proposed standard is an initiative of the :

- french **DEPHY** research network (**D**evelopment and **E**valuation of **P**hysics)
- **HighTune** ANR (french research agency) project on calibration of SCM against LES

A **version #0 of Dephy-SCM standard** is already shared by IPSL and MeteoFrance will be made available for the workshop for tests.

**Main objective : converge to a shared standard, even after the workshop.**

**Rm : Evolution of the standard is less an issue once you have one (automatic filter)**

# The e-workshop was organized by

Frédéric Hourdin (LMDZ/IPSL Team)  
Catherine Rio (Dephy)  
Fleur Couvreur (HighTune/MesoNH)  
Romain Couvreur (Arpege-CNRM team)  
Marie-Pierre Lefebvre (CNRM)  
Yunyan Zhang (LLNL)

***All the information*** about the organization available at  
<https://www.lmd.jussieu.fr/~hourdin/Workshop1Dstd.html>

## SCM/LES representatives were identified

MUSC (Arpege/Arome) : Romain Roehrig  
LMDZ : Frédéric Hourdin  
MesoNH : Fleur Couvreur  
LLNL : Peter Andrew Bogenschutz  
DALES : Roel Neggers  
ICON : Martin Köhler  
CAM : Andrew Gettelman  
ECMWF IFS SCM : Richard Forbes  
MetOffice : Leif Denby  
GFDL : Zhihong Tan  
NASA/GMAO : Andrea M. Molod  
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Caltech/CliMA : , Ignacio Lopez-Gomez  
JPL : Mikael Witte

*Information on groups available on a **google sheet** : to be continued*

## Monday, June 15:

### **A) Introduction and context (30 min)**

- General introduction (Frédéric Hourdin, one more slide)
- Instructions for the smooth running of the sessions (Marie-Pierre Lefebvre)
- Motivation for multi-case SCM for climate model improvement (Catherine Rio)
- A standard for model calibration based on SCM/LES comparisons (Fleur Couvreur)

### **B) Presentation of the dephy-scm standard format (20 min, Romain Roehrig)**

### **C) Round table (1h30) discussion about the experience of the other SCM groups**

### **D) Discussion**

***Active chat (BlueJean) :** with a moderator, where everyone can express himself.*

## Between June 15 and 19 and after :

- Try to implement the proposed format in your SCM starting with the simple ARM cumulus case or a few others already available.
- Try to provide new cases at the standard format.
- Try to produce standardize outputs and apply shared post processing

***Slack:** to exchange technical, practical and general ideas about the standard*

***Git:** to report bugs and technical issues with the files and software*

***e-mails to organizers :** through representatives only to organize the next session*

## Friday, June 19 :

- Round table feedback from the various groups (~ 10min/group).
- Discussion on the definition of a standard suitable for everyone
- Discussion on how to continue this action. **Should succeed !!!**

# Using the slack to organize our collaborative work

## General discussion on the standardization

**“+” : to create your own channel to exchange inside a team  
Like LMDZ here**

**Technical discussion on the format, help for implementation**

The screenshot shows a Slack interface for a workspace named 'Dephy-SCM'. On the left sidebar, under the 'Channels' section, there is a list of channels: '# aléatoire', '# dephy-scm', '# général', '# lmdz', '# notforget', and '# technical'. The '# notforget' channel is currently selected and highlighted in blue. Above it, a red circle with a white '+' sign is visible. In the main content area, the '#notforget' channel is displayed with a description: 'You created this channel today. This is the very beginning of the #notforget channel. Description: Items that were identified during the discussion and should be considered in the definition of the next version of the standard format. (edit)'. Below the description, there is a message from 'Frédéric Hourdin' at 12:36 AM: 'z0 : Consider having different values for at least momentum and scalars and considering z0 as time varyin. (edited)'. A blue callout box points to this message, containing the text: 'Item created from a contribution by Jan Chylik on the “technical” channel. Thanks !'. On the right side of the interface, there is a 'Details' panel showing '34 members registered Friday, 14:00 UTC' and a list of 'Members', 'Shortcuts', and 'Pinned' items.

**“notforget” : to synthesize issues to be addressed for the future version**