IPWG validation WG

Are we doing the *right* thing (w.r.t. providers and users)?

- Continued IPWG inter-comparison/validation of precipitation products (0.25 x 0.25 degree regional daily);
- Encourage expansion of IPWG analyses to hitherto under-utilised regions; (IPWG Indian region, S.Africa radar data)
- Extend IPWG-type analyses to instantaneous precipitation products; (European region study QJRMS paper)
- Explore oceanic precipitation datasets, Pacific buoy data, OCEANRain, etc; (?)
- Better utilisation of non-traditional validation/verification sources, including hydrological information. (?)
- Development of standard scores for errors and uncertainties (?)