



Progress on the CORE programme on DA



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DATA Assimilation Strategic Core Program

Articles of this section

2018 DAsKIT Working Days, Romania, 19-21 September **2018 DAsKIT Working Days, partly join with LACE DA WD**

This year the DAsKIT WD was special since LACE Data Assimilation Working Days (DAWD) was partly joined this year : the program started with a (...)

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Article published on 9 May 2018
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by Patricia

DAsKIT regular video-conferences **regular video-confs (one per quarter)**

5-6 December 2018 video-conference See the summary report; the main topics of this video-conference were: 1. Status on the DAsKIT countries (...)

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Article published on 17 December 2018

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The Data Assimilation Core Program and DAsKIT

DA coordinator position. The 22nd ALADIN General Assembly approved the creation of a 20% DA coordinator position in ALADIN to assist the ALADIN (...)

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Progress on DA cycling Systems - I

Outcomes from the 2018 DAsKIT WD
(Bucarest, with support of LACE & HIRLAM)

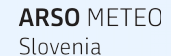
BATOR (CY40T1/CY43T2) / SYNOP
8/8 countries implemented it (*)

MANDALAY
8/8 countries implemented it

OBSMON
4/8 countries installed it
4/8 countries are on-going

HARP_v2
2/8 countries implemented it
6/8 will need further support/opportunity (maybe HARP_v3)

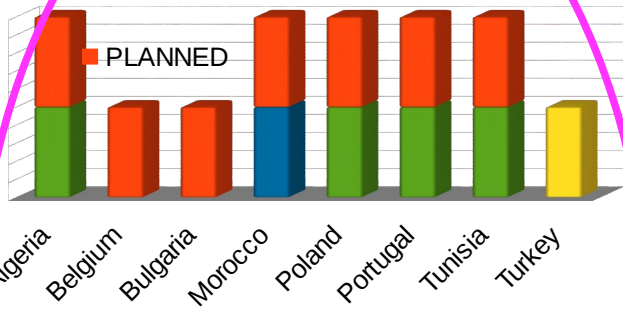
OI_MAIN (CY40T1/CY43T2) KIT for 1 network
4/8 implemented it locally
2/8 are waiting for a new machine
2/8 use ALARO



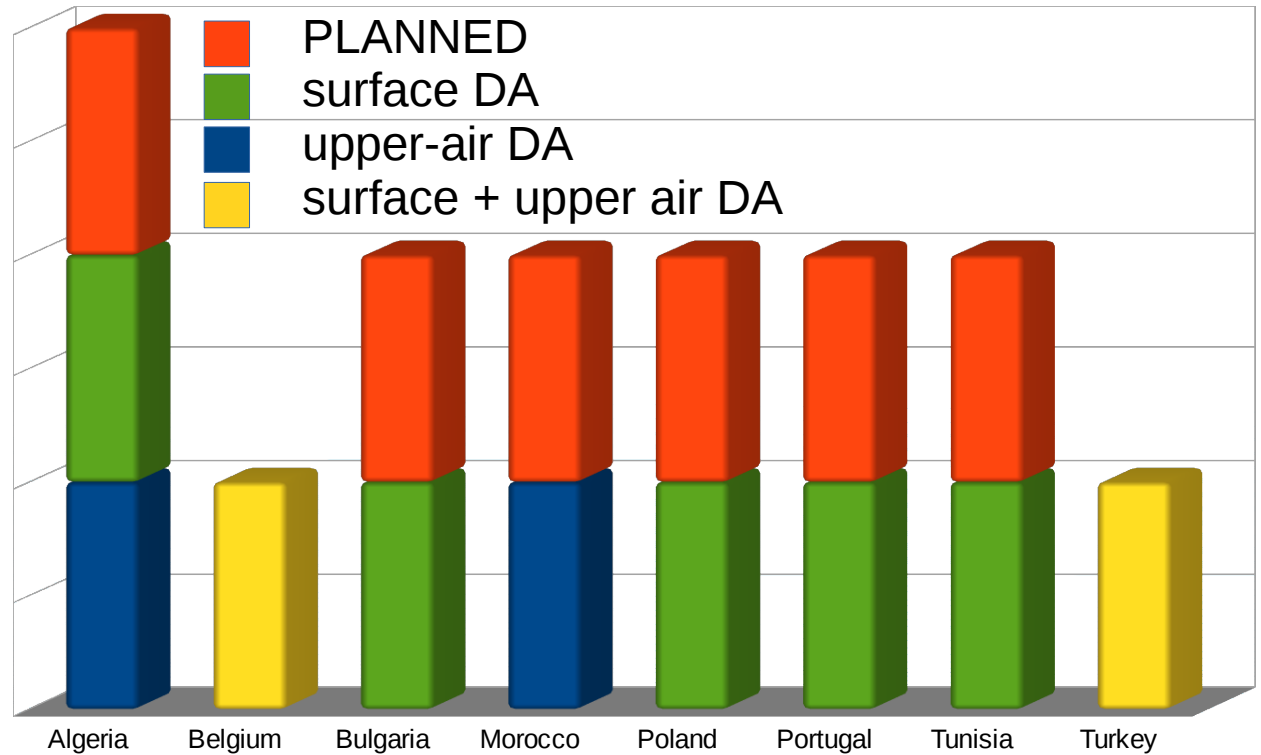


Progress on DA cycling Systems - II

Start 2018



Start 2019



STATUS

2/8 do not have
 6/8 countries have a DA cycling
 1/8 countries have a full DA
 (surface+upper-air)

PLANS

7/8 wish to have a full DA
 (OI_MAIN (CANARI) + 3D-Var)
 8/8 countries are willing to improve DA

STATUS

8/8 countries have a DA cycling
 2/8 countries have a full DA (surface+upper-air)

PLANS

6/8 wish to progress to a full DA (OI_MAIN (CANARI) + 3D-Var)
 8/8 countries are willing to improve DA systems





Conclusions, open questions & future actions

CONCLUSIONS

- All countries have know-how to set up a DA cycling with conventional data (cy40t1)
- All countries have data monitoring tools available locally (OBSMON & MANDALAY)
- Validation tools are still missing in most of the countries
- There are now 'communication platforms' between the DAsKIT partners (web & forum; annual DAsKIT Working Days; regular video-confs)
- Common A-H DA Training Course was a great opportunity to learn on actual available DA tools, though not all the DAsKIT countries could be present

Foreseen SHORT-TERM ACTIONS

- Video-conf in June 2019 focus: validation of surface DA + issues
- 2019 DAsKIT WD, Prague, 18-20 September 2019 will be partly joint with LACE DA WD; Candidate topics: basic conclusions on SYNOP/AMDAR(/TEMP), pre-processing, monitoring (OBSMON); validation of surface DA; 3D-Var basic KIT ?, outcome from common A-H DA Training Course

OPEN QUESTIONS

- Can SAPP (ECMWF) become a common observations (...) pre-processing & monitoring tool among DAsKIT countries ?
- Which verification tool to adopt for local validation DA systems ? HARP_v3 ?
- Is it possible to regularly organize a DA Training Course ?