

RICO Discussion Issues

- Data Integration Issues:

1. Time Stamp: Days since Nov 1 2004.
2. Common Formats: (only post pdf, ascii or other transparent frameworks). Pls submit data as ascii will be converted to a NetCDF in a way that preserves data integrity (no filling/interpolation, etc) by JOSS and Pls.
3. Data Expectations/Products (maintained by JOSS for each instrument PI) --- Initial focus on gross characterizations of subcloud circles, first descent and last ascent soundin.

- Outstanding Data Issues

1. Intercomparision/Characterization: Leave this for now to individuals. Make this a focus of next meeting, ask each scientist: “what have you done for RICO data quality today.”
2. Identify days, one for ship, one for cloud/aerosol/chemistry to work through data integration issues.

- Future Meeting: five day workshop, with two working days, in early January 2005.