

Time Series Observations
Report at POGO-3

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Time Series Observation Time-Series Initiative - Action Item 4

1. Proposed action by the Directors of Institutions:

- a) Commitment of Directors to support time-series efforts at their institutions (infrastructure, start-up funds, help continuity)**
- b) Advocate time series when presenting/discussion global observational requirements.**
- c) Encourage/initiate dialogue (within institutions) between the physical and biological communities.**
- d) At next meeting, report on the above actions.**

2. Proposed action by Time Series Working Group (Uwe Send and Bob Weller)

- a) Working group will be finalized in the next months.**
- b) A first meeting will be held in April (plus or minus a month)**
- c) Logistical and (partial) financial support from POGO for the meeting**
- d) Produce a report with scientific rationale for time-series, add in capacity building**

3. The time series Working Group to draft a formal decision/agreement/statement that POGO recognizes time-series as an essential element of the overall observing system that should be high on the agenda at the member institutions. This draft to be combined with the similar recommendation from the biology group. The draft recommendations to be discussed at POGO-3.