

Knowledge Products : Publications, Presentations ..

Knowledge creation, knowledge enhancement, knowledge dissemination and knowledge management have been among the core activities of C-MMACS ever since its inception. C-MMACS has maintained high knowledge output in terms of publications and other scientific programmes, knowledge synthesis and exchange through conferences, workshops, brainstorming sessions etc.

Highlights

- 10 SCI publications
- 12 Papers Presented in International Conferences

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5.1 **Publications in Journals**

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B Jagannadh, S Sumathi Reddy and **R P Thangavelu**, Conformational preferences of 1,4,7-trithiyacyclononane: a molecular mechanics and density functional theory study, *Jour. of Molecular Modelling*, 2004, 10, 55-59.

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V V S S Sarma, **P S Swathi**, M D Kumar, S Prasannakumar, P M A Bhattathiri, M Madhupratap, V Ramaswamy, M M.Sarin , M Gauns , N Ramaiah, S Sardessai and S N De Sousa, Carbon Budget in the Eastern and Central Arabian Sea: An Indian JGOFS synthesis, *Global Biogeochemical Cycles*, 17(4), 13, 2003

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5.2 Publications In Books/ Proceedings

V Anil Kumar, R P Thangavelu and G K Patra,

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5.3 Presentations In Conferences/ Symposium/Workshops

Anand Kumar, Numerical Methods I & II,10th *National Conference on Liquid Crystals,* Garden City College, Bangalore, 9-10-Oct. 2003

V Anil Kumar, Sonia Oberoi, Anna Peppler and Roswitha Paul-Walz, *Living and Learning in a Foreign Culture, Asia pacific Week,* Berlin Germany, 24-29, 2003.

Gangan Prathap, Axioms, Models and Algorithms: The Method of Science, *Workshop on Finite Element Analysis and Design of Structures*, SERC, Chennai,11-12 December 2003

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G K Patra and **P Goswami**, Organisation of Dynamics and Monsoon variability, International

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P Goswami, Temporal Scale Interaction & Monsoon Variability, *International Conference on Scale Interaction and Variability of Monsoon* (SiVoM), Munnar, Kerala, 6-10 October, 2003.

S Himesh and **P Goswami**, Hydro-Biosphere Processes and Soil Moisture Variability, *International Conference on Scale Interaction and Variability of Monsoon* (SiVoM), Munnar, Kerala, 6-10 October, 2003.

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P Jafarali, Introduction to Finite Element Method, CONFIGURATION 2004, *National Conference and Technical Symposium*, 23–24 Feb, 2004, Government College of Engineering, Kannur, Kerala, India.

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P Rajeevan and **P Goswami**, Relationship between Surface Wind, SST and Simulated Sub-Surface Temperature in the Tropics, *International Conference on Scale Interaction and Variability of Monsoon* (SiVoM) Munnar in October-2003

P S Swathi and **C Kalyani Devasena**, Simulation of upper ocean thermal structure at the WHOI Arabian Sea Mooring site, *International Conference on Scale Interaction and Variability* of Monsoon (SiVoM) Munnar in October-2003

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5.4 Internal Reports

K S Yajnik and M K Sharada, *Hyperbolic Least Square Method of Estimation of Nutrient Kinetic Parameters in Marine Biology,* CM TR 0301, January 2003

P S Swathi, M K Sharada, P Goswami, R P Thangavelu and Kalyani Devasena, *INDOMOD Project, Final Technical Report,* CM TR 0302, February 2003

Sridevi Jade, M S M Vijayan and **M B Ananda,** *Measurement of Accurate Coordinates: ACMI,* *Gwalior (Classified)*, CM TR 0303, November 2003

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V K Gaur, Sridevi Jade, John Paul, Malay Mukul, M B Ananda, P Dileep Kumar, G S Satyal, B C Bhat and S S Gupta, Determination of Crustal Deformation of South Indian Peninsula - A Search for Seismogenic Zones (Anomalous Strain Accumulation) - and Modelling of its Deformation Mechanism, TR CM 0402, March 2004

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P Goswami, A Mandal, H C Upadhyaya and Frederic Hourdin, *Advance Forecasting of Tropical cyclone with a GCM: Track Hindcasting,* RR CM 0302, February 2003,

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K Sangeeta, S Mukherjee and **Gangan Prathap**, Generalization of the Projection Theorem for Finite Element Analysis, RR CM 0305, June 2003

R Muralikrishna and **Gangan Prathap**, *Studies* on the Variational Correctness of Finite Element Elastodynamics of Some Plate Elements, RR CM 0306, August 2003

Vibhor Bhatt and **G K Patra**, *Analysis on Implementation and its Further Improvements of AKS Class Algorithms*, RR CM 0307, August 2003

P Goswami and **A Mandal**, *Long-range*, *Highresolution Forecast of Monsoon Rainfall*, RR CM 0308, August 2003

P Jafarali, S Mukherjee and **Gangan Prathap**, Variational Correctness and Timoshenko Beam Finite Element Elastodynamics, RR CM 0309, November 2003

Imtiyaz A Parvez, Seismic Microzonation : Methodology and Approach, RR CM 0310 November 2003

M K Sharada, P S Swathi and **K S Yajnik** Mathematical Modelling of Biogeochemical Cycles in the Indian Ocean, RR CM 0401,March 2004

P S Swathi and **C Kalyani Devasena**, Simulation of Upper Ocean Thermal Structure at the WHOI Arabian Sea Mooring Site, RR CM 0402, March 2004

A Stella Margaret, Knowledge Creation and Dissemination During 2002, PD CM 0301, January 2003

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Anand Kumar, *A Simulation of Dendritic Solidification using an Isotropic Numerical Scheme* PD CM 0304, August 2003

Anand Kumar, Isotropic Finite Differences, PD CM 0305, September 2003

Sridevi Jade, M Radhakrishna, P Dileep

Kumar, M S M Vijayan, Nilof S Pasha and Venkateswan, *GPS Measurements in the West Southern Peninsular Shield of India* (April – May 2003), PD CM 0306, November 2003

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Souvik Banerjee and **Sridevi Jade** and Anil Earnest, *GPS Field Measurements in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands,* August – September 2003, PD CM 0307, November 2003,

Anand Kumar, A Simulation of Magnetic Reconnection, PD CM 0401, February 2004

Imtiyaz A Parvez and Sridevi Jade, Strong Motion Instrumentation and Site Specific Ground Motion Modelling of Bangalore City, PP CM 0301, August 2003

Imtiyaz A Parvez and Sridevi Jade, Site Effects in Ahmedabad based on Array Observations of Microtremors, PP CM 0302, September 2003

5.5 Participation in Conference/Symposia/ Workshop/Seminar

Anand Kumar

Conference on "Desalinization & Membrane Technology: Present & Future", CSMCRI, Bhavnagar on 19-20 June 2003

Anil Kumar

Workshop on "Self-Organizing Policy Handling for future Internet Service Environment", jointly organized by NTT-Data, Japan and Fraunhofer FOKUS, Germany at FOKUS on June 18, 2003.

Imtiyaz A Parvez

Seventh workshop on "Non-Linear Dynamics and Earthquake Prediction" at Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics (AS-ICTP), Trieste, Italy during September 29 - October11, 2003.

The International Union of Geodesy And Geophysics (IUGG2003) meeting held at Sapporo, Japan during June 29 - July 11, 2003.

C Kalyani Devsena

WMO course on "Analysis and Interpretation of

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ECMWF Wind Products for Various Ocean and Weather Studies" at ECMWF, Univ. Reading, U.K during October 2003 for one week

"UGC-Indian Academy of Sciences Refresher Course on Physics of Oceans and Atmosphere" at CAOS, IISC during December 1-12 2003.

P Jafarali

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Workshop on "Finite Element Analysis and Design of Structures (FEADS-03)", Structural Engineering Research Centre, Chennai, 10-11 December 2003

V Senthil Kumar

Workshop on "Finite Element Analysis and Design of Structures (FEADS' 03)" Structural Engineering Research Center, Chennai, on 11-12 December 2003

K Sangeeta

Workshop on "Finite Element Analysis and Design of Structures (FEADS-03)", Structural Engineering Research Centre, Chennai, 10-11 December 2003

Suchanda Ray

Training Programme on "The Cybrary: A Platform for Information Management and Networking", Organized by MANAGE, Hyderabad, 23-27 February 2004

5.6 Invited Talks

Anand Kumar

Dendritic Solidification: An Isotropic Finitedifference Simulation, RRI Colloquium Bangalore, 3 July 2003

Gangan Prathap

India 2020, National Seminar on Frontier Technologies for India 2020, R V College of Engineering, Bangalore, 6 June 2003

Computer Aided Design, Analysis and Product Development: Theory and Practice, Inaugural Lecture, R V College of Engineering, Bangalore, 19 December 2003

P Jafarali

Analysis of one-dimensional finite elements using the Function Space Approach, National Institute of Technology, Calicut, India, 25 August 2003

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Sridevi Jade

Estimation of Precipitable Water Vapor from GPS Data, MST Radar Facility, Tirupathi, April 2003

5.7 Workshops/Conferences/Scientific Meetings

Discussion Meeting on Development of a Multi-Scale Forecast Platform for the Monsoon Region (A Multi-institutional Project Proposal), C-MMACS, 05 May 2003

The primary objective of the meeting was to assess and improve a proposal for developing a comprehensive and efficient forecast platform through incorporation of latest developments in modelling, computational algorithm, assimilation techniques and forecast methodology.

Indo-US Workshop on "Peer Reviewed Online k-12 (10+2) Science Education (PROKSE): A Feasibility Study (held at NEERI, Nagpur), Organised by C-MMACS, July 17-20, 2003

To involve the knowledge base, experience and expertise of a diverse and distinguished group of highly experienced scholars, primarily from the US and India. In addition, efforts were made to include established researchers with commitment to outreach aspects of Science education from the neighboring countries to India although no Forum funds were being requested for this component of this workshop., they mainly forced on Internet connectivity in rural areas, the structure, depth and breadth of 'Science curricula in K-12 in India and in neighboring nations..

International Conference on Scale Interacting and Variability of Monsoon (SiVoM) Munnar, Kerala, 6 – 10 October 2003

An event organised as an activity under the Indo-French Centre for Environment and Climate (IFCEC) with a broad scheme of sharing of responsibilities between C-MMACS and CUSAT. It was initiated to develop and promote 56

multi-lateral collaborative research in the areas of Weather, Environment and Climate and also had indepth discussion on new developments, outstanding problems and future directions in observations, simulation and forecasting of the complex dynamics of the monsoon system.

National Workshop on Science and Technology for Regional Development the Case for the North-East India, February 3 - 6, 2004, Guwahati, Assam

Application of science and technology and generation of knowledge often need to be done with a regional focus, as each region has special environmental and geographical characteristics that dictate suitability, adaptability and criticality of applied science and technology for that region. This is particularly true for the North-East India with its unique geo-climatic features. The proposed workshop is being planned to work out a Vision Statement, a detail Action Plan and an Implementation Strategy.

Discussion Meeting on Development of an Integrated Cloud Modification Technology 26th March 2004 at NAL, Bangalore

Responding to the societal distress caused by growing water stress in many parts of the country, and taking cognizance of scientific advances in the last couple of decades in a number of critical areas, CSIR has entrusted C-MMACS to develop a comprehensive programme for developing a cutting edge cloud modification technology that will provide the country leadership in this vital area.As a follow up action, C-MMACS has organized two Discussion Meetings involving potential participants, experts and potential users, under the chairmanship of Dr D R Sikka to discuss the draft proposal. A comprehensive multi-institutional project proposal for development of an integrated cloud modification technology has resulted from the meeting.

5.8 Guest Lectures

Anupama Venkataraman, Using Seismic Energy to Understand the Physics of Earthquakes, Post Doctoral Scholar, Dept. of Geophysics, Stanford University, 06 February 2003 Mahasweta Choudhury Scientific Realism, Dept. of Philosophy, Calcutta University 17 February 2003

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George John, Minneapolis Changing to a Directto-Store-Delivery Channel in a Competitive Market: Mathematical Modelling of the Sports Drink Market in the USA Pillsbury-Gerot Chair in Marketing, Carlson School of Management, University of Minnesota, 19 March 2003

Gerard Megie, *Towards a Scientific Observational System of the Global Environment,* President, CNRS, France 20 March 2003

R Muralikrishna, Numerical Studies on Elastodynamics of Plates & Beams, EACOE & Ph D Scholar 30 May 2003

V B Kaujalgi, *Performance and Evaluation of R & D Institutes,* Indian Institute of Management, Bangalore, C-MMACS Foundation Day Lecture, 15 July 2003

Bipin Kumar, *Parallel Iterative Solves for Solving Huge Systems of Linear Equations*, IIT, Kanpur 29 July 2003

N C Suresh, Cellular Manufacturing: Resolution of a Long-standing Paradox through Analytical and Simulation Models, School of Management, State University of New York, New York, 22 August 2003

Gian Luigi Liberti, Contribution of Satellite Observations to Atmospheric and Oceanographic Studies, Institute for Atmospheric and Climatic Studies (ISAC),Italian National Research Council (CNR), Rome, Italy 15 October 2003

Krishna Achuta Rao, Ocean Warming Signals from Climate Models, Program for Climate Model Diagnosis and Intercomparison, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, USA, 22 October 2003

R Muralikrishna, *Finite Element Error Analysis of Axisymmetric Shells,* EACOE and Ph D Scholar, C-MMACS, 16 December 2003

Prof Bruce Alan bolt, *Seismic Strong Ground Motion Simulation*, Civil and Environmental engineering, University of California, USA, 9 February 2004

V Balaji, *Climate Modelling with FMS/MOM* 4, GFDL Princeton University, 25 February 2004

D Jagadeesha, Inter-seasonal and Inter-annual Climate Variability over Southern Africa, Dept of Environment and Geographical Sc,University of Cape Town, SA, 4 March 2004

Jean-Luc Chatelain, Use of Ambient Noise Recording for Site Effect and Building Studies after the May 21, 2003 Zemmouri (Algeria) Earthquake: Preliminary Results, Laboratoire de Geophysique Interne et Tectonophysique, France 19 March 2004

5.9 In-House Seminars

P S Swathi : A Demonstration of GFDL's Flexible Modelling System, 07 February 2003

M K Sharada: Evaluation of Six Relations of Kinetics of Uptake by Phytoplankton in Multi-Nutrient Environment using JGOFS Experimental Results, 09 May 2003

P Goswami: Multi-method Experimental Forecast of MONSOON 2003, 13 May 2003

P Jafarali: A Variational Basis for Error Analysis in Finite Element Elastodynamic Problems, 3 July 2003

K Sangeeta : Generalization of Projection Theorem for Finite Element Analysis, 9 July 2003

Anand Kumar: A Simulation of Dendritic Solidification using an Isotropic Scheme, 05 September 2003

P Goswami: *Temporal Scale Interaction and Monsoon Variability,* 16 September 2003

G K Patra: Organization of Dynamics and Monsoon Variability,16 September 2003

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A Mandal : *Evolution of Bay of Bengal Cyclones in a GCM,* 16 September 2003

P Rajeevan: The Puzzle of EL-Nino Monsoon Association, 17 September 2003

S Himesh : Impact of Vegetation on Soil Moisture Variability, 25 September 2003

C Kalyani Devasena : Upper Ocean Response to Monsoon of Indian Ocean in an OGCM, 25 September 2003

P Rajeevan: Relationship between Surface Wind, SST and Simulated Sub-Surface Temperature in the Tropics, 25 September 2003

Jafarali P: Variational Correctness and Timoshenko Beam Finite Element Elastodynamics, 22 December 2003

5.10 Visitors To C-MMACS

K V Ramesh Research Scholar, Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology, Pune 03-20 January 2003

Bertil Walden Sweden & Norway 09 January 2003

Kristin Bingen Sweden & Norway 09 January 2003

P Ravi Kumar NGRI, Hyderabad - 500 007 21 – 24 January 2003

N Purnachandra Rao NGRI, Hyderabad - 500 007 21 – 24 January 2003

Gautam Mitra Dept of Earth & Environmental Sciences, Univ. of Rochester, NY, USA 29 Jan – 5 February 2003

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P V S Raju IIT, Delhi 03 – 09 March 2003

Nava K Hazarika Dept. of Physics, Tezpur University, Tezpur 10 – 23 March 2003

S S Rai NGRI, Hyderabad 11 – 12 March 2003

George John Univ. of Minnesota, USA 19 March 2003

Gerard Megie France 20 March 2003

Samuel Elmaleh France 20 March 2003

Dr P P Dyani Wadia Instt. Of Himalayan Geology, Almora 20 – 22 March 2003

Onkar S Chauhan National Instt. Of Oceanography, Goa 27 – 28 March 2003

Karthikeyan M Tamilnadu Agricultural Univ., Madurai 9 – 11 April 2003

Anjan Kumar Bhattacharya Tezpur University, Assam 22 – 28 April 2003

Dennis Belgrado Trimble Navigation Ltd, Dubai 20-22 May 2003

Prof P Bhattacharya Tezpur University, Assam 25 – 28 May 2003

Elmaleh S Attache for Sc & Tech. Allance Francaise, Bangalore 28 May 2003 Venkiteswaran Cochin Univ. of Sc & Tech., Cochin 25 – 27 June 2003

Niloff Cochin Univ. of Sc & Tech., Cochin 25 – 27 June 2003

Bulendra Gogoi Tezpur University, Assam 25 – 31 July 2003

Dhiraj Sarma Tezpur University, Assam 25 – 31 July 2003

Somy Kuriakose CMFRI, Cochin 9 – 10 July 2003

Rupam Barman Tezpur University, Assam 14 July – 14 August 2003

Munindra Borah Tezpur University, Assam 14 July – 14 August 2003

David K Kahaner Director, Asia Technology Information Program, Japan 17 July 2003

Bijoy Thompson ndian Instt. Of Tropical Meteorology, Pune 20 – 22 July 2003

Bipin Kumar IIT, Kanpur 27 July – 2 August 2003

N Kiran Kumar National MST Radar Facility, Tirupati 27 July – 09 August 2003

Narendra Babu National MST Radar Facility, Tirupati 27 July – 09 August 2003

P V Joseph Cochin University, Cochin 01 – 02 August 2003

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P V S Raju CAS, IIT, Delhi 05 – 12 August 2003

J K Sharma Dept. of Physics, Tezpur University, Assam 16 – 23 August 2003

G A Ahmed Dept. of Physics, Tezpur University, Assam 16 – 23 August 2003

Nallan C Suresh Professor, Univ of New York, USA 22 August 2003

Antoine Schoen Attache for Sc & Tech, Alliance Francaise, Vasanthnagar, Bangalore 03 September 2003

Samuel Elmaleh Attache for Sc & Tech, Alliance Francaise, Vasanthnagar, Bangalore 03 September 2003

Prof Mohan Kumar Dept. of Atmospheric Sciences, Cochin Univ of Sci & Tech, Cochin 23 – 24 September 2003

P V S Raju IIT, Delhi 01 – 05 October 2003

Dr G L Liberti Istituto di Scienze Atmosfera e del Clima, Italy 11 – 18 October 2003

Dr O. Talagrand Ecole Normale Superieure, France 11 – 25 October 2003

Hourdrin Frederic LMD, Paris, France 11-13 October 2003

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Dr G Liberit Instituto di Scienze Atmosfera, Vergata, Italy 11 – 18 October 2003 L Sunil Singh Dept of Earth Sciences, Manipur University 12 – 19 October 2003

S Y Quraishi Department of Ocean Development, Delhi 17 October 2003

Dr R Subhasini University of Madras, Chennai 18 – 20 October 2003

Dr Padmini University of Madras, Chennai 18 – 20 October 2003

Dr Krishna Achuta Rao Lawrence Livermore National Lab, USA 22 October 2003

Jean Claude Tribolet Cultural Councellor, Embassy of France, France 29 October 2003

S Elmaleh Attache for Sc & Tech, Alliance Francaise, Bangalore 29 October 2003

Dr Sijji Kumar Cochin Univ. of Sc. & Tech, Cochin 6 – 7 November 2003

Suresh Prabhu Former Union Cabinet Minister for Power 10 November 2003

Prof U C Mohanty CAS, IIT Delhi 13 – 14 November 2003

Prof P Bhattacharyaa Tezpur University, Assam 16 – 19 November 2003

Subash Chandra NGRI, Hyderabad 18 – 24 November 2003

Bill La Rosa Mountain View, USA 21 November 2003

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S K Gupta DST, New Delhi 1 – 7 December 2003

Jerome Vialard France 3 December 2003

David P Scott Intel Tech Asia Pvt Ltd, 51 Cubbege Road, Singapore 229469 16 December 2003

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Dr V Balaji GFDL Princeton Univ 25 February 2004

D Jagadeesha Dept of Env. and Geographical Sc,USA 4 March 2004

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