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**THE RELEVANT ACTIVITIES OF CENTRAL OFFICE OF MEASURES IN TIME AND FREQUENCY DOMAIN**  
 (with given below the indexes from the list of publications and/or the name of the projects:)

- maintenance of national time and frequency standard and physical realisation of UTC(PL), coordination regional comparison and **wide participation of the Polish laboratories in creation of international atomic timescales TAI and UTC** (currently about 15 clocks of PL: 4 local clocks and more than 10 of remote clocks, compared against UTC(PL) with the usage of local time interval measurements, operational optical fiber links and GPS CV links),  
 (3, 4, UTCrapid)
- **the independent Polish Atomic Timescale TA(PL)**: preparation and analysing input data by Central Office of Measures and final calculation performed by Astrogodynamical Observatory of Space Research Center of PAS in Borowiec, published in Circular T since July 1st, 2001, development Database for TA(PL),  
 (5, 9, 12)
- **precise time and frequency transfer over optical fiber links**: maintenance and calibration of operational optical fiber links (long distance (420 km) time and frequency transfer link with stabilization of propagation delay between GUM and AOS, operational since February 2012, and bi-directional time transfer links up to 50 km inside Urban Telecom Network in Warsaw), local experiments with optical fiber in spool and with the usage of real-world Telecom optical fiber in closed loops,  
 (1, 2, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13)
- **GNSS time transfer system performance monitoring**: long term comparison differences in pair of GNSS receivers connected to the same clock (CCD – Common Clock Difference) and in pair of GNSS receivers connected to different clocks connected by operational optical fiber link (DCD – Double Clock Difference) – earlier works for internal needs and since 2012: EURAMET Project #1152,  
 (1, 13, #1152 GNSS receiver performance monitoring)
- **precise time interval measurement with Time Interval Counters (TICs)**: analyzing long term (from a few hours) stability of time interval measurements during measurements of constant time intervals and nonlinearity effects during measurements of continuously changed time intervals (resulting influence on estimated values of uncertainty in time interval measurements during calibration time transfer systems), preparing and characterization travelling standards for time interval measurement comparison – earlier and parallel works and EURAMET Project #1288,  
 (6, #1288 Time interval comparison pilot study)
- active participation in the activities of Technical Committee of Time and Frequency of EURAMET (**Project #1152**: GNSS receiver performance monitoring, **#1130**: Preparation of a EURAMAT guideline for the assessment of calibration laboratories using GPS signals for frequency and time traceability, **#1288**: Time interval comparison pilot study), including sharing the knowledge and experience by giving presentations.

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