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VI International Time Scale Algorithms Symposium and Tutorials

10-11 September 2015

Preliminary Agenda of Symposium

10 September 2015 – Symposium

10:00 10:10 Opening

SESSION I - National time scale algorithms

10:10	10:30	Realization of the Swedish National Distributed Time Scale (Carsten Rieck, SP, Sweden)
10:30	10:50	Brazilian Atomic Time Scale TA(ONRJ) (Ricardo Josèe de Carvalho, ONRJ, Brazil)
10:50	11:10	Algorithms for UTC(NIM) realization (Yuan Gao, NIM, China)

11:10 - 11:30 Tea / coffee break

11:30	11:50	Upgrading of UTC(NICT) (Yuko Hanado, NICT, Japan)
11:50	12:10	TA(SU) and UTC(SU) Maintenance in the Main Metrology Center of the State
		Service for Time and Frequency (Koshelyaevsky N., VNIIFTRI, Russia)
12:10	12:30	Steering UTC(TL) Toward The Cesium Clock Ensemble Time Scale of TL (Shinn
		Yan Lin, TL, Taiwan)
12:30	12:50	A UTC(IT) Steering Algorithm Based on an Atomic Clock Ensemble Scale (P.
		Tavella, INRIM, Italy)

12:50 - 14:10 Lunch

SESSION II - Time scale with primary frequency standards

14:10	14:30	Realization of UTC(OP) based on LNE-SYRTE atomic fountains (Daniele Rovera,
-		LNE-SYRTE, France)
14:30	14:50	Rapid evaluation of time scale using an optical clock (Tetsuya Ido, NICT, Japan)
14:50	15:10	UTC(IT) steering algorithm relying on the ITCsF2 Primary Frequency Standard
		measurements (G. Signorile, INRIM, Italy)
15:10	15:30	A timescale based on the world's fountain clocks (G. Petit, BIPM, France)

15:30 - 16:00 *Tea / coffee break*

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SESSION III - Clock estimation and space system

16:00	16:40	Invited talk - Urs Hugentobler "Clock Corrections from GNSS"
16:40	17:00	An efficient and configurable preprocessing algorithm for robust clock data
		analysis (I. Sesia, INRIM, Italy)
17:00	17:20	Robust Clock Ensemble for Time and Frequency Reference System (Qinghua
		Wang Orolia Switzerland SA (Spectratime), Switzerland)
17:20	17:40	Galileo System Time Steering by the Time Validation Facility (TVF) (Roldán
		Pedro, GMV, Spain)

18:15 Departure for Dinner

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SESSION IV – Pulsar time scales

09:40	10:20	Invited talk – Bill Coles "Algorithms for Development of a
		Pulsar-based Time-scale"

10:20 - 10:50 *Tea / coffee break*

SESSION V - Anomalous behavior, correlation, missing data handling

10:50	11:30	Invited Talk - Goran Peskir "Optimal Stopping"
11:30	11:50	Detection of atomic clock frequency jumps with an optimal stopping method (C.
		Zucca, University of Torino, Italy)
11:50	12.10	Multi-detection of anomalies in precise clocks for space applications (L.
		Galleani, Politecnico di Torino, Italy)
12:10	12:30	Impact of correlations on the uncertainties of [UTC-UTC(k)] (Panfilo Gianna,
		BIPM, France)
12:30	12:50	An adaptive algorithm to estimate the Allan Variance from clock frequency data
		with gaps and dead times (I. Sesia, INRIM, Italy)

12:50 - 13:50 Lunch

13:50	14:10	Optical clock comparison with broadband two-way satellite time and frequency transfer (Franziska Riedel, PTB, Germany)
14:10	14:30	Dead time and missing data: the impact on frequency estimate and uncertainty (Signorile Giovanna, INRIM, Italy)

SESSION VI - Kalman and Vondrak applications

14:30	14:50	Clock ensembling using Kalman filter implications of non-observability and
		causality (Marek Peca, Czech Technical University, Czech Republic)
14:50	15:10	An application of the Kalman Filter to UTC (F. Parisi, University of Torino/ BIPM, Italy)
15:10	15:30	Vondrak Smoothing and UTC Generation (Demetrios Matsakis, USNO, USA)

15:30 - 15:50 Tea / coffee break

SESSION VI – NTP Algorithms

15:50	16:30	Invited talk - Poul-Henning Kamp "Improved NTP Timekeeping"
16:30	16:50	An Auto-Regressive Moving-Average Time Scale Algorithm (ARMA) for
		Synchronizing Networked Clocks (Judah Levine, NIST, USA)

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