



CEOS-WGCV – SAR Subgroup

The Committee on Earth Observation Satellites
Working Group on Calibration and Validation
Synthetic Aperture Radar Subgroup

26th CEOS WGCV SAR Cal/Val workshop

**In conjunction with VH-RODA: Very High-resolution
Radar & Optical Data Assessment workshop**

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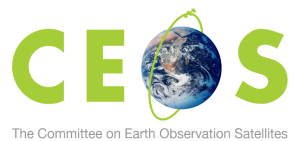
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Year	Workshop Number	Organized by	Location
2019	26	ESA/ESRIN	Frascati, Italy (together with VH-RODA)
2018	25	CONAE	Buenos Aires/ Argentina
2017	24	JPL	Pasadena / California, USA
2016	23	Tokyo Denki University / JAXA	Tokyo / Japan
2015	22	ESA	Noordwijk / The Netherlands
2014	21	DLR	Berlin / Germany (together with EUSAR)
2013	20	CSA	St. Hubert / Canada (together with ASAR WS)
2011	19	ASF / University of Fairbanks Fairbanks	Alaska, US
2010	18	RSL, University of Zurich	Zurich / Switzerland
2009	17	JPL	Pasadena / California, US
2008	16	DLR	Oberpfaffenhofen / Germany
2007	15	CSA	Vancouver / Canada
2006	14	Edinburgh Earth Observatory	Edinburgh / UK
2005	13	DSTO / University of Adelaide	Adelaide / Australia
2004	12	ESA	Ulm / Germany
2003	11	CSA	St. Hubert / Canada
2002	10	QinetiQ / BNSC	London / UK
2001	9	JAXA	Tokyo / Japan
1999	8	CNES/ESA	Toulouse / France
1998	7	ESA	Noordwijk / The Netherlands
1997	6	CSA/CCRS	Saint - Hubert / Canada
1994	5	University of Michigan	Ann Arbor / Michigan, US
1993	4	ESA	Noordwijk / The Netherlands
1992	3	CCRS	Ottawa / Canada
1991	2	DLR	Oberpfaffenhofen / Germany
1989	1	JPL	Pasadena / California , US

Presentations

54 presentations on current SAR Cal/Val activities representing the work being done at many space agencies.

- Please stick to the allocated time slots and leave a few minutes for Q&A after each presentation (15+5 minutes)
- Please bring your presentation on a USB stick, name it LastNameInitial.type (e.g., PresenterA.ppt) and make sure your presentation has been copied to the computer in the meeting room well before the start of your session

Objectives

- Review and discuss ongoing Cal/Val work as described in the presentations.
- On Thursday afternoon, we will continue discussions on topics of interest.
- In particular, we will discuss ways that we may help the space agencies coordinate their Cal/Val related activities:
 - SAR ARD product specs (CARD4L)
 - Joint use of SAR Cal/Val sites
 - SAR Cal/Val WG may contribute to the CEOS workplan
 - Other matters (website, target database, ...)

Workshop Proceedings

- Presentations will be collected from the presentation laptops.
- A pdf-version of your presentation will be published on our website
<http://sarcv.ceos.org>
- **Please let us know**, if you don't want us to publish your presentation or only an adapted version!

Session Summaries

As in previous workshops, session chairs are asked to prepare a short summary (5 minutes) for presentation on Friday.