

CGMS Early Years & Lessons

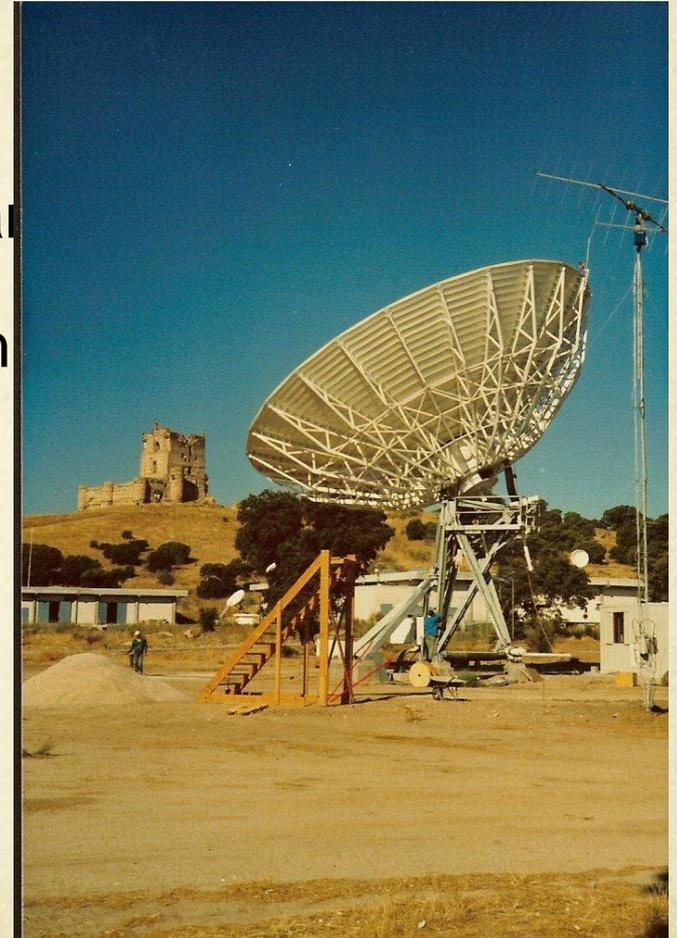
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40 years and counting!

- EARLY YEARS
 - System Design (WEFAX, IDCP, ...)
 - GOES Indian Ocean
- KEYS TO SUCCESS
 - Shared Vision
 - Regular Meetings
 - Multi-level

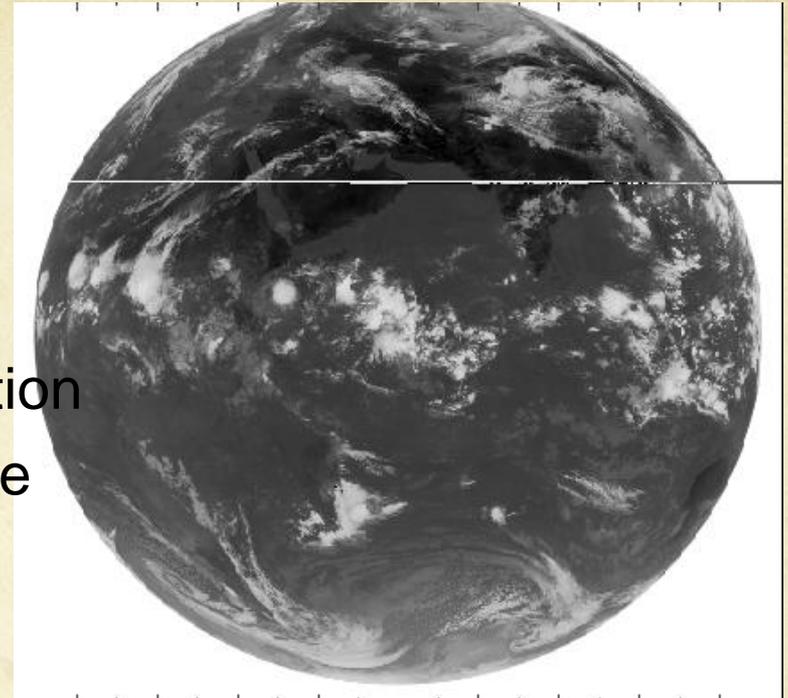
First Contingency

- Support to FGGE 1978-1979
- GOES-1 moved to Indian Ocean
- Ground Station moved to Spain
- Controlled by ESOC



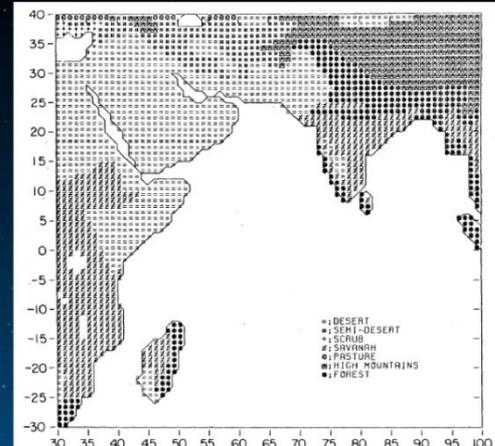
Cooperation

- Europe
 - Villa Franca Ground Station
 - Darmstadt Control Centre
 - Lannion Image relay
- USA
 - Washington
 - Wallops Island
 - Wisconsin
- Contacts through CGMS



Radiative Energy Budget Estimates for the 1979 Summer Monsoon – Ackerman and Cox JAS 1987

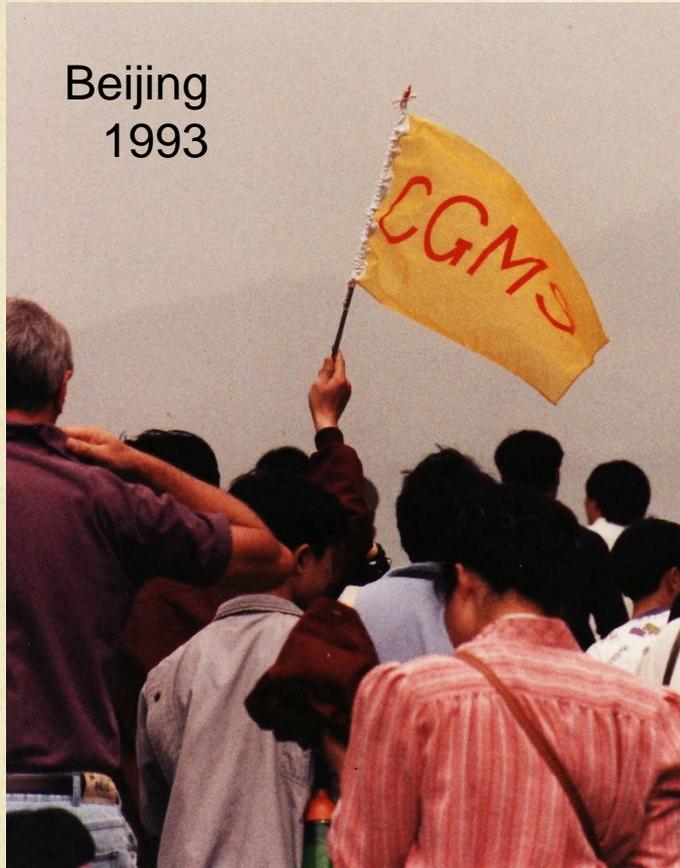
The region of study and surface type.



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FIG. 1. Geographic region of study. Also shown are surface type based on the atlas of Edlin and Haxley (1973).

The CGMS Family!



Larry Heacock,
USA
A founding member

CGMS

Geneva 1989

Keep talking

Focused Vision

Face-to-face!

Keep it
simple!

