1 TRAINING IN SATELLITE METEOROLOGY (Questionnaire Section 4)

1.1 Training in each Region (Question 11)

1.1.1 Number of staff trained by institution

WMO Region	RTC	WMO (other than RTC)	University / Industry	Internal	Bilateral Agreement other NMHS	Other
RAI	27	6	14	17	3	5
RAII	20	31	79	767	8	20
RA III	8	18	13	181	15	0
RA IV	1170	120	351	253	3	4
RA V	3	3	10	86	2	5
RA VI	114	6	139	1386	129	257
TOTAL (2010)	1342 (25%)	<mark>184 (3%)</mark>	<mark>606 (11%)</mark>	<mark>2690 (51%)</mark>	<mark>160 (3%)</mark>	<mark>291 (6%)</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	161 (5%)	147 (5%)	214 (7%)	2020 (64%)	259 (8%)	359 (11%)
TOTAL (2006)	324 (5%)	145 (2%)	195 (3%)	6103 (86%)	173 (2%)	176 (2%)

Table 12 - Number of staff trained by institution for each Region

1.1.2 Number of staff trained by skill

WMO Region	Equipment, operation, maintenance	Software development	Physical basis for remote sensing	Satellite image interpretation	Other
RAI	3	7	10	51	1
RAII	168	161	171	425	0
RA III	17	10	16	452	40
RAIV	22	71	287	789	732
RA V	11	3	23	72	0
RA VI	136	34	357	1503	1
TOTAL (2010)	<mark>357 (7%)</mark>	<mark>286 (5%)</mark>	<mark>864 (16%)</mark>	<mark>2992 (57%)</mark>	<mark>774 (15%)</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	443 (14%)	93 (3%)	750 (24%)	1826 (58%)	58 (2%)
TOTAL (2006)	758 (11%)	153 (2%)	1807 (25%)	2962 (42%)	1436 (20%)

Table 13 - Number of staff trained by skill for each Region

1.2 Training Methods (Question 11)

Skill	Classroom based presentations	Computer Assisted Learning (CAL)	Distance learning	Other
Equipment operation and maintenance	29	13	4	0
Software development	22	11	3	1
Physical basis of remote sensing	37	20	11	2
Satellite image interpretation	69	39	25	2
Other	5	2	1	0
TOTAL (2010)	<mark>162 (55%)</mark>	<mark>85 (29%)</mark>	<mark>44 (15%)</mark>	<mark>5 (2%</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	145 (57%)	63 (25%)	32 (13%)	14 (5%)
TOTAL (2006)	119 (56%)	66 (31%)	17 (8%)	11 (5%)

Table 14 - Training methods employed

1.3 Virtual Laboratory Usage Reported from each Region (Questions 12 and 13)

	Aware of	Not aware	Regularly	Occasionally	Never use
WMO Region	the VL	of the VL	use the VL	use the VL	the VL
RAI	8 (9%)	4 (4%)	1 (1%)	2 (2%)	9 (10%)
RAII	13 (14%)	9 (10%)	1 (1%)	8 (9%)	13 (14%)
RA III	5 (5%)	6 (6%)	0 (0%)	5 (5%)	6 (7%)
RA IV	10 (11%)	6 (6%)	2 (2%)	5 (5%)	7 (8%)
RA V	3 (3%)	2 (2%)	0 (0%)	2 (2%)	3 (3%)
RA VI	24 (26%)	3 (3%)	3 (3%)	12 (13%)	12 (13%)
TOTAL (2010)	<mark>63 (68%)</mark>	<mark>30 (32%)</mark>	<mark>7 (8%)</mark>	<mark>34 (37%)</mark>	<mark>50 (55%)</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	62 (66%)	32 (34%)	8 (13%)	35 (56%)	19 (31%)
TOTAL (2006)	58 (70%)	25 (30%)	14 (24%)	26 (45%)	18 (31%)

Table 15 - Awareness and usage of the VL for each Region

1.4 Limiting Factors in Education and Training in each Region (Question 14)

	No significant limiting	Insufficient access to	Technical difficulties	Financial difficulties	Insufficient staff time	Other reasons
WMO Region	factors	opportunities				
RAI	1 (1%)	9 (5%)	7 (4%)	13 (8%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)
RA II	5 (3%)	7 (4%)	8 (5%)	12 (7%)	9 (5%)	2 (1%)
RA III	2 (1%)	4 (2%)	4 (2%)	8 (5%)	3 (2%)	0 (0%)
RA IV	4 (2%)	4 (2%)	1 (1%)	8 (5%)	5 (3%)	0 (0%)
RA V	3 (2%)	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	1 (1%)
RA VI	7 (4%)	4 (2%)	6 (4%)	13 (8%)	12 (7%)	3 (2%)
TOTAL (2010)	<mark>22 (13%)</mark>	<mark>29 (17%)</mark>	<mark>27 (16%)</mark>	<mark>55 (33%)</mark>	<mark>30 (18%)</mark>	<mark>6 (4%)</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	22 (15%)	33 (23%)	20 (14%)	52 (37%)	N/A	15 (11%)
TOTAL (2006)	13 (9%)	33 (23%)	27 (19%)	56 (39%)	N/A	14 (10%)

Table 16 - Limiting factors in education and training for each Region

1.5 Changes in Education and Training in each Region (Question 15)

	No significant change in	Slight increase in	Significant increase in	Slight decrease in	Significant decrease in
WMO Region	staff training	staff training	staff training	staff training	staff training
RAI	4 (4%)	4 (4%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	1 (1%)
RAII	12 (13%)	8 (9%)	2 (2%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
RA III	5 (5%)	5 (5%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
RAIV	6 (6%)	9 (10%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
RA V	3 (3%)	1 (1%)	1 (1%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
RA VI	8 (8%)	13 (14%)	4 (4%)	0 (0%)	1 (1%)
TOTAL (2010)	<mark>38 (41%)</mark>	<mark>40 (43%)</mark>	<mark>13 (14%)</mark>	<mark>0 (0%)</mark>	<mark>2 (2%)</mark>
TOTAL (2008)	36 (39%)	37 (40%)	15 (16%)	2 (2%)	3 (3%)
TOTAL (2006)	30 (37%)	30 (37%)	15 (19%)	4 (5%)	2 (2%)

Table 17 - Change in level of training over the period of the questionnaire for each Region