Minutes of the Fourth Workshop of the Thematic Network for Ultraviolet Measurements

Time and place: Borås, Sweden, September 6-8, 2000

Attendants:

List of attendants is enclosed in Annex 1

1. General

The Thematic Network for Ultraviolet Measurements arranged its fourth workshop in Borås, Sweden, on September 6-8, 2000.

The morning of the first day, was allocated for a satellite workshop "3rd international workshop on detector-based UV radiometry" (EUROMET project 437) chaired and organised by Hans Rabus of PTB-Berlin. In the afternoon, excursions to various laboratories of SP were arranged.

The last two days were dedicated for working group meetings and scientific presentations. The number of participants of the workshop was 47.

2. Presentations

Friday morning was dedicated for presenting the progress of the EU-project "Improving the accuracy of ultraviolet radiation measurement." The session was chaired by the co-ordinator of the project, Neil Harrison of NPL. The following oral presentation were given in this session:

- 1. WP1: Filter radiometers (Petri Kärhä)
- 2. WP 2: Comparison of techniques to establish high accuracy ultraviolet radiometric scales (Hans Rabus)
- 3. WP 3: Improving industrial measurements (Charles Schrama)
- 4. WP 4: Development of a portable lamp calibrator for field calibration (Lasse Ylianttila)

In addition, 4 oral scientific presentations were given in the workshop. The topics were selected by the steering group from the list of topics of interest that had been collected based on the feedback of earlier Workshops. In addition, 8 posters were presented. The titles and authors of the presentations are listed in Annex 2.

3. Working group meetings

The four working groups had their meetings on September 7. Later the same day, the leaders of the working groups presented the final reports of their groups. The last annual reports of the working groups will be published in the Final Report of the

Network. The WG documents will be published in a special issue of the *UVNews* by mid November.

4. Decisions

- ✓ The Thematic Network decided to continue its operation in 2001 without the financial support of the Commission.
- \checkmark A 5th workshop will be arranged in Greece in 2002. Possible sources for financing the workshop will be studied.
- \checkmark The co-ordinator will form a scientific committee for the 5th workshop.
- ✓ HUT will continue maintaining the web pages of the Network.
- ✓ All working groups will continue their operation in 2001.
- ✓ Training course notes will be made available from NPL for a reasonable fee to cover printing costs.
- ✓ Working group documents will be published in *UVNews* **6**. 400 copies will be printed.

Espoo, November 3, 2000

Petri Kärhä

Annex 1: List of participants of the second Workshop

Czech	Czech Metrological Institute	Dr. Marek Smid
Denmark	Danish Institute of Fundamental Metrology	Dr. Jan C. Petersen
Egypt	SP/NIS	Mrs. Manal Haridi
Finland	Finnish Meteorological Institute	Mr. Tapani Koskela
	Helsinki University of Technology	Prof. Erkki Ikonen
	Helsinki University of Technology	Dr. Petri Kärhä
	Helsinki University of Technology	Dr. Toomas Kübarsepp
	STUK, Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority	Mr. Lasse Ylianttila
France	Bureau International des Poids et Mesures	Dr. Rainer Köhler
	INM-BNM / CNAM	Dr. Issam Abu-Kassem
	Laboratoire National D'Essais	Dr. Jean Gaudemer
Germany	Alfred-Wegener-Institut für Polar- und Meeresforschung	Dr. Christian Gross
	BioSense, Laboratory for Biosensory Systems GbR	Dr. Hans Holtschmidt
	Bundesamt für Strahlenschutz	Dr. Manfred Steinmetz
	Fraunhofer Gesellschaft zur Förderung der angewandten Forshung e.V.	Dr. Stephan Thiel
	Fraunhofer Institute	Dr. S. Thiel
	Gigahertz-Optik Vertriebsgesellschaft für Technische Optik mbH	Director Anton Gugg- Helminger
	GSF-Forschungszentrum für Umwelt und Gesundheit GmbH	Dr. Andreas Krins
	Ingenieurbüro iSiTEC Hanken & Hoops GbR	Mr. Thomas Hanken
	Multichannel	Mr. Mikael Gehlen
	Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt	Prof. Dr. Jürgen Metzdorf
	Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt	Dr. Hans Rabus
Ireland	Dublin Institute of Technology	Dr. Tom Cantwell
Norway	Agricultural University of Norway	Dr. Cecilia Futsæther
	Agricultural University of Norway	Prof. Arne Auen Grimnes
	National Institute of Public Health	Dr. Gunnar Brunborg

	Norwegian Metrology and Accreditation Service	Mr. Jarle Gran
	Norwegian Radiation Protection Authority	Mrs. Merete Hannevik
Poland	Central Office of Measures	Mr. Jerzy Pietrzykowski
Russia	All-Russian Institute for Optical and Phisical Measurements (GOSSTANDART)	Dr. Sergey I. Anevsky
	All-Russian Institute for Optical and Phisical Measurements (GOSSTANDART)	Dr. Olga A. Minaeva
Singapore	Singapore Productivity and Standards Board	Dr. Gan Xu
Spain	Instituto De Fisica Aplicada (C.S.I.C.)	Dr. Antonio Corrons Rodríguez
Sweden	Swedish National Testing and Research Institute LTD	Mr. Leif Liedquist
	Swedish National Testing and Research Institute LTD	Mrs. Anne Andersson- Fäldt
	Swedish National Testing and Research Institute LTD	Mr. Mattias Viktorsson
	Swedish Radiation Protection Institute (Statens strålskyddsinstitut)	Mr. Ulf Wester
The Netherlands	National Institute of Public Health and the Environmental protection	Mr. Rick Tax
	Nederlands Meetinstituut B.V.	Dr. Charles A. Schrama
	Philips Lighting B.V.	Drs. Anton Bouman
United Kingdom	Bentham Instruments ltd.	Mr. Mike Clark
	Cathodeon ltd.	Mr. Andrew Page
	NPL Management LTD	Dr. Bill Hartree
	NPL Management LTD	Dr. Nigel Fox
	NPL Management LTD	Dr. Neil J. Harrison
	University of Dundee	Dr. Harry Moseley
USA	NIST	Dr. Ping-Shine Shaw

Annex 2: List of scientific presentations and their authors

1. Oral presentations

- 1. Intercomparisons and equivalence (Rainer Köhler, BIPM)
- 2. The use of photometric and UV transfer standards in lighting industry (Anton Bouman, Philips)
- 3. The solar UV-instrument Intercomparison NOGIC2000 and preliminary results (Ulf Wester, SSI)
- 4. State of art in technologies (Nigel Fox, NPL)

2. Poster presentations

- 1. Test-Burn of DXW-Lamps (Lasse Ylianttila, STUK, Finland)
- 2. Problems with the Classification of UV-Detectors (Anton Gugg-Helminger, Gigahertz-Optik, Germany)
- 3. The Development of National Standards on UV-radiometry (S.I. Anevsky, V.S. Ivanov, O.A. Minaeva, O.Yu. Morozov, V.I. Sapritsky, Yu.M. Zolotarevsky, and A.E. Vernyi, All-Russian Research Institute for Optical and Physical Measurements (VNIIOFI), National Technical Committee on Ultraviolet Measurements (TK 386) of Gosstandard, Russia)
- 4. International Instrument Intercomparison of The Viospor® UV-Detection Film System Versus High Sofisticated Spectroradiometers (S. Kazadzis¹, A. Bais¹, L. Quintern², H. Holtschmidt², ¹Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Laboratory of Atmospheric Physics, Greece, ²BioSense, Laboratory for Biosensory Systems, Germany)
- 5. A Multichannel UV-A/B Spectroradiometer with High Time Resolution (Ch. Groß, T. Hanken¹, H. Tüg, and O. Schrems, Alfred-Wegener-Institut Bremerhaven, ¹iSiTEC Ingenieurbüro Bremerhaven)
- 6. Survey Of Tanning Studios in Norway (Eva G. Bjørklund, Bjørn Johnsen, Merete Hannevik and Lill Tove Norvang, Norwegian Radiation Protection Authority, Norway)
- 7. Preliminary Results of a Comparison of Silicon Quantum Yield Values in the Near Ultraviolet (T. Kübarsepp¹, H. Rabus² and C. A. Schrama³, ¹Metrology Research Institute, Helsinki University of Technology (HUT), Finland, ²Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB), Germany, ³Nederlands Meetinstituut/Van Swinden Laboratorium B. V. (NMi-VSL), Netherlands)
- 8. First Results of Long Term Measurements of Solar UV Radiation in Germany (M.Steinmetz, R.Matthes, and P.Hofmann, BfS, Germany)