Himawari 8 Discussion

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Himawari-8 Data

COPC Action Item 2016-1.3: OPCs to receive the Himawari-8 data operationally from PDA.

Purpose: To have operational support (24x7) of the data feed that is used to create OPC mission critical products. (H8 data is anticipated to be available on PDA in the summer of 2017).

- NOAA's development effort required to move H8 product processing into full operations at OSPO (NSOF) has been pushed until FY18 at the earliest, due to funding availability.
- Recommend keeping this action open?

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COPC Action Item 2016-1.2: Request an interim solution of distributing the H8 data from NCEP across the COPC Network circuits.

Purpose:. To improve the IA posture, utilize the increased Navy bandwidths, and provide a more reliable data exchange.

- NCEP is moving forward with this process, they will request FTP account information from both FNMOC and NAVO.
- Looking for a completion by late March and this should be available via both College Park and Boulder.
 - NOAA STAR is still a single point of failure and best effort until operational via PDA.
- NCEP has sent out the request for FTP account information from both FNMOC and NAVO.
- 557 will not be requesting H8 from NCEP at this time.

CSAB Recommend? Should both Als be covered in the CSAB briefing?