AUS-TAG: Issues from GPO

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Users – who are they?

- GHRSST has many users
- We need to know who they are
- How do we do this?
- Can we data mine more information?
- Need to know how many
 - Users
 - Power users
 - Small users
 - New users
 - One off users
 - Repeat users

- Then for each
 - Which products
 - How many products
 - Spatial coverage
 - Temporal coverage
 - What accuracy?
- Etc.
- Do RDACs have information?

User symposium and questionnaire

- Do we want to organise another user symposium
 - When, where, who pays?
- Do we want to organise sessions at major conferences?

 Is there any benefit to creating a user questionaire?

Growth of GHRSST

- To support growth of GHRSST into new countries we can
 - Hold a science team meeting
 - Hold a GHRSST local workshop
- The GPO favours the latter approach as ST meetings have specific requirements that do not ingratiate to expanding our user base
 - But who pays?

Discussion

- How do we generate more valuable user statistics from download metrics?
- Do we need a user symposium and questionnaire?
- Would local GHRSST SST workshops help with growth into new countries?

Who has read the URD?