Division A Working Group on Time Metrology Standards

Annual Report on Activities for 2019

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Membership

At the date of this report the Working Group has 18 members, including the chairperson. A request for association to the IAU has been presented, with the support of the president of Division A to keep within the members a representative from the US Naval Observatory. This will increase the number of members of the working to 19.

Meetings

The working group had no meetings within the period, only communication by e-mail.

Issues under consideration

The International Telecommunication Union invited the IAU to contribute to the studies on a possible redefinition of UTC. This contribution should be submitted before the World Radiocommunication Conference in 2023. The working group is considering the content of this contribution and form in which it could be presented.