



**Presentation prepared by the BIML Director on BIML-BIPM
cooperation activities**

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Rapprochement BIML-OIML:

where are we?

Stephen A PATORAY

BIML Director

with

acknowledgement to Michael Kuehne



A period of change, with a number of new faces:

- President of the CIPM

- Director of the BIPM

- President of the OIML

- Director of the BIML

and:

- International Liaison Officer at the BIPM

Additionally, Luis Mussio has joined BIML after a period of three years at BIPM (as JCRB Secretary)



A closer working relationship

Excellent relationship and dynamics:

- Reciprocal visits by the BIML and BIPM Directors in addition to annual formal bi lateral meetings
- Daily contact between staff at working level on both technical and organisation topics



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Reinvigoration of the BIPM – OIML Action Plan, collaboration on:

- “Back Office” activities
- Informative and awareness documents
- International promotion of metrology
- Technical issues of common interest



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Information Technology:

- BIPM IT troubleshooting support to BIML
- BIPM advice on setting specifications
- 2011 Integrated IT solution for World Metrology Day
 - Website transferred to BIML (BIPM Webmaster on maternity leave)
 - Seamless delivery spread over servers of both organisations making best use of available IT capabilities



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Administration:

- Best Practice related to Human Resources
- Sharing of some BIPM procedures and practices
- Advice/information exchange on a range of administrative issues relevant to intergovernmental bodies



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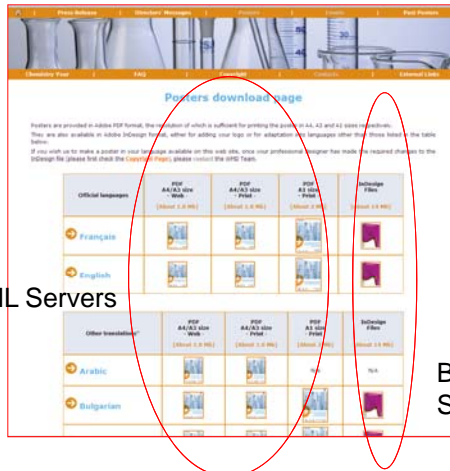
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BIML Servers

BIPM Servers

- "Official" posters provided by BIPM – OIML in English and French
- Another 15 translations sent in have been made available
- Over 2600 poster downloads
- Planned national WMD events in 23 countries listed

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Press release
WORLD METROLOGY DAY 2011
Chemical measurements for our life, our future

Messages from the Directors of the BIPM and the OIML

Michael Kühne
Director of the BIPM

Stephan Fafroy
Director of the OIML

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Genuinely integrated BIPM – OIML team for World Metrology Day:

- Choice of poster design (with thanks to PTB)
- Backroom IT
- Web design
- Legal / Copyright
- FAQs
- Press release
- Directors messages
- Requests / Issues

Credits - Contacts

The 2011 World Metrology Day project was realized jointly by the BIPM and the OIML, together with PTB International Technical Cooperation.

Meet the team:

- WMD Project development by **Andy Henson, BIPM**.
- Poster designed by **Harmen Kasper, Consultant to the PTB**.
- WMD web site designed and maintained by **Chris Fafroy and Luis Mendiz, OIML**.
- IT support provided by **Jean-Christophe Gombal (OIML) and Laurent Le Mar (BIPM)**.

If you would like to send us your opinion or feedback, or if you have any questions, please send an email to wmd@worldmetrologyday.org.

We wish you a very successful 2011 World Metrology Day



Updated sector documents on the "Metrologyinfo" joint website:

- Metrology and the Environment
- Metrology and Trade
- Metrology and Healthcare
- Metrology and Safety



www.metrologyinfo.org



Working together to join up metrology for the outside world:

- Andy Henson and Ian Dunmill give an integrated joint seminar to UNIDO Trade Capacity Building staff in Vienna on WMD 2010
- Joint working on the UNIDO AFRIMETS Development Project Steering Committee
- Joint input to the AFRIMETS Metrology School
- Exchange of information on progress with potential new Members
- General "Joined up" and mature joint promotion of metrology



- Review of OIML D1 (Elements for a law on metrology)
- Consequences of redefinition of the kilogram
- Grain moisture
- EU Measuring Instruments Directive
- VIM and GUM – on going