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**1st HYCOM Consortium Meeting**  
*October 1999*

**Agenda**

The MAIN purpose of this meeting is to produce a written science plan that will clearly outline the first year goals, collaborations, and deadlines.

**DAY 1: Presentations by the participants**

These presentations should

- a. summarize your expertise,
- b. express your ideas regarding the progress that the consortium should achieve during the coming year, and
- c. most significantly, present and discuss your planned contributions.

A written summary (overhead) should be brought for the Day 2 plenary sessions.

**DAY 2: Nuts and bolts discussion**

Morning: Model development

Afternoon: Data assimilation

By the end of each of these discussion sessions, we should have the first year goals, collaborations, and deadlines clearly defined for the given topic.

**DAY 3: Discussion and writing assignments**

3 p.m.: Plenary session summarizing the writing effort and the science plan.

**P.S.: THIS WILL BE AN IMPLEMENTATION MEETING. EVERYONE SHOULD FEEL FREE TO DISCUSS THE PLUSES AND MINUSES OF THE VARIOUS PROPOSED APPROACHES.**