Continuous recording and submission of meteorological and clock offset data

The IVS Directing Board resolves that for improving the opportunities of present and future VLBI data analysis through establishing a seamless auxiliary data archive, every radio telescope operating in IVS observing sessions records their meteorological observations and clock offset data w.r.t. UTC(GPS) continuously, i.e., independently and beyond observing sessions.

For easy access by all parties interested, the IVS Directing Board recommends that the data be submitted regularly with low latency to the IVS central repository specifically set up for this purpose and hosted by the Wettzell IVS Seamless Auxiliary Data Archive.

The technical details are documented in Annex 1.