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The IMC will kick off the first water cooler of the year next Monday with a discussion of the LTER 40-year review and the IM self-study component. Here is the connection and initial topic information:

Date: Monday, January 14th at 12 pm PDT / 3 pm EDT

Connection: https://ucsb.zoom.us/j/419931872 [1]

The current thinking is a two-page whitepaper highlighting how great IM is at the NETWORK level. The NSF review will focus on: (1) why do we need long-term, and (2) why do we need a network? The IMC, almost more than any other, can address these topics. Focus of the decadal review is progress in the last 10 years (2008-2018) and the IMC has several key accomplishments. Bob Waide is also editing a book about LTER, with Susan Stafford writing the IM section, and we want to be involved in this process.

Initial discussion generated a list of some cross-site products and a few concepts to be highlighted in the paper:

climdb/hydrodb

Vocab

GCE Toolbox

EML

Unit Registry

**DEIMS** 

**PASTA** 

EDI/data center

What are the concepts we should plan to emphasize:

How was the network connected to development of product?

What is the network use of the product?

What is the use outside of the LTER of the product?

Notes and working document:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Xt2MV6HdybMjl7MVN6V4aw1FpTTwjD6oNtph...

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