

AFFECTS Questionnaire

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We invite all participants to the AFFECTS User Workshop to fill in the questionnaire below. This will help us to improve our service towards the different user communities. Thanks in advance for your participation.

Please hand this questionnaire to AFFECTS personnel near the end of the workshop, or send it to Cis Verbeeck, Royal Observatory of Belgium, Ringlaan 3, 1180 Brussels, Belgium before March 11, 2013.

1) Describe briefly the company or institute you work for and its/your link with space weather.

2) You are most interested in: (select one or more options please)
 □ alerts □ forecasts □ bulletins (e.g., weekly, monthly)

3) Which type of space weather products and services are you most interested in? (*select one or more options please*)

 \Box solar \Box CME \Box geomagnetic \Box auroral \Box ionospheric (e.g., TEC)

4) Which is the most interesting forecast time-window for you? E.g., next 24hrs, next 72hrs, weekly, monthly.

5) Which AFFECTS products and services would benefit your business or activities, in which way and to which extent? Please specify. For your reference, here is a list of AFFECTS products and services.

- a) ROB-SIDC space weather forecasts
- b) NOAA-SWPC space weather forecasts
- c) Alerts on the AFFECTS website http://www.affects-fp7.eu/
- d) Solar Demon dimming and EIT wave detector
- e) STAFF viewer: http://www.staff.oma.be/
- f) L1 solar wind, Kp, auroral and GPS error alert
- Real-time CME, Kp, Aurora, GPS error forecast g)
- h) Geomagnetic forecast tool by SRI NASU-NSAU
- Early Warning for GNSS Users i)
- i) Other: ...

6) At which frequency would you use the AFFECTS products and services in question 5?

7) In order to use the AFFECTS products and services you specified in question 5, do you think you need: (select one or more options please)

 \square no more information \Box a user manual \Box expert assistance 8) Have you got any suggestions for improving existing AFFECTS products or services? Please specify.

9) Have you got any suggestions for new AFFECTS products or services to be developed? Please specify.

10) What did you think of the balance between talks and demos at the AFFECTS User Workshop? (*select only one option please*)
□ Too many talks
□ Well-balanced
□ Too many demos

11) What did you think of the general level of the AFFECTS User Workshop? (*select only one option please*)
□ Much too easy □ Too easy □ Just right □ Too hard □ Much too hard

12) Did you have enough time to get to know the AFFECTS products and services at the AFFECTS User Workshop? (*select only one option please*)

Too much time

Just right

Not enough time

13) Were the talks and demos at the AFFECTS User Workshop: (*select only one option please*) □ Too detailed □ Just right □ Not detailed enough

14) What is your global evaluation of the AFFECTS User Workshop? (*select only one option please*) □ Very useful □ Useful □ OK □ Not very useful □ Not useful at all

15) What is your global evaluation of the information on the AFFECTS website <u>http://www.affects-fp7.eu/</u>? (*select only one option please*)

 $\Box \text{ Very useful } \Box \text{ Useful } \Box \text{ OK } \Box \text{ Not very useful } \Box \text{ Not useful at all }$

16) Had you heard of AFFECTS before you were invited to the User Workshop? (*select only one option please*)

 \Box Yes \Box No

If yes, please specify in which way.

17) If you've got any more comments on the AFFECTS products and services, on the User Workshop, or on the AFFECTS website, please provide them below.

Thank you for taking the time to fill in this questionnaire.