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# WG #3: MTG-I data (FCI and LI instruments)

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# Q&A: Clarifications on the Introductory presentations done in plenary

CLIMSa and climate stations: On Jollys presentations PUMA stations were mentioned to be deployed to all 49 countries, but for Climate stations the number of countries (including SADC countries) is less (33) Would need clarification on this.

# Roundtable on how the NMHSs are dealing with MTG FCI and LI and what are the challenges

**Nigeria:** upper air data very important, and hope that MTG will help in that (instability indices will be valuable, and later MTG-S.)

**South Africa:** MTG brings much more data , countries in Africa will have problems to download and display and handle the information.

**South Africa:** During the time MTG and MSG will run parallel, will there be complete re-development of products and services?

**Seychelles:** PUMA stations have problems.

**Seychelles:** some problems with IODC updates.

# Wrap-up: identification of main recommendations and action points

In any kind of technical problems (i.e. PUMA stations) it is recommended to take an action and contact EUMETSAT Helpdesk or the regional support line.

Lightning imager: to invest efforts in effective and easy to understand display of LI information (“poor-man’s radar”)