1. Welcome (9 am March 20)
2. Local arrangements
3. Objectives of the meeting/adoptions of the agenda
   Looking back over Argo’s first 15 years – are present priorities appropriate?
   Is Argo sustaining and improving the core Argo program, while also extending it as
   recommended by OceanObs09?
4. Status of action items from AST-12 (Scanderbeg)
5. Implementation issues
   5.1 AIC Report/Status of Argo (Belbéoch)
   5.2 The Beginnings of Argo: 1997-1999 (Roemmich)
   5.3 EuroArgo update (LeTraon)
   5.4 Forum for the future of Japan Argo (Suga)
   5.5 Update commitments table (Scanderbeg)
      Have the missed 2009/2010 deployments been made up?
   5.6 Float deployment opportunities (Belbéoch)
   5.7 Bio-Argo/Biogeochemical Argo (Riser, Claustre)
   5.8 AIC Funding (Freeland)
   5.9 JCOMM Observing Program Support Centre (Belbéoch)
   5.10 Marginal Seas sampling schemes (P-M Poulain, Ryoo)
   5.11 Discussion items from National Reports?
6. Data Management related issues
   6.1 Feedback from ADMT-12 (Pouliquen/Thresher)
   6.2 Update on pressure error correction and impacts (Wijffels)
   6.3 Feedback from Argo Trajectory Workshop (Scanderbeg)
   6.4 CCHDO/NODC activity/reference data (S. Diggs, T. Boyer)
7. Science talks: 3 presentations, 20 mins + 10 min discussion each.
   7.1 Claustre, H. Mignot, A. Xing, X, Dortenzio, F., Poteau., A.
      Bio-optical floats: (1) towards delayed mode for Chla and CDOM; (2) understanding the
      seasonal DCM dynamics in sub-tropical regimes.
   7.2 Poulain, P.M., Notarstefano, G. (OBS, Trieste, Italy) and Stanev, E. (Univ. Sofia,
      Bulgaria)
      Long term variations in the thermohaline properties in
      the Mediterranean and Black Seas as derived from Argo data
8. Technical issues
   8.1 Float technology progress (Riser, LeReste, Suga, Owens, Gilbert, Roemmich/Johnson)
   8.2 Status of oxygen measurement and QC (Riser, Gilbert/Kobayashi, Thierry)
   8.3 Update on near-surface temperature (Turton, Wijffels)
   8.4 Status of satellite communications (S. Piotrowicz, S. Hosoda)
   8.5 Standardized sampling for Iridium floats (Roemmich)
9. Demonstrating Argo’s value/evolving for Argo’s future
9.1 Upcoming science meetings: ASW-4 September 2012 (LeTraon)
9.2 Argo bibliography (Scanderbeg)
9.3 Google Ocean (Diggs/Belbeoch)
9.4 Argonautics Newsletter (Scanderbeg)
9.5 Updated Argo Brochure
9.6 Argo data and information accessible through interoperability with IOC Ocean Data Portal (Troisi)
9.7 Argo outreach activities –
9.8 How is Argo doing with regard to its progress and priorities? (Gould)

10. Future meetings
   10.1 ADMT-13
   10.2 AST-14

11. AST Membership

12. Other business