Agenda for POD/Geoid Splinter Session Wednesday, November 19, 8:30-12:00 am chairs: Jean-Paul Berthias / John Ries The areas of discussion will include: Consistency and performance of Jason-1 orbit determination Jason-1 orbit improvements and progress towards 1-cm goal Evaluations of new GRACE gravity models for geoid and POD applications 8h30 Introduction Berthias, Ries Jason-1 POD status and performance F. Mercier Jason-1 POD evaluation J. Ries Validation activities for Jason-1 and T/P precise orbits P. Bonnefond Achieving and validating the 1-centimeter orbit: S. Luthcke Jason-1 precision orbit determination using GPS, SLR, DORIS and altimeter data Jason-1 POD evaluation and orbit comparison N. Zelensky An evaluation of recent gravity models wrt. satellite F. Lemoine altimeter missions Jason-1 and Envisat POD comparisons E. Doornbos Precise orbit and gravity field for Jason-1 J.-M. Lemoine 10h00 Break 10h30 Splinter session resumes with remaining POD results Precise Orbit Determination for Jason-1: GPS and B. Haines the 1-cm Solution Jason-1 POD: gravity field comparisons from JGM-3 P. Moore the 1-cm Solution Impact of orbit errors on tide gauge calibration S. Nerem and global mean sea level 11h15 Review of new gravity models and applications to geoid modeling GRACE mission status and current results J. Ries Geoid retrieval based on satellite and ocean data D. Stammer 11h45 POD/Geoid issues and plans discussion

12h00 Lunch

There will be a separate discussion regarding the South Atlantic Anomaly effects on the DORIS system; thus presentations on the SAA effects should be deferred to that time.