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Summary

This document presents workpackage progress by CASU during January 2004.

For further details of group activities over the past month and quarter see

<http://www.ast.cam.ac.uk/~wfcam/diary.html>

For the minutes of all group meetings see

<http://www.ast.cam.ac.uk/~wfcam/docs/minutes>

Highlights

- Telecoms with JAC continue to be productive and useful – for example in the construction of the MSB guidelines
- VDFS MkII PPRP bid has been finalised and submitted and the presentation meeting is happening in Cambridge today
- Reports have been completed on (i) comparisons between UFTI pipelines (CASU & JAC) and (ii) pipeline processing of UFTI service data. Both reports have been published to the document www pages and circulated their existence to appropriate persons
- STH had a productive discussion with Casali and Warren about WFCAM status, characterisation and commissioning. Recent reports indicate that good progress is being made with the detector coplanarity tests at ATC
- FIRES pipeline processing has been successfully completed and catalogues generated to $K>24$

Lowlights:

- Still no engineering data in hand, but should be coming soon
- The amount of work to prepare for yet another review (PPRP)