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IPCC Working Group I to publish full report on 30 January 2014

GENEVA, Jan 24 – Working Group I of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) has now finalised its full report *Climate Change 2013: The Physical Science Basis*, which will be published online on Thursday 30 January 2014.

The Summary for Policymakers of this report was approved in Stockholm on 27 September 2013 and released that day. The Technical Summary, Chapters of the report and selected Annexes were released on 30 September 2013 in the accepted version of the 7 June final draft. Since then the full report, which consists of – besides the Summary for Policymakers – a Technical Summary, 14 Chapters and six Annexes including an Atlas of Global and Regional Climate Projections, has been copy-edited and laid out in preparation for publication. It has also been adjusted, as agreed, for consistency with the approved Summary for Policymakers, in accordance with IPCC procedures, and errors have been corrected.

Besides the report itself, the package to be published online on 30 January includes the first- and second-order drafts of the report, review comments by expert and government reviewers on the drafts, and the responses by the Working Group I author teams to those comments, as well as extensive additional material.

The full report will be published in book form by Cambridge University Press in the next few months.

The IPCC will hold a dial-in press conference on Thursday 30 January 2014 at 14.30 CET (22.30 JST, 21.30 CST, 13.30 GMT, 08.30 EST) to present the full report. The speakers will be Thomas Stocker, Co-Chair of IPCC Working Group I, and Renate Christ, Secretary of the IPCC. Media representatives wishing to take part in this press conference are invited to email the IPCC at ipcc-media@wmo.int with names and contact details. Joining instructions will be sent out nearer the time.

The report will be published on www.ipcc.ch and www.climatechange2013.org.

The Summaries for Policymakers for Working Groups II and III are due to be released on March 31 and April 13 respectively, and the Synthesis Report for the Fifth Assessment Report will be finalized at the end of October.

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