

# IGRGEA LETTER

## International Research Group in Geophysics /Europe-Africa

### AIM OF THE LETTER

At the End of the IEEY, IGRGEA (International Geophysical Research Group Europe Africa) has been organized to follow the research work initiated during IEEY.

### IVORY-COAST PROJECT

The Abidjan-Group has issued its first newsletter GIRGEA-Abidjan.

By the end of 1996, the Abidjan-Group and the Dakar-Group will take over the editing and mailing of the present international letter of IGRGEA.

### KORHOGO SITE

The HF Radar antennae have been sent to the station. The Receiver is being tested. Immediately at the conclusion of tests the equipment will be packed for the Korhogo site (delivery expected mid-June 1996).

The Telecom school will take place during the reception of the equipment.

Patrice Merrien (VSN) has left ; he has been replaced by Olivier Chiron (CSN) since March 1996.

Dr. P. Vila and P. Merrien spent from 22 to 27 April by Prof. D.Rees, in Kent (UK), to work on the interferometer system and prepare the transfer of scaled data on the Korhogo site.

The first catalogue of the Korhogo data has been collected by E.Kone and P. Merrien.

### DATA BASES

The catalogues of IEEY data from the asian sector (Dr. B.R. Arora) and the american sectors (Dr. M.A. Abdu) have not yet been received by C.Amory-Mazaudier who is in charge of the edition of the general catalogue.

### GEOPHYSICS SCHOOL at ABIDJAN

The Courses at the Abidjan Geophysical School (October, 1995) are due for redaction at the end of May by the school attendants.

### 1996 CONGRESSES

The congress of the **URSI** (Union Radio-Scientifique Internationale) will hold its meeting at Lille, France from August 28 to September 5, 1996.

### PUBLICATIONS

-HF radar observations of equatorial spread-F over West Africa, J-F. Cécile, P. Vila, E. Blanc, *Ann. Geophysicae* 14, 411-418 (1996).

-Kilometric Irregularities in the E and F regions of the Daytime Equatorial Ionosphere Observed by a High Resolution HF, *GRL*, Vol 23, Number 6, pp 645-648, March 1996.

-L'électrojet équatorial, J. Vassal, *ORSTOM actualités* N°46, 1995.

The final report for the IEEY experiment (February 1996) has been sent to the administratives authorities.