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# The ETDA plan

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#### The plan covers the following areas

- ETDA interests cover data assimilation algorithms, developments for new observation types, OSE and OSSE experiments and ensemble data assimilation.
- developments in the consortia
  - convective scale,
  - ensemble DA,
  - radar assimilation



## Developing collaboration

- circulate new technical reports
- if one consortium holds a significant DA planning or review meeting, consider inviting representatives from other consortia
- Meet informally at EWGLAM/SRNWP to plan more specific collaboration
- an SRNWP workshop was held in 2004 on the subject "High resolution data assimilation: towards 1-4km resolution". Revisit in 2009/10?.....OR
- Consider joint workshop with ETEPS on the topic of ensemble data assimilation
- For radar assimilation, suggest a special session at one of the biannual ERAD conferences where the radar community are present.
- Study the plans of other expert teams and contribute expertise eg surface data assimilation, observational format issues in interoperability, ensemble prediction



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## Discussion

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