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**IPCC Factsheets**

GENEVA, 19 September – In advance of the release of the Working Group I contribution to the Fifth Assessment Report (AR5) of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), the IPCC has prepared a series of factsheets in all official UN languages explaining how the IPCC works and how it produces reports.

These factsheets are:

- What is the IPCC?
- How does the IPCC select its authors?
- What literature does the IPCC assess?
- How does the IPCC review process work?
- How does the IPCC approve reports?
- How does the IPCC deal with alleged errors?
- Timeline – highlights of IPCC history

To access these factsheets, go to: [http://www.ipcc.ch/news\\_and\\_events/outreach.shtml](http://www.ipcc.ch/news_and_events/outreach.shtml) and click on the “Materials” tab.

The factsheets will also be highlighted on the new AR5 pages to be released next week.

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