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CORE WRITING TEAM FOR THE AR4 SYNTHESIS REPORT

(Submitted by the IPCC Chair)

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The Core Writing Team for the AR4 Synthesis Report is lead by the IPCC Chair. The Core Writing Team comprises the IPCC Chair, the Co-Chairs of the three Working Groups, the heads of the Technical Support Units, the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of the IPCC, and selected authors from the three Working Group reports.

The authors selected from the three Working Group reports are listed in Table 1. These authors have been selected by the IPCC Chair in consultation with the Co-Chairs, and have been agreed by the IPCC Bureau at its thirty-fifth session.

The Core Writing Team may be expanded by the IPCC Chair, in consultation with the Co-Chairs, at a later stage as any needs to add specific expertise to the Core Writing Team may become apparent.

The Core Writing Team will be assisted by an Extended Writing Team containing representatives from each chapter of the Working Group reports. The Extended Writing Team will ensure adequate coverage of geographical and sectoral issues.

Review Editors have been selected from the IPCC Bureau as well as authors from the Working Group reports. The Review Editors are also listed in Table 1.

Table 1: Core Writing Team (in addition to IPCC Chair, Co-Chairs, TSU heads, Secretatry and Dep. Secretary) and Review Editors

No.	Topic	WG-I	WG-II	WG-III	Review Editors
1	Observed changes in climate and its effects	J Ren (China) N Nicholls (Australia) M Rusticucci (Argentina)	C Rosenzweig (USA)		Bubu Jallow (The Gambia – WG-I) John Stone (Canada – WG-II)
2	Causes of change	P Stott (UK) U Lohmann (Switzerland)		N H Ravindranath (India)	R Bojariu (Romania – WG-I) D Hawkins (USA – WG-III)
3	Climate change and its impacts in the near and long term under different scenarios	R Stouffer (USA) V Kattsov (Russia) T Matsuno (Japan)	S Schneider (USA) B Menne (WHO/Germany) C Vogel (South Africa) Z Kundzewicz (Poland)	N H Ravindranath (India) W Hare (Australia) N Nakicenovic (Serbia & Montenegro)	S Diaz (Argentina – WG-II) H Lee (Republic of Korea – WG-III)
4	Adaptation and mitigation options and responses, the inter-relationship with sustainable development, at global and regional levels		L Nurse (Barbados) S Agrawala (OECD/France) G Yohe (USA)	R Swart (The Netherlands) J Pershing (USA) L Bernstein (USA) Y Sokona (Mali)	A Allali (Morocco – WG-II) I A R Elgizouli (Sudan – WG-III)
5	The long-term perspective: scientific and socio-economic aspects relevant to adaptation and mitigation, consistent with the objectives and provisions of the Convention, and in the context of sustainable development	R Stouffer (USA) T Matsuno (Japan)	S Huq (Bangladesh) S Agrawala (OECD/France) G Yohe (USA)	W Hare (Australia) N Nakicenovic (Serbia & Montenegro) T Sugiyama (Japan) Y Sokona (Mali)	F Giorgi (Italy – WG-I) O Hohmeyer (Germany – WG-III)
6	Robust findings, key uncertainties	Whole team	Whole team	Whole team	D Griggs (UK – WG-I) N Leary (USA – WG-II)