

## **AWIPS II Topic of the Week -- Standardized Configuration for AWIPS II Testing (SCAT) Platform Update**

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Teamwork! Teamwork! Teamwork! It's amazing what an organization can achieve through teamwork! The Standardized Configuration for AWIPS II Testing (SCAT) Platform is making tremendous strides. Since August approximately 20 of the 34 (~59%) User Side-by-Side Testing (UST) sites have installed the SCAT Platform and started testing, as part of the UST and National Core Local Application Development Team (NCLADT) Local Application Migration (LAM) activities. The SCAT Platform employs a solution utilizing the legacy PX servers that allow the sites to switch easily between AWIPS Migration and AWIPS I mode. Also it offers sites a Standard, Stable, Simple (to configure), and "Safe" environment (from issuing errant products) for performing vital AWIPS II testing and migration activities. Special thanks to the AWIPS Test Facility Manager and platform integrator James Williams (OST/SEC) and to the User Functional Evaluation (UFE) Test Manager Robert Rood (OST/SEC) for their contributions. We're excited about the various testing activities and we look forward to the continued collaborations from the field. For more information about the AWIPS SCAT Platform and LAM, please go online to the AWIPS Tech Infusion website ([http://www.nws.noaa.gov/ost/SEC/AE/Site\\_Migration.htm](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/ost/SEC/AE/Site_Migration.htm)).

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