**KoFlux Data Fair-Use-Policy**

**The Nature of Data**

The nature of data submitted to KoFlux is a spectrum running from ‘raw data’ through

‘processed data’ to ‘information’ and ultimately ‘knowledge’. The datasets deposited as archives, during and after research projects, are entitled to the data provider(s) who have collected the datasets, and the data provider(s) are designated as the fundamental benefits of the datasets.

The purpose of the data archive in KoFlux is to facilitate collaborations between data producer and data user toward inter- and trans-disciplinary studies. The data are intended for scholarly use by the academic and scientific community and thus any usage of the data must be properly informed to and acknowledge the data provider(s). The data contained in the archive are made available even though they may not be “final” (i.e., error free) data and thus it is encouraged for data users to contact the data provider(s) to check the availability of updated data.

All data users, including KoFlux Participants and non-participants, must agree to abide by the following fair-use policy:

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Notification

 Data users should inform the data provider(s) of usage of the data regarding the purpose of the data use and any publication plans

 Data access to non-data provider(s) can be conferred based on scientific proposals which are evaluated for overlap and conflicts by a scientific moderation committee consisting of KoFlux colleagues in order to mediate potential conflicts rather than selecting proposals one against each other.

 If data users’ research directly conflicts with the data provider(s)’ analysis, the data users must give clear priorities to the data provider(s). He/She/They may ask the data users to postpone

usage of the data.

Dissemination of the data

 Any dissemination of the data to the third party for any use is strictly prohibited.

 If the data users wish to distribute the data to third party, after post-processing and reanalyzing, the data users must inform the data provider(s) and obtain his/her/their approval.

Publication/Acknowledgement

 For any publication using the data from KoFlux DB, the data user must inform the data provider(s) before the submission of abstract or manuscript for any public presentations or for publication, and must obtain the data providers’ approval. The data provider(s) may request co-authorship. A proper acknowledgment to the data provider(s) and KoFlux is required. **The data provider(s) in KoFlux were supported by various agencies. An appropriate acknowledgement of funding agencies for the data provider(s) is listed in Appendix A**.

 If the data users’ work directly or indirectly conflicts with the data provider(s)’ analysis, the data provider(s) may ask that they have a prior opportunity to submit a manuscript before the prospective user(s) submit his/her/their manuscript.

 All data users are required to provide reprints of paper/article using data from KoFlux to the data provider(s) and KoFlux immediately after the publication.

**Appendix A**

**Acknowledgement Examples (Site/Year)**

**- GDK & GCK/2004**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs and Ministry of Environment.

관측자료는 국토해양부와 환경부의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- GDK & GCK/2005 - 2007**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs, Ministry of Environment, and Korea Science and Engineering Foundation.

관측자료는 국토해양부, 환경부, 한국과학재단의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- GDK & GCK/2008**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs and Korea Science and Engineering Foundation.

관측자료는 국토해양부, 한국과학재단의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- GDK&GCK/2009 – Present:**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Korea Forest Research Institute and the A3 program of National Research Foundation of Korea.

관측자료는 산림과학원, 한국연구재단의 A3 프로그램의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- HFK//2004 - 2007**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Ministry of Land, Transport and Maritime Affairs, Ministry of Environment, and Korea Meteorological Administration.

관측자료는 국토해양부, 환경부, 기상청의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- HFK//2008 – Present:**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the projects funded by Korea Meteorological Administration and the A3 program of National Research Foundation of Korea.

관측자료는 기상청, 한국연구재단의 A3 프로그램의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- SMK & CRK//2007 – Present:**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the project funded by Hydrological Survey Center.

관측자료는 유량조사사업단의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.

**- STK & DSK/2007 – Present:**

The data were provided by KoFlux from the project funded by Korea Polar Research Institute.

관측자료는 극지연구소의 지원을 받아 구축된 KoFlux 의 데이터베이스를 사용하였다.