Ionosfera

Florio Dalla Vedova

Amsat Italia

Ionosfera is one of the selected Pilot Projects for Space Weather Applications. The project consists in the Radioamateurs contribution to the worldwide research effort on the ionosphere, itself a direct product of Space Weather. Practically, the Ionosfera project will offer two kinds of services relating to radio-communication and wave propagation through the ionosphere:

- 1. the provision of operational/scientific data derived from the worldwide and intense radio-traffic,
- 2. the provision of simple and more complex software tools for predicting and analysing radio-propagation.

Both services are of interest for the Scientific and Radioamateur Communities.

The presented paper documents the results obtained during the first phase of the work, dealing with Users/Services Requirements. The text also presents the future website structure and its main components.