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In July 2013, the operational data delivery to the Rapid Data Delivery System (RDDS, <ftp://ftp.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/ndacc/RD/>) started. The ground stations that have committed themselves to rapid data delivery are the NORS pilot stations Bern, Izana, Jungfraujoch, Ny Alesund, OHP, and La Réunion. Xianghe, a station that has been added in the frame of the network expansion (capacity building) hosting a UVVis MAXDOAS instrument, is also ready for rapid data delivery.

The GEOMS HDF data files are submitted within 1 month after data acquisition to RDDS. A few instruments are not ready yet for the file submission because of a necessary change in the data format in the beginning of July 2013. The other instruments operationally deliver their data to RDDS. RDDS which is hosted by the Network for the Detection of Atmospheric Composition Change (NDACC) has reached its final shape and works well for submission, archiving and distribution of the rapid delivery ground-based remote sensing data.