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The data products from CCSM runs are the result of a large development and production investment. Accordingly, care must be taken to preserve significant CCSM control and simulation data sets from being lost.

Possible Supporting Policy:

CCSM data at NCAR will be retained under the guidelines of the data retention policy above. Any deviations from this policy must be approved by the SSC. Data from CCSM run made offsite in collaboration with CCSM working groups often requires considerable support from CCSM personnel. Any sites holding CCSM control or simulation output should give the CCSM SSC the option of archiving this data at NCAR before this data is deleted.

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