

### 1. Overview

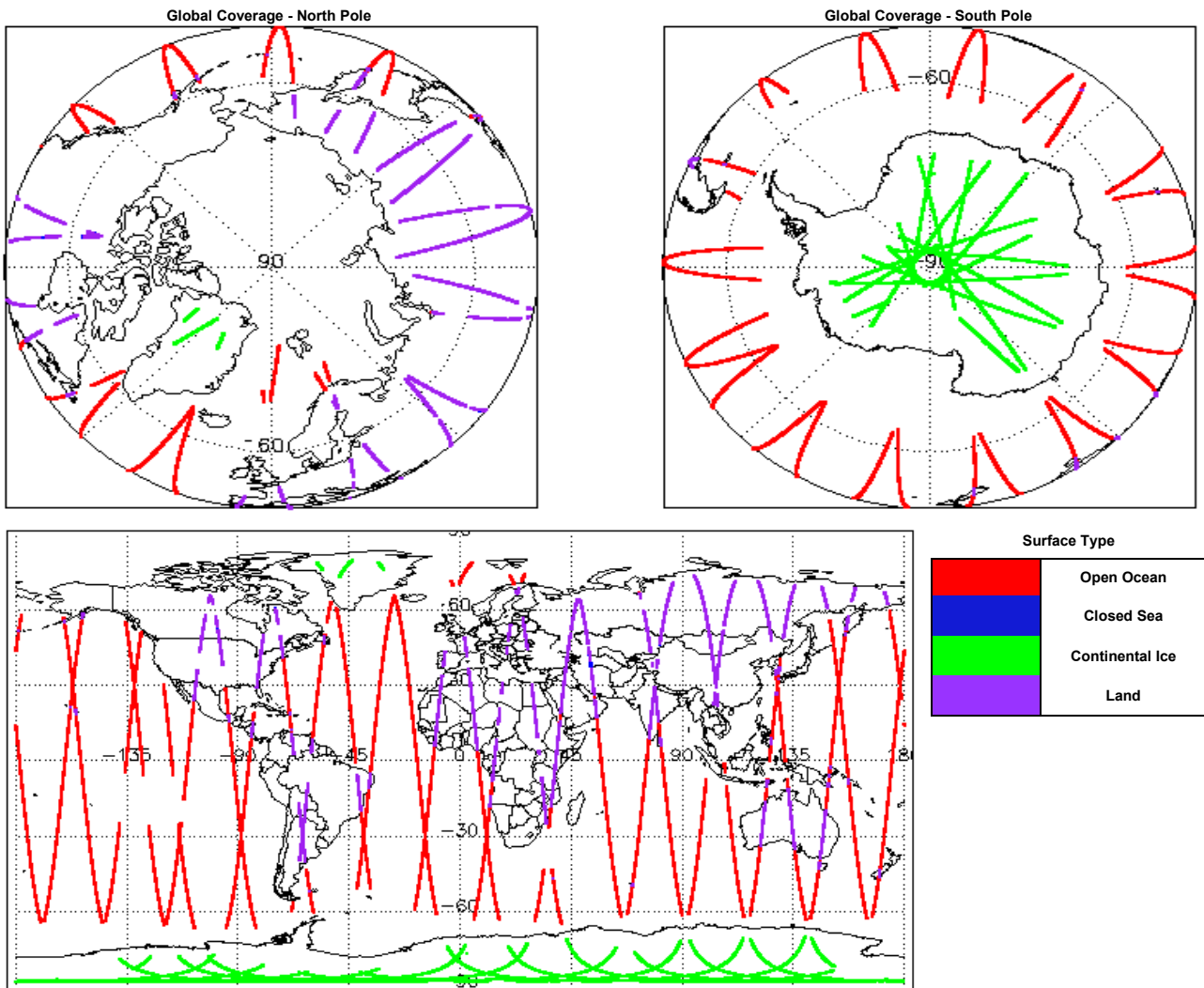
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| Report Production Date: | 12-May-2016                                           |
| Processor Used:         | CryoSat Ice Processor                                 |
| Data Used:              | L1 and L2 Fast Delivery Marine (FDM) Mode and L0 Data |

| Check                                     | Status                                 |
|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Server check: science-pds.cryosat.esa.int | Nominal                                |
| Server check: calval-pds.cryosat.esa.int  | Nominal                                |
| Product Software Check                    | Nominal                                |
| Product Format Check                      | Nominal                                |
| Product Header Analysis                   | See Section 4.2                        |
| Star Tracker Usage Check                  | See Section 5.3                        |
| Calibration Usage Check                   | Nominal                                |
| Auxiliary Data File Usage Check           | Nominal                                |
| Auxiliary Correction Error Check          | See Section 6.4                        |
| Measurement Confidence Data Check         | See Section 5.7, 6.5, 6.6, 6.7 and 6.8 |

#### Mission / Instrument News

|             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| 08-May-2016 | None            |
| 09-May-2016 | None            |
| 10-May-2016 | Nothing planned |

### 2. Global Coverage



### 3. Instrument Configuration

The SIRAL instrument configuration for the day of acquisition is provided below.

|                             |                |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| SIRAL instrument(s) in use: | SIRAL - A      |
| Star Tracker(s) in use:     | Star Tracker 1 |

### 4. Level 0 Data Quality Check

#### 4.1 L0 Product Format Check

Each product, retrieved and unpacked from the science server, is checked to ensure it consists of both an XML header file (.HDR) and a binary product file (.DBL).

Number of products with errors: 0

## 4.2 L0 Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are carried out on the MPH and SPH in order to identify any inconsistencies and/or errors raised by the processing chain.

Number of products with errors: 4

| Product                                                    | Test Failed                                                                         |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| CS_OPER_SIR1SAR_0_20160509T220244_20160509T220519_0001.HDR | Percentage of processing errors detected greater than minimum acceptable threshold. |
| CS_OPER_SIR1SAR_0_20160509T041334_20160509T042059_0001.HDR | Percentage of processing errors detected greater than minimum acceptable threshold. |
| CS_OPER_SIR1SIN_0_20160509T004001_20160509T004408_0001.HDR | Percentage of processing errors detected greater than minimum acceptable threshold. |
| CS_OPER_SIR2SIN_0_20160509T234426_20160509T235334_0001.HDR | Percentage of processing errors detected greater than minimum acceptable threshold. |

## 5. Level 1B FDM Data Quality Check

### 5.1 L1B FDM Product Format Check

Each product, retrieved and unpacked from the science server, is checked to ensure it consists of both an XML header file (.HDR) and a binary product file (.DBL).

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.2 L1B FDM Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are carried out on the MPH and SPH in order to identify any inconsistencies and/or errors raised by the ground-segment processing chain.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.3 L1B FDM Star Tracker Usage Check

Each product is checked in order to ensure a valid star tracker file has been used in processing.

Number of products with errors: 4

| Product                                                 | Test Failed                                                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T055400_20160509T061313_C001 | No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T103805_20160509T103833_C001 | No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T135100_20160509T135226_C001 | No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T164020_20160509T171421_C001 | No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product |

### 5.4 L1B FDM Calibration Usage Check

Each product is checked in order to ensure the necessary calibration files have been used in processing.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.5 L1B FDM Auxiliary Data File Usage Check

Each product is checked for missing Data Set Descriptors with respect to a pre-determined baseline and also to check the validity of Auxiliary Data Files is correct.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.6 L1B FDM Auxiliary Correction Error Check

CryoSat L1B data includes a correction error flag (field 54) for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.7 L1B FDM Measurement Confidence Data Check

CryoSat L1B data includes a measurement confidence flag (field 18) for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Number of products with errors: 4

| Product                                                 | Test Failed                 | Description                         |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T055400_20160509T061313_C001 | Attitude correction missing | The attitude has not been corrected |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T103805_20160509T103833_C001 | Attitude correction missing | The attitude has not been corrected |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T135100_20160509T135226_C001 | Attitude correction missing | The attitude has not been corrected |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20160509T164020_20160509T171421_C001 | Attitude correction missing | The attitude has not been corrected |

## 6. Level 2 FDM Data Quality Check

### 6.1 L2 FDM Product Format Check

Each product, retrieved and unpacked from the science server, is checked to ensure it consists of both an XML header file (.HDR) and a binary product file (.DBL).

Number of products with errors: 0

### 6.2 L2 FDM Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are carried out on the MPH and SPH in order to identify any inconsistencies and/or errors raised by the ground-segment processing chain.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 6.3 L2 FDM Auxiliary Data File Usage Check

Each product is checked for missing Data Set Descriptors with respect to a pre-determined baseline and also to check the validity of Auxiliary Data Files is correct.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 6.4 L2 FDM Auxiliary Correction Error Check

Each product is checked to detect auxiliary corrections flagged by the ground-station processing chain as missing or containing errors.

Number of products with errors: 28





## 6.8 L2 FDM Ocean Retracking Quality Check

CryoSat L2 data includes an ocean retracking quality flag (field 66) for each 20-Hz measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Number of products with errors: 33

| Product                                                 | Test Failed                   | Description                                                                                                                        |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T010404_20160509T012142_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T014622_20160509T020924_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T020934_20160509T021923_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T021928_20160509T021947_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T025517_20160509T031107_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T035008_20160509T035943_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T042338_20160509T044913_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T050518_20160509T053754_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T061327_20160509T062612_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T064419_20160509T065944_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T070147_20160509T071139_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T073733_20160509T075028_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T082358_20160509T083811_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T083951_20160509T084040_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T092518_20160509T094856_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T100320_20160509T102811_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T103833_20160509T103843_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T110146_20160509T111358_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T114225_20160509T120817_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T132046_20160509T132646_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T141205_20160509T144547_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T150035_20160509T152755_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T155130_20160509T161920_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T161931_20160509T162441_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T164020_20160509T171421_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T173057_20160509T180403_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T182229_20160509T183454_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T191448_20160509T192556_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T192759_20160509T194253_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T195903_20160509T200338_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T201642_20160509T202918_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T213628_20160509T220244_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |
| CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20160509T223618_20160509T230112_C001 | Ocean Retracking Quality Flag | The Ocean Retracking Quality Flag is set indicating the CFI Ocean Retracker was not successfully executed for one or more records. |