

1. Overview

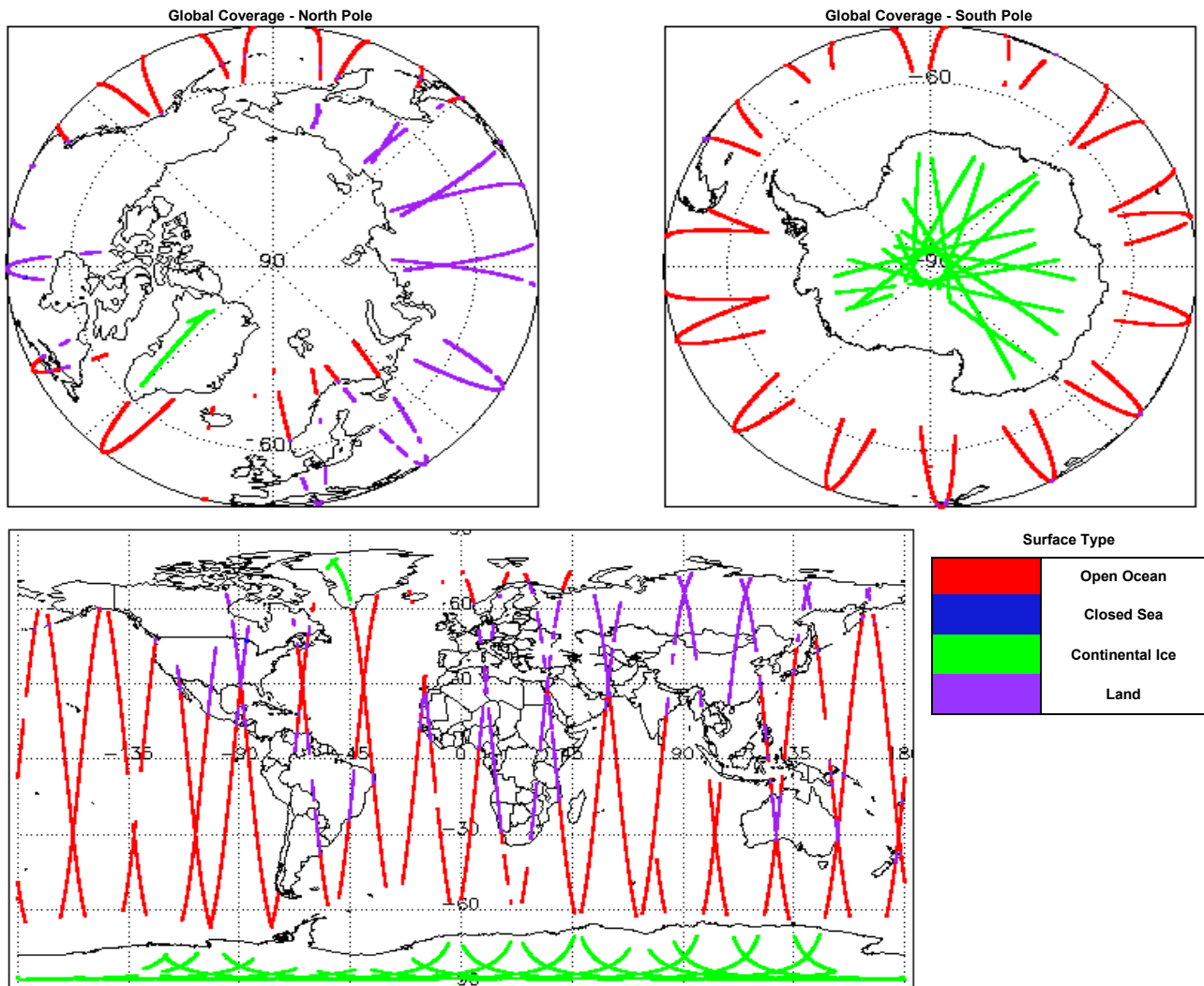
Report Production Date:	13-Dec-2016
Processor Used:	CryoSat Ice Processor
Data Used:	L1 and L2 Fast Delivery Marine (FDM) Mode and L0 Data

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-Dec-2016	None
09-Dec-2016	None
10-Dec-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: 1

Product	Test Failed
CS_OPER_SIR1SIN_0_20161209T214037_20161209T215616_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: 3

Product	Test Failed
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T011307_20161209T011701_C001	No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T025324_20161209T025420_C001	No Star Tracker file used in the processing of this product
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T043236_20161209T043338_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: 3

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T011307_20161209T011701_C001	Attitude correction missing	The attitude has not been corrected
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T025324_20161209T025420_C001	Attitude correction missing	The attitude has not been corrected
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_1B_20161209T043236_20161209T043338_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: 35

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T004404_20161209T010857_C001	Sea State Bias Correction	There is an error with the Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T013739_20161209T015209_C001	Sea State Bias Correction, Altimetric Wind Speed	There is an error with the Altimetric Wind Speed and Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T022332_20161209T024327_C001	Sea State Bias Correction	There is an error with the Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T024352_20161209T024822_C001	Sea State Bias Correction, Altimetric Wind Speed	There is an error with the Altimetric Wind Speed and Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T031328_20161209T034725_C001	Sea State Bias Correction, Altimetric Wind Speed	There is an error with the Altimetric Wind Speed and Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T040609_20161209T040908_C001	Sea State Bias Correction, Altimetric Wind Speed	There is an error with the Altimetric Wind Speed and Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2_20161209T044020_20161209T044028_C001	Sea State Bias Correction, Altimetric Wind Speed	There is an error with the Altimetric Wind Speed and Sea State Bias Correction for one or more records

CS_OFFL_SIR_FDM_2__20161209T221412_20161209T222854_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__20161209T230615_20161209T233904_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.

7. QCC Report Analysis

The Quality Control for CryoSat (QCC) facility performs a primary survey of data products immediately after production by the PDS and LTA processing facilities. A list of the tests which raised errors or warnings is provided below.

Product type	Nb. Products	Nb. QCC Reports	Nb. Valid	Nb. Warnings	Nb. Errors
SIR1LRM_0_	167	167	167	0	0
SIR1SAR_0_	120	120	120	0	0
SIR1SIN_0_	95	95	95	0	0
SIR2SIN_0_	99	99	99	0	0
SIR_FDM_1B	167	167	167	0	0
SIR_FDM_2	166	166	166	0	0

7.1 QCC Errors

Number of QCC reports with errors: 0

7.2 QCC Warnings

Number of QCC reports with warnings: 0

7.3 Missing QCC Reports

Number of products with missing QCC reports: 0