

### 1. Overview

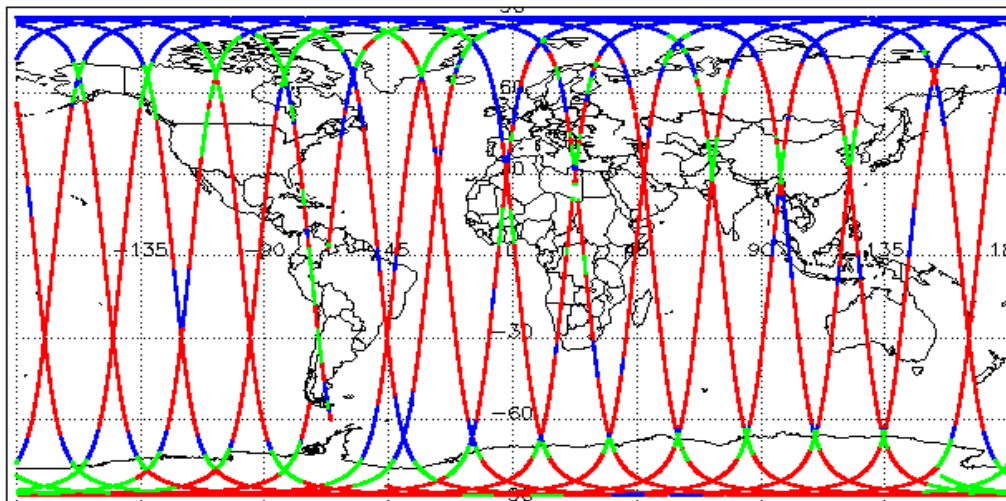
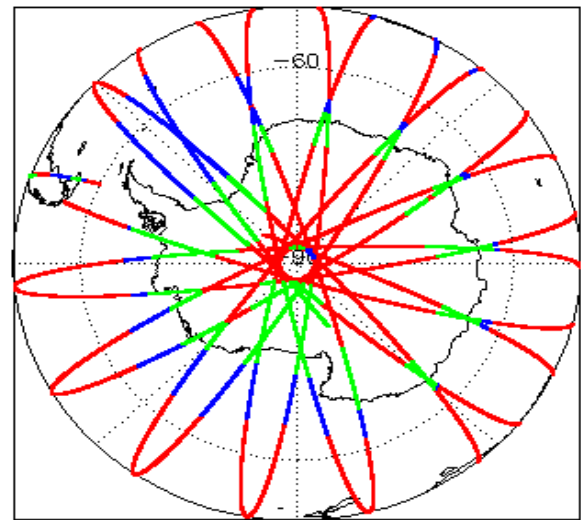
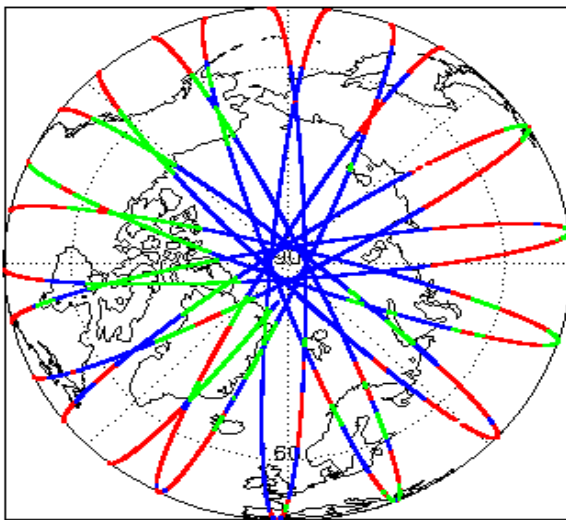
<b>Report Production:</b>	12-Feb-2018
<b>Processor Used:</b>	CryoSat Ocean Processor
<b>Data Used:</b>	Geophysical Ocean Products (GOP) L1B, L2 & P2P Science Data

Check	L1 & L2	P2P
Server check: science-pds.cryosat.esa.int	Nominal	Nominal
Server check: calval-pds.cryosat.esa.int	Nominal	Nominal
Product Software Check	Nominal	Nominal
Product Format Check	Nominal	Nominal
Product Header Analysis	Nominal	Nominal
Auxiliary Data File Usage Check	Nominal	Nominal
Auxiliary Correction Error Check	Nominal	Nominal
Measurement Confidence Data Check	See Section 4.6	Nominal
Range, SWH & Backscatter Measurement Check	See Section 5.6, 5.7	See Section 6.6, 6.7
Ocean Retracking Quality Check	See Section 5.8	See Section 6.8

**Mission / Instrument News**

08-Jan-2018	None
09-Jan-2018	None
10-Jan-2018	Nothing planned

### 2. Global Coverage



### 3. Instrument Configuration

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

<b>SIRAL instrument(s) in use:</b>	SIRAL - A
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### 4. GOP Level 1B Data Quality Check

#### 4.1 L1B 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 L1B Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are performed 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

### 4.3 L1B 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

### 4.4 L1B Auxiliary Correction Error Check

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

Number of products with errors: 0

### 4.5 L1B Measurement Confidence Data Check

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

Number of products with errors: 0

### 4.6 L1B Waveform Group Data Check

CryoSat L1B data includes a waveform data flag for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

**Loss of Echo Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land, but this is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 15

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM1B_20180109T133043_20180109T133824_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM1B_20180109T195457_20180109T195539_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM1B_20180109T222520_20180109T225627_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T013930_20180109T014040_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T031848_20180109T032439_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T090901_20180109T091025_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T113028_20180109T113138_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T144421_20180109T144932_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T175930_20180109T180447_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T190306_20180109T190418_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN1B_20180109T200253_20180109T200452_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR1B_20180109T013253_20180109T013655_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR1B_20180109T071813_20180109T072112_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR1B_20180109T141218_20180109T141336_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR1B_20180109T230355_20180109T230839_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records

## 5. GOP Level 2 Data Quality Check

### 5.1 L2 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 L2 Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are performed 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 L2 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

### 5.4 L2 Auxiliary Correction Error Check

For all products, the auxiliary corrections within the Geophysical Group are checked for the default error value (32767).

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.5 L2 Measurement Confidence Data Check

CryoSat L2 data includes a measurement confidence flag for each 20-Hz measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Number of products with errors: 0

### 5.6 L2 Range Measurement Check

CryoSat L2 data includes an Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status flag for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

**Currently, there are two common status flags raised in the Level 2 products which are expected due to surface type. All common flags are summarised in the list below, followed by a table highlighting any additional issues which may arise from this test.**

**Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ice Range Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land, but this is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 70

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T000540_20180109T002331_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T002454_20180109T003849_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T004956_20180109T005350_C001	Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ice Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.



CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T190651_20180109T194028_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T195340_20180109T195441_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T202357_20180109T203232_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T203436_20180109T203953_C001	Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ice Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T204530_20180109T210802_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T211048_20180109T212024_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T213328_20180109T213621_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T215213_20180109T215656_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T215844_20180109T221019_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T221552_20180109T221853_C001	Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ice Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T222520_20180109T225627_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T231509_20180109T232204_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T232219_20180109T234630_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPN_2_20180109T235800_20180110T000032_C001	Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ice Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR_2_20180109T022130_20180109T022140_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR_2_20180109T025014_20180109T025038_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.

## 5.7 L2 SWH and Backscatter Measurement Check

CryoSat L2 data includes a SWH Averaging Status flag and an Ocean and Ice Backscatter Averaging Status flag for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Currently, there are three common status flags raised in the Level 2 products which are expected due to surface type. All common flags are summarised in the list below, followed by a table highlighting any additional issues which may arise from this test.

**SWH Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land, but this is to be expected.

**Number of products with errors:** 65

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T000540_20180109T002331_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T002454_20180109T003849_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T004956_20180109T005350_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T005534_20180109T011106_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T011308_20180109T012230_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T015035_20180109T020133_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T021739_20180109T022129_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T022454_20180109T023252_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T023517_20180109T025013_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T032705_20180109T040054_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T040327_20180109T040536_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T040602_20180109T041139_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T041417_20180109T043925_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T051100_20180109T052234_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T052812_20180109T053855_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T054536_20180109T055012_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T055316_20180109T062135_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T064516_20180109T071812_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T072446_20180109T073018_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T073207_20180109T073804_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T080911_20180109T081056_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T082423_20180109T085810_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T090349_20180109T090901_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T091103_20180109T093042_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T100218_20180109T103609_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T104405_20180109T104802_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T105153_20180109T111901_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.

CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T11918_20180109T112622_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T112749_20180109T113028_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T114308_20180109T115323_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T115805_20180109T121544_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T121728_20180109T122246_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T123331_20180109T124622_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T124836_20180109T130058_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T130307_20180109T130456_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T132757_20180109T133040_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T133043_20180109T133824_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T134004_20180109T135435_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T135653_20180109T140157_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T141028_20180109T141126_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T143336_20180109T144033_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T151116_20180109T151436_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T151624_20180109T153354_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T153701_20180109T154113_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T154730_20180109T162206_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T164801_20180109T171324_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T171503_20180109T172027_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T172713_20180109T173826_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T174403_20180109T175929_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T182256_20180109T184529_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T184647_20180109T185302_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T185458_20180109T190306_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T190651_20180109T194028_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T202357_20180109T203232_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T203436_20180109T203953_C001	Ice Backscatter Averaging Status	The Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T204530_20180109T210802_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T211048_20180109T212024_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
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CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T231509_20180109T232204_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPM_2_20180109T232219_20180109T234630_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR_2_20180109T022130_20180109T022140_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOPR_2_20180109T025014_20180109T025038_C001	SWH Averaging Status, Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status	The SWH and Ocean Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.

## 5.8 L2 Ocean Retracking Quality Check

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

**Ocean Retracking Quality Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected. The number of products with this error flag set is given below.

**Number of products with errors:** 56

## 6. GOP L2 Pole-to-Pole Data Quality Check

### 6.1 P2P 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 NetCDF product file (.nc).

**Number of products with errors:** 0

### 6.2 P2P Product Header Analysis

For all products, a series of pre-defined checks are performed 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 P2P 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 P2P Auxiliary Correction Error Check

For all products, the auxiliary corrections within the Geophysical Group are checked for the default error value (32767).

Number of products with errors: 0

## 6.5 P2P Measurement Confidence Data Check

CryoSat P2P data includes a measurement confidence flag for each 20-Hz measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Number of products with errors: 0

## 6.6 P2P Range Measurement Check

CryoSat P2P data includes an Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status flag for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Currently, there are two common status flags raised in the P2P products which are expected due to surface type. All common flags are summarised in the list below, followed by a table highlighting any additional issues which may arise from this test.

**Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ice Range Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land, but this is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 29

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180108T235844_20180109T004823_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T004823_20180109T013757_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T013757_20180109T022737_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T022737_20180109T031711_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T031711_20180109T040651_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T040651_20180109T045624_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T045624_20180109T054604_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T054604_20180109T063538_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T063538_20180109T072518_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T072518_20180109T081452_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T081452_20180109T090431_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T090431_20180109T095405_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T095405_20180109T104345_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T104345_20180109T113319_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T113319_20180109T122258_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T122258_20180109T131232_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T131232_20180109T140212_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T140212_20180109T145146_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T145146_20180109T154126_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T154126_20180109T163059_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T163059_20180109T172039_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T172039_20180109T181013_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T181013_20180109T185953_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T185953_20180109T194927_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T194927_20180109T203906_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T203906_20180109T212840_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T212840_20180109T221820_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T221820_20180109T230754_C001	Ocean Range Averaging Status	The Ocean Range Averaging Status Flag has been set for one or more records.
CS_OFFL_SIR_GOP_2__20180109T230754_20180109T235733_C002	Ocean Range Averaging Status, Ice Range Averaging Status	The Ocean and Ice Range Averaging Status Flags have been set for one or more records.

## 6.7 P2P SWH and Backscatter Measurement Check

CryoSat P2P data includes a SWH Averaging Status flag and an Ocean and Ice Backscatter Averaging Status flag for each measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Currently, there are three common status flags raised in the P2P products which are expected due to surface type. All common flags are summarised in the list below, followed by a table highlighting any additional issues which may arise from this test.

**SWH Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ocean Backscatter Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Ice Backscatter Averaging Status Flag:** This flag is currently set for products over land, but this is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 29



