

### 1. Overview

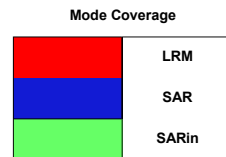
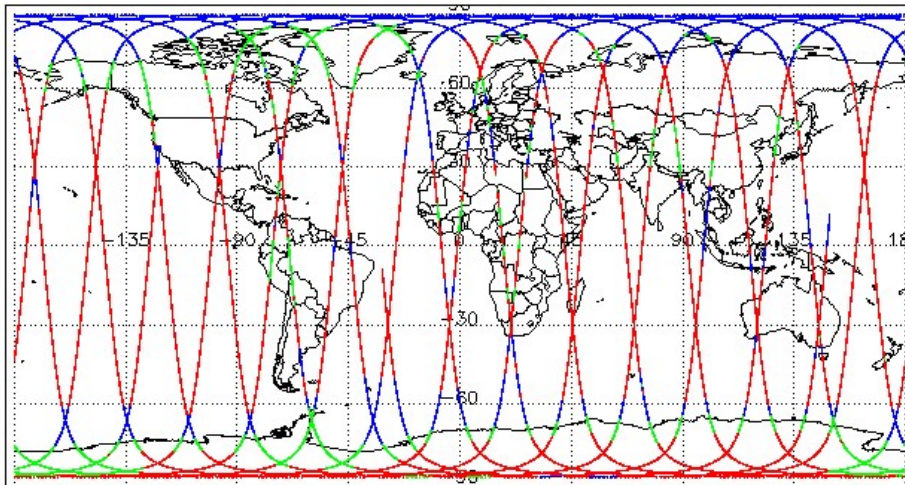
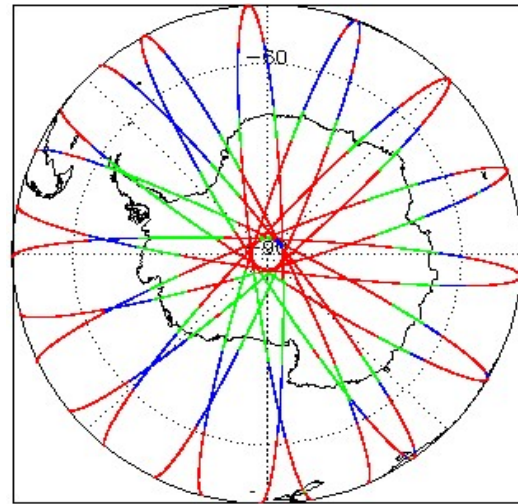
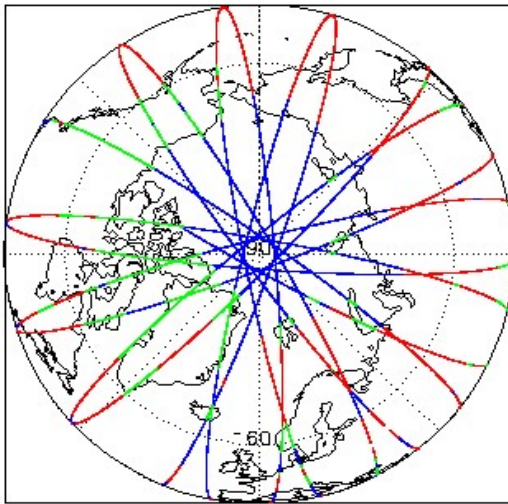
Report Production:	26-Aug-2022
Processor Used:	CryoSat Ocean Processor
Data Used:	Intermediate Ocean Products (IOP) L1B, L2 & P2P Science Data

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	See Sections 4.2 and 5.2	See Section 6.2
Auxiliary Data File Usage Check	Nominal	Nominal
Auxiliary Correction Error Check	See Section 5.4	See Section 6.4
Measurement Confidence Data Check	See Section 4.5, 4.6 and 5.5	See Section 6.5
Range, SWH & Backscatter Measurement Check	See Section 5.6	See Section 6.6
Ocean Retracking Quality Check	See Section 5.7	See Section 6.7
QCC Error/ Warning Check	See Section 7.2	See Section 7.2

#### Mission / Instrument News

22-Aug-2022	None
23-Aug-2022	None
24-Aug-2022	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
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### 4. IOP 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 NetCDF product file (.nc).

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: Not 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.

> **Attitude Correction Missing:** This flag is currently set in error for IOPR products due to a configuration issue. The attitude correction is actually not missing. This will be resolved in the next SW update.

Number of products with errors: 4

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM1B_20220823T042027_20220823T042723_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM1B_20220823T110356_20220823T110735_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM1B_20220823T161817_20220823T162510_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM1B_20220823T173821_20220823T174149_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records

## 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. The table provides the full list of products flagged.

Number of products with errors: 19

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM1B_20220823T024724_20220823T024946_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T011035_20220823T011425_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T011434_20220823T011608_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T020855_20220823T021509_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T025055_20220823T025458_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T093637_20220823T093724_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T125402_20220823T125523_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T143724_20220823T143937_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T161239_20220823T161729_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T210003_20220823T210131_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T224315_20220823T224547_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN1B_20220823T224550_20220823T224625_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T061014_20220823T061910_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T074944_20220823T075742_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T092734_20220823T093506_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T110735_20220823T111404_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T115153_20220823T115852_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T143037_20220823T143325_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR1B_20220823T160615_20220823T161239_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records

# 5. IOP 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 NetCDF product file (.nc).

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: Not 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).

Currently, there are some common auxiliary correction errors 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.

> **ECMWF Meteo Corrections:** Currently the following corrections are not computed over CONTINENTAL ICE: Dry Tropospheric Correction, Wet Tropospheric Correction, Inverse Barometric Correction and the U-Wind and V-Wind components of the ECMWF model wind vector. This is a known anomaly (CRYO-COP-3) and will be resolved in a future IPF update. The affected products are not reported in the table below.

> **Sea State Bias & Sea State Bias PLRM:** The error value is currently set for products over sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Mean Sea Surface:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Mean Dynamic Topography:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Altimetric Wind Speed Error:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Number of products with errors:** 57

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T044145_20220823T044441_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T063111_20220823T063708_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T075742_20220823T080131_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T143937_20220823T144954_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T192234_20220823T192404_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T011434_20220823T011608_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T020855_20220823T021509_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T025055_20220823T025458_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T034815_20220823T035136_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T042931_20220823T043321_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T060352_20220823T061014_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 2: FES) and the Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T070822_20220823T070942_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T080654_20220823T080722_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T083824_20220823T083952_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T084515_20220823T084825_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T094118_20220823T094248_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T101807_20220823T101922_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T102415_20220823T102741_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T115852_20220823T120128_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T125402_20220823T125523_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T134733_20220823T134911_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T143325_20220823T143539_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T152640_20220823T152831_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T161239_20220823T161729_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T174448_20220823T174557_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T183526_20220823T183646_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T183707_20220823T183924_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1) and tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T201518_20220823T201832_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)

CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T202352_20220823T202511_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T215403_20220823T215722_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T220249_20220823T220414_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T224315_20220823T224547_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1) and tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T224550_20220823T224625_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T234057_20220823T234236_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T005136_20220823T005321_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T011608_20220823T012128_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T025458_20220823T025731_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T025731_20220823T030216_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T043321_20220823T043843_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T061014_20220823T061910_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T074944_20220823T075742_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T080722_20220823T080835_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T092734_20220823T093506_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T093506_20220823T093637_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T110735_20220823T111404_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T111404_20220823T111811_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T124636_20220823T125251_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T125251_20220823T125402_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T131625_20220823T131839_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T142907_20220823T143037_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T143037_20220823T143325_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T160615_20220823T161239_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T174750_20220823T175303_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T191549_20220823T191753_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T192653_20220823T193454_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T210540_20220823T211403_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T224625_20220823T225417_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)

## 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:

4

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T042027_20220823T042723_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T110356_20220823T110735_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records

CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T161817_20220823T162510_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T173821_20220823T174149_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records

## 5.6 L2 Measurement Quality Flag Check

### L2 Quality Flags (20 Hz)

CryoSat L2 data includes Quality Flags for each 20 Hz, 20 Hz PLRM and 1 Hz measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

Currently, there are several common flags raised in the Level 2 products, which are summarised below. The table provides the full list of products flagged.

> **Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags:** These flags are currently set for some records over ocean.

> **OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags:** These flags are currently set for some records over continental ice.

Number of products with errors: 108

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T000317_20220823T000457_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T000501_20220823T001352_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T001455_20220823T002013_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T002240_20220823T002802_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T002808_20220823T002814_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T002820_20220823T003030_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T003913_20220823T005136_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T005321_20220823T010205_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T010332_20220823T011035_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T012333_20220823T012902_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T013307_20220823T014238_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T014440_20220823T015154_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T015312_20220823T015915_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T020207_20220823T020703_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T021624_20220823T021839_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T023304_20220823T023726_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T023731_20220823T024119_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T024248_20220823T024602_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T032312_20220823T033808_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T034148_20220823T034631_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPM_2_20220823T035359_20220823T041950_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records









CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T224046_20220823T224131_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220822T235837_20220823T000317_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T043858_20220823T044145_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T094248_20220823T094430_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T111840_20220823T111939_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T142636_20220823T142730_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T151359_20220823T151621_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T155141_20220823T155247_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPR_2_20220823T203151_20220823T203430_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records

## L2 Quality Flags (20 Hz PLRM)

Currently, there are several common flags raised in the Level 2 products, which are summarised below. The table provides the full list of products flagged.

> Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter PLRM Quality Flags: These flags are currently set for occasional records over sea ice.

> OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter PLRM Quality Flags: These flags are currently set for occasional records over continental ice.

Number of products with errors: 89

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T003030_20220823T003213_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality PLRM, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality PLRM	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T011434_20220823T011608_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T012902_20220823T013307_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T020023_20220823T020207_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T020855_20220823T021509_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality PLRM, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality PLRM	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T022558_20220823T022631_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T022702_20220823T023304_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T024602_20220823T024724_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T025055_20220823T025458_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T042723_20220823T042845_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T042931_20220823T043321_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T051913_20220823T052132_C001	Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality PLRM, OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality PLRM	The Ocean Altimeter Range, SSHA, SWH and Backscatter Quality Flags and the OCOG Altimeter Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T052917_20220823T053032_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOPN_2_20220823T060352_20220823T061014_C001	OCOG Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records







## 5.8 L2 Ocean Retracking Quality Check

### L2 Retracking Flags (20 Hz)

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:** 75

### L2 Retracking Flags (20 Hz PLRM)

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

> **Ocean Retracking Quality Flag (PLRM):** This flag is currently set for products IOPR and IOPN products over 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:** 146

## 6. IOP 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:** Not 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).

**Currently, there are some common auxiliary correction errors 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 check.**

> **ECMWF Meteo Corrections:** Currently the following corrections are not computed over CONTINENTAL ICE: Dry Tropospheric Correction, Wet Tropospheric Correction, Inverse Barometric Correction and the U-Wind and V-Wind components of the ECMWF model wind vector. This is a known anomaly (CRYO-COP-3) and will be resolved in a future IPF update. The affected products are not reported in the table below.

> **Sea State Bias & Sea State Bias PLRM:** The error value is currently set for products over sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Mean Sea Surface:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Mean Dynamic Topography:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

> **Altimetric Wind Speed Error:** The error value is currently set for products over land and sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Number of products with errors:** 29

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T002808_20220823T011744_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T011744_20220823T020723_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T020723_20220823T025659_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T025659_20220823T034638_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T034638_20220823T043613_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T043613_20220823T052552_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T052552_20220823T061528_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 2: FES) and the Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T061528_20220823T070507_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T070507_20220823T075443_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T075443_20220823T084422_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T084422_20220823T093358_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T093358_20220823T102337_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T102337_20220823T111312_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T111312_20220823T120251_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)

CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T120251_20220823T125227_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T125227_20220823T134206_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T134206_20220823T143142_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T143142_20220823T152121_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T152121_20220823T161056_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T161056_20220823T170035_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T170035_20220823T175011_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T175011_20220823T183950_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), and tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T183950_20220823T192926_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T192926_20220823T201905_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T201905_20220823T210840_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T210840_20220823T215819_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T215819_20220823T224755_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1), the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1), and tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T224755_20220823T233734_C001	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T233734_20220824T002710_C002	Mean Sea Surface (1), Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the MSS height (solution 1) and the Mean Dynamic Topography height (solution 1)

## 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:** 4

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T034638_20220823T043613_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T102337_20220823T111312_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T161056_20220823T170035_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_IOP_2__20220823T170035_20220823T175011_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records

## 6.6 P2P Measurement Quality Flag Check

### P2P Quality Flags (20 Hz)

CryoSat P2P data includes Quality Flags for each 20 Hz, 20 Hz PLRM and 1 Hz measurement record, copied from the corresponding L2 products.

Since the P2P Quality Flags are copied directly from the L2 Quality Flags, please see Section 5.6 for the full list of products affected. The number of P2P products affected is given below.

**Number of products with errors:** 30

### P2P Quality Flags (20 Hz PLRM)

Since the P2P Quality Flags are copied directly from the L2 Quality Flags, please see Section 5.6 for the full list of products affected. The number of P2P products affected is given below.

**Number of products with errors:** 30

### P2P Quality Flags (1 Hz & 1 Hz PLRM)

Since the P2P Quality Flags are copied directly from the L2 Quality Flags, please see Section 5.6 for the number of L2 products affected. The number of P2P products affected is given below.

**Number of products with errors:** 30

## 6.8 P2P Ocean Retracking Quality Check

### P2P Retracking Flags (20 Hz)

Cryosat P2P data includes an ocean retracking quality flag (field 19) for each 20 Hz measurement record. The bit value of this flag indicates any problems when set.

> **Ocean Retracking Quality Flag (PLRM):** This flag is currently set for products IOPR and IOPN products over sea ice, but this is to be expected.

**Number of products with errors:** 28

### P2P Retracking Flags PLRM

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

> **Ocean Retracking Quality Flag (PLRM):** This flag is currently set for products IOPR and IOPN products over sea ice, but this is to be expected.

## 7. IOP 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	No. Products	No. QCC Reports	No. Valid	No. Warnings	No. Errors
SIR_IOPM1B	169	169	4	165	0
SIR_IOPR1B	122	111	1	110	0
SIR_IOPN1B	111	122	0	122	0
SIR_IOPM_2	169	169	103	66	0
SIR_IOPR_2	122	111	47	64	0
SIR_IOPN_2	111	122	42	80	0
SIR_IOP_P2P	29	29	0	29	0

### 7.1 QCC Errors

Number of QCC reports with errors: 0

### 7.2 QCC Warnings

Number of QCC reports with warnings 2349

Total number of occurrences of each warning

Product Type	BCSHNCDF	MVIEWPFDNCDF	MVIEWPNCDF	MVIONCDF	RBSZOPEPFDNCDF	RBSZOPEPFDLRMNCDF	RBSZOPEPNCDF
SIR_IOPM1B	165	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPM_2	0	49	46	2	47	0	39
SIR_IOPN1B	108	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPN_2	0	15	33	5	26	28	23
SIR_IOPR1B	121	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPR_2	0	40	43	1	38	28	20

Product Type	RNELPOTONCDF	RPEOPFDLRMNCDF	RPEOPFDLRMSARNCDF	RPEOPFDLRMSINNCDF	RPEOPFDSARNCDF	RPEOPFDSINNCDF	RPEOPLRMNCDF
SIR_IOPM1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPM_2	1	36	0	0	0	0	31
SIR_IOPN1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPN_2	0	0	0	26	0	39	0
SIR_IOPR1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPR_2	1	0	44	0	54	0	0

Product Type	RPEOPSARNCDF	RPEOPSINNCDF	RSSBCONCDF	RSSHAOFDNCDF	RSSHAOFDPLRMNCDF	RSSHAONCDF	RSWHOEPFDNCDF
SIR_IOPM1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPM_2	0	0	11	33	0	7	46
SIR_IOPN1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPN_2	0	30	22	53	55	39	31
SIR_IOPR1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPR_2	42	0	2	67	49	6	37

Product Type	RSWHOEPFDLRMNCDF	RSWHOEPNCDF	SPHRTASCNSCDF	SPHRTASCNSCDF	SOHHIFHD	SCSTODHRNCDF	SCSTODNCDF
SIR_IOPM1B	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
SIR_IOPM_2	0	8	0	1	0	0	0
SIR_IOPN1B	0	0	0	0	0	49	2
SIR_IOPN_2	37	17	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_IOPR1B	0	0	1	0	0	122	1
SIR_IOPR_2	49	0	0	0	2	0	0

Product Type	IOHHMOOR	MVIEWPFDNCDF	MVIEWPNCDF	MVIONCDF	RBSZOPEPFDNCDF	RBSZOPEPFDLRMNCDF	RBSZOPEPNCDF
SIR_IOP_2_	16	29	29	7	29	18	29

Product Type	RNELPOTONCDF	RPEOPFDLRMSINNCDF	RPEOPFDSINNCDF	RPEOPSINNCDF	RSSBCONCDF	RSSHAOFDNCDF	RSSHAOFDPLRMNCDF
SIR_IOP_2_	2	18	29	24	23	29	17

Product Type	RSSHAONCDF	RSWHOEPFDNCDF	RSWHOEPDPLRMNCDF	RSWHOEPNCDF	SPHLPQWNCDF	-	-
SIR_IOP_2_	24	29	20	19	29		

Test Description Key:		
Abbreviation	Test name	Details
BCSHNCDF	BurstCounterStep20HzNetCDF	The burst counter should be one higher with regard to the previous burst counter
MVIEWPFDNCDF	MissingValueIntOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
MVIEWPNCDF	MissingValueIntOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
MVIONCDF	MissingValueIntOceanNetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only
RBSZOPEPFDNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RBSZOPEPFDLRMNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarFD2PLRMNetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RBSZOPEPNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RNELPOTONCDF	RangeNELPOceanTideOceanNetCDF	The Non-equilibrium long period ocean loading tide height should be between -40mm and 40mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RPEOPFDLRMNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2LRMNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 6400 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDLRMSARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2PLRMSARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDLRMSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2PLRMSINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDSARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2SARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2SINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPLRMNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPLRMNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 6400 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPSARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPSARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPSINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSSBCONCDF	RangeSeaStateBiasCorrectionOceanNetCDF	The sea state bias correction should be between -500mm and 0mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean

RSSHAOFDNCDF	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanFD3NetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSSHAOFDPLRMNCD F	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanFD3PLRMNetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSSHAONCDF	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanNetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSWHOEPDNCDF	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSWHOEPDPLRMNCD DF	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarFD2PLRMNetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSWHOEPNCDF	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
SPHRTASCNSNCDF	SPH_Rel_Time_ASC_Node_Start_v2_NetCDF	Rel_Time_ASC_Node_Start mismatch (DBL ASC, rounded up to 0.1)
SPHRTASCNSNCDF	SPH_Rel_Time_ASC_Node_Stop_v2_NetCDF	Rel_Time_ASC_Node_Stop mismatch
SOHHIFHD	SameOrOneHigher1HzIndexFor20HzData	The 1 Hz index of a 20 Hz sample should be the same or 1 higher than its previous sample
SCSTODHRNCDF	SequenceCounterStepTODHRNetCDF	The sequence counter should be modulo 4 higher with regard to the previous sequence counter
SCSTODNCDF	SequenceCounterStepTODNetCDF	The sequence counter should be one higher (modulo 16384) with regard to the previous sequence counter

### 7.3 Missing QCC Reports

Number of products with missing QCC reports: 0