

**1. Overview**

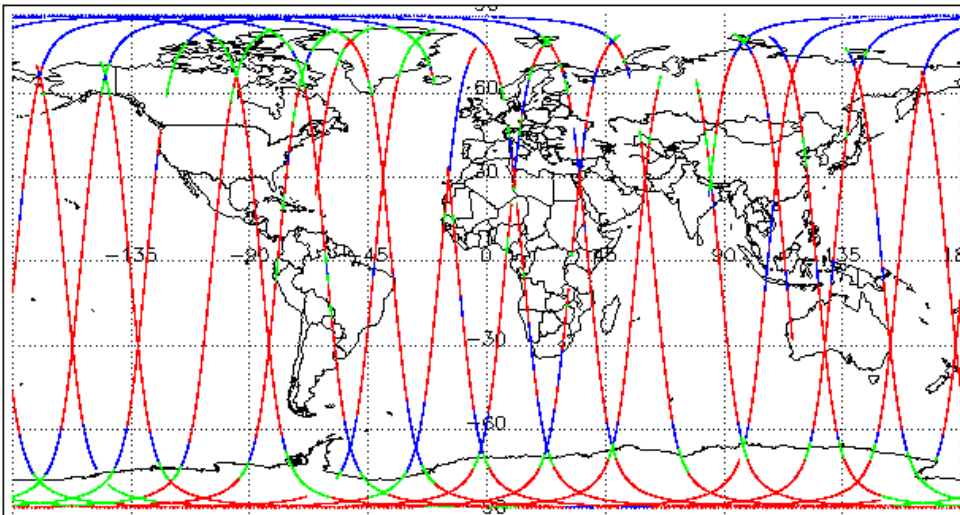
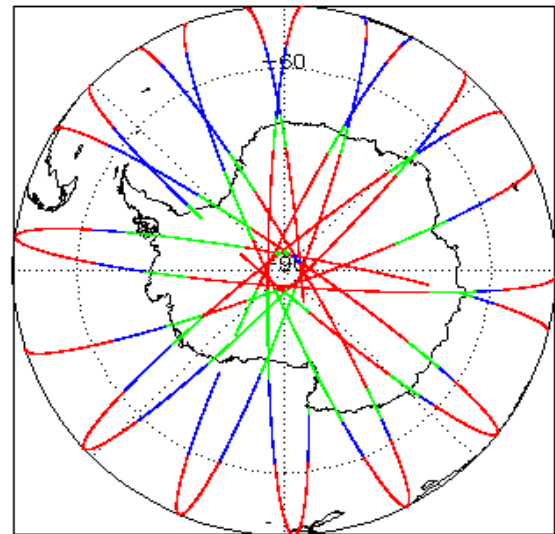
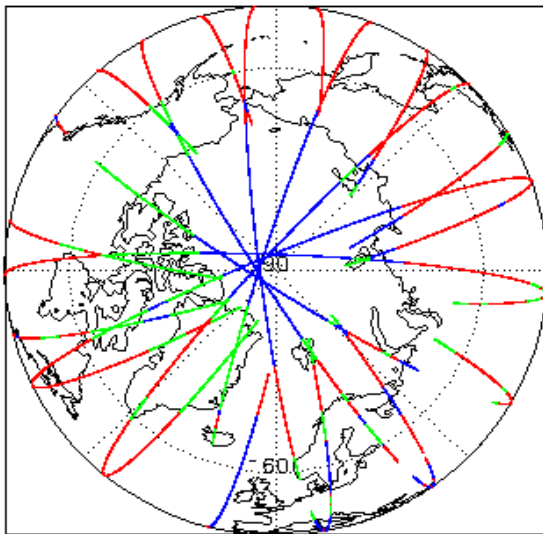
<b>Report Production:</b>	13-Oct-2020
<b>Processor Used:</b>	CryoSat Ocean Processor
<b>Data Used:</b>	Near Real Time Ocean Products (NOP) L1B & L2 Science Data

Check	L1 & L2
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	Nominal
Auxiliary Data File Usage Check	Nominal
Auxiliary Correction Error Check	See Section 5.4
Measurement Confidence Data Check	See Section 4.5, 4.6 and 5.5
Measurement Quality Flag Check	See Section 5.6
Ocean Retracking Quality Check	See Section 5.7
QCC Error/ Warning Check	See Section 7.1 and 7.2

**Mission / Instrument News**

11-Oct-2020	None
12-Oct-2020	None
13-Oct-2020	Nothing planned

**2. Global Coverage**



**Mode Coverage**

	LRM
	SAR
	SARIn

**3. Instrument Configuration**

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

<b>SIRAL instrument(s) in use:</b>	SIRAL - A
<b>Star Tracker(s) in use:</b>	Star Tracker 1

**4. NOP 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.

**L1B Processing Quality HR:** The l1b\_proc\_flag\_hr flag is currently set all L1B IOPR and IOPN products because the l1b\_processing\_quality\_hr field is not correctly configured in the OSAR and OSARIn chains. A modification is required in the next release.

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.

**Dynamic Atmospheric Correction:** The DAC is missing in all products because the auxiliary files required are not available in time for processing. This known and expected behaviour.

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 NOPR products due to a configuration issue. This is being investigated and will be updated in the next SW update.

Number of products with errors: 2

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T004331_20201012T004644_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L1B waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T114317_20201012T115927_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.

Number of products with errors: 19

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T065410_20201012T065455_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T073008_20201012T075121_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T085457_20201012T093016_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T104041_20201012T105241_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM1B_20201012T114317_20201012T115927_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T053717_20201012T053831_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T070041_20201012T070157_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T084308_20201012T084713_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T102516_20201012T102609_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T120313_20201012T120524_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T184717_20201012T184743_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN1B_20201012T234333_20201012T234441_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T051651_20201012T051832_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T052743_20201012T053534_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T065456_20201012T065652_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T075122_20201012T075339_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T171935_20201012T172031_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T193740_20201012T194127_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR1B_20201012T231505_20201012T231706_C001	Loss of Echo	The tracking echo is missing for one or more records

## 5. NOP 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.

**Wind Model File Usage:** This file is currently not included in all L2 products.

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.

> **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:** 40

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM_2_20201012T114317_20201012T115927_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM_2_20201012T204425_20201012T210201_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T002919_20201012T003012_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1), Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (GOT)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography (solution 1) and the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T003420_20201012T003629_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T011702_20201012T011841_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T012727_20201012T012936_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T021333_20201012T021819_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T035403_20201012T035931_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T043615_20201012T044008_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 the tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T061603_20201012T061915_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T070041_20201012T070157_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T080333_20201012T080456_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T084308_20201012T084713_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 height (solution 1) and the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide height (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T094116_20201012T094302_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T102516_20201012T102609_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T111917_20201012T112137_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T115944_20201012T120223_C001	Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (FES), Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide	There is an error with the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide (solution 2: FES) and the Non-Equilibrium Long Period Ocean Tide for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T120313_20201012T120524_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 height (solution 1) and the Total Geocentric Ocean Tide height (solution 1: GOT) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T125816_20201012T130250_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T133956_20201012T134348_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T134906_20201012T134938_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T161835_20201012T162011_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T174843_20201012T174958_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T192801_20201012T192920_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T193429_20201012T193740_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 the tidal corrections for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T210855_20201012T211133_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T211334_20201012T211905_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T220427_20201012T220911_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T224807_20201012T224854_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPN_2_20201012T234333_20201012T234441_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T034832_20201012T035403_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T051651_20201012T051832_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T052743_20201012T053534_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T070607_20201012T071502_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T084713_20201012T085430_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T102610_20201012T103150_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T120525_20201012T121211_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) for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T134349_20201012T134905_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) for one or more records

CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T171636_20201012T171833_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPR_2_20201012T233701_20201012T233919_C001	Mean Dynamic Topography (1)	There is an error with the Mean Dynamic Topography height for one or more records

## 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:** 2

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM_2_20201012T004331_20201012T004644_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L2 waveform for one or more records
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM_2_20201012T114317_20201012T115927_C001	Power scaling error	There is an error in the scaling of the L2 waveform for one or more records

## 5.6 L2 Measurement Quality Flag Check

### L2 Quality Flags (20Hz)

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:** 93

Product	Test Failed	Description
CS_OFFL_SIR_NOPM_2_20201011T235111_20201012T000458_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_NOPM_2_20201012T000638_20201012T002155_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_NOPM_2_20201012T004720_20201012T005040_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_NOPM_2_20201012T005203_20201012T005658_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_NOPM_2_20201012T005913_20201012T011443_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_NOPM_2_20201012T011841_20201012T012726_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_NOPM_2_20201012T013057_20201012T015208_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_NOPM_2_20201012T021819_20201012T021920_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_NOPM_2_20201012T022925_20201012T025414_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_NOPM_2_20201012T030051_20201012T030520_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_NOPM_2_20201012T031021_20201012T033401_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_NOPM_2_20201012T033403_20201012T033511_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_NOPM_2_20201012T034609_20201012T034743_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_NOPM_2_20201012T040642_20201012T043200_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_NOPM_2_20201012T044008_20201012T044559_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_NOPM_2_20201012T044932_20201012T050702_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_NOPM_2_20201012T052507_20201012T052649_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_NOPM_2_20201012T053832_20201012T061136_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_NOPR_2_20201012T210202_20201012T210854_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_NOPR_2_20201012T211905_20201012T212113_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_NOPR_2_20201012T224248_20201012T224807_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_NOPR_2_20201012T233701_20201012T233919_C001	OCOQ Altimeter Range Quality PLRM, OCOG Backscatter Quality	The OCOG Range and Backscatter Quality Flags have been set for one or more records.

## L2 Quality Flags (1 Hz & 1Hz PLRM)

Currently, there are several common flags raised in the Level 2 products, which are summarised below.

> 1Hz and 1Hz Ocean SSHA Quality Flags: These flags are currently set for products over sea ice, which is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 170

## 5.7 L2 Ocean Retracking Quality Check

### L2 Retracking Flags (20Hz)

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 falling at ocean/ land boundaries, but this is expected.

Number of products with errors: 66

### L2 Retracking Flags (20Hz, 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 NOPR and NOPN products over sea ice, but this is to be expected.

Number of products with errors: 124

## 7. NOP 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_NOPM1B	150	150	1	149	0
SIR_NOPR1B	90	90	0	90	0
SIR_NOPN1B	99	99	2	97	0
SIR_NOPM_2	150	150	96	50	4
SIR_NOPR_2	90	90	26	64	0
SIR_NOPN_2	99	99	38	59	2

### 7.1 QCC Errors

Number of QCC reports with errors: 10

Total number of occurrences of each error

Product Type	EOVSNCDF	MPHSVSNCDF	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SIR_NOPM_2	4	4								
SIR_NOPN_2	2	2								

#### Test Description Key:

Abbreviation	Test name	Details
EOVSNCDF	EnumOrbitVectorSourceNetCDF	Orbit vector source should match one of the allowed enumeration values - NetCDF
MPHSVSNCDF	MPH_State_Vector_Source_NetCDF	State_Vector_Source mismatch

### 7.2 QCC Warnings

Number of QCC reports with warnings: 1627

Total number of occurrences of each warning

Product Type	BCHNCDF	MVIOEPDNCDF	MVIOEPNCFD	MVIONCDF	RBSZOPEPFDNCDF	RBSZOPEPFDPLRMNCF	RBSZOPEPNCDF
SIR_NOPM1B	149	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPM_2	0	39	41	0	42	0	36
SIR_NOPN1B	96	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPN_2	0	8	30	6	25	23	17
SIR_NOPR1B	89	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPR_2	0	39	41	0	31	28	19

Product Type	RPEOPFDLRMNCDF	RPEOPFDPLRMSARNCDF	RPEOPFDPLRMSINNCDF	RPEOPFDSARNCDF	RPEOPFDSINNCDF	RPEOPLRMNCDF	RPEOPFSARNCDF
SIR_NOPM1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPM_2	32	0	0	0	0	28	0
SIR_NOPN1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPN_2	0	0	22	0	29	0	0
SIR_NOPR1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPR_2	0	42	0	46	0	0	41

Product Type	RPEOPFSINNCDF	RSSBONCDF	RSSHAOFDNCDF	RSSHAOFDPLRMNCDF	RSSHAONCDF	RSWHOEPDNCDF	RSWHOEPFDPLRMNCDF
SIR_NOPM1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPM_2	0	2	30	0	2	36	0
SIR_NOPN1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPN_2	22	19	46	47	32	26	22
SIR_NOPR1B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIR_NOPR_2	0	2	54	37	15	37	47

Product Type	RSWHOEPNCDF	SOOHIFHD	SCSTODHRNCDF	SCSTODNCDF	-	-	-
SIR_NOPM1B	0	0	0	2			
SIR_NOPM_2	1	0	0	0			
SIR_NOPN1B	0	0	38	0			
SIR_NOPN_2	12	1	0	0			
SIR_NOPR1B	0	0	90	3			
SIR_NOPR_2	4	1	0	0			

Test Description Key:		
Abbreviation	Test name	Details
BCSHNCDF	BurstCounterStep20HzNetCDF	The burst counter should be one higher with regard to the previous burst counter
MVIOEPNCDF	MissingValueIntOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
MVIONCDF	MissingValueIntOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RBSZOPEPFDCDF	MissingValueIntOceanNetCDF	The value should not be a 'missing value' for surface type 0 only
RBSZOPEPFPLRMNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RBSZOPEPNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarFD2PLRMNetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDLRMNCDF	RangeBackscatterSigmaZeroOPOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The backscatter sigma zero should be between 700 and 7500 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDPLRMSARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2LRMNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 6400 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDPLRMSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2PLRMSARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDSARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2PLRMSINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPFDSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2SARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPLRMNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPFD2SINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOP SARNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPLRMNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 6400 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RPEOPSINNCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPSARNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 15000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSSBONCDF	RangePeakinessExcludingPolarOPSINNetCDF	The Peakiness should be between 0 and 90000 (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSSHAOFDCDF	RangeSeaStateBiasCorrectionOceanNetCDF	The sea state bias correction should be between -500mm and 0mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSSHAOFDPLRMNCDF	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanFD3NetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSSHAONCDF	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanFD3PLRMNetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSWHOEPDCDF	RangeSeaSurfaceHeightAnomalyOceanNetCDF	The sea surface height anomaly should be between -3000mm and 3000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean
RSWHOEPFDPLRMNCDF	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarFD2NetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
RSWHOEPNCDF	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarFD2PLRMNetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
SOOHIFHD	RangeSignificantWaveHeightOceanExcludingPolarNetCDF	The significant wave height should be between 0mm and 15000mm (or missing) for surface type = ocean for latitudes between -70 and 70 degrees
SCSTODHRNCDF	SameOrOneHigher1HzIndexFor20HzData	The 1 Hz index of a 20 Hz sample should be the same or 1 higher than its previous sample
SCSTODNCDF	SequenceCounterStepTODHRNetCDF	The sequence counter should be modulo 4 higher with regard to the previous sequence counter
0	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