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1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This is the routine Soil Moisture and Ocean Salinity (**SMOS**) Monthly Public Report containing a summary of the instrument health, product quality status and updates to SMOS processing and AUX files during December 2015.

The instrument health during December was found to be nominal. There were six unavailabilities reported during the reporting period that translate into time intervals with data loss. The list of unavailabilities is included in the section 3.2.

The data quality during December was found to be nominal, with the exceptions listed in section 4.5. These degraded periods have been induced either by instrument anomalies or unavailability of dynamic auxiliary files.



2. INTRODUCTION

2.1 Structure of the Document

After this introduction, the document is divided into a number of major sections that are briefly described below:

1 Executive summary

The executive summary covers the main findings from the report.

2 Introduction

A list of referenced documents and definitions of terms are available.

3 Instrument status

This section covers the instrument health and unavailabilities from this reporting period.

4 Data Summary

This section covers reprocessing, updates to processors and aux files as well as a data coverage summary.

5 Long Term Analysis

Long-term analysis of the instrument calibration and data quality are provided in this section.

2.2 Definitions of Terms

The following terms have been used in this report with the meanings shown.

Term	Definition
CMN	Control and Monitoring Node, responsible for commanding the receivers, reading their physical temperatures and telemetry and the generation of the synchronization signal (local oscillator tone) among receivers.
CCU	Correlator and Control unit, instrument computer on-board
DPGS	Data Processing Ground Segment
ESL	Expert Science Laboratory
IC4EC	Internal Calibration for External calibration. Calibration sequences for the instrument monitoring and calibration of science data acquired in external target pointing.
IDEAS+	Instrument Data quality Evaluation and Analysis Service, reporting to the ESA Data Quality and Algorithms



Management Office (EOP-GQ), responsible for quality of data provided to users including the data calibration and validation, the data processing algorithms, and the routine instrument and processing chain performances.

IPF	Instrument Processor Facility
L2SM	Level 2 Soil Moisture
MM	Mass Memory
OCM	Orbit Correction Manoeuvre
PMS	Power Measurement System
RFI	Radio Frequency Interference
N/A	Not applicable



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3. INSTRUMENT STATUS

3.1 Instrument health

The current instrument status is that all the **instrument** subsystems are working correctly. The current configuration of the instrument is that the arm A and the arm B are working in nominal side and arm C is in the redundant side.

Table 3-1 History of instrument problems and mode changes

Start	Stop	Description
11 January 2010 12:07z Orbit 1013	N/A	Arm A changes from redundant to nominal side. That operation is to avoid the malfunction of one of the redundant CMNs of the arm.
12 January 2011 09:15z Orbit 6278	N/A	Arm B changes from redundant to nominal side. That operation is to avoid the malfunction of one of the redundant CMNs of the arm.

3.2 Instrument unavailabilities and anomalies

The unavailabilities and anomalies listed in Table 3-2 occurred during the reporting period. A full list of unavailabilities can be found in the Mission Status section on the SMOS Earthnet website (https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smox/content/-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/mission-status-7060)

During these unavailabilities and anomalies the instrument may have either not collected data or may have collected corrupt data which may not have been processed to higher levels. Table 4-5, Table 4-6 and Table 4-7 provide details of the data which has been affected by gaps and quality degradation respectively.

Table 3-2 SMOS unavailability list

Start Time	Stop Time	Unavailability Report Reference	Planned	Description
10/12/2015 19:07:01z	10/12/2015 19:17:01z	FOS-1168	No	CMN Unlock H1



20/12/2015 22:34z	20/12/2015 22:53z	FOS-1177	Yes	OCM
24/12/2015 23:21z	24/12/2015 23:31z	Not provided	No	CMN Unlock B2
26/12/2015 19:00z	26/12/2015 20:28z	FOS-1203	No	CCU Reset
27/12/2015 07:48z	27/12/2015 08:11z	FOS-1188	Yes	CCU Recovery
31/12/2015 21:09z	31/12/2015 21:19z	FOS-1189	No	CMN Unlock H1



4. DATA SUMMARY

4.1 Reprocessing activities

The information regarding to data reprocessing activities (REPR data type) during the reporting period are:

- 1) The second SMOS mission reprocessing for L2 was launched on 2015-07-09 at 14:44 UTC and ended the 31st December of 2015 covering the sensing time period between 2010-01-12 and 2015-07-14.

The information regarding to the data regeneration activities (OPER data type) during the reporting period are:

- 1) Due to VTEC_P delay the period starting at 20151206T005504 and ending at 20151206T041830 was regenerated from L1C to L2.
- 2) Due to VTEC_P delay the period starting at 20150719T005448 and ending at 20150720T024908 was regenerated from L1C to L2.

The information regarding to past version 62x data reprocessing activities (REPR data type) are:

- 1) The second SMOS mission reprocessing for L1 v62x finished the 25th June 2015. Sensing time of the reprocessed data goes from 12th January 2010 to 05th May 2015. Data set is available for the SMOS user community since 25th June 2015 (see the SMOS news: <https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smox/news/-/article/smox-level-1-algorithm-baseline-v620-reprocessed-dataset-now-available>).

The SMOS data users are strongly encouraged to consult the level 1 read-me-first note before using the SMOS data. The level 1 read-me-first note is available here: https://earth.esa.int/documents/10174/1854503/SMOS_L1OPv620_release_note

The information regarding to the past version V62x data regeneration activities (OPER data type) are:

- 1) On 15th of August 2015 a hardware anomaly caused a TLM_MIRA1A order to fail due to timeout. Therefore, a gap in science and in calibration (CSTD1A) was introduced. The next data types and periods has been regenerated: TLM_MIRA1A at 20150815T031323, CSTD1A files with times between 20150815T003625 and 20150815T214626, affected science (MIR_SC_F1A, MIR_SC_F1B, MIR_SCLF1C, MIR_SCSF1C, MIR_BWLF1C and MIR_BWSF1C) between 20150815T023400 and 20150815T050753.
- 2) Due to an anomaly in the NIR calibration on the 3rd of June 2015, the next data types has been regenerated from 2015-06-03 06:43z to 2015-06-12 08:14z: MIR_SC_F1A, MIR_SC_F1B, MIR_SCLF1C, MIR_SCSF1C, MIR_BWLF1C and MIR_BWSF1C.
- 3) A hardware anomaly in DPGS systems introduced a large delay in the production. As a consequence some CSTD1A orders were dropped due time-out. This introduced bad-consolidated calibration in the system, with some LO gaps, which has impacted the quality of the data severely (no local oscillator calibration). Data from 20150713T194909z until 20150714T032238z is affected. All data was regenerated successfully from L0 up to L1C; L2 is still affected by this anomaly (see section 4.6).



- 4) Period from 29 May 2015 to 31 May 2015 have been regenerated up to L2 since one of the DPGS processing nodes (PWF-5) induced several science and calibration gaps for the reported period.

The information regarding the past version V5xx data regeneration and reprocessing activities (OPER and REPR data type) are available in the monthly report of April 2015.

4.2 Processing changes

4.2.1 Processor updates

No processor updates have been conducted during the reporting period.

4.2.2 Processor Status

At the end of the reporting period, the Processing Facility is using the following processors:

Table 4-1 Instrument Processors status

Processor	Version
L1OP	620 (L1a/L1c/NIRCAL) 621 (L1b/CAL_1A)
L2OS	622
L2SM	620

Table 4-2 Pre- and Post-processors status

Processor	Version
ECMWFP	318
VTECGN	311
LAI pre-processor	307
OSCOTT	624
L2 Post-processors	510



4.2.3 Schema updates

No schema changes have been conducted during the reporting period.

4.2.4 Schema status

At the end of the reporting period, the schema version of the datablock of the products generated and distributed through SMOS dissemination service is:

Table 4-3 Schema version status

Product type	Version
MIR_SC_F1B	400
MIR_SCSF1C	400
MIR_SCLF1C	400
MIR_BWSF1C	400
MIR_BWLF1C	400
MIR_SMUDP2	400
MIR_OSUDP2	400
AUX_ECMWF_	300

The schema packages are available from the SMOS Global Mapping Tool (GMT) webpage:

https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/software-tools/-/asset_publisher/P2xs/content/gmt-smos-global-mapping-tool

Further information about the product format is available in the level 1 and level 2 Product specification documents available here: https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smox/content/-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/data-types-levels-formats-7631

4.2.5 Aux file updates

The following quasi-static AUX files were disseminated to the processing stations this reporting period. The status of the quasi-static AUX files at the end of the reporting period is in the section 7.

SM_OPER_AUX_BULL_B_20151002T000000_20151102T235959_120_001_3

Start sensing time at L1 processor: N/A

Justification: Bulletin Update including values from September 2015 and the prediction for October 2015. Its usage is intended for reprocessing.

SM_OPER_AUX_BULL_B_20151002T000000_20500101T000000_120_001_3



Start sensing time at L1 processor: 2015-12-04 09:43:26z

Justification: Bulletin Update including values from September 2015 and the prediction for October 2015. Its usage is intended for the nominal production.

4.3 Calibration Events Summary

The following table summarizes the major calibration activities conducted during the reporting period. The Local Oscillator calibration is not included in the table since occurs periodically every 10 minutes. The short calibrations are acquired weekly since 2011-03-24 and they are currently used in the nominal processing chain.

Table 4-4 Calibration summary

Date	Start Time	Stop Time	Calibration	Comments
03/12/2015	17:54:30z	17:56:14z	Short	Nominal
09/12/2015	15:20:50z	16:43:04z	NIR-Warm	Nominal Brightness temperature: 3.8051 K RMS: 0.2669 Moon Elevation: 26.8117 Sun Elevation: 9.984494 Right Ascension: 170.2131 Declination: -15.422
10/12/2015	15:02:30z	17:35:49z	Long	Nominal
17/12/2015	07:07:00z	07:08:44z	Short	Nominal
22/12/2015	16:54:23z	18:16:37z	NIR-Warm	Nominal Brightness temperature: 3.889131 RMS: 0.310333 Moon Elevation: -43.0026 Sun Elevation: 9.602417 Right Ascension: 183.3928 Declination: -17.1216
23/12/2015	13:16:15z	15:49:39z	Long	Nominal
24/12/2015	14:06:46z	15:32:26z	FTR	Nominal
31/12/2015	13:03:34z	13:04:44z	Short	Nominal



4.4 Data Coverage Summary

Where instrument unavailabilities or anomalies have occurred during this reporting period, gaps in data coverage may have occurred. A list of the gaps due to a permanent data loss is given in Table 4-5 by product level. On the other hand, a list of gaps due to operational problems is given in Table 4-6. The latter gaps may be recovered when the problem is fixed.

The science data gaps due to the execution of calibration activities are not listed in this section.

Table 4-5 Data loss summary

Start	Finish	Data Level	Comments
20/12/2015 22:34z	20/12/2015 22:53z	All Products	OCM (FOS-1177) ¹
26/12/2015 19:00z	26/12/2015 20:28z	All Products	CCU Reset (FOS-1203)
27/12/2015 07:48z	27/12/2015 08:11z	All Products	CCU Recovery (FOS-1188)

¹: Data acquired during the manoeuvre is flagged as external pointing and not available as nominal data.

Table 4-6 Operational gaps summary

Start	Finish	Data Level	Comments
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

4.5 Summary of degraded data

In December 2015, SMOS data was affected by the following instrument and processing anomalies which have had a detrimental effect on the data quality.

Table 4-7 Summary of degraded data

Start	Finish	Affected products	Problem Description
10/12/2015 19:07z	10/12/2015 19:17z	L1a and above products.	CMN Unlock H1
24/12/2015 23:21z	24/12/2015 23:31z	L1a and above products.	CMN Unlock B2



31/12/2015 21:09z	31/12/2015 21:19z	L1a and above products.	CMN Unlock H1
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4.6 Product Quality Disclaimers

The following product disclaimers affects the data generated in the reporting period:

Table 4-8 Summary of product quality disclaimers

Date	Product level	
N/A	L1 L2	Due to a software anomaly in the Level 0 processor, the <i>Cycle</i> , <i>orbit relative</i> and <i>orbit absolute</i> fields in all the product headers are incorrectly set. Those values are annotated in the headers of all the higher level products.
3 June 2015 until 12 June 2015	L2	Due to an anomaly in the NIR calibration occurred on 3 June SMOS data from sensing time 2015-06-03 06:43 UTC to sensing time 2015-06-12 08:14 UTC are degraded. The L1C data has been regenerated and disseminated to the users by the nominal SMOS data dissemination service. The L2 degraded data set will be corrected in the next level 2 reprocessing campaign. For more information see the SMOS news here .
20150713T170803z until 20150714T032238z	L2	A hardware anomaly in DPGS systems introduced a large delay in the production. As a consequence some CSTD1A orders were dropped due time-out. This introduced bad-consolidated calibration in the system, with some Local Oscilator gaps, which has impacted the quality of the data severely (no local oscillator calibration). Even though L1 has been reprocessed up to L1C level, the L2 degraded data set will be corrected in the next L2 reprocessing campaign.



5. LONG-TERM ANALYSIS

5.1 Calibration Analysis

The calibration parameters are under monitoring. During the reporting period, there have been two Warm-NIR calibrations events: on 09th and 22nd of December 2015.

The NIR calibration events have been monitored and the noise injection levels of the NIR diodes are stable and inside the range defined in the routine calibration plan.

The evolution of the noise temperature of the reference noise diodes Tna and Tnr computed with processor baseline V62x since the beginning of the mission is shown from Figure 1 to Figure 4. The evolution of the temperature parameters, which are related to the internal diode stability, are stable in particular for the NIR CA which is the only one used for the level 1 data calibration. The small deviation in the NIR calibration on 3rd June 2015 was due to a Radio Frequency Interference (RFI) that has corrupted the measurement. This calibration should not be used for the scientific processing of the data.

The seasonal evolution of the calibration parameters present in the previous processor baseline V5xx (see the previous monthly report for April 2015) had been largely mitigated by the new calibration algorithm which decouple the variation of the antenna losses and the drift of the reference diode. This approach allows to compensate each drift separately improving the diode stability monitoring and increasing the accuracy of the consequent calibration correction. The impact on the final brightness temperature is a more stable long term measurement.

The leakage and cross-coupling factors of the NIR channels remain small and no problems can be observed apart from a peak in the phase of the NIR-AB cross-coupling term on 11 April 2012. That peak corresponds to an anomaly in the NIR-AB that did not have impact on the data.

Figure 1 Tna evolution of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) in the H-channel since the beginning of the mission. Thresholds in dashed lines

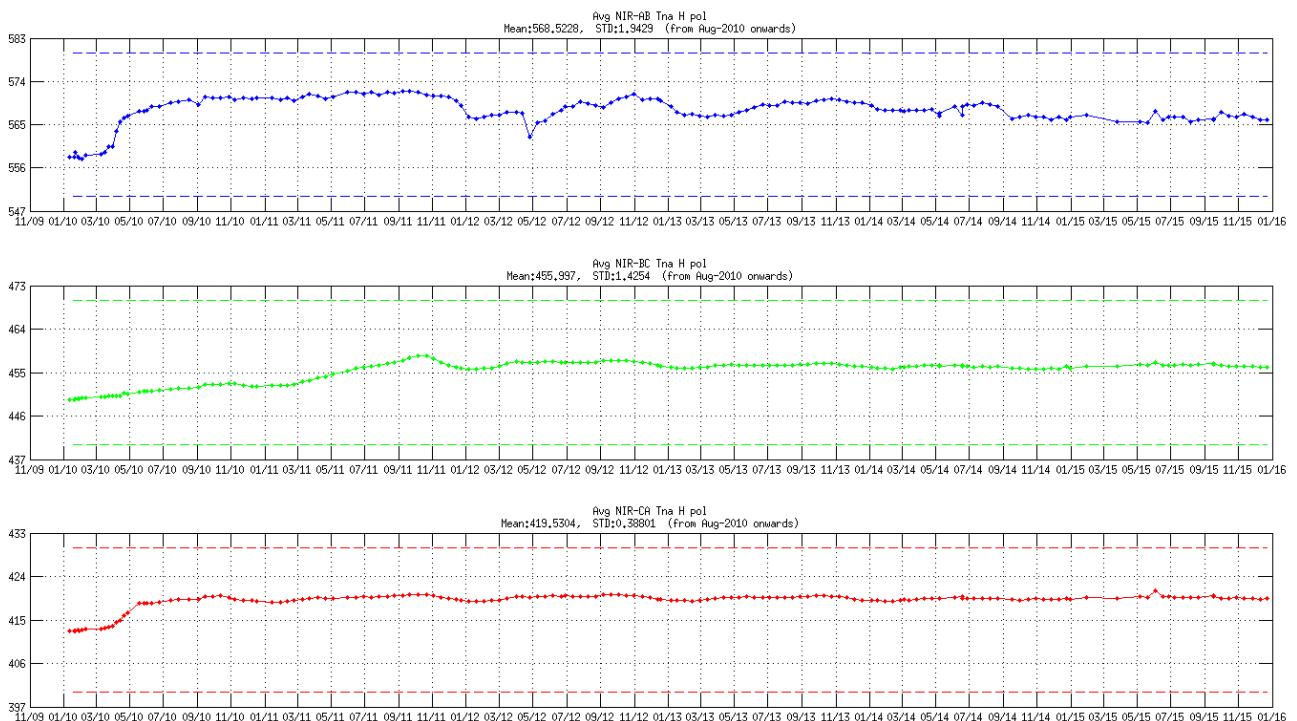


Figure 2 Tna evolution of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) in the V-channel since the beginning of the mission. Thresholds in dashed lines

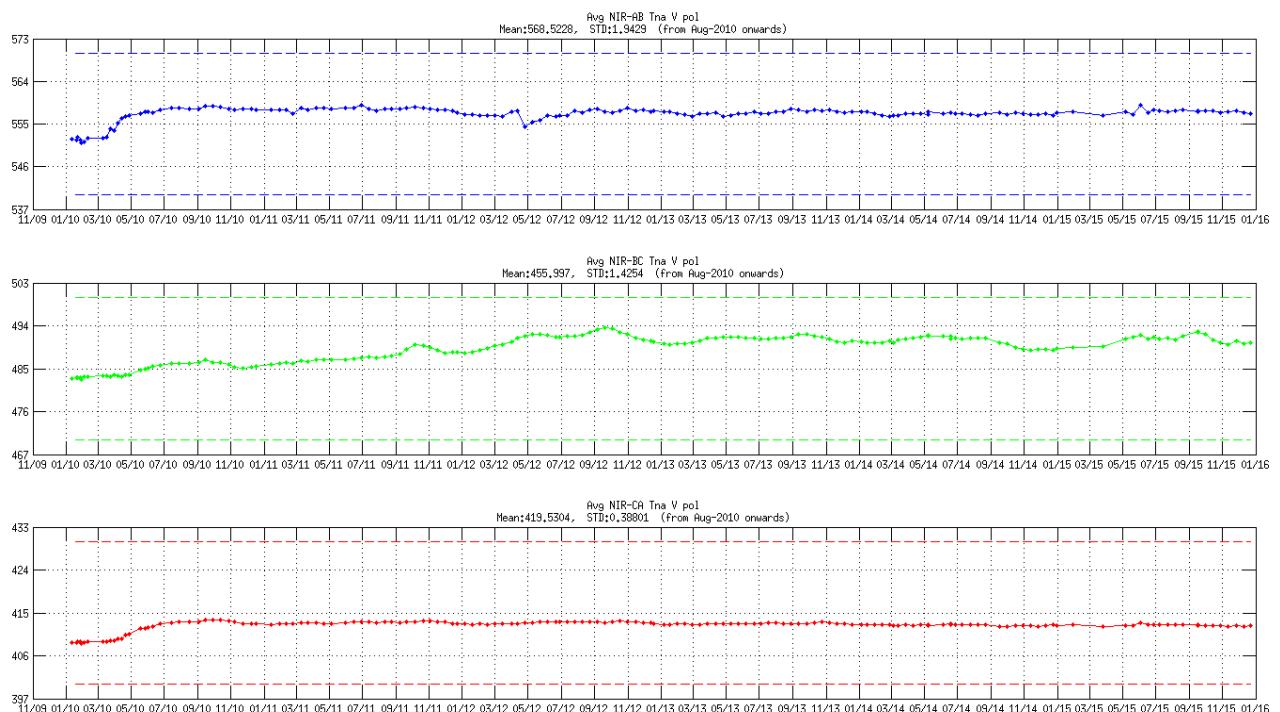


Figure 3 Tnr evolution of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) in the H-channel since the beginning of the mission. Thresholds in dashed lines

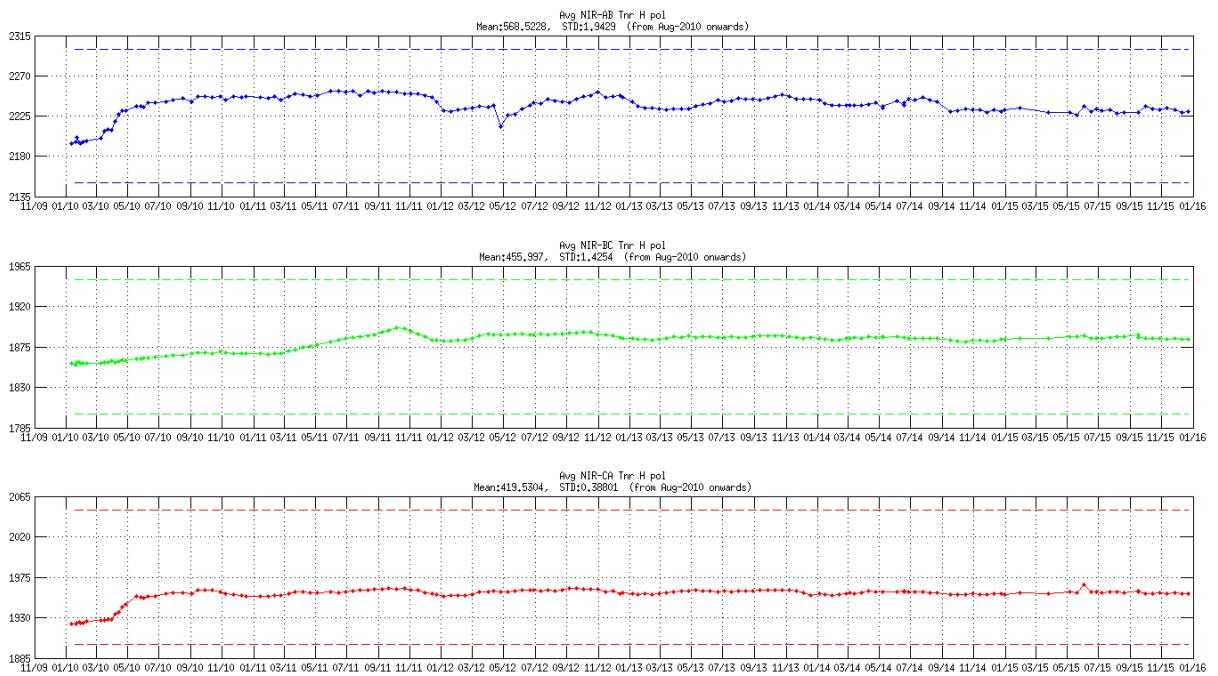


Figure 4 Tnr evolution of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) in the V-channel since the beginning of the mission. Thresholds in dashed lines

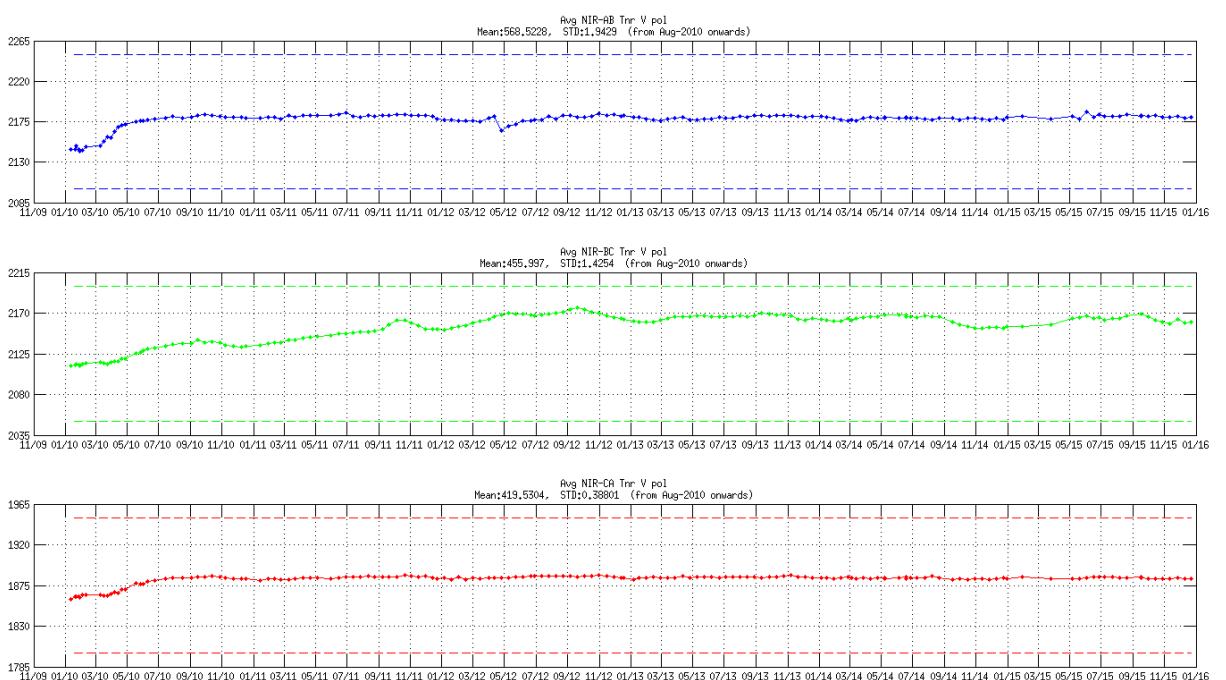


Figure 5 Cross-coupling evolution in amplitude and phase of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) since the beginning of the mission

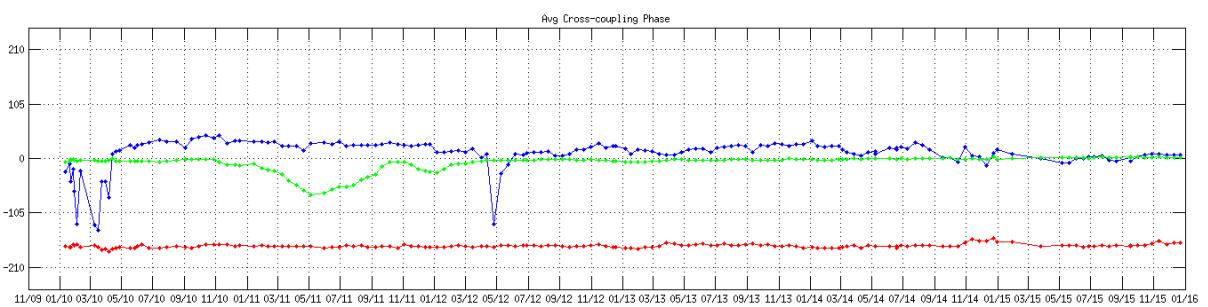
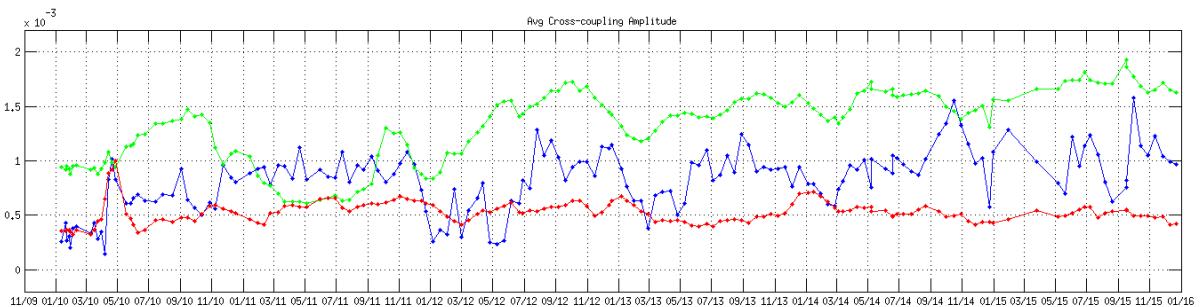
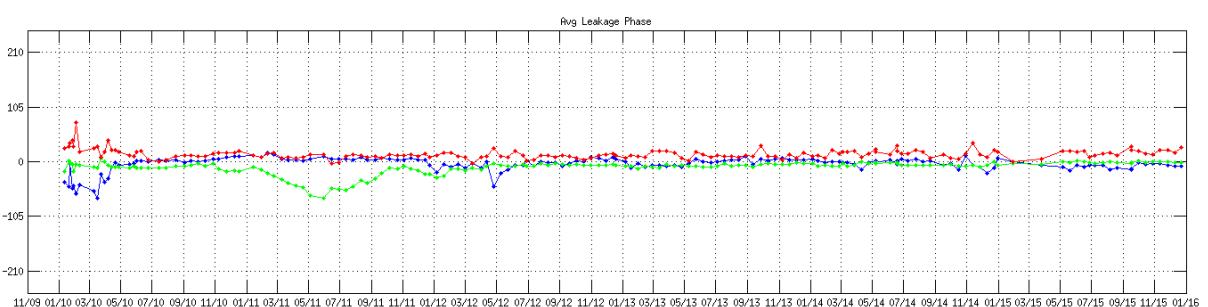
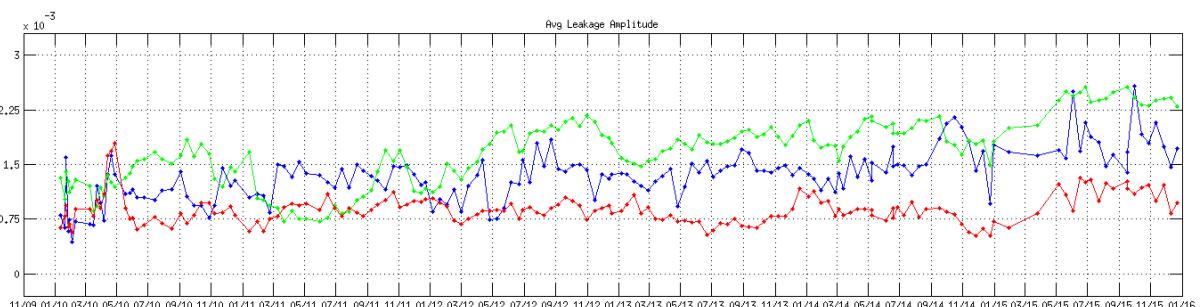


Figure 6 Leakage factor evolution in amplitude and phase of NIR AB (blue), NIR BC (green) and NIR CA (red) since the beginning of the mission



The LICEF calibration status is updated by long (every 8 weeks) and short (weekly) on-board calibration activities. Long calibration has been executed during the reporting period on the 23rd of December.

LICEF PMS gain is derived during the long calibration activity and the Figure 7 to Figure 18 show the evolution (V62x algorithm baseline) of the deviations of the PMS gain with respect to its average over time. Apart from antenna LCF_A_18, LCF_C_11, LCF_C_19, which had shown an evolution from the main trend (see Figure 10, 17, 18) the others PMS are stable.

Figure 19 to Figure 30 show the evolution of the PMS offsets (V62x algorithm baseline) derived during the short calibration activity.

Figure 31 shows the evolution of the average over all the baselines of the Fringe Washing Function (FWF) amplitude in the origin derived during the long calibration. The amplitude of the FWF at the origin does not show any drift and their values are inside the ranges defined in the routine calibration plan.

Figure 7 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN H1

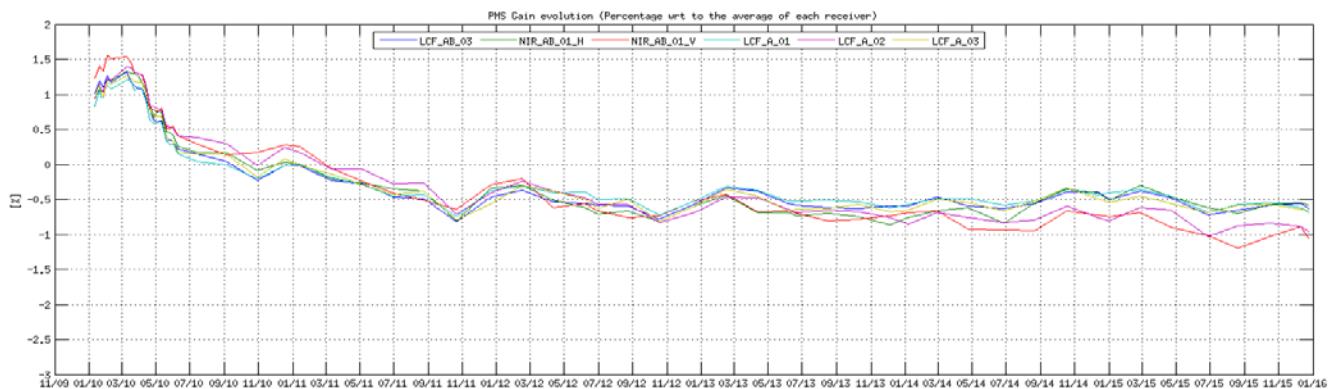


Figure 8 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN A1

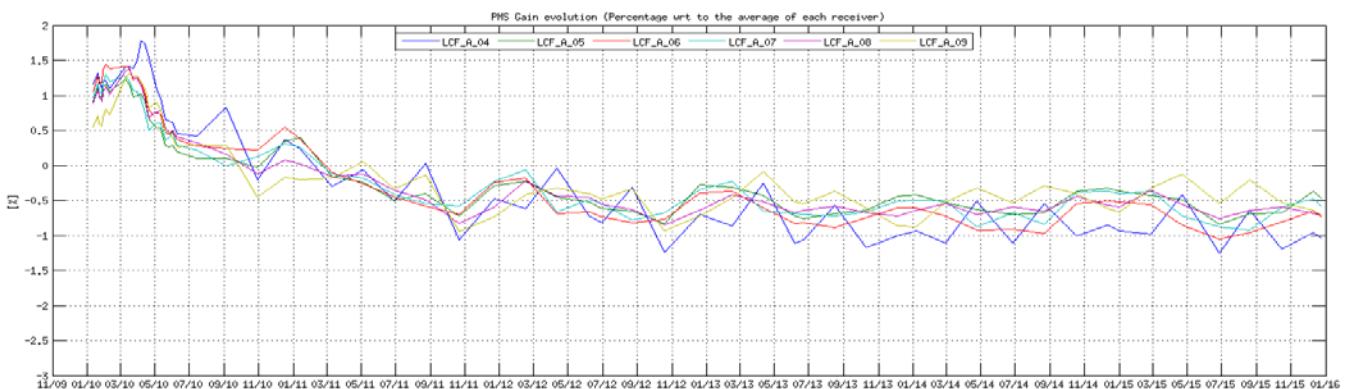


Figure 9 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN A2

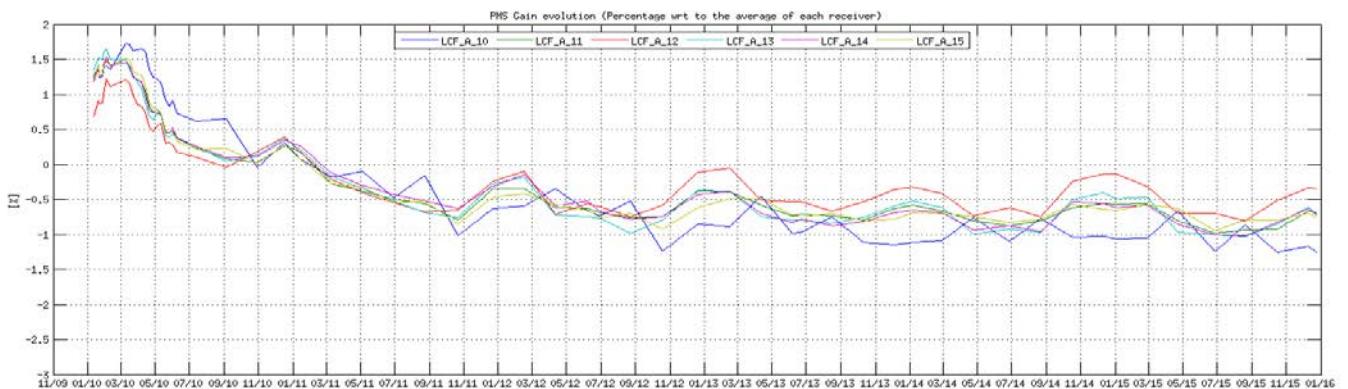


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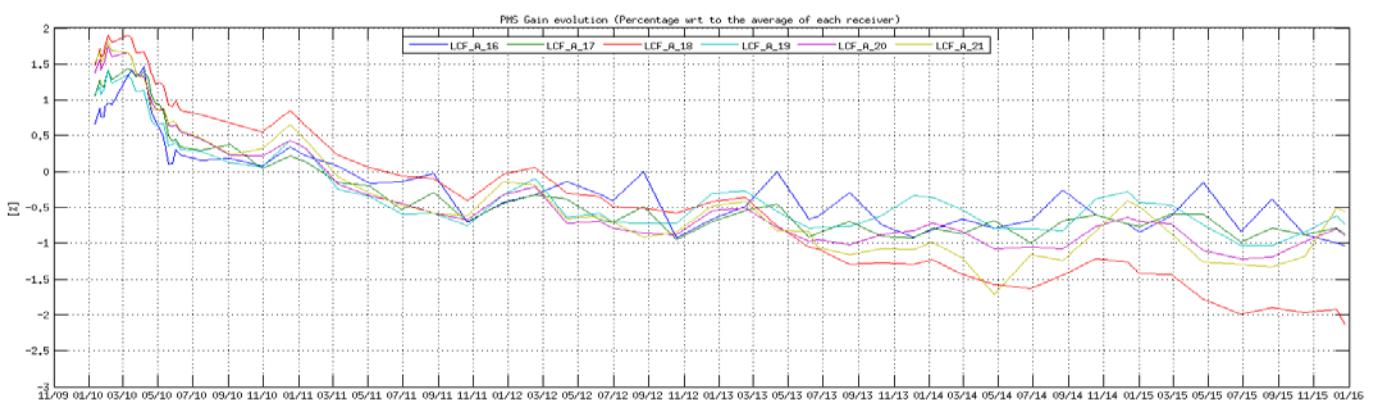


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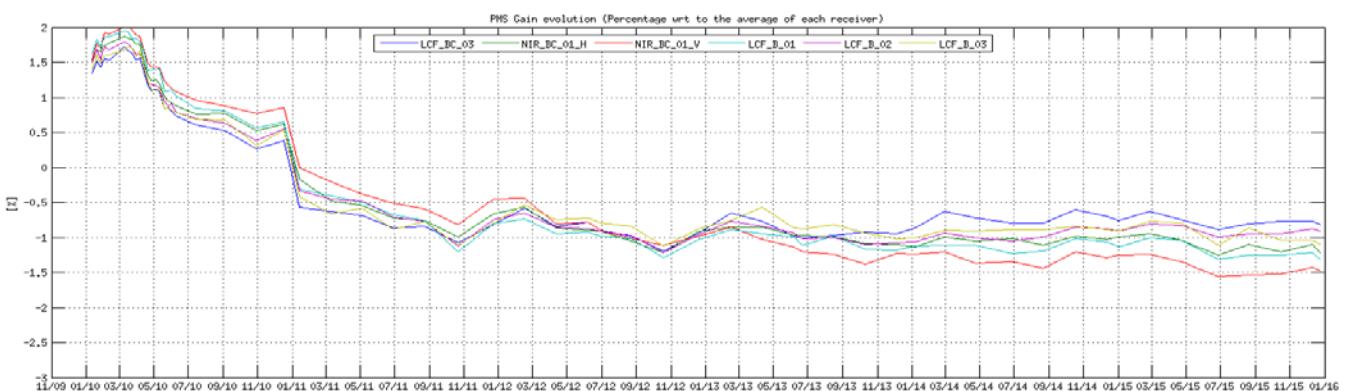


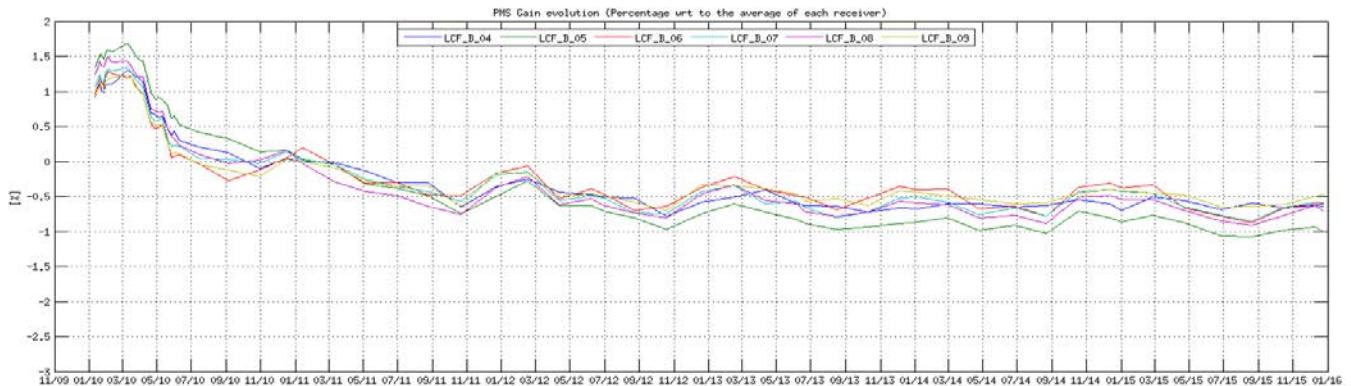
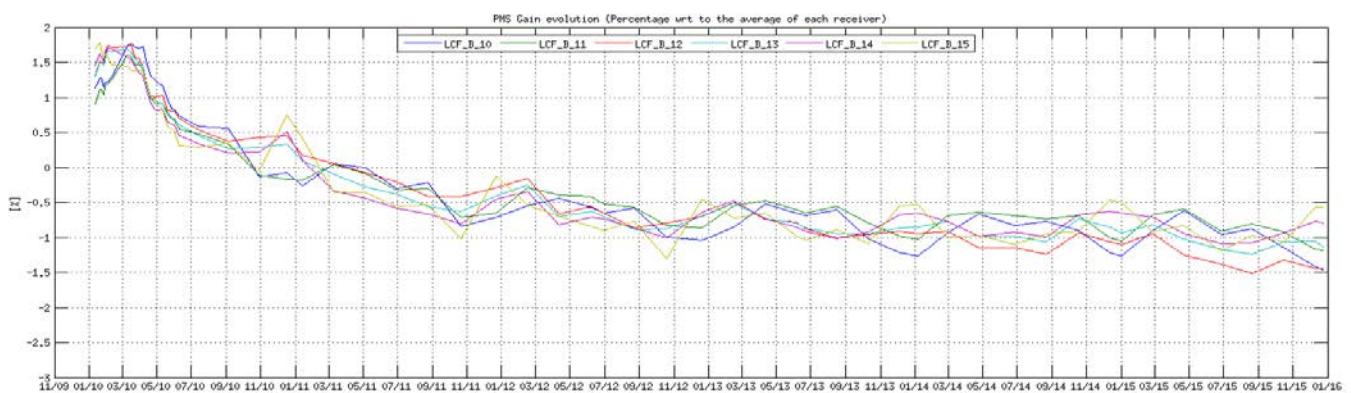
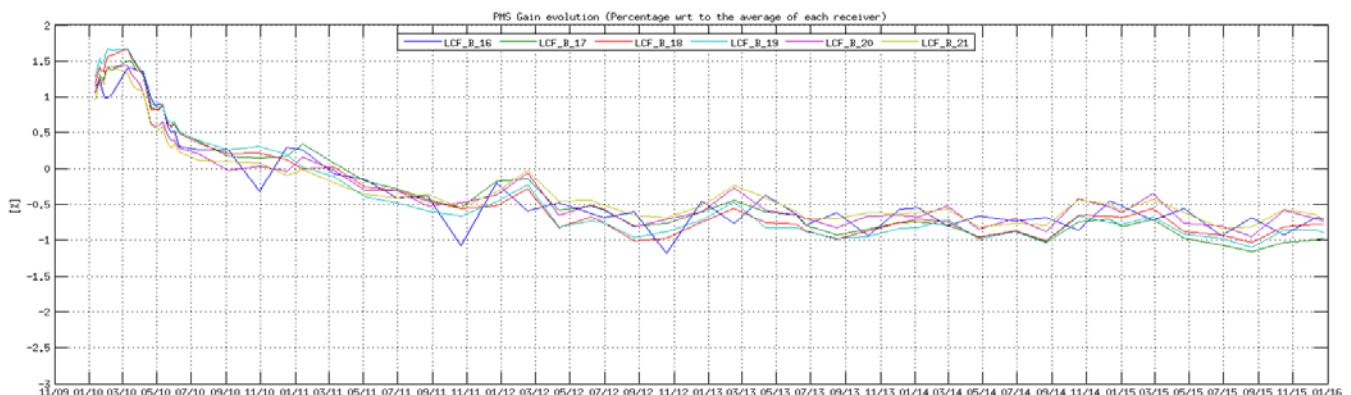
Figure 12 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN B1**Figure 13 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN B2****Figure 14 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN B3**

Figure 15 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN H3

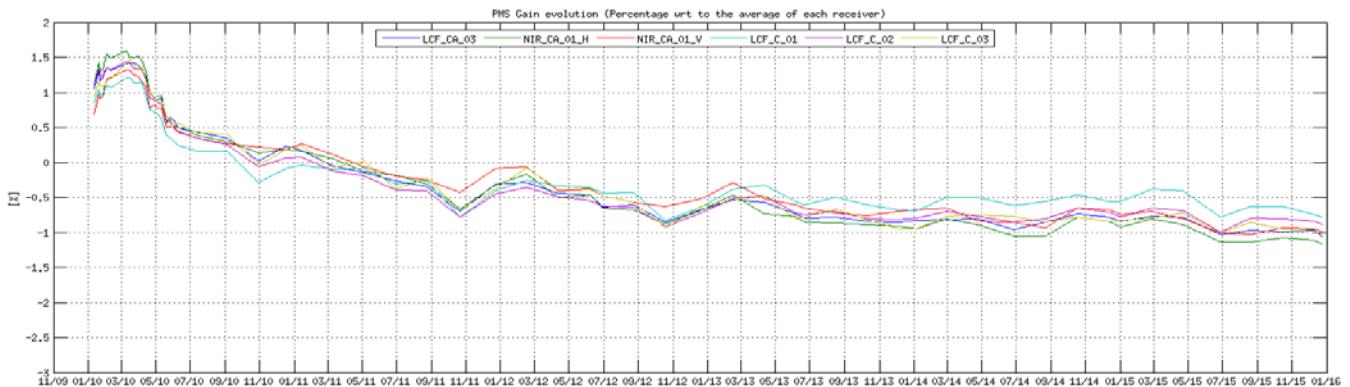


Figure 16 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN C1

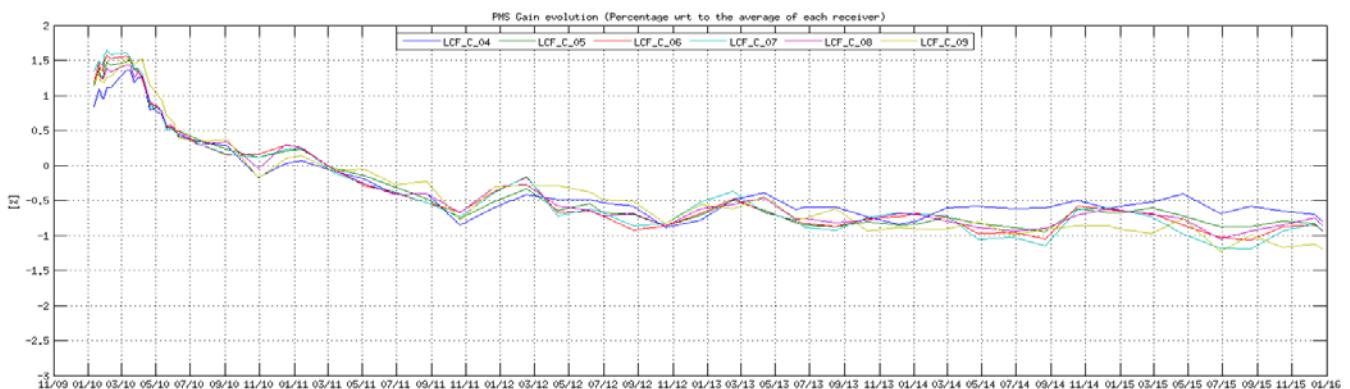


Figure 17 Evolution of the Δ PMS Gain of the LICEFS in CMN C2

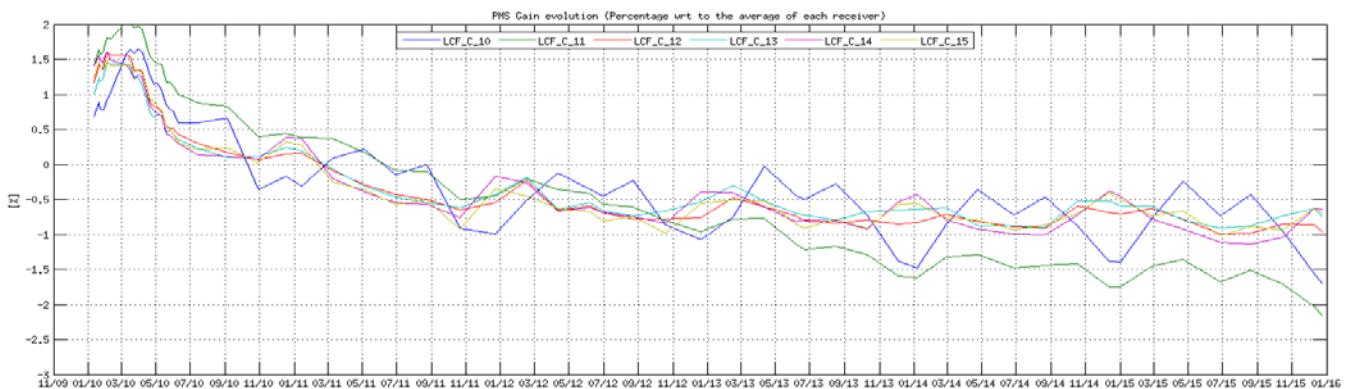


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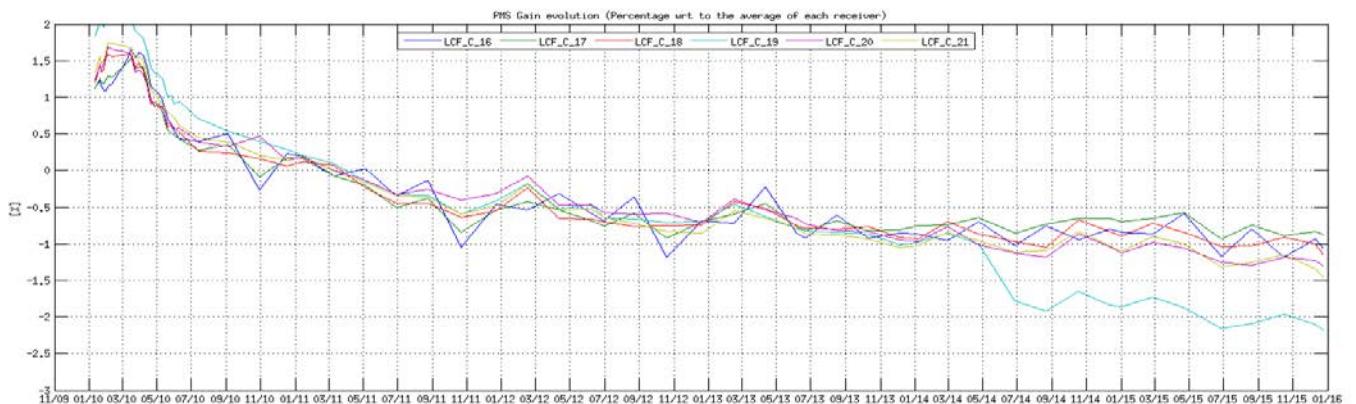


Figure 19 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN H1

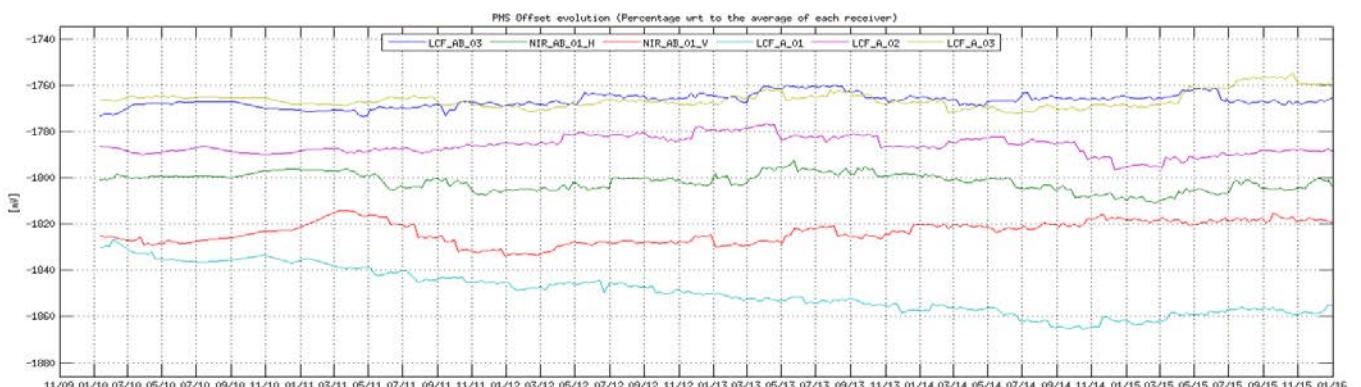


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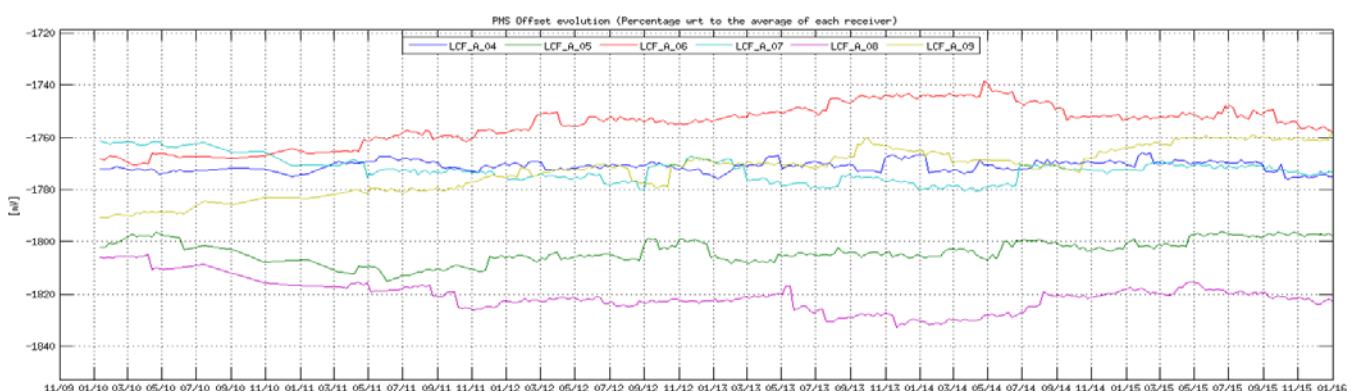


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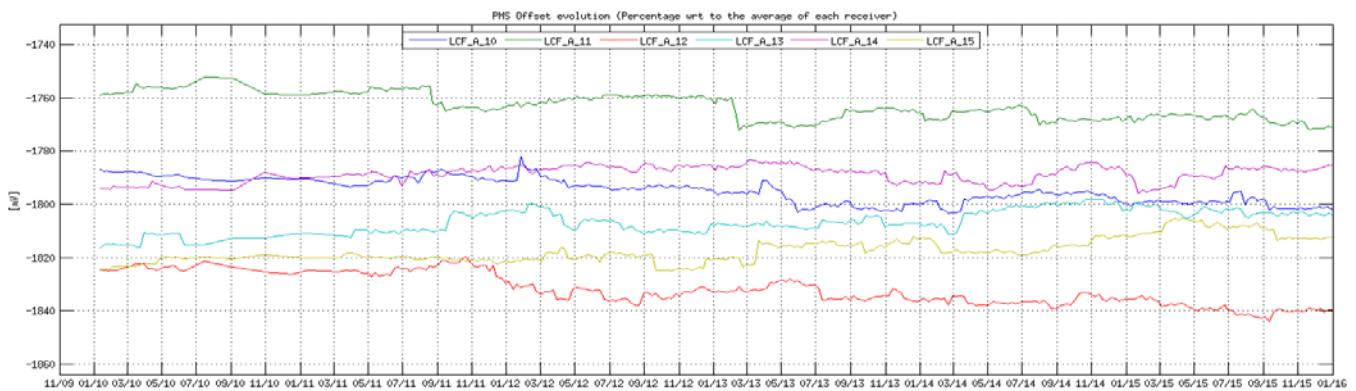


Figure 22 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN A3

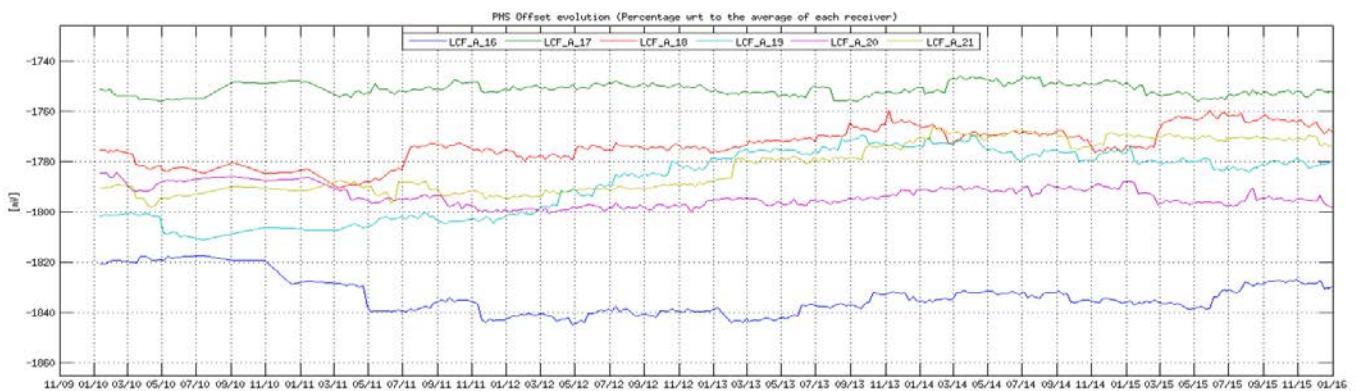


Figure 23 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN H2

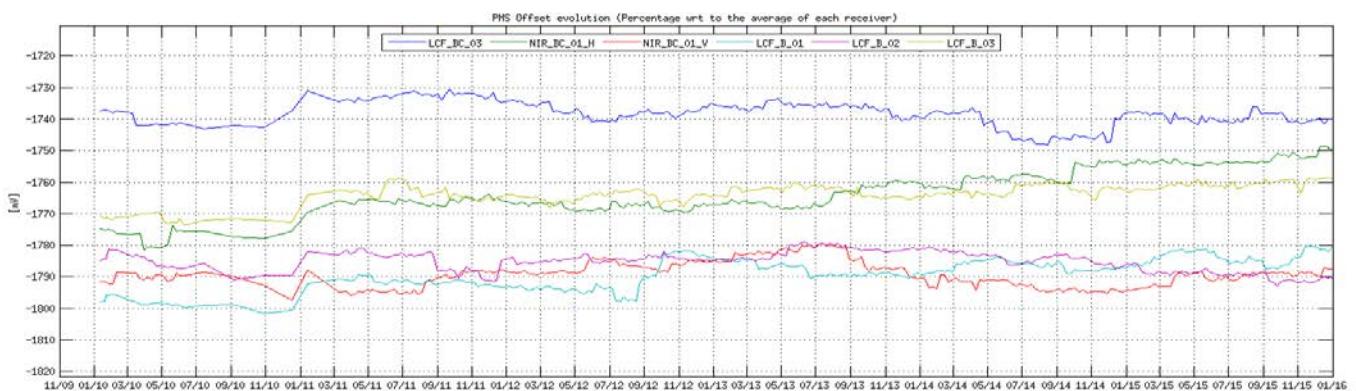


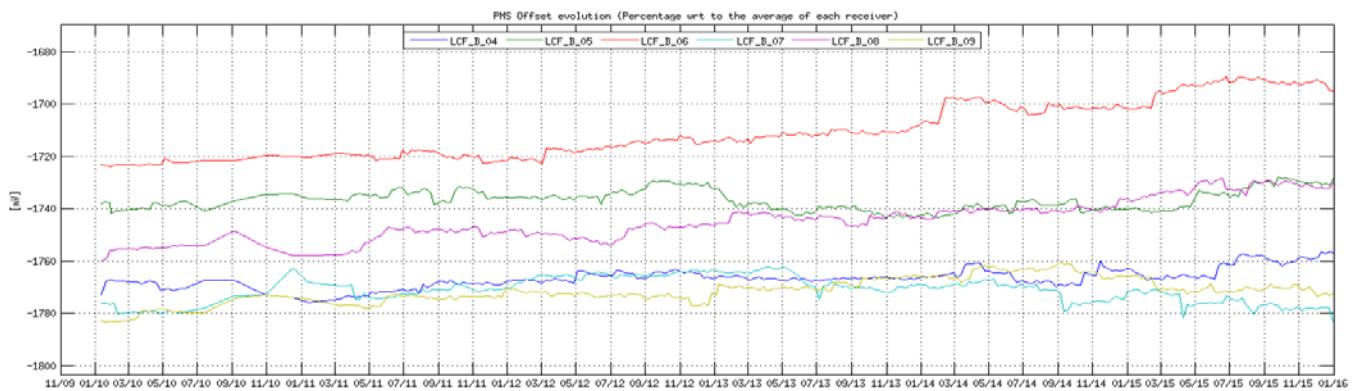
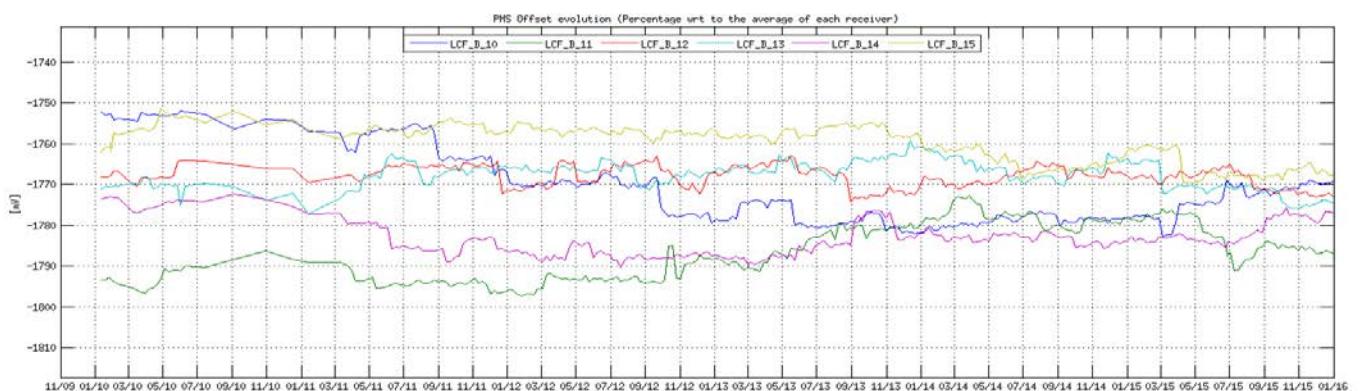
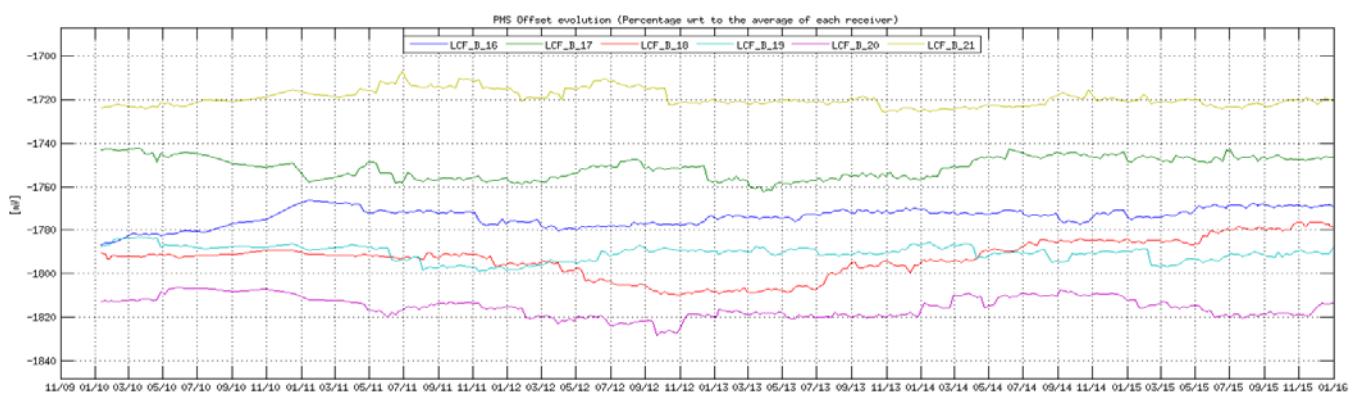
Figure 24 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN B1**Figure 25 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN B2****Figure 26 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN B3**

Figure 27 Evolution of the Δ PMS Offset of the LICEFS in CMN H3

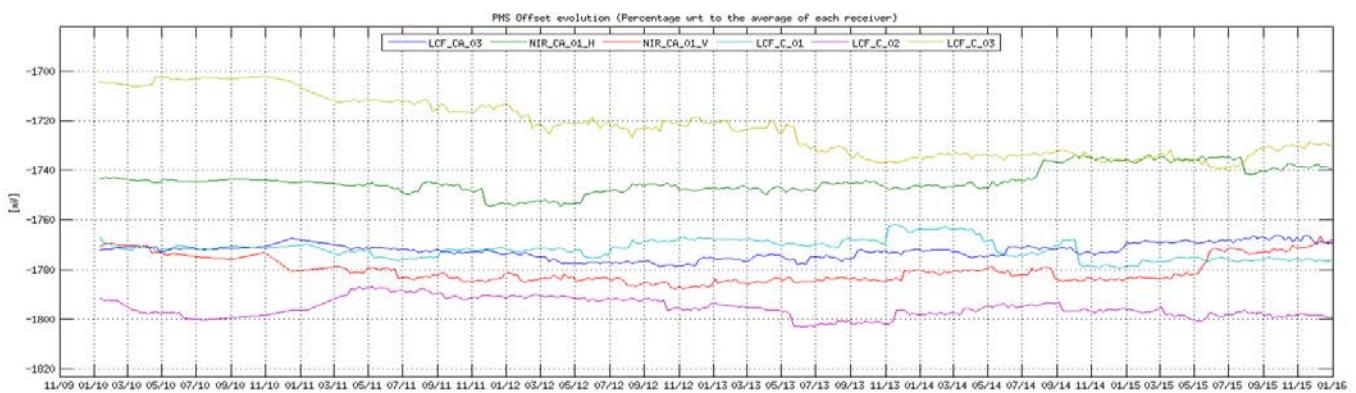


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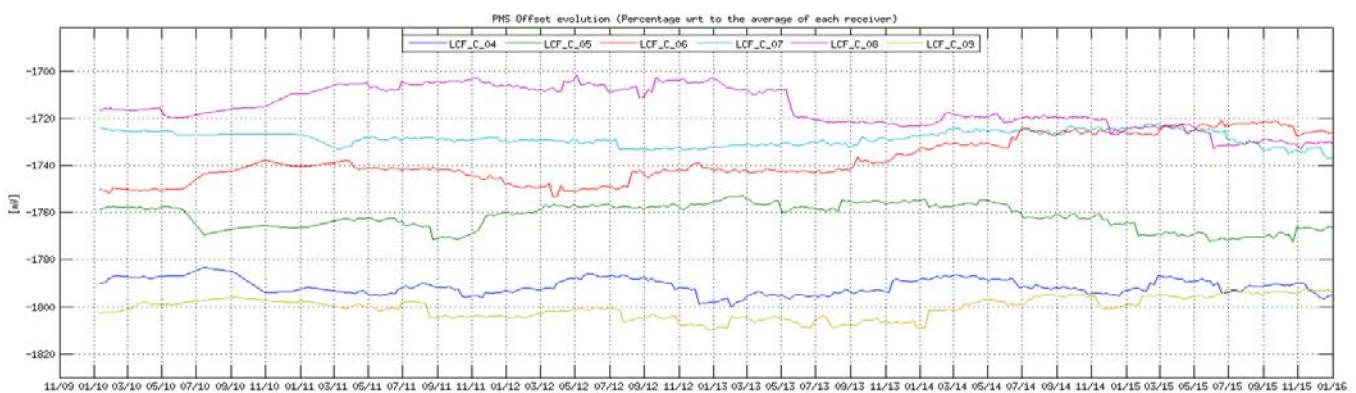


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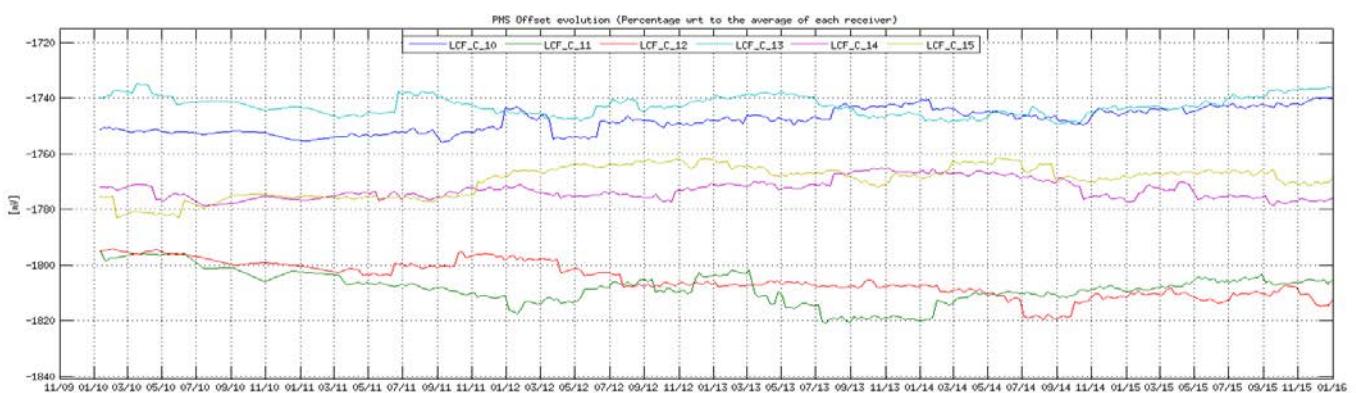


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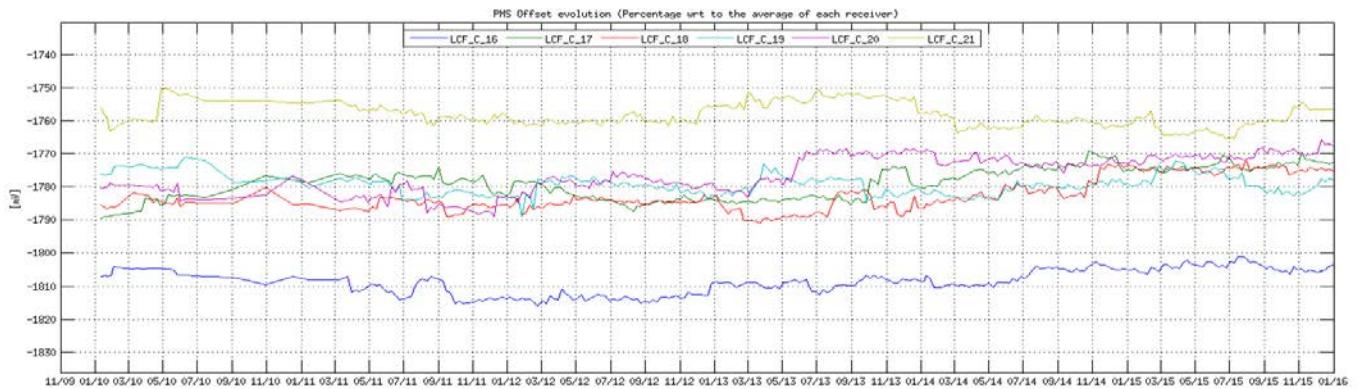
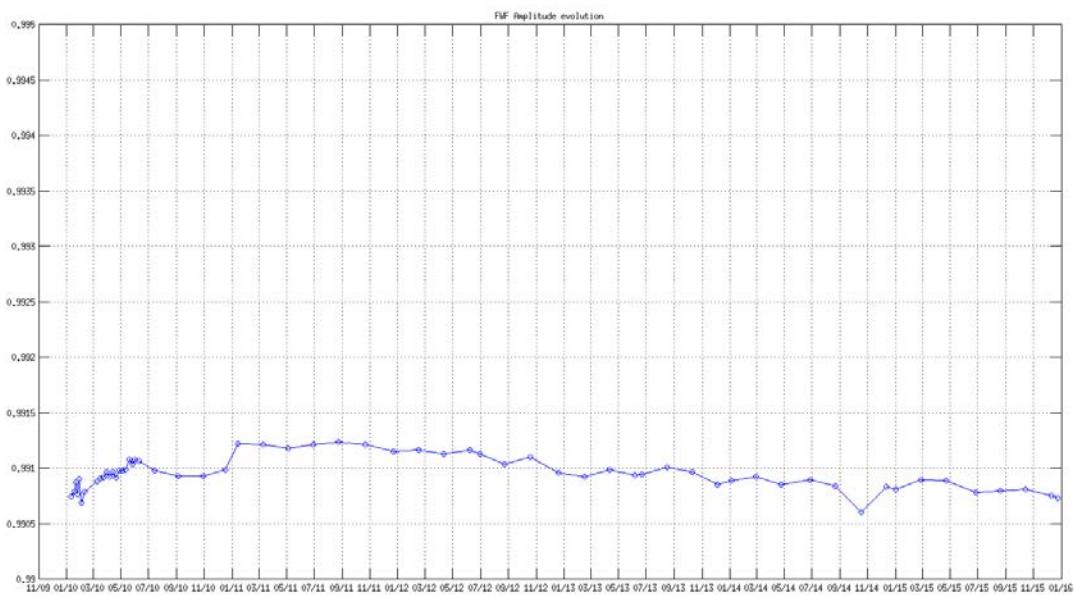


Figure 31 Evolution of the average of the FWF Amplitude at the origin



The evolution of the average of the correlator offsets does not show any significant drift. Also, the correlation offsets between receivers that do not share local oscillator remains much smaller than the correlation offsets between receivers sharing local oscillator. This result is expected since any residual correlated signal arriving to a pair of receivers, arrives through the local oscillator signal.

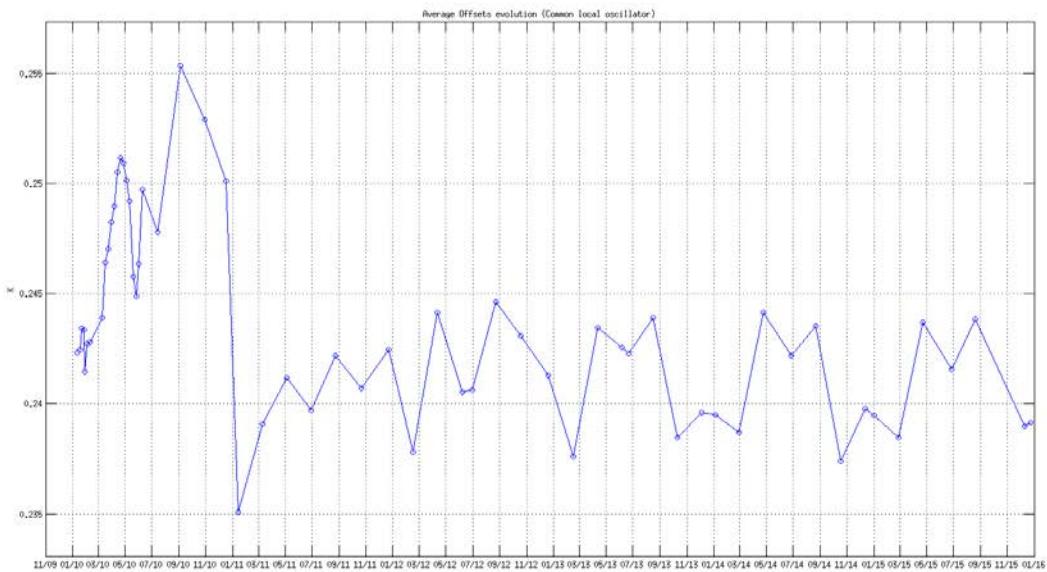


Figure 32 Evolution of the average of the Correlator offsets for the baselines which share local oscillator

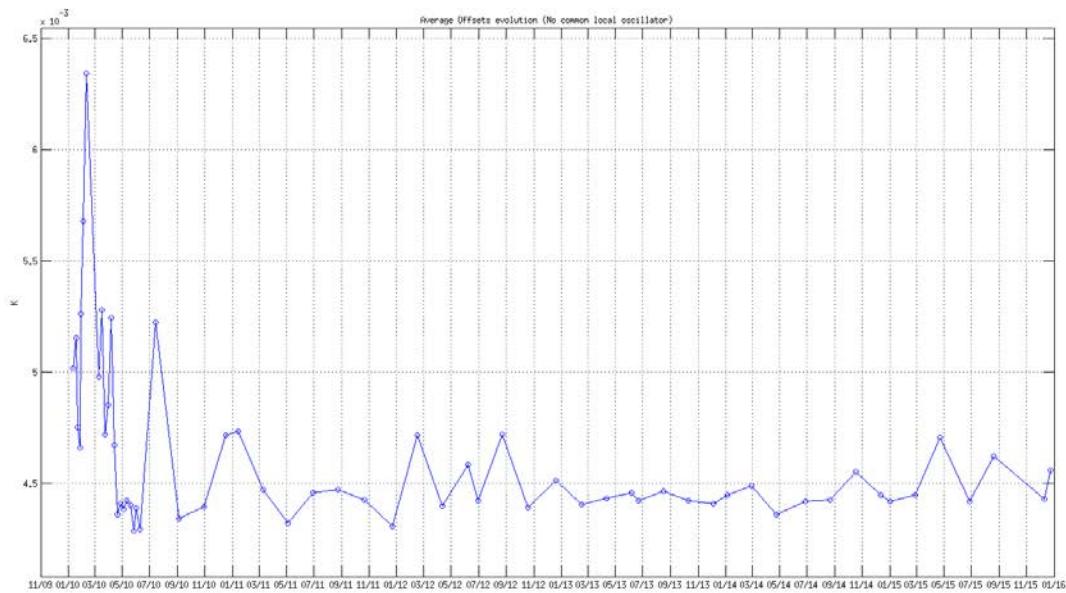


Figure 33 Evolution of the average of the Correlator offsets for the baselines which do not share local oscillator

5.2 Brightness Temperatures Trends over Dome-C Point (Antarctic)

The result of the monitoring of the evolution of the SMOS brightness temperature over Dome-C is shown in the Figure 34 (X and Y polarization at antenna frame for all the incidence angles) and in Figure 35, Figure 36 (H and V polarization at surface level for 42.0 degrees incidence angle for different areas of the Field Of View). The values are averaged every 18 days to reduce the noise and the value for July 2010 is subtracted and used as relative reference.

The evolution of the brightness temperature trend over Dome-C does not show any significant drift except for the beginning of 2015 in H polarization. This drift was due to a change on surface geophysical condition: accumulation of snow since November 2014 and rapidly evolution of snow density on 22 March 2015 when a strong wind has changed the surface condition. This event has impacted the emissivity of the ice that was confirmed by on-site L-band measurement (Dome-x experiment) and from the Aquarius data set.

The H polarization values were back to nominal from April 2015 onwards.

Figure 34: Dome-C X and Y polarization trends (all incidence angles)

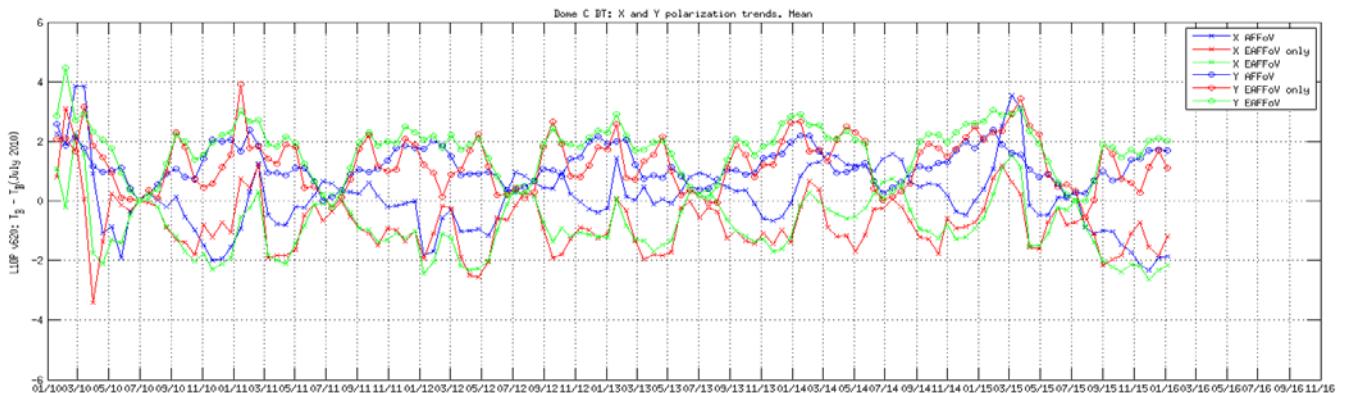


Figure 35: Dome-C H and V polarization trends in Alias Free zone (incidence angle 42°)

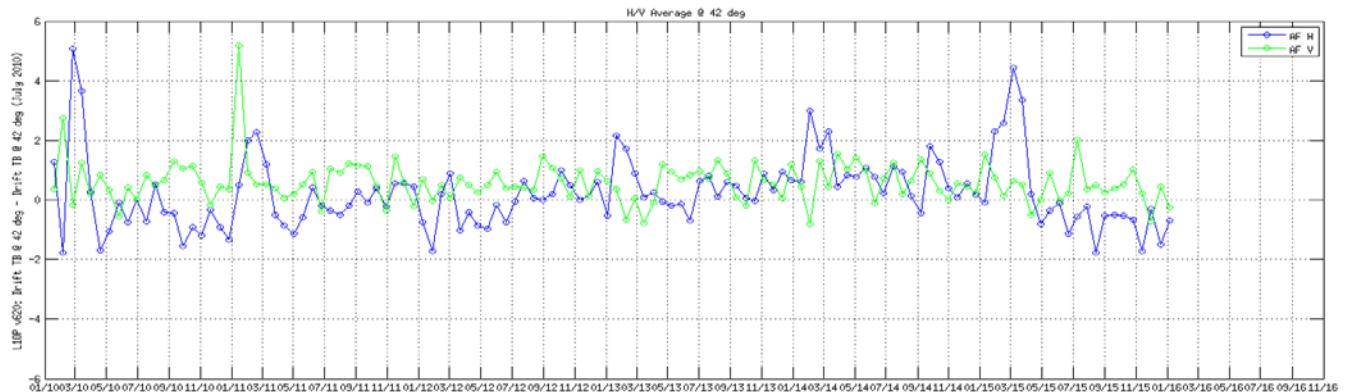
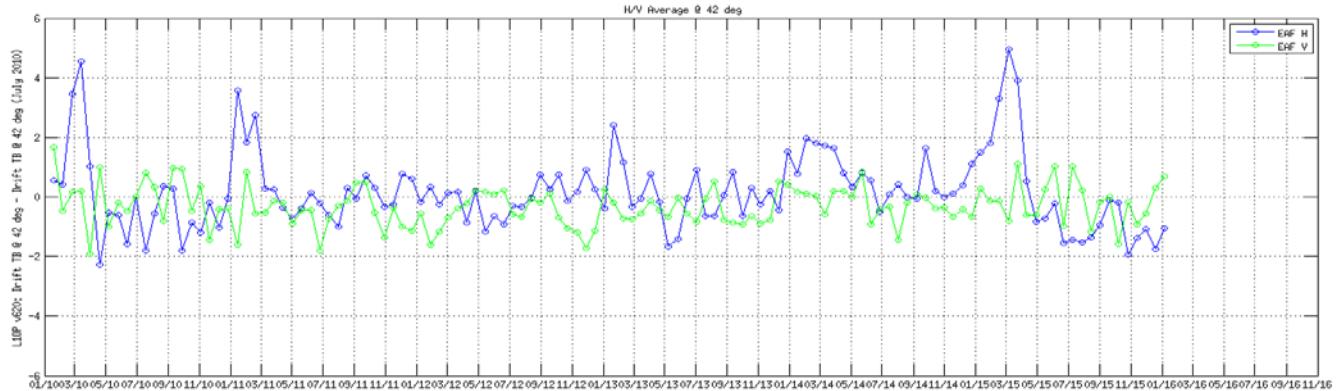




Figure 36: Dome-C H and V polarization trends in Extended Alias Free zone (incidence angle 42°)





6. PRODUCT QUALITY ANALYSIS

Level 1 data quality for December has found to be nominal except in the time intervals listed in the section 4.5. Weekly maps for ascending and descending passes for the Stokes 1, Stokes 3 and Stokes 4 in videos format can be found at:

https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smsof/content-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/data-quality-7059

All the artificial patterns in the maps can be explained by the presence of RFIs.

Level 2 Soil Moisture data quality for December has found to be nominal. Weekly maps for ascending and descending passes for the soil moisture in videos format can be found at:

https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smsof/content-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/data-quality-7059

The L2 Sea Surface Salinity data quality is nominal in the reporting period. Weekly maps for ascending and descending passes for good retrieved sea surface salinity in videos format can be found at:

https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smsof/content-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/data-quality-7059

The lack of good retrieval at descending passes during the winter season is due to thermal effect on the instrument. In the winter season there is a stronger temperature gradient in the antennae surface that is only partially taken into account in the current calibration schema. As result the brightness temperature are somehow degraded for ocean application. This calibration issue is under investigation by the calibration team. For more details on soil moisture and sea surface salinity retrieval algorithms and caveats in data usage see the L2 Algorithm Theoretical Baseline Documents and the read-me-first note available here:

https://earth.esa.int/web/guest/missions/esa-operational-eo-missions/smsof/content-/asset_publisher/t5Py/content/data-processors-7632

7. ADF CONFIGURATION AT THE END OF THE REPORTING PERIOD

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APPENDIX A. CONFIGURATION DOCUMENT LIST

The list of internal documents used for the generation of this report is:

- Unavailability.xls
- Details_Calibrations.xls
- SMOS-CEC-VEG-IPF-REP-0609_v1.75_SMOS_Auxiliary_Data_File_List.pdf



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