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1 General Comments

Activities scheduled for this week are those planned for the 50th calendar week of 2016:

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12 DEC 2016 to 19 DEC 2016 (DOYs 347 to 354).
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The following routine activities were planned this week (see Gantt chart on next page and CRF 626):

• One Warm NIR Calibration on 14 DEC 2016 (DOY 349) with ETO 13:39:59z (orbit 37404) and with the following expected calibration values:

B.T. = 3.8403° R.M.S. = 0.3046 Sun Elevation = 9.9783° Moon elevation = -2.1822° R.A. = 175.92° DEC. = -16.31°

- One PMS Offset on 15 DEC 2016 (DOY 350), including three Short Calibrations at 07:38:00,0z, 07:38:34.8z, and 07:39:09.6z (orbit 37415).
- Local Oscillator Calibrations every 10 minutes.
- X band Passes over ESAC and Svalbard.

2 Mission Planning Deviations

None.



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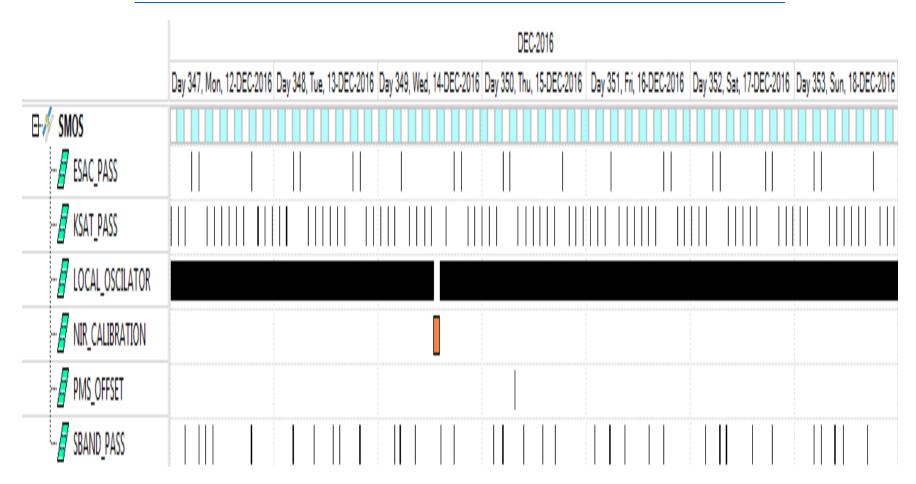
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3 TC Failures

None.

4 Unforeseen Out of Limits (OOLs)

Three main groups Out of Limits were received at the time of the three relevant anomalies happening during this reporting week: Two MM Latch-ups in partitions P0 and P9 (respectively on 16th and 18th of December) and the MM Double Bit memory error that also happened on the 18th of December. Further details on these three events can be found in sections 5 and Appendix-A of this report.

5 On Board Anomalies

A Double Bit memory error in Mass Memory partition P4 happened on day 2016-12-18T11:27:26.371z, at that time the following TM Parameter went OOL on PLPC system:

DMASME43 DB Err In P4 with value False.

Also at the same time the following parameters went out of Soft limits on PLPC system:

> NMASME08 Last IP SB Errs with value 32 NMASME09 Last IP DB Errs with value 1 NMASME14 SB Err Cnt P4 with value 32

At the time of the anomaly MM pointers were located as follows:

Write Pointer= 2204143 (P5) Read pointer = 1961121 (P4)

Some possible corrupted data might be downloaded during the following XBand pass from 2016-12-18T11:32:34z to 2016-12-18T11:36:15z (to be confirmed by DPGS/CEC teams)

The anomaly recovery itself therefore no operational action was required.

The MIRAS instrument MM, partition P9, latched up on 2016-12-18T04:15:45.311z (DOY 353). The following parameters went out of limits on the PLPC system:

2016.353.04.15.45,311z DMASME03 LU Switch P9 2016.353.04.15.45,311z DMASME37 SDD LU Detected

This anomaly was geolocated over the South Indian Ocean at the following geographical coordinates:

> Latitude. = -45.621749



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Longitude = 34.745167

No science data losses did occur for this anomaly. Recovery took place on 19 DEC 2016, at 16:04:00z (CRF 628). At the time of the anomaly the position of the MM pointers were as follows:

READ =930732 (partition P2) WRITE =1106819 (partition P2)

• The MIRAS instrument MM, partition P0, latched up on 2016-12-16T19:26:27.370z (DOY 351). The following parameters went out of limits on PLPC system:

2016.351.19.26.27,370z DMASME12 LU Switch P0 2016.351.19.26.27,370z DMASME37 SDD LU Detected

This anomaly was geolocated over North of Siberia at the following geographical coordinates:

Latitude = 68.266095 Longitude = 136.645142

Science data losses did occur for this anomaly because partition P0 was being written when it latched up (2624 s, from 2016-12-16T18:42:52 to 2016-12-16T19:26:36). Recovery took place on 19 DEC 2016, at 16:04:00z (CRF 628). At the time of the anomaly the position of the MM pointers were as follows:

READ = 105067 (partition P0) WRITE= 3897772 (partition P8)

6 On Board Events Telemetry

The following RAM Single Bit errors befell this week:

Event Description Severity		Event Time	Parameters	
RAM single Bit Error	WARN	2016.349.21.22.07.038	216B4F0	

7 FOS Systems Status

All FOS systems behaved nominally during this week.

 On 14th of December and as part of the preparation activities for the new leap second that will be introduced on the first of January 2017, a new SMOS Orbit Scenario File including this new leap second, was generated using FLEXPLAN tool on SPGF-3 machine. The file was edited and transferred to DPGS team on PLCEXT machine directory

/home/spgfftp/outTray/DPGS/ORBIT_SCENARIO.



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The new OSF will also be transferred to the different FOS places on the 21 of December 2016.

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8 Data Reception from CNES

All S band passes were correctly received from CNES and successfully processed by the FOS PLPC system, with the following exceptions:

9 X Band Data Reception in PXMF

None, all S band passes successfully received and processed.

10 Exceptional Activities

None.

11 AOB

None.





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APPENDIX A: OOLs

The following Out of Limit was issued by the FOS PLPC system at the time of the Mass Memory Double Bit Memory error on 2016-12-18T11:27:26.371z.

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GS_TIME	OBTIME	PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION	OOL Value	Check Value
2016.353.17.29.12.445	2016.353.11.27.26.371	DMASME43	DB Err In P4	False	True

The Mass Memory Latch-up on partition P9 on 2016-12-18T04:15:45Z generated the following two OOLs on PLPC system.

GS_TIME	OBTIME	PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION	OOL Value	Check Value
2016.353.05.33.01.774	2016.353.04.15.45.311	DMASME37	SDD LU Detected	False	True
2016.353.05.33.01.774	2016.353.04.15.45.311	DMASME03	LU Switch P9	OFF	ON

And the Mass Memory Latch-up on partition P0 on 2016-12-16T19:26:27z the following two OOLs.

GS_TIME	OBTIME	PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION	OOL Value	Check Value
2016.352.04.08.27.012	2016.351.19.26.27.370	DMASME37	SDD LU Detected		
2016.352.04.08.27.011	2016.351.19.26.27.370	DMASME12	LU Switch P0	OFF	ON