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Operations Notes

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FOS Report for week 26, year 2018 from 25 JUN 2018 to 02 JUL 2018

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1 General Comments

Activities scheduled for this week are those planned for the 26th calendar week of 2018:

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25 JUN 2018 to 02 JUL 2018 (DOYs 176 to 183).
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The following routine activities were planned this week (see Gantt chart on next page and CRF 748).

• One Warm NIR Calibration on 27 JUN 2018 (DOY 178) with ETO 04:30:00z (orbit 45457; DESCENDING: thermally STABLE) and with the following expected calibration values:

```
B.T. = 3.52°

R.M.S. = 0.14

Sun elevation = 6.45°

Moon elevation = 4.10°

R.A. = 189.11°

DEC. = 24.26°
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- Two LONG Calibrations on 27 DEC 2018 (DOY 178), which encompassed two semi-orbital periods starting at 14:46:00z (orbit 45463) and 16:28:00z (orbit 45464).
- One FTR Calibration on 28 JUN 2018 (DOY 179) with 17:59:52z (orbit 45479; ASCENDING: thermally UNSTABLE) and with the following expected calibration values:

```
Schedule
               = 28 JUN 2018 (DOY 179)
ETO
               = 17:59:52z
Orbit
               = 45479
B.T
                    3.65°
               =
R.M.S.
                    0.05
Sun elevation = -8.00^{\circ}
Moon elevation= 10.85°
                   11.92°
R.A.
DEC.
               = -30.79^{\circ}
```

- Local Oscillator Calibrations every 10 minutes.
- X band Passes over ESAC and Svalbard.

2 Mission Planning Deviations

 An unexpected Collision Avoidance Manoeuvre was performed on Monday 25 JUN 2018 at 08:07:05z. The MIRAS on-board timeline was disabled and the instrument science data flagged with external APID during the whole duration of the manoeuvre, about 32 minutes, from 07:58:40z to 10:03:41z. The TCs for this special manoeuvre were uploaded on Sunday 24 NOV 2018.



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The following GS X band pass was cancelled since the MIRAS ITL had been disabled:

Xband_SVAL 2018-06-25T08:45:10z 2018-06-25T08:50:37z

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3 TC Failures

None.

4 On Board Anomalies

None.

5 On Board Events Telemetry

No relevant on board event packets were received this week.

6 FOS Systems Status

All FOS systems nominal.

7 Data Reception from CNES

All S band passes were correctly received from CNES and successfully processed by the FOS PLPC system.

8 X Band Data Reception in PXMF

None, all S band passes successfully received and processed.

9 Exceptional Activities

The Collision Avoidance Manoeuvre was performed on Monday 25 JUN 2018 (see section 2 for further details)

10 AOB

None.



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APPENDIX A: OOLs

At the time of the CAM execution the following OOL was issued by the FOS PLPC system indicating that the MIRAS on board ITL was made disabled.

Topic:

Date:

GS_TIME	OB_TIME	PARAMETER	DESCRIPTION	OOL Value	Check Value
2018-06-25T08:58:59	2018-06-25T07:58:32	NTLHK022	ITL Ena State	Disabled	Enabled