



Monthly Mission Review

LAT DAQ and Flight Software Status

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Topics

- □ Failure Analysis FPGA
- □ Hardware Completion
- □ Primary Boot Code Installation
- □ Flight Software Completion
- □ FSW JIRA status



FPGA Failure Analysis

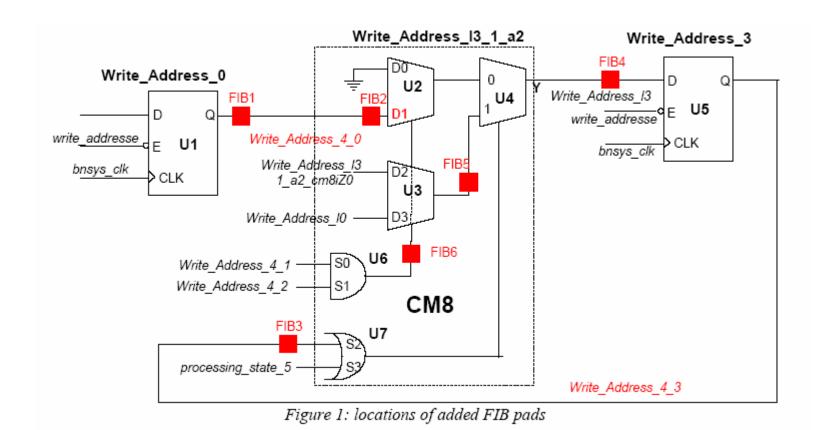
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□ FPGA failure in redundant GASU testing – ACTEL Update

- Returned device showed DC parametric damage high Icc
- ACTEL successfully reproduced the failure using their tools
- using Silicon Explorer Actel was able to observed all the signals of logic modules and identified the potential failure – stuck bit at input terminal
- Focused Ion Beam (FIB) pads placed on the chip at suspect area show unexpected pullup (short) on an internal module input.
- Future FIB inspection will check circuitry connected to that input.
- ACTEL is closed this week and thru July 4th holidays.



FPGA Failure Analysis (cont)



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Completion of DAQ Hardware

- All DAQ flight hardware and spares have been completed and tested with exception of spare LCB card and the redundant GASU which is in repair for failed FPGA.
- □ Spare GASU schedule in rework at Aeroflex
 - FPGA has been replaced and the board has been conformal coated;
 CSI on 7/06/06
 - Completion of rework estimated 7/21/06
 - Functional test and environmental retest follow.



PBC Install Status – good news

- □ The installation scripts have been run > 10 times on EM hardware
- □ The scripts are "Paranoid"
 - They abort if an error is encountered
 - They take advantage of FMX to ensure that the correct files are being loaded
- □ Script status:
 - SIU and EPU scripts frozen by June 27
 - Procedures finalized June 28
 - Anticipated V&V on June 29-30
 - Works with FSW version 6.9
- □ Each will be run > 5 times for further confidence
- □ If successful, installation will begin on July 6th 7th
 - Jana Thayer will be at NRL to lead the effort

PBC Install Status – bad news

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- During an SIU practice run, the watchdog timed out and the crate rebooted
 - Still trying to understand why the watchdog timed out
 - The burn of all 4 PBC images was successful
 - Reboot occurred when the rad750 clock speed was changed back to normal (after the write)
 - Script run > 10 times successfully before the watchdog reset
 - The procedure was repeated about 5 times yesterday with no new reboots

□ Effect on schedule:

- LICOS scripts and documentation ready; there are unlikely to be any changes to the scripts as a result
- To fix the problem will probably require a change to the FSW, either DDT or the watchdog or ?
 - Can't be any more specific until we know more.



Risks of installing new PBC (1 of 2)

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- □ If all 4 images of the PBC get corrupted in an SIU or EPU the unit will have to be programmed through the front panel
 - Remove the X-LAT plate
 - Remove the box
 - Remove the front plate
 - Remove cover on RAD-750
 - Note: This does not require breaking any connections within the unit including any of the backplane connections
 - Install the new PBC through the front panel using the Corelis JTAG tool
 - Reinstall the covers
 - Perform a functional test on the box
 - Install the box on the LAT
 - Reinstall the X-LAT plate

Risks of installing new PBC (2 of 2)

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■ Mitigations

- Practice, practice, practice
- "Paranoid" script and procedure
- The only anomaly that has been observed during script development is when a unit rebooted. Slowing the system clock in order to program the SUROM caused an unrecoverable error in the time hack software resulting in a reboot.
 - All software has been checked for sensitivity to the clock speed, and a special version of the time hack software has been created for use with DDT
 - That reboot corrupted only one copy of the boot
 - The unit could still be rebooted and had that happened on the LAT it would not have required deintegration



Flight Software Status

- □ Baselined 0.6.6: 149 of 183 requirements
 - completed FQT 4/17/06
- □ Currently Operating LAT with 0.6.9
 - Corrections to 0.6.6 functionality / bug fixes
- □ Requirements not covered in 0.6.9
 - Diagnostic science modes / data (13 rqmts)
 - GRB handling infrastructure and algorithm (16 rqmts)
 - FSW standards (5 rqmts)
- Missing Functionality in 0.6.9
 - Science data stream compression, LPA process part of event filtering and capacity (rqmt 5.3.9.1)



FSW Development Priorities

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Priorities

- I&T support. Critical bug fixes. (no active critical debugging at this time)
- Science data compression
- GRB framework
- GRB algorithm
- Other bug fixes and enhancements

□ Plan

- Maintain B0.6.9 FSW thru LAT environmental test
- d-FQT- A mid August
 - 178 of 183 requirements, all but compression and GRB algorithm
- d-FQT –B in November
 - 183 of 183 requirements GRB algorithm
 - Install in LAT prior to observatory environmental test

FSW Completion (1)

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□ Build 0.6.10

- Planned for ~ 7/17/06
- Includes Diagnostic Functions (13 rqmts)
 - 5.3.13.1.1 ACD Cosmic Ray Sample Events (script)
 - 5.3.13.2.1 ACD Trigger Mode (script)
 - 5.3.13.2.2 Pedestal Data (script)
 - 5.3.13.1.9.x (Filters for) CAL Cosmic Ray Calibration (7 requirements)
 - 5.3.13.1.10.x (Filters for) TKR Cosmic Ray Calibration (3 requirements)
- Includes GRB handling infrastructure (everything but algorithm)
 - 5.3.10.x GRB Detection (4 requirements)
 - 5.3.11.x GRB Response (9 requirements)
 - 5.3.15.x GRB-related Mode Control (3 requirements)
- Will not be installed on LAT but is interim build for testbed V&V
- Delta-FQT-A (~ 8/14/06) all except GRB algorithm related requirements
 - Complete 178 of 183 requirements. The GRB framework will include a test version of the GRB algorithm so we can prototype test all 183 requirements

FSW Completion (2)

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□ Build 0.6.11

- Include compression of science data streams
- Available around 8/14/06
- Install on LAT prior to integration onto Observatory
 - The installation may occur at NRL or SASS, depending on available time for installation and regression testing.



LAT Compression

- □ Two FSW Processes LPA (science data stream) and LCI (charge injection calibration) use data compression.
 - Each optimized for the particular characteristics of the data streams to be compressed.
- □ LPA Compression
 - Each datagram individually compressed.
 - Compression symbol table
 - Sequence of individually compressed events.
 - Minimizes data loss on errors or dropouts.
 - Expect to achieve net compression of 3 3.25.
 - Conservative resource load is < 25%.
- **□** LCI Compression
 - Similar to LPA but different due to data organization and correlations
 - Currently in use in B0.6.9

FSW Completion (3)

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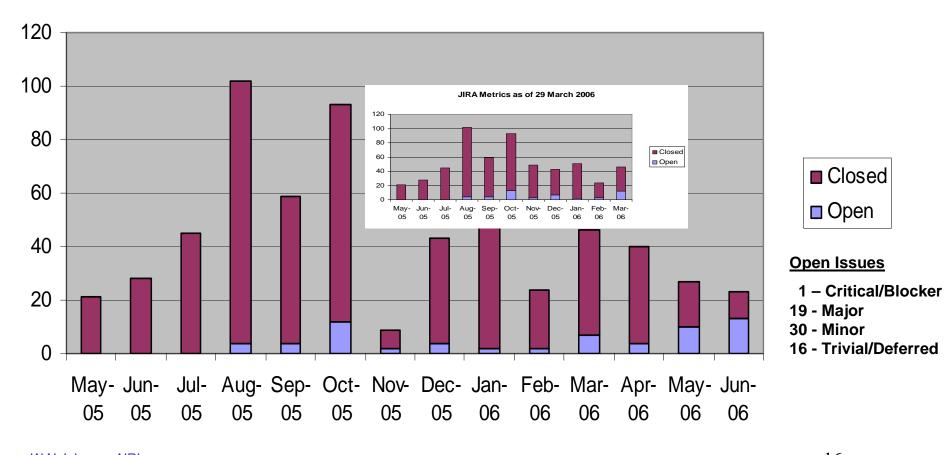
□ Build 1.0.0

- Includes GRB algorithm
- Includes FSW Standards
 - 5.4.1 System of Units (metric system)
 - 5.4.2.x Coordinate Systems (3 requirements)
 - 5.4.3 Resource Margin
- Available around 10/16/06
- Delta-FQT-B (11/16/06)
 - Complete 183 of 183 requirements
- Install on LAT prior to Observatory Environmental Test

JIRA Metrics

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JIRA Metrics as of 26 June 2006





Top FSW JIRAs

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Priority	Key	Summary	Issue Type
Critical	FSW-292	Implement GRB detection algorithm	New Feature
Major	FSW-673	Remove CDM Database Unload from EDS	Bug
Major	FSW-670	Update PFC Event Processor	Bug
Major	FSW-669	Repair LHK TEM E Telemetry Description	Bug
Major	FSW-665	Fix LMC Counters	Bug
Major	FSW-650	LPA Does Not Report Handler Installation Failures	Improvement
Major	FSW-646	Remove Unused Parameters from LPA_DB Schema	Improvement
Major	FSW-645	Add SBC Database Key To LPA Datagram Configuration	New Feature
Major	FSW-640	Create a duplicate of the gamma filter with all vetoes disabled	New Feature
Major	FSW-638	Increase Max Allowed LPA DB Instances	Improvement
Major	FSW-633	Add New Mode Associate Command to LPA	New Feature
Major	FSW-623	CLONE -Documentation for several apids needs to be added to standard webpage	Improvement
Major	FSW-576	Bug in CAL data compression algorithm	Bug
Major	FSW-369	MSG needs to disable reports from within the MSG task	Bug
Major	FSW-341	LPA Mode Change/Flush Behavior is Incorrect	Bug
Major	FSW-305	Summary/statistics telemetry stream needs to be created for on-board event processors	Improvement