



ISOC Status:

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Sci Ops Status (1)

- Defined high level tasks for SciOps, currently working on WBS
- Initiated VRVS meetings for SciOps (Sep 8) with an ISOC agenda: attendance on average 30-40 people
 - Organizing people into working groups: soon to be able to engage collaboration
- Instrument monitoring
 - Investigated bright gamma-ray pulsars to monitor the instrument response functions and absolute timing and position accuracy for the LAT. Some of the procedures that he developed will translate directly to instrument monitoring tasks to be run on the pipeline: Luigi Tibaldo (INFN/SLAC)
 - Data Monitoring working group has been identified for Service Challenge
- Calibrations and Configurations
 - SciOps discussions Flight Ops to define most likely reasons for changing configurations
 - trigger mask may require faster turn around (raised at TIM with MOC)
 - CAL pedestals next priority
 - other items see longer time scale for latency
 - Calibration working group has been identified for Service Challenge
- Instrument Optimization and Anomaly Resolution
 - Investigating how to improve offline cuts for GRBs after discussions with Julie McEnery
 - Collecting instrument anomalies from pre-launch data to proposed scenarios to be simulated for on orbit data taking



Sci Ops Status (2)

Automated Science Processing

Implemented working prototypes for GRB search and refinement in the L1 data and tasks for spectral analyses and afterglow detection have been partially implemented in the pipeline framework; this work is providing feedback to the pipeline developers about functionality needed: Jim Chiang (UMBC/SLAC)

Event classification & IRFs

Bill Atwood (UCSC) has refined the event classification to include energy-dependent cuts that preserve the effective area at high energies. Toby Burnett (UW) has implemented a semi-automatic procedure for translating an AllGamma run and event classification cuts into a set of IRFs that can be used by the science tools. This will greatly improve the ease of investigating new IRFs for science analyses.

Background monitoring/modeling

- Investigating enhancing the charged-particle background model that we use for instrument simulations to allow for azimuthal variation of the background components: Jonathan Ormes (Denver)
 - The effect is quite strong and is relevant for, e.g., detailed estimates of the orientation-dependent trigger rate.
- Start to look at the work done by others to learn how to characterize the SAA



SAS Status

- Beam test support
 - Data taking complete. Some 100M events processed in the pipeline. Reprocessing with new calibrations about to begin.
 - Mostly things look good with a few things to track down (like excess energy seen at high energies). In progress.
- Tvac support
 - Done. Moving on to Spectrum Astro.
- Compute Resources
 - IFC will cough up 50 TB disk for CY06
 - 80 TB expected for 07
 - Allows us to concentrate on CPU purchases in 07
 - Italy and France pursuing 100 cpu/50 TB compute farms for simulations
 - Plan to extend Pipeline 2 to run jobs in all 3 places



More SAS Status

- Service Challenge Prep
 - We have a logo!
 - Dual effort on science and ISOC prep
 - Planning to test GCR calibs in October
 - Apply different calibs in sim and recon
 - TKR mostly there now
 - Ability to simulate pointed observation
 - Working towards "IRF on demand"
 - Allow custom IRF based on user's cuts
 - Working with CHS and FSW for a more complete simulation of L0 files
 - DataServer & Shift Log working groups commissioned with due dates of mid to end October
 - Data Monitoring group about to be started





CHS Testing

GRT 5

- Very successful test
 - fed telemetry from 3 long contacts through upstream ground systems to ISOC (~10 Gbytes of cleanroom data)
 - processed HK, Diag, Alert & Science data
 - generated level 1 event summary data product & forwarded to GSSC
 - received RT housekeeping and alert telemetry from MOC & BAP (Burst Alert Processor)
 - sets stage for LICOS use in GRT 6 to display RT telemetry
 - no ISOC problems identified

CHS 2.1 Acceptance Tests I/P

- new features being tested include
 - LICOS display of RT telemetry
 - automatic daily report of product delivery info
 - enhanced log viewer (adds time & message type filtering)
 - tape archive functions
 - anomaly monitoring & notification functions (sends text messages to cell phones/beepers)
- testing ~60% complete to finish by 6 Oct (CHS 2.1 release date)



Requirements Tracking

	Release									
	1 6/05	1.2 11/05	1.3 2/06	1.4 5/06	2 7/06	2.1 10/06	2.2 12/06	3 2/07	4 5/07	
Requirement Category	GRT2	GRT3			GRT5	GRT6	DITL	GRT7 ETE2-3	ETE4-6	total
Misc (Facility, Redundancy, Security, Doc, etc.)	4	1		2	6	2	3	18	26	62
Mission Planning	2	2					60			64
Telemetry Processing	4	3	1	7	3	13	6	4	3	44
Science Data Processing				1	2	4	1	28		36
Telemetry Monitoring		1	1	2	1	22	4	4		35
Logging			3			4	2	1		10
Trending			12		6	3		1		22
Anomaly Tracking & Notification						8	8	1		17
# new reqts verified	10	7	17	12	18	56	84	57	29	290
cumulative total	10	17	34	46	64	120	204	261	290	

Кеу:						
	Incremental release (tests only new requirements)					
	Major release (tests all requirements satisfied to date)					



CHS: Software Development Team Activity

- Software Releases
 - Release 2.1 of CHS Core S/W undergoing acceptance test.
- Data Handling
 - Supported startup of LAT activities at GD/SASS.
 - Completed implementation of data-transfer mechanisms for LAT data during Observatory I&T.
- Software Development
 - Improvements in current trending & logging web apps.
 - Improved framework for web-based trending.
 - Mission-planning table-definition and -population code.
 - Configuration of LICOS real-time displays for on-orbit operations usage.
 - Update LICOS stripchart display to use an improved drawing package.



Real-Time Data Monitoring

- Two components of real-time data:
 - HSK/DIAG data during passes
 - Alerts
- Both are handled by a real-time data concentrator application ("MocTicker") that provides socket interfaces for packet sources and sinks
 - Implements the ITOS frame_sorter packet interface input from the MOC and the BAP
 - Implements the VSC network interface for "proxy" clients (LICOS).
 - Plan to re-use LICOS real-time display capability
 - LICOS used for LAT real-time monitoring at SLAC, NRL, SASS
- In addition to receiving packets and forwarding them to network clients, MocTicker decodes alert packets internally and logs them to the database
 - Allows us to alert local staff or trigger prompt processing for bursts.
- Tested successfully in GRT5 for receipt of real-time housekeeping and burst alerts from MOC and BAP



CHS Procedure Development Status

- 32 of 73 on-orbit procedures are in draft form
 - 8 procedures ready for PROC development (level 3)
 - All procedures for ETE1 and ETE2, except for one, are at least in draft form
- 3 of 22 LEO procedures are in review
 - L-LEO-1 LAT Turn On Level 2
 - L-LEO-2 LAT SIU/EPU Hardware Functional Level 2
 - L-LEO-4 HVPS Turn On Level 2
 - Work on on-orbit procedures: L-LPA-01 Initiate Physics
 Observations and L-LPA-02 Terminate Physics Observations
 relates directly to early orbit physics obs
- Four authors working on procedures: Bator, Pineau, Condamoor, G. Thayer
 - Shantha Condamoor is also informally testing the narrative procedures against the testbed prior to PROC development
- Development schedule available at: https://sharepoint.slac.stanford.edu/sites/ISOC/default.aspx (must have SLAC account for access)



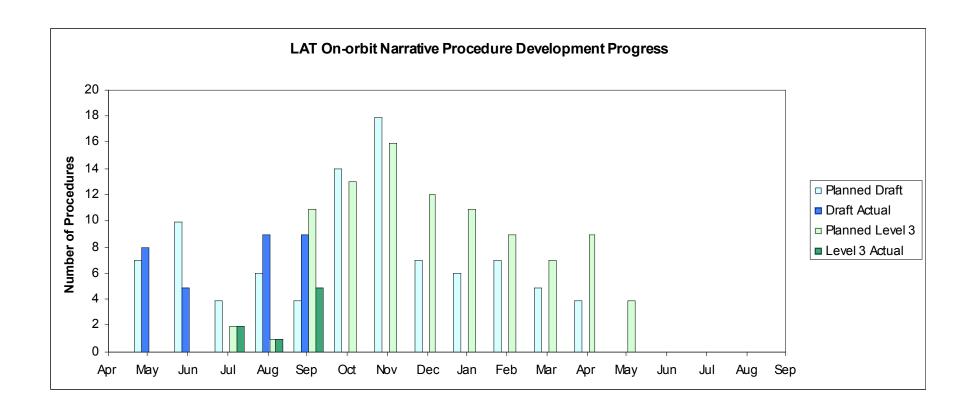
Procedure Status by ETE

Status by ETE								
ETE	Date	# of Procedures	Level					
			1	2	3	4	5	6
ETE 1	Dec-06	4	0	0	3	0	0	0
ETE 2	Mar-07	23	11	7	5	0	0	0
ETE 3	Apr-07	37	0	6	0	0	0	0
ETE 4	Jun-07	31	0	3	0	0	0	0

Totals 95 11 16 8 0 0 0



NP Development: Current Progress





ISOC Operations Facility

- ISOC Operations Facility
 - Construction underway
 - Cubicle area in Building 84 gutted
 - New walls around the area going up this week
 - Dataflow lab
 - Asbestos removal from pipe elbows complete
 - Wall between B101 and B105 removed
 - No interruption to testbed operations
- Construction phase scheduled to end in mid December
 - Work is on schedule
- 5 workstations purchased for ops control room



Ops Facility: Preliminary Schedule

