# What has been going on in the field: a status report



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#### Outline

- ☐ Tests
  - Short Circuit Tests
  - Validation of controls systems
- ☐ The as-designed documentation
- ☐ The as-built documentation: MTF
- □ Safety aspects
  - SCT
  - QRL pressure and cold tests
- □ Co-activities
- ☐ Conclusions

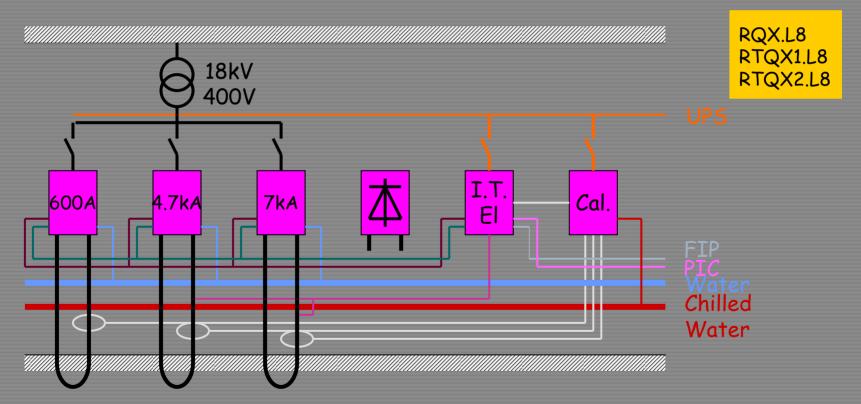
#### commissioning activity in 2005-06

#### SHORT CIRCUIT TESTS OF POWER CONVERTERS

- ☐ Three major underground powering areas around even points (UA83, UA47, UA87) have been tested with the power converters connected to the cables (water and air cooled)
  - UA83 in Jul and Sep-Oct 2005, 81 converters
  - UA47 in Feb-Mar 2006, 55 converters
  - UA87 in Apr-May 2006, 81 converters
- ☐ One smaller underground powering area close to Point 7 is being tested now
  - RR17 in June 2006, 34 converters
- □Next week, tests start in RR13/UJ14 with 62 converters

#### aim and configuration ...

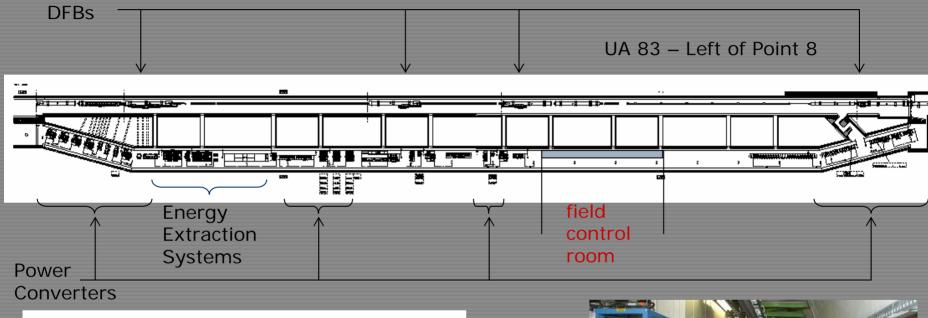
The aim of these tests is to validate the normal conducting part of the electrical circuits powering superconducting magnets, extending from the 18 kV and 400 V feed and including the water-cooled cables before their connection to the DFB. After this, the validation of the water and air cooling infrastructure is carried-out by means of a 24-hour run with all the circuits powered at ultimate current.



Inner triplet in 8L

#### what and where...

## 24h heat run of all power converters and associated infrastructure



- √ 3 x 13 kA power converters
- ✓ 18 x 4 to 7 kA power converters
- ✓ 31 x 600 A power converters
- ✓ 29 x 120 A power converters



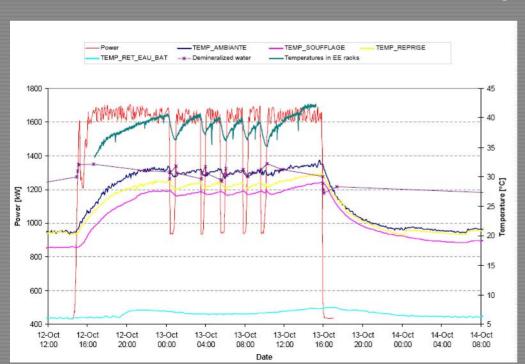
156 kA and 1.2 MW dissipated: PCs and Cables (estimation)

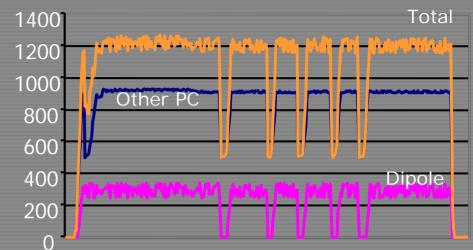
#### results and validation of equipment

Tests are defined in an approved procedure document

Power converters are first tested on an 8-h run: connectivity and individual functionality are then checked

Final validation is given after the 24-h





Systems validated:

**FCR** infrastructure

Power converters
Water cooling station
Ventilation and conditioned air
Energy extraction (partially)
Water-cooled and normal cables
Control applications

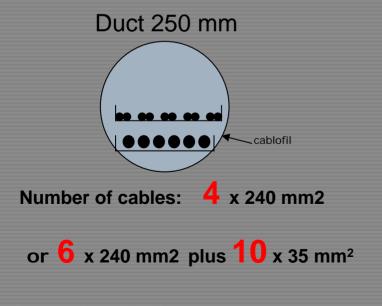
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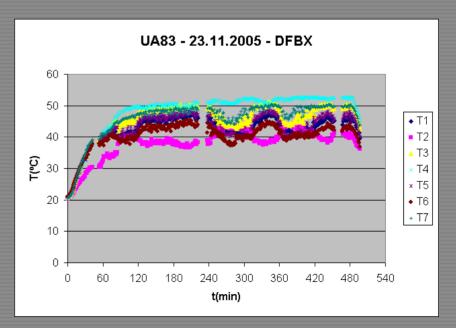
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### some of the main highlights ...

- Ventilation and conditioning air system: system validated and units which have not performed as expected identified and remedies applied
- One of the major outcomes of tests in UA83 was the need for changing the cabling layouts in the DFBAO area (trays, ducts, 600A EE systems) due to thermal reasons. The validation and decision not to indirectly cool with water the cables in the ducts was of great simplification.





## thermal measurements on equipment...





Location: UA83 (Beginning)

Equipt type: LHC2-4-6-8kA

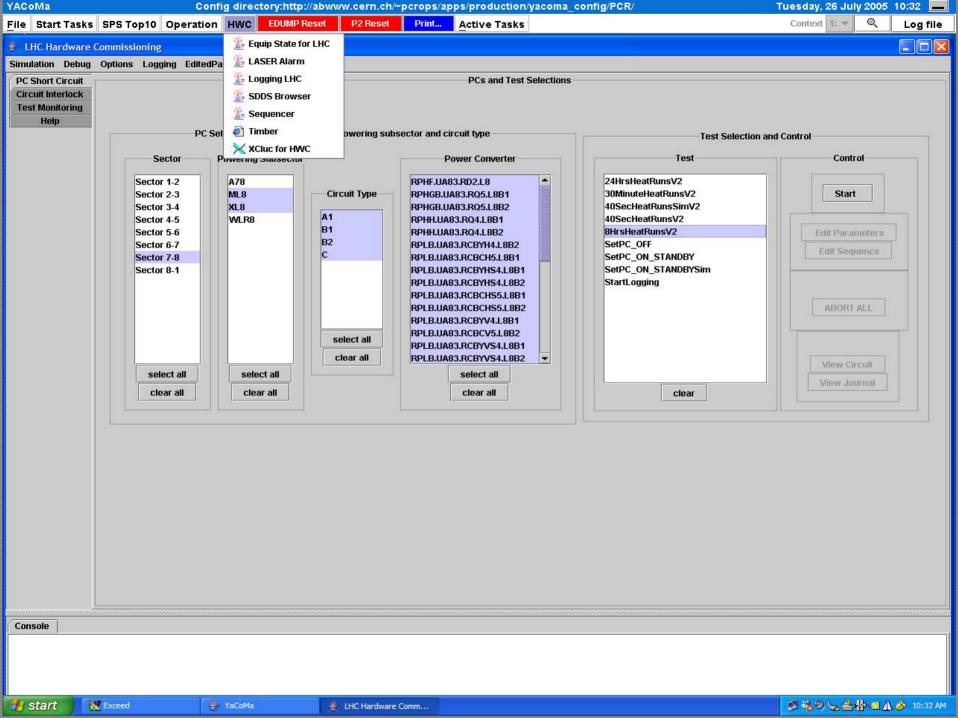
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## controls systems validated during SCT ...

World FIP infrastructure
Real-time fieldbus connecting front ends to power converters
LHC PO Gateways and remote reboot
PC bus front ends linking network to WorldFIP, running PO software for PC control, alarms, post mortem
Technical Network and VDSL Infrastructure (IT)
Ethernet for LHC control. General CERN network in LHC underground, transmitted by wi-fi in work areas
FCRs in UA83 and UA43
underground control rooms supporting control room applications close to equipment
CCC Infrastructure
■ LHC controlled from the CCC during night shifts
Sequencer
<ul> <li>Automation tool that may be programmed to perform pre-defined tests involving different LHC hardware systems</li> </ul>
Set of the Day Management
Used to define hardware subsets for monitoring and testing
PIC hardware, PLCs and PVSS Supervision
■ Controls and electronics for the Powering Interlocks
Post Mortem Server and Browser
■ Central server and software for capture of data from transient events such as PC trip
Plus a long list of standard services (LASER, console manager, logging, fixed displays, logbook, databases)



## STATUS REPORT ON THE AS-DESIGNED DOCUMENTATION

### Documentation: HCP...

EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-A-HCP-0001 rev 1.0	The Commissioning of the Hardware in the LHC Sectors: The RF System in Point 4	RELEASED
LHC-D-HCP-0001 rev 1.0	General Procedure for the Commissioning of the Electrical Circuits of a Sector	RELEASED
LHC-D-HCP-0002 rev 1.0	Commissioning of the Hardware in the LHC Sectors:Interlock Tests of Powering Subsector Prior & After Connection of the Power Cables to DFB Leads	RELEASED
LHC-D-HCP-0005 rev 1.0	PROCEDURES FOR THE SHORT CIRCUIT TESTS OF POWER CONVERTERS AND AUTOMATED COMMISSIONING OF INTERLOCKS FOR ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS OF THE LHC	RELEASED
LHC-I-HCP-0001 rev 1.0	The Commissioning of the Hardware in the LHC Sectors: the Injection Systems in Points 2 and 8 with their Associated Instrumentation	RELEASED
LHC-MW-HCP-0002 rev 1.0	GENERAL PROCEDURE FOR THE COMMISSIONING OF THE WARM ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS	RELEASED
LHC-R-HCP-0001 rev 1.1	The Commissioning of the Hardware in the LHC Sectors: the Power Converters Connected to the DC Cables in Short Circuit	RELEASED
LHC-D-HCP-0004 rev 0.4	The Commissioning of the Hardware in the LHC Sectors : The Commissioning of the Inner Triplet Region	APPROVAL CLOSED

## Documentation: HCP (2) ...

EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-D-HCP-0003 rev 0.8	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Powering of the Superconducting Circuits of a Sector up to Nominal Current	APPROVAL CLOSED
LHC-R-HCP-0001 rev 1.3	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: The Power Converters Connected to the DC Cables in Short Circuit	APPROVAL CLOSED
LHC-R-HCP-0002 rev 0.2	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Commissioning of the Power Converters outside the Inner Triplets with optics functions	APPROVAL CLOSED
LHC-FW-HCP-0001 rev 0.4	COMMISSIONING OF THE FLEXIBLE CONNECTIONS FOR WATER COOLED CABLES, WARM MAGNETS, ENERGY EXTRACTION SYSTEMS AND POWER CONVERTERS	UNDER APPROVAL
LHC-D-HCP-0008 rev 0.1	Safety aspects for the disconnection of cables from current leads	IN WORK
LHC-DFL-HCP-0001 rev 0.2	The connection of the power cables to the short-circuit blocks and to the current leads in the DFB	IN WORK
LHC-Q-HCP-0001 rev 0.1	The Commissioning of the Cryogenic System in the LHC	IN WORK
LHC-DFB-HCP-0001 rev 0.1	The Commissioning of the DFBs	IN WORK

## Documentation: ES ...

EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-S-ES-0003 rev 1.0	SAFETY DURING INDIVIDUAL SYSTEM TESTS AND HARDWARE COMMISSIONING	RELEASED
LHC-S-ES-0005 rev 1.0	MESURES DE SECURITE MISES EN OEUVRE POUR LE TEST DE PRESSION DE LA QRL DANS LE SECTEUR 4-5	RELEASED
LHC-S-ES-0006 rev 1.0	MESURES DE SECURITE MISES EN OEUVRE POUR LE TEST DE PRESSION DE LA QRL DANS LE SECTEUR 3-4	RELEASED
LHC-S-ES-0007 rev 0.2	MESURES DE SECURITE MISES EN OEUVRE POUR LE TEST DE PRESSION DE LA QRL DANS LE SECTEUR 5-6	RELEASED
LHC-D-ES-0006 rev 0.3	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Failure Scenarios for the Electrical Circuits	APPROVAL CLOSED
LHC-Q-ES-0004 rev 0.2	The Circuits of the Cryogenic System of the LHC	APPROVAL CLOSED
LHC-S-ES-0008 rev 0.3	Mesures de sécurité mises en oeuvre pour le test de pression de la QRL dans le secteur 6-7	UNDER APPROVAL
LHC-Q-ES-0003 rev 0.1	The Process of the Cryogenic System for LHC Functional Analysis	ENGINEERING CHECK

## Documentation: IST...

EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-CI-TP-0001 rev 1.0	The Commissioning of the Hardware in The LHC Sectors: Individual System Tests of the Powering Interlock Controller	RELEASED
LHC-E-TP-0001 rev 1.0	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: The Commissioning of the AC Electrical Distribution in the LHC Tunnels, Galleries and Caverns	RELEASED
LHC-GI-TP-0001 rev 1.0	Commissioning of the Low Beta Alignment and Repositioning Systems	RELEASED
LHC-MKI-TP-0001 rev 1.0	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Individual System Tests of the Injection Kicker Systems MKI	RELEASED
LHC-D-TP-0002 rev 0.1	Commissioning of the Power Cables in the LHC undeground area	ENGINEERING CHECK
LHC-DQ-TP-0001 rev 0.1	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Individual System Tests of 13 KA and 600 A Energy Extraction Facilities	ENGINEERING CHECK
LHC-DQ-TP-0002 rev 0.1	THE COMMISSIONING OF THE HARDWARE IN THE LHC SECTORS: Individual System Tests of the Quench Protection System	ENGINEERING CHECK

## Documentation: IST (2) ...

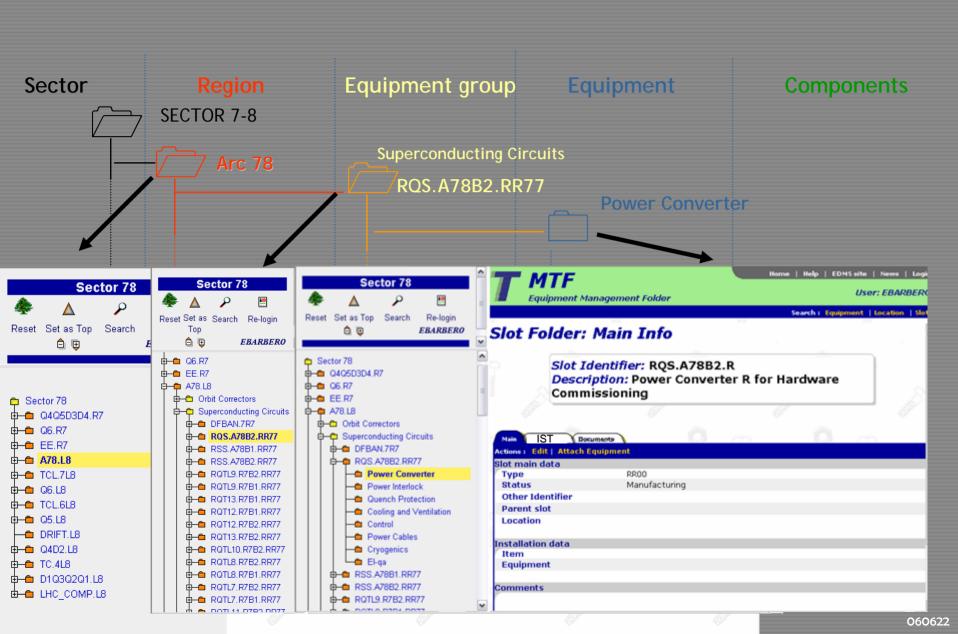
EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-CBW-TP-0001 rev 0.1	Individual System Tests of the WorldFIP	in Work
LHC-YS-TP-0001 rev 0.1	The Commissioning of the LHC Access System	IN WORK
LHC-AB-TP-0001 rev 0.1	Collimator Final Assembly and Hardware Commissioning for LHC	in Work
LHC-BOC-TP-0001 rev 0.1	Individual System Tests of the Beam Instrumentation VME Crates	in Work

## Documentation: QA ...

EDMS DOC NUMBER	TITLE	STATUS
LHC-PM-QA-0010 rev 1.0	Coordination for Hardware Commissioning: Document Plan, Information Management and Quality Assurance	RELEASED
LHC-PM-QA-0011 rev 0.3	LOGBOOK FOR HARDWARE COMMISSIONING: USER REQUIREMENTS	UNDER APPROVAL
LHC-PM-QA-0012 rev 1.0	MTF for the LHC Magnet Circuits. Design and Implementation	IN WORK

## STATUS REPORT ON HARDWARE COMMISSIONING MTF

#### The as-built documentation: MTF...



#### **Magnet Circuit Related Systems:**

#### **AC** Distribution

Powering Interlock for warm and cold circuits

Quench Protection System

**Energy Extraction** 

Control - WorldFip, Logging, Post-Mortem

**Cooling & Ventilation** 

Cooling

**Power Cables** 

**Electrical Quality Assurance** 

Power Converter

**DFBs** 

Cryogenics

Vacuum

Access & Safety – LACS, LASS, RAMSES, ODH, Fire Detection and Evacuation

Launched discussion with ALL the groups in order to:

1. freeze MTF profiles that were already discussed: PIC IST, QPS, C&V, Cooling, Power Cables, ELQA, Power Converter, Cryogenics

2. create new MTF
profiles: Energy
Extraction, Control –
WorldFip, DFBs,
Access&Safety

The only equipments missing are AC Distribution, Control (Logging and Post-Mortem) and Vacuum.

Associated documentation has progressed

#### **Beam Related Systems:**

Beam Instrumentation

**Controls + Energy Beam Meter** 

Collimators

**Kicker System** 

**Diluters** 

Beam Interlock System

Beam Dumping System

**Beam Injection System** 

Radio Frequency

The discussion of the MTFs of beam related components was launched this May.

Beam Instrumentation (VME Crates) and Collimators have nearly frozen their MTF Profiles.

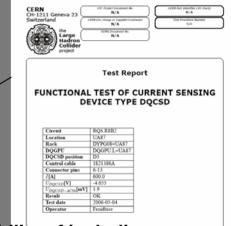
Discussions with Beam Dumping System + associated IST.

Associated documentation has progressed.

#### MTF is now a far more mature system:

1. Automatized upload through XML files: easy to attach documentation to the MTF steps!

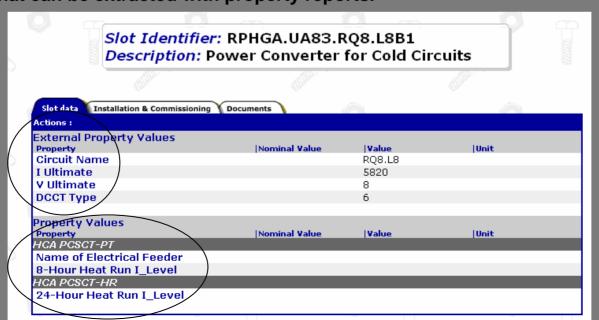




 Main parameter tab is fully developed now for Power Converters: possibility of including parameters that can be extracted with property reports.

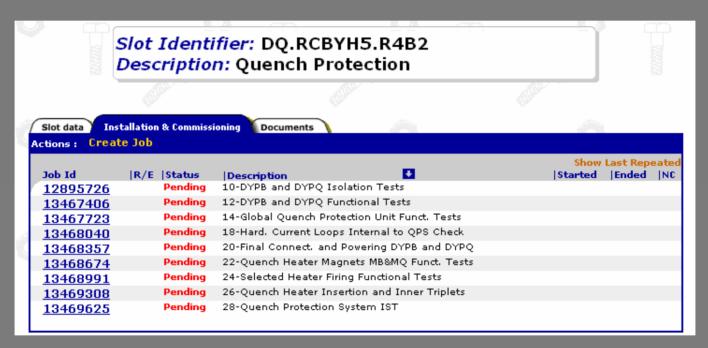
Layout Data Base Variables

Parameters associated to MTF steps



The improvements of the MTF Tool makes it more attractive to the equipment groups and this has helped to increase the Quality of the information traced in MTF.

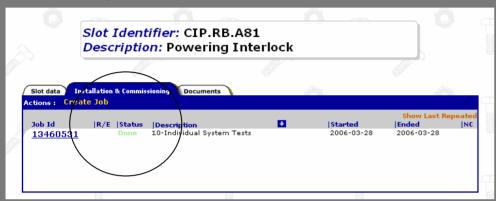
➤ Quench Protection System: From a single step (10-Individual System Tests) now QPS is willing to track 10 steps with associated documentation.



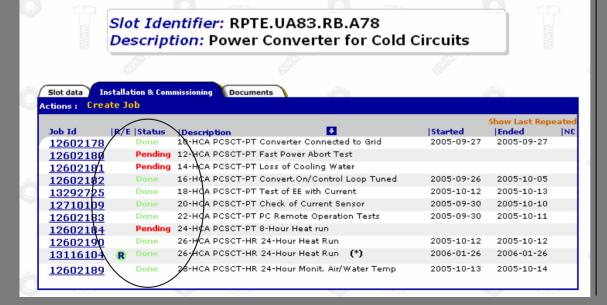
- > Energy Extraction will track in 5 steps, add reports and register in a main parameter tab 16 parameters associated to the steps.
- > Collimators will also use the main tab for the calibration parameters.

Loaded data for Sector 81, 45 and 78 (~ 1000 entries) for PIC IST and PCSCT: PIC, PC, QPS, EE and Control groups are familiarized with the upload process.

#### **Powering Interlock**



#### **Power Converter Short Circuit Tests**



Ready to upload information within the next weeks for the IST of:

- Power Cables
- Cooling
- Quench Protection System
- Energy Extraction
- Control-WorldFip
- Beam Instrumentation VME Crates

Sectors 81, 45 and 78 are implemented

#### **Cold regions definition:**

MTF regions defined to match super-conducting electrical circuits and most of associated equipments (QPS, PIC, EE, Power Cables, Cooling)

#### but

need to match this granularity to: underground areas and concept of Point, which better fits to equipments such as: Control-WorldFip, Cryogenics, Access&Safety (LACS, LASS, RAMSES, ODH, Fire Detection, Evacuation), Cooling&Ventilation.

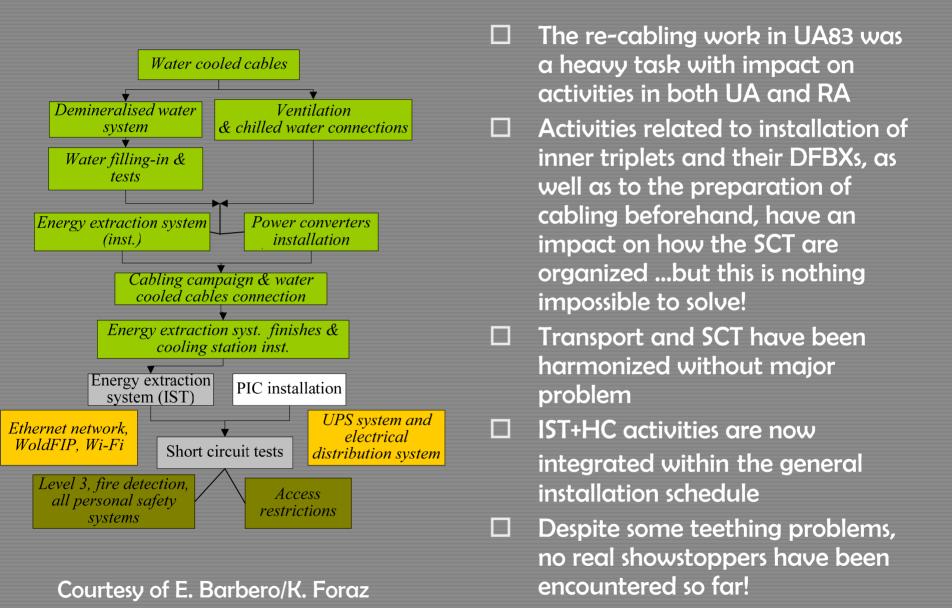
#### Warm regions:

need further discussion after contact with beam-related groups. Problems of granularity appear also here, i.e. integration of the BI VME that are in surface.

The philosophy is to implement first MTF so that the information upload can start and finish the discussion on how to organize this information later.

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MESURES DE S		ES EN OEUVRE N DE LA QRL		<ul> <li>Safety during IST and HC</li> <li>Access conditions during QRL pressure tests and cold tests (sector and sub-sector)</li> </ul>
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Krzystof Brodzinski Roger Girardot Serge Grillot Evert Jonker Steffen Junker Juha Sakkinen	Joaquin Inigo-Golfin John Osborne Emmanuel Paulat Daniel Peytoud Germana Riddone Roberto Saban Manel Sanmarti Ralf Trant Marc Vadon Sylvain Weisz	Philippe Lebrun Laurent Tavian Wolfgang Weingarten		Posting of signs and barriers performed in a perimeter defined by a global approach
				Safety chapter included in all IST and HC procedures
			0	"Visites d'inspection" are now fully integrated and monitored within the preparation activities for the tests
			0	Protocols for future activities should be prepared beforehand (Safety coordinators feel they are in many cases informed at the last minute)

#### co-activities: from installation to IST and HC



## Conclusions

	SCT: For most of the equipment, there is still an enormous feed back from tests performed towards the next tested areas; still new situations, new problems.
	Controls for SCT: it takes time to get tools in "production", there is room for improvement- reliability is a must, we have to anticipate with dry runs as much as we can (for the powering of the s.c. circuits)
	Safety: a major step has been achieved to obtain integrated safety into the test procedures; documentation and training are adequate to the needs; a follow up of installations is needed (e.g. commissioning of safety systems, protections for DFB leads, etc)
	Interferences with co-activities have been solved without major problems on a week-to-week basis. Maybe there are problems to come
	8:30 meetings (RAT) have proved to be a must!
П	Regular reporting to TCC and alobal reports into MTF

#### hardware commissioning coordination

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