



Tune and Orbit Feedbacks

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New feedbacks for 2015
Operational usage of the Feedbacks
Main issues during 2015
Orbit Feedback performances
Changes for 2016

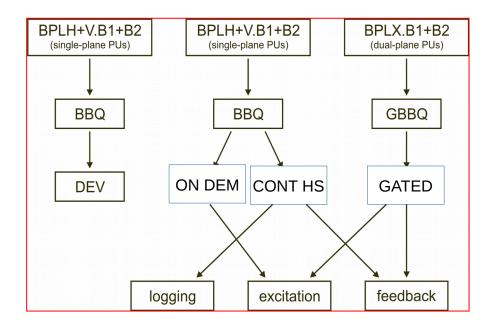


TUNE Systems



- \Box 4 independent acquisition systems are used:
 - O "On demand" used to perform measurements requiring changes in the acquisition settings or beam excitation
 - ^o "Continuous GATED" and
 - Continuous High Sensitivity" used for nominal bunch intensity beam for Feedback and continuous tune measurement
 - Feedback functionality implies that acquisition settings are fixed
 - Continuous sees all bunches- e.g. observed beam instabilities
 - ^o DEV system used for beam studies (also used as hot spare)

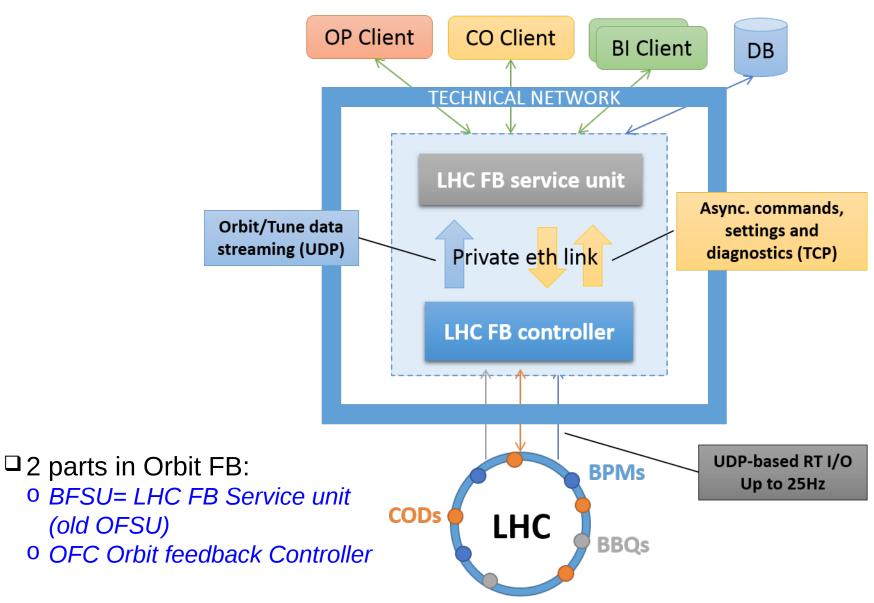
Tune Feedback system is only part of it





Orbit Feedback Systems







Feedbacks after LS1



Major refactoring of BFSU/OFC during LS1 + new developers

□ New hardware:

New machines: 24xCore, 64-bits, SLC 6
 + extra CTR timing receiver on Controller (OFC)

□ Migration to FESA3:

- > 35k lines of code ported mostly by hand (migration tools not mature at that time)
- Major effort (3-4 months) for BE/BI team

□ Improved diagnostics:

Replaced ROOT based logging with standard syslog (CO tools)

Stability improvement:

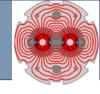
- Code cleaning: bugs fixing, suppress unneeded heavy functionalities
- Less reliance on FESA persistancy: moved critical settings into LSA
- Overloading of the Ethernet (resulting in FESA queues being exhausted) solved by restructuring data exchange and reducing data structure size





- □ Motivated by new team for controlled testing outside operational environnement → less impact on operation!
- □ Inject tests through UDP layer → language could be chosen freely
- Implemented in JAVA (Junit test) with following advantages
 - O Bigger community to write tests
 - ^o Easy interaction with other parts of controls system (LSA)
 - O Gaining first experience
- Identified (and implemented) types of test:
 - FESA mechanics: Setting a value in one property has the desired effect in another. In principle very simple, but most frequently required.
 - O Communication: send some more predefined values for an orbit and check if the values are correctly processed through layers
 - Control loop behaviour: send a constant orbit verifying the resulting corrections. From an operational viewpoint these are the most interestinf tests, as they highlight instabilities and allow error predictions





\Box BE-OP, BE-BI and BE-CO collaboration:

• Very focused work during 3 iterations of 3 weeks each (Scrum Sprints)

BI will use the FB testBed model in 2016 when migrating other big classes to FESA3 (BPM, BLM)







□ Functionalities used/needed by operation:

- On/Off command of the FBs via sequencer and application
- Loading of references and optics (= set to BFSU)
- Dynamic change of the reference (ramp/Qchange/Squeeze)
- Critical dependance on BFSU when timing is needed
- Experts setting became operational (now stored in LSA):
 - Eigen values, bandwith, gains (via YASP and sequencer)
 - ^o BPM status
- Both tune and orbit references set in 2 different properties of the BFSU class
 - Critical dependance on BFSU when timing is needed

🎌 OFB Control		- <u>-</u> -
Device : LHC.BF	su	
Control Reference Orbit BandWidth RT Th	rims	
Energy FB Radial FB Orbit FB		
Orbit FB		
	LSA	BFSU
Open Loop Bandwidth OLBW [1/s]	10.0	
Loop Bandwidth BW [1/s]	0.025	
Gain Mode	USER 🗸	USER 💌
User Bw Scaling Gf (Mode = USER, BM = SQUEEZE)	0.2	0.2
User Bw Scaling Gf (BM = STABLE)	0.1	0.1
Active BW scaling factor Gf		0.2
Trim LSA Refresh L	SA & BFSU	
Loop Parameters		
FB correction delta = $Kp * (E(n)-E(n-1)) + Ki * Ts *$	E(n)	
Proportional : Kp = Gf * BW / OLBW		0.0005
Integral : Ki = Gf * BW * 2pi		0.0314
Integral : Ki*Ts = Gf * BW * 2pi * Ts		0.0013



Change of reference



- □ Needed during the ramp, Qchange and squeeze, following PC functions
- Settings stored in LSA and tasks executed via sequencer
- Linear interpolation between actual settings and requested settings over a time set by the task (*timeConstant*)
 - => BFSU is not playing a function
- Change triggered by timing events send to BFSU
- Same mechanics for the Tune feedback references changes
- All timing events for a given BP are generated in a dynamic timing table which is played at the same time as the start ramp table:

0 11 events sent for the squeeze to 80 cm

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2	1634 🧷		0.000	176	- R2015-lowbeta-700cm	
3	1635	N22 -	0.000 →	298	3 - R2015-lowbeta-400cm	
4	1636	54	0.000	352	- R2015-lowbeta-300cm	
5	1637	67	0.000	419) - R2015-lowbeta-250cm	
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7	1639	74	0.000	571	. – R2015-lowbeta-150cm	
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9	1640	49	0.000	658) - R2015-lowbeta-100cm	
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[□] The SVD matrix should in principle be recomputed for each optics:

- Quite a long process: Take between 1 and 2 minutes (11 optics during squeeze!)
- Dynamic change of the optics during the squeeze is implemented, never used in nominal operation:
 - Reduced list of optics to avoid crash of BFSU
 - Never tried to re-compute with OFB ON
 - Re-computation time versus squeeze segments length maybe a problem?
- Only used for squeeze in a discrete mode:
 - FB stopped, optics recomputed and sleep time before switching ON again
 - Intermediate optics used for the whole squeeze

- - SWITCH ORBIT AND ENERGY FB OFF
 - calc ALL optics for the squeeze
 - set active optic 2734 (2.5m)
 - ARM REF ORBITS FOR THE SQUEEZE
 - SET ACTIVE ORBIT INDEX 0
 - SLEEP 5S
 - SWITCH ON ORBIT AND ENERGY FEEDBACKS







Without Beam: preparing settings

- Fetching all optics for full cycle
- Calculation with default matrix (ignoring statuses)
- Selection of tune device for pilot
- Settings: OFB Gain =1, Eigen Values 390-420, Radial loop gain 0.5

□ Injection:

- OP crews correct tunes back to reference (by hand).
- Orbit corrected back to reference with OFB
- Switch between different BBQ systems according to intensity

□ Ramp:

- OFB and QFB switched on at end of filling for the ramp.
- Constant reference for tune FB
- Change of orbit reference (crossing + separation) at 2 TeV
- Settings: OFB Gain =2, Eigen Values 390-420, Radial loop gain 0.5

□ Q Change

- Dynamic change of tune reference and tune fitters
- OFB on with constant reference



FB usage



□ Squeeze

- Calculation of intermediate optics before starting the squeeze
- QFB and OFB on.
- Change of orbit references following change of bump shapes with optics
- Settings: OFB Gain =1, Eigen Values 390-420, Radial loop gain 0.5

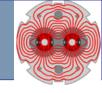
□ To collisions

- Collapsing of separation bumps and ramping of crossing done in few minutes (IP 1 and 5 first, then 2and 8).
- Functions only, FBs off but change of reference display
- Manual correction towards physics reference

In Collisions

- Due to orbit drift in IP8 (triplet movements) and very good stability, Orbit Feedback used in STABLE BEAMS with reduced gains and number of Eigen values.
- Reference orbit is the active one, OFB switch ON after optimization
- Settings: OFB Gain =0.2, Eigen Values 40-40, Radial loop gain 0.02





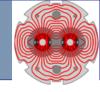
Problem with Tune Feedback: 3 dumps at flat top

- Automatic switch off due to signal quality: loosing peaks, noise peaks
- QFB locked on noise peak and push real tune towards resonnance
- Interference with transverse dampers

Problems with orbit Feedback: teething problems, no dump

- Missed timing events to change reference orbit: critical in the ramp
- Wrong orbit reference during Beam Setup/MD: always recovered





- Saturation problem solved by using 2 different devices for pilot and nominal intensity beams:
 - Switch between devices in the nominal sequence
- Co-existence with transverse dampers solved with GATED device: gating on first few bunches with a lower ADT gain
 - ADT witness gain on first 400 bunches (factor 100 below NOMINAL gain)
 - GATED device can be configured by OP
 => optimization during intensity ramp-up

=> TUNE signal improved: almost no problem with protons

- More difficult for ions (GATED system not recalibrated for ions intensity)
- Co-existence with abort gap cleaning still a problem:
 - Cannot switch On Abort gap cleaning during squeeze

Info FFT Gating Use Cases	DataSets Q' FB/Trim Orbit
Bunch Gating	
Bunch Gating ON	
Bunch mask [1 - 3564]:	1-45,3560-3564
Validate Mask	Set Default Mask
Bunch Rotation	
Bunch Rotation ON	
No. meas.:	5 🔶
Bunch range:	100 *
Bunch mask:	
Validate Mask	
get	set



Loss of timing event



Traced back to a configuration problem of the O/S in the processing of interrupts: 2 timing events were sent too close

Several mitigation methods put in place after the events:

- Configuration of the BFSU machine corrected
- Introduced a delay between the timing event to change the optics and the one to trigger the change of reference

=> No more missing event observed after the change

MTG tables		SELECTED MTG TABLE DETAILS								
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optics_orbit_changes										
precycle Injection_Bl	RUN COUNT		-1							
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	HX.SIS-SSQU-CT	283		0	Start SQUEEZE for PC intlck					
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	HX.FBOREF-CT	2		65000	Start Orbit Feedback reference change					
	нх.ортід-ст	2770		65500	Optics Identifier					
	HX.FBOREF-CT	3		108000	Start Orbit Feedback reference change					
	нх.ортід-ст	2768		108500	Optics Identifier					
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- Both Orbit and Tune feedback are sequencer driven via TIMING USER
- Reference Orbits stored with optics table in LSA
- Most of the errors came when cloning hypercycles for MDs or re-using Beam Processes (e.g FlatOrbit)
 References stored by BP type
- => need to be improved

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Reference Orbits Feedback Optics						
StandAloneBeamProcess		Filter: R2015				
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RAMP-6.5TeV-2015_V1@0_[START]_Symmetric_TCT		176		R2015a A700C700A10m 0.00950L800 0.00919		R2015-lowbeta-700cm
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AMP-6.5TeV-SPOOLS-2015_V1		419		R2015a_A250C250A10m_0.00950L500_0.00886	~	R2015-lowbeta-250cm
AMP-SQUEEZE-2.51TeV-5m-2015_V1		497		R2015a_A200C200A10m_0.00950L400_0.00880		R2015-lowbeta-200cm
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C	>	🗀 INCORPORATION INTO SQUEEZE BP FROM END Q CHANG
C	>	LOAD TCT SQUEEZE FUNCTIONS (PARAMETRIZED)
7	7	LOAD REF ORBIT AND OPTICS FOR OFB
		SWITCH ORBIT AND ENERGY FB OFF
		🕨 🛅 TRIM OFB GAIN FOR SQUEEZE
		CALC 2.5 M OPTICS FOR THE SQUEEZE
		ARM REF ORBITS FOR THE SQUEEZE
		SLEEP 5S
		E CONTRACTION ORBIT AND ENERGY FEEDBACKS
7	7	🗀 DRIVE SQUEEZE TO 80CM IN ONE STEP
		SET SQUEEZE SEGMENT 0 -> 749
		SET USER FOR REGENERATION AT 749S
		MAKE SQUEEZE USER RESIDENT
		load optics table by steps
		Set loadable optics to the OFB
		ARM OFB REF ORBIT CHANGE
		LOAD SQUEEZE PC TABLES SEGMENT (PARAMETRIZED)
		🕨 🛅 CHECK OFB AND QFB FEEDBACKS ON
		CHECK OFB IS ARMED
		MOVE STATE/BEAM_MODE = SQUEEZE
		SEND START TBL (33) EVT
		REGENERATE ACTUAL BP FOR THE STOP POINT
		MAKE RESIDENT USER FOR STOP POINT
		WAIT FOR SQUEEZE SEGMENT TO FINISH
		UNLOAD STARTSQUEEZE TIMING TABLE
		UNLOAD OPTICS AND ORBIT CHANGE TABLE
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ţ	>	🛅 DISARM FEEDBACKS
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Systematic orbit errors



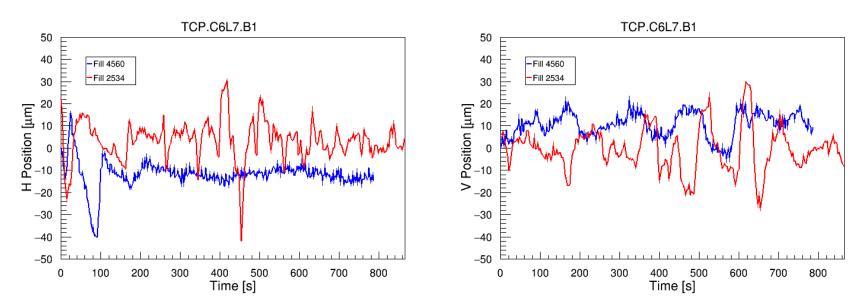
- □ The orbit quality was improved a lot with the rack cooling. There are remaining effects, smaller by factor ~5-10 wrt Run 1.
 - This improvement allowed us to run the OFB in SB !
 - O Some crates could still be improved, mainly around points 3, 4 and 5.







Orbit corrector function are now all forced to follow PLP segments. Trim and FF only at the matched points. Smoother orbit in the squeeze without need of high gain for OFB.

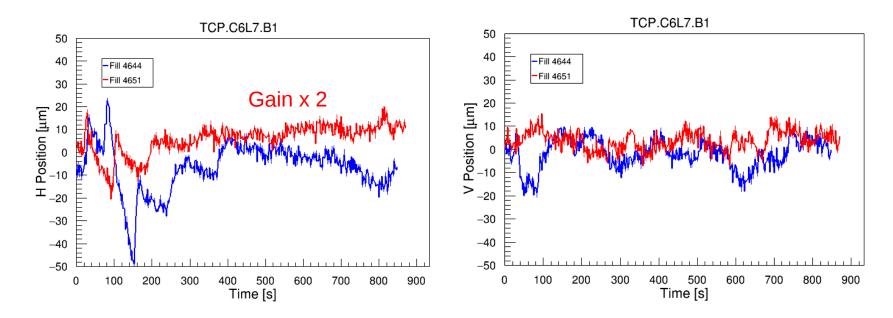


2012: after heavy FF following a special high gain OFB pass through the squeeze. 2015: simple FF at matched points. Horizontal transients remain between start of squeeze and first matched point (85 s). Operating at ~2 higher gain could bring down the orbit excursion < 20 um.





□ Residual perturbations can be improved with higher OFB gain.



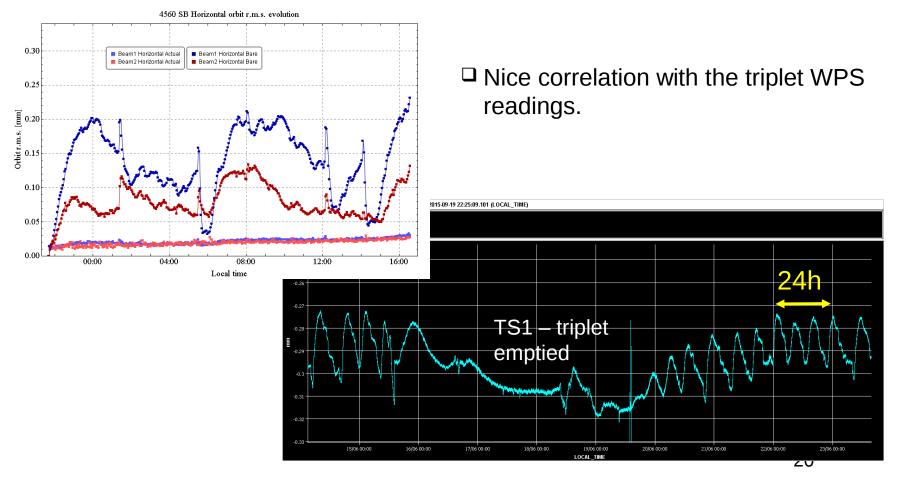
Source of perturbations between start and first 2 matched points to be analysed – suspect IR8.



Stable beams



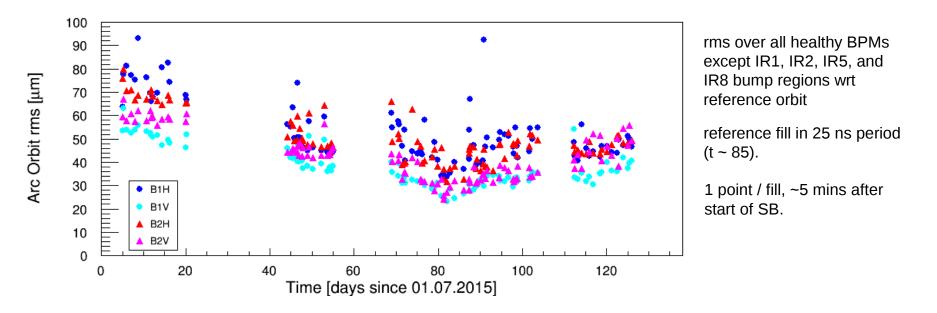
- The triplet movement in R8 leads to orbit drifts of up to ~0.2 mm rms, period of ~ 8 hours. Present as soon as triplet is filled with Helium. Cause is not understood.
 - Compensated by OFB in stable beams (gentle correction, not interfering with lumi scans...).



Long term orbit reproducibility



The evolution of the orbit rms excluding the areas close to IR1, IR2, IR5 and IR8 is an indicator of the long term reproducibility of the orbit – includes BPM errors, ground motion, OFB corrections etc



The orbit reproducibility is ~50 μ m over 3 months. Long and short term reproducibility are quite similar. Slightly worse reproducibility in H plane \Leftrightarrow IR8 triplet issue.

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Implementation of functions for gain:

- For more flexible operation
- O Gain could be pushed on the first 120 seconds of the ramp where we observed the largest orbit & tune perturbation, similar for the start of the squeeze etc.
- For the QFB a factor 2 could be gained by moving from 4k turns at 4 Hz to 2k turns at 8 Hz.
- \Box Future plan for the testBed:
 - O Add more tests to increase code / use-case coverage
 - 'Closing the loop' (ambitious):
 - Capture controller magnet corrections
 - recalculate (simulate) LHC reaction
 - send response back to BFSU. Could explore dynamic stability limits
 - Automated builds to test on every change + additional reports (e.g. Test coverage, Code quality)
- Refactoring of the reference orbit construction and storage based on knob (on-going)





- Major refactoring of OFB during LS1 improved stability and operability
- More experts settings available for setting-up ease the commissioning of the systems
- No major problem with Feedbacks during the nominal operation: Tune feedback used all along the proton run
- For orbit feedback we moved from the "DISABLE RT TRIMS" mode to 24h of STABLE BEAMS with FB ON.
- Some improvement in the management of the reference orbit and management of the gains are planned for next year



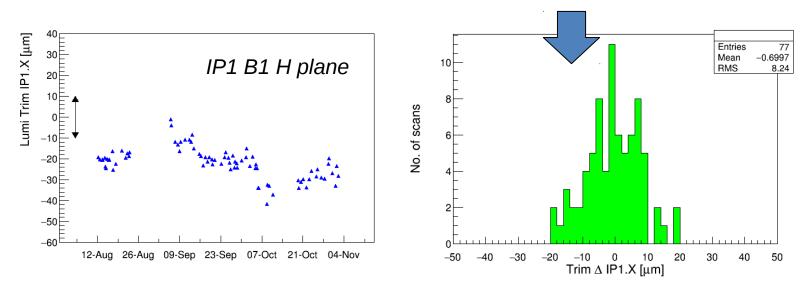


Spare slides





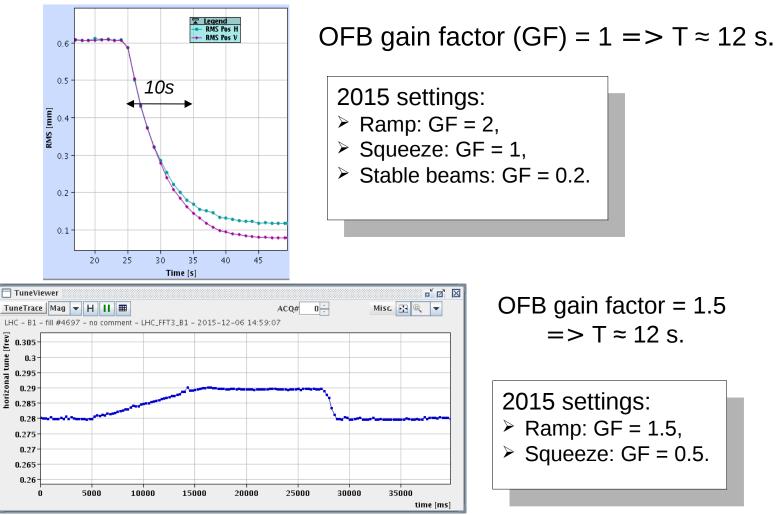
□ Fill-2-fill offsets in collision are better than in 2012. • *Typical fill-2-fill B1-B2 offset rms is 8 \mu m < \sigma/2.*

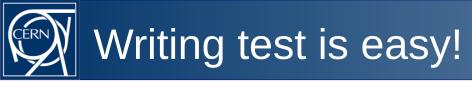


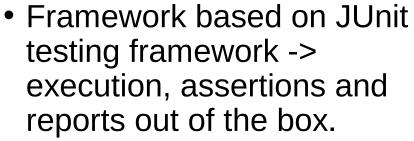




Gain factors and FB responses







- Java embedded DSL to formulate readable tests on different levels:
 - FESA mechanics
 - Sending orbits and verify reaction

```
public class ExampleFeedbackTest extends AbstractFeedbackTest {
    @Test
    public void assertThatSomeValueIsCorrect() {
        /* Test Code goes here */
    }
```

```
String opticsName = from(OPTICS).doGet().getActiveOpticsName();
```

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to(ACTIVE_OPTIC).partially().setFetchOFC_object(true);
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