

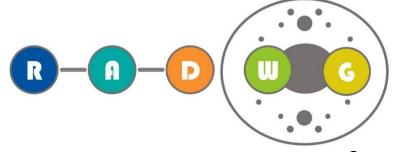
RADWG Meeting February 2017

Salvatore Danzeca EN/STI/ECE on behalf of the RADWG

AGENDA

- Activities overview by Salvatore Danzeca
- Update of the radiation levels in the LHC and the outlooks for the 2017 by Corinna Martinella
- Latest results and status of the tests for next year for EPC by Lawakilea Lionel Foro
- TE/ABT test in CHARM: Test Setup and Results by Tobias Stadlbauer
- RF switches PSI test results Gilles Foucard

RADWG Mandate



- It provides support to the accelerator sector equipment groups for the assessment of radiation tolerance of electronic equipment to be installed in radiation exposed areas.
- It is as a forum for electronic engineers to discuss
 - design practices
 - radiation tests
 - radiation induced failures in the accelerators.
- It coordinates radiation test campaigns inside and outside CERN
- The RADWG assists the R2E Project leader for the evaluation of the technical aspects of the proposed mitigation actions with the representatives of the equipment groups



Radiation Hardness Assurance

- We are promoting a Radiation Hardness Assurance procedure for the new developments and for the systems already installed.
- A draft of the procedure document is at this link: https://edms.cern.ch/document/1740220/1
- Simple structure:
 - RHAPV: Project Validation (new project) -> report of the project information, radiation environment, radiation tests
 - RHACD: Check document (existing equipment) -> report the card changed and if they are conform with the RHAPS.
 - RHAPS: Process structure -> Pure RHA guideline which give information on the process and guide the user through the testing method and effectiveness.

New Developments

- Have to follow a radiation assurance procedure RHA
- The criticality should be assessed
- The system has to be tested in a representative radiation environment

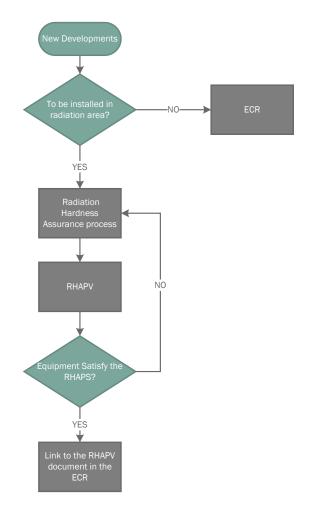
System already installed

- Their fault rate should be assessed
- The relocation should be notified
- The integration document will have a field pointing at the RHA document
- Any system change should be notified

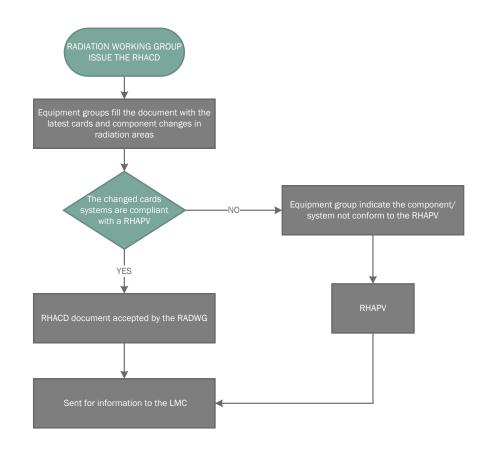


RHA Procedure

New Installation



Hardware modification/change



Component test requests

- PSI proton irradiation from 30 to 200 MeV
- Co60 gamma irradiation facility at CERN
- CHARM mixed field irradiation facility at CERN
- Several other facilities accessible: Neutrons (intermediate and thermal)/heavy ions/xrays...
- Requests:
 - 40 components BE-BI DOROS
 - 4 components BE-BI SEM grid amplifier
 - 2-3 components TE-MPE
 - 2-3 components IT-CS
 - 36 candidate TE-VSC
 - 15-20 candidates EN-STI

Group ¢	Responsibles	Project	Date \$	Request	
BE-BI	Marek Gasior, Jakub Olexa	DOROS	iii 13 Jan 2017	170105_DOROS4ALPS_ComponentTesting_a2.xlsx	
BE-BI	Gerrit Jan Focker	SEM grid amplifiers, wire scanner	26 Jan 2017	Fraunhofer_SpecDoc_6.pdf	
TE-MPE	Jens Steckert	QDS	26 Feb 2017	https://wikis.cern.ch/display/MPEEP/Radiation+testing	
IT-CS	Aruelie Pascal, Giosue Zambon	TETRA	25 Jan 2017	RF transceiver	
TE-VSC	Pawel Wojciech Krakowski	Active Penning and Pirani front-end	23 Jan 2017	RHA_VSC_PEN_PIR.docx	
EN-STI	Salvatore Danzeca	RadMon	101 Dec 2016	IO Mulitplexer - RF Transceiver	



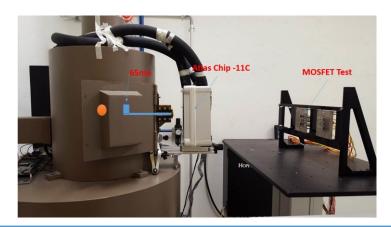
Radiation test campaigns

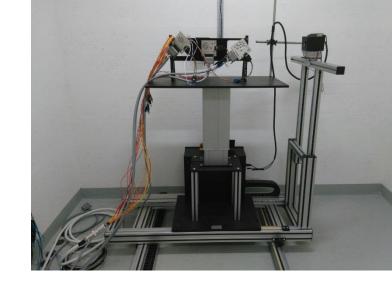
- PSI Facility Updates
 - Provisory planning
 - 2 slots available at the moment February and March

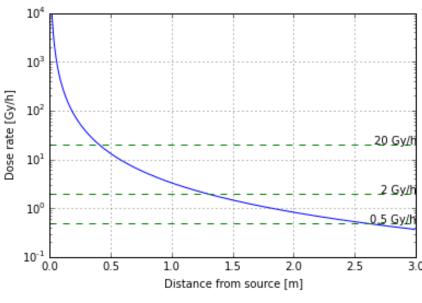
Test date	Components	Test group	Equipment owner
18-19 February	Current source- OpAmp – LDO	EN/STI	BE/BI – EN/STI
25-26 March	OpAmps, Voltage reference, digital logic	EN/STI	TE/EPC BE/BI
April	MISC	EN/STI	BE/BI – TE/VSC – TE/MPE
June	MISC	EN/STI	BE/BI – TE/VSC
July	MISC	EN/STI	BE/BI – TE/VSC
August	MISC	EN/STI	BE/BI – TE/VSC
September	MISC	EN/STI	BE/BI – TE/VSC
October	MISC	-	-
November	MISC	-	-

⁶⁰Co facility @ CERN

- Reminder: dose rates from 20Gy/h up to 0.36Gy/h
- Inside the irradiator setup: 300Gy/h to 100Gy/h on a small surface
- Short calibration test on the 9th of February by RP
- Currently waiting for the Cryo valve tests (~40 days)
- ATLAS will test for few months after the cryo test



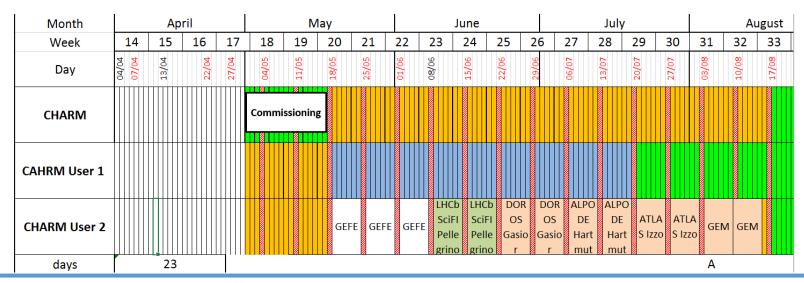






CHARM Facility

- It will start on the 1st of May
- 2 weeks for the commissioning
- Priority: TE-EPC Equipment 4-6-8kA and 600A ~9 weeks
- Already 6 requests with an average of 2 weeks each irradiation
- Preliminary planning further discussion needed with the users and IRRAD for activities coordination
- RP week still to be scheduled (possible date is in July) on-going discussion on very low intensity extraction (~1e9)



CHARM Facility

- Having EPC for 9 weeks: difficult to have another user
 - Technical question of having two racks : solved (Thanks Jerome)
 - We can host another user while testing the bulky EPC equipment (the total number of chain limit the installation of more than 1 user)
- 1 single user can run in parallel with EPC in position 10
 - Calibration in the 'new' test position to be done during the commissioning run
- We are looking into improving the overhead conveyer and have a second test location that can run in parallel
 - Cabling is required: the RADWG members can suggest some cables that would need for the conveyor location

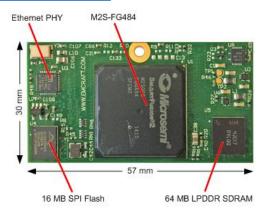






SmartFusion2 Test

- SmartFusion2 FPGA+ARM cortex devices well tested during the 2015-2016
 - The official test report: https://edms.cern.ch/ui/#!master/navigator/document?P:1552346648:1370156112:subDocs
 - The TWEEP presentation by N. Trikoupis: http://indico.cern.ch/event/489996/contributions/2291859/
- Artix Xilinx FPGA tested in CHARM during the 2016
 - Data presented at TWEPP by R.Ferraro: http://indico.cern.ch/event/489996/contributions/2291857/
 - Paper to be presented at RADECS 2017
- SOM module with SmartFusion2 to be tested in PSI and CHARM in 2017
 - Are you willing for a collaboration in developing/testing such a common block?



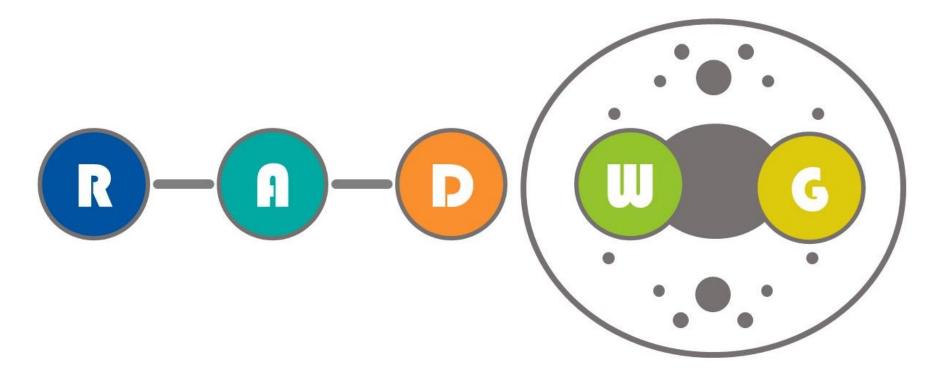
Radiation Monitoring

- Cryo Valves passive dosimeter installed in P1 and P5
 - read during the TS3 2016
 - Dose measurements reported and discussed in the next MCWG
- 200 RadFets ready to be installed in the SPS for the BE-BI racks
 - All the racks of BE-BI will be covered with a dosimeter
 - Installation foreseen for mid-February
- 100 RadMon to be installed in the P3 and P7 of the LHC
 - The RadMon will have a deported unit which will be placed on the equipment down the dipole
 - The QPS rack can be the preferred one because present in all the cell.
 - This will permit us to know the dose at the equipment level in the hot-cell (i.e 9-11)



Conferences 2017

- NSREC 2017 IEEE Nuclear and Space Radiation Effects Conference July 17-21, 2017 - The New Orleans Marriott – Call for abstract deadline 3rd February
- RADECS 2017 October 2-6, 2017, call for abstract deadline: April 24th, 2017
 - http://radecs2017.com/Radecs2017/Conference.html
- TWEPP 2017: 11-14 September Santa Cruz, CA, USA
- NSS 2017 IEEE Nuclear Science Symposium and Medical Imaging Conference - 21 Oct - 28 Oct 2017 Atlanta, GA, USA



Thank you