LHC Run-2 Readiness: CMS tracker

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The CMS Silicon Tracker



Largest silicon tracker ever built: active area 200m², 5 m long, 2.5 m diameter
First 'all-silicon' central tracker



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Modules and Readout Modes



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Detector Services

Both Pixel and Strips are using C_6F_{14} mono-phase cooling

Two plants with 90 cooling loops each for the strip tracker

2nd plant with 5 loops closed because of leaks

One plant with 18 loops for pixel tracker

About 2000 power supplies for pixels and strips

480 FEDs for both detectors

440 strips

40 pixels

 \rightarrow >60% of CMS DAQ

Example: strip tracker readout and control



Detector Status at the end of Run1 – Pixels



Detector Status at the end of Run1 – Strips



Bulk of problems localized

Control rings, HV channels, LV channels

Very few (0.5 %) of new problems during run 1 (2010 – 2013)

Tracking efficiency not affected

Total	97.48 %
TIB/TID	94.63 %
ТОВ	97.79 %
TEC+	98.81 %
TEC-	99.13 %

Repairs of the pixel detector during LS1 – FPIX

At the end of Run 1

- ~ 8% of FPix channels not operational
- 46 %: failing digitization of the analog signal

distortion of the signal ("slow channels") caused by misaligned flex cables

- 40% unplugged analog electrical-to-optical converters (AOHs)
- 14% of faulty channels: problematic panels
- Repairs performed during LS1

99.9% of FPix channel operational for run 2





Repairs of the pixel detector during LS1 – BPIX

About 2.3% of BPix channels not working at the end of Run 1

- 52% of faulty channels: located on outer shell of Layer 3
- 48% of faulty channels: placed on Layers 1 and 2 or inner shell of Layer 3
- 2 AOHs not fully operative (workaround allowed proper data taking)
- Repairs performed during LS1:
 - AOHs successfully replaced
 - Most faulty modules replaced
 - 99% of BPIX working after repairs



Example: replacing module in layer 3

Repairs of the strip detector during LS1



Strip Tracker completely inaccessible for in-situ repairs

Limited to interventions on patch panels and on bulkhead

Few problems found and fixed, others still under investigation (no further hardware access needed)

(Strip) Tracker Work during Long Shutdown 1

Aka 'Going Cold'



Setting the stage – Nomenclature

- Lots of work happened on
 - Service channels
 - Tracker bulkhead



Setting the stage

Strip Tracker Run 1 operating temperature +4°C (Pixel first +7°C, later 0°C)

"Why do you need to go cold anyway?"

Silicon sensor leakage current doubles every ~7°C of temperature

At the end of 2012 already at 30-40% of power supply limit in some cases

> With <10% (for strips) of radiation dose expected over the lifetime of the detector

In addition severe long-term effect which renders detector inoperable because of too high depletion voltage (reverse annealing)



Simulated vs Measured leakage current in run 1 after 25 fb-1 of integrated luminosity

Setting the stage

"Why didn't you go cold earlier?"

Dew points in tracker bulkhead and service channels not low enough

(Tracker volume itself was fine)

Consistent with being relatively open to ambient/cavern air







Work on Cooling

Completely new cooling plant cabinets for all C₆F₁₄ cooling plants

Improved insulation and vapor tightness

Work on interfaces

New heat exchangers on plants

- New evaporator on primary circuit
- Improved monitoring and regulation

No increase in leak rate on strip tracker plants when operating at low temperature



Dry Gas: Surface Membrane Plant

New main source of dry gas to the tracker

Can provide nitrogen and dry air (nitrogen during beam operation \rightarrow inertion)

Adds 350 m³/hr of gas pumped into YB0

 \rightarrow about 10 – fold increase





New dry gas distribution:

2x18 new high capacity dry gas injection pipes around bulkhead and into cooling pipe bundles

3 new dry gas distribution racks in service cavern

 \rightarrow allows fine-grained control of dry gas distribution even during beam operation 15

Humidity Monitoring – Part 1

Added lots of sensors to

- Tracker bulkhead
- Service channels
- Cooling pipe bundles

Two main types of sensors in-situ

- Fiber optic sensors (FOS)
 - Radiation hard
- Dew point sensors (T+RH) and digital thermometers read out by Arduino microcontrollers
 - Not radiation hard
 - In bulkhead and service channels will not survive long when beam starts
 - On cooling pipe bundles will stay alive



Humidity Monitoring – Part 2



In addition to in-situ sensors:

Installed sniffer system with 20 new lines (+6 existing inside tracker volume)

Sniffing from various places inside the detector, analysis of gas properties in service cavern

Dew point measurements from 26 Vaisala industrial dew point sensors + 5 chilled mirrors for absolute scale

Sealing Concept

Close holes wherever possible to create seamless surface

Add thermal insulation where necessary



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The Final Product

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Continuous Sealing along Service channels

Heating elements:

- Keep temperature above dew point in less controlled regions
- Maintain thermal neutrality towards ECAL (needs very stable T)

improved insulation on top of existing insulation and heating

> Completely new panels with improved insulation and heating elements

2009

Choice of Run 2 Operation Temperature

'Cold Test' showed that tracker can be operated down to -20°C with safety margin

Decision between running at -15°C and -20°C for strip tracker

-20°C mechanically more demanding, but need to verify that no long term penalty is incurred by running at -15°C until LS2



Final Preparations for Run 2

Pixel detector has been reinserted into CMS y [cm] During insertion corrected for offset with respect to nominal beam line during run 1 Successfully running with CMS at its run 2 operation temperature of -10°C Right now: CMS getting ready for beam LHC Sector test with beams up to point 6 this weekend Cosmic data taking at Summary ClusterStoNCorr OnTrack TOB Zero Field (now) $\times 10^{3}$ Full Field (soon) 10 One example signal to noise distribution Strip Tracker Outer barrel \rightarrow S/N excellent (Peak mode)





Summary

Extensive work program during LS1 for both pixel and strip tracker successfully finished

- Detector repairs largely successful wherever possible
- Strip and Pixel tracker now running COLD
 - Detectors have been re-calibrated at low temperatures
- Now CMS preparing for beam data taking
- Cosmics campaign for initial detector alignment is underway



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Backup

The Strip Tracker cooling saga

in 2009 introduced overpressure on second cooling plant in an accident

caused an increase in leak rate in some cooling lines



pressure to the detector reduced (0.6-0.8 Bar reduction)

 \rightarrow no change in module T

CP pressure reduced from 9 to 7 bar and safety pressure switches were installed

Pump running with Variable Frequency Driver: longer lifetime, no pressure glitches, vibrations (pump were replaced due to overheat)

Bigger bypass valve installation to allow a smoother operation

Pixel Analog Data





Pixel Address encoded using different analog levels

Sufficient separation of address levels imperative for proper decoding by FED



Radiation Monitoring – Pixel



Sniffer System



- System breakdown:
 - 3 groups with 6 lines
 - 2 groups with 4 lines
 - one line at a time per group can be connected to wet mirror per group
- 2 independent pumps
- Readout via PLC

 \rightarrow can be used for interlock logic

DAQ and Commissioning – Strips



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- Pulse shape calibration
 - Adjust pulse shape as close as possible to ideal CR-RC shape
 - Strongly affects deconvolution mode pulse \rightarrow out-of-time pile-up, especially at 25 ns bunch spacing
 - Further mitigation strategies at HLT



Amplitude (a. u.)

2000

1800

1600

1400

1200

1000

800

600

Before tuning

50ns smeared RC-CR fit

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After tuning