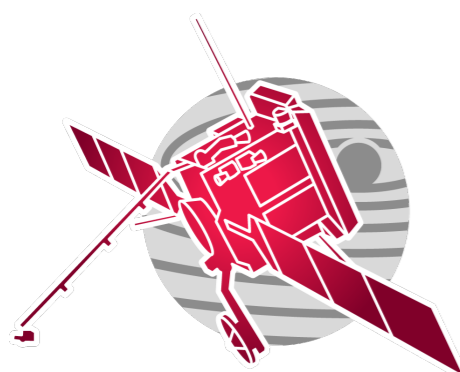


RPW Operations status



solar orbiter



- RPW Commissioning
- Cruise Phase operations
- Operation Test/Validation activity status



RPW Commissioning

- See Eric's slides
(RPW_Commissioning_Consortium_Meetin_180605V2.pptx)
- Then Olga's slides (SCM_noise_31mai2018.pdf)

Cruise Phase Planning

February 2020 Cruise Phase



- Short compared to previous trajectories:
 - Pro: Nominal Phase starts at the same time as Feb 2019.
 - Con: Difficult to squeeze all checkout activities in.
- Launch: 06 Feb 2020
- Start of Cruise: 14 May 2020
- Start of NMP: 11 November 2021
- Closest Perihelion: 0.5 AU
- Will be divided into 4 planning periods

Cruise Phase Planning

Cruise Phase Baseline & Constraints



- 3 passes per week for In situ data, plus extras for RS Checkout Windows
- No selective downlink*
- No VSTP*
- No TAC
- There will be a window towards the end of cruise for SSMM resizing where no data can be taken.
- Packet stores need to be empty before we do this.
- MAG Calibration rolls as normal.

* Apart from during final "Dress Rehearsal" RSCW.

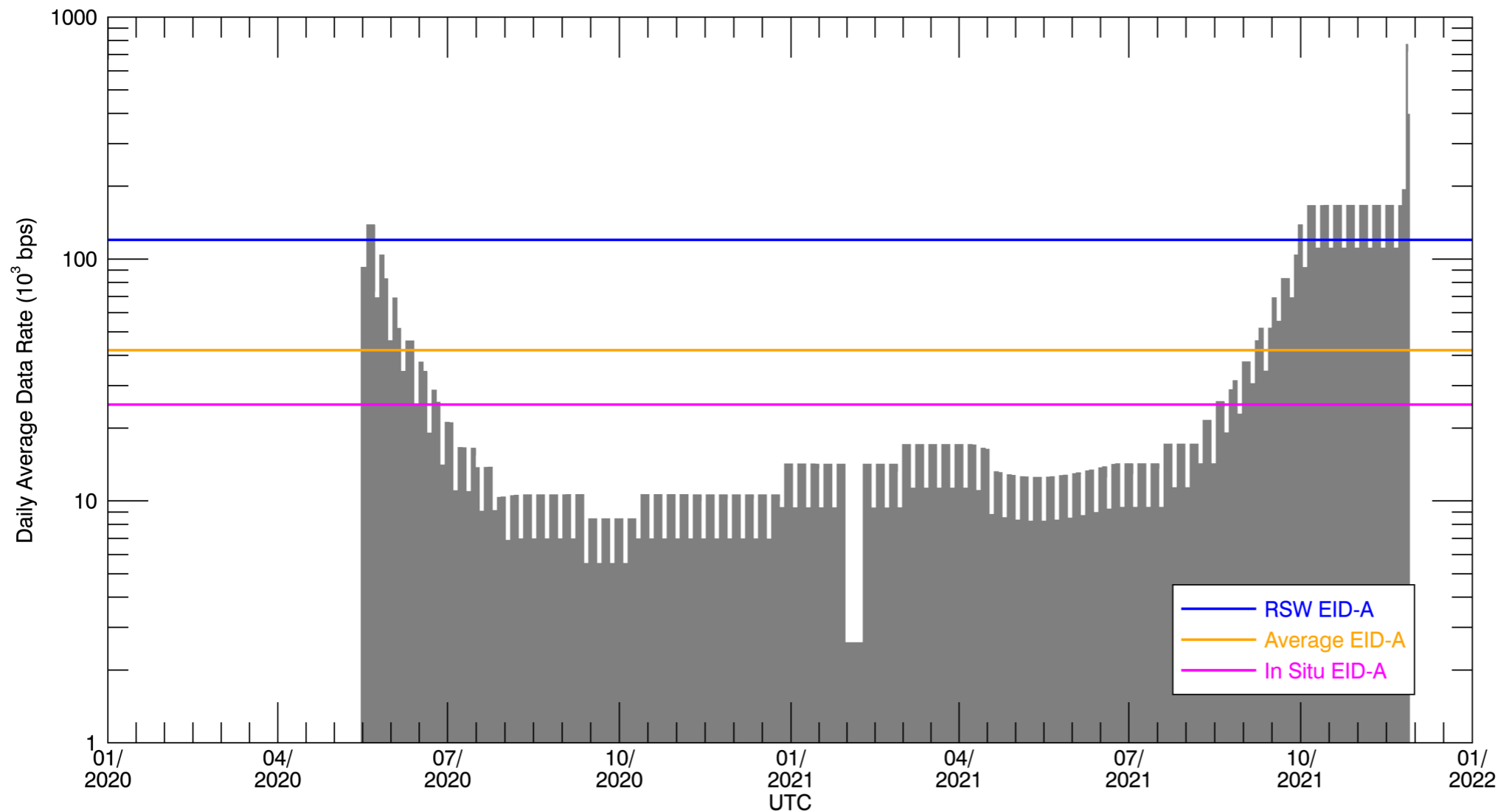


Cruise Phase Planning

Downlink Performance – In Situ



February 2020, Cruise, IS Passes Only



Recall that during cruise RS have dedicated passes for checkouts.

This means IS and RS data constraints can be considered decoupled, and IS generation is independent of RSCW location.



Cruise Phase Planning



Data Generation Rules: In Situ

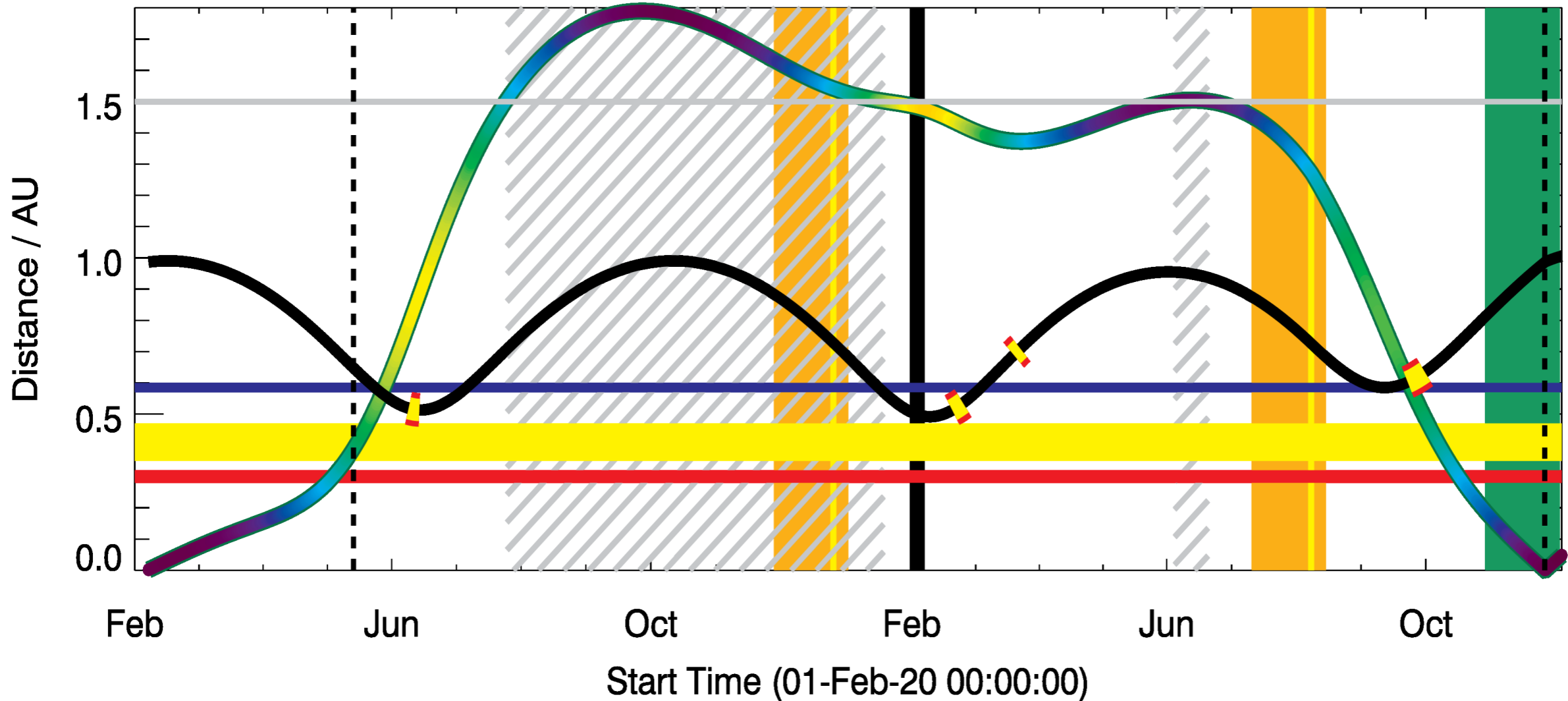
- For now, assume the following:
 - 15 May 2020 – 15 July 2020: **100% EIDA**
 - 15 July 2020 – 15 September 2021: **50% EIDA**
 - 15 September 2021 – 11 November 2021: **100% EIDA**
- Additionally, during checkout windows:
 - MAG: **150% EIDA** for EMC Characterisation
 - RPW: **150% EIDA** for EMC Characterisation
- For one week after stores become empty (~6 October 2021)
 - No data sent to SSMM (OMM HK OK)

Cruise Phase Planning

Step 1: Placement of RS checkouts: **Final**



Feb 2020 Cruise Phase



ESA UNCLASSIFIED - For Official Use

SOWG11, ESAC | 16/01/2018 | Slide 49



European Space Agency

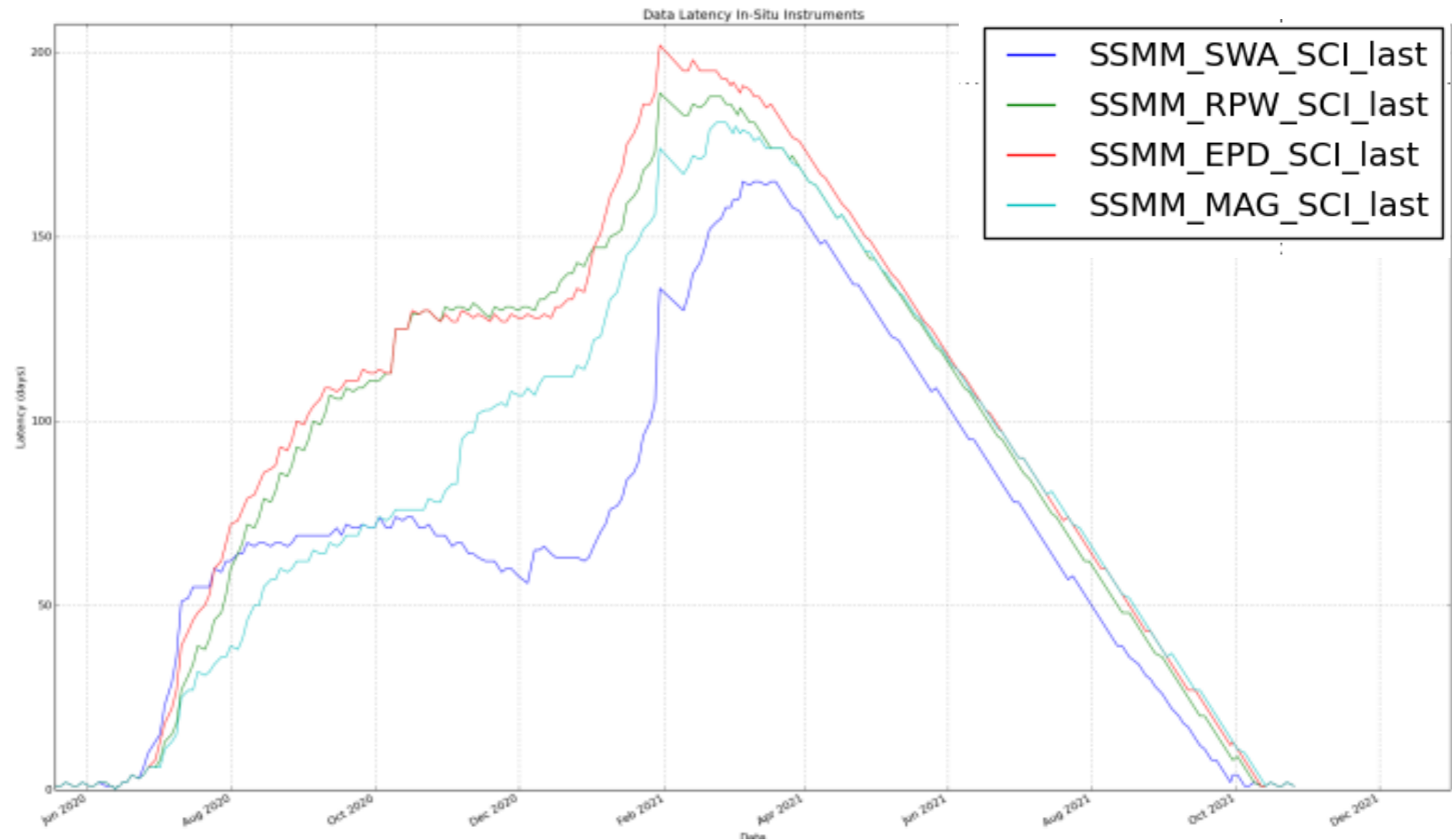
Cruise Phase Planning

Data Latency-IS



IS – expect data from Feb 2021 down in August 2021

We will work on latency, to make even(ish) for LTP.



ESA UNCLASSIFIED - For Official Use

SOWG#11, ESAC | 16-18/01/2018 | Slide 14



European Space Agency

Cruise Phase RPW operations

- A first CP mission level planning (MLP) timeline has been built during SOWG11 (based on Feb. 2020 launch scenario, TBC)
- ~March 2019 SWT is "the last chance to agree the activity plan"
- For RPW, ask for as much as possible SURVEY_BURST mode, and SBM_DETECTION the rest of the time (but no selective downlink during CP)
- Very bad telemetry between July and Sept. 2021: required to define specific instrument RPW "low rate" configurations for RPW (i.e., < 2.4 kbps)
- First science default configuration tested and validated
- Need to finalize the RPW "galaxy" configuration
- Specific config. for MAG rolls and Remote-sensing checkout windows (EMC additional characterization for MAG and RPW)?

RPW "Low rate" config.

- Required for bad telemetry rate periods (< 2.4 kbps)
- Shall permit to maximize the science return while minimizing the RPW bit rate
- "Degraded" version of the science default configuration
- Two scenarios have been studied by the ROC. To be discussed/ approved by RPW consortium

Low rate config. scenario #1

| Config low rate 1 | | Bit rate (uncompressed) Kbits/s | Bit rate (compressed) Kbits/s |
|--|-------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Duration of burst Mode (min per day) | 8 | | |
| Time between 2 snapshots LFR&TDS (s) | no snapshot | | |
| Measurement time LFR Basic Parameter (s) | 120 | 3,26 | 2,40 |
| Compression rate | 2 | | |

Low rate config. scenario #2

| Config low rate 2 | | Bit rate (uncompressed) Kbits/s | Bit rate (compressed) Kbits/s |
|--|------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Duration of burst Mode (min per day) | 0 | | |
| Time between 2 snapshots LFR&TDS (s) | 3600 | | |
| Measurement time LFR Basic Parameter (s) | 120 | 3,30 | 2,40 |
| Compression rate | 2 | | |

Low rate config. details

| Nomal mode | | nb sensor or signals | bits ADC | frequency channels | SPS | measurement time (sec) | data size (byte) | snapshots /day | |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|----------|--------------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|--|
| LFR Waveforms | LF E(1V+2E) 16HZ | 3 | 16 | 1 | 16 | 0,0625 | 4032 | N/A | |
| | LF 3B 16Hz | 3 | 16 | | 16 | 0,0625 | | | |
| | LF E(1V+2E) + 3B 256Hz | 6 | 16 | 1 | 256 | 3600 | 24576 | 24 | |
| | LF E(1V+2E) + 3B 4kHz | 6 | 16 | 1 | 4096 | 3600 | 24576 | 24 | |
| | LF E(1V+2E) + 3B 25kHz | 6 | 16 | 1 | 24576 | 3600 | 24576 | 24 | |
| LFR basic param | | | | | | | | | |
| F0 | set 1 : B^2 & E^2 | 2 | 16 | 11 | 0,008333333 | 120 | 121 | | |
| | set 1 : wave norm vector | 1 | 17 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : param ellipticity | 1 | 4 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : deg of polarization | 1 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Poynting flux | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Phase speed | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| F1 | set 1 : B^2 & E^2 | 2 | 16 | 13 | 0,008333333 | 120 | 143 | | |
| | set 1 : wave norm vector | 1 | 17 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : param ellipticity | 1 | 4 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : deg of polarization | 1 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Poynting flux | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Phase speed | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| F2 | set 1 : B^2 & E^3 | 2 | 16 | 12 | 0,008333333 | 120 | 132 | | |
| | set 1 : wave norm vector | 1 | 17 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : param ellipticity | 1 | 4 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : deg of polarization | 1 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Poynting flux | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Phase speed | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| F0 | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_BP2_F0 Packet | | | 11 | 0,05 | 20 | 330 | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | 88 | 0,000277778 | 3600 | 8800 | | |
| | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_ASM_F0 Packet | | | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Auto | 5 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Real | 10 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Im | 10 | 32 | 104 | 0,000277778 | 3600 | 10400 | | |
| | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_BP2_F1 Packet | | | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | | | | | | |
| F1 | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_BP2_F1 Packet | | | 13 | 0,05 | 20 | 390 | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | 96 | 0,000277778 | 3600 | 9600 | | |
| | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_ASM_F1 Packet | | | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Auto | 5 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Real | 10 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Im | 10 | 32 | 12 | 0,05 | 20 | 360 | | |
| | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_BP2_F2 Packet | | | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | | | | | | |
| F2 | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_BP2_F2 Packet | | | 12 | 0,05 | 20 | 360 | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | 96 | 0,000277778 | 3600 | 9600 | | |
| | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_NORMAL_ASM_F2 Packet | | | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Auto | 5 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Real | 10 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | LFR High res Full spec mat / Im | 10 | 32 | | | | | | |
| | TNR-HFR | TNR AGC | 2 | 12 | 4 | 0,083333333 | 12 | | |
| | | TNR auto | 2 | 12 | 128 | 0,083333333 | 12 | | |
| | | TNR cross | 2 | 12 | 128 | 0,083333333 | 12 | | |
| HFR1 AGC | | 1 | 12 | 96 | 0,083333333 | 12 | | | |
| HFR2 AGC | | 1 | 12 | 96 | 0,083333333 | 12 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| TDS | TDS regular snpashots | 4 | 16 | | 262144 | 3600 | 32768 | 24 | |
| | TDS triggered snapshots | 4 | 16 | | 262144 | | 131072 | 64 | |
| | TDS statistics | | | | 0,1 | 10 | 19 | 8640 | |
| | TDS histogram 1D | 4 | 16 | 64 | 0,003333333 | 300 | 512 | 288 | |
| | TDS histogram 2D | 1 | 16 | 4096 | 0,000555556 | 1800 | 8192 | 48 | |
| | | | | | | | | | |

Low rate config. details

| Burst mode | | nb sensor or signals | bits ADC | frequency channels | SPS | measurement time (sec) | data size (byte) | snapshots / day |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----------|--------------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| LFR basic param | LF E(1V+2E) + 3B 256Hz | 6 | 16 | 1 | 256 | 0,00390625 | 4032 | |
| F0 | set 1 : B^2 & E^2 | 2 | 16 | 22 | 1 | 1 | 242 | |
| | set 1 : wave norm vector | 1 | 17 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : param ellipticity | 1 | 4 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : deg of polarization | 1 | 3 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Poynting flux | 1 | 16 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Phase speed | 1 | 16 | | | | | |
| F1 | set 1 : B^2 & E^2 | 2 | 16 | 26 | 1 | 1 | 286 | |
| | set 1 : wave norm vector | 1 | 17 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : param ellipticity | 1 | 4 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : deg of polarization | 1 | 3 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Poynting flux | 1 | 16 | | | | | |
| | set 1 : Phase speed | 1 | 16 | | | | | |
| F0 | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_BURST_BP2_F0 Packet | | | 22 | 0,2 | 5 | 660 | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | | | | | |
| F1 | TM_LFR_SCIENCE_BURST_BP2_F1 Packet | | | 26 | 0,2 | 5 | 780 | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices Bi^2, Ei^2 | 5 | 16 | | | | | |
| | set 2 : spectral matrices | 20 | 8 | | | | | |
| TNR-HFR | TNR AGC | 2 | 12 | 4 | 0,5 | 2 | | |
| | TNR auto | 2 | 12 | 128 | 0,5 | 2 | | |
| | TNR cross | 2 | 12 | 128 | 0,5 | 2 | | |
| | HFR1 AGC | 1 | 12 | 96 | 0,5 | 2 | | |
| | HFR2 AGC | 1 | 12 | 96 | 0,5 | 2 | | |
| TDS | TDS regular snpashots | 4 | 16 | | 262144 | 3600 | 32768 | 24 |
| | TDS triggered snapshots | 4 | 16 | | 262144 | | 131072 | 64 |
| | TDS MAMP | 3 | 16 | | 31,99920654 | 0,031250775 | 6144 | |
| | TDS statistics | | | | 0,1 | 10 | 19 | 8640 |
| | TDS histograms 1D | 4 | 16 | 64 | 0,003333333 | 300 | 512 | 288 |
| | TDS histograms 2D | 1 | 16 | 4096 | 0,000555556 | 1800 | 8192 | 48 |

Galaxy configuration

- Measuring the galaxy radio spectrum with THR
- High spectral resolution on THR
- Other sub-systems shall be switched-off

Galaxy config.

| Ch1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ANT | V1-V2 | | V2-V3 | V3-V1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Band | HF | ... | HF | HF | | | | | | | | | |
| HF1 | 157 | ... | 157 | 157 | | | | | | | | | |
| HF1 step | 50 kHz | ... | 50 kHz | 50 kHz | | | | | | | | | |
| HF2 | 157 | ... | 157 | 157 | | | | | | | | | |
| HF2 step | 0 | ... | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ch2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ANT | V1-V2 | V1-V2 | V1-V2 | V1-V2 | | V2-V3 | V2-V3 | V2-V3 | V2-V3 | V3-V1 | V3-V1 | V3-V1 | V3-V1 |
| Band | A | B | C | D | ... | A | B | C | D | A | B | C | D |
| AGC | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Auto | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | ... | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| cross | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| Spect AVG | sampling time s | TM rate kbits/s |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 128 | 20 | 0.48 |
| 16 | 7.5 | 1.00 |

TM rate includes also LL and HK data

Mission Test/Validation planning

- IGS4_2 test at MOC - with MEB EM2 on ETB - has been passed successfully. Minor TC errors to fix. (cf. next slides)
- 0th E2E test with SOC is delayed on June 2018. Inputs delivered by RPW seems to be OK. (cf. next slides)
- FOP Issue 1, planned on Sept. 2018 (TBC)
- SVT1, planned on March and May 2019
- CP E2E test, planned on April 2019
- NMP E2E test, planned during Cruise Phase (CP)

Mission Test/Validation planning

- IGST4_2 test at MOC - with MEB EM2 on ETB - has been passed successfully. Minor TC errors to fix. (cf. next slides)
- 0th E2E test with SOC is delayed on June 2018. Inputs delivered by RPW seems to be OK. (cf. next slides)
- FOP Issue 1, planned on Sept. 2018 (TBC)
- SVT1, planned on March and May 2019
- CP E2E test, planned on April 2019
- NMP E2E test, planned during Cruise Phase (CP)