

# **ATLAS Commissioning**

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## **ATLAS Detector**





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- 3 sottosistemi principali + sistema magnetico:
  - Sistema magnetico
    - Solenoide centrale
    - Toroidi barrel e endcap
  - Tracciatore Interno:
    - Pixel
    - Silicon Tracker (SCT)
    - Transition Radiation Tracker (TRT)
  - Calorimetria:
    - Calorimetro Elettromagnetico (LAr)
    - Calorimetro Adronico (Tile)
  - Spettrometro per Muoni:
    - Barrel
    - EndCap



## Performance di progetto

MAGNETS	4 magnets: 3 large air-core toroids (to minimize mult.scattering) 1 solenoid (B=2T) in inner cavity
TRACKER	Si pixel + strips TRD (straw tubes with radiator) $\rightarrow$ particle ID $\sigma/p_T \sim 5x10^{-4} p_T (GeV) \oplus 0.01$
EM CALO	<mark>Lead/Liquid Argon</mark> σ/E ~ 10%/√E + 0.007
HAD CALO	Fe-scint. Tiles 10 λ σ/Ε ~ 50%/√Ε ⊕ 0.03
MUON	Air core toroids,precision and trigger chambers $\sigma/p_T \sim 3 \%$ at 100 GeV,10% at 1 TeV, stand-alone

## ATLAS superconducting magnets



- Hybrid of 1 Central Solenoid, 1 Barrel and 2 End Cap Toroids
  - 2T magnetic field for inner detector (solenoid) and ~1T for the muon detectors (toroids)
  - 20 m diameter x 25 m long
  - 10000 m<sup>3</sup> field volume
  - 170 t superconductor
  - 700 t cold mass
  - 1320 t magnets
  - 7000 t detector
  - 90 km superconductor
  - 20.5 kA at 4.1 T
  - 1.6 GJ stored energy
  - 4.7 K conduction cooled
  - 9 yrs of construction 98-07



- The largest system of toroids ever built !



### Central Solenoid Barrel Toroid End-cap Toroids

### **Central Solenoid**



Provides 2T field with a stored energy of 38 MJ for the inner tracker Integrated design within the barrel LAr em calorimeter cryostat Minimize material before EM calorimeter



- Inserted into the LAr cryostat in Feb. 2004
- Tested at full current (8 kA) in July 2004

## August 2006: Solenoid fully operational





automatic deselect X212\_005010\_78100

May 2006:  $\rightarrow$  Cooled at 4 K

July – August 2006:  $\rightarrow$  fully commissioned in-situ up to 8.0 kA

**Operation current at** 7.73 kA for 2.0 T field

#### **Commissioning studies:**

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- **3 Fast Dump** Tmax = 100 K
- Max. 8.0 kA (with iron)

## **Tracciatore Interno**

<u>6.2m</u>

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#### Pixel Detector

- 50 x 400 µm pixel
- $\bullet$  risoluzione 12 x 100  $\mu m$
- 80M canali

#### Semi-Conductor Tracker (SCT)

- 80 µm pitch
- risoluzione 16 x 580 µm
- 6.2M canali

#### **Transition Radiation Tracker** (TRT)

- 4mm Ø straw, lunghe fino a 1.5m
- risoluzione 170  $\mu m$
- 298k canali



## Integrazione SCT+TRT

#### barrel integration: february 2006

endcapC september 2006endcapA november 2006



**Cosmic data** was taken at SR1 for the combined barrel and one of the combined endcaps,

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## SCT/TRT Cosmics Test on Surface

2006 combined SCT & TRT barrel cosmic run:

- 22% SCT, 13% TRT barrel
- No B-field
- ~400k events

TRT barrel, Local  $\chi^2$ : the algorithm converges 0.05



ATLAS Commissioning improves residuals by 10-20%

## Installazione SCT/TRT



SCT+TRT barrel, august 2006

Barrel had to be fully tested before end-caps could be installed!

SCT+TRT endcap, may 2007

### **SCT (EndCap-A) Performance**





Average Temp =  $25.3 \pm 1.5$ °C Uniform across detector No hotter areas

Temperature

## **SCT (EndCap-A) Noise**



- Outers: 1753 e
- Middles: 1681 e
- Inners: 1172 e
- Short Middles: 1009

#### • SR1 Temperature = 15°C

- Outers: 1675 e
- Middles: 1609 e
- Inners: 1121 e
- Short Middles: 960 e
- Data agree with temperature difference





#### No Increase in noise when Barrel Operational



## **SCT Tracking with Cosmics**



#### ~9 million triggers taken in 'physics' mode, including ~450k cosmics triggers





## **TRT in Milestone Week 5 (1)**





### TRT in Milestone Week 5 (2)





Trigger from scintillation counter (2ns jitter) and tile calorimeter

## TRT in Milestone Week 5 (3)



#### One stack.

#### All stacks



 $\sigma \sim 300 \ \mu m$ . Expected  $\sim 220 \ \mu m$ 

Possibly due to threshold/Gas Gain issue (ArC02 gas)

### L1 and L2 Pixel Assembly

Pixel Layer2, half shell

Pixel Layer2, once clamped, outside

#### Pixel Layer2, once clamped, inside



#### **Pixel Layer1&2**, once clamped + services





## **Pixel Cosmics Test on Surface**



Test of one full Endcap ~150k cosmic tracks Noise occupancy below 1E-8 < 1% bad channels







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### **Installazione Pixel**





#### Inserimento nell'ID il 26 giugno 2007



Installazione ID completa

Inizio 2008:

ID operativo

Allineamento iniziale con cosmici

## **Stato Tracciatore**



- Rivelatori completamente installati da giugno 2007
- TRT e SCT cablati e commissionati
- Cablaggio Pixel iniziato il 5 febbraio
  - Termine previsto per inizi aprile
  - Certificazione prevista per fine aprile
  - Catena di lettura DAQ completamente testata (generazione di pattern casuali nella elettronica di lettura)
- Canali morti/rumorosi < 1%</li>

### ... some concern



- Sorgente principale di preoccupazione (e di ritardo):
  - corrosioni e rotture a connessioni nel circuito di raffreddamento
    - ==> elementi critici ("evaporative heaters") già sostituiti e spostati in zone meglio accessibili

## **Calorimetri a LAr e a Tile**



ECAL: Accordion Pb/LAr Barrel: |η|<1.475

**HCAL:** 

Tile: Fe/Scintillator |η|<1.7 HEC: Cu/LAr 1.5<|η|<3.2 FCAL: Cu/W/LAr 3.1<|η|<4.9



## **Barrel Calorimeters (LAr + Tiles)**



#### November 4th 2005: moved to the center of ATLAS



All components installed (detectors, cryogenics, services,..)

### **End-Caps LAr and Tile Calorimeters**



End-cap Side C : assembled in the cavern by January 2006 End-cap Side A : assembled in May 2006

#### Main end-cap LAr activities: EC-A:

- Since August 06 installation of FE electronics
- November 2006 start cool down
- February 2007 start cold operation EC-C:
- Since April 06 installation of FE electronics,
- February 2007 start cool down
- April 2007 start cold operation



Completed end-cap calorimeter side C, just before insertion

## Lar Status



- All cryostats filled and operated continuously for several months
- Liquid purity stable and well below 0.5 ppm
- Calorimeter Temperature very stable, average within +-10 mK.
- All back-end electronics available in the readout



## Lar Commissioning



- Pedestal (noise) stability within ~0.05 ADC
- Calibration pulse stability < 1%</li>



## LAr Commissioning with Cosmics

- Data taking on week-ends and M. weeks
- Rate: 15 ev/min, Tile triggered
- About 500k events registered since Aug 06



 Optimize timing, intercalibration, uniformity



#### Most probable value vs η



Nov: EC Toroid destroys cryoline of LAr End-cap C





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8.0 14

LULL

## **Tile Hadronic Calorimeter**



- Commissioning with laser:
  - pulse all PMT at the same time
  - test full readout chain
  - equalize arrival time
- Charge injection:
  - inter calibrate electronics chain





# Tile Commissioning with Source

- Hydraulically moved
  Cs source of ~10 mCi
- Dedicated calibration run, with source traversing each one of 463k tiles
- Tune HV setting and inter-calibrate response of each readout channel





# **Tile Commissioning with Cosmics**

Energy

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#### **Time of flight measurements** •



## Some more minor fun ...



- Both for Lar and Tile, several components needed retrofitting/refurbishing:
  - High voltage power supplies
  - Low voltage power supplies (MTBF still an issue for LAr: looking for backup solution)
  - Front end electronic board (work on going)



**Refurbishment Progress Chart** 

## Spettrometro a muoni






## **Toroidal Magnetic Field**

Large volume air core system: strong bending powel with minimal multiple scattering

Barrel toroid tested at 20.5 kA End-caps tested at 10 kA (not in final position)



#### **Barrel Magnet Toroid cooling down**



- All magnet services connected and operational (vacuum, power, cryogenic)
  - Vacuum < 5 10⁻⁵mbar reached
- Started on 3 July, takes 5 weeks nominally
- Finally cooled down at 4.7K on 30th August



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#### Phase I (27 Sep - 14 Oct) :<u>0-300A</u>

**Barrel Magnet Toroid tests** 

Cleaning: Large platforms removed

- Test of toroid inductance, resistances, fine tuning of coil cooling, identification of quench heaters etc.
- Check of cabling, identification of all sensors
- Phase II (16 Oct 26 Oct) : <u>1-5kA</u>
- Cleaning: Detector area, completely
  - Magnet Safety test : 3h test duration at 20kA of the power circuit, toroid not connected
  - The 8 BT coils are powered in series on 1 power supply
  - Power supply adjustments, slow and fast dumps, quench heater tests, check of coil mechanics
    - Fast dump tests: first 25 October
  - First readings of mechanical sensors, tie rods, fixed points









#### **18-19 November: 24 h test of Toroid Barrel**

06:00:00 08:00:00 10:00:00 12:00:00 14:00:00 16:00:00 18:00:00 20:00:00 22:00:00 00:00:00 02:00:00

Current

0.57

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Cosmic ray data taking with muon sector 13

1M events collected

The first track with magnet on triggered by the RPCs!!

8-Nov-2006 21:11:24.04

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08:00:00 10:00:00 1

CL1 PT1000



# ECT-A&C cooling down in parallel



- First cool down of ECT A&C in parallel completed within 5 weeks
- No problems: thermal shield runs at 50-60 K, cold mass at 4.6 K

#### **10 kA Slow and Fast Dump**



- 0-10-SD and 0-10-FD by quench detector
- T\_max cold mass ~35 K, T\_conductor ~50 K
- All coils do not quench simultaneously, delays to be checked at 21kA



- Toroid behaved fine and past 15 kA!
- At 14.8 kA toroid moved unexpectedly towards TC/ECC and a slow dump was manually triggered, what happened?

## **Test configuration and forces**



#### Configuration

- ECT tested in provisional position to allow repair access to ID
- Much smaller gap to iron in TC
- This position was considered safe, expected friction force >68 t (0.2x340t)

#### Forces at 15 and 21 kA?

- Measured ~20 t
- Calculated ~20 t at 15kA
- and 40 t at 21kA , so << 70 t safe!</li>
- Still not understood why it moved

Tests >10kA postponed to final configuration in May 08



#### Final configuration



#### **Muon Chambers**



The high momentum resolution is achieved with 3 layers of high precision tracking chambers arranged in 3 cylindrical layers (barrel) or perpendicular to the beam (end cap wheels).

Trigger chambers make part of the LVL1 trigger in ATLAS providing BC identification, muon pT triggers selection and second coordinate information



	Function	Resolution (RMS) in			Chambers	Chan	Coverage
		z/R	ф	tim e		nels	
MDT	Tracking	35 μm (z)	-		1108	339k	η  <2.7
CSC	Tracking	40 μm (R)	5 mm	7 ns	32	31K	$2.0 <  \eta  < 2.7$
RPC	Trigger	10 mm (z)	10 mm	1.5 ns	544	359k	η  <1.05
TGC	Trigger	2-6 mm (R)	3-7 mm	4 ns	3588	318k	1.05<  $\eta$  <2.7 (2.4 for trigger)



### **MDT Installation**

Barrel: 701/704 stations installed, 96% precisely positioned; commissioning on-going

End-caps: installation of small wheels on-going

Small Wheels

## JD: Shielding and support disk ~10 m diameter

CSC large and small chambers on each side of the wheel

MDT large and small chambers on each side of the wheel

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TGC

#### **Small Wheels Test**



# All detectors working correctly at nominal voltageDead channels: $CSC\&TGC \rightarrow 0.06\%$ MDT $\rightarrow 0.03\%$ CSC noiseMDT tube occupancy



#### **GAS: none has gas leaks** TGC <0.1 mb in 5 min at twice the working pressure

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number of hits

tube number









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#### **Barrel Commissioning: Sectors**

#### • MDT:

- Sectors from 3 to 8 Commissioned with Cosmic rays
- Sectors 1-2 & 9-10 noise test (missing HV-PS's)
- Sectors 11-12 under test
- Many problems found and solved



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#### Mean Occupancy < 0.1%

#### **MDT DCS**



 DCS: All systems in advanced state, but not all yet integrated in Central DCS.



#### Barrel/EC Commissioning: Calibration Stream



- The Muon Calibration Data Stream provides large samples of muon data extracted before LVL2 decision (Only data in Region Of Interest).
- During Milestone Week 4:
  - Calibration Stream emulated offline, data sent (offline) to Tier2
- During Dec. muon run:
  - Calibration stream extracted online from LVL2



MDT Residuals after calibration

#### Barrel Commissioning: RPC sector commissioning



- Sectors 3-6 commissioned up to Cosmic rays:
  - Dead strips= 0.2%
  - Disconnected gaps for HV problems 0.6%
  - Disconnected gaps for Gas Leak 0.2%
  - Noisy channels: few units
  - Average Noise 0.4 Hz/cm<sup>2</sup>
  - LVL1 Timing-In
- Sector 7 & 8 under Cosmic ray test now



#### EC commissioning: TGC results





- Both trigger & read-out paths working
  - Fibre length measured for each sector

- Trigger Latency measured: 86-90 clk
  - Most data recorded in the Current Bunch Crossing: ATTRINGGERENTIS timed-in



## **Commissioning with Cosmics**

- Trigger by top RPC sectors
   rate ~200 Hz
- Cosmics rays acquired on
  - 10/16 MDT sectors
  - 4-6/16 RPC sectors
- Bad/Dead channels < 0.5%</li>







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#### ... sofferenze



General common issue: availability of (CAEN) power supplies
 MDT Barrel and EC:

- ▲ EOL chambers commissioning
- RPC & Muon Level 1 Trigger
  - ▲ Commissioning speed
  - ▲ Gas leaks
  - ▲ Gas system commissioning

**▲**TGC

- Access problems
- Gas system commissioning

#### **TDAQ Commissioning**





Level-1 Trigger HLT infrastructure DAQ infrastructure DAQ software Commissioning (Technical) Runs



## **Trigger/DAQ architecture**



DAQ software - control, configuration, monitoring (control network)





- Three major systems
  - Calorimeter Trigger
  - Muon Trigger
  - Central Trigger Processor (CTP)
- Other triggers and signals also integrated by CTP
  - Minimum bias
  - Luminosity triggers
  - Beam Pick-up
- CTP distributes all timing information, (avaliable since 2006, now fully installed)



Level 1 Trigger

#### Level-1 Muon/Calorimeter Trigger



- Calorimeter trigger installation completed in December 2007
- Muon trigger essentially complete
  - on-detector electronics power supply and gas issues
  - commissioning done sector-by-sector



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## Level-1 Trigger Commissioning

- Calorimeter trigger signals need thorough testing before access disappears
  - About half tested so far
- Muon trigger commissioning sector by sector



 Timing needs to be addressed



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-4000

46000 -8000

-8000 -6000 -4000

-2000

2000 4000

Roc Eta strip z [mm]

6000

8000

EC --->

100

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## **Technical Runs**



- Inject Montecarlo event fragments in the readout buffer
- Send level-1 trigger information to the system
- Data acquisition and monitoring ~ as in real time

- Software validation
- Hardware commissioning
- Configuration issue
- Debugging
- Scaling issue

#### **Technical Run Display**





## **ATLAS Integration**



- Combined mode running:
  - Milestone #N Weeks every 6-8 Weels
  - M5 in November 07, M6 scheduled for March 08
- Goal:
  - Software and hardware integration
  - Cosmic data taking
  - Monitoring
  - Timing

#### M5 combined run

- RPC (12.5%): Sectors 5,6
- MDT (~25%): barrel sectors 3-6, 16EIL4 chambers
- TGC: 5/36 stations with final setup in read out and trigger on each side (~14%). First operation on A-side
- Tile: ~55%; LAr: 68%-87%
- Pixel: Readout only, no TRT (but M4 and M5.x in Dec)









- Cosmic trigger:
  - Tile: sub-Hz
  - RPC: few tens Hz
  - TGC: few Hz
  - L1Calo: sub-Hz
  - MBTS: sub-Hz
- Technical triggers:
  - random, fixed frequency from CTP

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#### **M5 Achievements**





## End-cap MDT show hits for both RPC and TGC trigger Different T0 is as expected







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This has of course increasingly been so, and the ACR soon will be staffed permanently when full-time

shift presence starts

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#### Non e' finita:



•Full Dress Reharsal: realtime tests of hardware, software, databases, storage media, networks, data flow, data integrity and quality checks, calibrations, etc



"FDR-1 run was a difficult success—data were played through and are now at Tier1 and Tier2 sites:

- Finding problems was the goal; most were overcome
- For FDR-2 expect basics to run more smoothly"

## Prossimo futuro ...



#### Schedule linked to beam pipe closure (T0)

- **Detector**: ~ 5-6 weeks before T0 start closure to final position: close ID, move back calorimeters (-3m), install Small Wheels, position ECT, test magnet system, shielding
- Operation:
- •Keep current mode global commissioning along two lines up to T0-2 months
  - Periodic (~ 2 months) global commissioning (Mx) weeks for integration, operation, training, cosmic runs
  - •System dedicated periods (few days/system) for addressing specific issues
- Move to continuous mode starting at T0-2 months

#### **Commissioning Feb/Mar 08**



Month	Date	System	Requirements, remarks	CS	Parallel
February	4-8	DAQ/HLT	Technical Run	yes	FDR, SCT
	9-10				TRT, SCT
	11-13	Tile	Calibration Triggers	yes	SCT; TRT; 13/2 11:00 DAQ/HLT 24h
	14-15	Tile	R/O debugging	Yes	TRT; TDAQ 24h up to 14/1 at 11:00
	16-17				TRT
	18-20	TRT+SCT	Scintillator trigger	Yes	
	21-24	L1Calo, Tile, LAr	Calorimetry days Lar may join if possible	Yes	TDAQ 24h period 20-2. TBC wrt ID progress
	25/2-2/3	Muons+TRT	TRT "comes in" when ready "at times"	Yes	TDAQ 24h period 27-28
March			RPC pointing trigger needed by TRT (wish)	1	Dedicated to HLT
	3-10	M6			
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## Move to continuous mode

•[T0 -2 to T0 -1] Assessment month: Check system stability, controls, Data Quality/monitoring.

•[T0 -1 to T0] Semi-continuous Global Cosmic Run (GCR) and problematic detector out for debug.

•[T0 to T0 + 1] Global Cosmic Run; start 24/7

•[T0 + 1 to T0 + 3] ATLAS Run: commissioning with beams, global run with beam/cosmics, timing, 24/7 operation

## Conclusioni



Molte attivita' in parallelo per commissioning di rivelatori, sistemi di controllo, trigger, data acquisition, monitoring, ricostruzione

Sottorivelatori vicini alla fine delle attivita' di commissioning individuale

Milestone Week Mx fondamentali per la transizione all' "ATLAS mode"

Raggi cosmici forniscono il modo migliore di calibrare il rivelatore e il sistema di trigger