



CMS-LHC Signal Exchange

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Outline:

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The pdf file of this talk is available at:

http://cmsdoc.cern.ch/~wsmith/LHCWG_0302.pdf



CMS runtime feedback to LHC - I

Information from Tracker

- **Z distribution & X,Y position**
 - Monitor pixel detector hit rate & silicon tracker every 10 msec
 - HLT analysis of pixel detect. provides vertex in x/y/z with good accuracy
 - Possibility of eventual info. on x/y width of luminous region
- **Luminosity**
 - Vertex counting/event reported every sec from pixel detector
- **Every 100 sec for transmission of summary information**

Information from Muon System:

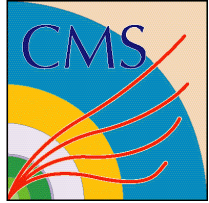
- **Muon halo, size & distribution of neutron background**
 - Needs further analysis as to character & frequency



CMS runtime feedback to LHC - II

Information from HCAL

- **Octant/Quadrant Occupancies**
 - Reported normalized to 1 for “quiet” conditions, ranging btw. 0 - 5
 - Background “imbalance”
- **X,Y position using azimuthal energy flow**
 - Possible Z information from forward/backward rate asymmetry
- **Luminosity**
 - Information from forward rates
 - Issue of backgrounds from halo muons, beam-gas, etc.
- **Every minute**



LHC Beam Abort Requests

Abort on observing “odd behavior” in monitors

- **Level & Time Development**
 - Different responses for Injection, Ramping, Coasting
 - Injection inhibit vs. Beam abort
- **Use dedicated radiation detectors**
 - Diamond detectors on beam-pipe at $z = 190$ cm?
 - Last point with minimum radius before becoming conical
 - Independent of Pixel system operation
- **Response time on order of machine response time**
 - About 2 orbits, i.e. ~ 200 msec
- **Needs discussion with Machine Group:**
 - Design of detectors by CMS experimenters
 - Model of radiation levels at injection & ramping from M.G.



Timing adjustments

Do not anticipate frequent adjustments of the clock

Depends on actual machine & clock performance

- **Information from Machine Group is needed**
 - **Expected changes: How much? How often?**
- **Need actual running experience.**

CMS not affected by changes < 0.5 ns.



CMS use of LHC RF pickups

Very Useful

- Use readout of all 4 quadrants separately
- Correlate with online (Higher Level Trigger) processing on average vertex position
- Use for systematic studies and for “fast” information

Request to Machine Group to provide the 4 quadrant signals from each RF pickup

- Query to M.G. as to estimated statistical & systematic error (if known) when extrapolating to CMS Vertex position
- Request for liaison btw. M.G. and CMS concerning detailed development of pickup detectors, amplifiers and signal use.