

Minutes of telecon held on 19th June 2003 between RAL and IFSI

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## 1. Actions Outstanding

From previous telecons:

Action IFSI-001: Ken to contact Swedes about operating the DRCU Simulator at 2.5MHz

Still Open - Christophe Cara is looking at the possibility of reducing the frequency to 1.25MHz for all subsystems

Action IFSI-003: Ken will get Andy to look at what happens in the CDMS simulator at this time

Closed - Andy sent an email. Sergio has fixed the problem in the OBS - Ken will distribute Andy's note to other instruments

Action IFSI-006: Renato to issue note on the status of the DDR report recommendations

Still Open

From other (e.g. Project Team) meetings:  
none

## 2. Open Issues

Memory Load Problem:

CGS have been at IFSI working on this problem. They have generated a new EPROM which works with the PACS and HIFI DPUs at IFSI,

but not the SPIRE DPU! IFSI suspect their SPIRE DPU may therefore have a hardware problem and will send a copy of the EPROM to RAL

for insertion into the AVM DPU to check if it works.

The new EPROM was sent by IFSI on 18th June (PM).

ECR #4 (issue 2) was re-issued on 9th May.

The Change Review board will meet 24th June - hopefully agreement will be forthcoming and documentation can be sent to the head of ASI for signature - (possibly by mid July)

DPU testing:

CGS person is still at IFSI looking into errors writing to EEPROM - possible problems with interrupts

Two Problems remain outstanding:

1. Load Mem and boot problem - solve? - see above
2. Writing to EEPROM

additionally PACS have two other problems

HIFI have a problem reading HSK

IFSI are not formally tracking H/W errors

Funding:

No news

Renato will ask Paulo to respond with information about the replacement of Maohai.

Interface Testing

Agreed we will have to arrange a meeting between ESA, Alcatel and the instruments to discuss Theurey's comments on the I/F tests.

We should make sure that an 1553 expert attends the meeting other than Theurey.

Alcatel should attend and explain how they intend to test their interface.

Question: Has another satellite used the 1553 bus before? and how did the instruments test their interface?

Ken will talk to Otto and Kees about requesting such a meeting

### 3. Schedule

Remains the same

IFSI will plan to deliver the SPIRE QM DPU before PACS and HIFI (leading to a delivery in January 2004)

(IFSI can lend RAL the spare DPU - it has no DC/DC converter - if required to allow delivery of the AVM DPU to industry)

### 4. Preparation for IHDR

OBS URD:

The review version was sent to RAL on time, for comments - still awaiting comments

Software Specification Document :

Ken has commented on the draft

Sergio will send update on Wed 25 for distribution for IHDR

### 5. Product Assurance Issues

IFSI list of NCRs was sent to RAL after last telecon

### 6. Generation of monthly report (end of month telecon only)

Not discussed

Next telecon: 23rd July 14:00 CET