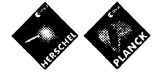


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Dear Otto, Kees, Eric

During the recent quarterly progress meeting at Alcatel it became obvious that there was a distinct advantage to the overall AIT sequence in completing the internal integration activities and closing the cryostat even without the nominal ambient temperature electrical testing with the warm units.

We understand that you already verbally agree to this approach.

Therefore we have recommended to industry to implement this approach as baseline.

Kind regards



Gerry Crone