# SPIRE/PACS (CEA-SBT)

## Monthly Report - January 2006

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SPIRE-SBT-REP-002602

Work Package: Cooler

## 1. Subsystem Progress Since Project Inception

FM SPIRE and PACS delivered.

## 2. Subsystem Progress This Month

- FM1 (SPIRE) and FM2 (PACS): Delivered. Undergoing tests (RAL and SAp).
- *Heat switches*: First thermal characterisation campaign carried out. Random vibration test phase: awaiting training of technical staff on SBT's vibration pot. Note: CEA-SBT is now equipped with a small vibration pot (6300 Newton (capability at 30 G of 6 kg useful + 14 kg from coil and structure)).
- **PACS Level 0 Interface**: Production of large level 0 straps (between Vespel intermediate holders and pods) in progress. Awaiting braided straps with pressure welded ends.

- FS PACS and SPIRE: Awaiting availability of heat switches for final integration.

## 3. Problem Areas Remedial Action

## 4. Engineering Activities

## 5. Design Changes

#### 6. PA/QA Activities

General QA management.

#### 7. Subsystem Management Issues

None

#### 8. Actions Requiring Immediate Attention

SBT documents approval by SPIRE and PACS projects

#### 9. Status of Previous Actions

None

#### 10. Activities Yet to be Achieved

11. Milestones		Status	
Mid 2004	FM assembling	Completed	
Fall 2004	FM Acceptance program	Completed	
Fall 2004	FM1 SPIRE Delivery	Completed	
Summer 2005	FM2 PACS Delivery	Completed	
2005/2006 (?)	FS program	On going	

## 12. Schedule Changes

## 13. Joke of the Month

An elderly couple had been experiencing declining memories, so they decided to take a power memory class where one is taught to remember things by association. A few days after the class, the old man was outside talking with his neighbour about how much the class helped him.

"What was the name of the Instructor?" asked the neighbour.

"Oh, ummmm, let's see," the old man pondered. "You know that flower, you know, the one that smells really nice but has those prickly thorns, what's that flower's name?"

"Yes, that's it," replied the old man. He then turned toward his house and shouted, "Hey, Rose, what's the name of the Instructor we took the memory class from?

<sup>&</sup>quot;A rose?" asked the neighbour.