

LHC-CP Controls Project Definition Workshop



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Thanks !

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Overview of the Workshop

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Outline

- **Objectives of the Project Definition Workshop**
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Objectives of the Project Definition Workshop

- ① Build a **solid and transparent definition** of the LHC-CP project in terms of Purpose, Scope and Objectives to attain (more on this subject later)
- ② Discuss the LHC-CP project **organization** for aspects related to :
 - Steering Committee
 - Project Team
 - Sub-projects
 - Overall responsibilities in terms of budget and resources allocation
- ③ Prepare **strategy and planning** (more on this subject later)
 - Detailed for the next 12 months
 - with a vision towards 2006

Your Participation !

- ❑ The proposals that will be made by the LHC-CP Team are extensively based on the outcome of :
 - ❑ LHC CO-OP *forum* held at CERN in Dec,1999
 - ❑ preliminary contacts with several Groups from 5 CERN Divisions
- ❑ Time is arrived to build a CERN wide **ownership** and **commitment** towards the way the LHC-CP project will work between the resource owners, the control system users and developers.
You can use this opportunity ! How ?
- ❑ By giving **active feedback** on the presentations that will be made this morning
- ❑ By actively **participating** in the afternoon sessions
 - ❑ prepare our engineering strategy for the next 12 months
 - ❑ open session for general discussion of the project

More About Workshop Objectives : Build a Solid and Transparent Definition

Purpose of the Project

- What is the “raison d'être” of the LHC-CP as there are already several controls entities at CERN ?
- What benefits do we expect from this project ?
- What criteria will be used to judge its success ?

Scope of the Project

- Which engineering domains and activities are covered by this project ?
- What is OUT of SCOPE ?
- Which LHC Controls activities have already started ?
- What are the major interfaces with other CERN projects ?
- What are the commonalties with other CERN projects ?

More About Workshop Objectives : Build a Solid and Transparent Definition

Objectives of the Project

- What has to be delivered by this project ?
 - Several deliverables can be considered : fully operational control room software, specifications for Industry, etc.
- And for when ?
 - Having only year 2006 in mind as a milestone is not enough !
 - We need also to look at **intermediate results** to attain in 2003, ... in the light of the control facilities that will be required for :
 - The control of the TI2/8 Transfer Lines
 - the LHC sector Test in 2004
 - the initial LHC commissioning
 - We have to identify **critical parts** and the **risks** associated with it

☞ This workshop is an opportunity to bring these important questions to the surface

More About Workshop Objectives : Prepare Strategy and Planning

□ Strategy for the next 12 months (1/2)

- At least 3 subjects identified during the LHC CO-OP forum and during our meetings with the CERN groups as core control system functionality with high priority :

- Real Time Control
- Middleware and data exchange
- Integration of Industrial Components

- ☛ Need to define an engineering strategy for these 3 subjects by :

- looking at the present situation
- build CERN wide commitment about the objectives (milestones) to be attained in these 3 domains (**WHAT and not HOW !**)
- outline important technical and managerial decisions to be made in time

➤ **The outcome of this work will serve to decide, soon, which engineering LHC-CP sub-projects have to be put in place with appropriate budget and resources**

More About Workshop Objectives : Prepare Strategy and Planning

□ Strategy for the next 12 months (2/2)

- Several other domains of activity :
 - “**Use Case**” Approach will be used to a larger extent for understanding the high level LHC operational scenarios and their implications on the control system
 - Efforts will be invested to produce a **CERN wide specification** for the integration of Distributed Control Systems (DCS)
 - Network and Transport Protocols
 - Network management aspects
 - high level software interfaces and models
 - Compliance to standards
 - Alarms transport and management
 - etc.
 - Launching of appropriate **sub-projects**
 - **Milestones** planning and tracking

Workshop Organization

☐ April 13th - MORNING 09:00

- Plenary session (*Chair B.Frammery*) :
 - Introduction to the LHC-CP (Definition and Organization) (*R.J. Lauckner*)
 - LHC Controls activities today and Outcome for LHC-CP (*M.Lamont, M.Vanden Eynden*)
 - Preparation of working sessions (*R.J. Lauckner*)

☐ April 13th - AFTERNOON

– 13:30 - 16:30

- 3 Parallel working sessions with stakeholders only :
 - RT Controls (*Chair A.Burns*)
 - Middleware (*Chair V.Baggiolini*)
 - Integration of industrial components (*Chair E.Carlier*)

– 14:00 - 16:00

- Plenary session (*Chair S.Myers*) Focussed on :
 - Structured discussion and feedback with the project team about any Project wide issue (organization, purpose, scope, medium and long term objectives and planning, etc.)

☛ **Please fill and return your form at the end of this morning session**

Workshop Organization

☐ April 14th - MORNING 09:00

– 1 Plenary session (*Chair R.Bailey*) :

- Outcome of the “RT Controls” working session (*A.Burns*)
- Outcome of the “Middleware” working session (*V.Baggiolini*)
- Outcome of the “Integration of industrial components” working session (*E.Carlier*)

- Summary of Issues raised during the plenary sessions (*M.Lamont, M.Vanden Eynden*)
- Conclusion (*R.Lauckner*)

~~About 30%~~ of Controls Projects Failures are due to Poor Communication
100%

Have a good workshop !