IASI L0 and L1 Daily Monitoring Report

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28/11/2011 00:00:00 - 29/11/2011 00:00:00

1 Introduction

This report provides summary monitoring plots and figures from IASI instrument on the MetOp-A satellite retrieved from the IASI L0 and L1 ENG product (3 minute data packet) for 28/11/2011 00:00:00 - 29/11/2011 00:00:00.

The monitoring data are extracted on PDU basis.

Data extraction, calibration, processing and statictics are performed at EUMETSAT.

2 Data quantity 28/11/2011 00:00:00 - 29/11/2011 00:00:00

Product Type	Number	Action
L0 HKTM PDUs	215	e
L0 IASI PDUs	215	e
L1 ENG PDUs	213	e
L1 ENG distinct GEPSGranule	214	a
L1 DPX PDUs (RM: IASI-HIRS)	212	e
L1 DPS Files (RM: OBS-CAL NWP based)	212	-

Table 1: Data quantity

APID	Seq	Seq to	Time from	Time to
	from			
PX1 (130)	9326	9328	20111128004558.796	20111128004559.230
PX1 (130)	10418	10420	20111128005049.381	20111128005049.815
PX1 (130)	8427	8462	20111128030736.729	20111128030745.811
PX2 (135)	8427	8461	20111128030736.729	20111128030745.592
PX3 (140)	8962	8964	20111128004421.933	20111128004422.367
PX3 (140)	8427	8461	20111128030736.729	20111128030745.592
PX4 (145)	8427	8461	20111128030736.729	20111128030745.592
IMG (150)	5174	5213	20111128030736.514	20111128030745.592
VER (160)	686	688	20111128013546.894	20111128013546.894
VER (160)	4128	4134	20111128030730.893	20111128030746.893
AUX (180)	7378	7380	20111128030731.323	20111128030747.323

Table 2: L0 data gaps

3 Instrument modes

Time	Transition from	Transition to
28/11/2011 00:00:02	-	Normal operation

Table 3: Instrument modes

4 L0 and L1 Data Quality

Flag	Value	Action
L0 IASI PDUs	215	e
L1 ENG PDUs	213	e
L1 ENG distinct GEPSGranule	214	a
GQisFlagQual set (PX1)	99.34 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX2)	99.20 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX3)	99.26 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX4)	99.38 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (all)	99.30 %	-

Table 4: Quality flags

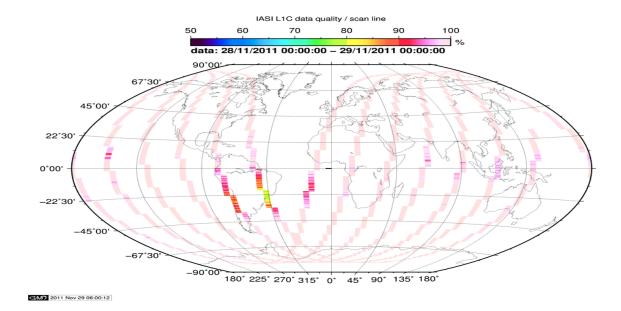


Figure 1: L1C data quality

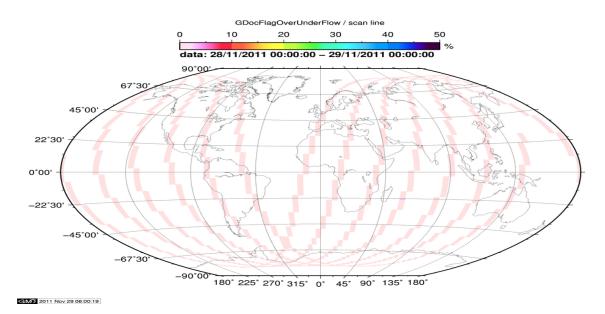


Figure 2: Flag of Over and Under Flows

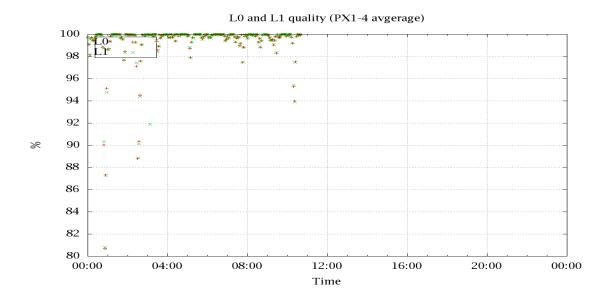


Figure 3: Level 0 and 1C overall quality

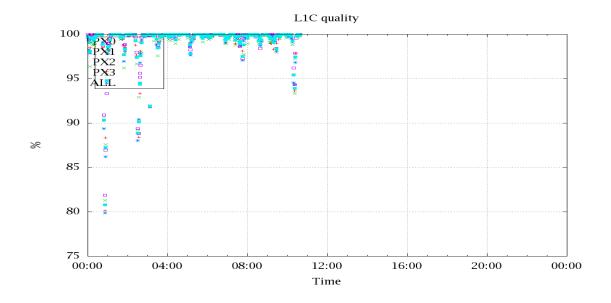


Figure 4: Level 1C quality

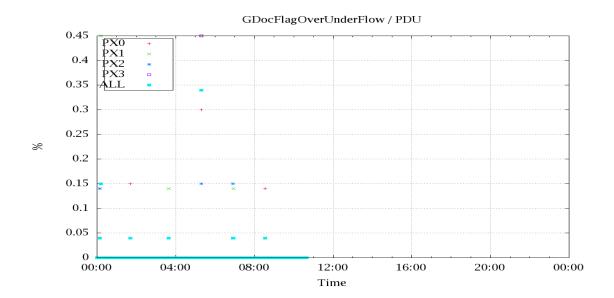


Figure 5: OverUnderFlowFlag timeseries

5 Radiance monitoring based on NWP

The radiance monitoring compares the IASI measurements (L1C-eps-products) obtained under clear sky situation over sea with modeled radiances. Cloud indentification is based on cloud flag of colocated AVHRR L1B data in addition to information from the IASI L1C clustering analysis here only homogenous situations are taken into account (99.0 percent in first class). A radiative transfer model (RTM) is feed with co-located ECMWF profiles of T,WV, and Ozon. Between March 2007 and the 18th of May 2010 RTIASI in Version 4.0 is used. After that date the RTTOV model in V9.3 is used. Information about the SST is obtained from the AVHRR L1B or taken from AVHRR scenes analysis (CGS only). In the following figures 10 to 16 the so-called radiance anomaly is shown. The radiance anomaly is defined as the difference between the quarter daily radiance average OBS-CAL (over all pixel and scan position 10 to 20) and the average bias OBS-CAL (over all pixel and scan position 10 to 20) of the last 30 days.

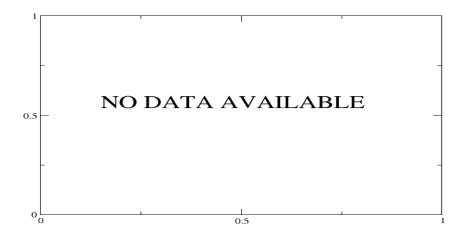


Figure 6: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL

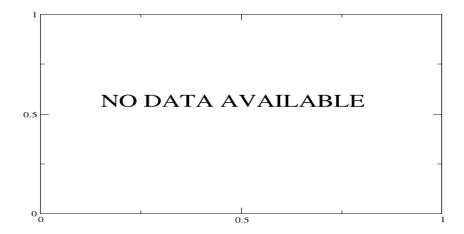


Figure 7: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

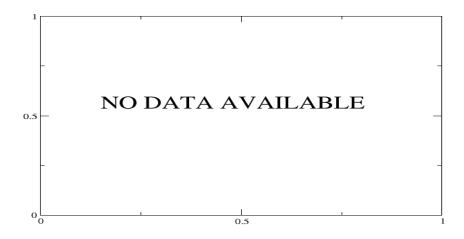


Figure 8: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL $\,$



Figure 9: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

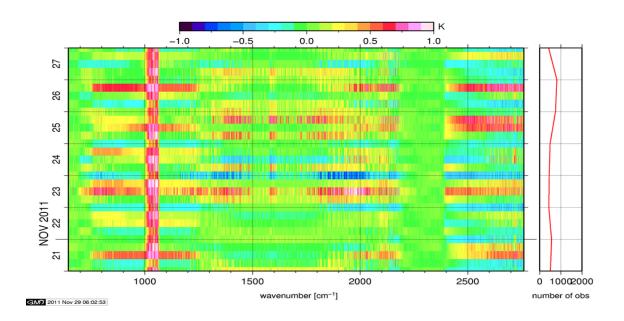


Figure 10: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: All Channels

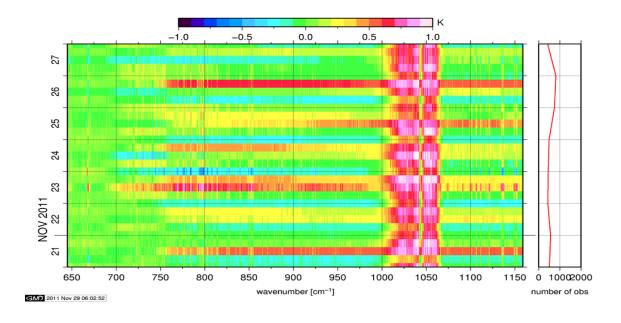


Figure 11: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 1

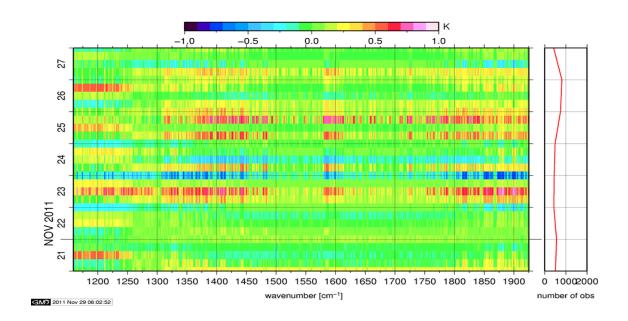


Figure 12: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 2

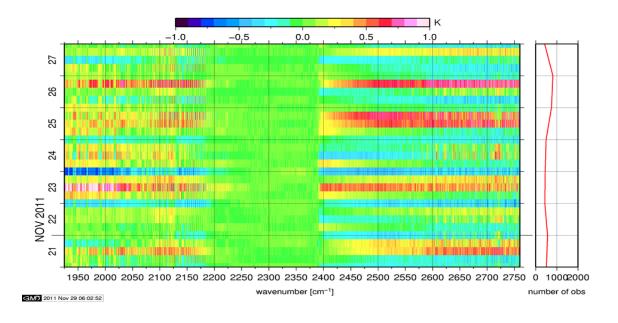


Figure 13: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 3

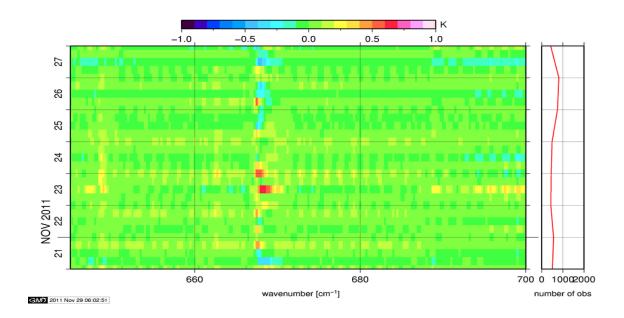


Figure 14: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 14

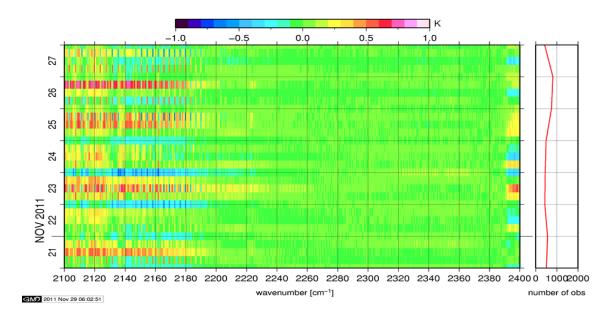


Figure 15: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 4.3

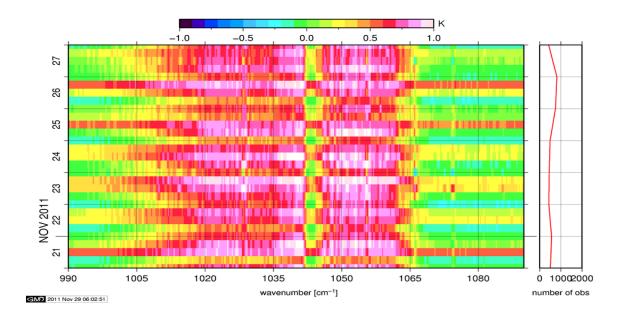


Figure 16: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: O3

6 IASI-HIRS radiance comparision Channel 1-19

The radiance comparision of IASI and HIRS/4 on-board MetOp is performed on all pixel with distances smaller than 3 km between IASI and HIRS. All sky conditions are covered. The radiance differences IASI - HIRS are given in brightness temperatures at 280K reference temperature. All conditions (clear, cloudy, day and night) are given in red in the following figures. The clear sky conditions at night are given in green and the clear sky cases during daylight are displayed in blue.

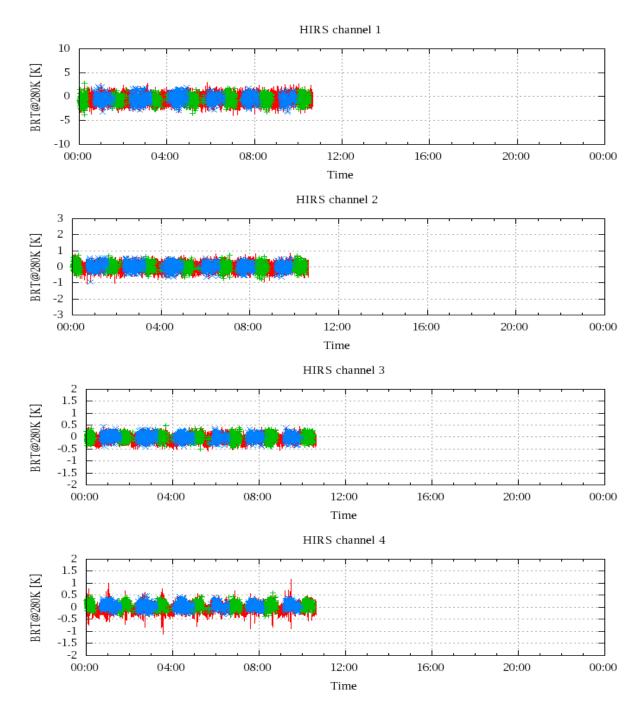


Figure 17: Radiance Differences in BRT

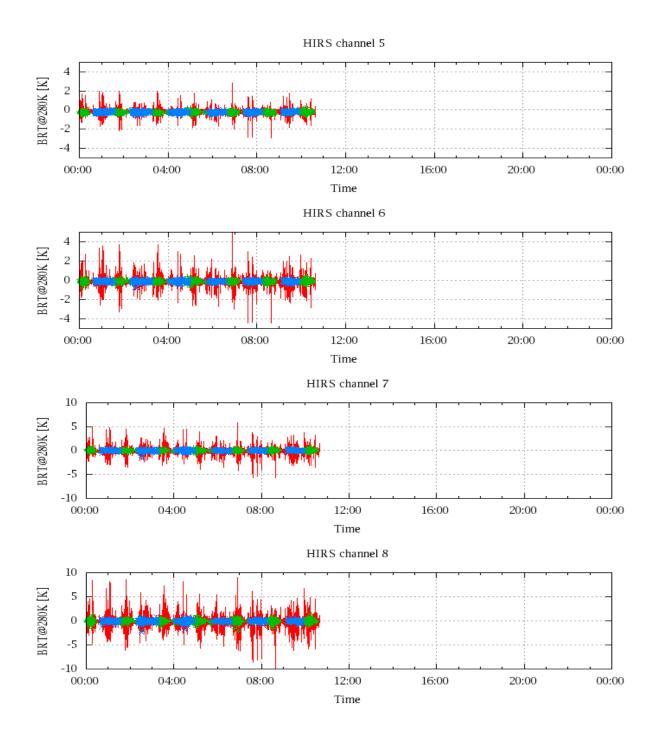


Figure 18: Radiance Differences in BRT

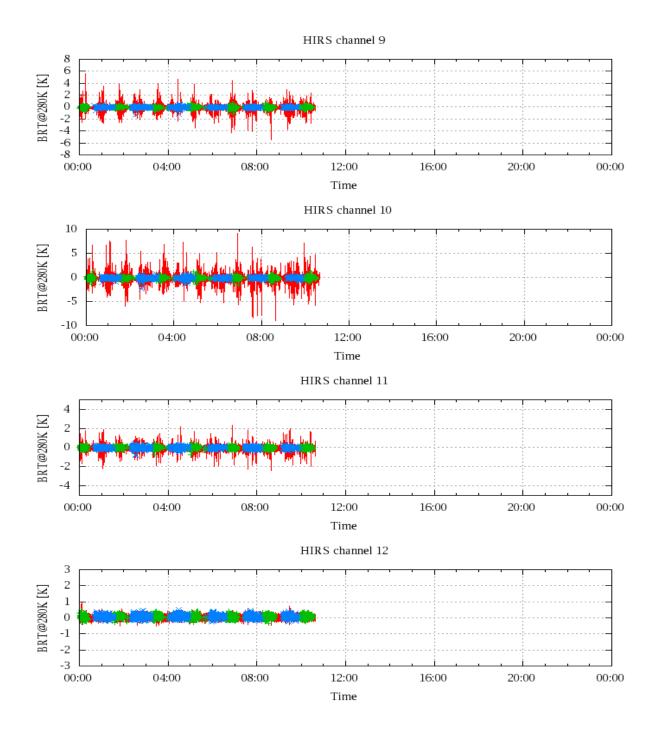


Figure 19: Radiance Differences in BRT

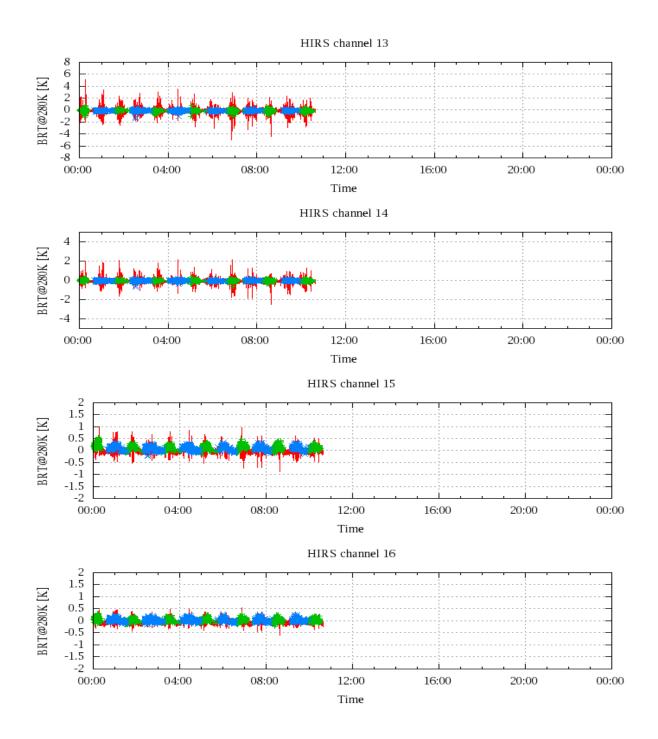


Figure 20: Radiance Differences in BRT

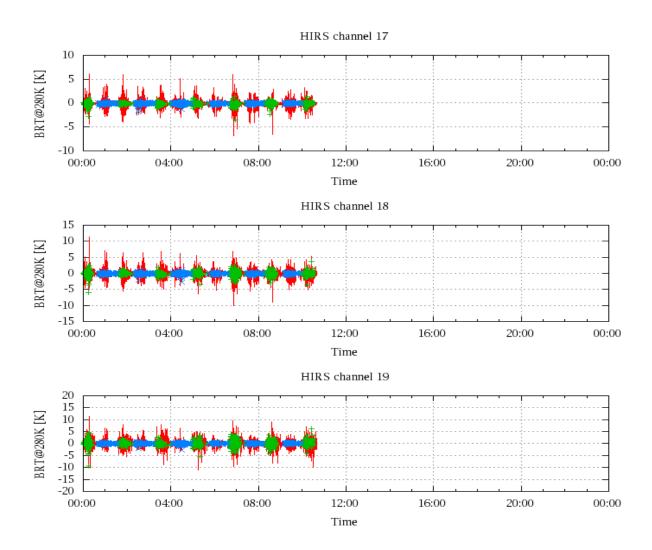


Figure 21: Radinace Differences in BRT $\,$