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LHCb Detector Safety System – Inventory of Needs

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Abstract—After introducing the Scope and Architecture of the Detector Safety System (*DSS*) common to the LHC experiments, this note presents the LHCb environment from a DSS viewpoint and summarizes the so-far recorded LHCb DSS needs and very preliminary requests from the sub-detector groups. It is intended to become a working document to be revised depending on the progress in the inventory of the needs.

I. INTRODUCTION

The function of the Detector Safety System is to protect the detector equipment by preventing situations from degrading into a full Alarm-of-Level-3. Its development is being carried out as a JCOP sub-project common to the four LHC experiments. The actual needs of the experiments constitute the necessary input to the project design. Some effort has already been invested in discussing them across experiments [1] both to benefit from each other's approach and to come out with a standardized inventory of requirements.

This note presents the first estimate of the DSS needs of the LHCb experiment. Section II describes briefly the scope and architecture of a generic LHC DSS. Section III reviews the LHCb geographical environment and the various sub-systems, proposing a segmentation into well-defined DSS locations. Section IV makes a preliminary inventory of the possible actions to protect the equipment in case of Alarm-of-Level-3 and other alarm conditions detected by monitoring various items and reviews the

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corresponding input and output channels necessary for this purpose. Section V is foreseen to contain all the sub-system specific DSS requirements to be collected interactively through questionnaires sent to the sub-system Project Leaders and the regular DSS meetings during LHCb weeks.

The note aims at being a working document regularly updated as the specifications of the experiment needs become more detailed.

II. SCOPE AND ARCHITECTURE OF A LHC DETECTOR SAFETY SYSTEM

The main goals of a Detector Safety System (*DSS*) for the experiments at the LHC are to protect the equipment of the experiment, with that the investment into it, and to avoid situations leading to Alarms-of-Level-3 in order to increase the running time of the experiment. It should complement and not duplicate existing systems, such as the Detector Control System (*DCS*)² and the CERN Safety System (*CSS*). The completeness of the ensemble of these three systems for normal operation situations, situations that may lead to damage of equipment, and situations that place people in danger is crucial. On the other hand the Detector Safety System has to be as small as possible to stay reliable and robust. The envisaged system is a balance of these aspects, fulfilling all requirements, and based on several assumptions that are explained in [2].



Figure 1: Scope and Architecture Overview for the Common LHC DSS. In this view, primary services are shown on the left-hand side, as they are acted upon only by central services, services under the control of the experiment are shown in the equipment on the right-hand side.

Figure 1 shows the general architecture context of the common system and is meant as a brief reference in order to understand some of the functionality described below. The general functionality is introduced by use-cases in the reference document.

² In case of LHCb, the DCS is an integral part of the Experiment Control System.

III. THE LHCB DETECTOR ENVIRONMENT

The LHCb experiment is located at Pt. 8 of the LHC and will reuse as far as possible facilities formerly used by the DELPHI experiment at LEP. The experiment area at Pt. 8 can be subdivided into "locations" depending on the focus. For safety and equipment protection the following locations have been defined (see Figure 2 and Figure 3):

- On the surface,
 - o the gas building (Location SG8) with
 - a flammable and
 - a non-flammable gas storage area,
 - a mixer room, and
 - the gas control room, and
 - o the experiment hall (Location SX8) with
 - the LHCb Control Room (*LCR*),
 - the computing farm area³,
 - lab space for the sub-detector-groups, and
 - the large open hall space itself with the trap door to the PX shaft.
- In the underground, represented in the case of LHCb by one single cavern,
 - o the counting room area (Location UX85C) with
 - four counting rooms,
 - four gas platforms (which are grouped by two),
 - the barrel of the former DELPHI detector surrounded by an area for visitors, and the entry to the PX shaft, and
 - o the detector area (Location UX85D) with
 - the sub-detectors themselves, and
 - some individual racks.

In the underground locations only non-flammable gases are present, thus the hazard coming from flammable gases is confined to the surface gas building.

Each location is subdivided as seen above and these parts are referred to as "sub-locations". There are twelve sub-systems, each consisting of at least two different entities, generally the sub-detector in UX85D itself and the corresponding set of racks in UX85C. These sub-systems are:

- the VErtex LOcator (VELO),
- the Ring-Imaging-CHerenkov-detector (RICH), consisting of two geographically independent parts (RICH1 and RICH2),
- the inner tracker,
- the outer tracker,
- the calorimeter system, consisting of
 - o the PreShower (PS) and Scintillator Pad Detector (SPD),
 - o the Electromagnetic Calorimeter (ECal), and
 - the Hadronic Calorimeter (HCal),

 $^{^{3}}$ The decision where to place the online computing farm is still pending. In case of a placement in UX85C, the safety and protection needs in SX8 are largely relaxed.

- the muon system,
- the magnet system,
- the trigger system, and
- the online computing system.

Only five sub-systems use various gas mixtures, which are all non-flammable.



Figure 2: Overview of the Facilities at LHC Point 8.



Figure 3: Detailed View of the Underground Installations in UX85C (left of the wall) and UX85D (right of the wall).

IV. GENERAL NEEDS FOR A DETECTOR SAFETY SYSTEM

The following tables are intended to give an overview of possible actions taken by the DSS. Only the levels referred to in Table 1 are predefined, all other alarm levels are subject to definition by the GLIMOS.

A. In case of an Alarm-of-Level-3

All actions specified here have to be seen in connection with those actions taken by the CERN Safety System in case of an Alarm-of-Level-3, which in the following will be referred to as "CSS-type alarms".

Location	Alarm Type	Level	Possible Experiment Action								
SG8	Smoke,	2	One may take first action in sub-locations of the gas building. In case								
	Flammable		of such alarm in the gas control room, one may cut the power to the								
	Gas Leak,		mixer room.								
	Oxygen Level	3	One may foresee a power cut in any of the two locations where gas is								
			used (UX85). Furthermore one may consider preventive action on								
			any of the sub-systems, whether they use gas or not.								
	Emergency	3	One may foresee a power cut in any of the two locations where gas is								
	Stop		used (UX85). Furthermore one may consider preventive action on								
	~ .		any of the sub-systems, whether they use gas or not.								
SX8	Smoke	2	One may take action on any sub-location, i.e. shutting down the								
			computing farm, cutting power to racks in the labs,								
		3	As all locations depend on the DCS, which is powered in SX8, one								
			may envisage to cut the power to all other locations or take smoother								
	Emorgonov	3	steps, i.e. kill the high voltages, As all locations depend on the DCS, which is powered in SX8, one								
	Emergency	5	may envisage to cut the power to all other locations or take smoother								
	Stop										
UX85C	Smoke,	2	steps, i.e. kill the high voltages,								
UNOJC	Oxygen Level,	<u> </u>	One may take preventive action on any counting room and gas platform.								
	Flood, Water	3	There exist dependencies between the electronics in the counting								
	Leak		rooms and the gas platforms and all other locations, so one may thir								
			of cutting the power to any of them. If one refrains from such harsh								
			action, one should at least take action on all sub-systems in UX85D.								
	Emergency	3	There exist dependencies between the electronics in the counting								
	Stop	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	rooms and the gas platforms and all other locations, so one may think								
	-		of cutting the power to any of them. If one refrains from such harsh								
			action, one should at least take action on all sub-systems in UX85D.								
UX85D	Smoke,	2	One may take preventive action on any of the twelve sub-systems in								
	Oxygen Level,		the detector area.								
	Flood, Water	3	There exist dependencies between the sub-detectors and all other								
	Leak		locations, so one may think of cutting the power to any of them. If								
			one refrains from such harsh action, one should at least take action								
			on all sub-systems in the counting rooms.								
	Emergency	3	There exist dependencies between the sub-detectors and all other								
	Stop		locations, so one may think of cutting the power to any of them. If								
			one refrains from such harsh action, one should at least take action								
			on all sub-system components in the counting rooms.								

TABLE 1: FORESEEN DSS ACTIONS IN CASE OF AN ALARM-OF-LEVEL-3

B. In case of a serious problem not covered by an Alarm-of-Level-3-Procedure

Location	Type ⁴	Level	Possible Experiment Action
SG8	Ambient Temperature	2	In case of a temperature outside limits in any of the four sub- locations one may take action on any of the two sub-locations with electronics.
	Ambient Humidity	2	In case of too high humidity in any sub-location with electronics one may want to take action in any of them.
	Ventilation	2	In case of a stop of ventilation one may consider to take action on any sub-location.
	Normal Power	2	In case of a cut of the normal power one may want to inform CSS.
	Gas Mixture	2	In case of the gas system failing, one may take preventive action on any sub-system.
SX8 ⁵	Ambient Temperature, Ambient Humidity	2	In case of one of these values outside limits one may take preventive action in any of the four sub-locations.
	Air Conditioning, Ventilation	2	In case of a fault of the air conditioner one may take preventive action in any of the four sub-locations, mainly in the farm and control rooms.
	Chilled Water, Mixed Water	2	In case of the cooling water temperature being outside limits, one may take action in the farm and control rooms.
	Local Water Leak	2	In case of a leak in the farm area one may take action in any of the sub-locations, at least the farm area itself and anything underneath.
	Normal Power	2	In case of a cut of the normal power one may take preventive action in any sub-location and may want to inform CSS.
	Diesel Power, UPS Power	2	In case of problems with these power sources, one may take preventive action in the farm area and the LCR, maybe depending on the status of the normal power.
UX85D ⁶	Ambient Temperature, Ambient Humidity	2	In case of one of these values outside limits in the cavern one may take preventive action on several sub-systems and possibly their respective components in UX85C. In case of overheating between sub-detectors, one may want to take action on them and their respective sub-system. A failure of the ventilation will most probably result in a rising
	Ventilation		ambient temperature. A preventive action may be considered on several sub-systems and possibly their respective components in UX85C.
	Chilled Water, Mixed Water, Demineralized Water	2	A too high temperature of the cooling water to the cavern will most probably result in a rising ambient temperature. A preventive action may be considered on several sub-systems and possibly their respective components in UX85C.
	Local Water Leak	2	A local water leak around one sub-system may cause damage in this sub-location so one may take preventive action on that sub-system and the respective components in UX85C.
	Normal Power	2	In case of a cut of the normal power one may take preventive action on any sub-system and may want to inform CSS.
	Diesel Power, UPS Power	2	In case of problems with these power sources, one may take preventive action on any of the sub-systems and their respective components in UX85C.

⁴ This "Type" denotes a monitored value, e.g. ambient temperature, or a system that could fail with different levels of severity, e.g. the normal power distribution.

⁵ As at least the LCR is closely connected to the rest of the experiment setup, one may take actions on any sub-system or even cutting power to the other locations.

⁶ In severe cases a power cut of UX85D may be envisaged, which may lead to preventive actions in other locations.

Location	Type ⁴	Level	Possible Experiment Action
	Radiation	1	In case of an elevated radiation in the cavern, some sub-systems may be endangered, so one may consider preventive action on them and their components in UX85C.
	Level	2	In case of higher radiation in the cavern, all sub-systems may be endangered, so one may consider a power cut of UX85D, which may lead to preventive actions in other locations.
	Sub-Detector Status	2	In case one sub-system detects an intrinsic problem, one may consider preventive action on this sub-system and/or its neighbors as well as their respective counterparts in UX85C.
UX85C ⁷	Ambient Temperature, Ambient Humidity	2	In case of one value outside limits in the cavern one may take preventive action on the counting rooms and the gas platforms and possibly the connected components in UX85D.
	Ventilation	2	A failure of the ventilation will most probably result in a rising ambient temperature. A preventive action may be considered on the counting rooms and the gas platforms and possibly the connected components in UX85D.
	Chilled Water, Mixed Water	2	A too high temperature of the cooling water to the cavern will most probably result in a rising ambient temperature. A preventive action may be considered on the counting rooms and the gas platforms and possibly the connected components in UX85D.
	Local Water Leak	2	A local water leak around at least one counting room or gas platform may cause damage in this sub-location so one may take preventive action on that sub-location and the connected components in UX85D.
	Normal Power	2	In case of a cut of the normal power one may take preventive action on any sub-system and may want to inform CSS.
	Diesel Power, UPS Power	2	In case of problems with these power sources, one may take preventive action on any of the sub-systems and their respective components in UX85D.
	UX Water Evacuation Pumps	2	In case of pump failure, one may consider preventive action on some sub-systems, maybe in connection with a pre-alarm water flood.
Counting Rooms ^{8 9}	Ambient	1	In case of temperature outside limits in a counting room, one may take action on the main heat source (e.g. rack row) in this counting room.
	Temperature	2	In case of a too high temperature in a counting room one may consider a power cut of the counting room.
	Ambient Humidity	2	In case of a too high ambient humidity in a counting room one may take action on parts of the counting room or even a power cut of the full counting room.
	Air Conditioning	2	In case of a fault of the air conditioner one may take preventive action on any of the rack rows or even a power cut of the full counting room.
	Mixed Water	2	In case of the cooling water temperature being outside limits, one may take action on any of the rack rows or even a power cut of the full counting room.
	Local Water Leak	2	A local water leak in a counting room may have serious impact on the electronics inside, so one may take action on any of the rack rows or even a power cut of the full counting room.
	Normal Power	2	In case of a cut of the normal power one may take preventive action on any sub-system and may want to inform CSS.

 ⁷ In severe cases a power cut of UX85C may be envisaged, which may lead to preventive actions in other locations, mainly UX85D.
⁸ A counting room is a sub-location of the counting room area. Nevertheless it has a considerable number of sensors and components.
⁹ Any action on a single counting room may trigger preventive actions on any other location or sub-system or even only sub-sets of those.

Location	Type ⁴	Level	Possible Experiment Action
	Diesel Power, UPS Power	2	In case of problems with these power sources, one may take preventive action on any of the sub-systems and/or even the full counting room.
	AUL	2	In case of a power cut of the counting room, one may take preventive action on any sub-system.

C. Summary

The following tables show the needed input- and output-channels for all locations of the DSS around LHCb. This accounting results from several assumptions on the locations of detection and transmission equipment for the digital inputs (DI), analog inputs (AI), and digital outputs (DO). The assumed locations are also shown in the tables.

1) Input Channels

Location	Description	from	Туре	Nb.
CDInc ¹⁰ SG8	Detection of a pre-alarm smoke	CDInc	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm smoke	CDInc	DI	1
CDGas ¹¹ SG8	Detection of a pre-alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of a pre-alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
$LSAC^{12}SG8?$	Evacuation Alarm initiated	?	DI	1
LSAC SG8?	Emergency Stop pushed	?	DI	1
CDInc SX8	Detection of a pre-alarm smoke	CDInc	DI	2
	Detection of an alarm smoke	CDInc	DI	2
LSAC SX8?	Emergency Stop pushed	?	DI	1
CDGas UX85C	Detection of a pre-alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of a pre-alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
LSAC UX85C?	Detection of a pre-alarm water flood	?	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm water flood	?	DI	1
LSAC UX85C?	Detection of a blocked lift	?	DI	1
LSAC UX85C?	Evacuation Alarm initiated	?	DI	1
LSAC UX85C?	Emergency Stop pushed	?	DI	1
CDGas UX85D	Detection of a pre-alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm flammable gas	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of a pre-alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm oxygen level	CDGas	DI	1
LSAC UX85D?	Detection of a pre-alarm water flood	?	DI	1
	Detection of an alarm water flood	?	DI	1
LSAC UX85D?	Evacuation Alarm initiated	?	DI	1
LSAC UX85D?	Emergency Stop pushed	?	DI	1
SG8	Ambient Temperature	DSS	AI	4
	Ambient Humidity	DSS	AI	2
SG8?	Ventilation	ST/CV	DI	1
SG8?	Normal Power Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
SG8?	Gas System Failure	GasSect	DI	5

 ¹⁰ Centrale de Detection Incendie: CSS equipment where the information from smoke sensors is concentrated
¹¹ Centrale de Detection Gas: CSS equipment where the information from gas sensors is concentrated
¹² Local Safety-Alarm Controller: CSS equipment where the information on all alarms in a certain zone is concentrated

Location	Description	from	Туре	Nb.
SX8	Ambient Temperature	DSS	AI	20
	Ambient Humidity	DSS	AI	16
	Chilled Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Mixed Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Local Water Leak	DSS	DI	9
	Trap Door Opening	DSS	DI	1
SX8?	Air Conditioner	ST/CV	DI	10
SX8?	Ventilation	ST/CV	DI	1
SX8?	Chilled Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
SX8?	Mixed Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
SX8?	Normal Power Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
SX8?	Diesel Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
SX8?	UPS Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85D	Ambient Temperature	DSS	AI	22
	Ambient Humidity	DSS	AI	3
	Chilled Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Mixed Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Demineralized Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Local Water Leak	DSS	DI	12
	Sub-Detector Status	SubDet	DI	12
UX85D?	Air Conditioner	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85D?	Ventilation	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85D?	Chilled Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85D?	Mixed Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85D?	Demineralized Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85D?	Normal Power Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85D?	Diesel Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85D?	UPS Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85D?	Water Evacuation Pumps	EST?	DI	1
UX85D?	Doors	ST/MA	DI	6
UX85C	Ambient Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Ambient Humidity	DSS	AI	2
	Chilled Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Mixed Cooling Water Temperature	DSS	AI	2
	Local Water Leak	DSS	DI	2
UX85C?	Air Conditioner	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85C?	Ventilation	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85C?	Chilled Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85C?	Mixed Cooling Water Stopped	ST/CV	DI	1
UX85C?	Normal Power Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85C?	Diesel Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85C?	UPS Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
UX85C?	Water Evacuation Pumps	EST?	DI	1
Counting Room		DSS	AI	2
Counting Room	Ambient Temperature	DSS DSS	AI	2
Counting Room	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity	DSS	AI	1
Counting Room	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature	DSS DSS	AI AI	1 2
Counting Room	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature Local Water Leak	DSS DSS DSS	AI AI DI	1 2 3
Counting Room	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature Local Water Leak AUL	DSS DSS DSS DSS	AI AI DI DI	1 2 3 1
	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature Local Water Leak AUL Door Opening	DSS DSS DSS DSS DSS DSS	AI AI DI DI DI DI	1 2 3 1 1
Counting Room?	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature Local Water Leak AUL Door Opening Air Conditioner	DSS DSS DSS DSS DSS ST/CV	AI AI DI DI DI DI DI	1 2 3 1 1 1
	Ambient Temperature Ambient Humidity Mixed Cooling Water Temperature Local Water Leak AUL Door Opening	DSS DSS DSS DSS DSS DSS	AI AI DI DI DI DI	1 2 3 1 1

Location	Description	from	Туре	Nb.
Counting Room?	UPS Failure	ST/EL	DI	1
Sum			DI	122
			AI	90
			Total	212

2) Output Channels

Location	Description	to	Туре	Nb.
DSU	DSS failure signal	CSS	DO	1
SG8	action on mixer and gas control room	EL.SG8	DO	2
508	power cut to location	EL.SG8	DO	1
SX8	action on LCR, farm room, labs, hall	Exp.SX8	DO	4
310	power cut to location	EL.SX8	DO	1
UX85C	action on sub-location (counting rooms)	CR.UX85	DO	4
UNOSC	action on sub-location (gas platforms)	GP.UX85	DO	2
	action on sub-systems (rack groups)	CR.UX85	DO	12
	power cut to location	EL.UX85C	DO	1
UX85D	action on sub-systems	DET.UX85	DO	12
07030	power cut to location	EL.UX85D	DO	1
Sum			DO	41

V. SUB-SYSTEM NEEDS FOR A DETECTOR SAFETY SYSTEM

The needs of the various sub-systems have still to be developed by the project leaders together with the LHCb safety team. A first step has been taken and a preliminary inventory is due to be available in the middle of 2002.

VI. APPENDIX

A. Standardized Needs Inventory

ZONE:	Surfa	ce				LOC	ATIO	N:	Gas E	Buildi	ing S	GG8								DSS needs catalog v1.
ALARM	(IS37,	up to L3)		DESTIN	NATION		ACTIO			N BY DSS									EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
Туре	Level	Detection	Trans. Expt	Others	to Expt.	Other	CSS aut.	DC		DSS aut n		Inpu Ana.		outi		utpu out3	ts out4 o	ut5		
	1	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х	Ì	T	Î	Ť		Ť	Î	Î	Í			L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Smoke	2	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		х	х	х			1		2				see explanations	
	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х	х	х	х			1				2	24	see explanations	
Flammable gas	1			TCR	DCS	TCR		х												L1 is not foreseen in CSS
leak	2			TCR	DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		2				see explanations	
16 a K	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х	X	х	Х			1				2	24	see explanations	
	1	ST/AA	Ν	TCR	DCS	TCR		х												L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Oxygen level	2			TCR	DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		2				see explanations	
	з		H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS		х	X	х	х			1				2	24	see explanations	
Flood	1	ST/CV	Ν		DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Waterkeak	2	ST/CV	H1,N		DCS DSS															
	3			tcr,fb	DCS DSS		х													
Blocked lift	3			TCR,FB	DCS DSS		Х													
Evacuation	3			TCR,FB	DCS DSS		х						1							monitored value
Emergency stop	3			tćr,fb	DCS DSS		Х						1				2	24	see explanations	
Emerg. telephone				TCR,FB	DCS DSS		Х													
deadman* device	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х				T			T						



ZONE:	Surfa	се		LOCATION: Experiment Building SX8									X8			DSS needs catalog v				
ALARM	(IS37,	up to L3)		DESTIN	NATION		ACTION BY							DSS	S			EXPERIMENT ACTION	CC	DMMENT
Type	leve	Detection	Trans.	Others	to Expt.	Other	CSS	DCS		DSS		puts			Outpu					
-71			Expt.				aut.	aut ma	an. a	ut. ma	1. A III	. Dig.	outi	outs	2 0 1 13	out4 out	ut5			
	1	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х											L1 is not foreseen	in CSS
Smoke	2			TCR	DCS DSS			X D	х	х		2		3	3			e explanations		
	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS		х	X	κ.	х		2				3 2	24 se	e explanations		
Flammable gas	1	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS	TCR													L1 is not foreseen	in CSS
eak	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS															
Bak	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
	1	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS	TCR													L1 is not foreseen	in CSS
Oxygen level	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS															
	з	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	x													
Flood	1	ST/CV	N		DCS	TCR													L1 is not foreseen	in CSS
Waterkeak	2	ST/CV	H1,N		DCS DSS															
	3	ST/CV	H1 N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
Blocked lift	3	ST/HM	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS		Х													
Evacuation	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х							Г						
Emergency stop	3	ST/EL	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	Х					1				3 2	24 se	ee explanations		
Emerg. telephone	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
"deadman" device	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х							1						



ZONE:	Unde	rground				LOC	ATIO	N:	Cour	nting	Roo	m Ar	rea ir	n UX	85 (L	JX85	iC)			DSS needs catalog v1.5
ALARM	(IS37,	up to L3)		DESTIN	NATION		ACTION BY				ACTION BY								EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
Туре	Lovol	Detection	Trans.	Others	to Expt.	Other	CSS	DC	ŝ	DS	ss	Inp	uts		0	utpu	ts			
туре	00.001	Delection	Expt.	Othera	to Expli	Other	aut.	aut	man.	aut	man.	Ала.	Dig.	out1	0112	o u 13	о ц 14	o ut5		
	1	ST/AA	Ν	TCR	DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Smoke	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		6				see explanations	
	3	ST/AA			DCS DSS		х	х	х	х			1				3	12	see explanations	
Flammable gas	1	ST/AA	Ν	TCR	DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
leak	2			TCR	DCS DSS															
IBAK	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS		х													
	1	ST/AA		TCR	DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Oxygen level	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		6				see explanations	
	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х	х	х	х			1				3	12	see explanations	
Flood	1	ST/CV	N		DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Waterkeak	2	ST/CV	H1.N		DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		6				see explanations	
	3	ST/CV			DCS DSS		х	Х	х	х			1				3	12	see explanations	
Blocked lift	3	ST/HM	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	Х	Х					1							monitored value
Evacuation	3	ST/AA	H1,N		DCS DSS		х	Х	х	Х			1							monitored value
Emergency stop	3	ST/EL	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х			Х			1				3	12	see explanations	
Emerg. telephone	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
"deadman" device	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х							Ĩ						



ZONE:	Underground LOCATION: Detector Are								Area	in U	IX85	(UX8	15D)				DSS needs catalog v1.			
ALARM	(IS37,	up to L3)		DESTIN	NATION		A	стю	N BY					1	DSS				EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
Туре	Level	Detection	Trans.	Others	to Expt.	Other	CSS	DO	CS	DS	SS	Inp	outs		Ou	tput	s			
туре	Te vei	Detection	Expt.	Others	to expl.		aut.	aut	man.	aut	man.	Ала.	Dig .	outi	out2 c	iu t3 c	o u t4 o i	ut5		
	1	ST/AA		TCR	DCS	TCR		х												L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Smoke	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS			х	х	х			1		12			see	e explanations	
	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х	×	х	х			1				3 .	12 se	e explanations	
Flammable gas	1	ST/AA		TCR	DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
leak	2	ST/AA		TCR	DCS DSS															
10 G K	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
	1	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х												L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Oxygen level	2	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		х	х	х			1		12			see	e explanations	
	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х	х	х	х			1				3	12 se	e explanations	
Flood	1	ST/CV	N		DCS	TCR														L1 is not foreseen in CSS
Waterkeak	2	ST/CV	H1,N		DCS DSS	TCR							1		12			see	e explanations	
	3	ST/CV	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х						1				3	12 se	e explanations	
Blocked lift	3	ST/HM	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	Х													
Evacuation	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	Х	х	х	х			1							monitored value
Emergency stop	3	ST/EL	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	Х			Х			1				3 .	12 se	e explanations	
Emerg. telephone	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													
deadman' device	3	ST/AA	H1,N	TCR,FB	DCS DSS	FB	х													

		Tot	al Zo	one		
Inp	uts		С	utpu	ts	
Ала.	Dig.	outi	01112	ou t3	о ц 14	o ut5
0	8	0	12	0	3	12

Figure 4: Standardized DSS Needs tables for Alarms-of-Level-3.



Figure 5: General explanations for the standardized needs tables.

ZONE:	Surfa	ce				LOC	ATION	SG	3								C	SS needs catalog v1.
ALARM	Level	1&2 only)		DESTIN	NATION		ACT	ION B	Y				DS	S		T	EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
			Trans.					DCS			Input			Outpu				
Туре	Level	Detection	Expt	Others	to Expt.	Other	aut. a	ut man	aut.	man. A	na. D	ig. ou	ti out	out3	out4 or	ut5		
A mbie nt	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS						_							
temperature	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS						4		2	2				
Ambienthumidity	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS								-					
,	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS	_					2		2	2				
Air-conditioning	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR							_					
	2	ST/CV	Ν	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		_			_		_			_		
Ventilation	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR						-		_		_		
	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TĈR					_	1		2		_		
Chilled cooling	1	ST/CV	N N	TCR	DCS DCS DSS	TCR TCR		_	_		_	_	_	-		-		
water	2	ST/CV DSS	N H2	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		_	-		_	_	_	-				
			_			TCB		-	-		_	_	-	-		-		
Mixed cooling	1	ST/CV ST/CV	N	TCR TCR	DCS DCS DSS	TCR		-			_	_	_	-		-		
water	2	DSS	N H2	ICR	DCS DSS	TCR		-	-			_	-	-				
	<i>د</i>	DSS	H2		DCS DSS							-	+	-		÷		
Local water leak	2		H2	-	DCS DSS			-	-		_	+	+	-		-		
	1	RackCtrl			DCS	_		-	-		-	-	-	-		÷		
Rack control	2	RackCtr			DCS DSS			-			-	+	+	-				
Normal Power	2		N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	-	-				1		1		÷		
Diesel Power	2	ST/EL	N	TCR	DCS DSS		-					<u> </u>	+	<u> </u>		-	in case of problems triager a procedure	
UPS power	2	ST/EL	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR										-		
	1	TIS/RP	N	PCR	DCS.		i	-i	İ		-i-		†	i –				
Radiation level	2			PCR	DCS DSS													
Sub-detector	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS													
status	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS													
Access control	2	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR												
UX water	1	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS	TCR												
vacuation pumps	2	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS	TÇR												
SG Gas mixture	1	Gas contro			DCS											T		
	2	Gas contro	H2		DCS DSS							5		5	1	24		
DSS internal	1	DSS	N/H		DCS											T		
mon ito ring	2	DSS	N/H		DCS DSS													

Figure 6: Standardized DSS Needs table for non-CSS-type alarms in SG8.

ZONE:					LOC	ATIO	N: 8	SX8									DSS needs catalog v1		
ALARM	(Level	1&2 only)		DESTI	NATION			TION	I BY				l	DSS				EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
	1		Trans.				CSS	DC	S	DSS	In	outs		OL	utput	s			
Туре	Leve	Detection	Expt.	Others	to Expt.	Other	aut.	a ut i	тал. а	ut. mar	Ала	Dig.	out1	0112	out3 d	out4 ou	t5		
Ambient	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS														
temperature	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS						20			4		3 2	4		6 ground floor, rest computing farm an
mbient humidity	1		H2		DCS DSS		Ì	Ì	Ì	1		Ì	Ť	Ť	Ť	İ			e ground floor, rest computing farm ar
(mblent numicity	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS						16			4		3 2	4		
Air-conditioning	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR													
All-conditioning	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR						10		4		3 2	4		
Ventilation	1		Ν	TCR	DCS	TCR													
Ventilation	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR						1		4		3 2	4		
Chilled cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR													
water	2	ST/CV		TCR		TCR					1								
water	2		H2		DCS DSS						2	2		2		3 2	4		Computer Room
Mixed cooling	1			TCR	DCS	TCR													
water	2	ST/CV		TCR		TCR													
140.101	2		H2		DCS DSS						2			2		3 2	4		Computer Room
Local water leak	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS														
Lo can water reak	2		H2		DCS DSS							9		2		3 2	4		computing farm area
Rack control	1	RackCtrl			DCS														
Hack contion	2	RackCtrl	N		DCS DSS														
Normal Power	2			TCR		TCR						1	1	4	1	2	4		
Diesel Power	2	ST/EL		TCR		TCR						1	1	4					
UPS power	2		N	TCR		TCR						1	1	4					
Radiation level	1			POR	DCS														
	2			PCR	DCS DSS														
Sub-detector	1		H2		DCS DSS														
status	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS														
Access control	2		N	TCR	DCS DSS														
UX water	1	ST/CV		TCR		TCR													
evacuation pumps	2	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS	TCR													
0.0.0	1	Gas contro			DCS														
SG Gas mixture	2	Gas contro	H2		DCS DSS														
DSS internal	1		N/H		DCS														
monitoring	2	DSS	N/H		DCS DSS														
P8 trap door open	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS					1	1	1 1					1		Î

Figure 7: Standardized DSS Needs table for non-CSS-type alarms in SX8.

ZONE:	Underground						ATION:	UX85	Dete	ctor	Area						DSS no	DSS needs catalog v1.5		
ALARM (Level	1&2 only)		DESTI	NATION			ON BY					D	SS			EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT		
			Trans.					CS	DSS		Input				tputs					
Туре	Level		Expt.	Others	to Expt.	Other	aut. a ut	man.	aut. r	пал. А	na. C	ig. o	ut1 o	u 12 c	ut3 ou	t4 out5				
A mbie nt	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х													
temperature	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х		х		22		1	12		12	10 caverr	general, 12 around subdetectors		
Ambient humidity	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х													
	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		Х		х		3		1	12		12				
Air-conditioning	1	ST/CV		TCR	DCS	TCR	х													
7 ar oond normig	2	ST/CV	N	⊺ČR	DCS DSS	TCR	Х		Х											
Ventilation	1	ST/CV		TCR	DCS	TCR	х							12						
	2	ST/CV	Ν	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	х		х			1	1			12				
Chilled cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR	х			_	_									
water	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	х		х				_	12						
	2		H2		DCS DSS		×		х		2	1	1		1	12				
Mixed cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR	х					_	_			_				
water	2	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	x		х	_		_		12						
	2		H2		DCS DSS		X		х	_	2	1	1	_	1	12				
Local water leak	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х													
	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		X		х			12	1	12		12				
Rack control	1	RackCtr			DCS		х					_				_				
-	2		Ν		DCS DSS		Х		х	_	_	_	_	_	_	_				
Normal Power	2			TCR		TCR	х		х			1		12	1	12				
Diesel Power	2	ST/EL ST/EL	N	TCR TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	x		х			1		12	_	12				
UPS power	2		N		DCS DSS	TCR	X		х	_	_	1		12	_	12				
Radiation level	2	TIS/RP TIS/RP		P CR P CR	DCS DCS DSS		x			_	_		-	12	_	12				
Sub-detector	_	DSS	H2	РСН	DCS DSS		x		х	_		-	4	_	_	12				
status	1	DSS	H2 H2	-	DCS DSS		x	+	x		-	12	-	12	_	12		-		
Access control	2	ST/AA		TCR		TCR	×	+	X	- 6		6	4	12	_	12	Doors to b	the detector area from all sides		
	2	ST/AA ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	Х			_		6	_	_	_	_	Doors to	ne detector area from all sides		
UX wate r	2	ST/CV		TČR	DCS DSS	TČR	X		x			-	-	12		12		-		
evacuation pumps	2	Gas contro	1.10	TUR	DCS D35	TUN			X			-	4	12	_	12		-		
SG Gas mixture	2	Gas contro			DCS DSS		X		x			-	-	-		-		-		
DSS internal	2				DCS DSS			+		_	_	-	-	_	_	-				
monitoring	2	DSS DSS	N/H N/H		DCS DSS		X		x			_			1	-		-		
	2	ST/CV		TCR	DCS D35	TCR			~	- 6	_	_	_	_	-	_				
Demineralized	2			TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	x	+			-	-	-	10	-	-				
cooling water			N H2	IUR	DCS DSS	TOR	×		x	_		-	-	12	-	10		n		
	2	DSS	HZ		005 085		X		X	_	2	1	1		1	12				

Figure 8: Standardized DSS Needs table for non-CSS-type alarms in UX85D.

ZONE:	Underground						ATION:	UX85	5 Coun	ting	Roon	n Are	а				DSS nee	ds catalog v1.5
ALARM (Level	1&2 only)		DESTIN	NATION		ACTIO	ON BY					DS	SS			EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
			Trans.					CS	DSS		Inputs			Outp				
Туре	Leve	Detection	Expt.	Others	to Expt.	Other	aut. a ut	man.	aut. ma	an. A	na. Dig	g. out	1 0 1	12 011	3 out	4 out5		
A mbie nt	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х						Т					
temperature	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х		х		2	1	1	6		1 12		
Ambienthumidity	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х											
, the second sec	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х		x		2	1	1	6		1 12		
Air-conditioning	1	ST/CV	Ν	TCR	DCS	TCR	х											
7 ar oond normig	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	Х		х									
Ventilation	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR	х											
TOTTING ID IT	2	ST/CV	N	TĈR	DCS DSS	TĈR	х		х			1 1	1	6		1 12		
Chilled cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR	х											
water	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	х		х					6				
	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х		х		2	1 1	1		1	1 12		
Mixed cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR	х											
water	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	x		х	-			_	6				
	2		H2		DCS DSS		х		х		2	1 1	1		1	1 12		
Local water leak	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		х				_	-	_	-	_			
	2		H2		DCS DSS		х		х			2 1	1	6	_	1 12		
Rack control	1	RackCtrl			DCS DCS DSS		х				_	_	_		_	-		
	2	RackCtrl		7.00		7.00	х		х	_	_	_				10		
Normal Power Diesel Power	2	ST/EL ST/EL	N	TCR TCR	DCS DSS DCS DSS	TCR	x		х	-	_			6	1	12		
UPS power	2	ST/EL	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR	X		x		_			6	-	12		
UPS power	4	TIS/RP	N	POR	DCS	TON			X		_	+ '	4	0	+-	12		
Radiation level	2	TIS/RP	N/H	PCR	DCS DSS		X		x		_	1 1		6	-	1 12		
Sub-detector	4	DSS	H2	TON	DCS DSS	-	^		^		_	<u> </u>	4	0	+-	1 12		
status	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS							+	+	+	+			
Access contro	2	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR			_		_	+	+	+-	+-	+ +		
UX water	1	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS			+ +	_		_	-	-	-	-			
evacuation pumps	2	ST/CV	1	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR			-		-	1 1	1	6	1	1 12		
		Gas contro	HD		DCS						_	-	-	<u> </u>		. 12		
SG Gas mixture		Gas contro			DCS DSS								+					-
DSS internal	1		N/H		DCS		х					T	Ť	1	1			
mon ito ring	2	DSS	N/H		DCS DSS		x		x				1		1			

Figure 9: Standardized DSS Needs table for non-CSS-type alarms in UX85C.

ZONE:	Unde	rground				LOC	ATION	I: C	ountir	ig Roo	om							DSS needs catalog v1.
ALARM (Level	1&2 only)		DESTIN	NATION		AC	TION	BY		I			DSS			EXPERIMENT ACTION	COMMENT
			Trans.				CSS	DCS	6 1	DSS	Inp	outs		OL	utput	s		
Type	Leve	Detection	Expt.	Others	to Expt.	Other	aut. a	aut m	ian. aut	. man	А па.	Dig.	out1	0112	out3	out4 out5		
Ambient	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х					Ĩ	3	Ĩ	Î		
temperature	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х	X		2		- 1			6 17		
Ambienthumidity	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х					Ĩ		Ĩ			
Ambient numicity	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х	X		1	-	1	3		6 17		
Air-conditioning	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х										1
Alf-conditioning	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		х	X			1	1	3		6 17		
Ventilation	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х										
ventilation	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		Х	X									
o. II	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR												
Chilled cooling	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR												
water	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS													
Mixed cooling	1	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS	TCR		х										
	2	ST/CV	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR		х	x		1			3				
water	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х	х		2		- 1		1	6 17		
Local water leak	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS		1 1	х				i i	Î		Í	1		
Local water leak	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS			х	х			3	1	3		6 17		
Rack control	1	RackCtrl	N		DCS			х										
Hack contion	2	RackCtr	Ν		DCS DSS			х	Х									
Normal Power	2	ST/EL	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR						1	- 1	3	1	17		
Diesel Power	2		N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR						1	- 1	3		17		
UPS power	2	ST/EL	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TCR						1	1	3		17		
Badiation level	1	TIS/RP	N	PCR	DCS													
	2	TI\$/RP	N/H	PCR	DCS DSS													
Sub-detector	1	DSS	H2		DCS DSS													
status	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS													
Access control	2	ST/AA	N	TCR	DCS DSS	TÇR						1						Door open?
UX water	1	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS													
evacuation pumps	2	ST/CV		TCR	DCS DSS	TCR												
SG Gas mixture	1	Gas contro			DCS													
	2	Gas contro			DCS DSS													
DSS internal	1	DSS	N/H		DCS			х										
mon ito ring	2	DSS	N/H		DCS DSS			Х	Х						1			
AUL	2	DSS	H2		DCS DSS							1	1			6 17		Local Emergency Stop
AUL			1															Who will provide it?

Figure 10: Standardized DSS Needs table for non-CSS-type alarms in a counting room.

VII. GLOSSARY

The following table is meant as an overview of terms used in the DSS Working Group in general and in this document in particular. Furthermore some definitions are given in the table. Unless stated otherwise these definitions are taken from the relevant CERN safety documents [3][4].

Term	Definition	Description
AL1	Alarm-of-Level-1	Equipment or installation fault. Action by the technical service concerned.
AL2	Alarm-of-Level-2	Incorrect operation of equipment or abnormal situation. Immediate action by the technical service concerned.
AL3	Alarm-of-Level-3 (here also: "CSS-type Alarm")	Accident or serious abnormal situation, especially where people's lives are or may be in danger. Immediate action by the Fire and Rescue Group.
AUG	Arret d'Urgence General	General Emergency Stop, general cut-offs issuing a Level 3 Alarm.
AUL	Arret d'Urgence Local	Local Emergency Stop, cut-offs to premises without issuing a Level 3 Alarm
CSAC	CERN Safety Alarm Controller	
CSAM	CERN Safety Alarm Monitoring	
CSE	CERN Safety Equipment	
CSS ¹³	CERN Safety System	Entity comprising all parts of the CERN safety system, like CSAM, CSAC, CSE.
DCS	Detector Controls System	
DIP	Data Interchange Protocol	Protocol provided for data interchange. Defined by the LDIWG (cf. [5]).
DSU	Detector Safety Unit	Autonomous unit in the DSS Frontend system.
GasSect	Gas Section	Section in EP/TA1 responsible for the experiment gas systems.
GLIMOS	Group Leader In Matters Of Safety	
JCOP	Joint COntrols Project	
LDIWG	LHC Data Interchange Working Group	
Safety Action	Legally binding action in case of an Alarm-of-Level 3	In accordance with [6].
SAPOCO	SAfety POlicy COmmittee	
SCR	Safety Control Room	Control room of the fire brigade.
SLIMOS	Shift Leader In Matters Of Safety	
TCR	Technical Control Room	
TIS	Technical Inspection and Safety commission	
TS	Technical Services	Entity consisting of all technical services provided to the experiment (e.g. by ST/EL, ST/CV,). Contact for the services operation will be TCR.
XCR	Experiment Control Room	In case of LHCb it is called LCR.

TABLE 3: GLOSSARY OF TERMS.

¹³ Definition by the DSS Working Group to group several entities without individual impact on the DSS.

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