

Virgo Detchar

status report

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The group responsibilities

Advanced Virgo noise characterization

Data monitoring

- → monitor the detector
- → provide monitoring tools for the collaboration

Transient noise investigation

- → study detector's glitches
- → provide data quality input for searches

Spectral noise investigation

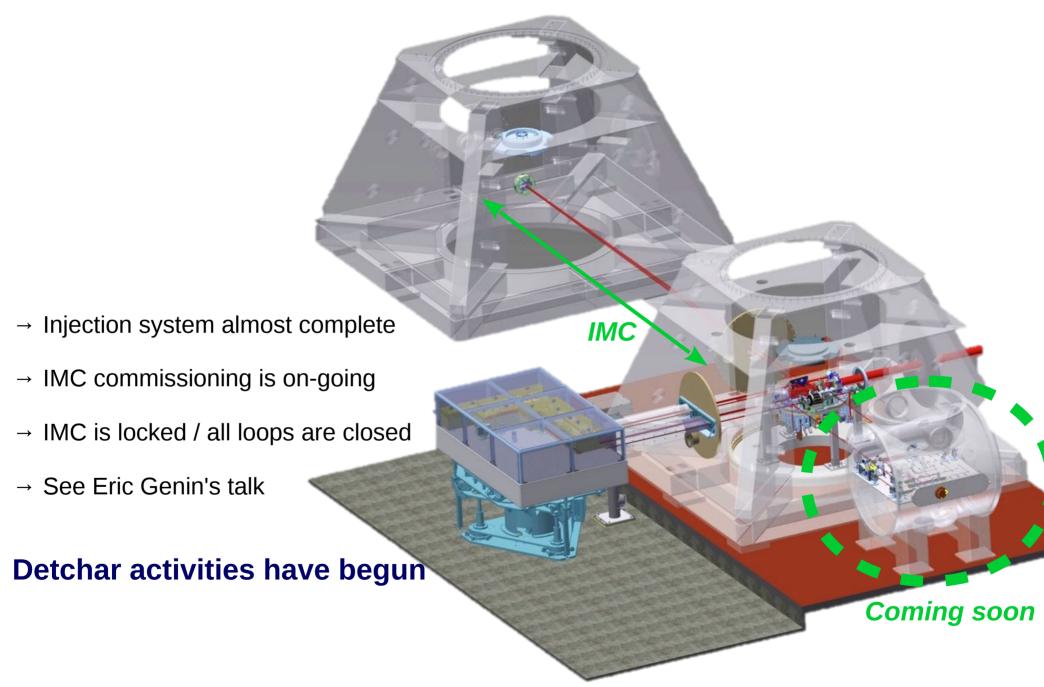
- → study spectral features
- → provide data quality input for searches

Scientific run data quality

- → data-quality shifts
- → data-quality checks for high-confidence GW events / GW alerts



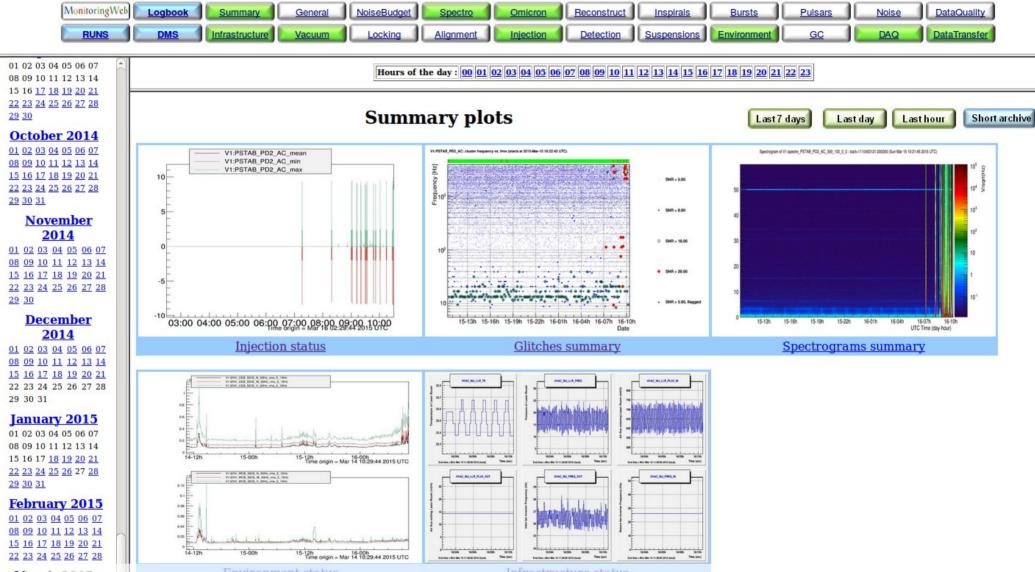
Virgo Injection: Status



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Virgo Injection: Monitoring



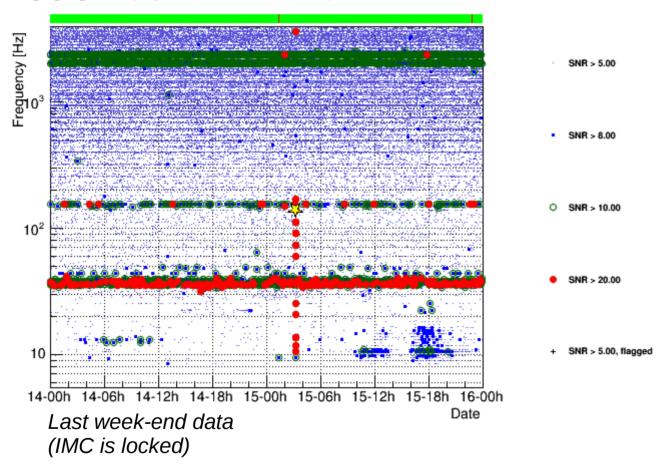
The Virgo subsystems and environment are continuously monitored by "MonitoringWeb" (~ summary pages + ligo_dv)

Glitches, spectrograms, trend data, flags, band-RMS...

Virgo Injection: glitch studies

Omicron glitches in the Error signal used to control the reference cavity





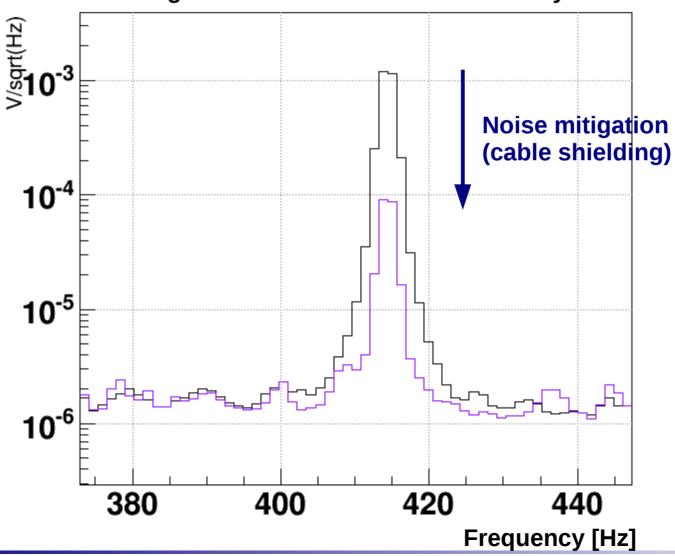
Current investigations:

- → Laser power stabilization
- → Laser frequency stabilization

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RF noise injection → identify noise entry points (cables...)

Error signal to control the reference cavity





Detector characterization shifts

- Support to the commissioning effort: data should be systematically scrutinized.
- Virgo detchar cannot afford a "sub-system lead" organization a la LIGO
- Some detchar shifts will begin at the end of this month:
 - → a team of 2 shifters (glitch/spectral) will investigate data quality for one week
 - → continuous noise investigation
 - → run detchar investigation tools
 - → interaction with commissioning
 - → weekly report
- Keep up with the installation of new sub-systems
- First, detchar experts, then, open to the collaboration
- Documentation effort, user-friendly tools
- This shift system will evolve towards shifts for the future Virgo science runs

Definition of new data quality products for searches

- → simplify, simplify! Optimize, optimize optimize!
- → Limit the use of generic data quality input: **one search = one set of data quality input**
- → For example, for transient searches, only 2 inputs:
 - One list of valid segments to run your analysis,
 - One list of veto segments for your analysis
- → online analyses: 1 state vector + 1 veto channel (/pipeline and @100Hz) in the frames
- ightarrow offline analyses: Science segments in DQSEGDB + a set of tools to build optimized vetoes for your analysis

Channel database

→ new database to save channel parameters (description, sampling etc...) in preparation

DQSEGDB

→ Virgo sub-system status flags will soon be uploaded

Online noise budget

- → standardize the parameter storage/access
- → development of a framework to produce a low-latency noise budget

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