# Firmware updates – May 2015 - v0.4

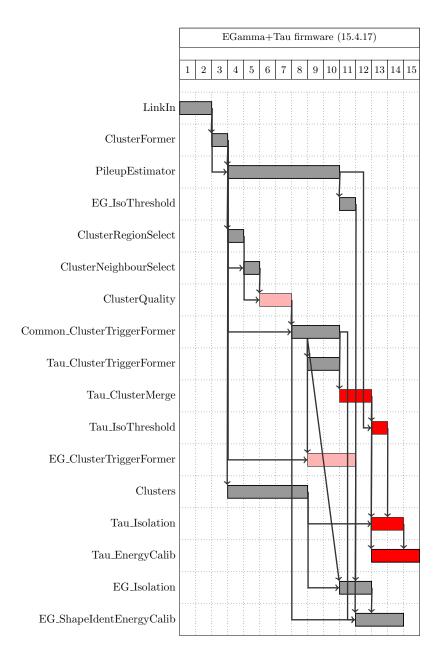


Figure 1: Timing and relation graph of the EGamma and Tau firmware. Each row corresponds to a given module of the algorithm, while the columns indicate the clock number. Gray modules are modules that don't require updates with respect to the current firmware implementation. Pink modules require updates or fixes. Red modules are currently not existing. NEED TO BE CLEANED

In the following, the updates to the current EGamma firmware are listed. Modifications of existing code are detailed in a pseudo-code form. Code to be removed is indicated in red, while code to be added is indicated in blue; black code doesn't need changes.

#### 1 Reduction of the number of instances

The modifications related to the reduction of the number of potential candidates from 72 to 36 in each slice are not detailed here. It is just mentioned that this reduction can be done right after the seed filtering (section 2.2 below) and before the sharing (section 2.3).

# 2 ClusterQuality

#### 2.1 ClusterThresholdQuality

The only update here is the corner trimming that should be removed.

```
if (R1N<clusterThreshold and R1E<clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NE=false if (R1S<clusterThreshold and R1E<clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SE=false if (R1N<clusterThreshold and R1W<clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NW=false if (R1S<clusterThreshold and R1W<clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SW=false
```

# 2.2 EGammaFilteringQuality

The updates in the filtering correspond to fixes that have been made in the emulator since the egamma algorithm specifications have been written. There are two main fixes:

- The conditions for the negative boundary should be the same as for the positive boundary.
- When looking at towers in the second ring (R2), clusters should be invalidated only if the tower in-between pass the clustering threshold.

There are in addition a few inconsistencies in the current VHDL code. Fixes are listed below.

```
- Filtering updates -
// Positive eta
if(iEta>1)
 if(R2N > C and R1N >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
 if(R1N > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NE > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1E > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1SE > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1S >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1SW >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1W >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NW >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2S >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2S >= C and R1S >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
//**************************
// Negative eta
else if(iEta<0)</pre>
else if(iEta<-1)
 if(R2N >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2N >= C and R1N >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
 if(R1N >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NE >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1E >= C) invalidateCluster
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```
if(R1SE >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1S > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1SW > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1W > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NW > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2S > C and R1S >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
// Central boundary
else if (iEta=1)
else if(iEta=1 or iEta=-1)
 if (R2N > C and R1N >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
 if(R1N > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NE > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1E > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1SE > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1S >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1SW > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1W > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R1NW > C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2S >= C) invalidateCluster
 if(R2S >= C and R1S >= clusterThreshold) invalidateCluster
//**************************
```

#### 2.3 EGammaSharingQuality

The updates in the sharing correspond also to fixes that have been made in the emulator since the egamma algorithm specifications have been written. They are mainly related to the way towers at  $i\phi = \pm 2$  are shared between two seeds.

```
    Sharing updates

// Positive eta
if(iEta>1)
 if R2N > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
 if R2NNE > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2SSE > C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2S >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
 if R2SSW >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R2NNW >= C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R3N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   if(R2N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3NE > C
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   if(R2NNE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
```

```
if R3NW >= C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   if(R2NNW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3S >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   if(R2S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SE > C
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   if(R2SSE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SW >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   if(R2SSW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R4N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R3N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2N = false
 if R4S >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R3S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2S = false
//************************//
// Boundary Positive eta
if(iEta=1)
 if R2N > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
 if R2NNE > C
   keepTower R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2SSE > C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2S >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
 if R2SSW >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R2NNW > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R3N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   if(R2N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
  if R3NE > C
   keepTower\_R1NE = false
   if(R2NNE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   if(R2NNW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3S >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   if(R2S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SE > C
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```
keepTower_R1SE = false
   if(R2SSE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SW >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   if(R2SSW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
  if R4N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R3N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2N = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R3S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2S = false
// Negative eta
if(iEta<-1)
 if R2N >= C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
 if R2NNE >= C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2SSE >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2S > C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
 if R2SSW > C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R2NNW > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R3N >= C
   keepTower_R1N = false
    if(R2N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3NE >= C
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   if(R2NNE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3NW > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   if(R2NNW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3S > C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   if(R2S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SE >= C
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   if(R2SSE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SW > C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   if(R2SSW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
  if R4N >= C
   keepTower_R1N = false
```

```
keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R3N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2N = false
 if R4S > C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R3S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2S = false
//************************//
// Boundary Negative eta
if(iEta=-1)
 if R2N > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
 if R2NNE > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2SSE >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1E = false
 if R2S >= C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R1SE = false
 if R2SSW > C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R1SW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R2NNW > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R1NW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1W = false
 if R3N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   if(R2N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3NE > C
   keepTower_R1NE = false
   if(R2NNE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower R1NE = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3NW > C
   keepTower_R1NW = false
   if(R2NNW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1NW = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
 if R3S >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   if(R2S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SE >= C
   keepTower R1SE = false
   if(R2SSE >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SE = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R3SW > C
   keepTower_R1SW = false
   if(R2SSW >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R1SW = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
 if R4N > C
   keepTower_R1N = false
   keepTower_R2N = false
   if(R3N >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2N = false
 if R4S >= C
   keepTower_R1S = false
   keepTower_R2S = false
   if(R3S >= clusterThreshold) keepTower_R2S = false
```

#### 2.4 EGammaNeighborQuality

No change.

# 3 ClusterTriggerFormer

The logic to create final clusters is currently grouped in one single module called EClusterTriggerFormer. Part of the logic in this module is common to egamma and tau objects, while the second part should be split in two modules specific to egamma and taus. It results in three modules, with one among them being common to egamma and tau.

# 3.1 CommonClusterTriggerFormer

This module is common to egamma and tau objects. It computes the left/right flag as well as the cluster fine position and no changes are needed with respect to what already exists.

```
- Common cluster trigger former .
//***************************
// Tower zero suppression
C = (C if keepTower_C
                       else 0)
R1N = (R1N if keepTower_R1N else 0)
R1NE = (R1NE if keepTower_R1NE else 0)
R1E = (R1E if keepTower_R1E else 0)
R1SE = (R1SE if keepTower_R1SE else 0)
R1S = (R1S if keepTower_R1S else 0)
R1SW = (R1SW if keepTower_R1SW else 0)
R1W = (R1W if keepTower_R1W else 0)
R1NW = (R1NW if keepTower_R1NW else 0)
R2N = (R2N if keepTower_R2N else 0)
R2S = (R2S if keepTower_R2S else 0)
// Partial sums
SUMLEFT = R1NW + R1W + R1SW
SUMCENTRE = R1N + C + R1S
SUMRIGHT = R1NE + R1E + R1SE
SUMEXTEND = R2N + R2S
// Left flags
if iEta<0
 LeftFlag = SUMLEFT > SUMRIGHT
if iEta>0
LeftFlag = SUMLEFT >= SUMRIGHT
// Fine position -- Phi
SUM3UP = R1NW + R1N + R1NE
SUM3DOWN = R1SW + R1S + R1SE
SUMUP = SUM3UP + R2N
SUMDOWN = SUM3DOWN + R2S
if SUMUP>SUMDOWN
PhiFinePos = UPPER
elsif SUMUP<SUMDOWN
 PhiFinePos = LOWER
 PhiFinePos = CENTER
//***************************
// Fine position -- Eta
if SUMLEFT>SUMRIGHT
 EtaFinePos = LEFT
elsif SUMLEFT=SUMRIGHT
 EtaFinePos = CENTER
else
 EtaFinePos = RIGHT
```

# 3.2 TauClusterTriggerFormer

The tau-specific module is a copy of the second part of the current ClusterTriggerFormer module. Since most of the processing is performed in CommonClusterTriggerFormer, only the final energy sum has to be computed here.

# 3.3 EGClusterTriggerFormer

An additional trimming is added on top of the left–right trimming. This additional trimming is specific to egamma clusters. It depends on the cluster flags as well as on the ieta position and is implemented via a LUT (with 12 bits in inputs and 7 bits in output). This additional trimming makes the trigger former module more complicated due to the necessity to compute first the left–right flag before trimming the cluster flags and computing the final cluster energy from the trimmed cluster flags. It should require one more adder as well as more latency from reading the trimming LUT and recomputing partial sums. The updates are detailed below.

```
EG cluster energy sums -
// Trimming LUT
keepTower_R1NWorNE = (keepTower_R1NW if LeftFlag else keepTower_R1NE)
keepTower_RlWorE = (keepTower_RlW if LeftFlag else keepTower_RlE)
keepTower_R1SWorSE = (keepTower_R1SW if LeftFlag else keepTower_R1SE)
// Since cluster flags are computed here it is not necessary
// to recompute them in ShapeIdentEnergyCalib
ClusterFlag(6) = keepTower_R1NWorNE
ClusterFlag(5) = keepTower_R1WorE
ClusterFlag(4) = keepTower_R1SWorSE
ClusterFlag(3) = keepTower_R2N
ClusterFlag(2) = keepTower_R2S
ClusterFlag(1) = keepTower_R1N
ClusterFlag(0) = keepTower_R1S
iEtaCompress = absoluteValue(iEta)
ClusterFlagTrim = LUT_Trim(ClusterFlag, iEtaCompress) // input: 7+5 bits, output: 7 bits
// Trimmed partial sums
R1NTRIM = (R1N if ClusterFlagTrim(1) else 0)
R1NETRIM = (R1NE if ClusterFlagTrim(6) else 0)
R1ETRIM = (R1E if ClusterFlagTrim(5) else 0)
R1SETRIM = (R1SE if ClusterFlagTrim(4) else 0)
R1STRIM = (R1S if ClusterFlagTrim(0) else 0)
R1SWTRIM = (R1SW if ClusterFlagTrim(4) else 0)
R1WTRIM = (R1W if ClusterFlagTrim(5) else 0)
R1NWTRIM = (R1NW if ClusterFlagTrim(6) else 0)
R2NTRIM = (R2N if ClusterFlagTrim(3) else 0)
R2STRIM = (R2S if ClusterFlagTrim(2) else 0)
SUMLEFTRIGHTTRIM = (R1NWTRIM + R1WTRIM + R1SWTRIM if LeftFlag else R1NETRIM + R1ETRIM + R1SETRIM)
SUMCENTRETRIM = R1NTRIM + C + R1STRIM
SUMEXTENDTRIM = R2NTRIM + R2STRIM
// Final sum
SUMGLOBAL = SUMLEFTRIGHTTRIM + SUMCENTRETRIM + SUMEXTENDTRIM
```

# 4 Clusters

Sums performed here should not include towers at  $|iEta| \ge 28$ . The easiest way to do this (only one file to modify) may be to force to zero the  $9 \times 1$ ,  $5 \times 1$  and  $2 \times 1$  sums if  $|iEta| \ge 28$ , which is what is done below.

```
—— Isolation energy sums —
// 9x5 tower sums
EHcluster9x1 = EHCluster9x1Former(TowerPipeForClusters)
EHcluster9x1 = EHcluster9x1 if |iEta|<28 else 0
EHcluster9x3 = EHclusterPx3Former(EHcluster9x1Pipe)
EHcluster9x5 = EHclusterXx3Former(EHcluster9x3, EHcluster9x1Pipe)
//************************//
// 5x2 tower sums
Ecluster5x1 = ECluster5x1Former(TowerPipeForClusters)
Ecluster5x1 = Ecluster5x1 if |iEta|<28 else 0</pre>
Ecluster5x2 = ECluster5x2Former(Ecluster5x1Pipe)
// Selection of Ecluster5x2Left and Ecluster5x2Right from Ecluster5x2Pipe not shown here
// 2x1 tower sums
Hcluster2x1 = HCluster2x1Former(TowerPipeForClusters)
Hcluster2x1 = Hcluster2x1 if |iEta|<28 else 0</pre>
```