

Paper Submission Form - SAIP2025 Proceedings

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Section A: Paper Submission Information

Paper/Abstract ID	250
Paper title	Quality Assurance for LVPS Bricks in the Phase-II Tile Calorimeter Upgrade.
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Section D: Declaration of Novelty and Use of AI

How is this submitted manuscript scientifically novel?

This paper presents a new way to check the quality of Low Voltage Power Supply (LVPS) boards used in the Phase-II upgrade of the Tile Calorimeter for the ATLAS experiment. It describes better testing methods, step-by-step checks, and careful evaluations designed to meet the high standards required for the upgraded system. This work adds useful information to the field of electronics used in large physics experiments.

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We used artificial intelligence tools, like ChatGPT (from OpenAI), only to help improve the grammar, wording, and clarity of the text. These tools helped make the writing easier to read, but they were not used to create any scientific content, analyze data, or draw conclusions. All research, experiments, data analysis, and writing of the main scientific parts were done entirely by the author and co-authors.

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