

# MicroBooNE Status

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AEM meeting.



# Activities during the week

- We found a RC (charged - discharge) in the pickoff point after turn off the power button on the HV power supply (PS). Ground our cathode and the RC disappear.
- Analysis of "burst" events: More frequent at higher voltage applied to the cathode. No correlation with PMT activity. Proportional relation of amplitude in function of voltage.
- Turn off the PMT voltage. Continuing seeing blips in the pick off point.
- SPICE simulation of the detector failure modes.
- We attached a pulser to the HV cable into HV FT and drove pulses into the cathode. Characteristics of our artificial "burst" events differ from the original "burst" events.
- $V$  vs  $I$ .  $V$  applied to the HV FT to test the connection from the HV FT to the cup attached to the cathode. We do not see a stable linear relation between  $V$  vs  $I$  up to 8 kV but plan to test at higher voltages.
- Ramp Up drift HV up to 8 kV. While ramping up we observe a rise in the current of FT1. After we decide to ramp down to 0 kV.
- We calculated the resistance for the field cage, 20 GOhm (observed) 16 GOhm (expected). We did change the method by which we are measuring current so this difference may be a calibration effect. Previous drift HV ramps we do recover the expected resistance (17 GOhm which is 6% greater than 16GOhm, due to operation of resistors in cold)
- On the weekend we ramp down the wire bias. Continuing seeing blips in the pick off point.

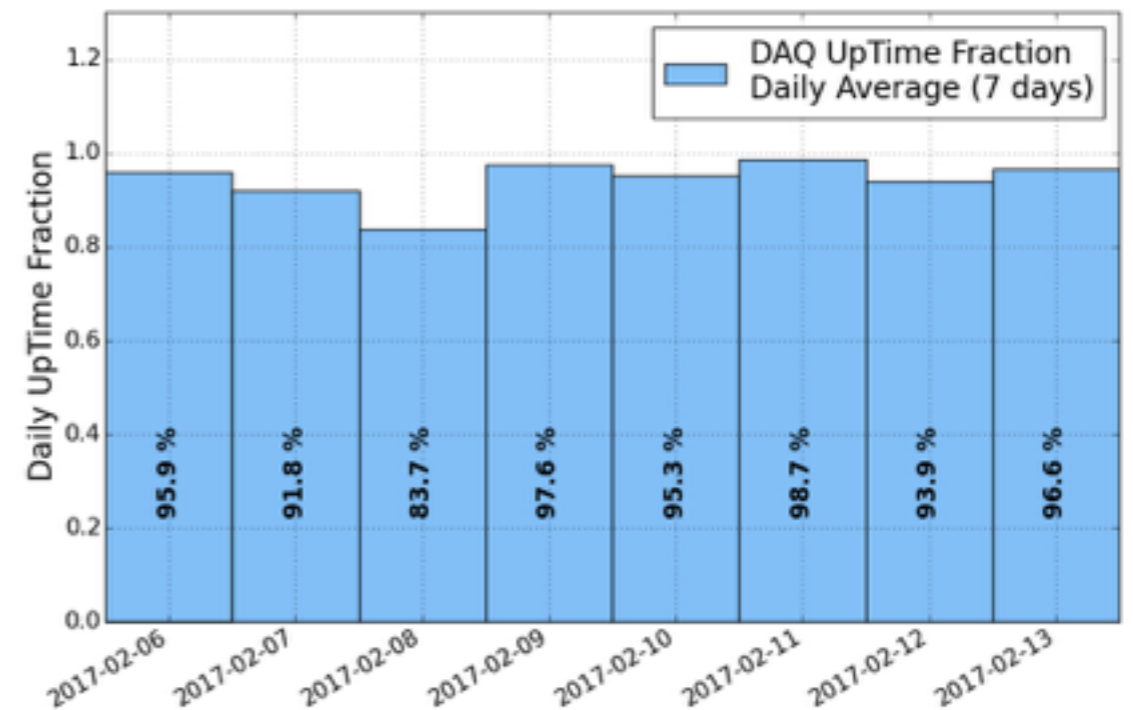
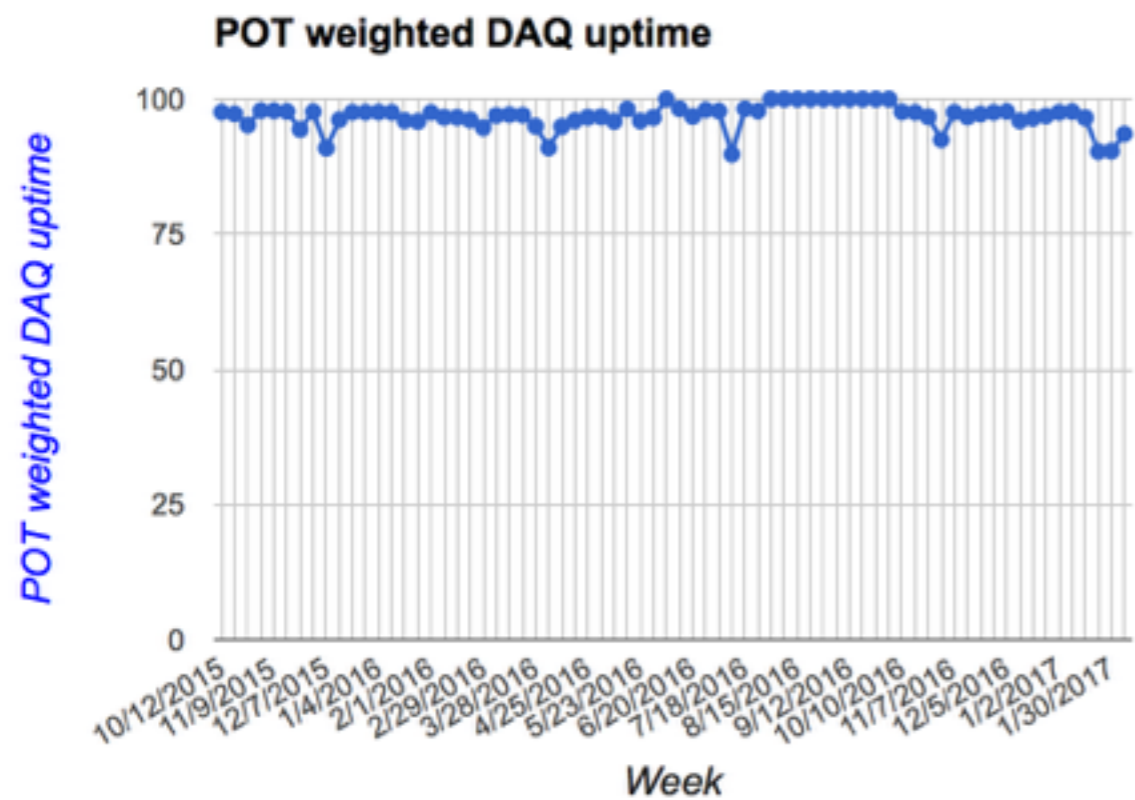


DAQ Uptime: 93.5 %

BNB Uptime: 92.6 %

POT Delivered: 5.26 E20 (5.9 E18 this week)

POT Recorded: 5.05 E20 (5.5 E18 this week)



DAQ UpTime (Daily, Past Week)

# Computing Summary

Average Jobs Running Concurrently [↗](#)

**1120**

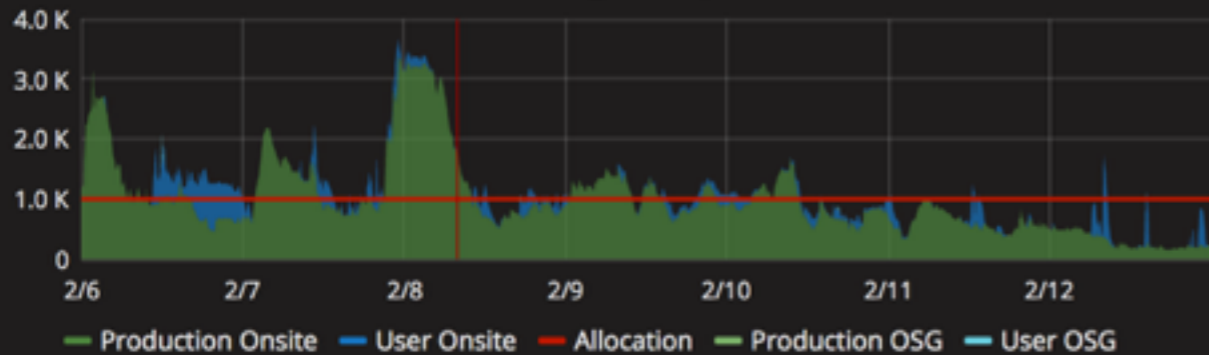
Total Jobs Run [↗](#)

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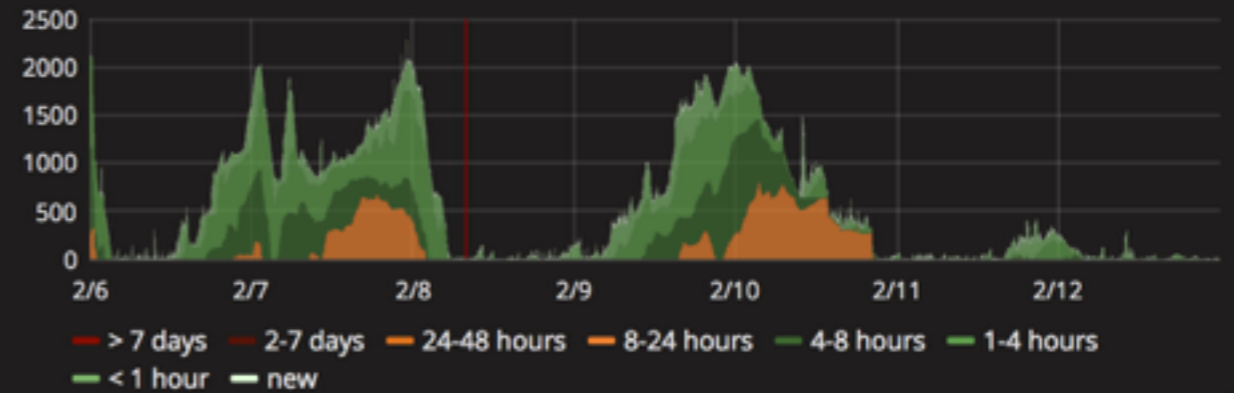
Average Time Spent Waiting in Queue (Production) [↗](#)

**1.292 hour**

Running Batch Jobs



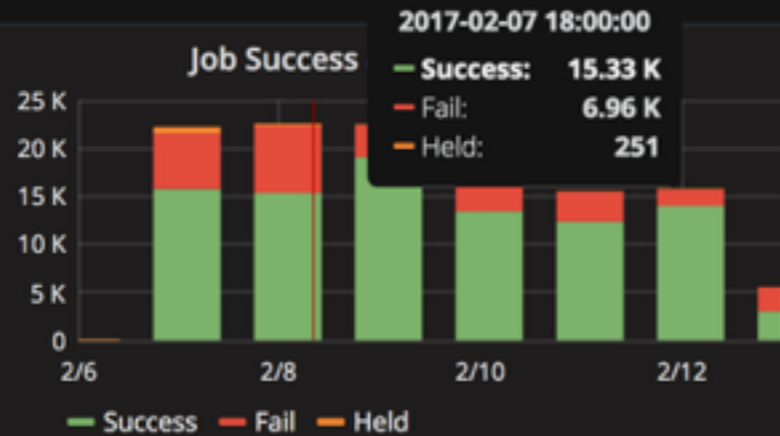
Queued Production Jobs by Wait Time



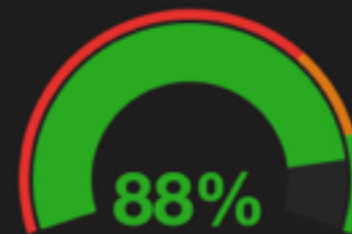
Job Success Rate



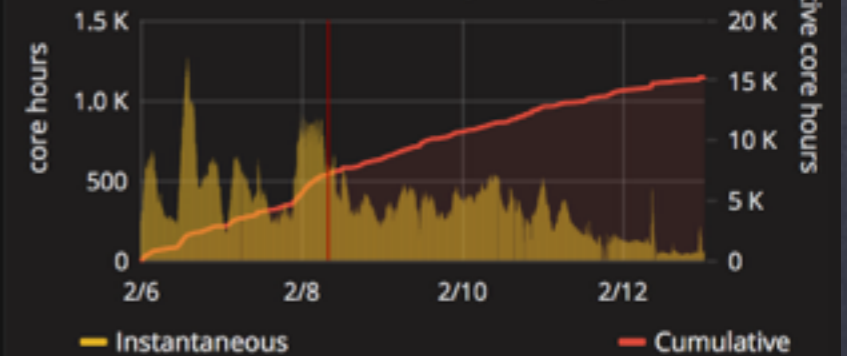
Job Success



Overall CPU Efficiency [↗](#)



Total Time Wasted by Running Jobs



New Data Cataloged [↗](#)

**262.0 TB**

Total Data Cataloged [↗](#)

**6.7 PB**



# Summary

- Operations team and collaboration continues investigation.
- Many thanks to Fermilab personnel working on the problem
- Daily meetings continue until problem resolved.