The MINERvA Operations Report

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Updates



- Timing Issues:
 - A couple of weeks ago a chain started giving errors which caused the DAQ to stop or skip to a new subrun.
 - Performed more tests with the configuration file this week. The DAQ has been running smoothly for last few days.
 - We are still trying to determine the source of the error.
- □ DAQ Computer:
 - MINERvA specific software is installed on the spare DAQ computer after it was reformatted
 - Will work on it after detector issues settle down, very little down time needed to switch computers
- □ Control Room Computer:
 - Main shift computer kernel crashed and locked all network traffic. Thanks for the help from the SLAM group.
 - The nodes are unlocked and the machine is back to normal.

Updates



□ MINOS:

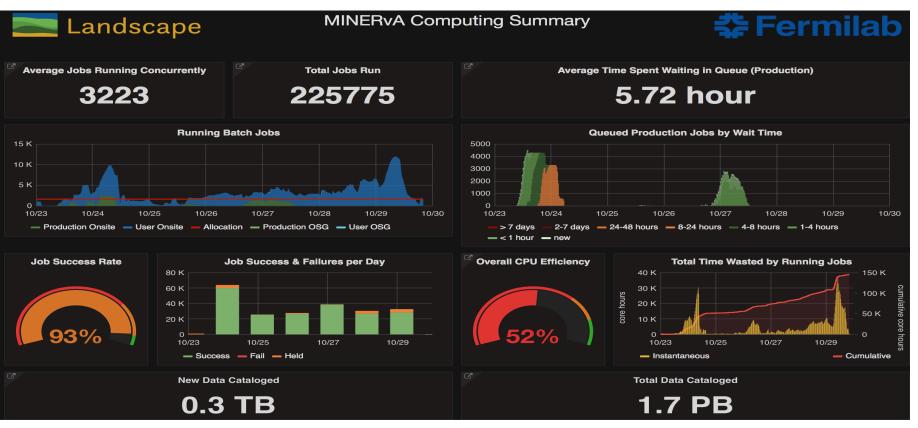
 Bad channel report script was not working, received help from MINOS experts and it is working again.

□ MINERvA and MINOS are ready for beam

- Detectors are ready to take beam
- Will continue to work on the remaining issues and developments, mostly non invasive or need vary little down time and will complete opportunistically
- We are resuming the normal shift operation this week

Computing





Period 10/23 - 10/29, 2017

- Average concurrent jobs are higher than usual, ~3200 jobs: mostly users' analysis job to prepare collaboration week
- Job success rate is good, but overall CPU efficiency is relatively low (52%) due to several users' analysis jobs
 - Too many jobs connect MINERvA conditional database at the same time

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