Online Software Status

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- Infrastructure
- Recent changes (Run 2)
- Towards Run 3 (slowly)

Infrastructure

- GitLab
  - Users seem to have adapted - with a few glitches
  - Some even really like using branches
- CMake & build system
  - Basically working
  - But nightly build still not as reliable as before
    - I have not found time to work on it…
    - To do list includes: Git submodules, continuous integration, CDash, VMs for building, etc

Run 2: Recent Changes (1)

- L1Topo
  - Continual small patches to improve reliability
  - Improvements in calibration scripts
  - Tweaks to programs to check for mismatches etc
- Simulation
  - Lots of work by Bruce and Steve to fix many issues
    - Still a few left to return to full working P1 simulation
- RodMon
  - Work by Bruce (almost finished) to split the two different functions of the old rodmon into separate applications:
    - (1) Comparisons of hardware vs simulation in test partitions
    - (2) Data integrity checks when running in the ATLAS partition

Run 2: Recent Changes (2)

- PPM
  - Minor changes for new readout modes in ReM firmware
  - Allow individual rate metering thresholds
    - Quieten a few towers that irritate shifters
- Database (PPM)
  - Major change to PPM COOL folders
    - Split attributes to those common to high/low mu and those specific to high or low mu conditions
    - Extra folder to chose mu strategy updated by expert script
  - In use since the start of 2017 data taking
    - Changes now also implemented offline
- Database (Receivers)
  - New Receiver COOL folder: HVCorrections
    - Split stable gain corrections from those due to volatile LAr HV changes
    - Just started using this new scheme during the MD/TS

Towards Run 3

- Progress in python…
  - Lots of standalone module tests using python scripts
- Not much progress in TDAQ framework
  - C++ packages remain pretty empty (some for >1 year)
  - But Juraj plans to work on FTM soon…
  - And work on gFEX is ramping up: training session for Eva and Ben two weeks ago, to be following up with vidyo discussions…
  - General plan: HW control and simulation for each module type