

RDB and CDB

(Run DB and Conditions DB)

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- RDB
 - ▷ improved filtering
 - ▷ run summary information
- CDB
 - ▷ updates

Run DB

- Mirrored to internet-at-large through proxy mu3eon.psi.ch
 - ▶ read-only. Update only within PSI intranet

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Relaunch to update ⋮

Mu3e Run Database

Significant Runs only ☒

Run class

All classes

Run range

min

max

Max runs

limit

Search comments

search in comments

Apply Filters

Showing the last 89 runs (significant runs only)

Run	Start time	End time	Sig.	Class	Events	Shift crew	Shift Comments/RunInfo Comments
1099	Tue May 6 19:42:37 2025	Tue May 6 19:47:25 2025	✓	source	4797359	PSI: LV, J, MS, MK, and more	Full US source GOOD /TKAR good run, with large noise bursts
553	Mon Apr 28 19:25:25 2025	Mon Apr 28 19:38:49 2025	✓	cosmic	805650	PSI: LV, NB	COSMICS
552	Mon Apr 28 19:22:25 2025	Mon Apr 28 19:25:17 2025	✓	cosmic	203299	PSI: LV, NB	COSMICS
551	Mon Apr 28 19:18:11 2025	Mon Apr 28 19:22:05 2025	✓	cosmic	144453	PSI: LV, NB	COSMICS
513	Mon Apr 28 16:50:06 2025	Mon Apr 28 16:56:01 2025	✓	source	690690	PSI: LV, TR, NB, UL	SOURCE. Good run. /TKAR good run
490	Tue Apr 22 17:54:48 2025	Tue Apr 22 17:55:34 2025	✓	cosmic	104974	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: MK	Stable - cosmic data taking - COSMIC /TKAR good run, low noise
489	Tue Apr 22 17:54:12 2025	Tue Apr 22 17:54:40 2025	✓	cosmic	52412	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: MK	Stable - cosmic data taking - COSMIC /TKAR good run, low noise
483	Tue Apr 22 16:42:55 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:48:26 2025	✓	cosmic	6364	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - COSMIC /TKAR good run, low noise
482	Tue Apr 22 16:41:00 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:42:46 2025	✓	cosmic	37469	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - COSMIC /TKAR good run, low noise
481	Tue Apr 22 16:37:39 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:38:08 2025	✓	cosmic	64909	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - COSMIC /TKAR good run, low noise
	Tue Apr 22 16:34:32	Tue Apr 22 16:35:37				PSI: NZ, FW Remote:	

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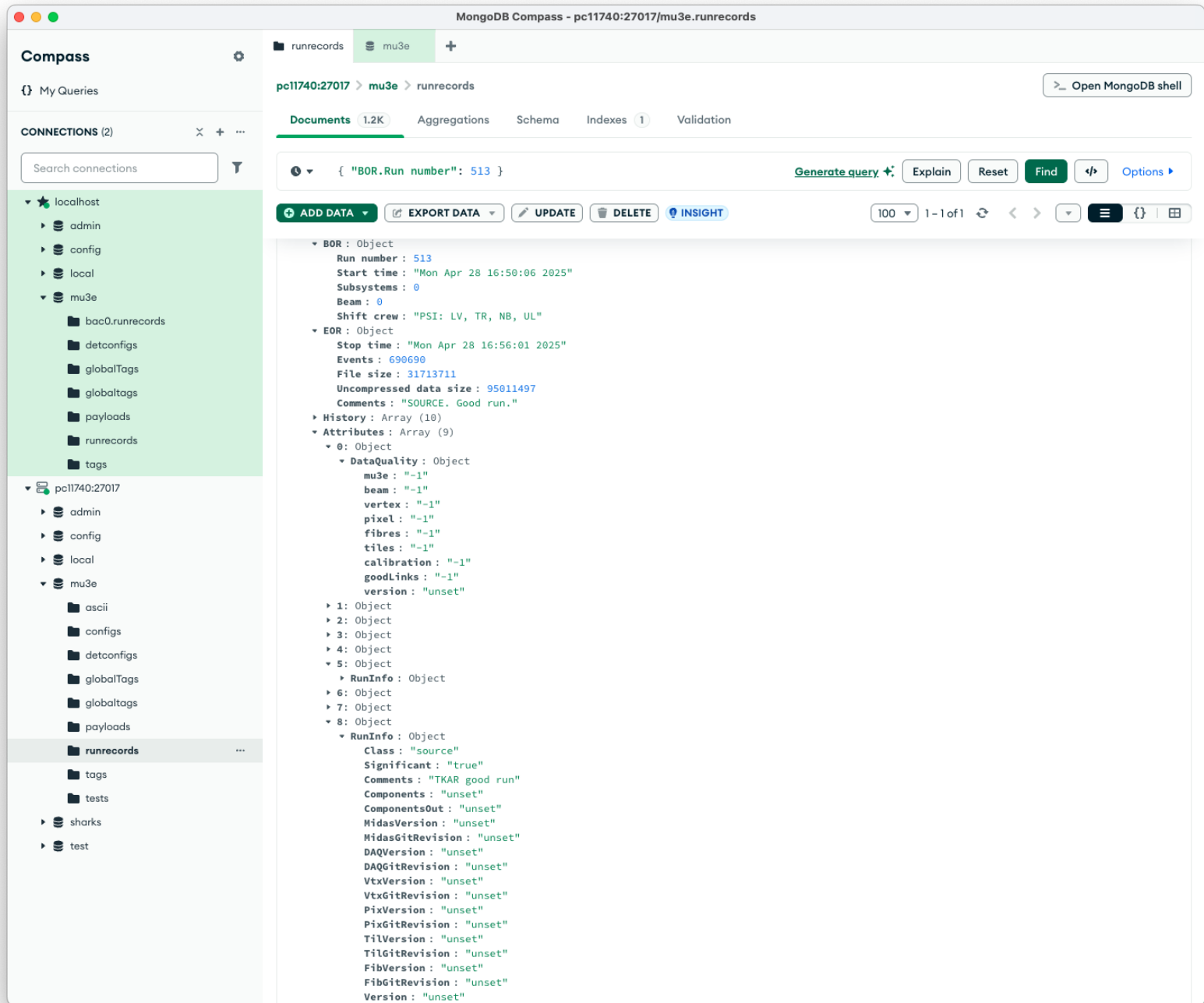
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RDB information contents

- MIDAS: beginning-of-run (BOR) and end-of-run (EOR) JSON records
 - ▷ "online/message/runlogs"
 - ▷ automatic upload to RDB server pc11740
 - ▷ basic run parameters (start/end/events/shift crew/shift comments/...)
- also upload additional vanilla information:
 - ▷ **DataQuality**
 - to be filled by "DQM"
 - ▷ **RunInfo**
 - anything else that might be useful
 - ▷ stored in Attributes array (multiple copies/updates possible)
- Notes
 - ▷ "Offline", this information is combined into class **runRecord**
 - ▷ "shift comments" will/should not be modified anymore
 - ▷ tools exist to (batch) update/filter this information
 - ▷ I would keep curation to a small circle

```
{
  "RunInfo": {
    "Class": "unset",
    "Significant": "unset",
    "Comments": "unset",
    "Components": "unset",
    "ComponentsOut": "unset",
    "MidasVersion": "unset",
    "MidasGitRevision": "unset",
    "DAQVersion": "unset",
    "DAQGitRevision": "unset",
    "VtxVersion": "unset",
    "VtxGitRevision": "unset",
    "PixVersion": "unset",
    "PixGitRevision": "unset",
    "TilVersion": "unset",
    "TilGitRevision": "unset",
    "FibVersion": "unset",
    "FibGitRevision": "unset",
    "Version": "unset"
  },
  "DataQuality": {
    "mu3e": "-1",
    "beam": "-1",
    "vertex": "-1",
    "pixel": "-1",
    "fibres": "-1",
    "tiles": "-1",
    "calibration": "-1",
    "goodLinks": "-1",
    "version": "unset"
  }
}
```

RDB run "records"



Run summary information

- Runs can be "significant"

- ▷ automatic determination based on keywords in shift comments
 - "bad", "unstable", "error", "problem", "dbx", "fail", "debug", "test", "dummy"
- ▷ can be overridden manually

- Run classification

- ▷ "beam", "cosmic", "source", "calib", "junk"
- ▷ automatic determination based on keywords in shift comments
 - "mask", "tune", "tuning", "calib"
- "calib" and "junk" runs are never "significant"
- ▷ conflicts not well solved so far:

480	Tue Apr 22 16:34:32 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:35:37 2025	✓	cosmic	540734	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - MASKING - do not analyze
479	Tue Apr 22 16:32:39 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:33:32 2025	✓	cosmic	182269	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - MASKING - do not analyze
478	Tue Apr 22 16:27:24 2025	Tue Apr 22 16:30:05 2025	✓	cosmic	937131	PSI: NZ, FW Remote: LV	Stable - cosmic data taking - MASKING - do not analyze

- Run annotations

- ▷ shift comments - can be useful and sometimes less so
- ▷ RunInfo comments:
 - ▷ add additional information
 - ▷ *e.g.*, for the April data: Tamasi's "good run" list (thanks! :-)

⇒ All three can be used as filters in web UI

RDB Access

- There is **one master instance** of the RDB
 - ▷ mongoDB server, currently pc11740.psi.ch/rdb
access through mu3eon.psi.ch from outside PSI intranet
 - ▷ provides REST interface for read/write access
 - updated by MIDAS, *et al.*, from mu3ebe
 - ▷ in case of interest, could provide JSON files for external **mongodb** setups
- RDB **mirror** for all **significant runs** through JSON CDB backend
 - ▷ **updated** at merlin-l-002.psi.ch:/data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb/
 - ▷ can be rsync'ed to external institutes (just like data)
cf [Mu3e twiki](#)
- "Offline" complete API to access all (relevant) RDB information

```
#include "Mu3eConditions.hh"
cdbAbs *pDB = new cdbRest("mcidealv6.1", urlString, 0); // should also work as cdbAbs (by now ... )
Mu3eConditions *pDC = Mu3eConditions::instance("mcidealv6.1", pDB);

vector<string> vRunNumbers = pDB->getAllRunNumbers();
for (int it = 0; it < vRunNumbers.size(); ++it) {
    int irun = stoi(vRunNumbers[it]);
    if (irun < firstRun) continue;
    if ((lastRun > 0) && (irun > lastRun)) continue;

    runRecord rr = pDB->getRunRecord(irun);
    if (rr.isSignificant()) {
        // do something
    }
}
```

CDB

- CDB contents for (staging area) data taking
 - ▷ global tag: `datav6.1=2025CosmicsVtxOnly`
 - ▷ tag: `pixelqualitylm_datav6.1=2025CosmicsVtxOnly`
 - ▷ Uptodate in
 - pc1140
 - merlin-l-002:/data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb/

```
merlin-l-002>du -ks /data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb
17237 /data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb
```
- CDB contents for data-taking?
 - ▷ no subset yet for Fibres and Tiles
 - which IDs are present/expected?
 - ▷ could do things by mixing in MC tags for Fibres/Tiles
- And overall: we should get a new mu3e release
 - ▷ mu3e v6.0 does not work with the CDB
 - ▷ need v6.1 (after merging in CDB work)

PixelQualityLM

- Currently with a simple 10σ noisy pixel filter

```
payload ->/data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb/payloads/tag_pixelqualitylm_datav6.1=2025CosmicsVtxOnly_iov_473<-
dir ->/data/experiment/mu3e/code/cdb/payloads/<-
hash ->tag_pixelqualitylm_datav6.1=2025CosmicsVtxOnly_iov_473<-
calPixelQuality::printBLOB(string)
  header: deadface (note: 0 = good, 1 = noisy, 9 = not turned on)
  chipID: 0 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 0/2/1
  chipID: 1 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
.. snip ..
  chipID: 33 link status A/B/C/M: 1/0/1/0
  chipID: 34 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 39/53/1, 162/155/1, 167/216/1
  chipID: 35 link status A/B/C/M: 0/1/0/0
    dead columns: 7, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 44,
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 0/36/1, 0/76/1, 0/80/1, 0/89/1, 0/117/1, 0/139/1, 0/144/1, 0/145/1, 0/1
  chipID: 36 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
.. snip ..
  chipID: 1062 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
  chipID: 1089 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 49/28/1, 52/186/1, 69/50/1, 105/48/1, 129/0/1, 134/249/1, 140/59/1, 141
  chipID: 1090 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    dead columns: 28, 73, 83, 122, 126, 141, 149, 157, 168, 170, 171, 221, 226, 247
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 2/44/1, 3/55/1, 3/83/1, 3/169/1, 27/26/1, 30/16/1, 30/33/1, 38/12/1, 48
  chipID: 1091 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    dead columns: 4, 6, 7, 10, 17, 23, 24, 27, 30, 38, 48, 61, 64, 66, 67, 81, 82, 84, 95, 97, 98, 107, 117,
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 1/225/1, 13/218/1, 20/218/1, 20/220/1, 39/43/1, 54/205/1, 56/135/1, 110
  chipID: 1092 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
.. snip ..
  chipID: 1249 link status A/B/C/M: 0/1/0/0
    dead columns: 33, 36, 41, 57, 81, 205, 209, 213
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 0/3/1, 0/183/1, 0/240/1, 1/22/1, 1/40/1, 1/138/1, 1/157/1, 1/218/1, 1/2
  chipID: 1250 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 0/32/1, 0/40/1, 0/42/1, 0/53/1, 0/61/1, 0/65/1, 0/112/1, 0/116/1, 1/80/
  chipID: 1251 link status A/B/C/M: 0/0/0/0
    dead columns: 56, 57, 65, 77, 84, 89, 117, 153, 155, 175, 193, 217, 219, 232
    defective pixels (col/row/qual): 1/27/1, 1/131/1, 1/152/1, 2/1/1, 2/21/1, 2/35/1, 2/97/1, 2/169/1, 2/215
  chipID: 1252 link status A/B/C/M: 9/9/9/9
..snip..
```


Summary and Outlook

- RDB with substantial upgrade
 - ▷ **significant** runs and automatic classification of run types
 - ▷ Better filtering (web), API allows production of individual run lists
- CDB
 - ▷ complete (functional) tags for staging setup data
 - ▷ complete mirror on merlin
- Outlook CDB/RDB
 - ▷ merge code into mu3eUtil/cdb
 - ▷ (global) tag for data-taking including fibres/tiles
 - ▷ include "proper" DQM run assessment
 - ▷ API to read mask files? Non trivial!
 - data volume! at which level? what is loaded into h/w?
- Outlook Offline
 - ▷ backup of merlin data
 - ▷ prompt reco workflow re-instantiation
 - ▷ migration to merlin7?
 - ▷ re-arrangement of JSON CDB/RDB backend with subdirectories (eventually)