Run 20 RHIC Machine/Experiments Meeting

August 4, 2020

Agenda:

- General discussion of Run 20 status and progress
- RHIC Status
- STAR Status
- CeC Status
- All Other Business (AOB)

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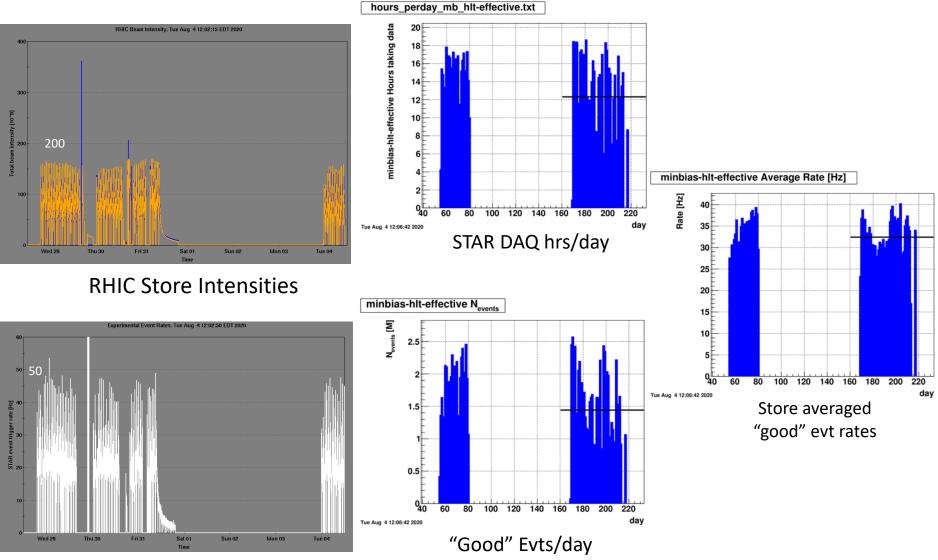
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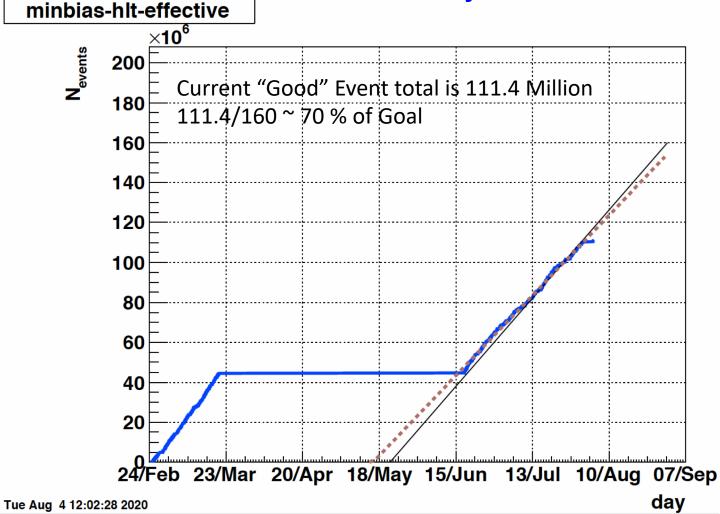
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- JH Lee
- V. Litvinenko

Some Performance Plots for the past week's Operations



STAR "Good" Event rates

Current STAR Projections



Many things, in particular weather related, can occur over the next month or so which could impact the progress of the run. At this point it appears likely that the run will end sometime in mid September. Please recall the ~ 5 days of CeC running as well as 7.7 GeV commissioning time is included in the run program.

A Long range Forecast for coming weeks August

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In general the weather ahead of us looks a bit cooler than the weather we've already experienced. We've likely already seen the worst we'll experience in terms of Temperature and humidity AOB

A brief summary from the Schedule meeting View of the next 22 months

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A few key outcomes from the Scheduling meeting that was held on July 22nd:

- The consensus from the meeting was that the upcoming shutdown (aka SD1) should have a duration of 4 months, extending from Oct. 1st to Feb. 1st
- Run 2020 should end as soon as all 2020 program goals are met. An end earlier than Oct. 1st would add time to the SD1 duration.
- The effort that will likely determine the duration of SD2 is the Cryo Controls upgrade.
- LEReC needs an estimated one week, after cold, to commission the 1.4 GHz cavity.
- CeC plans to request 2 weeks of dedicated time in the 2021 run.
- The upcoming PAC mtg in early September may cast some light on the length of the 2021 run.
- There is ongoing discussion of the time needed for the SD2 Cryo effort.

Calendars as a possible aid for discussion

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