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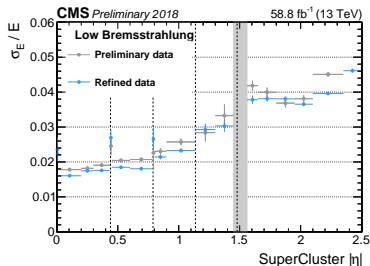
# Automatic data processing for prompt calibration of the CMS ECAL

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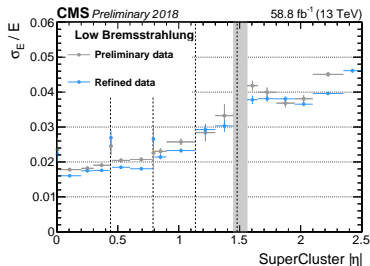
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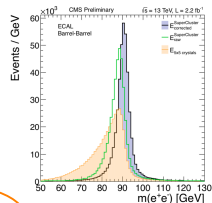
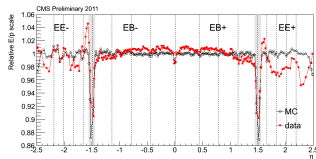
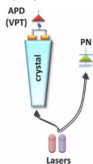
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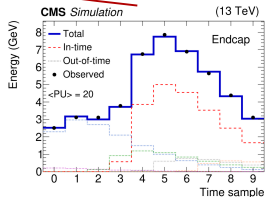
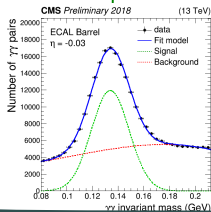
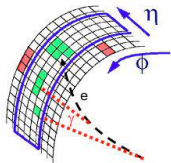
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- **Freeing up resources is crucial to tackle recurring and new challenges.**
  - The **main focus in Run3 and beyond** will be to improve the mitigation of **noise** and **pile-up** related effects (more in Davide’s [poster](#)  and Abhirami’s [talk](#)  )

# Context: $e/\gamma$ reconstruction in CMS

- + alignment.
- + signal time delay adjustment.



$$E_{e,\gamma} = \sum_i [L_i(t) \cdot C_i(t) \cdot A_i(t)] \cdot G(\eta) \cdot F_{e,\gamma}$$



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- **A complex procedure:**

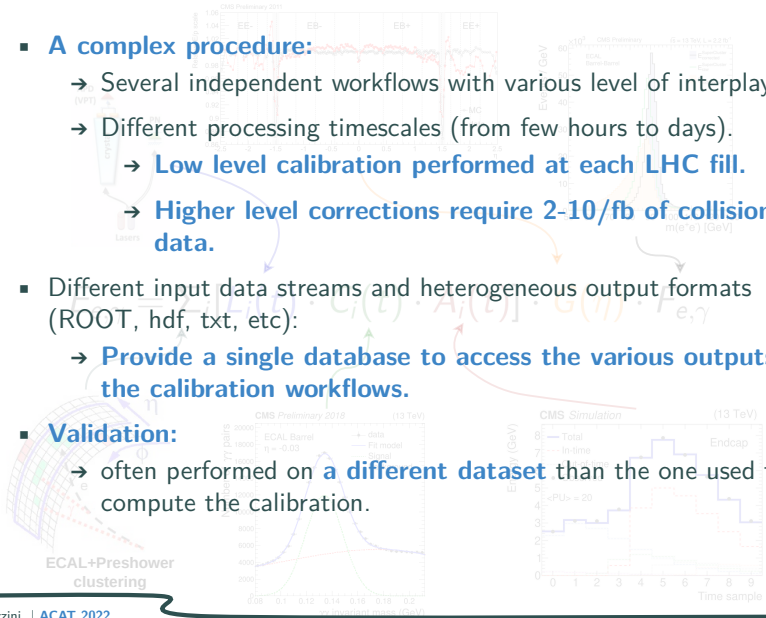
- Several independent workflows with various level of interplay.
- Different processing timescales (from few hours to days).
  - **Low level calibration performed at each LHC fill.**
  - **Higher level corrections require 2-10/fb of collision data.**

- Different input data streams and heterogeneous output formats (ROOT, hdf, txt, etc):


- **Provide a single database to access the various outputs of the calibration workflows.**

- **Validation:**

- often performed on **a different dataset** than the one used to compute the calibration.



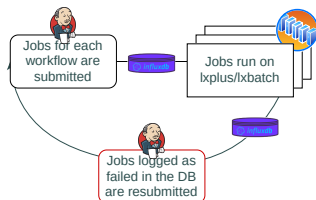
# Context: CMS prompt data processing.




- Data acquired by the CMS experiment is streamed from the local farm to **Tier-0** computing center located at CERN.
- Different data streams are processed at different stages, ultimately producing the “prompt-reconstructions” that is **used in physics analysis**.
- The prompt reconstruction is usually started **48h** after data-taking.
- Before that the **Prompt Calibration Loop [ref](#)**  provide a system to compute a new calibration using a reduced/dedicated set of events.
  - **This new system is inspired to the PCL model, extending its functionalities to allow for greater flexibility.**

# System overview

- **The requirements:**
  - **A system based on industry tools** (less development, easier maintenance).
  - Re-use existing custom code.
  - Process data “live” as well as bulk reprocessing at a later stage.
  - Enforce traceability of jobs configuration (which cfg did I use?).
- **The solution:**
  - A framework of finite state machine implemented through **Jenkins**, **Influxdb** and **Grafana** for monitoring.
  - Deployed with the **Openshift** instance provided by CERN-IT.
  - A **small python package** [↗](#) to provide the **interface** between the CMS ecosystem, the user jobs and the framework.

# Processing flow

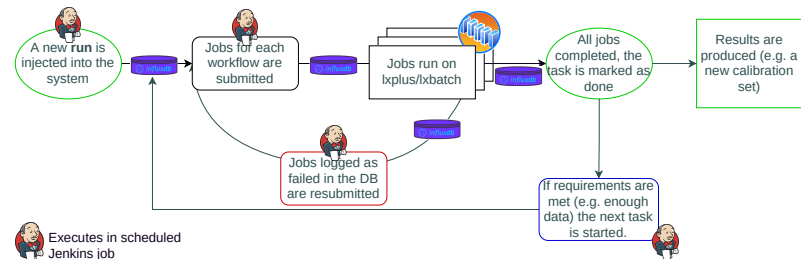


-  Executes in scheduled Jenkins job
-  Computationally intensive jobs run on CERN clusters
-  R/W to influxdb

- Each **workflow** can run multiple jobs in parallel (local center, GRID, ...).
- Each **job** logs its status independently.
- **Influxdb** does not have fixed tables, allowing each workflow to write for each job a set of **custom fields**.

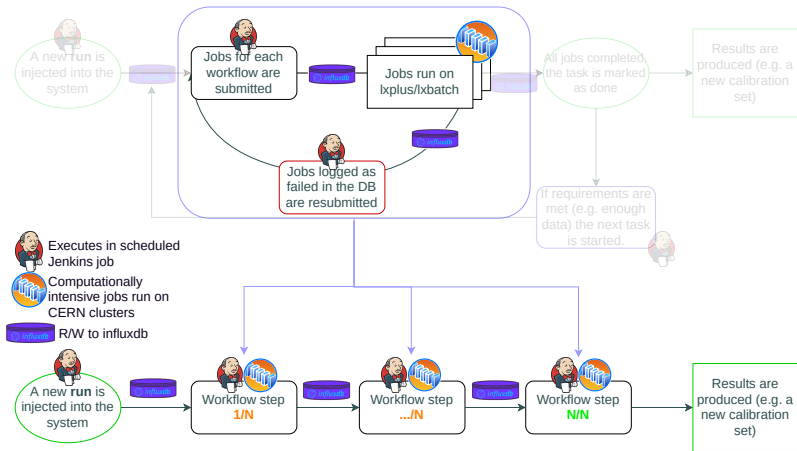


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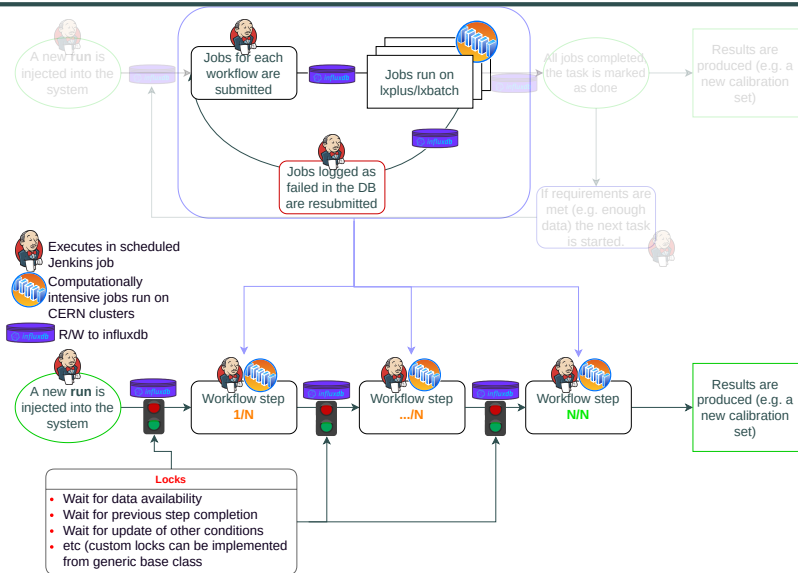


- **Entry point:** new data fetched from the CMS run registry.
- **Polling started by Jenkins periodically** (1 hour)
- Results are usually collected at the next pass.

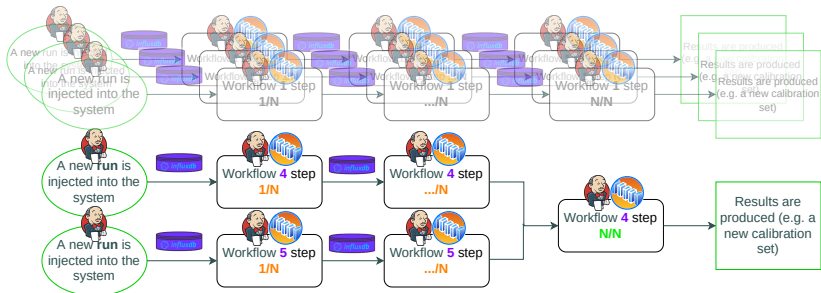
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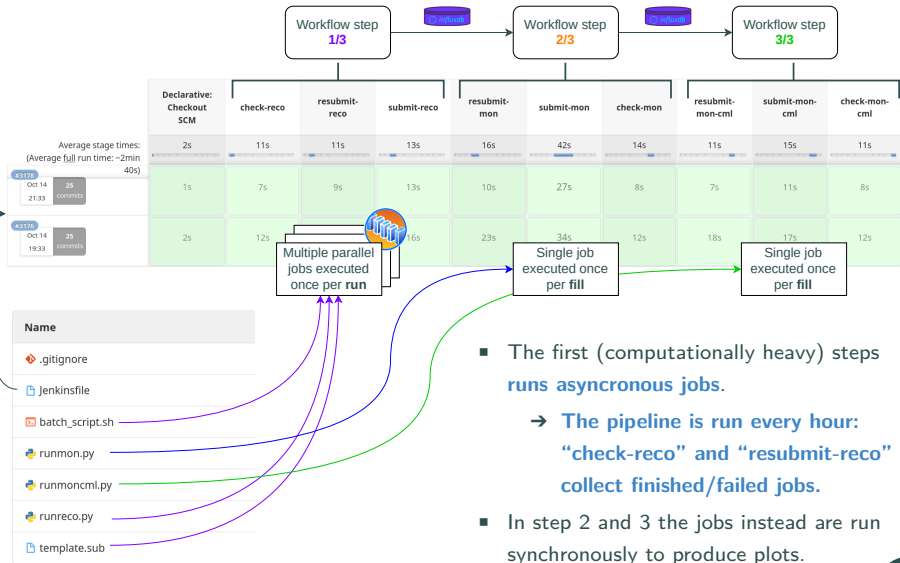


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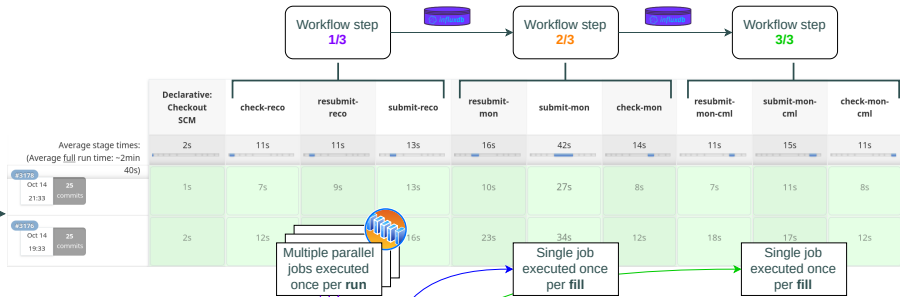


- **Workflow chains runs independently**, started periodically by Jenkins.
- Chains can be joined/split to feed multiple outputs to a single subsequent workflow.
  - **Convenient for validation (test vs ref)**
  - Similar to DAG but without the requirement that different branches runs synchronously.

# Workflow example



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Name
🔥 .gitignore
📁 Jenkinsfile
📄 batch_script.sh
📄 runmon.py
📄 runmoncml.py
📄 runreco.py
📄 template.sub

```
#!/usr/bin/env python3
import sys
from ecalautoctrl import HTCHandlerByRunDBS, CondDBLockGT, TOProcDatasetLock

if __name__ == '__main__':
    laser_ped_lock = CondDBLockGT(records=['EcalLaserAPDPNRatiosRcd', 'EcalPedestalsRcd'])
    t0lock = TOProcDatasetLock(dataset='/AlCaPO', stage='Repack')

    handler = HTCHandlerByRunDBS(wflow='pi0-reco',
                                  dsetname='/AlCaPO/*/RAW',
                                  locks=[laser_ped_lock, t0lock])

    ret = handler()

    sys.exit(ret)
```

# Monitoring

## Data processing overview page

Run info				Processing overview				Workflow steps' status							
Run #	File	DAQ endtime	DT	Res. Lims	Global status	error-phs	alignment-recs	alignment-steps	pulse-shapes	pulse-shapes-man	pulse-shapes-mw	simsg-recs	program-recs	pd-recs	all-recs
335720	8222	2022-10-03 14:52:08	126X_datahub_Procstat_v4	78.6	processing	done	new	new	new	new	new	new	new	new	new
335718	8222	2022-10-03 01:28:04	126X_datahub_Procstat_v4	128	processing	done	new	new	done	done	done	done	done	done	new
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335681	8220	2022-10-01 13:43:47	126X_datahub_Procstat_v4	66.2	processing	done	new	new	done	done	done	done	done	done	new
335680	8216	2022-10-01 07:18:47	126X_datahub_Procstat_v4	113	processing	done	done	new	done	done	new	done	done	done	new
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- Monitoring of resources: **EOS and AFS quotas.**
- Execution monitoring through webpages and dedicated **Mattermost alerts and slash commands.**
- Development and debug in **“mirror” system:** execute workflows from HEAD of each branch rather than production tag.

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Deployment request for environment prod received

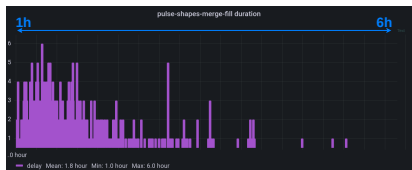
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Environment prod deployed successfully

**ecalgit BOT** 11:58  
[PULSE-SHAPES-HLT]: Workflow pulse-shapes-hltval for run 360797 permanently marked as failed.  
Please check the logs: <https://ecallogs.web.cern.ch/pulse-shapes-hltval-2139596-9.log>

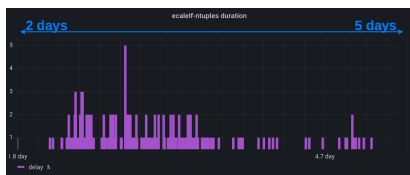
Monitoring of several system parameters.

# Review of the operation in 2022

- The 2022 LHC p-p run was supposed to be a commissioning period.
  - The update of new calibrations has not been performed automatically.
  - Integration of all workflows still ongoing.
  - **The system had no downtime during 2022 and has been used to successfully monitor the evolution of the ECAL response as well as produce low level calibration factors.**
- We are already in the process of integrating more CMS subsystems into the framework.
- Latency in workflows completion has been mostly driven by external factors (availability of input: data, other detector calibration factors, etc).




Example of workflow running on RAW data



Example of workflow running on reconstructed, pre-calibrated data.



# Summary and outlook

- We have developed a [framework](#)  to integrate **independent workflows** into a **coherent and automatic** data processing system.
- **The framework concepts could serve equally well other projects:**
  - Beside the interaction with the CMS ecosystems (run register, conditions database, etc), the concept of a system based on **Jenkins+influxdb+python** for a **flexible and continuous** data processing can be easily exported to other projects.
- Planned developments:
  - **Containers** naturally fit the framework structure.
  - Currently using the CMS software environment on a shared file system (AFS+EOS+CVMFS). + job-dependent software loaded from git repos at runtime.
  - More monitoring, more continuous testing, ...

## Additional material

# The tools

- [Jenkins](#) : an open source automation server. It helps automate the parts of software development related to building, testing, and deploying, facilitating continuous integration and continuous delivery. **In this context it is used to automate the execution of data processing jobs.**
- [influxdb](#) : a NoSQL database. Optimized for time series.
- [Grafana](#) : a powerful database visualization tool.
- **Openshift**: a family of containerization software products developed by Red Hat.