

Q&A

Documentation (1)

- *Request for documentation and tutorials (web page) dedicated to analysis: technics and semantics*
 - General Manual
 - <http://aliweb.cern.ch/Offline/AliRoot/Manual.html>
 - Analysis
 - <http://aliweb.cern.ch/Offline/Activities/Analysis/index.html>
 - Reference guide
 - <http://aliceinfo.cern.ch/static/aliroot-new/html/roothtml/ClassIndex.html>
- Is this sufficient, too much, outdated or hard to find?
 - User guide needs to be shorter and updated twice per year
 - Reference guide need to be auto generated for every release
- Are people actually looking for the Cookbook style recipes?
 - cut/copy/paste examples which could only be sensibly maintained by the PWGs.
 - Offline can can help in reviewing them and making sure that they are up to date

Documentation (2)

- *Existing documentation outdated and scattered in many places (protected Twikis or Indico) without coherence*
 - This is an artifact of our overall approach to Web which is very difficult to keep up to date in current outsourcing model
- *Document the quality and usability for analysis of the reconstructed and MC runs*
 - Again, this is something that PWGs/PWG-PP has to do and we can provide a placeholder on the Web (similar to Run Conditions table).

AliRoot & Development

- Keep permanently the daily analysis tag
 - This was discussed yesterday
 - We can keep daily analysis tag but would like to agree on cleanup policy
 - Proposal: automatic cleanup after 30 days
- [AliRoot](#) is too heavy for installation (large root file included)
 - This will be addressed by splitting [AliRoot](#) Core from PWG part
 - In principle, AliRoot Core (all versions) are and will be available on CVMFS
 - No installation needed
 - With OCDB in CVMFS we could remove conditions data from the Git
- Prevent commits that break AliRoot
 - Concerns PWG code which is not validated
 - Git allows development workflow that assures that such problem does not happen but it requires everyone to follow
 - <https://indico.cern.ch/event/305441/session/7/contribution/51/material/slides/2.pdf>