

ALICE Offline Week – Offline Forum

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DPG - Introduction

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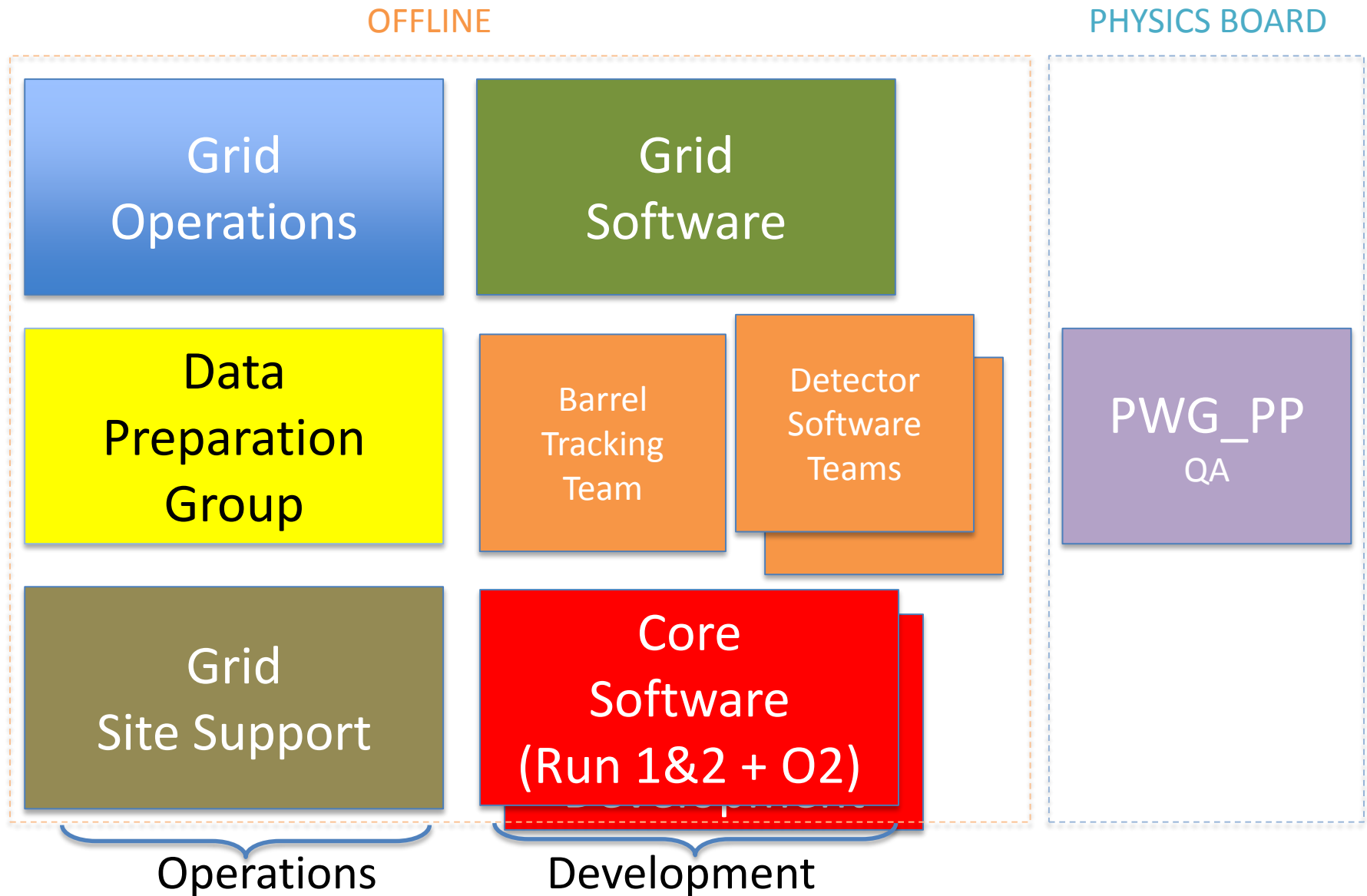
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Data Preparation Group within the Offline Project





Ready to go

- We are now ready to start DPG activity within Offline
 - Initially by moving most of the existing PWG-PP structure to DPG (including responsibilities)
 - Adding additional manpower from two institutes that specifically committed themselves to DPG activity
- The ‘startup’ team has a challenging task to restructure PWG-PP activities and possibly seed a new project within ALICE
 - Create new internal organizational structure
 - Define tasks, deliverables and interactions of within DPG and between DPG and other ALICE structures
 - Expose missing manpower issues
 - Create inviting environment for new groups and individuals to join the effort
- Constraints
 - We absolutely need to assure continuity and uninterrupted Run 2 operations



Today's menu

- What is on the table?
 - + Constructive discussion on the tasks and deliverables of each subgroup in DPG
 - + Discussion on interactions between DPG and other ALICE structures
 - Offline, detector groups, Physics Board, analysis community
 - + Suggestions how to motivate more people to join

Agreement on what to expect from DPG and how we will work together to reach our goals

- What is not on the table?
 - Discussions about technical details