

Development of the JUNO Conditions Data Management System

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Outline

- JUNO Experiment
- Conditions Data
- Conditions Database System
 - Data Model
 - Web Interface
 - CondDB Service
 - Frontier/Squid for data caching
- Performance Testing
- **■** Summary

Jiangmen Underground Neutrino Observatory (JUNO) Experiment

Main Physics Goal: determine the neutrino mass hierarchy and precisely measure oscillation parameters with an unprecedented energy resolution

Earth

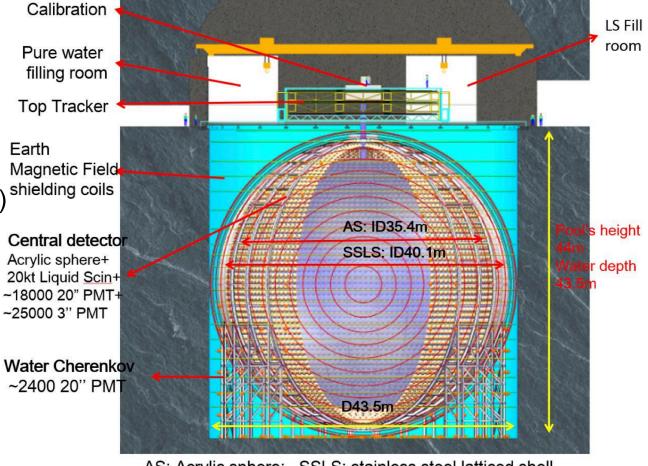
of 3% at 1 MeV



Central Detector (CD)

Water Cherenkov (WC)

Top Tracker (TT)



AS: Acrylic sphere; SSLS: stainless steel latticed shell

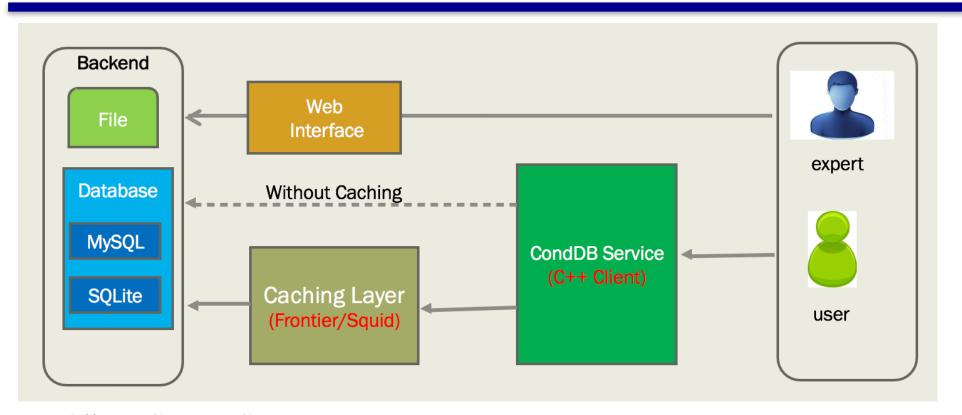
Conditions Data

- Conditions Data includes
 - Detector Configuration
 - Geometry, Material Optical Parameters and Calibration data
 - Detector Monitoring
 - High Voltage, Electronics Channels, LS Volume and Temperature,...
- Conditions Data are heterogeneous and varying with time
 - Different write rate, access rate, data volume and data format

Data Type	Write Rate	Access Rate	Data Volume
WC_PMT_Timing	Once Per Year	~ kHz	~ 100 MB Per Year
CD_PMT_Gain	Once Per Day	~ kHz	~ 10 GB Per Year
DqChannel	Once Per Mins	~ kHz	~ GB Per Year
Material_LS	Once Per Years	~ kHz	~ KB Per Year

How to effectively manage these Conditions Data is a crucial task!

Overview of Conditions Database System



- Client-Server Structure
 - Server side: underlying database is flexible
 - Client side: Several methods are provided for access to DB
- Data caching capability is implemented with Frontier/Squid, which has been used by ATLAS and CMS

Data Model

Like CMS, Six database tables are used to manage conditions data and describe their validity

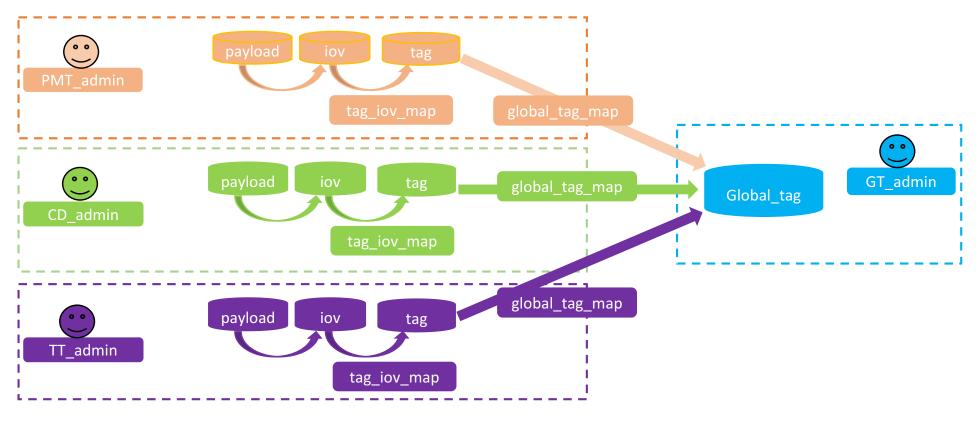
- 4 Metadata tables
 - Payload: holds conditions data or the path of the conditions data file
 - IOV (Interval of Validity): describes the period of payload validity
 - Tag: collect a set of IOVs
 - Global Tag: collects a set of Tags
- 2 Auxiliary tables
 - Tag IOV Map
 - Global Tag Map

With this design, Conditions Data is separated from Metadata, It is good for scalability and maintenance for the long-time running of Exp.

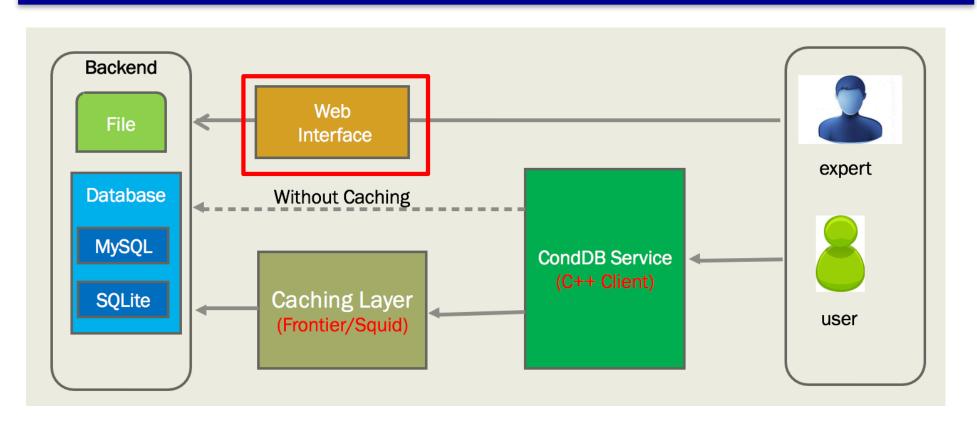


Data Management

- According to the features, conditions data is divided into different types, for example, PMT, Central Detector (CD) and Top Tracker (TT)
- There is one manager for each type of conditions data



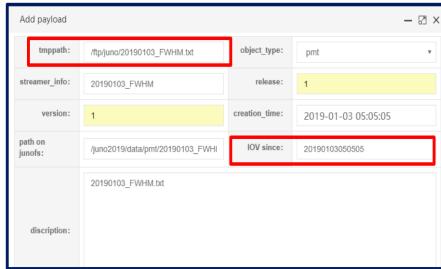
User Interface

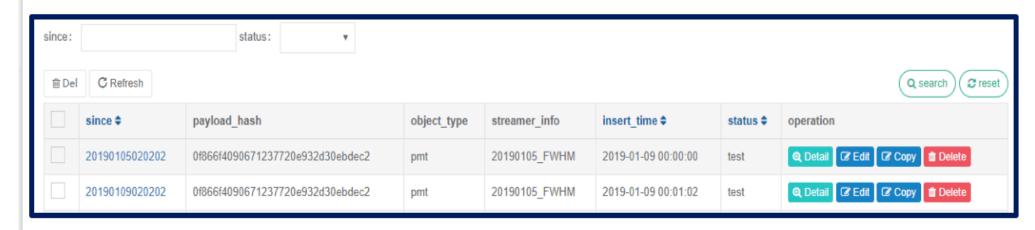


- User Interfaces are setup for managers/experts/users
 - Web Interface
 - CondDB Service

Web Interface to create new payloads

- Web interface is developed for Data Manager to
 - Upload the data files into web server by ftp command
 - Create new payloads
 - Create new IOVs
 - Create new Tags
 - Add IOVs into Tag





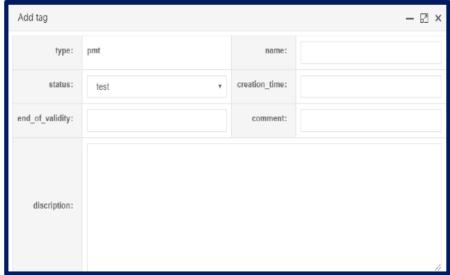
Web Interface to create new IOVs and Tag

■ Web interface is developed for Data

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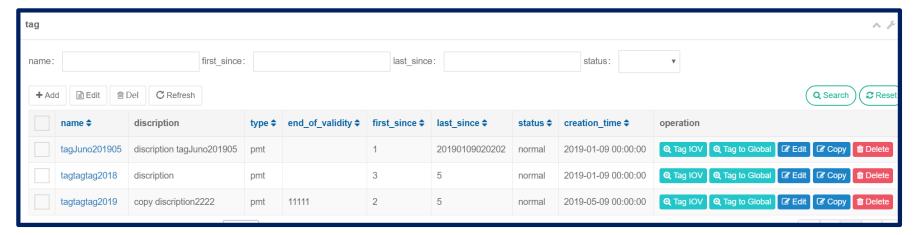




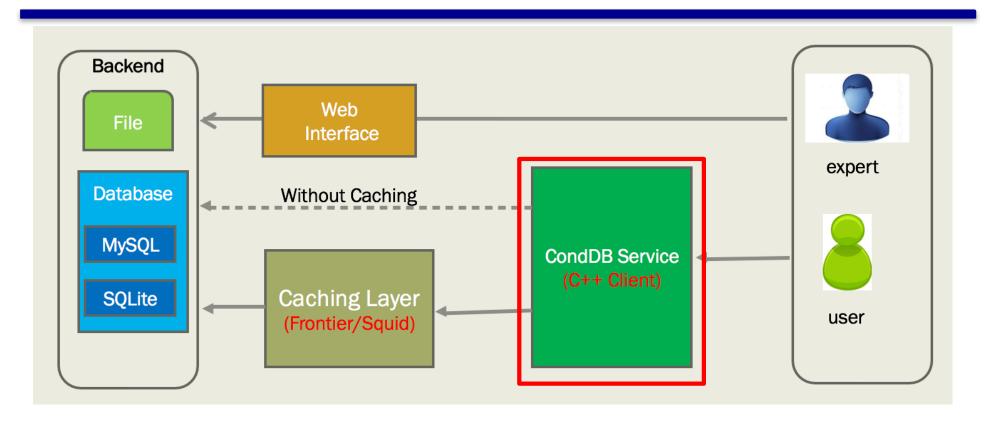
Web Interface to create a global tag

- Top Manager creates a global tag for all types of conditions data
 - Create a global tag for certain purpose
 - Notify subsystem managers
 - Subsystem managers decide which tag should be included for this global tag
 - Global tag will be frozen after validation and testing

End of collection time ♦	release \$	operation
2019-07-01 00:00:00	1	Q Detail Q Notice Q Map Tags Q Freeze
2019-01-10 09:14:05	1	Q Detail Q Notice Q Map Tags Q Freeze
2019-04-10 09:14:05	1	Q Detail Q Notice Q Map Tags Q Freeze

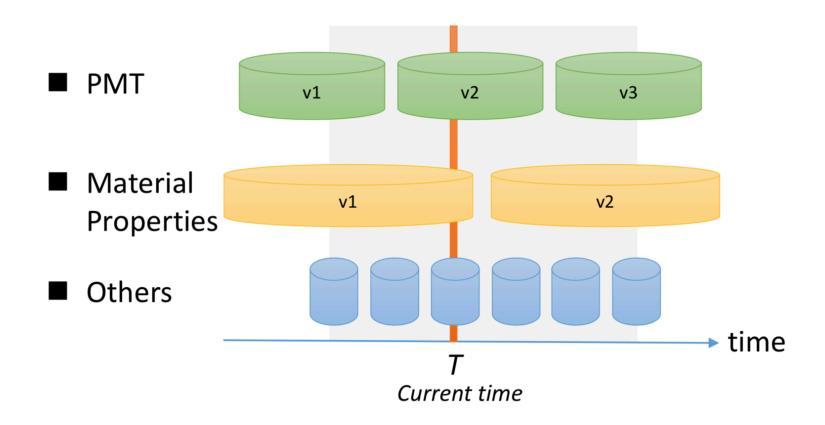


Conditions Database(CondDB) Service



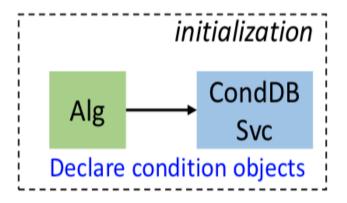
- CondDB Service is provided for access to Database in the offline software system
- It is implemented with a service of SNiPER, which is the offline software Framework developed by JUNO collaboration

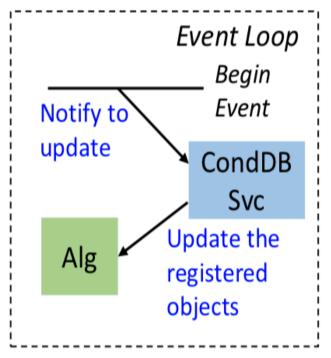
■ CondDB Service retrieves the suitable conditions data (Object) from Conditions Database according to the current event time



Conditions Data

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- Varying with the time
- Need to declare which condition objects will be used in the algorithms



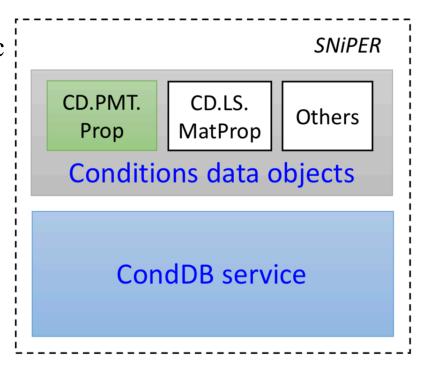


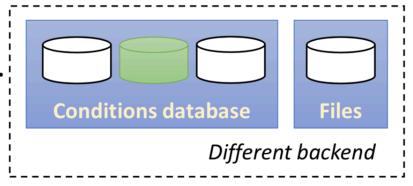
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■ Persistent Condition Object

- Support several backend with different format and priorities
 - Temporal Database/Files for testing and validation
 - Official Database for data production

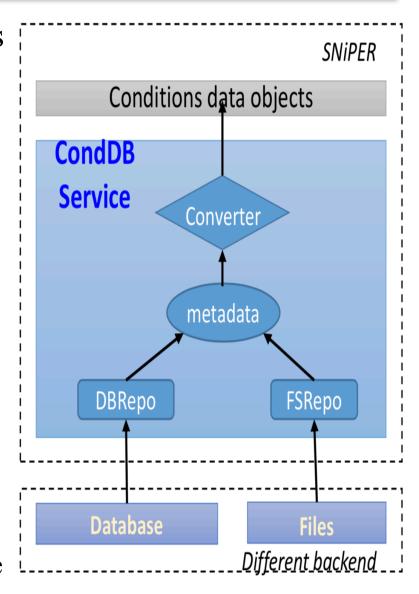




- Conditions Data used by algorithms in term of C++ Object (Transient Condition Object)
- Persistent Condition Object in Multiple format and managed by conditions database
 - Database
 - Files

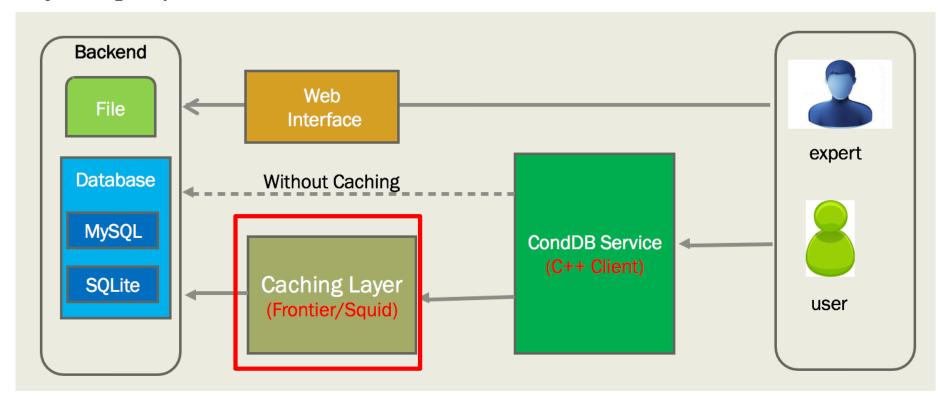
■ CondDB Service

- Perform conversions from Persistent
 Object to Transient Object
- Updates the condition objects during the event loop



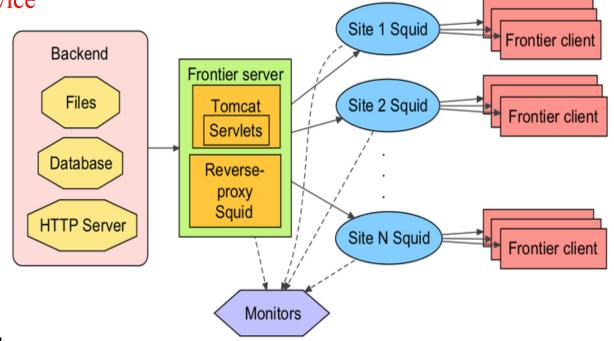
Data Caching Layer

- An intermediate layer (Frontier/Squid) between the client and server is adopted to provide data caching capability
- To decrease the heavy burden of center database when thousands of jobs query the same conditions data at the same time



Frontier System

- Frontier Client
 - C++ API
 - Called by CondDB Service
- Squids
 - HTTP proxy
 - Cache data locally
- Frontier server
 - Decode requests
 - Contact with a backend



More details about Frontier: https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/Frontier/FrontierOverview

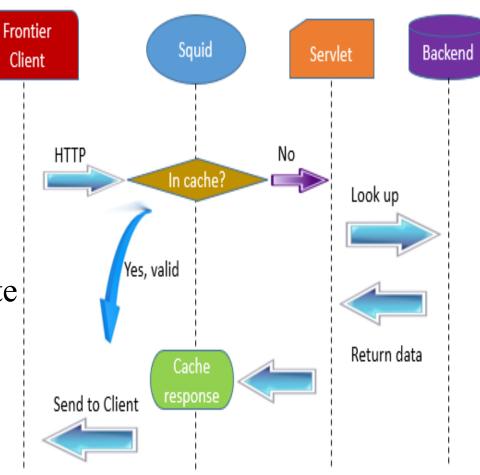
Workflow of Data Caching

■ Frontier Clients firstly send query to Squids, not the Center Database

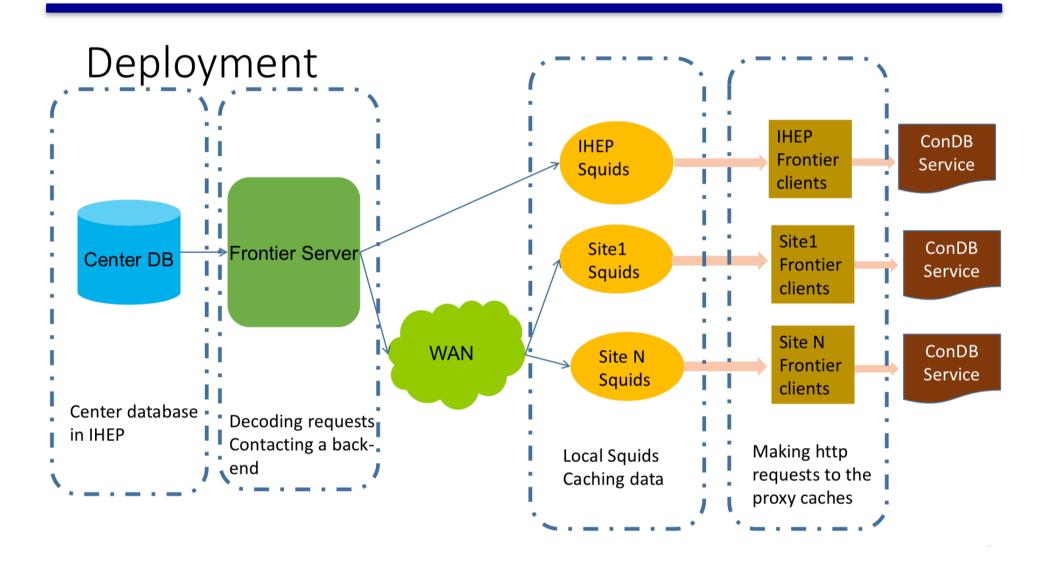
■ If the requested results has been cached in local squid, Frontier clients could get data directly from squid.

■ The System automatically update the cached data frequently at very low cost

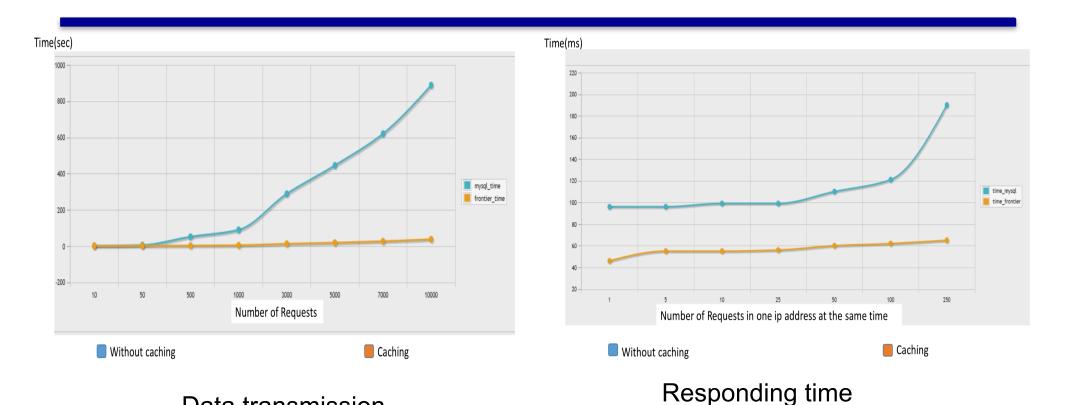
- Make sure the cached data being updated in time
- Frequency for updating is configurable



Testing System



Performance Testing



- Every request is the same and needs to download some data
- The request with caching remain fast and stable with increased number of requests

Data transmission

Summary

- Conditions data takes very important role for the event data processing and physics analysis
- Conditions Data are heterogeneous and vary with time
- JUNO Conditions Database System is developed to homogeneously manage all Conditions Data
 - Data Model
 - Web Interface
 - CondDB Service
 - Frontier/Squid for data caching
- The System has been tested and optimized to have good performance, and is being used for JUNO M.C. Data Production

Thanks a lot!