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Resources Review Meeting: 2020Q3 ATLAS RAL

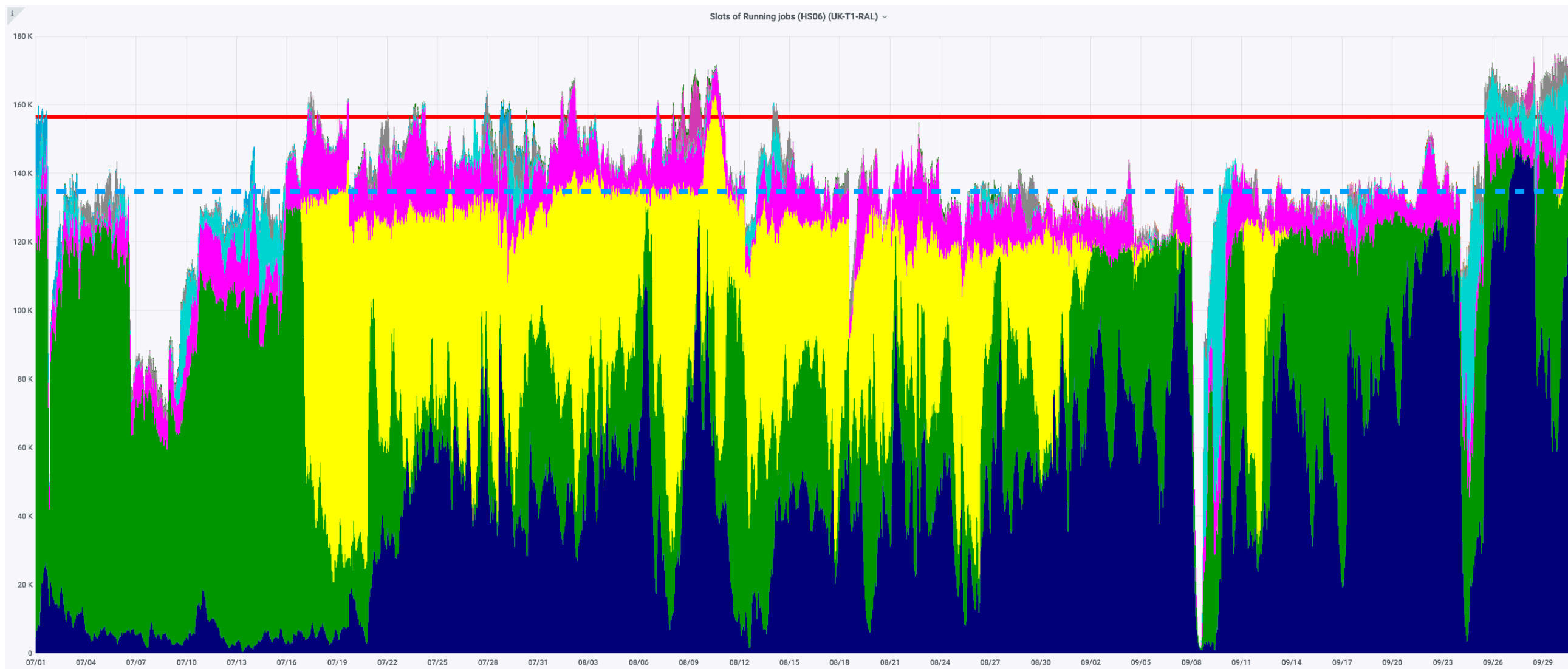
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Highlights

- Reporting period:
 - Q3 2020: 1 July – 30 September
- Highlights:
 - Deletion campaign on MCTAPE (DATATAPE and additional MCTAPE round in Q4)
 - Data carousel performance at RAL noted again: “Staging throughput at RAL has been high and stable. What are your secrets to reach such a good performance ? :)”
 - Data reprocessing (in Data Carousel model) for full Run-2 data, for RPVLL analysis
- Major issues / events:
 - Occasional ATLAS/CERN issues, time taken for ATLAS to recover to fairshare
 - Upgrade to ARC-CE6 (smooth from VO perspective).
 - RAL (Scheduled) downtime for network switch firmware upgrades (Sept. 8th); all went well.
- New/Ongoing Issues
 - (Low-level of) failures related to Direct-io access (similar to LHCb issues).
 - RAL to be able to run singularity in unprivileged mode; Experiments will then use own version of Singularity (from CVMFS)
 - Rolled into updating to Centos7 (and related batch farm services).

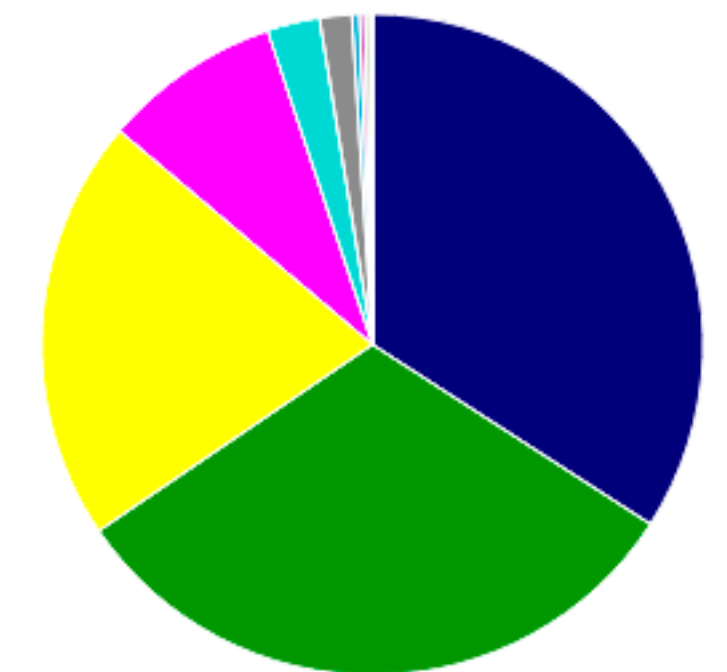
Batch farm CPU commitment

- 2020–21 pledge: 156.4 kHS06 (13.9% of ATLAS T1 pledge)
- Average over period: **161.2** = **137.8***(11.7/10) kHS06:
 - Scaling accounts for difference between site-reported Corepower (HS06/core) and farm average.



	min	max	avg	total
MC Reconstruction	307	148.7 K	47.7 K	105.2578 Mil
Group Production	200	128.8 K	43.5 K	96.0925 Mil
Data Processing	0	116.0 K	28.9 K	63.8282 Mil
Pledges	156.4 K	156.4 K	156.4 K	57.5684 Mil
User Analysis	20	32.7 K	11.1 K	24.4572 Mil
MC Simulation Full	0	81.9 K	3.5 K	7.6658 Mil
Group Analysis	0	15.4 K	2.1 K	4.7419 Mil
MC Merge	0	20.8 K	374	825.1 K
MC Simulation Fast	0	21.3 K	371	819.9 K
MC Event Generation	0	3.9 K	251	554.1 K
COVID	0	773	49	107.1 K

Wall clock time. All jobs (HS06 seconds)

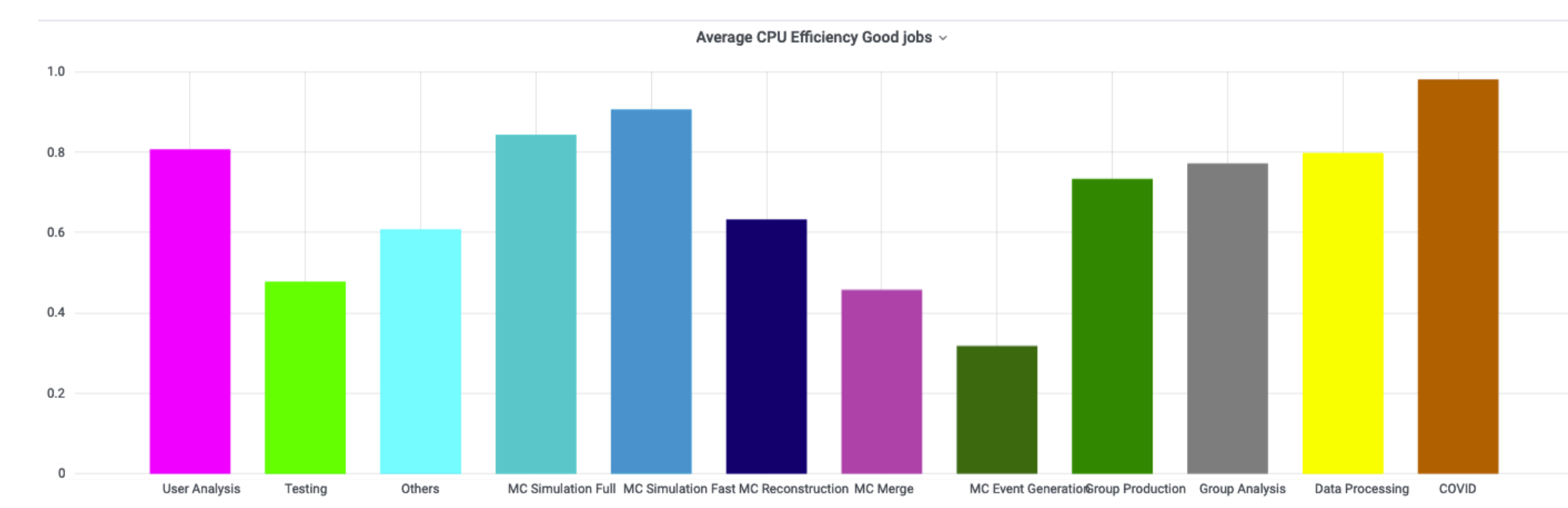
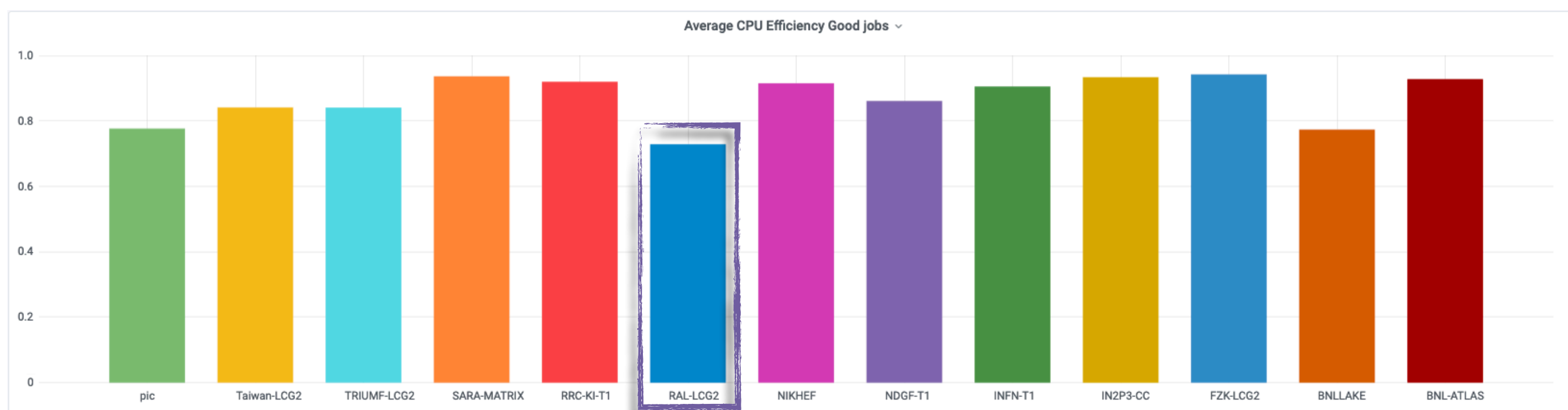
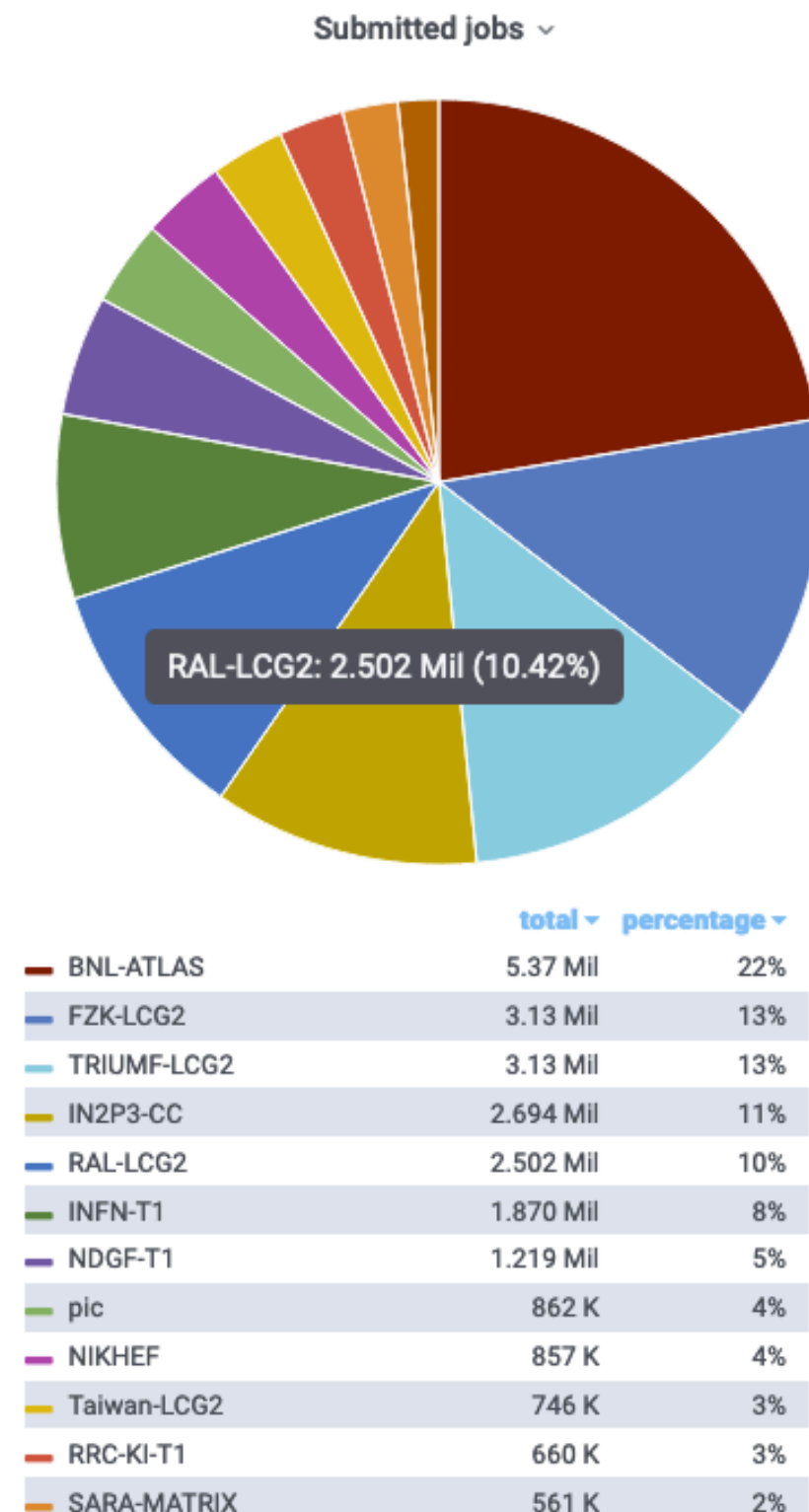
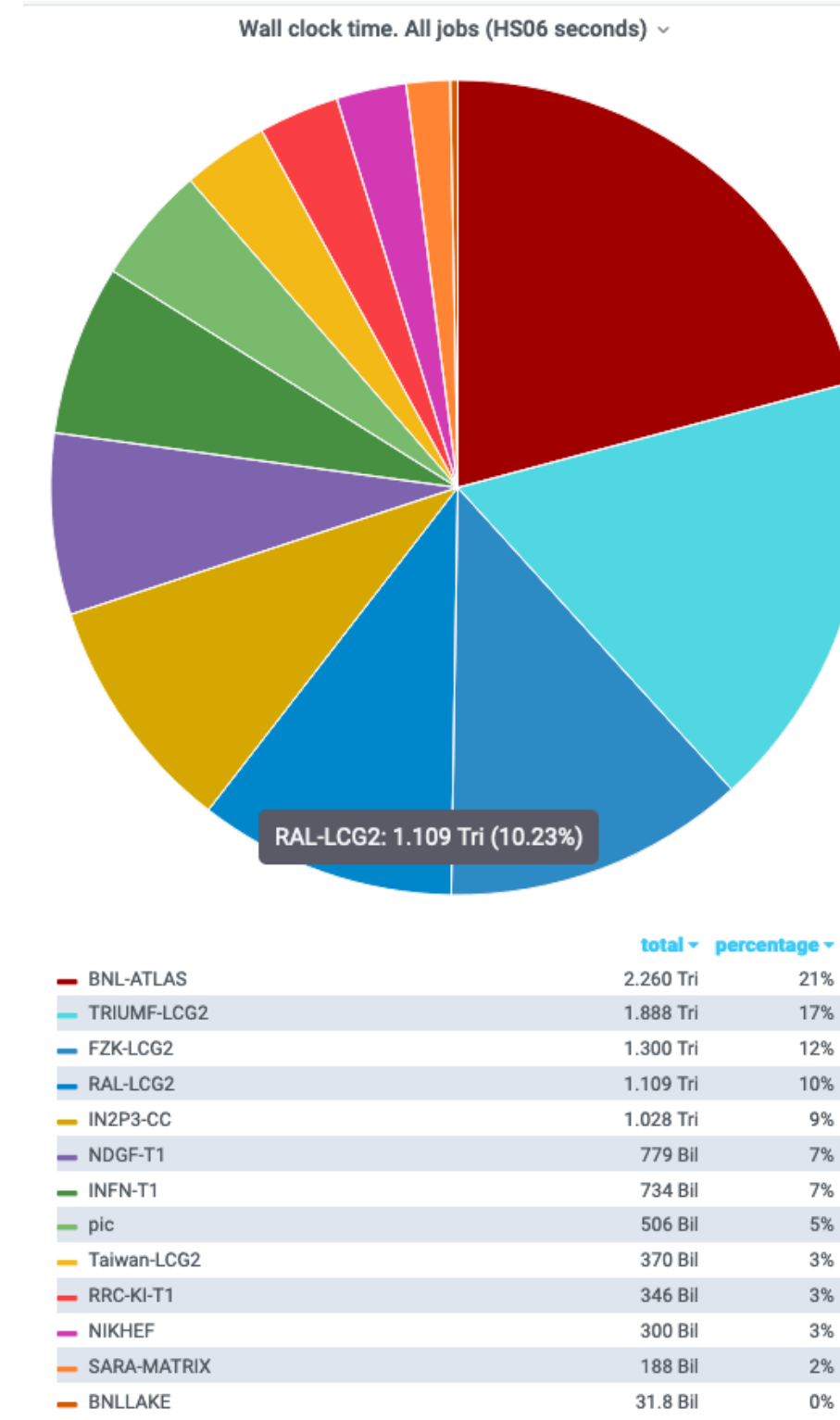
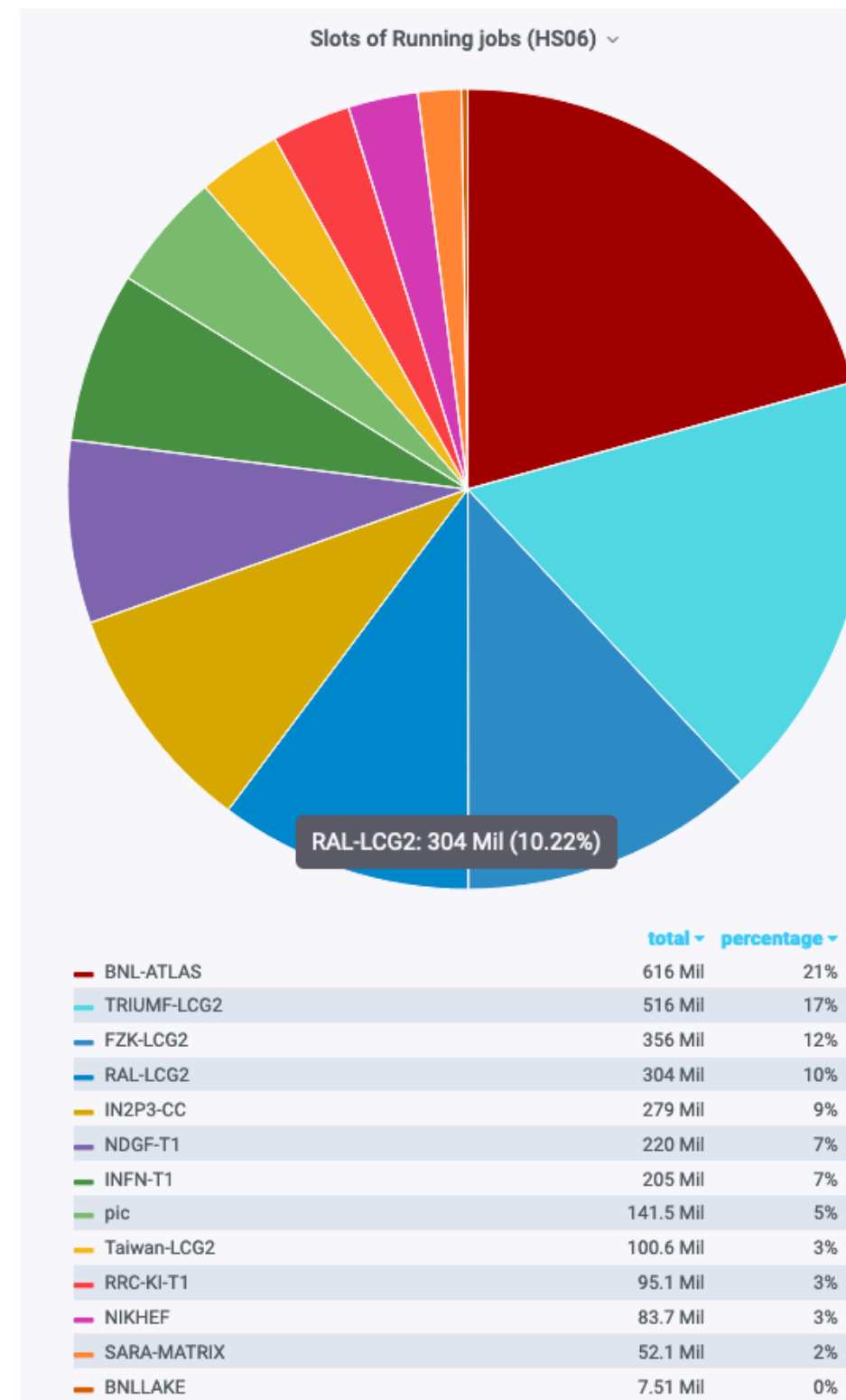


- MC reconstruction, Derivation production, RAW re-processing (for RPVLL) dominate HS06 time.

	total	percentage
MC Reconstruction	378 Bil	34%
Group Production	348 Bil	31%
Data Processing	229 Bil	21%
User Analysis	96.4 Bil	9%
MC Simulation Full	28.4 Bil	3%
Group Analysis	17.5 Bil	2%
MC Simulation Fast	3.92 Bil	0%

T1 Comparison

- RAL providing ~10% of ATLAS slots, jobs and walltime
- CPU efficiency rises slightly from Q2:
 - ~70% -> 75%:
 - Efficiency varies substantially across job type; would also need to be extracted

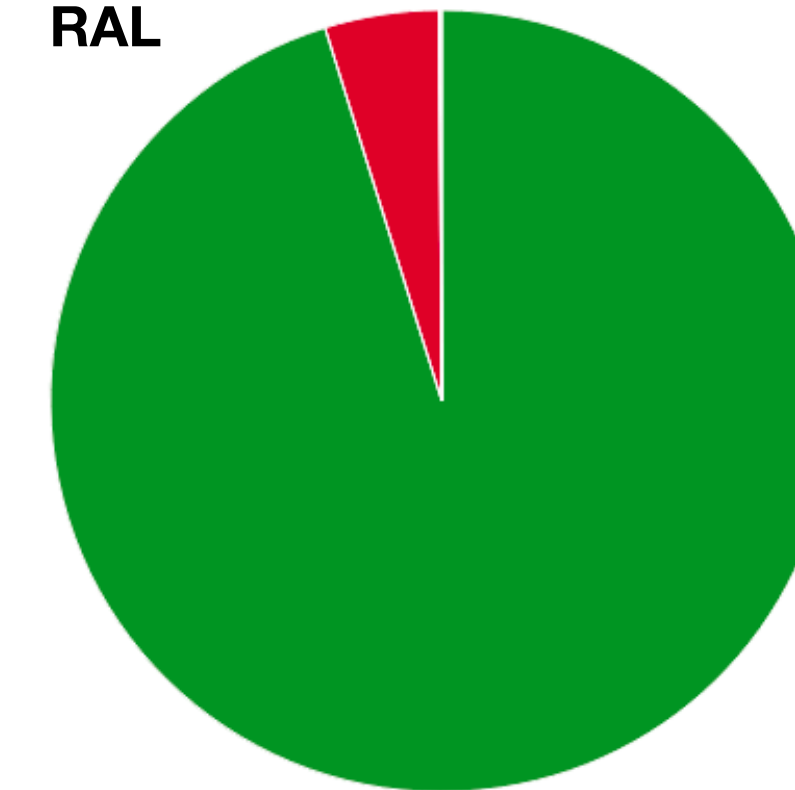


Job Failures

- Overall improvement (in all Tier-1s) of lost wall time:
 - RAL's success rate (in walltime) 95% cf 92% average.
- All Tier-1s: 29% walltime lost in User Analysis jobs; cf. RAL: 25% (all failure types)
- Work on ATLAS side to improve resilience to Stage-in, stage-out failures
- Direct-io failures still observed at low-level (relevant mainly to user jobs)
 - Implementation of vector reads should help

WallClock Consumption of Successful and Failed Jobs - Pi...

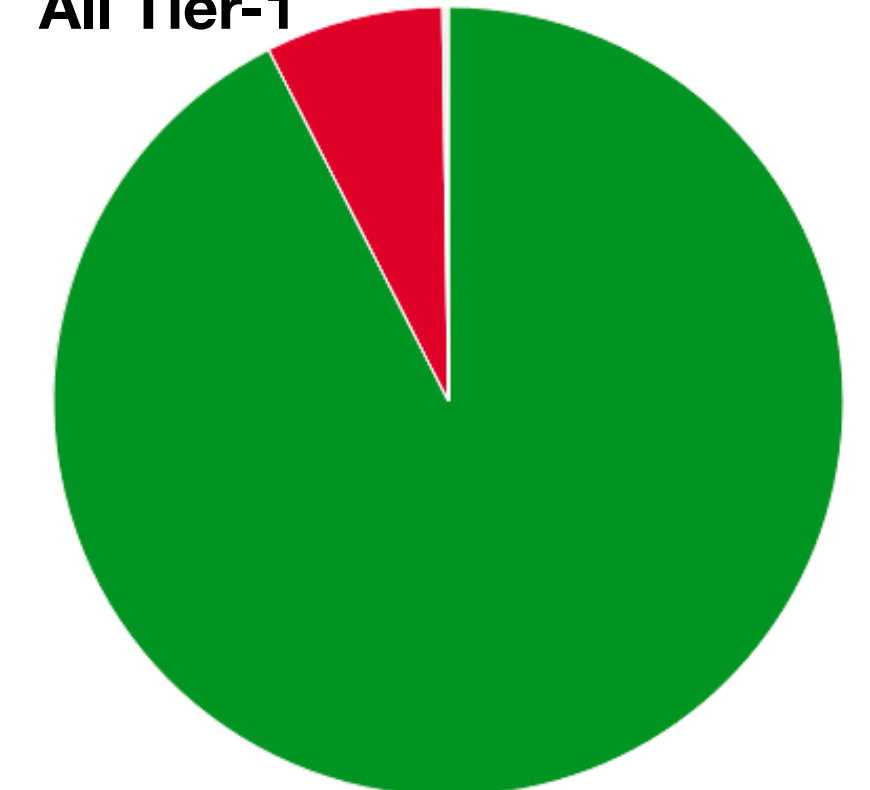
RAL



	total	percentage
finished	106.1 Bil	95%
failed	5.25 Bil	5%
closed	40.3 Mil	0%
cancelled	00.6 Mil	0%

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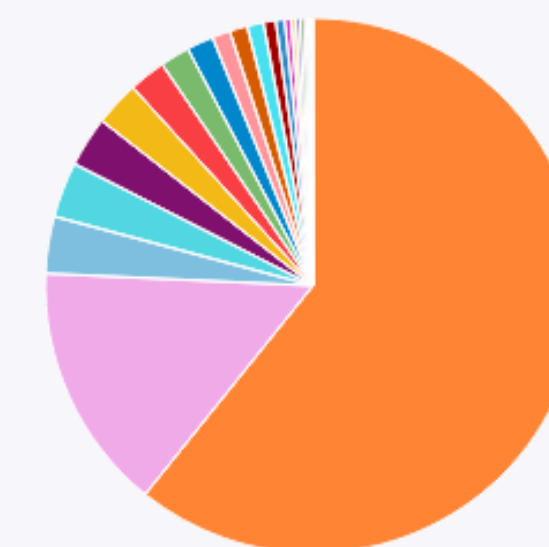
All Tier-1



	total	percentage
finished	805 Bil	92%
failed	63.4 Bil	7%
closed	1.229 Bil	0%
cancelled	266 Mil	0%

Panda Failure Categories - Pie Chart

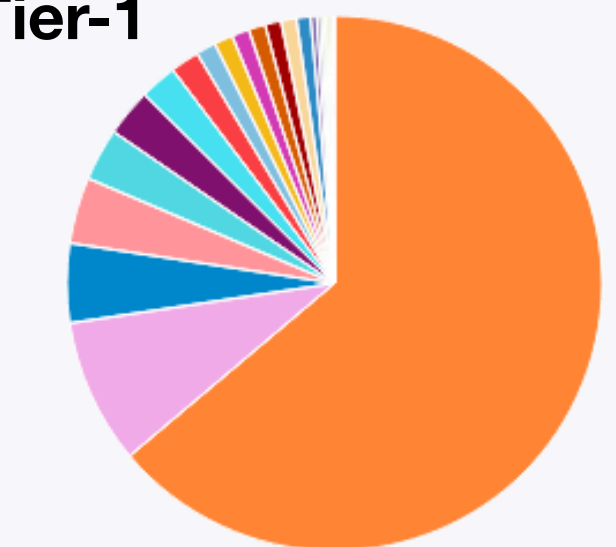
RAL



	total	percentage
TaskBuffer Error: Timeout	395 K	61%
Athena/Exec Error: Athena	97.1 K	15%
Athena/Exec Error: Proot	22.3 K	3%
Transformation Error	21.8 K	3%
Pilot Error	19.7 K	3%
Transformation Error: not installed in CE	17.6 K	3%
TaskBuffer Error 300	14.45 K	2%
UNKNOWN	11.60 K	2%
TaskBuffer Error	10.48 K	2%
DDM Error	7.10 K	1%

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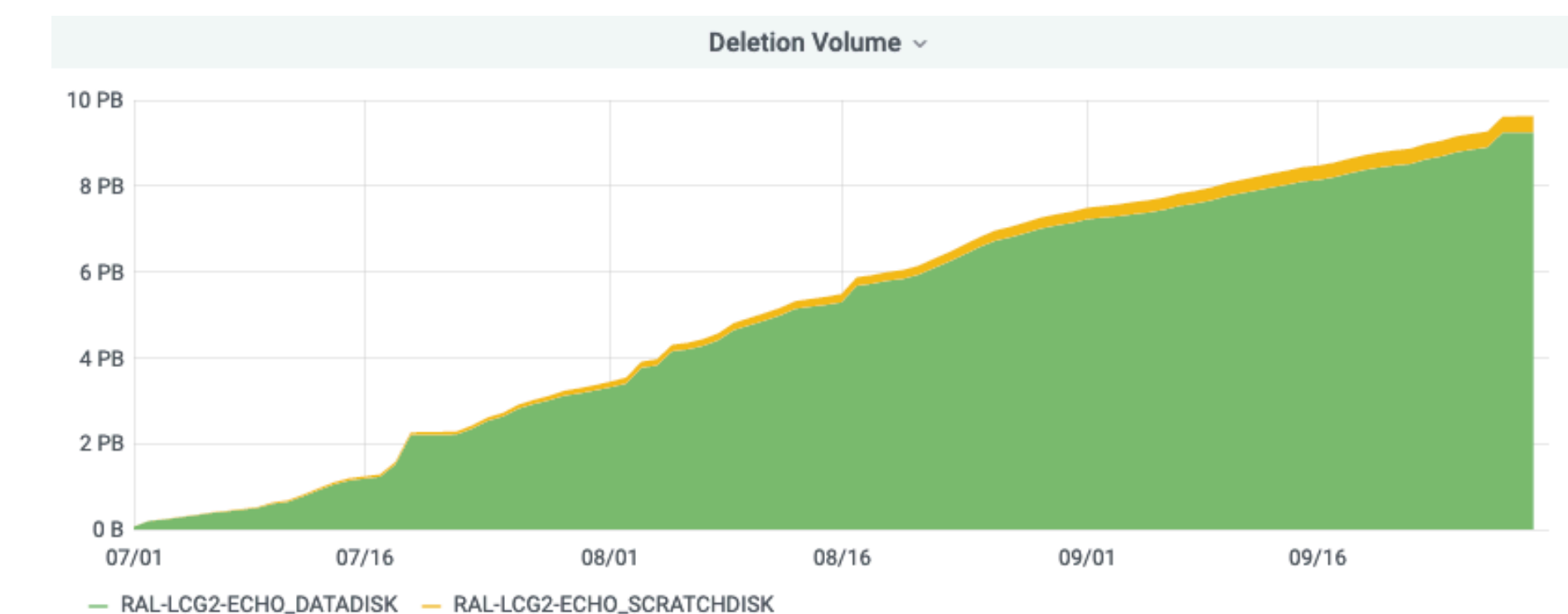
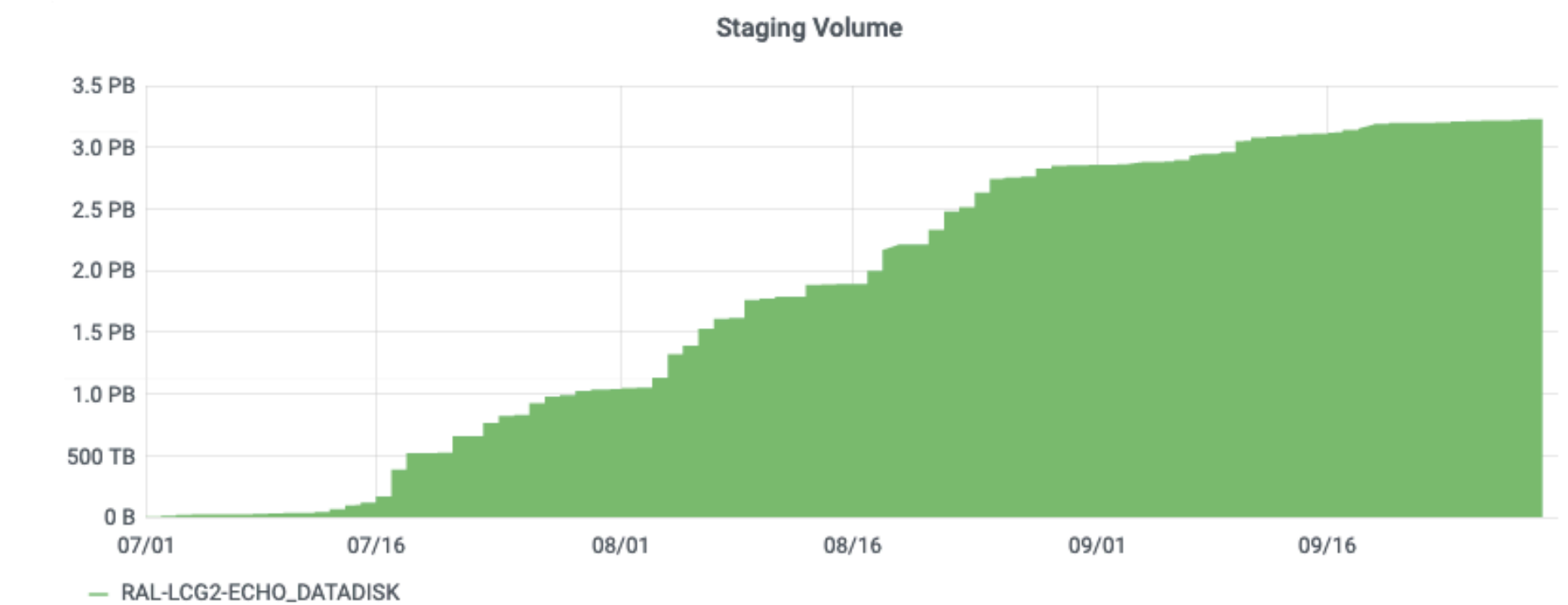
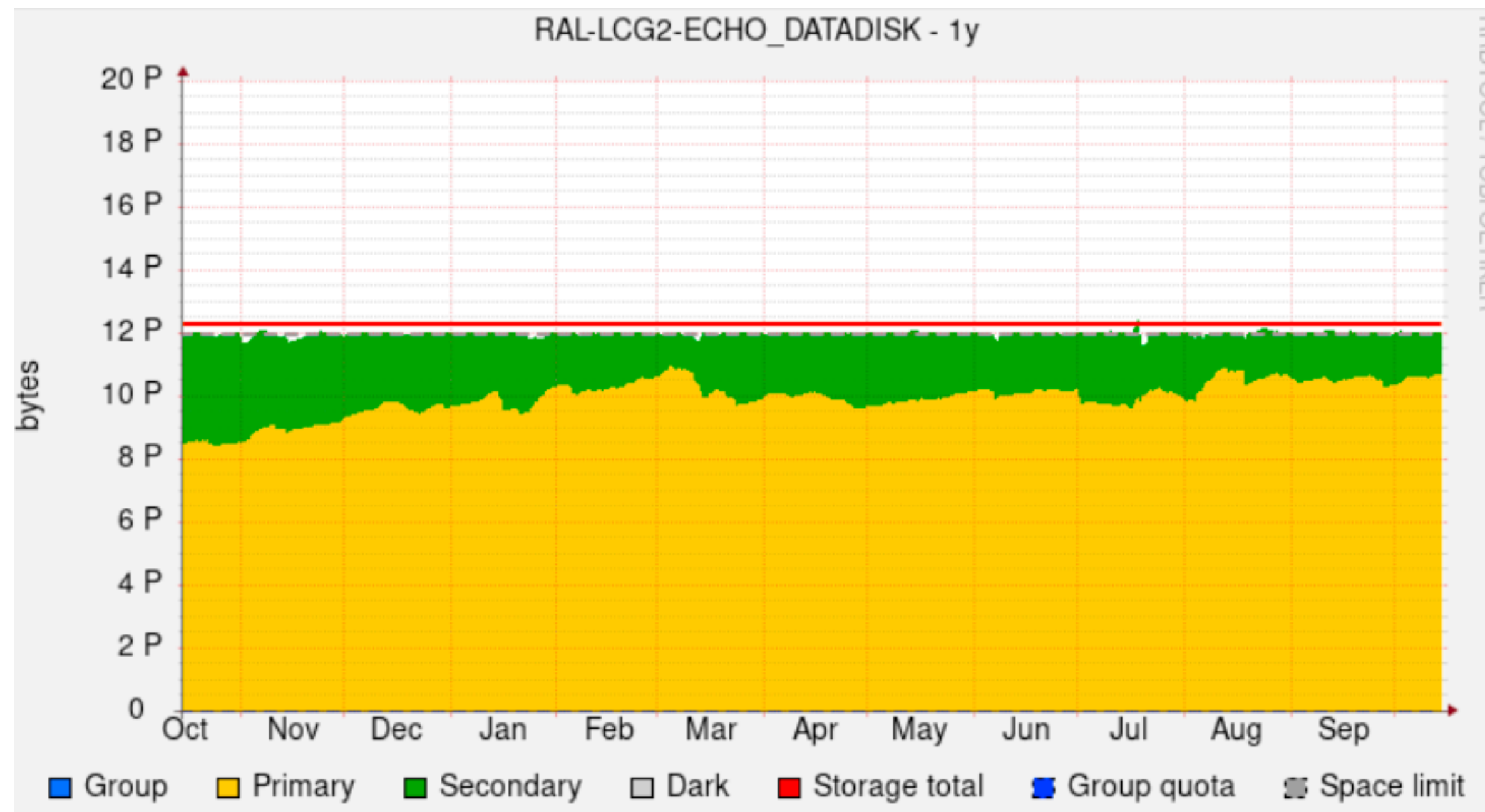
All Tier-1



	total	percentage
TaskBuffer Error: Timeout	4.22 Mil	64%
Athena/Exec Error: Athena	579 K	9%
TaskBuffer Error	316 K	5%
DDM Error	264 K	4%
Transformation Error	209 K	3%
Pilot Error	189 K	3%
Execution Error 65	147.7 K	2%
TaskBuffer Error 300	115.2 K	2%
Athena/Exec Error: Proot	79.0 K	1%
Transformation Error: not installed in CE	75.1 K	1%

Disk usage

- 12PB on DATADISK
- 9.6PB deleted
- More regular use of Lifetime deletion model started



Tape

- 2.9 PB added to TAPE
- 2PB deletion on MCTAPE (secondary data)
 - Deletion on DATATAPE just starting in end Q3
 - Further MCTAPE deletion in Q4
- 26.7 PB total tape usage (~32PB pledged).

