



WBM Operations and Plans for 2017



2016



- Very smooth operation of WBM
- Major achievements:
 - full integration TCDS
 - full integration uGT
- No pending requests / missing functionality



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Plans for 2017





WBM history



- started in 2006
 - w/o cleanly defined scope
- (self-defined) mission:
 - only recently turned into run coordination project
 - Jump in whenever tool (not ony) for displaying data is needed and no one else could provide
- good for CMS: evolved into extremely helpful tool / many useful utilities
- But:



Drawbacks of current WBM



- scope was heavily extended over the years
 - increasing complexity / interdependency
 - expertise needed within WBM: XDAQ, FM, system administration, (CMSSW), SQL, oracle, Java, javascript, html, css,
 - hard to disentangle



Drawbacks of current WBM (2)



- web apps became very popular: web 2.0
 - heavily improved, desktop like UX
 - much better methods / frameworks / web browsers
 - ECMAscript, JIT, AJAX, REST
 - but not applicable to WBM



Conclusion for current WBM



- current WBM can not be run efficiently
 - ratio outcome / invested man power not optimal
- too much man power / expertise needed to maintain
- hard to add functionality / features
- impossible to port into modern web app
- conclusion:

WBM → (C)OMS



WBM in 2017: run registry



- PPD project
- separated from WBM
 - No longer running on the same computers
- right now: 100% man power overlap
- issues / requests:
 - <https://its.cern.ch/jira/projects/CMSDQMRR>



WBM in 2017



- upgrade project has started
 - based on outcome of review / 'RFC' on commissioning hn



WBM in 2017 (2)



- freeze current WBM
 - keep running as it is
 - limited maintenance / bug fixes only
- partial replacement possible
 - urgently needed new features may go directly into new project
- old core team merged into new project
 - contact persons / email addresses stay
 - Issues / requests / proposals:
 - cms-wbm-core@cern.ch
 - limited man power