

Demonstration of Embedded EPICS on F3RP61 PLC





1) Impact of F3RP61

• J-PARC MR/KEK introduced F3RP61 since 2008

- Many (40?) F3RP61/Linux-IOC systems are in operation successfully
- When we need simple I/O channels
 - Left: before 2008, our standard style is:
 - Right: after 2008, new style with F3RP61:



Impact of F3RP61 (continued)

- Consider VME-IOC and F3RP61/PLC-IOC
 - Left: our traditional style was vme:
 - Right: with F3RP61:





- F3RP61-IOC can be an alternative to VME-IOC
- KEK introduced Yokogawa's FAM3 PLC since 1995
 - We believe high reliability of PLC IO modules
 - Good partnership with Yokogawa over 15 years
- FAM3 PLC modules are small and easy to use

Reasons why we like F3RP61 style

2) Support for test users of F3RP61

- Many requests to develop new subsystems
 - from non-control groups (mag, beam-diag., rf, ..)
 - F3RP61-IOC style fits well for many cases
 - But our standard setup for F3RP61 requires J-PARC control network, not available in office rooms
 - to support such test users
 - (a) F3RP61 setup for J-PARC laboratory LAN
 - (b) module workshop in J-PARC CCR (to be started very soon)

(a) F3RP61 setup for laboratory LAN

- We developed a new CF
 - Start Linux with DHCP



- Start Epics ioc assuming default module-layout
 - Default is => Slot2:AO, Slot3:AI, Slot4:DO, Slot5:DI
- Automatic generation of Epics PVnames
 - Ex) <hostname>:AO_1:SET, <hostname>:AI_2:VAL <hostname>="plc159" for plc159.intra.j-parc.jp"

[root@plc159 ~]# caput plc159:AO_1:SET	0.123
Old : plc159:AO_1:SET 0	
New : plc159:AO_1:SET 0.123 [root@plc159 ~]# caget plc159:AI_1:VAL plc159:AI_1:VAL 0.123 [root@plc159 ~]#	[root@plc159 ~]# caput plc159:BO_1:SET 1 Old : plc159:BO_1:SET ZERO New : plc159:BO_1:SET ONE
EPICS meeting in Ta	<pre>[root@plc159 ~]# caget plc159:BI_1:VAL plc159:BI_1:VAL ONE ai [root@plc159 ~]#</pre>



- How to start a F3RP61-IOC in your office room ?
 - 1. Ask Computer Center to register F3RP61's macaddress to DHCP server
 - 2. if you have non-default module-layout, modify st.cmd and execute "make"
 - 3. Reboot the F3RP61-IOC





From a

default config in st.cmd

dbLoadRecords "db/ao1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=2,ch=1" dbLoadRecords "db/ao1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=2,ch=2" dbLoadRecords "db/ai1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=3,ch=1" dbLoadRecords "db/ai1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=3,ch=2" dbLoadRecords "db/bo1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=4,ch=1" dbLoadRecords "db/bo1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=4,ch=2" dbLoadRecords "db/bi1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=5,ch=1" dbLoadRecords "db/bi1.db", "name=\${HNM},S=5,ch=2"

(b) module workshop in J-PARC CCR

- Basic ideas
 - Prepare stock boxes in CCR, which contain standard PLC modules
 - Boxes are categorized as: CPU(F3RP61), CPU(Ladder), D-in, D-out, Analog, Special, ...
 - One can pick-up necessary modules from boxes
 - Periodic (every 1-2 month) supply of modules by control group
- => One can get modules to make your own F3RP61-IOC setup no need to order, no need to wait

no need to pay ? <= pay request will be forwarded later

PLC module workshop



2) D-out modules are listed: relay, DC(8ch,24V), DC(64ch,24V), TTL, ..

1) Behind a wall, there are hidden boxes ...



4) Kindly asked, white down modules you pick up to the notebook

Box "D-out" 3) You can find a necessary module in the box



(^ ^) review the procedure again ..

- 9am you get an inspiration
- 9:30 visit the module workshop to pick up PLC modules needed for your F3RP61 setup
- 10am ask to C.C. to resister your F3RP61
- 11am assemble PLC modules, edit st.cmd if necessary, make cable connections ..
- 3:30pm registration to DHCP at C.C. finished
- 4pm connect your F3RP61 setup to Laboratory network, reboot it .. Get started ?

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Inspiration => start your F3RP61-IOC within a day
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=> 1 month later, you will receive money accounts



- Impact of F3RP61-IOC in J-PARC is discussed
 - Since 2008, many pieces have been introduced
 - Simple architecture than before
 - An alternative to VME-IOC
- Support for test users of F3RP61 is reported
 - Test at Laboratory network
 - Easy start with default module-layout
 - Module workshop will be started soon



2 pages more for demonstration

3) Demonstration of F3RP61 startup

- Today I don't use DHCP server, thus I modify network configurations:
 - fixed IP (10.105.56.159) and hostname "plc159"
- Demonstration kit has default module-layout
 - Default is => Slot2:AO, Slot3:AI, Slot4:DO, Slot5:DI
 - Generated PVnames are:
 - Ex) plc159:DO_1:SET, plc159:BI_2:VAL, ..



(default module-layout)





-60.0 -48.0 -36.0 -24.0 -12.0 0.0 (sec)

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Demonstration will be

- during next break
- at the entrance hall

