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# Round table workshop PIP-II

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- Development environment: VSCODE
- Source code: GIT (CEA-Saclay repository)
- Issues: GITLAB
- Documentation: Confluence
- EPICS Base and support defined
- Programming rules

- Naming convention is often under estimate but impact on project can be significant
  - Naming software (EPICS) vs cabling
  - Changing variable name in EPICS database is long and not fun
  - Same thing for wiring scheme
  - Naming tool is good. ESS tool is generating communication code for example
  
- PLC
  - We are working on Siemens product
  - Cryogenic plants can have a lot of variables
    - S7 from PSI for reading
    - Modbus/TCP writing one variable (Boolean)

# SARAF PROCESS VARIABLE NAMING

Close to ESS naming

No tool

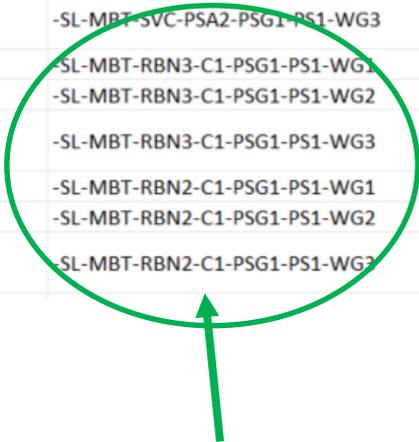
Rules already used for Spiral2 and IFMIF

Section-Subsection	:	Dis-Device-Index	:	Signal
<b>Sec-Sub(x)</b>	:	<b>Dis-Dev-Idx</b>	:	<b>Signal</b>
<p>Up to 8 alphabetic characters, upper-case</p> <p>Sec is for the Section.</p> <p>Sub has to be chosen following the context and up to 3 characters.</p>		<p>Up to 15 alphabetic characters</p> <p>Dis: Discipline from 2 to 5 characters</p> <p>Dev: component name of the device, from 2 up to 5 alphabetic characters</p> <p>Idx: device index, 1 to 5 numeric characters. Even if only one of this device is planned, give it index 1.</p>		<p>Up to 20 alphabetic characters. Camel case is used.</p> <p>Should be chosen as short as possible.</p>

Signal = Command//Property  
Ex: IMes, UCmd, ThrSet

# SARAF CABLING NAMING: RDS USED

mem_Pbs	RDS2	Connector A	Terminal A	Connector B	Terminal B
Turbo pump venting valve control cable	-SL-MBT-RBN1-C1-PSG1-PS1-WG3		-SL-MBT-RBN1-C1-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-RBN1-C1-PSG1-PS1-KF1
Pump control cable	-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-WG1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-KF1
Fan control cable	-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-WG2		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-KF1
Turbo pump venting valve control cable	-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-WG3		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA4-PSG1-PS1-KF1
Pump control cable	-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-WG1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-KF1
Fan control cable	-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-WG2		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-SVC-PSA2-PSG1-PS1-KF1
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Pump control cable	-SL-MBT-RBN3-C1-PSG1-PS1-WG1		-SL-MBT-RBN3-C1-PSG1-PS1-GQ1		-SL-MBT-RBN3-C1-PSG1-PS1-KF1
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- SL-MBT-RBN2-C1-PSG1-PS1-WG1
- SL-MBT-RBN2-C1-PSG1-PS1-WG2
- SL-MBT-RBN2-C1-PSG1-PS1-WG3

Only the first 2 fields are identical to the EPICS PV naming

- Separating network
  - PLC (Profinet)
  - PLC supervision (IOC)
  - Device (Power supply, ...)
  - Timing
  - EPICS (CA or PVA)
  
- Test : automatic test with WeTest based on yaml description

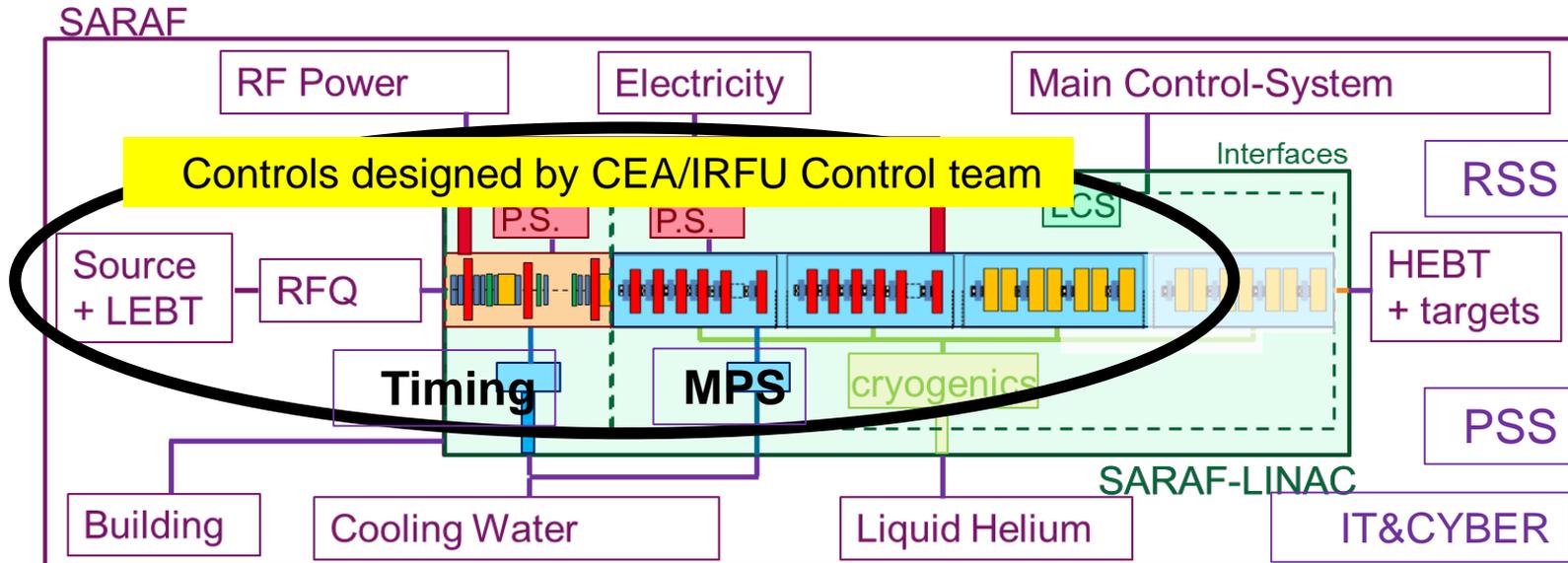
- Applications are in Java based solution
- GUI: CSS, Phoebus in progress. Phoebus is much more easier if you need to add new functionalities
  - CSS based on Eclipse RCP makes plugin development more complex
  - Phoebus not deployed for the moment
- Archive: Archive Appliance but for small accelerator
  - Trouble are mainly administration ones with var/messages full or disk out of order
  - Or IOC not on time (NTP issues)
- Alarm: BEAST, Kafka solution in progress with development on dayshift

- Need **naming convention** really early for detailed specification
- In the project schedule, we have requirements for IOC **late** because instrumentation (vacuum, cryogenic, diagnostic,...) has to make choices first
- Have instrumentation involving **less control work** (TCP vs serial,...) from the instrumentation team, especially when serial products are less expensive
- **Outsourcing** the code development is challenging in term of **maintenance**
  - Define programming rules
  - Define tests

- New technology so the products are not always completely operational
- Mastering compilation chains involves specific skills, not as easy as TIA Portal, LabVIEW,...
- Very modular backplane and so more time to configure and understand why it is not working (power supply, data bus, timing)
  - Ex: Timing card will be installed at the same slot
- AMC can have 2 FMC, modular but needs time for developing code, so we are freezing configuration

- No pure LabVIEW EPICS solution
  - Driver EPICS from NI is a Channel Access server but not an IOC (no alarm)
  - One interesting solution for LabVIEW developer based on Shared Variables is NetShrVar but fast data?  
<https://github.com/ISISComputingGroup/EPICS-NetShrVar>
- Several solutions but depend on the target (PC, cRIO)
  - CALab (version 1.7 2020, compatible EPICSv7): [https://www.helmholtz-berlin.de/zentrum/locations/it/software/exsteuer/calab/index\\_en.html](https://www.helmholtz-berlin.de/zentrum/locations/it/software/exsteuer/calab/index_en.html)
  - LabIOC (Observatory Science):  
<http://observatorysciences.co.uk/labview.php>
  - lvPortDriver (Los Alamos): <https://github.com/lanl/lvPortDriver>
  - Nheengatu (FPGA only): <https://github.com/lnls-sol/project-nheengatu>
- Be careful of the timestamp
- Slow : Modbus/TCP

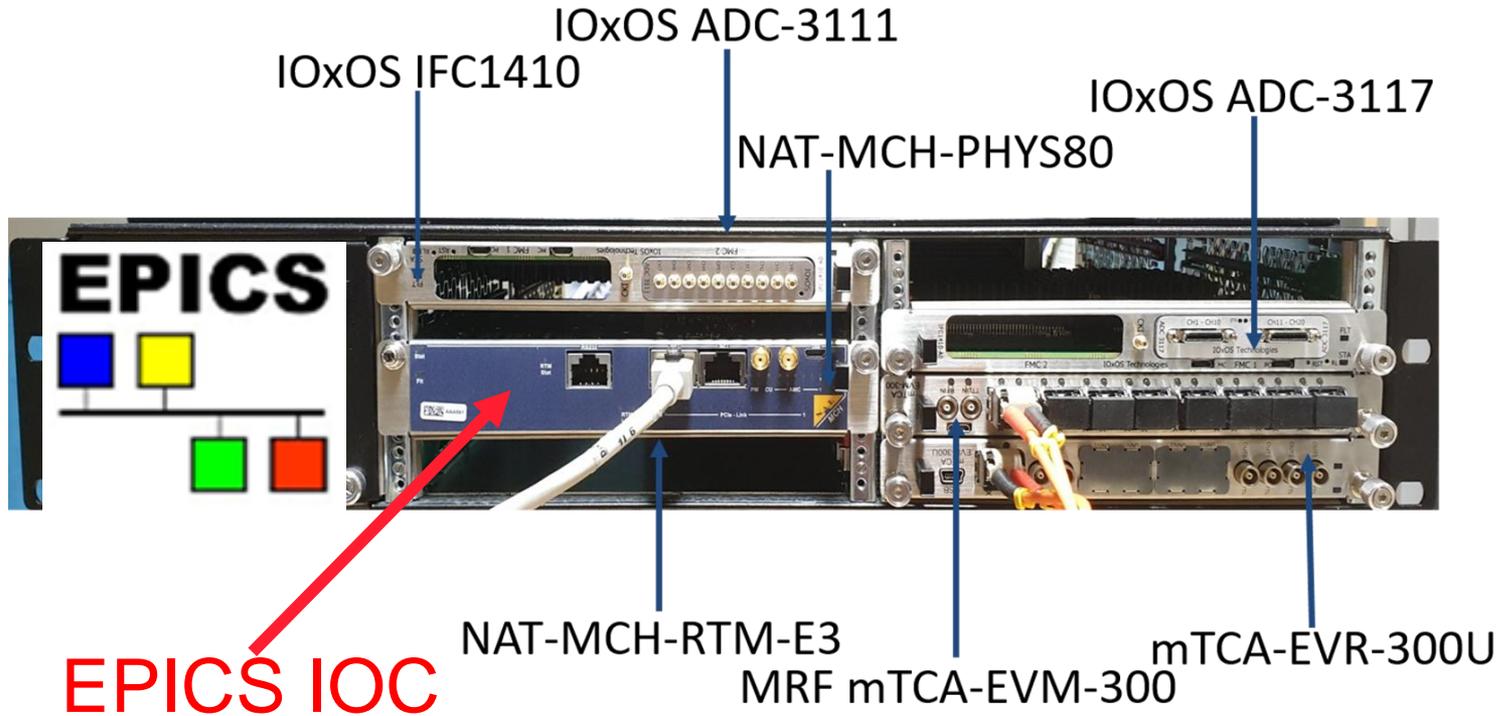
# SARAF LINAC IN BRIEF



- CEA takes over controls of:
  - Source & LEPT & RFQ already existing and control delivered in Q2 2020
  - MEBT delivered in Q3 2020 with its control
  - 4 Cryomodules CM1, CM2, CM3 and CM4
  - Each Cryomodule CM2-4 includes 7 cavities, CM1: 6 cavities
    - To be delivered in 2022
  - Diagnostics: BPMs, nBLMs, Harps, Faraday cups, ACCTs, ...

- Migration to MTCA.4 for SARAF control system in summer 2018
- CEA team updated and standardized the IRFU EPICS Environment with MTCA.4 solutions based on:
  - **NAT solution NAT-MCH-RTM-COMexE3 (CPU) & MCH-PHYS80 (MCH)**
  - **IOxOS boards (ADC-3117, ADC-3111, DIO-3118)**
  - **MRF boards**
  - **ESS ICS EPICS drivers in 2018**
- In 2019 we developed our own CEA EPICS drivers for IOxOS boards
- **We are using EPICS 3.15.5 & ASYN R4.33**
- Our purpose: use COTS as much as possible

# STANDARDIZED PLATFORM IN A NATIVE-R2 CRATE

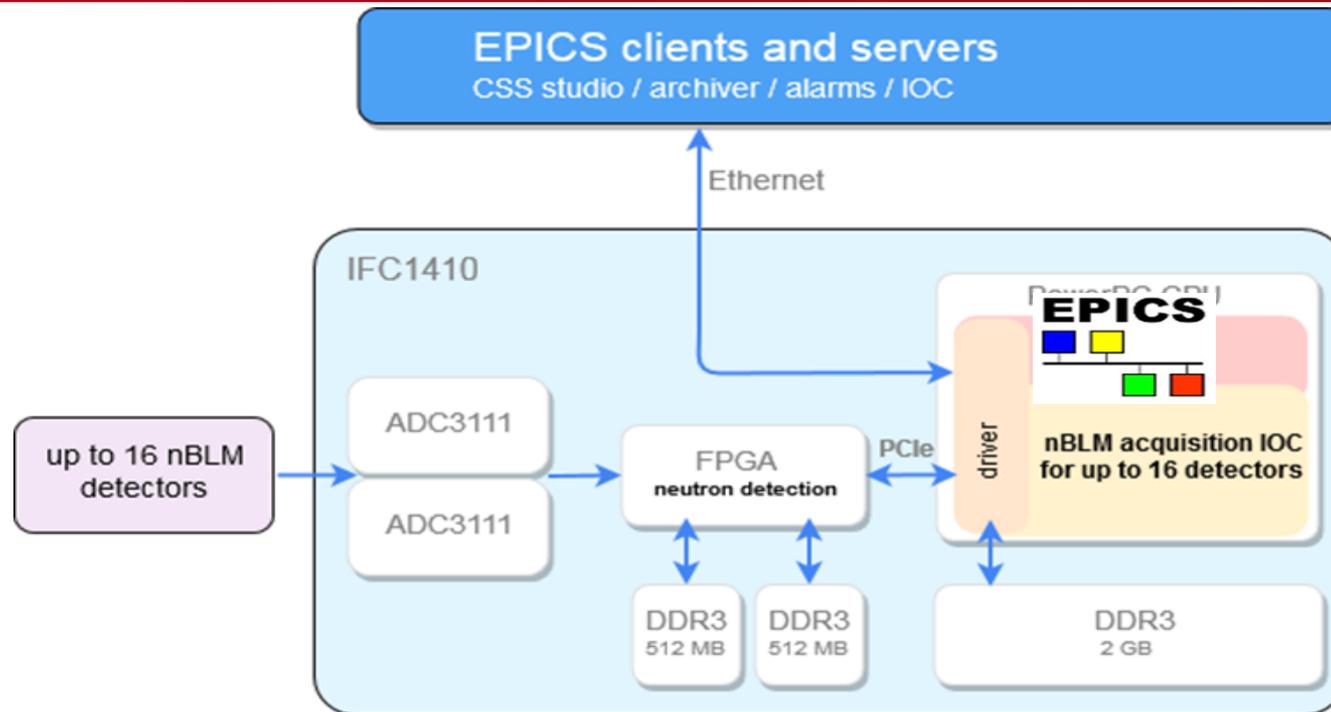


NAT NATIVE-R2 crate

# STANDARDIZED COTS SOLUTIONS

Requirements	Sampling/monitoring	COTS solutions
MTCA.4 MCH & CPU 		NAT-MCH-PHYS80 (MCH)& NAT-MCH-RTM-COMex-E3 (CPU)
Fast acquisition Sem—fast acq Digital I/O -TTL 	5 MS/s up to 250 MS/s 50 KS/s up to 5 MS/s	CPU carrier <b>IOxOS IFC 1410</b> & IOxOS FMC ADC-3111 FMC ADC-3117 FMC DIO-3118 
Remote I/Os control LAN or serial	100 ms up to 1s	Industrial PC & Beckhoff (Modbus/TCP) 
Process for vacuum and cryogenics & Interlock	100 ms up to 1s 	Siemens 1500 PLC & I/O boards Profinet/ Profibus Fieldbuses & remote I/Os 
Timing System		MRF mTCA-EVM-300, mTCA-EVR-300U

# EXAMPLE: SARAF NEUTRON BEAM LOSS MONITOR



- The **IOxOS IFC1410 board** provides an FPGA and a PPC processor running Linux
- The neutron detection is managed in this FPGA
- The IOC (running in the PPC) manages data from the FPGA through PCIe
- The IOC analyses and takes over the formatting of FPGA data
- The IOC makes calculations and provides data through Channel Access
- The IOC also provides acquisition files on demand

# SARAF: LLRF & BPMS OUTSOURCED

LLRF & BPM boards outsourced by Seven Solutions  
System of Chip architecture  
Boards will be delivered in January 2021

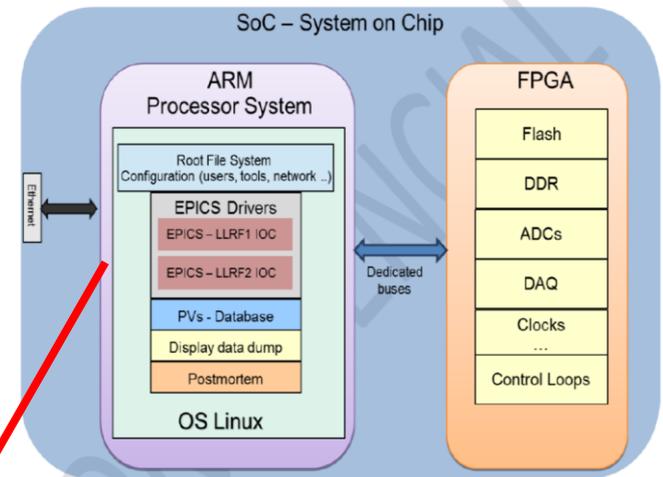
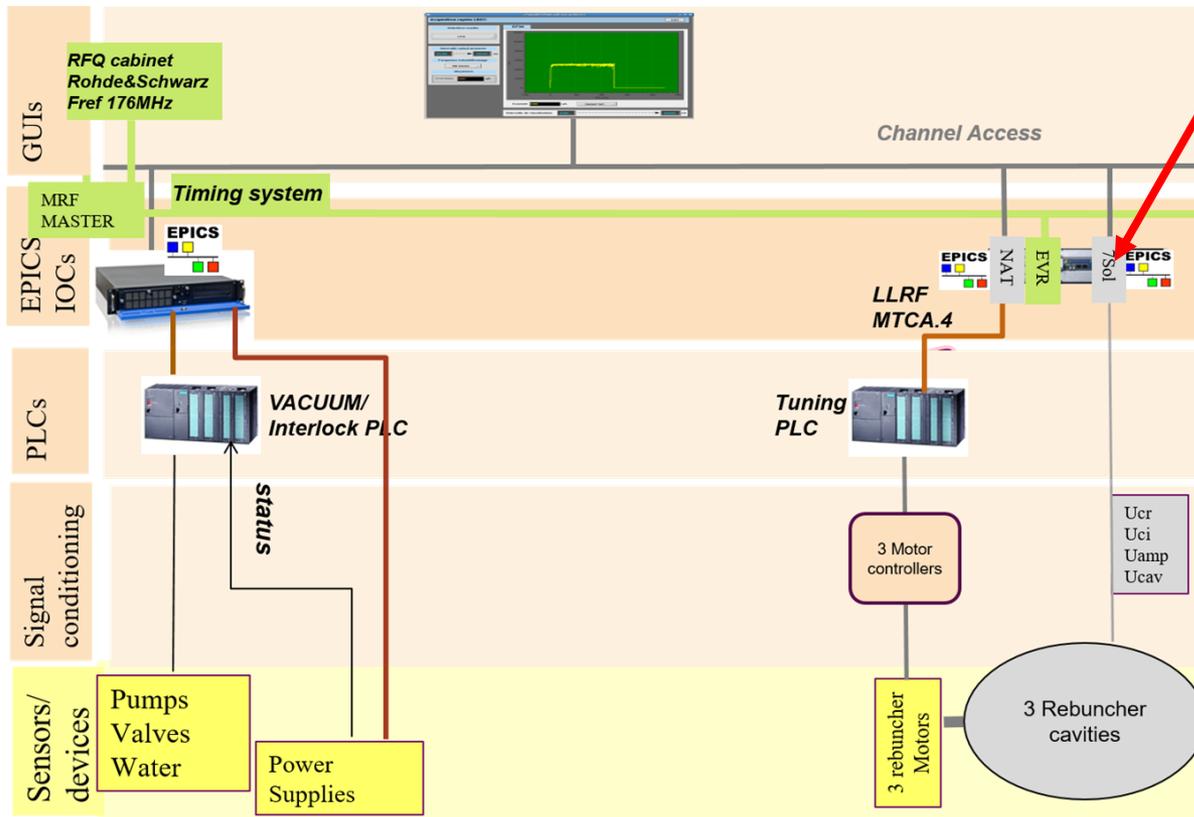


Figure 12 - LLRF SoC architecture



# EPICS STANDARD PLATFORM BASED ON COTS

