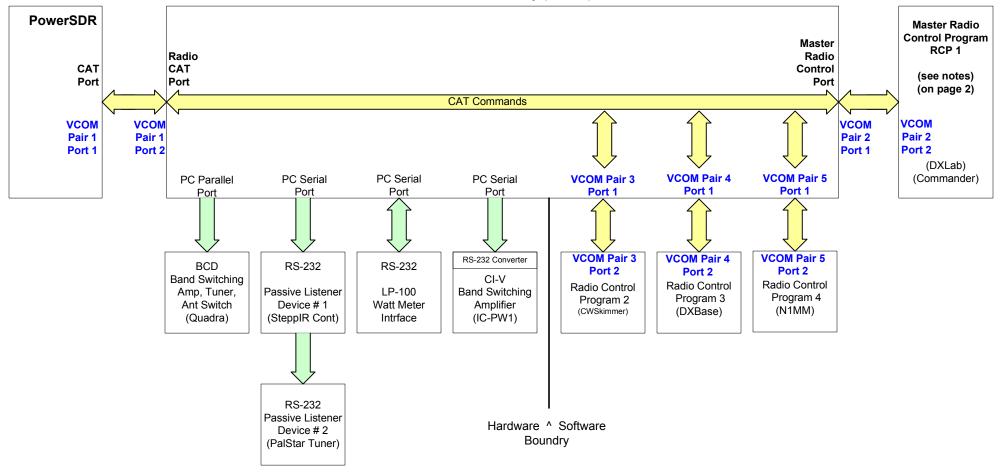
Data Decoder Utility (DDUtil)



DDUtil Data Flow

Program Notes:

Master Radio Control Port (Important)

If one or more Radio Control Programs (RCPs) are used, the first and most important of these programs <u>must</u> be attached to the Master RCP 1 port. This program must poll the radio for data or DDUtil will function erratically. Typically, a logging program like DXLab or HRD would attach to this port as they perform this polling duty regularly and reliably. Many programs don't poll at all and only send commands when they want to change frequency or mode (DXBase) and these must be avoided. After the first program is attached to RCP 1, other programs may be attached in any order desired

Passive Listener

This is broadcast data only, these devices CAN NOT talk back to the radio. Multiple Passive Listener devices may be connected in parallel.

Slave Radio

As an alternative installation a slave radio may be used in lieu of passive listener devices. This would be desirable if there is no transmitter capability in the SDR. Such as an old SDR-1000 three board stack or a Soft Rock 40.

Names in () are intended as examples of program types.

Data flow is indicated as follows: Uni-directional Bi-directional

Data flow indicated in Yellow are CAT commands. Data flow indicated in Green are RS-232 serial commands.

^{**} See program documentation for additional information.