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Cable list and test tool

Introduction

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Functionnalities

Functionnality	State	Remarks
Vehicle type edition	Work in progress	
Connector edition	Work in progress	
Article edition	Work in progress	
Unit edition	Work in progress	
Link edition	Work in progress	
Link list reporting (printing, PDF)	Missing	
Import, export, backup	Missing	
Versionning	Missing	
Test node edition	Work in progress	
Test (model) edition	Work in progress	
Calibration	Missing	
Test execution edition and API	Starting	
Test result reporting (printing, PDF)	Missing	

Versionning

On real life project, versionning is a very important feature. Imagine that many systems are allready produced, and that a new feature must be implemented. When used software does not provide versionning, there is needed to create documentation about modifications to do. This can be cumbersome and error prone.

Currently, no versionning is implemented. Adding such feature will request modifications in deep (database schema and C++ classes).

Create a project

The complete workflow

The complete workflow will show how we could use this tool in a project. We consider a project for witch we have to make the entiere engeneering, for example for a modification on the electrical part of a system.

This requiers several tasks, at least:

- Define what to modify
- Draw schemas
- Define components to add or change
- Dependent of the complexity, create cable lists
- Create documentation for continuity check
- Create documentation for comissioning

Cable list tool is able to create a part list, link lists, continuity and isolation checks. This will be explained in next chapiters. Note that schema drawing, project management and other stuff is not, and will probably never, provided by this tool (other tools exists for this).

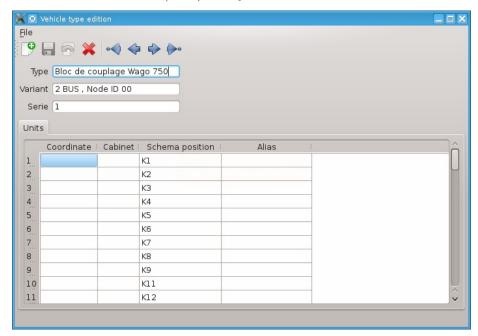
The suggested workflow is:

- Create vehicle type for each system (denomination of vehicle type will be discussed later)
- Enter connectors
- Enter parts of the project by creating articles
- Take schemas and enter each position as new unit
- Add links (in unit edition): if cable lists are needed, check that schema shows every link (most of time, this is not true) an investigate...
- Create test nodes
- Create test (models)
- Create test application itself

At first point of view, this seems to be a infinite task. And yes, it is. But, at some point of a project, if such engeneering was not made, this can give some problems. If you think that these steps are not relevant, then you probably not need to create any test application too.

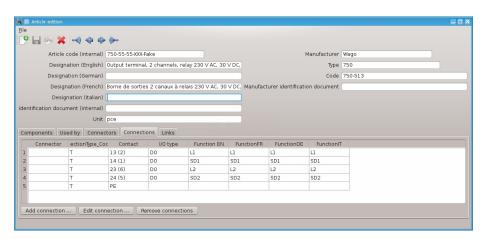
Create vehicle types

The term 'Vehicle type' seems to be something wrong. The main idea here is a container for all elements (units) of a system.



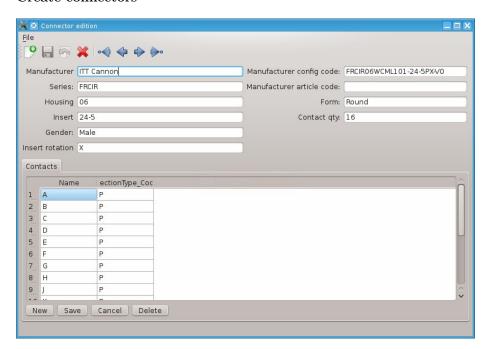
Vehicle type

Create articles



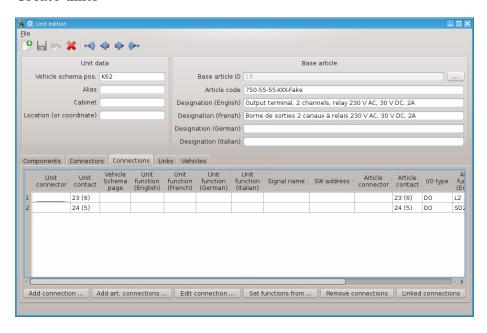
Article edition

Create connectors

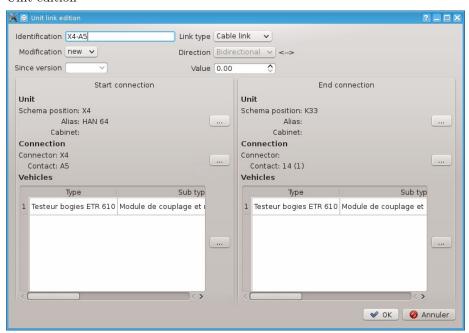


Connector edition

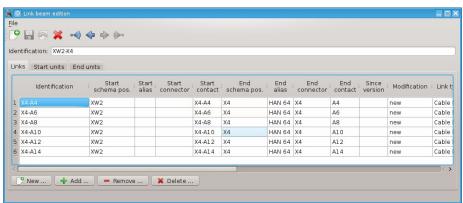
Create units



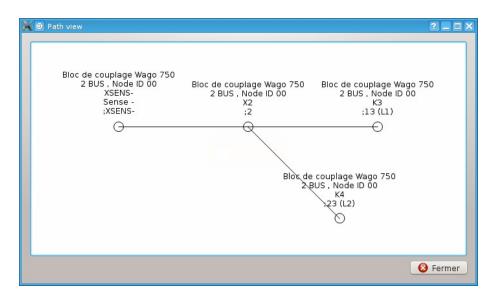
Unit edition



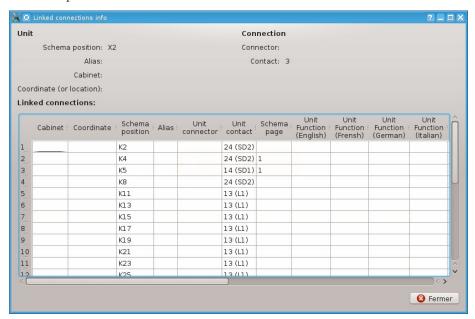
Unit link edition



Link beam edition

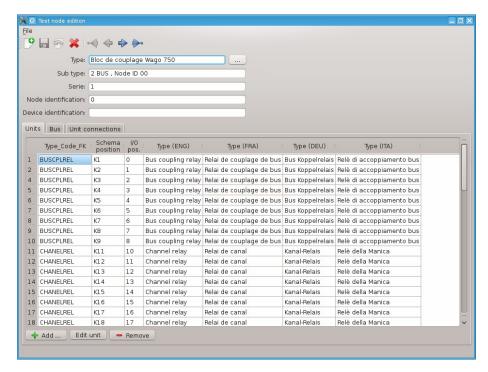


Unit link path view



Unit linked connections view

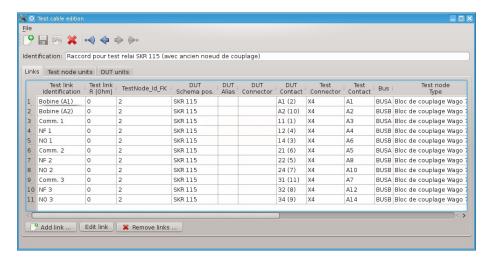
Create test nodes



Test node edition

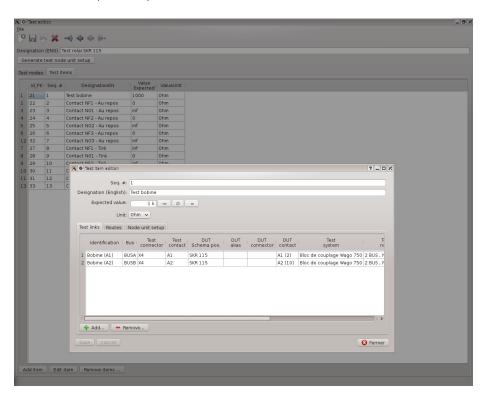
Affect units

Create test cables



Test cable edition

Create test (models)



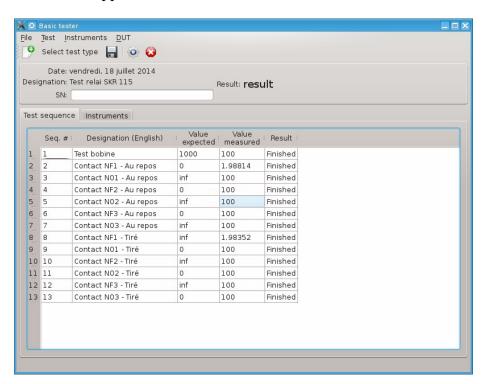
Test (model) edition

Add routes

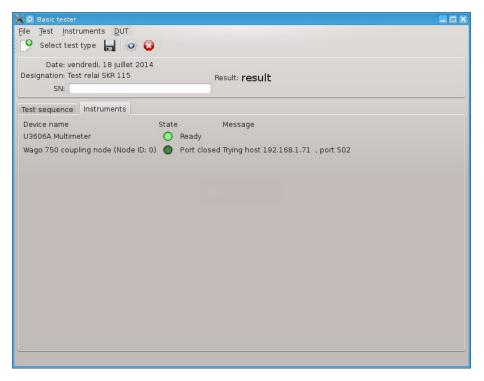
Edit test node unit setup

Calibration

Create test application



Basic test tool example



Basic test tool example (instruments states)

Vehicle type

 ${\bf Connector}$

Article

Unit

Test node

Test connection cable

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