



My work with the ECAL DCS software and a Non-invasive isolation damage system for the preshower detector

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Presentation plan

- A few words about ECAL DCS
 - What is that
 - My participation
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 - Problem definition
 - Solution proposal
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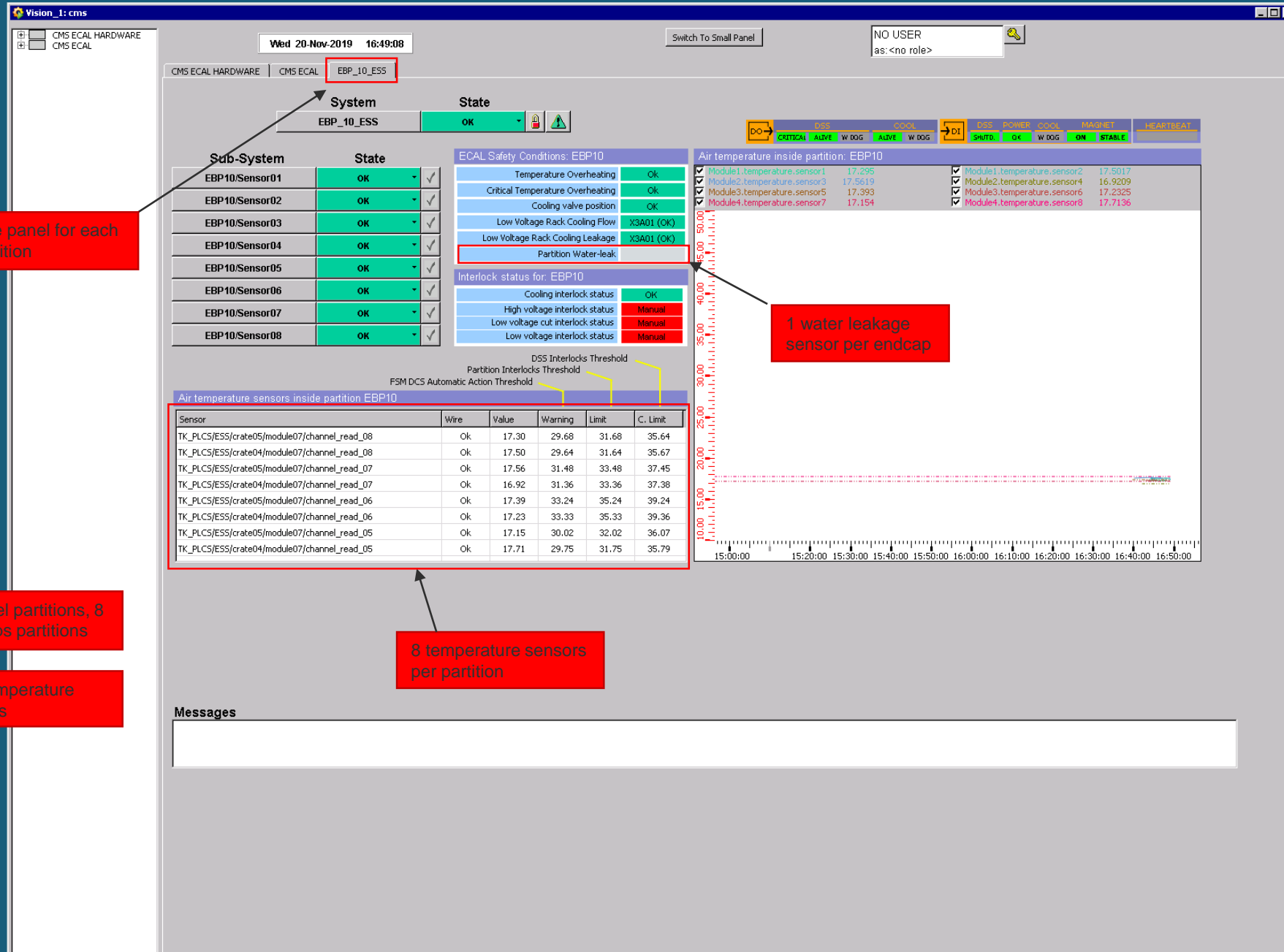
ECAL Detector Control System

ECAL DCS

- Detector Control System
- ECAL DCS one of the nodes of CMS DCS
- SCADA systems which allows controlling and operating the detector

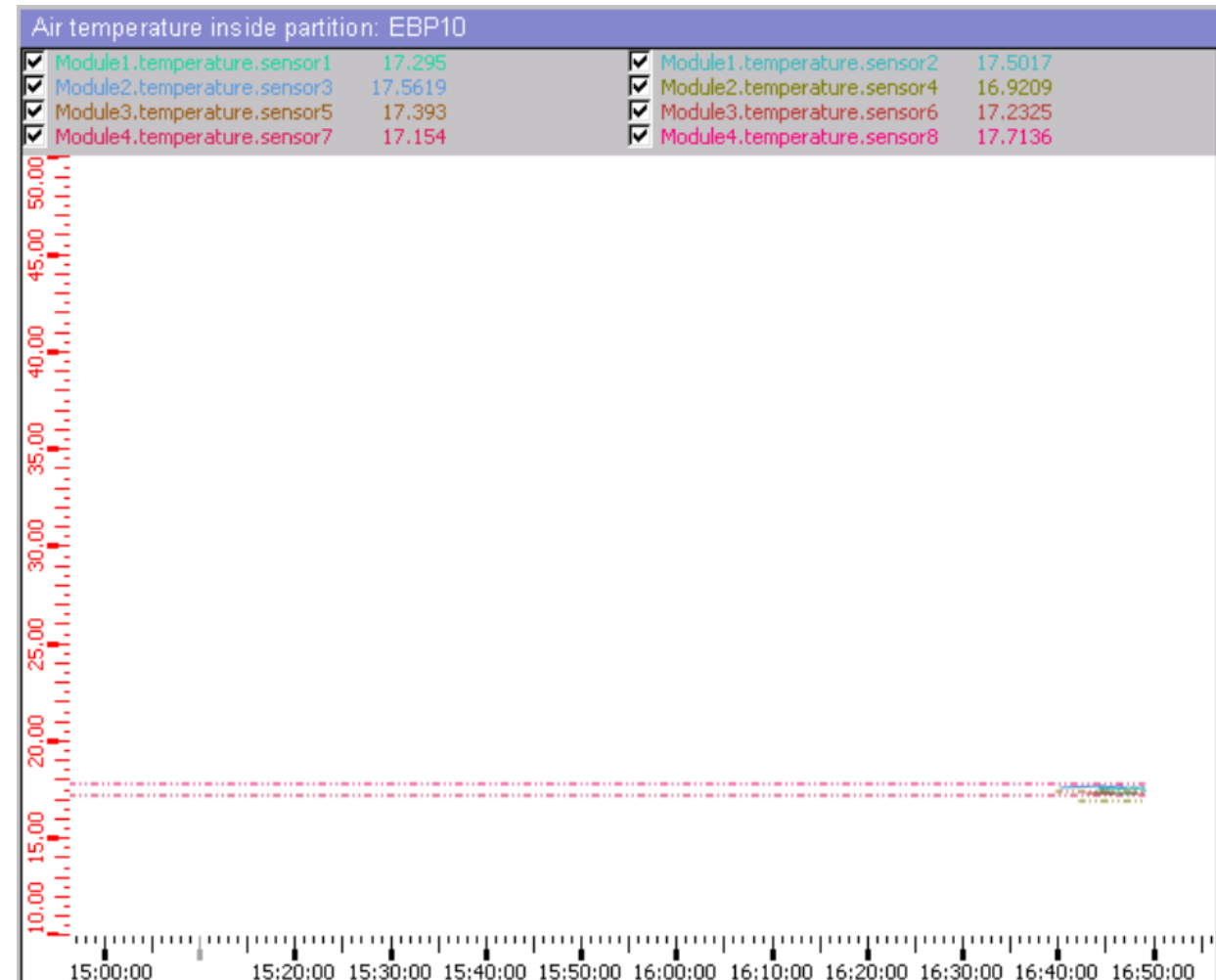
My participation:

- Panel development
- Integration test for interlocks with final report
- Parts of technical documentation



Temperature sensors plot widget

- Shows readouts from temperature sensors in real time
- Plot can be checked and unchecked by user
- When sensor is disabled there is no plot available for that sensor



Conditions monitoring widget

- Partition conditions in real time
- When one of the temperature sensors exceeds threshold, then alarm and suitable automatic actions for the partition is performed
- Cooling status
- Water leakage available only for endcap partitions

ECAL Safety Conditions: EBP10	
Temperature Overheating	Ok
Critical Temperature Overheating	Ok
Cooling valve position	OK
Low Voltage Rack Cooling Flow	X3A01 (OK)
Low Voltage Rack Cooling Leakage	X3A01 (OK)
Partition Water-leak	

Interlock status widget

- Interlocks for current partition
- Temperature sensor exceeds limit, then high voltage, low voltage and low voltage cut interlocks are set
- Cooling interlock for water leakage sensors in endcaps
- Interlocks can be set manually

Interlock status for: EBP10	
Cooling interlock status	OK
High voltage interlock status	Manual
Low voltage cut interlock status	Manual
Low voltage interlock status	Manual

Interlock status widget

- Crucial values for every sensor
- Wire connection
- Current value
- Warning status if value two degrees lower than overheating limit
- Crossing overheating limit causes partition interlocks
- Crossing critical overheating causes general DSS interlock, which turns off the detector

Air temperature sensors inside partition EBP10					
Sensor	Wire	Value	Warning	Limit	C. Limit
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate05/module07/channel_read_08	Ok	17.30	29.68	31.68	35.64
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate04/module07/channel_read_08	Ok	17.50	29.64	31.64	35.67
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate05/module07/channel_read_07	Ok	17.56	31.48	33.48	37.45
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate04/module07/channel_read_07	Ok	16.92	31.36	33.36	37.38
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate05/module07/channel_read_06	Ok	17.39	33.24	35.24	39.24
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate04/module07/channel_read_06	Ok	17.23	33.33	35.33	39.36
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate05/module07/channel_read_05	Ok	17.15	30.02	32.02	36.07
TK_PLCS/ESS/crate04/module07/channel_read_05	Ok	17.71	29.75	31.75	35.79

Integration test for interlocks

Test for every partition – 352 temp + 8 WLD

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2019/08/02 17:55:49: ### Test for partition: EBP01 ###
2019/08/02 17:55:54: ACTION: Setting 415 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate14/module03/channel_read_01.: 700 -> 415 OK
2019/08/02 17:55:59: EVENT: Interlock LV HV LVCut set for the partition EBP01, OK
2019/08/02 17:56:04: ACTION: Setting 700 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate14/module03/channel_read_01.: 415 -> 700 OK
2019/08/02 17:56:10: ACTION: Acknowledging interlock LV HV LVCut for EBP01: success after 1 attempts OK
2019/08/02 17:56:15: ACTION: Setting 410 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate15/module03/channel_read_01.: 700 -> 410 OK
2019/08/02 17:56:20: EVENT: Interlock LV HV LVCut set for the partition EBP01, OK
2019/08/02 17:56:25: ACTION: Setting 700 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate15/module03/channel_read_01.: 410 -> 700 OK
2019/08/02 17:56:31: ACTION: Acknowledging interlock LV HV LVCut for EBP01: success after 1 attempts OK
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2) Check if interlocks is set

1) Set value to fake sensor – exceed threshold

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2019/08/02 17:59:04: ACTION: Setting 100 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate15/module03/channel_read_01.: 700 -> 100 OK
2019/08/02 17:59:09: EVENT: Interlock LV HV LVCut set for the partition EBP01, OK
2019/08/02 17:59:09: EVENT: General interlock DSS_CRITICAL_Overheating set OK
2019/08/02 17:59:14: ACTION: Setting 700 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate15/module03/channel_read_01.: 100 -> 700 OK
2019/08/02 17:59:20: ACTION: Acknowledging interlock LV HV LVCut for EBP01: success after 1 attempts OK
2019/08/02 17:59:20: EVENT: General interlock acknowledged OK
```

3) Come back to the normal state and acknowledge interlocks

4) Exceed critical threshold

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2019/08/02 17:59:25: ACTION: Setting 100 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate14/module03/channel_read_02.: 700 -> 100 OK
2019/08/02 17:59:30: EVENT: Interlock LV HV LVCut set for the partition EBP01, OK
2019/08/02 17:59:30: EVENT: General interlock DSS_CRITICAL_Overheating set OK
2019/08/02 17:59:35: ACTION: Setting 700 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate14/module03/channel_read_02.: 100 -> 700 OK
2019/08/02 17:59:41: ACTION: Acknowledging interlock LV HV LVCut for EBP01: success after 1 attempts OK
2019/08/02 17:59:41: EVENT: General interlock acknowledged OK
```

5) Check if DSS interlock set

6) Exceed WLD threshold

```
2019/08/02 21:18:50: ACTION: Setting 3500 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate09/module09/channel_read_01.: 4500 -> 3500 OK
2019/08/02 21:19:01: EVENT: Interlock COOL set for the partition EEP01, OK
2019/08/02 21:19:06: ACTION: Setting 4500 value for sensor System1:TK_PLCS/ESS/crate09/module09/channel_read_01.: 3500 -> 4500 OK
2019/08/02 21:19:12: ACTION: Acknowledging interlock COOL for EEP01: success after 1 attempts OK
```

7) Check if COOL interlock set

```
2019/08/02 22:04:33: ### Test for partition: EEM04 finished with OK ###
2019/08/02 22:04:33: INFO: Interlocks test for all partitions were successfully completed, OK
2019/08/02 22:04:33: *** Sensors remove ***
2019/08/02 22:04:33: ACTION: delete 352 temperature sensors and 8 WLD
```

Problems with 2 sensors detected!

Isolation damages detection project

Introduction and problem definition

- The CMS Preshower detector is cooled down to -20°C by C_6F_{14} based liquid
- Pipes are isolated using Armaflex
- Armaflex is subjected to ageing and damage
- Air gets inside an isolation and condensates on the pipes
- Energy dissipation

Solution proposal #1

- Cut the isolation
- Mount humidity and temperature sensors
- Connect sensors to PLC
- Build SCADA system
- Detect isolation damages
- Replace damaged isolation

What are the problems?

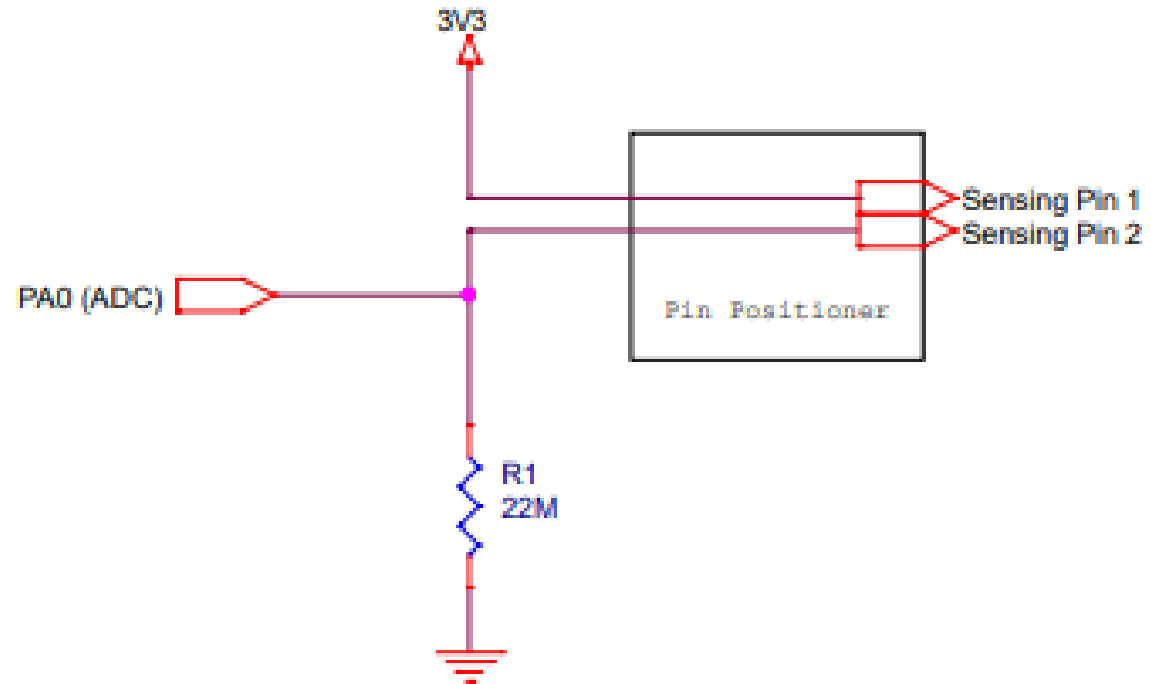
Solution proposal #2

- Use simple sensors, radiation resistant – pair of needles
- Stick them into isolation and measure resistance
- Measuring infinite resistance – isolation not broken
- Measuring something else – potential isolation damage

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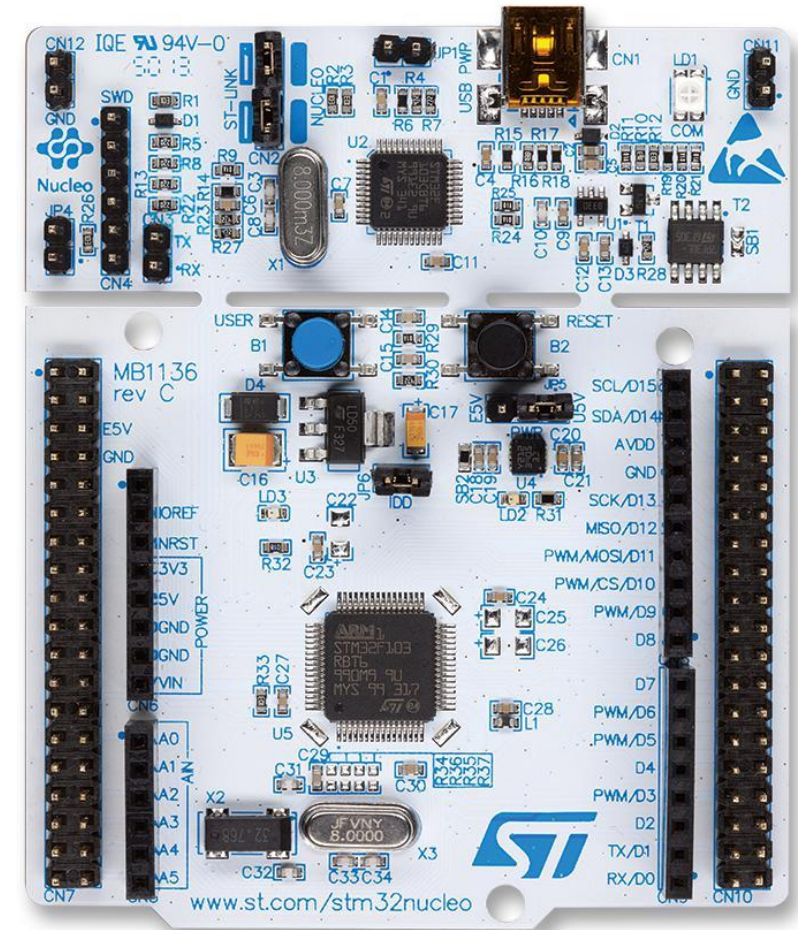
Hardware and electronics

- Pair of needles
 - 100% radiation resistant
 - Potentially subject to rust
- High valued resistor
- Voltage divider



Microcontroller

- ARM Cortex M3
- STM32F103RBT6 on the Nucleo board
 - Price 10chf on Digi-Key
 - Community
 - Very fast microcontroller with many peripherals – 2xADC 16 channels each
- HAL Library, no CUBE MX code generation
- C++
- Few words about logic
 - ADC readout using DMA every second
 - Average of 20 readouts
 - Transfer data by UART using DMA



Raspberry OPC UA Server

- Raspberry PI 4
- Ubuntu Docker image
 - docker-compose
 - Very easy to configure and run server – one comand
- OPC UA Server
 - Generic industrial protocol
 - Easy to transfer data to SCADA
 - Python 3.7 implementation using opcua library

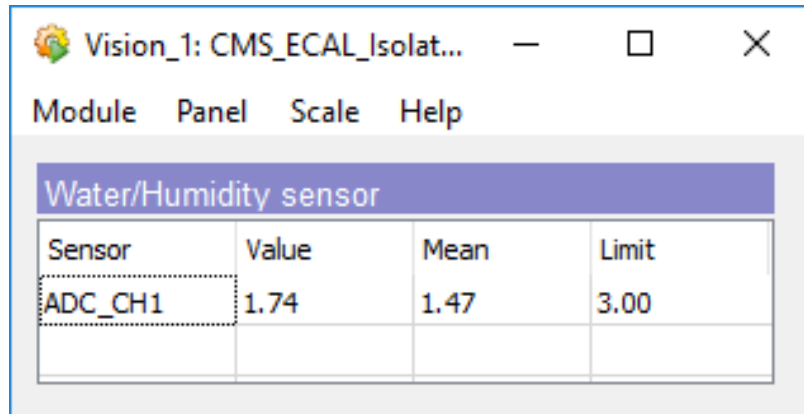


Why raspberry?

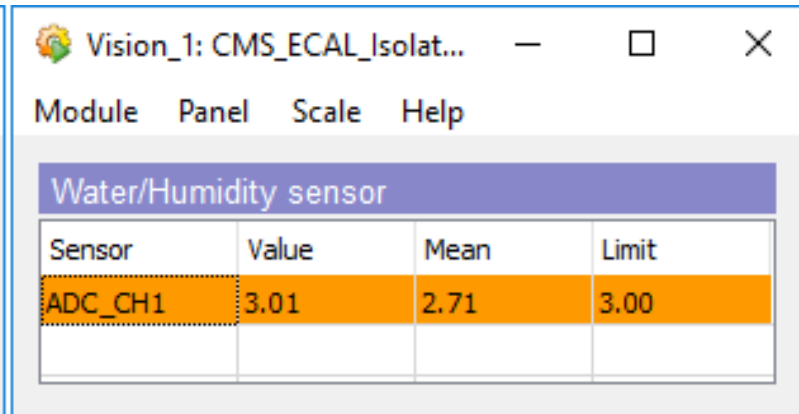
- Impossible to deploy OPC Server on microcontroller

SCADA

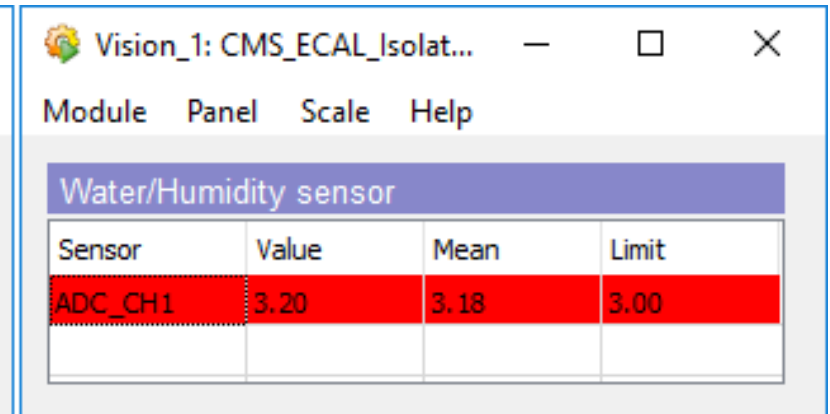
- Front-end part of the system
- Panel (widget) to visualize data
- Alarms
- WinCC OA 3.16 Patch 15, JCOP 8.4.0 Beta
- Simple instalation of the component
 - Adding managers
 - Configuring addresses
 - Establishing connection with OPC UA Server



Water/Humidity sensor			
Sensor	Value	Mean	Limit
ADC_CH1	1.74	1.47	3.00



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Sensor	Value	Mean	Limit
ADC_CH1	3.01	2.71	3.00

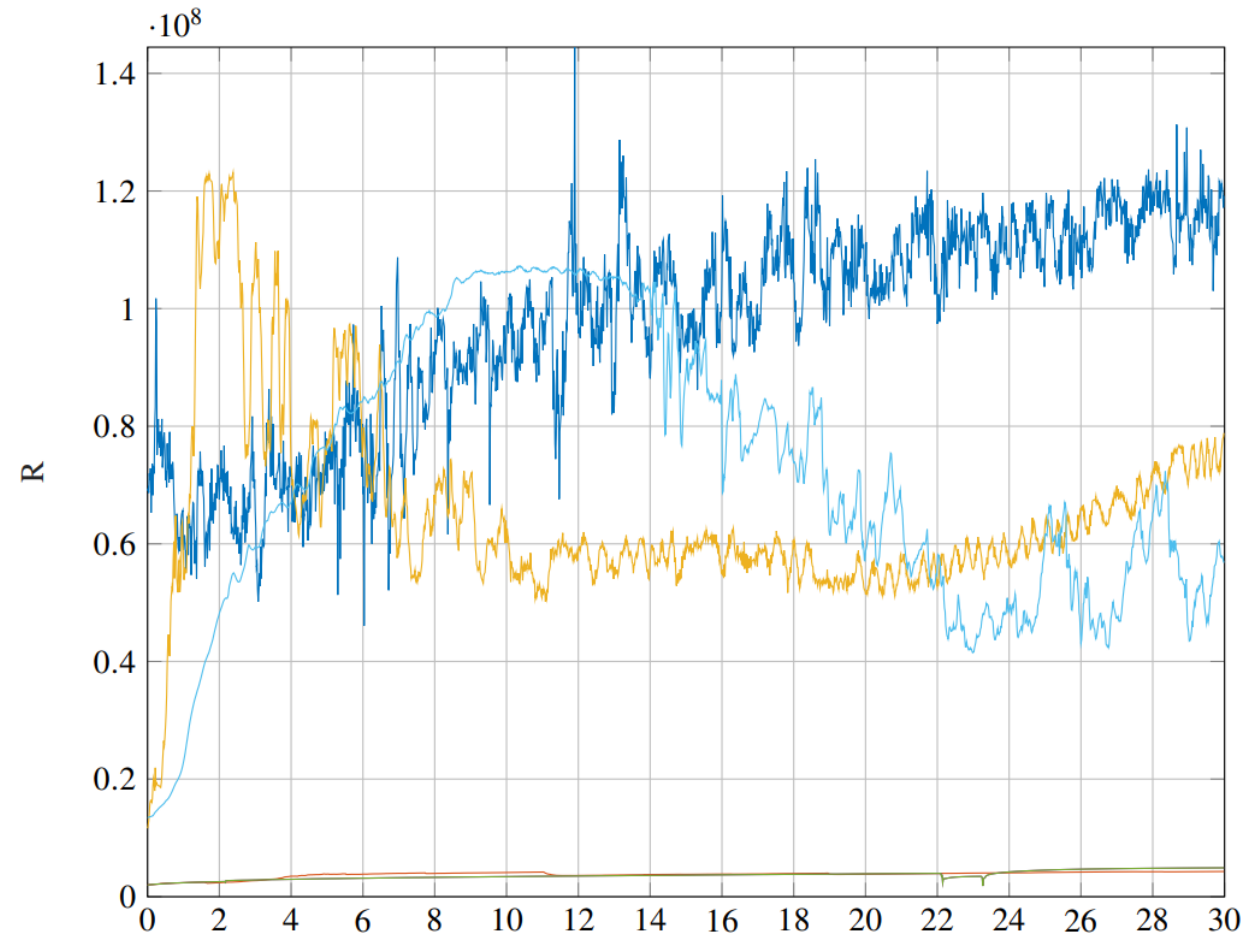


Water/Humidity sensor			
Sensor	Value	Mean	Limit
ADC_CH1	3.20	3.18	3.00

Project outcome

Few about measurements

- It matters where needles are stuck
- Really difficult to measure something between no water and water
- Water typically several hundreds of k Ω
- Dry isolation typically dozen M Ω



Future work

- **Test system in real operational environment**
- **Adapt to the new conditions – change resistors, change thresholds**
- **Add more set of needles and measure over a whole length**



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