

Moduldokumentation

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Modul

NetworkService

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3. Scope

The Module Documentation (MOD) describes the architecture, the interfaces and the main features of the module. It also describes the module/component test including the results. It can also serve as a programming or integration manual for the module. If there are some risks related to the module itself, they shall be noted and commented within this document.

Die Moduldokumentation beschreibt die Architektur, die Schnittstellen und die Hauptmerkmale des Moduls. Außerdem werden die Modul bzw. Komponententests einschließlich der Ergebnisse beschrieben und dokumentiert. Die MOD dient bei Bedarf auch als Programmier- oder Integrationshandbuch für das Modul. Wenn bestimmte Risiken direkt mit der Verwendung des Moduls verknüpft sind, so sind sie in diesem Dokument zu benennen und zu kommentieren.

4. Module Requirements

4.1. User View

This module is used every time communication between the frontend and backend is required. This module is also used to store the information for the GUI. Every time a device is clicked in the UI, this module requests data for the selected device.

4.2. Requirements

A connection to the backend-API is required to retrieve data and send requests.

4.3. Module Context

This module is important for the GUI, as it holds all the data. And it works with the backend API to retrieve data from the devices in the network.

5. Analysis

This module is dependent on the HttpClient provided by Angular. As well as the backend.

6. Design

This module was designed around the backend-end data structures. It tries to replicate these structures to allow for an easy communication between front- and backend.

It's a simple HTTP-API for the frontend used to communicate with the backend. It is a internal API of the GUI.

Link to the [source files](https://github.com/nicolasbreuni/Tinf18C_Team_2_Profinet_DCP_Client/blob/master/SOURCE/dcp-client-frontend/src/app/services/device.service.ts) (https://github.com/nicolasbreuni/Tinf18C_Team_2_Profinet_DCP_Client/blob/master/SOURCE/dcp-client-frontend/src/app/services/device.service.ts)

6.1. Risks

If this module fails, no communication between front- and backend is possible. Also no data could be displayed by the GUI.

7. Implementation

This module implementation was heavily influenced by the backend specification. It boils down to a recreation of the provided API-calls by the backend.

8. Module Test

This module makes API-calls to the backend. Thus, a test for this module was not needed as it only retrieves data from the API. The API had to be tested instead.

9. Summary

Strengths:

No third-party-software was used.

Weaknesses:

This module is not reactive.

Possible extensions:

The communication between frontend and backend could be reactive. If this module was implemented in a reactive way, it would still function, without any changes to the other modules.