## DAS interfacing with Online

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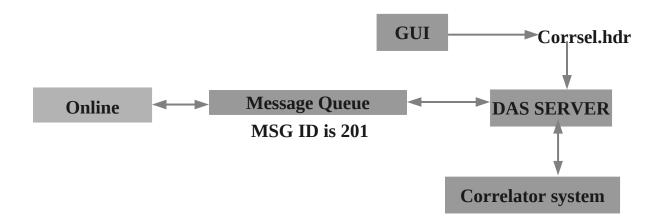


Figure shows how Online is interfaced with Correlator system via DAS SERVER.

Das server starts reading corresel.hdr file generated by GUI. Online send commands to DAS server via message queue.

There are mainly six commands which are send by Online to the DAS server:

- 1. initndas => DAS init
- 2. initproj => Add project
- 3. strtndas => Start project
- 4. stpndas => Stop
- 5. delproj => Delete Project
- 6. hltndas => Finish

# initndas : [antmax] [corrsetup] [bandmask] [sub array no ] [.....]

# initprj : [antmax] [sub array] [proj title] [proj object] [band mask selection] [prjcode]

# strtndas : [source param] [ freq param] [sub array number ]

# Antenna name mentioned during initndas & initproj should match.

sub array Num	cmd num	Cmd type	CMD	CMC	ODE Antenna mask	File l	ocation
1. 0	0	das	init	8	7FFFFFE	F /home/teles	et/gsb.hdr // Init Command
2. 0	1	das	addp	8	/home/telese	et/proj.hdr.user0	// ADD project command
3. 4	2	das	start		/home/teles	set/scan.hdr.user4	// DAS Start command
4. 4	3	das	stop				// DAS Stop command
5. 0	4	das	delp	8			// Delete project command
6. 0	5	das	fini	8			// Finish command

gsb.hdr => GSB config header file.

proj.hdr.user0 => generated by Online

scan.hdr.user4 => generated by Online.

Msgtag structure is declared in display.h in present Online code which is used by Online to pass DAS command DAS server :

```
# display.h

typedef struct
{
    long type;
    char buff[256];
} msgtag;
```

## **DAS Server side:**

Message queue structure

```
typedef struct
{
    long msglevel;
    protocolType prot;
    char buf[MsgSz];
} MsgBufType;
```

```
typedef unsigned char UNC;
typedef unsigned short UNS;
typedef short
                          SHRT;
typedef unsigned long UNL;
typedef unsigned int
                           UNL;
typedef struct ProtTag
   UNC
         origin;
                                       /* MSG Originating station */
   UNC
         dest;
                                       /* Destination station */
   UNC
         type;
                                 /* The type of req, eg. Sh com,RPC,FileIO,DAS,etc.*/
   UNC
         cmd;
                                  /* Actual service name or shell command. */
   UNC
         arg[4];
                    /*Used as a parameter of any type that can be coded in 4 bytes. */
         id;
   UNC
                       /* Request no, from the origin, wraps at 2^8 */
         flag;
   UNC
                            /* Flags of queries or replies */
   UNS
         usrflag;
                      /* Any short val or set of flags for user */
   UNL
         len;
                       /* Length of the packet that follows */
} ProtocolType;
# define ProtSz sizeof(ProtocolType)
# create_msgq_()
# send_msgq_()
: Both the functions are defined in commstat.c
: These functions called by CMDFRM.F
CMODE => 1 => USB
CMODE \Rightarrow 2 \Rightarrow LSB
CMODE \Rightarrow 3 \Rightarrow BOTH
CMODE => 4 => DUMMY
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Stand alone MSG\_queue\_server has been tested with DAS Server upto ACK level.