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Software system for ^{3}He NMR experiments

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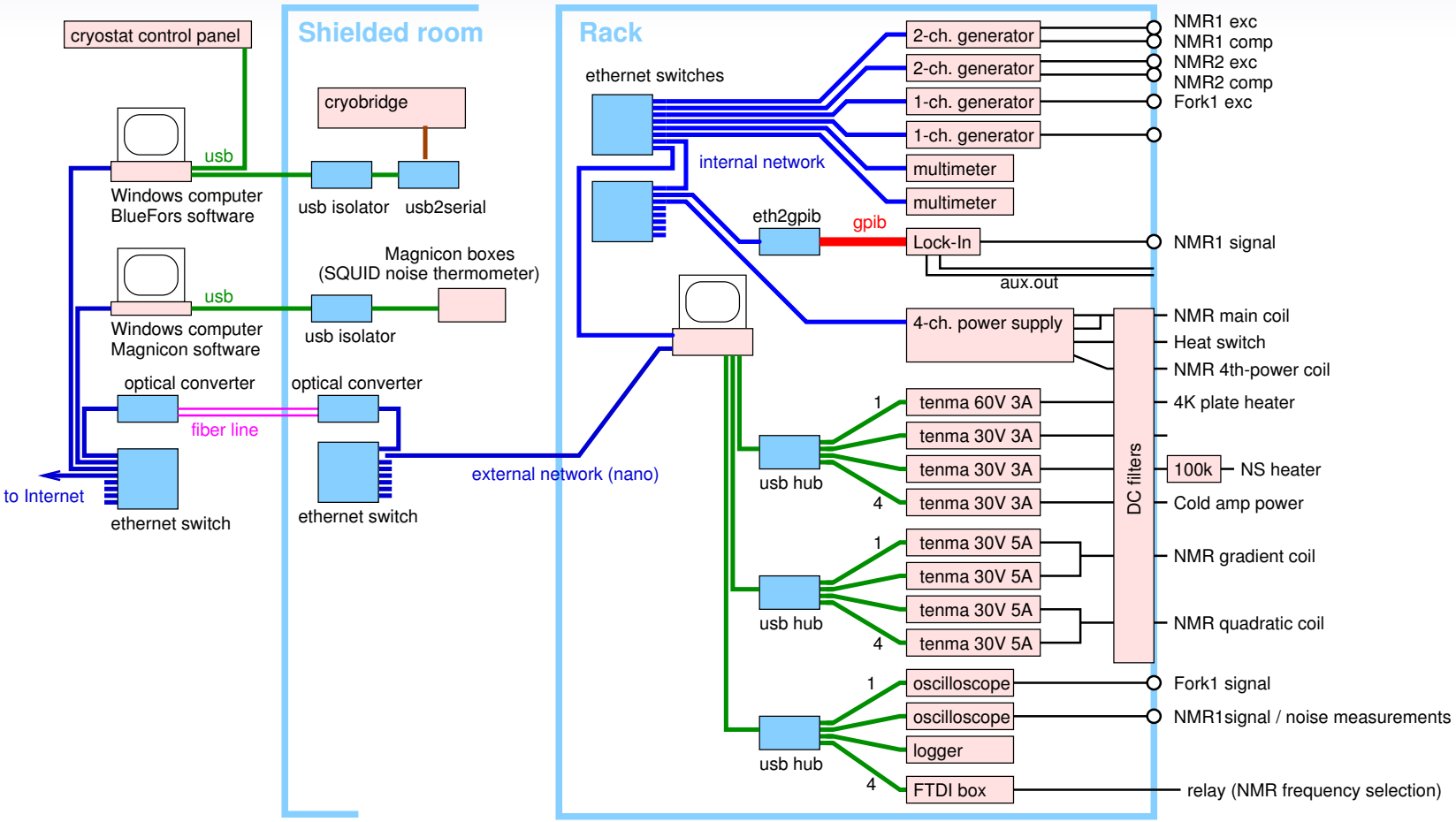
Hardware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(SQUID noise thermometer)
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usb isolator
optical converter
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fiber line
to Internet
ethernet switch
ethernet switch
external network (nano)
ethernet switches
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2-ch. generator
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multimeter
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Lock-In
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4-ch. power supply
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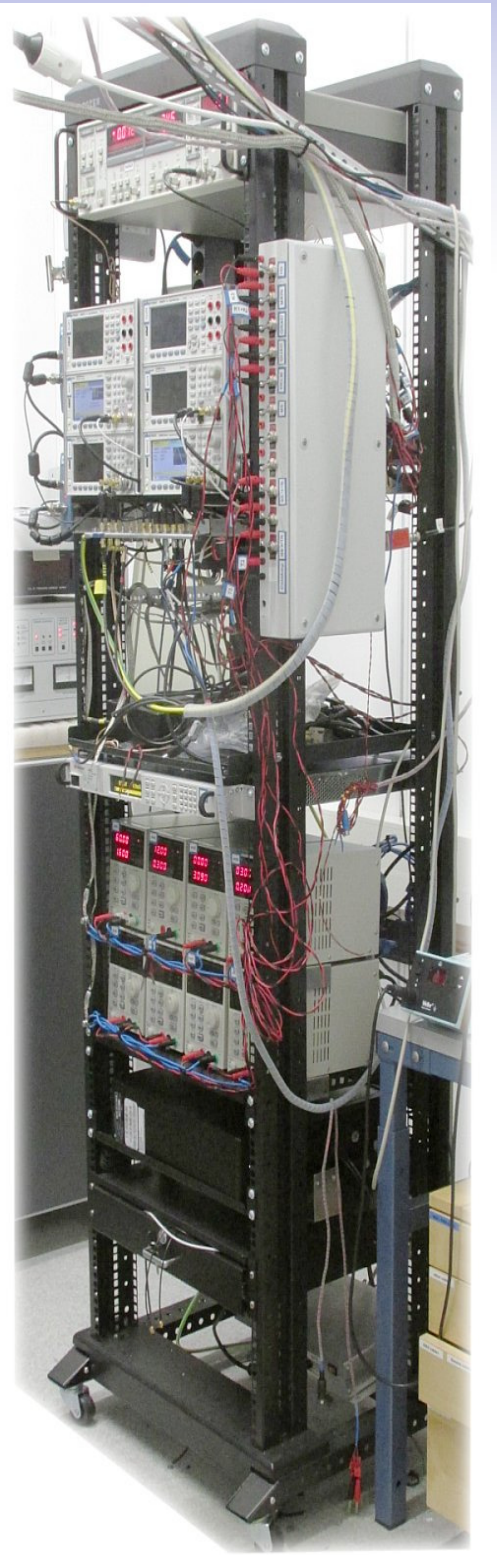
oscilloscope
oscilloscope
logger
FTDI box
DC filters
100k
NMR1 exc
NMR1 comp
NMR2 exc
NMR2 comp
Fork1 exc
NMR1 signal
NMR main coil
Heat switch
NMR 4th-power coil
4K plate heater
NS heater
Cold amp power
NMR gradient coil
NMR quadratic coil
Fork1 signal
NMR1signal / noise measurements
relay (NMR frequency selection)



Device library

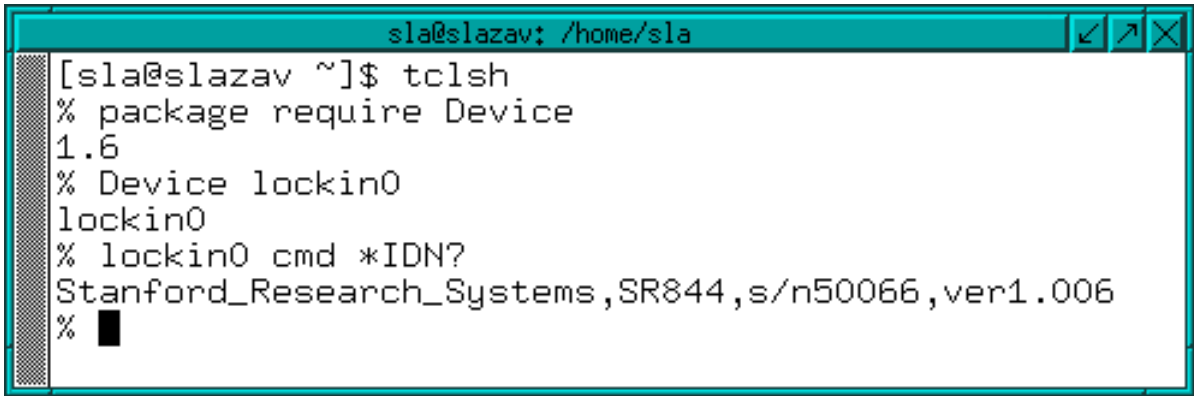
https://github.com/slazav/tcl-device

TCL language:
- easy to make graphical interfaces
- used in ROTA (some programs can be used)
-good for interaction between programs

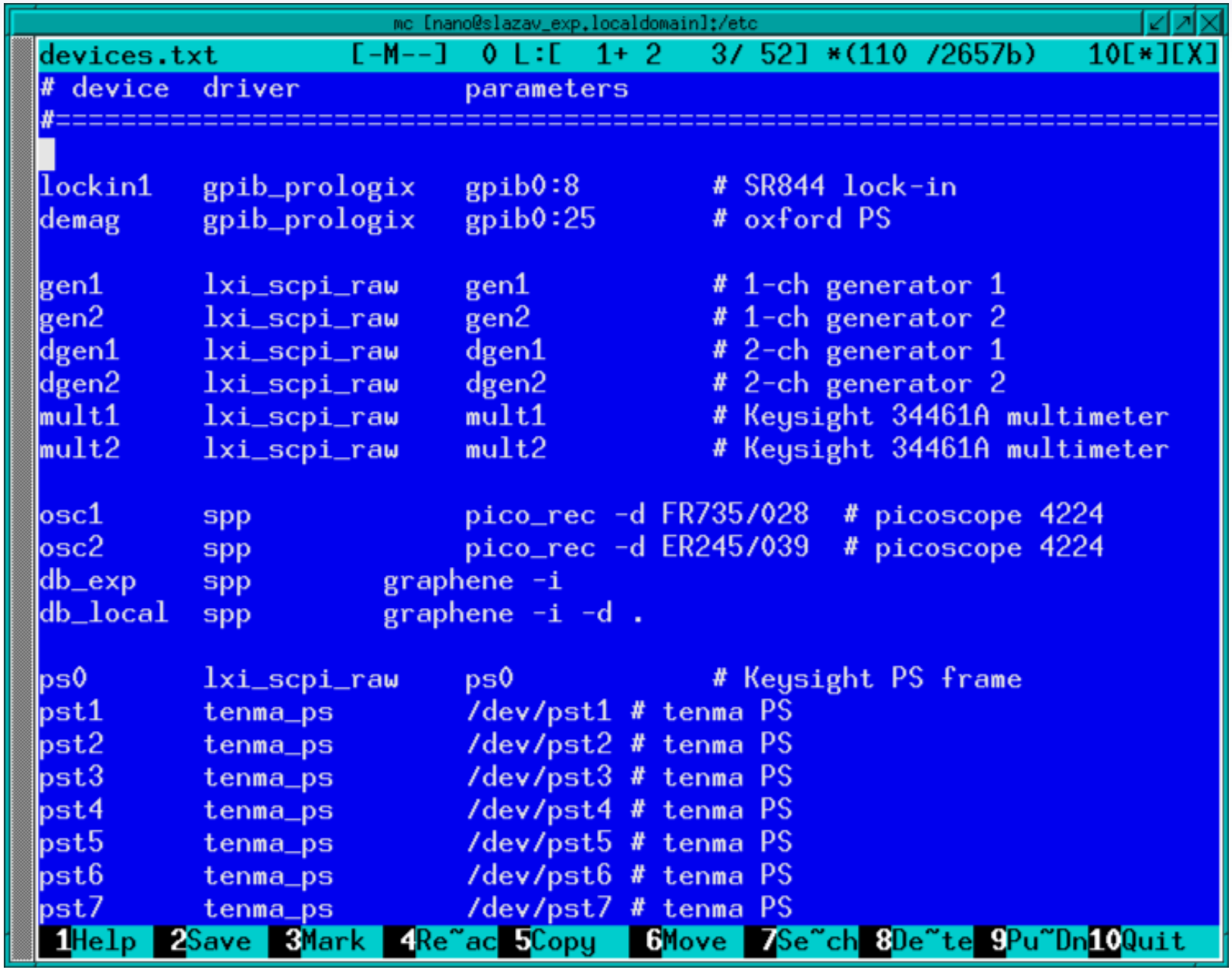
Main idea: programs do not care about how devices are connected.

Program can just open a device, send a command and get an answer.

Other features:
- error handling
- IO locks
- user locks
- timeouts
- logging



Device library – configuration



Graphene database

https://github.com/slazav/graphene

Main idea: you can put a few numbers or text with a timestamp into a database. Then you can extract data for any time range

Features:

- based on BerkleyDB
- integer, floating point or text values
- nanosecond-precision timestamps
- multi-column numerical values
- fast access to data, interpolation, downsampling
- command line interface
- http interface for web-applications (Grafana viewer)

DeviceRole library
https://github.com/slazav/tcl-device_role

Main idea: program can use a device in some simple role, without a knowladge about its model and command set.

Program can just open a device "as a voltage source", and run "set voltage" method.

Existing roles and supported devices:

power_supply – a power supply with constant current and constant voltage modes

* Keysight N6700B frame with N6762A or N6762A modules
* Korad/Velleman/Tenma 72-2535, 72-2540, 72-2550 power supplies

dc_source – a simple DC voltage source

* Korad/Velleman/Tenma power supplies
* SR844 lock-in (auxilary outputs)
* Keysight generators (1 and 2 channels)

ac_source, noise_source

* Keysight generators (1 and 2 channels)

gauge – a gauge device

* SR844 lock-in
* Keysight multimeters

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