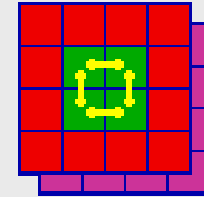




ATLAS Level-1 Calorimeter Trigger



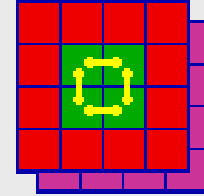
Module Services, ROS, RoIB, System
Management

... And all that ...

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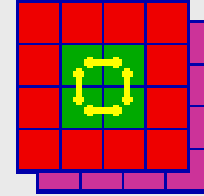
Overview



- Module Services (6)
- ROS news
- RoiBuilder
- System Management {Sys Man} (2)



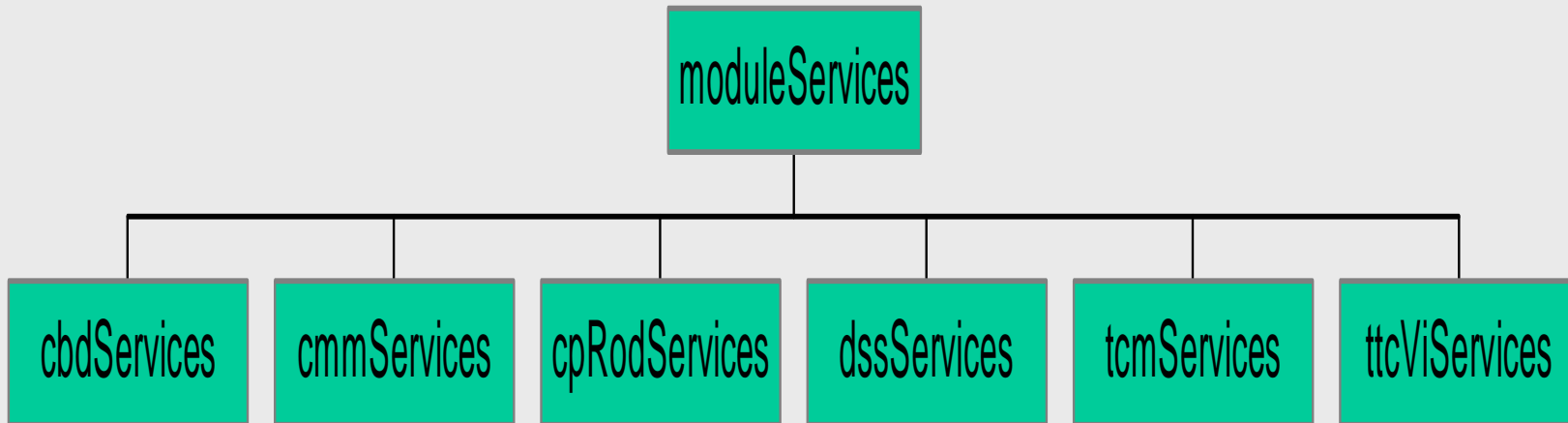
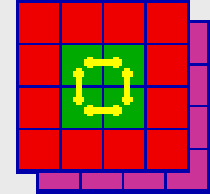
Module Services (1/6)



- Much progress has been made towards “real” slice-test environment and software:
 - Module service packages for CpRod, Ttcvi and Dss
 - CpRod, Ttcvi, Dss and Cbd classes are now functional and use HDMC hardware access layer and parts files.
 - operational in “Looper” and “Kicker” code
 - New Modules
 - Tcm framework
 - Cmm framework -
 - Which Norman is filling with functional code.

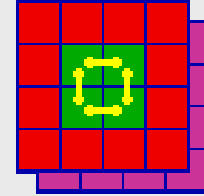


Module Services (2/6)





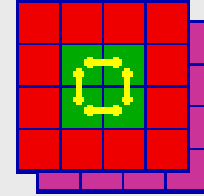
Module Services (3/6)



- DataBase and Run Control integration:
 - Incorporate use of L1Calo Database interface:
 - Use to setup specific registers on “load”.
 - Reimplement (my) local database to use L1Calo db-interface
 - for test purposed.
 - Integration sessions with M.L.



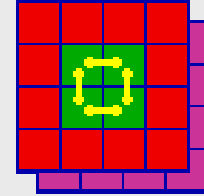
Module Services (4/6)



- Interfaces stabilizing
 - TestVectorReader
 - to define module reader interface which provides access to SJH simulation results:
 - » descriptor specified by database.
 - Modified DaqInterface Interfaces:
 - load() :
 - » set xoff where applicable
 - » load firmware
 - » do reset-type operations (pulse-register)
 - » select clock source
 - config():
 - » configure registers (not requiring reset) and playback buffers.
 - start():
 - » remove xoff, where applicable
 - » broadcast tcrx commands (eg: start playback)



Module Services (5/6)

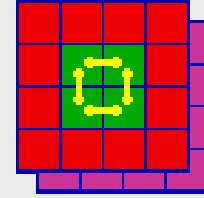


– Repositories

- Test code (Looper) move to CMT completed
 - module services, test code uploaded to archive
 - Package dependencies cleansed.
- HDMC:
 - Saved latest updates in interim repository (RAL).
 - Included new parts:
 - » G. Mahout's DataSourceTV
 - » VMEBusCERN (basic implementation).
 - Parts, bit-definition files
 - » those relevant to module Services moved to "l1calo" tree.
 - Bin, Lib and Obj directory trees now "l1calo" compliant



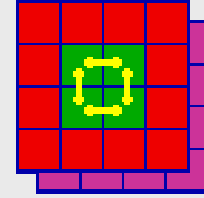
Module Services (6/6)



- Update test software: (To Do)
 - Use a TestVectorReader to access Steve's simulation replacement for W. Stokes' code.
 - TestVectorReader interface for the old code now exists.
 - ROS readout. ROS distribution has now been tested.
 - Need to see what else can be done with what has been provided.
 - Check Dss Variants (identify un-implemented methods.)
 - Integration of moduleServices parts-file-read with HDMC GUI.
 - when using the GUI a number of parts files must be merged and reinitialised: should be automatic.
 - Documentation



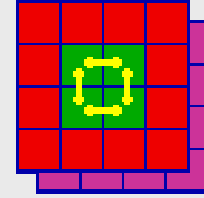
ROS News



- Public Distribution:
 - Made available for “beta++” test at end of April.
 - tested May.
 - Comments fed back to source:
 - Good as far as it goes, but ...
 - Notes on advanced use are sparse.
 - RH6.1 and kernel 2.2 support only.
 - » RH7.2 and kernel 2.4 compliant version is now available.
 - DAQ-1 0.0.15 assumed.
 - » 0.0.17 current



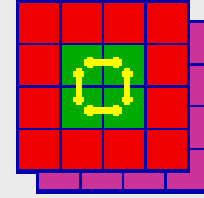
RoiB News



- PDR took place
 - early 2002: Feb/March
 - suspended in order to address technical issues
 - issues which need to be addressed include:
 - flow control (at source and sink)
 - setting of timeouts
 - » to recover, should data fail to appear
 - simulation
- New integration tests?
 - When significant new h/w is available
 - in an integrated s/w environment
 - Consistent with L1 Calo slice-test progress



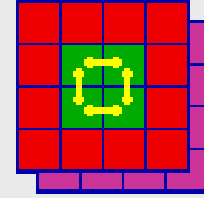
Sys Man (1/2)



- CERN Linux distributions
 - on which
 - various common CERN and commercial packages are certified
 - are RH
 - CERN RH7.2 is now available (2.4 kernel)
 - Online and ROS are now RH7.2/kernel 2.4 compliant
 - RAL and Birmingham are now using RH7.2.
 - We should adopt this as our standard.
 - With common tool set (nedit, wget, java, lesstif, qt, qwt ... etc. See L1Calo s/w web.)



Sys Man (2/2)



- Drivers:
 - CERN VME driver is quite stable:
 - API is well defined
 - has become a standard with many ATLAS users.
 - Multi-user
 - is now in use in a number of our institutes.
 - we should:
 - deprecate older drivers
 - hannappel
 - vmelinux