



Padme dcs

By Simo/Svetlio from Sofia U. @ LNF

March 30, 2019

Partially supported by
BG-NSF DN 08-14/14.12.2016 & LNF-SU 70-06-497/07-10-2014

Goals and technology choice

Goals

Easy to manage the experiment assets

- Configuration

- Version control

- Validity

- Operation conditions monitoring

- Single point operations management

“Easy” to write

Easy to add features

Adequate

Technologies

Python3

Bottle (<https://bottlepy.org>)

SQL database and simple ORM

Vue.js (<https://vuejs.org/>)

Deliverables

Command module

Monitoring and logging of operational data

Web interface, alerts, emergency actions

Functionality detail

Configuration management:

- Default configuration/multiple versions
- Device configuration/multiple versions
- Device connections topology

Monitoring:

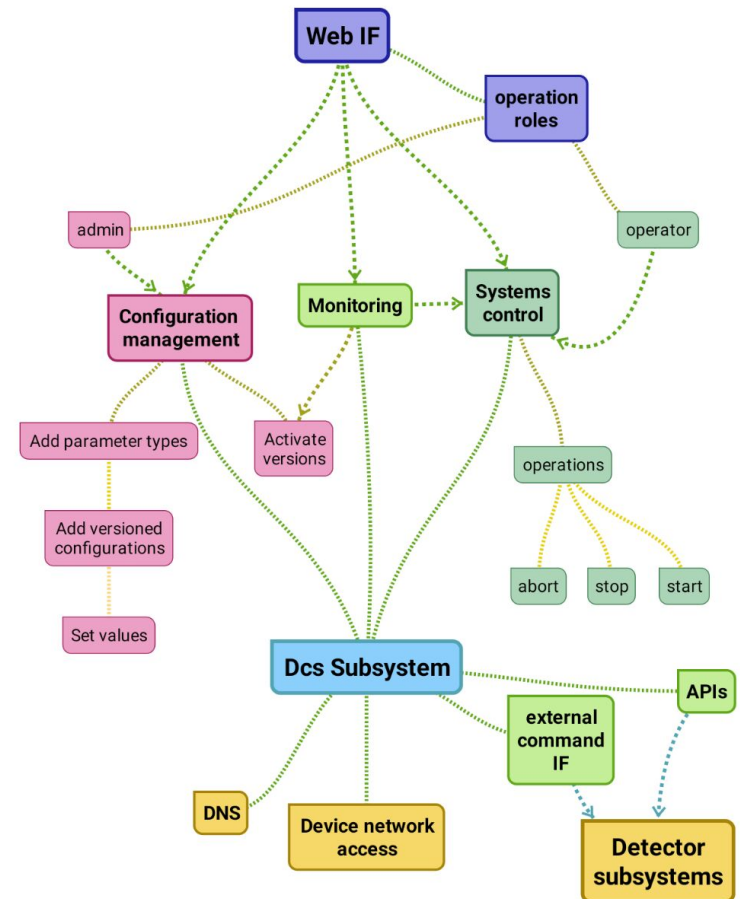
- Heartbeats
- Op conditions data collection and display
- Monitoring of parameter deviations
- Logging and reaction

Systems control:

- Interface with current text-based utilities or libraries

Access control:

- Users and roles



Architecture overview

Web service - UI

Configuration store (database)

Operation parameters collection

Operation parameters monitor

Command system

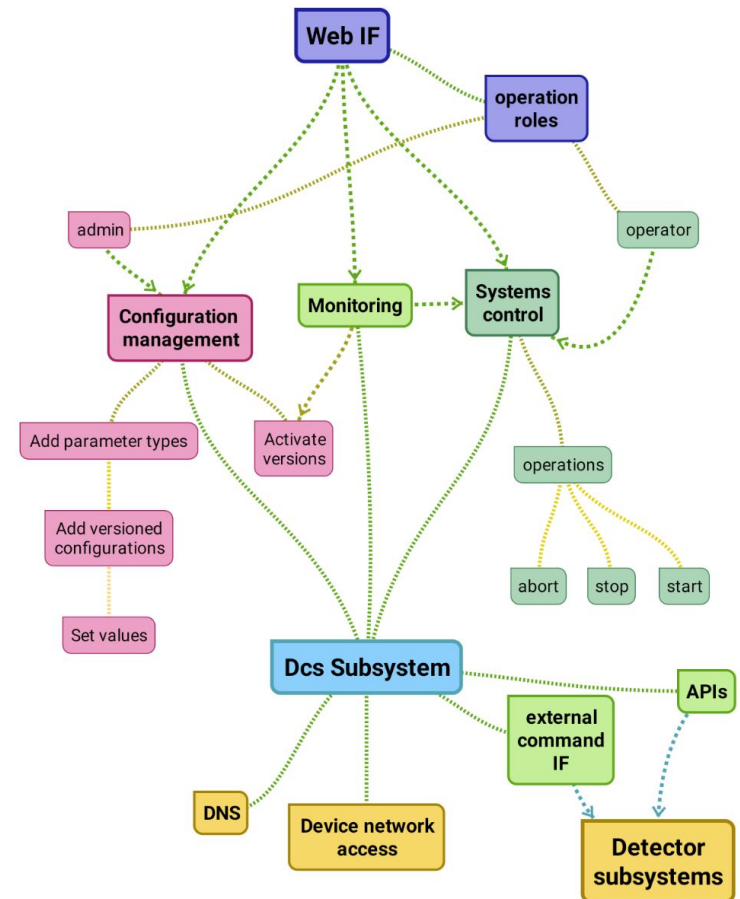
Dependencies

Addressing schemes

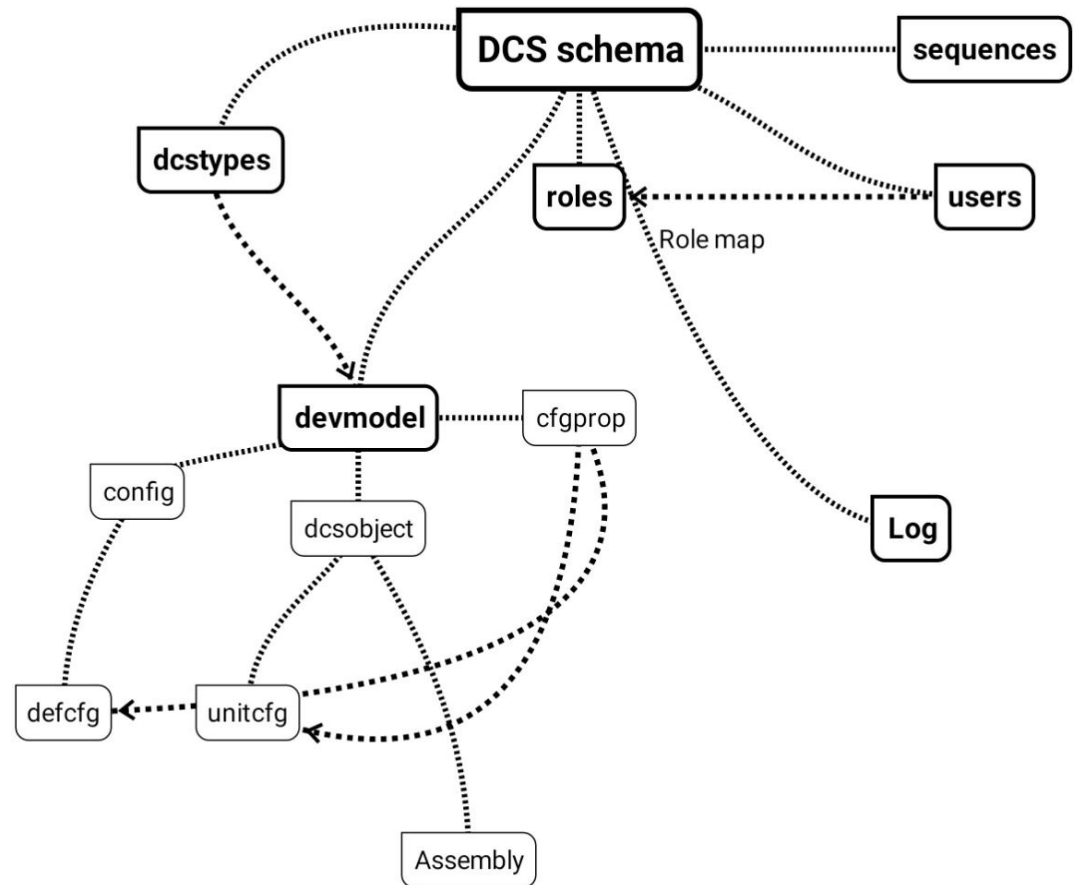
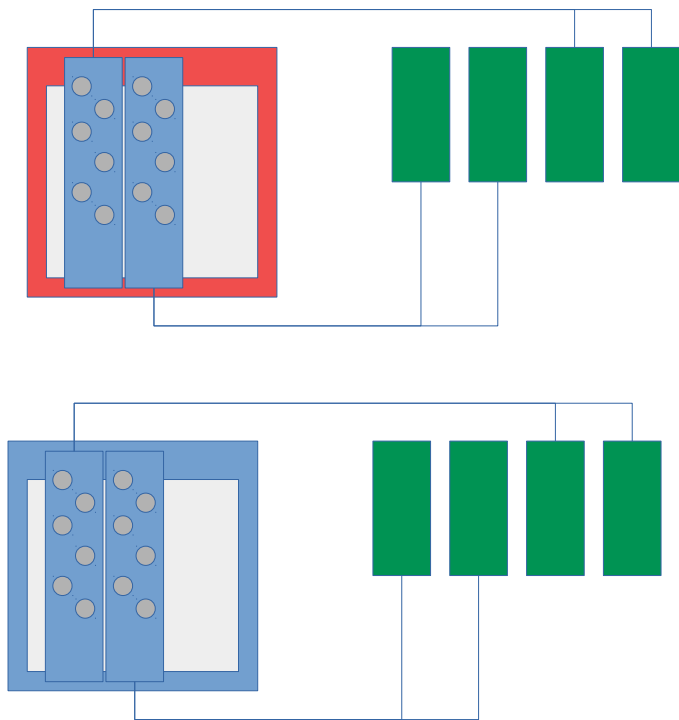
General

Network

Project APIs and utilities' interfaces



Database: user mgmt, device topology and configuration



Schedule

Plan

User management

Configuration system

Command backend

A prototype working with at least one detector subsystem

Monitor backend

A prototype working with at least one detector subsystem

Some documentation (how to extend)

Complete system

March 2019

Current status

Database & testing data

Complete structure, needs to be fleshed out and populated with real data

Backend

Assembled, tested and **fully operational** prototype, lacks the modules for the UI components and various backend tasks

UI libraries

Assembled, tested and **fully operational** prototype, lacks the UI components for the various detectors and command tasks

Basic App Structure

“One-page” app, complete proof of concept, needs maybe one or two UX iterations to complete

Components

Proof of concept for all **types of components** is ready, the real components must be developed

Some early screenshots

Tests of the approach and the selected technologies allow:

Clear wizard-like workflows

Coarse and fine-grained control of every accessible detector component

Hierarchical views and searches

Reports and log collection

Automation of complicated tasks

Monitoring, alerts, etc.

The top screenshot shows a navigation menu with links for Configuration, Run management, Logs, Monitor, User management, and Login/User. Below the menu is a large 'Welcome to the DCS' message.

The bottom screenshot shows the 'Configuration management' page. It features a 'New type' form with fields for Object type (set to 'container'), Model (set to 'NimCrateXXX'), and Description (set to 'A Nim Crate to power E-vet'). Below the form is a table of detector groups:

DetectorGroup	Description	Actions
DetectorGroup (container)	A logical unit of some detectors	config del.
Experiment (container)	The Experiment	config del.
SiPMC (container)	Sinichkoto	config del.
SiPMC-ADC (node)	Karta	config del.
SmthElse (node)	Something different	config del.
V8100 (container)	Nekav crate	config del.

On the right side of the bottom screenshot, there is a 'Versions for DetectorGroup' section with the following data:

Version	Author	Comment
version: 1.01 / 2019/03/20	by: venelin	comment: initial version
version: 1.02 / 2019/03/20	by: venelin	comment: SiPM tests
version: 1.03 / 2019/03/20	by: venelin	comment: Working SiPMs
version: 2.01 / 2019/03/20	by: venelin	comment: ECal stuff active!
version: 2.02 / 2019/03/20	by: venelin	comment: Work in progress

At the bottom of the bottom screenshot, there is a status message: 'status: sometime next week you'll see status messages here.'

Some not so early screenshots

Tests of the approach and the selected technologies allow:

Clear wizard-like workflows

Coarse and fine-grained control of every accessible detector component

Hierarchical views and searches

Reports and log collection

Automation of complicated tasks

Monitoring, alerts, etc.

The top screenshot shows a navigation menu with links for Configuration, Run management, Logs, Monitor, User management, and Login/User. Below the menu is a large 'Welcome to the DCS' message.

The bottom screenshot shows a 'Configuration management' page. It features a 'New type' form with fields for Object type (set to 'container'), Model (set to 'NimCrateXXX'), and Description (set to 'A Nim Crate to power E-vet'). Below the form is a table of DetectorGroup entries:

DetectorGroup	Description	Actions
DetectorGroup (container)	A logical unit of some detectors	config del.
Experiment (container)	The Experiment	config del.
SiPMC (container)	Sinichkoto	config del.
SiPMC-ADC (node)	Karta	config del.
SmthElse (node)	Something different	config del.
V8100 (container)	Nekav crate	config del.

On the right side of the bottom screenshot, there is a 'Versions for DetectorGroup' section with the following information:

- version: 1.01 / 2019/03/20 by: venelin comment: initial version
- version: 1.02 / 2019/03/20 by: venelin comment: SiPM tests
- version: 1.03 / 2019/03/20 by: venelin comment: Working SiPMs
- version: 2.01 / 2019/03/20 by: venelin comment: ECal stuff active!
- version: 2.02 / 2019/03/20 by: venelin comment: Work in progress

At the bottom of the bottom screenshot, there is a status message: 'status: sometime next week you'll see status messages here.'

Pending tasks and work effort estimate

Development tasks

Database - 20 - 30 hours

Data preparation - ?

UI Components - ~100 hours

Backend task managers for configuration and dependency resolution ~50-100 hours

Logging and reports - ~50 hours

Integration tasks

Current configuration and command modules and monitoring ~100 hours?