Update on TDAQ status

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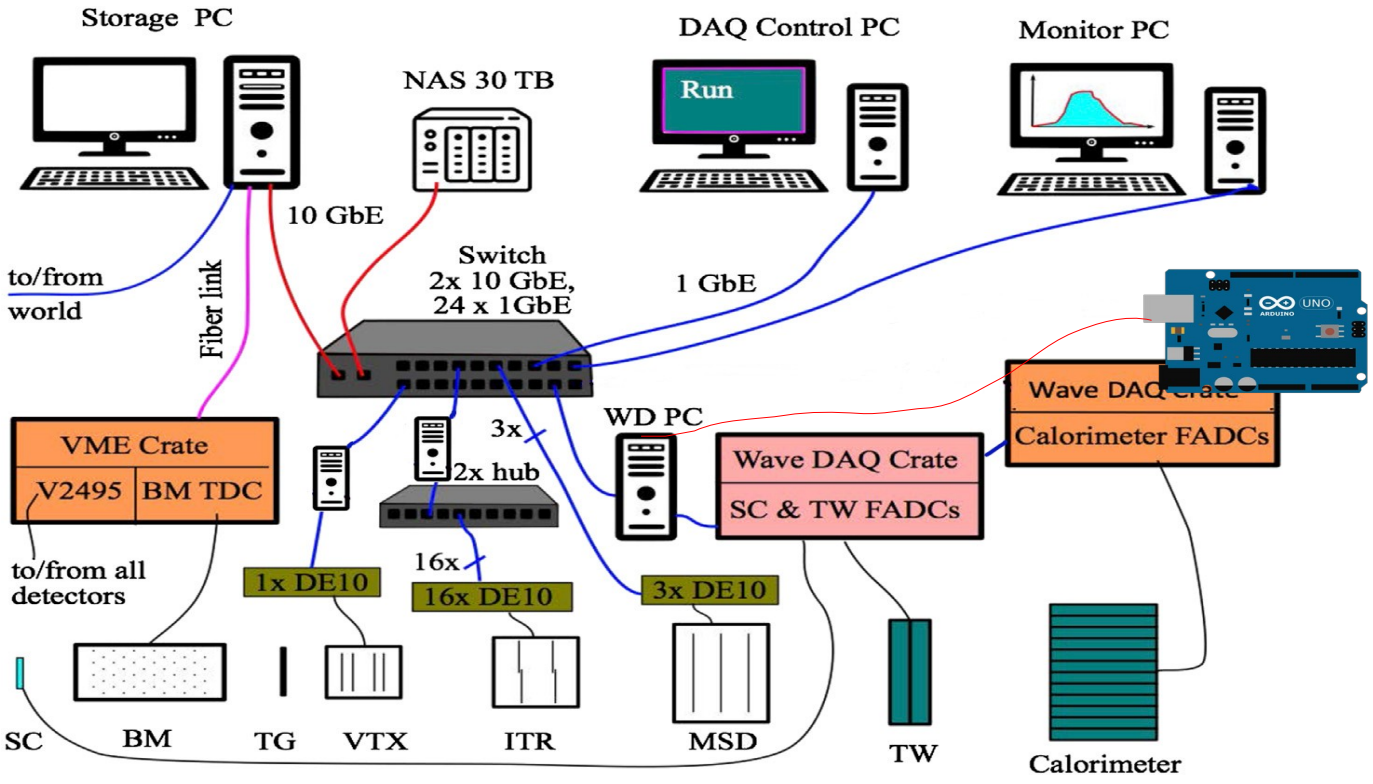
TDAQ infrastructure



TDAQ upgrade

- **update slowed down** by the CentOS EOL in June 2024 (CentOS used at CERN in LHC experiments and FOOT TDAQ is a spin-off of ATLAS TDAQ)

- **some uncertaintes** in the high-energy physics scientific community about OS to adopt

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AlmaLinux to be Used by CERN and Fermilab in Groundbreaking Physics Experiments

CERN and Fermilab will use AlmaLinux for scientific computing, and many experiments will use AlmaLinux in their universities and other member institutions

CERN to become a member of AlmaLinux OS Foundation

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PALO ALTO, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--The AlmaLinux OS Foundation, the nonprofit that stewards the community-owned and governed open-source CentOS alternative AlmaLinux, has announced that CERN, the European Laboratory for Particle Physics, located near Geneva, Switzerland, and Fermilab, Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, based in Illinois in the United States, will offer AlmaLinux as one of the standard Linux distributions for experiments at their facilities.

- AlmaLinux is now on new DAQ desktop, TDAQ infrastructure **upgrade to begin** soon

TDAQ upgrade

- TDAQ update completed (drivers, settings, libraries…)

- stress test on new TDAQ with pulser → up to 70 kHz with simplest setup

- integration of remote detectors ongoing

TDAQ speed-up

- TDAQ takes some time to stop and start

- detectors takes some time to read and apply the configuration

- however TDAQ deals with them one by one slowing the starting process

- several possible solutions were explored...

- splitting the detectors in groups (segments in TDAQ jargon) seems the best option

Conclusions and perspectives

- TDAQ@CNAO2023 worked very well in its final setting

- for security reasons all the infrastructure was duplicated installing the last TDAQ version

- the TDAQ core works as expected

- integration of remote detectors ongoing

- a solution to speed-up the start-stop process was found

- implementation will start soon

Thanks for listening!