# **DESIGN OF DECY-13 CYCLOTRON DAQ SYSTEM**

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#### ABSTRACT

PSTA BATAN (Center of Science and Accelerator Technology) has been developed the 13 MeV cyclotron named DECY-13 for producing radioisotope. That cyclotron has five subsystems and hasn't established by communication standard protocol yet. In order to make cyclotron communicate effectively, this paper presented the design of data acquisition with OPC (OLE for Process Control) based standard protocol and it has established in DECY-13's Instrumentation and Control System by case study method. We used Modbus TCP/IP architecture to make all of HMI from five subsystems building communication with each other to Server Computer (OPC Server). OPC Server and OPC Client has configured by NI OPC Server and NI LabVIEW. Data acquisition has monitored by LabVIEW. Configuration of the system for 13 MeV cyclotron and performance test result showed in RMSE value from Reflected Drive Amp Power is 13,94 %, Magnetic Field is 11,2 % ; Forward Final Amp Power is 5,24 % ; Forward Drive Amp Power is 1,98 % ; MPS current is 1,87 % ; Beam Current and A2 Sensor are 1,85 % ; B2 Sensor is 1,77 % ; Bias Current is 1,71%. Based on monitoring and test result, the design of DAQ system has succeeded and established the communication from several different data types from subsystems with OPC protocol standards.

Keyword : Cyclotron DECY-13, DAQ, Instrumentation system, OPC

#### **OVERVIEW**

Center of Science and Accelerator Technology (PSTA-BATAN) have been developed cyclotron with 13 MeV energy named DECY-13 (Development of Experimental Cyclotron in Yogyakarta-13 MeV). DECY-13 has 5 subsystems which are: Magnet system, Radio Frequency (RF) system, Ion Source system, Cooling system, and Vakum system. Each subsystems have different data type and different local controller. The differences of driver from any hardware and software obtained set of problems in Instrumentation and Control System. So, standard communication protocol properly needed in order to make server computer received the different data type each subsystems in good performances.

OPC was the standard communication protocol have been decided in this case study. OPC offering a special interoperability concept and the ease to fixed data acquisition system in DECY-13. Data acquisition based on OPC in DECY-13's instrumentation and control system was design for : (1) Connecting the server computer and client computer until the data can be sent, displayed and monitored through server computer., (2) Proposing the standard communication protocol which can be easily develop and flexible implementation, also to (3) supporting SCADA control system development in DECY-13 in the future.

### Cyclotron

Cyclotron is circular accelerator that characterized by magnetic field and accelerating rf frequency which are constant in time [1]. Cyclotron accelerates some charged particle such as proton or electron. Accelerated proton in electric field obtained larger energy when radius increased because of deflection from magnetic field. When proton's energy was accomplished, it will hit the target and produced <sup>18</sup>F radioisotopes which have 110 minutes half-time. This radioisotopes are use to detect cancer cells in human body [2]. Generally, cyclotron's support systems are integrating each other. They are consist of : magnet system, cooling system, RF system, ion source system dan vacuum system. Every component from each systems are shown in Figure 1.



Figure 1. Cyclotron's support components[3].

Implementation of DECY-13's components are shown in Figure 2. The design was adapted from KIRAMS-13's Cyclotron (Korea) which are spesified by : PIG typed ion source with beam current production up to 100  $\mu$ A in the center, magnetic field with 1,275 T, maximum voltage of the dees are 40 kV and 78 MHz frequency, 13 MeV proton energy, and proton beam current in the outer radius are kept at 50  $\mu$ A [1], [4].



Figure 2. Overview of KIRAMS-13. (a) A couple of Dees, (b) A PIG type ion source, (c) Two magnetic poles. [4]

# OPC

OPC (OLE for process control) is standard interface between numerous data sources, such as programmable logic controllers (PLCs), remote terminal units (RTUs), and sensors on a factory floor to HMI/SCADA applications, application tools, and databases. With OPC, deviceside server and application software can communicate without duplicating device driver development and providing support for hardware feature changes. The OPC Foundation defines the standards that allow any client to access any OPC-compatible device[5].

## **Data Acquisition**

Data acquisition is the process by which physical phenomena from the real world are transformed into electrical signals that are measured and converted into a digital format for processing, analysis, and storage by a computer. **[7]** 

# Intrumentation and Control System

The purpose of an instrumentation system used for making measurements is to give the user a numerical value corresponding to the variable being measured. A measurement system to have an input of the true value of the variable being measured and an output of the measured value of that variable [8].

### State Machine

A state machine is a model of behavior composed of a finite number of states, transitions between those states, and actions. The State Machine approach in LabVIEW uses a Case structure inside a While loop to handle the different states in the program, and the transitions between them. The Shift Register is used to save data from and between the different states.

# **Root Mean Square Error (RMSE)**

Root Mean Square Error (RMSE) is the standard deviation of the residuals (prediction errors). Residuals are a measure of how far from the regression line data points are; RMSE is a measure of how spread out these residuals are. In other words, it tells you how concentrated the data is around the line of best fit. Root mean square error is commonly used in climatology, forecasting, and regression analysis to verify experimental results. The RMSE formula is in Equation (1).

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\sum_{l=1}^{N} \frac{(P_i - O_i)^2}{N}}$$
(1)

#### METHOD

### **Tools and Material**

This research were used five computers to represent five systems in DECY-13 and one server computer. Then, LabVIEW and NI OPC Server are the software tools. The material are got from the experiment logbook DECY-13.

#### **Design Process**

The system was designed with these following step :

1. Making list of the parameters and data type in every systems by did case study and observation.

- 2. Getting data, making a model by linier regression method and obtained the relation between the variables.
- 3. Creating the diagram block over systems which connected client computer (RTU) and server computer (MTU) by TCP/IP network. Diagram block is shown in Figure 3.
- 4. Creating algorithm of the programme, dataflow diagram, also configurating TCP/IP network. Programme algorithms are shown in Attachment I.
- 5. Configurating address list, modbus code function, tag address and data type every parameters. These configuration are shown in Table 1.

SYSTEM	START ADD	ADDRESS	DATA TYPE	TAG ADDRESS	CODE	FUNCTION
COOLING	0	400001-2	Float	FLOW DIFF PUMP1	16 (10H)	Write Multiple Register
		400003-4	Float	FLOW IS SYS		
		400005	Word	FLOW MAGNET COIL		
		400006	Word	FLOW RF SYS		
		400007	Word	TEMP INPUT		
		400008	Word	TEMP OUTPUT		
ION	9	400010-11	Float	BEAM CURRENT	16 (10H)	Write Multiple Registers
SOURCE		400012-13	Float	BIAS CURRENT		
		400014-15	Float	VACUUM PRESSURE		
		400016-17	Float	GAS FLOW		
		400018	Word	BIAS VOLTAGE		
		400019	Word	ISPS CURRENT		
		400020	Word	ISPS VOLTAGE		
		400021	Word	MPS CURRENT		
	0	000001	Boolean	ISPS READY		Write Multiple Coils
		000002	Boolean	ISPS STATUS	15 (0FH)	
		000003	Boolean	MAGNET PS		
		000004	Boolean	HIGH VACUUM		
		000005	Boolean	BIAS PS READY		
		000006	Boolean	BIAS PS STATUS	1	
MACNET	29	400030	Word	CURRENT_PPM	16 (10H)	Write Multiple Registers
MAGNET		400031-32	Float	CURRENT_A		
		400033-34	Float	MF_T1		
		400035-36	Float	MF_T2		
	7	000008	Boolean	MAIN POWER	15 (0FH)	Write Multiple Coils
		000009	Boolean	MPS NOT READY		
		000010	Boolean	MAGNET OVERTEMP		
		000011	Boolean	DC OVERLOAD		
		000012	Boolean	DC OVERCURRENT		
		000013	Boolean	OVER VOLTAGE		
RF	39	400040	Word	DDS_FW	16 (10H)	Write Multiple Registers
		400041	Word	DDS_RE		
		400042	Word	PA_FW		
		400043	Word	PA_RE		
		400044	Word	PF_FW		
		400045	Word	PF_RE		
		400046-47	Float	RF_FREQ		
		400048	Word	RF_VOLTAGE		
	20	000021	Boolean	DDS status	15 (0FH)	Write Multiple Coils
		000022	Boolean	DA/PP status		
		000023	Boolean	FA/PF Status		
	50	400051-52	Float	SENSOR A2	16 (10H)	Write Multiple
		400053-54	Float	SENSOR B2	10 (1011)	Registers
	15	000016	Boolean	STATUS A2	15 (0FH)	Write Multiple Coils
		000017	Boolean	STATUS B2		
		000018	Boolean	STATUS RP		
		000019	Boolean	STATUS DP		

Table 1. Parameters	in N	OPC Server	Configuration



Figure 3. Diagram block of Data Acquisition System

#### **Implementation Process**

After designed process has been done, the next implementation systems are going to the following step :

- 1. Choosing the closest regression type with experiment data. The model are used to making a temporary data generator.
- 2. Writing the equation of the model to the LabVIEW programming by creating five "While Loop" for five systems.
- 3. Creating array data package and write them using Modbus library. "Write Multiple Register" mode for float and word data type,while "Write Multiple Coil" for boolean Complete data type. with configuration consisted with : starting address, data quantity, and data information. Starting address are listed in Table 1.
- 4. Sending that data package to OPC by monitoring it through *OPC Quick Client* by doing these step : Open *NI OPC Server* > *Tools* > *Launch OPC Quick Client*. Check the data in *value* column.
- 5. The next is creating HMI design in server computer and displaying all data indicator. Give the proper label to each indicator.HMI consist of 6 Tab pages, 1 is main page and the others are subsystem pages.
- 6. Making data binding between data package from NI OPC Server and LabVIEW HMI in server computer.

### **Testing Process**

The purpose of testing process are to see the system performance. There are 2 kind of the test, quality communication test and error data test. The first one are going to the following step :

- 1. Opening the NI OPC Server to launch OPC Quick Client by click *Tools> Launch OPC Quick Client*.
- Running the programme in client computer by Opening the VI LabVIEW in *Project Cyclotron > Client Demo.VI*
- 3. Checking the "quality" dan "value" di OPC Quick Client for each group tag. Starting from Cooling, Ion Source, Magnet, RF and Vacuum System.
- 4. Checking data that displayed in HMI server computer.

Then, error data test are done by the following step :

- 1. Exporting the data from HMI server computer table to Ms Excel by *block all data tabel* > right click > *Export data to CSV/Excel*.
- 2. Separating the data and counting the error by calculate the residual between the data that accepted to HMI server computer and the real data from experiment.
- 3. Counting the RMS Error value for each systems with formula that shown in Equation (1).
- 4. Displaying the RMSE data to table.

### RESULT

This research has established through case study in order to implement the design of data acquisition system in DECY-13 based on OPC in PSTA-BATAN. Data source in the research came from experiment that have been done by researcher in Accelerator's Instrumentation and Control System Team. Then data have been analyzed by regression method and produce model. The model are use to make a data generator and send the data from client computer to server computer.

Model from data generator only use when this system did the simulation. But, after the system implemented into the real DECY-13, data flow came from the sensor like data acquisition as normally.

Interpolation result has been simulated by LabVIEW HMI. Then, data were sent to NI OPC *Server* and monitored by user through HMI LabVIEW in *Server Computer*. Result of the HMI are shown in Figure 4.



Figure 4. HMI Generator Data

These HMI represented five systems which using *Modbus code function* with *command "Write multiple register"* and *"Write multiple coils"*. *Write multiple register* are using to produce array data package. Then data are wrote from starting address with data quantity information.





Figure 6. HMI Data Acquisition System: Ion Source System page



Figure 7. HMI Data Acquisition System: Vacuum Systems page



Figure 8. HMI Data Acquisition System: Magnet System Page



Figure 9. HMI Data Acquisition System: RF System page



Figure 10. HMI Data Acquisition System: Cooling System page

#### **Testing Process**

From all displayed data, residual between them should be measured to see the error. Error data then processed by RMS Error method to test the system. RMSE test result are shown in Table 2.

#### Table 2. RMSE Test Result in Four Systems

Subsystems	Parameter	RMSE (%)
Magnet	MPS current (A)	1,87
System	Magnetic field (mT)	11,2
Ion Source	Beam Current (μA)	1,85
System	Bias Current (mA)	1,71
	Forward Drive Amp Power (Watt)	1,98
RF System	Reflected Drive Amp Power (Watt)	13,94
	Forward Final Amp Power (Watt)	5,24
Vacuum	A2 Sensor (Torr)	1,85
System	B2 Sensor (Torr)	1,77

Table 2 showed RMSE value from 4 systems. The more RMSE value increased, the less accuracy system obtained and vice versa. The biggest RMSE value came from Reflected Drive Amplifier in RF System about 13,94 %. This value actually is relatively error because of data weren't real-time mode. Although of data generator were delivered that error value, it won't influence the system when implemented into the cylotron system.

### CONCLUSION

This paper introduces the OPC design for the data acquisition system of the DECY-13 cyclotron. It can simulate processes with welldesigned HMI. Data acquisition system based on OPC have been established in DECY-13's Instrumentation and Control system by case study and simulation. The implemented design kept data exchange between client computer and server computer.

RMSE value from Reflected Drive Amp Power 13,94 %, Magnetic Field is 11,2 % ; Forward Final Amp Power is 5,24 % ; Forward Drive Amp Power is 1,98 % ; MPS current is 1,87 % ; Beam Current and A2 Sensor are 1,85 % ; B2 Sensor is 1,77 % ; Bias Current is 1,71%.

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