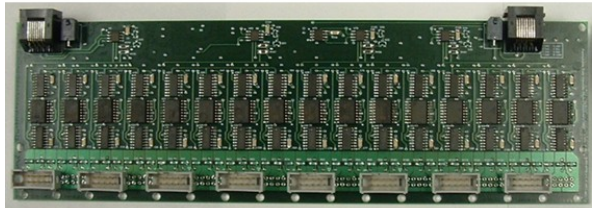


System configuration

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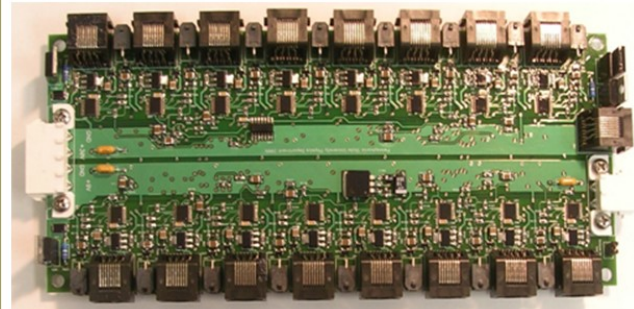
Higher Level Controllers

Yale Controller



- Controls **16 Yale bases per unit** using 4 bit I²C address space
- Regulate **0~10V "HV Set"** voltage via I²C → Non-volatile
- Read back **0~2V "HV Monitor"** signal via I²C
- +30V → +24V, +9V → +6V to **use existing Cat5e connection**
- -6V needs to be supplied separately
- Current limiting → **Thermistors**

Master Controller



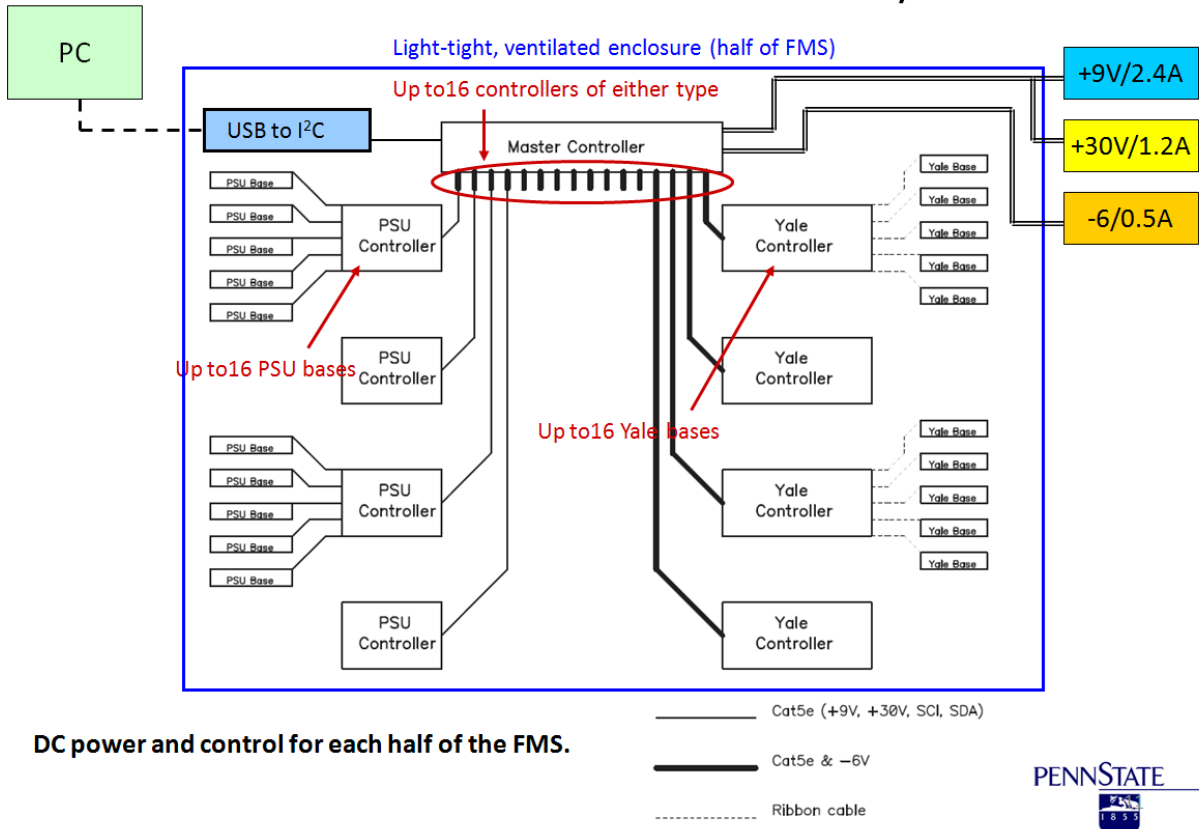
- Four 4 channel multiplexers to control 16 controllers of either type → **256 Bases**
- Distribution of 3 supply voltages
- I²C DIP switch provides **non-volatile switch settings** for each voltage per channel
- **Sequential turn-on** → reduces the transient load on the power supply
- Total continuous current: **1~3 Amps per channel** → Over-current and over-voltage protection

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Figure 1: Len's FMS Review Talk

FMS Inner Calorimeter HV System



DC power and control for each half of the FMS.

Figure 2: Len's FMS Review Talk.

Using CW high voltage control program "console.exe" is a windows program. The example below involves a windows XP environment with Cygwin running a bash shell.

There are three types of commands the the I2C console program

There are three types of input commands for the console program:

1) Raw I2C Read and Write

- Format: 4 fields of 1 hex byte

[W/R] [ADDR] [CNT] [Repeat]
(string of CNT data bytes for W/R=1)

- [W/R] = 0 for read command and 1 for write command
- [ADDR] = I2C Byte address
- [CNT] = No of data words read or written
- [Repeat]=0 Normal ; N for repeat of command N times (For debugging hardware)

2) Execute script files "@"

@Filename.txt [arg1] [arg2] [arg3]

- Run a script file from the debug directory.
- Arguments can be passed and will replace \$0 , \$1] , \$2 etc in script file.
- Scripts can call scripts up to depth of 10.

3) Exclamation point commands “!”

![command name] [arguments]

for example:

assuming a path is established to a YALE or PSU board (including direct connection)

!rdac [ADDR]

- Read High Voltage settings for address ADDR.

!rdac [ADDR] [setvalue]

-Set Digital Pot and thus reset High Voltage

!PSUbase

-declare a PSU base

!YALEbase

- declare Yale base

!SETdevice [N]

-Talk to the N'th DevaSys device found on the USB bus. (dev=0 or dev=1)

!HVsave [ADDR]

-On Channel [ADDR] Copy the volatile voltage setting to non-volatile (powerup) memory.

!HVrestore [ADDR]

-On Channel [ADDR] restore the volatile HV to non-volatile value.

!HVGetTol [ADDR]

-Update the High Voltage Calculation Constants to account for rdac fabrication variation of ~10%.

!Sleep [MSEC]

- Sleep for MSEC milliseconds

!ScriptRepeat [COUNT]

- sets a counter indicating the number of times that the next command script (ie. “@file.txt”) will reopen and execute. A script with a Sleep command in it can be used to run periodically and log results. A counter exists at each level of “@file.txt”. The counter at each level counts down toward zero each time the script file is reopened

-The nominal value for the counters at each level is zero. Counters only are increased when a “!ScriptRepeat [n]” is input.

Learn by example

1) Go to directory where executable lives.

The *.txt files are script files that include legal commands for the program. When the program starts, the file “first.txt” is automatically executed.

```
~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop
$
heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop
$
heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop
$
heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop
$ cd Console_C11_exit/debug/

heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$ ls
BuildLog.htm          flongtest.txt      s1.txt
HUSet.obj            g.txt              s1Vale.txt
I2Call.obj           getdata.txt        s2.txt
SetMasterPSU.txt     getdatatst.txt    s2b.txt
SetMasterVale.txt    log.txt            s3.txt
addrchk.txt          log1.txt           setspair.txt
batch.txt             log2.txt           setvolt.txt
boardcheck.txt        log3.txt           setypair.txt
chksw.txt             log4.txt           stdafx.obj
console.exe           log5.txt           stepup_log.txt
console.exe.embed.manifest log9-20a.txt       strfilter.obj
console.exe.embed.manifest.res log9-20b.txt       table1.txt
console.exe.intermediate.manifest mt.dep             table2.txt
console.ilk           offmult.txt        table3.txt
console.obj           onch_rdif.txt      test2.txt
console.pch           onch_read.txt      test3.txt
console.pdb           onchan.txt         usbi2cio.dll
console.res           rdac.txt           vc70.idb
errorstest.txt        rdif.txt           vc70.pdb
example.txt           rdiflong.txt       vc90.idb
file1.txt             readrdac.txt       vc90.pdb
first.txt             readspair.txt      yalehasepower.txt
flongbatch.txt        resrdac.txt

heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$
```

The file “first.txt” includes one statement “@offmult.txt”, that runs a script file of the same name. The script “offmult.txt” sleeps for 1 second and then executes a sequence of raw i2c read/write commands.

These commands scan through the i2c address space, closing communication with each of 16 bases. The assumption is that the computer is directly connected to a YALE or PSU daughter board.

If the computer is plugged into a master controller then there is no path to a YALE or PSU daughter board until such a path is established. In that case, these commands do nothing.

```
~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$ more first.txt
@offmult.txt

heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$ more offmult.txt
$Sleep 1000
1 E0 2 0
01 00
1 E2 2 0
01 00
1 E4 2 0
01 00
1 E6 2 0
01 00
1 E8 2 0
01 00
1 EA 2 0
01 00
1 EC 2 0
01 00
1 EE 2 0
01 00
1 F0 2 0
01 00
1 F2 2 0
01 00
1 F4 2 0
01 00
1 F6 2 0
01 00
1 F8 2 0
01 00
1 FA 2 0
01 00
1 FC 2 0
01 00
1 FE 2 0
01 00

heppe1@heppe1-PC-De11 ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$
```

So now we are ready to run the program "console.exe".

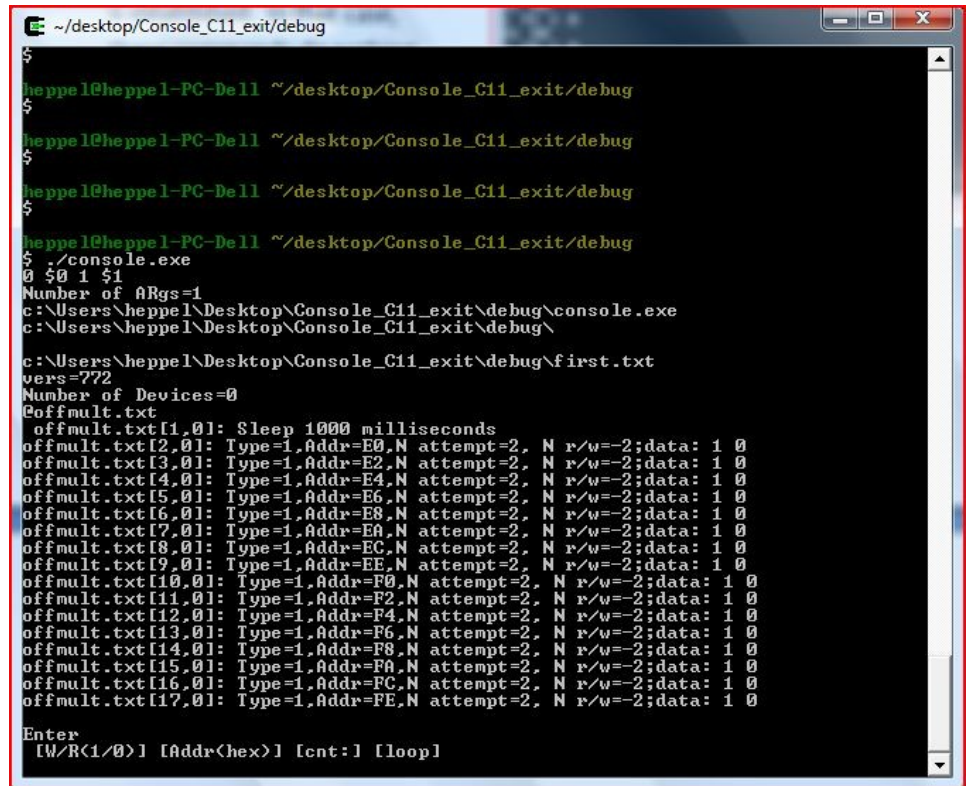
We see that the "first.txt" file ran and called "offmult.txt" as expected.

Output is also logged to a file "log.txt".

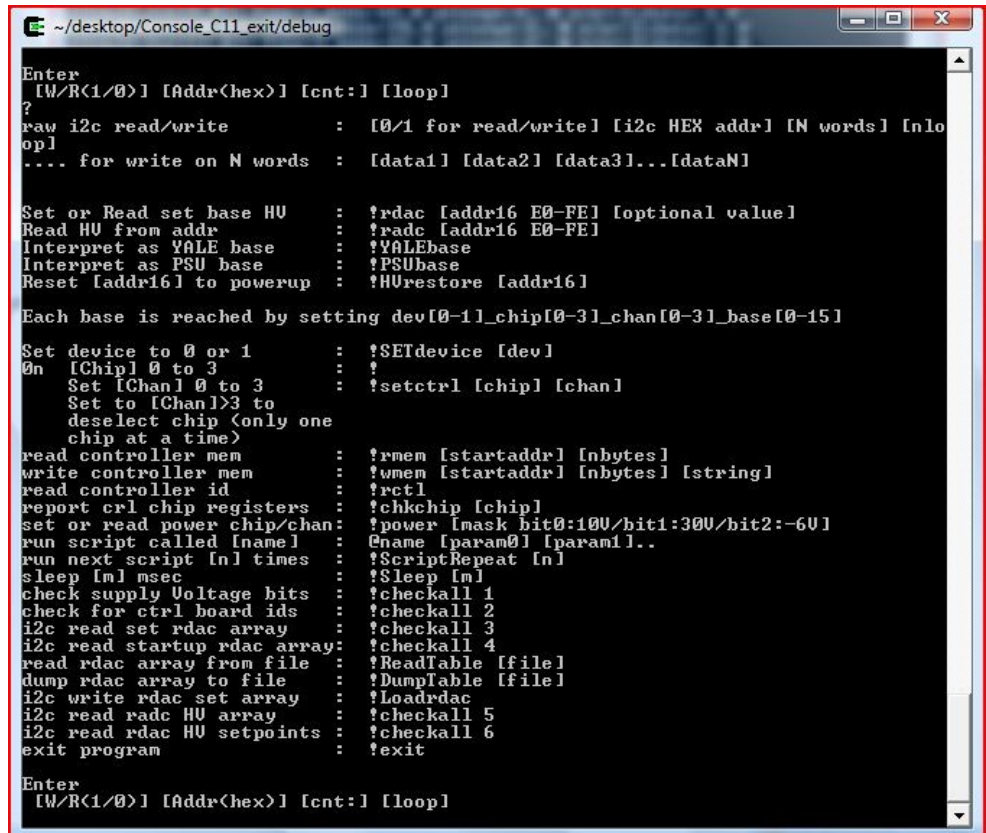
With the Enter prompt the program waits for one of three commands.

- 1) raw i2c command
- 2) @ command
- 3 ! command

Also you may enter "?" for help



```
~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$
heppel@heppel-PC-Dell ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$
heppel@heppel-PC-Dell ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$
heppel@heppel-PC-Dell ~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
$ ./console.exe
0 $0 1 $1
Number of ARgs=1
c:\Users\heppel\Desktop\Console_C11_exit\debug\console.exe
c:\Users\heppel\Desktop\Console_C11_exit\debug\
c:\Users\heppel\Desktop\Console_C11_exit\debug\first.txt
vers=772
Number of Devices=0
@offmult.txt
offmult.txt[1,0]: Sleep 1000 milliseconds
offmult.txt[2,0]: Type=1,Addr=E0,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[3,0]: Type=1,Addr=E2,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[4,0]: Type=1,Addr=E4,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[5,0]: Type=1,Addr=E6,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[6,0]: Type=1,Addr=E8,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[7,0]: Type=1,Addr=EA,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[8,0]: Type=1,Addr=EC,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[9,0]: Type=1,Addr=EE,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[10,0]: Type=1,Addr=F0,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[11,0]: Type=1,Addr=F2,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[12,0]: Type=1,Addr=F4,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[13,0]: Type=1,Addr=F6,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[14,0]: Type=1,Addr=F8,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[15,0]: Type=1,Addr=FA,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[16,0]: Type=1,Addr=FC,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
offmult.txt[17,0]: Type=1,Addr=FE,N attempt=2, N r/w=-2;data: 1 0
Enter
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]
```



```
~/desktop/Console_C11_exit/debug
Enter
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]
?
raw i2c read/write : [0/1 for read/write] [i2c HEX addr] [N words] [loop]
... for write on N words : [data1] [data2] [data3]...[dataN]

Set or Read set base HU : ?rdac [addr16 E0-FE] [optional value]
Read HU from addr : ?radc [addr16 E0-FE]
Interpret as V4LE base : ?V4LEbase
Interpret as PSU base : ?PSUbase
Reset [addr16] to powerup : ?HUrestore [addr16]

Each base is reached by setting dev[0-1]_chip[0-3]_chan[0-3]_base[0-15]

Set device to 0 or 1 : ?SEIdevice [dev]
0n [Chip] 0 to 3 : ?
Set [Chan] 0 to 3 : ?setctrl [chip] [chan]
Set to [Chan]>3 to
deselect chip (only one
chip at a time)
read controller mem : ?rmem [startaddr] [nbytes]
write controller mem : ?wmem [startaddr] [nbytes] [string]
read controller id : ?rctl
report ctrl chip registers : ?chkchip [chip]
set or read power chip/chan: ?power [mask bit0:10U/bit1:30U/bit2:-6U]
run script called [name] : ?name [param0] [param1]..
run next script [n] times : ?ScriptRepeat [n]
sleep [m] msec : ?Sleep [m]
check supply Voltage bits : ?checkall 1
check for ctrl board ids : ?checkall 2
i2c read set rdac array : ?checkall 3
i2c read startup rdac array: ?checkall 4
read rdac array from file : ?ReadTable [file]
dump rdac array to file : ?DumpTable [file]
i2c write rdac set array : ?Loadrdac
i2c read radc HU array : ?checkall 5
i2c read rdac HU setpoints : ?checkall 6
exit program : ?exit

Enter
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]
```


Each base associated with a **YALE** or **PSU** card has one of 16 addresses. A commutation path determines which 16 base address space (which of the 32 YALE or PSU cards) is being accessed. The communication path is defined by setting

- dev (0-1)
- chip (0-3)
- chan (0-3)

The mapping is fully defined at this link location

<http://drupal.star.bnl.gov/STAR/blog/heppel/2010/jun/25/deadcellsrun10179077#HighVoltage>

There are two Master control cards used to control the FMS small cells, **dev=0** for the South Small Cells and **dev=1** for the North Small Cells.

To communicate through to a particular YALE or PSU daughter card (Figure 1 and Figure 2) a communication path must be established. The Master control card has 4 routing chips and each chip can enable 1 of 4 paths providing 16 distinct paths to one of the 16 attached YALE or PSU cards.

(Note: only one path should be established at a time)

This is how we would open up a path to dev=0, chip=3, chan=1

```
Enter
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]

!SETdevice 0

Enter
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]
!setctrl 3 2
```

After using this path, it is important to close it by setting the chip to a non-channel .
"!setctrl 3 4" to disable path through chip 3.

With the channel enabled, it is possible to talk to the i2c addresses on a **PSU** base or the similar control registers on the **YALE** mother board.

For each base there are multiple addresses registers defined.

Setting either of 2 values on the **rdac** chip (a variable resistor with 256 steps in resistance) can be done when the path has been mapped. The stored numbers are the volatile active voltages and the non-volatile reset values that survive repowering.

To set the volatile addr=0xE0 to value=0xAB

```
Enter  
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]  
!rdac E0 AB
```

To read back the volatile value from addr=0xE0

```
Enter  
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]  
!rdac E0
```

To save the volatile value to the non-volatile backup

```
Enter  
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]  
!HVsave E0
```

To set the volatile value to the non-volatile backup value

```
Enter  
[W/R(1/0)] [Addr(hex)] [cnt:] [loop]  
!HVrestore E0
```


Low Voltage Control

The master boards are connected to 3 low voltage supplies.

V1=9V control bit 0 of hvmask required for communications

V2=30V control bit 1 of hvmask required for high voltage

V3=-6V control bit 2 of hvmask required for some additional features

The state of the low voltage for a particular YALE or PSU board is reflected by a 3 bit mask -> hvmask

To check the value of the mask for a particular board

!power

To reset the value of the mask for a particular board (and thus to turn on/off the low voltage power)

!power [hvmask]

To turn on all low voltage

!power 7

To turn off all low voltage

!power 0

Reading back voltage.

The voltage is read with a 8 bit ADC using the command which samples the actual high voltage.

!radc [addr]

To correctly interpret the voltage, we must declare the path as a YALE or PSU mother board before reading the ADC as above.

!PSUbase

or

!YALEbase

before

!radc [addr]

Local values of all rdac values.

The console program stores copies of all the **!rdac** setpoint values.

They are refreshed when we call

!checkall 3

This array of setpoint values can be save to a file

!DumpTable [file]

Or can be read back in from a file

!ReadTable [file]

These values can then be loaded into the CW system with

!Loadrdac