Bologna: activity update

Outline:

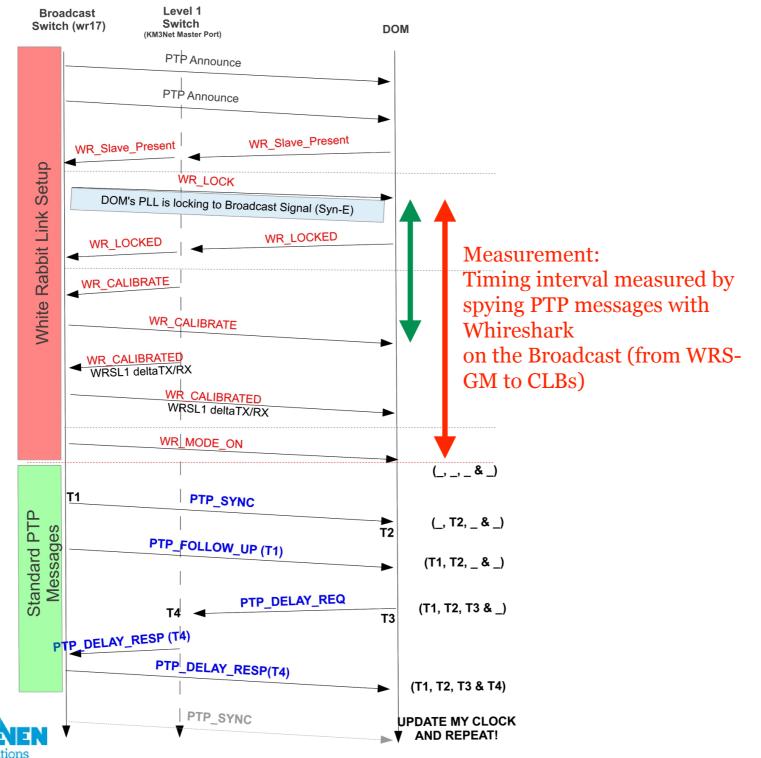
- testbench status update
- WR synch preliminary measurements
- DU-base embedded-sw development

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Testbench status update

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4 CLB connected in a full Km3Net WR fashion (fw tag rev20150114)
     2 are ver 2.2
     2 are ver 2.2.1
(http://wiki.km3net.de/index.php/Bologna_Common_Infrastructure)
2 KC507 used to inject data through:
     4 Pseudo-Octopus
2 Octopus
(we still have 2 proto:
          one of them is used by me for DU-base embedded-sw development;
          we plan to increase later our setup up to 6 CLBs.)
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Test Plan
1) test DAQ in Full-WR with different data rates (almost ready to start)
2) test Slow Control (remotely by Cristiano - in progress)
3) test DAQ for Piezo (Carmelo - in progress)
4) measure WR starting time in a many CLB environment (in progress)
     goal: provide some hints
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WR link setup measurements (1)



RESULT: 8.2 s

- measurement
 independent on the
 number of CLB switched
 on.
- 2) most of the time (8.1 s) between WR_LOCK and WR_CALIBRATE (green arrow)

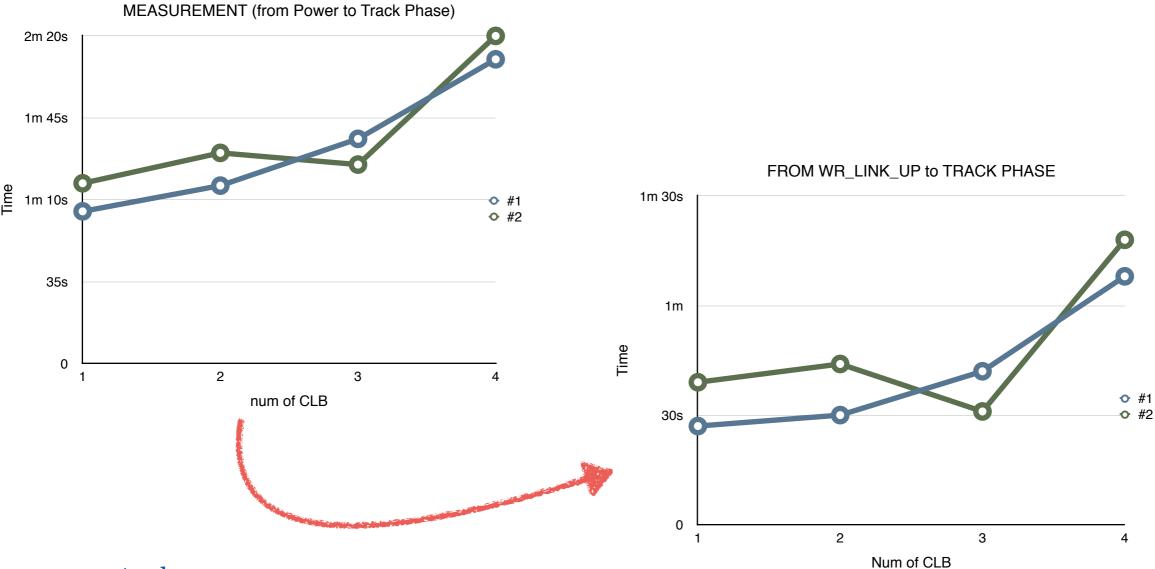
Figure 3: KM3Net WR flow message.

From "White Rabbit over KM3Net." (Seven Solutions).
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WR off->trackphase measurements (2)



Apply

- 1) Bias: 30 s from power-on to booting runtime fw image
- 2) Bias: 8s * number of CLB (previous slide)

We observe that WR CLB GUI spend most of the time in the following states:

"master mode or sync info not valid"

"Servo state: unitialized"

DU-base embedded-sw development

Preamble: in the last DAQ meeting (December '14 in Bologna) I agreed to provide an initially time-limited support to Vincent about the embedded-sw for the DUbase (time-limited = now 3 months - later it will be re-negotiated accordingly to needs as well as to my availability)

Done a fruitful meeting with Vincent (sw overview and planning)

ToDo list:

- create a separate building placeholder:
 - done and put into SVN: /sw/embedded/CLBv2_App/build/base
 - a carbon-copy of /build/runtime
- remove all sw stuffs not needed (i.e. optical subsystem)
 - in contact with all involved people to do an inventory of what's in the DUbase and how to manage it (Tommaso made a mailing list).
 - in progress : some docs received last Thursday
- create drivers
- create slow control commands
- create variables
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I prepared a small test bench (1 Proto CLB) to test my changes.

Open issue (in my mind):

- Who's in charge to tune CLB fw for the DUbase (has to be added to the mailing list?)