

ALICE PC Cooling System Sensor

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Objective

- Sense whether cooling system is functional
 - Door closed
 - Fans operational
- Provide clear UI to allow user to monitor situation
- Secondary method to sense cooling
 - Temperature sensors already in place
 - Allow action before temperature rises too much

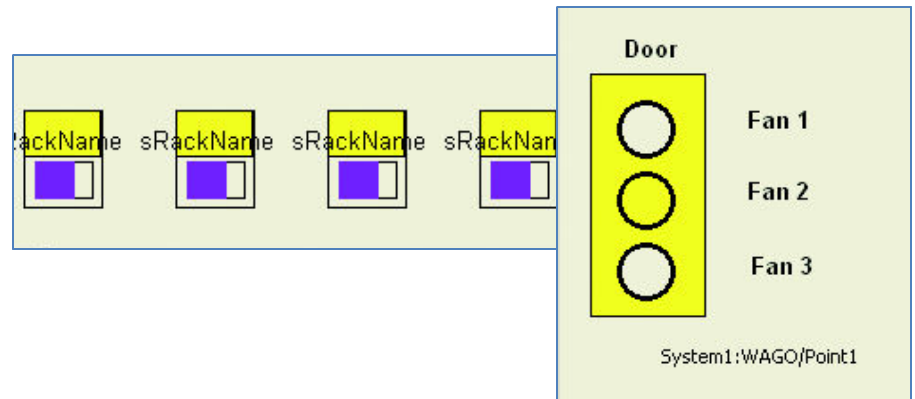


Extension to larger scale

- CTRL scripting
 - Specific to PVSS
 - Based on C
 - Allows/simplifies mass parameterization
- JCOP Framework
 - Developed by 4 major experiments
 - Support components common to many sub-detectors
 - Limited documentation
- WAGO PLCs not explicitly supported by fw

Current State

- Learning exercise
 - mass parameterization
 - panel graphics
- GUI creates DPs based on rack names
 - Consistent with JCOP naming conventions
 - Sets up hardware addresses for each DP



The screenshot shows a software window titled "_QuickTest_: aliRck_generateUnits.pnl (dcs_rck - dcs_rck_doors...". The window has a menu bar with "Module", "Panel", "Scale", and "Help". Below the menu bar is a toolbar with various icons. The main area contains three input fields: "Counting Room Number:" with the value "3", "Row Letter:" with the value "X", and "Number of Units:" with "From" set to "2" and "To" set to "9". A "Create Devices" button is located at the bottom of the form.

Next steps

- Set up FSM
 - Abstraction for dealing with states of components
- Construct system
 - Wiring in ALICE CR3
- Pressure sensing in different room (?)