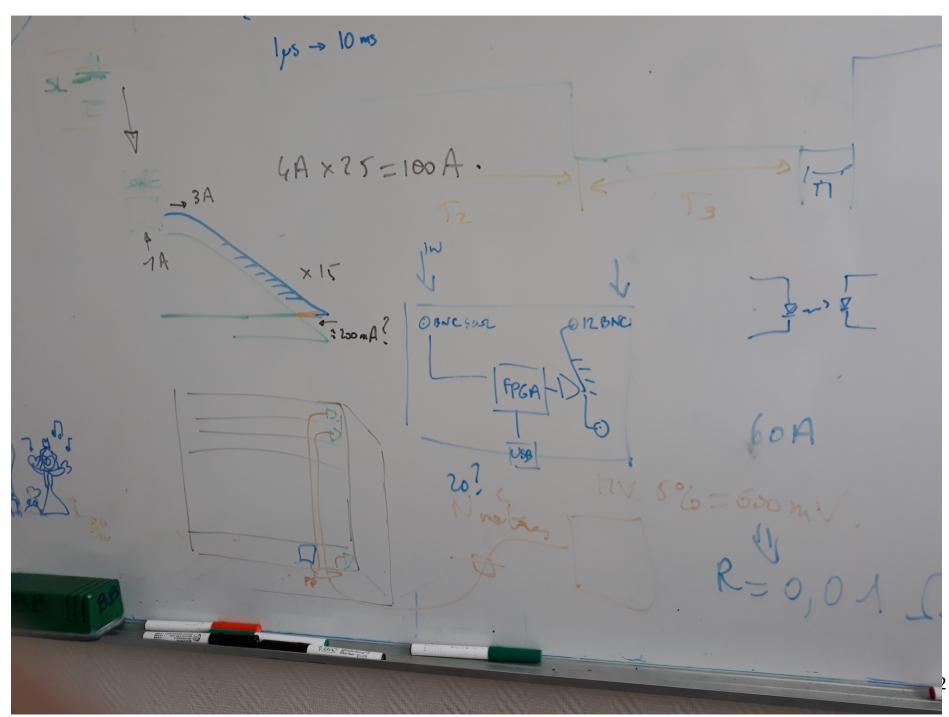
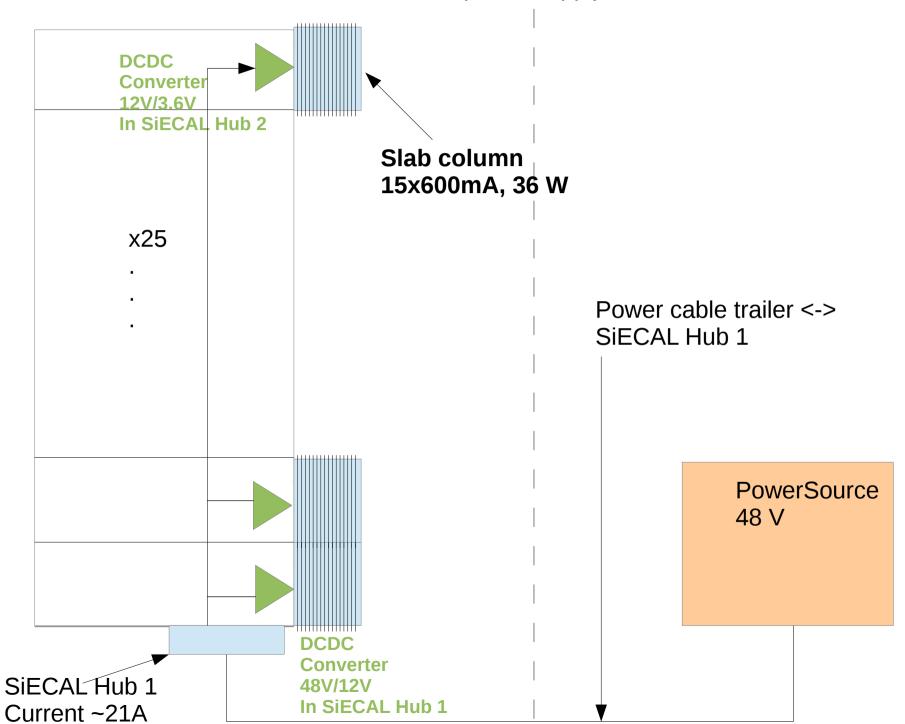


Brainstorming – Dominique/Roman



Scheme of LV power supply for a stave



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- 0) Prologue: Specific Resistance of Copper rho = 0.0171 [Ohm x mm²/m]
- 1a) The (continous) current consumption of a column of slabs is driven
 - i) by the consumption of the SL-Boards is (at approx. 4V): $I_{SI} = 200 \text{ mA} => 400 \text{ mA/slab}$
 - ii) by the charging current for the capacitances. The inrush current will be limited to $I_{C,max} = 100$ mA/layer. However, at t>t₀ the current will drop progressively according to $I=(U_B/R)xexp(-t/RC)$ with $U_B = Voltage$ of power source and R=Resistance to limit the inrush current, e.g for $U_B = 4V$, $I_{C,max} = 100$ mA => R=500hm
- 1b) In this scenario it follows that the <u>maximal</u> consumption of a slab is Current: $I_{S,max} = 2x(200\text{mA} + 100\text{mA}) = 600 \text{ mA}$ Power: $P_{Slab} = P_{SL} + P_{RC} = 2x(4Vx0.2A + 4Vx0.1A) =$ **2.4W**(again this drops as the capacitances get charged)

Power consumption of a column of slabs = 15x2.4 W = 36 W

1c) The 4V for SL-Board and capacitance charging is provided by 12V/4V DCDC Converters that sit in Hub2. This hub hosts also the data concentrator cards and that by itself consumes around 5 W. These 5 W add to the 36 W above, leading to a total power consumption of a slab column of 41 W.

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- 1) The total power consumption of a stave 41 W (=25 columns) is about $25 \times 41W = 1000 \text{ W}$
- 2) These 1000W have to be provided by the main power supply of 48 W from which it follows that current drawn from the power supply is 100

1000W/48V = 21 A

These 21 A arrive at the SiECAL Hub 1

3) According to a survey on the web 21 A require a cable with a cross section of about 1.5 mm² maybe 2.5 mm². The voltage drop per meter on such a cable at 21 A is

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\Delta U = (0.0171/1.5)Ohm x 21A = 0.24 Volt => ~5 Volt after 20m in case of 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup> with a thermal dissipation of 0.24Vx21A ~ 5W/m \Delta U = (0.0171/2.5)Ohm x 21A = 0.14 Volt => ~3 Volt after 20m in case of 2.5 mm<sup>2</sup> with a thermal dissipation of 0.14Vx21A ~ 3W/m \Delta U = (0.0171/4)Ohm x 21A = 0.09 Volt => ~1.8 Volt after 20m in case of 4 mm<sup>2</sup> with a thermal dissipation of 0.09Vx21A ~ 2W/m
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Concerning the cable thickness we need to find a comprimise between material budget and thermal dissipation

=> Propose to choose 2.5 mm² for the time being (requires coordination with other detector components)

"External" Material budget on cables

i.e. Cables arriving at SiECAL Hub 1

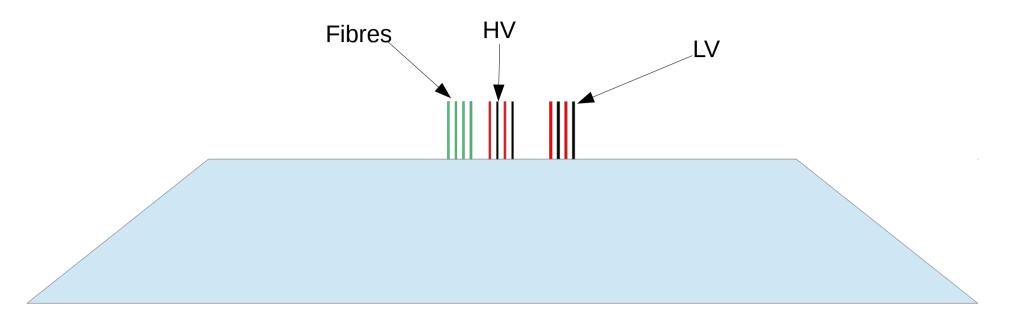
1) A copper cable of 2.5mm² has a diameter of about 1.8mm
The copper cables for the LV will occupy a space of about 7.2x1.8 mm²
This assumes one cable for the ingoing current and another one for the return current (x2 for redundancy)

Remark: The radiation length of copper is 14.36 mm

- 2) The budget added by the HV can be neglected (Current << 1A)
- 3) There will/may be also optical fibres for data transfer and clock distribution Let's assume four including redundancy

 The additional material budget is however negligible

"External" Material budget on cables – Simple Drawing



- Not to scale!!!
- To be turned into a professional drawing

Backup

http://www.learnabout-electronics.org/PSU/psu31.php

https://www.maximintegrated.com/en/app-notes/index.mvp/id/2031

Scheme of LV power supply for a stave – On DCDC Converters

... a poor man's point of view

- The advantage of a DCDC converter is that is realises the step down of the voltage without ohmic losses (in contrast to a "simple" linear regulator)
- From a "crash course" on DCDC converters I have learned that energy is stored in an inductor during time t_{on} and released during a time t_{off} The output of a (Buck) DCDC Converter is $V_{out} = V_{in} \times t_{on} / (t_{on} + t_{off})$ The duty cycle V_{out} / V_{in} determines the average current that is drawn from the power source V_{in}
- Ay each layer the voltage 4V is available from a 12V/4V DCDC Converter. The total current of a layer is 200mA (regard SL-Boards only for simplicity)
- Therefore the average current drawn from the power source is in this case (4/12)x200mA = 66mA