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INCA Matlab Integration Package

INCA - Matlab Integration Package

„...application programming interface that controls INCA's functionality from within MATLAB”

widely used in calibration for:

- INCA remote control and automation
- online data processing and evaluation
- algorithmic calibration

Adressed use cases

- DoE test plan automation:
 - collecting data for data driven ASCMO models
 - generating repeating step excitation signals for system identification ASCMO-DYNAMIC

- Automation of predefined calibration processes:
 - closed-loop problems mainly, e.g. diesel soot peak emission optimization

- Online processing of measurement data:
 - complex calculations, e.g. fourier transformation
 - detector of undesired behaviour, e.g. combustion instability

- Simple bypass-like functionality (non time synchronous):
 - function bypass, e.g. using offline model via continous function output recalibration
 - closed loop controller, e.g. engine speed via accelerator pedal look-up-table

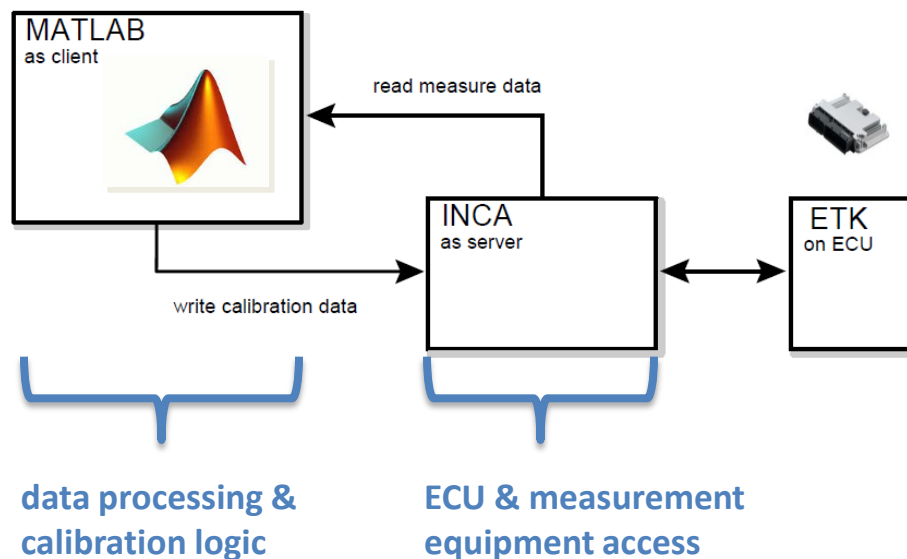
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Features

- control of GUI INCA functions by simple Matlab commands
- remote experiment setup
- data acquisition using ring buffer
- calibration access

→basis for powerful solutions in automated calibration tasks!

→basic principle: “worksplitted” between data acquisition (INCA) and data processing (MATLAB)



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Example of INCA-MIP Matlab code:

```
IncaOpen('7.1')  
IncaOpenDatabase;  
IncaOpenExperiment('My_Project', 'My_Experiment', 'My_Project', 'My_Workspace');
```

Explanation:

starting INCA 7.1 ...
open the current database
open the experiment 'My_Experiment' in the 'My_Workspace'

Benefit

good integration of INCA into an automation toolchain

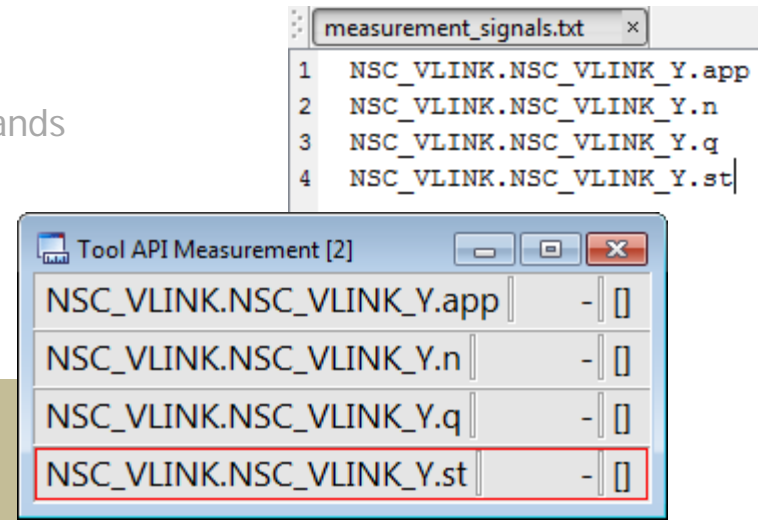


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Example of INCA-MIP Matlab code:

```
signals = textread('Config\measurement_signals.txt', '%s');  
  
for m = 1:length(signals)  
    IncaAddMeasureElement('ETKC:1', '100 ms', signals{m});  
end
```



Explanation:

read the text file 'measurement_signals.txt', containing a list all the signals you want to measure

run a loop over the length of this list

- add each signal from the list to the , 'ETKC:1' in the '100 ms ' time raster

end

Benefit

quick experiment setup for automation, based on exchangeable label lists

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Example of INCA-MIP Matlab code:

```
IncaStartMeasurement;
```

```
[time, data] = IncaGetRecords('ETKC:1', '100 ms', 10);
```

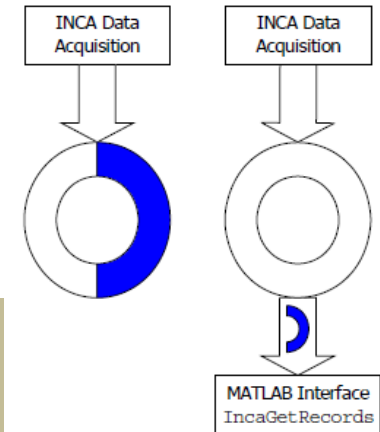
Explanation:

start the INCA measurement first to stream data to the ring buffer

now, read the last 10 data points from the ring buffer of the device 'ETKC:1' in the '100 ms' time raster of the previously added 4 measurement signals

Benefit

application of digital filters to process data online, like steady state detection and low pass or moving average filtering of noisy data



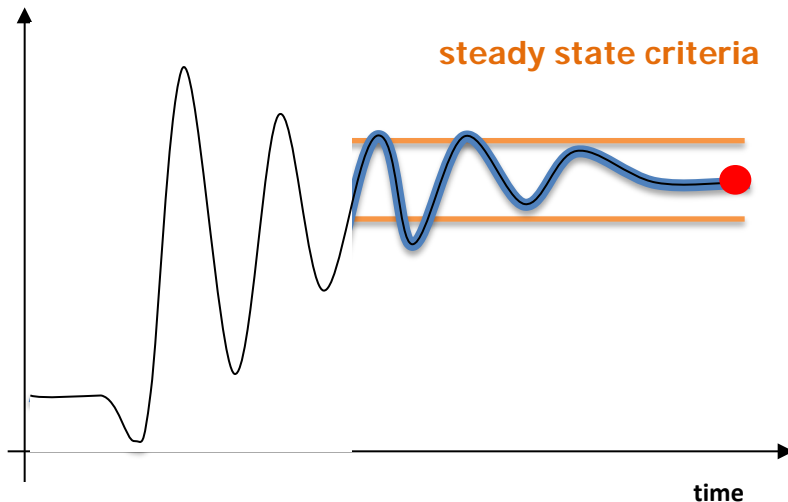
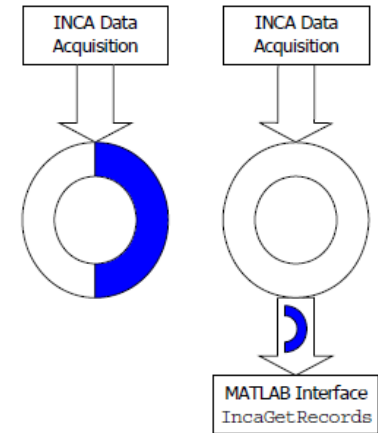
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2	19.7754	1.7825e+03	7.6000	0	
3	19.7754	1.7825e+03	7.6000	0	
4	19.7754	1785	7.5300	0	
5	19.7754	1785	7.5300	0	
6	19.7754	1782	7.6900	0	
7	19.7754	1780	7.8000	0	
8	19.7754	1780	7.8000	0	
9	19.7754	1.7855e+03	7.6000	0	
10	19.7754	1.7855e+03	7.6000	0	

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Steady-state detection:

means, looking at some past values at each time step and check if they meet certain the criteria...



history

current value

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Example of INCA-MIP Matlab code:

```
IncaAddCalibrationElement('ETKC:1', 'EGR_rBase_MAP');
```

```
IncaSetCalibrationValue('ETKC:1', 'EGR_rBase_MAP', 55, [2, 3]);
```

Explanation:

add the calibration map 'EGR_rBase_MAP' of the device 'ETKC:1' to the current experiment

Change the maps 2-nd column (x break point axis) and 3-rd row (y break point axis) to the value 55

y \ x	800.000000	1000.000000	1800.000000
0.000000	1.235532	1.250726	1.265002
5.000000	1.236027	1.257120	1.211315
10.000000	1.255496	55.000000	1.356307
15.000000	1.299983	1.324881	1.277988
20.000000	1.351185	1.377119	1.328008