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Fast Orbit Feedback using Libera Brilliance and Libera Photon

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Motivation

- **Target is to stabilize photon beam**
- **Suppression of beam disturbances**
- **Use Fast data input for Fast Orbit Feedback**

Loop

- **Simple and efficient data collect**
- **Feedback loop can include both: electron and photon beam position monitors**



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Objectives

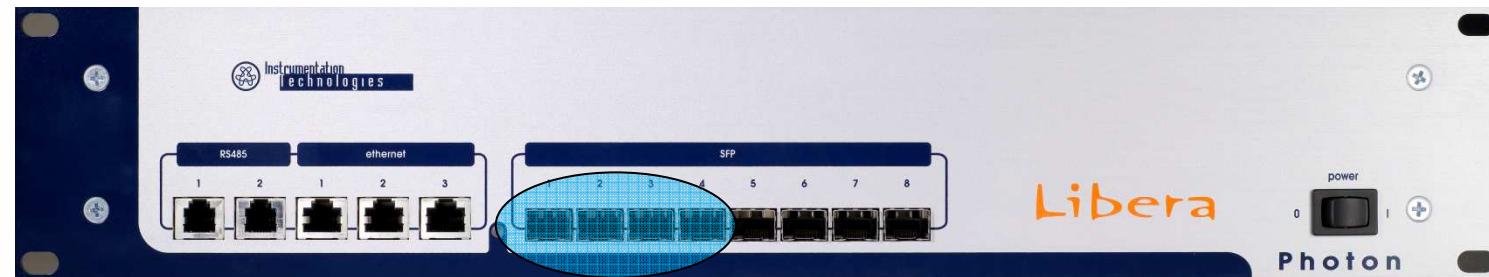
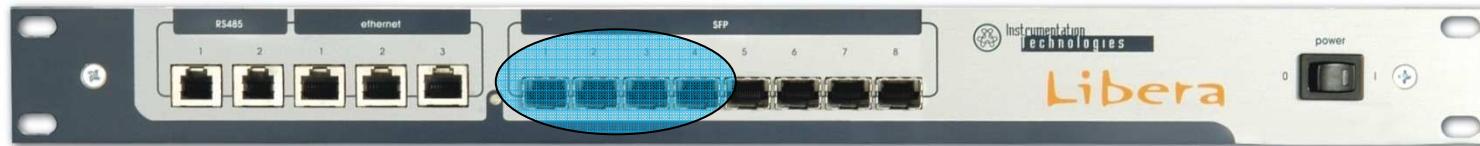
- **Libera Brilliance and Libera Photon as data source**
- **Both units are connected to the machine revolution frequency and fully synchronized**
- **Fast, low latency communication system**
- **Computational engines**
- **Interfaces to the PS and corrector magnets**



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Hardware

- **Libera Brilliance & Libera Photon**
- **SFP transceivers**
- **SFP ports 1 – 4**



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Libera Brilliance

Fast acquisition data stream:

- **10 kHz data rate, ~ 2 kHz bandwidth**
- **Continuous data stream**
 - **amplitudes: V_a, V_b, V_c, V_d**
 - **positions: X, Y (Z)**
 - **other data: SUM, Q**
 - **status: timestamp, Interlock, ADC overflow,**

Libera ID



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Libera Photon

Fast acquisition data stream:

- **10 kHz data rate, ~ 2 kHz bandwidth**
- **Continuous data stream**
 - **amplitudes: I_a, I_b, I_c, I_d**
 - **positions: X (Y1), Y (Y2)**
 - **other data: SUM, Q (not defined)**
 - **counter, status**



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Communication System

- **Fast**

100 Liberas * 40 bytes * 10 kHz = 40 MB/s

(Not including protocol overhead)

- **Low latency**

1Gb/s: 40 µs on one cable (with 100 Liberas at 40 bytes per Libera)



Libera Based FOFB

- Centralized**
- Fully distributed**
- Hybrid approach**



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Fully Distributed

Libera is used as:

- **FA data source**
- **Router**
- **Computational engine**
- **PS driver**

User specific FPGA modules in Libera unit:

- **Communication controller**
- **PID controller**
- **PS interface**

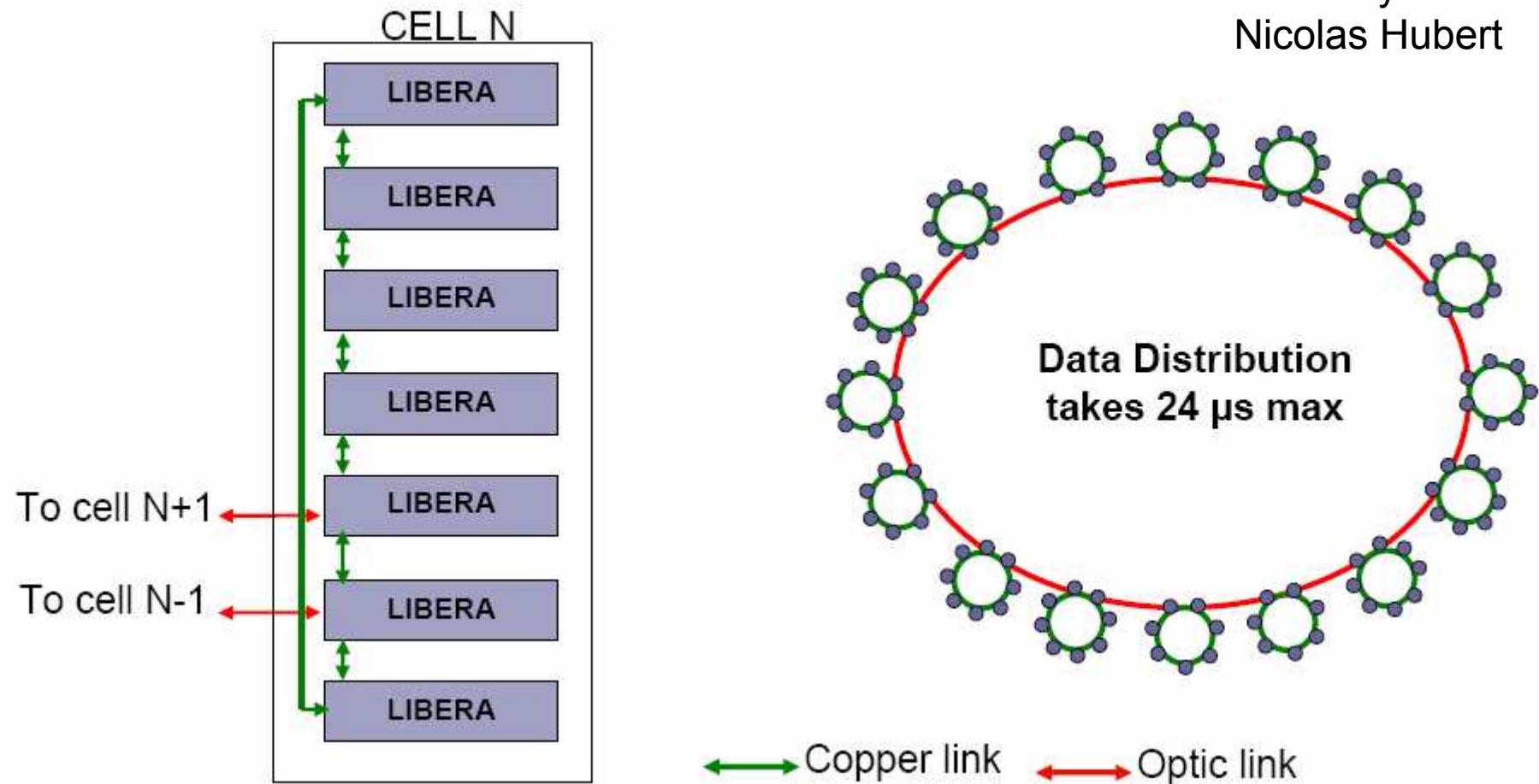


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Example: Soleil

Courtesy of
Nicolas Hubert



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Centralized

Libera is used as or provides:

- **FA data source**
- **Gigabit Ethernet data stream (standard UDP/IP)**
- **Communication network based**
- **Specific FPGA modules**

For smaller machines, testing, ...

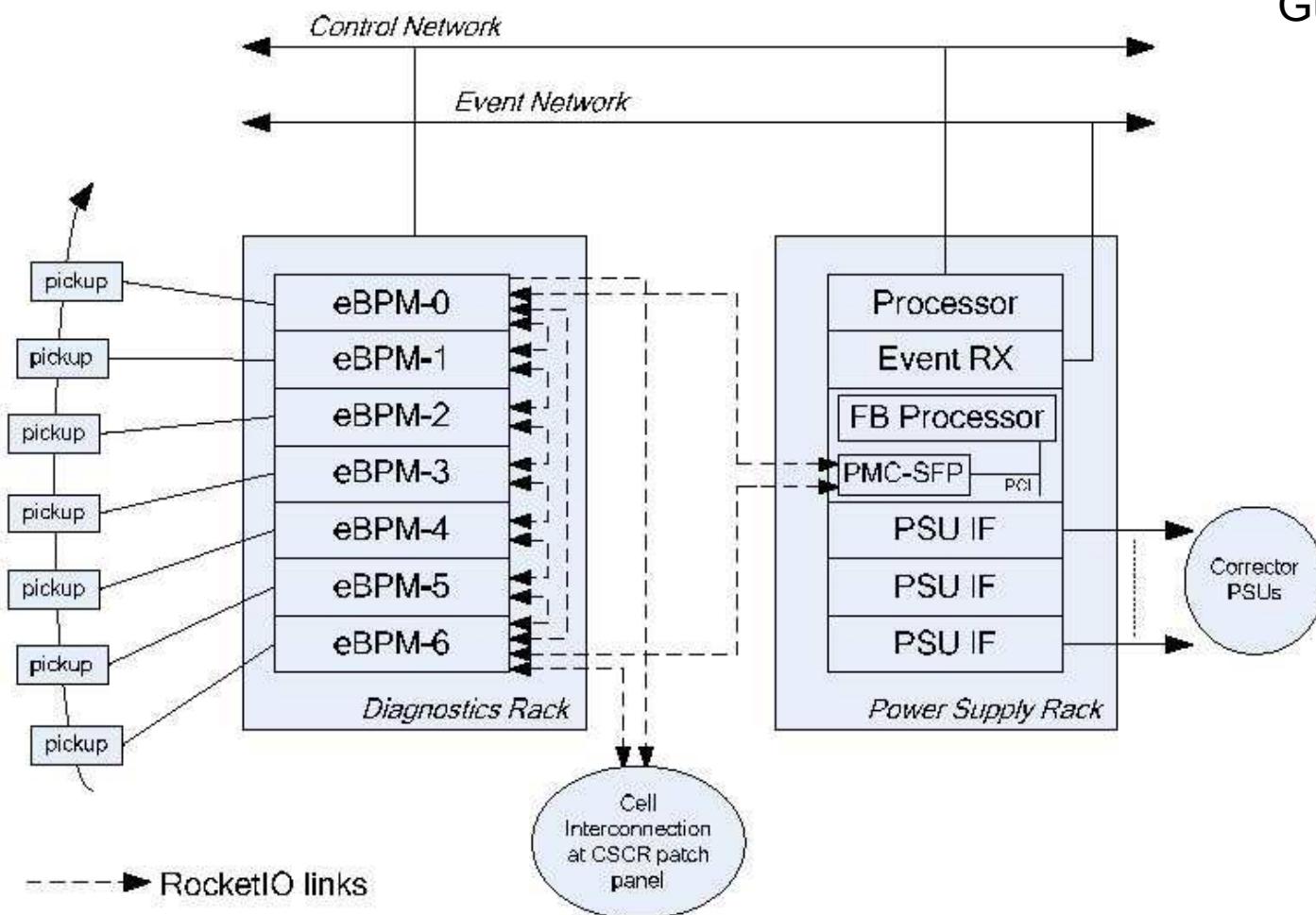


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Hybrid Example: Diamond

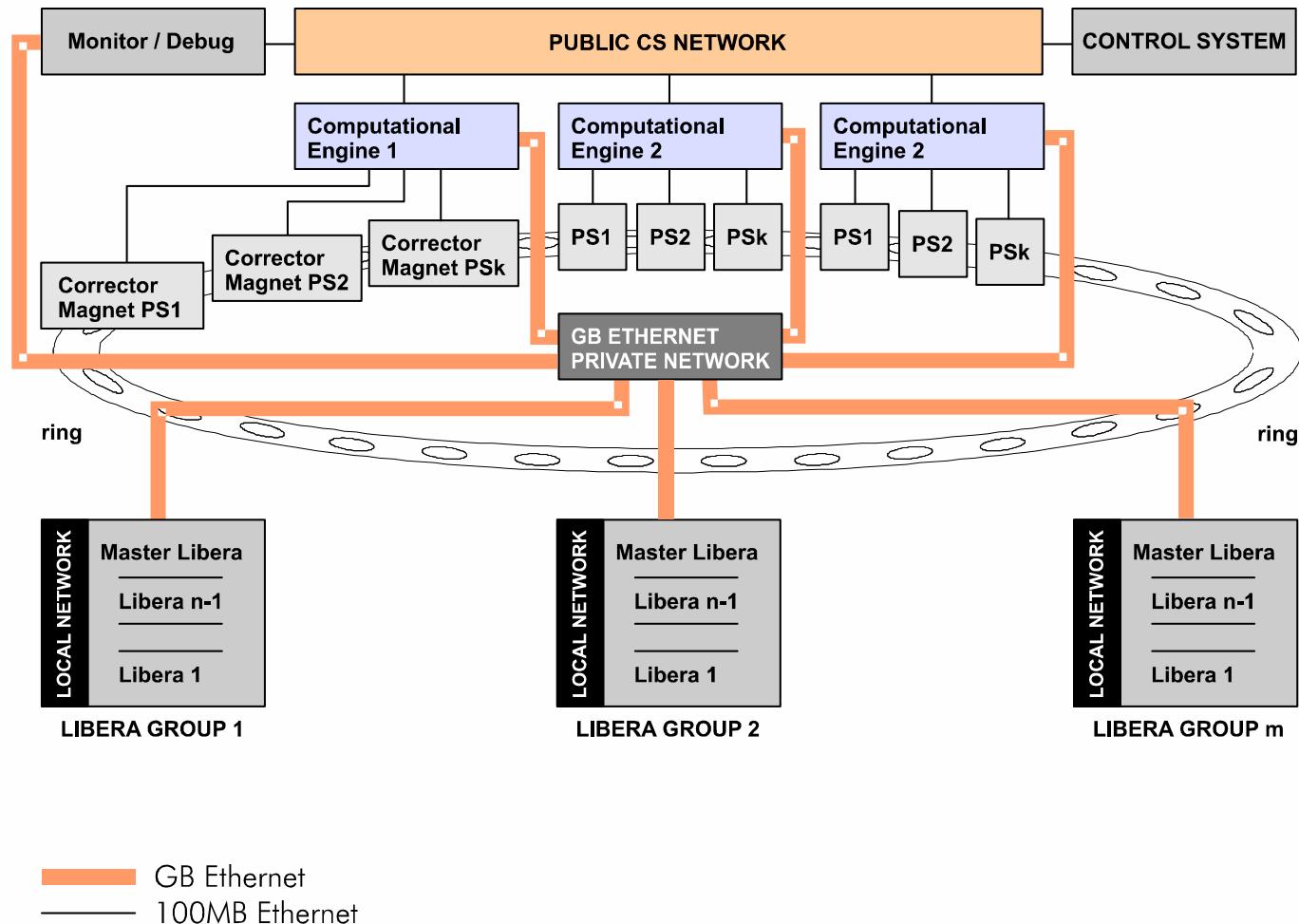
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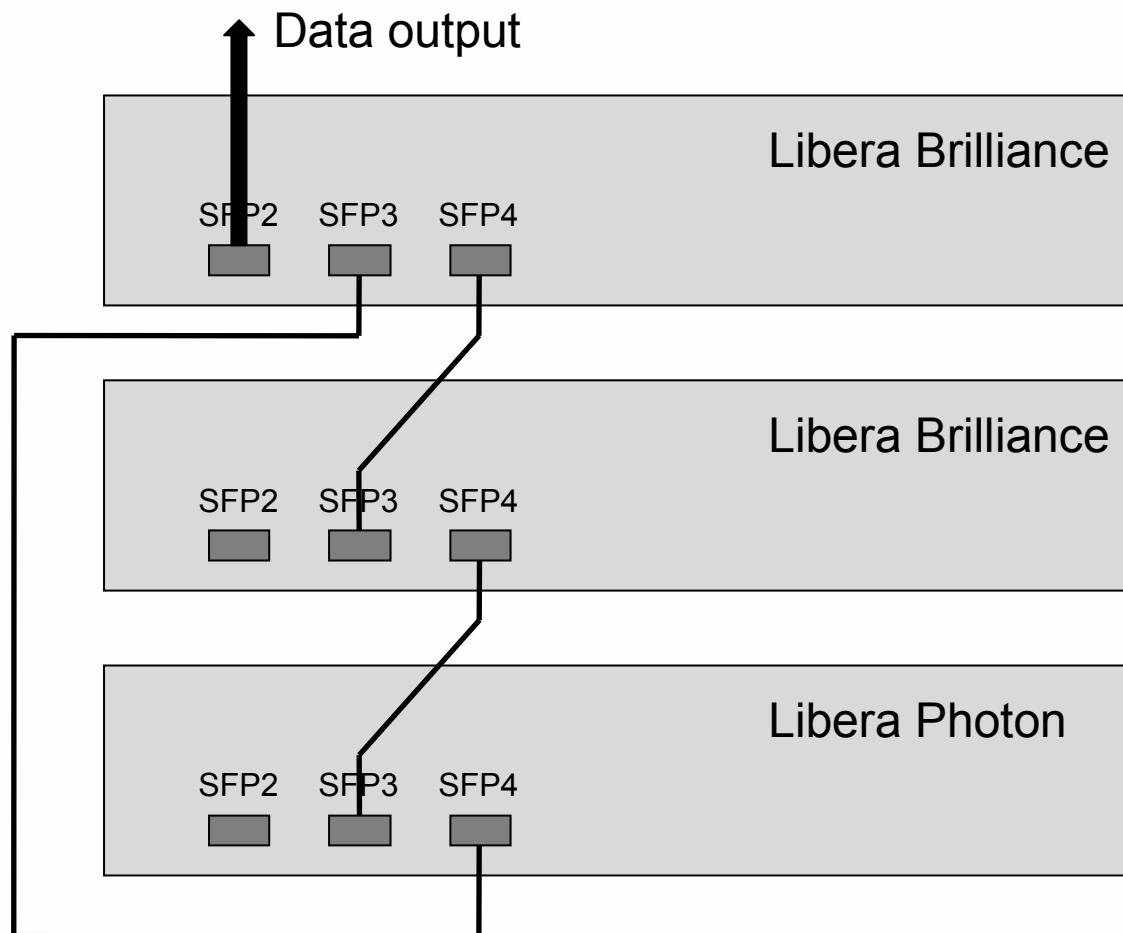
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FOFB Setup



Connection Topology



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Connection Topology

- Libera Grouping

- Up to 64 units connected to the same loop
- Simple connection topology (SFP3 → SFP4)
- Data can be collected with any PC

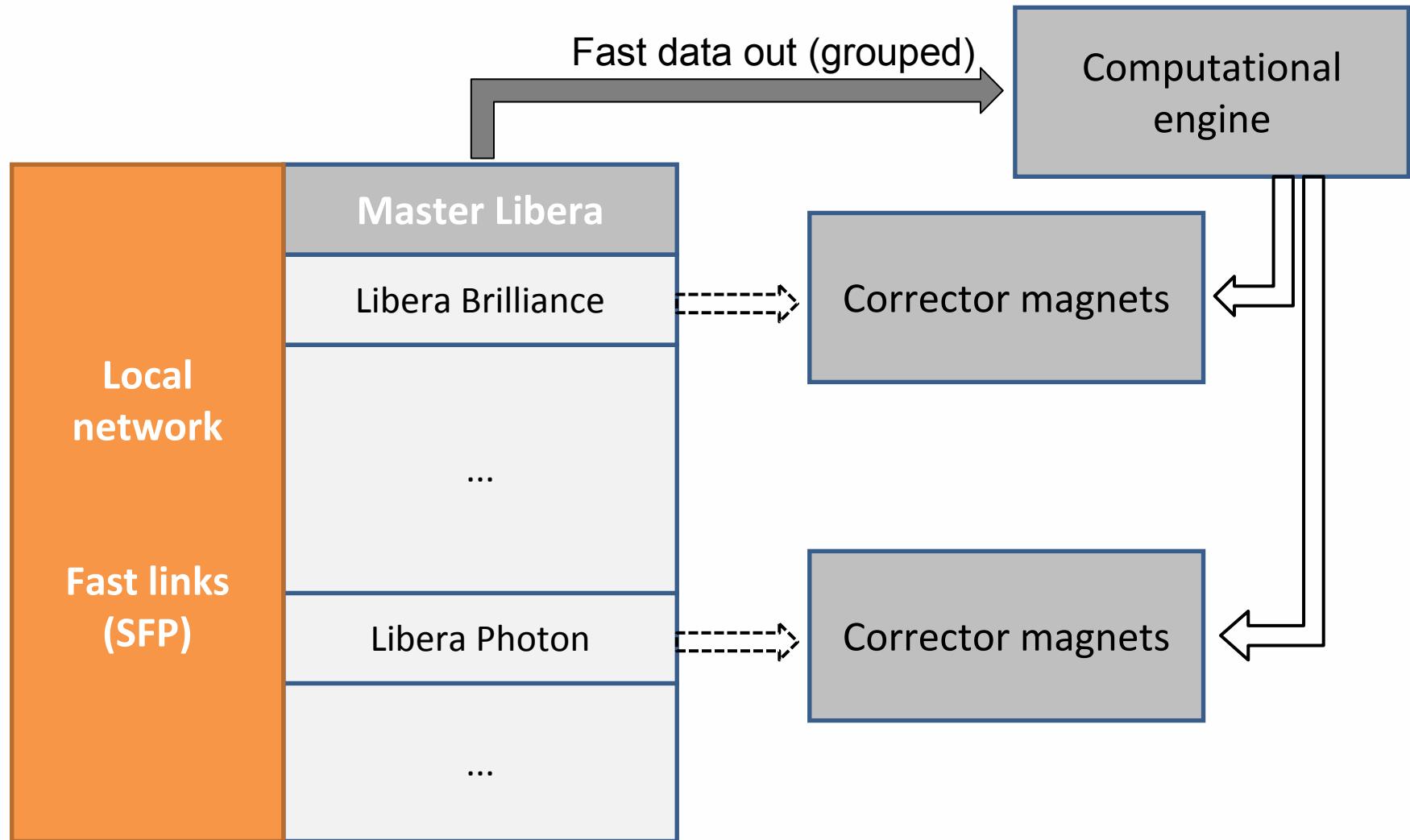
- Communication Controller

- Up to 1023 units connected to the same loop
- “No” connection topology
- Requires external receiver board



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Setups



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Configuration Files – Libera Grouping

```
/etc/default/fai_header  
00:0d:9d:9c:9c:77          Destination  
MAC address  
00:00:00:00:00:01          Source MAC  
address  
1  
Number of units in loop  
10.0.3.33  
Source IP address  
10.0.1.249  
Destination IP address  
2048  
2048  
0
```



Libera Grouping Data Packet

Libera Grouping FA data contents

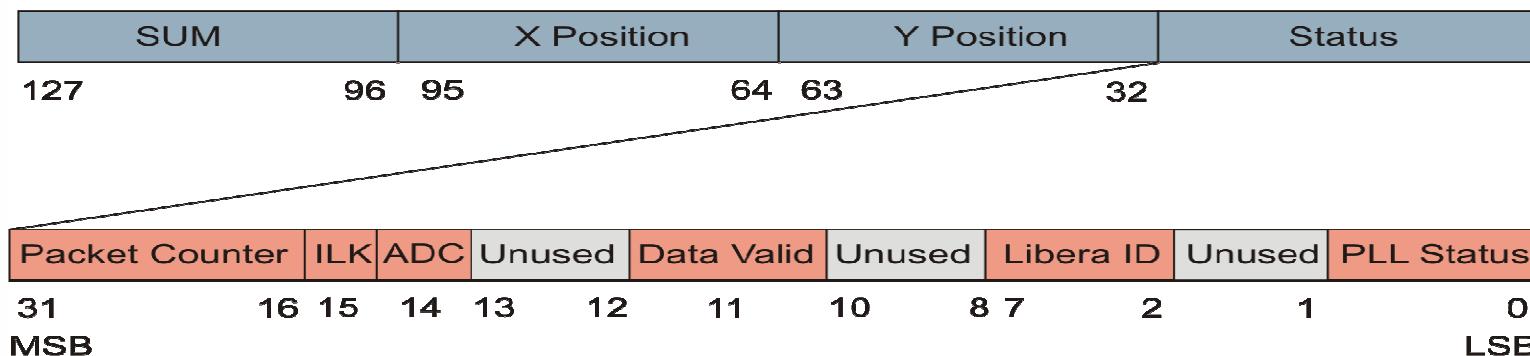
LIBERA
ID=0

LIBERA
ID=1

LIBERA
ID=2

UDP | SUM, X, Y,... | SUM, X, Y,... | SUM, X, Y,...

128 Bit Data Structure



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Configuration files – Communication Controller

```
/etc/default/fai_dcc
1
    Unit ID number
7500
    Timeout (equals 75 µs)
```



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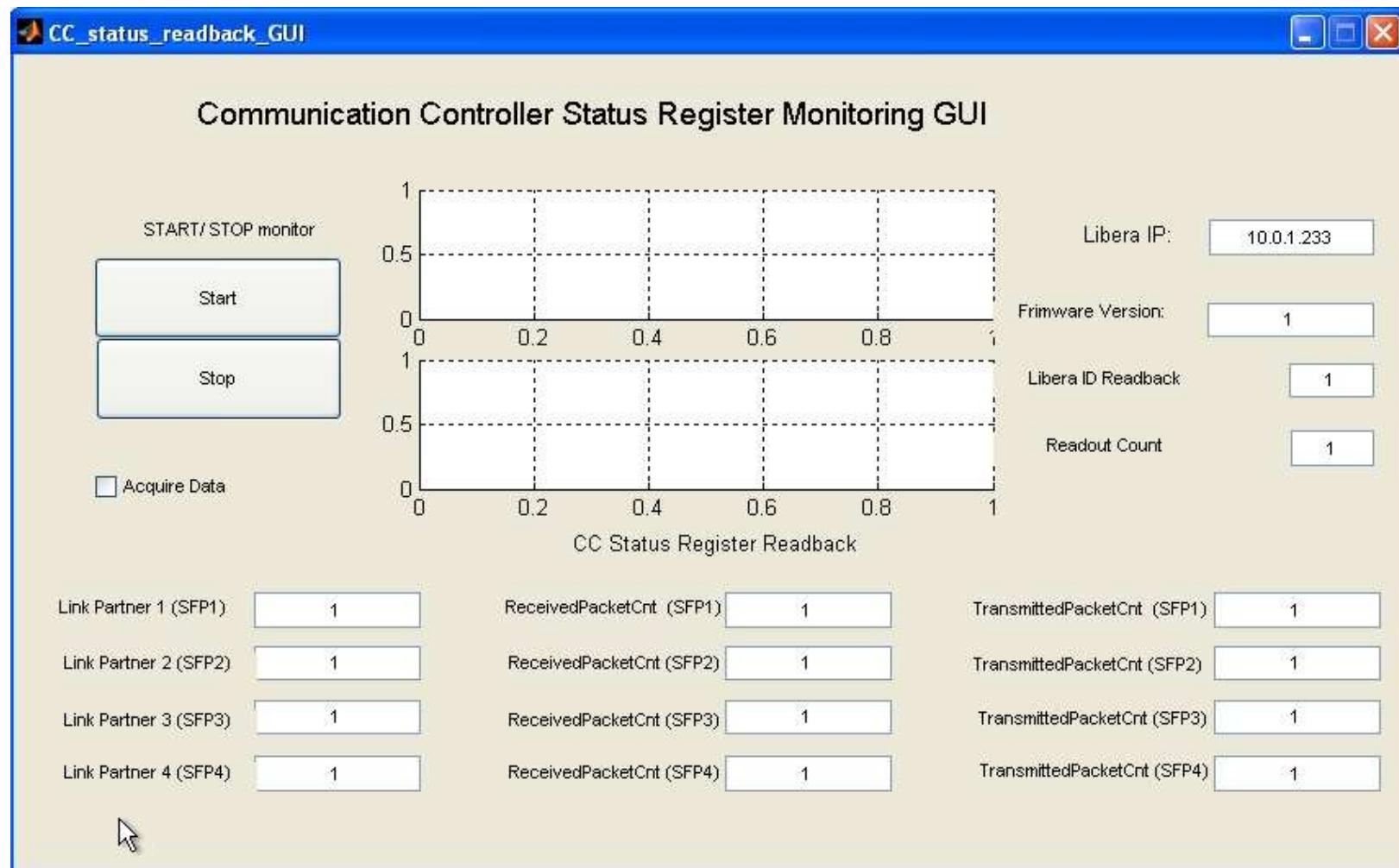
Checking Status

- Libera Grouping: no checking available, all seen in data.
- Communication Controller:
 - libera -l -D

```
*****  
root@xcep:~# libera -l -D  
LiberaID: 2  
LinkPartner1: 1  
LinkPartner2: 3  
LinkPartner3: 1023  
LinkPartner4: 1023  
BPM count: 5  
*****
```



Matlab GUI for Communication Controller



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Synchronization and Starting

Synchronization of all units in the feedback loop:

- Trigger disconnected.
- Issue “set_time” command.
- Connect trigger to all units at the same time.
- Check the timestamp of Turn-by-Turn acquisitions.
- In case of Communication Controller, additional trigger is required for starting the data transfer.



Conclusion

- Major benefit is compatibility of Libera Electron/Brilliance/Photon
- First tests of both units working together will be done at Soleil in the next months
- Libera Photon will be connected to the FOFB network to distribute the position of photon beam



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