



„Preprocessed OPIs“



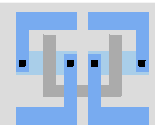
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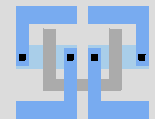
- Purpose:
Work around the „macros cannot be redefined“ problem in CSS.
- At the same time, provide stable link targets for entry to the OPI hierarchy from e.g. the alarm system.
- Proposal:
„Preprocess“ skeleton OPIs by statically adding the macro definitions to the OPI:
selector_rates.opi becomes selector_rates@O02S1.opi,
selector_rates@O02S2.opi, etc.
- Provide „make“ rules to automatically run the conversion.



Calling Side

```
<action type="OPEN_DISPLAY">
  <path>basic.opi</path>
  <macros>
    <include_parent_macros>↵
      true</include_parent_macros>
    <DEVICE>001M1</DEVICE>
    <OPI_FILE>merger_rates.opi↵
      </OPI_FILE>
  </macros>
  <replace>0</replace>
  <description/>
</action>
```

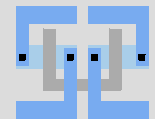
```
<action type="OPEN_DISPLAY">
  <path>merger_rates@001M1.opi</path>
  <macros>
    <include_parent_macros>↵
      true</include_parent_macros>
  </macros>
  <replace>0</replace>
  <description/>
</action>
```



merger_rates.opi vs. merger_rates@O01M1.opi

```
<macros>
  <include_parent_macros>>true↵
  </include_parent_macros>
  <FWTYPE>Merger</FWTYPE>
</macros>
```

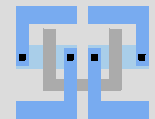
```
<macros>
  <include_parent_macros>>true↵
  </include_parent_macros>
  <FWTYPE>Merger</FWTYPE>
  <INPUT2>DC</INPUT2>
  <INPUT1>HLT</INPUT1>
  <OUTPUT1>002S1</OUTPUT1>
  <OUTPUT2>002S1</OUTPUT2>
  <TOP>ONSEN</TOP>
  <DEVNAME>Merger</DEVNAME>
  <NEXT>001M1</NEXT>
  <IPMIID>I123</IPMIID>
  <DEVICE>001M1</DEVICE>
  <PREV>001M1</PREV>
</macros>
```



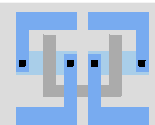
- Creating XSLT instructions to put the right macros for each device.
 - Created from `create_system_dyn` and `lut_macros` in the case of ONSEN.
- Python-Script to run the conversion.
- Input: Name of a top-level OPI.
 - Scans for linked OPIs from there.
 - Builds the names when `OPI_FILE` and `DEVICE` macros are used.
 - Puts each linked OPI in the list of OPIs to create.
 - Uses XSLT for the `DEVICE` to convert the linked OPI.
- Works fine as long as the links are in the OPI file itself.
- When scripts create the links, the process has to be restarted to consider these links.
(For ONSEN, I modified `create_system_dyn.py` to print the links.)

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<xsl:stylesheet xmlns:xsl="http://www.w3.org/1999/XSL/Transform" version="1.0">
<xsl:output method="xml"/>
  <xsl:template match="node()|@">
    <xsl:copy>
      <xsl:apply-templates select="node()|@"/>
    </xsl:copy>
  </xsl:template>

  <xsl:template match="/display/macros">
    <xsl:copy>
      <xsl:apply-templates select="node()|@"/>
      <INPUT2>DC</INPUT2>
      <INPUT1>HLT</INPUT1>
      <OUTPUT1>002S1</OUTPUT1>
      <OUTPUT2>002S1</OUTPUT2>
      <TOP>ONSEN</TOP>
      <DEVNAME>Merger</DEVNAME>
      <NEXT>001M1</NEXT>
      <IPMIID>I123</IPMIID>
      <DEVICE>001M1</DEVICE>
      <PREV>001M1</PREV>
    </xsl:copy>
  </xsl:template>
</xsl:stylesheet>
```



- Is it possible to re-write python-scripts included in OPIs to allow running the from the shell.
 - Add `#!/usr/bin/python`
 - On start, check if `sys.argv` is defined, and change mode if yes.
 - Commands
 - Print list of link targets that are dynamically created.
 - Print list of macro definitions passed into an OPI.
- Fix and finalize the python converter script. Possibly add another wrapper around it.
- How to design the OPIs?



Thank you!