

# KCU Online Monitoring – almost there

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I ended up using my “barebones” project to plot the baseline-corrected waveforms.

One project for both KCUs – it figures everything out by itself

At the core of the display is the plot ( offset, x , y ,...) that plots x times y starting from offset

It got some more optional parameters to be able to make multiple displays

For example, plot (0, 6,12) make a “default” canvas with 72 histos

But it has more –

```
plot ( 0, 6,12, “c”, “Channels 0-71”)
```

makes a TCanvas named “c” with the above title.

```
set_canvas_size(800,600);
```

sets the default Canvas size so you can set a default that fits your screen

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I modified the auto-generated roc1.C so it starts the online monitoring

```
$ more roc1.C
#include "roc1.h"
R_LOAD_LIBRARY(./libroc1.so)

void roc1(const char * filename)
{
    if ( filename != NULL)
    {
        pfileopen(filename);
    }

    else
    {
        rcdaqopen();
        set_canvas_size(800,600);
        TPad *c;

        c = plot (0,6,12,"c", "ASIC 0 Channels 0-71");
        pupdate(c,15);
        c = plot (72,6,12,"d", "ASIC 0 Channels 72-143");
        pupdate(c,15);
        c = plot (2*72,6,12,"e", "ASIC 1 Channels 144-215");
        pupdate(c,15);
        c = plot (3*72,6,12,"f", "ASIC 1 Channels 216-287");
        pupdate(c,15);

        pstart();
    }
}
```

You can do

```
bash roc1.sh "filename"
```

and get what you always had (process the file)

Without a parameter this starts the onl.  
monitoring now

How do I get the KCU1 stream?

rcdaqopen() honors the RCDAQHOST setting

```
export RCDAQHOST=localhost:1
```

```
bash roc1.sh
```

And that's it

# KCU0 or KCU1?

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Here is the simple logic:

```
Packet *p = 0;

if ( e->existPacket(12001) )
{
    p = e->getPacket(12001);
    KCU_STRING="KCU0";
}
else if ( e->existPacket(12002) )
{
    p = e->getPacket(12002);
    KCU_STRING="KCU1";
}

if (p)
{
    . . .
}
```

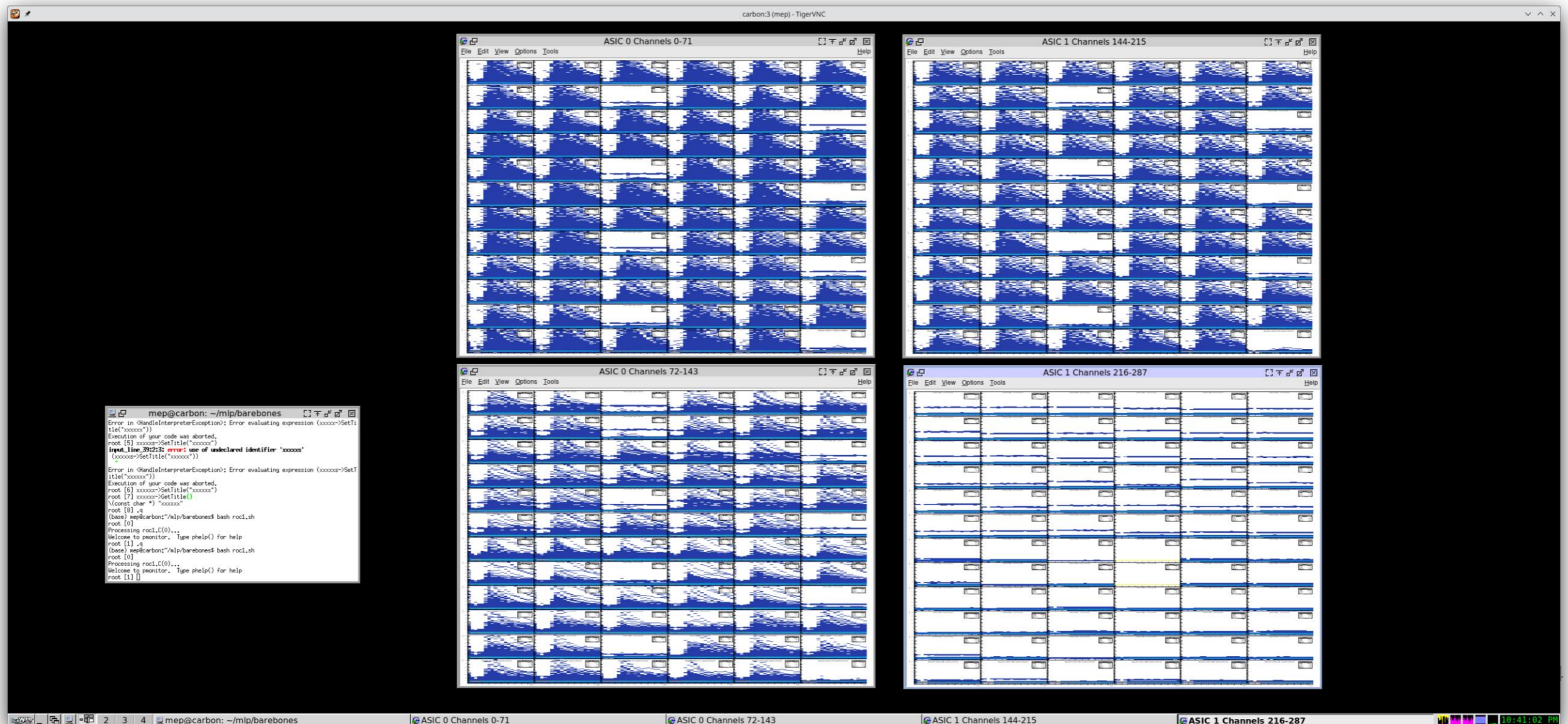
Later I'll be doing stuff with the KCU\_STRING to name Canvases, save files, etc

# I'm using vnc :3 here

I'm getting results...

Currently:

desktop1 : KCU0 Desktop 2: KCU1



# Things done and left to do

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- It's a *unified* monitor for both KCUs
- All histos reset on a new run begin
- Baseline correction appears to work
- Everything seems rock solid
- Startup sequence straightforward
  
- Saving Canvases/Histos at the end of a run
- A bit more proper naming (titles) of histos, canvases with KCU and runnumber
- Proper placement of the canvases; but that needs...
- some wrestling with the VNC as any resize will undo any fancy placement
- We don't have to stop at waveforms, can show processed values (signal, TOA, ...)