Autosave Lab

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Procedure

Summary

- Build and run the IOC application
- Camonitor one:ramp
 - Note that the value cycles from 0 to 10
- Caput one:limit 5
 - Now the value cycles from 0 to 5
- Stop and restart the IOC application
 - The change to one:limit is lost autosave can fix this
- Reconfigure with autosave and repeat
 - The change to one:limit will be preserved across restarts



Details (1/4)

- Open three terminal windows
- Window 1 build and run the IOC application
 - cd /home/training/epics-train/jwsExamples/autosave
 - make
 - cd iocBoot/iocasExample1
 - chmod +x st.cmd
 - ./st.cmd
- Window 2 monitor one:ramp
 - camonitor one:ramp
- Window 3 modify one:limit
 - caput one:limit 5



Details (2/4)

- Window 1 stop and restart the IOC application
 - exit
 - ./st.cmd
- Window 2
 - After camonitor reconnects, notice that modification to one:limit has been lost



Details (3/4)

- Window 1 reconfigure IOC with autosave
 - exit
 - cd ../..
 - Edit the following files and uncomment autosave related content – search for AUTOSAVE
 - configure/RELEASE 1 line
 - asExample1App/Db/one.db 2 lines
 - asExample1App/src/Makefile 2 lines
 - iocBoot/iocasExample1/st.cmd 18 lines (some are comments within comments)
 - make clean uninstall
 - make



Details (4/4)

- Window 1 –start the IOC application
 - cd iocBoot/iocasExample1
 - ./st.cmd
- Window 2 monitor one:ramp
 - camonitor one:ramp
- Window 3 modify one:limit
 - caput one:limit 5
- Window 1 stop and restart as before
- Window 2
 - Wait for reconnect
 - Now the modification to one:limit is preserved
- Examine and explore content of files /tmp/ioc1*

