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Subject: Re: DCS Requirements Collection  
Posted by [Brand](#) on Wed, 07 May 2008 07:32:41 GMT  
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Dear colleagues,  
I like the DB web page and I have some comments on the DB.

Units: Some Quantities are duplicated with different powers of 10. I would recommend to use always the basic unit only. Numbers could be displayed in scientific format with exponent in multiples of three or SI notation with prefix, e.g. f,p,n,u,m,k,M,G,T,P.

Type: I guess Boolean means True or False, Continuos means double or float and Discret means Integer. I would like to have an data type entry like I32, U8, DBL64, FLT32 or [DBL64] array.

Hardware: I would like to have an connectivity entry, like TCP/IP-Socket, OPC, DIM, ChannelAccess, Profi-Bus, CAN-BUS, GPIB, RS232, RS485, etc.

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