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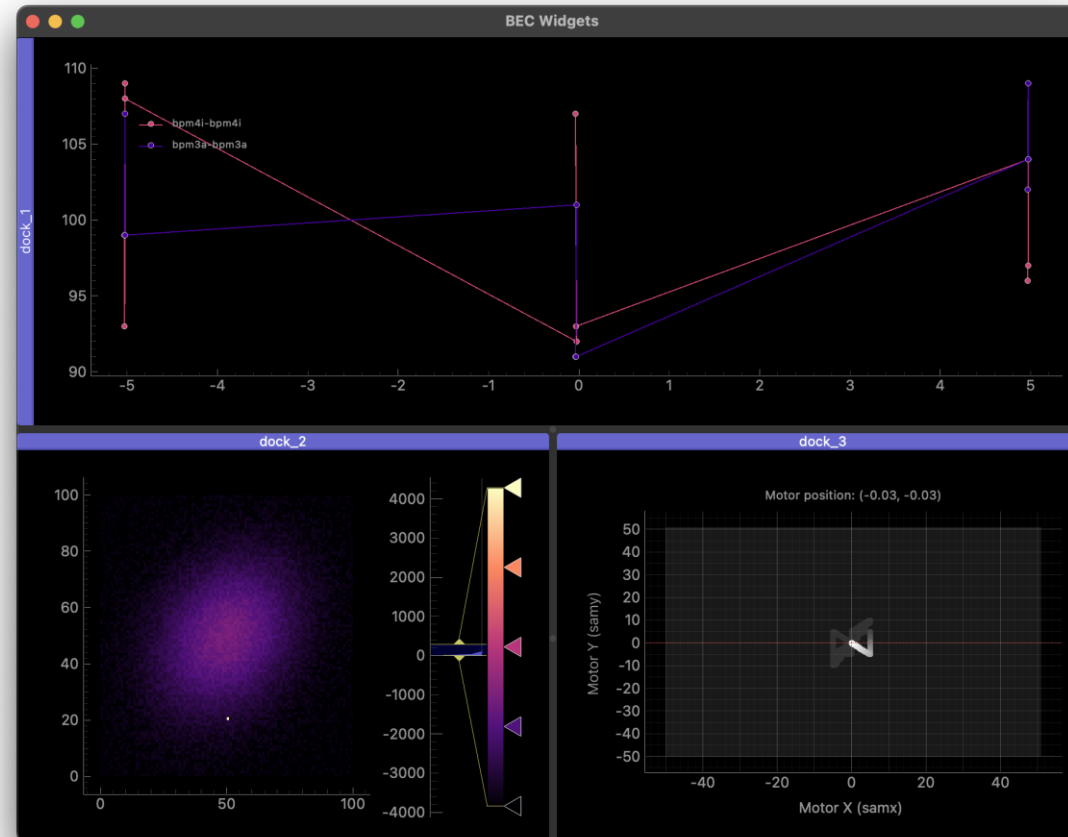
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- BEC Widgets
  - Full support for RPC control of widgets
  - Added support for modular dock widgets





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## Beamline Experiment Control (BEC)

A python-based control system for experiments at large-scale facilities.



### Introduction

General information about BEC.



### User guide

Information for users of BEC.



### Developer guide

Information for developers of BEC.



### API reference

Comprehensive reference of all BEC classes, functions, and methods.

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## Scans

BEC uses scans to orchestrate the data acquisition. While script-based scans can also be defined in the command-line interface, acquisitions that require more complex orchestration should be defined as scan plugins for the BEC scan server. This section describes the basic structure of a scan and how to create a scan plugin.

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Scan Structure

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## Scan Structure

A scan in BEC is a Python class that inherits from the `ScanBase` class and implements methods that should be executed in a specific order.

`⌕` [View code: ScanBase class](#) `>`

The order of execution is defined by the `run` method, which is called by the scan server. By default, the `run` method calls the following methods in the following order:

```
def run(self):
    """run the scan. This method is called by the scan server and is the main entry point
    self.initialize()
    yield from self.read_scan_motors()
    yield from self.prepare_positions()
    yield from self.scan_report_instructions()
    yield from self.open_scan()
    yield from self.stage()
    yield from self.run_baseline_reading()
    yield from self.pre_scan()
    yield from self.scan_core()
    yield from self.finalize()
    yield from self.unstage()
    yield from self.cleanup()
```