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The Siemens Industry Sector is the world’s leading supplier of innovative and environmentally friendly products and solutions for industrial companies. End-to-end automation technology and industrial software, solid market expertise, and technology-based services are the levers we use to increase our customers’ productivity, efficiency and flexibility. With a global workforce of more than 100,000 employees, the Industry Sector comprises the Industry Automation, Drive Technologies, and Customer Services divisions, as well as the Metals Technologies Business Unit.

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  Consistent, comprehensive engineering throughout the entire product development and production process
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- **Industrial communication**
  Integrated communication based on international cross-vendor standards that are mutually compatible
- **Industrial security**
  Systematic minimization of the risk of an internal or external attack on plants and networks
- **Safety Integrated**
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Totally Integrated Automation, industrial automation from Siemens, stands for the efficient interoperability of all automation components. The open system architecture covers the entire production process and is based on end-to-end shared characteristics: consistent data management, global standards, and uniform hardware and software interfaces.

Totally Integrated Automation lays the foundation for comprehensive optimization of the production process:

- Time and cost savings due to efficient engineering
- Minimized downtime due to integrated diagnostic functions
- Simplified implementation of automation solutions due to global standards
- Better performance due to interoperability of system-tested components
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- **One-stop-shop:**
  A reliable partner with a complete portfolio for the entire process and lifecycle – from the initial idea to after-sales service

- **Safety:**
  A comprehensive range of protection components for personnel safety and line and fire protection, safety by means of type testing

- **Reliability:**
  A reliable partner who works with customers to develop long-lasting solutions that meet the highest quality standards

- **Efficiency:**
  Bringing power to the point means greater plant availability and maximum energy efficiency in power distribution

- **Flexibility:**
  End-to-end consistency and modular design of Totally Integrated Power for any desired expansions and adaptation to future requirements

- **Advanced technology:**
  Reliable power distribution especially for applications in which supply is critical, continuous refinement of the technology

Challenges are our speciality

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- Cost center

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- Low-voltage distribution

### Products, systems and solutions

- Consulting, planning
- Engineering
- Order, delivery
- Installation, commissioning
- Operation
- Service, modernization
SIMATIC NET offers all the components necessary for an integrated complete solution and supports the following bus systems:

**Industrial Ethernet (IEEE 802.3)**
- the international standard based on the international Ethernet standard

**PROFINET (IEC 61158/61784)**
- the leading Industrial Ethernet standard for automation
- the industrial standard for wireless communication based on the international standard

**PROFIBUS (IEC 61158/61784)**
- the international standard for the field level is the global market leader among fieldbus systems

**Industrial Wireless LAN (IEEE 802.11)**
- the industrial standard based on the international Ethernet standard

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**Industrial Ethernet (IEEE 802.3)** – the international standard for area networking is the number one network in the LAN environment. Industrial Ethernet enables powerful communication networks to be constructed over wide areas.

**PROFINET (IEC 61158/61784)** – the international standard is based on Industrial Ethernet and allows real-time communication all the way to the field level, but also integrates the enterprise level. With the full utilization of existing IT standards, PROFINET allows isochronous motion control applications, efficient cross-manufacturer engineering and high availability of machines and systems on the Industrial Ethernet. PROFINET supports distributed automation (and controller-controller communication) and it allows fail-safe applications.
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**AS-Interface** (EN 50295/IEC 62026) – the international standard which, as an economical alternative to the cable harness, links sensors and actuators by means of a two-wire line.

**IO-Link** – the standard for intelligently connecting sensors and actuators from the field level to the MES level.

Network transitions are implemented via controllers or links. Configuration and diagnostics can be performed from any point in the plant.
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Overview

Your requirements
Do you want to bring new products quickly onto the market? And at the same time be flexible and in a position to change your product range at short notice and shorten your time-to-market? Do you want to be able to manufacture efficiently at low costs? And at the same time optimize the capacity of your plant/machine and minimize possible downtimes?

Then all the machines in your plant should work together perfectly. Therefore, you rely upon open, integrated automation communication not just within the whole company but also for external communication. Avoid isolated automation and information technology solutions by assuring:

- Continuous flow of information from the actuator/sensor level through to the corporate management level
- Availability of information at any location
- High-speed data exchange between the different plant sections
- Easy, plant-wide configuration and efficient diagnostics
- Integrated security functions that block unauthorized access
- Fail-safe and standard communication via the same connection

Our range

Communication networks are of utmost importance for automation solutions. SIMATIC NET – Networking for Industry – stands for a diverse range of modular blocks – Designed for Industry – which contribute to efficiently solving your communications tasks:

- In the different automation areas
- Across the entire workflow
- For the complete plant life cycle
- For all industries

SIMATIC NET offers solutions which both maximize the benefits of Ethernet and simply integrate fieldbus systems. Noticeable examples are:

- The development of the field level for the use of Industrial Ethernet
- Complete integration from the field level to the corporate management level
- Implementation of state-of-the-art solutions with mobile and wireless communication
- The integration of IT technologies

Worldwide trends

Decentralization has been gaining worldwide importance for a number of years now. A distributed plant structure can reduce installation, maintenance and diagnostics costs. This involves intelligent devices working locally and being connected together across networks. Openness and flexibility are important in order to expand existing setups and to connect up different systems. For this reason, international committees define and standardize the standards for bus systems.

Benefits

Industrial communication with Totally Integrated Automation

With Totally Integrated Automation, Siemens is the only manufacturer to offer an integrated range of products and systems for automation in all sectors – from incoming goods and the production process to outgoing goods, from the field level through the production control level to connection with the corporate management level.

The advantages of Totally Integrated Automation already pay off as regards design and engineering, but also assembly and commissioning and operation and maintenance.

Automation solutions can be implemented at little cost. New scope for development allows a quicker and more flexible response to new market requirements. Systems can be easily expanded or converted without having to interrupt ongoing operations. Due to the increased use of Industrial Ethernet in automation, two topics within Totally Integrated Automation are becoming more and more important – PROFINET and SCALANCE.
**Benefits** (continued)

**PROFINET ... for increasing the productivity of your plant**

You need a seamless information flow for your strategic decisions within your company – from the first manufacturing step through operation up to the corporate management level. In order to achieve this, you rely on efficiency and transparency already during engineering.

PROFINET, the open and innovative Industrial Ethernet standard fulfills all the demands of industrial automation and ensures integrated, company-wide communication.

PROFINET also supports the direct connection of distributed field devices to Industrial Ethernet and the implementation of isochronous motion control applications. PROFINET also allows distributed automation with the support of component technology, as well as vertical integration and the implementation of safety-oriented applications. PROFINET also supports controller-controller communication.

**Securely and flexibly networked across all levels with SCALANCE network components**

SCALANCE X Industrial Ethernet Switches, SCALANCE S Industrial Security Modules and Industrial Wireless LAN (IWLAN) access points, client modules (SCALANCE W) and SCALANCE M industrial routers that ideally meet the demands of industrial applications are available for networking the stations on the PROFINET/Industrial Ethernet.

The use of wireless communication to automation devices and industrial terminal devices helps to achieve greater flexibility. As a result you can simplify maintenance work and reduce service costs and downtimes. With Safety, even fail-safe communication is possible by means of wireless networking with SCALANCE products. This increases a company’s competitiveness considerably.

Challenging applications with real-time requirements can be implemented in the radio field. The use of wireless features for moving machines saves cable and servicing costs; driverless transport systems can receive data via the wireless system without requiring cables and remain flexible in the choice of route.

An overall solution comprises:

- Bus system with
  - Passive network components, e.g. cables
  - Active network components, e.g. switches
- Interfaces for connecting automation devices to the bus systems
  - Integrated interfaces
  - Own communications processors
- Network transitions, e.g. IE/PB Link PN IO
- Software for configuring the networks
- Tools for servicing and diagnostics, e.g. SINEMA

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Industrial Ethernet

Overview

Industrial Ethernet provides the industrial area with a powerful network that complies with the IEEE 802.3 (Ethernet) and 802.11 a/b/g/h/n (wireless LAN) standards.

The diverse options of Ethernet and the Internet that are already available today in the office sector can also be used in factory and process automation by means of Industrial Ethernet. Ethernet technology, which has been used successfully for decades, allows users to precisely match network performance to requirements. The user can choose the data throughput rate to suit particular needs, as integrated compatibility makes it possible to introduce this technology in stages.

Ethernet is the world’s current Number 1 in the network environment and offers significant benefits:

- Fast commissioning thanks to the simplest connection method
- High availability since existing networks can be extended without any adverse effects
- Virtually unlimited communication capabilities, since scalable performance using switching technology and high data rates are available
- Networking of the most varied application areas such as the office and production areas
- Company-wide communication thanks to the Internet connection option, with security components providing for data integrity
- Investment protection through continuous compatible further development
- Precise time-based assignment of events in the overall plant by means of plant-wide clock control.

SIMATIC NET, the industrial communication system from Siemens, relies on this proven technology. Siemens has already supplied several million connections worldwide in tough industrial environments subject to electromagnetic interference.

SIMATIC NET provides important supplements to Ethernet technology for industrial environments:

- Network components of the SCALANCE product families for the use of wired and wireless communication in harsh industrial environments
- Fast on-site assembly using the FastConnect cabling system
- Failsafe networks through high-speed redundancy and redundant power supply
- Continuous monitoring of network components through an effective signaling concept, and network monitoring software

The following communication functions/services are offered by Industrial Ethernet:

**PG/OP communication**

Comprises integrated communication functions which allow data communication via SIMATIC, SIMOTION and SINUMERIK automation systems with every HMI device and SIMATIC PG (STEP 7). PG/OP communication is supported by PROFINET/Industrial Ethernet and PROFIBUS.

**S7 communication**

S7 communication is the integrated communication function (system function block) for S7-400 or loadable function blocks for S7-300, which have been optimized within SIMOTION, SINUMERIK and SIMATIC S7/WinAC. It also enables PCs/IPCs and workstations to be connected. The maximum volume of user data per task is 64 KB. S7 communication offers simple, powerful communication services and provides a network-independent software interface.

**Open communication**

The open communication (SEND/RECEIVE) allows the SIMATIC S7 controllers to communicate with other SIMATIC S7 and SIMATIC S5 controllers, PCs/IPCs and third-party systems. In addition, for the simple connection of HMI stations, FETCH and WRITE are offered.
**Overview (continued)**

The socket interface for **Industrial Ethernet** allows data communication with computers via TCP/IP. On this interface which is widespread in the PC and UNIX world, users can freely program the data exchange. The SEND/RECEIVE blocks (S/R) are used as access to TCP/IP in SIMATIC S7.

**OPC** (Openness, Productivity & Collaboration) is a standardized, open and cross-vendor software interface. It permits interfacing of OPC-capable Windows applications to S7-communication, open communication (SEND/RECEIVE) and PROFINET.

**IT communication**

Information technology (IT) with e-mail, File Transfer (FTP), and web technology integrates SIMATIC, SIMOTION and SINUMERIK into IT via Industrial Ethernet. In the office environment, e-mail, FTP, and web browsers have prevailed as widespread means of communication.

**PROFINET communication**

This communication is compliant with the IEC 61158/61784 standard. PROFINET, the international standard, uses Industrial Ethernet and enables real-time communication right down to the field level.
PROFINET – The Ethernet standard for automation

PROFINET is the leading Industrial Ethernet standard with more than 7.6\textsuperscript{1} million nodes worldwide. PROFINET makes businesses more successful by speeding up processes, boosting productivity, and increasing plant availability. With PROFINET, Siemens is applying the Ethernet standard to automation. PROFINET enables high-speed and secure data exchange at all levels, thus making it possible to implement innovative machine and plant concepts. Thanks to its flexibility and openness, PROFINET offers users maximum freedom when engineering and structuring their plant architectures. PROFINET’s efficiency means optimal utilization of available user resources and a significant increase in plant availability. Innovative Siemens products and the performance of PROFINET provide a sustained boost to company productivity.

PROFINET innovations

PROFINET has been expanded by a number of innovative features. These simplify the system configuration, in safety-critical applications for example, and support a leaner and more flexible topology in many different scenarios.

The I-Device (intelligent IO device) function enables simple and fast controller-controller communication through direct access to the IO address image with the PROFINET IO protocol. Local controllers such as the ET 200S CPU can be integrated into modular machines more easily, for example.

The Shared Device function allows two controllers to access the same PROFINET IO Device, such as a distributed ET 200 or a drive in a safety application. Because fewer devices need to be installed in the field, the engineering, cabling, energy and installation costs are reduced.

Plant availability can be increased using a ring topology and the Media Redundancy Protocol (MRP) This runs directly via the integrated RJ45 ports on PROFINET devices and can be combined in any way with the relevant Industrial Ethernet switches (e.g. SCALANCE X-200). High network availability can be achieved without reconfiguration time using the MRPD procedure (Media Redundancy for Planned Duplication).

Advantages at a glance

More flexibility with PROFINET

Industrial Wireless LAN (IWLAN)
IWLAN reduces maintenance costs, increases reliability, and gives a convincing high communication performance. Only PROFINET allows the use of IWLAN with safety.

Safety
Safety-related communication via PROFIsafe reliably protects personnel, the environment, and plants.

Flexible topologies
PROFINET also enables the use of star, tree and ring topologies in addition to the linear topology.

Open standard
Thanks to its openness, PROFINET creates the basis for a uniform machine/plant automation network to which programmable controllers as well as standard Ethernet devices can be connected.

Web tools
PROFINET is 100 percent Ethernet and supports TCP/IP. Among other things, this enables the use of Web technologies, such as access to the integrated Web server of the field devices.

Expandability
With PROFINET, network infrastructures can be expanded as desired, even during operation.

\textsuperscript{1} Source: PROFIBUS and PROFINET International (PI), values at end of 2013
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PROFINET

More efficiency with PROFINET

One cable for all purposes
PROFINET offers a host of functions on a single cable, allowing convergence of machine data and standard IT data. This creates consistency and cuts costs by reducing the overhead for cabling and training.

Device and network diagnostics
Extensive diagnostic data can be read out from the devices to locate faults quickly. HTML standard Web sites are used for servicing PROFINET devices – locally and remotely.

Increased energy efficiency
PROFIenergy switches off individual loads or entire production units during breaks – in a coordinated and centrally controlled way.

Easy cabling
Fault-free establishment of industrial networks in a short time without the need for specialist knowledge: PROFINET makes this possible with the FastConnect system.

Quick device replacement
When replacing a PROFINET device, the IO Controller detects the new device and automatically assigns its name.

Extremely robust
The use of switches even in field devices prevents faults in one section of the network from influencing the entire plant network. PROFINET enables the use of fiber-optic cables for areas that are particularly sensitive to EMI.

More performance with PROFINET

Speed
Fast motion control applications need high-speed data exchange. PROFINET’s short cycle times increase the productivity of machines and plants.

Precision
Communication via PROFINET is deterministic. A jitter of < 1 µs results in maximum precision cycles and thus ensures high product quality.

Large quantity structures
With PROFINET, up to 256 devices can be managed by one SIMATIC controller. The number of nodes per network is more or less unlimited.

High transmission rate
By using Ethernet, PROFINET achieves a significantly higher transmission rate than previous fieldbuses. This enables problem-free transmission of even large volumes of data without affecting I/O data transfer.

Redundancy
Higher plant availability can be achieved by means of a redundant installation. This can be implemented both with the help of external switches and directly via integral PROFINET interfaces.

Fast start-up
In modular plants, IO controllers must be able to detect new machines or plant sections quickly. With Fast Startup, PROFINET can detect devices and connect them to the IO controller within 500 ms.
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**PROFIBUS**

**Complete overview of PROFIBUS**

PROFIBUS is used to connect field devices, e.g. distributed I/O devices or drives, to automation systems such as SIMATIC S7, SIMOTION, SINUMERIK or PCs. PROFIBUS is standardized in accordance with IEC 61158/61784 and is a powerful, open and rugged fieldbus system with short response times. PROFIBUS is available in different forms for various applications.

**PROFIBUS DP** *(distributed I/O)*

Connecting distributed field devices, e.g. SIMATIC ET 200, or drives with extremely fast response times. PROFIBUS DP is used when sensors/actuators are distributed at the machine or in the plant (e.g. field level). The actuators and sensors are connected to the field devices. The field devices are supplied with output data in accordance with the master/slave technique and transfer input data to the controller or PC.

**Openness all along the line**

Dank Thanks to the openness of PROFIBUS DP, standard-compliant components from different manufacturers can also be connected. The IEC 61158/61784 standards provide future protection for your investment. A simple link to other bus systems, e.g. from the AS-Interface, is implemented by means of links and thus permits an integrated solution in the field of failsafety for the protection of both human and machine.

Siemens has a complete range of products of standard and failsafe controllers, network components, communication software and field devices. And for field device manufacturers, Siemens offers everything to do with the PROFIBUS DP interface, such as ASICs, training, certification, and much more.

**PROFIsafe**

permits standard and safety-related communication on one and the same bus cable. It is an open solution for safety-related communication over standard buses and uses the PROFIBUS services.
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PROFIBUS

Isochronous mode

The CPU, I/O and user program are synchronized with the PROFIBUS cycle. The ‘Isochronous mode’ function is supported by many CPUs of SIMATIC, SIMOTION, SINUMERIK and servo drives. The drives are controlled using the PROFIdrive profile.

PROFIBUS PA (Process Automation)

expands PROFIBUS DP with intrinsically safe transmission of data and power (e.g. transducers in the food processing industry) in accordance with the international standard IEC 61158-2 (same protocol, different physical properties). PROFIBUS PA is used predominantly in the hazardous areas of refineries (chemical, oil and gas).
**Overview**

Sensors, valves, actuators, drives – many different components operate on the field level. All of these actuators/sensors must be connected to an automation system. Distributed I/O devices are used for this; to a certain extent as intelligent outposts directly on-site.

As a cost-effective alternative to the cable harness, AS-Interface links the components of the field level by means of a simple 2-wire cable for data and power. AS-Interface is standardized as an international industrial standard according to EN 50295 and IEC 62026-2 and is supported worldwide by a number of member companies of the AS-International Association, including the leading manufacturers of actuators and sensors. AS-Interface is used where individual actuators/sensors are spatially distributed throughout the machine (e.g. in a bottle filling plant).

AS-Interface is a single master system. There are communications processors (CPs) for SIMATIC and for SIMOTION and links that control field communication as masters. With the AS-Interface specification V2.1 or V3.0, up to 62 slaves can be connected. The AS-Interface specification V3.0 allows a maximum of 1000 digital inputs/outputs to be connected (profile S-7.A.A: 8DI/8DO as A/B slave). New profiles allow extended addressing (A/B) to be used for analog slaves, too. The analog value transmission is accelerated via "fast analog profiles". Thanks to the integrated analog value processing in the masters, the access to analog values is just as easy as the access to digital values. For connecting the AS-Interface to PROFIBUS DP, the DP/AS-i LINK Advanced, DP/AS-i F-Link or DP/AS-Interface LINK 20E are available with degree of protection IP20. This enables the use of AS-Interface as a subordinate network for PROFIBUS DP. The IE/AS-i LINK PN IO allows AS-Interface to be connected to Industrial Ethernet and thereby a direct embedding in the PROFINET environment.
Overview (continued)

Cost savings

AS-Interface replaces costly cable harnesses and connects binary actuators and sensors such as proximity switches, valves or indicator lights, as well as analog signals with a controller such as SIMATIC.

In practice this means: Installation runs smoothly because data and power are transported together over one single line. Thanks to the specially developed ribbon cable (yellow in color) and insulation displacement technology, the AS-Interface slaves can be connected anywhere.

This concept is extremely flexible and has a great effect on savings. No expert knowledge is required for installation and commissioning. Furthermore, through simple cable laying and the clear cable structure as well as the special design of the cable, you not only significantly reduce the risk of errors, but also service and maintenance costs.
Uninterrupted communication down to the last meter: 
the point-to-point interface IO-Link

**IO-Link – more than just another interface**

IO-Link is the smart concept for the standardized linking of switching devices and sensors to the control level by means of an economical point-to-point connection.

The new communications standard IO-Link below the fieldbus level allows central fault diagnosis and location as far as the actuator/sensor level and simplifies both commissioning and maintenance by allowing the parameter data to be modified dynamically, direct from the application.

Improvements in the intelligence of field devices and their integration in the overall automation support data access down to the lowest field level. The result: greater plant availability and reduced engineering overhead.

As an open interface, the IO-Link can be integrated into all common fieldbus and automation systems. Consistent interoperability ensures maximum protection of investment. This also applies in the context of existing machine concepts for continued use of sensors without an IO-Link interface.
Overview (continued)

Together for integrated quality

The requirements for integrated communication are increasing. At the same time, the variety of field devices, actuators, and sensors is increasing immensely – with ever greater intelligence.

IO-Link offers the solution for these requirements and is seen by manufacturers as a valuable addition to the communications landscape (including AS-Interface).

As a committed driver of this issue, Siemens is further developing not only its product and system range accordingly, but by integrating IO-Link in Totally Integrated Automation, it is also providing a unique integrated communication solution.

Engineering

Reduced engineering times

- Standardized, open system for more flexibility (third-party IO-Link devices can be integrated in the engineering)
- Uniform and transparent configuration and programming through integrated engineering (SIMATIC STEP 7)
- Freely available function blocks for SIMATIC for user-friendly parameterization and diagnostics, and read-out of measured values
- Efficient engineering thanks to use of off-the-shelf faceplates in SIMATIC HMI
- Low error rate in CAD circuit design thanks to reduction in control circuit wiring

Commissioning

Reduced commissioning times

- Faster installation and minimized error rate thanks to reduction in control circuit wiring
- Space savings in the control cabinet
- Low-cost wiring technology with several branches thanks to unrestricted use of existing Siemens components

Operation and maintenance

Increased plant availability

- High level of transparency in the plant down to the field level
- Reduction of downtime and maintenance times through plant-wide diagnostics and faster error correction
- Support for preventive maintenance
- High transparency through incorporation of energy management systems, readout of current values, and diagnostic messages
- Shorter conversion times thanks to central parameter and recipe management for field devices as well
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Industrial Wireless Communication

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Within the scope of industrial communication, wireless communications opens up new perspectives – from partial modernization of a plant, right up to optimizing complex logistics or production processes.


Wireless Remote Networks – low-cost and versatile wireless technology for longer distances

Continuous communication between widely separated plant sections in the area of water/wastewater, or high-speed remote maintenance access to machines and plants on the other side of the world - these are just two of the countless ways you can reap the benefits of Wireless Remote Networks. Thanks to integration in a telecontrol system or an HMI/SCADA system, transferred process data is available at any time via mobile radio.

RUGGEDCOM WIN

RUGGEDCOM WiN products according to the IEEE 802.16e-2005 (WiMax) standard support longer distances and are designed for use in critical locations or under demanding environmental conditions.

Industrial Wireless LAN – flexible, plant-wide wireless infrastructure

Wireless solutions are increasingly becoming a matter of course in machines and plants. In the case of high data communication requirements, Industrial Wireless LAN (IWLAN) backs innovations like deterministic radio and the Industrial Ethernet standard PROFINET. Thanks to the use of PROFIsafe via IWLAN, PROFINET opens up completely new perspectives – from efficient engineering, through real-time solutions, all the way to safety-related tasks. Furthermore, an IWLAN infrastructure can also be used for additional applications such as video monitoring.

WirelessHART – wireless connection of the process instrumentation

WirelessHART is an open industry standard, developed for the particular requirements of wireless communication for field devices in the process industry. It meets all specific requirements for reliability, security, economy and user-friendly operation system-wide. With more than 30 million installed devices worldwide, HART technology is the most frequently used communication protocol for intelligent process instrumentation at the field level. WirelessHART is backwards-compatible with the wired HART technology and thus offers maximum investment security for hardware, software and expertise.
Overview (continued)

Application example for controller-based IWLAN applications with a large number of access points, e.g. in a container terminal

Advantages of a wireless communication network

- Increased competitiveness, since greater flexibility is achieved through mobility
- Maintenance work is simplified, service costs and downtimes are reduced, and personnel are used optimally
- No wear and tear of rotating and moving equipment or system components
- Integrated wireless network for voice and data across the divisions of the company
- Remote diagnostics for different production machines from a central service location reduces service costs
- Awkwardly located installations can be accessed easily; there is no need for complex wiring
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Efficient remote access to plants and machines with SIMATIC via industrial remote access

**Efficient industrial remote access**

Global remote access to far-flung plants, remote machines and mobile applications is gaining in significance – both in industry and in industry-related areas. With a comprehensive range of solutions for industrial remote access, Siemens offers the ideal basis for efficient and reliable monitoring and control of widely distributed plants of any size.

**Secure and flexible access worldwide**

Industrial plants are often distributed over large areas – sometimes even across national borders. Siemens offers proven solutions for industrial remote access, such as flexible telecontrol systems and efficient remote maintenance. Whether in public infrastructure, the manufacturing or process industry: With comprehensive solutions for teleservice and telecontrol, Siemens is the right partner every time.

**Teleservice (remote maintenance/diagnostics)**

Teleservice is data exchange with physically remote technical plants (machines, plants, computers, etc.) for the purpose of error detection, diagnostics, maintenance, repair, or optimization.

**Telecontrol**

Telecontrol involves the connection of distant process stations to one or more central control systems. Various different public or private networks (Remote Networks) can be used for communication for the purposes of monitoring and control. Event-driven or cyclic exchange of process data is performed with special telecontrol protocols and enables the operating personnel to manage the overall process effectively.

The telecontrol systems are based on SIMATIC. They supplement the SIMATIC system with corresponding hardware and software, and thus permit individual process stations to be networked over Remote Networks. The data for this is transmitted via classical WAN, e.g. copper dedicated cable, dial-up networks, wireless, but also via IP-based networks such as mobile wireless networks or the Internet.
TeleControl Basic connects the control center via the Telecontrol Server Basic control center software with the substations, consisting of SIMATIC S7-1200 controllers with CP 1242-7 or CP 1243-1 GPRS module for Ethernet-based connections. The server also supports the connection of S7-200 stations with MD720 modems. Wireless GPRS technology or IP-based networks, such as DSL, are available as transmission media. An S7-1200 substation permits remote communication with a control center (service center) as well as direct slave-slave communication with other S7-1200 substations. Small-scale applications with few outstations can be implemented, as well as large-scale plants comprising up to 5000 outstations. International approvals permit worldwide use.

Extended Telecontrol Server Basic functionalities allow the use of telecontrol server services. The overall solution also includes the teleservice function and thus provides, for example, worldwide access to the S7-1200 stations for international plant and machine manufacturers.

TeleControl Professional comprises the Siemens telecontrol systems for extensive, expanded applications in the process industry. Control systems such as PCS 7, WinCC and third-party control systems with OPC allow reliable control and monitoring of outstations based on the SIMATIC S7-1200, S7-300 and S7-400 controllers.

The outstations and substations can communicate with each other as well as with one or more control centers.

Transmission networks
Telecontrol supports a wide variety of communication networks. In the classical WAN sector, these are:
- Dedicated lines (private or leased)
- Private radio networks (optionally with time slot procedure)
- Dial-up networks (analog, ISDN, GSM)

SIMATIC NET also offers appropriate modems for conventional WANs. Communication, however, is also possible via Ethernet-based WAN, namely:
- Via Internet connections, e.g. with SCALANCE M ADSL2+ routers
- Via 2-wire connections, e.g. with SCALANCE M SHDSL routers
- Via serial or Ethernet-based wireless systems, e.g. via UHF radio devices or Industrial Wireless LAN with SCALANCE W or RUGGEDCOM WIN (WiMax)
- Via fiber-optic conductors, e.g. through use of SCALANCE X switches with optical ports; distances of up to 120 km can then be covered
- Via mobile networks and the Internet using GPRS, GPRS(E) or UMTS and DSL

There are no restrictions in terms of network combinations in a project. Star, line and node topologies can be designed, and also mixed configurations of these. A station can be linked using two transmission paths to permit redundant data transmission. The two paths can be of the same type or also different, e.g. dedicated line combined with telephone network or ISDN with DSL.

A number of different variants can be selected for setting up the control center depending on the process requirements and extent of the information:
- SINAUT ST7cc
  This WinCC-based PC control center is the ideal control center system for both SINAUT ST7 and SINAUT ST1. It has been developed specifically for event-driven and time-stamped data transmission on the SINAUT system and can have a single or redundant design.
- PCS 7 with PCS 7 TeleControl
  This is the ideal control center system for plants in which larger local automation tasks have to be combined with telecontrol connections. In addition to SINAUT ST7, remote stations with other communication protocols can be connected, e.g. over DNP3 or IEC 870-5-101/-104.
- WinCC TeleControl
  This WinCC-based control center system offers the connection of SIMATIC substations to other telecontrol protocols such as DNP3 or IEC 870-5-101/-104.
- SINAUT ST7sc
  This OPC server software is ideal for connecting the SINAUT telecontrol system to control centers from other vendors via OPC client function. ST7sc features extensive buffer mechanisms which prevent data from being lost even if the OPC client fails, and it can have a single or redundant design.
- SIMATIC S7 controller as control center
  Like the substations, this control center comprises a SIMATIC S7-300 or S7-400 controller and is suitable for simpler applications requiring only one current process image of the telecontrol stations. The station process control can be influenced by entering commands, setpoints or parameters. The control center can also be used to extend a PC control center (SINAUT ST7cc or ST7sc), e.g. for data output on a panel, as an emergency operating system, or for implementing cross-station control tasks.
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Teleservice / Remote Access
(remote diagnostics and remote maintenance)

Remote diagnostics and remote maintenance of production plants are indispensable in modern automation technology. They are more efficient and more cost-effective than an on-site service employee. This allows faults to be detected and cleared much faster, downtimes of machines are reduced and their availability is increased.

Machines and plants are increasingly operated in places which are far away from the production site. Plant constructors must nevertheless be able to provide support in the event of a fault. And with the industrial security concept from Siemens, the increasing security requirements for remote access of this type are fulfilled. During the warranty period in particular this can result in high costs. TeleService helps to reduce this risk.

The possible applications for TeleService are manifold. Plants can be diagnosed, values set and data transmitted from anywhere in the world via a telephone cable. TeleService also enables the SIMATIC controllers to send text messages per SMS or e-mail, making a significant contribution to saving travel and personnel costs in service work.

Teleservice via IP-based networks

Optimum remote maintenance is based on reliable, permanently available, secured and economical data connections.

Depending on the application, SIMATIC NET provides the appropriate solution:

- For continuous connections or simultaneous access to several plants, a solution via the Internet using SCALANCE S modules is recommended, both on the service and the plant side.
- For flexible remote maintenance access from any Internet connection – whether in the office, home office or hotel room – SOFTNET Security Client is the right software solution for connecting to the SCALANCE S Security Module installed in the plant.
- For plants without wired network connection, the M874-2 GPRS router establishes remote maintenance access to the SCALANCE S in the service center.
- The SCALANCE M874-3 and M875 UMTS routers or the M812 and M816 ADSL routers are available for plants requiring remote maintenance access at an especially high bandwidth.

In all cases, the communication is reliably protected by authentication and encryption via a virtual private network (VPN) tunnel, in order to rule out the possibility of industrial espionage or manipulation.

Siemens Remote Services

The teleservice product portfolio of Siemens is supplemented with a service concept for SRS. “Siemens Remote Services” provides a powerful, secure platform for remote access to machines and plants. The inclusion of “shared experts” ensures effective support, not only from Siemens but also from the company’s own specialists.
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### Data for practical applications

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The table contains empirical values that can serve as recommendations for selecting the optimum network.