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## WAMS Applications for The Control Room of The Future using the Next Generation Grid Operations Framework

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### Agenda

- Next Generation Grid Operations (NextGen GridOps) Framework Introduction
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  - Building a machine
  - Modular architecture
- WAMS and NextGen GridOps Framework
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# Next Generation Grid Operations (NextGen GridOps Framework) Introduction



#### System Operations are becoming more COMPLEX and DEMANDING

#### Smart cost-efficient strategy in dealing with increasing grid ops complexities

- New market & system requirements
- Integrate to existing + new applications
- Real time performance + response
- RT data integration + exchange (data model)
- Data quality + compatible data sets
- Project realization time + budget

#### Building the Next Generation Grid Operations Machine





#### **CIMbion Automated Data Testing**



#### BUILDING the MACHINE Migrate to the NEW DIGITAL GRID OPERATIONS MODEL

How to MIGRATE to – steps to define



# A modular, flexible and secure architecture allows high interoperability enabling interaction between different applications & departments

- High interoperability allows data to be shared and new business functions to be introduced
- Clear segregation between corporate network (which contains most users & applications) and technology & control networks
- Applications in the control network should be able to operate when other networks fail
- Applications in the corporate network aren't able to directly influence applications in the control network (only information provisioning)
- Applications communicate with each other via an integration layer, unless very specifically approved. In principle there are **no point-topoint connections** between applications
- Any data shared between networks flows via integration layers, incl. security principles



# Our understanding – creating more value with data in increasing grid complexity with many stakeholders and renewable energy integration

#### Core KPI

#### **Existing challenges & opportunities**

#### **Strategic priorities**

#### Security of Supply

Quality of Supply

Safety

TCO

**Regulation & compliancy** 

Public image

Sustainability

**Data & process standardisation** required to reduce complexity with many stakeholders

**Improved interoperability** required between the different solutions and new renewables to improve existing monitoring & control functions and to allow (real-time) calculations & simulations

**Improved data quality** to allow better (automated) decision-making

**New digital technology** to be infused in the core processes of the company

Improved grid development and resiliency improvement



Creating value with WAMPAC

# WAMS and NextGen GridOps Framework



## **WAMS Practical Examples**



Modelling of Business Processes by Using BPMN 2.0 in Enterprise Architect



Definition of information implementation process by using ArchiMate 3.0 in Enterprise Architect

- Definition of Roadmaps
- Using information for practical examples

#### Example process flow:

- Clear business processes for WAMPAC,
- including its integration with peripheral systems.



### WAMPAC Applications diagram



### **Process of Information Implementation**



## Rotor Angle Stability – Framework Implementation



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### Application of WAMS Information from NextGen GridOps Framework

- Context:
  - Case Study IEEE 39 Bus New England Test System
  - Direct Voltage Control receives a remote signal
  - The remote signal fed to the controller is voltage magnitude (due to the previously developed structure of DVC)
  - The controllability was evaluated by studying damping of critical modes of oscillation
  - Deployment of 3 PMUs and 3 WADs was considered in this project
    - Evaluation of observability and controllability of the system
    - Input / output signal selection method

### Study System and WAMS Structure





### Input / Output Signal Selection Method



# Case Study IEEE 39 Bus New England Test System WAMS with 2 Synchronous Generators and 8 DVC

#### SETUP

- 2 synchronous generators
- 8 Direct Voltage Controllers
  - > 3 Damping Controllers → WAD
- > 3 Voltage measurements → PMU



Power Plant	Bus	ΟΙ	Power Plant	Bus	CI
Power Plant 5	Bus 34	1	Power Plant 7	Bus 36	1
Power Plant 7	Bus 36	0.988	Power Plant 6	Bus 35	0.950
Power Plant 4	Bus 33	0.982	Power Plant 4	Bus 33	0.906

Modes	Eigenvalue	Damped Frequency		Damping Ratio		With WADC	
Mode 1	-0.509 ± j 6.021 -0 481 + j 6 107	0.958	0.972	8.40 %	7.90 %		WADC
Mode 2	-2.491 ± j 8.488	1.351	1.433	28.2 %	35.6 %		
Mode 3	-3.428 ± j 9.006	1 058	1 057	60.3 %	60.9 %		
	-9.372 ± j 12.22	1.300	1.307	00.0 /0	00.9 /0		

## **Concluding Words**

- Next Generation Grid Operations (NextGen GridOps) Framework was developed to support defining and designing the Grid Operations Machine with real-time data exchange between different applications and by different vendors.
- The Grid Operations Machine is based on an integrated system architecture without point-topoint connections between applications, deploying a service-oriented architecture instead.
- The NextGen GridOps Framework is structured in Enterprise Architect according to latest standards and its modular structure allows speedy redeployment of previously implemented solutions.
- Deploying the framework will help strengthen the confidence of grid operators in the future to come through better; being able to manage the ever-increasing complexity of the power grids and renewable generation and better enhancing their situational awareness operating the energy system.

# Questions?





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