What's new for the Food & Beverage Industry in 2022?

PLANT FLOOR GATEWAY / PROCESS SUPERVISION / PLANT HISTORIAN

- Add online variables to trend Enhanced options to review historic data Operators can add additional curves to a diagram, even if the variables values are not stored in an archive.
- Variable diagnosis
 Apply Equipment Group as filter on variable diagnosis
 New filter options allow for quicker access to searched information.

PLANT FLOOR GATEWAY

Gateway Servers

Offline configuration and read-back of Service Engine changeable configuration

Easier solution engineering and increased data availability through enhancements of gateway functionalities.

OPC UA Server
 Enhanced reload behavior
 Higher data availability in the cases when the solution is further engineered.

Edge IoT Gateway on Linux
Online values directly into Service Grid (bi-directional)
A key modular component of digitalization projects,
supporting reliable and easy to manage information flows
from plant floor to further OT / IT solutions.



PROCESS AUTOMATION

Redundancy

Native redundancy support in Batch Control (module)
Reduced risk of production downtime through more robust process execution.

Reporting

New options for easier aggregation of batch-related process data

Deeper and extended insights of every single batch, for high process quality.

PROCESS SUPERVISION

Alarm Shelving

Operators can temporarily disable specific alarms

Extended capabilities to manage process alarms, for more comfort in dealing with complexity.

Web Visualization Service

Comfortable configuration of HTML5 user interfaces
Easy to use solution for development of web and mobile interfaces.

MODULE TYPE PACKAGE

MTP Integration in zenon
Orchestrating processes via the MTP standard
Support of process innovation through modular and flexible
configuration of production equipment

What's new for the Energy Industry in 2022?



CONNECTIVITY

Connectivity General

- Various improvements in energy protocols:
- Improved interoperability
- Improved configuration of protocol behavior and additional application functions
- Improvement of engineering ergonomics
- Cyber security advancements

Device Level Protocols

• IEC850 Client: configuration option for report control block attribute write

Option for compatibility with specific devices that are not 100% compliant

- IEC 61850 server: support for Simulation Mode
 IEC 61850 Server Support for simulation mode according to part 7.8 of IEC 61850-7-1 ed2.0
- DNP3_TG: additional double point value mapping option
- PRP driver: support of Gigabit Ethernet

Control Center Connectivity

- DNP3 Process Gateway local / remote mode
 Variable controlled local / remote mode selection
- DNP3 Process Gateway inverting binary inputs
 Accommodate master requirements, no need for additional variables and mapping in logic
- DNP3 Process Gateway: configurable operate response
 The DNP3 process gateway allows configuration for sending a
 positive operate response in command routing

CONNECTIVITY

▶ Control Center Connectivity

DNP3 Process Gateway: scaling for Analog Inputs
 The Process Gateway DNP3 Outstation has been enhanced with
 a configuration option for a scaling factor for analog inputs

- Process Gateway DNP3: use specific qualifier only
 The Process Gateway DNP3 Outstation and the Logic
 DNP3 outstation now uses preferred / subset level compatible
 qualifier codes
- IEC 60870 Process Gateway –
 variable controlled gateway activation
 Internal T00 variable determines if the gateway is active and accepts master connections / requests
- IEC 60870 Process Gateway: redundancy
 Support for redundant links according to IEC 60870-5-104 ed. 2
- IEC 60870 Process Gateway support for UTC time
- IEC 60870 slave stack and Logic Service driver: support for IPv6

The IEC 60870 slave stack and the Logic Service IEC 60870 slave driver, have been enhanced to also support IPv6 based communication for IEC 60870-5-104

- Process Gateway ICCP: support for secure communication TLS and MMS security according to IEC TS 62351-4:2007 / compatibility mode in IEC 62351-4:2018
- Process Gateway ICCP: Optional custom configuration of datasets in the ICCP Client role





ERGONOMIC OPERATION

Alarm Management

Alarm Shelving

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- New shelving command in the zenon alarm list
- Selected alarms can be shelved for a specific period, a shelving reason must be stated. Shelved alarms disappear from the alarm list. All associated audio-visual indications are muted
- After expiration of the shelving period, alarms are reactivated

Variable Diagnosis

- IImproved ergonomics of the Variable Diagnosis screen by additional columns and apply equipment group selection from equipment model screen
- Filtering based on Equipment Model (screen)
- Additional columns: Equippment Group, Project Name, Resources Label

Web Visualization Service

- New Web Visualization Version
- Integrated engineering and compilation and zenon multi-project support
- Further energy process control features planned

Historian

- Swinging Door Trending Compression for historic data in zenon archive files (ARX)
- Higher compression rate leads to better utilization of storage space

EFFICIENT ENGINEERING

Efficient Engineering (Connectivity)

Engineering and configuration of gateway protocols is fully integrated in the zenon Engineering Studio:

- DNP3 / IEEE 1815 Outstation SNMP Agent
- IEC 60870-5-101/104 Slave Syslog
- ICCP / TASE.2 - MODBUS Server
- MS Azure Services
- OPC UA Server
- SQL Online Interface

Efficient Engineering

- Smart Object Engineering:
- Support of mapping rules
- Automatic Engineering for Sos, including specialization of released properties and mapping rules
- Up to 70% faster processing of SO updates
- ALC properties for lines supported in styles

ALC line properties can be centrally defined in styles and applied to the lines of a single line diagram

New end-of-line-types

Support of line end types which are often required in SLDs

SECURITY

Configuration of energy protocol security

TLS and MMS certificate authentication configuration dialogs IEC 62351-3 and IEC 62351-4 settings for energy protocols can be configured in the user interface

Security for additional protocols

 Message Control now supports TLS 1.3 for SMTP Default behavior is auto-negotiation of the newest supported TLS version between client and server

 TLS v1.3 encryption in zenon Network zenon Network can be encrypted with TLS v1.3 certificates

CIM/CGMES GRID MODEL INTERFACE

Provide status information to load-dispatch centers Support optimization and congestion avoidance (re-dispatch)

Detailed topologic information through zenon **CGMES** interface

Equipment inventory Current asset states (switches open/closed etc.) Overall current topology

Fully integrated generation of CGMES data in zenon

Equipment model (EQ.xml) generated during project compilation Asset states (SSH.xml) and topology (TP.xml) generated on demand during runtime

What's new for the Life Sciences & Process Industry in 2022?



PROCESS AUTOMATION

Batch Redundancy

More robust process automation leading to less production downtimes and reduced material loss

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▶ Batch Reporting

New mechanisms for easier aggregation of batch-related process data.

Deeper and more extended insights of every single batch, ensuring a high process quality.

AUTOMATION INTEGRATION LAYER / PHARMA HMI / LES

MSI Interface

Native connector to Werum PAS-X MES

Gives the operator a configurable interface out of the box for exchanging data between zenon and Werum PAS-X MES. It supports the batch information exchange and Exception handling.

OPC UA Client

Configurable browsing of variables

When there is a large data model and not every part of it is required, a subset of the OPC UA server data model can be selected for background read.

LES / AIL

Report Engine: Offline reporting

Gives operators the capability to create reports reading evacuated AML and CEL information directly from SQL DB or Data Storage.

Operators don't need a running zenon server for retrieving.

Alarm & Event data.

MODULAR PROCESS AUTOMATION / MTP

MTP Suite

From MTP editing to orchestration, the MTP Suite reduces time and costs when integrating new equipment.

Support of process innovation through modular and flexible configuration of production equipment.

PHARMA HMI / LES / AIL

- eSignature: Support of biometric devices zenon API has been extended to support eSignature by external biometric devices like Nymi band and others.
 - Specific devices can be used for user authentication. System integrator has to create a project addin for the device integration.
- Audit Trail: Integrate Audit Trail from external equipment

zenon API has been extended to support the insert of CEL entries by a project AddIn.

Integrate Audit Trail reading text or CSV files by creating a dedicated project AddIn. Useful for integrating existing machines or legacy equipment.

eSignature: Comments as option

The Electronic Signature Module allows to optionally configure comments in every step.

More flexible handling depending on use case.

There might be situations, where no comment is required.

What's new for the Automotive Industry

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CONNECTIVITY

OPC UA Server

With the zenon 11 comes an optimized reload behavior for a more efficient operation.

OPC UA Driver

An enhanced import increases usability. The OPC UA driver now supports alarms and conditions, which allows other possibilities besides a pure data/value transmission. The support of methods can be used to start special actions (calculation, acknowledgement, etc.) via the driver at the OPC UA server.

TIA Driver

The TIA driver allows the support of units and offers an enhanced import function.

VASS

zenon 11 comes with a new driver for communication to VASS PLCs



EFFICIENT ENGINEERING

- Efficient Engineering (Connectivity) **Integrated Process Gateway Engineering**
- Efficient Engineering
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BROWNFIELD GATEWAY

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