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SPECIFICATION OF IEC 61850 INFORMATION EXCHANGE FOR DER  
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**IMPORTANT NOTE:**

*This specification [ENDK-61850-SPEC version 15](#) is still a working draft.*

*The sections from page 14 to 70 in this specification is still drafts with comments and only to be used as so.*

*There cannot be referenced to this specification, until it is to be labelled 'Final version' in the footer.*

## Introduction

No energy system can work efficiently without information exchange. Energy markets depend on demand and response information. The system and grid operators depend on fast and accurate grid conditional measurements. Energy producers need to monitor and operate the facility and end-users need billing.

Information exchange on many different levels are needed and the demand for more secure information exchange is rising, due to the rising focus on distributed energy resources based on stochastic renewable energy as well as an increasing cyber security threat.

New European regulation for establishing guidelines on electricity system operation are now in place and next step will be for the national operators and regulators to make the technical specifications.

The technologies are ready, and the technical standards are drafted – so now is also the time for the ICT manufactures and system integrations to make the solutions work in the field.

### What is the purpose of this specification?

*This current draft document is an informative technical specification which can support the nominative SO GL (System Operation Guide Lines 2017/1485) and national directives like NGF 'Nationale Gennemførelsesforanstaltninger'*

This specification will focus on the information exchange between the facility of energy producing or consuming units – and the operators outside the facility, basically the 2 sides of the red line in the figure.

The main target audience for this specification will be technical management people, on ether the facility or the operator side – who needs to get an overview of the concept and use of standards within this field.

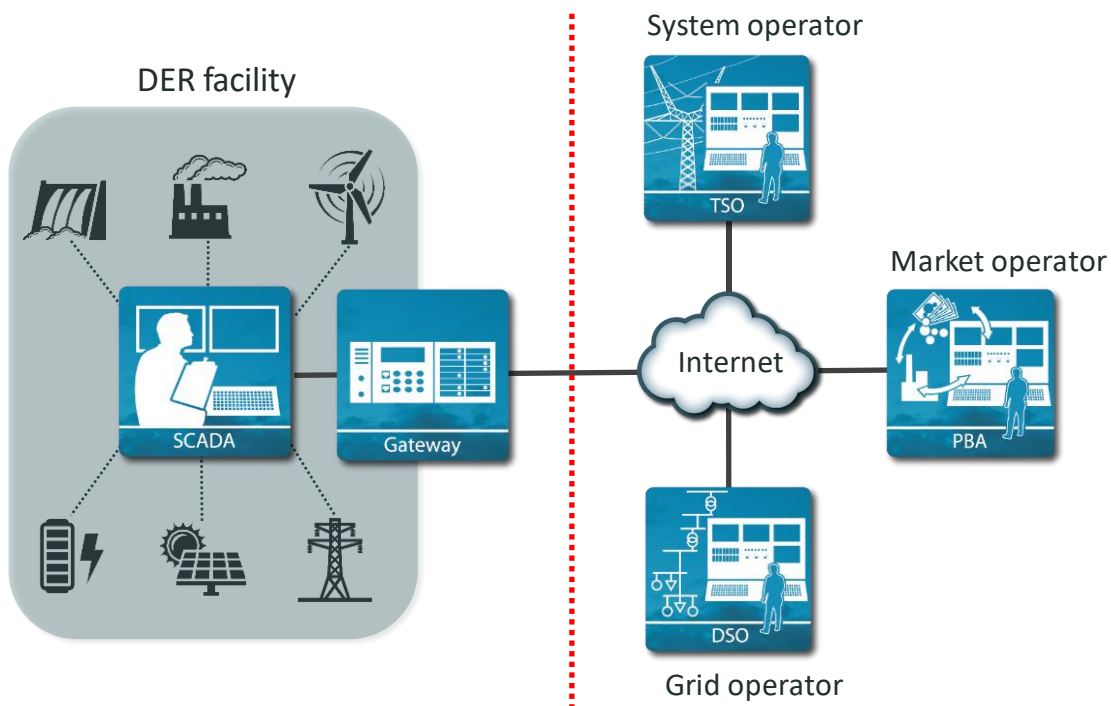


Figure 1 – Interface between DER facility and external actors

## Why IEC 61850?

Data communication has been possible for more than 100 years. Many protocols have been developed for many different purposes, ICT platforms and requirements – so Why IEC 61850?

### **First, we need to look at the challenges?**

- The current global expansion of renewable energy resources, like wind-turbines and photovoltaage, is a challenge for the power system, regarding energy balance and power losses and power quality.
- Central power production is becoming more distributed and from smaller units.
- Energy markets including ancillary services, are evolving and faster control loops are needed.
- Interconnections between different countries and regions are becoming more important to ensure security-of-supply.
- Cyber security is also targeting ‘critical infrastructure’

*IEC 61850 is not the solution to all these challenges – but a very important part of the solution as a harmonized data communication system with a high level of interoperability and cyber security.*

### **So, why IEC 61850?**

IEC 61850 has been developed over more than 20 years, has a global perspective and includes the following main features:

- Harmonized information model – unique naming convention.
- From 2017 a full digital UML version is available.
- Recognized and recommended by ENTSO-E, EDSO, Eurelectric and many others.
- The IEC organisation has focus on evolving the IEC 61850 (and CIM) standards, while the IEC 60870-5-104 standard will not be further developed.
- The European SmartGrid Taskforce with their M490 mandate points to IEC 61850 as the standard to use for data exchange in the SmartGrid domain.

## International perspective

IEC (International Electrotechnical Commission) founded in 1904 and is today the world’s leading organization for the preparation and publication of International Standards for all electrical, electronic and related technologies.

IEC TC57 (Technical Committee number 57 out of 104) is the group of technical people working with standards for power system control equipment, distribution automation, energy management, cyber security and more. The only international group within this field of standardization.

## What is IEC 61850?

**IEC 61850 is an international standard which is designed for secure exchange of information within a power system.**

Originally developed for sub-station automation, it is today also covering Distributed Energy Resources (DER) and in addition Information Security – within the same framework under IEC TC57.

IEC 61850 is not just a protocol that can exchange a block of data from A to B – it is also an Information Model, which defines a unique naming convention for all the building blocks inside the power system and DER facility.

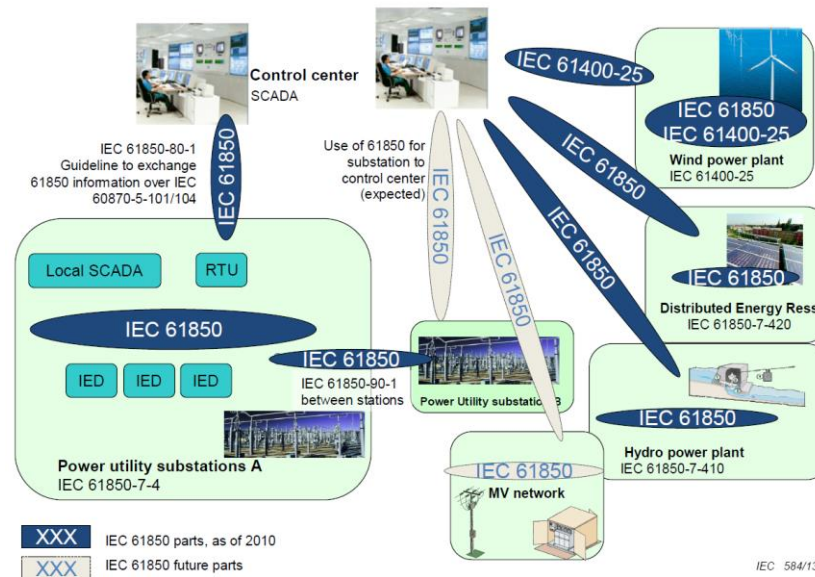


Figure 2 – IEC61850 overview

## Basic IEC 61850 – information model, protocol and configuration

In IEC 61850 there is basically a Physical view and a Logical view, where the physical view is the actual component, e.g. a voltage measurement inside a power meter at the DER facility – which in IEC 61850 is represented as a Logical Node (LN) called MMXU for measurement.

From a logical point of view, the MMXU is part of a Logical Device (LD) for e.g. a power meter and it contains Data Objects and Data Attributes. So, a measurement is represented as:

FacilityIdentifier\_PhysicalDeviceLogicalDevice/LogicalNode.DataObject.DataAttribute.DataAttribute

which, in the real implementation, could look like: EIC45W0000000000013\_HG2GA3/MMXU1.TotW.mag.f

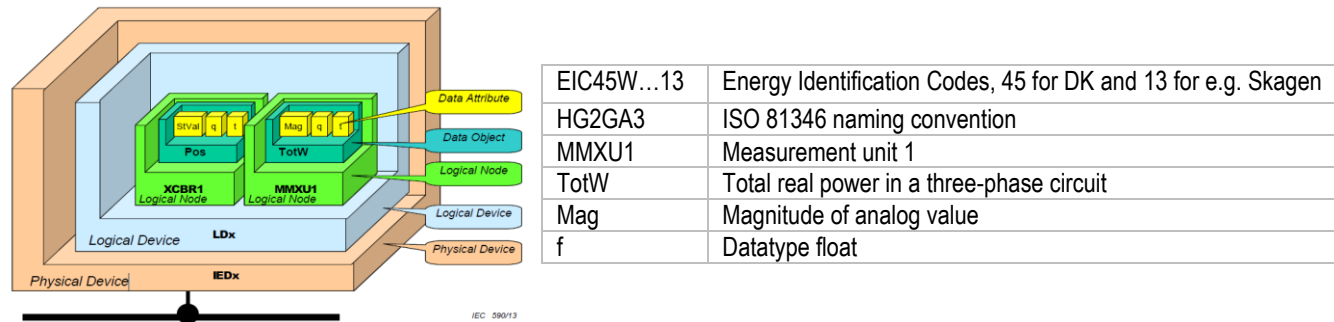
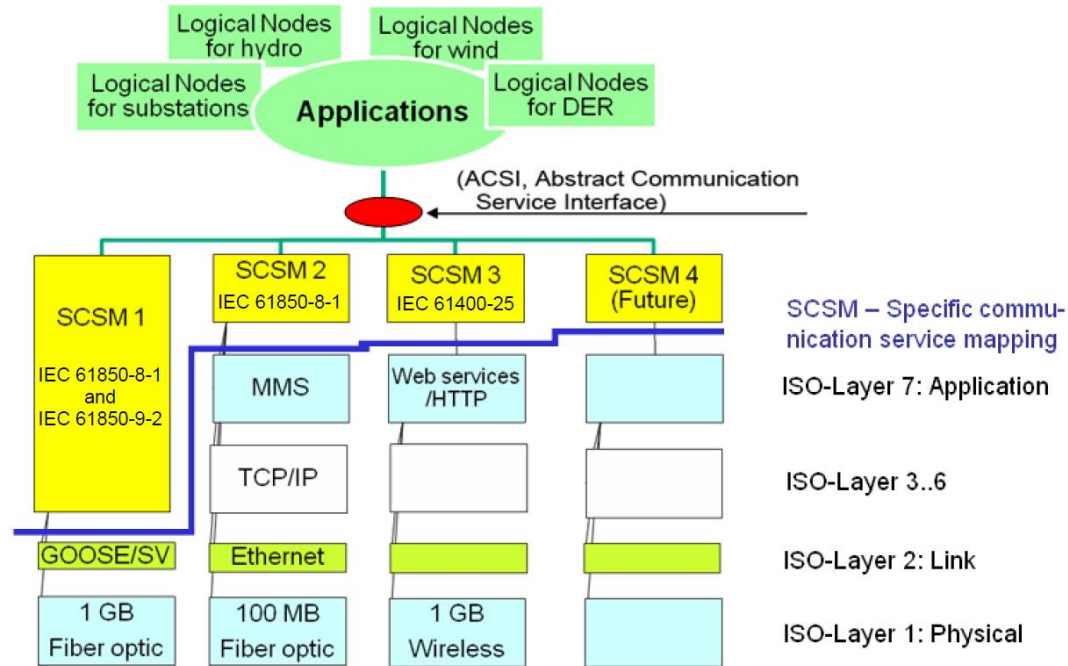


Figure 3 – IEC61850 logical topology

### IEC61850 protocol and services

The IEC61850 protocol is based on ISO 9605 also called **MMS** (Manufacturing Message Specification) and by adding the newest security extension from IEC 62351-4 - the specification is called **SecureMMS**.

It is a very efficient binary protocol (typical package size app. 400 bytes, for single point polling including security) and on top of it is a set of well-defined services call **ACSI** (Abstract Communication Service Interface).



IEC 591/13

Figure 4 – IEC61850 layers from transport, protocol and services to information layer

Between the transport layer and the information layer is the ACSI services (red marking in figure 3). For examples, please look at the section: *Basic UML use cases for information exchange – examples for inspiration* or the standard document: IEC 61850-7-2

ACSI include services like:

GetLogicalNodeDirectory	An IEC client shall use the service to retrieve a list of all Logical Nodes on a given Logical Device
GetDataValues	An IEC client shall use the service to retrieve data values of a given Data Object
GetDataValues	An IEC client shall use the service to set data values of a given Data Object
DATA-SET	This service is a grouping of elements which can be operated using a single command
REPORT-CONTROL-BLOCK	This is an event-driven service that can automatically send data when triggered from the IEC server

ACSI services are basically ‘functionalities’ build into the IEC61850 protocol, that can be used as application logic to facilitate the ICT implementation.



## SCL for configuration of devices using IEC61850

The System Configuration Description Language (SCL) is part of IEC 61850 and can be used for describing IEC 61850 devices (in IEC 61850 referred to as IED – Intelligent Electronic Device) and how these IEDs are used within a system.

The SCL syntax supports different types of files, each having a specific purpose:

- The ICD (IED Capability Description) file allows a vendor to describe the complete capabilities of a device.
- Provided with the ICD file, the IED engineering can generate an IID (Instantiated IED Description) file, that describes how the capabilities are utilised in the device.
- The IID file can then be used by system engineering to generate a CID (Configured IED Description) or a SCD (System Configuration Description) file.
- The CID file describes the configuration of one IED only, and loaded into an IED, it configures the behaviour of that IED.
- The SCD file describes one or more IEDs with the same details as in the CID, and how they relate to each other and the system. This file can also be loaded into an IED to configure its behaviour.
- System Specification Description (SSD) file: This file contains complete specification of a substation automation system including single line diagram for the substation and its functionalities (logical nodes).

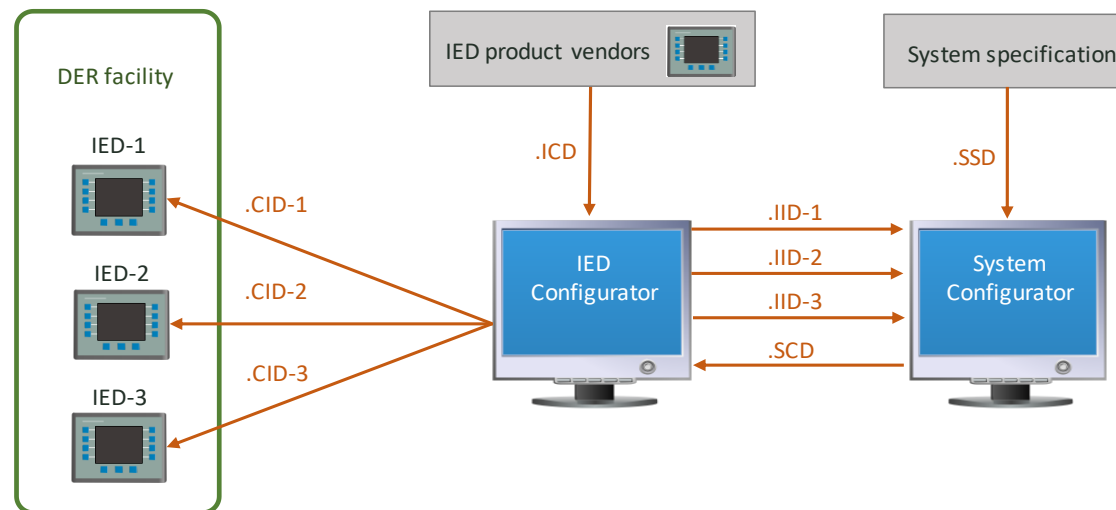


Figure 5 – Use of SCL files and tools for IED configuration

In Figure 5, two configuration tools are being used: the “IED Configurator” and the “System Configurator”.

The “IED Configurator” tool is used by an engineer with knowledge about the operation of the individual IED (one or more) in the facility. Use of this tool has two purposes:

- 1) Based on the IED capabilities (ICD) file provided by the IED vendor, the engineer decides what capabilities to be utilised and based on this defines the information model for the individual IED. The result of this modelling is provided in one or more instantiated IED (IID) files.
- 2) Based on a system configuration (SCD) file, the configuration for individual IEDs can be generated. This is described in the configured IED (CID) file.

The “System Configurator” tool is used by an engineer with knowledge about the facility in general, e.g. the communication network setup and how devices in the facility are structured. Based on the instantiated IED (IID) files for the individual IEDs in the facility, a system configuration (SCD) file is being generated with information about topology and communication settings.

## How to read the standards

If the reader has no previous experience with IEC 61850 and related standards and wants to know more about the standards from an operator and system integrator point of view – it might be a good idea to begin with read the overview document IEC 61850-1 and then take a course. To find 61850 courses do a web-search for ‘61850 course’ and this will give you a good overview.

IEC 61850 is a large series of standard document which consists of the following parts, under the general title **Communication networks and systems for power utility automation**.

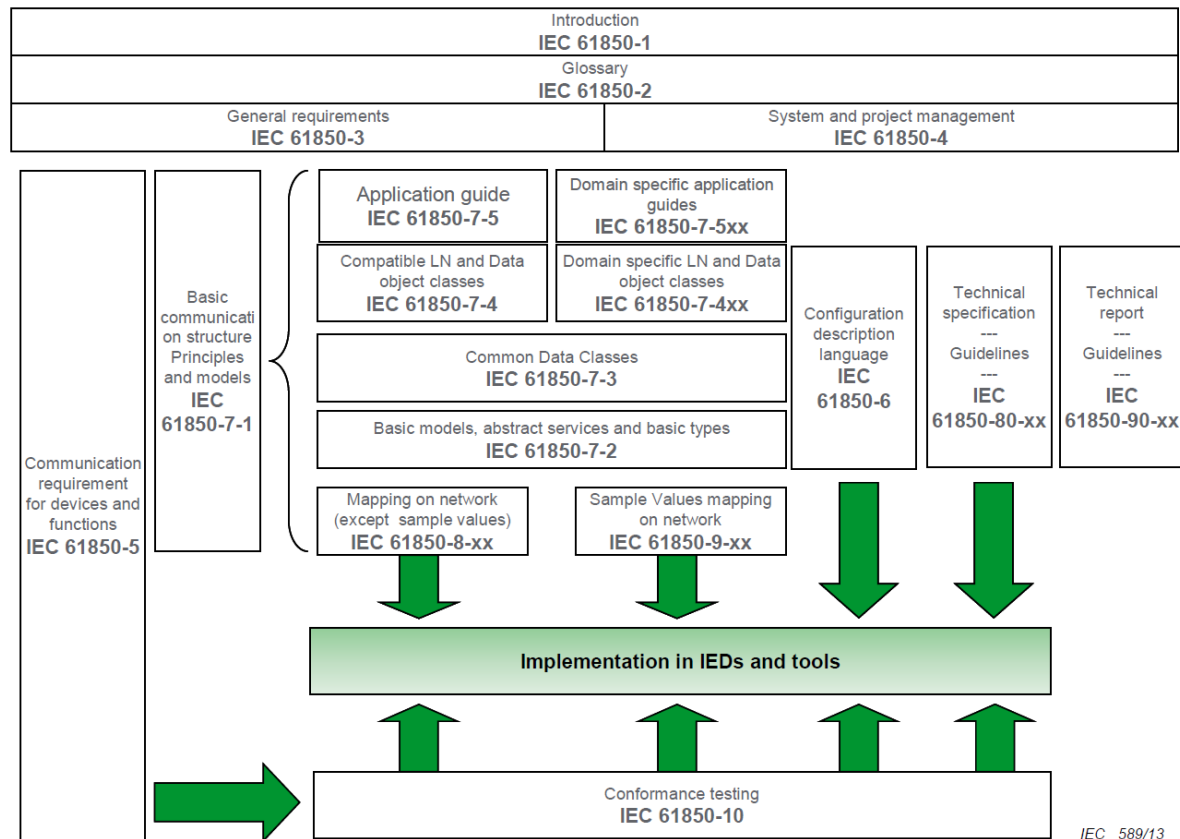


Figure 6 – The IEC 61850 series of standards (IEC 61850:2019 SER)

The IEC 61850 and related standards can be grouped under the following headlines:

*General information including basic terms and definition*

IEC 61850 Part 1: Introduction and overview

IEC 61850 Part 2: Glossary

IEC 61850 Part 3: General requirements

IEC 61850 Part 4: System and project management

IEC 61850 Part 5: Communication requirements for functions and device models

IEC/TS 62351-1: Introduction

IEC/TS 62351-2: Glossary of Terms

IEC/TR 62351-12: Resilience and Security Recommendations for Power Systems with DER

*Configuration and guidelines*

IEC 61850 Part 6: Configuration description language for communication in electrical substations related to IEDs

IEC 61850 Part 90-1: Use of IEC 61850 for the communication between substations

IEC 61850 Part 90-2: Using IEC 61850 for the communication between substations and control centres

IEC 61850 Part 90-3: Using IEC 61850 for condition monitoring

IEC 61850 Part 90-4: Network Engineering Guidelines - Technical report

IEC 61850 Part 90-5: Using IEC 61850 to transmit synchro phasor information according to IEEE C37.118

IEC/TR 62351-13: Guidelines on What Security Topics Should Be Covered in Standards and Specifications

IEC/TR 62351-90-1: Guidelines for Using Part 8 Roles

### *Information model*

IEC 61850 Part 7-1: Basic communication structure – Principles and models

IEC 61850 Part 7-3: Basic communication structure – Common data classes

IEC 61850 Part 7-4: Basic communication structure – Compatible logical node classes and data classes

IEC 61850 Part 7-410: Hydroelectric power plants – Communication for monitoring and control

IEC 61850 Part 7-420: Basic communication structure – Distributed energy resources logical nodes

IEC 61850 Part 7-5: IEC 61850 – Modelling concepts

IEC 61850 Part 7-500: Use of logical nodes to model functions of a substation automation system

IEC 61850 Part 7-510: Use of logical nodes to model functions of a hydro power plant

IEC 61850 Part 7-520: Use of logical nodes to model functions of distributed energy resources

IEC 61850 Part 90-7: Object models for power converters in distributed energy resources systems

IEC 61850 Part 90-8: Object Model for E-Mobility – now a joint activity (JWG11) with IEC TC69

IEC 61400-25-4: Basic communication structure for Wind Turbines as, Wind turbines – Communications for monitoring and control of wind power plants.

### *Protocols and services*

IEC 61850 Part 7-2: Basic communication structure – Abstract communication service interface (ACSI)

IEC 61850 Part 8-1: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) – Mappings to MMS (ISO 9506-1 and ISO 9506-2) and to ISO/IEC 8802-3

IEC 61850 Part 8-2: Communication networks and systems for power utility automation - Part 8-2: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) - Mapping to Extensible Messaging Presence Protocol (XMPP)

IEC 61850 Part 80-1: Guideline to exchange information from a CDC based data model using IEC 60870-5-101/104

IEC 61850 Part 80-4: Translation from COSEM object model (IEC 62056) to the IEC 61850 data model

IEC 61850 Part 9-2: Specific communication service mapping (SCSM) – Sampled values over ISO/IEC 8802-3

### *Conformance testing*

IEC 61850 Part 10: Conformance testing

IEC 62351-100-1: Conformance test cases for IEC 62351-5 and companion standards

### *Cyber security*

IEC/TS 62351-3: Security for profiles including TCP/IP

IEC/TS 62351-4: Security for profiles including MMS

IEC/TS 62351-6: Security for IEC 61850 profiles

IEC/TS 62351-7: Objects for Network Management

IEC/TS 62351-8: Role-Based Access Control

IEC/TS 62351-9: Key Management

IEC/TS 62351-10: Security Architecture

IEC 62351-14 Security Event Logging and Reporting

IEC/TR 62351-90-2 Deep Packet Inspection

**Please reference**

ANNEX F for other relevant standards and specifications.

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## How to get started – practical recommendations

Depending on your purpose for using the IEC 61850 standard, being an operator inside the facility, an operator outside the facility or a system integrator with configuration of IEC 61850 products – there might be different ways for you to get started.

Please have a look at the figure and read the recommendations that will be the best choice for your specific purpose.

*Note: These recommendations are only to be used as inspiration for the reader.*

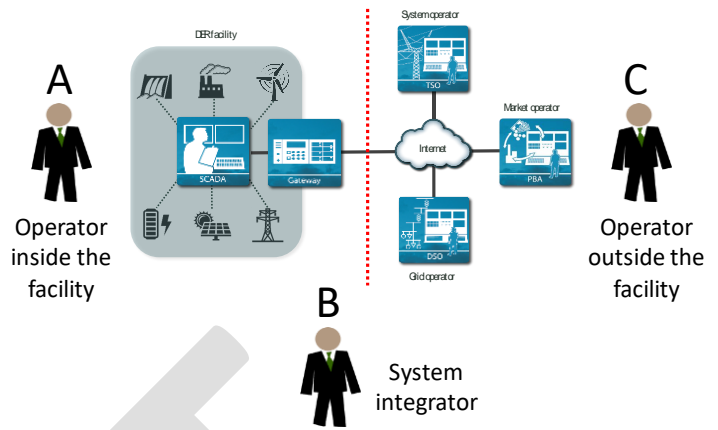


Figure 7 - Actors in focus for this specification

### Read this section if you are an Operator inside the DER facility (A)

As owner and operator of a DER facility, the focus will always be on preserving the assets and obtaining optimal production – and secondly interactions with operators outside the facility.

However, being connected to the power system today requires more and more focused on having a close coordination and interaction between the DER facility and power system actors, for the benefit of ancillary services and energy market services.

From a data communication point of view, the DER facility should focus on the following elements:

1. Secure shared access to information managed by the DER facility
2. DER facility as the data source originator and owner of non-aggregated data
3. Point of Communication (PCOM interface) should be based on international and open standards

Also, cases where proprietary technical solutions are the main reason for the DER facility owner to buy services at a given system integrator, should of course be avoided.

### Read this section if you are a System integrator (B)

As a system integrator, the focus would be to have a good business based on the DER facility and this also implies to provide the best technical service.

Where this specification focuses on the external PCOM interface, IEC 61850 is also possible to use in other internal system integration processes. Also note the IEC 61850 communication interfaces and elements including information security, should be based on international standards. This will reduce the cost for the DER facility, and it will also benefit the system integrator, because training and recruiting personnel, maintenance of proprietary solutions and reduced cost of components, can in the end benefit the business revenue.

From a data communication point of view, the System integrator should focus on the following elements:

1. Focus on ICT-tools that supports the system integration process
2. Support the international standards and reduce cost on maintenance of proprietary solutions
3. See Information Security services as a mandatory part of your business



## Read this section if you are an Operator outside the DER facility (C)

As an Operator outside the DER facility, no matter if you are a System operator, Market operator or Grid Operator, the main point of interest will probably be if the DER facility is a trusted asset - both from a DER resource and security point of view.

- The System operator will focus on 'Security of Supply'
- The Market operator will focus on how to use the DER facility on market terms
- The Aggregator will focus on how reliable and controllable the DER facility is
- The Grid operator will focus on how to use the DER facility in case of power quality management

From a data communication point of view, the Operators should focus on the following elements:

1. Interfacing to a DER facility should be with secure and shared access
2. The operator should be able to communicate with all DER facility, using same standard interface.
3. End-to-end security should be mandatory, based on a common trust framework

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## Reference architecture

A reference architecture is a conceptual description, in this case a drawing (figure 8), representing the main actors, components and their generic interconnections.

### Overview diagram for actors and basic information architecture

The red line is representing the data communication between the DER units, DER controller/gateway, SCADA and network equipment, inside the DER facility.

**DER facility** is the term used for the whole facility, which has a data communication interface called PCOM

**DER system** is the term used for a functionality that combines several DER units into a system (e.g. several motor-generator sets, PV arrays, electrical storage or wind turbines)

**DER unit** is the term used for the single DER (e.g. gas turbine, heat pump, electrical boiler, motor-generator set)

**DER gateway** is the physical component which has an IEC server functionality and can communication to IEC clients outside the DER facility.

**DER controller** is a physical or virtual component that has functionality that controls and aggregates several DER units for a DER system.

**PCOM** is the interface between the DER facility and any actor outside the DER facility, in terms of data communication and information exchange.

**PCC** is the 'Point of Common Coupling' where the DER facility is electrically connected to the public electricity supply grid.

**ECP** is the 'Electrical Connection Point' where each DER unit is electrically connected to the local facility power grid; groups of DER units (a DER system) have an ECP, where they interconnect to the DER facility power grid; ECP for the DER facility is identical to the PCC.

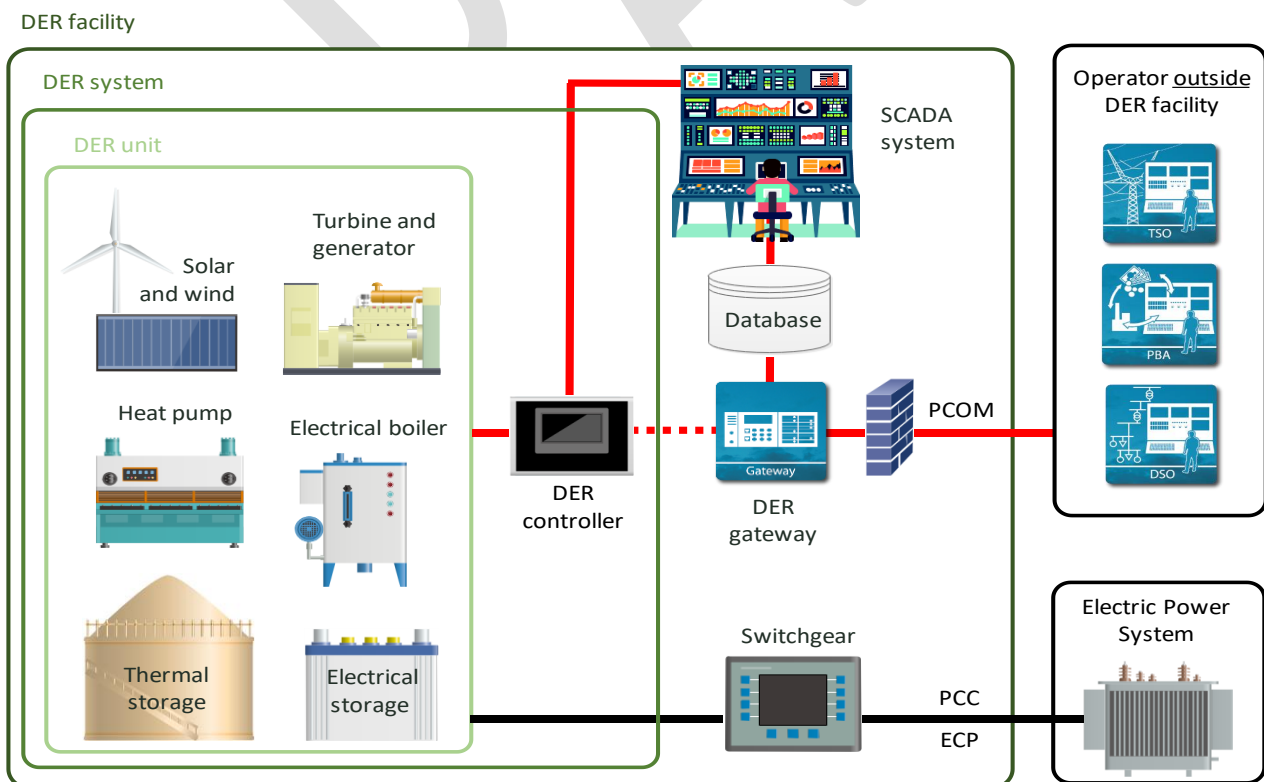


Figure 8 – Reference architecture for this specification

## Information model

A very important part of the IEC 61850 standard is the Information model. This is basically a naming convention that defines unique names for all the functionalities and components inside the DER facility. The functionality and components are organised into entities called Logical Nodes (LN).

The information model in IEC 61850-7-420 can be divided into 3 basic groups for LN's, which we in this specification name: **DER facility**, **DER system** and **DER unit**.

In the following, some tables provide information about the available logical nodes within the IEC 61850-7-420 domain, and the basic group they belong to. The tables also have a reference to the package within the IEC 61850 UML model where the logical node is defined. The UML model is described in the "IEC 61850 information model in UML" section in this specification.

The newest version of IEC61850-7-420 from IEC is the edition 1 (IEC61850-7-420:2009) from 2009, but a new edition 2 is currently in 'Preparation of Collected Comments' stage, with a target date of Marts 2020 for the final standard.

*Note: This ENDK-61850-SPEC is using the latest draft version from the IEC TC57 WG17 working group, which means that the descriptions in the section of the report about 'Information Model' can change and will be updated until the final standard for IEC61850-7-420 is released by IEC and Dansk Standard.*

### DER facility Logical Nodes

The main purpose of this group of LNs are to represent the information which is for the whole DER facility, basically the nameplate information of the physical and logical components.

LN Group	UML Package	LN	Title	Description
DER facility	ECP	DCCT	DER economic dispatch parameters	defines the DER economic dispatch parameters. Each DCCT is associated with one or more ECPs
DER facility	ECP	DCRP	DER plant corporate characteristics at the ECP	defines the corporate and contractual characteristics of a DER plant. A DER plant in this context is defined as one DER unit and/or a group of DER units which are connected at an electrical connection point (ECP). The DCRP LN can be associated with each ECP (e.g. with each DER unit and a group of DER units) or just those ECPs where it is appropriate.
DER facility	ECP	DOPA	DER operational authority at the ECP	associated with role based access control (RBAC) and indicates the authorized control actions that are permitted for each "role", including authority to disconnect the ECP from the power system, connect the ECP to the power system, change operating modes, start DER units, and stop DER units. This LN could also be used to indicate what permissions are in effect. One instantiation of this LN should be established for each "role" that could have operational control. The possible types of roles are outside the scope of this standard.
DER facility	GridCodes.ECP	DECP	Electrical Connection Point (ECP)	contains the operational characteristics of the Electrical Connection Point (ECP), including "nameplate" or static information (identity, type), settings (nominal voltage, frequency), and measurements (pointers to MMXU and MMXN data objects)
DER facility	GridCodes.Connect	DCND	Disconnect and connect DER	causes the DER to disconnect which could be cease to energize or could be via a switch to cause galvanic isolation. Connect would initiate the reconnection.
DER facility	GridCodes.Connect	DCTE	Cease to energize	causes the DER to cease to energize
DER facility	GridCodes.RideThrough	DVRT	Voltage high/low ride-through	defines the curves for high/low voltage ride-through events, the status during an event, and a count of events
DER facility	GridCodes.RideThrough	DFRT	Frequency high/low ride-through	defines high/low Frequency ride-through. Each curve defines the boundary between the different zones.
DER facility	GridCodes.FrequencySupport	DFWP	Set active power level based on frequency	provides parameters as the settings for active power based on frequency
DER facility	GridCodes.FrequencySupport	DFWC	Set active power based on frequency	allows more flexibility in defining the frequency-watt function by using curves for both high and low frequencies

LN Group	UML Package	LN	Title	Description
DER facility	GridCodes.VoltageSupport	DVWC	Set active power based on voltage	supports the Volt-Watt mode which establishes volt-watt curves that are used autonomously by the DER to respond to changes in voltage over or under nominal voltage by changing active power as a means to counteract those voltage high or low levels
DER facility	GridCodes.VoltageSupport	DVAR	Set reactive power level	defines the Set Reactive Power mode. The amount of reactive power is set as a percentage of VarMax.
DER facility	GridCodes.VoltageSupport	DVVR	Set reactive power based on voltage	establishes volt-var curves that are used autonomously by the DER to respond to changes in voltage over or under nominal voltage by changing reactive power as a means to counteract those voltage levels
DER facility	GridCodes.ActivePower	DWLM	Mode to cause DER to limit active power	defines the mode that causes the DER to limit active power at the Referenced ECP to the target value
DER facility	GridCodes.ActivePower	DWST	Mode to cause DER to set active power	defines the mode in which the DER's active power at the Referenced ECP is set to the target value
DER facility	GridCodes.ReactivePower	DWPF	Set power factor by feed-in power for WP41	supports the W-PF mode, by setting the power factor based on watts output
DER facility	GridCodes.ReactivePower	DRGS	Provide dynamic reactive current support	provides the settings for dynamic reactive current support functions
DER facility	GridCodes.ReactivePower	DWVR	Set reactive power based on active power	When in the Watt-Var mode, the DER shall actively control the reactive power output as a function of the active power output following a target real power – reactive power (Watt-Var or P-Q) curve.
DER facility	CHP	DCHC	CHP system controller	supports the CHP controller. The CHP controller provides overall system information from the CHP system to external users, including identification of the types of equipment within the CHP system, usage issues, and constraints affecting the overall CHP system, and other parameters associated with the CHP system as a whole.

## DER system Logical Nodes

The main purpose of this group of LN's are to get information about an aggregated functionality.

LN Group	UML Package	LN	Title	Description
DER System	DERController	DRCT	DER maximum and default characteristics	defines the maximum and default capabilities of one DER unit or aggregations of one type of DER device with a single controller.
DER System	DERFunctions	DFWB	Set active power based on frequency	describes the frequency-watt with boundary conditions
DER System	SFC	DSFC	Speed/Frequency controller	defines the characteristics of the speed or frequency controller.

## DER unit Logical Nodes

The main purpose of this group of LN's are to get information from and controlling a single DER unit.

LN Group	UML Package	LN	Title	Description
DER Unit	DERGenerator	DRAT	DER generator ratings	defines the DER nameplate ratings for all types of inverter-based and synchronous DER systems, including generators and storage, but excluding controllable load.
DER Unit	DERGenerator	DGEN	DER unit generator	defines the operational state of DER generator
DER Unit	DERGenerator	DRAZ	DER advanced unit ratings	defines the DER advanced ratings. These are established as status objects since they are not expected to be remotely updated except through the use of the system configuration language or other direct intervention.
DER Unit	DERGenerator	DCST	DER unit operational cost	provides the economic information related to DER operating characteristics. In some implementations, it is expected that multiple DCST LNs will be used for different seasons or for different operational conditions.
DER Unit	DERExcitation	DREX	Excitation ratings	defines the DER excitation ratings. These are established as status objects since they are not expected to be remotely updated except through the use of the system configuration language or other direct intervention.
DER Unit	DERExcitation	DEXC	Excitation	provides settings and status of the excitation components of DER devices.
DER Unit	DERInverter	DINV	Inverter	defines the characteristics of the inverter, which converts DC to AC. The DC may be the output of the generator or may be the intermediate energy form after a generator's AC output has been rectified.

DER Unit	DERInverter	DRTF	Rectifier	defines the characteristics of the rectifier, which converts generator output AC to intermediate DC.
DER Unit	DERInverterSpecialPurpose	DGSM	Issue "operational mode control" command	MAY BE DEPRECATED. Control commands to activate each type of mode are issued through LN DGSM. Multiple instances of LN DGSM can be used for managing multiple modes.
DER Unit	DERInverterSpecialPurpose	FMAR	Mode curves and parameters	MAY BE DEPRECATED. defines mode curves and parameters
DER Unit	ReciprocatingEngine	DCIP	Reciprocating engine	supports the reciprocating engine characteristics required for remote monitoring and control of reciprocating engine functions and states
DER Unit	FuelCell	DFCL	Fuel cell controller	provides the fuel cell characteristics required for remote monitoring of critical functions and states of the fuel cell itself.
DER Unit	FuelCell	DSTK	Full cell stack	supports monitoring of the fuel cell stack. Fuel cells are stacked together to provide the desired voltage level
DER Unit	FuelCell	DFPM	Fuel processing module	supports the fuel processing module of the fuel cell. The fuel processing module of the fuel cell is used to extract hydrogen from other types of fuels. The hydrogen can then be used in the fuel cell to make electricity
DER Unit	Photovoltaic	DPVA	Photovoltaics array characteristics	support PV array characteristics. The photovoltaics array characteristics describe the configuration of the PV array. The logical node may be used to provide configuration information on the number of strings and panels or the number of sub-arrays in parallel
DER Unit	Photovoltaic	DPVM	Photovoltaics module ratings	describes the photovoltaic characteristics of a photovoltaic module, including ratings.
DER Unit	Photovoltaic	DPVC	Photovoltaics array controller	supports the photovoltaic array controller and reflects the information required for remote monitoring of critical photovoltaic functions and states. If the strings are individually controlled, one DPVC per string would be required to describe the controls.
DER Unit	Photovoltaic	DTRC	Tracking controller	support the PV tracking system. The tracking controller provides overall information on the tracking system to external users. This LN can still be used for defining array or device orientations even if no active tracking is included.
DER Unit	CHP	DCTS	Thermal storage	describes the characteristics of the CHP thermal storage. This LN applies both to heat storage and to coolant storage, and is used for measurements of heat exchanges
DER Unit	CHP	DCHB	Boiler	describes the characteristics of the CHP boiler system
DER Unit	FuelSystem	DFUL	Fuel supervision	models fuel supervision.
DER Unit	FuelSystem	DFLV	Fuel delivery system	describes the delivery system for the fuel.
DER Unit	Storage	DBTC	Battery charger	The battery charger characteristics covered in the DBTC logical node reflect those required for remote monitoring and control of critical auxiliary battery charger.
DER Unit	DERUnit	DUNI	DER unit (generator or storage)	defines the actual connected and operational state of a DER unit. It does not include controllable load.

## Normative signal list from a Danish perspective

This specification uses two types of signal lists, a normative signal list and a reference signal list. The normative signal list refers to the Danish regulations according to the European regulations in RfG and DCC, as well as normative signals for delivering different types of ancillary services. The reference signal list is a common signal list including other signals necessary or of interest for Danish power system actors. The reference signal list is based on experience from the reference signal list developed in the CHPCOM project (see ANNEX C – to be included)

The reference signal list shows signals for the DER facility and specific types of DER systems and DER units, based on which power grid services the facility, system or unit provides or uses. Signals marked with a 'M' are mandatory signals, meaning that they must be present if the power grid service for which they have been marked as mandatory is utilised. Signals without a 'M' are optional and needs only be implemented if they are necessary for operating and monitoring the processes of the DER facility.

The signals are organized based on the purpose of the signal, where the signal originates and the type of signal.

The purpose is one of:

- operational data, that provides information on measurements and status, and means for sending commands and changing settings.
- static data, that contains seldom changed or never changed information (e.g. nameplate details) on the facility, the systems within the facility and the units within the systems.
- statistical data, that provides calculated, measured or manually entered data for statistical purposes.

A signal originates from either the DER facility, a DER system or a DER unit. Please reference the section "Reference Designation System Rules according to ISO/IEC 81346" for information on how to determine where the signal originates based on its IEC 61850 tag.

The type of signal is according to the common data class categories defined in IEC 61850-7-3:2010

- status information shows status of a process or function
- measured and calculated information are analogue values measured from a process or calculated in a function
- commands are signals which can change the state of controls, like start/stop of a diesel genset
- settings are signals which configure a process or function

The IEC 61850 name of the signal is reflected in the "61850 tag" column. Please reference the section "Reference Designation System Rules according to ISO/IEC 81346" for details on how to determine the origin of a signal based on how it is named.

The normative reference signal list is shown in ANNEX D (to be included).

Further, the reference signal list and the required ACSI services are being described as an ICD file, to allow easy adaptation in the configuration tools for a DER gateway. The content of the ICD file is shown in ANNEX .

## IEC 61850 information model in UML

The IEC 61850 information model is modelled in UML. This helps in improving the quality of the model, as consistency checks can be done by a tool and mistakes fixed before the information model is released. Besides the documentation, which can be autogenerated, it helps vendors when implementing the model.

The complete UML model is huge and is provided when purchasing the standard. Below is an example on how support for grid codes has been modelled.

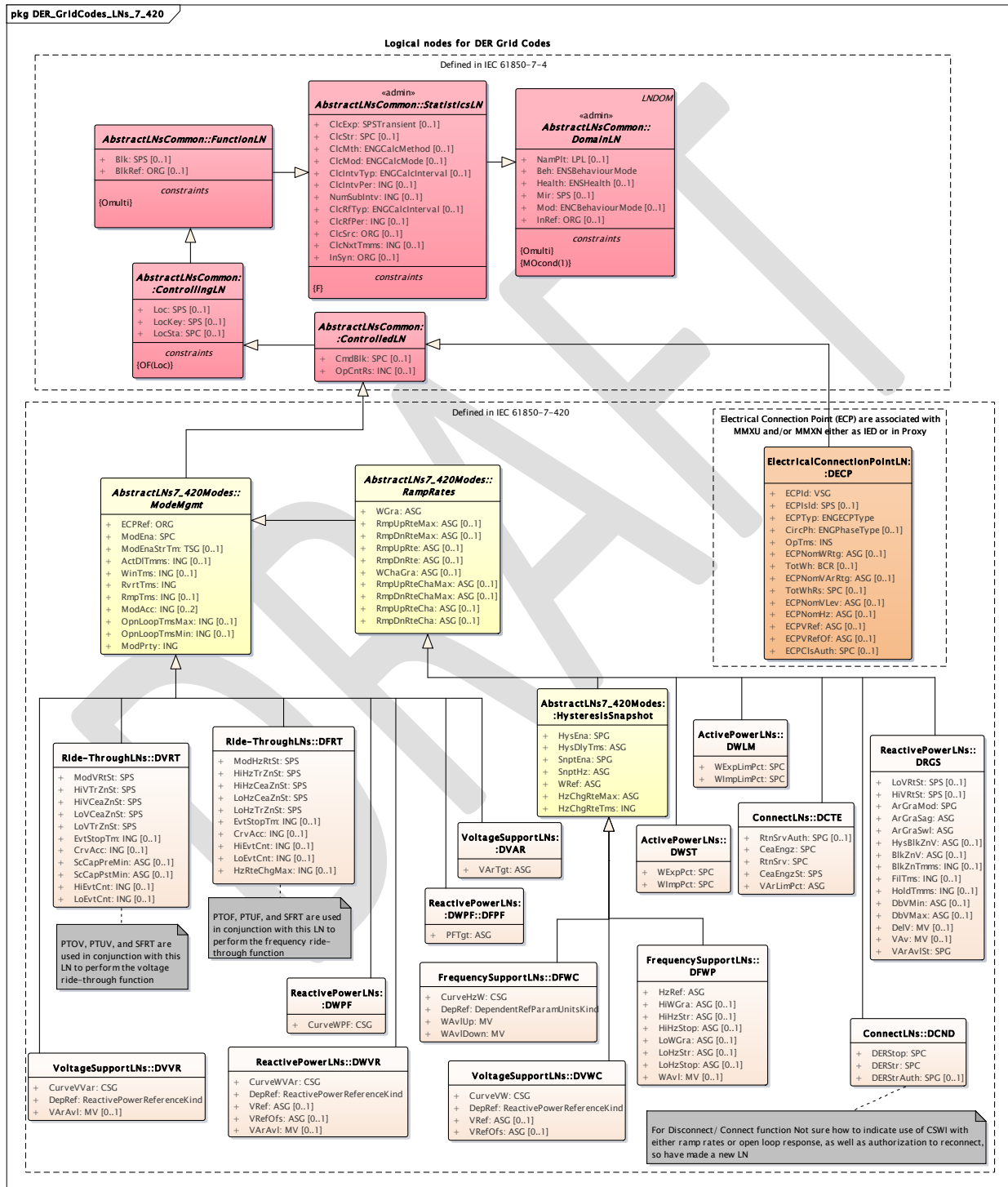


Figure 9 –The IEC 61850-7-420 Grid Codes information model in UML (May 2017)

## Reference Designation System Rules according to ISO/IEC 81346

The signals in the reference signal list are named according to the following format:

**<Logical Device name>/<Logical Node name>.<Data Object name>.<Data Attribute name>**

where the section before the '/' separator follows rules specified by ISO/IEC 81346 and the section after the '/' separator is specified by the structure of the IEC 61850 information model.

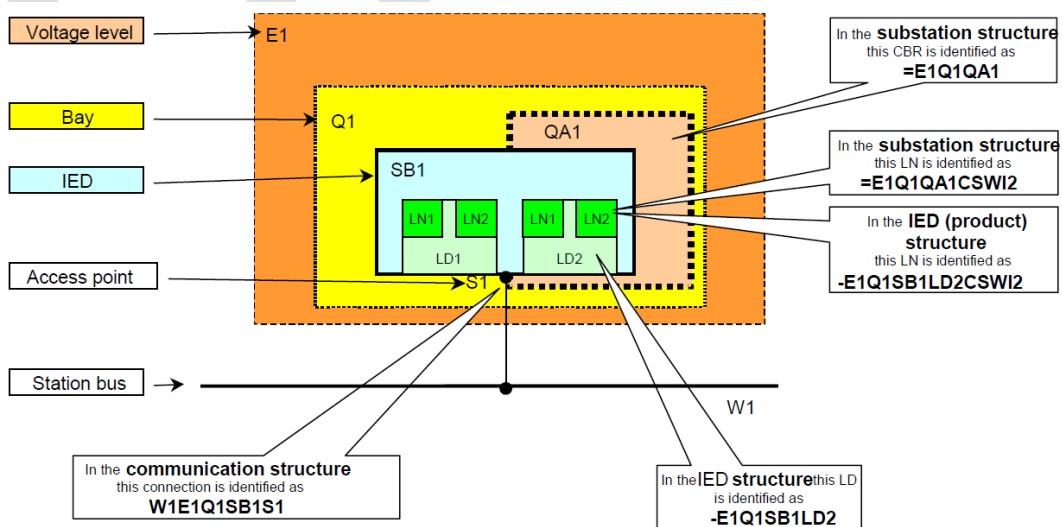
ISO/IEC 81346 (also known as RDS – Reference Designation System) specifies classification and structure based on different structure types.

In this specification, the DER facility is the top level and is using a location-type structure (identified by a leading '+' character). The levels below identify the DER systems and DER units and are using a function-type structure (identified by a leading '=' character).

NOTE: In the current edition 2 of IEC 61850-8-1, the MMS protocol does not allow object references to include other characters than a-z, A-Z, 0-9 and '\_' (underscore), and the first character must be a letter. As a work around, this specification replaces the leading '+' with the letters "EIC" and the first '=' sign with an underscore. The following unsupported characters are just left out, which is in accordance with the rules of ISO/IEC 81346. E.g. the code "+45W00000000099Y=HG2=GA1=EM" is to be represented in the IEC 61850 tag as "EIC45W00000000099Y\_HG2GA1EM".

The ISO/IEC 81346 standard provides some options for naming of the topmost location name (top name). In this specification, the DER facility is named according to the Energy Identification Coding scheme (EIC) codes defined by the ENTSO-E organization and used in the EU transparency platform for identification of actors, sub stations, power plants, etc., in the European public electricity grid

Next to the top location name IEC 81346-2:2019 is used for functional naming of the component to which the information in the IEC 61850-7-x Logical Node refers. See examples in IEC 61850-6 and IEC 61850-7-1.



**Figure 13 – Names within different structures of the object model**

*Figure 10 – Names and structure of IEC61850 using IEC81346 topology*



This means, the ISO/IEC 81346 logical device name for the logical node follows the information of the physical device the logical node information represents. E.g. a central controller can collect information from a circuit breaker and from a generator. In this case the IEC 61850 signal tag for the circuit breaker uses the ISO/IEC 81346 functional name for the circuit breaker and the IEC 61850 signal tag for the generator uses the ISO/IEC 81346 functional name for the generator.

Please reference ANNEX E for a list of typical classification codes from ISO/IEC 81346-2:2019 to be used with this specification.

In accordance with ISO/IEC 81346, new classification types can be added to the list in ANNEX E, to identify types of systems and units not covered in the annex.

## EIC naming rules

In Denmark, EIC codes are assigned by Energinet.

According to the documentation at <http://www.eiccodes.eu>, an EIC code is defined using three sections:

- a two-character Local Issuing Office (LIO) code. In Denmark, this is always the number 45.
- a one-character object type code:
  - Y : Areas - Areas for inter System Operator data interchange
  - Z : Measuring Points - Energy Metering points
  - W : Resource objects - Production plants, consumption units, etc.
  - T : Tie-lines - International tie lines between areas
  - V : Location - Physical or logical place where a market participant or IT system is located
  - A : Substations
- 12 characters allocated by the issuing office.
- one check character to ensure the code validity. The algorithm for calculating the check character is described in the EIC Code implementation guide.

Valid characters of an EIC code are A-Z, 0-9 and '-' (minus).

As an example, the power plant at Silkeborg exists as two codes:

- 45V0000000000245 for the location (IT system)
- 45W000000000099Y for the production or consumption resources

Energinet is to be contacted on **[eic-administration@energinet.dk](mailto:eic-administration@energinet.dk)** to acquire a EIC code for a plant.

For more information about EIC codes from Energinet: <https://energinet.dk/EI/Ny-paa-elmarkedet/EIC>

Note, only facilities or actors already registered through the relevant TSO or DSO can acquire a EIC code, and only if it has not already been assigned an EIC code. See <https://www.entsoe.eu/data/energy-identification-codes-eic/eic-approved-codes/>.

## Time synchronization and Time stamping rules

Synchronisation of time is critical because every aspect of managing, securing and monitoring operation of resources connected to the power grid involves determining when events happened. For example, when using SecureMMS, all requests are timestamped at client side, and when received at server side, the timestamp is compared to the current time. And, if the time difference is greater than what is deemed secure, the request is rejected.

According to IEC 61850-8-1, SNTP v4 (RFC 4330) shall be used for time synchronisation. This is of great concern, as SNTP lacks advanced features that allows it to calibrate and hence maintain accurate synchronisation. Further, SNTP lacks security features to detect/prevent so called false tickers – i.e. time servers providing wrong time.

So, while SNTP is a viable solution for smaller networks, it is not well suited for synchronising large clusters of clients, such as DER gateways and IEC 61850 clients connected to the public internet.

Instead it is recommended that either NTP (Network Time Protocol) or PTP (Precision Time Protocol) is used for synchronising the system time of a DER gateway.

NTP is a protocol used for the dissemination of accurate time in computer networks, typically in the milliseconds range. It is a client-server-based protocol, where clients request accurate time from a server, and the server responds accordingly.

PTP is like NTP, only it caters for more accurate time stamps, typically in the sub-microseconds range. But to achieve this improved accuracy, the PTP servers must be connected in a network where the switches has been configured as a transparency clock or boundary clock. Otherwise the accuracy is to be expected to be similar to what's achievable from a NTP server.

To be compliant with this specification, a DER gateway acting as time synchronisation client shall comply with the following requirements:

- The client shall support querying time using NTP and/or PTP.
- In case of NTP, the client shall
  - send NTP mode 3 (unicast) requests to the server.
  - accept NTP mode 4 (unicast) responses from the server.
- In case of PTP, the client shall send and accept messages using UDP in compliance with IEEE-1588
- Whether using NTP or PTP, the client must guard against IP spoofing of the time servers used.
  - Using NTP, this can be achieved by using NTP Authentication, which uses non-reversible signatures generated by the server and checked by the clients.
  - Using PTP, identification and authorisation of master clocks can be used. It can be further improved by also authenticating transparent clocks and Announce messages.
- The client shall only use time servers that comply with the server requirements below.
- If using NTP, the client shall guard itself from “false tickers” (servers providing incorrect time information). With four servers, the client is protected against one “false ticker”. For protecting against more than one “false ticker”, a 2n+1 algorithm is used to calculate required numbers of servers; five servers protect against two “false tickers”, seven servers protect against three “false tickers”, and so on.

A server used for time synchronisation shall comply with the following requirements:

- For NTP servers, the server shall
  - accept NTP mode 3 (unicast) requests from clients.

- respond to NTP mode 3 (unicast) requests with a NTP mode 4 reply.
- run at Stratum level 1 or 2 (the level defines the distance from the reference clock)
  - A Stratum-1 server is directly linked to a reliable source of UTC time, and typically has 10 microseconds accuracy to UTC
  - A Stratum-2 server is connected to a Stratum-1 server using a network connection and typically has 0.5 - 100 millisecond accuracy to UTC
- For PTP servers, the server shall accept and send messages using UDP, in accordance with IEEE-1588

NTP note: The reference clock source that relays the UTC time with no or little delay, is known as a Stratum-0 device. This device is not network connected, but instead directly connected to a computer that then acts as a primary (Stratum-1) time server.

Both the DER gateway and the SCADA system is required to have their system time synchronized with a time server. It is required that they use one or more of the following servers

Der kan anvendes egne GNSS synkroniserede ure, NTP (Network Time Protocol) eller PTP (Precision Time Protocol) fra eksterne Stratum-1 tidskilder, eller fra anden af Energinet Elsystemansvar A/S godkendt tidsserver.

Hvor data udveksles med Energinet Elsystemansvar A/S på lukket datanet bruges lokal PTP/NTP anvist af Energinet Elsystemansvar A/S. Denne skal være NTP klasse Stratum-0 med GNSS-synkroniseret ur med mindst to uafhængige tidskilder.

Anlæg som skal have tidskilder, som er synkroniseret med eksterne tidskilder uafhængige af Internettet bør anvende en tidskilde Stratum-1 klasse eller bedre, som synkroniseres med mindst to uafhængige GNSS-satellitesystemer.

The list of trusted time servers is compiled as described below.

For a time server to get on the list, the following requirements, besides those already mentioned, shall be matched:

- stratum 1 server (for getting the best possible accuracy in the provided timestamps)
- stratum 0-time source: GPS, atomic clocks
  - for GPS satellites, consider that some are occasionally being fiddled with (like the US did during the Gulf war)
- authenticated server (makes it harder to tamper with the server, without the clients knowing it)

List of servers for inspiration:

- [http://support.ntp.org/bin/view/Servers/ServersAuthenticatedWithAutokey?sortcol=1;table=1;up=2#sorted\\_table](http://support.ntp.org/bin/view/Servers/ServersAuthenticatedWithAutokey?sortcol=1;table=1;up=2#sorted_table)
- <http://support.ntp.org/bin/view/Servers/ServersAuthenticatedWithMD5>
- <https://www.nist.gov/pml/time-and-frequency-division/time-services/nist-authenticated-ntp-service>

*Note:*

*Only a few European authenticated NTP servers exists, and none are in the northern parts of Europe.*

*It therefore should be considered if the European TSOs could setup a network of NTP servers, synchronized across borders.*

*The only real alternative is to use the pool of servers provided by ntp.org, but these servers are not authenticated, nor are their location known besides the continental zone or country.*

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## Network requirements

The DER facility is required to run separate IT networks for SCADA/61850 and office communication. Traffic on the office network shall not be allowed to enter the technical network, and it is recommended that traffic from the technical network has no path or a firewall restricted and monitored path to the office network.

Wireless hotspots are not allowed on the technical network.

The following table lists the communication ports that a DER gateway uses in its operation. These ports shall be configured as open in the firewall of the DER facility to the DER Gateway.

Direction	Protocol	Port	Description
Inbound	TCP	3782	SecureMMS – exchange of IEC 61850 data using the MMS protocol protected with SSL.
Outbound	TCP	514 (Optional)	Syslog – sending of DER gateway system logs to a remote server, allowing analysis of the operation of the DER gateway. Further, such analysis can provide information supporting security audits in close to real time.
Outbound	TCP/UDP	123 (Optional)	NTP - Network Time Protocol. The DER gateway needs to synchronise its system time with a time server. In case of using NTP and if the server is located outside the facility, this port needs to be open.
Outbound	UDP	319, 320 (Optional)	PTP – Precision Time Protocol. In case the DER gateway synchronises its system time with a PTP server outside the facility, these two ports are needed.

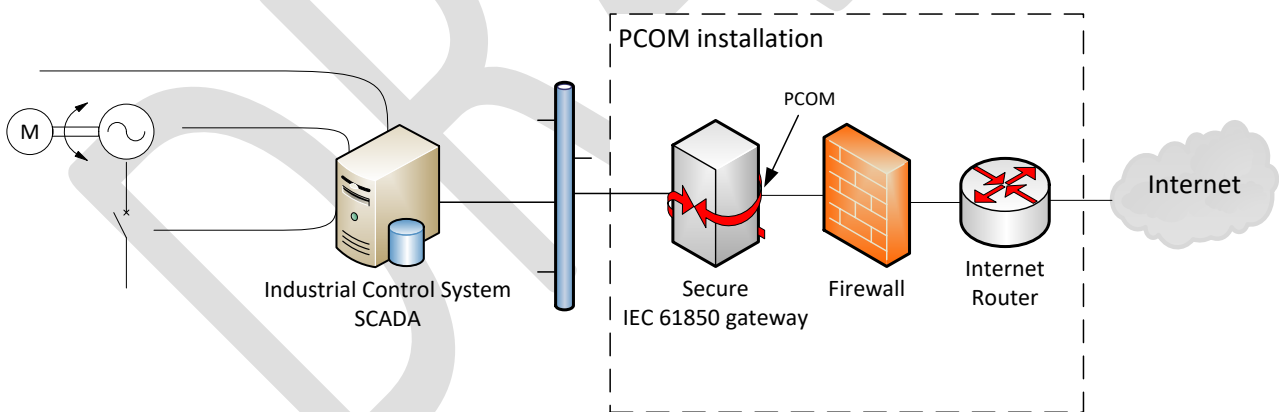


Figure 11 – Components for a secure interface at PCOM

## Quality-of-Service

Using IEC 61850 for communication between a DER facility and an actor does not require a lot of bandwidth. The MMS protocol uses an encoding that is quite efficient at limiting the number of bytes, and the IEC 62351 security extension only adds a few percent extra to the byte count. In a real-world setup, typical packet size seen on the wire is 200 bytes for actor (IEC 61850 client) requests and 150-170 bytes for the DER facility (IEC 61850 server) responses.

More importantly is the network latency, i.e. the delays incurred in the processing of network data. Every device involved in the transport of data, adds to the latency.

In Denmark, typical latency in wired broadband networks connected to the internet is below 20ms. For critical facilities it is recommended that the latency end-to-end is kept below 35ms. For non-critical facilities the latency end-to-end should be kept below ?ms.

TODO: investigate trace of a full day schedule with respect to byte count and transfer time.

Investigation of a two days schedule sent from a BRP/AGG to a CHP plant, has provided information as follows. The trace was generated from packets sent between a client and a server on a local 1GB switched network (round trip latency between 0.24 and 0.5 ms), with SSL enabled. The trace includes schedule setup, 576 value updates and schedule enable.

The total time of exchanging the schedule is 2.285 seconds, involving 2350 ethernet frames. Client and server send packets alternately (i.e. client send, server send, client send, server send). The calculated time per byte and throughput is a rough estimate based on totals instead of time per frame, because no details on sent and received timing was available. Hence the time and throughput is nothing but indicative.

Direction	Bytes on wire	Time/byte	Throughput
client -> server	245599	4.65 $\mu$ s	1.72 Mbit
server -> client	180127	6.34 $\mu$ s	1.26 Mbit

## Basic information security

### Role-based access control based on IEC 62351-8.

In order to have efficient access control, a role-based access control system must be implemented.

Role-based access control allows a facility to grant access to certain resources based on the clients role rather than its identity. This allows for simpler access control list and less frequent changes of these, as the roles and their needs are (assumed to be) fairly static.

IEC 62351-8 contains a list of mandatory roles that the Secure IEC 61850 gateway must support. It is the responsibility of the facility to determine what resources these roles should be allowed to access. The mandatory roles are: VIEWER, OPERATOR, ENGINEER, INSTALLER, SECADM, SECAUD and RBACMNT. What functionality these roles should be allowed to access, is described in further detail in IEC 62351-8. In addition to these roles, the facility is allowed to create custom roles for special purposes.

How roles are assigned to identities is out of scope of this document but is performed by an entity external to the DER facilities. Hence, the DER facility and Secure IEC 61850 gateway does not need to consider the identity to role mapping but can focus on the role to permission mapping. Regarding permission assignment to each role, this should be done according to the least privilege principle, ie. each role should only be granted the bare minimum of permissions required to perform the role. The same principle applies when the external entity assigns roles to concrete identities.

The IEC 62351-8 standard does allow for certain choices to be made with regard to the implementation. In order to function in a Danish context, the IEC 62351-8 standard must use the following configuration / profile:

Overall the system is based on X.509 certificates. The roles are encoded into the certificates according to IEC 62351-8, ie. the certificate must contain the fields "Token holder", "RoleID", "AoR", "Issuer", "Validity from", "Validity to", "Serial number", "Revision number", "Signature algorithm" and "Signature value".

The PUSH model for credential distribution is used when a client wishes to authenticate towards a Secure IEC 61850 gateway. This means that the connecting client is responsible for obtaining valid credentials (containing the role of the client) and transmitting these to the Secure IEC 61850 gateway when establishing a connection. Hence the Secure IEC 61850 gateway must be able to verify the credentials and authorize access with the need to contact any external entities, except related to verifying if the credential has been revoked, ie. using CRL or OCSP.

Access control is performed using a session-based approach. When a new connection is opened, the credentials are only transmitted during the initial handshake. The following messages are sent via the secure channel and do not need to contain the access granting credentials.

<vi er usikre på om A (id + extension) eller B (attribut) profilen skal bruges. Hvad gjorde CHPCOM?

The B profile, i.e. attribute credentials, of IEC 62351-8 is used. This means that each client has a basic identity credential and a number of attribute credentials bound to the identity credential. When requesting access to a DER gateway, the identity credential and the relevant attribute credentials are sent to the gateway.

## End-to-End security based on IEC 62351-4:2018

It is required to use different certificates for the application layer and the transport layer. This way, different providers can be selected to reduce the risk of a security breach due to a compromised certificate. For the A-profile application layer, it is recommended to use a NemID FOCES certificate (NemID Funktionssignatur), while for the T-profile transport layer an SSL certificate from one of the trusted certificate providers are to be used.

All certificates used with the DER Gateway shall use at least 2048-bit keys and SHA-256.

For an SSL certificate provider to be present on the list of trusted providers, the following requirements shall be met:

- shall support the SCEP and EST protocols (according to IEC 62351-9:2017)
- shall support retrieval of cert status, using either CRL or OCSP (according to IEC 62351-9:2017)
- shall be a global CA or an RA just below the CA (to have the smallest possible certificate chain)
- provided certificates shall use at least 2K RSA keys and SHA-256 (to achieve a reasonable security level)

Just as an example, the following table provides a list of candidates, selected based on organisation size and reputation. These are then closer examined with respect to the requirements.

Provider	SCEP	EST	CRL	OCSP	Encryption	Hashing	Cert price range
Comodo	yes	yes	no	no	RSA-2048	SHA-256	\$99 - \$249
GeoTrust	no	no					
DigiCert	yes	yes	yes	yes	RSA-2048	SHA-256	\$198 - \$658
GlobalSign	yes	no			RSA-2048	SHA-256	\$249 - \$849
Symantec	yes	no				SHA-256	
Thawte	no	no					
IdenTrust	no	no					
Entrust	yes	yes	no	yes	RSA-2048/3072/4096 ECC	SHA-2	\$174 - \$609
Network Solutions	no	no					
RapidSSL	no	no					

Having examined the candidates, the list of trusted providers would include:

- DigiCert (<https://www.digicert.com/>)
- Entrust (<https://www.entrustdatacard.com/>)

The following 12 shows in principle a communication setup between a control center and a plant controller through an intermediate gateway in the control center. During transport layer establishment, the control center acts as a client, and the plant controller acts as a server, while the intermediate gateway acts as a server towards the control center and as a client towards the plant controller.

X.509 certificates are required on both client and server for both the A and T communication profiles. Certificates with the public key are to be distributed to "the other end"; e.g. of the certificates for the plant controller, the T-profile certificate has to be distributed to the control center gateway, while the A-profile



certificate has to be distributed to the control center. Likewise, the A-profile certificate of the control center and the T-profile certificate of the gateway must be distributed to the plant controller.

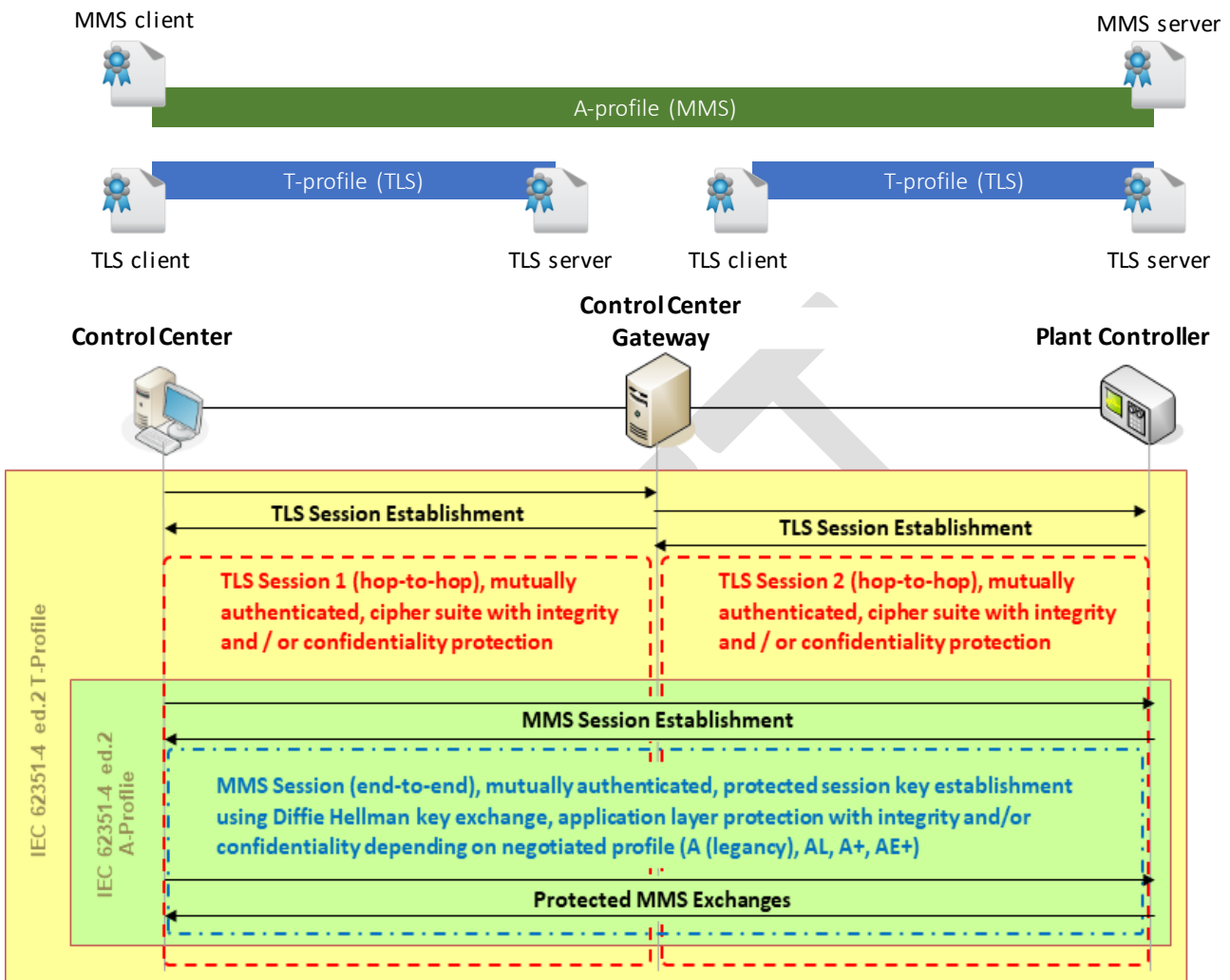


Figure 12 Application and transport layers and the use of certificates

**TODO: describe how to check and fetch certificates with the public key at the certificate provider.**

### Gateway Device Security Requirements

The requirements are based on the technical requirements from the IoT Security Compliance Framework (SCF), published in by the IoT Security Foundation. The requirements do not match the SCF requirements one-to-one, but will satisfy the requirements for a class 4 device in the context of the DER gateway.

The purpose of the requirements is to allow for a secure deployment of the DER gateway at a DER facility. As such, the requirements are concerned about the gateway itself and the functionality it offers rather than how it is used, eg. it is required that the gateway has functionality for backup of configuration data, how the DER facility chooses to do backup is out of scope of this document.

Note that these requirements are primarily of a technical nature and do not dictate requirements to processes, although said processes are necessary for a secure product. While there are no explicit

requirements to the policies and processes of the manufacturer of DER gateways, the manufacturer is advised to have policies and processes in place for ensuring a secure product. Furthermore, the manufacturer must be able to document that the following requirements are met in the DER gateway.

The document is split into the following sections describing the requirements for:

1. Hardware – ie. the used physical components such as the microprocessor.
2. Software – ie. the software implementation of the IEC 61850 and 62351 stack.
3. OS – ie. the operating system on which the software is running.
4. Interfaces – ie. connections to/from the DER gateway.
5. Authentication – ie. how authentication must be performed.
6. Key management – ie. how keys should be managed.

#### Device Hardware Related Requirements:

The device must have an irrevocable "Trusted Root Hardware Secure Boot" and the secure boot must be enabled.

The hardware incorporates physical protection against, and detection of, tampering to reduce the attack surface. For example, by having the hardware enclose sealed using proprietary screws or glued using a high temperature resilient glue. But preferably by having the enclose being sealed using ultrasonic welding.

If the device is transported by third party or otherwise not under control by the vendor or other trusted party until installation, tamper evident measures must be implemented to allow the identification of any interference on the device. For example, by ensuring that it is packaged in a box sealed with tamper evident tape.

The DER gateway should preferably not have any communication ports outside of two ethernet connections. Any other communication interface (including for debug purposes), such as USB, JTAG or RS232, must communicate with authorized and authenticated entities only.

Any wireless communication ports are explicitly prohibited.

The microcontroller/ microprocessor(s) shall not allow the firmware to be read out of the DER gateways non-volatile [FLASH] memory. If parts of the software are stored on a separate non-volatile memory device, the contents of this device shall be encrypted.

If the DER gateway's credential/key storage is external to its processor, the storage and processor shall be cryptographically paired to prevent the credential/key storage being used by unauthorised software.

All the DER gateway's development test points are securely disabled or removed wherever possible when put into production.

#### Device Software Related Requirements:

Preferably only IEC 61850 and 62351 relevant software is installed on the DER gateway. However, any software, not related to IEC 61850 and IEC 62351, must not be able to affect the functionality of the IEC 61850 and 62351 software on the DER gateway.

The software running on the DER gateway must support updates/patches, preferably remote updates should be supported.

Remote software updates must be encrypted during transport.

All software updates must be digitally signed.

The software update package has its digital signature, signing certificate and signing certificate chain verified by the DER gateway before the update process begins.

These software signing keys must be kept stored and secured in a storage device compliant to FIPS-140-2 level 2, or equivalent or higher standard. Access to the software signing keys is under access control.

The DER gateway's software signing root of trust is stored in read-only, tamper-resistant memory.

The DER gateway has protection against unauthorized reversion of the software to an earlier and potentially less secure version.

There are measures to prevent the installation of non-production software onto production DER gateways.

To prevent the stalling or disruption of the DER gateway software operation, a watchdog timer is present, and cannot be disabled.

Software source code is developed, tested and maintained following defined repeatable processes.

The product's software source code follows the basic good practice of a Language subset (e.g. MISRA-C) coding standard.

The product's software source code follows the basic good practice of static vulnerability analysis [ref 1] by the developer.

All inputs and outputs are checked for validity e.g. use "Fuzzing" tests to check for acceptable responses or output for both expected (valid) and unexpected (invalid) input stimuli.

Security critical functionality should be identified and be subject for (internal) inspection by at least an additional developer and preferably an entity with security competences.

Functionality allowing the DER facility operator to backup and restore access control list and other configuration data should be supported.

A source for cryptographic secure randomness must be used where needed in cryptographic operations.

The DER gateway must log all security relevant events in a SYSLOG format. Security relevant events include, but are not limited to, login attempts (both successful and unsuccessful), errors (including the input causing the error) and changes to access rights. NIST SP 800-92 can be referred to for more information regarding logging.

The build environment and toolchain used to compile the application is run on a build system with controlled and auditable access.

The build environment and toolchain used to create the software is under configuration management and version control, and its integrity is validated regularly.

An end-of-life policy shall be published which explicitly states the minimum length of time for which a device will receive software updates and the reasons for the length of the support period. The support period should match the expected physical lifetime of the device, which is expected to be in the 10-15 years range.

The end-of-life policy shall include a section regarding how key material, configuration data and other sensitive information can be securely wiped from storage.

#### Device OS Related Requirements:

The OS is implemented with relevant security updates prior to release.

All unnecessary accounts or logins have been disabled or eliminated from the software at the end of the software development process. E.g. Development or debug accounts.

Files, directories and persistent data are set to minimum access privileges required to correctly function.

Remote access to the DER gateway must only be done using credentials / certificates.

All OS non-essential services have been removed from the DER gateway's software, image or file systems.

All OS command line access to the most privileged accounts has been removed from the OS.

The product's OS kernel and its functions are prevented from being called by external product level interfaces and unauthorised applications.

The OS implements a separation architecture to separate trusted from untrusted applications.

The DER gateway application is operated at the lowest privilege level possible and only have access to the resources it needs as controlled through appropriate access control mechanisms.

All the applicable security features supported by the OS are enabled.

The OS is separated from the DER gateway application and is only accessible via defined secure interfaces.

The DER gateway's OS kernel is designed such that each component runs with the minimal security capabilities required (e.g. a microkernel architecture).

#### Device Interfaces Related Requirements:

Packets must not be forwarded between the two networks outside of the intended functionality of the DER gateway.

The DER gateway only supports the versions of application layer protocols, i.e. IEC 61850/62351 and protocols for administration/configuration and TLS certificate updates, with no publicly known vulnerabilities.

The DER gateway only enables the communications interfaces, network protocols, application protocols and network services necessary for the DER gateway's operation.

The DER gateway must act gracefully in case of lost network connectivity and resume normal functionality when network connectivity is restored.

All the DER gateways unused ports are closed and only the required ports are active. These ports should be limited to functionality related to either IEC 61850/62351 or administrative task such as configuration or software updates. These connections must all be authenticated and authorized.

The supported cryptographic suites used in relation to TLS must yearly be reviewed. All, wrt. IEC 62351-4, mandatory suites must be supported. Any optional suites may, if validated against the current security recommendations such as NIST 800-131A or OWASP, be used.

Communications protocols should be the latest versions with no publicly known vulnerabilities and/or appropriate for the product.

Post product launch, communications protocols should be maintained throughout the product life cycle to the most secure versions available with no publicly known vulnerabilities.

If a factory reset is made, the DER gateway should warn that secure operation may be compromised unless updated.

The factory reset function must include the secure removal of all sensitive key and configuration material.

For local configuration, terminal access must be authenticated using a certificate, ie. direct keyboard and monitor input/output is prohibited.

#### Device Authentication Related Requirements:

The DER gateway shall support querying time using NTP and/or PTP according to the ENDK-61850-SPEC document.

Only certificate based remote access is allowed.

There is only one local administrative user account for configuration purposes.

If the DER gateway has the ability to remotely recover from attack, it should rely on a known good state, to enable safe recovery and updating of the device

#### Device Key management Related Requirements:

There is a secure method of key insertion that protects keys against copying.

All used cryptographic implementations have no publicly known weaknesses / bugs / CVE.

For best practice the product stores all sensitive unencrypted parameters, e.g. keys, in a secure, tamper-resistant location. For example, by having the storage chip coated in epoxy and/or by adding security fuses in the chip itself.

The cryptographic key chain used for signing production software is different from that used for any other test, development or other software images or support requirement.

All key lengths are dictated by the relevant IEC 61850/62351 standards.

There is a process for secure provisioning of keys that includes generation, distribution, update, revocation and destruction. For example in compliance with FIPS140-2 [ref 4] or a similar process.

Where the device software communicates with a product related webserver or application over TCP/IP or UDP/IP, the device software uses certificate pinning or public/private key equivalent, where appropriate.

In device manufacture, all asymmetric encryption private keys that are unique to each device are secured as outlined in FIPS 140-2[ref 4]. They must be truly randomly internally generated or securely programmed into each device.

The device must have support for TLS certificate enrollment via the EST protocol (RFC 7030). The device may also support certificate enrollment via the SCEP protocol.

#### Device Security Related References:

1. Static Code Analysis Tools [https://samate.nist.gov/index.php/Source\\_Code\\_Security\\_Analyzers.html](https://samate.nist.gov/index.php/Source_Code_Security_Analyzers.html)
2. NIST SP800-63b Revision 1" NIST Special Publication 800-63B Digital Identity Guidelines Authentication and Lifecycle Management" June 2017 <https://pages.nist.gov/800-63-3/sp800-63b.html>
3. NCSC password guidance <https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/guidance/password-collection>
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# Conformance and Interoperability

## Why is this important?

In an ideal world a technical standard for data communication would be an international consensus document, which was so generic that it would bridge to all existing implementations in the field, but also so specific that it would not be possible to misunderstand.

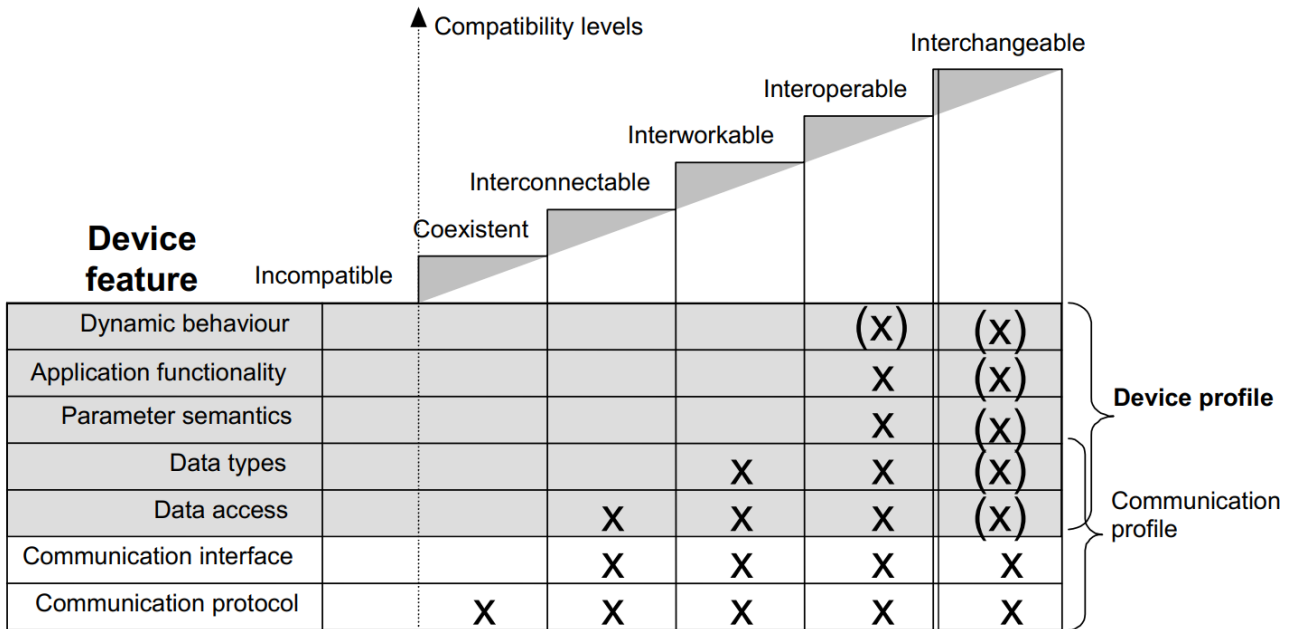
International standards are not ‘implementation guidelines’ and there will always be a risk of misinterpretation.

Therefore, it is important to have conformance specifications that specify how a product can be conform to a given standard – and interoperability specification for describing how products from different vendors should test their interoperability.

## Definition of Compatibility levels of Interoperability<sup>1</sup>

Interoperability between data communication devices has been specified as different ‘compatible levels’ by IEC TC65. The data communication device has been divided into 7 device features, ranging from the low-level communication profile (protocol and interface) to the more high-level device profile (behavior, functionality, semantic) and with an overlap on the data types and data access.

The definition ‘Device features’ cannot be directly mapped to the different layers in the IEC 61850 series, but it still is a good method for understanding the basic concept of Interoperability.



IEC 010/05

Figure 13 IEC 010/05 figure from IEC TC65 TR 62390

<sup>1</sup> IEC 62930:2005 edition 1.0 Common automation device – Profile guideline

**Incompatibility:** Two or more devices are incompatible if they cannot exist together in the same distributed system.<sup>2</sup>

**Coexistence:** Two or more devices coexist on the same communication network if they can operate independently of one another in a physical communication network or can operate together using some or all of the same communication protocols, without interfering with the use of other devices

**Interconnectability:** Two or more devices are interconnectable if they use the same communication protocols, communication interface and data access.

**Interworkability:** Two or more devices are interworkable if they can transfer parameters between them, i.e. in addition to the communication protocol, communication interface and data access, the parameter data types are the same.

**Interoperability:** Two or more devices are interoperable if they can work together to perform a specific role in one or more distributed application programs. The parameters and their application-related functionality fit together both syntactically and semantically. Interoperability is achieved when the devices support complementary sets of parameters and functions belonging to the same profile.

**Interchangeability:** Unlike the other compatible levels (which refer to two or more devices working in the same system) interchangeability refers to the replacement of one device with another. Devices are interchangeable for a given role in a distributed application system if the new device has the functionality to meet the application requirements.<sup>3</sup>

Different degrees of interchangeability may be applicable for various roles of a device, for example, control, diagnosis, parameterization/configuration. That means that one device can have different degree of interchangeability regarding different interfaces to the system.

## Conformance testing of products

Conformance testing for data communication products are typically based on a 'Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement' (PICS) which is provided by the product manufacturer and defines what mandatory, optional or conditions features of a given standard that is implemented.

The PICS can be extended with extra information for testing 'Implementation eXtra Information for Testing (IXIT) like administrative settings, test-suite specifications or in case of Protocol information (PIXIT) a service model like the ACSI.

The Model Implementation Conformance Statement (MICS), Technical Issues Implementation Conformance Statement (PICS) and IEC Configuration Description (ICD) in SCL-format are typically also included in the Conformance Statement and testing process, for an IEC 61850 product.

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<sup>2</sup> NOTE Incompatibility can result from differences in application functionality, data semantic, data types, communications interface, or even communications protocols used by the affected devices. Incompatible devices may even interfere with or prevent each other's proper communication or functioning (possibly even destructively), if placed in the same distributed application network.

<sup>3</sup> Full interchangeability regarding the entire device performance is nearly impossible to achieve. However, actual device interchangeability is dependent on the application requirements for the device.



## Interoperability testing of PCOM

The Point of Communication (PCOM) interface is the most critical element from an interoperability point of view, for communication between the DER facility and the system operators.

This PCOM interface should be well defined and tested on both sides (red and yellow in the figure) before the end-to-end ‘PCOM testing’ can take place.

It is out-of-scope for this specification to define and explain testing methods and systems for this ‘PCOM testing’, but due to the importance of this activity – this should be addressed in upcoming specifications.

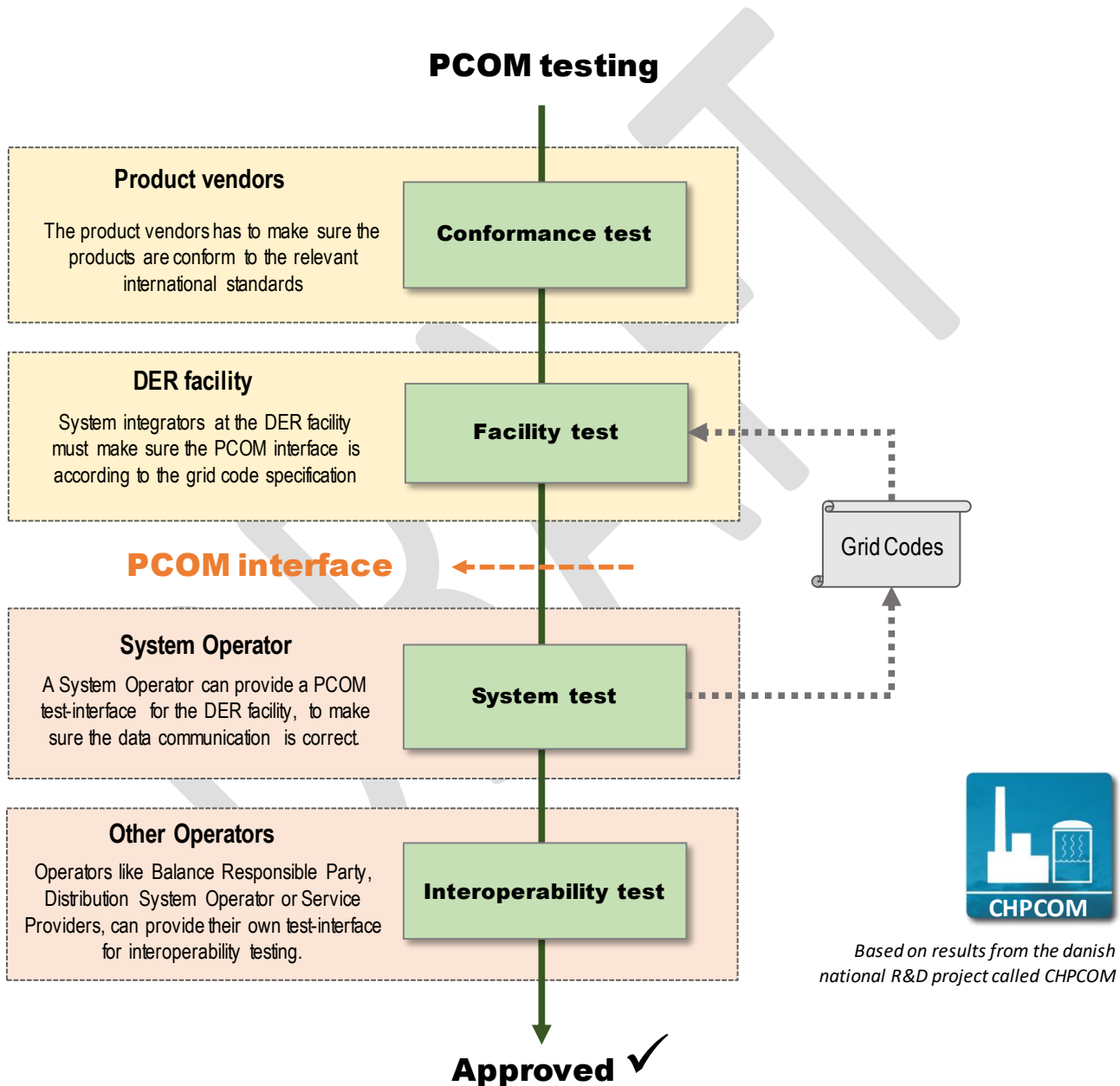


Figure 14 PCOM testing overview from the CHPCOM project

## Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement

This specification includes a list of requirements called PICS (Protocol Implementation Conformance Statements) to be implemented in a DER gateway. If all mandatory elements are implemented, the DER gateway implementation will be compliant with the ENDK-61850-SPEC Conformance Statement, including:

- ACSI conformance statement (B11 – B42)
- ACSI models conformance statement (M1 – M17)
- ACSI service Conformance statement (S1 – S60, T1 – T3))

This section states which communication features defined by ACSI (IEC 61850-7-2:2010) is required for a DER gateway to be compliant with this specification.

The conformance statement tables below, uses the same layout as used in the IEC 61850-10 conformance testing document, and the tables can therefore be used when conformance testing a DER gateway in conformance with the procedures described in IEC 61850-10:2012

*The following terms are used: Y means “Yes”, N means “No”, M means “Mandatory / Required”, O means “Optional” and a dash means “Not relevant”.*

### ACSI basic conformance statement

The basic conformance statement is defined in Table 1.

**Table 1 – ACSI conformance statement**

		Client/ Subscriber	Server/ Publisher	Value/ Comments
<b>Client-Server roles</b>				
B11	<b>Server</b> side (of TWO-PARTY-APPLICATION-ASSOCIATION)	—	Y/N	
B12	<b>Client</b> side of (TWO-PARTY-APPLICATION-ASSOCIATION)	Y/N	—	
SCSMs supported				
B21	<b>SCSM:</b> IEC 61850-8-1 used	M	M	
B22	<b>SCSM:</b> IEC 61850-9-1 used	O	O	
B23	<b>SCSM:</b> IEC 61850-9-2 used	O	O	
Generic substation event model (GSE)				
B31	<b>Publisher</b> side	—	O	
B32	<b>Subscriber</b> side	O	—	
Transmission of sampled value model (SVC)				
B41	<b>Publisher</b> side	—	O	
B42	<b>Subscriber</b> side	O	—	

## ACSI model conformance statement

The ACSI model's conformance statement is defined in Table 2.

**Table 2 – ACSI models conformance statement**

		Client/ Subscriber	Server/ Publisher	Value/ Comments
If Server or Client side (B11/12) supported				
M1	<b>Logical device</b>	M	M	
M2	<b>Logical node</b>	M	M	
M3	<b>Data</b>	M	M	
M4	<b>Data set</b>	M	M	
M5	<b>Substitution</b>	O	O	
M6	<b>Setting group control</b>	O	O	
	<b>Reporting</b>			
M7	Buffered report control	O	O	
M7-1	sequence-number	O	O	
M7-2	report-time-stamp	O	O	
M7-3	reason-for-inclusion	O	O	
M7-4	data-set-name	O	O	
M7-5	data-reference	O	O	
M7-6	buffer-overflow	O	O	
M7-7	entryID	O	O	
M7-8	BufTim	O	O	
M7-9	IntgPd	O	O	
M7-10	GI	O	O	
M7-11	conf-revision	O	O	
M8	Unbuffered report control	M	M	
M8-1	sequence-number	M	M	
M8-2	report-time-stamp	O	O	
M8-3	reason-for-inclusion	O	O	
M8-4	data-set-name	M	M	
M8-5	data-reference	O	O	
M8-6	BufTim	O	O	
M8-7	IntgPd	O	O	
M8-8	GI	O	O	
M8-9	conf-revision	O	O	
	<b>Logging</b>	O	O	Required for transfer of statistical data
M9	Log control	O	O	
M9-1	IntgPd	O	O	
M10	Log	O	O	
M11	<b>Control</b>	M	M	
If GSE (B31/32) is supported				
M12	GOOSE	O	O	
M13	GSSE	O	O	
If SVC (41/42) is supported				
M14	Multicast SVC	O	O	
M15	Unicast SVC	O	O	
If Server or Client side (B11/12) supported				
M16	Time	O	O	use NTP or PTP
M17	File Transfer	O	O	

## ACSI service conformance statement

The ACSI service conformance statement is defined in Table 3 (depending on the statements in Table 3). In the “AA: TP/MC” column, the acronyms used are AA for “Application Association”, TP for “Two Party” and MC for “Multicast”. The column defines for which type of application association a service is relevant.

**Table 3 - ACSI service Conformance statement**

	Services	AA: TP/MC	Client (C)	Server (S)	Comments
<b>Server</b>					
S1	ServerDirectory	TP	M	M	
<b>Application association</b>					
S2	Associate		M	M	
S3	Abort		M	M	
S4	Release		M	M	
<b>Logical device</b>					
S5	LogicalDeviceDirectory	TP	M	M	
<b>Logical node</b>					
S6	LogicalNodeDirectory	TP	M	M	
S7	GetDataValues	TP	M	M	
<b>Data</b>					
S8	GetDataValues	TP	M	M	
S9	SetDataValues	TP	M	M	
S10	GetDataDirectory	TP	M	M	
S11	GetDataDefinition	TP	O	O	
<b>Data set</b>					
S12	GetDataSetValues	TP	M	M	
S13	SetDataSetValues	TP	M	M	
S14	CreateDataSet	TP	O	O	
S15	DeleteDataSet	TP	O	O	
S16	GetDataSetDirectory	TP	M	M	
<b>Substitution</b>					
S17	SetDataValues	TP	O	O	
<b>Setting group control</b>					
S18	SelectActiveSG	TP	O	O	
S19	SelectEditSG	TP	O	O	
S20	SetSGValues	TP	O	O	
S21	ConfirmEditSGValues	TP	O	O	
S22	GetSGValues	TP	O	O	
S23	GetSGCBValues	TP	O	O	
<b>Reporting (Mandatory for facility type C+D and when delivering system services)</b>					
Buffered report control block (BRCB)					
S24	Report	TP	O	O	
S24-1	data-change (dchg)		O	O	
S24-2	qchg-change (qchg)		O	O	
S24-3	data-update (dupd)		O	O	
S25	GetBRCBValues	TP	O	O	

	Services	AA: TP/MC	Client (C)	Server (S)	Comments
S26	SetBRCBValues	TP	O	O	
Unbuffered report control block (URCB)					
S27	Report	TP	M	M	
S27-1	data-change (dchg)		M	M	
S27-2	qchg-change (qchg)		M	M	
S27-3	data-update (dup)		O	O	
S28	GetURCBValues	TP	M	M	
S29	SetURCBValues	TP	M	M	

<b>Logging (Mandatory for facility type C+D and when delivering system services)</b>					
Log control block					
S30	GetLCBValues	TP	O	O	
S31	SetLCBValues	TP	O	O	
Log					
S32	QueryLogByTime	TP	O	O	
S33	QueryLogByEntry	TP	O	O	
S34	GetLogStatusValues	TP	O	O	

<b>Generic substation event model (GSE)</b>					
GOOSE-CONTROL-BLOCK					
S35	SendGOOSEMessage	MC	O	O	
S36	GetReference	TP	O	O	
S37	GetGOOSEElementNumber	TP	O	O	
S38	GetGoCBValues	TP	O	O	
S39	SetGoCBValues	TP	O	O	
GSSE-CONTROL-BLOCK					
S40	SendGSSEMessage	MC	O	O	
S41	GetReference	TP	O	O	
S42	GetGSSEElementNumber	TP	O	O	
S43	GetGsCBValues	TP	O	O	
S44	SetGsCBValues	TP	O	O	

<b>Transmission of sampled value model (SVC)</b>					
Multicast SVC					
S45	SendMSVMessage	MC	O	O	
S46	GetMSVCBValues	TP	O	O	
S47	SetMSVCBValues	TP	O	O	
Unicast SVC					
S48	SendUSVMessage	TP	O	O	
S49	GetUSVCBValues	TP	O	O	
S50	SetUSVCBValues	TP	O	O	

<b>Control</b>					
S51	Select		O	O	
S52	SelectWithValue	TP	O	O	
S53	Cancel	TP	M	M	
S54	Operate	TP	M	M	
S55	Command-Termination	TP	M	M	
S56	TimeActivated-Operate	TP	O	O	

<b>File transfer</b>					
S57	GetFile	TP	O	O	
S58	SetFile	TP	O	O	
S59	DeleteFile	TP	O	O	

	Services	AA: TP/MC	Client (C)	Server (S)	Comments
S60	GetFileAttributeValues	TP	O	O	

Time					
T1	Time resolution of internal clock			10	nearest negative power of 2 in seconds
T2	Time accuracy of internal clock			X	T0
					T1
					T2
					T3
					T4
					T5
T3	Supported TimeStamp resolution	-			nearest negative power of 2 in seconds

### Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing (PIXIT)

Please reference ANNEX G for specifications of the PIXIT for each applicable ACSI service mode listed in Table 3.

#### ACSE authentication for MMS associations

The ACSE authentication is a feature in the MMS protocol, that allows a server to require a password from a connecting client, before a connection is established.

With the use of the security features in SecureMMS, as specified by IEC 62351-7:2017, this simple authentication method is of little value, and hence is not required for compliance with this specification.

### Test options for security test for IEC 61850 setup at facilities

#### Tests regarding physical security:

Verify that a security responsible person has been appointed.

Inspect that technical equipment (the IEC 61850 device) is placed in either a locked locker or room at the facility.

Inspect that there is a access list for the locker/room. (To test: Find an employee not on the list and investigate if that person has access to the access code or key)

Verify that there is surveillance of the locker/room. Either by visual inspection (is there a camera pointed at the door/locker) or by seeing surveillance recordings.

#### Tests regarding the Internet connection:

Verify that there is a fixed IP address by controlling the contract with the Internet service provider.

Verify that the connect is separate to the normal business connection by examining the ISP contract and verifying that either 2 connections is in place or there is a contract with an other ISP. This test is only relevant if other Internet connected devices exist at the facility.

Regarding requirement 4.2.5.2: Requirement (4.2.4) requires a separate Internet connection, hence the VLAN section is not relevant.

Verify that the Internet connection is of adequate quality by examining the ISP contract.

The quality of the connection may be further verified using tools such as 'ping' and download/upload to a test server (which can be part of an Energinet driven test setup) (the requirements are at most 100 ms latency and 3/1 mbit bandwidth)

#### Tests regarding the network configuration:

Verify that there are not other devices on the IEC 61850 network:

Follow the cables from the outer wall to the device and verify that no other devices are connected, ie. the signal is not passed through switches/routers with other devices attached.

If the signal is passed through a switch, a 'nmap' or 'ping' scan of the (IEC 61850) network must be performed in order to verify no other hosts exist on the network. This test will most likely require assistance from the on-site IT department.

The public/fixed IP address is scanned (via the Internet) using 'nmap' to verify only the minimal required ports are accessible. These ports should be listed by the supplier of the IEC 61850 device manufacturer.

A test TLS/SSL handshake is performed to list cipher suites supported by the IEC 61850 device. A tool for the test handshake may be implemented as part of an Energinet driven test setup.

In case of a class D facility, the firewall log must be demonstrated and the process for event alarms described (is a mail/sms sent in case of security events? What is the response time for the security responsible person?)

Try to generate malicious traffic and verify that alarm mails/notifications are sent.

According to kravsspecifikationen 4.2.5.2 Firewall setup must be secret. Verify that this is stored in a locked file cabinet or encrypted drive with password access.

#### Tests regarding PCOM device:

Verify that the PCOM device software is a version with no known vulnerabilities (requires the inspector to be aware of the IEC 61850 device manufacturers version history). How quick should the facility be to patch software?

Investigate which certificates are in the IEC 61850 device's trust store (is this realistic/feasible?)

Verify if the mandatory roles (viewer, operator, etc.) exist. Is this test meaningful or does this depend on whether or not the roles are used by the facility (and is this even in scope)?

Tests regarding logging:

Verify that the relevant logs exists:

IEC 61850 related event logging apply for all facilities.

Firewall logs are only relevant for class D facilities.

Verify, by inspection, that data is stored for at least 3 months (there should be data entries dating back to at least 3 months prior to today).

## Security Test Requirements for Gateway Devices

Hardware related:

The device must have an irrevocable "Trusted Root Hardware Secure Boot" and the secure boot must be enabled.

Expected test/result:

On Linux this can be done using command line `mokutil --sb-state`.

On Windows this can be done with PowerShell using the command `Confirm-SecureBootUEFI`.

The hardware incorporates physical protection against, and detection of, tampering to reduce the attack surface. For example, by having the hardware enclosure sealed using proprietary screws or glued using a high temperature resilient glue. But preferably by having the enclosure being sealed using ultrasonic welding.

Expected test/result:

Physically verify that there are no flat or Phillips screws. Get enclosure spec to ensure that it is not made with a "click" functionality for opening. To check for high temperature glue use a hairdryer to try to melt the glue and verify that this does not happen.

If the device is transported by third party or otherwise not under control by the vendor or other trusted party until installation, tamper evident measures must be implemented to allow the identification of any interference on the device. For example, by ensuring that it is packaged in a box sealed with tamper evident tape.

Expected test/result:

Try to open and close the box without leaving visible trace. Use hairdryer for tape/glue.

The DER gateway should preferably not have any communication ports outside of two ethernet connections. Any other communication interface (including for debug purposes), such as USB, JTAG or RS232, must communicate with authorized and authenticated entities only.

Expected test/result:



Check for physically accessible ports. Ensure on blueprint that there are no physical ports.

Any wireless communication ports are explicitly prohibited.

Expected test/result:

On Linux use `iwconfig` and ensure that there are no wlan rows in the result.

On Windows use `netsh interface show interface` and ensure that there are no interfaces present.

The microcontroller/ microprocessor(s) shall not allow the firmware to be read out of the DER gateways non-volatile [FLASH] memory. If parts of the software are stored on a separate non-volatile memory device, the contents of this device shall be encrypted.

Expected test/result:

On Linux `lsblk` can be used to that the disk which should be encrypted has type crypt.

On Windows use `manage-bde -status <drive>` on the drive in question and verify that conversion status is "Fully encrypted".

The password for this encryption should be random and stored a secure place, but I don't know how exactly to check this.

If the DER gateway's credential/key storage is external to its processor, the storage and processor shall be cryptographically paired to prevent the credential/key storage being used by unauthorised software.

Expected test/result:

Pas

All the DER gateway's development test points are securely disabled or removed wherever possible when put into production.

Expected test/result:

List of users on Linux can be given by `cut -d: -f1 /etc/passwd`. Check that no test accounts are there and in fact that only relevant accounts are there.

#### Software related:

Preferably only IEC 61850 and 62351 relevant software is installed on the DER gateway. However, any software, not related to IEC 61850 and IEC 62351, must not be able to affect the functionality of the IEC 61850 and 62351 software on the DER gateway.

Expected test/result:

Pas, verify that other processes don't run as root and are in chroot jail?

The software running on the DER gateway must support updates/patches, preferably remote updates should be supported. Especially the possibility to update to new revisions of IEC 61850 and IEC 62351, including new cryptographic protocols, must be supported.

Expected test/result:

Test that the software can actually be updated to the same function.

Remote software updates must be encrypted during transport.

Expected test/result:

Ensure that all bytes in the update is almost equally likely. I.e. analyze the file

All software updates must be digitally signed.

Expected test/result:

Edit a non-binary file contained in an update and test updating and verify it fails.

The software update package has its digital signature, signing certificate and signing certificate chain verified by the DER gateway before the update process begins.

Expected test/result:

Try to update when changing the signature of the update package with something from a selfsigned certificate.

These software signing keys must be kept stored and secured in a storage device compliant to FIPS-140-2 level 2, or equivalent or higher standard. Access to the software signing keys is under access control.

Expected test/result:

Pass

The DER gateway's software signing root of trust is stored in read-only, tamper-resistant memory.

Expected test/result:

As root try to write to the key memory location after giving yourself write rights.

The DER gateway has protection against unauthorized reversion of the software to an earlier and potentially less secure version.

Expected test/result:

Try to update to an earlier software version. Or simply one with an earlier timestamp signed by manufacture.

There are measures to prevent the installation of non-production software onto production DER gateways.

Expected test/result:

Try to install something that is signed with the test certificate from the manufacture.

To prevent the stalling or disruption of the DER gateway software operation, a watchdog timer is present, and cannot be disabled.

Expected test/result:

Try to run an infinite loop program saturating all cores.

Software source code is developed, tested and maintained following defined repeatable processes.

Expected test/result:

Pas

The product's software source code follows the basic good practice of a Language subset (e.g. MISRA-C) coding standard.

Expected test/result:

Pas

The product's software source code follows the basic good practice of static vulnerability analysis [ref 1] by the developer.

Expected test/result:

Check that the manufacture supplies a static analysis transcript

All inputs and outputs are checked for validity e.g. use "Fuzzing" tests to check for acceptable responses or output for both expected (valid) and unexpected (invalid) input stimuli.

Expected test/result:

Verify by manufacture transcript or by doing fuzzing yourself.

Security critical functionality should be identified and be subject for (internal) inspection by at least an additional developer and preferably an entity with security competences.

Expected test/result:

Pas

Functionality allowing the DER facility operator to backup and restore access control list and other configuration data should be supported.

Expected test/result:

Verify that one can do a back up. Change settings of live configuration, restore back up. Verify that the backed up settings are in place.

A source for cryptographic secure randomness must be used where needed in cryptographic operations.

Expected test/result:

Manufacture documentation of where they get randomness.

The DER gateway must log all security relevant events in a SYSLOG format. Security relevant events include, but are not limited to, login attempts (both successful and unsuccessful), errors (including the input causing the error) and changes to access rights. NIST SP 800-92 can be referred to for more information regarding logging.

Expected test/result:

Manually verify log after performing explicitly log required events.

Verify that data is logged and logging by trying to sign on to the DER. Try to do this maliciously to verify that alarm mails are sent.

The build environment and toolchain used to compile the application is run on a build system with controlled and auditable access.

Expected test/result:

Check audit logs?

The build environment and toolchain used to create the software is under configuration management and version control, and its integrity is validated regularly.

Expected test/result:

Pas

An end-of-life policy shall be published which explicitly states the minimum length of time for which a device will receive software updates and the reasons for the length of the support period. The support period should match the expected physical lifetime of the device, which is expected to be in the 10-15 years range.

Expected test/result:

Verify manufacture contract.

The end-of-life policy shall include a section regarding how key material, configuration data and other sensitive information can be securely wiped from storage.

Check documentation

#### OS Related Tests:

The OS is implemented with relevant security updates prior to release.

Expected test/result:

Manually verify that the latest dist reflects the latest updates by checking online.

All unnecessary accounts or logins have been disabled or eliminated from the software at the end of the software development process. E.g. Development or debug accounts.

Expected test/result:

List of users on Linux can be given by `cut -d: -f1 /etc/passwd`. Check that no test accounts are there and in fact that only relevant accounts are there.

Files, directories and persistent data are set to minimum access privileges required to correctly function.

Expected test/result:

DER user only has access to DER relevant folders and no other non-service users exist.

Remote access to the DER gateway must only be done using credentials / certificates.

Expected test/result:

Look at the ssh config file `/etc/ssh/sshd_config` and check that both `PasswordAuthentication` and `ChallengeResponseAuthentication` are set to no. Or simply try to ssh as root and see that you get "Permission denied (publickey)"

All OS non-essential services have been removed from the DER gateway's software, image or file systems.

Expected test/result:

Do an NMAP scan and ensure that only SSH is open.

All OS command line access to the most privileged accounts has been removed from the OS.

Expected test/result:

Try to log in on ssh and ensure you get a permission denied besides just the publickey lack.

The product's OS kernel and its functions are prevented from being called by external product level interfaces and nauthorized applications.

Expected test/result:

Pas

The OS implements a separation architecture to separate trusted from untrusted applications.

Expected test/result:

Pas

The DER gateway application is operated at the lowest privilege level possible and only have access to the resources it needs as controlled through appropriate access control mechanisms.

Expected test/result:

Check the privileges of the DER user is not root

All the applicable security features supported by the OS are enabled.

Expected test/result:

For example checking that SELinux has been enabled: `sestatus`

The OS is separated from the DER gateway application and is only accessible via defined secure interfaces.

Expected test/result:

Verify e.g. using `top`, that the DER process is separate and not running as root.

The DER gateway's OS kernel is designed such that each component runs with the minimal security capabilities required (e.g. a microkernel architecture).

Expected test/result:

Pas

## Interface Tests:

Packets must not be forwarded between the two networks outside of the intended functionality of the DER gateway.

Expected test/result:

Inspect network with Wireshark checking if non-legitimate command packages gets both in and out of the DER gateway.

The DER gateway only supports the versions of application layer protocols, i.e. IEC 61850/62351 and protocols for administration/configuration and TLS certificate updates, with no publicly known vulnerabilities.

Expected test/result:

Verify the list of protocols with the CVE.

The DER gateway only enables the communications interfaces, network protocols, application protocols and network services necessary for the DER gateway's operation.

Expected test/result:

NMAP and check that only port 22 is open.

The DER gateway must act gracefully in case of lost network connectivity and resume normal functionality when network connectivity is restored.

Expected test/result:

Issue test command and check it works. Unplug both cables for 10 sec. Add cables try again and verify that things work.

All the DER gateways unused ports are closed and only the required ports are active. These ports should be limited to functionality related to either IEC 61850/62351 or administrative task such as configuration or software updates. These connections must all be authenticated and authorized.

Expected test/result:

NMAP and check that only port 22 is open.

The supported cryptographic suites used in relation to TLS must yearly be reviewed. All, wrt. IEC 62351-4, mandatory suites must be supported. Any optional suites may, if validated against the current security recommendations such as NIST 800-131A or OWASP, be used.

Communications protocols should be the latest versions with no publicly known vulnerabilities and/or appropriate for the product.

Expected test/result:

CVE checking.

Post product launch, communications protocols should be maintained throughout the product life cycle to the most secure versions available with no publicly known vulnerabilities.

If a factory reset is made, the DER gateway should warn that secure operation may be compromised unless updated.

Expected test/result:

Try to do a factory reset and verify warning.

The factory reset function must include the secure removal of all sensitive key and configuration material.

Expected test/result:

Try to log on with accounts after reset and verify this does not work.

For local configuration, terminal access must be authenticated using a certificate, ie. direct keyboard and monitor input/output is prohibited.

### Authentication Tests:

The DER gateway shall support querying time using NTP and/or PTP according to the ENDK-61850-SPEC document.

Only certificate based remote access is allowed.

Expected test/result:

Try to log on without cert and verify that access is denied based on public key error.

There is only one local administrative user account for configuration purposes.

If the DER gateway has the ability to remotely recover from attack, it should rely on a known good state, to enable safe recovery and updating of the device

Expected test/result:

On Linux check the list of users `awk -F':' '{ print $1}' /etc/passwd`

### Key Management Tests:

There is a secure method of key insertion that protects keys against copying.

All used cryptographic implementations have no publicly known weaknesses / bugs / CVE.

For best practice the product stores all sensitive unencrypted parameters, e.g. keys, in a secure, tamper-resistant location. For example, by having the storage chip coated in epoxy and/or by adding security fuses in the chip itself.

The cryptographic key chain used for signing production software is different from that used for any other test, development or other software images or support requirement.

Expected test/result:

Try to install update signed with test cert.

All key lengths are dictated by the relevant IEC 61850/62351 standards.

Expected test/result:

Verify key lengths in certs.

There is a process for secure provisioning of keys that includes generation, distribution, update, revocation and destruction. For example in compliance with FIPS140-2 [ref 4] or a similar process.

Where the device software communicates with a product related webserver or application over TCP/IP or UDP/IP, the device software uses certificate pinning or public/private key equivalent, where appropriate.

In device manufacture, all asymmetric private keys, that are unique to each device, are secured as outlined in FIPS 140-2[ref 4]. They must be truly randomly internally generated or securely programmed into each device.

Expected test/result:

Manually verify public keys of two separate devices.

The device must have support for TLS certificate enrollment and trust anchor updates via the EST protocol (RFC 7030). The device may also support certificate enrollment via the SCEP protocol.

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## Terms and Definitions

The first mandatory task in any standardization and harmonization process, is to agree on common terms and definitions.

In the following table, the most important terms for this specification are defined and with reference to the originator.

### Terminology

Term	Term	Definition	Originator
Application Association	AA	An application association provide a mechanism for controlling the access to the instances of a device (access control).	IEC 61850-7-2:2010
Common Data Class	CDC	Common data class that defines the structure of the data object. See IEC 61850-7-3. For common data classes specifically defined for DER logical nodes see clause 8. The literals of enumerated common data classes are described in clause 7.2 (for inherited data objects see their definition in IEC 61850-7-4).	IEC 61850-7-3:2010
Electrical Connection Point	ECP		
DER controller		Physical or virtual component that has functionality that controls and aggregates a number of DER units in a DER system.	
DER facility		Term used for the whole facility (building), which exposes the PCOM data communication interface.	
DER gateway		A physical device that facilitates IEC 61850 communication with clients outside the facility, allowing them to access resources inside the facility.	
DER system		Term used for a functionality that combines several identical or different DER units into a system.	
DER unit		Term used for a single DER device, like a gas turbine or a motor-generator set.	
Logical Device	LD		
Logical Node	LN		
Model Implementation Conformance Statement	MICS	A model implementation conformance statement details the standard data object model elements supported by the system or device.	IEC 61850-10:2012
Manufacturing Message Specification	MMS		
Multicast	MC	Messaging using multicast, e.g. GOOSE and transmission of sampled values.	IEC 61850-7-2:2010
Multicast Application Association	MCAA	Associations for multicast messaging.	IEC 61850-7-2:2010
Point of Common Coupling	PCC	Power delivery point for any grid connected equipment.	
Point of Communication	PCOM	The interface between the DER facility and actors outside the facility, for data communication and information exchange.	
Protocol Implementation Conformance Statement	PICS	A protocol implementation conformance statement is a summary of the communication capabilities of the system or device to be tested.	IEC 61850-10:2012
Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing	PIXIT	The protocol implementation extra information for testing documentation contains system or device specific information regarding the communication capabilities of the system or device to be tested and which are outside the	IEC 61850-10:2012

		scope of the IEC 61850 series. The PIXIT is not subject to standardisation.	
Two Party	TP	Communication between a client and a server.	IEC 61850-7-2:2010
Two Party Application Association	TPAA	Association for two party messaging.	IEC 61850-7-2:2010

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## ANNEX A - Basic use cases for information exchange

The best way to explain how IEC 61850 can be used, is to give practical examples of different use cases.

The figure shows seven different use cases, with information exchange between four different actors (system operator, market operator, aggregator and grid operator) and a DER facility (also an actor).

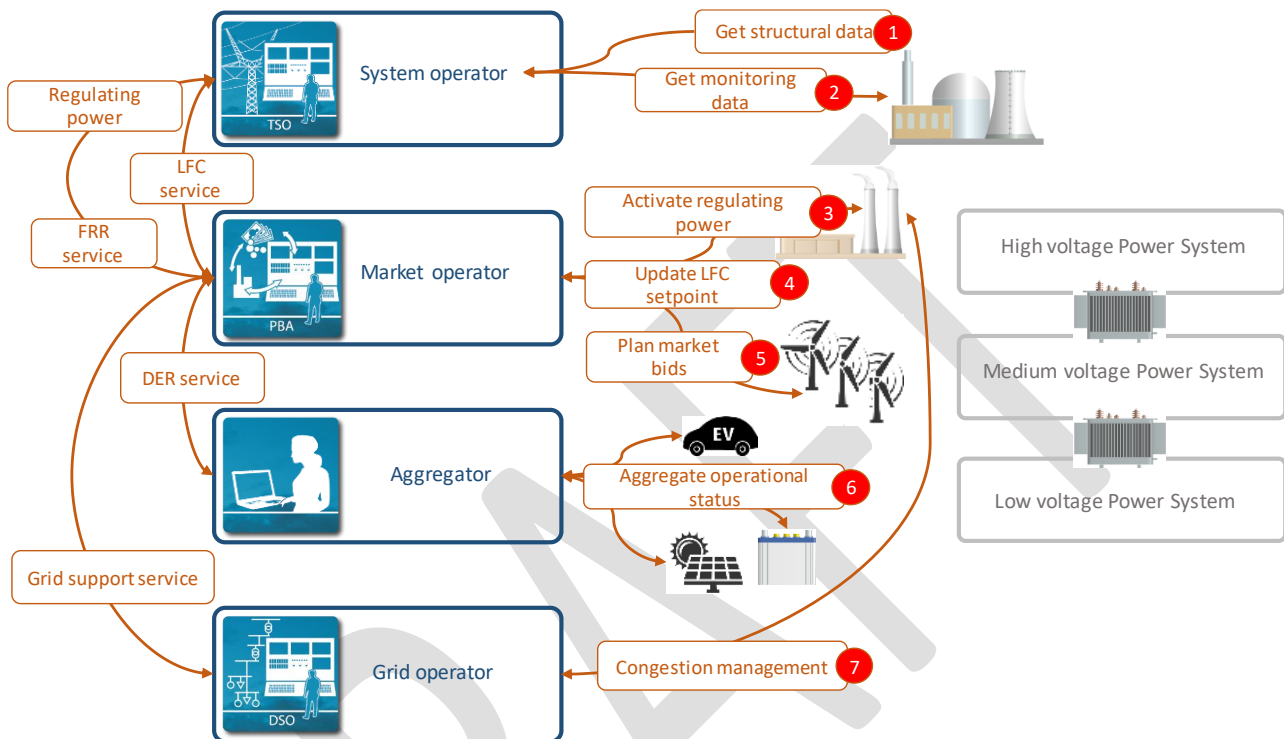


Figure 15 – Overview of use-cases for this specification

The seven use cases are explained on the next pages, using UML use case diagrams and UML sequence diagrams.

The use case diagrams are divided into three levels of use cases: the first level (actor) references the seven use cases from Figure 15 over. The actor use cases include use cases from the second level (function) which describes functions necessary for realising the actor use case. The function use cases include use cases from the third level (61850) that identifies the IEC 61850 services to be used to fulfil the function use case. Use of the IEC 61850 services are shown in sequence diagrams.

For information about how to read the sequence diagrams, please have a look at this link:

[https://www.sparxsystems.com.au/resources/uml2\\_tutorial/uml2\\_sequencediagram.html](https://www.sparxsystems.com.au/resources/uml2_tutorial/uml2_sequencediagram.html)

## Get structural data (1)

### Use case objective:

An actor outside the DER facility wants to update a local copy of information from a DER facility.

The information could be nameplate information about an equipment that has been newly installed or contact information that has changed since the local copy was made.

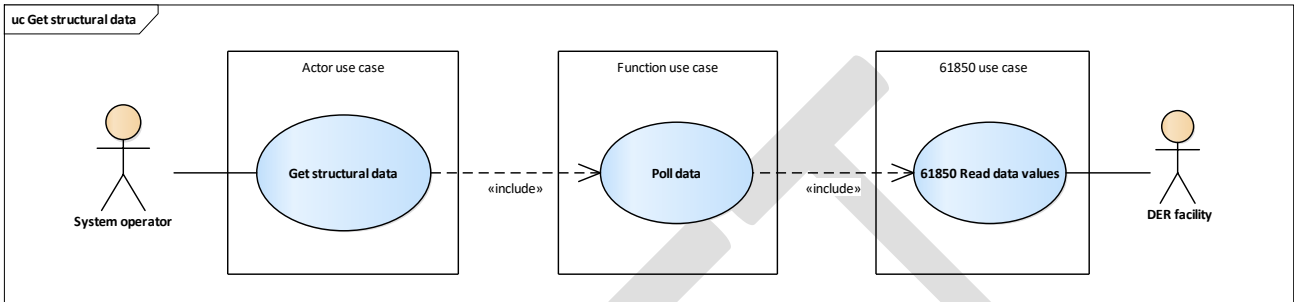


Figure 16 – Use case: Get structural data (1)

The actor 'System Operator' is used as the entity who wants to get the information from the 'DER facility' which is done with a GetDataValues(dataRef) request, resulting in a Response+(dataValues) in case of success or a Response-(serviceError) in case of failure.

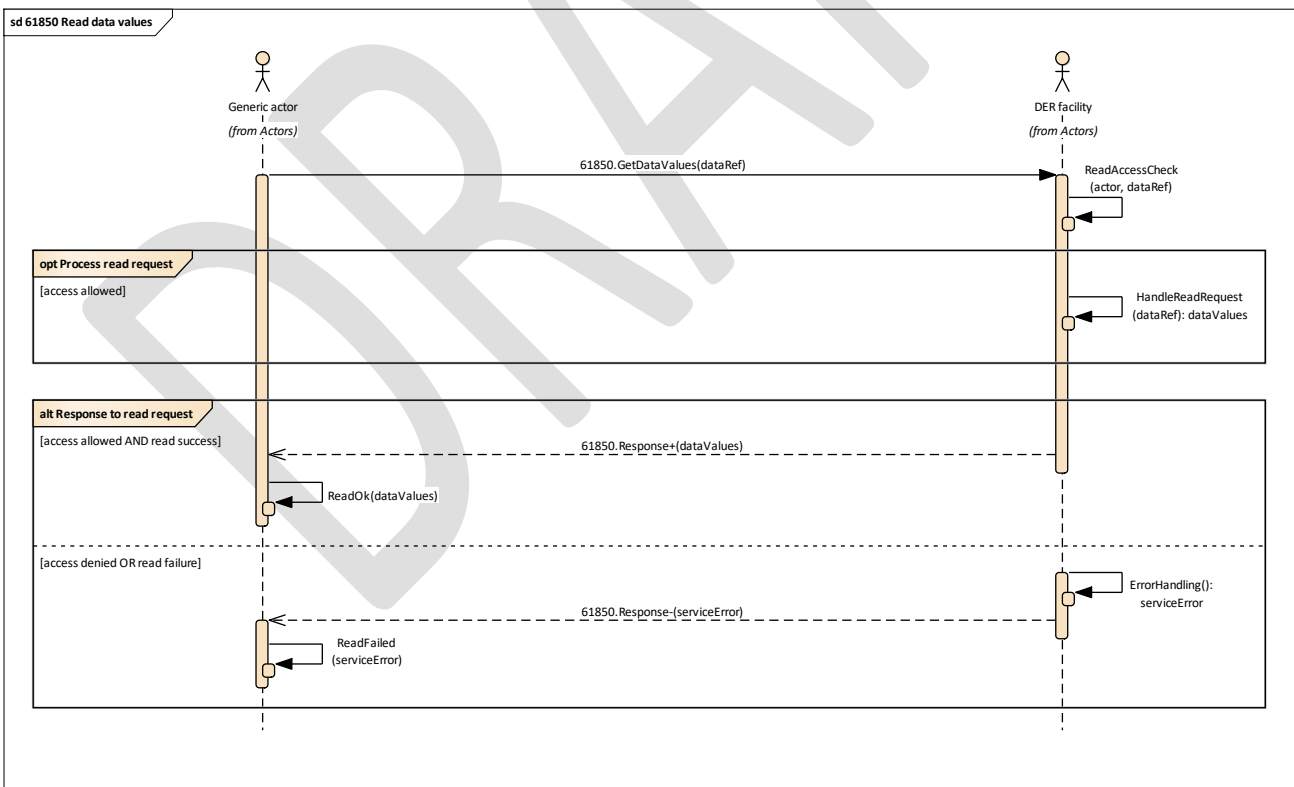


Figure 17 – Use case: 61850 Read data values

## Get monitoring data (2)

### Use case objective:

**An actor outside the DER facility wants to get the latest operational status from a DER facility.**

**The operational status should be sent automatically, when there is a change in the data values.**

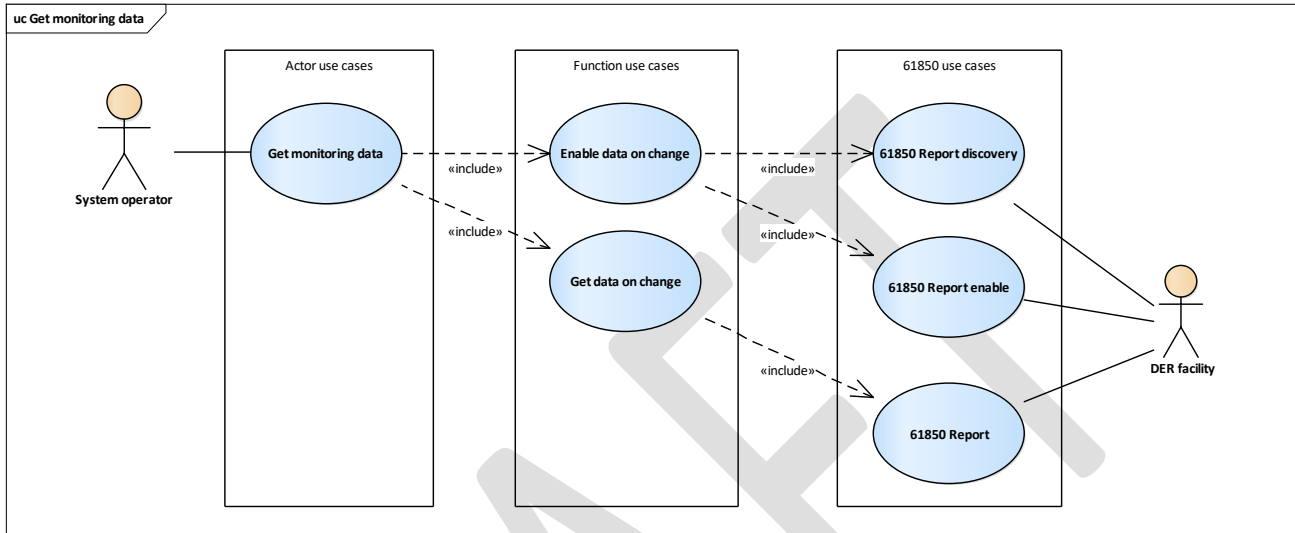


Figure 18 – Use case: Get monitoring data (2)

The concept to be used is called ‘buffered reporting’ and is basically an event driven approach, where information is sent automatically when triggered by an occurrence of an event (e.g. change of one or more data values).

For setting up buffered reporting it is first needed to determine the reports available from the DER facility. This is accomplished in the initial discovery during connection to the DER facility or by reading the system configuration file (SCL file) provided by the facility.

With the knowledge of available reports, each report can be discovered to determine the data values they monitor. This is accomplished by first finding the name of the dataset (GetBRCBValues), then listing the data value references included in the dataset (GetDataSetDirectory).

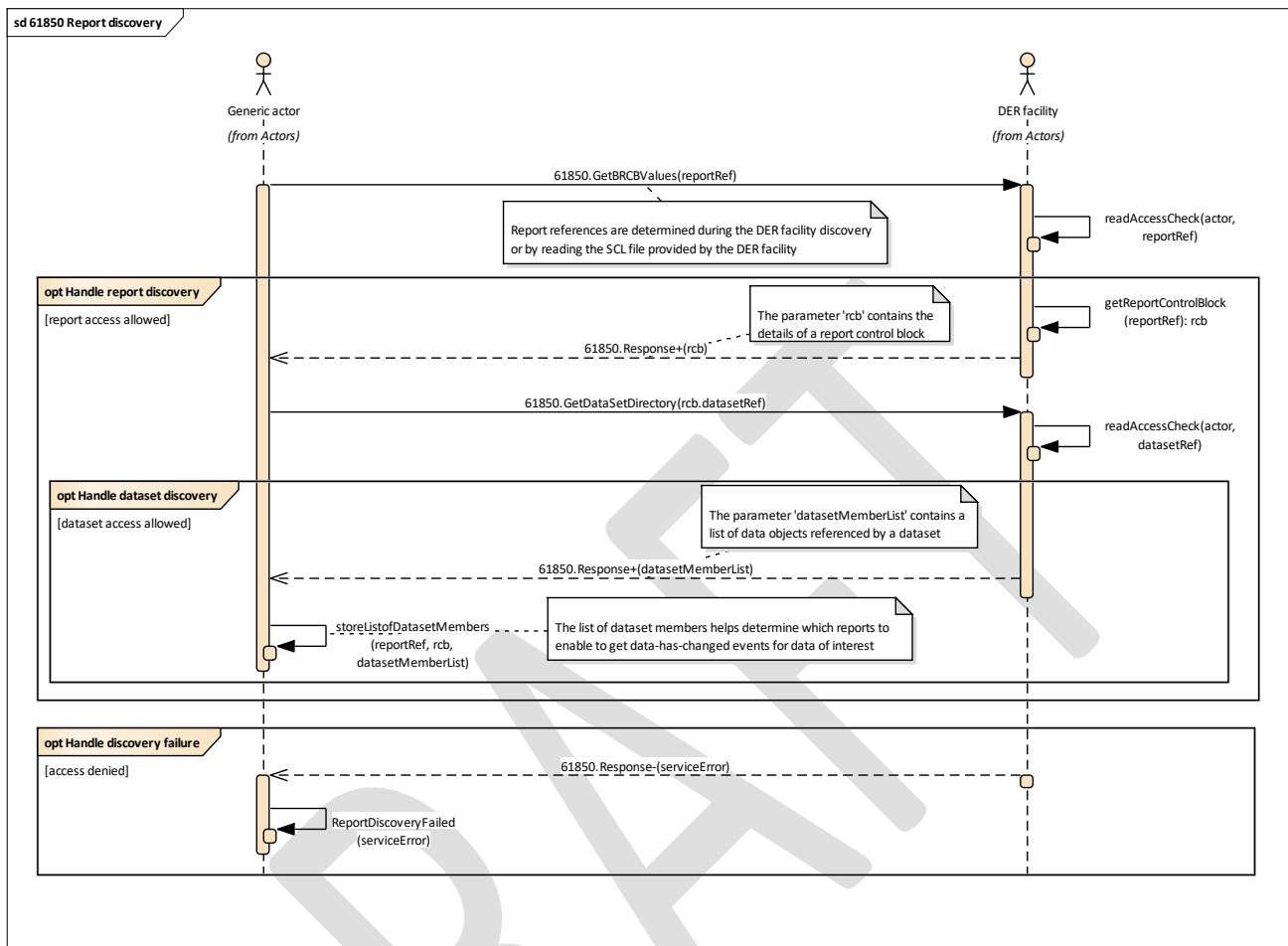


Figure 19 – Use case: 61850 Report discovery

Having determined which report references which data values, the correct report can be enabled (SetBRCBValues).

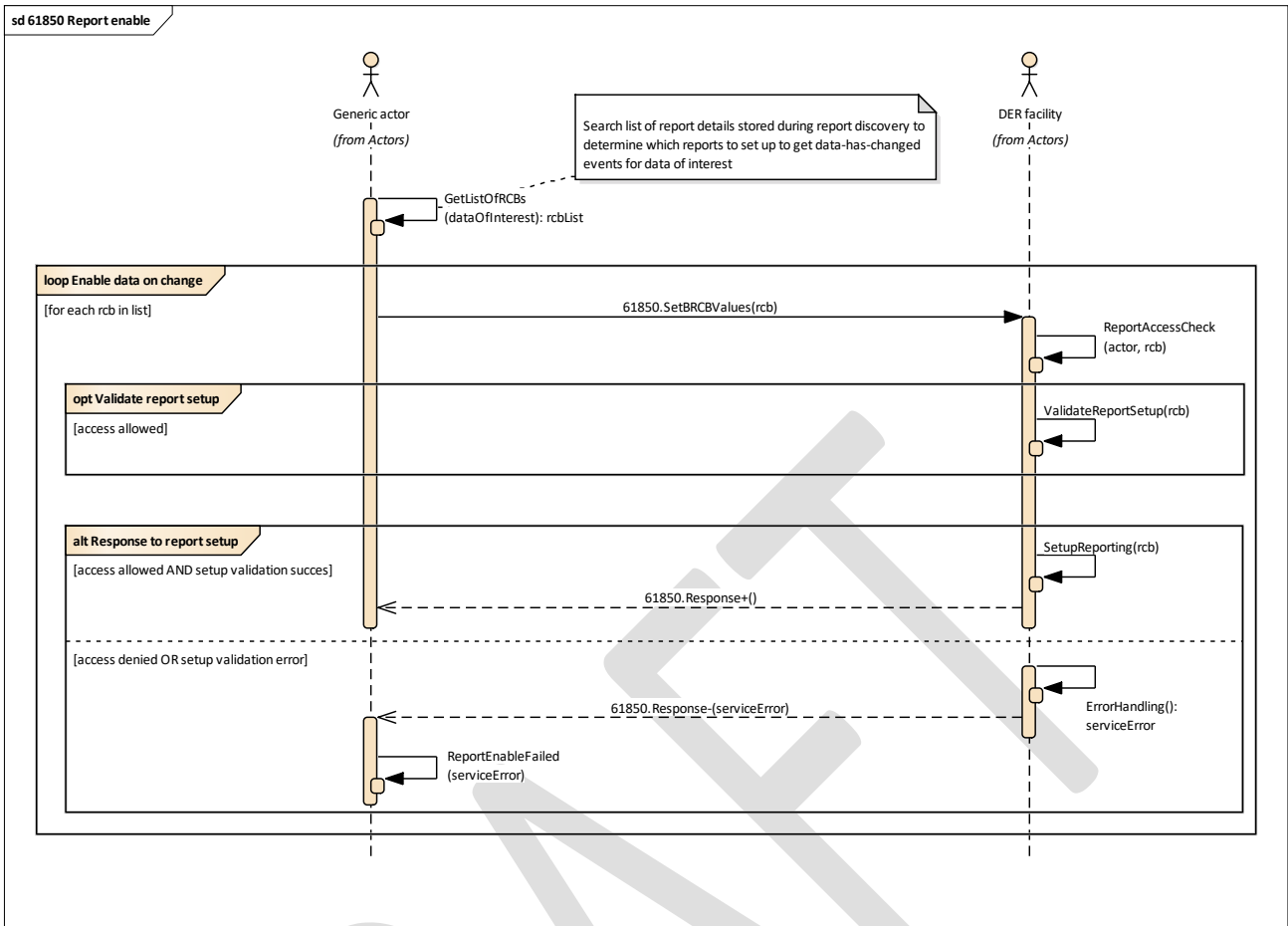


Figure 20 – Use case: 61850 Report enable

With buffered reporting enabled, the data values are sent automatically (Report(dataValues)) when triggered at the DER facility.

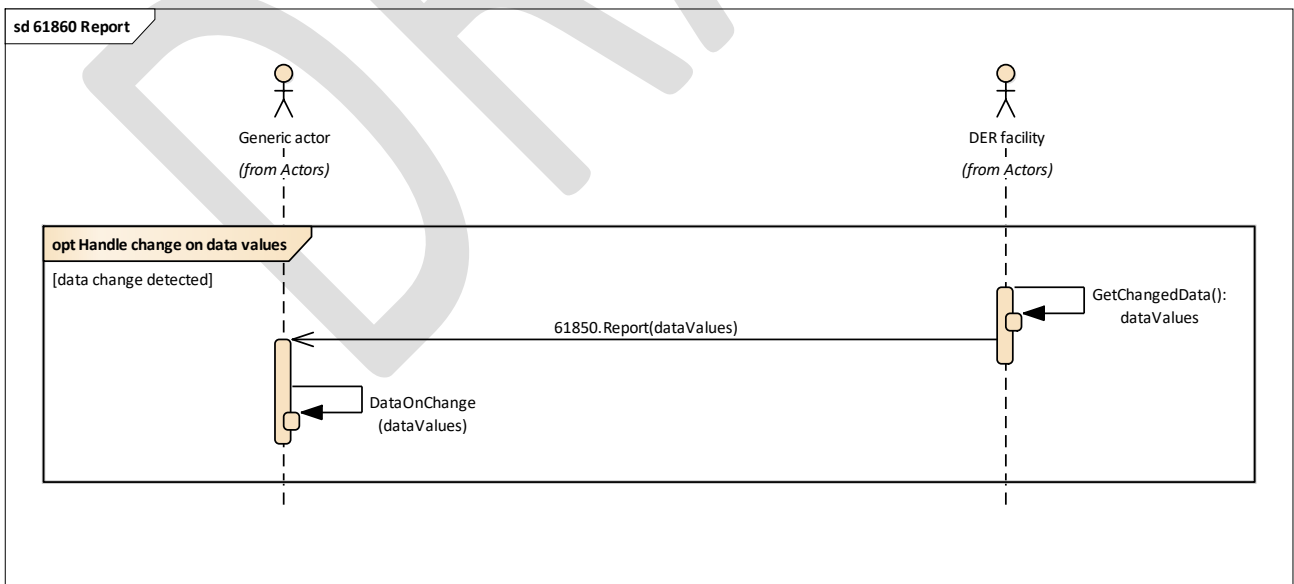


Figure 21 – Use case: 61850 Report



## Activate regulating power (3)

### Use case objective:

**A System Operator has activated a bid send by the Market Operator.**

**The Market Operator must activate the DER resources at the DER facility.**

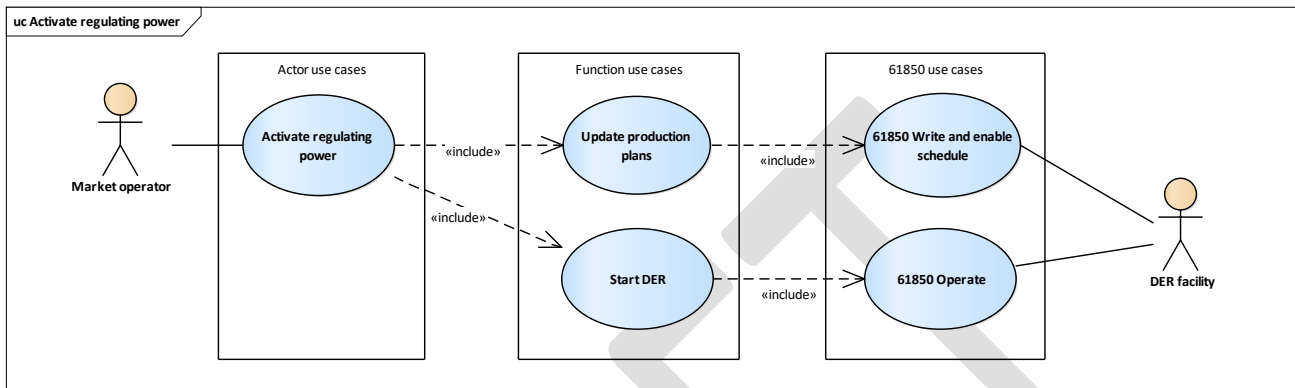


Figure 22 – Use case: Activate regulating power (3)

When the system operator has activated the offered bid, the market operator needs to activate the resources at the DER facility.

This is accomplished by first updating the production plans on the DER facility, which involves writing (SetDataSetValues) and enabling (Operate) a schedule.

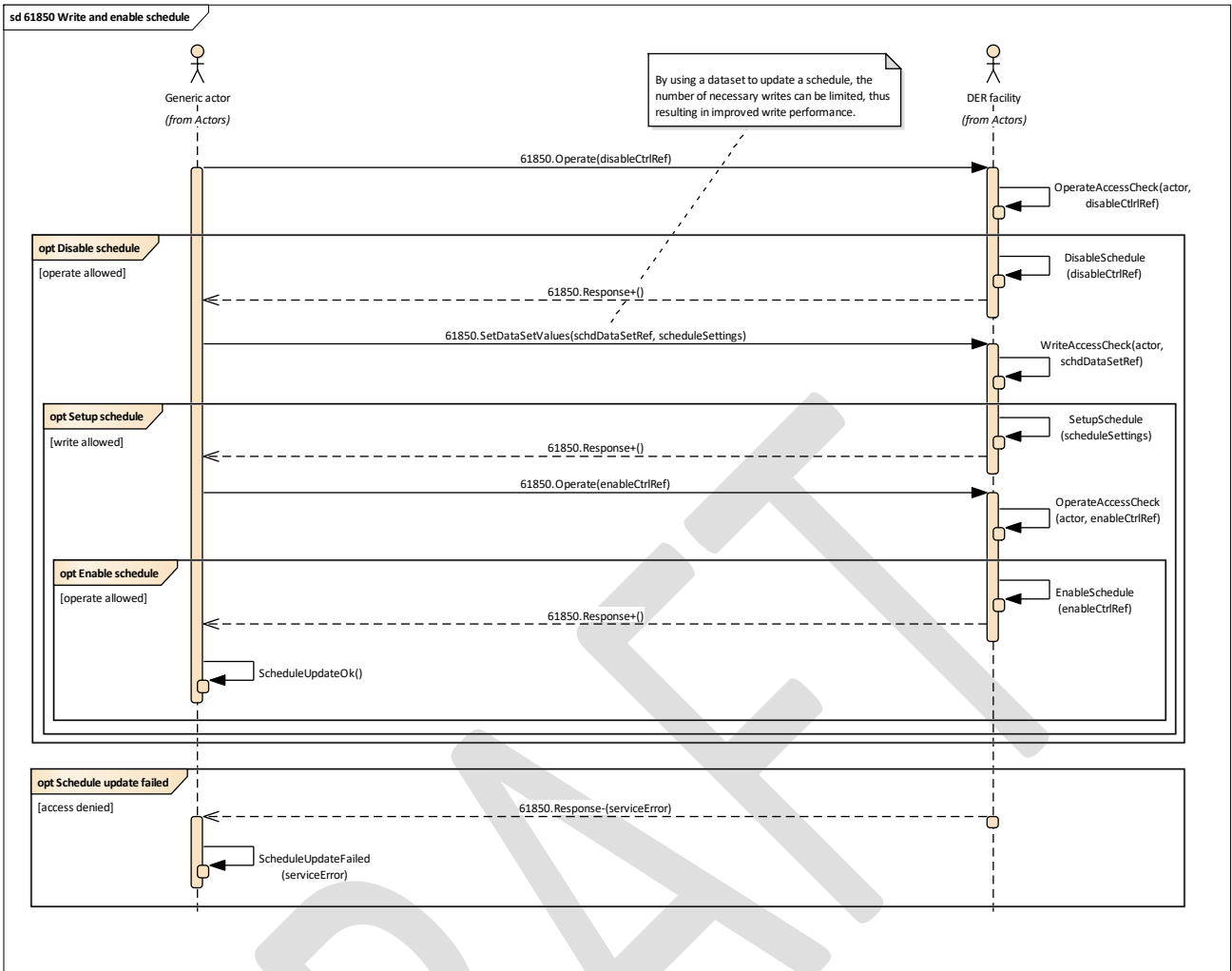


Figure 23 – Use case: 61850 Write and enable schedule

Having updated the production plan, the production units on the DER facility must be started (Operate).

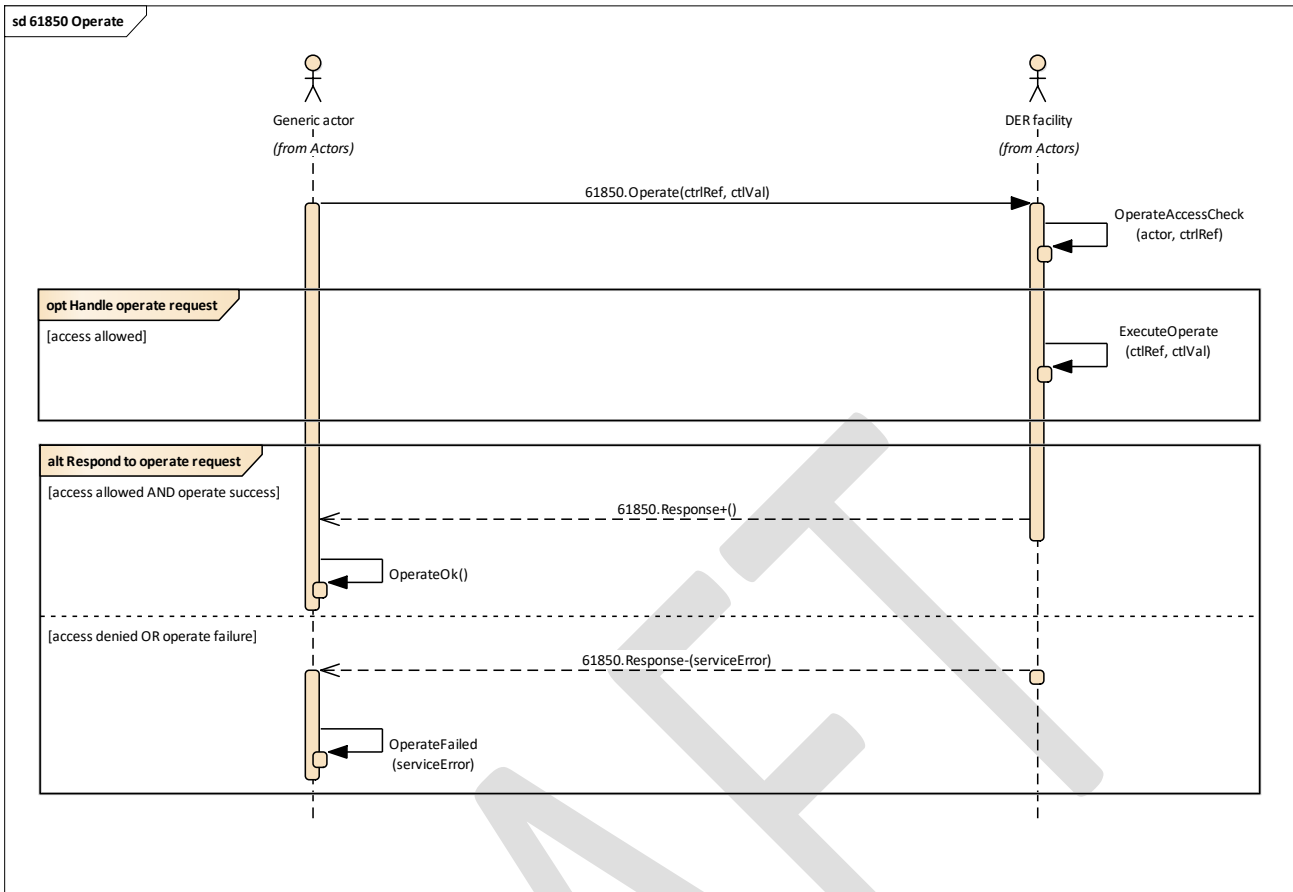


Figure 24 – Use case: 61850 Operate

## Update LFC setpoint (4)

### Use case objective:

The Market Operator need to make a fast dispatch of the resources available, which fulfils the request from the System Operator.

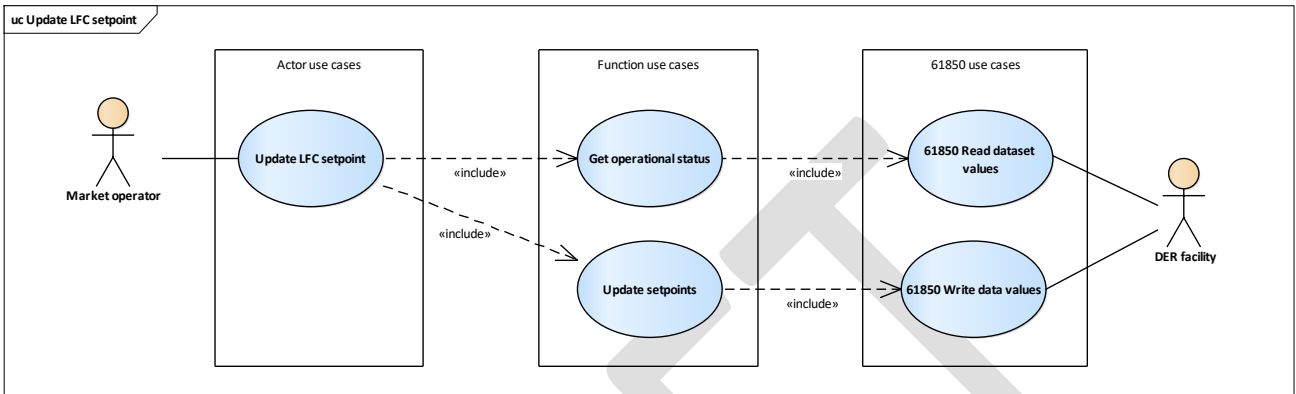


Figure 25 – Use case: Update LFC setpoint (4)

First, the operational status of the DER facilities is determined (GetDataSetValues).

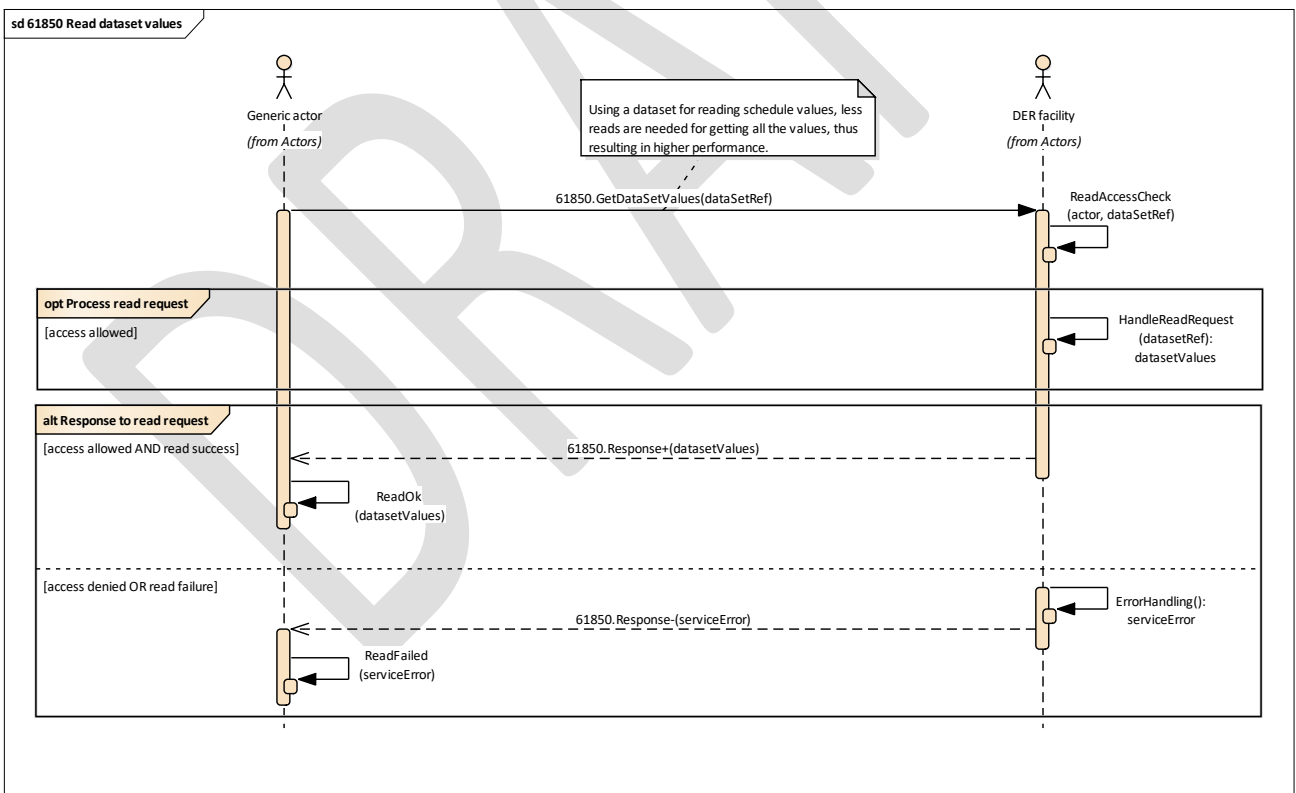


Figure 26 – Use case: 61850 Read dataset values

Next, setpoints are to be updated on the DER facilities (SetDataValues)

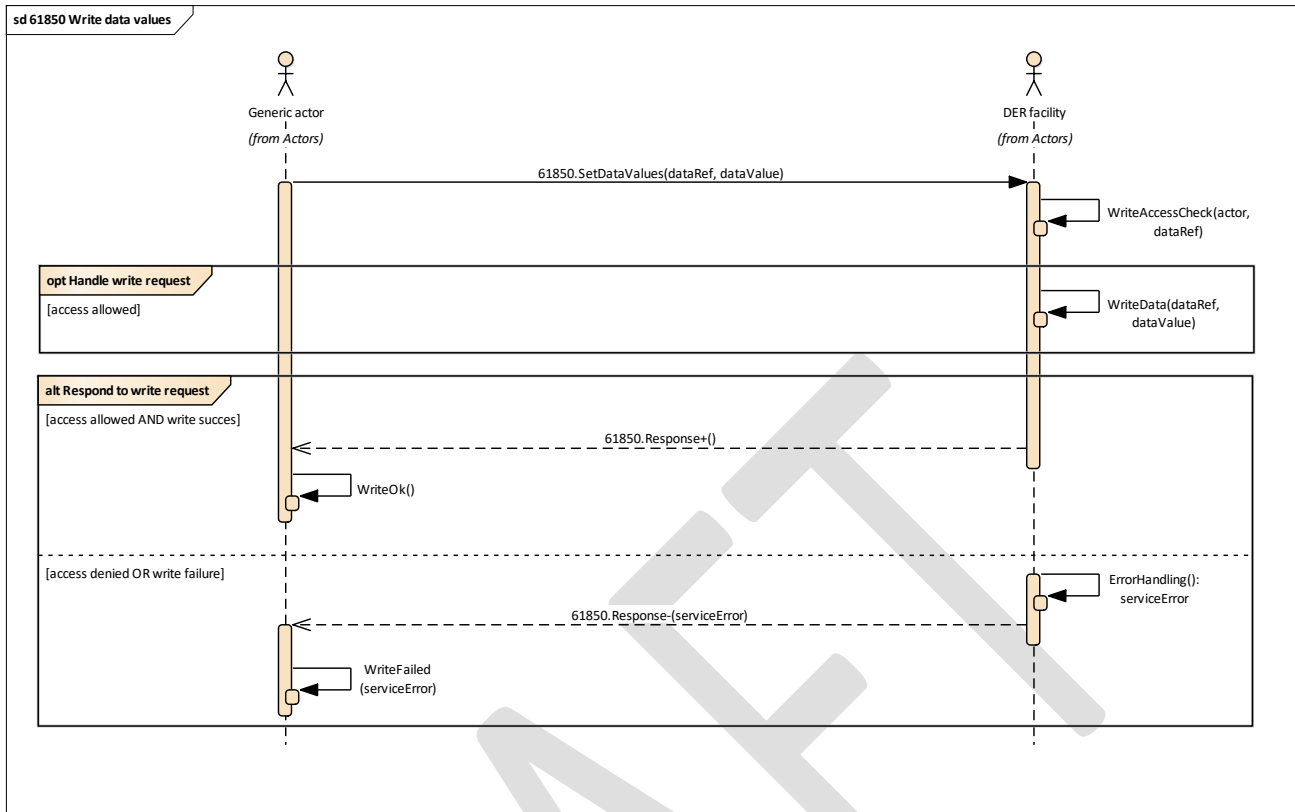


Figure 27 – Use case: 61850 Write data values

## Plan market bids (5)

### Use case objective:

A System Operator has a contract with a Market Operator for providing Regulating power, LFC or FCC services when needed.

To plan market bids, the Market Operator gets the productions plans from the DER facilities to determine their availability.

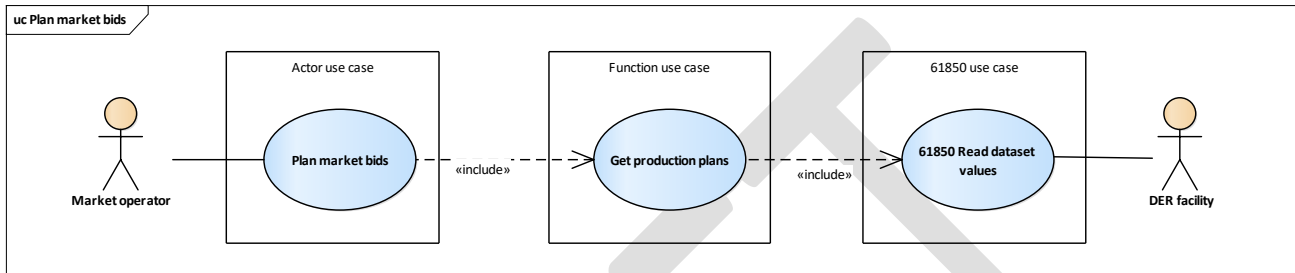


Figure 28 – Use case: Plan marked bids (5)

Please reference Figure 26 – Use case: 61850 Read dataset values for the IEC 61850 details.

## Aggregate operational status (6)

### Use case objective:

The Aggregator has a large portfolio of smaller DER resources.

The main objective for the Aggregator is to know the exact operational status of the DER resources and to be able to control the DER resources, for providing flexible DER service to the Market Operators.

*Note: An Aggregator could be an Electric Vehicle Charging Station Operator who has a very high knowledge about the customers need for charging, or a heat pump service provider, who owns a portfolio of domestic heat pumps and who has a high knowledge about the customer heat demand.*

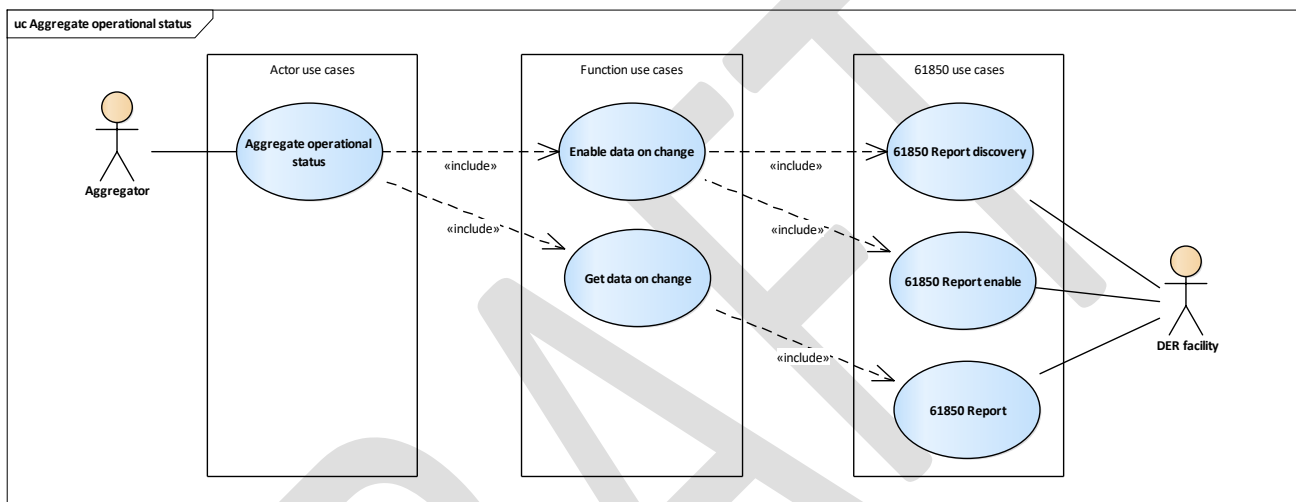


Figure 29 – Use case: Aggregate operational status (6)

Please reference Figure 19 – Use case: 61850 Report discovery, Figure 20 – Use case: 61850 Report enable and Figure 21 – Use case: 61850 Report for the IEC 61850 details.

## Congestion management (7)

### Use case objective:

The Grid Operator must provide a stable voltage level in the distribution grid.

In case of emergency, the DER facility should use controllable load to support the Grid Operator.

If the voltage is too high, the Grid Operator will send a command to the DER facility for higher load and a status about this to the Market Operator.

If the voltage is too low, the Grid Operator will send a command to the DER facility for lower load and a status about this to the Market Operator.

If the power grid is in “alert” state, the loads are reduced. In “emergency” or “blackout” state, the loads are deactivated.

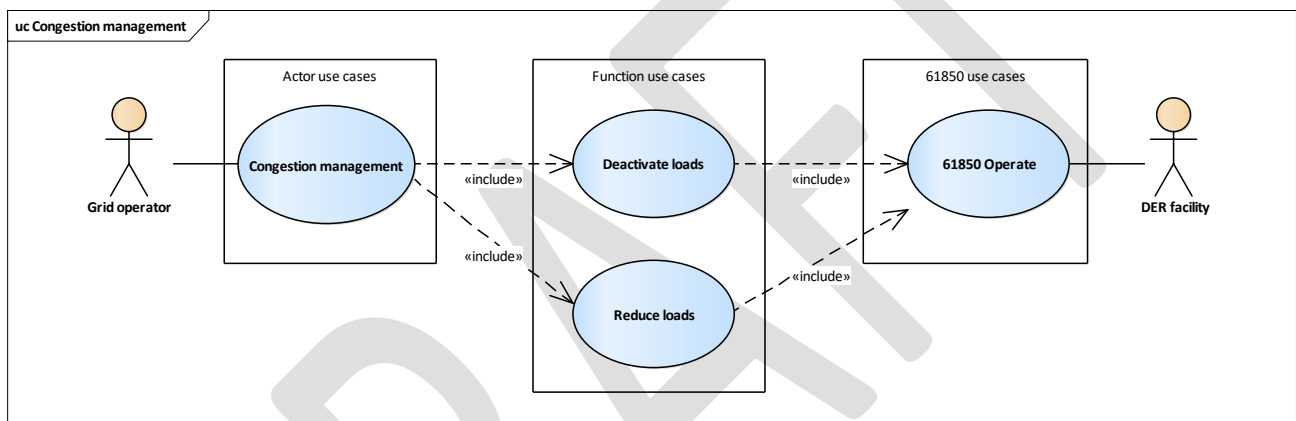


Figure 30 – Use case: Congestion management (7)

Please reference Figure 24 – Use case: 61850 Operate for the IEC 61850 details.



## ANNEX B - Information security requirements - Table of compliance

### IEEE Std 1686-2013

Vendors/suppliers who are claiming compliance with the IEEE Std 1686 (Standard for Intelligent Electronic Devices Cyber Security Capabilities) shall be required to provide a table of compliance (TOC). The TOC shall list every subclause of Clause 5 of the standard on a separate line. For each subclause, the vendor/supplier shall then indicate the level of compliance for the product in question. The following responses, reflected in the Status column, shall be used:

- Acknowledge: Used as a placeholder when no requirement is presented in the subclause
- Exception: Product fails to meet one or more of the stated requirements of the subclause
- Comply: Product fully meets the stated requirements of the subclause
- Exceed: Product exceeds one or more of the stated requirements of the subclause

A column for comments and explanations may be included to provide additional information the vendor deems useful for clarification of the response.

An example of a TOC is shown below.

Clause number	Clause/subclause title	Status	Comment
5	IED cyber security features	Acknowledge	
5.1	Electronic access control	Comply	
5.1.2	Password defeat mechanisms	Comply	
5.1.3	Number of individual users	Exceed	Product provides for 25 individual ID/password combinations
5.1.4	Password construction	Exception	Upper and lower case letters are interchangeable. Non-alphanumeric characters cannot be used in password
5.1.5	IED access control	Acknowledge	
5.1.5.1	Authorization levels by password	Comply	
5.1.5.2	Authorization using role-based access control (RBAC)	Exceed	Product provides six user-defined roles
5.1.6	IED main security functions	Acknowledge	
5.1.6 a)	View data	Comply	
5.1.6 b)	View configuration settings	Comply	
5.1.6 c)	Force values	Exception	Feature not supported on this product
5.1.6 d)	Configuration change	Comply	
5.1.6 e)	Firmware change	Comply	
5.1.6 f)	ID/password or RBAC management	Comply	
5.1.6 g)	Audit trail	Comply	
5.1.7	Password display	Comply	
5.1.8	Access timeout	Exception	Timeout period is set by a jumper on the main board. Possible selections are 1 min, 5 min, 10 min, 30 min, and 60 min
5.2	Audit trail	Comply	
5.2.2	Storage capability	Exceed	Audit trail supports 4096 events before overwriting
5.2.3	Storage record	Comply	
5.2.3 a)	Event record number	Comply	
5.2.3 b)	Time and date	Exceed	User can define the format of the date
5.2.3 c)	User identification	Comply	

Clause number	Clause/subclause title	Status	Comment
5.2.3 d)	Event type	Comply	
5.2.4	Audit trail event types	Comply	
5.2.4 a)	Log in	Comply	
5.2.4 b)	Manual log out	Comply	
5.2.4 c)	Timed log out	Comply	
5.2.4 d)	Value forcing	Comply	
5.2.4 e)	Configuration access	Comply	
5.2.4 f)	Configuration change	Comply	
5.2.4 g)	Firmware change	Exception	Firmware changes are not captured in the audit trail record
5.2.4 h)	ID/password creation or modification	Comply	
5.2.4 i)	Password deletion	Comply	
5.2.4 j)	Audit log access	Comply	
5.2.4 k)	Time/date change	Comply	
5.2.4 l)	Alarm incident	Comply	
5.3	Supervisory monitoring and control	Comply	
5.3.2	Events	Comply	
5.3.3	Alarms	Comply	
5.3.3 a)	Unsuccessful login attempt	Exception	Alarm is set after six unsuccessful attempts within a 5-min period
5.3.3 b)	Reboot	Exception	A specific alarm for a reboot is not available. However, user can deduce that a reboot has taken place by examining the DNP3.0 initialization bit being set followed by a DNP3.0 request for time.
5.3.3 c)	Attempted use of unauthorized configuration software	Comply	
5.3.3 d)	Invalid configuration or firmware download	Comply	
5.3.3 e)	Unauthorized configuration or firmware file	Comply	
5.3.3 f)	Time signal out of tolerance	Comply	
5.3.3 g)	Invalid field hardware changes	Comply	
5.3.4	Alarm point change detect	Comply	
5.3.5	Event and alarm grouping	Exceed	Three groups are provided: "Critical alarms", "Alarms" and "Events"
5.3.6	Supervisory permissive control	Comply	
5.4	IED cyber security features	Acknowledge	
5.4.1	IED functionality compromise	Comply	Download of configuration will disable all other operations during the period of download
5.4.2	Specific cryptographic features	Acknowledge	
5.4.2 a)	Webserver functionality	Comply	Feature not offered in this product
5.4.2 b)	File transfer functionality	Comply	
5.4.2 c)	Text-oriented terminal connections	Comply	
5.4.2 d)	SNMP network management	Exception	SNMPv2 implemented in this product
5.4.2 e)	Network time synchronization	Exception	IEEE Std C37.238 implemented in this product
5.4.2 f)	Secure tunnel functionality	Comply	
5.4.3	Cryptographic techniques	Comply	
5.4.4	Encrypting serial communications	Comply	
5.4.5	Protocol-specific security features	Comply	
5.5	IED configuration software	Acknowledge	
5.5.1	Authentication	Exception	Feature not supported
5.5.2	Digital signature	Comply	

Clause number	Clause/subclause title	Status	Comment
5.5.3	ID/password control	Exception	Passwords can be viewed in the configuration by someone with Supervisor Level authority
5.5.4	ID/password-controlled features	Comply	
5.5.4.1	View configuration data	Comply	
5.5.4.2	Change configuration data	Comply	
5.5.4.2 a)	Full access	Comply	
5.5.4.2 b)	Change tracking	Comply	
5.5.4.2 c)	Use monitoring	Comply	
5.5.4.2 d)	Download to IED	Comply	
5.6	Communications port access	Comply	
5.7	Firmware quality control	Comply	

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## ANNEX C – informative CHPCOM reference signal list

### Example of reference signal list from CHPCOM

One of the most important demonstration projects in Denmark regarding use of the IEC 61850 standards for DER, has been the CHPCOM project.

The partners in CHPCOM are all important actors in the Danish power system, like Energinet (TSO), Danish Energy Association (representing DSO and BRP interests) and Danish District Heating Association including Foreningen Danske Kraftvarmeværker (representing the Combined Heat and Power plants).

One of the results from this project was a reference signal list, which represented a large amount of the signals that could be exchanged between a CHP plant and an actor outside the plant.

The reference signal list includes 379 signals which are divided into the three group-types and data-types:

<b>Operational data</b>	<b>Measurements, status, commands and settings</b>
<b>Static data</b>	<b>Nameplate information</b>
<b>Statistical data</b>	<b>Calculated and manually typed-in data</b>

Also, the reference signal list includes a signal explanation, the units (Hz, volt, amp...) and whether the signal is seen as mandatory, optional or conditional – and the '61850 tag name'.

Please contact Energinet ([cas@energinet.dk](mailto:cas@energinet.dk)) for a copy of the CHPCOM reference signal list

## ANNEX D – Normative reference signal list

As part of the work for SO GL 'System Operation Guide Lines' and the NGF 'Nationale gennemførelsesforanstaltninger for informationsudvekslingen' a normative reference signal list will be established.

Please contact Energinet ([cas@energinet.dk](mailto:cas@energinet.dk)) for a copy of the normative reference signal list

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## ANNEX E – IEC 81346 classification codes

Examples of ISO/IEC 81346 classification codes

DER Facility	DER System	DER Unit	DER Component	Name
Facility				+<EIC code>
	Facility information			=AF
	Power plant system			=HG1
		Boiler-turbine-generator unit		=HG2=GA1
			Boiler	=HG2=GA1=EM
			Turbine	=HG2=GA1=MN
			Generator	=HG2=GA1=GA
		Motor-generator set		=HG3=GA1
			Motor	=HG3=GA1=MS
			Generator	=HG3=GA1=GA
	Heat supply system			=HD4
		Electric boiler unit		=HD4=EB1
		Thermal storage unit		=HD5=CP1
			Electric boiler in thermal storage	=HD6=CP1=EB1
		Boiler unit		=HD7=EM1
		Solar heating unit		=HD8=EVA1
		Heat pump unit		=HD9=EPD1

The numbers identify instances, and as such depends on the count of systems, units and components present on the facility.

E.g. the name “+45W000000000099Y=HG2=GA1=EM” identifies the boiler on the first boiler-turbine-generator unit in the second power plant system at the production resource located in Silkeborg.

ISO/IEC 81346 reference classes

	Hovedbegreb		Synonymer	Egenskabstyper (Synonym i parentes)	Bygningsdel definition	
A	Hovedformål					
AF	Objekter med relation til information					81346-2
B	Måling				Omforme en inputvariabel (fysisk egenskab, tilstand eller hændelse) til et signal til videre behandling	81346-2
BA	Spændingsmåling					81346-2
BAA	Spændingsmålerelæ		Måleværdiomformer, målerelæ		elektrisk potentialeomformende komponent der omformer til andet elektrisk signal i faste trin	81346-12
BAB	Spændingsmåletransformer		Spændingstransformer		elektrisk potentialeomformende komponent der trinløst omformer til andet elektrisk signal	81346-12
BC	Strømmåling					81346-2
BCA	Strømmålerelæ		Måleværdiomformer		målerelæ elektrisk strømformende komponent der omformer til et andet elektrisk signal i faste trin	81346-12
BCB	Strømmåletransformer		Strømtransformer		elektrisk strømformende komponent der trinløst omformer til et andet elektrisk signal	81346-12
BF	Flowmåling					81346-2
BFA	Væskeflowmåler		Væskemåler Vandmåler, spritmåler		flowomformende komponent til væskegennemstrømning	81346-12
BFB	Gasflowmåler		Gasmåler Iltmåler		flowomformende komponent til gasgennemstrømning	81346-12

BJ	Effektmåling					81346-2
BJA	Gasmåler		Energimåler, effektmåler, effektransmitter		forbrugsomformende komponent til gas	81346-12
BJB	Kølemåler		Energimåler		forbrugsomformende komponent til køling	81346-12
BJC	Varmemåler		Energimåler, kondensatmåler		forbrugsomformende komponent til varme	81346-12
BJD	El-måler		kWh-måler		forbrugsomformende komponent til elektricitet	81346-12
CP	Varmetank			Varmtvandsbeholder, hybrid varmebeholder, istank, dampbeholder, termisk energilager, underjordisk termisk energilager	Lagring af termisk energi	81346-2
CPA	Varmtvandsbeholder				termisk energilagrende komponent til varmt vand	81346-12
EB	Elkedel			Elektrisk kedel, elektrisk ovn, elektrisk varmelegeme, dypkoger	Frembringelse af varme ved konvertering af elektrisk energi	81346-2
EBA	Elektrisk kedel				elektrisk varmeenergikomponent der opvarmer til varmt vand, hedtvand eller damp	81346-12
EM	Kedel			Kedel, brænder, forbrændingsrist, ovn	Frembringelse af varme ved konvertering af kemisk energi	81346-2
EMB	Kedel				forbrændingskomponent der opvarmer vand til videre afgivelse af varme eller damp	81346-12
EP	Varmeveksler			Kondensator, fordamper, omformer, varmeveksler, radiator	Frembringelse af varme ved konvektion	81346-2
EPD	Varmepumpe				Varme/kølepumpe varmeoverførselskomponent i form af termisk energi fra	81346-12



					en varmekilde til en varmeafleder	
EVA	Solfanger				varmestrålingsenergi komponent i form af lys og varme fra solen	81346-12
GA	Generator			Motor-generatorsæt, roterende generator	Initiering af elektrisk energi ved hjælp af mekanisk energi	81346-2
GC	Solcelle			Solceller	Initiering af elektrisk energi ved hjælp af lys	81346-2
GCA	Solcelle				strålingsenergi komponent der anvender lys og varme fra solen til at producere elektricitet eller varme	81346-12
GPA	Pumpe		Trykfører	Cirkulationspumpe, trykførerpumpe, trykholdepumpe, doseringspumpe, lænsepumpe	væskegivende komponent der transporterer væske ved mekanisk fremføring	81346-12
GAA	Generator			Generator, nødgenerator, dieselgenerator	Mekanisk energikomponent der producerer vekselstrøm	81346-12
HD	Varmeforsyningsanlæg	Heating supply system	Varmeproduktionsanlæg, varmeveksleranlæg, blandeanlæg	Varmestik (offentlig forsyning) Fjernvarmeanlæg, brændselsfyranlæg (gas, olie, træpiller, flis), dampanlæg (fjern- eller lokal damp), geotermisk varmeanlæg, varmepumpeanlæg, jordvarmeanlæg, el-varmeanlæg, el-tracing anlæg	forsynende teknisk system for varme	81346-12
HE	Kombineret varme- og køleforsyningsanlæg			Varmepumpeanlæg	forsynende teknisk system for kulde og varme	81346-12

HG	El-forsyningsanlæg	Power supply system	El-anlæg, nødforsyningsanlæg, reserveforsyningsanlæg	El-stik (offentlig forsyning), generatoranlæg, solcelleanlæg, vindmølleanlæg, UPS-anlæg (batterianlæg), vandkraftanlæg	forsynende teknisk system for elektrisk energi	81346-12
J	Transporterende system					81346-12
JG	Varmefordelingsanlæg	District heating system	Fjernvarmesystem, varmfordelingsanlæg, varmeanlæg		Transporterende teknisk system for varme	81346-12
JK	El-fordelingsanlæg	Power distribution system	El-distributionsnet, el-fordelingsanlæg		Transporterende teknisk system for elektrisk energi	81346-12
K	Behandlende anlæg					81346-12
KC	Filteranlæg	Filtration system			behandlende teknisk system for adskillelse af faste partikler fra væske eller luft i flow	81346-12
KD	Udskilleranlæg	Seperator system			behandlende teknisk system for adskillelse af to substanser	81346-12
KE	Vandbehandlingsanlæg	Water treatment system		Syre-lud anlæg, omvendt osmose anlæg (ROW-anlæg), blødgøringsanlæg, afklaklingsanlæg, Water-For-Injection-anlæg, syreneutraliseringsanlæg, dialysevand	behandlende teknisk system for håndtering af kemikalier til væske	81346-12

KF	Pumpeanlæg	Pump system	Pumpebrønd	Grundvandpumpeanlæg, trykforøgeranlæg, drænpumpeanlæg, afløbspumpeanlæg, vandpumpeanlæg	behandlende teknisk system for generering af et flow i væske	81346-12
M					Forsyne mekanisk energi (roterende eller lineær mekanisk bevægelse) til driftform	81346-2
MN	Dampturbine					81346-2
MS	Stampelmotor					81346-2
T	Transformation					
TA				AC/DC-omformer, frekvensomformer, krafttransformer	Omforming af elektrisk energi ved bevarelse af energitype og energiform	81346-2
TAA	Transformer			Autotransformer, skilletransformer, ringkernetransformer, elektronisk transformer	elektrisk energiomformende komponent der omsætter vekselstrøm fra én spænding til en anden	81346-12
TAB	Adskillesestransformer				elektrisk energiomformende komponent der adskiller to elektriske kredse galvanisk med ensartet spænding på begge sider	81346-12

## ANNEX F – Basic cyber security recommendations and standards

Besides the requirements described in the section, it is also strongly recommended that the following guidelines are followed.

The facility should make sure that only authorised personnel can connect to communication ports (e.g. USB and ethernet) on equipment connected to the technical network.

The facility should implement and enforce a password policy that prevents the use of weak passwords and secures that default passwords are changed to passwords that complies with the rules in the policy.

The facility should implement a contingency plan, that states how to react in case of problems with the IT networks.

The facility should make sure that the software on equipment connected to the technical network is kept up to date to limit any potential security risks.

Below is listed standards that could be relevant when it comes to Cyber Security and information exchange for critical infrastructure:

IEEE 1686:2013 Standard for Intelligent Electronic Devices Cyber Security Capabilities

IEEE Std C37.231 Recommended Practice for Microprocessor-Based Protection Equipment Firmware Control

NERC CIP-002-1: Critical Cyber Asset Identification

NERC CIP-003-1: Security Management Controls

NERC CIP-004-1: Personnel and Training

NERC CIP-005-1: Electronic Security Perimeters

NERC CIP-006-1: Physical Security of Critical Cyber Assets

NERC CIP-007-1: Systems Security Management

NERC CIP-008-1: Incident Reporting and Response Planning

NERC CIP-009-1: Recovery Plans for Critical Cyber Assets

## ANNEX G - Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing

This section specifies the PIXIT (Protocol Implementation eXtra Information for Testing) for each applicable ACSI service model as structured in IEC 61850-10. This ACSI model is applicable for all IEDs conformant with this specification.

For each of the use case described in ANNEX A, the following tables includes a column which specifies whether the PIXIT item is mandatory (M) or optional (O) for the use case. Mandatory means that the feature needs to be specified and implemented in the IED.

In the PIXIT tables, the use cases are identified by their number given to them in ANNEX A: Get structural data (1), Get monitoring data (2), Activate regulating power (3), Update LFC setpoint (4), Plan market bids (5), Aggregate operational status (6) and Congestion management (7).

### PIXIT for Association model

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
As1	Maximum number of clients that can set-up an association simultaneously	Depending on type of device	Min 3 Max 10	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As2	TCP_KEEPALIVE value		1 SECOND	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As3	Lost connection detection time		20 SECONDS	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As4	Is authentication supported		O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
As5	What association parameters are necessary for successful association	Transport selector	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Session selector	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Presentation selector	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		AP Title	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		AE Qualifier	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As6	If association parameters are necessary for association, describe the correct values e.g.	Transport selector	0001	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Session selector	0001	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Presentation selector	00000001	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		AP Title	<value>	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		AE Qualifier	<value>	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As7	What is the maximum and minimum MMS PDU size	Max MMS PDU size	...	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Min MMS PDU size	...	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
As8	What is the maximum start up time after a power supply interrupt		300 seconds	M	M	M	M	M	M	M

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O							
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Sr1	Which analogue value (MX) quality bits are supported (can be set by server)	Validity:									
		Good	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Invalid	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Reserved	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Questionable	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Overflow	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		OutofRange	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		BadReference	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Oscillatory	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Failure	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		OldData	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Inconsistent	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Inaccurate	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Source:									
		Process	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Substituted	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Test	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M		
OperatorBlocked	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M		
Sr2	Which status value (ST) quality bits are supported (can be set by server)	Validity:									
		Good	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Invalid	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Reserved	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Questionable	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		BadReference	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Oscillatory	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Failure	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		OldData	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Inconsistent	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Inaccurate	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		Source:									
		Process	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Substituted	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Test	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		OperatorBlocked	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Sr5	Which Mode / Behaviour values are supported	On	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	
		Blocked	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
		Test	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
		Test/Blocked	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	
		Off	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	

*Note: The mode/behaviour is tied to the group reference, not all logical nodes can be switched off at any time, since it may affect the behaviour of the whole DER facility. The behaviour must be set to ON at start-up of any logical node.*

*PIXIT for Data set model*

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ds1	What is the maximum number of data elements in one data set (compare ICD setting)		User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Ds2	How many persistent data sets can be created by one or more clients		User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Ds3	How many non-persistent data sets can be created by one or more clients		User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M

*PIXIT for Substitution model*

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Sb1	Are substituted values stored in volatile memory?	Y/N	User defined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

*PIXIT for Setting group control model*

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Sg1	What is the number of supported setting groups for each logical device (compare NumSG in the SGCB)		User defined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sg2	What is the effect of when and how the non-volatile storage is updated (compare IEC 61850-8-1 §16.2.4)		User defined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sg3	Can multiple clients edit the same setting group		N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sg4	What happens if the association is lost while editing a setting group		Shall revert to the old data	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sg5	Is EditSG value 0 allowed?		N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Rp1	The supported trigger conditions are (compare PICS)	integrity	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
		data change	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
		quality change	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
		data update	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		general interrogation	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
Rp2	The supported optional fields are	sequence-number	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
		report-time-stamp	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		reason-for-inclusion	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		data-set-name	M	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
		data-reference	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		buffer-overflow	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		entryID	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		conf-rev	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
		segmentation	O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
Rp3	Can the server send segmented reports		O	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
Rp4	Mechanism on second internal data change notification of the same analogue data value within buffer period (Compare IEC 61850-7-2 §14.2.2.9)	Send report immediately OR Replace analogue value in pending report	Send report immediately	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
Rp5	Multi client URCB approach (compare IEC 61850-7-2 §14.2.1)		Each URCB is visible to all clients	0	O	0	0	0	O	0
Rp6	What is the format of EntryID			0	O	0	0	0	O	0
Rp7	What is the buffer size for each BRCB or how many reports can be buffered	<number of bytes or typical number of dataset members or reports>	User defined	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
Rp9	May the reported data set contain: - structured data objects? - data attributes?		Y Y	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
Rp10	What is the scan cycle for binary events? Is this fixed, configurable	Fixed	Max 200 ms User defined for each IED	0	M	0	0	0	M	0
Rp11	Does the device support to pre-assign a RCB to a specific client in the SCL		User defined	0	M	0	0	0	M	0



PIXIT for Logging model

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lg1	What is the default value of LogEna (Compare IEC 61850-8-1 §17.3.3.2.1, the default value should be FALSE)		FALSE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lg2	What is the format of EntryID (Compare IEC 61850-8-1 §17.3.3.3.1)	MMS octet string (00000000)	User defined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lg3	If there are multiple Log Control Blocks that specify the Journaling of the same MMS NamedVariable and TrgOps and the Event Condition (Compare IEC 61850-8-1 §17.3.3.3.2)	Single Journal Entry (specify the event condition) or Multiple Journal Entries	User defined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lg4	Pre-configured LCB attributes that cannot be changed online	No restrictions		0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PIXIT for Control model

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ct1	What control models are supported (compare PICS)	status-only	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
		direct-with-normal-security	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
		sbo-with-normal-security	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		direct-with-enhanced-security	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		sbo-with-enhanced-security	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ct2	Is the control model fixed, configurable and/or online changeable?		FIXED	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct3	Is TimeActivatedOperate supported		O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ct4	Is "operate-many" supported		NO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ct5	Will the DUT activate the control output when the test attribute is set in the SelectWithValue and/or Operate request (when N test procedure Ct12 is applicable)		O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ct6	What are the conditions for the time (T) attribute in the SelectWithValue and/or Operate request	e.g. DUT ignores the time value and execute the command as usual	User defined	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct7	Is pulse configuration supported	Y/N	O	0	0	M	0	0	0	M

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O							
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Ct8	What is the behaviour of the DUT when the check conditions are set  Is this behaviour fixed, configurable, online changeable?	Y/N synchrocheck Y/N interlock-check DUT ignores the check value and always perform the check or DUT uses the check value to perform the check Fixed / Configurable / Online changeable	O, Device dependant	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
Ct9	What additional cause diagnosis are supported	Blocked-by-switching-hierarchy	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Select-failed	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Invalid-position	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
		Position-reached	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
		Parameter-change-in-execution	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Step-limit	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		BLOCKED-BY-MODE	O NOT REQUIRED FOR FUNCTIONS WITH MANDATORY MODE ON	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
		BLOCKED-BY-PROCESS	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Blocked-by-interlocking	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Blocked-by-synchrocheck	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Command-already-in-execution	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
		Blocked-by-health	M	0	0	M	0	0	0	0	M
		1-of-n-control	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Abortion-by-cancel	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Time-limit-over	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Abortion-by-trip	O	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Ct10	How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with SelectWithValue request?		User defined	0	0	M	0	0	0	M	
Ct11	How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with Select request?		User defined	0	0	M	0	0	0	M	
Ct12	How to force a "test-not-ok" respond with Operate request?	DONs: SBOs: DOes: SBOes:	User defined	0	0	M	0	0	0	M	

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ct13	Which origin categories are supported?	All as listed in 7-3, Ed 2, table 10		0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct14	What happens if the orCat value is not supported?	DOns: SBOs: DOes: SBOes:	User defined	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct15	Does the IED accept a SelectWithValue/Operate with the same ctlVal as the current status value?	DOns: Y/N SBOs: Y/N DOes: Y/N SBOes: Y/N	Yes Yes Yes Yes	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct16	Does the IED accept a select/operate on the same control object from 2 different clients at the same time?	DOns: Y/N (default Y) SBOs: Y/N (default N) DOes: Y/N (default Y) SBOes: Y/N (default N)	Yes No Yes No	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct17	Does the IED accept a Select/SelectWithValue from the same client when the control object is already selected (tissue 334)	SBOs: Y/N SBOes: Y/N	Yes Yes	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct18	Is for SBOes the internal validation performed during the SelectWithValue and/or Operate step?	SelectWithValue / Operate / SelectWithValue and Operate	As minimum, at Operate	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct20	Does the IED support local / remote operation?	Y/N	User defined, depending on type of IED	0	0	M	0	0	0	M
Ct21	Does the IED send an InformationReport with LastApplError as part of the Operate response- for control with normal security?	SBOs: Y/N DOns: Y/N	Optional	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PIXIT for Time and time synchronisation model

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Tm1	What quality bits are supported (may be set by the IED)	LeapSecondsKnown	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		ClockFailure	O	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
		ClockNotSynchronized	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm2	Describe the behaviour when the time synchronization signal/messages are lost	After some time, Clock not synchronised bit is set	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm3	When is the time quality bit "ClockFailure" set?		User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm4	When is the time quality bit "Clock not synchronised" set?	Loss of signal or clock failure	User defined delay	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm5	Is the timestamp of a binary event adjusted to the configured scan cycle?	Y/N	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm6	Does the device support time zone and daylight saving?	Y/N	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
Tm7	Which attributes of the SNTP response packet are validated?	Leap indicator not equal to 3?	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		Mode is equal to SERVER	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		OriginateTimestamp is equal to value sent by the SNTP client as Transmit Timestamp	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		RX/TX timestamp fields are checked for reasonableness	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
		SNTP version 3 and/or 4	User defined	M	M	M	M	M	M	M

PIXIT for File transfer model

ID	Description	Clarification	Value	Use case M/O						
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ft1	What is structure of files and directories?		User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft2	Directory names are separated from the file name by	"/" or "\"	User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft3	The maximum file name size including path (recommended 64 chars)	... chars	User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft4	Are directory/file name case sensitive		Case sensitive	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft5	Maximum file size		User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft6	Is the requested file path included in the MMS fileDirectory respond file name?	Y/N	User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft7	Is the wild char supported MMS fileDirectory request?	Yes, wild card = *	No	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
Ft8	Is it allowed that 2 clients get a file at the same time?	Y/N	User defined	O	O	O	O	O	O	O

## ANNEX H – ICD-file example

In the following is shown an extract of an ICD file that describes the reference signal list and required ACSI services. Only those signals marked as mandatory (M) in the list are included in the ICD.

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<SCL revision="B" version="2007" xmlns="http://www.iec.ch/61850/2003/SCL"
xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.iec.ch/61850/2003/SCL SCL.xsd"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
<Header version="1" id="DER Gateway" toolID="TMW SCL Navigator V1.0" />
<Communication>
  <SubNetwork name="SubNetworkName">
    <ConnectedAP apName="AP" iedName="TEMPLATE_">
      <Address>
        <P type="OSI-AP-Title">1,1,9999,1</P>
        <P type="OSI-AE-Qualifier">12</P>
        <P type="OSI-PSEL">00000001</P>
        <P type="OSI-SSEL">0001</P>
        <P type="OSI-TSEL">0001</P>
      </Address>
    </ConnectedAP>
  </SubNetwork>
</Communication>
<IED name="TEMPLATE_" manufacturer="EURISCO" configVersion="1.0" originalSclRevision="B"
originalSclVersion="2007">
  <Services>
    <DynAssociation max="10" />
    <ConfLogControl max="10" />
    <GetDirectory />
    <GetDataObjectDefinition />
    <DataObjectDirectory />
    <GetDataSetValue />
    <SetDataSetValue />
    <DataSetDirectory />
    <ConfDataSet modify="true" maxAttributes="50" max="50" />
    <DynDataSet max="100" maxAttributes="50" />
    <ReadWrite />
    <ConfReportControl bufConf="true" bufMode="both" max="50" />
    <GetCBValues />
    <ReportSettings rptID="Dyn" trgOps="Dyn" intgPd="Dyn" optFields="Dyn" cbName="Conf"
datSet="Dyn" bufTime="Dyn" resvTms="true" owner="true" />
    <LogSettings trgOps="Dyn" intgPd="Dyn" datSet="Dyn" logEna="Dyn" />
    <FileHandling />
    <ConfLNs />
    <ConfSigRef max="100" />
  </Services>
  <AccessPoint name="AP">
    <Server>
      <Authentication />
      <LDevice inst="AF" desc="Facility Information">
        <LN lnType="MHET_Prod" lnClass="MHET" inst="1" prefix="" desc="Production of
heat for District Heating" />
      </LDevice>
      <LDevice inst="HG1" desc="Power plant system">
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    <LN lnType="MMXU_VPar" lnClass="MMXU" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="CSWI_BrkInd" lnClass="CSWI" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DRCC_PSetPt" lnClass="DRCC" inst="1" prefix="" />
  </LDevice>
  <LDevice inst="HG2GA1" desc="Boiler-turbine-generator unit">
    <LN lnType="DRCC_GenStrTm" lnClass="DRCC" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DRCS_DERUnit" lnClass="DRCS" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="1" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 1 (primary) active status over" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="2" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 2 (primary) active status under" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="3" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 3 (critical) active status high over" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="4" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 4 (critical) active status low under" />
  </LDevice>
  <LDevice inst="HG3GA1" desc="Motor-generator set">
    <LN lnType="DRCC_GenStrTm" lnClass="DRCC" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DRCS_DERUnit_Motor" lnClass="DRCS" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="1" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 1 (primary) active status over" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="2" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 2 (primary) active status under" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="3" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 3 (critical) active status high over" />
    <LN lnType="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC" inst="4" prefix="" desc="Hz regulator
step 4 (critical) active status low under" />
  </LDevice>
  <LDevice inst="HG2GA1GA" desc="B-t-g unit generator">
    <LN lnType="MMXU_VPar" lnClass="MMXU" inst="1" prefix="" />
    <LN lnType="DGEN_St" lnClass="DGEN" inst="1" prefix="" />
  </LDevice>
  <LDevice inst="HG3GA1GA" desc="M-g set generator">
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    <LN lnType="DGEN_St" lnClass="DGEN" inst="1" prefix="" />
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</Server>
</AccessPoint>
</IED>
<DataTypeTemplates>
  <LNNodeType id="MHET_Prod" lnClass="MHET">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="HeatOut" type="MV" />
    <DO name="MatTyp" type="ENG_MaterialKind" desc="M-not-used" />
  </LNNodeType>
  <LNNodeType id="MMXU_VPar" lnClass="MMXU" desc="Voltage_Power-active-reactive">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="TotW" type="MV0" desc="Active power at PCC" />
    <DO name="TotVAr" type="MV0" desc="Reactive power at PCC" />
    <DO name="PPV" type="DEL0" desc="3 phase voltage at PCC" />
  </LNNodeType>
  <LNNodeType id="CSWI_BrkInd" lnClass="CSWI">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="Pos" type="DPC" />
  </LNNodeType>
  <LNNodeType id="DRCC_PSetPt" lnClass="DRCC">

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    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="OutWSet" type="APC0" desc="P Set Point" />
    <DO name="DERStr" type="APC" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="DERStop" type="APC" desc="M-not-used" />
</LNNodeType>
<LNNodeType id="DRCC_GenStrTm" lnClass="DRCC">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="DERStr" type="APC1" desc="Generator start time" />
    <DO name="DERStop" type="TMW_Generated_APC" desc="M-not-used" />
</LNNodeType>
<LNNodeType id="DRCS_DERUnit" lnClass="DRCS">
    <DO name="RemOpTms" type="INS" desc="Remaining operational run time" />
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" /><DO name="OpTmh" type="INS" desc="M-
not-used" />
    <DO name="ECPConn" type="SPS" desc="Breaker status" />
    <DO name="AutoMan" type="SPS" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="ModOnConn" type="SPS" desc="Running and engaged" />
    <DO name="ModOnAval" type="SPS" desc="Running and ready for engaging" />
    <DO name="ModOffAval" type="SPS" desc="Stopped and ready to start" />
    <DO name="ModOffUnav" type="SPS" desc="Stopped but not ready to start" />
    <DO name="Loc" type="SPS" desc="In local-control mode" />
</LNNodeType>
<LNNodeType id="DRCS_DERUnit_Motor" lnClass="DRCS">
    <DO name="RemOpTms" type="INS" desc="Remaining operational run time" />
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="OpTmh" type="INS" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="ECPConn" type="SPS" desc="Breaker status" />
    <DO name="AutoMan" type="SPS" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="ModOnConn" type="SPS" desc="Running and engaged" />
    <DO name="ModOnAval" type="SPS" desc="Running and ready for engaging" />
    <DO name="ModOffAval" type="SPS" desc="Stopped and ready to start" />
    <DO name="ModOffUnav" type="SPS" desc="Stopped but not ready to start" />
    <DO name="ModStr" type="SPS" desc="Motor starting" />
    <DO name="Loc" type="SPS" desc="In local-control mode" />
</LNNodeType>
<LNNodeType id="DSFC_HzRegSt" lnClass="DSFC">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="Blk" type="SPS" />
    <DO name="ClcExp" type="SPS" />
    <DO name="HzActSt" type="SPS" />
    <DO name="HzPwr" type="MV" />
    <DO name="Droop" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="RefHz" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="RegBndOvHz" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="RegDbOvHz" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="RegBndUnHz" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="RegDbUnHz" type="ASG" />
    <DO name="PwrRsvUnHz" type="ASG" />
</LNNodeType>
<LNNodeType id="DGEN_St" lnClass="DGEN">
    <DO name="Beh" type="ENS_BehaviourModeKind" />
    <DO name="OpTmh" type="INS" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="GnOpSt" type="ENS_DERGeneratorStateKind" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="GenSynSt" type="SPS" desc="Generator sync status" />
    <DO name="OpTmsRs" type="INS" desc="M-not-used" />
    <DO name="TotWh" type="MV" desc="M-not-used" />

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</NodeType>  
<!-- DType's below here -->  
<!-- DType's below here -->  
<!-- EnumType's below here -->  
</DataTypeTemplates>  
</SCL>
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