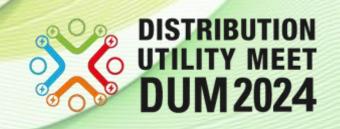


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# Session: SESSION 4 PRESENTATION TOPIC Digitalization of MV Switchgear & Its Installation

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## **INTRODUCTION- Company Profile**



- Stelmec Ltd company is manufacturing MV switchgear for past two decades
- Stelmec has two plant in outskirts of Mumbai and one is in Ahmedabad
- Stelmec Product's ranges are up to 36KV VCB panel of Indoor & outdoor & C&R panels.
- Stelmec represent in pan India & exports
- Our CCD (customer care Dept.) team is not only provides for post order support but contributes installation & commissioning support including continuous training to the end users.
- Our dedicated R&D team works continuously to update & Upgrade the Products & its Technology to meet the customer needs.



## **INTRODUCTION- Digital Platform in MV**

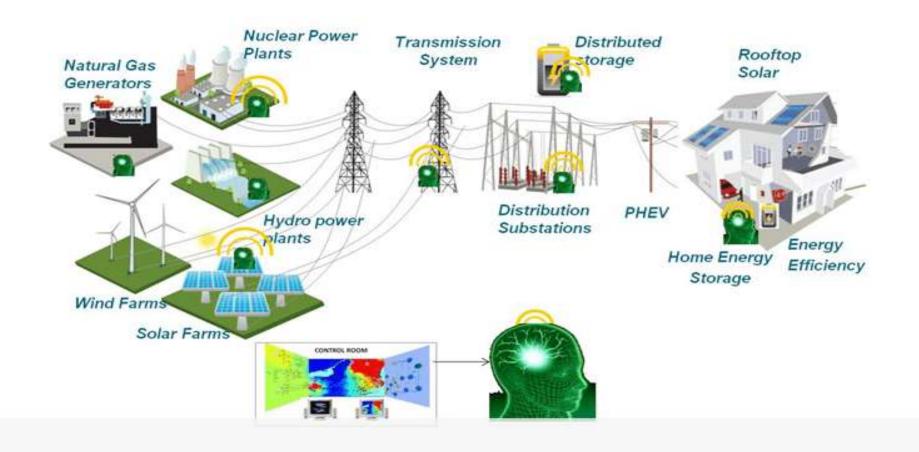


- Digital medium voltage (MV) switchgear adoption is on the rise in Globally & offering significant benefits for manufacturers and industrial setting that helps in the smart management of Power Supply systems to boost efficiency, reliability and safety, energy management, protecting the environment and reducing power bills.
- The intelligent switchgear industry is evolving at a rapid pace with continuous developments in infrastructure and production facilities which play a significant role in the distribution of electricity to industries and residential areas. The adoption of digital medium voltage (MV) switchgear is driven by several key growth drivers, including escalating industry demand, predictive maintenance capabilities, operational and maintenance cost reduction, and enhanced communication capabilities.
- Thus, smart switchgear takes protection, monitoring and control to the next level, leading to improved efficiency of the installation in which these are deployed.





# Why we need Power System Protection?





## **MV Switchgear- Digitization**



#### **Key functions for Digitalization of Switchgear**

- Trip Coil in CB that operates by Local/Remote
- Close Coil in CB that operates by Local/Remote
- Spring Charge Motor operates to make Ready to close the CB
- Aux contacts are to know the status & Control of CB ON or Open
- Digital Relay & TVM are connected via CT/PT
- Motor operated Earth switches that can be operated by remote
- Incase Draw out CB, Rack-IN-OUT by Motor that can be operated by remote.
- The above equipment's controls are connected to the Relay.
- Finally the main Digital Relay & TVM can be connected via IOT or RTU to the control centers in Digital Platform for continuous monitoring & control.
- Some more advanced sensors for Internal Arc, Humidity, Temperatures, etc. are also can be digitalized to monitor & control
- Hence Switchgear is Ready to the Digital platform





As the distribution network has become highly complicated nowadays, utilities need to look forward to automating substations to enhance their functionality and efficiency and improve power transmission quality.

A remote monitoring and controlling system is thus needed to reduce cost, time, labour and save energy for sustainable development.

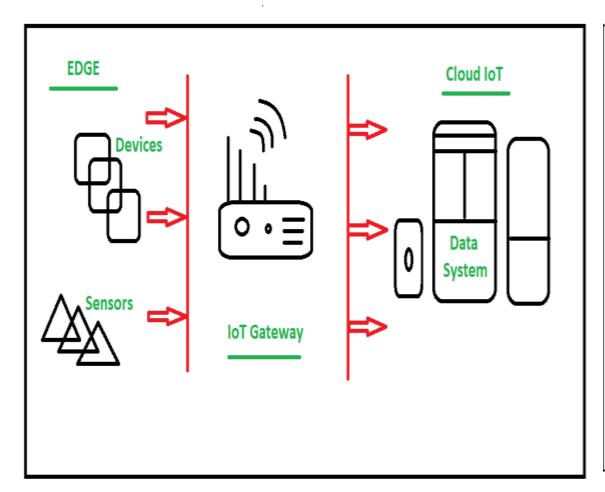
This chapter is based on the application of the Internet of Things (IoT) for substation monitoring and controlling. The monitoring of substations using IoT will assist the distribution network in diagnosing the local faults and displaying them on a web server for remote monitoring and a power station on an LCD. This will help prevent faults and damage to power system equipment from unfavourable conditions and thus maintain the power supply

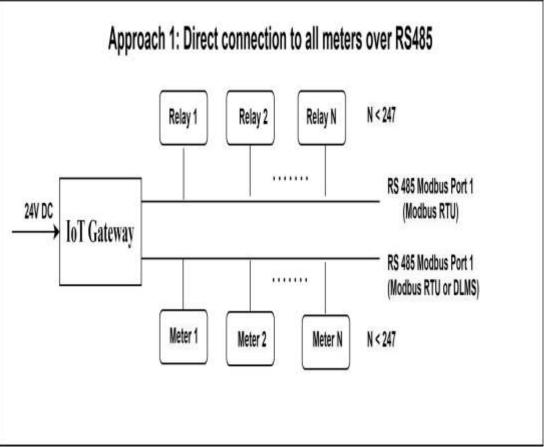
**Benefits of Substation Automation** 

Improved Reliability, Increased Safety, Reduced Costs, Sustainability, etc.



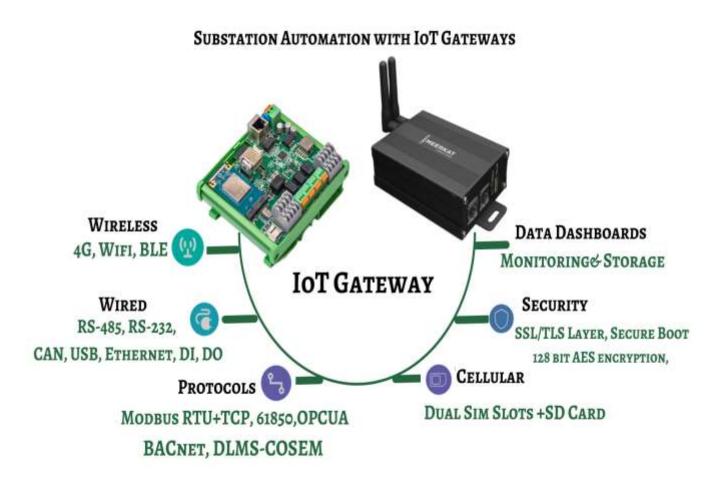


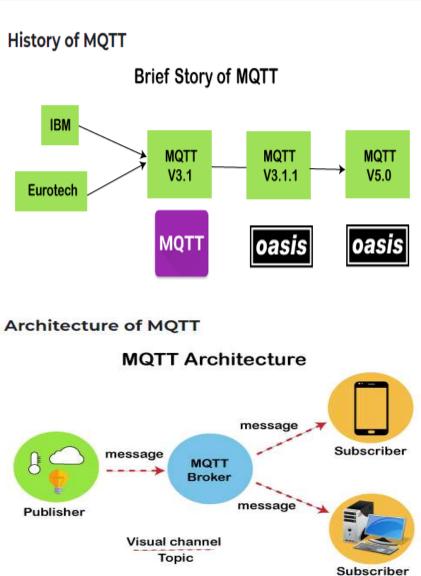






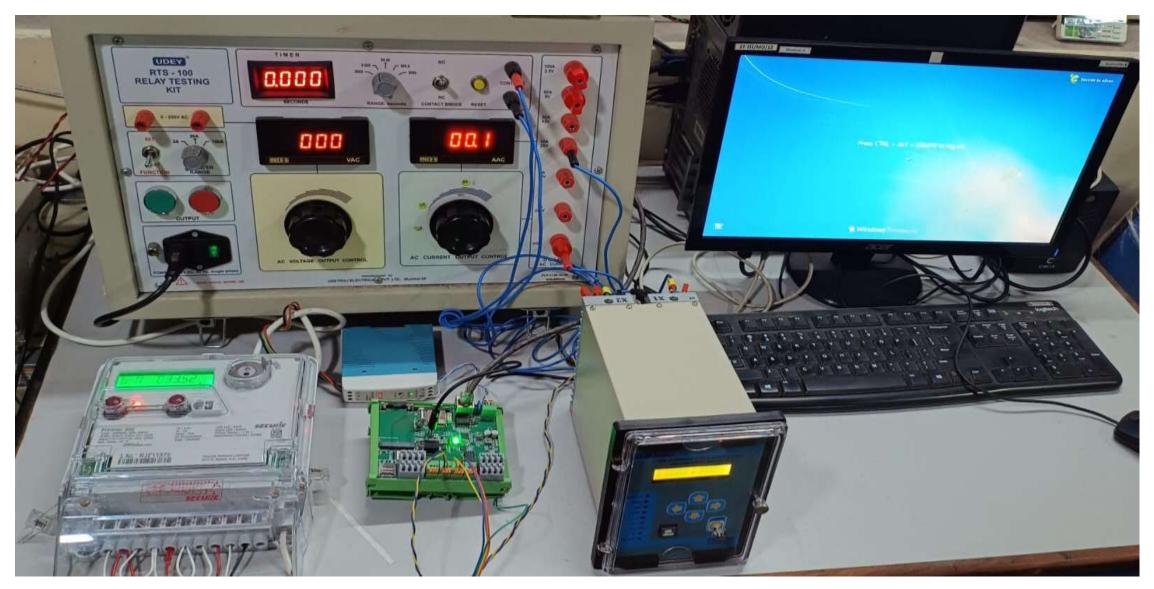














#### **SCADA Based Substation & Automation**



#### **SCADA Substation & Automation in MV Switchgear**

• Explore the integration of SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) systems and automation within medium voltage (MV) electrical switchgear, revolutionizing power grid management and enhancing reliability, efficiency, and safety.

#### **Introduction to SCADA Systems**

Real-time Monitoring, Data Acquisition, Remote Control, Enhanced Security, etc.

#### The 3 main components of SCADA systems

• 1)Remote Terminal Units (RTUs) ,2) Programmable Logic Controllers (PLCs): ,3) Human-Machine Interface (HMI):

#### Importance of Automation in Switchgear

• Increased Reliability, Improved Efficiency, Enhanced Safety, etc.

Slide



#### **SCADA Based Substation & Automation**



#### **Future Trends and Innovations**

#### **Cloud-based SCADA**

Leveraging the cloud for scalable, cost-effective, and secure SCADA deployments.

#### **Al-powered Analytics**

Utilizing machine learning and artificial intelligence for predictive maintenance and optimization.

#### **IoT Integration**

Integrating IoT devices to enhance data collection and enable smart grid applications.

#### **AR/VR Visualization**

Leveraging augmented and virtual reality for improved situational awareness and remote operations.

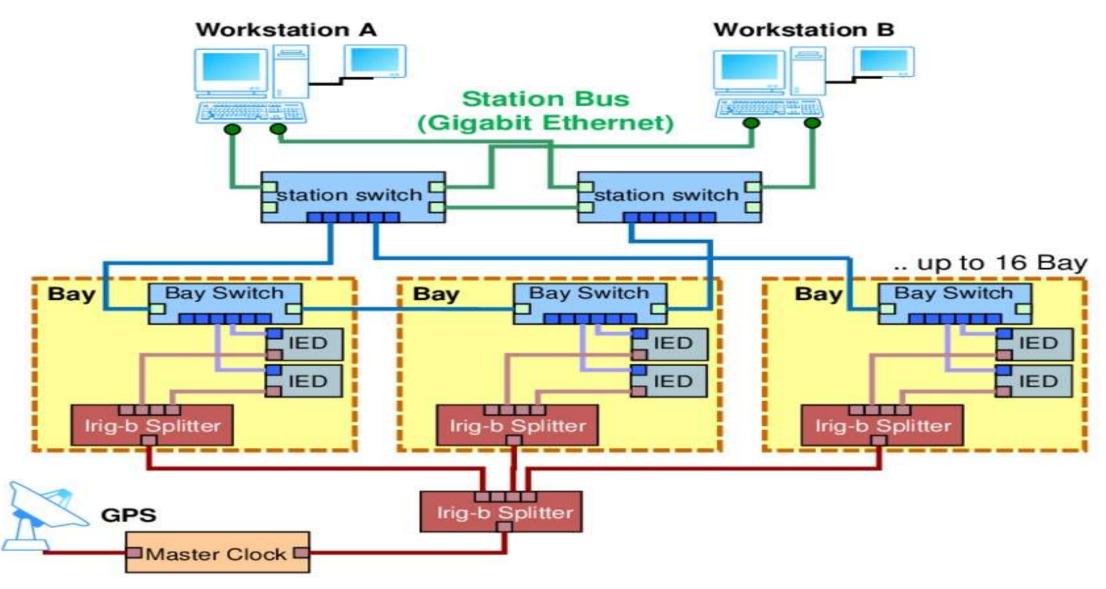
#### **IEC 61850 Relay and its SCADA Operation**

IEC 61850 is a critical standard for substation automation, enabling seamless communication between intelligent electronic devices (IEDs) like protective relays and SCADA systems..



#### **SCADA** based Substation & Automation

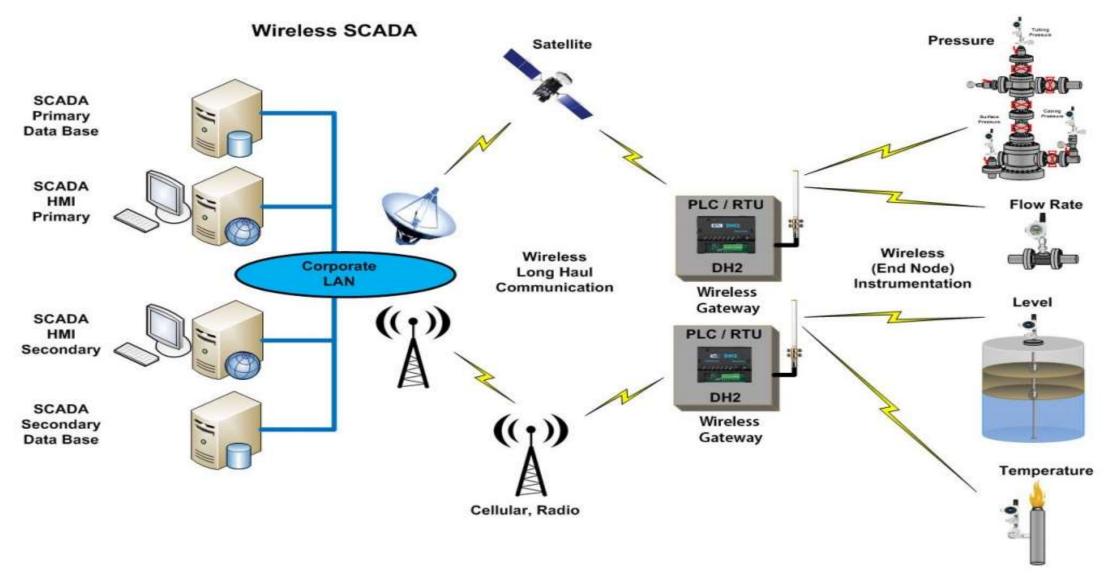






#### **SCADA** based Substation & Automation







#### Conclusion



**Digital substations** represent a transformative shift in power grid management, offering enhanced efficiency, reliability, and resilience. As the industry continues to evolve, further advancements in artificial intelligence, IoT, and renewable energy integration will shape the future of these intelligent substations.

**Digital switchgear** revolutionizes how power is managed and distributed in three key areas: electrical distribution and control, protection and fault management, monitoring, data acquisition, and standards. As the industry focuses on advanced solutions, digital MV switchgear is gaining prominence, replacing conventional ones.

**IoT-based substation automation** represents a transformative shift in the management of electrical infrastructure. As technology continues to evolve, we can expect further advancements in areas like autonomous control, self-healing grids, and integrated renewable energy solutions, ultimately driving a more resilient and efficient power grid.



#### Conclusion



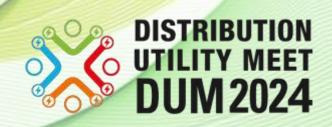
**Instrument transformers** are the foundation for digitalization in MV switchgear, providing the critical data inputs to unlock the full potential of smart grid technologies. As digitalization continues to evolve, the role of these transformers will only become more essential.

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# **THANK YOU**

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## **Tender Specification review**



## Area of Debate in customer's Specification.

- Current Transformer Rating
- Voltage Transformer Rating
- Numerical Relay Rating
- Switchgear Panel IA rating
- Bushing CT & Cable CT

Though it is seems to be minor but cost of the components added in totality of switchgear and we shall see the causes of the same in the next slides.



#### **IOT device Based Automation**



#### **MQTT in Action**

MQTT is used in a wide variety of industries















#### **Energy**

EMQ helps IoT innovation in the <u>petrochemical industry</u>

<u>Energy company</u> maximizing

MQTT for control

MQTT implementation on

Celikler Holding's <u>power plant</u>

<u>monitoring</u>



#### **Stelmec Products Pictures**



12 KV Indoor VCB panel

12 /36 KV Outdoor VCB Kiosk

**12/36 KV PCVCB** 

12KV RMU













Ring Type CT















**CT Sensor** 

Rowoski CT

Combined CT/PT sensor

PT sensor













Ullaria, Ahmedabad, Gujarat

**Land Area:** 1,49,895 sqft

Factory Area: 52,619 sqft

**Products Manufactured:** AIS, GIS, Kiosk

& Compact Sub-stn.

Key Certifications: ISO 9001:2015, ISO

14001:2015, OHSAS 18001:2007

#### Highlights:

- Strong in-house manufacturing setup
- Complete in-house Test setup
- Dedicated R&D Team and Facility



Usgaon, Thane, Maharashtra

**Land Area:** 1,63,000 sqft

Factory Area: 40,000 sqft

Products Manufactured: Outdoor VCB,

CRPs, RMU and Auto Recloser

Key Certifications: ISO 9001:2015, ISO

14001:2015, OHSAS 18001:2007

#### Highlights:

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Sativali, Thane, Maharastra

Land Area: 24,000 sqft

Factory Area: 7,000 sqft

Products Manufactured: Relays, VI & Meters

Key Certifications: ISO 9001:2015, ISO

14001:2015, ISO27001:2022

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#### Unit – I [Ahmedabad]

Lean line assembly of Medium Voltage Indoor Panels



Unit – II [Usgaon, Mumbai]

Final assembly of CRPs



#### Unit – I [Ahmedabad]

Lean line assembly of Medium Voltage VCB Kiosks



Unit – III Sativali, Mumbai]

Relay Assembly Plant