

# Thermal- and Electrical Energy Savings for the Paper Machine's Drying Section with Smart Process Control Systems

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1	Smart Controls
2	<i>Dynamic Process Optimization (Advance Process Control APC)</i>
2a	SIPAPER Bleach and Flotation (DIP)
2b	SIPAPER Dry Sec
5	Outlook

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# Siemens offers the most comprehensive portfolio for Process Industry and Drive



## Process Industry and Drive

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Process Automation	Large Drives	Mechanical Drives (Separate)	Process Solutions
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distributed control system (hardware and software) and plant engineering software</li> <li>• Process instrumentation for flow, level, pressure, temperature, weighing and positioners</li> <li>• Process analytics and analytical solutions</li> <li>• Wired and wireless industrial communication, rugged communication</li> <li>• Industrial identification</li> <li>• Industrial power supplies</li> </ul>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Low voltage motors and low voltage converters</li> <li>• High voltage motors and medium voltage converters</li> <li>• Motors, converters, control units and gears for traction, including rail, hybrid drives and mobile mining</li> <li>• Wind generators</li> <li>• Products, solutions and systems for cranes</li> <li>• Hydrogen solutions</li> </ul>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Helical gear units</li> <li>• Bevel-helical gear unit</li> <li>• Planetary gear units</li> <li>• Application specific gear units for industries</li> <li>• Couplings</li> <li>• Gear units and couplings services, spare parts</li> </ul>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closed ring power system (drilling)</li> <li>• BlueDrivePlusC™ diesel electric propulsion system (drilling and marine)</li> <li>• Pipeline solutions</li> <li>• Tankfarm &amp; refinery solutions</li> <li>• Fiber-, mining- and cement industry Systems and solutions</li> <li>• Off shore &amp; on shore production solutions</li> </ul>
Integrated drive systems			
Life cycle services			
Portfolio for cement, chemicals, cranes, fiber industry, food & beverage, glass & solar, marine, mining, oil & gas, pharmaceuticals, water			

# Fiber Industry – a Process Industry demanding integrated solutions and a complete product portfolio

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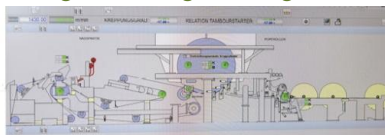
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Process Control System



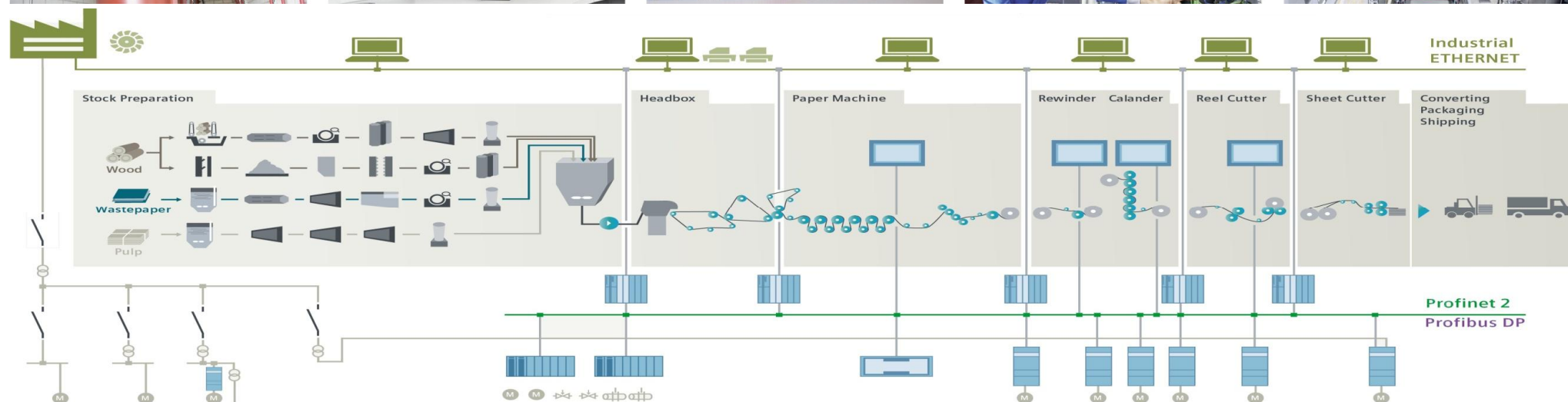
Integrated Engineering



Integrated Service



Data Analytics



Power Distribution, Motor Control Centers, Drives



Instruments



Quality Control



Sectional Drives



Gear Units



Process Motors

# Driving the Digital Enterprise in the Fiber Industry – with SIPAPER!



## The SIPAPER Portfolio

**World-class products**

**+**

**perfectly matching, industry-specific modules**

**Drive Technology**  
SINAMICS, SIMOTICS, FLENDER, .

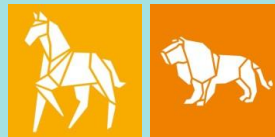
**Industrial Automation**  
SIMATIC, SIPLUS, ...

**Energy Management**  
SIMOCODE, SIVACON, SIPROTEC, ...

**Industry Services**  
Life Cycle Services, Plant Data Services, ...

### **SIPAPER Drive Systems**

SIPAPER Drives APL  
SIPAPER Winder APL  
FLENDER Gear Units  
for SIPAPER



### **SIPAPER Process Automation**

SIPAPER DCS APL  
SIPAPER QCS APL  
SIPAPER DPO  
SIPAPER PPA



### **SIPAPER Power Distribution**

SIPAPER Power



### **SIPAPER Operations**

SIPAPER Services



## Integrated SIPAPER Solutions

# Digitalization is the next level to yield productivity in the process industry

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## Technology is ready

Data Analytics  
Computing Power  
Connectivity  
Sensors



**Digitalization**



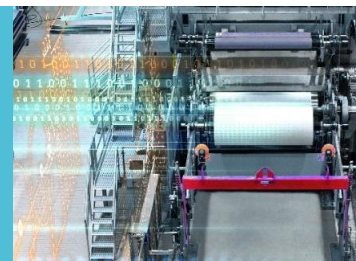
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Next level of productivity



**Automation**



Siemens as experienced partner for Automation and Electrification

**Electrification**



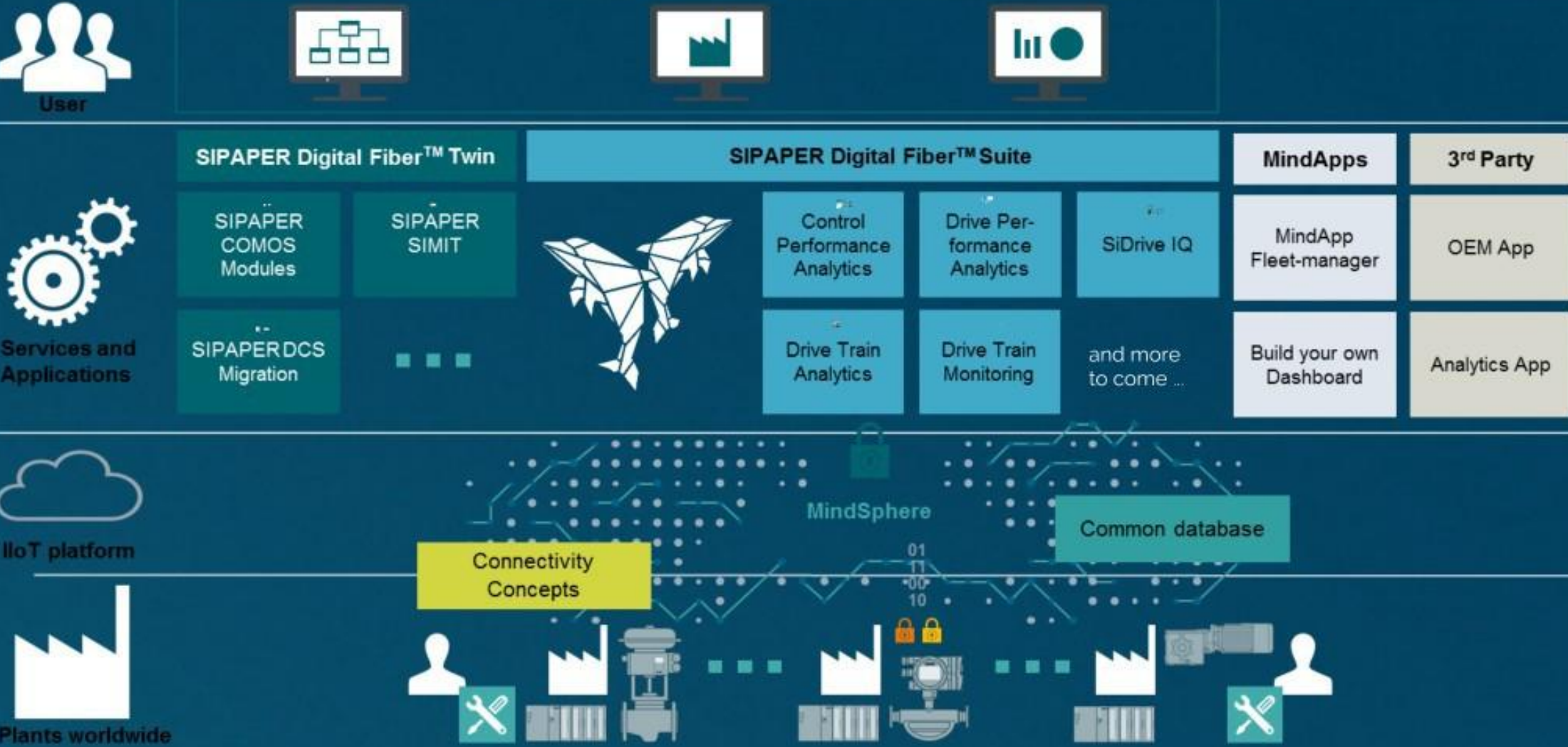
Pioneer for Electrification in industry

Time →



## Integrated Engineering

## Integrated Operations





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# Siemens SIPAPER Optimization



## Maintain Mill Operability



**Industrial Network Analytics**



**Drive Train Analytics**



**Machine Tool Analytics**

## Process Efficiency



**Control Performance Analytics**



**Process Event Analytics**



**Dynamic Process Optimization**

## Industry Security



**Assess Security**



**Implement Security**



**Manage Security**

## Energy efficiency



**Energy Analytics**

## Mind your digital future

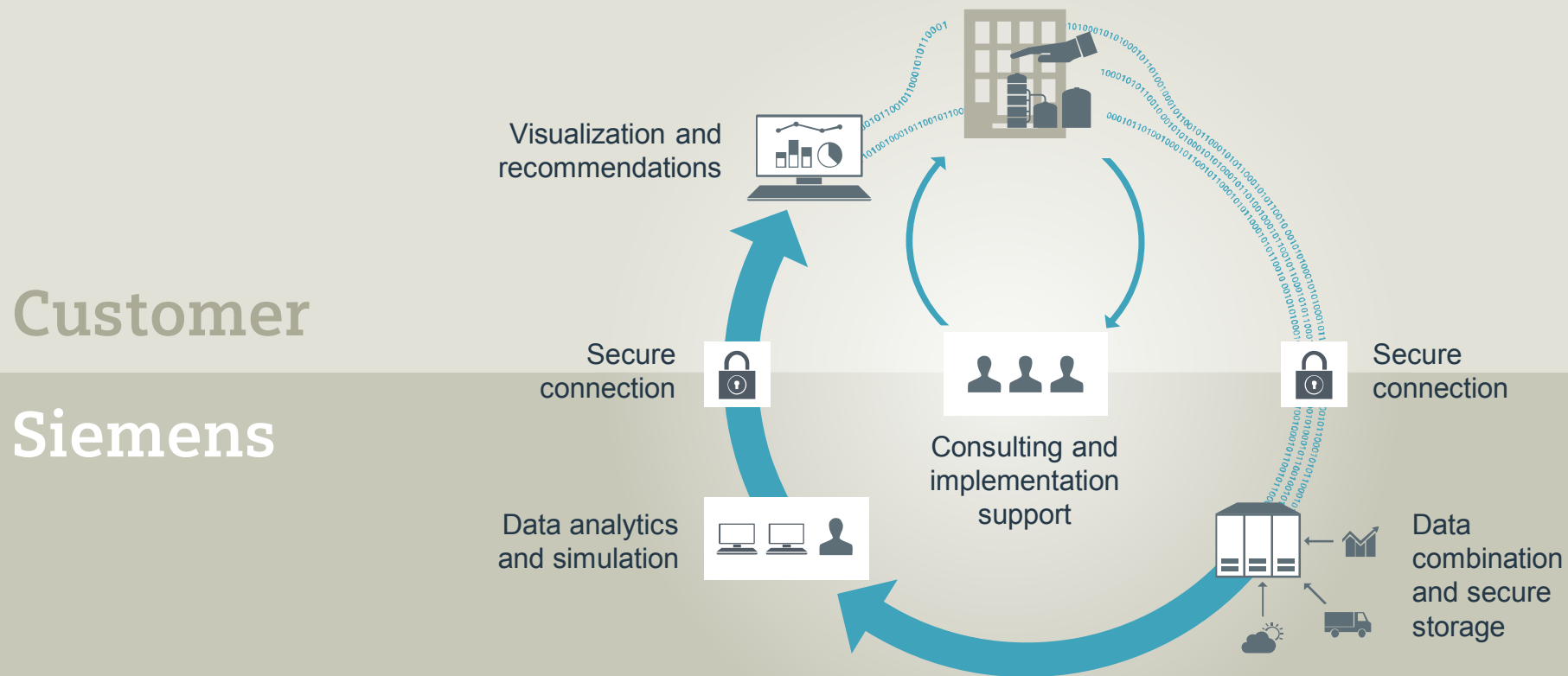


**MindSphere – Siemens Cloud for Industry**

# Cost Efficiency through a Managed Service Approach

## Process Data Analytics

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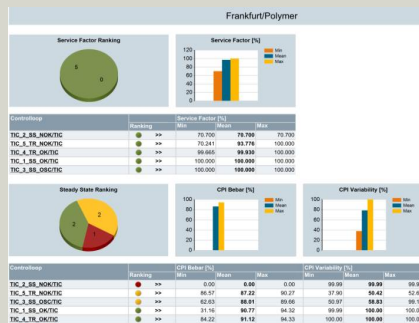


# Optimized process based on transparent control performance

## Process Data Analytics



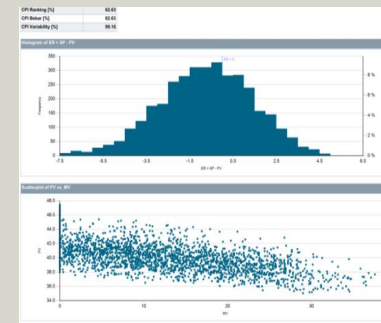
### Performance Reporting



- Long-term plant overview on control performance of all control loops
- Visualization of important indicators for prioritized optimization actions
- Stiction\* recognition KPI
- Analytics of historic data from 3<sup>rd</sup> party DCS

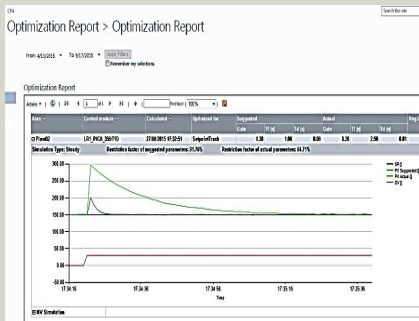
\* static friction

### Characteristics Reporting



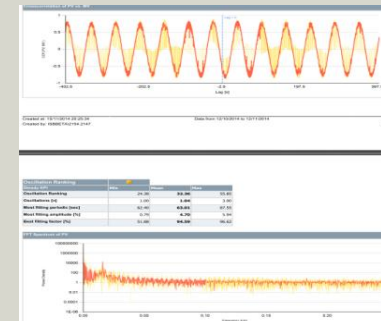
- Detailed information on control performance of each single loop
- Detailed KPIs for varying time frames
- Visualizes process data and characteristic diagrams like scatterplot, FFT spectrum, cross correlation for stiction recognition etc.

### Optimization Reporting



- Optimized control parameter for increased control loop performance

### Consultants Report



- Provides expert statements about the performance of individually analyzed control loops on request

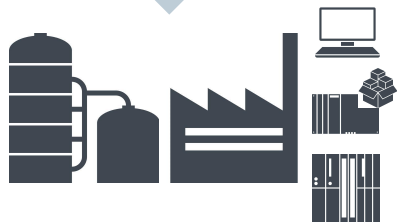
# Continuous Process Improvement with Siemens Process Data Analytics

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## Customer



Realization



Process Plant with PCS 7 DCS

Consultants Reports  
& Expert Consulting

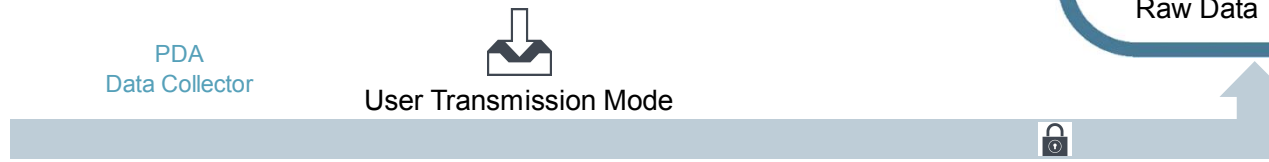


Reports &  
Recommendations



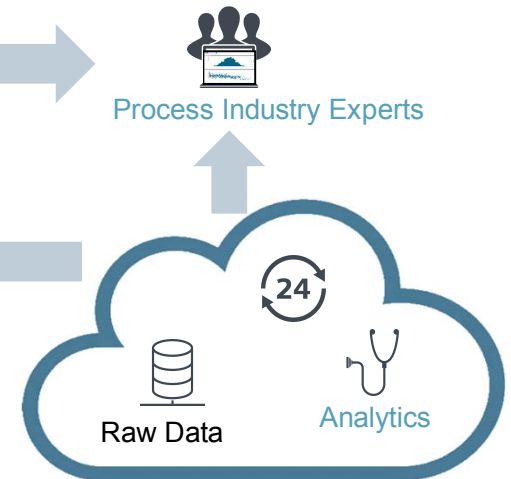
PDA  
Data Collector

User Transmission Mode



System Transmission Mode\*

## Siemens



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Cloud for Industry

\* Development

## Use Case: Asset and Process Performance

# Control Performance Analytics

### Customer benefits

Increased product quality, minimized equipment utilization, increased throughput, reduced operator work load

- Only **50%** of control loops are well tuned
- Siemens **Control Performance Analytics** is a cloud-based **service** that collects control loop data in an anonymized form via secure data connection and provides detailed reports and **suggestions for implementation**
- **Successful installations** in pulp and paper mill in **China**



# Automation Hierarchy ISA 95 Level Definitions

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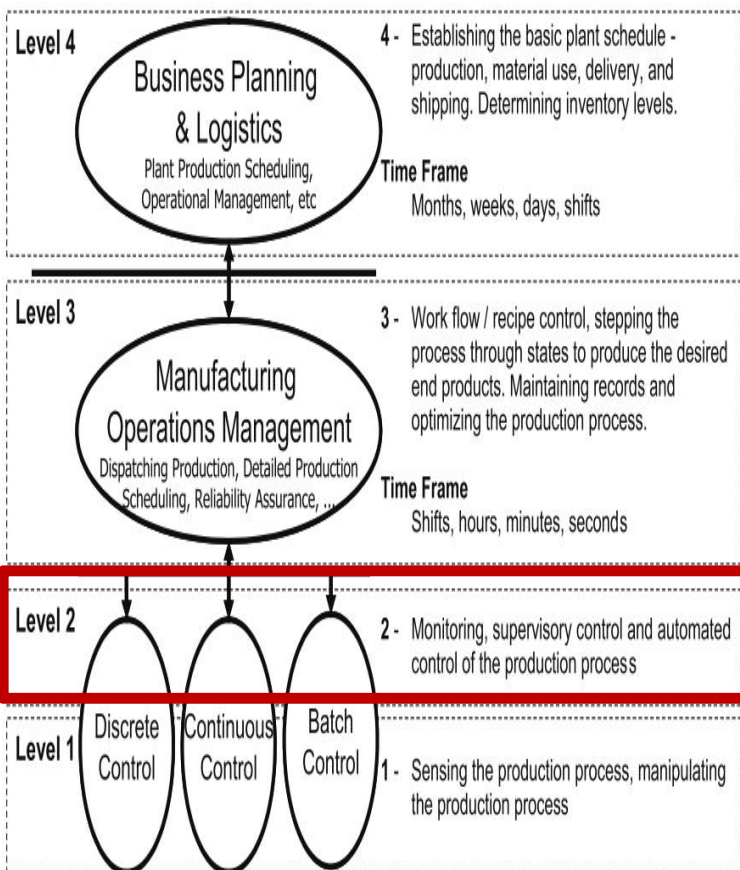
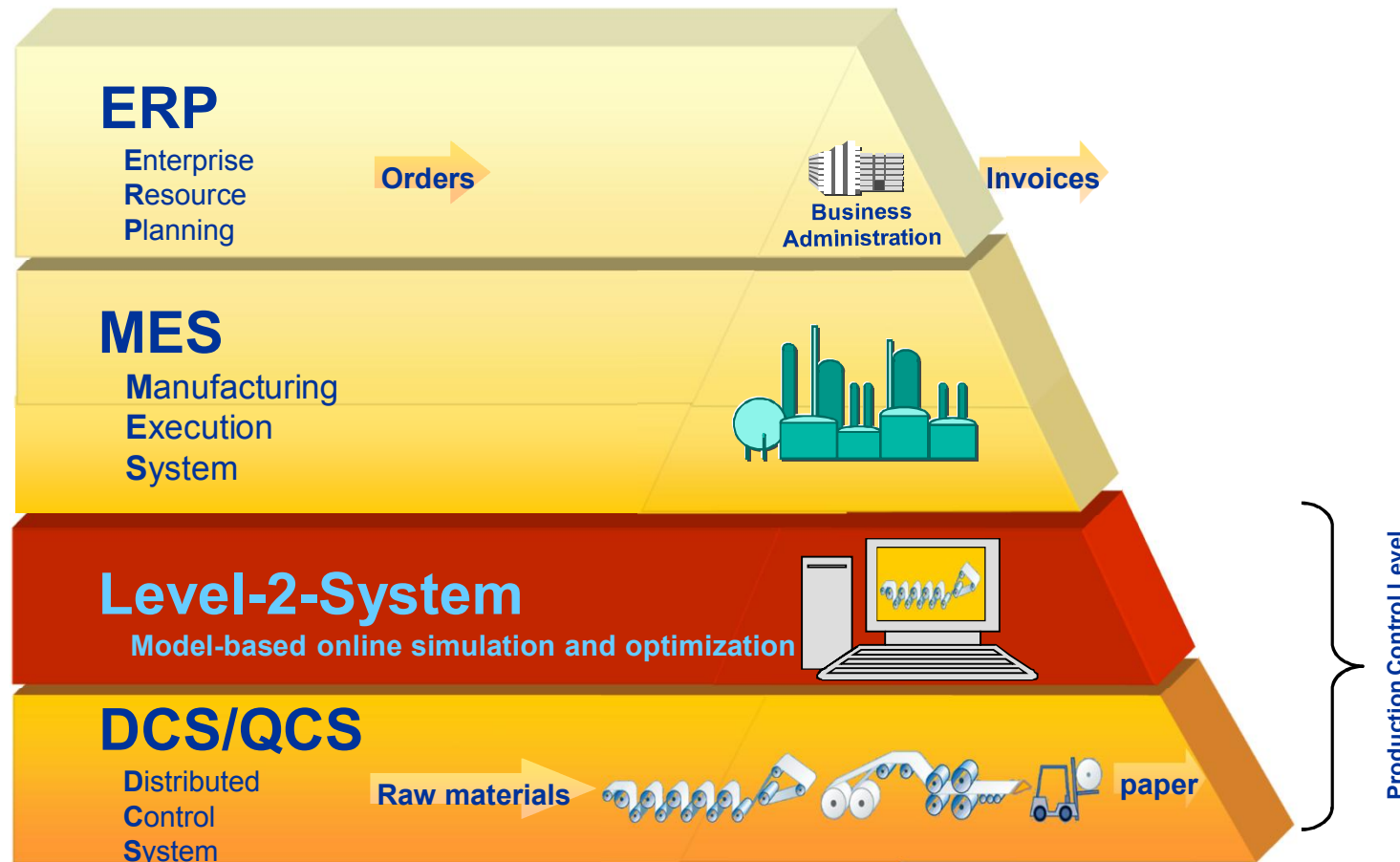
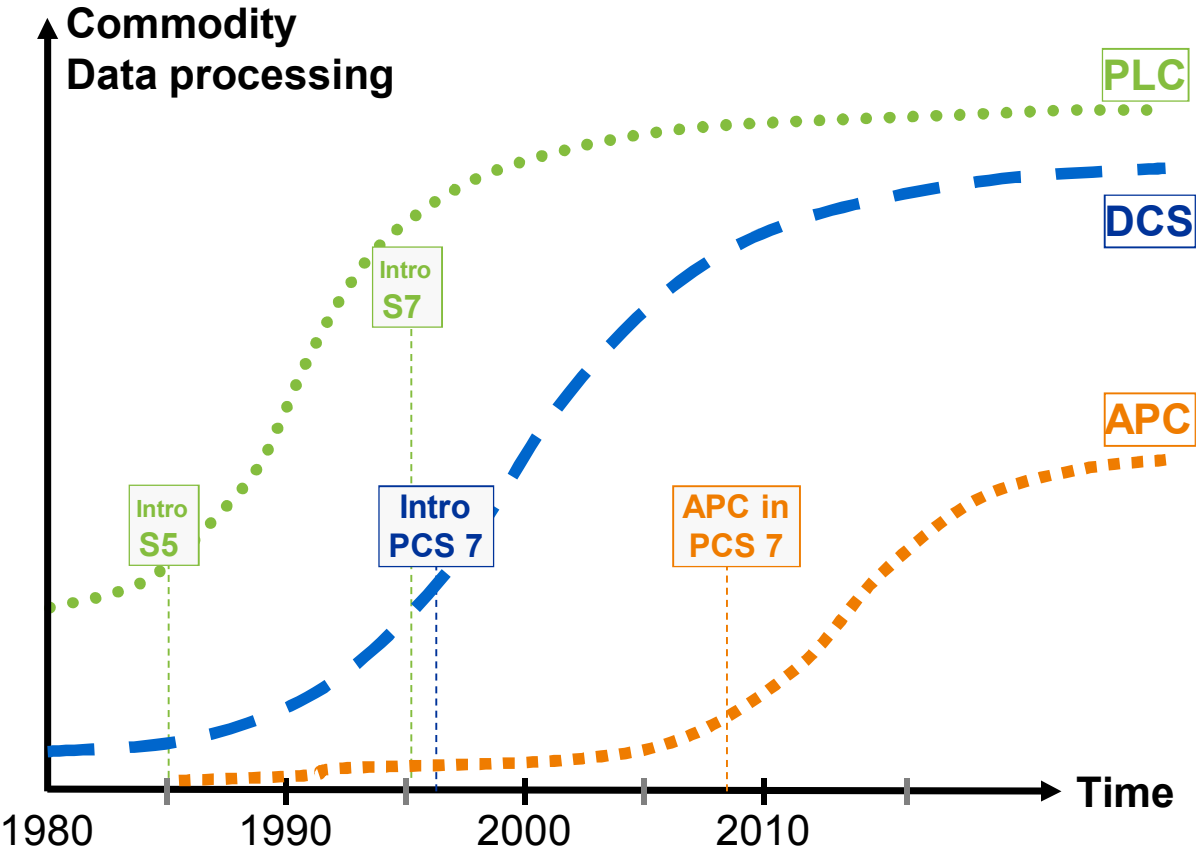


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APC is more and more becoming commodity

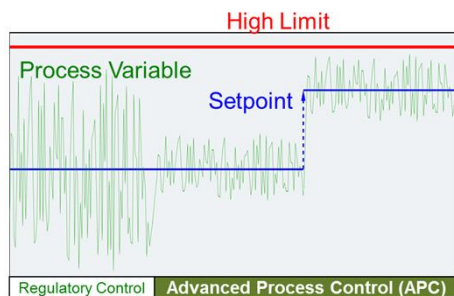


# The right tool for the right job: Improved Process Control through embedded APC



Industrie 4.0 use case – Optimizing operation: *Embedded APC with SIMATIC PCS 7*

## Initial situation



### Value Proposition

- Realize economic plant potential
- Reduced variability
- Reduced energy and raw material
- Increased quality and throughput
- Increasing trend

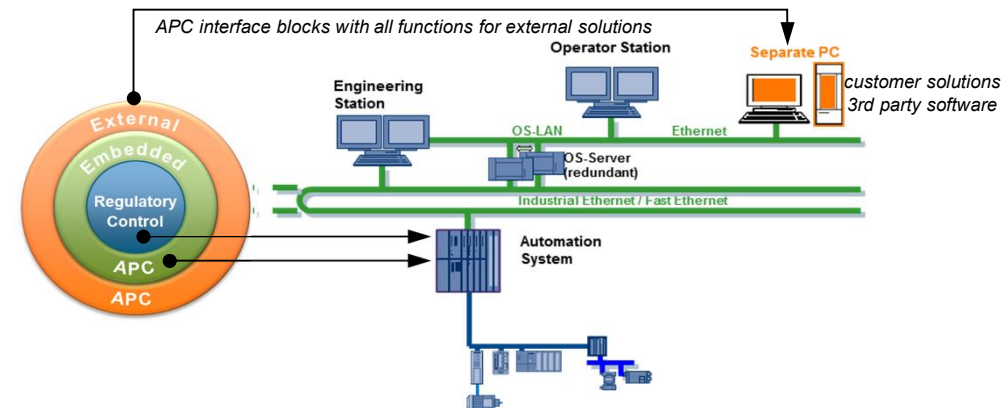
### Challenges

- Low barrier for **small applications**
- Sophisticated functionality for **large applications**
- **Standardized** across the company with central support
- High **availability** and same look and feel in operation
- Reduced **cost of technology** (design, implementation)
- Low **lifecycle cost** (e.g. Migration, transfer to other units)
- Low **training expense**

### Variations

Separate PC (External)	DCS integrated (Embedded)
	✓
✓	
✓	
	✓
	✓
	✓
	✓

## Full flexibility



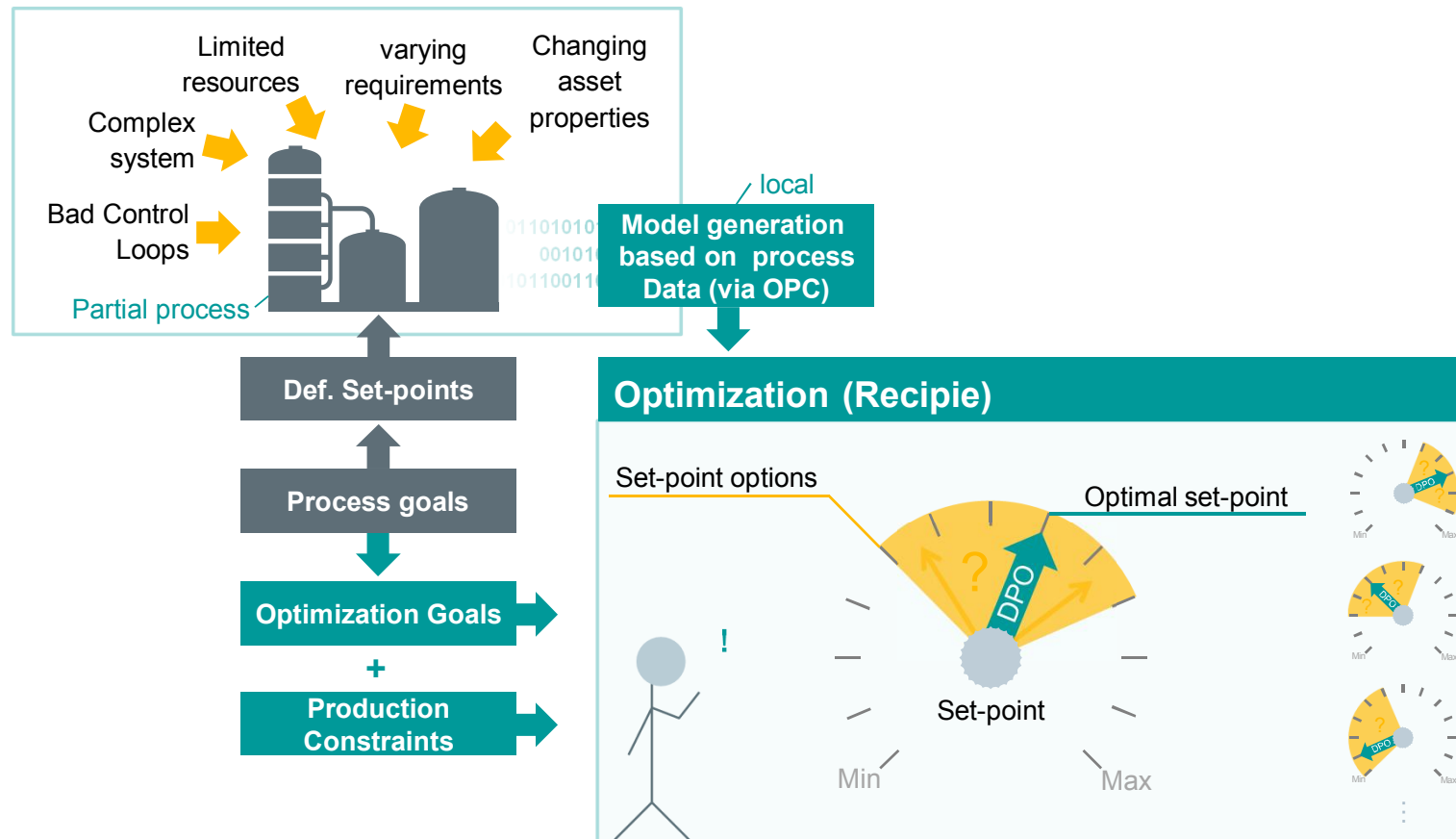
### Value-add

- Powerful controllers allow more embedded functionality and capabilities
- Set of functionalities available depending on application:
  - PID Tuner
  - Gain scheduling, override control, disturbance compensation, Smith Predictor
  - Model Predictive Control (MPC (4x4) or MPC10x10)
  - APC interface blocks with watch dog, central switch-over, etc.
- Control- and equipment modules (CM, EM), unit templates with APC



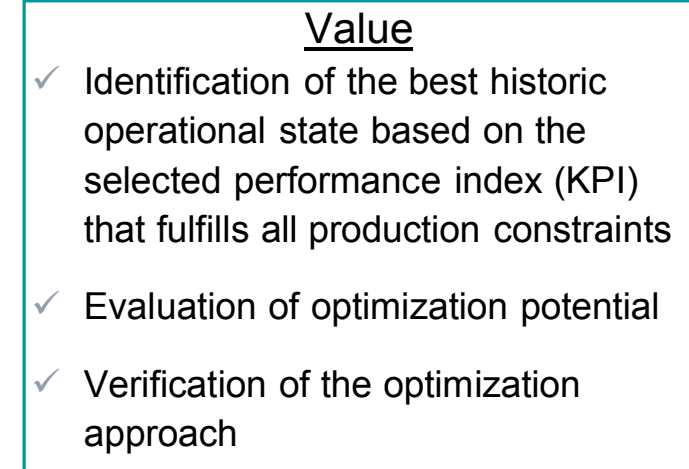
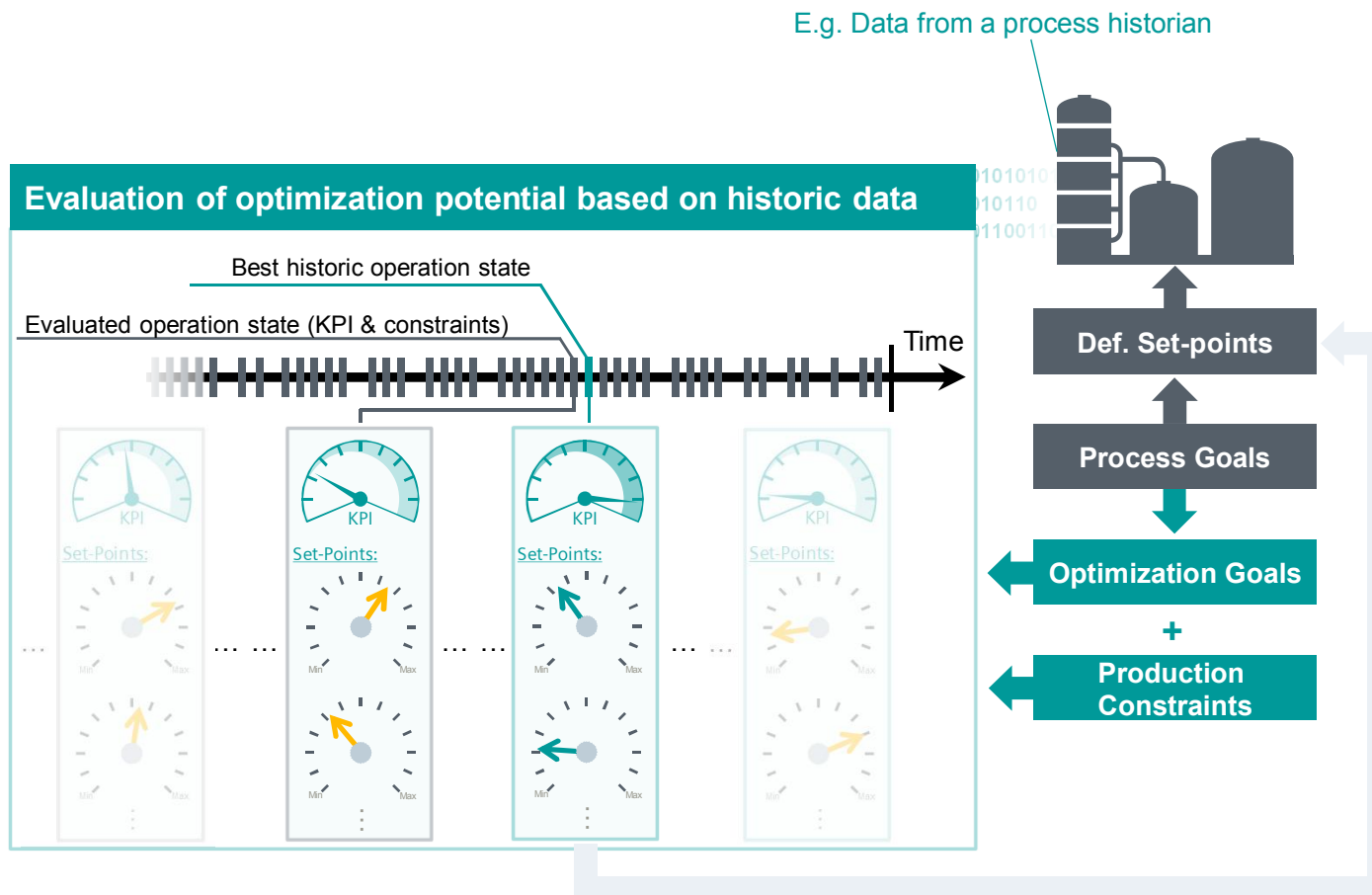
## What is DPO in principle?

Data driven set-point optimization for Process industries and Batch processes



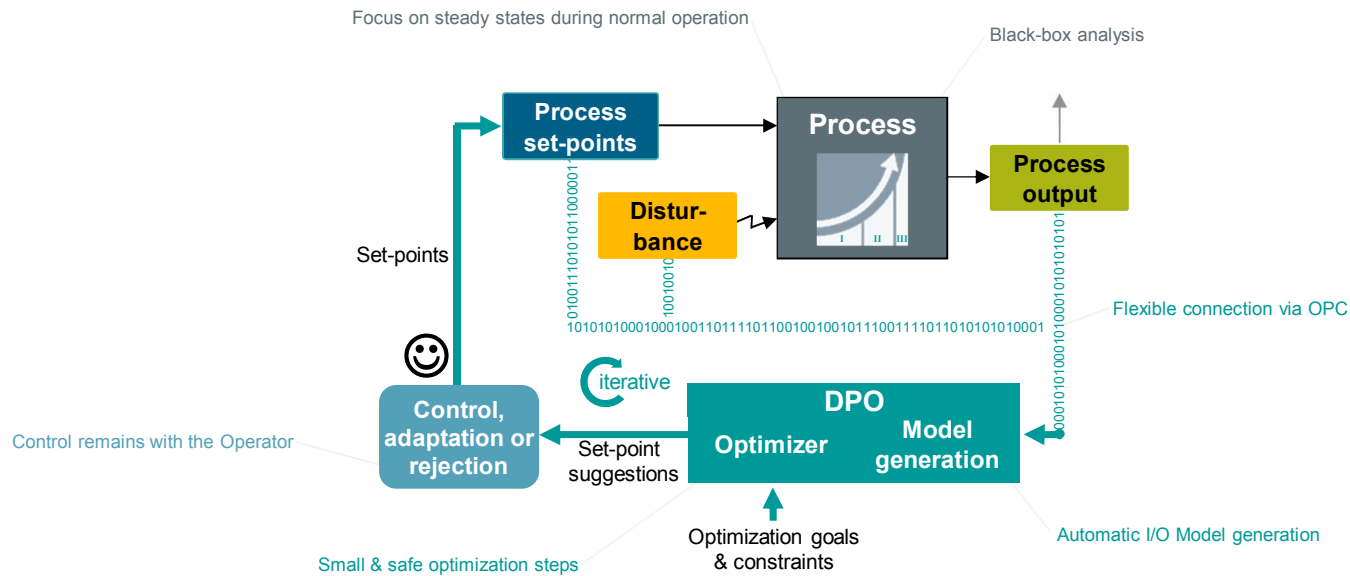
## DPO Historic

### Evaluation of optimization potential based on historical data



# DPO Live

Universal, iterative & data-driven economical optimization



## DPO optimization steps overview

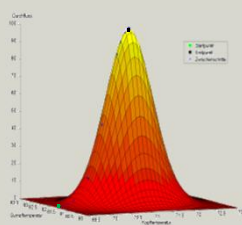
1. Collection of measurement data
2. Model generation of the stationary operation state
3. Optimization regarding a selected optimization goal in compliance with all process constraints
4. Generation of a new set-point suggestion
5. Adoption or adaption of the set-points
6. Continue with 1. until the optimization goal is achieved



# Dynamic Process Optimization

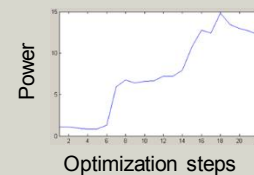
## Universal & Data-Driven Optimization

### Economic optimization focus



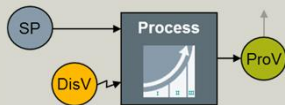
- Objective Performance & optimization transparency
- **Low application pre-requirements**
- Directly applicable optimization results

### Effective, simple, quick



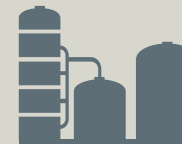
- **Cost effective**
- During normal operation in steady state
- No retrofiting
- Improvements after few iterations

### Safe asset optimization



- Checks before applying changes
- Compliant to all process constraints
- **Incremental optimization in small & controlled steps**

### Flexible usability



- **For almost all processes with steady states**
- Freely selectable optimization goal
- Data-driven
- Little effort for the operator

## Economical optimization of the stationary operation point based on selectable criteria

Energy – Throughput – Quality – Resources –Abrasion ...

# Pulp Impregnation & Cooking Example

## Rough example!

TODO: adapt, complete, verify

## Potential Optimization Goals?

- Balance NaOH vs. Na<sub>2</sub>S
- Minimizing Operating Cost (Steam, Wood, Energy)
- Reduction in Chemical usage (NaOH & Na<sub>2</sub>S)
- Maximizing process throughput/ Batch sizes

## Recipe parameters

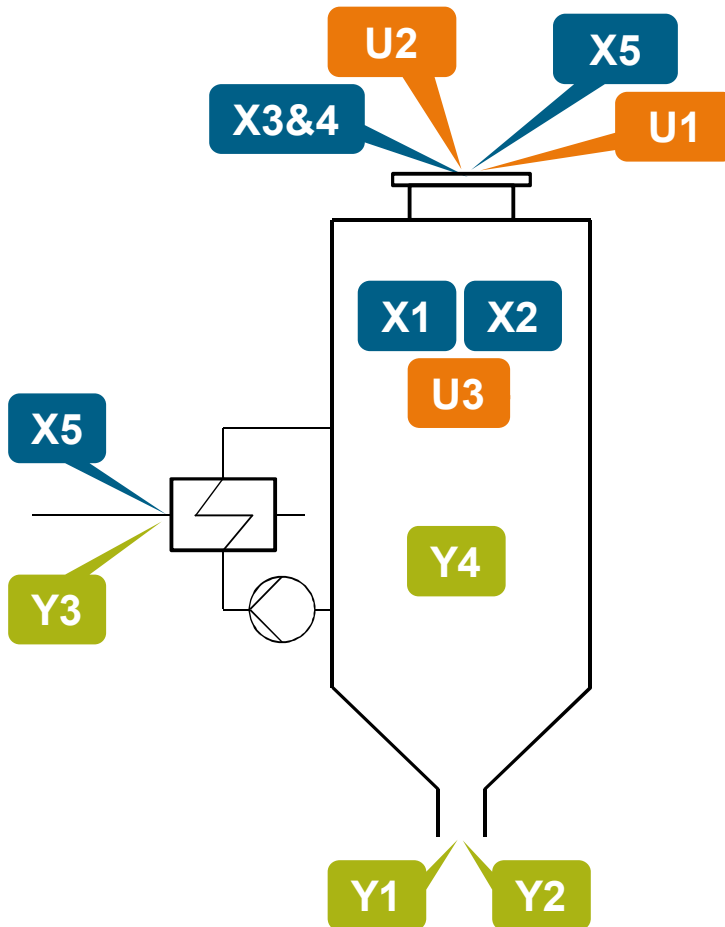
X1: Impregnation Pressure  
X2: Cooking Pressure  
X3&4: Amount of NaOH & Na<sub>2</sub>S  
X5: Cooking Temperatures  
X6: Quantity of raw material

## Influences

U1: Raw Material quality properties (Humidity, type, temperature)  
U2: Concentrations of NaOH & Na<sub>2</sub>S  
U3: Input Temperatures of materials

## Process output

Y1: Cellulose (Paper) quality parameters  
Y2: Lignin remainder (KappaNr)  
Y3: Energy consumption  
Y4: Resource consumption



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## Challenges and potentials in paper making Overview

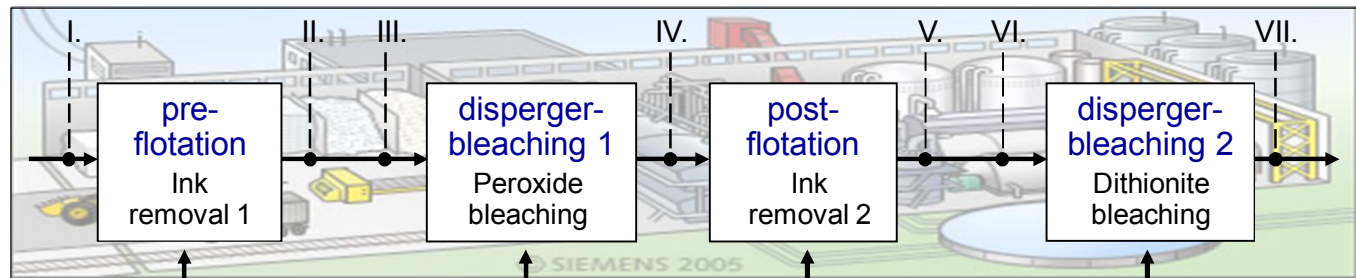
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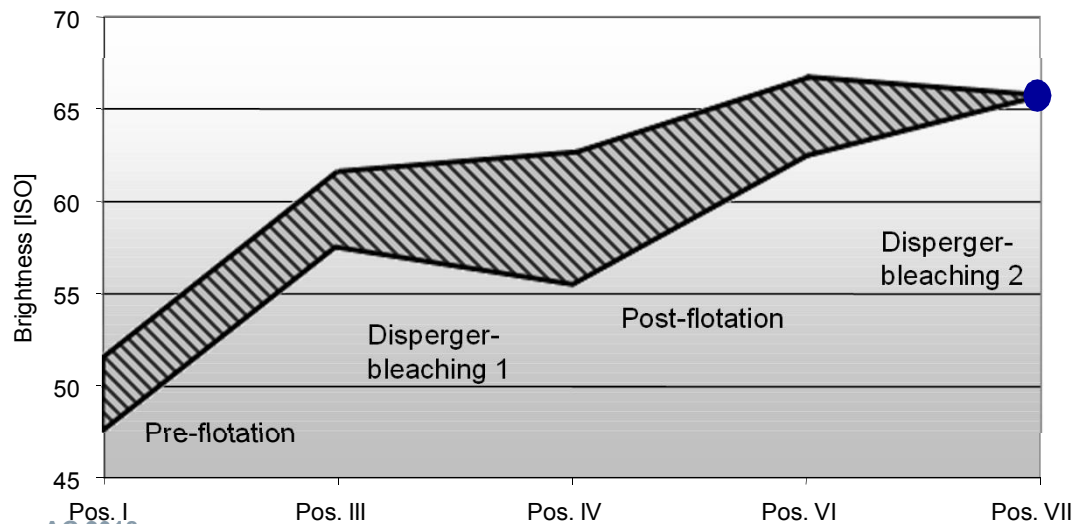
- Stability and flexibility in process control of line
- Stable brightness on a high level
- Reduction of chemicals
- Smooth run of the DIP
- Minimization of reject loss in Pre- and Postflotation
- Balanced Ash content in DIP



## Challenges and potentials: Stable brightness on high a level



- |                         |                      |                         |                      |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| ■ Operating mode        | ■ Energy consumption | ■ Operation mode        | ■ Energy consumption |
| ■ Deinking chemistry    | ■ Chemical dosage    | ■ Deinking chemistry    | ■ Chemical dosage    |
| ■ Fiber losses / reject |                      | ■ Fiber losses / reject |                      |

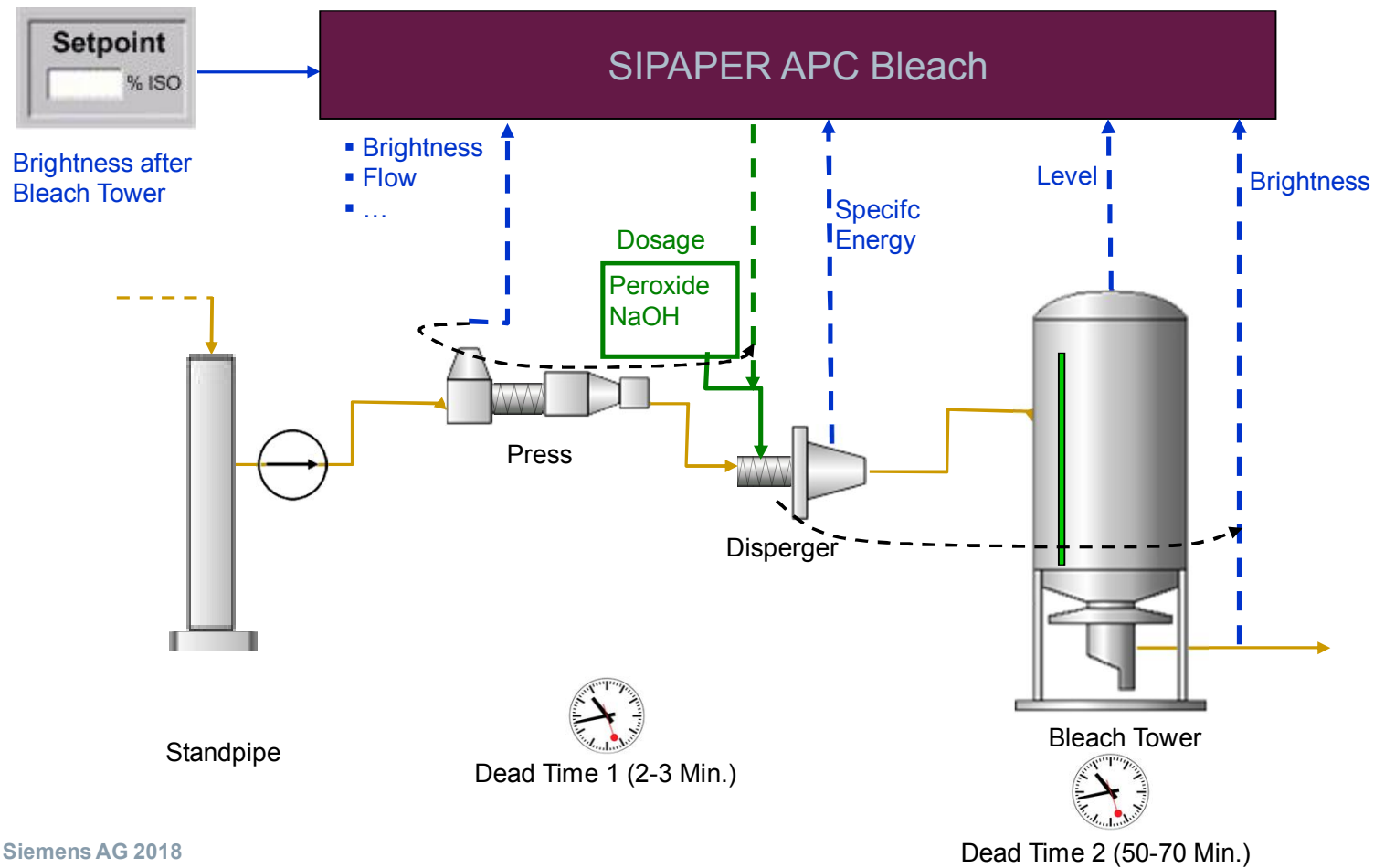


### Target:

- Achieving desired brightness:
- accurately
  - at minimum cost

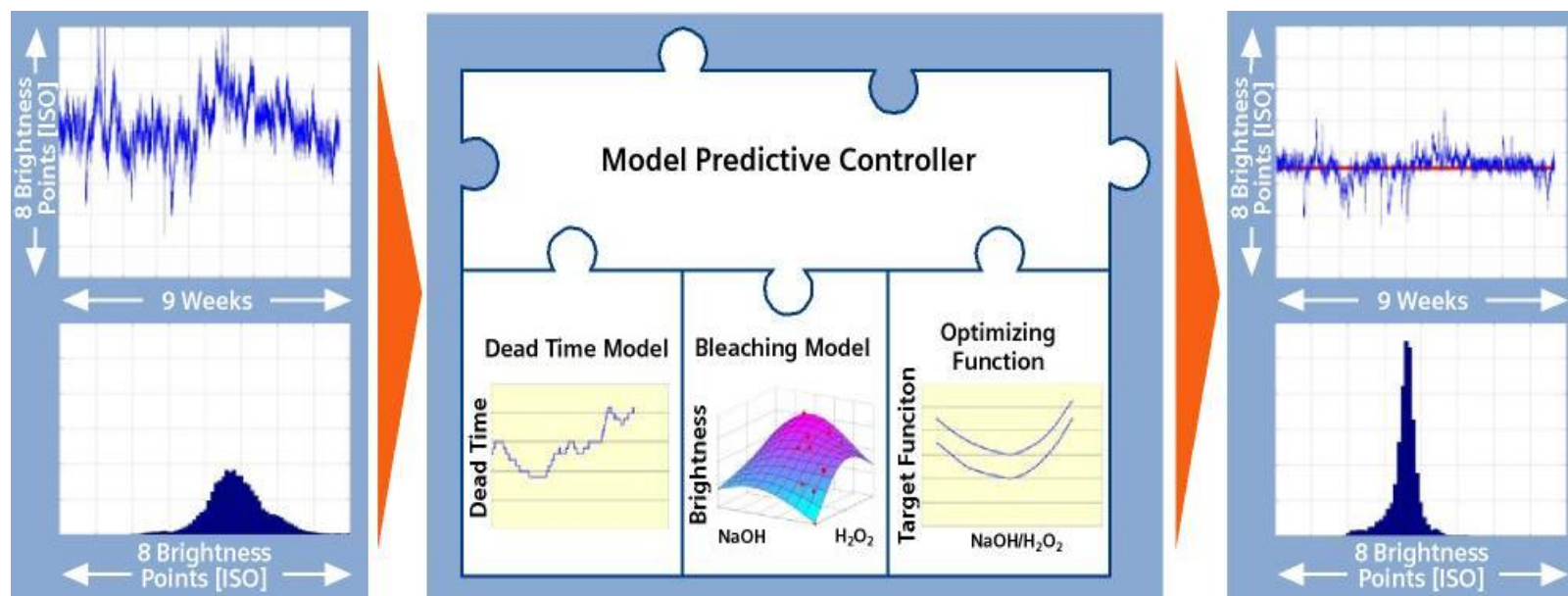


## SIPAPER APC Bleach – Example for oxidative Bleaching step



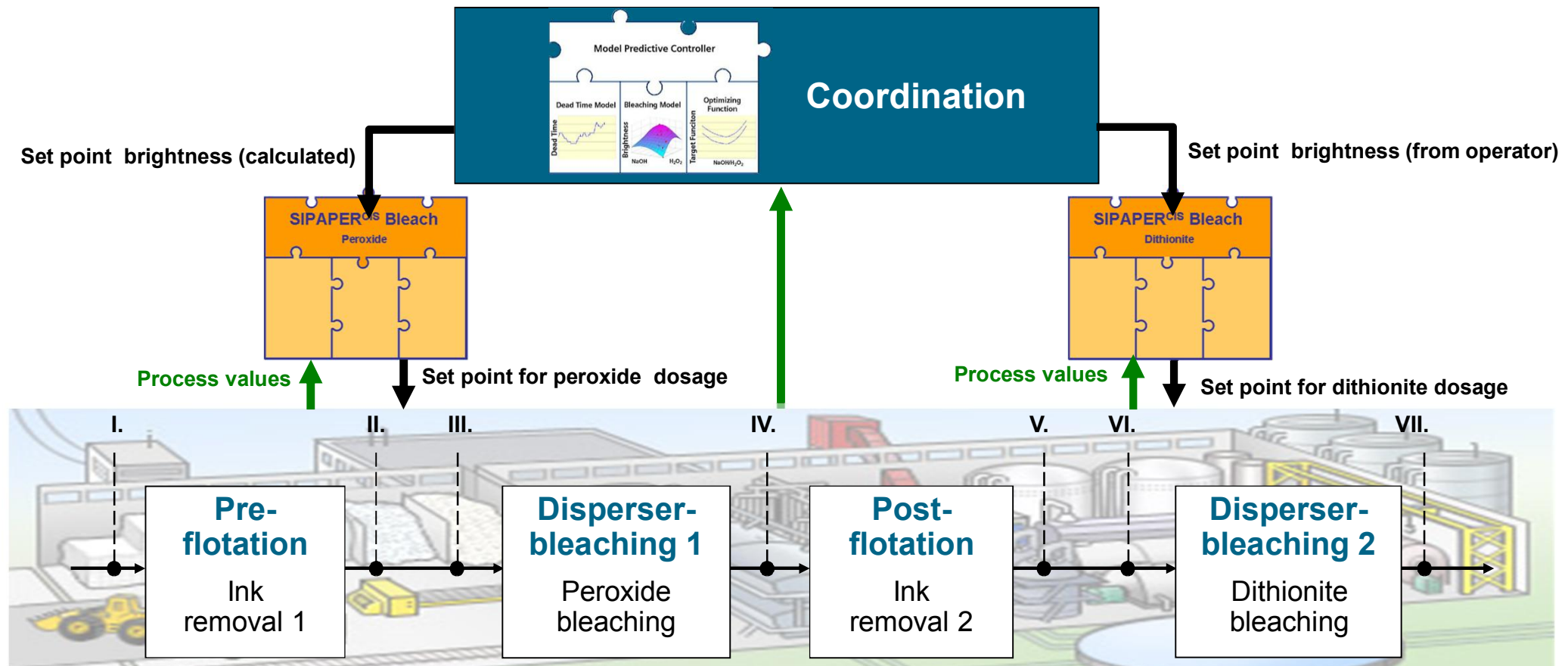
# SIPAPER APC Bleach – Reliable quality with optimized chemical consumption

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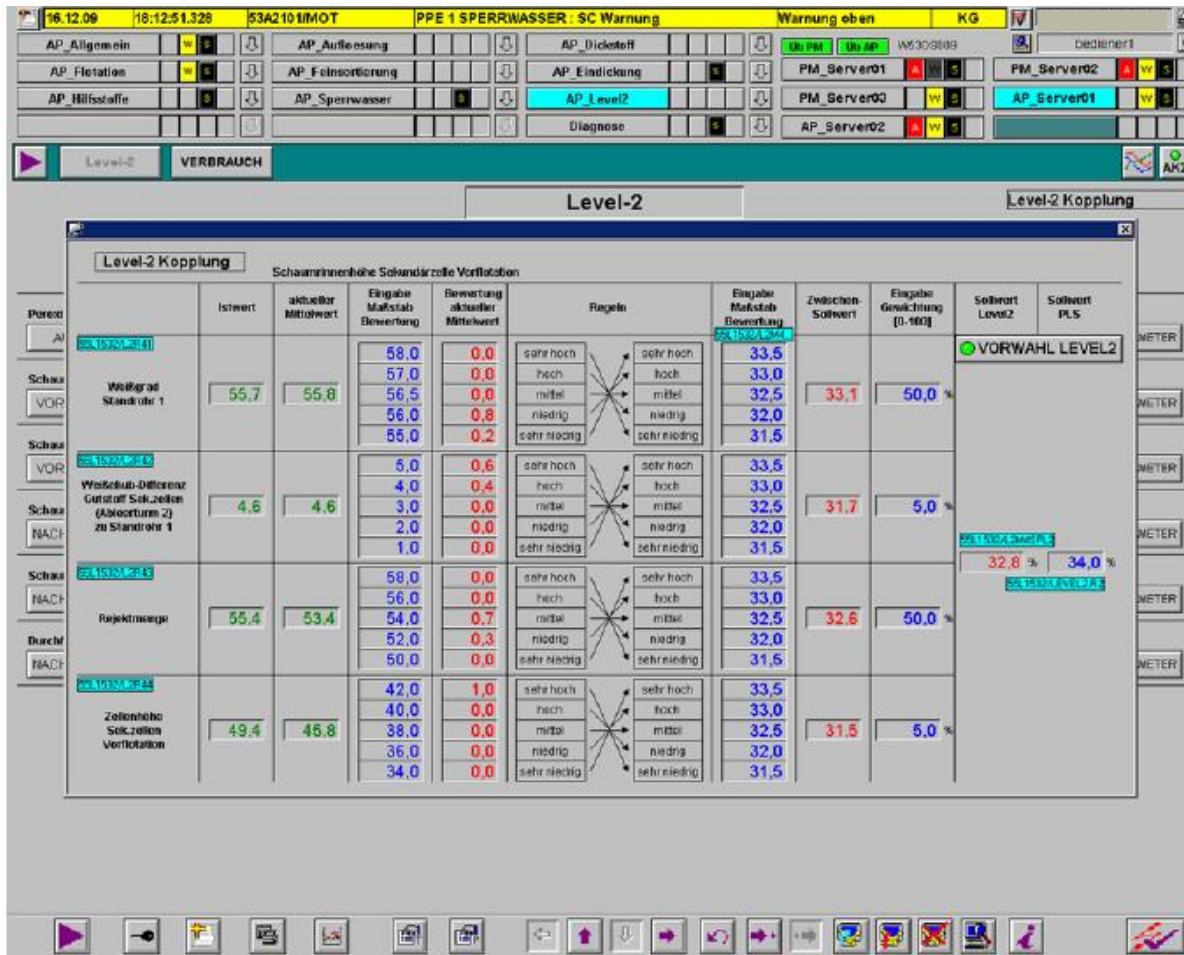


# SIPAPER APC Bleach – Coordination of two bleaching stages

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# Overview Face Plate Flotation area of the DIP



## Target:

Ash content balance

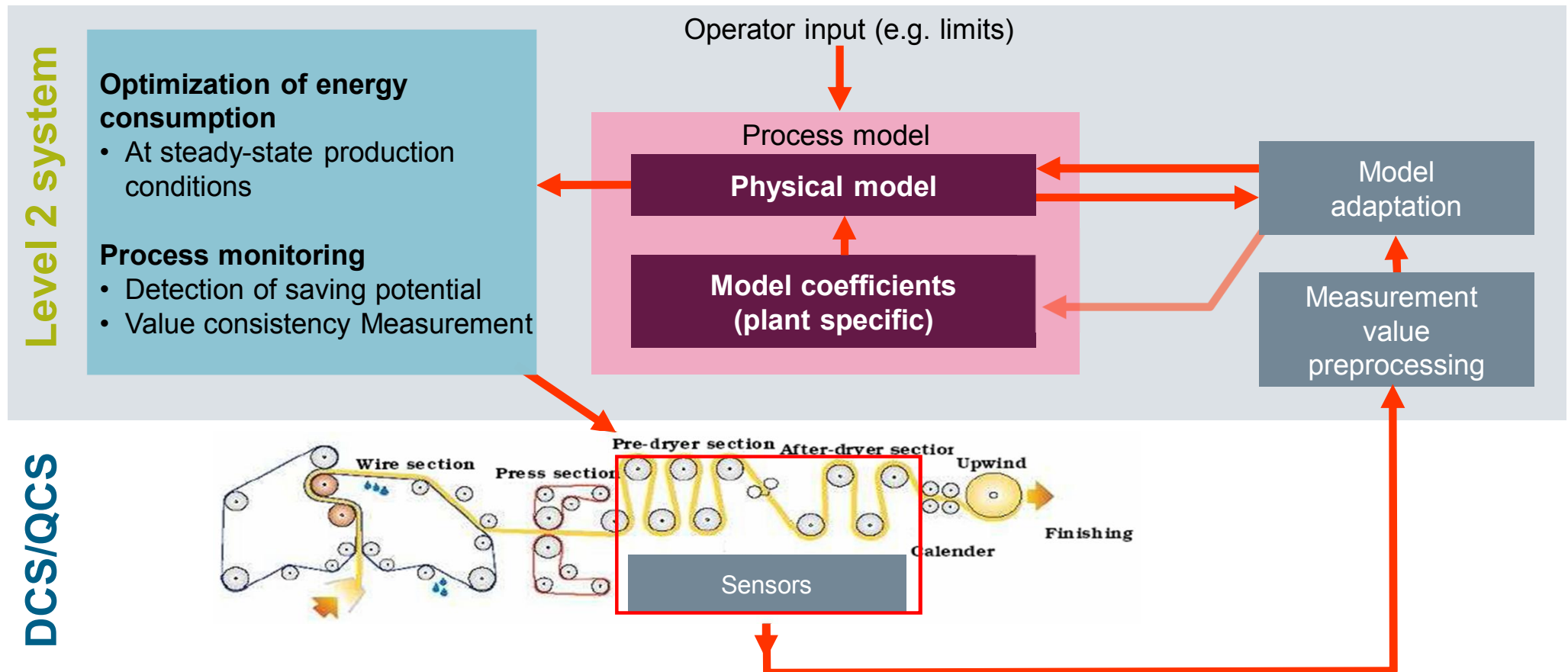
- accurately
- optimized chemical consumption
- at minimum cost
- optimized reject discharge
- less fiber losses

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# SIPAPER APC DrySec – Drying Section optimization



## **SIPAPER APC DrySec**

### **Energy saving potentials in dryer section**



#### **Steam consumption in steam groups**

- Vary of steam pressures of the steam groups
- Optimize use of flash steam

#### **Hood supply air**

- Reduction of the amount of leakage air
- Reduction of the amount of supply air
- Optimal relation between (exhaust) air temperature and dew point

#### **Heat recovery system**

- Improved heat recovery by increasing moisture in exhaust air

#### **Condensate**

- Improved heat removal from the condensate

## SIPAPER APC DrySec – Typical optimized set points

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### Exhaust Air

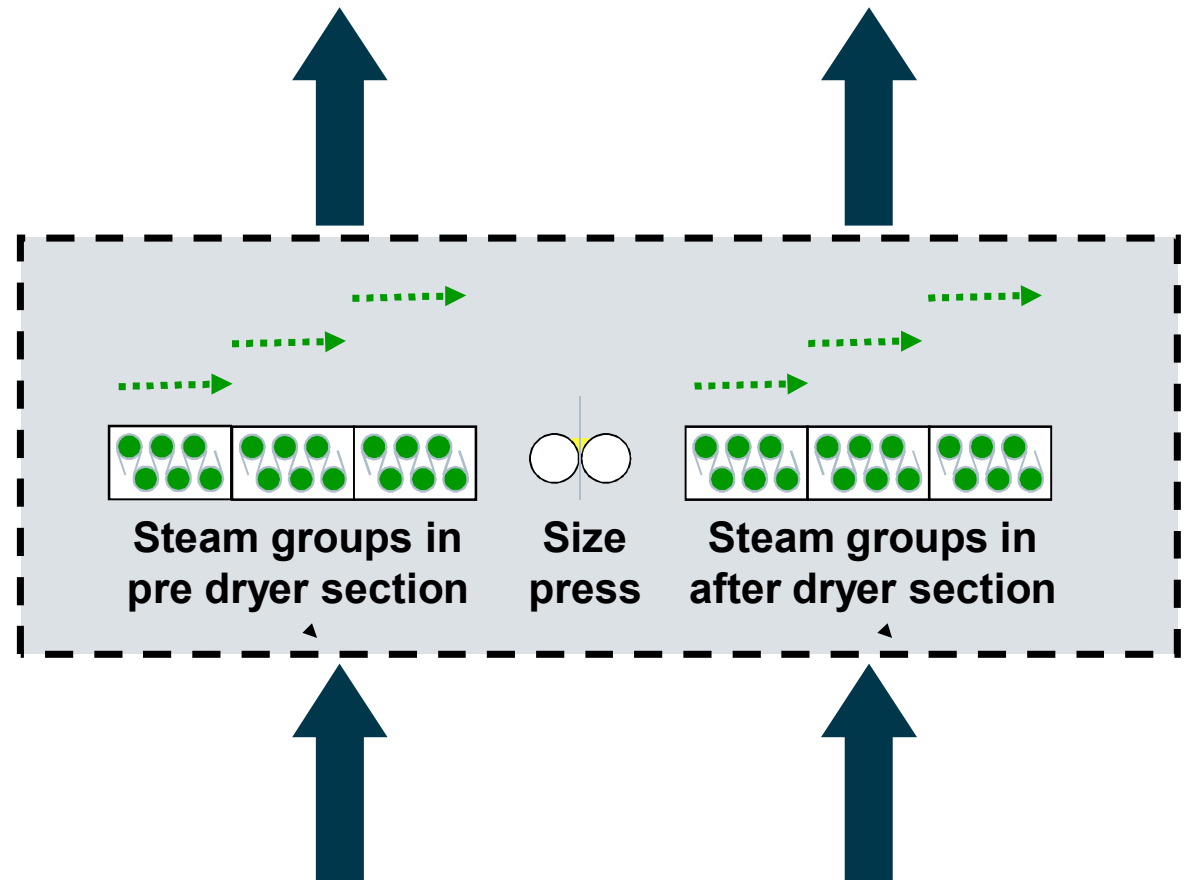
- Amount (Flow rate)

### Steam and Condensate:

- Steam Pressure in all Steam Groups excluding Main Steam Group (Main Steam Group is calculated by QCS)

### Hood Supply Air

- Amount (Flow rate)
- Temperature



## SIPAPER APC DrySec

### What is modelled ?



Paper drying process in the dryer hood

- Mass and energy balance

- Paper properties before and after each cylinder

- Influence of hood air onto the drying process

- Influence of leakage air

- Calculation of dew points of the hood air

Steam and condensate system (Cylinders, Separators)

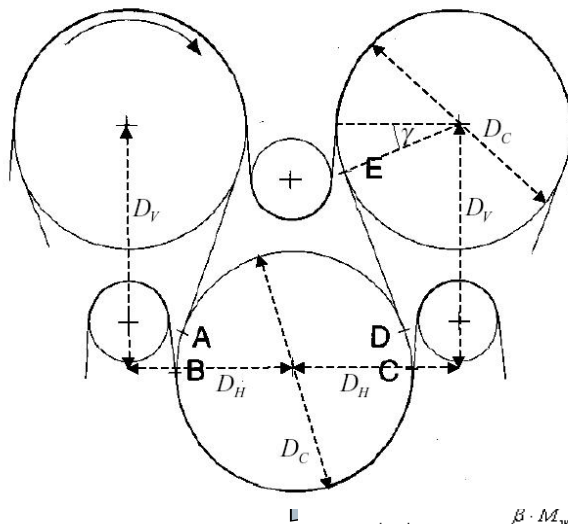
- Mass and energy balance

Heat recovery system (heat exchangers)

- Mass and energy balance

- Amount of energy recovered dependent of exhaust air properties

# SIPAPER APC DrySec Physical Process Model



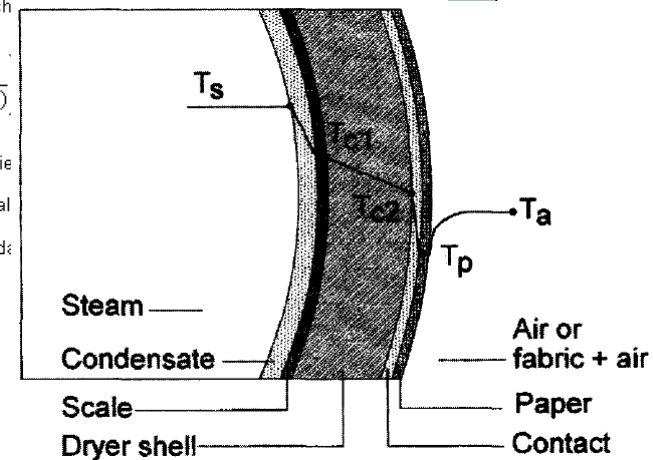
müssen in Summe gleich der für die Verdampfungsrate  $m(x,t)$  benötigten  
ererseits zusammengesetzt aus der Verdampfungswärme  $r_p$  (pro Flächen- und Zeit-  
ie zur Erwärmung des Dampfes von der Papier-Oberflächentemperatur auf die  
ndig ist:

$$\dot{Q} = (r_p(T_p(x,z,t), u(x,t)) + c_v \cdot (T_H(x,z,t) - T_p(x,z,t))), \quad 0 \leq x \leq L_c, \quad z=0, \quad d_p(x,t), \quad t > 0. \quad \text{Gl. 17}$$

zw.  $m_o$  (nachfolgend zusammenfassend mit  $m$  bezeichnet) von der Papierbahn-  
haubenluft genügen der Stofangleich

$$m(x,t) = \frac{\beta \cdot M_w \cdot p_{tot,H}}{R_G \cdot (T_H(x,z,t) + T_p(x,z,t)) / 2} \log \left( \frac{p_{tot,H} - p_{v,H}(x,t)}{p_{tot,H} - p_{v,p}(x,z,t)} \right)$$

In Gl. 18 bezeichnen  $\beta$  den Massetransferkoeffizienten,  $M_w$  die  
samtdruck in der Trockenhaube,  $p_{v,H}$  den Wasserdampf-Partial-  
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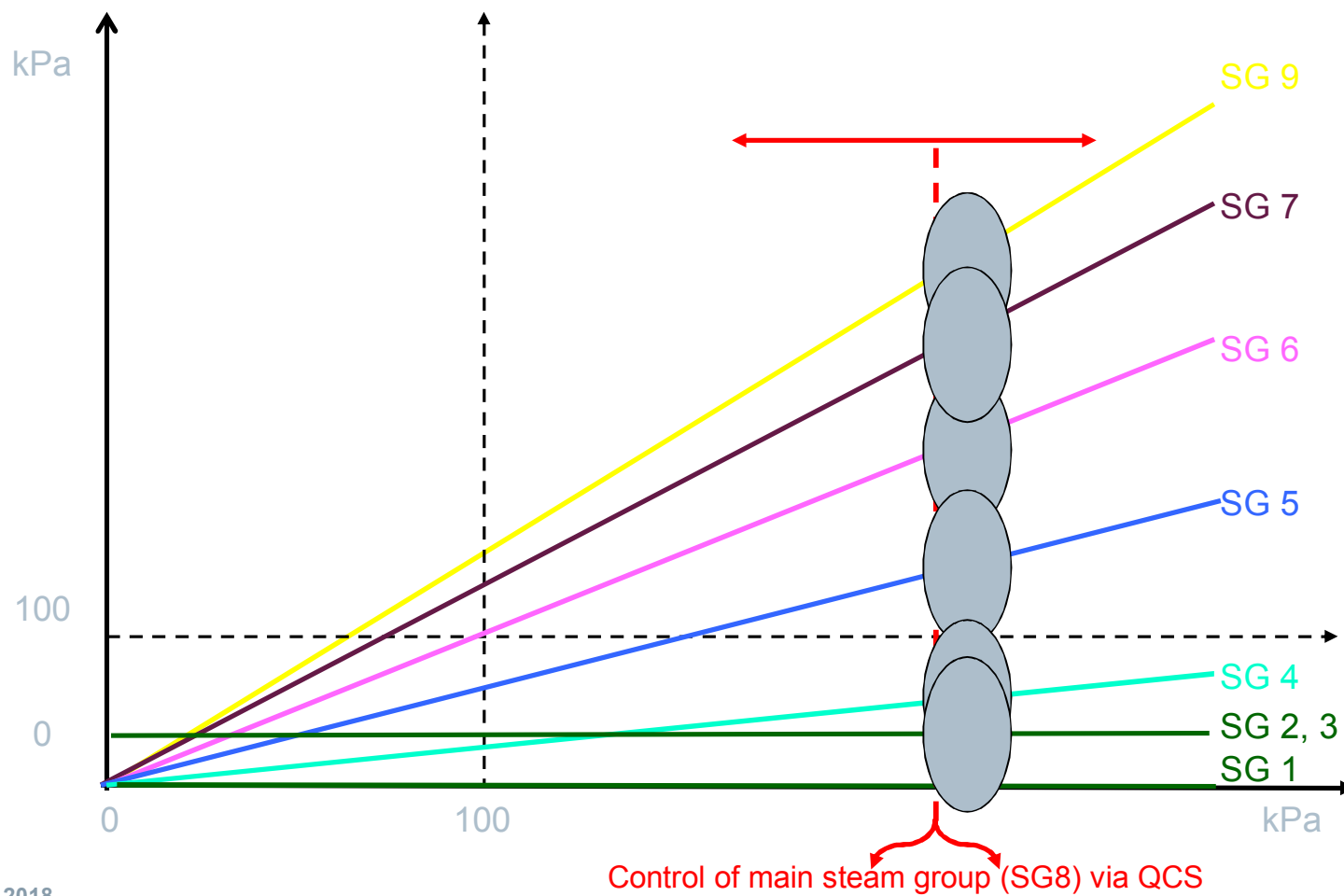




# SIPAPER APC DrySec

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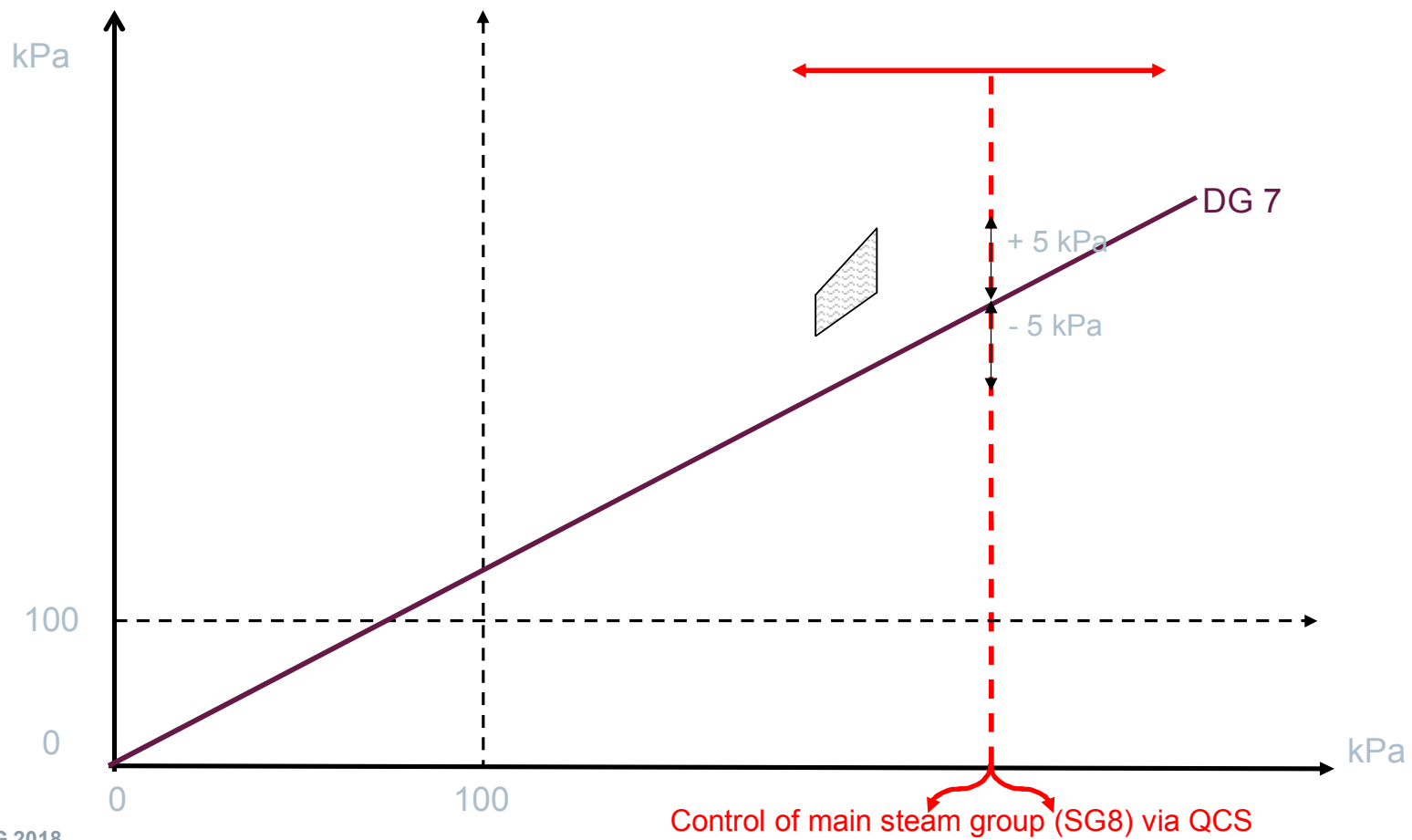
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# SIPAPER APC DrySec

## Summary



**Detailed physical process model as basis of calculation**

**Mathematical optimization algorithm**

- Minimizing consumption of fresh steam
- Minimizing energy consumption of fans

**Transfer of optimized setpoints to the DCS**

- hood supply air (amount and temperature)
- steam pressure
- ...

**Typical saving of fresh steam: 2% and 5%**

- depending on plant configuration
- average savings of existing installations

## Outlook

- 1 With smart control optimization works very efficient
- 2 Becomes more flexible with higher hardware performance
- 3 Trend moves to off line solution
- 4 Mindsphere, *cloud based open platform*
- 5 Optimization beyond start up leads to gap to integrate smart control systems



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