



Smart Grid and Interoperability Standards

IEC 61850 Lite Implementation –
Low cost microcontroller chip with
IEC 61850 (IEC 61400-25) and IEC 61131-3

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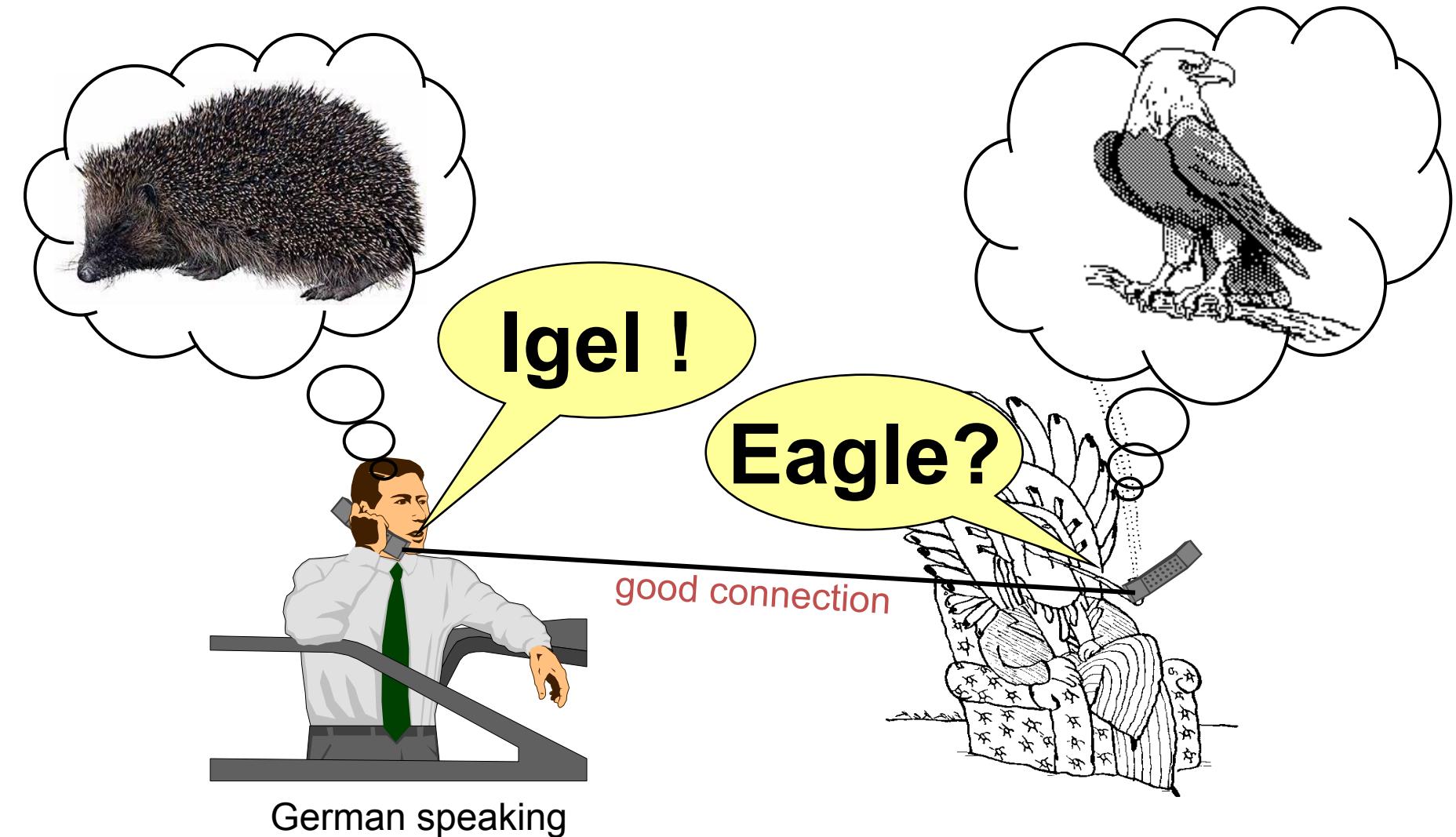
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What is IEC 61850 all about?

1. ITC
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4. Teamwork
5. See number 1.

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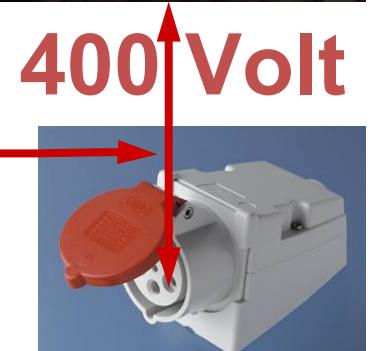


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Standard Logical Node Class MMXU

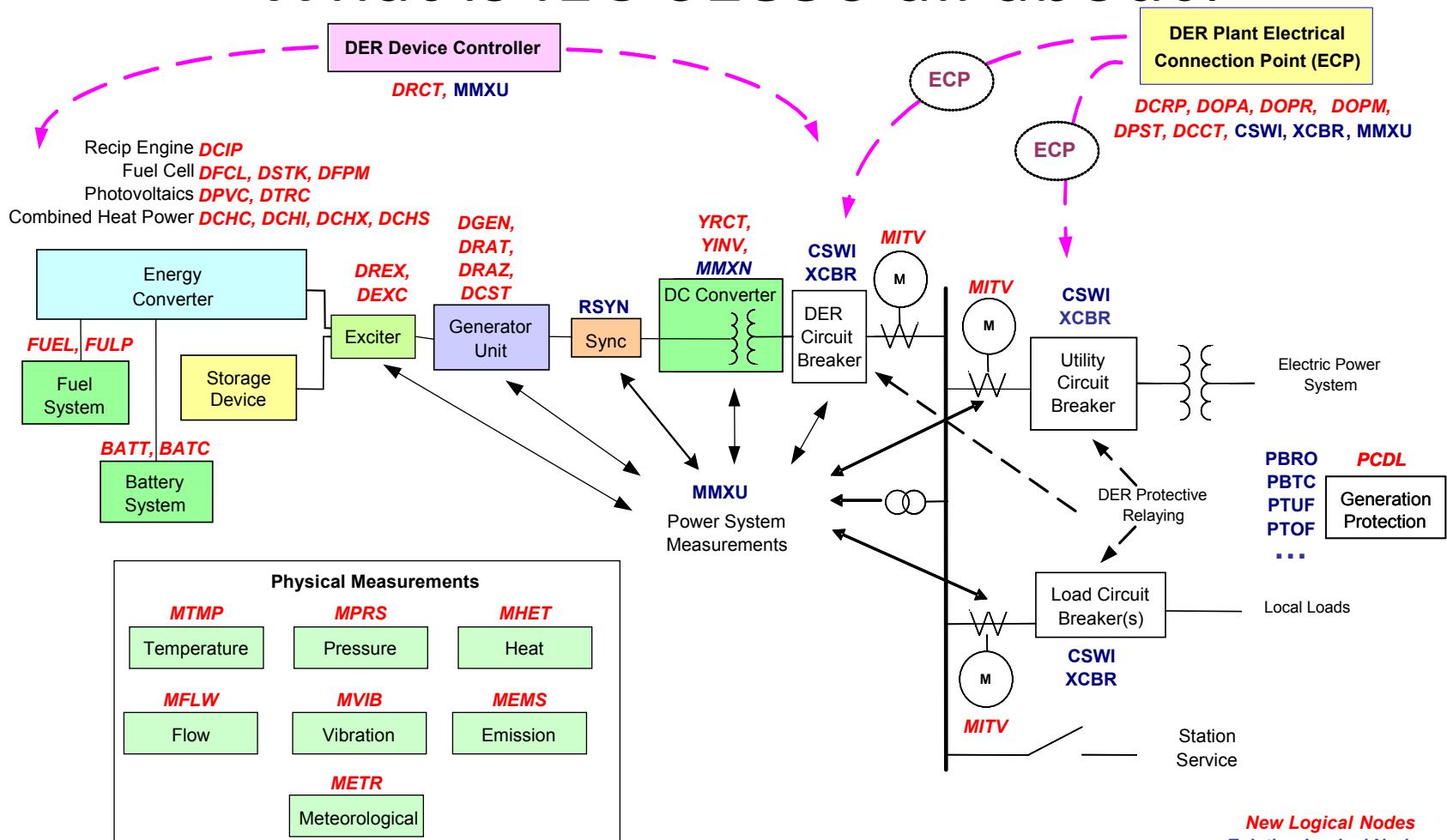
400.000 Volt

A	Phase currents
PhV	Phase to ground voltage
PhV.PhsA	
PhV.PhsB	
...	
PPV	Phase to phase voltage
W	Phase active power
VAr	Phase reactive power
VA	Phase apparent power
TotW	Total active power
TotVAr	Total reactive power
TotVA	Total apparent power
Hz	Frequency



**What's the difference?
... don't touch the line to figure it out!!**

What is IEC 61850 all about?



Energy Converter = Microturbines,
Fuel Cell, Photovoltaic System, Wind
turbines, Diesel Generators,
Combustion Turbines

Storage Device = Battery, Pumped
Hydro, Superconducting Magnetic
Energy Storage, Flywheels, Micro-
flywheels

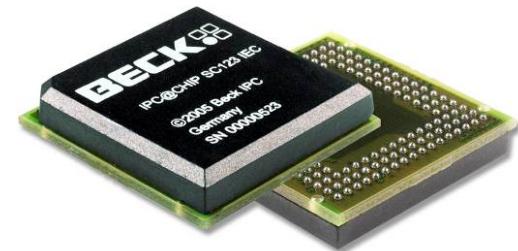
Converter = DC to AC,
frequency conversion, voltage
level conversion
Auxiliaries = Battery, Fuel Cell

Motivation for IEC 61850 Lite implementation

- First Implementations of IEC 61850 for **High Voltage Substations** (quite expensive, too complex, too ...)
- Mainly **two vendors** of Stack Software
- Need **simple API** (Appl. Progr. IF) for small devices
- **Reduce cost for devices** in Power Generation, Distribution, Smart Grids, ...
- **Hide details** of MMS and IEC 61850
- Get a **fast start** with **low cost** and **low risk**
- **Easy to configure** devices with SCL (System Configuration Language)

IEC 61850 Lite implementation (general)

- SystemCorp (Perth, Western Australia) developed a complete IEC 61850 Stack from Scratch since 2007
- Main Objectives:
 - Provide **very simple API** to Application
 - Port stack to **micro-controller**
(first: Beck IEC61850@Chip)
 - Run software on **many platforms**
 - **Configure Stack with SCL**
 - Provide **free software** for **getting started and evaluation**

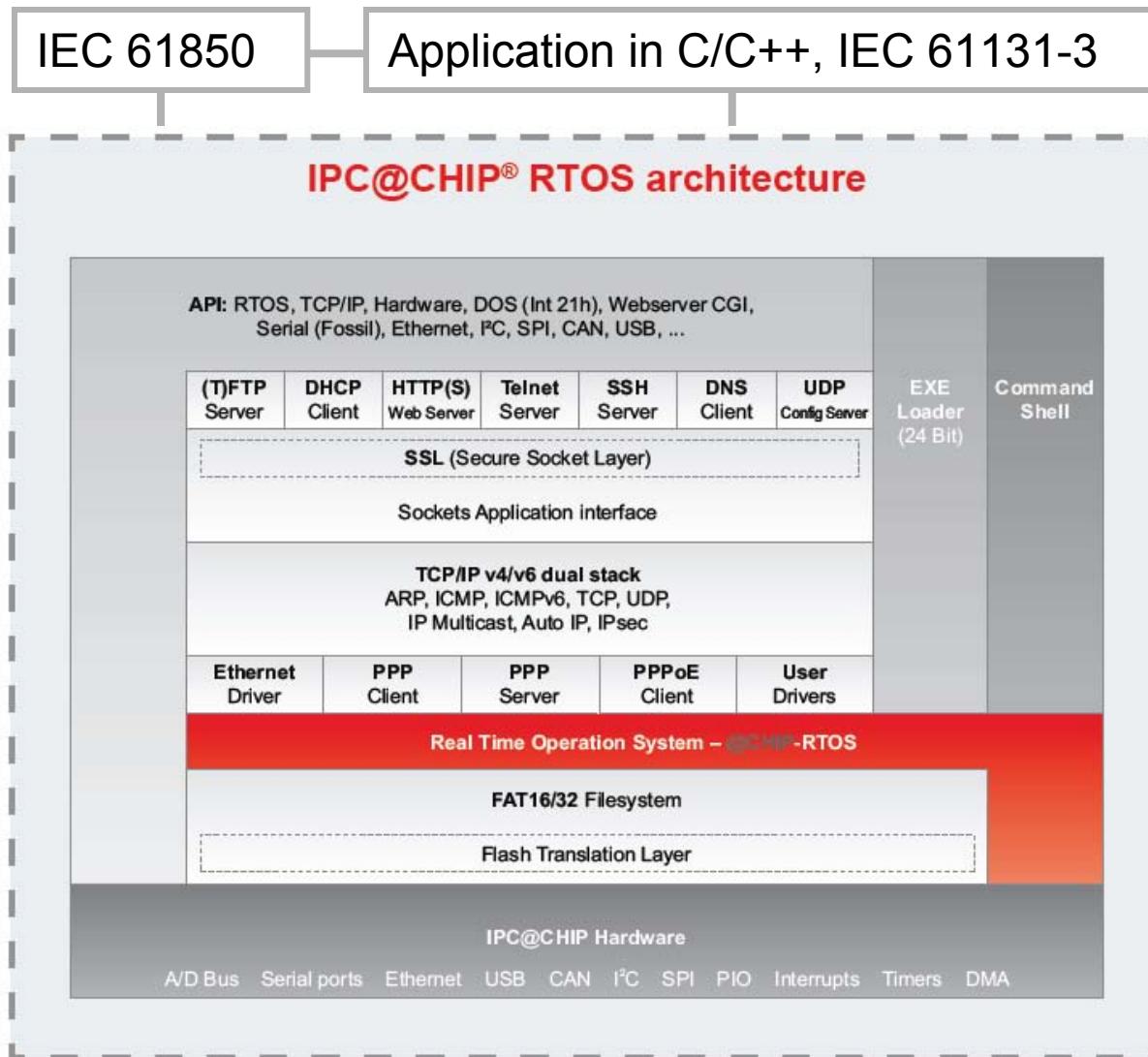


API: Client/Server and Object Management

No	API	Purpose
1	IEC61850_Create	API to create a client or server object with call-backs for reading, writing and updating data objects
2	IEC61850_LoadSCLFile	API to read the SCD XML data to get the configuration of server or client
3	IEC61850_Start	API to start the server or client
4	IEC61850_Stop	API to stop the server or client
5	IEC61850_Free	API to delete a client or server object created

No	API	Purpose
1	IEC61850_Read	Read the value of a specified data attribute
2	IEC61850_Write	Write the value to a specified data attribute
3	IEC61850_Update	Update the value of a specified data attribute

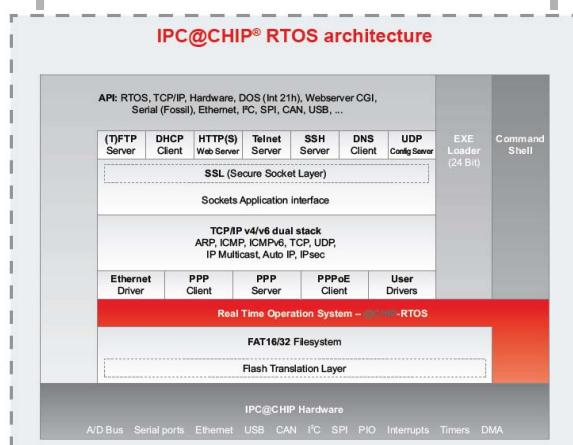
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IEC 61850

Application in C/C++, IEC 61131-3



SC2x
Flexible, simple
and powerful



SC1x3
Maximum functionality
in a minimum of space



SC2x3
Maximum performance for demanding automation tasks.

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Drivers for DNP3, 101/104,
Modbus, ... are available
from SystemCorp

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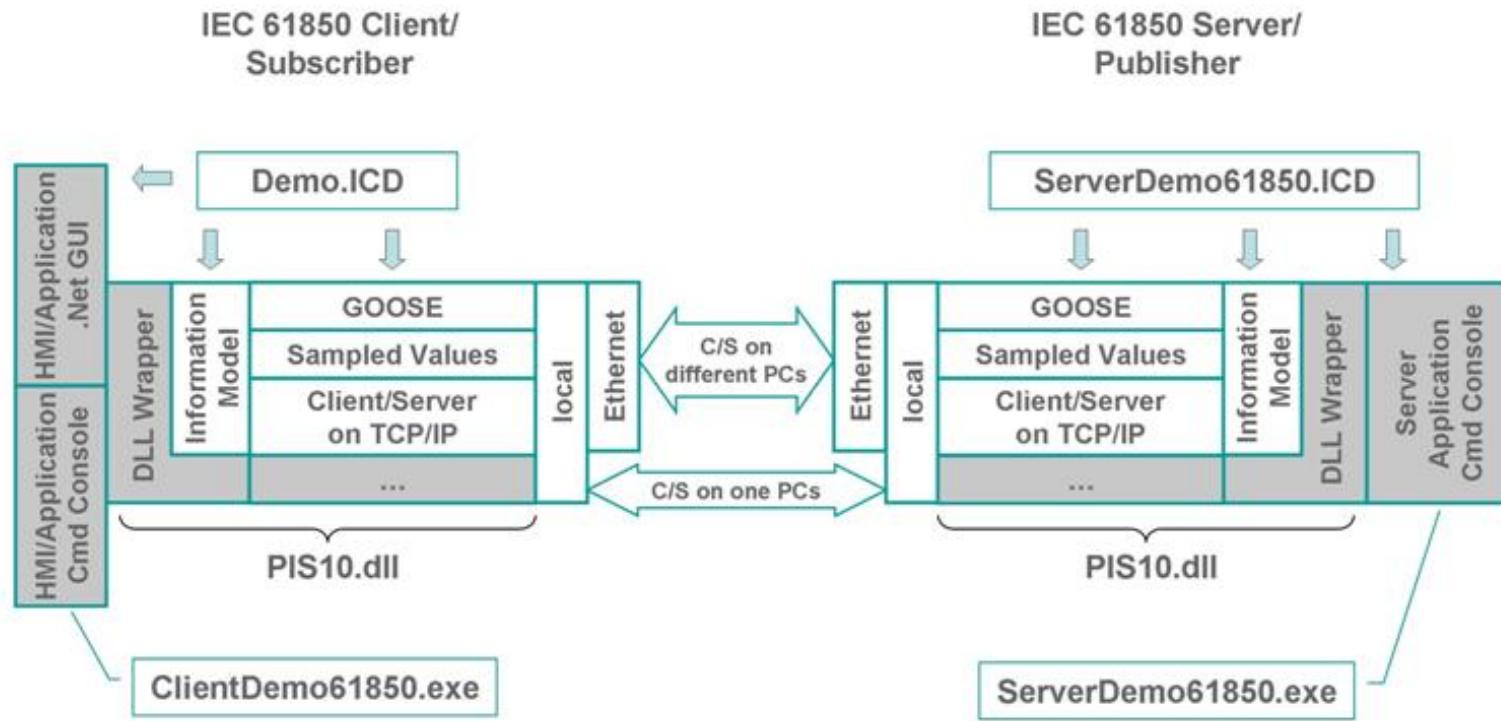
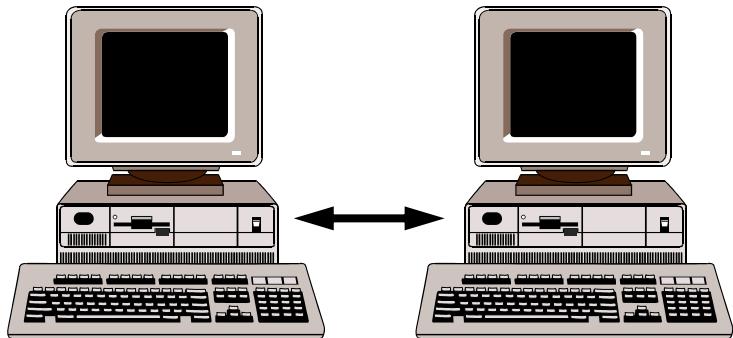
Chip Development Kit DK61 (Beck IPC)

- Hardware
- C/C++ Compiler
- CoDeSys (IEC 61131-3)
- IEC 61850 Stack
(SystemCorp):
 - Client/Server
 - Publisher/Subscriber
- Application examples
- 2 x Ethernet
- Serial
- CAN bus
- ...



Free DLL Evaluation/Starter Kit (SystemCorp)

- IEC 61850 Stack (SystemCorp):
 - Client/Server/Pub/Sub (in DLL)
 - Same API as on Beck-IPC-Chip
- Application examples
in C/C++ and C# (incl. Source Code)



Useful links

- General
 - www.systemcorp.com.au
 - www.beck-ipc.com
 - blog.iec61850.com
 - www.nettedautomation.com/seminars
- Free IEC 61850 DLL Evaluation/Starter Kit Download
 - www.nettedautomation.com/iec61850li/dll

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