Network Manager
Overview

ScateX® is the unified, yet modular Efacec ADMS, result of more than 30 years of experience in the grid automation. Designed to combine SCADA, Distribution Management System (DMS) and Outage Management System (OMS) capabilities under a single, multi-language platform with a unified user experience, enables utilities to manage the grid for high, medium and low voltage levels with maximum security and return of investment.

Grid dispatcher operators are facing new operational challenges to maintain the same levels of safety in operation while increases the penetration of renewable energy production (mainly wind and solar base) in the different voltage levels of distribution network and the integration of the grid of new distributed resources with flexibility in the control of active and reactive power, electric vehicles, energy storage and controllable loads, coupled with emerging business models (aggregators and flexible operators) that provides the necessary flexibility to the grid.

At the same time, the installation of Advanced Metering Infrastructures (AMI) systems and the increase of network distribution automation provided new strategies of monitoring and control of the distribution network.

ScateX® was designed having modularity as a priority. This enables flexible deploys as single SCADA, single DMS, single OMS or as a fully ADMS either for high voltage, medium voltage or low voltage, protecting the client investment for future evolution of the system.

ScateX® is built upon a real-time cybersecure infrastructure and includes many innovative features that provide quick and easy access to real-time information, improving situational awareness and readily providing enhanced decision support. The set of network, power and outage management applications further leads to efficient operation and network optimization.

Featuring openness, flexibility, expandability and performance, ScateX® can scale to meet the needs of large networks and infrastructures, enabling customers to leverage stepwise investment strategies. Moreover ScateX® can be tailored to meet the specific needs of each user to deliver unmatched cost/benefit solutions.

Recognizing that straightforward deployment, integration and maintenance is a fundamental requirement, ScateX® presents end-to-end engineering and management of the whole infrastructure from control room, through communications infrastructure and remote plant or field equipment. Moreover ScateX® includes a complete solution for operator training that enables you to maintain operator team readiness.

Prepared for smart grid deployments above one million of data points in one reliable and integrated SCADA/DMS solution, ScateX® Distribution Management System is the single real-time system access point for distribution network operations.

Ready for tomorrow’s distribution grid, ScateX® DMS combines core SCADA features with advanced power applications to support unified operation, automation, analysis, and reporting.

Recognizing the dynamic nature of MV networks, ScateX® supports patterns for MV substations providing minimal engineering, installation and commissioning effort through semi-automated modeling features.

As the real-time backbone of utility operations and management, the openness of ScateX® OMS also enables straightforward integration of external systems such as workforce, asset, advanced metering or customer information systems.

Key Features

- Fully integrated SCADA/DMS/OMS platform
- Unified and powerful operations user interface
- Full set of power management applications
- Full set of outage management applications
- Realtime centralized FDIR
- Realtime mobile integration
- Communication network infrastructure monitoring and management
- Electric vehicle charging infrastructure monitoring and management
- Report designer and server
- Modules to help infrastructure commissioning using test workflows engine
- Energy module to execute LV power flow using energy network configuration
- Operator training system
- System historian
- Flexible and scalable platform
- Open and modular infrastructure
- Advanced engineering system
- Seamless application and systems integration
- High availability and cyber-secure product platform

Benefits

- Immediate situation awareness and intuitive real-time operation
- Improved system reliability and network SAIDI reduction
- Improved network operational efficiency
- Optimised crew/operator maintenance productivity
- Straightforward deployment, integration and maintenance
- Deliver real-time process and operations information throughout the organization
- Tailor-made solutions to meet the exact needs of each project

Overview of ScateX® Standard Product Assemblies

For electrical, oil, gas and water utilities and industries, ScateX® Control Center Bundles are the features required for advanced network operations and infrastructure management in a highly scalable extensible SCADA platform including advanced network-aware supervision and control applications in a unified user interface for IAT system operation and management.

For power generation and transmission companies ScateX® Energy Management System provides a real-time and high performance solution that drives systems efficiently, reliably and securely while providing enterprise decision makers with online process and energy information. ScateX® EMS combines SCADA operations with advanced applications including conventional and renewable generation planning, automatic generation control or contingency analysis, that constitute invaluable tools for network operators. Its open platform further enables the integration of third-party components and systems such as energy market interfaces or asset management systems.

ScateX® RAIL bundles SCADA, operations management, power applications, condition monitoring and technical supervision, and providing a framework for seamlessly integrating railway applications and systems.

ScateX® RAIL enables network operators to efficiently manage the railway electrification system, including substations and catenaries, as well as all associated infrastructure.

Modular System and Functional Components

ScateX® has been designed having flexibility in mind. A large set of functional components and services may be combined to be delivered in pre-defined and already to be deployed packages. These pre-defined packages may be quickly configured for classical customer needs whether is increasing network automation for improved reliability, increasing network efficiency or improving personal productivity. In addition, tailored solutions may be designed to meet specific customer requirements.

ScateX® is able to be expanded either in scale or in functionality, protecting the customer investment.
Unified User Interface

The ScateX® platform presents a high voltage, medium voltage, low voltage unified user interface environment for all internal and external applications, thus empowering remote operations and real-time management as well as enabling smooth integration with field and facility operations.

Multiple choices of local and remote user interface are possible, such as in control room workstation, video wall, distributed operating stations or web access.

Advanced User Interface

The standard user interface module includes a fully-integrated environment including a multi-screen window, menu and layout system featuring unified pick-and-drop, navigation, context menus, cross-application toolbars and shortcut interaction. The same user environment is presented for operational, planning, analysis, review or training purposes.

Standard user interface components include dashboards, data/event lists, real-time or historic trends, object model browsers, alarms management as well as interactive full vector graphics schematics or geographic displays with powerful layering, decluttering and object-oriented features. User interface screens can optionally integrate IP video feeds as well as locally available cartography and geolocation system for integration of field operations.

The powerful tagging, pinning and display engine allows integration of any ScateX® or external application directly into the operator user interface to manage field controllability, system operating modes, alarm generation or getting feedback from condition monitoring, field crews or call centers directly on the display are examples of powerful user interface integration features available.

The display engine further supports synchronized diagram views that, together with the efficient navigation features, enable unprecedented system awareness for operators of large infrastructures.

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Multi-context Interface and Operational Work Orders

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Operations Management

SCADA Processing

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Reports and Alerts
For supervisory accounting and performance management ScateX® provides a reports and alerts module that can produce real-time or historic reports based on the output of specific management applications or user-defined statistics. Report notifications may be sent through email or SMS as well as displayed in dashboards, fully integrated within operation diagrams.

Applications for Operations Management

**Power Applications**

Specifically designed for electrical network management from generation through transmission and distribution, Efacc power applications enable operators to optimally manage their networks and assets according to economic, technical and performance requirements.

**ScateX® Power Application Software (PAS)** provides a set of field-proven power management applications for operational support, network optimization and advanced automation having safety as a priority. Algorithm performance allows applications to run in study modes as well as in real-time, either cyclically, on-event, upon user request or as part of control execution verification, instruction and confirmation (VIC) cycles. Algorithm results can be presented directly on the operation surface, in advisory mode through result tables and suggested action lists or, in fully automatic mode, updating field setpoints or execute controls.

ScateX® was designed to allow fast and safe outage restoration. When an outage occurs, the centralized FDIR automatically generates and executes a switching order to isolate the faulty area maximizing the recovered network. If necessary, the operator may then request to the FDIR additional switching orders that may be electronically dispatched to the crews mobile devices for manual execution. After maneuvers completion the crew may confirm its execution directly in the system by a secure channel.

**Low Voltage Power Analysis**

In general, the same power analysis tools that are used at higher voltages are applied to low voltage networks. Load profile data is combined with measured values to produce more accurate results.

Power application functions may be deployed in multi-server scalable architectures. All PAS functions provide configuration, diagnostic and execution information that can be set, logged or displayed.

**Advanced Management Applications**

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(*) Core feature in product assembly

(**) Optional (Component customized according to customer requirements)

(* *) Optional feature to monitor QoS when OMS function is not included.
Outage Management System

The ScateX® OMS system is an open, modular and distributed system for the control and management of a power system. It targets the distribution utilities as it provides tools that enhance the control over the distribution quality of service, as well as tools that support a fast and safe service restoration to customers upon the occurrence of network outages.

The workstation provides a fully integrated user interface for the operator. It includes bi-directional navigation and highlighting mechanisms between tabular applications and any kind of diagram.

ScateX® OMS provides a fully integrated WEB user interface for OMS functionalities, including the interface to the enterprise systems including IVR, AVL and MDM, customer call handling and management and incident calculation to crew field positioning, outage monitoring (with Quality of Service reporting), etc. The ScateX® OMS system integrates all the outage management functions and applications through a single data model. A single data model allows information from consumers, crews (repair and Survey), and SCADA to be processed in order to locate problem areas quickly.

ScateX® OMS stores and track customer call information, integrates this information with network connectivity updates, and processes this information through the Trouble Call Analysis engine to provide a comprehensive tool for outage management. From managing simple customer outages and tracking routine service work, to handling severe storm situations, ScateX®/OMS provides the support needed to restore customer service, all in real-time.

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Manageability

A Single System for Network Management

Network management systems handle large amounts of information are increasingly dynamic systems therefore requiring advanced engineering methods and tools, not only for easy setup and deployment, but also for continuous system management and maintenance throughout the system lifecycle. Moreover the value of advanced applications relies on the availability of an up-to-date network model.

As a single system solution, ScateX® enables administrators to maintain a single model for all applications including the SCADA, PAS, OMS, LV and ADMS subsystems. Furthermore users interface the system through a unified UI, reducing system complexity to manageable levels.

Low voltage networks can be several times larger than the higher voltage networks. The maintenance of the network model by the traditional approaches is impossible. It is therefore fundamental to be able to automatically import the network model from another source (ex: a GIS). The ScateX® supports incremental network model updates from external systems through CIM.

Integrated Engineering Environment

ScateX® supports current engineering requirements with an online integrated interactive CAD environment that includes template-based and object-oriented model editing tools, together with powerful copy/paste, import/export and model validation. The engineering environment supports database and network model design, user programming and diagram editing together with standard symbols with flexible dynamic behavior and templates for industry-specific applications, enabling engineers to customize and adjust the system instead of configuring it end-to-end. Full model version based edition is supported for diagrams, network equipments, network connectivity, SCADA model, communications model for all voltage levels of the network.

To complement the engineering toolkit, ScateX® offers optional configuration repository server with full configuration history access and bulk/incremental updates as well as optional network simulation server for testing and dynamic validation.

Available for Efacec RTU and field equipment or for selected third-party providers, ScateX® can integrate RTU/IED configuration and management through the engineering system.
Extensibility

By offering standard file format import/export facilities, SQL interface, Multispeak® and CIM-compatible SOA/REST application adapters, ScateX minimizes the required effort when external applications need to be integrated.

Adapters and data exchange allow users to benefit from seamless integration with external or existing systems such as geographical information, workforce/field-crew management, call center, asset management, customer information, advanced metering, video-surveillance, public information or other technical systems.

Operator Training Simulator

Designed to provide realistic training sessions for ScateX power network operators the Operator Training Simulator (OTS) is a standalone system that includes the electrical network simulation engine for all voltage levels with optional protection and automation simulation engine, including telemetry and telecontrol. The OTS system may also be setup to include any set of power applications, including automation applications and the ADMS subsystem.

The training session management model allows training sessions to be created from historical or current network configurations and snapshots and executed with manual or template-based incident/fault simulation. Training sessions can be recorded for analysis with pause/resume and playback functions.

Product Availability

ScateX is available in fully customizable form according to the specific requirements of each system, but is also readily available in product assemblies that target the needs of specific utility or industry application.

Support

The ScateX flexible and open platform ensures that your system is equipped with future-proof technology and that stepwise investment strategies are not hindered. Efacec further supports users with a full range of services from training and product support, through software customization, to project management, engineering and maintenance that ensure you have the best fitting solution for your requirements considering the full system life-cycle.