



# **OPC UA for Machinery**

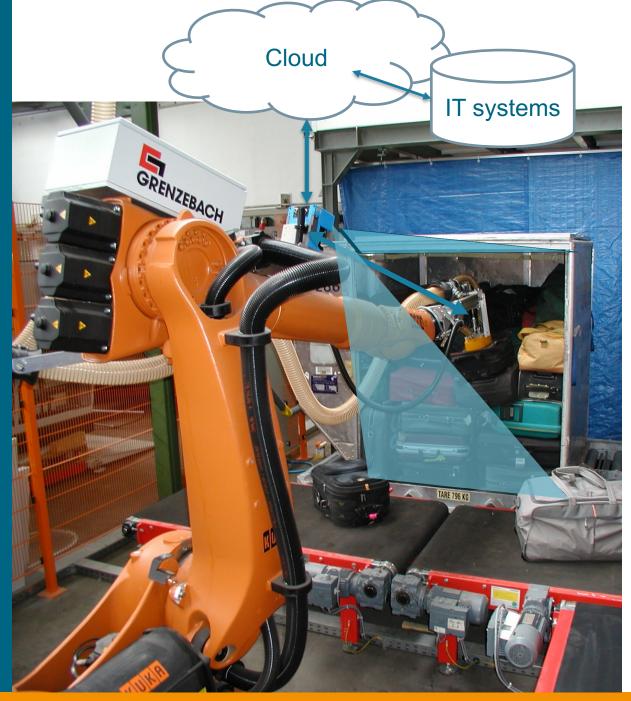
A base information model for machines



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Industrial Interoperability

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# Vertical and horizontal networking

# **Involved components**

- » Robots
- » Industrial image processing
- » Gripper
- » Weighing Technology
  - On the conveyor belt
- » Electrical drive
  - In the robot
  - On the conveyor belt

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# Manufacturer-neutral interoperability in the industrial environment desired



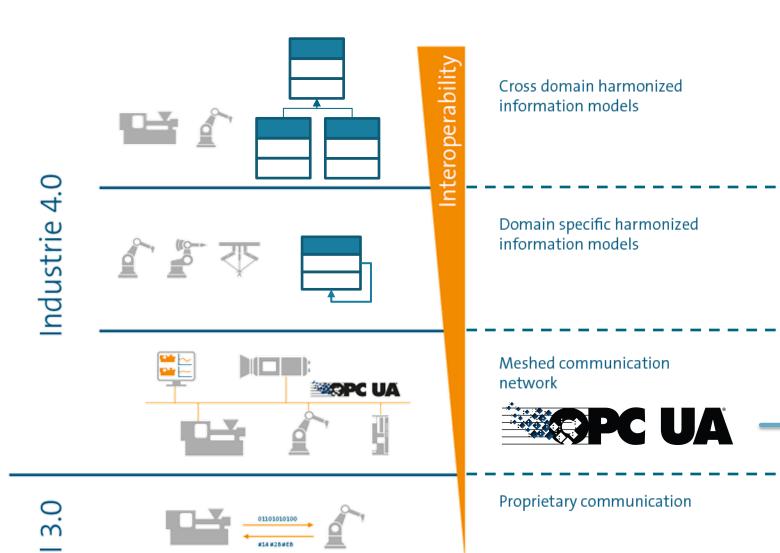




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# **OPC UA serves as basis for the Global Production Language**





Semantic machine description

Various protocols

Open source

Security



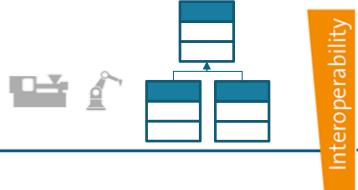
Scalable

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# **Standardized Interfaces for specific Machines**



OPC UA Companion Specifications next level of interoperability



Cross domain harmonized information models



Domain specific harmonized information models

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Companion Specifications
40 active Working Groups



Meshed communication network



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Industrie 4.0



**Proprietary communication** 

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# **Standardized Interfaces for specific Machines**

# OPC UA Companion Specifications next level of interoperability



- » Additive Manufacturing
- » Agricultural Machinery
- » Air Conditioning & Ventilation
- » Air Pollution Control
- » Automated Guided Vehicles
- » Battery Production
- » Building Control and Management
- » Building Materials
- » Ceramic Machinery
- » Cleaning Systems
- Compressors, Compressed Ain and Vacuum Technology
- » Construction Equipment
- » Continuous Conveyors
- » Cranes
- » Die & Mould
- » Drying Technology
- » Electrical Automation
- » Engines & Systems

- » Fire Fighting Equipment
- » Fluid Power
- Food Processing and Packaging Machinery
- » Foundry Machinery
- » Glass Machinery
- » Hydro Power Plants
- » Industrial Trucks
- Integrated Assembly Solutions
- » Intralogistic Systems
- » Lasers and Laser Systems for Material Processing
- » Length Measurement Technology
- » Lifts & Escalators
- » Machine Tools and Manufacturing Systems
- » Machine Vision
- » Metallurgical Plants and Rolling Mills

- » Micro Technologies
- » Mining
- » Photovoltaic Equipment
- » Plastics & Rubber Machinery
- Power TransmissionEngineering
- » Precision Tools
- » Printing & Paper Technology
- » Process Plant & Equipment
- » Productronic
- » Pumps & Systems
- » Refrigeration & Heat Pump Technology
- » Robotics
- » Security Systems
- » Software & Digitalization
- » Surface Technology
- » Testing Technology

- » Textile Care, Fabric and Leather Technology
- » Textile Machinery
- » Thermal Power Plants
- » Thermo Process Technology
- » Valves
- » Waste Treatment & Recycling
- » Weighing Technology
- » Welding & Pressure Gas Equipment
- » Wind Power Plants
- » Woodworking Machinery

OPC UA CS released

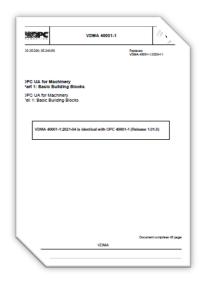
Release Candidate

Joint Working Group with OPC Foundation

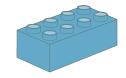
OPC UA CS in work

# **OPC UA for Machinery**

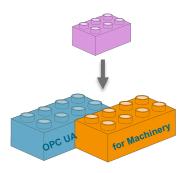




- OPC UA Companion Specification for the whole Mechanical Engineering Industry
  - Defines harmonized basic building blocks for broad use
  - Each building block stands for a specific use case





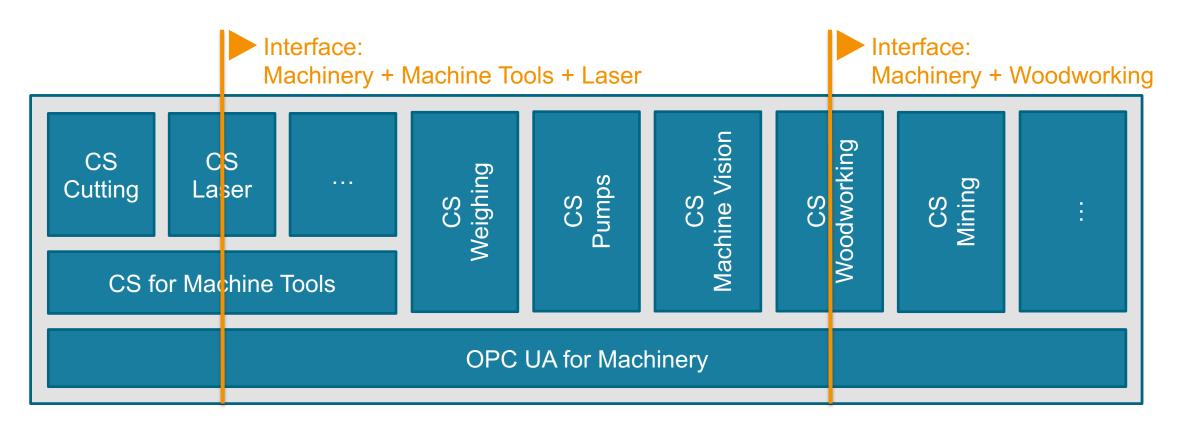


- Can be referenced from other Companion Specifications or implemented as standalone model
  - → OPC UA for Machinery forms the basis for interoperability

# **OPC UA for Machinery**

# **Target Image**



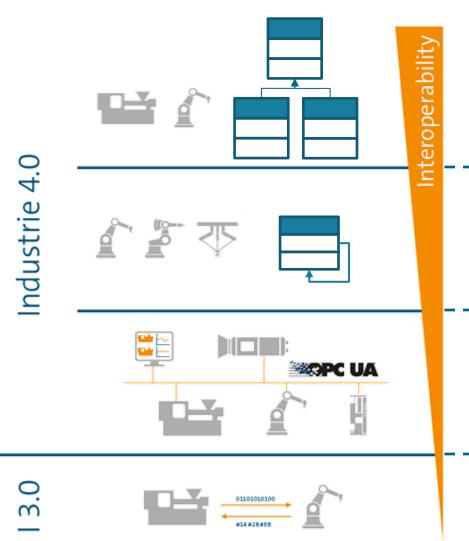


→ OPC UA for Machinery as Base CS for the whole field of mechanical engineering.

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> **VDMA OPC UA Companion Specifications**

Meshed communication network



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## Published:



Machine Identification



Component Identification



**Machinery State** 



Result Transfer



**Process Values** 

### In Work:



Job Management



**Energy Management** 

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# **OPC UA for Machinery**

# **Machine Identification**



Which machine is it? Who built it?



OPC UA for Machinery provides this information in the same way!













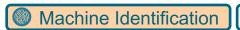








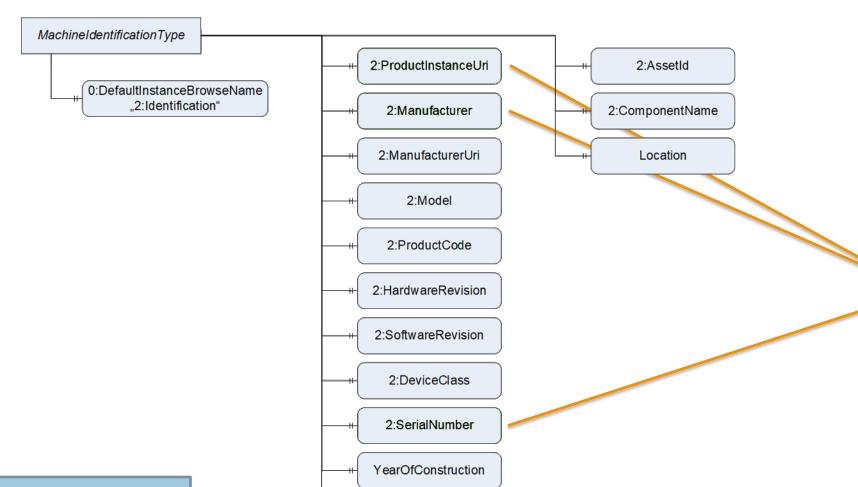
<sup>\*</sup> The use case ensures unique identification of the unit.











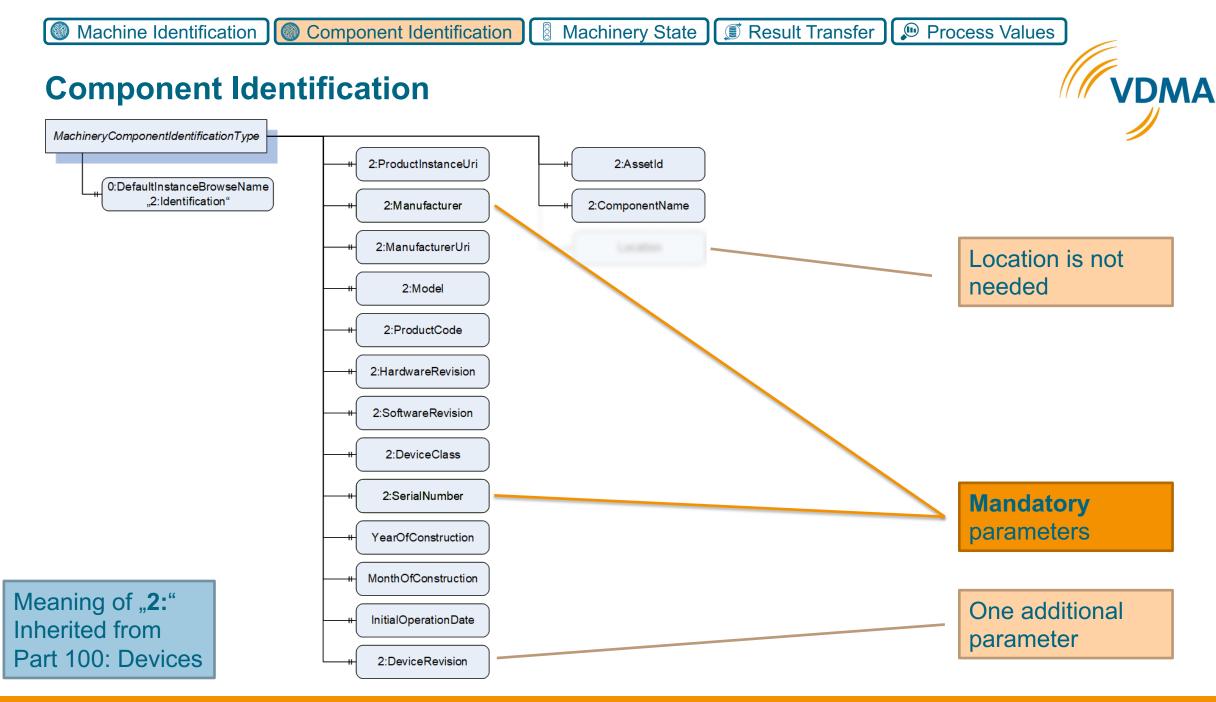
MonthOfConstruction

InitialOperationDate

**Mandatory** to achieve unique identification

Meaning of "2:" Inherited from Part 100: Devices

→ using OPC UA common models (DI) to gain higher interoperabilty



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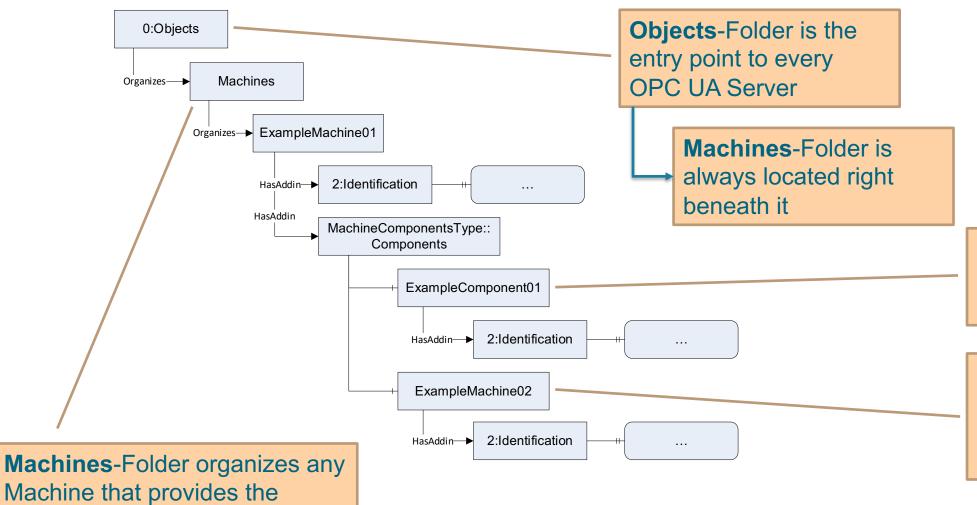






# **Listing of Machinery Items**





Lists all Components to a specific machine

Even Machines can be Components of machines

MachineIdentificationType

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# **Machine State**

**Current Problem** 







Working





Running





**Executing** 





**Production** 





**Dry Run** 

# **Machinery State**

# **Machinery Item State Definition**

# **Applicability: OPC UA Server running**

Not available	The unit is not available and does not perform any activity*. (e.g. Switched Off, in Energy Saving Mode)
Out of Service	The unit is not functional and does not perform any activity*. (e.g. Error, Blocked)
Not Executing	The unit is available & functional and does not perform any activity*. It waits for an action from outside to start or restart an activity*.
Executing	The unit is available & functional and is actively performing an activity* (pursues a purpose)

<sup>\*</sup> activity = part of the production, preparation or maintenance process





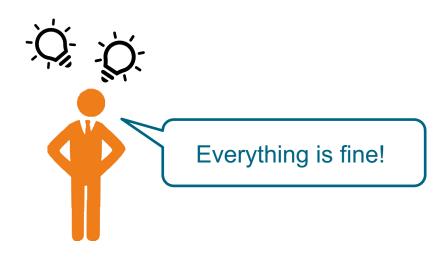






# **Machinery State**

Machine View







**Executing** 





**Executing** 











**Executing** 

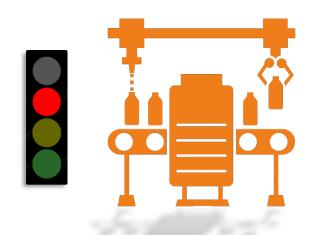


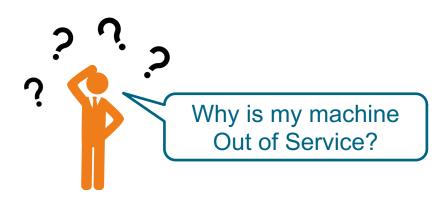


**Executing** 

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# **Machine Monitoring Component View**

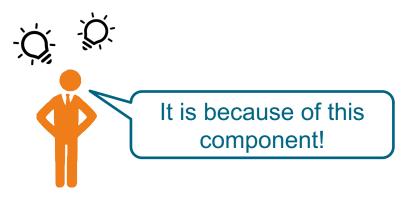












\*This example shows a beverage filling line that is Out of Service due to a jammed gripper.

# **KPI Calculations**

# **Key Performance Indicators**

**Out of Service** 

+@Processing





2 hours

**Not Executing** 

+ Processing



1 hour

**Executing** 

+ Processing



5 hours

**Machinery Item State** + Machinery Operation Mode



ISO 22400

Actual Production Time = 5 hours

Planned Busy Time = 8 hours

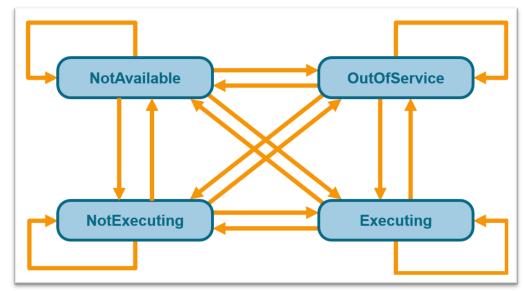
Availability = 
$$\frac{APT}{PBT}$$
 = 62,5%

Easy example for a KPI Calculation (Other calculations need more information than provided here)

**Enables KPI Calculations\*** 

# **Machinery State**

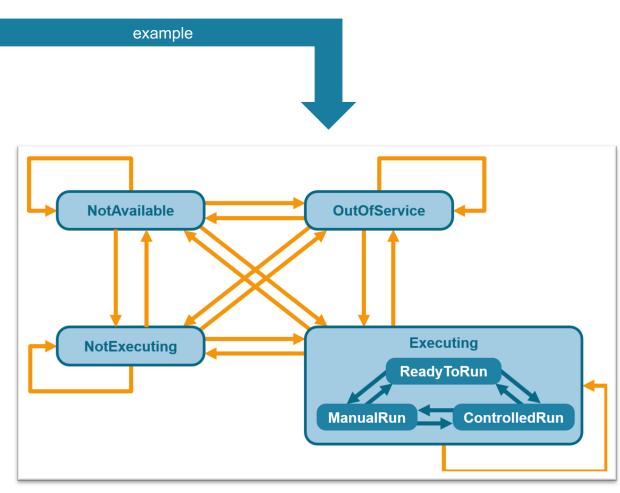
# Specific Realization



MachineryItemState in OPC 40001-1 – OPC UA for Machinery: Basic Building Blocks

## > Modelling Approach

- **State Machine** 
  - all transitions allowed
  - can be extended by substates



Extension of the MachineryItemState in OPC 40084-1 - UA CS for PlasticsRubber - Extrusion



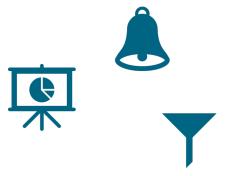
## **Result Transfer**

Use Case

Receive **complex measurement results**, that might be created over a certain amount of time and potentially require some processing of raw measurement values.

### **Requirements:**

- Clients shall be **notified** if new results are available
- Clients shall be able to **access** individual results
- Clients shall be able to **filter** for specific results



Note that the main purpose of the result transfer is to provide meta data together with the individual results. For a simple transfer of measured values like a flow or temperature without such meta data there are simpler mechanisms in OPC UA like providing a OPC UA Variable with a specific measurement value.



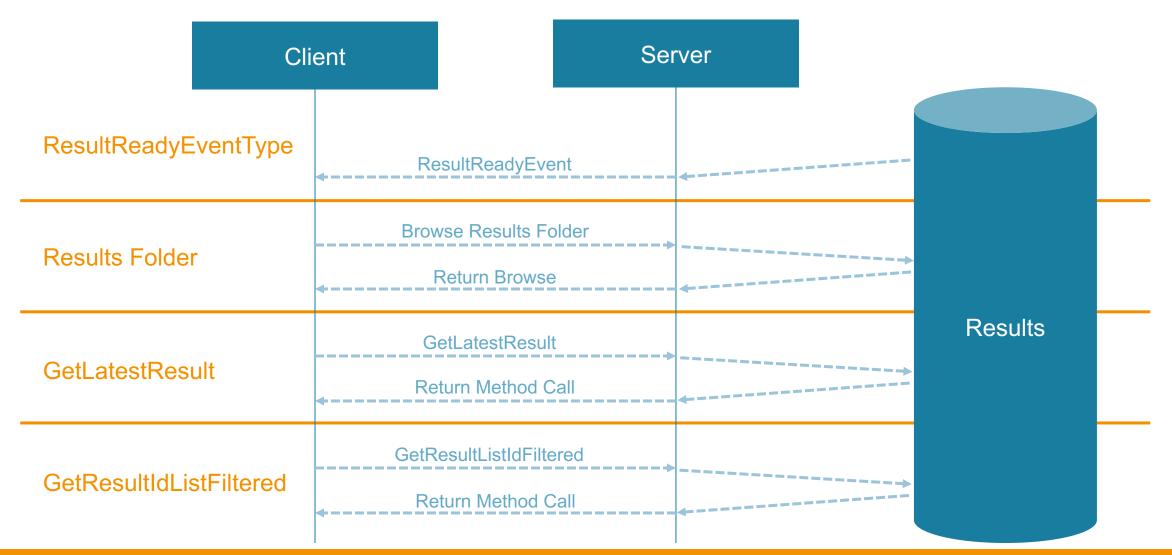








Supports different mechanisms to access the results



# **Domain specific information models**



What are your internal states?

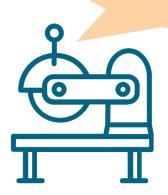
Temperature is at 53 degree F.



301°C is the temperature at the nozzle.



My blade is at 450 K.





# **Harmonized Information Model**



What are your internal states?

Temperature is at 53° F.

Temperature is at 53°C.





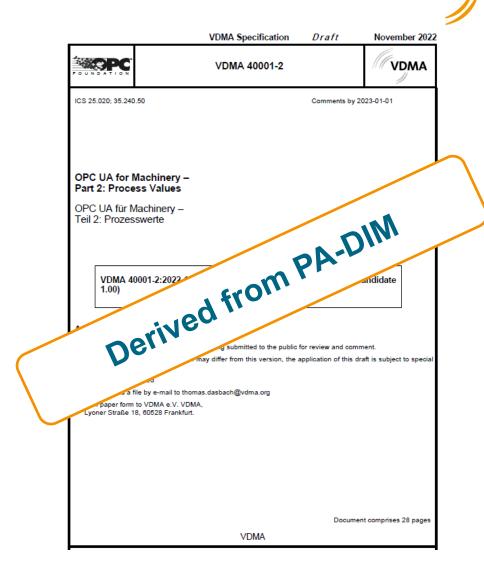


Temperature is at 450 K.

OPC 40001-2



- **Actual Value**
- Setpoint Value
- **Engineering Unit**
- Instrument Range
- **Deviation Limits and General Limits**
- Status (in range/out of range/...)
- **Alarms**
- Zero Point Adjustment
- **Substitution Value**
- Device Identification & Health





# **Summary**



- "OPC UA for Machinery" forms the basis for harmonization in the machinery and plant engineering industry
- It is structured in Building Blocks. These stand for specific Use Cases. Many Building Blocks are already available, more are in work.
- It can be referenced by other Companion Specifications or used in a stand-alone interface.
- The standards are free of charge.





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for your attention!



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