

# A Contagion of Interoperability - Collaborations with Other Industries



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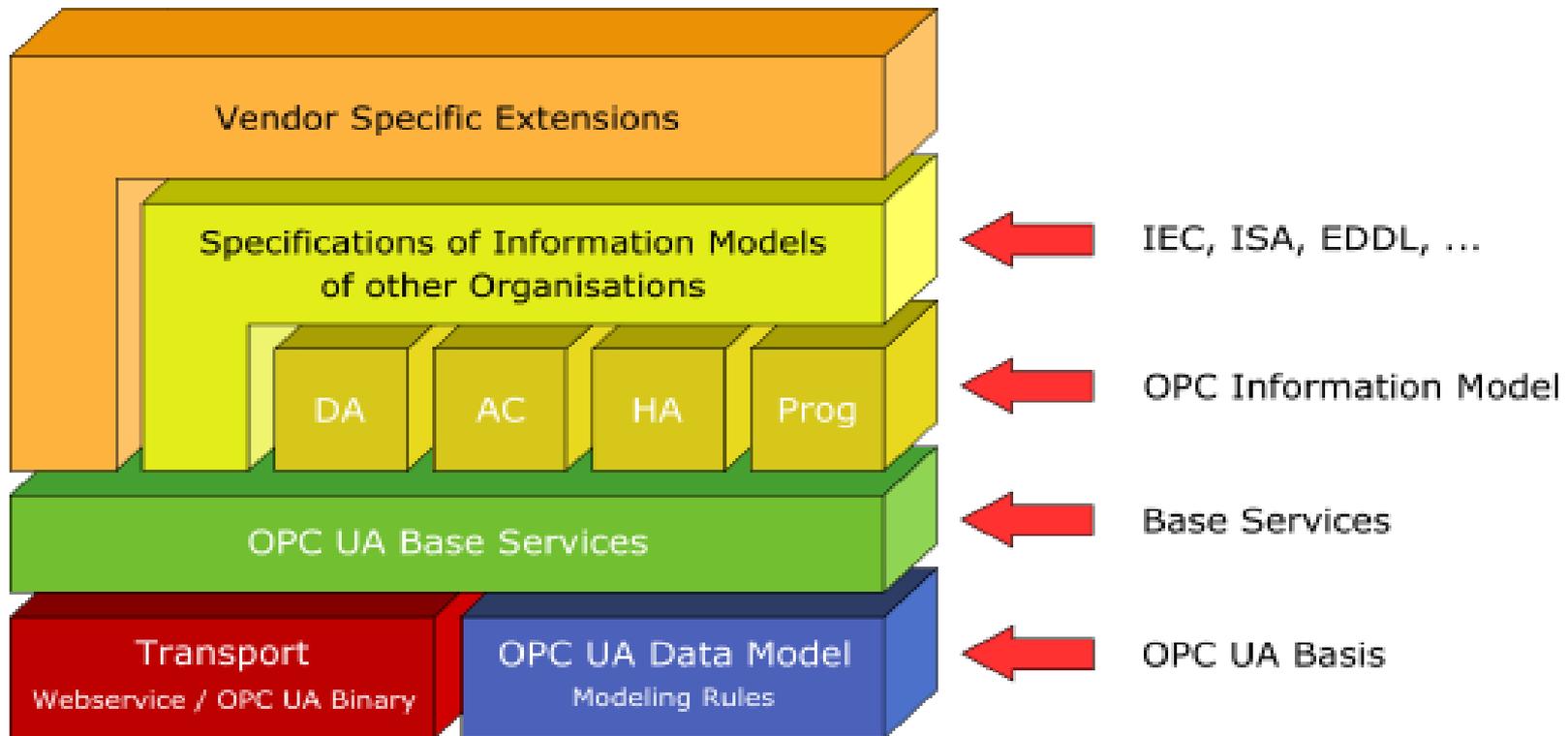
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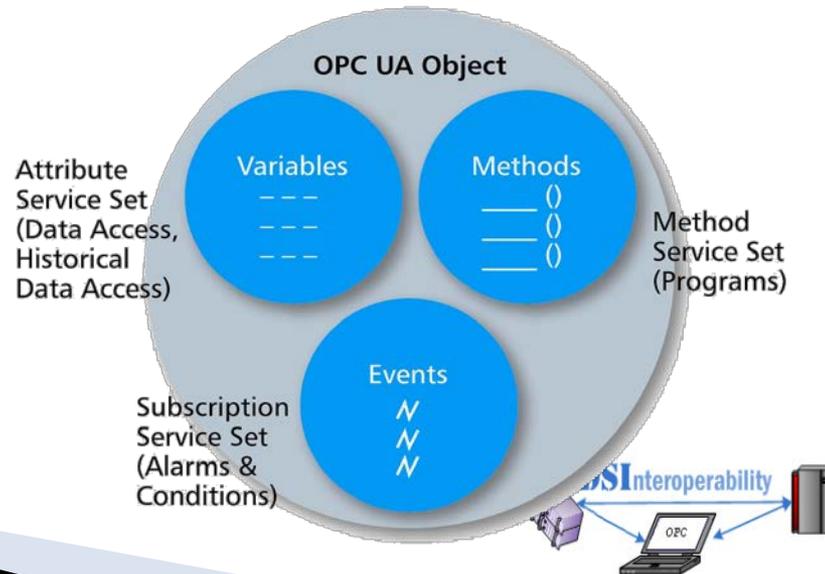
# OPC UA Information Modeling

- ▶ Modeling Data – Providing Information
- ▶ Transport Data – Platform Independent



# Unified Data Model

- ▶ Unification → Simplification
- ▶ Classic OPC defines different address space models for process data, alarms and historical data
- ▶ Reduced system integration costs by providing a common architecture for accessing information





# OPC Foundation Collaborations

OpenO&M

ADI

PLCOpen / MES

ISA S95

FDI

FDT

MTConnect

ODVA/Sercos

BACnet (Europe)

PRODML

MDIS

DSATS

AutomationML

SLC



# Collaboration in Building Automation

- Collaboration with BACnet Interest Group Europe (BIG-EU)
- Integration of Industrial and Building Automation
- Mapping of BACnet and OPC Unified Architecture
- First mapping specification planned for July 2013

BACnet working group started on October 01, 2012

- Collaboration with ONFIV (Video) in discussion
- OPC is used but lack of standardization in this area

Physical Security Systems



# Collaboration in Energy

- OPC UA evaluation is in progress and supported by OPC Foundation
- MCS-DCS Interface Standardization (MDIS)
  - Standard for drilling
- Smart Grid Interoperability Panel (SGIP)
  - Selection of standards used for Smart Grid in North America
  - Review by Cyber Security Working Group (CSWG)

OPC UA evaluated for use in different standards

- WG 10 – Communications & associated data models in power systems (IEC 61850)
- WG 13 – Energy management system application program interface
- OPC UA Experts involved in these working groups

IEC TC 57 Power Systems



# Collaboration in Transportation

Several national railway infrastructure providers evaluating OPC UA

Railway infrastructure monitoring and integration

Potential for international standardization



# Companion Specifications

MTConnect Completed



ISA S95 Completed



MDIS Under Development



PLCOpen Released



BACnet In Progress



# Industrial Automation Collaboration

## OPC Unified Architecture Specifications

Part 5 – Information Model

Part 8 – Data Access

Part 9 – Alarms and Conditions

OPC UA for Devices (DI)

ISA 95

FDT

MTConnect

MDIS

Analyzer Devices (ADI)

61850 / 61970

DSA-TS

Field Device Integration (FDI)

PRODML/WITSML

TIA

OPC UA for IEC 61131-3 (PLCopen)

ODVA / Sercos / OPC

BACNet

V2 Features



# MDIS

## OIL & Gas Platforms

- Topside controls
- Subsea controls
- Multiple vendors
- Integration is key challenge



Operating Companies - Want standard communication interface between:

- Subsea gateway,
- MCS (Master Control Station)
- DCS (Distributed Control System)

## MDIS - MCS-DCS Interface Standardization



# MDIS Members

The current members are:

- ▶ ABB,
- ▶ Aker Solutions,
- ▶ BP,
- ▶ Chevron,
- ▶ ConocoPhillips,
- ▶ Dril-Quip,
- ▶ Emerson,
- ▶ ENGGlobal,
- ▶ ExxonMobil,
- ▶ FMC,
- ▶ GE Oil and Gas,
- ▶ Honeywell,
- ▶ Invensys,
- ▶ Wood Group Kenny,
- ▶ Kongsberg,
- ▶ OneSubsea,
- ▶ Petrobras,
- ▶ Prediktor,
- ▶ Proserv,
- ▶ Rockwell Automation,
- ▶ Shell,
- ▶ Siemens,
- ▶ Statoil,
- ▶ Total,
- ▶ W-Industries,
- ▶ Woodside,
- ▶ Yokogawa



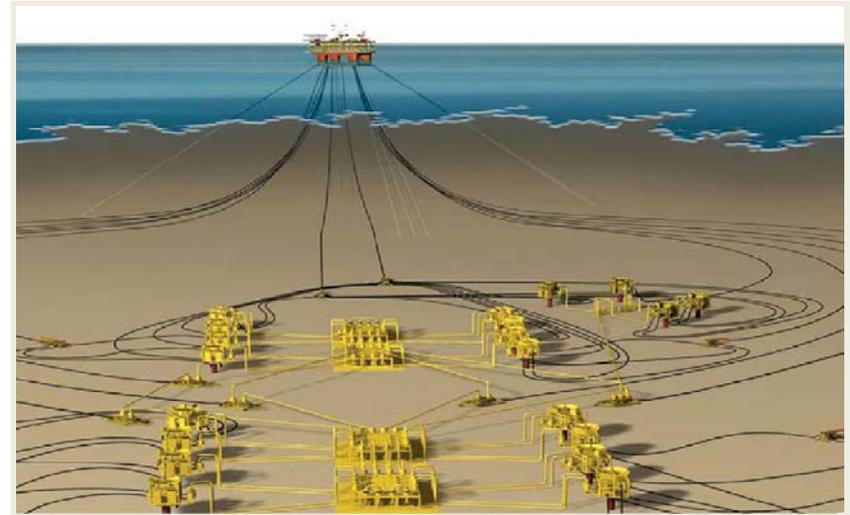
# MDIS – Standardize?

What are the goals?

- ▶ Cost Savings in engineering
- ▶ Cost Savings in system test and integration

What is being standardized?

- ▶ Standard Interface
- ▶ Standard Information Model
- ▶ Architectures



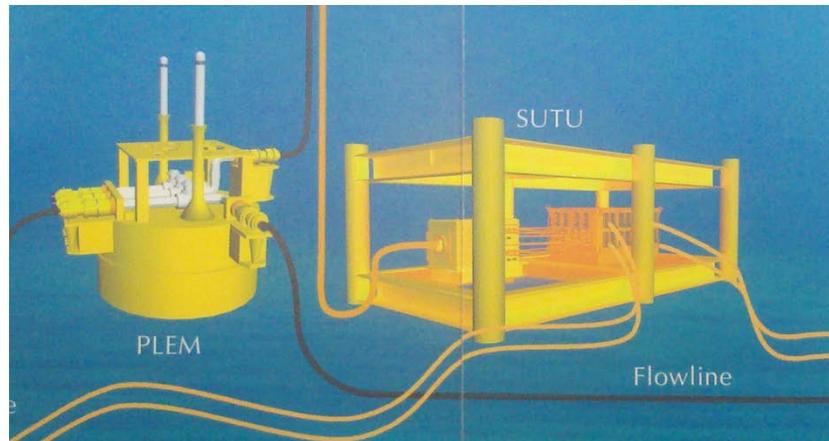
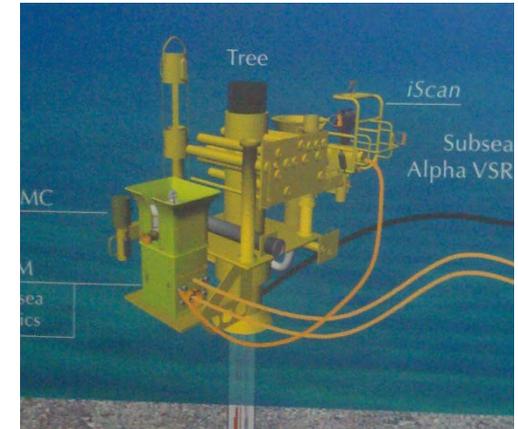
# MDIS - Standardize

## ▶ Interface

- What communication protocol (OPC UA)
  - Redundancy
  - Robustness
  - Security

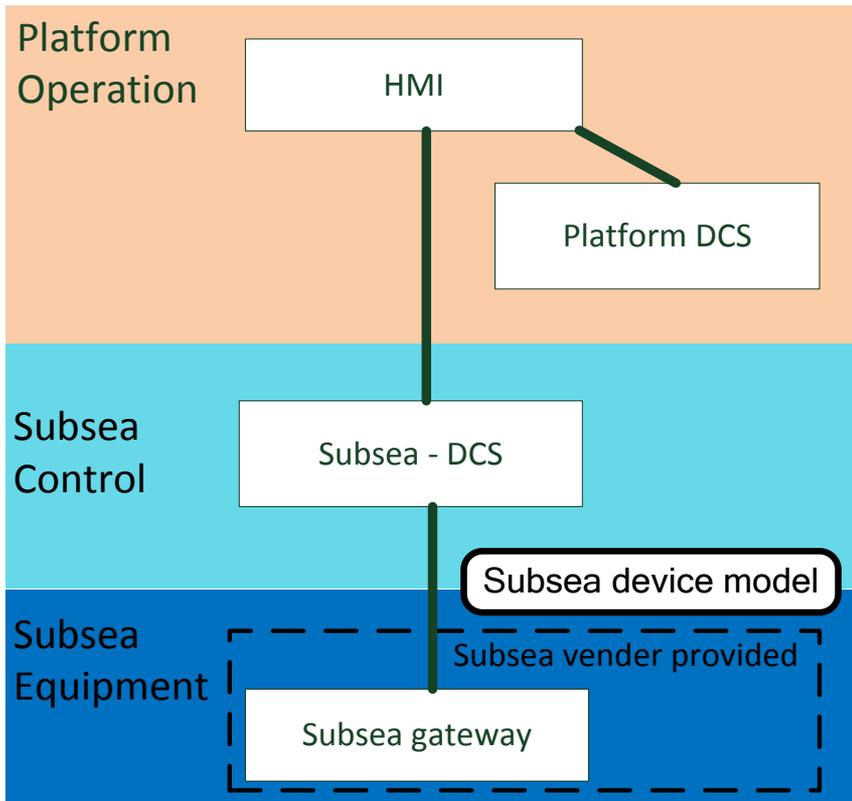
## ▶ Information Model

- Valve
- Choke
- Instrument
- Discrete
- CIMV
- DHPT
- MPFM
- EPU
- SEM
- Motor
- Manifold

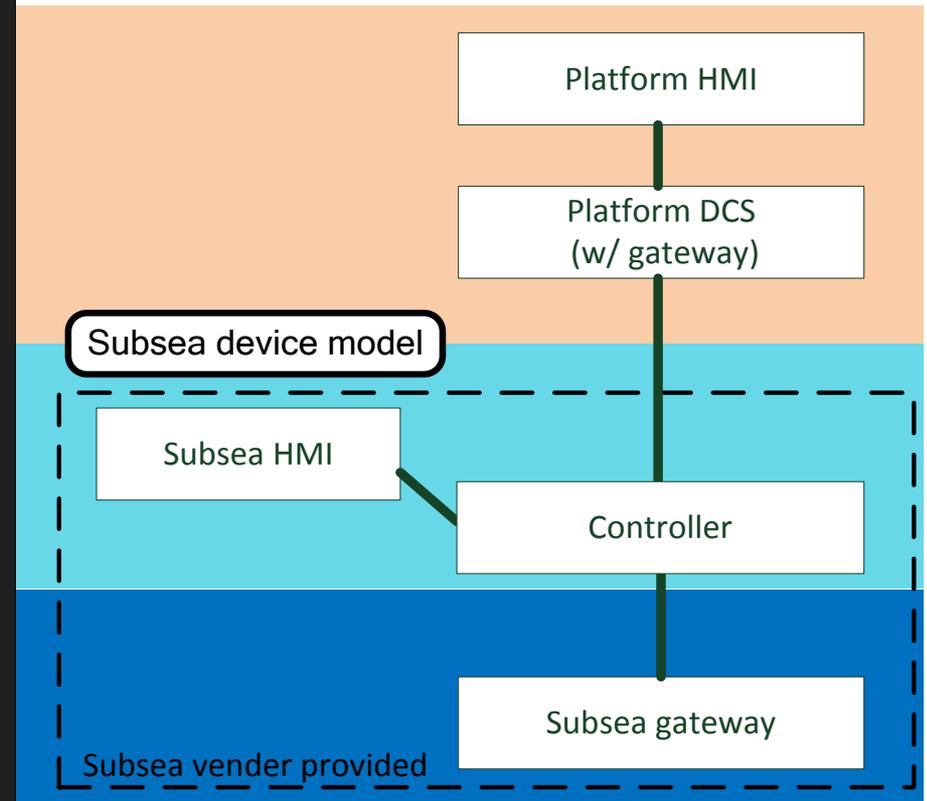


# MDIS - Architecture

## Architecture-CASE 1 Integrated



## Architecture-CASE 2 - Interfaced



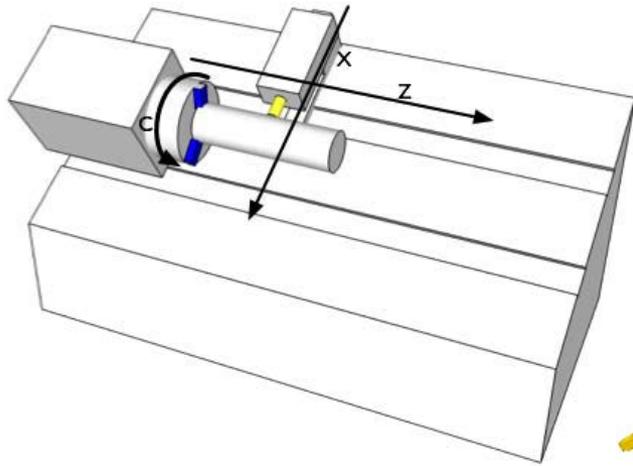
# MDIS - Progress

- ▶ Architecture working group (complete)
- ▶ Objects working group
  - Valve – OPC UA ready
  - Instrument – Discussing OPC UA Version
  - Choke – Discussing OPC UA Version
  - Discrete – wait final agreement on Object definition
  - Other Objects still being decided and defined
- ▶ Validation Working Group
  - Defining required profiles and functionality
  - Defining first IOP session (Target June 2015)
  - Defining testing and certification



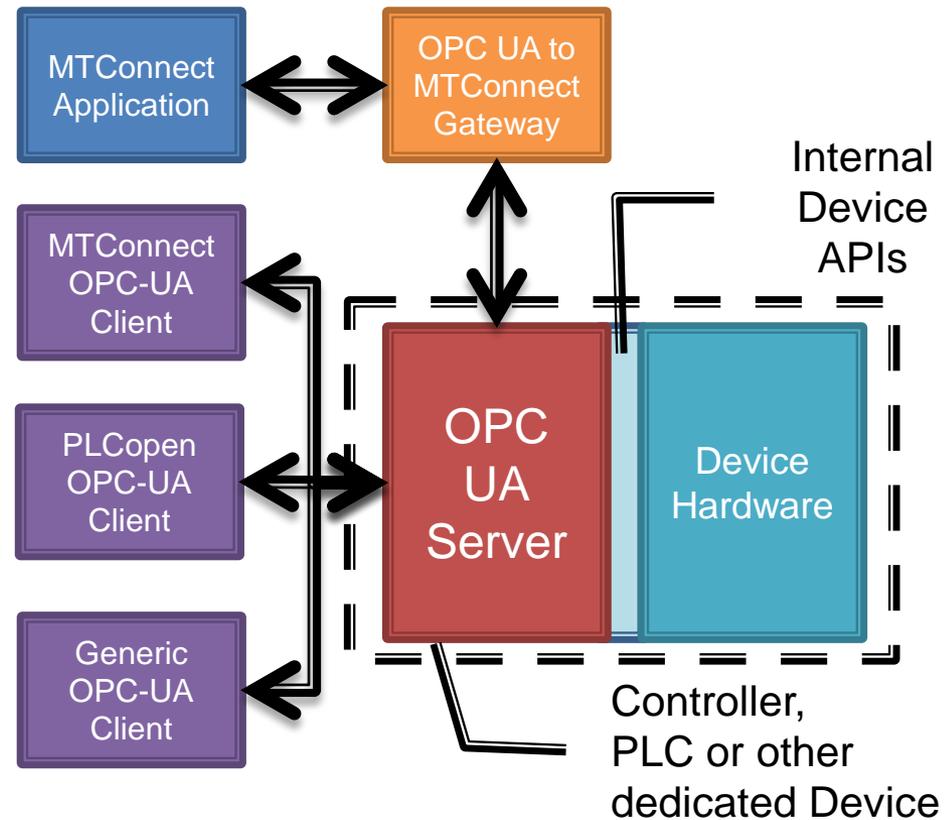
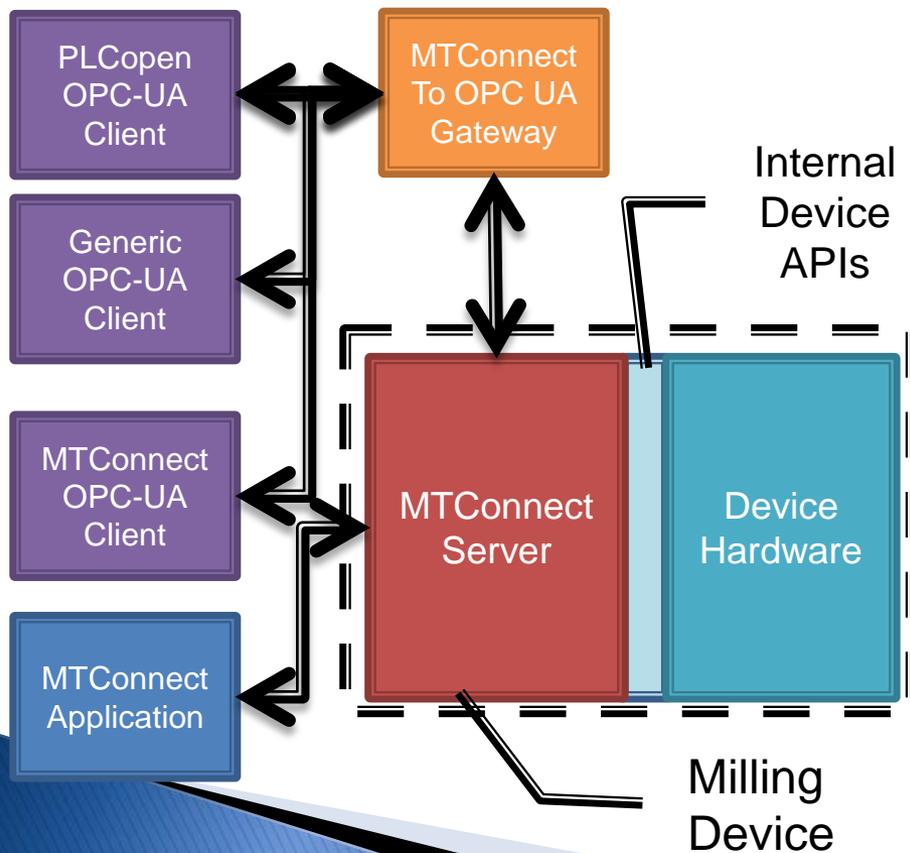
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- ▶ Universal factory floor communications protocol
- ▶ Intended for the shop floor environment
- ▶ Defines a “dictionary” for manufacturing data



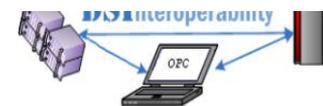
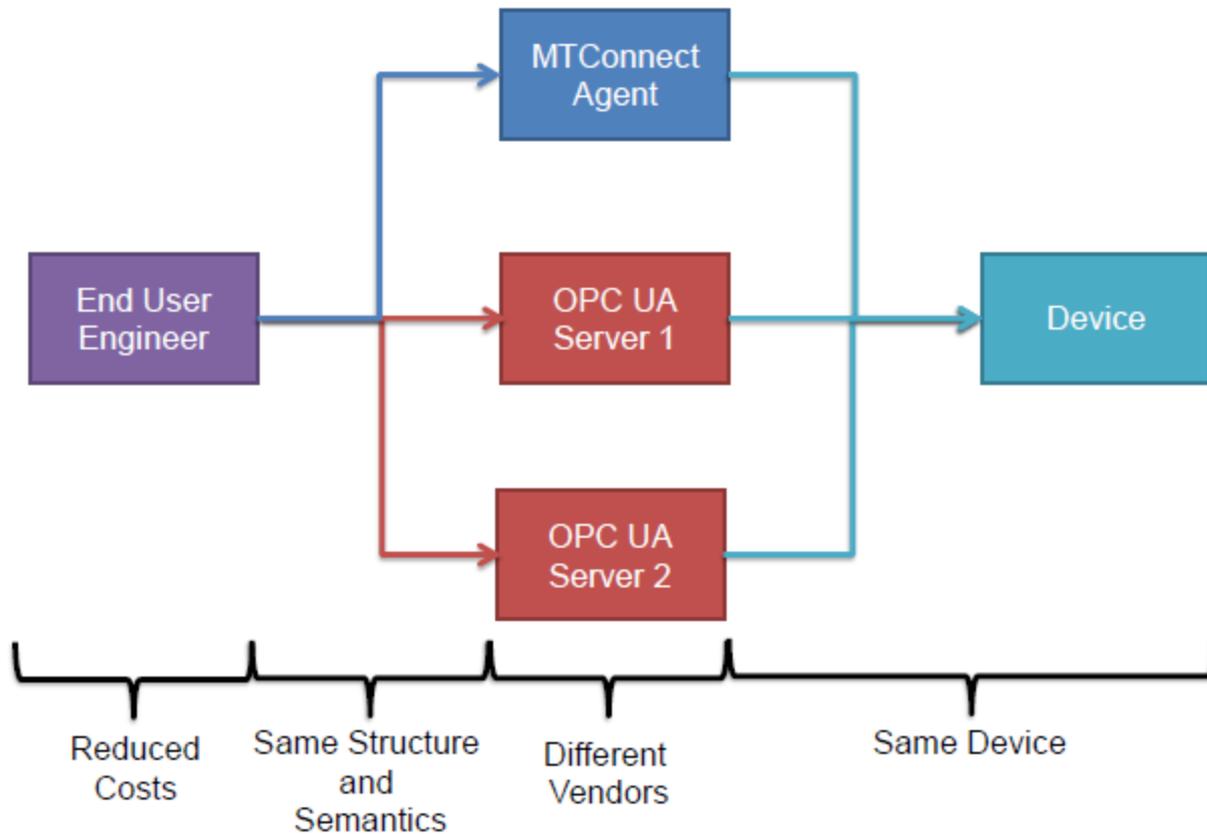
# Use Cases

## Device Manufacturer

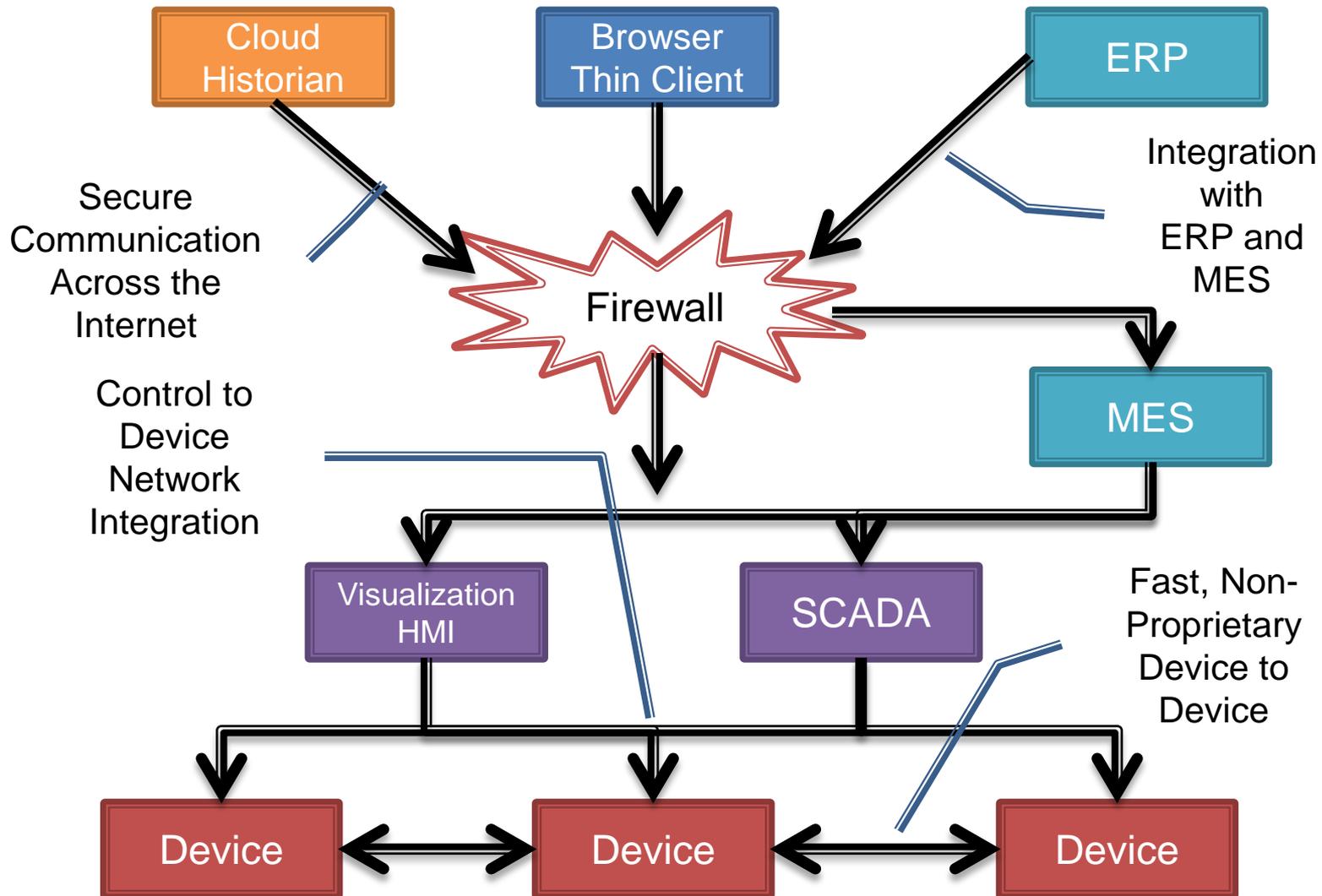


# MTConnect

- ▶ Existing Standard – HTTP, XML based, Information model
- ▶ OPC UA - offers higher performance, security

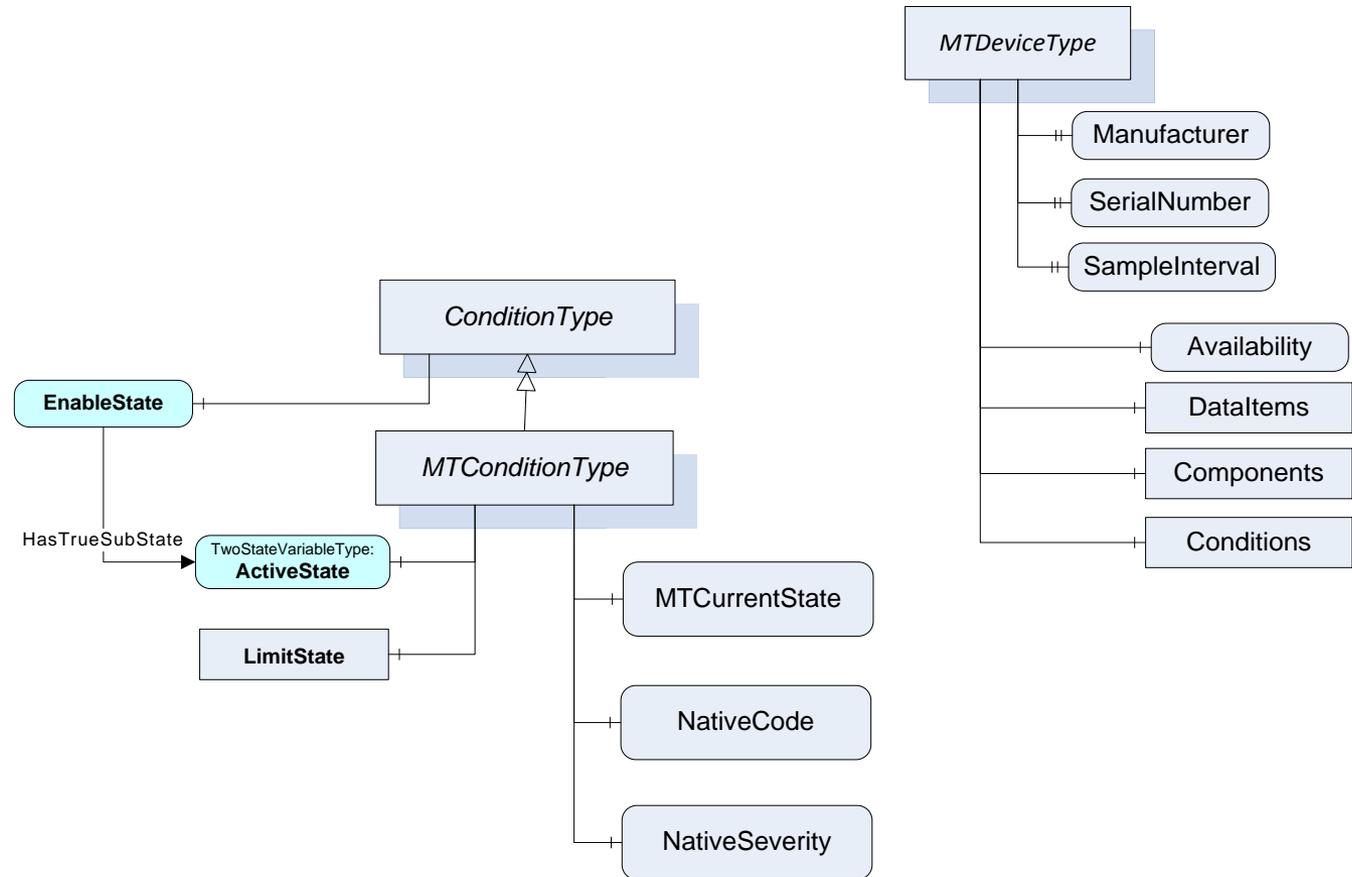


# Other Key Advantages



# Summary of Model

- ▶ Includes the following MTConnect items:
  - Device
  - Component
  - Sensors
  - Conditions
  - Events
  - Assets



# MTConnect - OPC UA Companion Specification

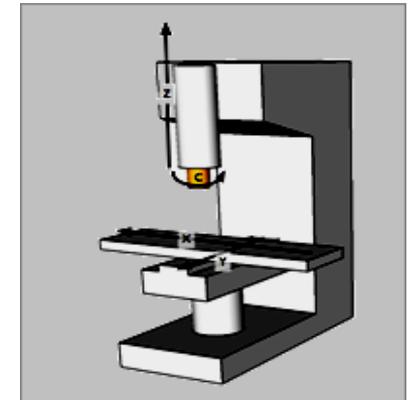
- ▶ Compatible with MTConnect Version 1.2
- ▶ Compatible with OPC UA Version 1.02
- ▶ Released Candidate
- ▶ Waiting for sample code
- ▶ Targeted 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2014
  - Will include updated to MTConnect 1.3 release



OPC Client - PLC - OPC  
Server



MTConnect Device and OPC UA



MTConnect Device



# Questions

