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Stay tuned for locations and dates for the 2013 technical symposium series. For each of the past seven years, 150 to 250 customers have attended this valuable series. Focus for 2013 will be customer application papers and tutorials on Cyber Security, IEC 61850, IEC 61131-3, PRC-002 Recording and web-based SCADA and HMI. Certificates will be provided to attendees for the non-commercial application and training portion of each symposium; typically four to six hours.



LATEST SOFTWARE

Orion5/5r Firmware Version: 1.41.0

OrionLX Release: 7.5

Orion NCD3 Version: 3.23

Bitronics 70 Series Firmware and Configurator: 4.01

Bitronics M57x firmware: 3.09 **Bitronics 50 Series Firmware:** 3.07

BiView: 3.03



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Get the first look at the OrionLX exchanging data with IEC 61850 IEDs. With Orion, IED "CID" files become OrionLX "IED pick lists", and points are simply dragged and dropped from a new expanding tree structure listing all available IED points. Selected 61850 IED points can be presented to any supported Slave protocol such as IEC 60870-5-101 or DNP3. GOOSE subscription and publication are also supported.



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The DIOD is a Distributed I/O Device designed to complement Orion DDIO and Orion DCIO in applications requiring either IEC 61850 or higher density I/O. Up to 56 I/O points in one compact location (3RU) with any combination of discrete in, discrete out or analog is supported. See article inside for more detail.





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OrionLX Direct Video VGA Monitor Support

See how the substation HMI PC can be eliminated – along with the associated NERC CIP concerns – with OrionLX Direct Video option, comprised of a new Multimedia Board with VGA port, audio port, USB ports and a third Ethernet port (with separate NIC). The pages viewable as "Direct Video" are actually the same OrionLX pages that can alternatively be viewed as webpages, including the OrionLX online configuration and diagnostic pages, alarm pages, trending pages, Sequence of Events pages and custom userdesigned pages.



Orion Packaged RTU Assembly



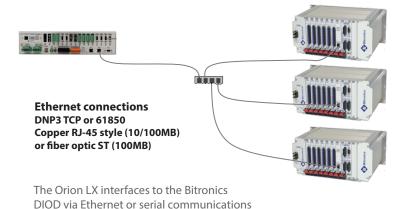
NovaTech Packaged SCADA RTU Assemblies

Check out a complete free-standing OrionLX RTU assembly, including functional HMI, DDIO, DCIO and IEDs. Learn about NovaTech's capabilities to engineer, package, install and commission RTU assemblies.

Bitronics® 70 Series Update

New Host Module for M87x Family Released

A new host processor, the H12, was released effective January 2, 2013 and is shipping in place of the H11 module in new orders for M87x. The base version will be equipped with 256MB flash memory, and options for 512MB and 1GB are available. There are options to add Ethernet built into the module as either E1 (RJ45 10BaseT/100BaseTX), or E3, (RJ45 10BaseT/100BaseTX plus 100BaseFX ST fiber). These replace the separate P10 and P12 Ethernet modules used with the previous H11 host module. A new IEC 61850 stack is included in the accompanying firmware release, and this new host processor makes it easier to add additional upgrades in the future.



Release of the 878 Distributed I/O Device (DIOD)

Offering self-powered, distributed I/O for substation equipment monitoring and fast automation and control applications in conjunction with the OrionLX, the 878 DIOD provides combinations of digital inputs, digital outputs and transducer inputs with all I/O accessible via IEC 61850 or DNP3 protocols.

In the largest of three available chassis, a maximum of 56 digital inputs, 24 digital outputs, or 48 transducer inputs are supported in the serial-only version (48 digital inputs, 20 digital outputs or 40 transducer outputs with Ethernet). The digital inputs are fully isolated from each other, and are iumper selectable for input level and threshold (150V dc input/15V dc threshold or 300V dc input/70V dc threshold). The digital outputs employ protection and control industry standard-type output relays and circuitry to ensure system reliability and are jumper selectable for desired output state (normally open or closed) and for relay state (energized or de-energized). The transducer inputs are available in eight-input modules that are jumper selectable for 0–10V dc, 0-1mA, or 4-20mA ranges. On-board Boolean logic can simplify schemes requiring control at protection speeds. The 878 complements the Orion DDIO and DCIO in applications requiring either IEC 61850 or higher density of I/O.

Feature: OrionLX FileMover

The new "FileMover" feature is now available on all OrionLXs release 7.4 or later. FileMover enables files resident on the OrionLX (SEL® Event Reports, .csv SOE files, etc) to be selected and scheduled for automatic dissemination to a remote ftp site. Available configuration settings are summarized below:

