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Industrial Remote Communication

# Remote networks

**Easy remote access  
to machines and plants**

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# Many ways of connecting to remote networks

Increasing bandwidths, higher speeds and performance levels, as well as falling communication costs are all opening up new possibilities in both public and industrial environments.

It's now easier than ever to connect your widely distributed plants, remote machines or mobile applications via remote networks. Siemens offers a wide range of modems and routers for establishing the ideal connection to remote networks over dedicated lines, public switched or cellular telephone networks, or Internet – regardless of whether wired or wireless, IP-based or analog.

The IP-based network components of SCALANCE M and SCALANCE S can be used widely in the fields of telecontrol, teleservice and any other application for industrial remote communication. These devices protect remote networks and the communication between them against unauthorized access and data espionage by means of integrated security functions like Firewall and VPN encryption. In addition, SINEMA Remote Connect, a management platform, facilitates secure and straightforward administration of communication connections.

The remote networks portfolio for IP-based networks is suitable for use in many different industries, such as:

- Power distribution
- Transportation systems
- Plant and machine building
- Water/wastewater treatment plants
- Oil and gas supply
- District heating networks
- Pumping stations

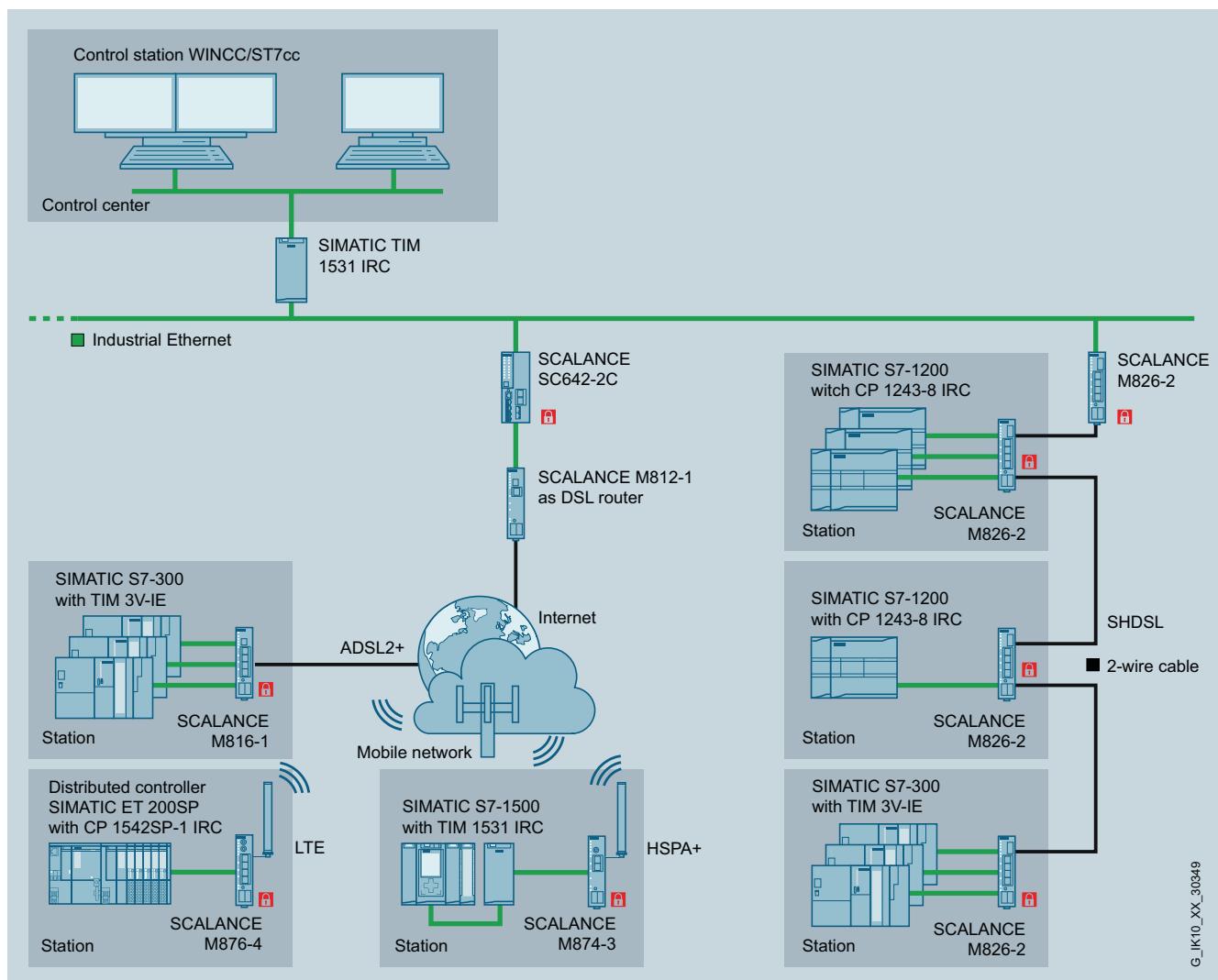
In the field of wind energy and photovoltaic plants, this portfolio also enables a global network to be set up for condition monitoring.

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## Your benefits with the Siemens remote networks portfolio:

- Low investment and operating costs for operator control and monitoring of remotely connected substations
- Reduction in travel and personnel costs thanks to remote programming and diagnostics
- IP-based and analog routers for any application
- Higher standard of data communication security thanks to integrated encryption and access protection mechanisms
- Commissioning and diagnostics via user-friendly web interface
- Easy and secure administration of virtual private network (VPN) connections
- Greater clarity in the control cabinet thanks to space-saving SIMATIC module design
- Integrated into TIA (Totally Integrated Automation)
- 5 years warranty for all SCALANCE products



Application example – telecontrol: Various options for connecting substations

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# SCALANCE M

The SCALANCE M portfolio consists of industrial routers for wireless or wired access. The products facilitate efficient connection of stationary and mobile stations to a control center. Extensive security functions, such as firewalls and VPN encryption, offer protection during transmission of data.

## Wired routers

Wired SCALANCE M routers enable the connection of Ethernet-based subnets and automation devices via existing cable infrastructures. The connection of devices in PROFIBUS networks is also possible. This portfolio includes devices for connection to two-wire cables or wired telephone and DSL networks.

### Your benefits:

- Simple connection of local networks using IP communication via WAN
- Low transmission costs, thanks to economical high-volume tariffs
- High process availability due to redundant transmission paths

				
	<b>SCALANCE M804PB</b>	<b>SCALANCE M812-1</b>	<b>SCALANCE M816-1</b>	<b>SCALANCE M826-2</b>
Standard	PROFIBUS/ MPI	ADSL2+	ADSL2+	SHDSL
Frequency bands	Private (existing infrastructure)	Public networks	Public networks	Private (existing infrastructure)
Bandwidth	Up to 12 Mbit/s (at the PROFIBUS/MPI interface)	Downlink: up to 25 Mbit/s Uplink: up to 1.4 Mbit/s	Downlink: up to 25 Mbit/s Uplink: up to 1.4 Mbit/s	Up to 15.3 Mbit/s
DI/DO	1/1			
DSL connection system	–	1 x ADSL2+ (RJ45)	1 x ADSL2+ (RJ45)	2 x SHDSL
LAN interfaces	2 x RJ45	1 x RJ45	4 x RJ45	4 x RJ45
Temperature range	-20 °C ... +60°C	0 °C ... +60 °C	0 °C ... +60 °C	-40 °C ... +70 °C
Safety class	IP20			
Security	VPN (IPsec/ OpenVPN*)/ Firewall			
Special characteristics	Redundant power supply; Network management via SNMP; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect; PROFIBUS/ MPI interface	Redundant power supply; Network management via SNMP; NAT	Redundant power supply; Network management via SNMP; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect	Redundant power supply; Network management via SNMP; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect; certified for rail applications
<b>Advantages</b>				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Convenient and cost-efficient connection of existing systems with PROFIBUS/MPI to SINEMA Remote Connect for secured remote access</li> <li>■ Standardized remote maintenance concept for new and existing plants</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Cost-effective connection to DSL provider networks thanks to ADSL2+ support</li> <li>■ Flexible use as router or modem without need for configuration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Cost-effective connection to DSL provider networks thanks to ADSL2+ support</li> <li>■ Secure direct connection of multiple stations via integrated 4-port switch</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Connection to existing two-wire infrastructure thanks to SHDSL support</li> <li>■ Wide range of possible network topologies – e.g. point-to-point, line, link aggregation (4-wire)</li> <li>■ Low investment and operating costs for operator control and monitoring of remotely connected substations</li> </ul>

\* For connection to SINEMA Remote Connect as a client

## Wireless routers

The wireless SCALANCE M routers use the globally available, public cellular telephone networks (2G, 3G, 4G) for data transmission. This makes them a cost-effective alternative to the set-up of corporate wireless networks.

### Your benefits:

- High data rates allow the transmission of mass data or images in real time
- Provider independent
- Connection of extremely remote substations is possible

				
	<b>SCALANCE M876-4 (LTE)</b>	<b>SCALANCE M876-3 (UMTS) (EV-DO &amp; CDMA2000)</b>	<b>SCALANCE M874-3 (UMTS)</b>	<b>SCALANCE M874-2 (GSM)</b>
Standard	4G	3G	3G	2 – 2.5G
Frequency bands	GSM 900/1800 MHz UMTS 900/1800/ 2100 MHz LTE 800/900/1800/ 2100/2600 MHz	GSM 850/900/1800/ 1900 MHz UMTS 800/850/900/ 1900/ 2100 MHz EV-DO: 800/1900 MHz	GSM 850/900/1800/ 1900 MHz UMTS 800/850/900/1900/ 2100 MHz	GSM 850/900/1800/ 1900 MHz
Bandwidth	Downlink: up to 100 Mbit/s (LTE) Uplink: up to 50 Mbit/s (LTE)	Downlink: up to 14.4 Mbit/s (HSDPA) Uplink: up to 5.76 Mbit/s (HSUPA) Forward Link: 3.1 Mbit/s Reverse Link: 1.8 Mbit/s	Downlink: up to 14.4 Mbit/s (HSDPA) Uplink: up to 5.76 Mbit/s (HSUPA)	Downlink: up to 237 kbit/s Uplink: up to 237 kbit/s
DI/DO	1/1			
Antenna connectors	2x SMA	2x SMA	1x SMA	1x SMA
LAN interfaces	4x RJ45	4x RJ45	2x RJ45	2x RJ45
Temperature range	-20 °C ... +60 °C			
Safety class	IP20			
Security	VPN (IPsec/ OpenVPN*)/ Firewall			
Special characteristics	Redundant power supply; network management via SNMP; text message alerts; managed 4-port switch; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect; certified for rail applications	Redundant power supply; network management via SNMP; text message alerts; managed 4-port switch; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect	Redundant power supply; Network management via SNMP; text message alerts; managed 2-port switch; NAT; connection to SINEMA Remote Connect	
Advantages				
	High security standards by means of a firewalls (stateful packet inspection) and VPN connections (IPsec) as an integral component of the Industrial Security concept			

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# SCALANCE S

**SCALANCE S Industrial Security Appliances** ensure secured access to globally distributed plants, machines and applications. They protect automation cells and all devices without their own protection functions from unauthorized access, such as espionage and manipulation.

SCALANCE S components secure communication with stateful inspection firewall and virtual private networks (VPN). All variants enable configuration via Web-based Management (WBM), Command Line Interface (CLI), Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), Network Management SINEC NMS and TIA Portal. A digital input enables the controlled establishment of a VPN connection, e.g. for remote maintenance.

Your benefits:

- High firewall and encryption performance
- Management of up to 200 VPN connections
- Network Address Translation (NAT/NAPT) for communication with serial machines with identical IP addresses

							
	SCALANCE SC632-2C	SCALANCE SC636-2C	SCALANCE S615	SCALANCE SC642-2C	SCALANCE SC646-2C		
Firewall data throughput	600 Mbit/s	600 Mbit/s	100 Mbit/s	600 Mbit/s	600 Mbit/s		
IPsec-VPN data throughput	-	-	35 Mbit/s	120 Mbit/s	120 Mbit/s		
DI/DO	1/1						
Electrical connection	2x RJ45 ports	6x RJ45-ports	5x RJ45-ports	2x RJ45-ports	6x RJ45-ports		
Optical connection	2x combo ports with SFP		-	2x combo ports with SFP			
Temperature range	-40 °C ... +70 °C						
Protection class	IP20						
Bridge firewall	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		
User-specific firewall	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Password protection	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Product function with VPN connection	OpenVPN*		IPsec, OpenVPN*				
Number of VPN tunnels	-	-	20	200	200		
Number of firewall rules	1000	1000	128	1000	1000		
MRP-Client / HRP-Client	No	Yes	No	No	Yes		
Special characteristics	Configurable security zones, VRRPv3 coupling, connection to SINEMA Remote Connect						

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# SINEMA Remote Connect – the management platform for remote networks

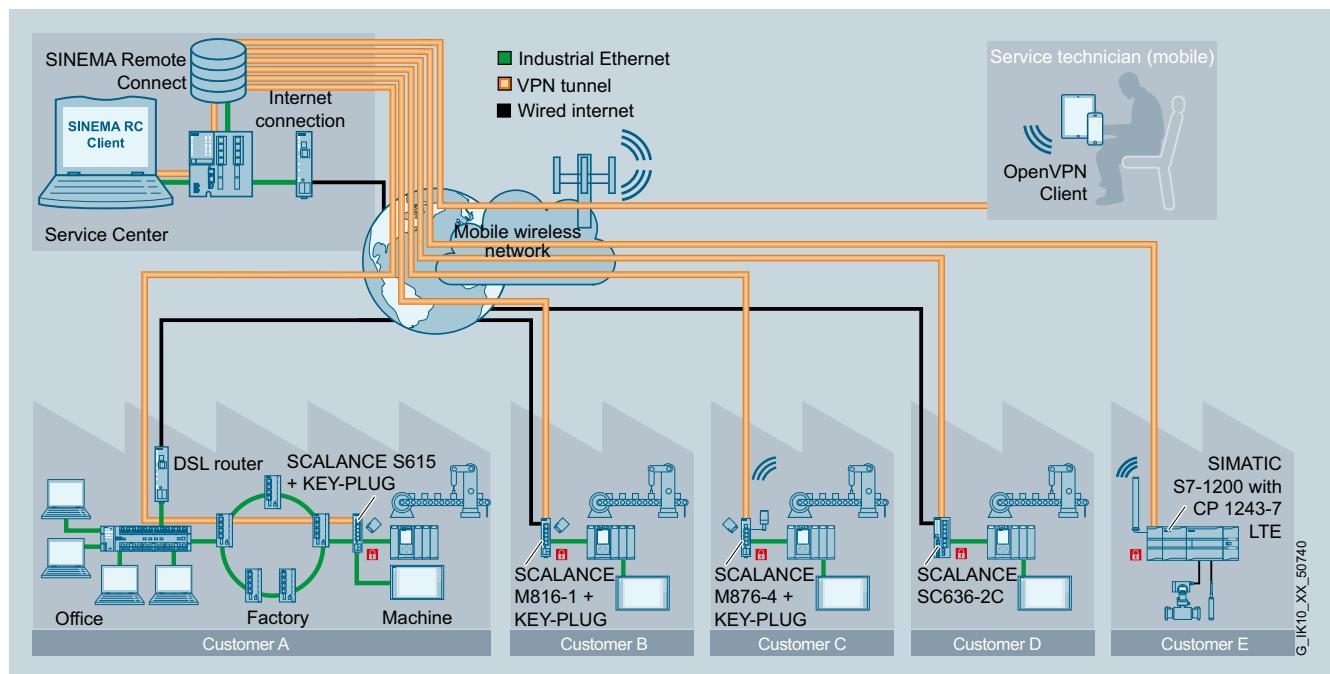
The management platform for remote networks – SINEMA Remote Connect – is a server application. It allows users to easily maintain widely distributed plants or machines by secured remote access.

SINEMA Remote Connect ensures the secured administration of VPN connections between the control centers, the service engineers and the installed plants. Direct access to the corporate network, in which the plant or machine is integrated, is avoided. The service engineer and the machine to be maintained each establish an independent connection to SINEMA Remote Connect server. The identity of the partners is verified by an exchange of certificates, before any access to the machine is granted. The connection to SINEMA Remote Connect can be set up over diverse media such as cellular phone networks, DSL or existing private network infrastructures.

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Your benefits with SINEMA Remote Connect:

- Central administration of all VPN connections
- Simple management of different users including user-specific access rights – even to unique IP addresses in the subnet (Dedicated Device Access)
- Address book function for fast connection
- Protocol independent, IP-based communication
- Easy integration of the Siemens routers, Industrial Security Appliances, compact RTUs and communications processors by auto-configuration
- Special IT knowledge regarding remote access is not necessary
- Easy selection and connection to identical serial machines for original equipment manufacturers (OEM)
- Operation also in virtualized environment
- Multi-factor authentication



Secured remote service of serial machines and remote stations by means of SINEMA Remote Connect

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Siemens provides products and solutions with industrial security functions that support the secure operation of plants, systems, machines and networks.

In order to protect plants, systems, machines and networks against cyber threats, it is necessary to implement – and continuously maintain – a holistic, state-of-the-art industrial security concept. Siemens' products and solutions constitute one element of such a concept.

Customers are responsible for preventing unauthorized access to their plants, systems, machines and networks. Such systems, machines and components should only be connected to an enterprise network or the internet if and to the extent such a connection is necessary and only when appropriate security measures (e.g. firewalls and/or network segmentation) are in place.

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