



**Process Control and  
Safety Made Easy**

# Diverse Applications Ranging from

The Honeywell HC900 Process and Safety System is a fully field-proven system for process control and safety applications, with over 13,000 installations throughout the world. Its SIL-2 certification means it can be used in a variety of safety applications such as burner management systems (BMS), emergency shutdown systems (ESD), fire & gas monitoring, pipeline monitoring, spill prevention etc.

## **TÜV Compliance**

The HC900 is fully validated to perform its safety tasks, and is certified by TÜV for use in a SIL-2 environment. The system is ideal for a process / safety software environment. Its non interfering software environment means that the HC900 system is capable of hosting process control and safety applications, providing control, monitoring, password protection for configuration, alarm processing and data acquisition for process applications thus adding to reliable data and information being stored and protected.



# Process PLCs to DCS



## Typical Industries

- Chemicals, including specialty and fine chemicals, plastics & rubber
- Pharmaceuticals & Cosmetics
- Power (excluding nuclear)
- Cement & Glass
- Pulp & Paper
- Mining & Metals
- Water & Waste Water
- Food & Beverage
- Heat Treatment

## Typical Applications

### Safety

- Burner Management Systems (e.g. furnaces, boilers, pre-heaters, kilns, ovens, reactors, calciners, dryers, thermal oxidizers, melters, incinerators, process heaters, vaporizers)
- Combustion Control
- Pipeline Monitoring
- Spill Prevention
- Road Transportation
- Waste Water Treatment
- Terminal Automation
- Emergency Shutdown
- Fire & Gas Monitoring

### Critical Control

- Electronics and Semi Conductors
- Cement and Glass
- Textiles

### Certifications

- TÜV SIL2
- CSA / FM CL1 / DV2
- ATEX
- ABS
- UL
- CE



## Customer Benefits

### Proven & Reliable

Maximizes uptime

- Proven track record
- Redundancy
- Actionable information

### High Performance

Increases profitability

- Tighter control
- Reduced scrap
- Higher throughput

### Easy to Use & Engineer

Lowers operational costs

- Easy engineering
- Faster startup
- Simple intuitive tools
- No additional maintenance fees

### Enhanced Safety

with SIL2 certification

- Common hardware and software for process and safety
- Improved plant safety

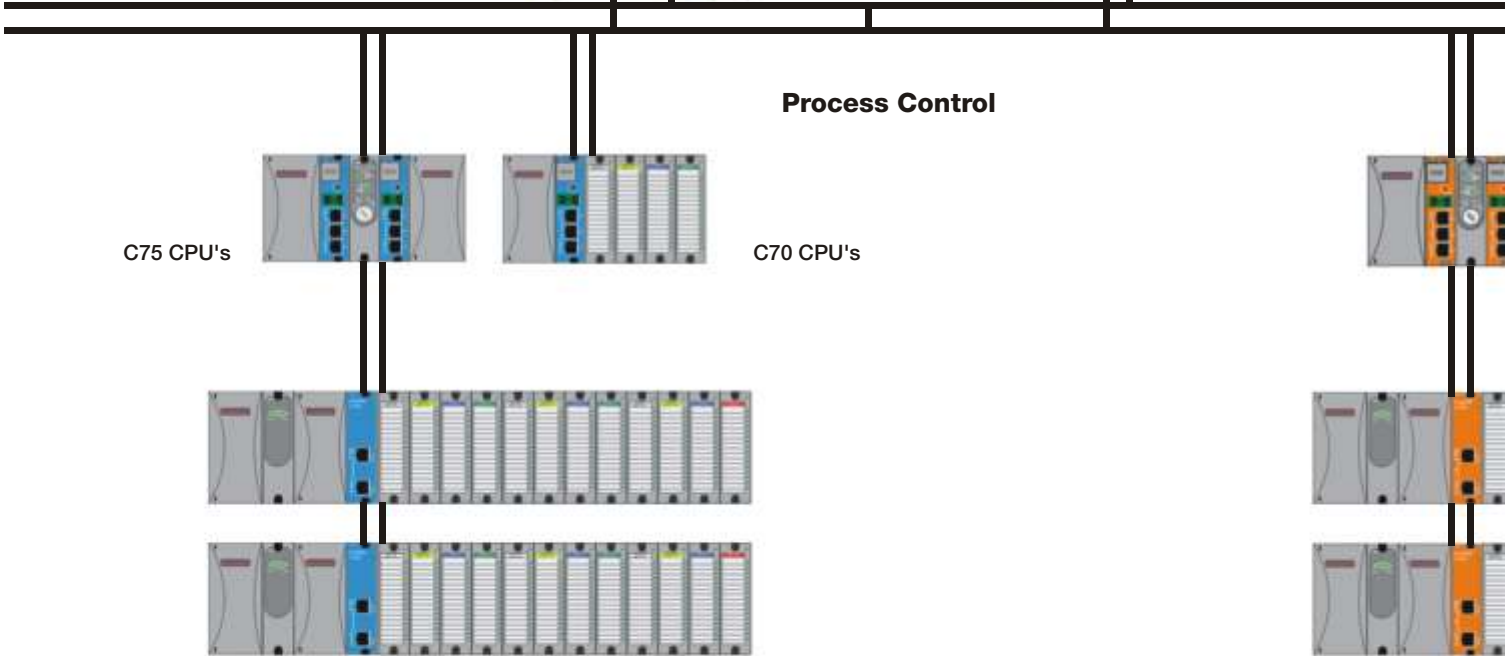
# Multiple systems, multiple I/O racks

## HC900 Hot Stand-by Architecture

Experion HS / LX Server with  
 - Redundancy  
 - Station  
 - Engineering Tools



Experion Station  
 eServer



A single flexible system for Process Control and Safety with faster start-up time, common engineering tools, reduced training, simplified maintenance and lowest cost of ownership

### CPU Capacity

Function	Point per module	Max. for C30 CPU	Max. for C50 CPU	Max. for C70 / C75 CPU
Analog in	Universal: 8, High Level: 16	Universal: 96, High Level: 192	Universal: 480, High Level: 960	Universal: 480, High Level: 960
Analog out	4, 8, 16	40	200	200
Analog out (external Power)	8, 16	192	960	960
Digital in	16 or 32	384	1920	1920
Digital out	8 AC or 16 DC, 32	384	1920	1920
Function blocks	n/a	400	2000	5000

## Controller



900 Control Station

### Dual Ethernet

## Safety Systems



C75S (dual networks)



## HC900 Designer Software

- Configuration: HC900 Controller – offline with run-mode editing
- Operating environment: Windows XP, Vista, 7
- PC: Pentium, 2 GHz with 256 MB RAM minimum, SVGA or greater screen resolution
- Cable: RS 485 – three-wire, Ethernet 10/100 base T
- Modem support: Monitor, upload, download configuration
- New input voting (1oo2 and 2oo3) and output validation function blocks (with feedback verification)
- New non-interfering process and safety worksheets in same configuration



- Function Blocks: C70, C70R CPU-5000, C50 CPU-2000, C30 CPU-400
- Analog Inputs: Up to 480 universal analog inputs, 960 high level. A/D Resolution is +/- 15 Bits
- Accuracy: 0.1% of span (field calibration to ± 0.05% of span)
- Analog Outputs: Up to 200 with internal power, 960 with external power 0 to 20 mA maximum, 0.1% accuracy
- Digital Inputs / Outputs: Up to 1920, contact DI, 24 Vdc DI / DO, 120Vac DI /DO, 240 Vac DI/DO
- Total I/O: Up to 1920
- I/O Racks per System: One controller and up to four remote I/O racks
- Control Loops: PID, on/off, cascade, ratio, %C, three-position step
- Control Output Types: Current, time -proportioning, position-proportioning, three-position steps
- New Input Voting (1oo2 and 2oo3) and output validation function blocks (with feedback verification)
- Setpoint Programmers: 50 segments each, 16 event outputs, multiple stored profiles
- Setpoint Scheduler: 50 segments, 8 ramp / soak outputs, eight auxiliary outputs, 16 events, multiple schedules
- Comm: Ethernet 10 / 100/ base T, Modbus / TCP protocol, up to 10 Ethernet hosts on C50, C70, C70R up to 32 peer-to-peer controllers, Serial Modbus RTU, RS485 or RS232, slave or master operation (up to 32 slaves)
- Operating Temp: Rated 0° to 140° F (0° to 60° C)
- Humidity: Rated 10% RH to 90% RH, non-condensing

# Modular and Scalable

- Available in three rack sizes and three CPU performance levels
- Handles a wide range of automation requirements
- Analog and digital modules support up to 1,920 I/O points
- Scalable and expandable
- Easy to own, easy to engineer, easy to operate, easy to maintain



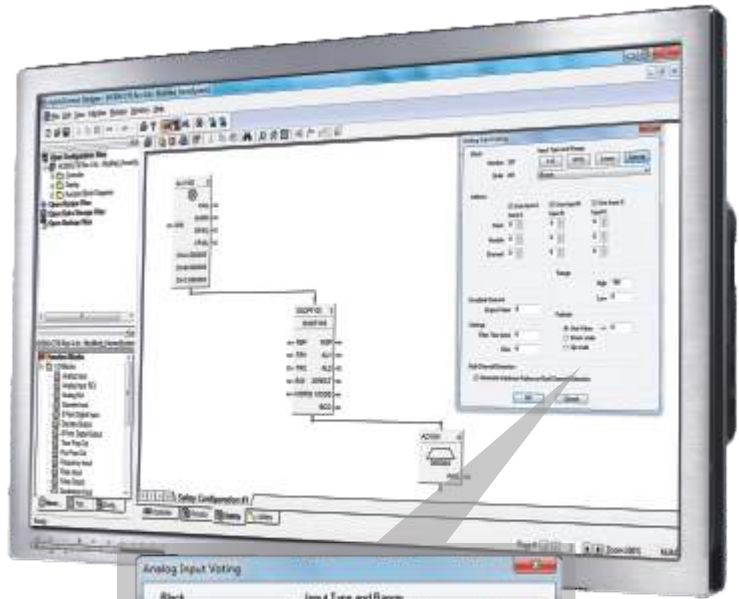
## Function Blocks

- Simplify execution of complex control strategies
- Over 125 different types of software function blocks available
- Each function block represents a unique algorithm for a specific control function
- Available CPU options support up to 400, 2,000 or 5,000 function blocks
- Simply drag and drop, and soft-wire
- 1oo2 and 2oo3 Voting Function Blocks. DO-V and AO-V (Digital Output and Analog Output Validation Function blocks)



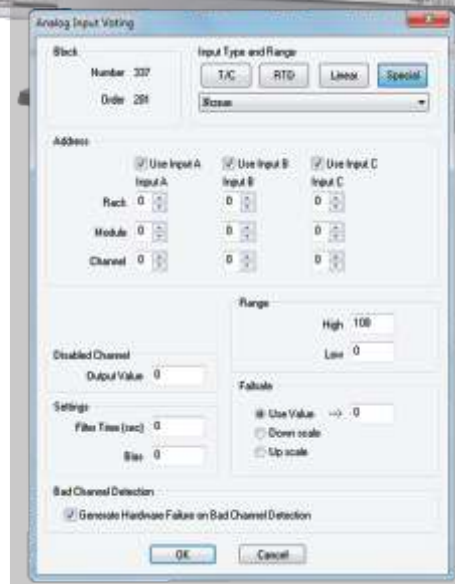
## Separate Process Safety Worksheets

- Same type of controller can be used for process and safety applications thus reducing total cost of ownership
- Provisions are provided within programming environment to program using safety / process worksheets



## Universal Analog Inputs

- Accept both direct and indirect inputs from sensors
- Minimize the number of input cards and spare parts required
- Inputs may be mixed on a module and may include multiple thermocouple types, RTDs, ohms, voltage or millivoltage types

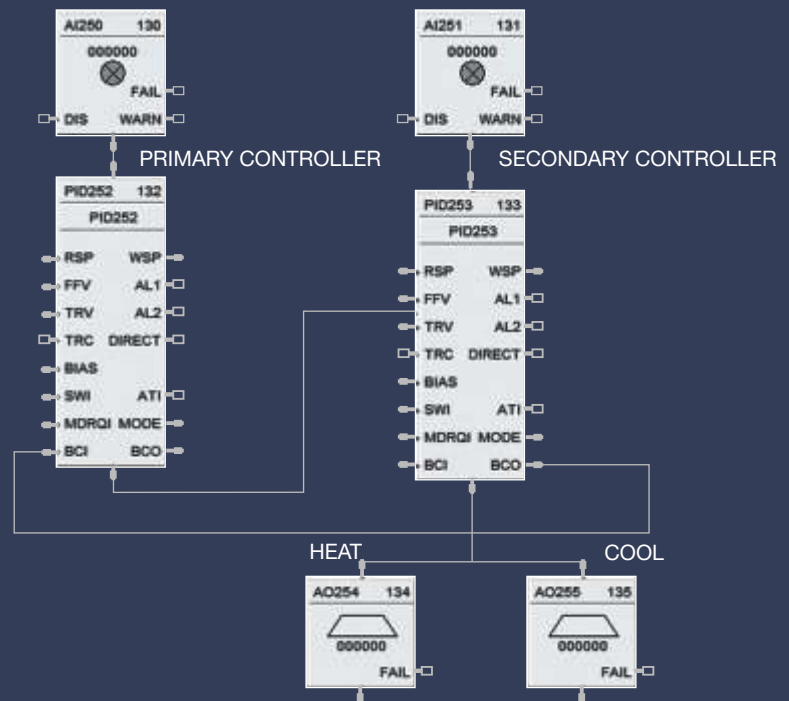


# HC900 Control Loops

- Provide tighter, more accurate process control
- Increase throughput, reduce scrap, and minimize energy costs
- Include applications ranging from single loop control to interactive cascade, ratio, duplex, feed-forward, three-position-step, or custom control strategies
- Quantity of loops per controller is not limited

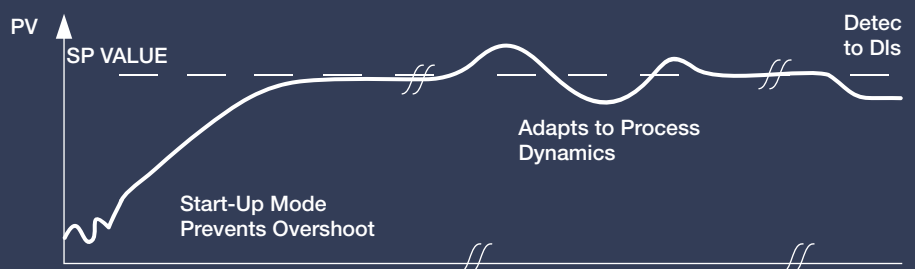
## Cascade control

- The Cascade Loop uses 2 PID blocks with the back calculation pin of the secondary (BCD) connected to the primary loop (BCI). This transfers values back to the primary loop to adjust the PID for changes in mode of the secondary loop
- The RSP input for the secondary loop can be selected to be in engineering Units or %, eliminating the need to scale the output of the primary loop



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- Standard auto tuning on every control loop
- Reduces start-up time
- Ensures on-spec product

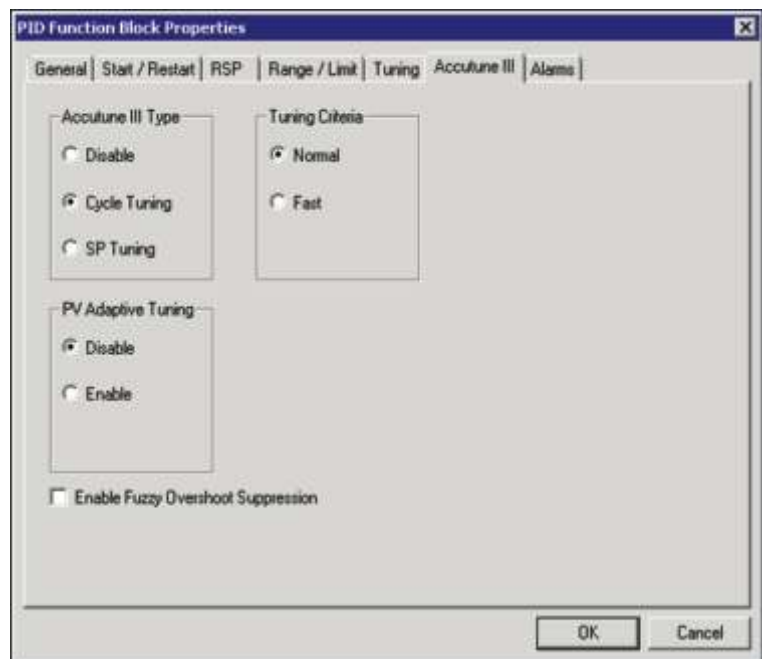






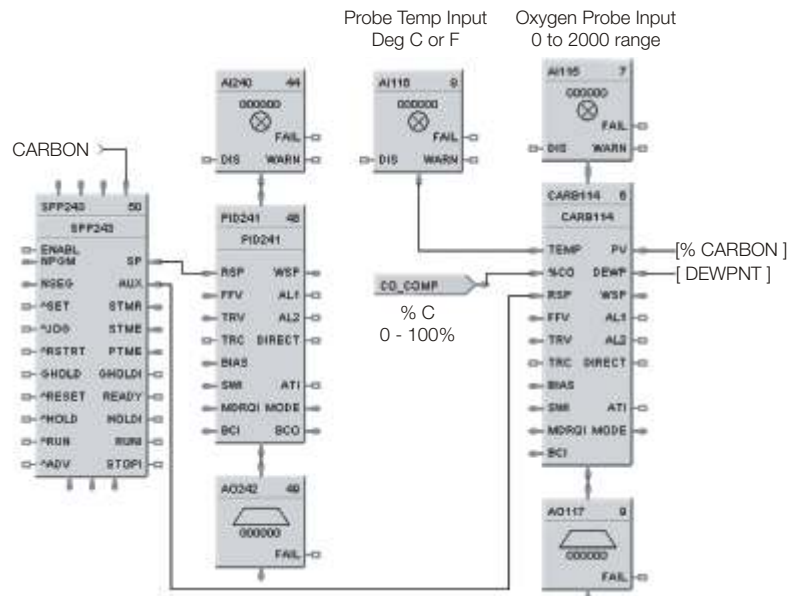
## Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression

- Fuzzy Overshoot Suppression minimizes the Process Variable (PV) overshoot following a Setpoint (SP) change or a process disturbance. This is especially useful in processes that experience load changes or where even a small overshoot beyond the setpoint may result in damage or product loss
- The Fuzzy Logic in the controller observes the speed and direction of the PV signal as it approaches the setpoint and temporarily modifies the internal controller action as necessary to avoid an overshoot. There is no change to the PID algorithm, and the Fuzzy Logic does not alter the PID tuning parameters



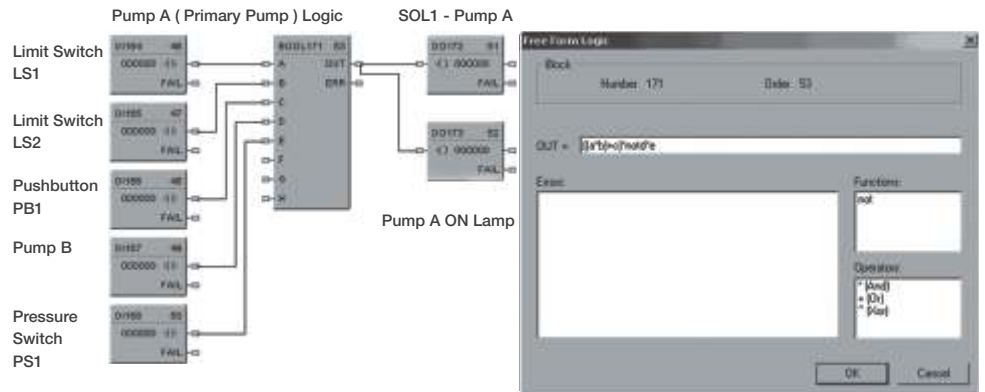
## Carbon Potential

- The carbon potential of the furnace atmosphere can be controlled by monitoring the furnace temperature and the probe output because oxygen potential directly relates to the carbon potential. A combined carbon probe, temperature probe and PID algorithm determine carbon potential of furnace atmospheres based on a zirconium probe input
- Use anti-soot constant: Activates anti-sooting feature that limits the working setpoint of the carbon control loop to a value that prevents sooting in the furnace



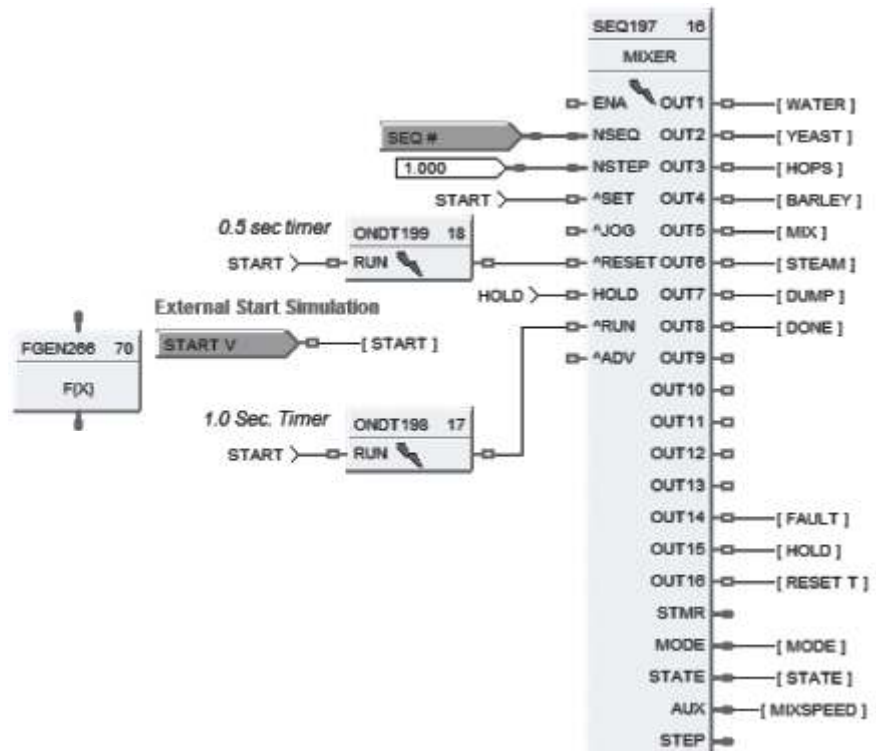
## Free-format Logic

- Optimizes design by combining multiple logic functions into one
- Simplifies operation and troubleshooting



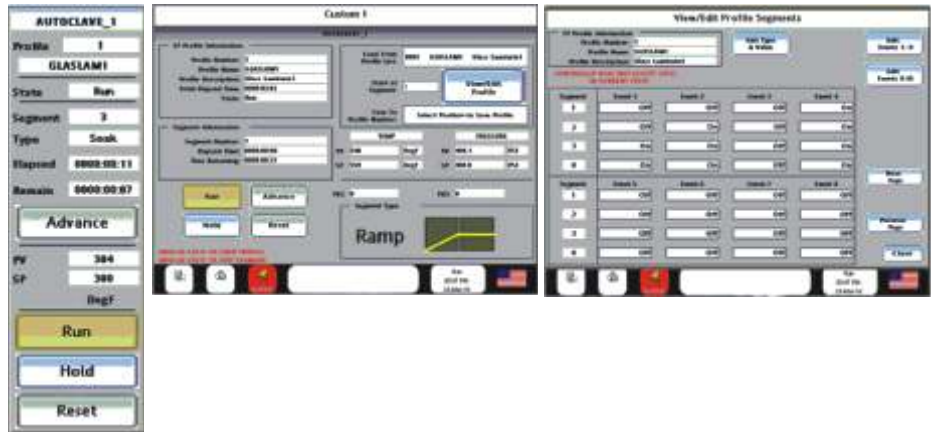
## Sequencers

- Control the output states of multiple digital parameters
- Control the sequence of process operation based on time or process events
- Each sequencer supports up to 16 digital outputs and may have up to 50 process states
- Multiple sequences can be selected on demand from the operator interface or as part of a recipe



## Setpoint Programmer

- Automatically manipulates a setpoint value for use by PID loops
- Creates a time / value profile for process batch control
- Multiple setpoint programmers, with profiles of up to 50 segments each, may be configured and stored
- Any programmer may run any profile separately or simultaneously
- Each also has an auxiliary soak output and up to 16 event outputs for integration with sequence control functions



## Recipes

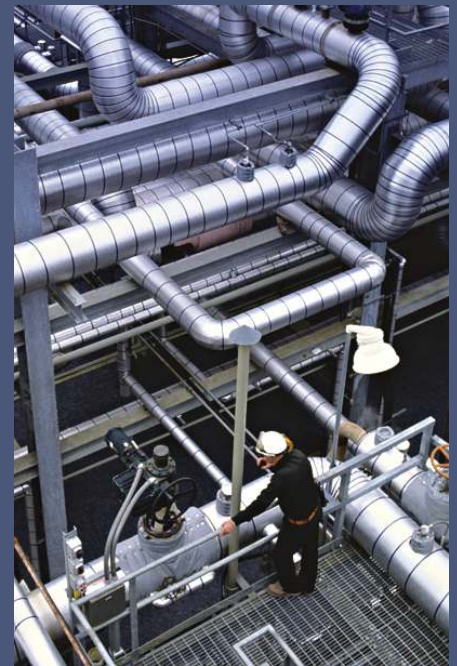
- Stored in the controller memory
- Ensure error-free product / process changeovers
- Write values into analog & digital variables
- Load via Control Station
- Load via RCP block
- Can be used to:
  - Write a value to any variable
  - Load setpoints
  - Select setpoint programs
  - Set alarm limits
  - Activate control valves



## Setpoint Scheduler

- Provides up to eight ramp / soak setpoints that operate on a common time base
- Supports up to 16 event digital outputs 50 segments per schedule; the number of stored schedules is configurable
- Auxiliary Scheduler provides an additional 8 Soak Setpoints only
- Multiple independent setpoint schedulers are available in a configuration

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SPS105		
ENABL	STMR	
NSEGM	STME	
^SET	PTME	
PV1	SP1	
PV2	SP2	
PV3	SP3	
PV4	SP4	
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PV6	SP6	
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## Dew Point Control

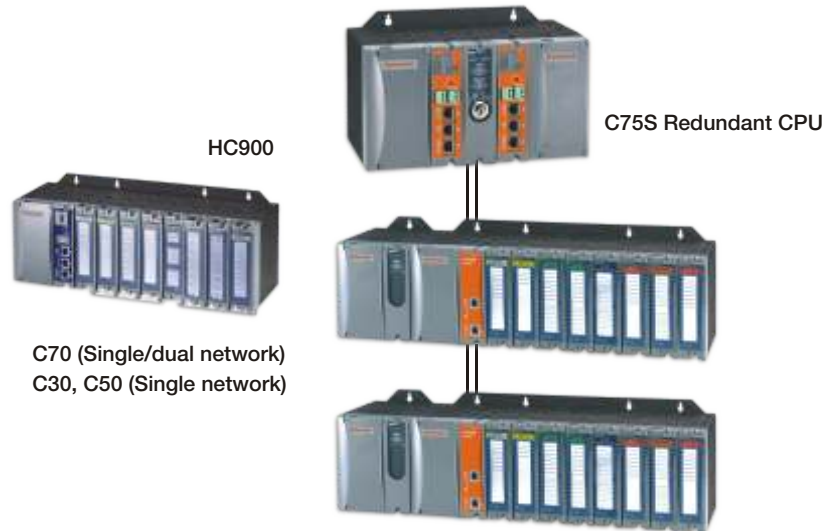
- Dew point analysis measures the amount of water vapor present which in turn helps determine the carbon potential of a furnace atmosphere
- This application uses the dew point function block to calculate dew point based on using a carbon probe where the input is an O2 sensor
- A typical example is control of an endothermic atmosphere generator when the user requires dew point for PV

**Dewpoint Calculation**

<b>Furnace Properties</b>		Block: 283	OK
Furnace Factor: 0	Use Anti-soot Constant: <input type="checkbox"/>	Order: 137	Cancel
Low Temperature Limit: 0	Celsius <input type="radio"/> Fahrenheit <input checked="" type="radio"/>	<b>CO Properties</b>	
Percent Hydrogen: 40		% CO: 20	Use Actual % CO: <input type="checkbox"/>
		<b>O2 Probe Manufacturer</b>	
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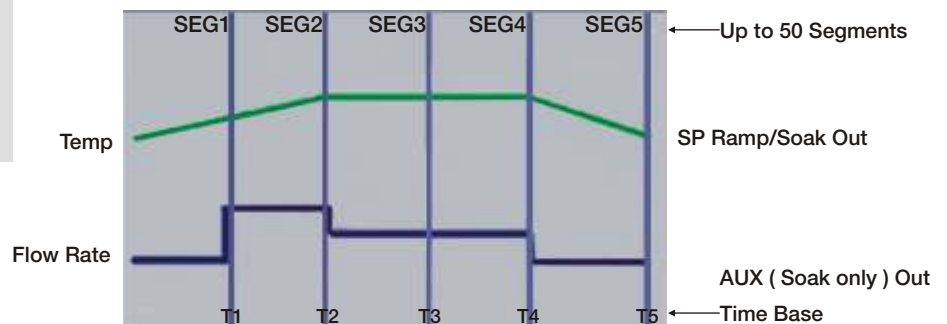
## Redundancy Features

- Maximize process availability by providing backup controllers, power supplies and communications for seamless failover under fault conditions
- Redundant Switch Module (RSM) is located in the rack between two CPUs and visually indicates which CPU is the lead and which is the reserve
- Key switch on the RSM allows the user to change the operating mode of the lead and reserve CPUs
- Ethernet network ports are continuously active on the lead controller, each on a different subnet
- Transfer of communications from one port to another port on the same CPU is handled by the host application
- A secondary power supply can also be added to each HC900 I/O rack for standby redundancy



## AMS Compliance

The HC900 meets AMS 2750D, the key requirement for controlling, monitoring and recording instruments, which is a calibrated accuracy ( $\pm 2^\circ \text{ F}/1.1^\circ \text{ C}$ )



Flexible connectivity suits  
your process environment

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## Connectivity & Communications

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- Adapts to existing process-line infrastructure
- Satisfies specific control requirements
- Accommodates specialty applications



## Open Ethernet Connectivity

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- Enables HC900 controllers to communicate with their host interfaces and each other
- Open Modbus / TCP protocol allows interfacing to most popular HMI, data acquisition and OPC software
- Up to 10 device connections are supported on the host Ethernet port
- An HC900 network of controllers and operator interfaces are partitioned into segments on the network to maximize communication performance

## Serial Modbus Connectivity

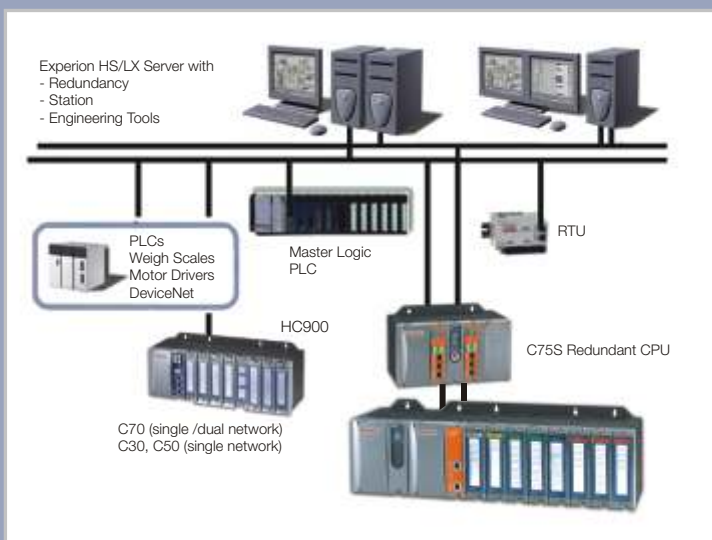
- Allows two RS485 ports to be configured as Modbus slaves, while one of the ports is selected as a Modbus master
- Wide variety of devices (touch panel operator interfaces, I/O devices, etc.) can be connected to the controller
- Provides greater flexibility in system design

## Integration with Experion

- HC900 controllers can be integrated with the Honeywell Experion DCS system for supervisory control and data acquisition
- Can be integrated with Experion PKS, LX and HS systems
- Configured using Quick Builder application
- Uses Universal Modbus Driver for communication
- Redundant controllers can also be integrated with Experion
- History Backfill – If Experion HS loses communication with HC900 the History backfill functionality will backfill data to the HMI once communication is restored. This feature is very important for food and beverage, pharmaceutical & other data critical applications and is not often provided by other general purpose PLC's

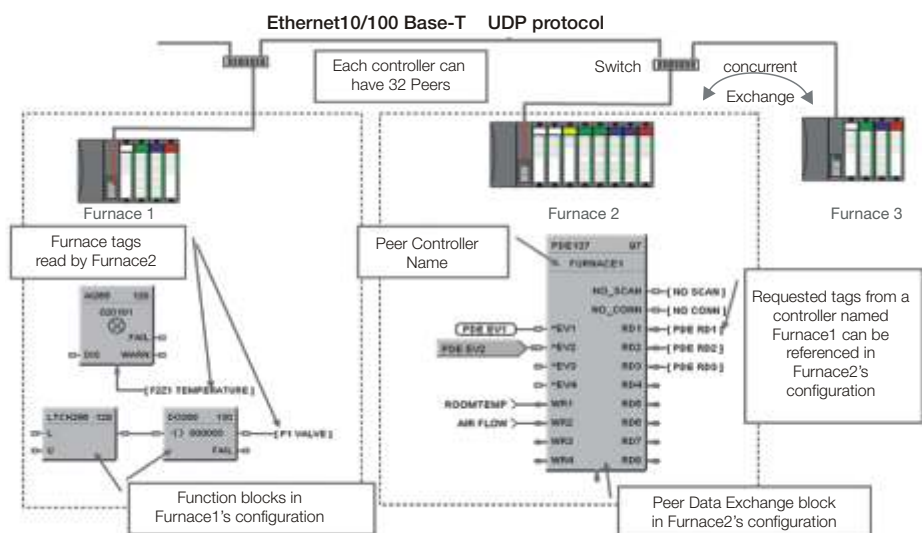
## HC900 OPC Server from MatrikonOPC

- Provides secure and reliable real-time data access between the HC900 Controller and any OPC-enabled applications such as Historians, HMIs, SCADA etc
- Enables 3rd party connectivity for successful phased migration and integration
- Enables easy and cost-efficient management of openly connected systems



## Peer-to-peer Communications

- Allows any HC900 to interface with up to 32 other units for process equipment applications that require sharing data between controllers
- Up to 2,240 parameters per controller may be exchanged
- Standard Ethernet communication port supports concurrent peer-to-peer communications and connectivity to supervisory systems
- Peer to Peer is 2048 data points





# Building-block configuration simplifies control implementation



## HC900 Designer Software

- Enables system configuration with a Windows XP, Vista or 7 based PC
- Uses drag-and-drop placement techniques for graphic icons and soft-wiring connections between function blocks
- Automatically calculates memory usage and processor scan time as function blocks are configured
- User-friendly graphic development allows partitioning of the control strategy into multiple worksheets
- Ease of record-keeping, faster access to functional areas during programming
- Better support for user-specified process function identifications

## Run-mode Configuration Editing

- Standard feature that can significantly reduce start-up time and avoid costly process shutdowns

## Configuration Debug Tools

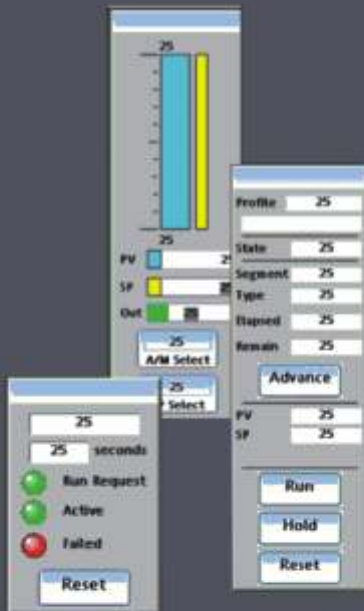
- Simplify troubleshooting
- Include online monitoring of multiple function blocks on a single display, on/off identification of digital signal flow connections, and output forcing capability for most block outputs
- Selectable user-defined Watch Windows and Signal Trace-back provide a clear view of the configuration operation and quick identification of potential errors

## Printable Presentation Formats

- Simplify configuration documentation
- Include a summary of controller I/O, the graphic configuration diagram, function block properties, recipe groups, setpoint profile groups, operator display and point selections

# System configuration and operation adapt to your needs

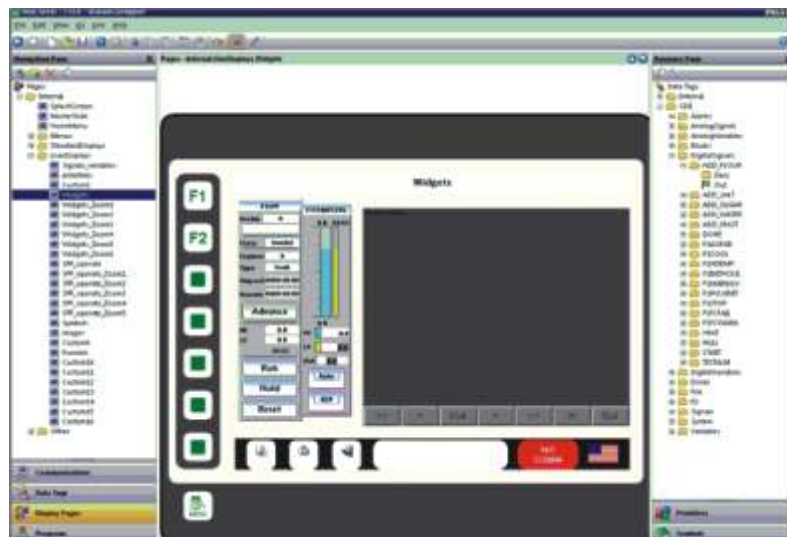
## The 900 Control Station operator interface

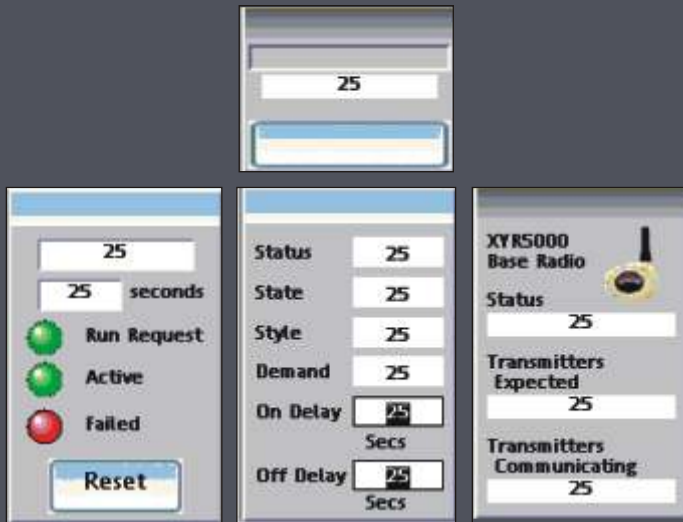


## Operator Interface features

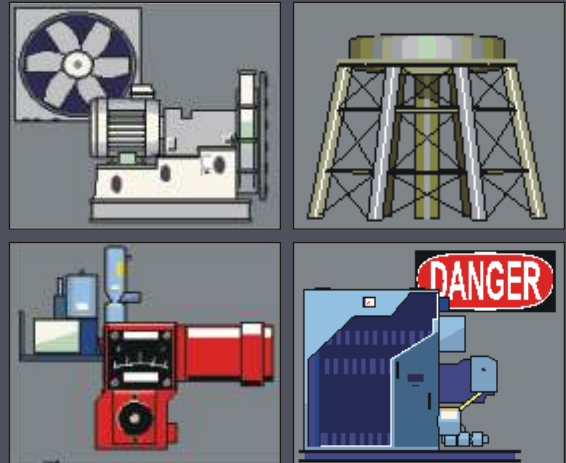
- NEMA Type 4X operator interface screen withstands harsh operating environments
- Easy-to-operate 10" display includes both a touch screen and dedicated buttons
- Standard and custom graphic elements can be assembled into specific displays, for fast and easy start-up
- Custom graphics tools let you select from 4,000+ pre-built objects for animation support, math, formulas, scripting
- Function block widgets accelerate configuration development
- Controller status displays verify system integrity, with no configuration required
- Recipe selection makes product / process changeovers simple and accurate
- Trending and data logging is provided via non-volatile flash card storage, with USB memory support and no artificial limits
- Multi-level log-on security feature prevents unauthorized access
- Alarm / event logging with e-mail notification of impending problems tracks process upsets and validates performance
- Ethernet or serial connectivity enhances installation flexibility, includes Modbus and Modbus \ TCP protocol support
- Embedded web server feature allows access to your application from anywhere
- Multiple interfaces on each controller enable process management from up to three locations
- Multilingual: English, French, Italian, German, Spanish. Other languages may be added by expanding its lexicon library
- The software also supports accessing the translation libraries of Microsoft® and / or Google® for any untranslatable text strings used in the product during configuration
- Setpoint Programmer Pre-Plot Display: Pre-plot display is a Widget that gets bound to a Setpoint Programmer function block
- Concurrent Batch Reports: Schedules multiple batch reports to run concurrently. Bar Code / Keyboard Input: Use touch screen, remote keyboard or barcode reader to enter data
- GSM/GPRS, SMS Available: The GSM /GPRS modem may be used via a Cellular Network Provider's wireless network
- Emulation: Launch the emulator to see data as it would appear on the operator interface

## Standard displays provided in HC900 Control Station





Standard displays in station designer 4 - Widgets



Graphic symbols provided in Station Designer software to simplify configuration

Hundreds of icons available including pumps, valves, and tanks icons shown

## Control Station Operator Interface

- The 900 Control Station is available with either a 10.4 inch (254 mm) or 15 inch (381mm) display size
- LCD Display: 10 inch 640 X 480 15 inch 1024 x 768 pixels, color active matrix thin film transistor (TFT), 32,000 colors
- Touch Screen: Resistive analog
- Backlight: 50,000 hr typical lifetime at room temperature (field replaceable in non-hazardous locations)
- Distance from Controller: Ethernet-328 ft (100 m), RS485 - 2000ft (600 m) RS232 - 50ft (15.24 m)
- Power Supply 10 inch: 24 Vdc, 29 Watts maximum 15 inch 46 Watts maximum without options
- Operating Temperature: 32 to 122 F, (0 to 50 C)
- Humidity: Rated 10 to 80%, non-condensing from 32 to 122 F, (0 to 50 C)
- Panel Rating: Type 4X
- Memory: 32 MB onboard non-volatile flash, optional memory card (compact flash 2 GB)
- Communication Ports: 10 inch (254 mm) 1 x Ethernet RJ45 10/100 base T, 15 inch (381mm) 2 x Ethernet 10/100 base T, 1 x RS-485, 2 x RS232 Serial
- USB Ports: 2 x USB specification 2.0 host port, type A, 1 x USB specification 2.0 device port type B

## 900 Station Designer Software

- Configuration: 900 control station CS interface – offline
- Operating environment: Windows 2000, XP, Vista, Windows 7 (Station designer is not compatible with Windows 64)
- PC: Pentium class processor and RAM as required by the chosen operating system plus 50MB for software installation, 800 by 600 pixels minimum, 256 or more colors. RS-232 or USB port
- Cable: USB Host, RS232 Serial, Ethernet 10/100 base T

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