# **Exploring Our Product Roadmap and Exciting Innovations**

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### Today's presenters







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### CE+T vision...





### Today's agenda

#### **Power Management**



InView functionalities



Sierra 25 evolution





Stabiliti



XC Solutions





Cybersecurity





## **POWER MANAGEMENT**



InView's static policies guarantee local control and ensure reliable power availability, ultimately leading to reduced operational expenditure (OPEX)





Local control of power flow



Based on static policies



CE+T Converter agnostic



Ensure stability & availability



OPEX reduction



### InView functionalities - Off-grid & Self consumption





### InView functionalities - Peak-shaving



### InView functionalities - Energy Arbitrage





### InView functionalities - Force charge/discharge





## Sierra 25 serves as the **basement** of the controller and must also **evolve in tandem**





Grid interactivity



Output recycling



Give priority to DC source







Power save out



Increased synchrospeed

Discharge control

## Take part in the **grid support** thanks to Sierra 25 **Grid Interactive** capability



Functionality requiring interaction with grid (not a pure load anymore)



Grid interactive certification





Firmware adaptation for grid code compliance



**OPEX reduction & reduced exposure to energy prices volatility** 



### Grid interactive: power flows from batteries or DC source to AC loads & grid



Batteries (bottom left) feed both the AC loads (top right) and reinject energy to the grid (top left).



Sierra 25 is certified Grid Interactive for many regions

Take the **most out of** your Sierra 25 AC **output** by **recycling** the **energy** it generates **to the battery** or the grid



Combination with AC coupling or regenerative breaking



Recycle excess back to the battery (or the grid)





Firmware adaptation & set of parameters



**OPEX reduction**, Securing Energy Supply & decarbonization



Output power **recharges** the **battery** in priority and then, the **excess** is fed back **to the grid**, if any



**AC loads** or **Sources** (top right) feed **batteries** and **DC loads** (bottom left) and **reinject energy** to the grid if possible (top left).



With Sierra 25, consume energy from **renewable DC sources** in **priority** even when the grid is connected



Combination with **DC coupled source** 



Give **priority to DC** source





Firmware adaptation (not rectifier anymore) & set of parameters



**OPEX reduction, Securing Energy Supply & decarbonization** 



#### Optimize the use of DC renewable sources rather than the grid when they are available



Grid (top left) feed both the AC loads (top right) and the batteries + DC loads (bottom left).



#### Enhanced Synchronization of Sierra 25 with Gensets



Combination with **Genset** 



Reduce desynchronization risk related to load impact





Firmware adaptation to allow faster synchronization of AC-in port



Securing Energy Supply



**Control** how much **power** can be **drawn** from your **smart battery** to supply the loads and/or the grid via Sierra 25



Use of smart battery with integrated control



Ensure respect of battery/controller physical constraints



Firmware adaptation to consider those limits





Securing Energy Supply



## Prevent battery over-sizing by using the power save functionality for off-grid applications



**Off-grid** applications



Reduce consumption when operating on DC only





Turn off unnecessary converters



Capex & Opex reduction, Securing energy supply & decarbonization



#### New evolutions **on top** of existing functionalities of Sierra 25 are available under conditions

	AC Voltage	DC Voltage	Power
	230V	48V	2.4kW
	230V	380V	2.5kW
Sierra 25	120V	48V	2.25kW



Grid interactive, only for AS4777-2, EN50549 & VDE4105 UL1741SB pending



Possible to activate or not these new functionalities



#### AC/DC/AC ports

## Our Hercules converter is also a **basement** evolving in tandem with our controller



Grid interactivity (EN50549)



Output recycling





## **CONVERTER RANGE**



#### Stabiliti Converter is now available for **energy management** applications



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Energy Management Actors



• Energy Storage

- Microgrid AC
- Microgrid DC



1 AC port and 2 DC ports MPPT Integrated **Optimize** your **consumption** by utilizing a unique converter that seamlessly **interconnects** batteries, PV systems, and the grid





Rely on your **local energy production** to supply your loads in **offgrid** context with a single converter



Get power in **off-grid** areas

Rely on your local production

Easy transition from grid-tied to microgrid

Benefits:

- Reduced CAPEX & OPEX
- Decarbonization
- Power Availability



Use the Stabiliti to create a **high DC voltage microgrid** interconnecting several kinds of **sources** and gain in **efficiency** over **long distances** 



- Create High Voltage DC bus up to 1000V
- Interconnect renewable sources
- **Reduce losses** due to distance



#### **Benefits:**

- Reduced OPEX
- Decarbonization
- Power Availability



#### Growing need for electric power in eXtreme Conditions









- **Outdoor** wall, pole mounted
- Harsh industrial environment
- Vibrations and Shocks
- T°, Humidity, Corrosive, Dust



Sierra XC: our range of **fanless** converters that are rated **IP65**, capable of powering both **AC** and **DC loads** 





#### Sierra XC 10

- 3 ports AC in, AC out, DC
- o IP65 / NEMA4
- -40°C to +65°C operating T°
- Compatible with **all Inview** controllers



#### Sierra XC 16

- Robustness
- Securing Energy Supply for both AC & DC loads
- No moving parts



## InView **XC** offers an **IP65**-rated **controller** to complete our product range





- InView firmware inside
- Ideal for critical back-up AC & DC loads

Display	3 Leds	
Hardware interfaces	1 x ETH, 1 x RS485, 1 x CAN, 1 x 19 Pin connector	
Supported protocols	Modbus RS485, TCP, SNMP v1, v2C and v3 HTTP/HTTPS	
Digital input / Output relay	2/2	
Mounting	Pole / Wall / Panel / Door	
Temperature Range / IP	-40 to 65°C / IP65	
Part Number	T602004140	



## CYBERSECURITY



### Cybersecurity - Overview



Cybersecurity is becoming a major concern globally



Industrial devices treated as IT servers





Challenging for embedded devices: Development tools, product live cycle, on site upgrades, ...



### Cybersecurity – General improvements



Assessment by a major European telecom operator



Supported by 'white hat' hacker team



More than 40 improvements: Low-level platform hardening, Firewall optimization, ...



### Cybersecurity – Dot1X support



IEEE802.1X standard



Prevent intruders from gaining network access





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