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# Next level mining Enabling technologies and applications – Part 2

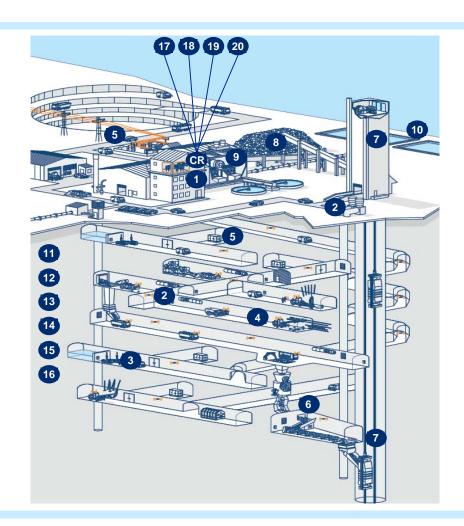
## Process and power control systems core



## Areas of automation at Garpenberg Above and under ground integration

Many
underground
and above
ground
autonomous
systems for
different
applications

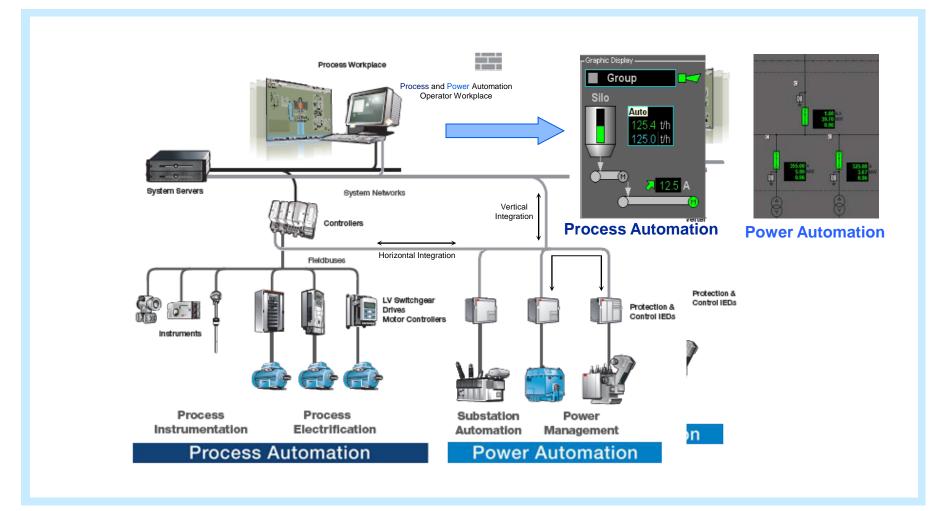
Almost all integrated into System 800xA



- 1. Process control System 800xA
- 2. Mine ventilation system
- 3. Dewatering and water system
- 4. Pressurized air system
- 5. Sub stations (HV, MV and LV)
- 6. Crushers, rock breakers and conveyors
- 7. Mine hoist, loading and unloading station
- 8. Ore storage (stockyard system)
- 9. Grinding, flotation and dewatering
- 10. Environment and tailing dam
- 11. Process instrumentation, positioners & valves
- 12. Motors & drives systems
- 13. Facility/building automation (BAC)
- 14. PA system (radio)
- 15. Video system
- 16. Underground comm. network
- 17. Production and Energy management
- 18. Stop/log reporting system
- 19. Maintenance system
- 20. Document management system



#### Underground mining Electrical integration into the same plant control system





## Underground mining Electrical mobility



#### How we can help

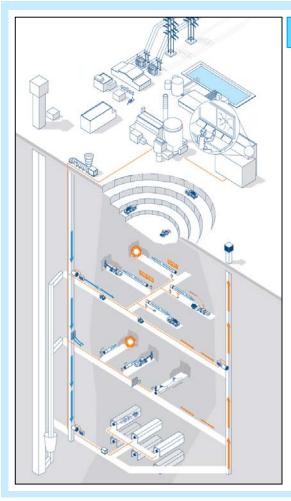
- Complete electrical integration of the underground power network - from MV substations down to each consumer
- Careful selection of superior components of latest technology applied for underground mining environment
- Modularized container concept for underground substations
- Energy measurement at all levels

#### **Top benefits**

- Centralized supervision and control of power distribution
- Easy to identify faults and predict needs for expansion
- Increased safety
- Intelligent and robust power network
- Minimized maintenance
- Suitable for mobile machines and fixed equipment
- Easy to deploy and expand
- Energy optimization



## Underground mining Mine ventilation and dewatering management system



#### How we can help

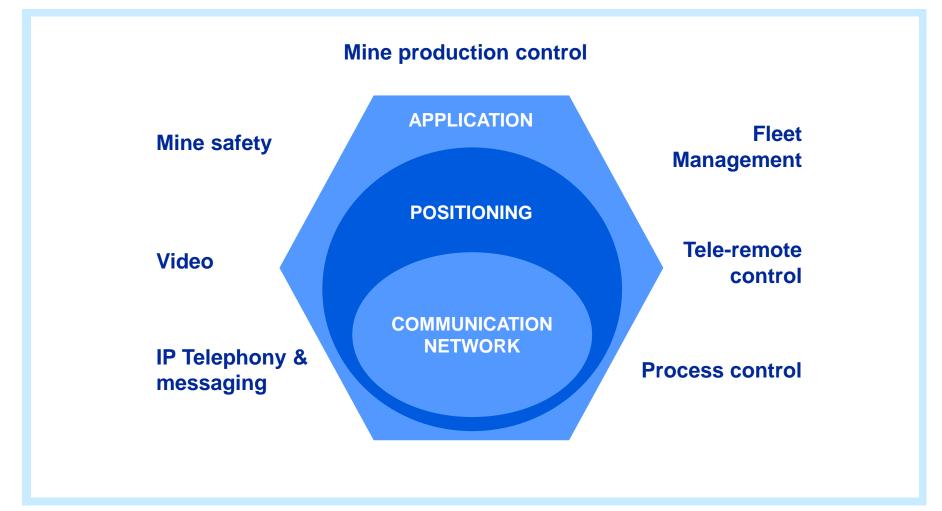
- To provide control and monitoring of fans, louvers and ventilation doors within ABB 800xA System, together with air quality and air flow sensors
- To ensure full scale ventilation on demand solution with automatic control of all fans, louvers and controllable ventilation doors
- To perform online optimization of main ventilation fans using airflow sensor feedback – ABB SmartAir™ optimizer
- To ensure optimal operation and supervision of the complete dewatering system - from the mobile drainage pumps to large pumping stations

#### **Top benefits**

- Reduced energy costs and increased safety by improved operator supervision and control
- Improved air quality by providing fresh air where needed
- Energy savings up to 30-50% per year
- True mine wide control & optimization of air flows and air quality while minimizing energy consumption in real-time.
- Energy savings
  - Fully automatic control of multistaged pump stations
- Reduce maintenance costs

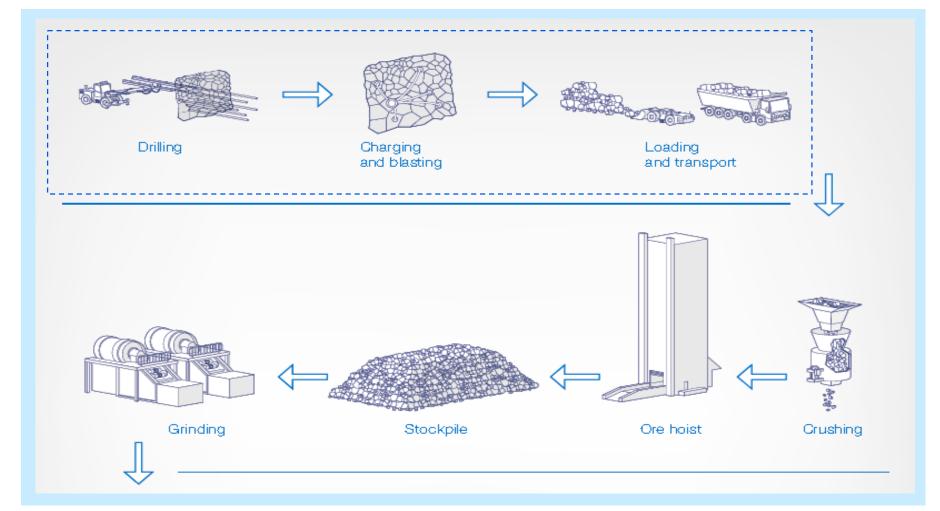


## Underground mining Integration of mobile equipment and wireless communications





## Underground mining Integration of mobile machines completes the chain





## Above ground mining Concentration process optimized

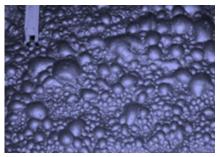
(OT)
Advanced process
control (APC)
manages blending,
grinding, flotation in

real-time

(IT)
Geological model and real-time material tracking provides short term feed characteristic schedule to APC

(OT)
Advanced process
control (APC) uses the
information to
increase performance
and quality in real-time





(OT)
On line analyzers and blending algorithms reconcile actual feed with quality specifications for better predictability

(IT)
Sales system
periodically provides
relative pricing
updates to APC

APC refines control set points to maximize recovery and energy efficiency for current feed material and product pricing

#### The old way

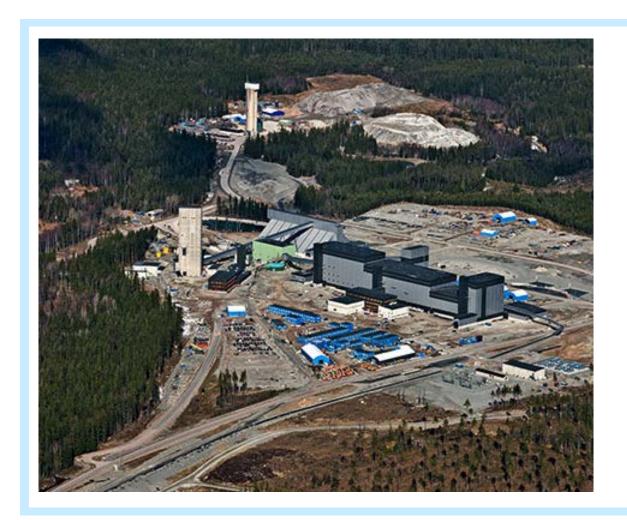
- Production, equipment and other control systems not integrated
- No information on relative product pricing
- No information on feed material
- Plant set points static

#### The new way

Increase plant recovery and optimize product mix based on current pricing and ore feed properties through leveraging APC across processes and business systems



### ABB portfolio at Garpenberg Value delivered



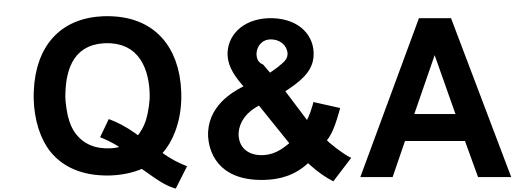
Garpenberg is the best integrated mine

Garpenberg is highly productive, energy and resource efficient

ABB portfolio enables this outstanding performance



#### **Next Level mining**





## Power and productivity for a better world™

