## Optimize <sup>IT</sup> Inferential Modeling Platform





# **Rise of Data Driven Modeling**

- n Wide spread availability of data historians and lab information systems has made data a commodity
- n Plants are "data manufacturers" with hundreds of thousands data points stored each day
- n Historical data are a valuable asset for better control, management decision support and process optimization, but extracting useful information requires discriminating tools



# **Key Reasons Spurring Inferential Applications**

- Data-driven modeling is a flexible and powerful tool that transforms data into valuable process information
- Inferential sensors are an established and mature technology
- Process industry applications of inferential technology deliver significant benefits
- Inferentials are complementary to Multivariable Process
  Controls for many applications
- Statistical process Control (SPC) and MultiVariate Statistical Process Control (MvSPC) are valuable technologies to keep process under control



# **Optimize<sup>IT</sup> Inferential Modeling Platform**

- Inferential Modeling Platform: a comprehensive toolkit for data-driven modeling
- All the steps required for the development and implementation of models are executed inside the platform.





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## **Project Execution Steps**



### **Inferential Modeling Platform - Architecture (1)**



supervision of implemented models

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#### Integration of the best technologies



#### **Phase 1: IMP Model Builder**





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#### **Offline Enviroment - The Concept**



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# **IMP Model Builder - Technical Details**

- An open software platform, that integrates the best technologies on the market.
- Highly automated tools allow quick and easy model building and validation; building models takes a fraction of the total project effort
- Easy and effective data import; outlier detection is provided through automatic built-in functions and wizards
- Data treatment is executed through a visual approach (preview function)
- Data treatment is performed with a step-by-step approach; execution of steps can be undo and automated through a scripting language
- Built-in functions to tackle process delays and  $\operatorname{Merge}$  merge data files





# **Data Preparation**

- n Data Preprocessing
- n Data Analysis

🙀 PCA Details

100

50

Eigenvalue #

Help

Value

2

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5.40628

5.08334

3.76682

2.37970

1.62341

1.56467

1.23487

1.12204

0.93438

Threshold

Value %

Eigenvalues Eigenvectors



## **IMP Model Builder - Advantages**





- Combines Neural Networks,
  Statistical Regressions and
  Advanced Statistical Analysis
  (MVSPC) in a single environment
- Modeling functions are provided by proven, field-tested, latest generation routines.
- Model development is executed through Wizards, to reduce effort for inexperienced users
- The Model Explorer facility allows off-line use of models for engineering purposes





## **Online environment - The Concept (2)**



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# **IMP OnLine - Technical Details**

- A unique deployment environment for real-time use of models statistical monitoring, featuring different technologies:
  - ü Neural Networks
  - ü Statistical Regressions

- ü MVSPC
- ü Equation-based models

ü PLS

- ü Custom-based models (DLLs)
- ü Locally Weighted Regressions
- Ø The Platform is designed to allow straightforward integration of existing client models through use of DLLs.





## **IMP Online: Advantages**

- Quick and effective real-time implementation on different DCS through OPC;
- Single window interface is achieved by writing back through the OPC Server
- Configurable filtering of inputs and outlier removal strategies
- Direct connection to
  Laboratory Information
  Management Systems
- Built-in functions for periodic recalibration (Bias calculation)



## **Quality Control**

n Monitor effect of the inferential application on the quality variable with SPC



## **MvSPC Example**

n Process Performance Monitoring: an example with Bivariate T<sup>2</sup> (MVSPC)  $-3\sigma$   $\overline{X}$   $3\sigma$ 







Standard operative zone: inside ellipse Abnormal condition: outside ellipse

# **The Multivariate SPC Process**

#### From Start to Process Improvement



# Solutions

- **n** Typical solutions based on IMP:
  - n Inferential measurements
  - n Sensor validation
  - **n Predictive Emission Monitoring**
  - n Quality Monitoring
  - n Process Performance Monitoring
  - n Maintenance Trigger



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