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## **OpenADR 2.0 – Technical Update**

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# Summary

- 80 certified devices
- OpenADR 2.0b in “CD” (Commend Draft) status at IEC
- Test harness upgrade started
- Working on finalizing the DR Program guide
- Working on adding additional test labs
- Europe update

# Certified Devices

- New database in place with search functionality
- Products.openadr.org
- Working on refining the search and an input mechanism for marketing information

**FILTER PRODUCTS ▾**

**SERVER**

Cloud Based       Cloud Based Control       Stand Alone

**CLIENT**

BMS       Cloud Based Control       Controller

EMC       EMS       Gateway

HVAC       Lighting       Refrigeration

Thermostat

**BUSINESS TYPE**

Agricultural       Commercial       Industrial

Residential       Small/Medium Business (SMB)

**OPENADR PROFILE**

OpenADR 2.0a       OpenADR 2.0b       OpenADR 2.0a+b

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# OpenADR in the IEC

- The OpenADR Alliance has been active in several IEC working groups
- **IEC PC118** recently published the OpenADR 2.0b Profile Specification as IEC/PAS 62746-10-1. Now in CD phase to become a Technical Specification
- IEC PC118 and **TC57 WG 21** are working on adapting OpenADR into the CIM framework
- **IEC TC65 WG17** (Industrial Automation) is leaning on OpenADR 2.0 functionality

# Test harness update

- Starting in May 2015
- Three main purposes
  - Fixing bugs that have been submitted, generally minor runtime changes
  - Implement changes that the working groups have identified (from out Mantis bug tracking database). Mostly clarifications and tightening up the spec
  - Implementing DR Program templates defined by the DR Program Guide
- Timeframe late summer
- Test harness licensees will be notified. Depending on the extend of the changes there might be a charge for extra features

# DR Program Guide

Currently OpenADR 2.0 defines the communications interface

- No specific DR Program Definitions & Restrictions
- Very flexible
- **Many Implementers (VTN & VEN) seek more Guidance and Harmonization**



VTN (Utility,  
Aggregator, DR  
Operator)



VEN  
(C&I, SMB,  
Residential)

Implementation Working Group started work to expand the domain of the protocol

- Define common DR program goals and objectives
- Reduce the complexity by defining common OpenADR-based DR programs
- Create a decision tree for implementers to select the relevant program to support
- Create testable DR program templates

# Current Work Items

- Collected existing and planned DR Program information
  - All input is still welcome!
- Reviewed Japanese requirements
- Filtered program parameters to establish common criteria
- Define OpenADR 2.0 DR Profiles
- Vendor Guide document 80%
- Still need: Payloads, RFI templates, additional descriptions

# Test Houses

- Intertek Pleasanton, CA
- Open for new test service providers
- Korea and Japan locations established
- Interest from some US labs, start training
- Looking at some European locations also



# Europe

- Some opportunities in Europe
  - Lots of renewables and also EVs in some countries
  - Utilities are unclear what to do
  
- Media Opportunities in Germany
  - June in Berlin – Media briefings about Smart Grid
  - January in Frankfurt – Media event
  
- USEF – Universal Smart Energy Framework – [www.usef.info](http://www.usef.info)
  - Organization that tries to define “Services” for Smart Grid entities
  - Created their own protocol but realized that this is not going to be acceptable
  - Evaluating OpenADR as their protocol

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Thank You!

Q&A

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