

# IO-Link in the Wine Industry

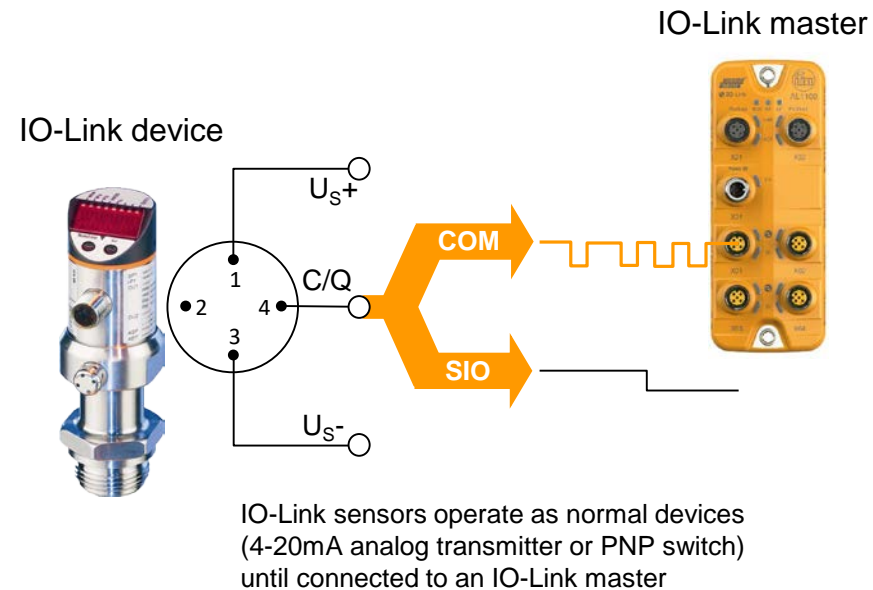
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## What is IO-Link?

- ❑ IO-Link is not a fieldbus
- ❑ IO-Link is a point-to-point communication system to replace conventional IO signals
  - ❑ I/O level ↔ sensors / actuators
  - ❑ Bi-directional information
  - ❑ 3-wire standard unscreened cable
- ❑ It transmits:
  - ❑ Digital / analogue process data
  - ❑ Parameters
  - ❑ Diagnostic information
- ❑ As an interface to Industry 4.0, IO-Link collects additional data directly from machine sensors to permit:
  - ❑ Intelligent business management
  - ❑ Real time decision making
  - ❑ Lean based production





## The IO-Link Consortium

- ❑ IO-Link is supported by over 140 companies:
  - ❑ Sensor suppliers
  - ❑ PLC suppliers
  - ❑ Actuator suppliers
  - ❑ Integrators & chip suppliers
- ❑ Version 1.0 has existed since 2008
- ❑ Internationally standardised to IEC 61131-9

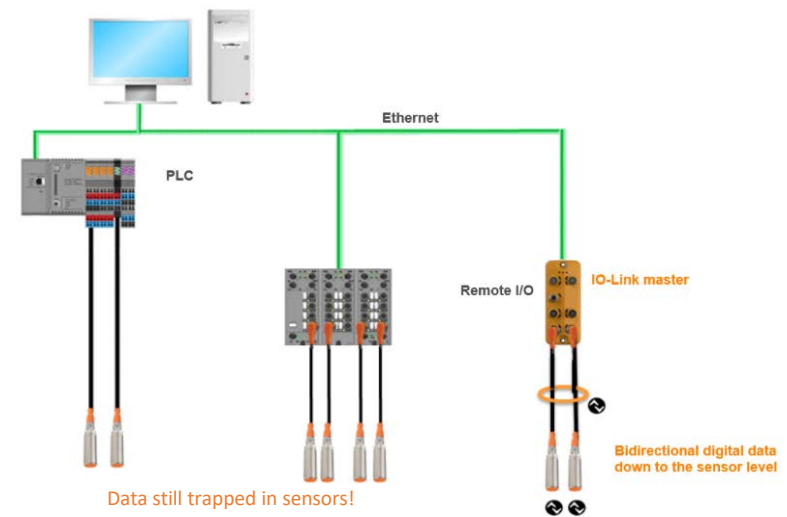
# IO-Link





## IO-Link Basics

- ❑ IO-Link allows additional data to be collected with the same control architecture
- ❑ Additional information available from the sensors
- ❑ Bi-directional communication with sensors possible
- ❑ Data can be collected without passing through a PLC or HMI / Scada system
- ❑ MES or ERP systems have direct access to sensor level information

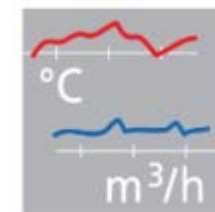




## IO-Link Advantages

- ❑ Pure digital signal transmission
  - ❑ Data transfer is based on a 24 volt signal
  - ❑ No conversion losses
  - ❑ High EMC resistance, screened cables are not required
  
- ❑ Remote parametisation without incurring unnecessary downtime
  - ❑ Parameters can be changed online to optimise the sensor to the application
  - ❑ Production can be customised quickly for small production runs
  
- ❑ Simple plug and play sensor replacement
  - ❑ Parameters can be stored in the PLC or IO-Link master
  - ❑ Less manipulation via local display
  
- ❑ Multiple sensor values can be transmitted
  - ❑ All process values can be sent via a standard 3 wire cable

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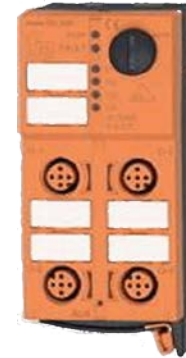
## IO-Link Advantages

- ❑ Diagnostic information available
  - ❑ Automatic wire break and short circuit detection
  - ❑ Sensor identification after replacement
  - ❑ Process diagnosis, e.g. value outside machine or process specification
  - ❑ Predictive maintenance data is available
  
- ❑ IO-Link reduces the cost of analog functionality
  - ❑ IO-Link modules similar cost to traditional analog modules, but ports can also be configured as digital inputs or outputs to maximise port usage.
  - ❑ Traditional analog devices can be connected via converters
  
- ❑ IO-Link is a scalable technology
  - ❑ Can be added to existing fieldbus and Ethernet networks
  - ❑ Networks can be easily extended





# ifm IO-Link Masters



### AL11xx IP67

- 4 or 8 port
- Profinet
- Ethernet IP
- EtherCat
- Modbus TCP
- AS-interface
- CC-Link

### AL11xx IP69K

- 4 or 8 port
- Profinet
- Ethernet IP
- EtherCat
- Modbus TCP
- AS-interface
- CC-Link

### AY10xx IP20

- 8 port + 12 DIO
- Profinet
- Ethernet IP
- Modbus TCP

### AC5225 IP67

- 2 port
- AS-interface

### AL10xx IP67

- 8 port
- Profinet
- Ethernet IP
- EtherCat
- Profibus



## ifm IO-Link Sensors

- Over 2 million IO-Link sensors from ifm efector already in the market



- Pressure sensors
- Temperature sensors
- Level sensors
- Flowmeters
  - Magnetic
  - Vortex
  - Thermal
  - Mechatronic
  - Air / CO2 / nitrogen
- Ultrasonic sensors
- Photo-electric sensors
- Laser distance sensors
- Inductive switches
- Capacitive switches
- Encoders
- Inclinometers
- Digital IO modules
- Electronic fuses
- Displays
- Light towers
- Memory modules



## Parameter setting via LineRecorder software

- ❑ Parameterisation of IO-Link sensors (non manufacturer specific)
- ❑ Sensor parameters can be saved on PC
- ❑ Data logging in CSV format



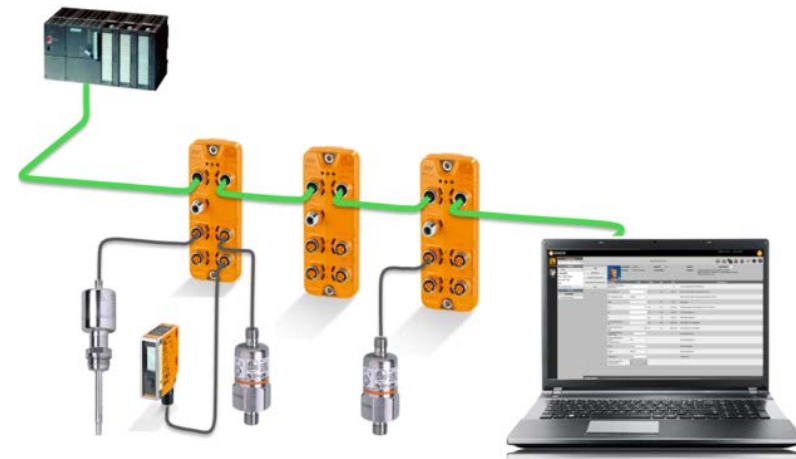
### LineRecorder Sensor software

- ❑ Offline parametrising using programming interface



### LineRecorder Device software

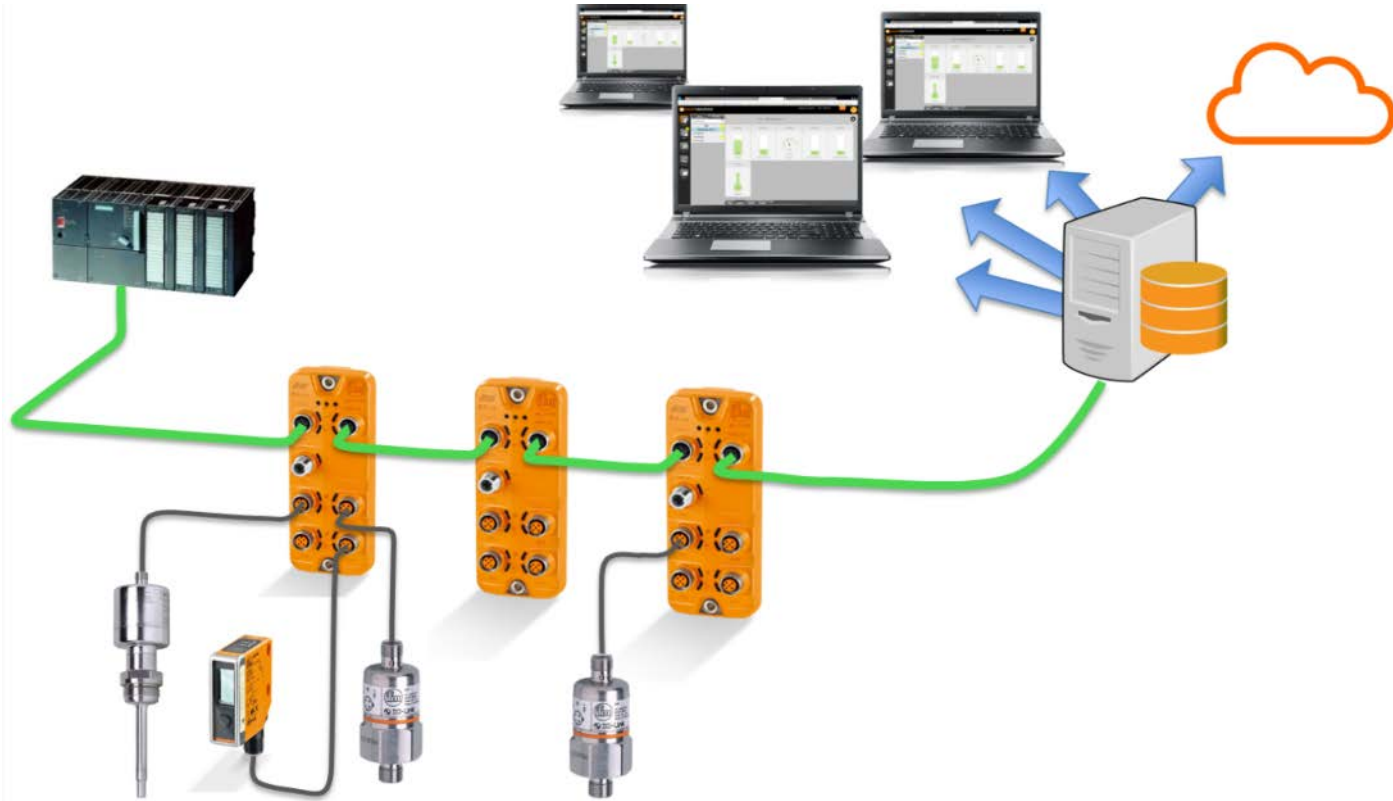
- ❑ Online parametrising thru AL11xx modules over Ethernet
- ❑ Offline parametrising using programming interface





## Monitoring sensor information

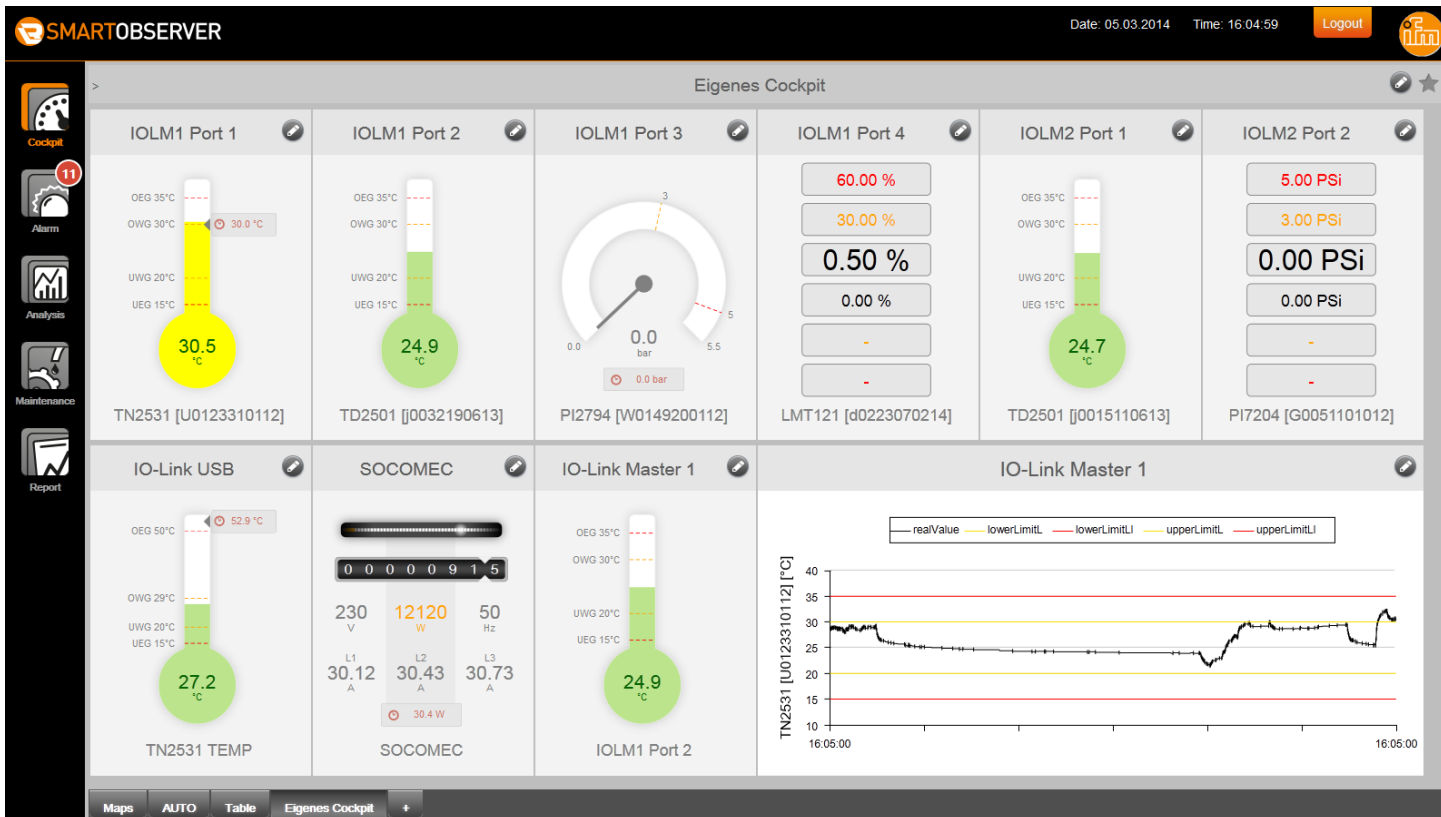
- ❑ Sensor data can be sent directly to SQL database, server, cloud, MES, ERP, IoT, Smart Observer monitoring software, etc without passing through the PLC.
- ❑ Only sensor data required for control needs to be sent to PLC to reduce PLC load and scan times.





## Smart Observer Software

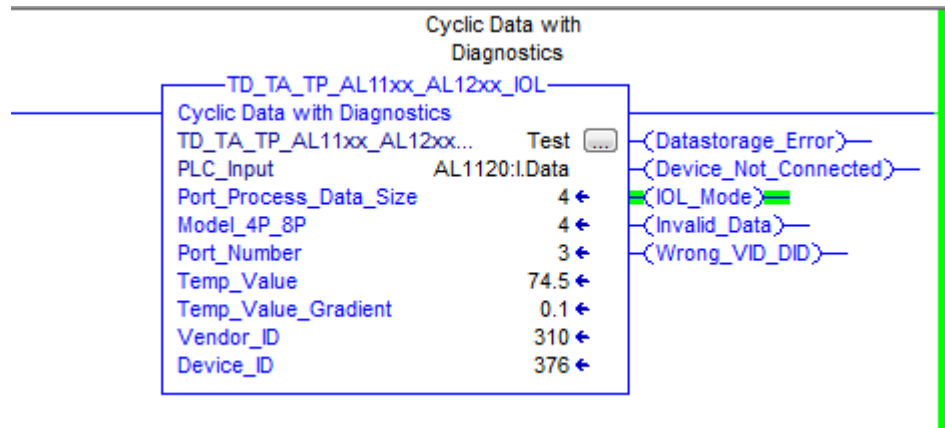
- ❑ Monitoring software with user configurable cockpits
- ❑ Historian, alarm management, maintenance management, etc.
- ❑ Simple connection via LineRecorder agent to ifm IO-Link modules





## PLC Integration

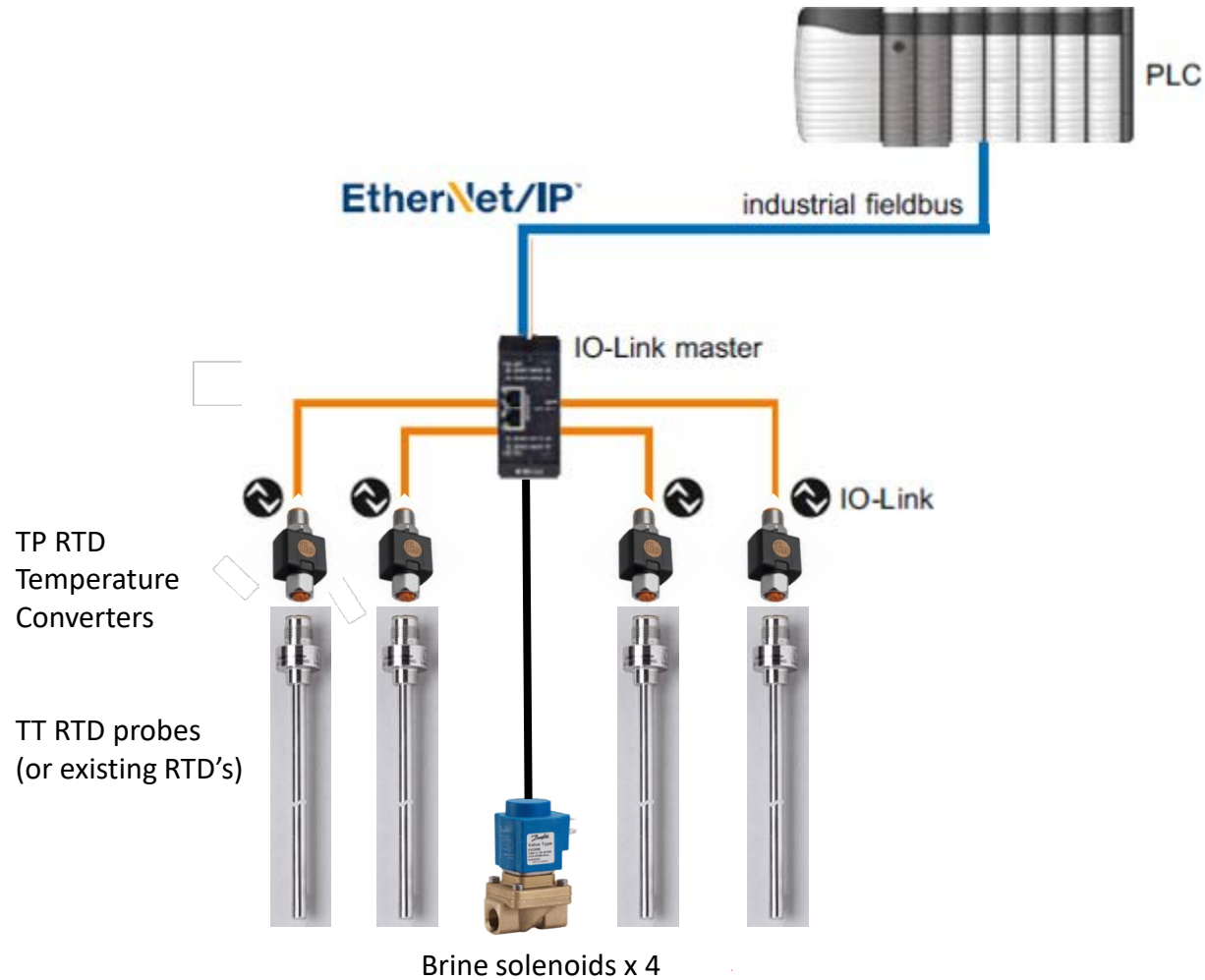
How do you utilise the additional information from IO-Link devices in your PLC?



Add on instructions and function blocks are available for quick integration of data into Allen Bradley and Siemens PLC's



## Application: Winery tank farm





## Other Winery Applications

### Fermenter monitoring

- Temperature sensors
- Valve control
- Inputs for pneumatic cylinder switches

### Energy monitoring

- Compressed air, CO<sub>2</sub> & nitrogen flowmeters
- Refrigeration temperatures
- Brine flow monitoring

### Filter skids

- Temperature sensors
- Magnetic flow meters
- Pressure sensors
- Level sensors
- Valve control

### Bottling lines

- Photo-electric sensors
- Inductive proximity switches
- Capacitance sensors for detection of wet boxes
- Digital input and output modules for non IO-Link products



## IO-Link Summary

- ✓ IO-Link uses the same cabling and controls structures as today
- ✓ IO-Link doesn't add additional cost to sensors
- ✓ IO-Link isn't complex to use
- ✓ IO-Link implementation offers no software barriers

### Additional information

- ☐ [www.io-link.ifm](http://www.io-link.ifm)
- ☐ [www.io-link.com](http://www.io-link.com)
- ☐ Visit Brian or myself at the ifm efector booth

**Thank you very much for your attention!**