## Proven Reliability Beyond the Standards

- " Who are Ormazabal?
- " What does that title mean?
- " Can you give us a practical example?
- " What is the message?
- " Where can I find out more?
- " Why is this person still talking?



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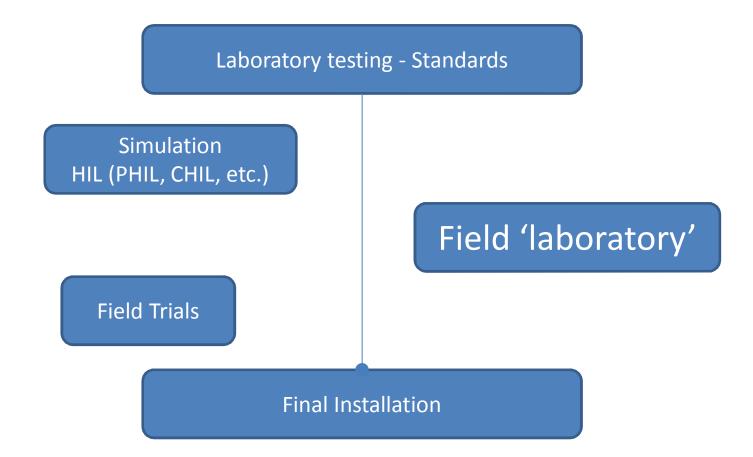
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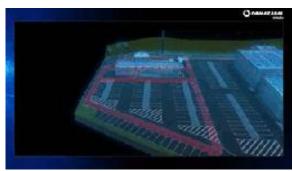






# UDEX is a demonstration and experimentation distribution network . our SG testbed (playground)







## Use Case Examples:

- Voltage regulation with OLATC (paper 0832)
- " Network Diagnostics (Partial discharge)
- " Powerline Communications
- " FLISR
- " õ more to come



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#### UDEX CT4 Control **Test Bay** Load CSC1 Control Legend: : Underground Substation : Load Busbar. : Main Busbar (Feeder). : Switches

#### Test Case:

Newly developed GIS (to 24kV) for secondary distribution networks

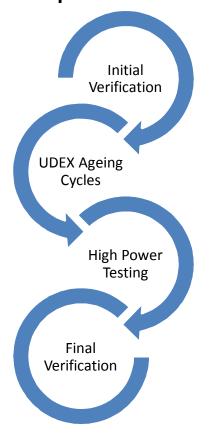


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#### Test Sequence



	Sample			
	S1	S2	<b>S</b> 3	S4
Initial Verification				
Contact Resistance	$\checkmark$	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
No Load Operations	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
UDEX Ageing Cycles (x10)				
Applied Current (8h on/16h off)	X	X	630A	630A
Remote Operations	70 Op	70 Op.	30 Op	X
Manual Operations	X	30 Op	X	X
Switching Tests	30CO	X	X	30CO
High Power Testing				
Short Time Current	16kA	16kA	16kA	16kA
Making & Breaking	T60	X	X	T60
Final Verification				
Condition check	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Contact Resistance	$\checkmark$	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
No Load Operations	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Power Frequency	40kV	40kV	40kV	40kV

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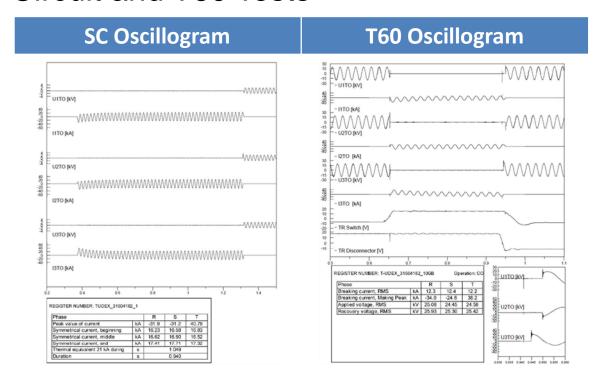






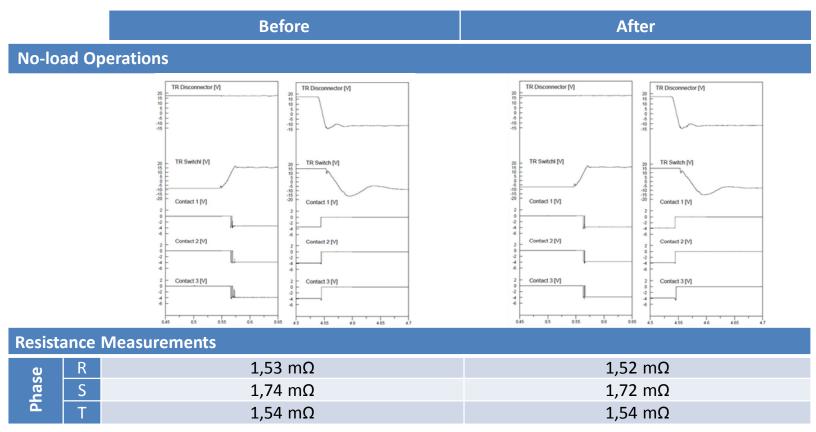
#### Results

#### Short-Circuit and T60 Tests





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# **Comments**

Standard Laboratory testing procedures are focused on evaluation of the equipment with respect to a single feature, so the combined effects between them are not taken into account.

# **Comments**

- "Standard type-testing would have stayed within ±imitsqof those stipulated in standard (e.g. IEC62271-100).
- Able to push beyond ±imitsqand create a new test program, but within a real network.

# **Comments**

- Manufacturer takes on some of the risk previously only experienced by network operators.
- Testing in this environment could give insight into possible areas of improvement that otherwise may only be seen after some time in the field.

# Conclusions

- For this Test Case, demonstrated reliability of new switchgear under conditions **beyond** that of traditional laboratory environment.
- Advantages of testing in a real controllable network environment for exceptional confidence in **reliability** for distribution network stakeholders.



# **Further Information**

