



Advanced Analytical Instrument Management System **AAIMS**

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## Benefits

- Auto data collection that minimizes errors due to manual data handling
- Easy monitoring of analyzer status and performance
- Reduction of 10-30% man hours through auto data validation and statistical analysis tools to plot SQC Charts.
- Improved analyzer availability and reproducibility rate
- Rapid deployment and minimum training costs achieved through template based engineering approach
- Substantial cost reduction and maximized plant operability

AAIMS is an Advanced Analytical Instrument Management System that provides real-time asset maintenance management functions for a wide range of on-line/in-line process analyzers from simple analytical devices such as pH, conductivity, and O2 to complex analytical devices such as gas chromatographs (GC) and Near Infrared (NIR). AAIMS improves on-line / in-line process analysis efficiency by accurately assessing and displaying the KPIs of each analyzer. AAIMS is a core building block of Yokogawa's VigilantPlant™ solutions designed for refinery, petrochemical, pharmaceutical, chemical, power and other industries. That brings operational excellence to visionary plants, creating an environment where plant personnel can

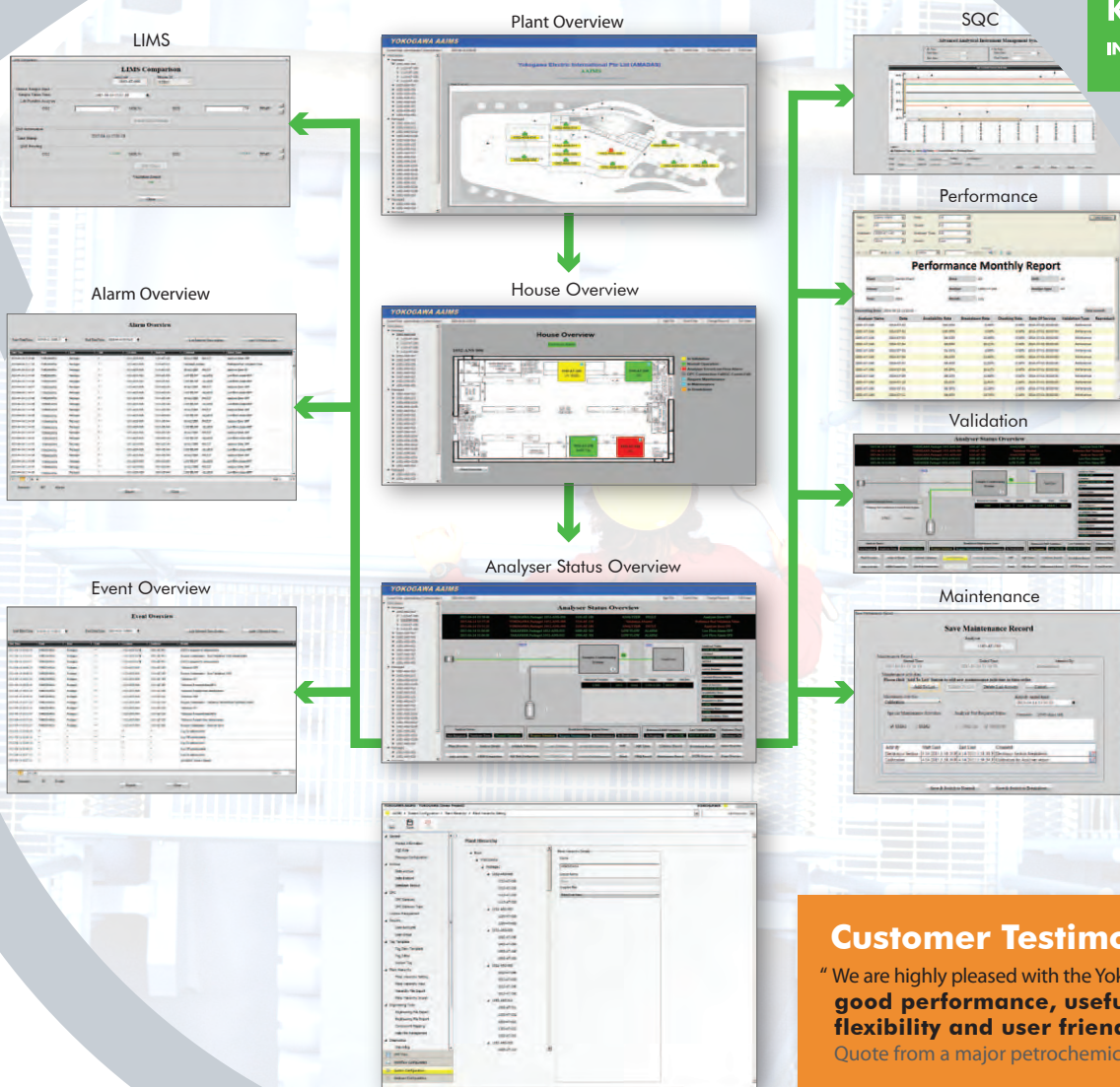
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### Customer Testimony

" We are highly pleased with the Yokogawa AAIMS system's **good performance, useful functionalities, flexibility and user friendliness**  
Quote from a major petrochemical plant operator

## Key Features

### ■ Immediate on-line statistical analysis

Interpret and display analyzer KPIs such as availability, reproducibility, and problem frequency rates to improve analyzer performance. Plot the collected validity results and lab comparison results on statistical quality control (SQC) charts

### ■ Efficient analyzer maintenance

Identify problematic analyzers and improve maintenance efficiency

### ■ Standard human machine interface to view analyzer data

Access individual analyzer details through a drill down navigation methodology from the plant overview to each analyzer

### ■ Easy engineering configuration

Enhance the reusability of template-based application software solutions with the easy-to-use and highly flexible AAIMS engineering configuration tool

### ■ Operations interface

Interface with all types of analyzers to perform validity checks and generate reports for process operations

### ■ Automatic analyzer assessment

Automate the statistical analysis of data and automatically execute the validity check sequences

### ■ Real-time data acquisition

Automatically collect real-time measured data and fault alarms from analyzers

### ■ Standards Compliance

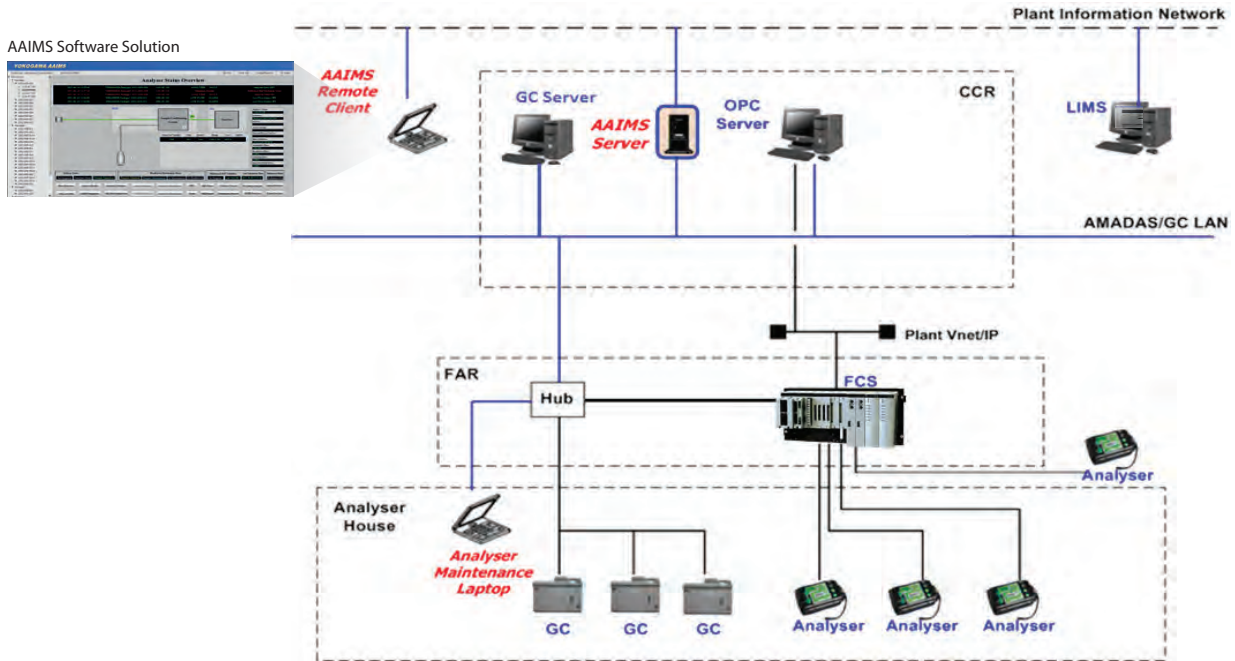
AAIMS makes use of the industry's best practices by implementing the ASTM standards

- ASTM D3764 Standards for System Validation
- ASTM D6299 Standards for Statistical Quality Control (SQC) evaluation, ASTM: American Society for Testing and Materials



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**AAIMS Network Architecture**  
 Achieve the full potential of your plant's on-line process analyzers and maximize your operating profits



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quality

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