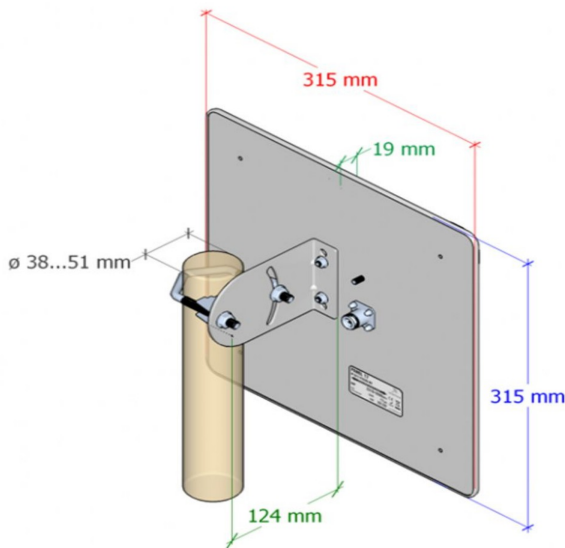


## Assembly instructions Beam-antenna for ALF

### Fundamental:

This antenna is a beam-antenne designed for the 2.4 GHz WLAN frequency band with a performance gain of 17dbi. Through the rich performance gain and the strong signal bundling, very high distances can be bridged. The assembly takes place on a rod with diameter 38 - 51mm. The antenna cable must be tightly screwed after assembly, mounting the two antennas in direct alignment to each other.

### Installation:



**Attention:** No liability for performance or durability problems, losses are taken over if the assembly was not carried out according to this manual.

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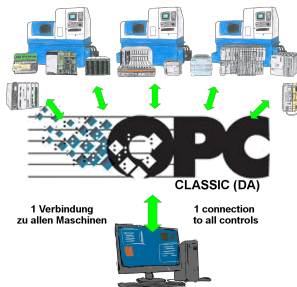


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## Machine-access regardless of the manufacturer



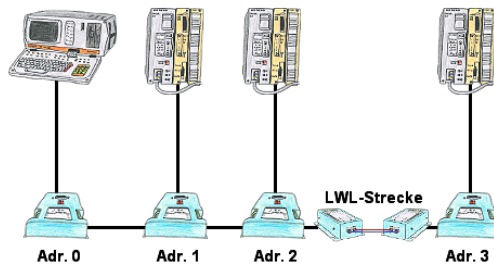
Machines from various manufacturers in the production-plant and with all of them should data be exchanged?

Before you get the machine-specific protocol from each manufacturer in order to integrate it into your application, there are easier ways to implement this requirement.

OPC-servers have many protocols from different manufacturers integrated and provide the collected data as "Server". Your application communicates as a "client" with the OPC-protocol DA (Classic) with the "Server" and thus receives the required data from all machines without knowing the respective protocol.

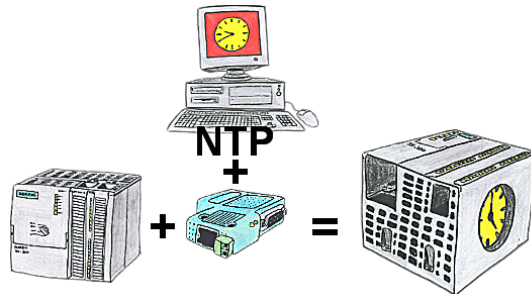
Access with one protocol and still have data from many manufacturers, that is OPC.

## Longer distances for L1-Bus



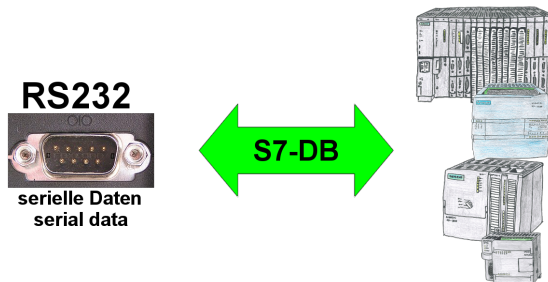
You need for your L1-Bus higher distance like the possible 1200m? You have strong disturbance on your L1-Bus? You need a serial line for higher distances and this galvanic decoupled? No problem, all this points are solved through the LWL-adapter. They are available for artificial and optical fibre, for L1-Bus and RS232.

## Actual time for the PLC?



You need in your PLC a actual time? No problem, with the NTP-function the S7-LAN-module get from a NTP-(Time-)Server the actual time and transfers it direct into the configured PLC or for processing in a DB.

## S7-PLC and serial ASCII-data



S7-PLC should process serial ASCII-data from another/external device and send back the corresponding data?

"RS232 on S7" receives this serial data and transfers it to a data-block of your choice specified in the configuration. The S7-PLC can then process the data received in this way and send back an answer via a data-area that is also defined.

The baud-rate of the serial line can be freely selected. This allows communication with the ASCII-transmitter to be implemented, with the S7-PLC using the two specified data-areas as input-/send-compartments.