SEL Device Management and Automation (DMA)

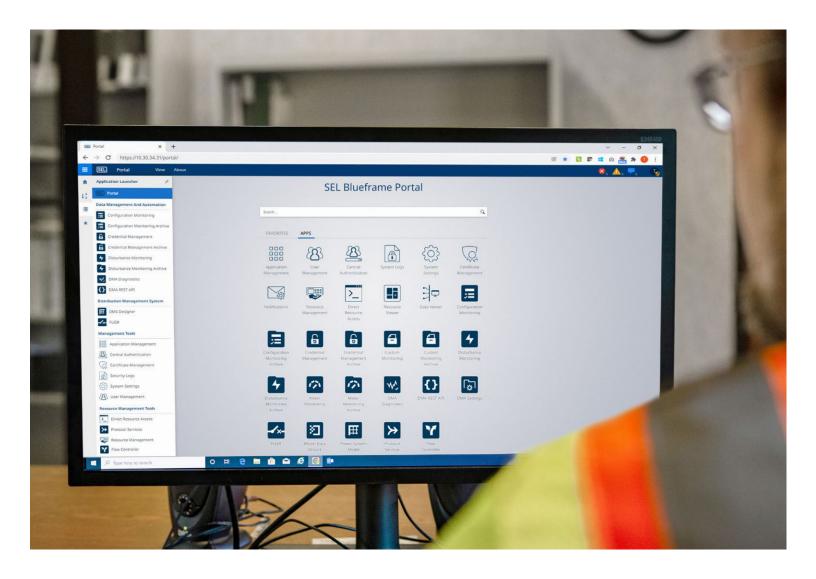
Blueframe® Application Suite



Automate data collection and streamline fleet management

- Automatically collect oscillography, Sequence of Events (SOE), device settings, property information, and other device files and reports.
- Identify device changes and simplify auditing tasks with custom data summary reports.
- Streamline device management and compliance efforts with automated password rotation.





Overview

SEL DMA applications automatically collect, store, and manage device-specific information—oscillography, SOE, device settings, property information, and other device files and reports—to simplify day-to-day fleet management and compliance efforts. Streamline device audits through custom summary reports. Deploy DMA applications across substation or regional installations or centralize them at a corporate installation, according to the number of devices and system performance requirements.

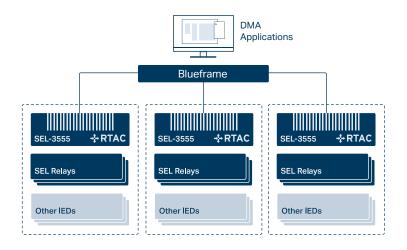
The DMA application suite currently includes multiple orderable packages: the Disturbance Monitoring package, the Configuration Monitoring package, the Credential Management package, the Meter Monitoring package, and the Custom Monitoring package.

DMA software runs as secure, modular applications on SEL Blueframe, a specialized software platform for operational technology (OT) systems. Blueframe can be deployed on SEL rugged computing platforms (SEL-3350, SEL-3355, and SEL-3360) or virtualized on other server-grade hardware through a contract agreement. For more information about virtual deployments, contact your local support.

Deployment Options

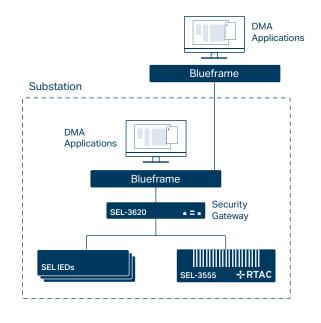
Centralized DMA

DMA is well suited to a centralized deployment and is designed to scale, making it easy to configure automated data collection from one to thousands of resources in a system. Systems that utilize SEL Real-Time Automation Controllers (RTACs) further simplify centralized deployments through aggregated data collection and improved notification efficiency between substations and the central DMA instance. DMA is designed to run on the secure Blueframe operating system, which can be deployed on SEL rugged computing platforms or virtualized on other server-grade hardware.



Regional DMA

DMA was designed to be distributable, enabling users to securely aggregate data from several resources to a local Blueframe instance and then push data from the distributed system to a central Blueframe node. This deployment is advantageous when communications between remote locations and the centralized user access point are intermittent or when SEL RTACs are not in use.



Application Packages

Disturbance Monitoring Package



Disturbance Monitoring

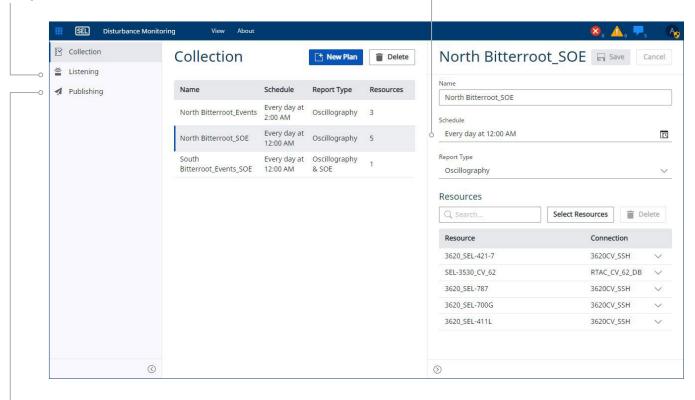
Define data collection plans for endpoint devices. Automatically collect event oscillography and SOE data for supported resources in a common location. This facilitates streamlined initiation of fault restoration.

Listen for notifications

DMA can listen for notifications from supported resources that new data are available for collection, expediting fault retrieval.

Schedule oscillography and SOE collection

Configure DMA to communicate automatically with Blueframe resources to collect new event data.



Publish and centralize data

Publish collected data from one Blueframe instance to another or from Blueframe instances to an HTTPS server. This supports aggregating data from dispersed Blueframe instances to a central Blueframe instance or other receiving server. Additionally, configure automated email notifications when new data are collected.



Disturbance Monitoring Archive

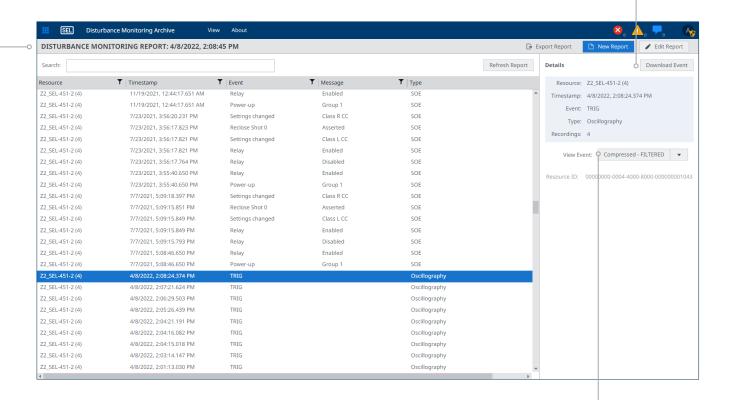
Visualize collected data to view past events. Use predefined views and custom filters to select information pertinent to your task and download reports for detailed analysis in event analysis tools.

Generate reports

Configure reports to display oscillography and SOE data for selected resources to support fault analysis.

Download records

Download and save records to support incident reporting and tracking.



SYNCHROWAVE® Event Express

View oscillography records with the included event viewing tool.

Configuration Monitoring Package



Configuration Monitoring

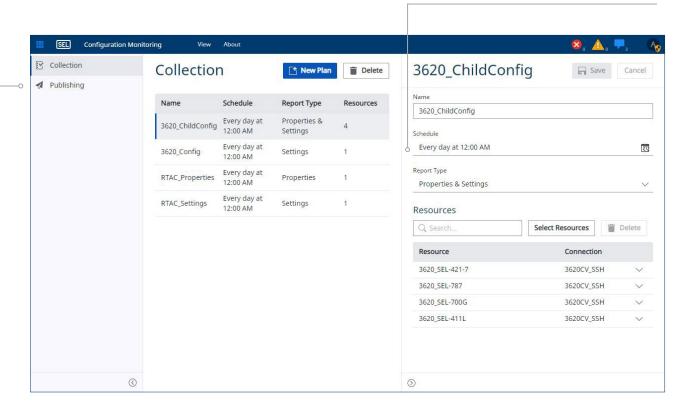
Automate checks of active device settings, firmware versions, and device IDs. Securely move collected settings to a settings management repository for a settings version comparison analysis.

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Schedule settings and property collection

Configure DMA to communicate automatically with Blueframe resources to collect new configuration data and identify when changes have occurred on monitored devices.



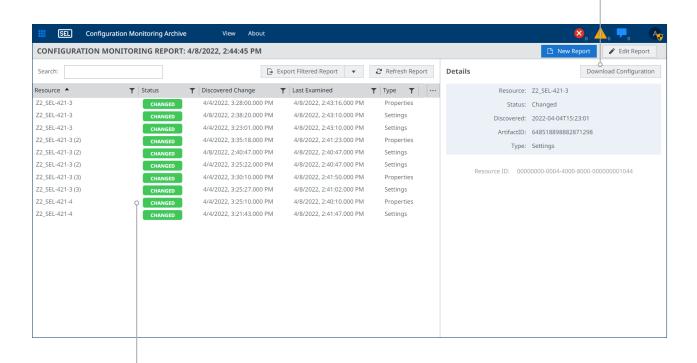


Configuration Monitoring Archive

View collected settings versions, firmware, and device ID variances. Identify devices that may not match company records for active configuration and require corrective action.

Download configuration

DMA gathers a full set of resource configurations, which enables full use in the respective resources' configuration software. For example, SEL RTAC settings are collected as a project file that can be opened in ACSELERATOR® RTAC SEL-5033 Software.



Identify changes to settings and properties

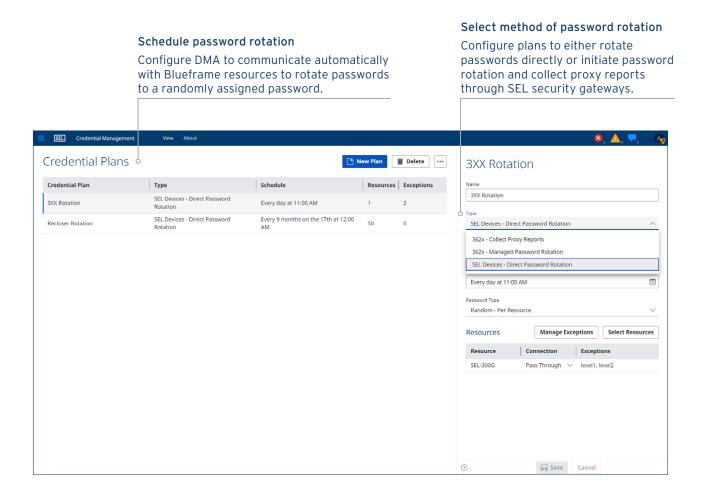
Build a report to help identify when resource configuration has changed. Detected changes can then be evaluated to understand if they were intentional or not.

Credential Management Package



Credential Management

Automatically rotate IED passwords on customdefined schedules, either directly or through SEL security gateways. Ensure device access security with more control over when passwords are rotated with random and complex passwords.





Credential Management Archive

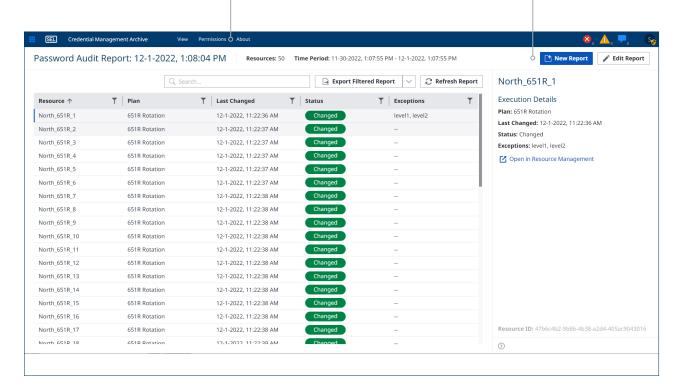
View Credential Management reports to verify that scheduled resource passwords have been changed to support audit compliance efforts. Additionally, access resource credentials securely to aid emergency restoration efforts.

Restrict access to view passwords

Define which roles can view active passwords and which roles can audit when passwords were changed.

Generate password reports

Generate a report with active resource passwords to support emergency restoration efforts.



Meter Monitoring Package



Meter Monitoring

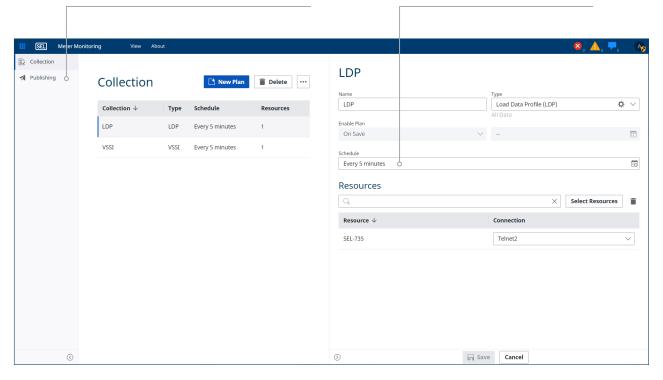
Streamline voltage sag, swell, and interruption (VSSI) and load data profile (LDP) data collection and centralize data storage with the DMA Meter Monitoring application.

Publish and centralize data

Publish collected data to a central Blueframe instance or to an HTTPS server. Additionally, configure automated email notification when new data are collected.

Schedule LDP and VSSI collection

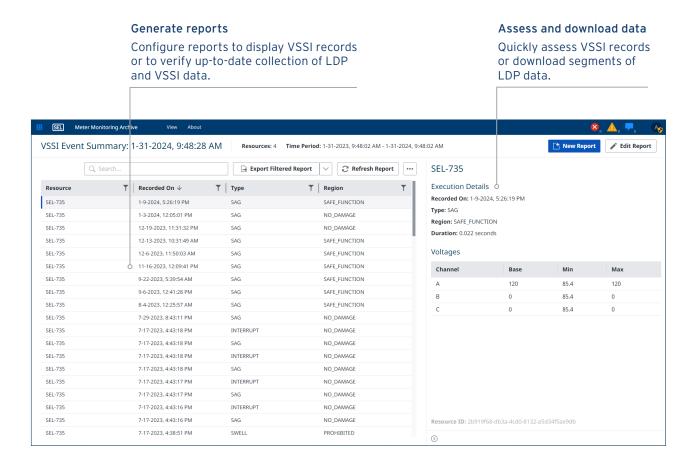
Configure DMA to communicate automatically with Blueframe metering resources to collect new LDP and VSSI data.





Meter Monitoring Archive

Verify up-to-date collection of LDP and VSSI data. Review VSSI records, and download segments of LDP data.



Custom Monitoring Package



Custom Monitoring

Schedule automated collection of files or command results from supported devices. Specify which files or relay reports to collect from devices and store in an aggregated location.

Publish and centralize data

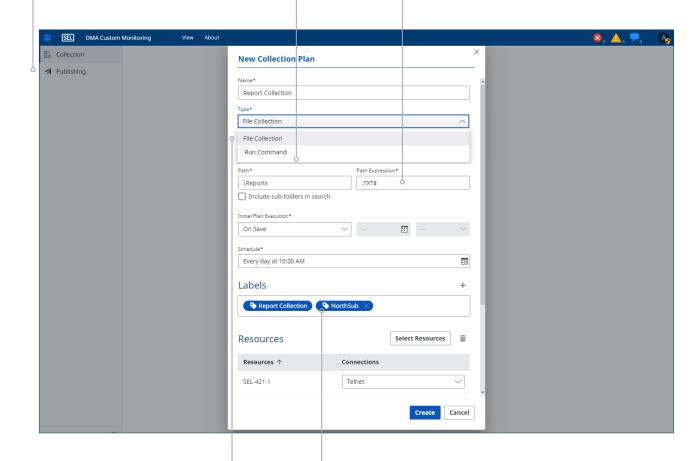
Publish collected data from one Blueframe instance to another or from Blueframe instances to an HTTPS server. This supports aggregating data from dispersed Blueframe instances to a central Blueframe instance or other receiving server. Additionally, configure automated email notifications when new data are collected.

Collect command results

Run device-supported commands to save results to a file.

Specify files for collection

Use regular expressions to specify files for collection.



Collect device files

Collect files from a device's file system.

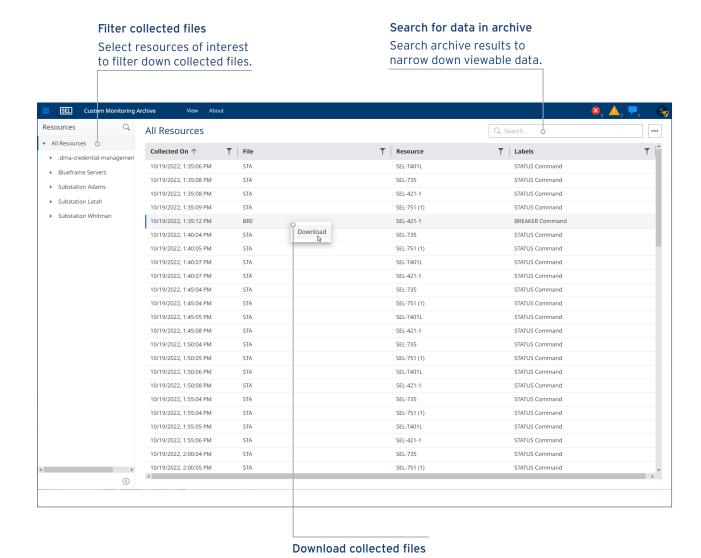
Label collected data

Tag collected data with a label to enable streamlined filtering of data in the archive.



Custom Monitoring Archive

Access your files, tagged with user-defined labels, for use by analysis or visualization tools.



DMA Tools



DMA REST API

Gain secure, authenticated programmatic access to a RESTful API (application programming interface) for integration with third-party business tools.



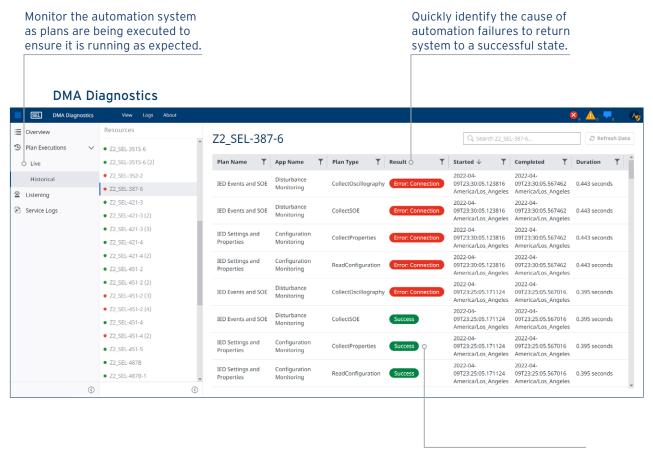
DMA Diagnostics

Troubleshoot resource communications and data collection processes initiated by the services that support DMA data collection.



DMA Settings

Manage global DMA settings related to hard drive storage, data retention policies, and resetting DMA-related data to a clean state.



View detailed communication and troubleshooting logs.

SEL Blueframe Application Platform

Platform

DMA applications run on the SEL Blueframe application platform. Blueframe is a secure, modular system for installing SEL applications and for managing and exchanging data between supported applications. Blueframe is designed to minimize the attack surface and includes several security measures, like allowlisting, to prevent unauthorized access and attacks. It provides a scalable and customizable solution to accommodate your specific needs.

Hardware

Blueframe runs on powerful and reliable SEL computing platforms that ensure system availability in the most demanding applications and environments. Select the right hardware for your application by choosing from models that offer a variety of processing power options, drives, memory modules, expansion capabilities, and form factors. Blueframe and its specialized applications come embedded in your chosen computing platform.

Blueframe can also be deployed virtually on other servergrade hardware through a contract agreement. For more information about virtual deployments and minimum hardware requirements, contact your local support.

	SEL-3350	SEL-3355	SEL-3360S	SEL-3360E
Processor	Intel Atom x5-E3940 quad-core, 1.6 GHz	Intel Xeon quad-core, 2.0 or 2.8 GHz	Intel Xeon quad-core, 2.0 or 2.8 GHz	Intel Xeon quad-core, 2.0 or 2.8 GHz
Memory	8 GB DDR3L RAM with error-correcting code (ECC)	Up to 64 GB DDR4 RAM with ECC	Up to 64 GB DDR4 RAM with ECC	Up to 64 GB DDR4 RAM with ECC
Storage'	Up to 2 SSDs, 2 TB each, 2.5" SATA III (6.0 GB/s)	Up to 4 SSDs, 2 TB each, 2.5" SATA II (3.0 GB/s)	Up to 2 SSDs, 2 TB each, 2.5" SATA II (3.0 GB/s)	Up to 2 SSDs, 2 TB each, 2.5" SATA II (3.0 GB/s)
Chassis	19" rack-mount or panel-mount, 1U	19" rack-mount or panel-mount, 3U	Conductive panel-mount or standard wall-mount cooling	Conductive panel-mount or standard wall-mount cooling

¹Blueframe only supports a single drive at this time.

Specifications

General	
Data Collection Capabilities	Automated polling or listening
Data Publishing Capabilities	Blueframe to Blueframe, Blueframe to HTTPS server, Blueframe to FTP server, and email notifications
Supported Protocols	SEL ASCII, SEL FTP, HTTPS, PostgreSQL, Secure Shell (SSH), MMS, Telnet, and TCP
Operating System	SEL Blueframe
Deployment Options	Embedded on SEL computing platforms or virtualized on other server-grade hardware





