Why pay for a Software License Upgrade fee when you can invest in Significant System Enhancement?

Wonderware users know that their SCADA Software isn't inexpensive to buy, support, expand or upgrade. And because of these costs, Wonderware users know that they must limit their vision to keep from blowing the budget. But you might not know that a migration to a modern, open SCADA platform with **lower lifecycle costs** and **more integration flexibility** can be accomplished for about the same cost as a Wonderware license upgrade.

Ignition by Inductive Automation is a modern, full-featured SCADA platform that eliminates many of the limitations of proprietary legacy software platforms like Wonderware.

Imagine a process automation future without limits.

Unlimited tags.

Wonderware users have gotten used to keeping an eye on how many tags (data points) they can monitor and control because Wonderware's licensing costs are driven by the number of tags used. System functionality and future expansions must be carefully scrutinized to work around these limits. **Ignition** provides an unlimited number of tags so the only limit on your system potential is your imagination.

Unlimited User seats

Wonderware users have also gotten used to working around the number of user seats they have purchased. Therefore, any changes to control room layout or behavior may have significant budgetary implications. Social Distancing due to COVID-19 may have highlighted this limitation. **Ignition** provides an unlimited number of users seats, easily deployed on any web-based device. Therefore, the number and types of seats can be expanded at any time with no additional licensing costs.

Unlimited Integration

Wonderware users have accepted limitations on the types of systems they can integrate with their SCADA. Like a Model T Ford, *"you can have any color you want as long as it is black"*- Wonderware users have a limited number of choices for Data Historians, MES and ERP systems. If it isn't on their list, you probably can't connect to it. Ignition's Open System architecture enables your SCADA to connect with with virtually any current or future automation or business system.

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Limited Support Costs

With all of its inherent limitations, there is one thing that is unlimited- support costs. Wonderware support costs can increase at any time. Many users are surprised by the annual software license costs at renewal time. On the other hand this one element of **Ignition** that is limited, and customers really appreciate it. Ignition's reasonable and predictable annual software support is based on a flat percentage of the original software purchase.   That price doesn't change. Limited Support costs provide budgeting certainty and no surprises in the future.

The next time you are faced with a Wonderware software license upgrade, why not consider your options. You may be able to obtain a significant system enhancement for about the same budget as a simple Software License update.

InstruLogic Advantage

With over 30 years of Measurement and Control experience, including experience with all of the major SCADA brands, **InstruLogic** is uniquely qualified to help you determine the best way to invest your upgrade budget. We have helped others significantly improve their operations, reduce support costs and position themselves for cost-effective future expansion. Our expertise and tools can provide you with a low-cost and low-risk migration path from Wonderware to Ignition. In most cases, the migration, including Ignition Software licenses, is less than or equal to the cost of a simple Wonderware License upgrade fee.   Why throw more money at your old, limited SCADA, when you can invest in an unlimited future? Contact us today.

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