



# FIN|STACK 5.1 Update and the F200 Edge Controller

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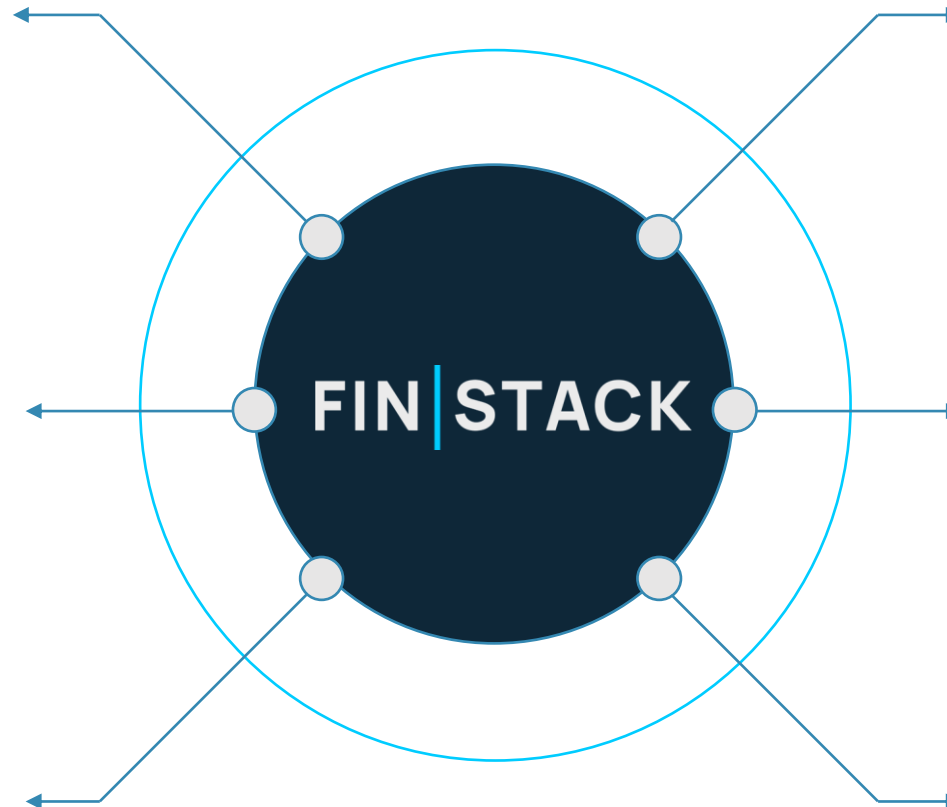


# FIN Stack has built-in apps for a simplified approach

**Haystack Tagging**  
**Haystack 4 Foundation**  
FIN Stack is built on the latest Haystack 4 standards allowing for more detailed data and more informative interface

**High Productivity Tools**  
**Workflow Improved**  
With the easy use of tagging, creation and implementation of interface components can be delivered quickly and easily.

**Powerful Integration**  
**Multiple Integration Options**  
Standard open options such as BACnet, Modbus, KNX with many advanced options (SQL, XML, REST, and MQTT)



**Web Responsive & Mobile Friendly**  
**HTML5, Web Responsive Design**  
Created using HTML5, FIN Stack can be viewed on a laptop, desktop, tablet, or smartphone with no additional app required

**Template Wizard**  
**Embedded Wizard Discovery**  
FIN Stack templates streamline the device discovery process by importing graphics, programs, and documentation at a single click

**Advanced Graphics & Dashboards**  
**Appealing Vector Graphics**  
Crisp, 2D and 3D graphics libraries that contain water-side systems, air-side systems, labs, and dashboard components to bring insight to the facility

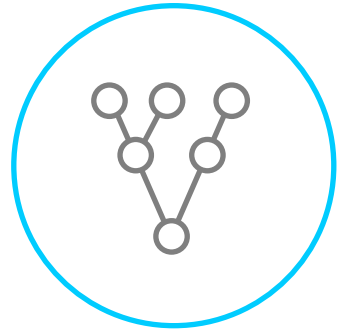
# FIN Stack 5.1 enhancements and new features



## Dashboard Builder

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Create your own data-driven dynamic dashboards



## FIN Network multi-instance architecture

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View your FIN sites and instances through one view



## KNX Connector

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An all-new KNX IP Connector for seamless integration



## BTL certification

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FIN is OWS (Operator Workstation) compliant



## Edge2Cloud enhancements

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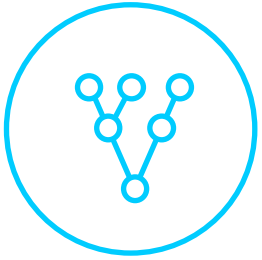
From access tokens, to multi-lingual access, and more

# Dashboard Builder App

- Get improved dashboard views for data-driven smart building, smart equipment and IoT at your fingertips.
- Simply use the app's grid to resize, add and remove a range of new dynamic dashboard widgets to get more from your data. Easily select your data from the Equip Tree - from site, to floor, to point.
- Widgets include: Charts, history, weather, gauges, values, map view, floor plan and equipment graphics.



# FIN Network – multi-instance architecture

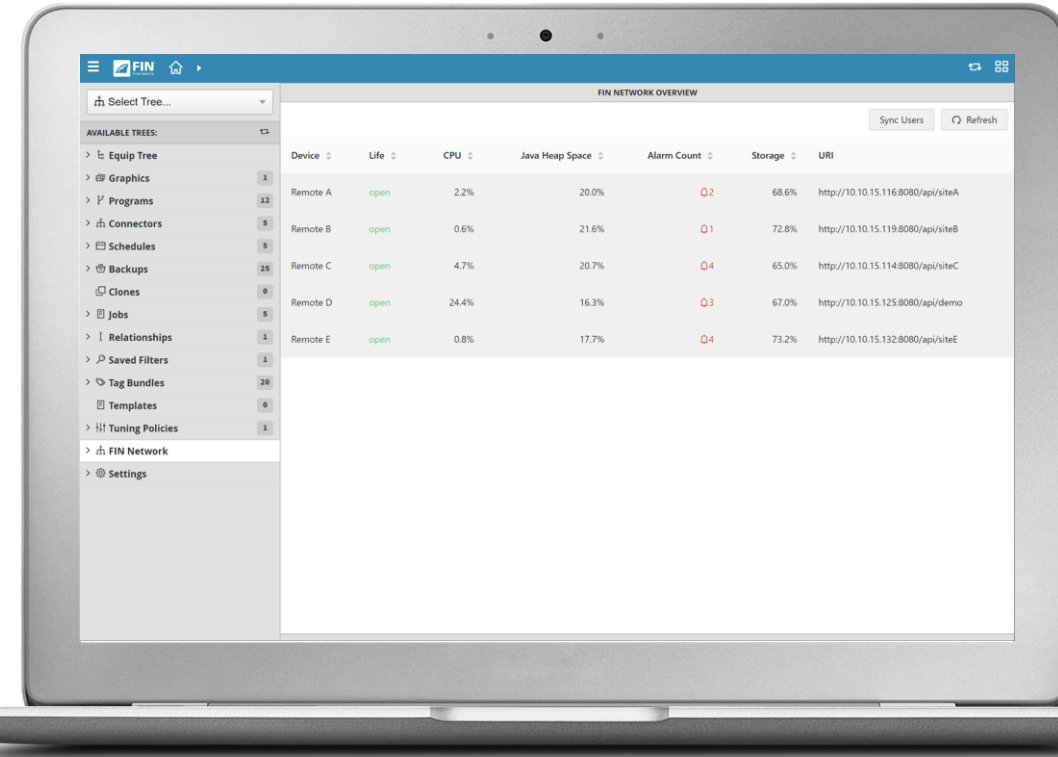


## Streamline management of sites with many instances of FIN

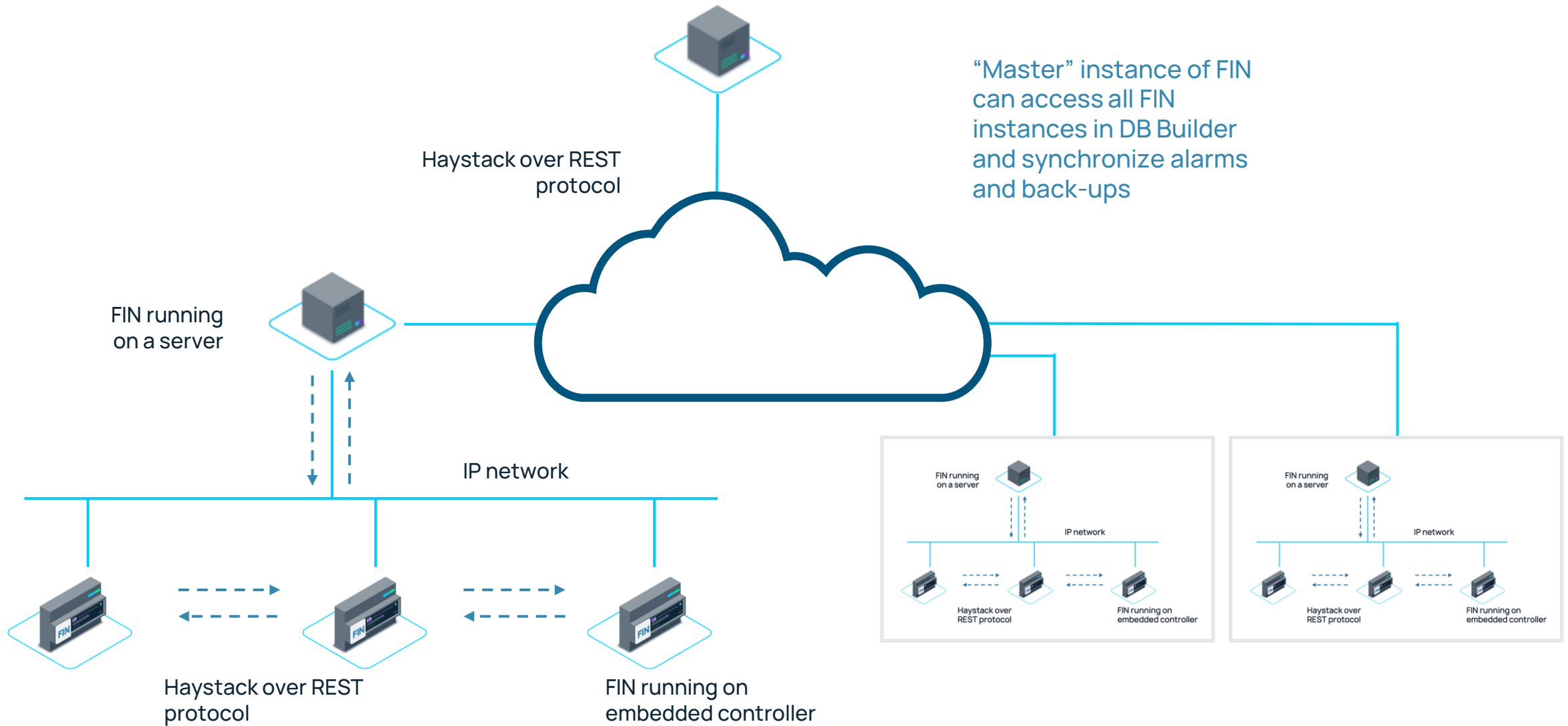
Add all your FIN instances via connectors to the new FIN network tree in the DB Builder App. Once added you can view all your devices, whether local or remote, and drag and drop them. You are able to view and edit records of each without having to log on to each device separately – saving time and resource!

This is especially useful if, for example, you want to bring in data from remote devices to your server enabling the creation and visualization of dashboards (with the new dashboard builder of course!)

With FIN Network, not only can you sync histories but you can sync alarms, backups, and users



# FIN multi-instance system architecture

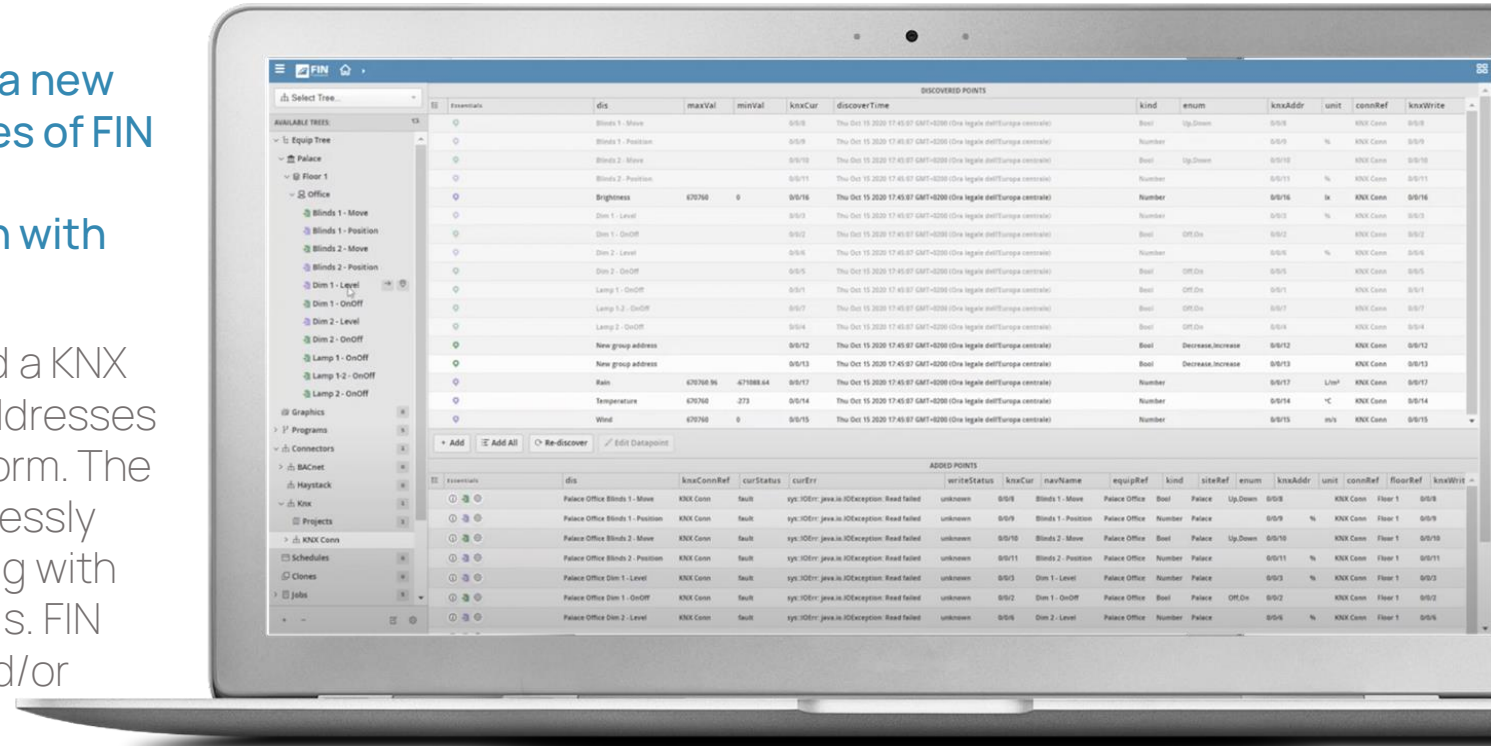


# KNX IP Connector



Take your smart building or smart equipment to a new level of sophistication by bringing the capabilities of FIN Framework to KNX-enabled devices. The KNX IP Connector for FIN provides seamless integration with KNX devices.

The KNX connector software module is able to read a KNX project file and present all the KNX points/group addresses available in an installation within the FIN open platform. The automatic configuration allows engineers to seamlessly integrate and supervise the KNX components, along with other devices and systems that use other protocols. FIN Framework acts as the global system controller and/or building automation supervisor.



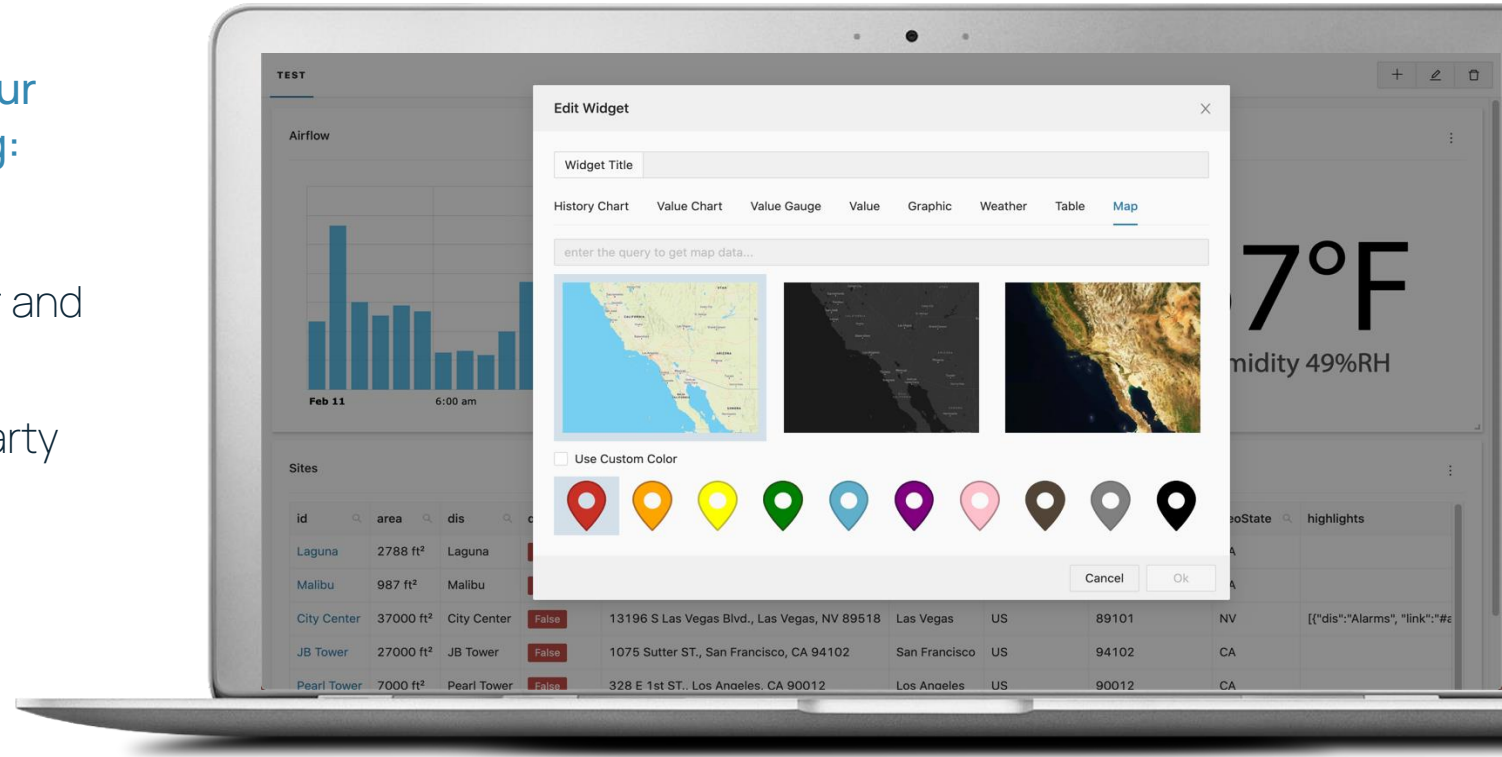


# Edge2Cloud enhancements



A range of enhancements have been added to our revolutionary Edge2Cloud technology, including:

- Access tokens to allow FIN instances to communicate via the internet with one another and 3rd party systems
- Open API for secure communication with 3rd party cloud applications
- Access available in multi-languages
- Update site color markers
- Access dashboards



# FIN BTL certification



- FIN Framework 5.1 is BTL OWS (Operator Workstation) compliant which provides more support and visibility of BACnet properties and objects as part of the BACnet protocol

The FINstitute has a new courses to support our partners with content covering the new FIN 5.1 features.

- The course is presented as a series of labs that supplement the FIN Technicians class
- The existing FIN Technicians class has also been updated to include the new content



**FIN 5.1 New Features**

FIN 5.1 introduces some exciting new applications and capabilities. The course will provide an update to the FIN 5 Technicians training. The topics include FIN Network, Dashboards, DB purge / sync, User security updates, and new BACnet 5.1.

[Enroll for free](#)

## Course curriculum

1	Introduction and Preparation	▼
2	Create a New Project	▼
3	FIN Network	▼
4	Dashboards	▼
5	DB Records - Synchronize and Purge Settings	▼
6	User and Security	▼
7	BACnet in 5.1	▼
8	New KNX Connector	▼
9	Edge to Cloud and License Server	▼
10	Next Steps ...	▼

# Introducing the F200



# F200 Overview

J2 Innovations have launched the F200 Edge Controller – ideal for those that require a bundled hardware and software package:

- Complements existing hardware options and Fit4FIN program
- F200 provided with FIN Stack for distributors in North America and the UK,
- Ideal for mid-market applications such as schools, offices and hospitals, as well as multi-instance applications in larger projects
- Siemens manufactured hardware with guarantee
- Additions such as the RS-485 port support coming with future release



# Why choose F200?

## Quick and easy installation

- Fits easily into a control cabinet
- No extra IT infrastructure required
- Step-by-step installation guide and J2 support

## Easy to use

- No need for additional servers
- Can be used with any FIN framework on FIN application suite
- Easy commissioning with FIN's fully browser-based interface

## Powerful edge controller

- Ideal for mid-market and multi-instance applications such as schools, offices, hospitals...
- Up to 5000 data points
- Combine with FIN Framework, and application suites

## High quality

- Siemens manufactured
- Comes with guarantee

# What the F200 can do



## Connect

Ideal for mid-market applications and multi-instance applications, the F200 can connect:

- HVAC
- Meters
- Sensors
- Lighting
- Renewables
- EV chargers

Much more



## Manage

- Local edge management of smart buildings and devices
- Remote secure access with FIN Edge2Cloud technology
- Easy to apply software updates remotely via Siemens cloud

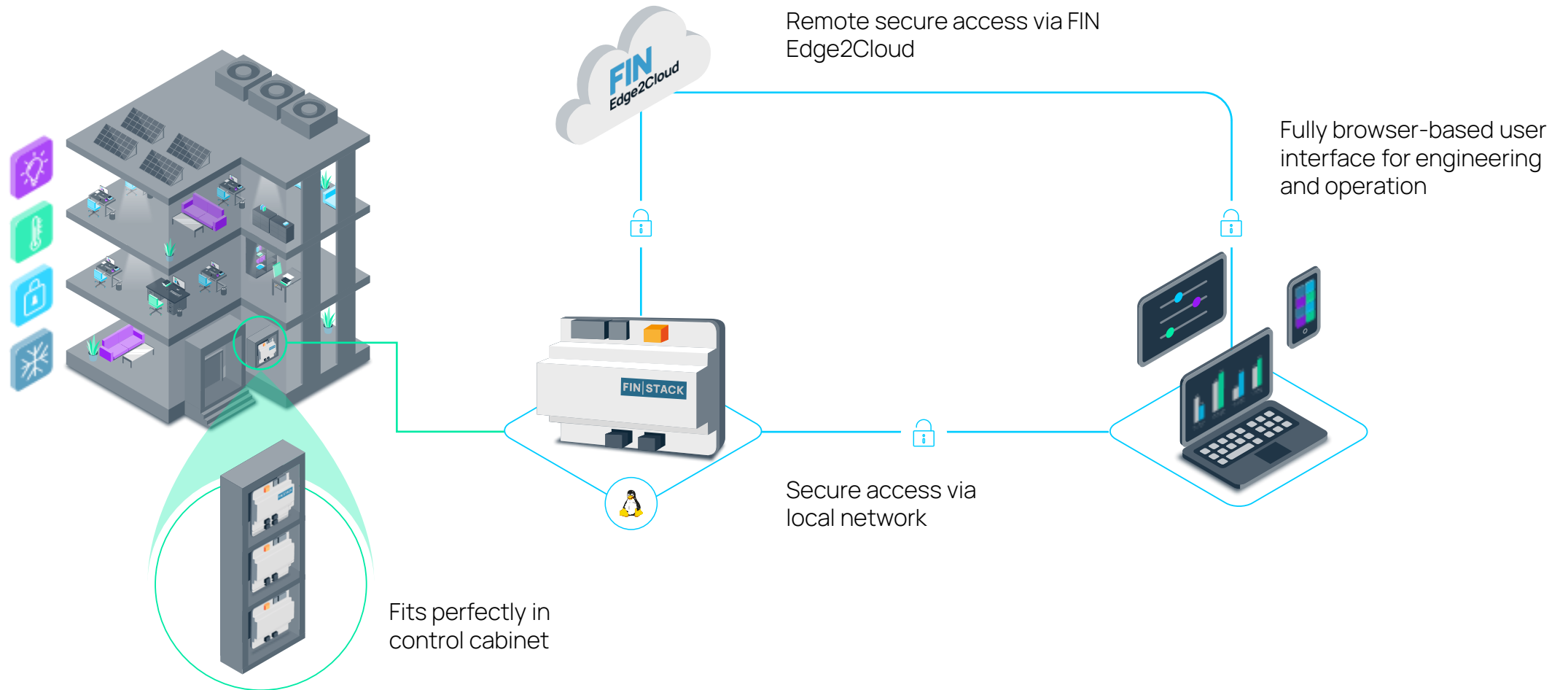


## Multi-protocol support

- Supports various protocols, e.g. BACnet IP, Modbus IP, and KNX IP
- Supports Ethernet and 4G\* connectivity
- Partners can develop additional connectors as required

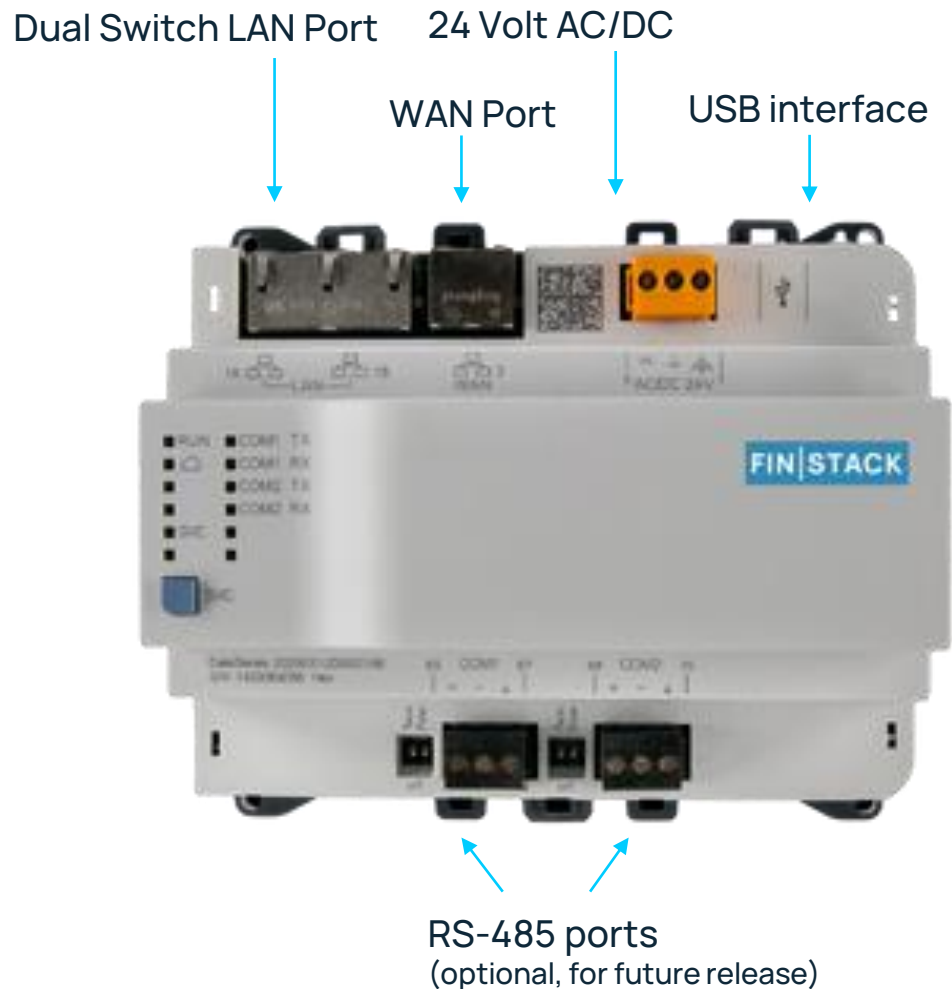
\* via a 4G dongle; will require some development work to implement

# F200 position in system architectures





# F200 at a glance



## Protocols

Haystack over RESTful, BACnet IP Modbus TCP, SNMP, KNX IP and others

## Datapoint capacity

Up to 5,000 Data Points

## History capacity

Can be licensed up to 1,000 CAPs

## Supported browsers

PC or Laptop: Chrome, Firefox, Safari and Edge

Mobile: Safari or Google

## USB interface

For 4G dongles (requires custom connector)

## Network connection

Dual Switch LAN: Field Network Devices

WAN Port: public facing Network (ISP)

# How to upload

## Loading a License

Uses Siemens Horizon for device provisioning

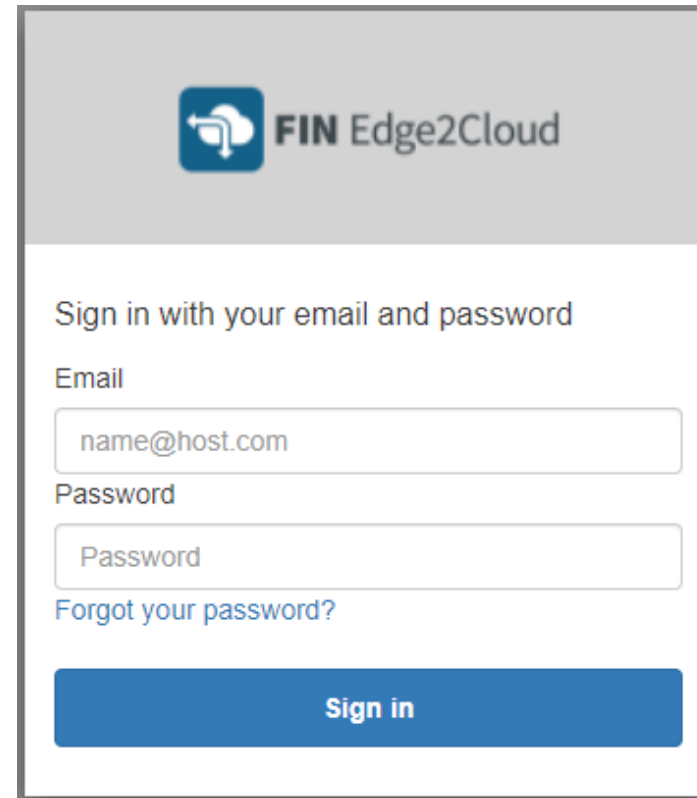
Utilizing Edge2Cloud we can access the Host ID and apply the Licenses remotely.

Download Licensing guide

## Licensing the F200

Complete this procedure add a license to your F200 through Edge2Cloud.

1. Use the following link to access Edge2Cloud: <https://portal.e2cloud.io/>
2. Enter your credentials to sign in.



The screenshot shows the login interface for FIN Edge2Cloud. At the top, there is a logo consisting of a blue square with a white stylized 'E' and the text 'FIN Edge2Cloud'. Below the logo, the text 'Sign in with your email and password' is displayed. There are two input fields: 'Email' with the placeholder 'name@host.com' and 'Password' with the placeholder 'Password'. Below the password field is a link that says 'Forgot your password?'. At the bottom of the form is a blue button with the text 'Sign in'.

# Further information

Find out more about the F200 Edge Controller and hardware options for FIN Framework and FIN Stack:

- [F200 webpage](#)
- [Hardware compatibility guide](#) (Fit4FIN program)
- [F200 blog](#)
- [PPT slides](#)

Download F22 data sheet

Download installation guide

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## Edge Controller F200 - CFG3.F200

Product Data Sheet

Edge Controller F200 for the cloud integration of FIN Framework, FIN Stack and/or third-party systems.

- 2-port Ethernet switch for LAN (includes daisy chaining)

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### SIEMENS CXG3.F200 Quick Install Guide

- Before mounting and commissioning**

**IMPORTANT:** Follow these instructions carefully before mounting and connecting the device. The complete documentation is available online: <https://www.downloads.siemens.com/download-center/>
- Mount the device**
  - Admissible mounting positions and ambient temperatures**

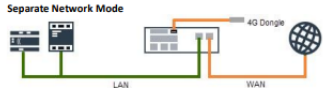
Admissible: -5...50 °C (23...122 °F)	Ambient: -5...45 °C (23...113 °F)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Wall, horizontal<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- From left to right</li><li>- From right to left</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Overhead</li><li>• Wall, vertically<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- From top to bottom</li><li>- From bottom to top</li></ul></li><li>• On a horizontal surface</li></ul>
- Connect the device**
  - Requirements for the power supply**

Operating voltage 24 V AC	AC 24 V -15 / +20 % (SELV / PELV) or AC 24 V Class 2 (US)
	48...63 Hz


Operating voltage 24 V DC	DC 24 V -15 / +20 % (SELV / PELV) or DC 24 V Class 2 (US)

6. Select a network mode and connect the F200 to the internet as following:  
**Separate Network Mode:** Connect WAN-Port to internet and LAN port 1A/1B to Building Automation Network (BAN).  
**Single Network Mode:** Connect BAN to LAN port 1A/1B – WAN-Port is open (WAN not supported)  
**Note:** After registration the network mode can only be changed by executing a configuration or factory reset.

**Separate Network Mode**



**Single Network Mode**



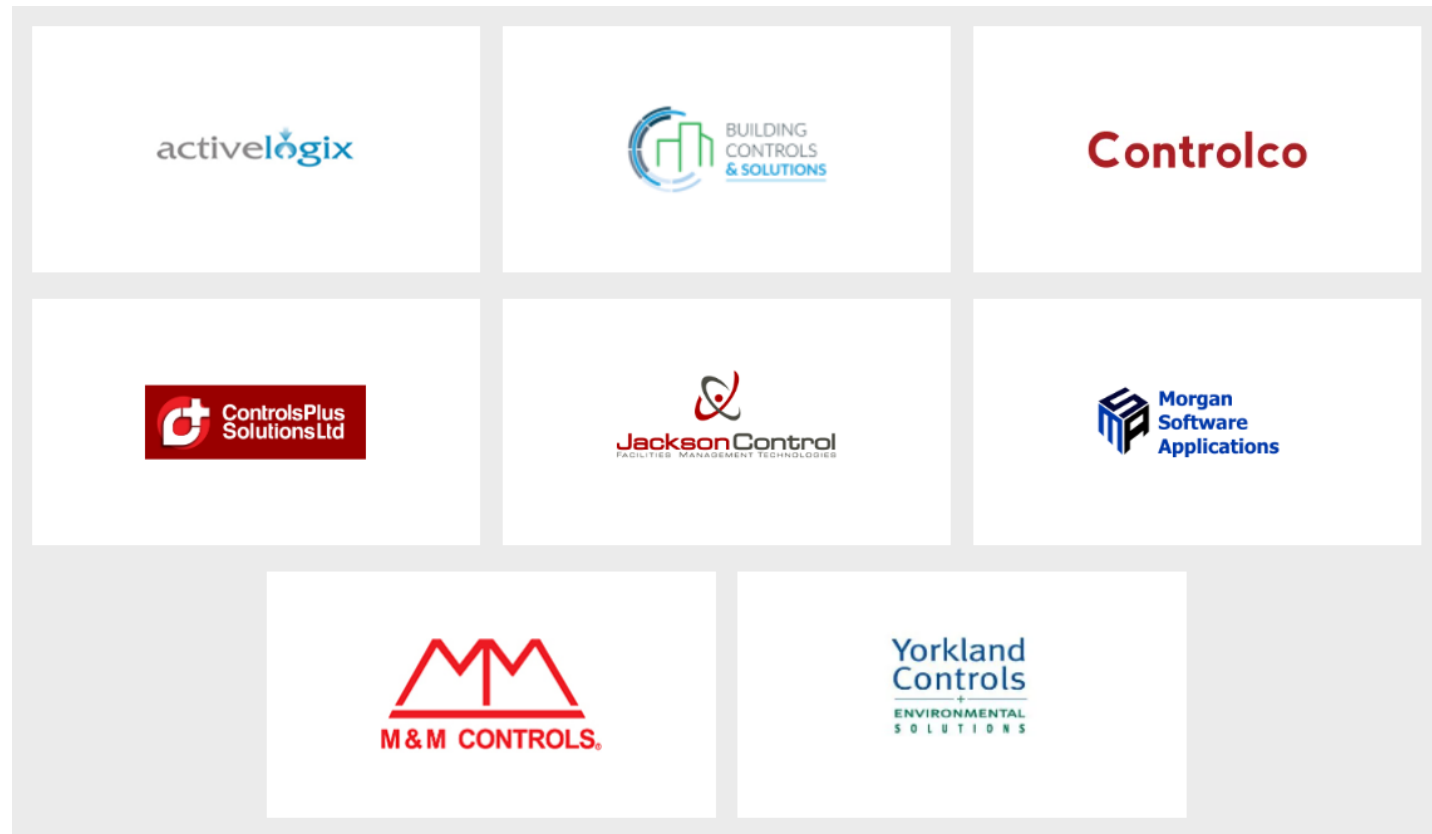
7. Register the device via Devices application (<https://assets.bncloudapps.siemens.com>) by following the instruction in chapter 'Adding devices' in Devices User Guide (A6V12060067).  
**Note:** All relevant device information is included in the QR-Code displayed on web interface of the device after login. It is recommended to keep this information:  
Activation key, Device name, description & model, Serial number, MAC address, Edge OS version and IP addresses

8. Complete the installation according to customer network requirements as

# How to get started - placing an order:

## FIN Stack Distributors

FIN Framework is available globally via multiple OEM partners. In North America and the UK it is also available under the FIN Stack brand via distributors. Our distributors provide sales and technical support. Increasingly our distribution partners also provide product training on our behalf.





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