Fieldbus Foundation announces copyright agreement with Prolist

Austin, Texas/USA - The Fieldbus Foundation has signed a copyright agreement with Prolist International. The agreement allows Prolist to publish Foundation fieldbus parameter names and definitions in its standardized process control device/system specifications and database. Headquartered in Leverkusen, Germany, Prolist International is a not-for-profit organization composed of corporate (automation manufacturers and end-users) and university members, which seeks reduced engineering and transaction costs for procurement and sales in the area of process control technology. This includes integration of the workflows of all parties involved in plant lifecycle management. The basis for this effort has been created in the form of machinereadable descriptions of the properties of process automation components that are relevant for engineering purkem poses.