

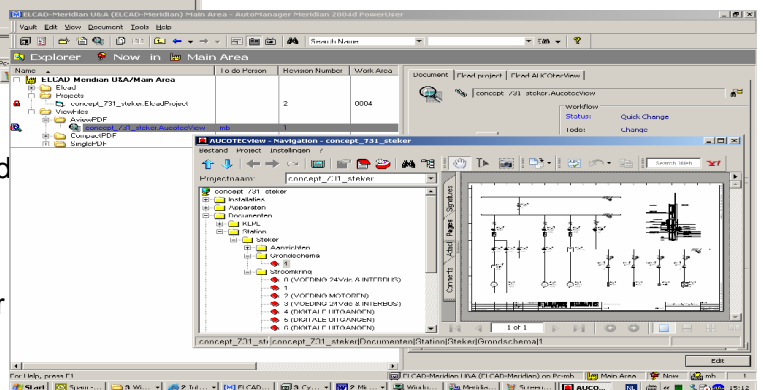
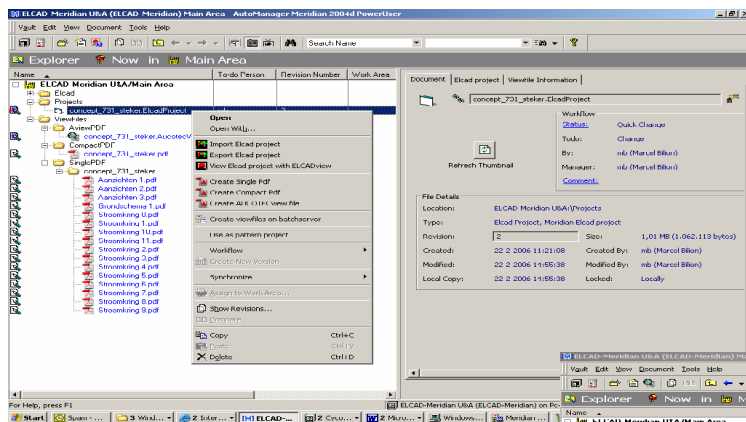
## Two That Get Along Very Well Introduction for the HMI: EDM System Meridian Meets ELCAD from AUCOTEC

In cooperation with BlueCielo ECM Solutions and Betagraphics B.V., an interface has been developed for the communication between the AutoManager Meridian from BlueCielo and the high-end planning software ELCAD/AUCOPLAN for electrical and process engineering plants from AUCOTEC. AUCOTEC has for some time been offering an automated interface for coupling ELCAD/AUCOPLAN to various EDM systems. Usually the AUCOTEC service department is also in charge of this coupling on the customer's premises; this includes an intensive cooperation with the EDM supplier as well as a task analysis, the installation and instruction of the users.

Whether via the desktop or the Internet – with the AutoManager Meridian one can access documents everywhere and anytime. It is moreover easily scalable and adaptable.

### Boundless Communication – User-Friendly Solution

Thanks to the framework based on VB, which has been developed by the Dutch IT system house Betagraphics B.V., the communication between ELCAD and Meridian is possible as of now. The ELCAD projects, which can be stored in the Meridian database, can easily be opened and edited with ELCAD and ELCADmaintenance. Viewing with ELCADview functions smoothly. With the new interface, Meridian creates a PDF file either for every single page of an ELCAD documentation or else for the complete electrical documentation of a facility. Thus the documents developed in ELCAD can be managed with BlueCielo's EDM system spanning several departments or companies – in combination with the AUCOTEC viewing tool even without ELCAD license.



The special feature of the interface for Meridian is that it can immediately be used as standard solution and that the projects can be managed directly in the Meridian database.

BlueCielo specializes in EDM solutions for data management that accelerate the market launch of products and reduce the administrative costs. Just like AUCOTEC, the software enterprise with subsidiaries in the US, Great Britain and the Netherlands has been on the market for over 20 years.

### Everywhere and Anytime

The Meridian AutoManager can flexibly manage revisions, carry out workflow support for projects or single documents and save documents using a locker concept. Meridian is based on a client/server architecture and is suitable for departments or teams of any size.

Moreover the interface supports editing with respect to release and version management. In addition one can store meta data for the project description read directly from ELCAD.

The fact that the framework functions and the configuration are integrated directly into the AutoManager renders the solution distinctly user-friendly. Matching the AUCOTEC motto: Let's make engineering easy!