



Distributed Signal Processing Units for CPC architectures

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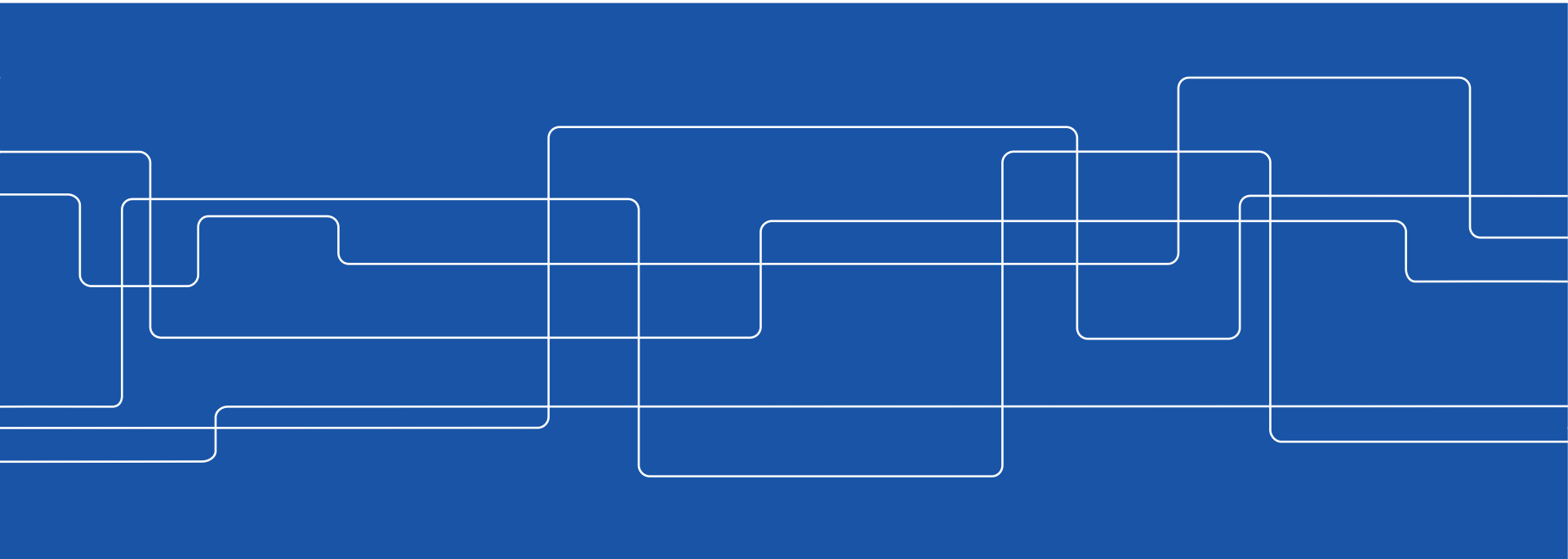




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Centralized Substation Protection and Control (CPC)



Trends in Power System Protection

Phasor-Based

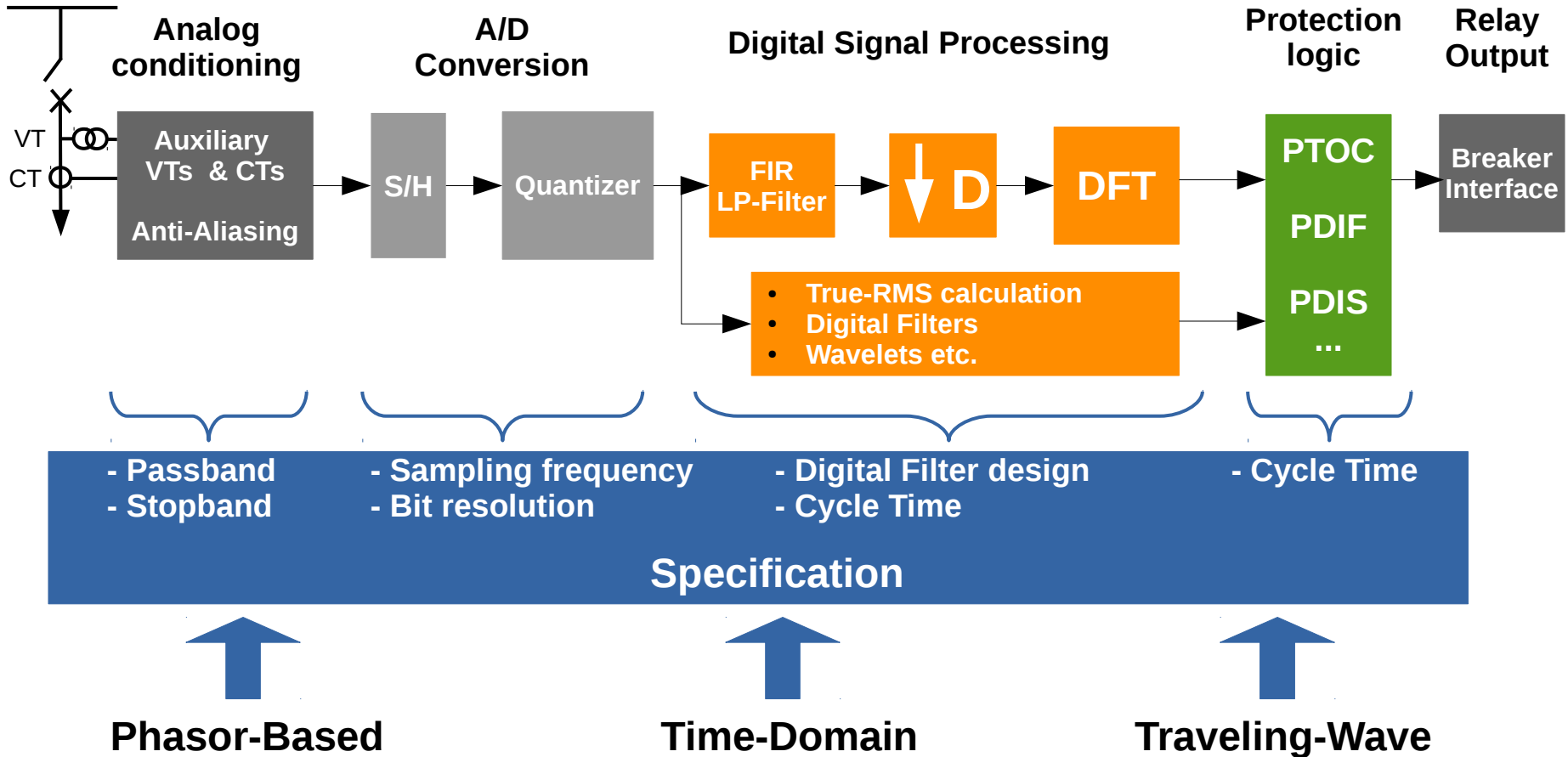


**Time-Domain
(incremental)**



Traveling-Wave

Signal Processing for Protection Systems





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$$t_p + t_{A/D} < T_s$$

T_s – Sampling Time

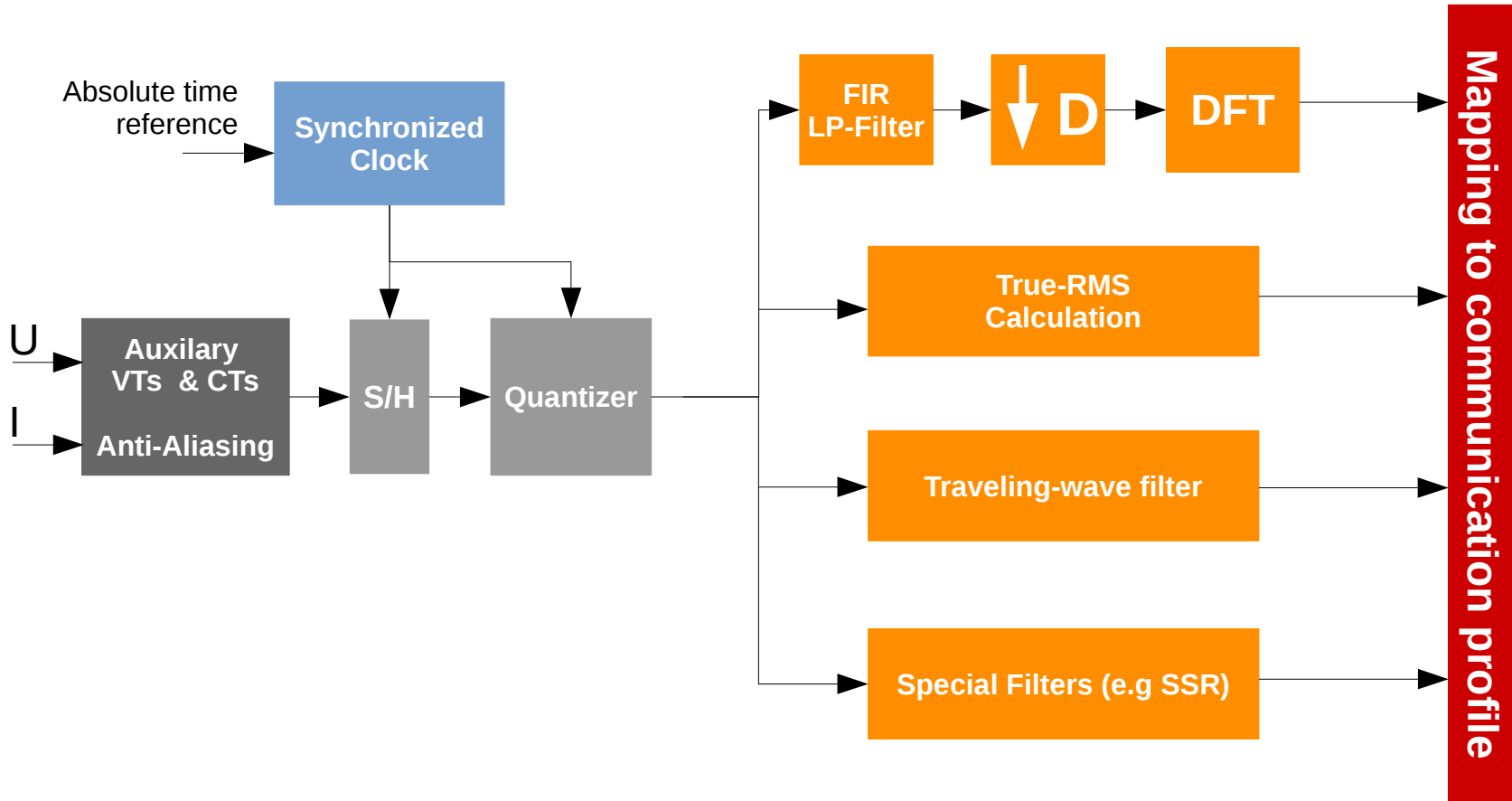
t_p – Processing Time

$t_{A/D}$ – Time for A/D conversion

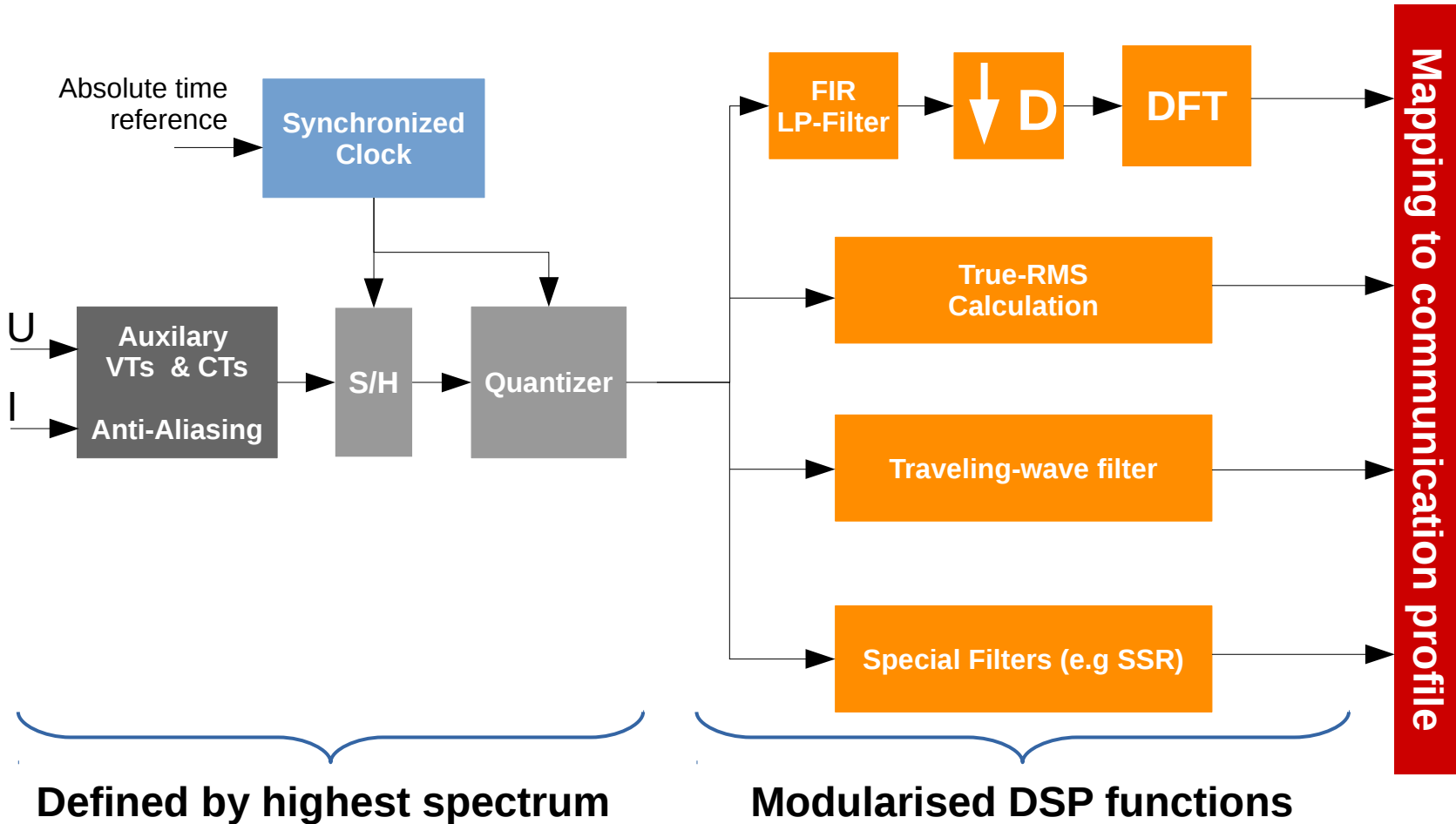
f_{MAX} – Max frequency of signal

$$f_{MAX} \leq \frac{f_s}{2} < \frac{1}{2(t_p + t_{A/D})}$$

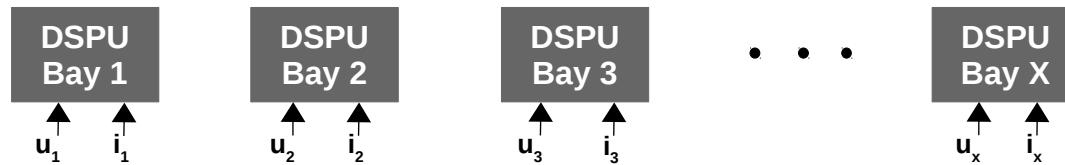
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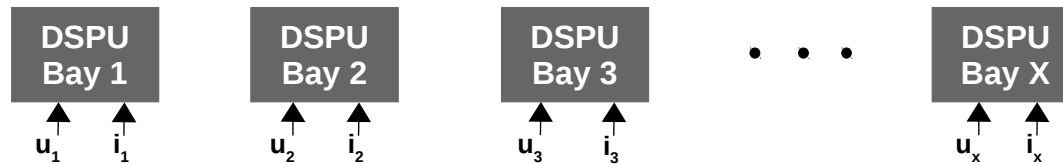


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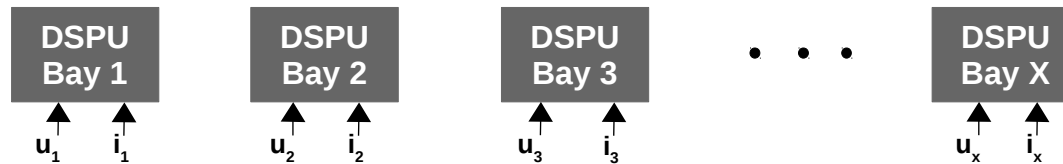
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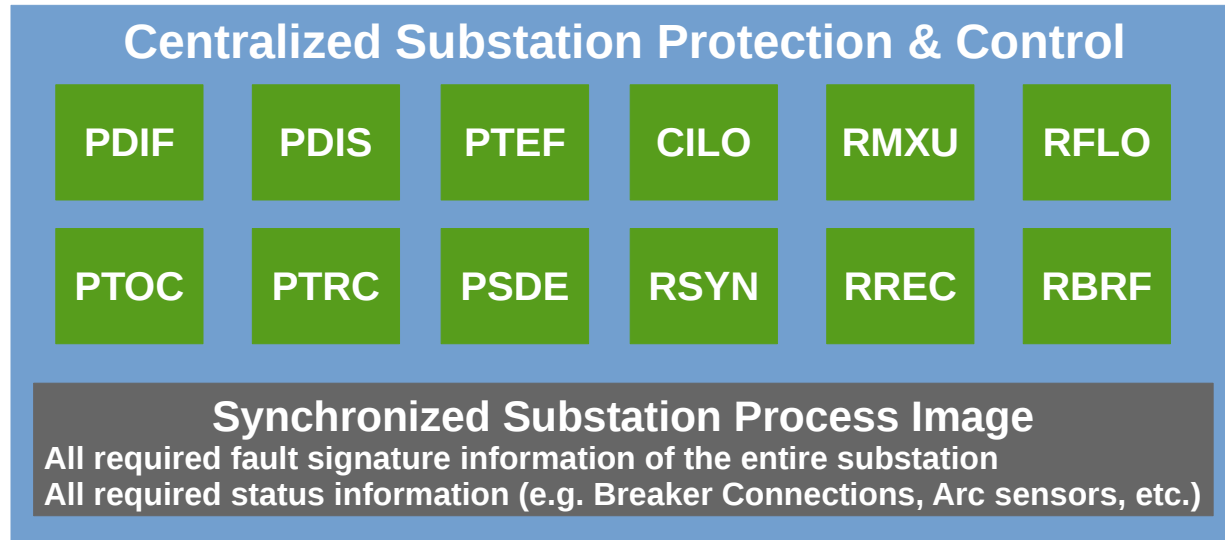
Synchronized Substation Process Image

All required fault signature information of the entire substation
All required status information (e.g. Breaker Connections, Arc sensors, etc.)

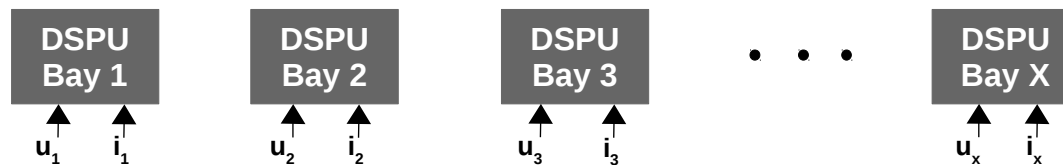
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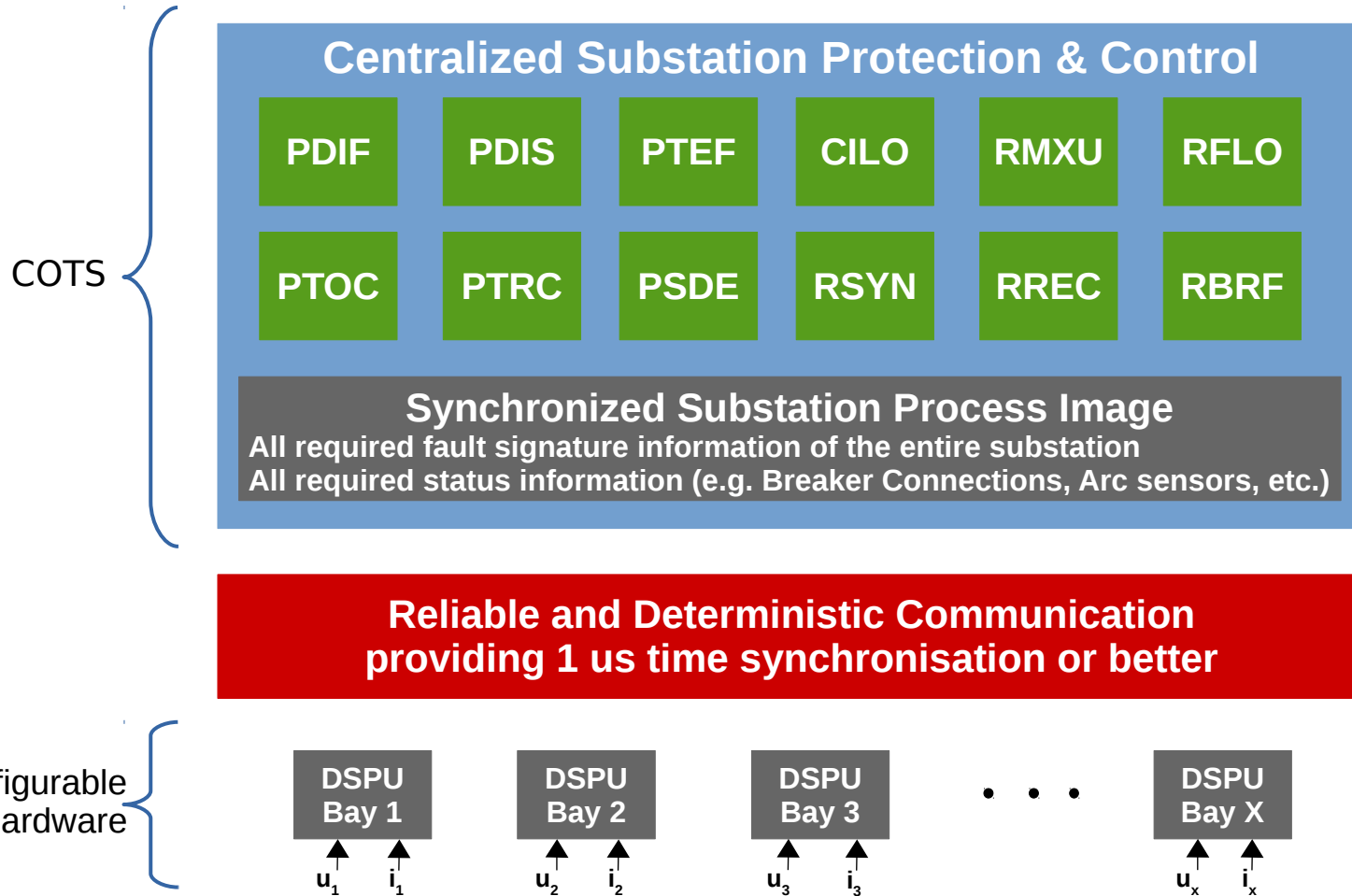
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Future plans

1. Build a prototype of a DSPU
2. Show proof of concept with a centralized platform
3. Application development in phasor- and time-domain



Questions ?

