- Introduction
- Stellio Heliostat & Hami Project
  - Features of the Stellio heliostats
  - DNA of the heliostat and how it is determined
- Heliostat field digital twin
  - Realization
  - Utilization
- Summary



















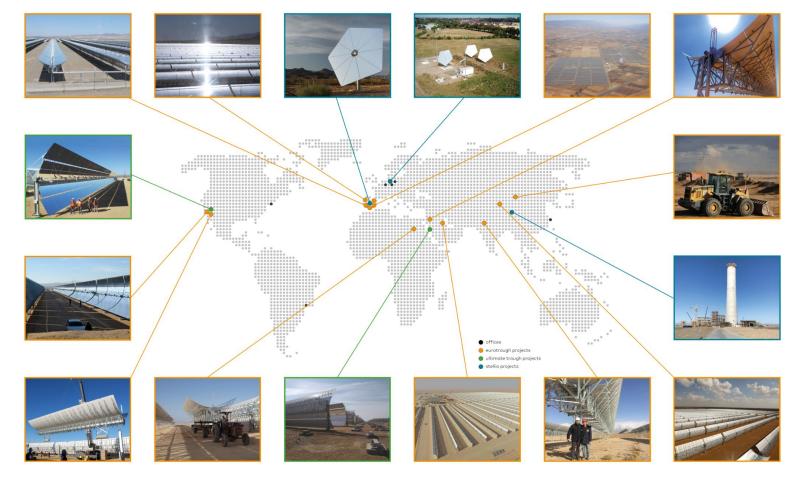














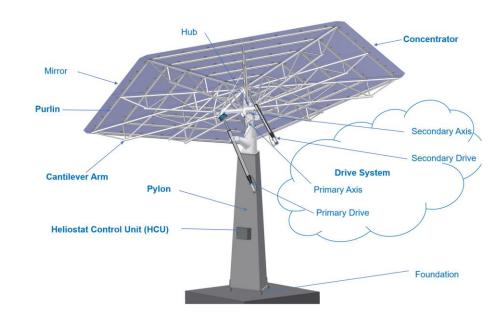
## Main characteristics:

- Novel kinematics with inclined axes (slope drive)
- Two linear actuators
- Reflector structure with high stiffness
- High optical quality
- Precise tracking, sophisticated controls

Prototypes & pre-series 2014, 2017 50 MW Hami plant: first commercial application

Awards from SolarPACES, CSP Today, CSP Plaza

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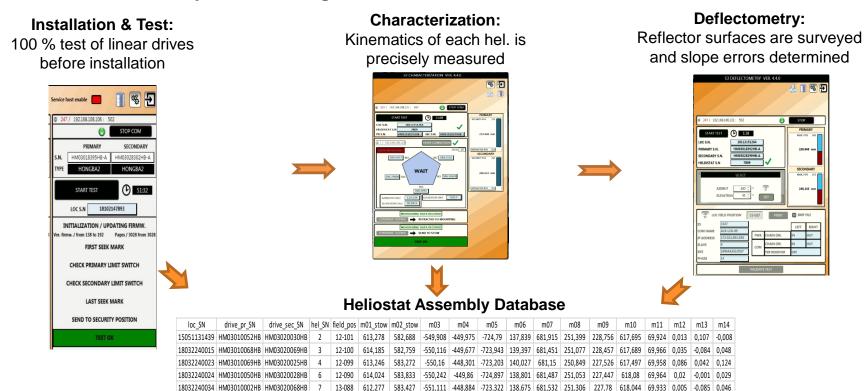




## **Digital Twin Power Plant** DNA **Assembly** DNA **Field Erection** DNA Calibration Improvements **0&M** Maintenance



## Heliostat assembly - Data management







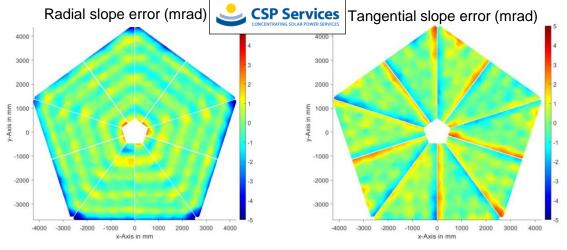


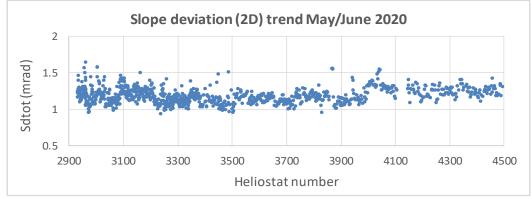


## Heliostat optical quality

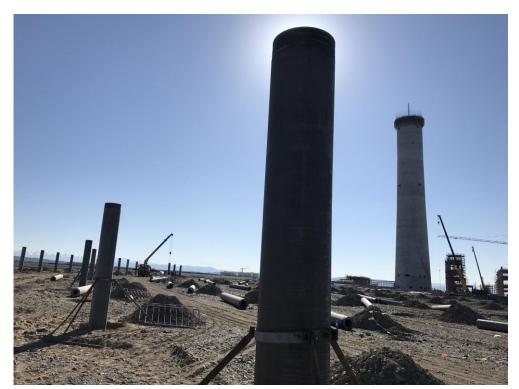
- High optical quality through principle of high precision mirror jig + glue connection to steel structure fully confirmed
- Slope errors of 1.2-1.3 mrad (2D), best heliostats 1.0 mrad

















Heliostat commissioning and calibration



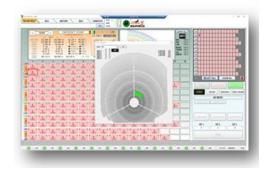












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- Commissioning procedures were tested with digital twin first before execution in real plant
- No trips of Stellio software and control engineers were required for commissioning
- Firmware updates of heliostat controllers are always tested with digital twin
  - Cleaning position and automatization
  - Consideration of reflections from classical horizontal stow on calibration target → slightly modified stow position



- A Stellio field with 14,500 heliostat field has been built and characterized at Hami
- Individually measured Heliostat 'DNA' is used for operation and in the digital twin
- The digital twin is located in Europe at the control system supplier's headquarters.
- It's being used to test commissioning steps and check software changes and improvements before deploying them in the real heliostat field
- The digital twin helped to speed up commissioning and avoid travels



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