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Discuss the management and supervision of people and projects involving automation systems. MAN also focuses on managing maintenance issues related to automation and process control for existing and emerging technologies. MAN has a subcommittee with a focus on marketing and sales.

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PMCD focuses on all aspects of process measurement and control, including primary sensors, control hardware, and software. Provides a source for continuous learning about measurement and control technology.

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SAFE focuses on safety issues related to automation. SAFE’s subcommittees cover topics including safety instrumented systems, fire and gas systems, burner management systems, personnel safety, software, and security. Industries covered include process, offshore drilling, discrete parts, medical, nuclear, power, and transportation.

Telemetry and Communication Division (TELCOM)
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Industries and Sciences Divisions

Aerospace Industries Division (ASD)
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Chemical and Petroleum Industries Division (CHEMPID)
Professionals geared to the acquisition and handling of raw materials and reagents, as well as the processing and inspection required in producing and handling petroleum, natural gas, chemical, and petrochemical products, comprise CHEMPID.

Construction and Design Division (CONDLES)
Dedicated to supporting engineers, designers, and builders, CONDES supports the development of industry standards for the use and installation of systems and automation in construction facilities.

Food and Pharmaceutical Industries Division (FPID)
FPID is the ideal place for sharing and understanding the latest technologies for sensors, equipment, automation, computer systems, etc. for specialized human-based products meeting high standards of quality assurance.

Mining and Metals Industries Division (M&M)
Professionals concerned with economically and environmentally sound practices related to the extraction of metal ores, coal, cement, sand, gravel, and other minerals are served by M&M. Focuses on the handling, separation, processing, fabrication, related processes, and R&D for the production of finished mineral and metal products.

Power Industry Division (POWID)
Membership in POWID is for those involved in automation as it relates to the production and distribution of electrical power. POWID actively develops standards and produces an annual symposia.

Pulp and Paper Industry Division (PUPID)
PUPID is concerned with all aspects of automation associated with the acquisition and handling of raw materials, R&D programs, fabrication, processing, and inspection necessary to produce and handle finished pulp and paper products.

Water and Wastewater Industries Division (WWID)
Obtain news relating to water and waste management, including water processing and distribution, as well as wastewater collection and treatment.

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Technical Interest Groups

Glass and Ceramics Technical Interest Group (G&C)
Automation professionals interested in economically and environmentally sound practices for the manufacture of glass and ceramic products benefit from G&C membership by exchanging ideas with like-minded professionals.

Textiles Technical Interest Group (TXD)
Members of TXD apply their automation knowl- edge to all aspects of textile manufacturing, from fiber to finished product. Discuss the latest developments in textile manufacturing technology including acquiring and handling raw materials, R&D, fabrication, finishing, and inspection.