# Comos – UBIK – Interface

Admin documentation

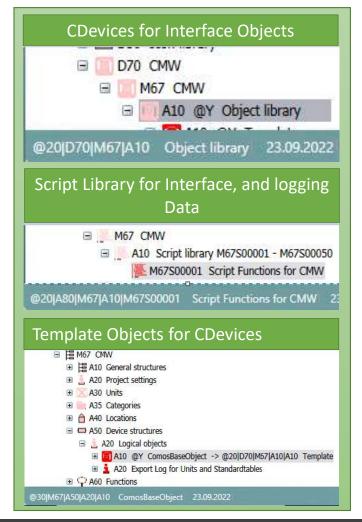


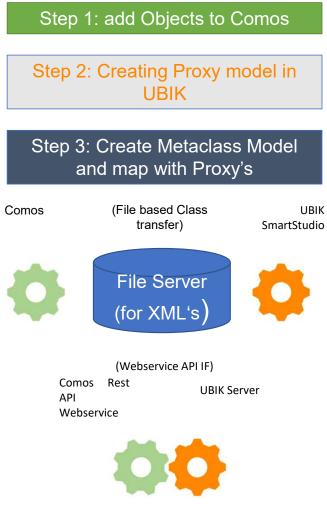
# Introduction

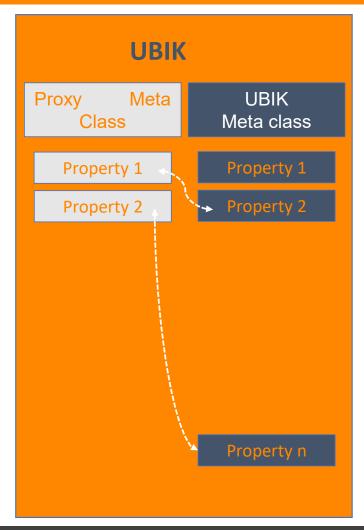


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# CUI (Comos – UBIK® – Interface)







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- Meta information should be transferred from Comos to UBIK defining the Proxy's and Metaclasses used in interfacing.
- The meta definitions include object types as well as how these objects and defined properties are synchronized.
- Data and hierarchy information should be synchronized between UBIK and Comos.
- This encompasses engineering data as well as documents from Comos and its according counterpart in UBIK.

HANDSHAKE

- The result of a synchronization action in one system is a response information for the other system.
- With this response the systems exchange status information on the synchronization with each other.

# Comos: Meta data I (Comos Templates)

- Meta data is defined via Template Objects (Base Objects).
- Template Objects are created for and linked to Base Objects, whose engineering objects should be synchronized; for attributes that should be transferred there are elements created.
- Element Objects of a Template are used to
  - For each element there is a transfer definition.
  - Is the element from Comos Master, Client or Synched via Timestamp
  - Definition of transfer Values (Value, XValue, SIValue or LValue)
  - Or a Calculated DisplayValue with or without PhysUnit (DisplayValue)
  - Also, StandardValues in Lists (single or all Values) !!!!

# Comos: Meta data II (Comos Base Data)

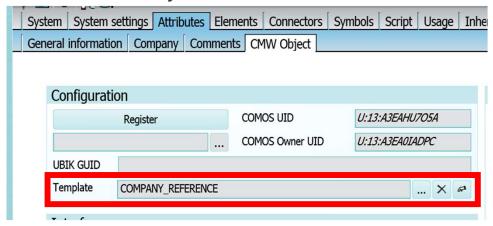
- Standard Tables, linked to a configured attribute in Comos, and the according Element template are automatically added to the meta data export.
- PhysUnits, in terms of Unit Groups and Unit Items of this group, are automatically added to the meta data export, with linkage to SI Unit System.
- Comos Document Relations (DocObj´s) and Reference Documents could be transferred to UBIK (Relation Data Objects).
- Any future update of the template structure in Comos has to be updated in the meta structure in UBIK.

#### Standards of Data transfer

- Data handover is bound to standards
  - Objects and Attributes are transferred with the last user and timestamp from Comos, to assure the timelineness of the data.
  - Date and Time are converted to UTC (Greenwich) for transfer.
  - Numbers with Units will be transferred in SI-Units.
  - StandardValues will be transferred as StandardValue of List.
  - There is a value mapping for both directions to ensure that unique values are transmitted and understood by the other side.
  - There is also a values filter to filter predefined values if desired.

#### Standards of Data transfer

To transfer Objects the main requirement is an Attribute with the Link to the Template, its located on the UBIK Object Tab, and its NestedName is "M67T00013.M67A00020"



- From Comos 10.4.2 and UBIK 3.7 it is also possible, to transfer engineering Data, if Objects in Comos Classified with "C270" Functional Classification, they will notify any change via the Webservice Interface permanently. The webservice doesn't need files to transfer data between the Systems as long an internet connection exists.
- For Objects that are already existing in the Engineering Project and/or not Classified "C270" there is the possibility to Export them as long they have a Template set on the UBIK TAB

#### Comos: Data I

- Planning data are transferred according to the settings of the templates
- An engineering object knows its template, bellow this there also the elements to be synchronized.
- On UBIK side there are auxiliary objects for the data transfer, in these are called Proxy objects
- Logging is written to files in the Comos file store according to Project setting.
- All other data is loaded from UBIK via Web-Rest-API according to the settings
- If connection is online transfer Back Data to Comos is possible, and nearly immediately

#### Comos: Handshake

- The response of the other system is called a handshake
  - "Acknowledged": means the synchronisation action was successful
  - "Not acknowledged": synchronisation action not successful; error information given

in the handshake data

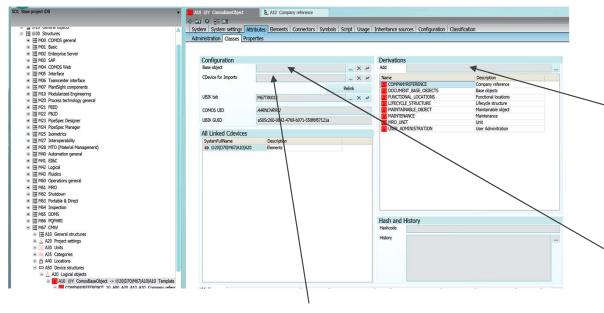
- Handshakes also transfer GUIDs from new UBIK objects to Comos and vice versa; thus, you have both the Comos UID and GUID uniquely switched to each other.
- If Web Rest API is used only on Base project for Meta Data Export a Handshake will be written by UBIK.

# **Templates**



# **Comos: Templates**

## **METADATA**



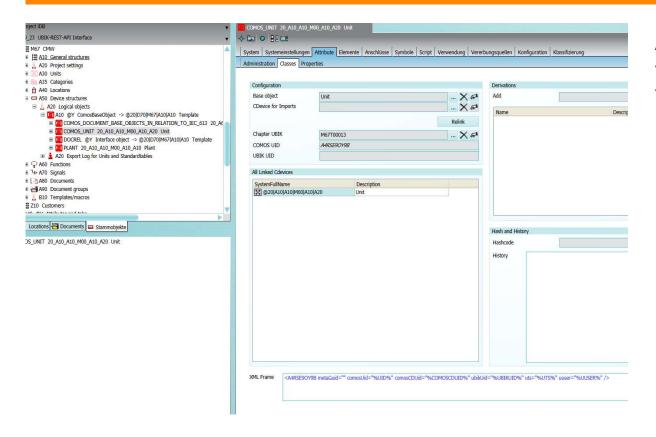
If the Cdevice is a Structure or an inactive Device, you can add a Cdevice link for reimport cases the linked additional Cdevice will be used for Creation of new Devices

On the Base project there are ways to generate new Templates

- . Open the Tab Classes on the ComosBaseObject, chose a Cdevice and drag it on the "Add" attribute.
- Create a New Cdevice below the ComosBaseObject and drag your Cdevice to the Base object Link.

## Comos: Templates

#### **METADATA**



After creation and Linkage, your new template should look like this;
The Base Object got a new UBIK tab and is linked to this template Object.

# Comos: Template Elements I

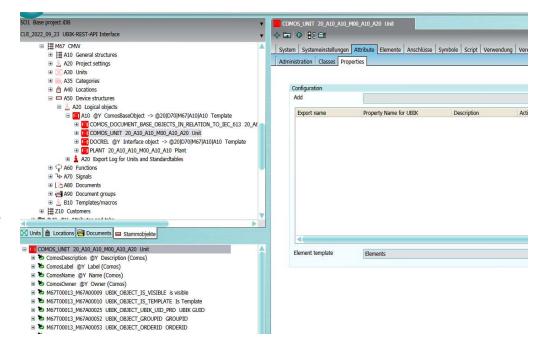
## **METADATA**

Standard Properties and Custom Properties are defined as Elements that are heritage.

If the are not defined directly on this Object, the list on the Properties Tab will stay empty.

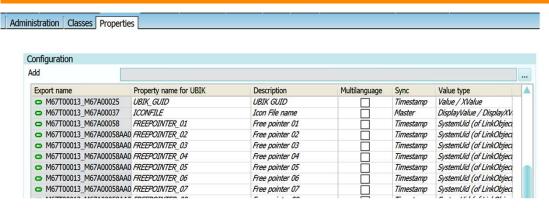
If you want to add Properties from this Cdevice be aware that they must be inherit there; if not linking would not work.

After adding Elements, you can change the standard settings to your needs, by opening the element as Object single, or use a Query stored in "@20|A70|Y20|M67|A70"



# Comos: Template Elements II

#### **METADATA**



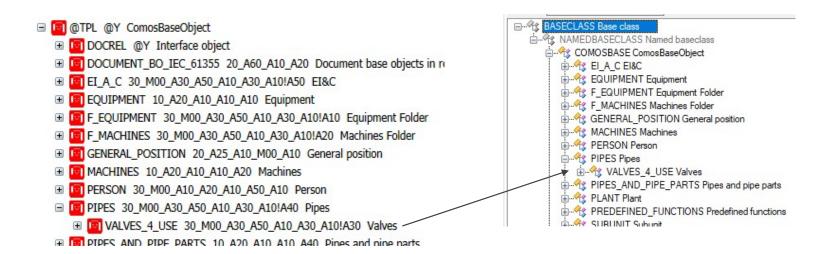
Template Element's are Linked to inherit attributes and hold the Settings for Export and Import. The Element name is the NestedName of the Attribute, the Name for UBIK is the English Description of the Owner and the Attribute and can be changed on the Attribute Properties; Note that its max. length is 255 Characters

Specification		Value configuration
Specification	Latitude X	Property name for CMW (UBIK) GENERAL_INFORMATION_LATITUDE
COMOS UID	A4RY0JRQ07	Sync. method <i>Timestamp</i> ▼
UBIK UID	367efd82-6422-4401-8076-78b9ef7ac2fd	Value type Value / XValue ▼ SQL data type Number with comma ▼
Template object	ComosBaseObject X	☐ Multilanguage
		External UBIK SIUnit
Check if the lin	ked attribute is exists on the Cdevice	
Attribute Missing on	Cdevice False	

Here you can define settings like: Sync. Method, Value Type or Is Multilanguage

## Comos: Template Modules and Hierarchie

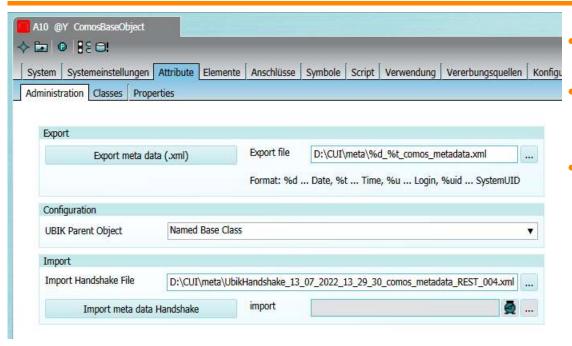
#### **METADATA**



Template hierarchy in Comos defines Metaclass inheritance in UBIK. This doesn't affect the visualisation on the UBIK client directly.

# Comos: Templates Administration I

#### **METADATA**



- The Template object is the basic template.
- The UBIK Parent Object is a definition where the UBIK Object is created.
- After the import in UBIK you can create a Handshake with the GUID to write this to Comos.

The export function is available on every template but is mostly executed only on the root object.

# Comos: Templates Administration II

#### **METADATA**

The Base object is linked on the class tab; it automatically defines a name for the template. Special Characters will be replaced!

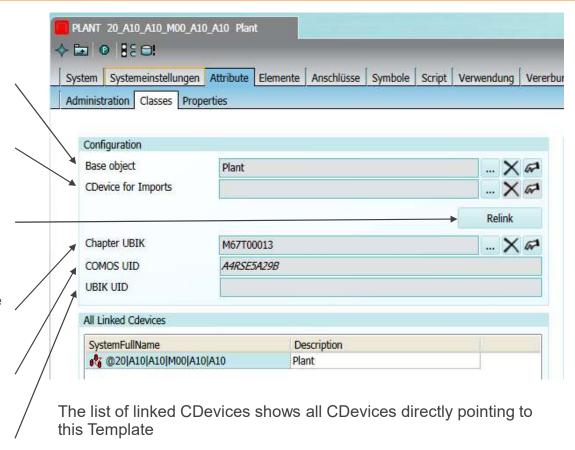
The Cdevice for Imports must be used if the Base Object is a structure or inactive to define a Cdevice for new Created Objects

The Relink Button is checking the Base Object and settings and restoring them to standard

The Chapter UBIK is a link to the Tab that is provided to the Cdevice that is linked on the Base Object Attribute

Th Comos UID is showing the SystemUID (DB KEY) from this Comos Object

The UBIK GUID (DB KEY) should show after import the UBIK Metaclass Identifier



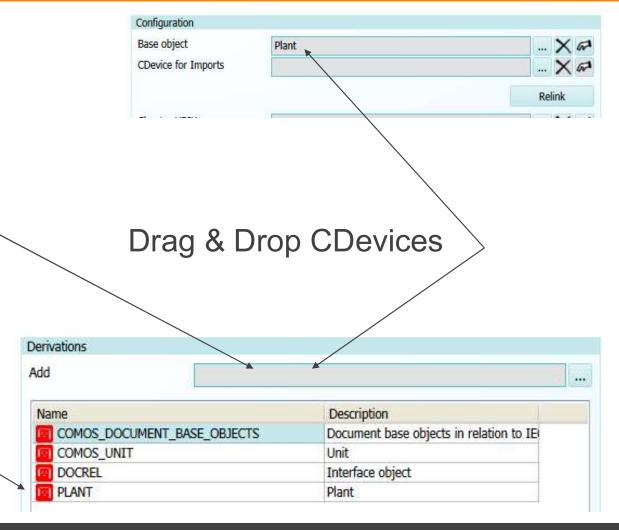
# Comos: Templates Hierarchy / Heritage

#### **METADATA**

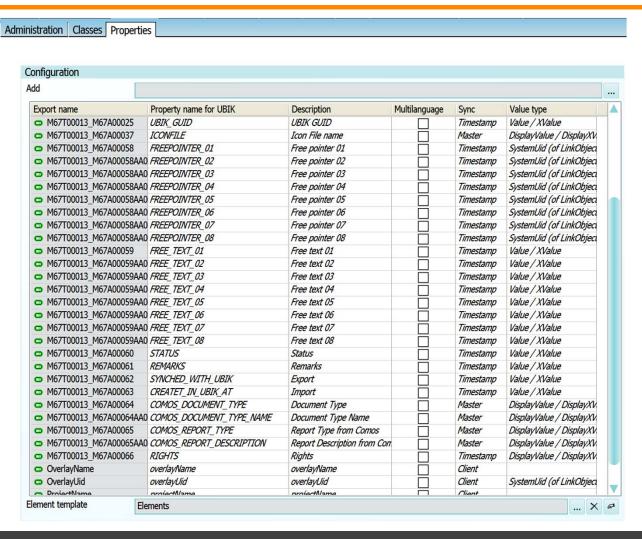
Drag & Drop Cdevice to Template.

Drag & Drop Cdevice's that should be created below as a template, to create hierarchy levels.

All objects that are configured in Comos under the template, are also hierarchically ordered in the same way in the Metaclass model in UBIK.



# **Comos: Templates Properties**



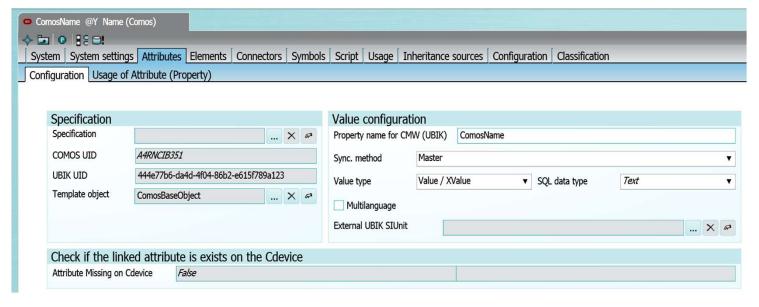
- On the Property Tab you will see all direct added Attributes for Export or Import.
- Each property has different settings and description, more can be found on the following pages.

## Comos: Template Properties/Elements



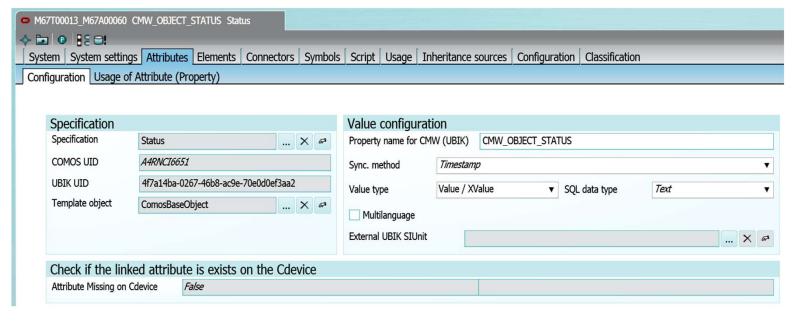
- Properties in UBIK could be properties or attributes from Comos.
- Some object properties are predefined by default, attributes can be added as needed.
- The SystemUID from Comos Objects is Hardcoded because it is Used as Primary Key.
- Multiple Used Properties that are not heritable but have to be transferred to the same UBIK Property, can be predefined once "@30|M67|A50|A20|A20|A10".

## Comos: Property Elements



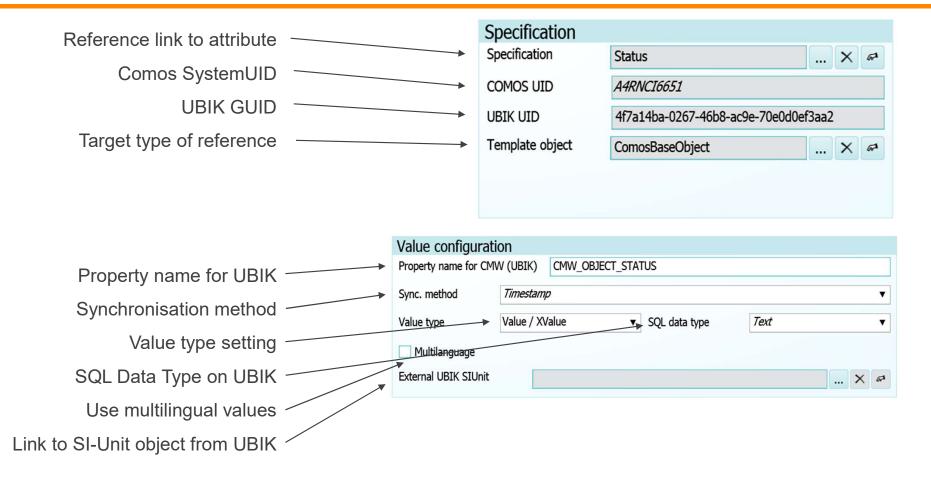
- The main difference between property and attribute elements is that they don't get a linked attribute and the value configuration options have no effect except for multilingualism.
- Always effective are the settings Active and Sync. Method; the Sync. Method defines what may be exported or imported, and which value wins in case of an error.

#### Comos: Attribute Elements



- Fields like Como's UID or XML frame are internal supporting fields.
- It depends on the attribute witch setting will show an effect.
- The settings in the Specification frame always have a direct effect on attributes.

# Comos: Element Configuration I



# Comos: Element Configuration II

#### **METADATA**

Attributes that are not found on the Cdevice

(name, heritance,...)

Check if the linked attribute is exists on the Cdevice

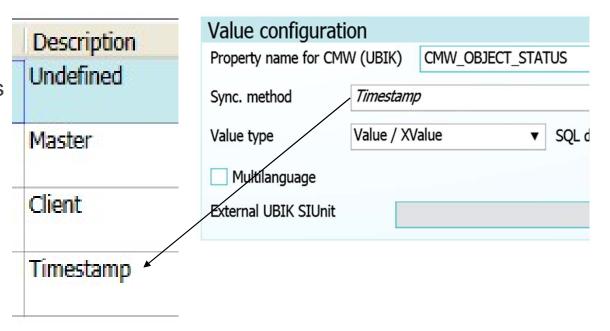
Attribute Missing on Cdevice

False

Master: Comos acts as Master

Client: Comos acts as Klient

**Timestamp:** Comos / UBIK Timestamps



# Comos: Element Configuration III

#### **METADATA**

#### Value types

Depending on the Comos attribute and value, you define here whether you want to transfer a reference, a value (posted), a link value (Lvalue) or an SI value.

#### SQL data type

define on Comos side the SQL Datatype that should be used on UBIK after Import

