

ENABLING PERSONALISED PRODUCTION
WITH
INTELLIGENT MANUFACTURING ENVIRONMENTS

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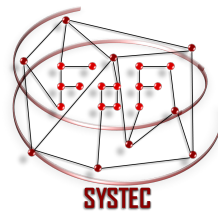
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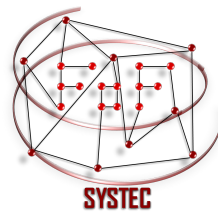
SYSTEC-MANUFACTURING: Smart components for Advanced Manufacturing Systems and Technologies

SYSTEC-MANUFACTURING



Design, implement and validate **smart components for advanced manufacturing system** aiming to **introduce intelligence into industrial processes** and contribute to the emergence of the intelligent manufacturing environments of the future, by implementing novel approaches into **Cyber-Physical Production Systems**.

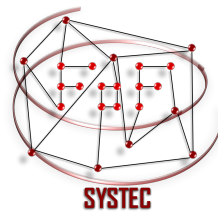




Motivation

FROM CRAFT PRODUCTION TO PERSONALISED PRODUCTION

From craft production to personalised production



TRENDS

Customer specific production:

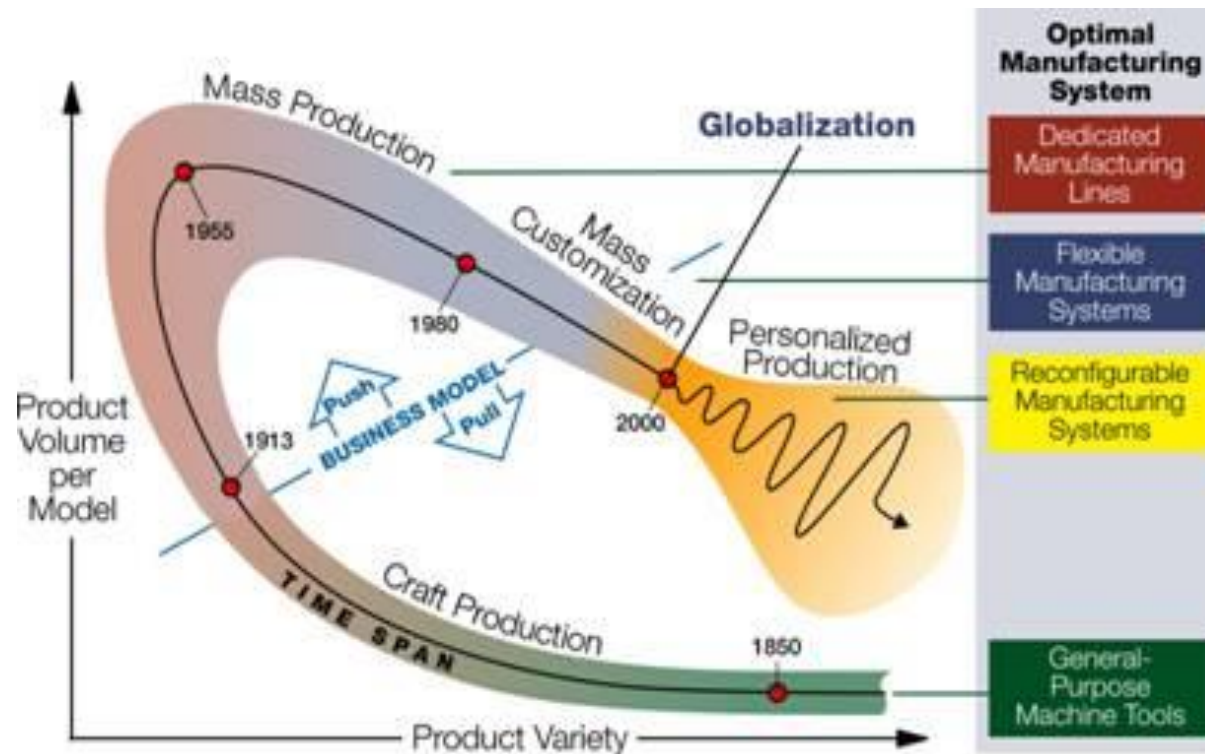
- ▶ Individualised products
- ▶ Mass production but individual design
- ▶ Small lot sizes, one piece flow

Sustainability:

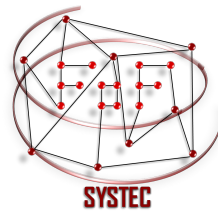
- ▶ High efficiency and near-to-zero emission
- ▶ Reusability of machines and equipment
- ▶ Avoid waste

Digitisation and networking:


- ▶ Digital & virtual factory
- ▶ Integrated value chains
- ▶ Constant change



Industry 4.0



1.0 | 1784 | based on mechanical production equipment driven by water and steam power



2.0 | 1870 | based on mass production enabled by the division of labor and the use of electrical energy



3.0 | 1969 | based on the use of electronics and IT to further automate production



4.0 | tomorrow | based on the use of cyber-physical systems



Technology:

- ▶ Digital networking production facilities
- ▶ Fast pace of technological change and innovative technologies

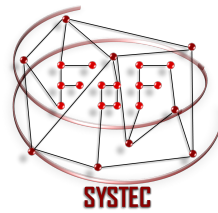
Customers:

- ▶ Customised solutions
- ▶ Wide diversity of customers and markets
- ▶ New services

People:

- ▶ Demographic development
- ▶ Training and qualifications
- ▶ Interaction between human beings and technology

What's so different about industry 4.0?



1st revolution
Water/Steam



2nd revolution
Electricity



3rd revolution
Automation

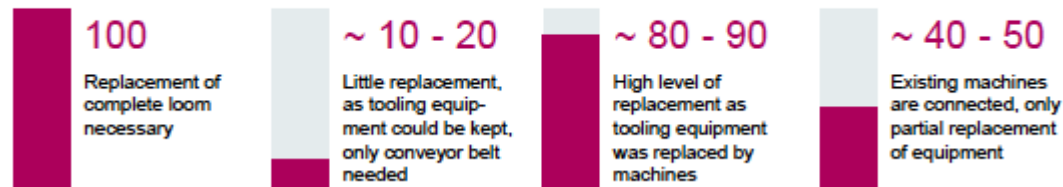


4th revolution
Cyberphysical systems



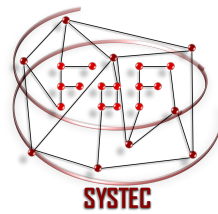
Replacement of equipment

Percent of installed base



SOURCE: Statistisches Bundesamt; Deutsche Bundesbank; Prognos; Thomas Nipperdey; McKinsey

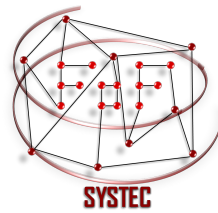
- ▶ It's not about replacing the existing assets
- ▶ It's about mastering disruptive technologies along three dimensions:
 1. Operational effectiveness
 2. New business models
 3. Digital transformation of the company



Towards Personalised Production

INTELLIGENT MANUFACTURING ENVIRONMENTS

Intelligent Manufacturing Environments



Digitisation and networking

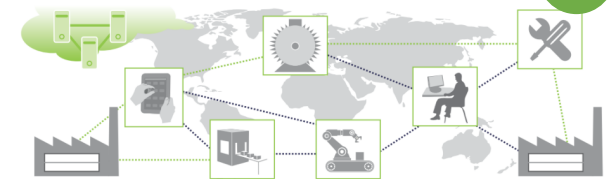
- ▶ Vertical integration of hierarchical subsystems leads to smarter factories
- ▶ Supports horizontal integration through value networks
- ▶ End-to-end digital integration of engineering.
- ▶ Based on this global collaboration network, the consumers, design activities, manufacturing, and logistics can interact above the cloud

Vertical integration (in a factory)



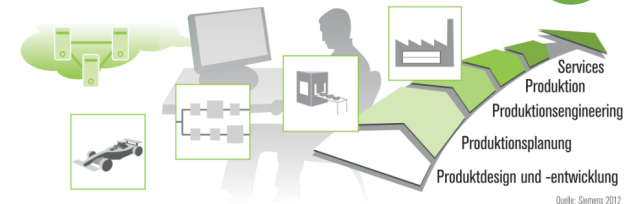
Reconfiguration • Lot size 1 • Apps • Constant change

Horizontal integration



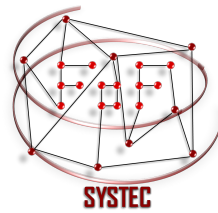
Value chain • Life cycle costs • Customized products

Integrated Engineering



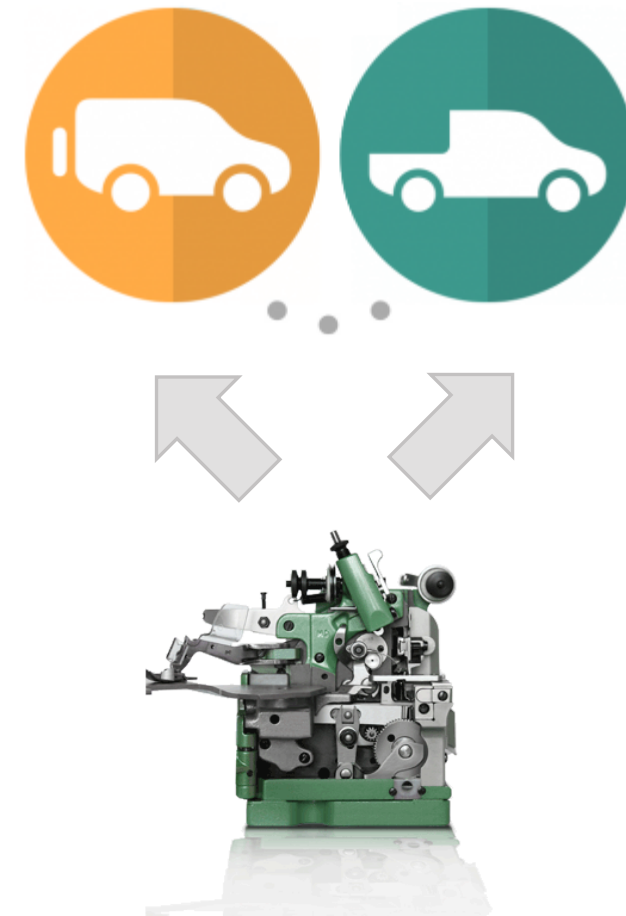
Systems Eng. • along supply chain • Dig. factory

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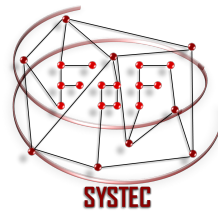


Small lot sizes, one piece flow

- ▶ Equipment can be reconfigured automatically to produce multiple types of products
- ▶ New products can be directly ordered to the system, helping to cope with ever changing market and discerning consumption demands
- ▶ The self-organization and dynamic reconfiguration allows new machines to join the system in a plug 'n' produce fashion
- ▶ Malfunction machines will not affect the system due to the machine redundancy

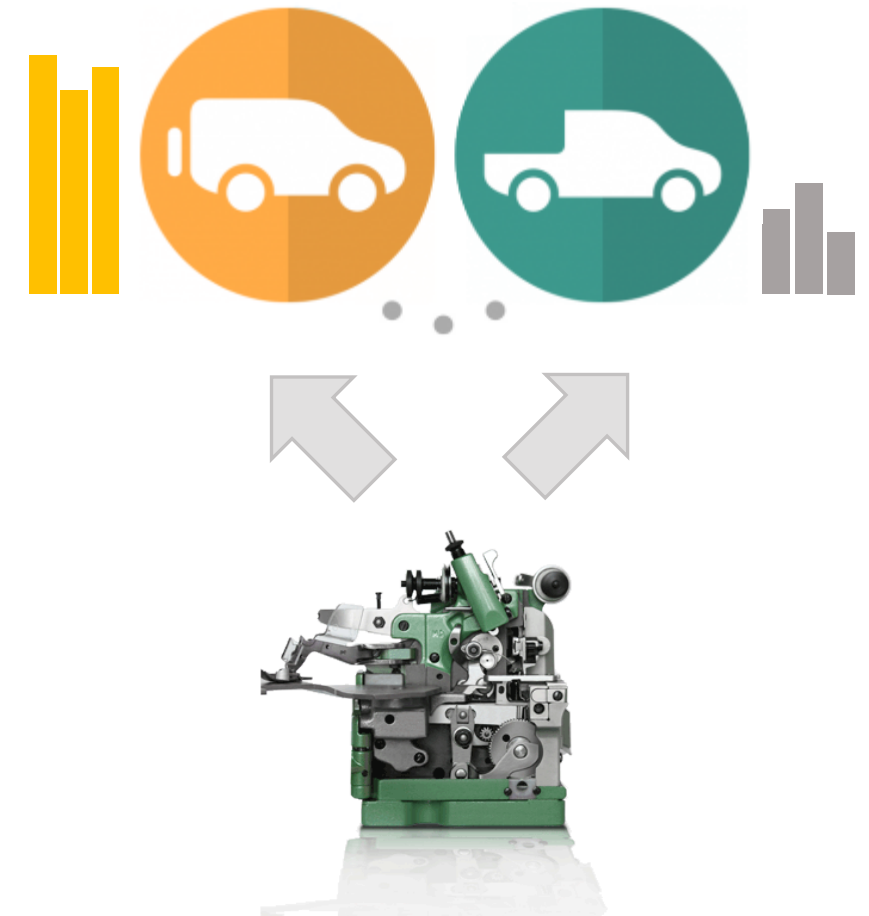


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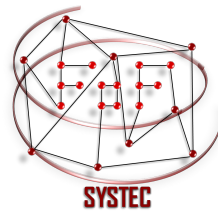


Customer specific production

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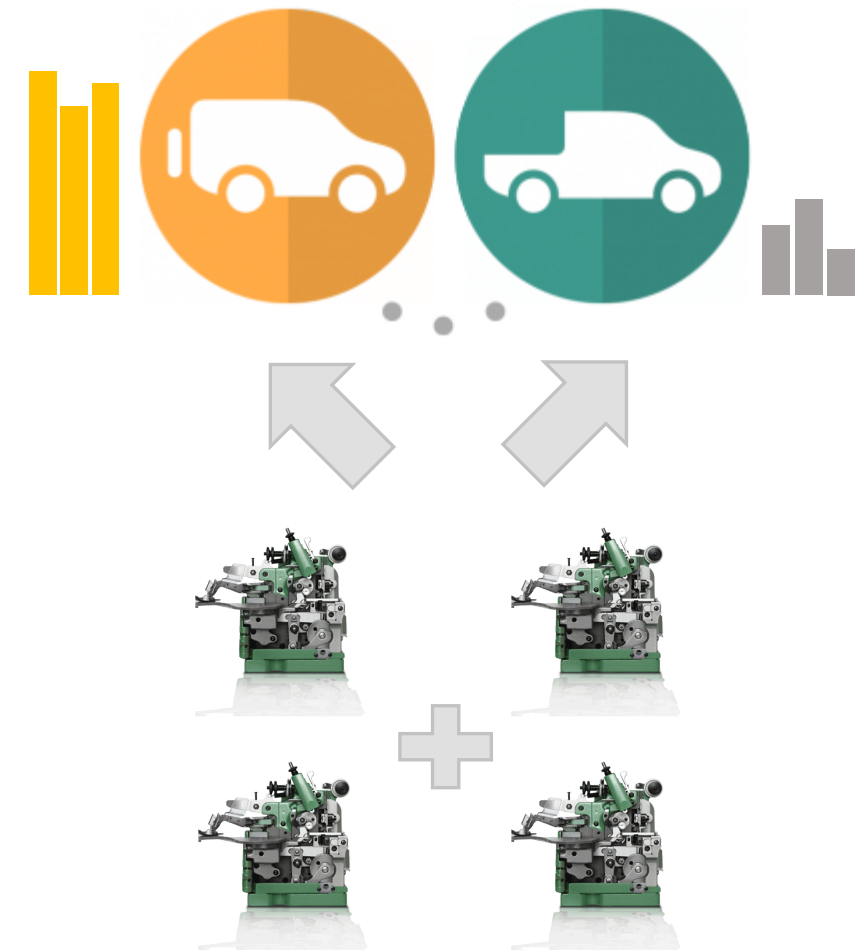


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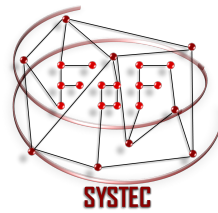


plug 'n' produce

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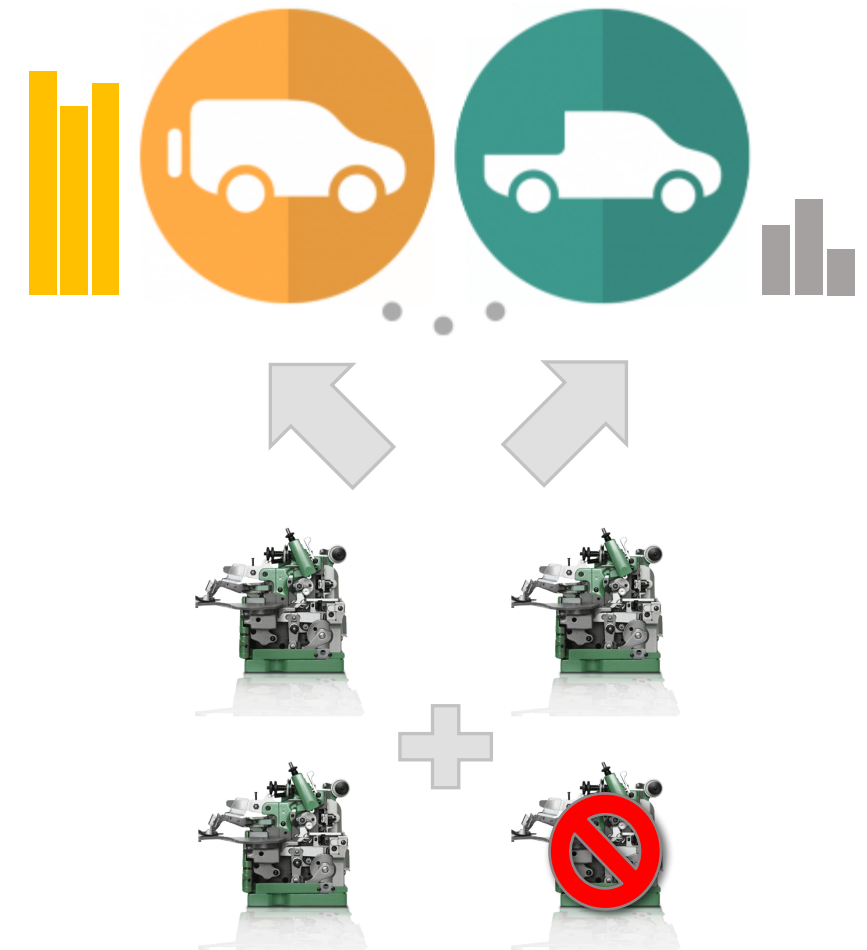


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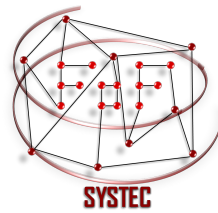


Fault tolerant

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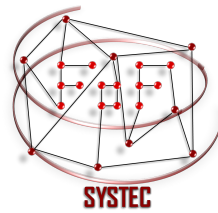


High efficiency and near-to-zero emission

- ▶ Big data analytics, we can establish an accurate knowledge of production process and guarantee systems with a stable product quality and volume of finished products
- ▶ Needed raw materials can be determined before production and product redundancy can be minimized
- ▶ Equipment operate in more intelligent way, hence, the energy consumption can be optimized and reduced



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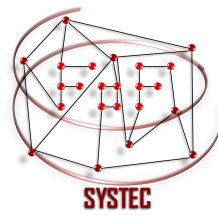


- ▶ Advanced Manufacturing Systems can produce small-lot products efficiently
- ▶ Setup time is minimized when switching between different types of products
- ▶ Production process is optimized with the help of big data
- ▶ Average manufacturing routes are shrunk
- ▶ Utilization rate of machines and other resources is improved



“Any customer can have a car painted any color that he wants so long as it is black.”

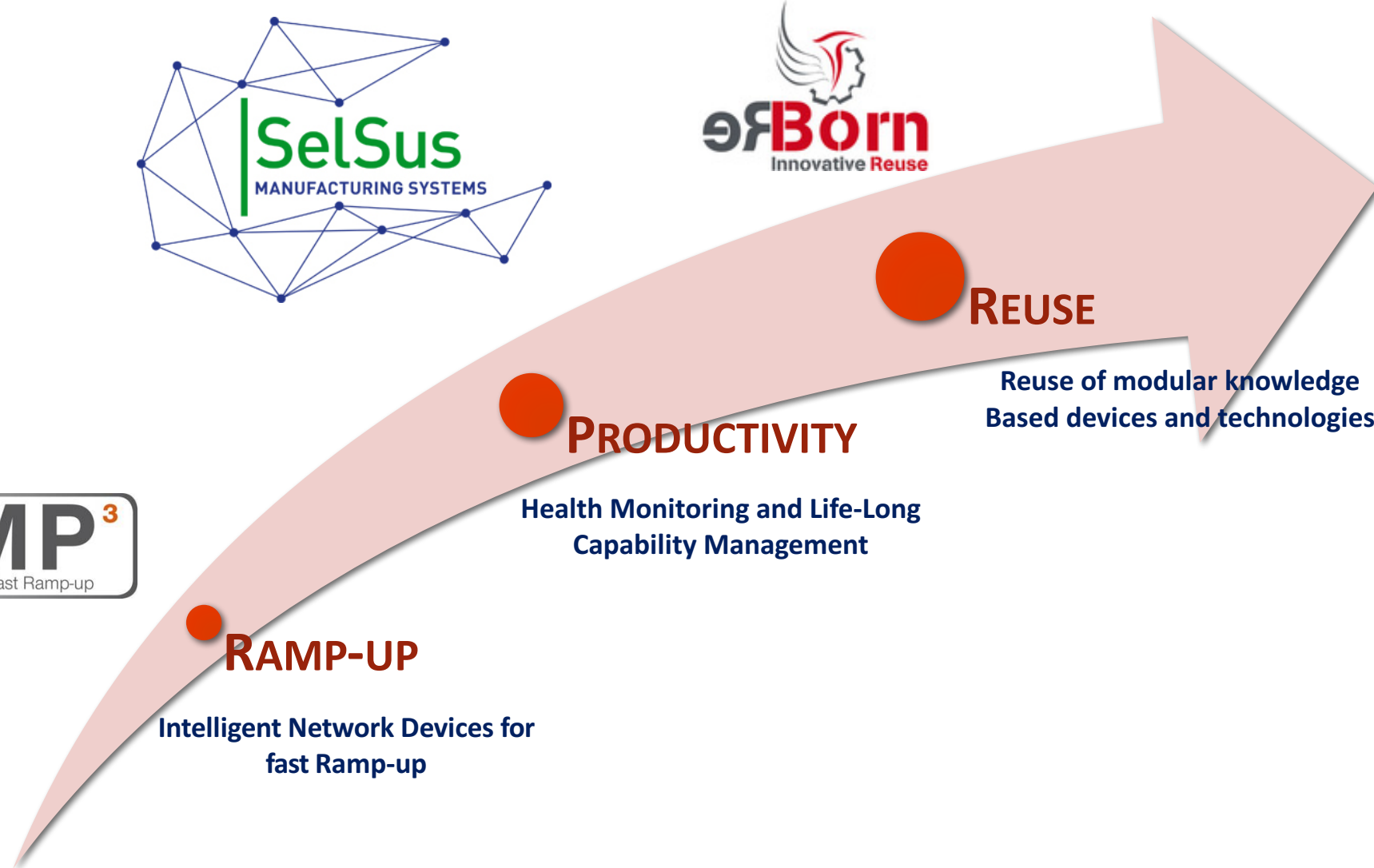
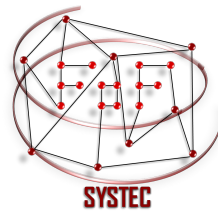
Henry Ford



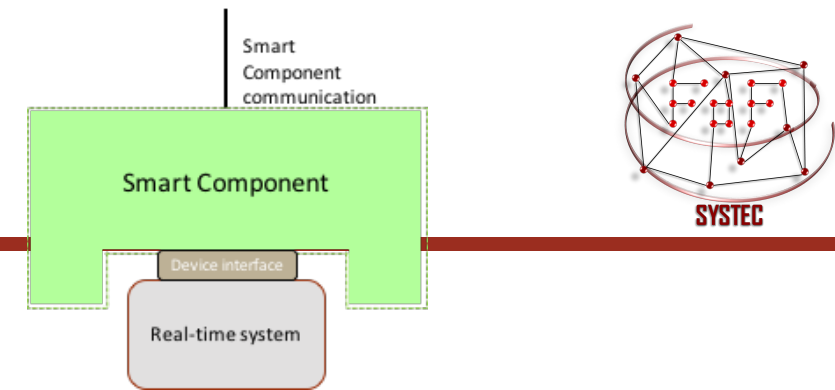
Enablers

R&D EFFORTS IN INTELLIGENT MANUFACTURING ENVIRONMENTS

Enablers of Personalise Production



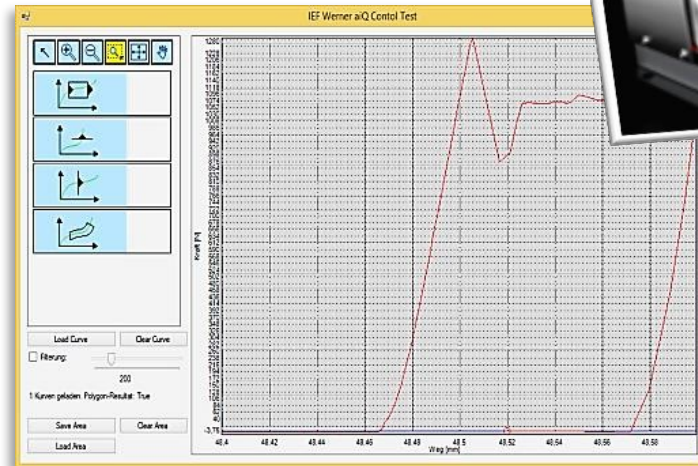
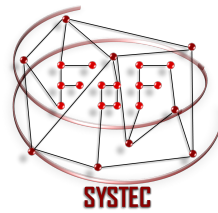
Smart Component



There are five essential characteristics to a Smart Component:

- ❑ Reconfigurable and modular - must be capable of extend its capabilities by adding new software modules and it must be capable of reconfigure it's internal operation in runtime.
- ❑ Data processing - system state assessment, event detection and fault alarm requires data processing capabilities.
- ❑ Communication and interface capabilities - capable to talk with lower level devices (sensors and machines), same level (other Smart Components) and higher level (cloud servers, MES).
- ❑ Process events and act - certain degree of smartness and autonomy; in case any event of interest, the system must be capable of detecting it and take the proper actions.
- ❑ Real-time data acquisition, processing and delivering - devices operate at variable (real)time scales, performing multiple tasks in a coordination.

Smart Component Servo press



Ramp-up scenario:

Ramp-up after component/product exchange

Derived use-cases

#1 Servo press auto-configuration with recipe database

#2 Plug & produce sub-component exchange for fast re-configuration

#3 Automated rapid high-precision parameter finding and optimization for pressing job

#4 Drag & drop visualization authoring and fast integration of equipment and sensor data

Application areas:

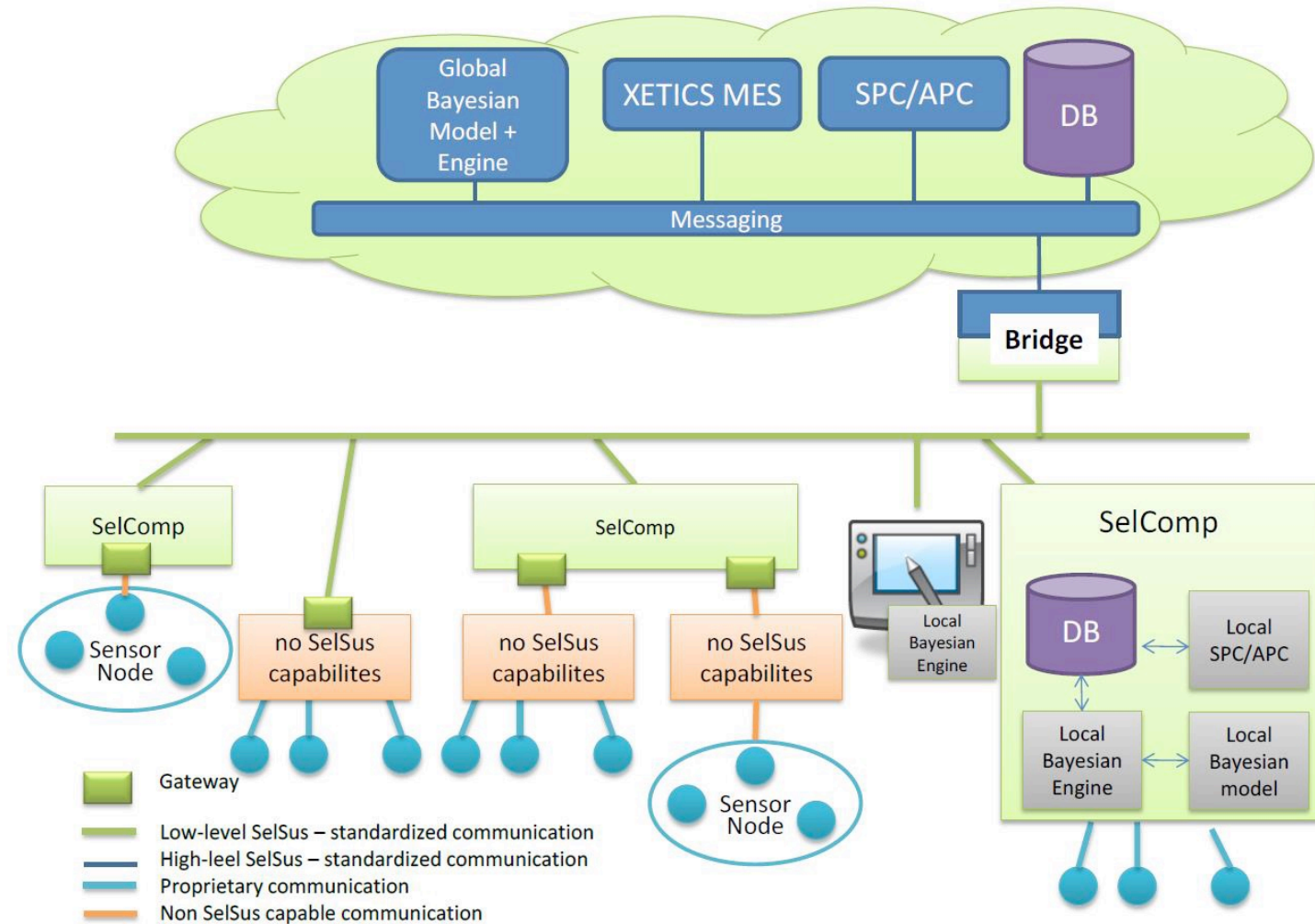
High precision joining & pressing processes High-precision pick & place tasks

Functionalities:

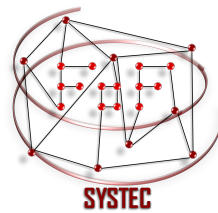
- Auto-detection of equipment, tasks, parameters Self-describing capabilities
- Parameter finding and optimization
- Connection with visualization elements via drag & drop



Overall architecture



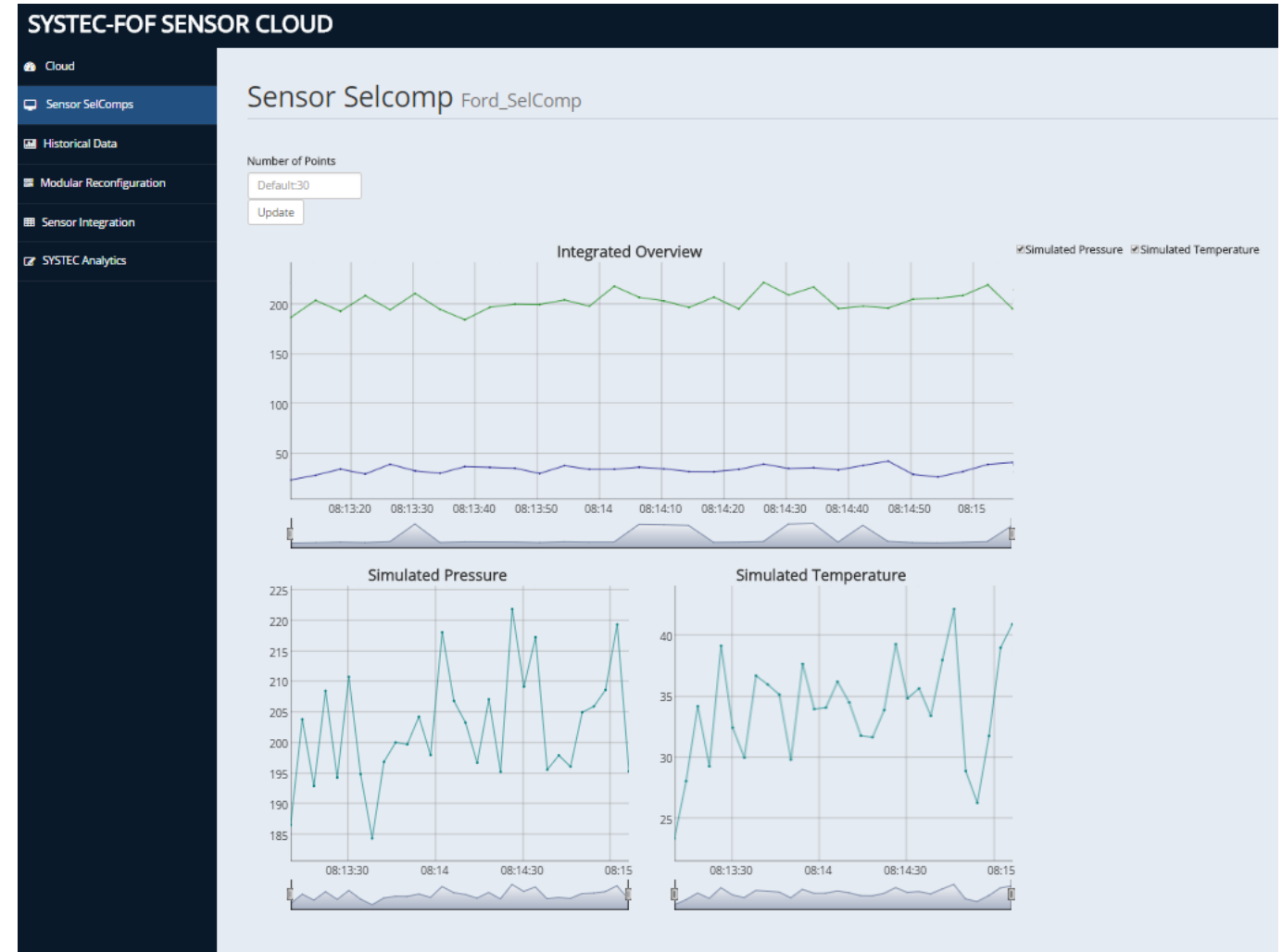
Smart Component Cloud



Cyber-Physical representation

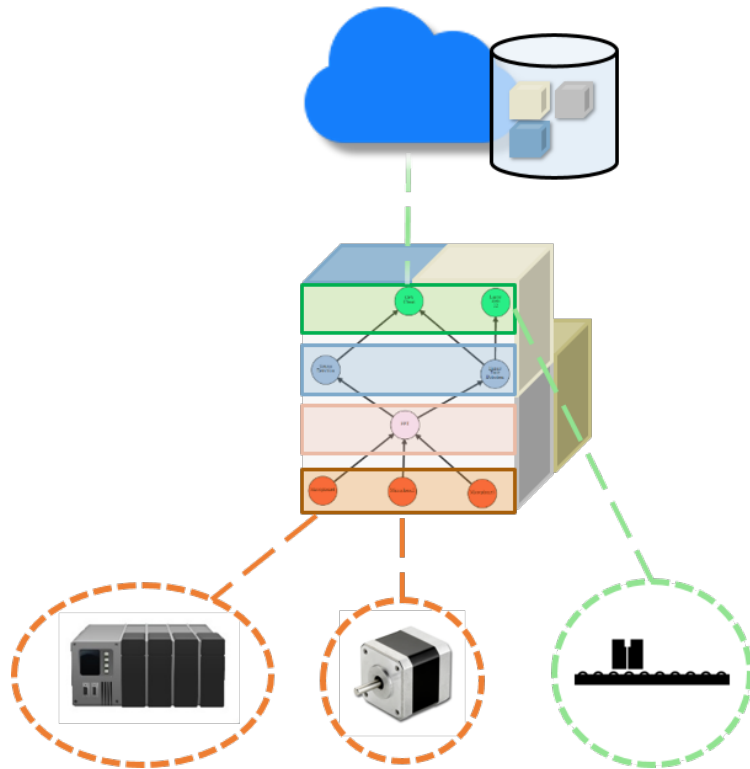
Inter-process communication

Advanced data processing

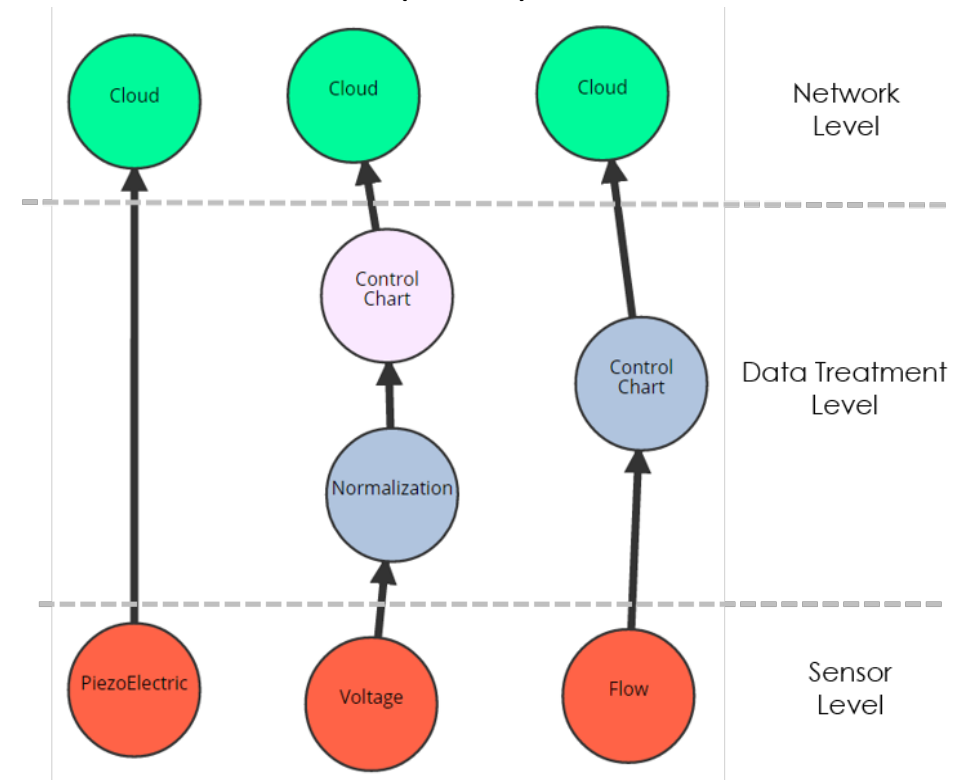


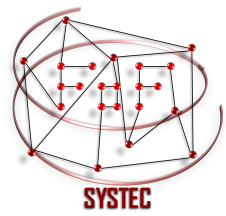
Dynamic modularity

Smart Component



Dynamic Modular Software Reconfiguration (cloud)





Systec FoF - Sensor Cloud

localhost/systec_panel/index.html

SYSTEC-FOF SENSOR CLOUD

- Cloud
- Sensor SelComps
- Historical Data
- Modular Reconfiguration
- Sensor Integration
- SYSTEC Analytics

Sensor SelComp Summary

1
Components Integrated

52,160
Sales

15,823
Comments

36,752
No. of Visits

Sensor SelComps: Status

Active Ford_SelComp (localhost)

Sensor SelComp Details

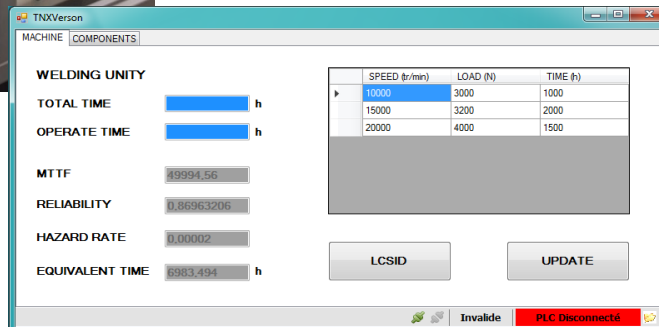
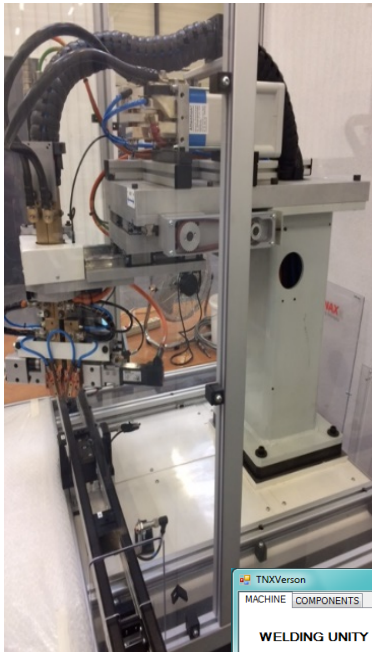
Name	IP	MAC	Port
Ford_SelComp	localhost	02-00-4C-4F-4F-50	8080

Average samples per Sensor SelComp

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Equipment awareness



With Smart Components equipment is capable of recording process data which can be analyzed and statistical information can be deduced.

Machine builders

- Instead of recycling an old machine or its components, machine builders evaluate the wear of old machine/components (with built-in software), modify it and re-use for new purposes. Evaluation takes a few minutes. **Saving of money can reach up to 50%.**

Plant owners

- Keeping brand-new components in stock is no more necessary. Components are chosen according to the needs. **Stock cost saving can reach 50%.**

New business model

- Equipment/components bought/sold through new modern e-commerce services such as market places. This enables new business opportunities for all partners.

Smart Component (prototype)

Production line construction and optimization



- With smart components, old equipment can be optimally used for dedicated purposes.
Advantages:
(1) Money for experts and new equipment's can be saved (~ 50% of price per equipment).
(2) Line construction time can be reduced by ~ factor of 2 (all information is available within minutes).

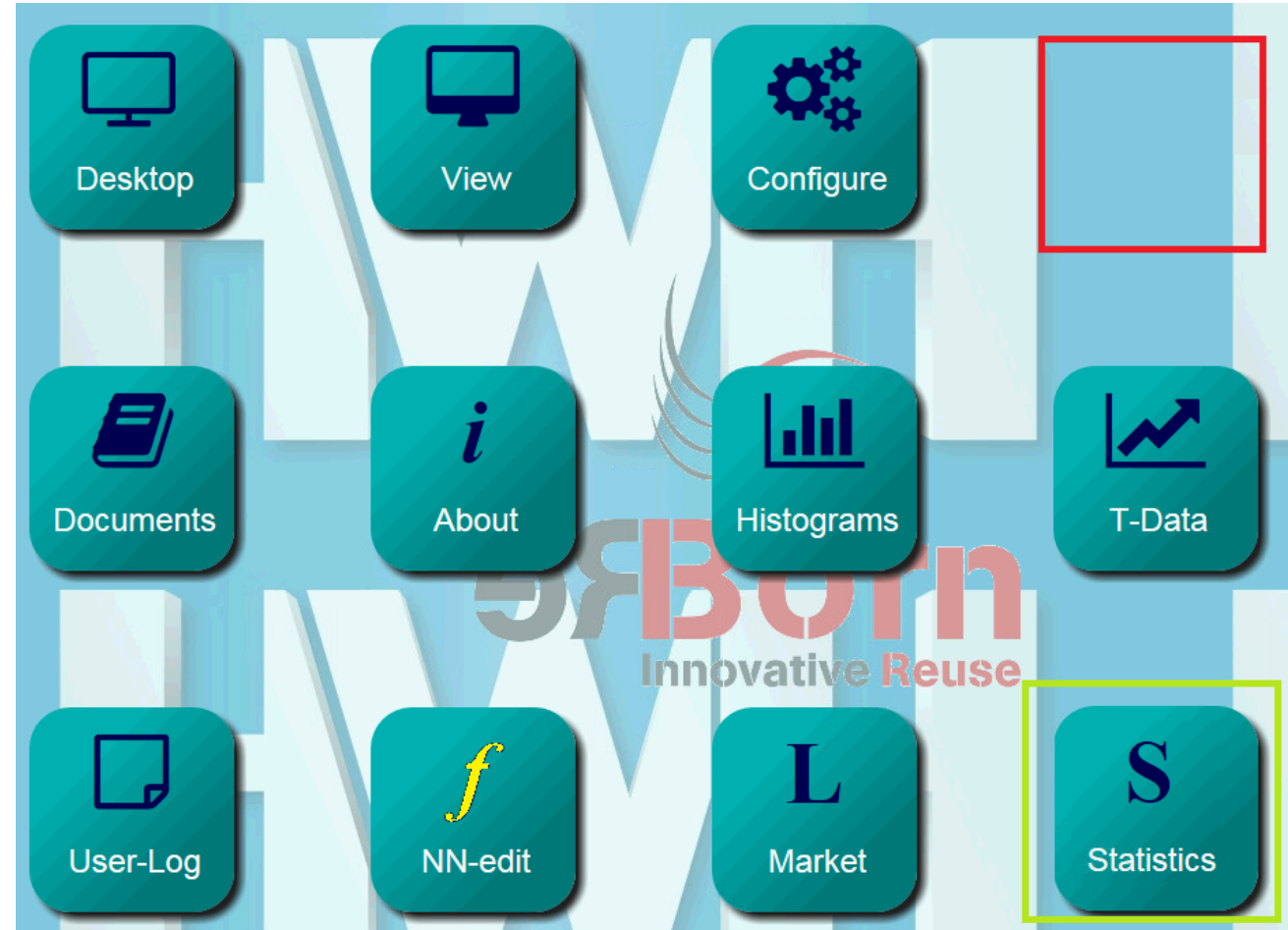
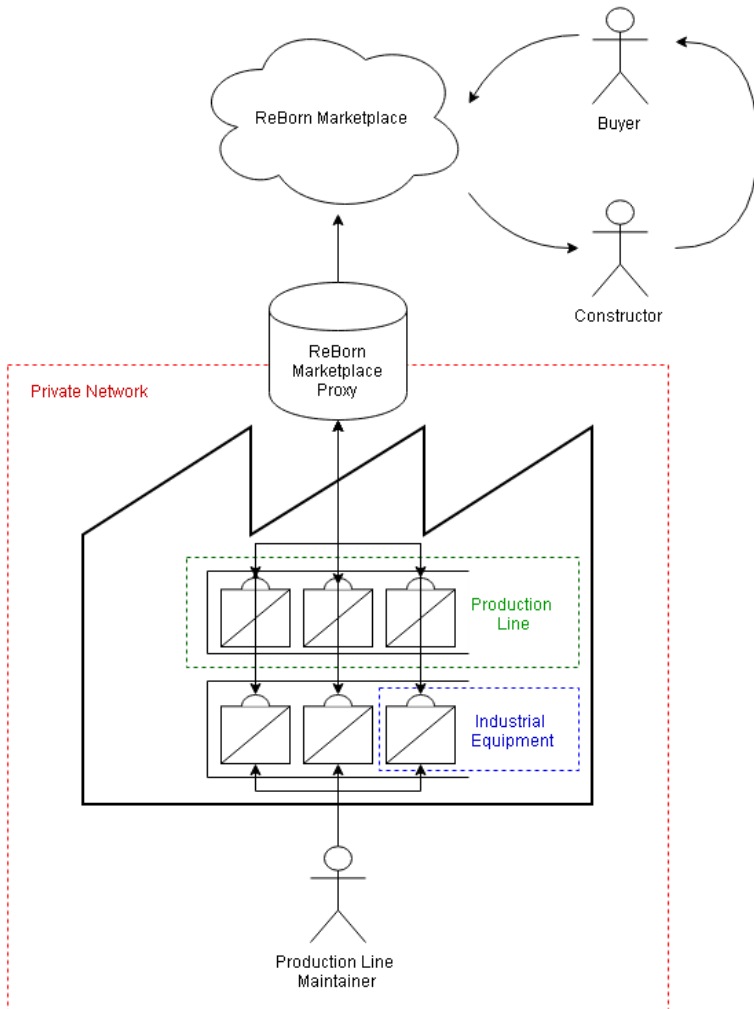
Degradation monitoring during the production

- Live monitoring of wear of components **is possible**. This allows to prevent failures and optimize maintenance, both lead to save of expenses. **Generation of use/ware information.**

Owner/Vendor sells smart component

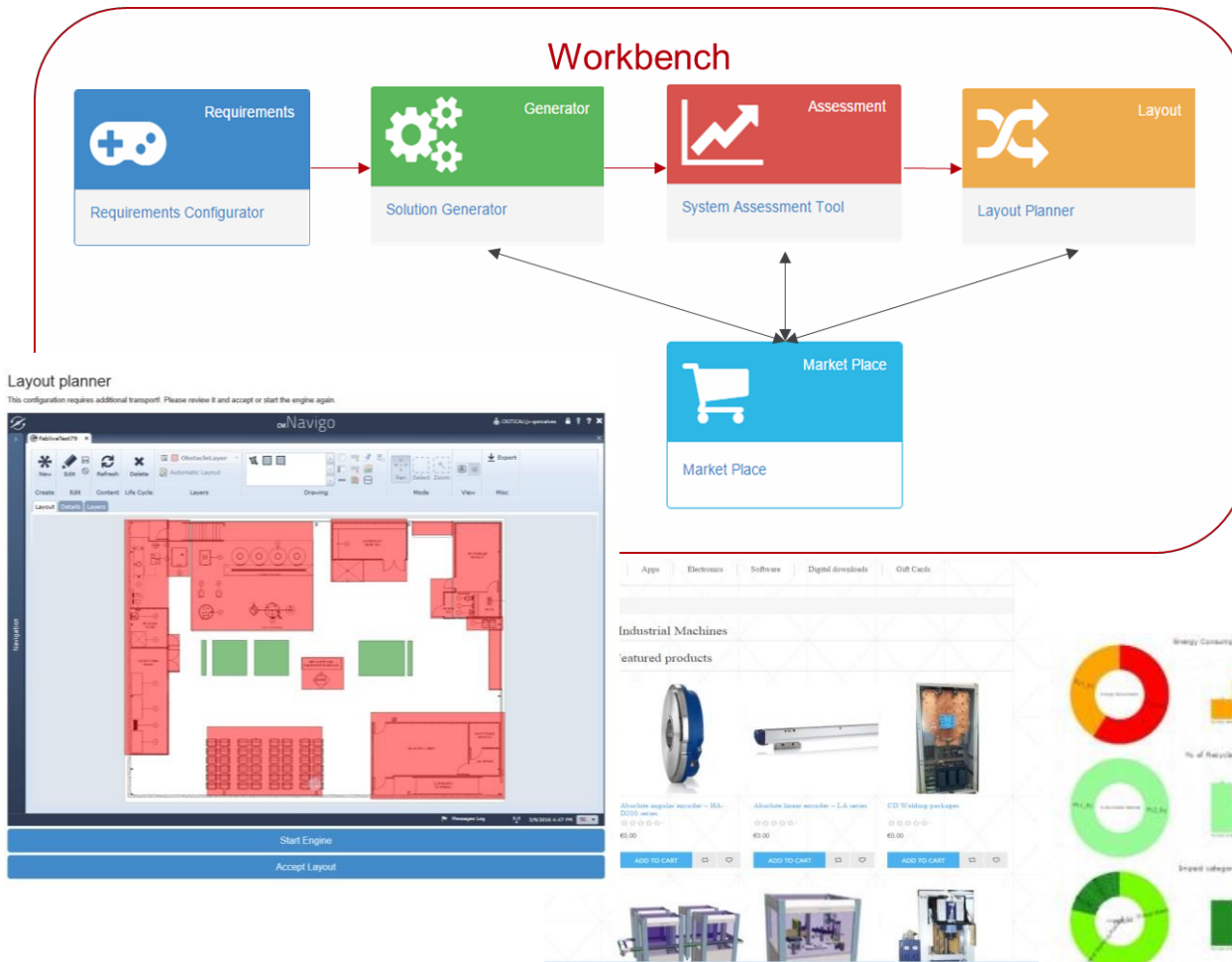
- **Without smart component:** Owner has to remove equipment from production, store it, evaluate its price, contact Vendor, negotiate about price, wait for buyer.
- **With smart component:** Owner generates LCSID files and **sends these files to market place (< 1min)**. Waits for a buyer without stopping the production. Gain of time/effort, and money can be drastically increased. This is new business model.

Line update (demonstrator)



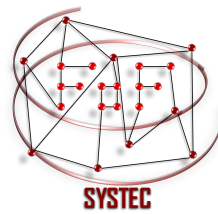
System level

Tools for planning and assessment



Functionalities:

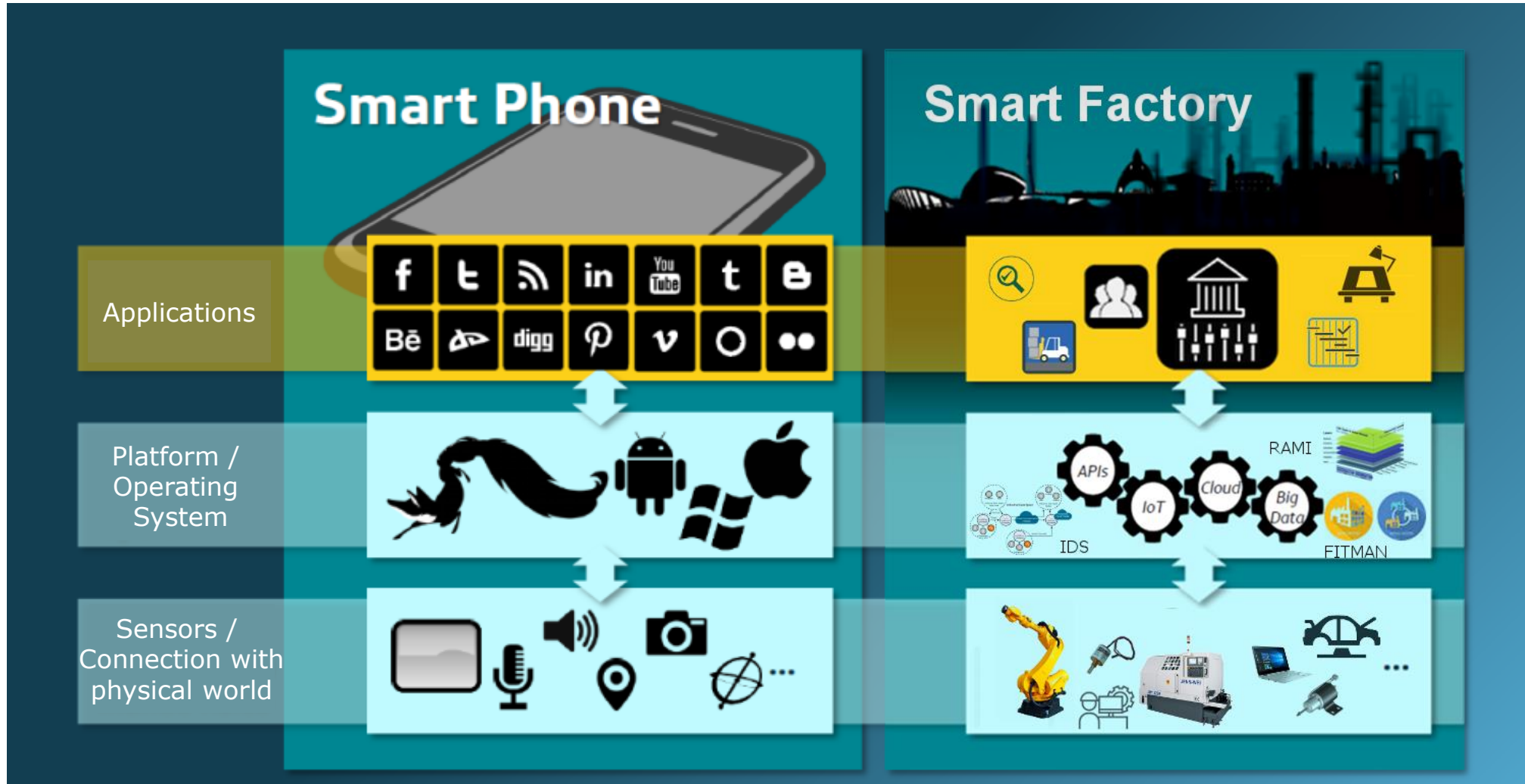
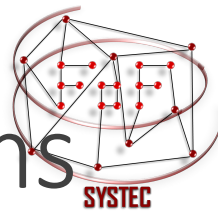
- Generic planning and assessment software tool
- Extensible workbench architecture
- Requirements tool
- Solution generator
- System assessment tool
- Layout planner
- Market place for re-used equipment
- Integrated software suite for planning and decision support



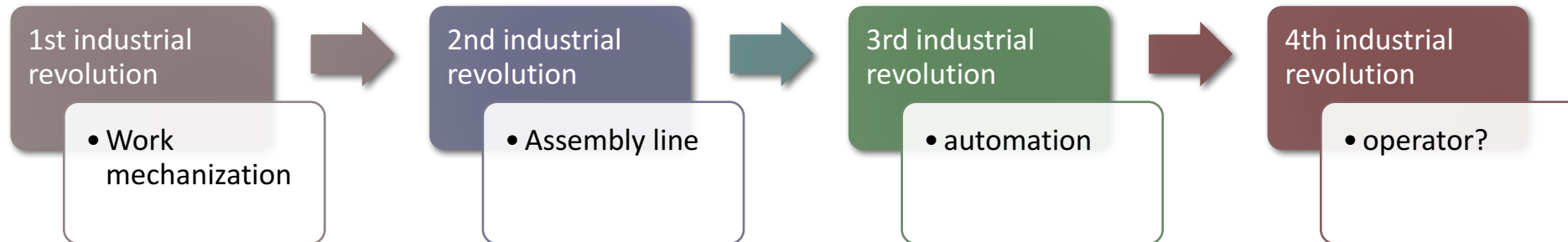
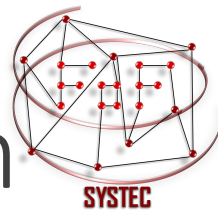
Personalised Production

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Intelligent Manufacturing Environment ecosystems



Intelligent manufacturing environments & human



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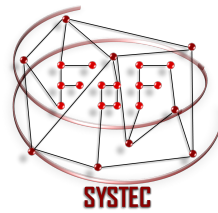
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Q&A



- Security and dependability in the automatic update of applications and configuration parameters.
- Reconfigurability (and flexibility) in the logical layer (software and control); physical layer is not addressed.
- Quality assurance is executed at the machine level and quality information shared with other systems (e.g. Quality Management System for certification and compliance).
- Extent to which data analytics is being used in the different levels (smart components and smart components cloud).
- Level of complexity of the artificial systems and the capability to interact with the operators.
- capacity of the humans to understand the automatic methods used for reconfiguration (system and machine level).
- What will be the driver for the 5th industrial revolution?