First steps toward a digital twin for existing plants in the process industry



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## The Digital Twin is the foundation for future ways-of-working and an enabler for the generation of savings along the Asset Lifecycle

#### **Current situation**

- No harmonized data model in the processes along the Asset-Lifecycle.
- Heterogeneous and complex system landscape with >164 IT-systems for process development, engineering and technical services.
- In some parts: Work with paper and excel.
- Media- and structure breaks between creation and application of plant documentation.
- Decentralized support for applied systems (high headcount, high cost for licensing and IT infrastructure).
- No common IT-supported processes, no data governance

### **Technological Vision**

- A Digital Twin that **extracts valuable information** from legacy documentation and transforms it into a catalogued, linked set of information and data.
- Newly established data driven processes and data quality assurance will be ensured through local data governance.
- Through the additional integration of systems, the Digital Twin can offer the benefit of creating (potentially for the first time) an alignment between the 'Physical Plant' and the associated digital information.
- Establishment of a Digital Twin as an enabler for more value contribution through innovation within the digitalization (e.g. IIOT, life data visualization, AR/VR, simulation) will drive future benefits.

### **Digitalization of existing plant Data – Project Objectives**

- $\bigcirc$
- Implementation of the digitalization target platform of CAE SAP DMS.
- Migration and digitalization of existing plant documents and data.
- Laser Scanning of the existing plant assets to create a virtual as-build representation of the plant.
- Combination of the 3D scan with the migrated plant information.

# Use data as a strategic asset



### **Evolutionary steps towards a Digital Twin throughout digitalization projects**





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## OneCAE Starting Point ALC Data Model

- Legacy software: many different CAD/DMS/ERP solutions and configurations due to Evonik's history (Degussa, Goldschmidt, Huels, Roehm, SKW, Stockhausen, ...)
- PlantXML©, starting 2003
- DEXPI, starting 2012
  - https://dexpi.org/



- DEXPI P&ID Specification 1.3 released 2021-07-15
- Aspects of planning (plant items, specs) and realization (assets) introduced
- ALC Data Model, starting 2016
  - For the entire Asset Life Cyle
  - From process development to deconstruction
  - According international standards
  - Continuously ongoing development
  - Public available











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### **Target landscape OneCAE (high level)**



### ALC Principles :

- Data model
- consistent data
- Compare and Update
- Single Source of truth
- Integrated landscape/engineering
- Data driven



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## The targeted ecosystem utilizes the CAE, DMS and SAP into one integrated system which will be the foundation of the futures Digital Twin



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## OneCAE as integrated solution for greenfield and brownfield projects, will provide significant benefits along the ALC



#### Value Contributions along the Asset-Lifecycle

- Invest and Fix Cost reduction based on more efficient planning processes based on a holistic Asset LifeCycle Data and Document Management:
  - 1) Integrated engineering for new projects
  - Existing and consistent data for optimization projects
- Investment reduction through harmonized CAE-Landscape and optimized interfaces
  - Data exchange with external partners based on international standards
  - (3) Automated data handover to production
- OPEX Reduction through more efficient information management
  - (4) Maintenance order management
  - (6) Future applications\* (e.g. IIoT, VPS, AR/VR)

\* Application based potential not included in ALC business model



### **1D-2D-3D Engineering Information**



## **Actual MVP Migration**



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### **Project Overview & MVP migration**

- PBS
  - Extension of the PBS with pipes and Instrumentation Equipments
  - Import in Aveva.Engineering
- P&IDs
  - Intelligent migration from microstation to Aveva.Diagrams
- Laserscan
  - Tagging Instrumentation and Apparatus completed
  - No tagging of pipelines
- Gateways
  - SAP with deeplinks (test on R11 done)
  - LiveDok (licenses) with deeplink
  - OpenText (not available at this time in ANT)
  - MyFeed (extra data import from Oracle and SAP)
- Migration of data and documents
  - Piping (Oracle)
  - Physical documents (metadata-sharepoint)



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### **Pilot Project MVP Migration**

Demo Video



Status update

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### **Project Activities & Status : MVP Approach**



- Laser scan : performance (tagging ?), new features for tagging
- Aveva.NET : 3D laserscan
- Interface with document management system (Single sign-on / I-frame)



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- Continuously ongoing improvement and completion of the data model (assets in Operations) and the CAE landscape (Aveva NG P&ID and E&I)
- > Migration project is dependent on the availability of operations
- Intelligent migration of P&IDs is depending of the quality of the initial P&ID
- Future developments our Cloud based
- $\checkmark$  After migration (MVP) better quality of the data
- ✓ All Business cases show a pay back time < 3 years
- More and more understanding to move into a data driven way of work







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