

Digitising the chemical industry

Unlocking the potential of transformation in a specialty chemical company

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CeBIT's guiding themes illustrate the core of digitalization

CeBIT

Global Event for Digital Business

- 2011** **Cloud Computing** – *work and live with the cloud*
- 2012** **Managing Trust** – *competition for trust*
- 2013** **Shareconomy** – *utilize knowledge and resources instead of owning assets*
- 2014** **Datability** – *responsible and sustainable use of data*
- 2015** **d!conomy** – *digital transformation of economy and society*
- 2016** **d!conomy: join - create - succeed** – *human centered digital economy*
- 2017** **d!conomy: no limits!** – *digital is gaining speed but still a long way to go*

Platforms

Data security

Value creation without
owning assets

Connectivity and big data

New business models
and fundamental change

Human centered

Get moving!

Digitalization means creating, communicating, delivering, exchanging offerings that have value for customers.

Evonik's strategic approach aims to enable digital acting

Strategic focus

- Business model innovation

- Customer Touchpoint Excellence
- Functional Excellence

Challenge



- Expand traditional view and focus towards disruptive new possibilities of the digital economy
- “Business Prototyping”*



- Adoption of existing businesses to digital environment
- “Just do it”*

Implication

- External focus
 - Provide “freedom to operate” for agile business experimentation
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- Leveraging the whole organization to digitize our businesses
- Focus: Internal processes

Examples

- New digital service offerings and platforms

- E-Business
- Industry 4.0
- Work 4.0

Building Blocks for digital Thinking and Acting



Customer centricity

Focus on customer experience



Speed & agility

Fast iterative approaches



Ecosystem

Leverage external network



Skills & competencies

Build up digital know-how



Digital culture

Cross-functional, start fast, fail fast attitude

„Industry 4.0“ will further increase safety and efficiency in chemical production

„Industry 4.0“ means digitalization on shop-floor level



Modular Engineering

- Flexible plant configuration
- Shorter „time to market“ to supply technical samples and individualized products
- Integrated, consistent plant documentation along the asset life cycle

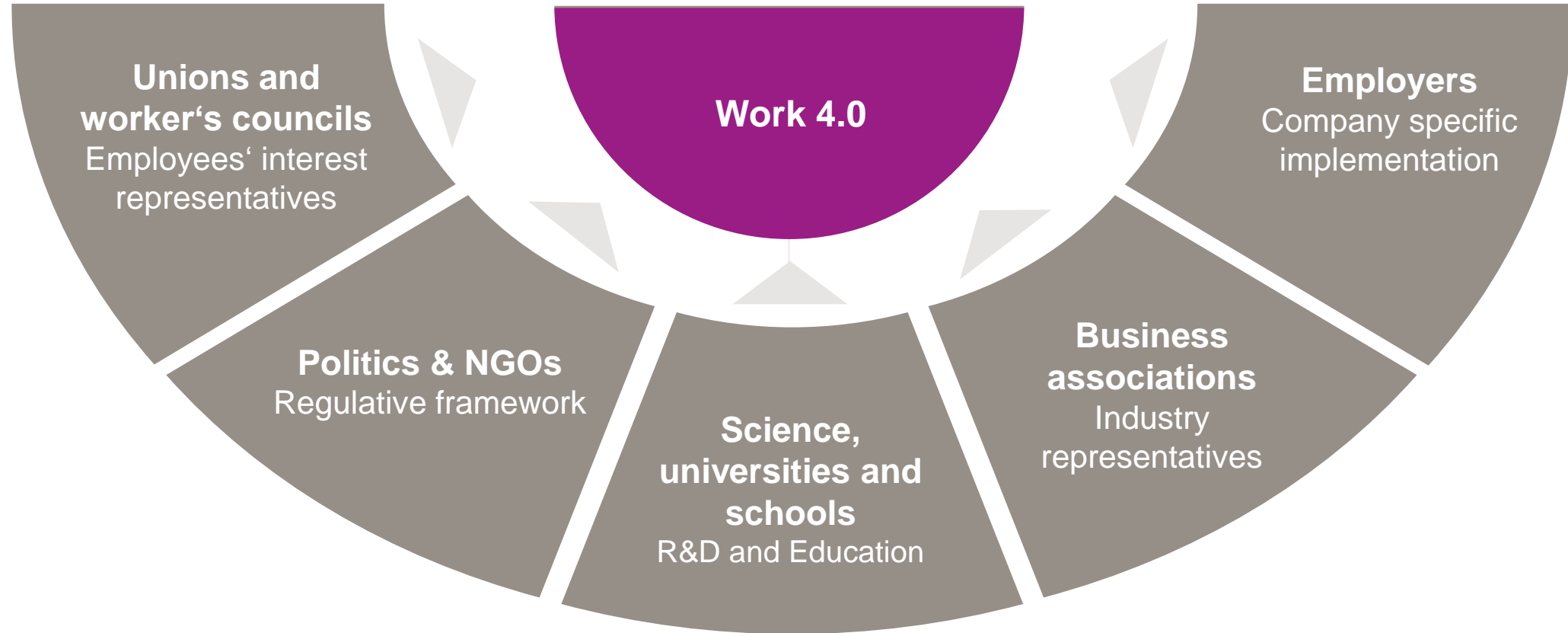


Remote Assistance and Control

- Introduction of a 2nd safety layer in the plant surroundings
- Focus on further improvement occupational health and safety
- Adopt real-time remote plant control architectures to chemicals
- Connected devices and predictive data analytics as pre-condition

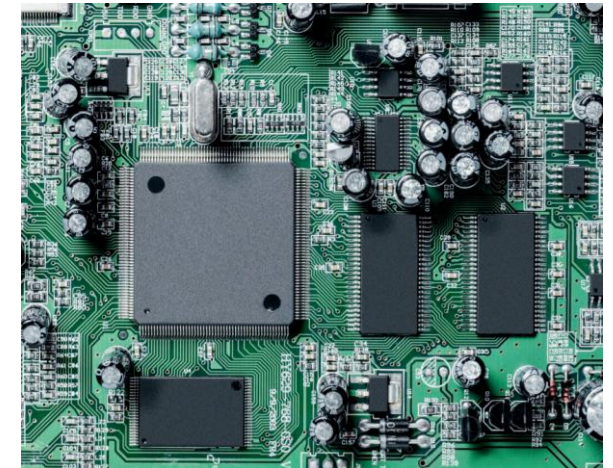
“Work 4.0” will only succeed by collaboration of different stakeholders

Evonik prepares for the digital challenges in an aging society



Expected implications from digitalization for the chemical industry in Europe

- Chemical industry and its products will remain an enabler for innovation and resource efficiency in customer industries
→ ***Stimulate innovation, qualification of talent and trust***
- Digitalization will enable more customized and individualized products also bearing potential to empower local, specialized value chains
→ ***Support local collaborations and value networks, asset sharing, cross-industry cooperations***
- Internet of things and remote digital services bear the potential to increase the competitiveness of isolated chemical production sites
→ ***Provide decent digital and logistic infrastructure also outside large agglomerations***





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POWER TO CREATE

By “Digital Networking” the knowledge worker will grow to a relationship worker- leveraging networks to get the job done

All related stakeholders are needed to enable the transformation

