

## Agenda

**Motivation & Background** 

- Fit for the future with fischertechnik
- Current challenges for production and logistics

**Agile Production Simulation** 

- The structure of the Agile Production Simulation
- How das Agile Production Simulation help to understand the future of production?

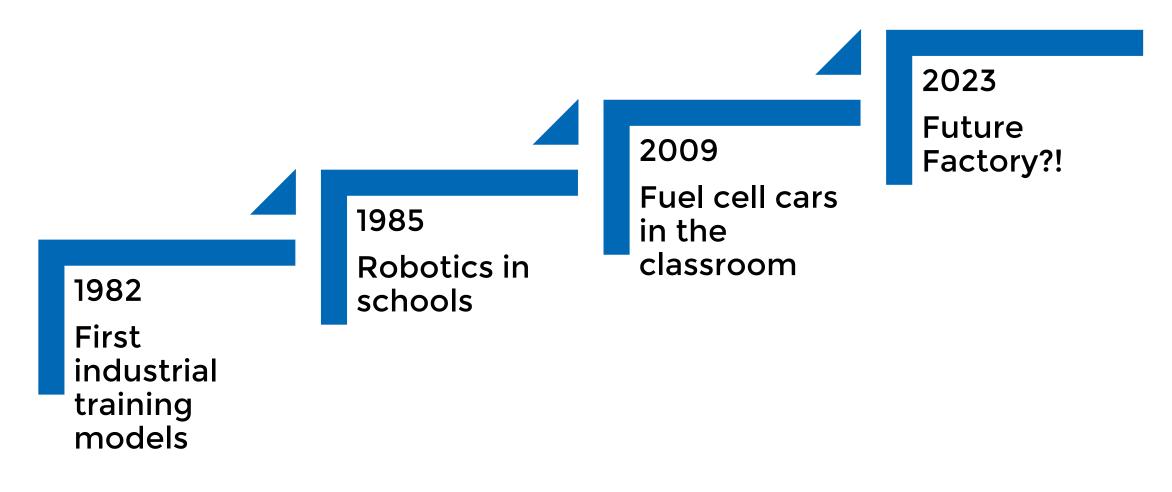
**Digital Learning Platform** 

- What is the Digital Learning Platform?
- Scalable learning environment



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## **Current challenges of production and logistics**

## **Product** customization

Growing product range, increasing number of assemblies and components

#### **High variance**

Increase in customization options

# Shorter product life cycles

Increase in overlapping product launches and production mix

# Flexible manufacturing

Increase in logistics processes



### Decreasing batch sizes and increasing complexity of processes

- Interconnected and synchronized production and logistics
- Invest in automation (AGV, CPS, etc.)
- Efficiency



## **Example: BMW 3 series G21 LCI**

- 18 different engine options
- 5 different equipment packages
- 79 different single equipment options





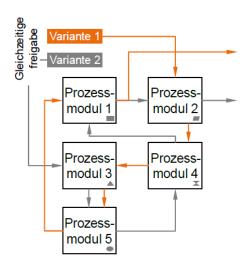
## The transition from assembly line production to agile production

More flexibility in production and logistics

#### **Assembly line production**

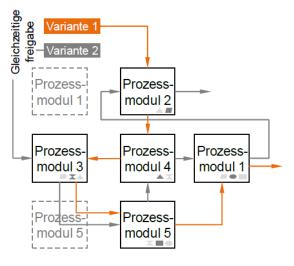
## Variante 1 Variante 2 Arbeitsstation Arbeitsstation 2 Arbeitsstation 3 Arbeitsstation 4 Arbeitsstation 5

#### **Matrix production**



- No fixed cycle time
- No fixed sequence

#### Fluid production



- No fixed cycle time
- No fixed sequence
- "Any" number of assembly scopes per station

#### Production of the future?

Industry 4.0

Digitalized interconnection of the production environment + automation

#### **Agile Production**

#### **Flexibility**

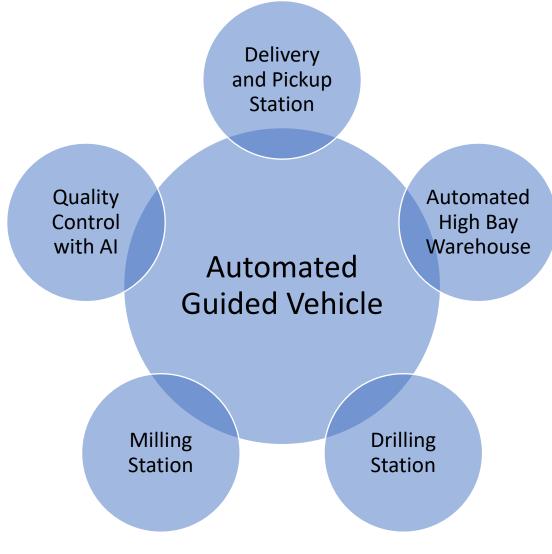
- Increased flexibility in production processes
- Customer-specific mass production
- Overcapacities are avoided
- Lead time reduction through mix of different derivatives

#### **Market-orientated production**

- Late necessity for production adaption
- Production adjustments with little effort involved
- Customer-centric approach

## The Agile Production Simulation from fischertechnik





Flexible.

Modular.

Agile.

Connected.



Modular, flexible production process



Digital recognization via NFC tags



Cloud-based dashboard



Manufacturing-X



Digital Learning Platform incl. digital twin



Simulation

## The Digital Learning Platform



- √ ... is a high-performance, immersive learning environment.
- ... is based on a digital twin of the Agile Production Simulation and serves as the didactic counterpart to the physical factory model.
- ✓ ... elucidates the control units, actuators, sensors, and functionality of the Agile Production Simulation.
- ✓ ... offers interactive learning modules on Agile Manufacturing, IoT, AI, and automation.
- ✓ ... enables the simulation and evaluation of highly complex process workflows in Agile Manufacturing.
- ✓ ... is included in the scope of delivery of the Agile Production Simulation and is not associated with any additional costs.
- ✓ ... is the result of a strong development partnership with the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology.

## Set up of the Digital Learning Platform



#### Introduction to Agile Production Simulation

IoT

- ✓ Interactive explanation of all process modules (DPS, HBW, AGV, QC, MS, DS)
- ✓ Interactive explanation of control-units, actuators, and sensors

Learning module 1
Agile
Manufacturing

Learning module 2

Learning module 3

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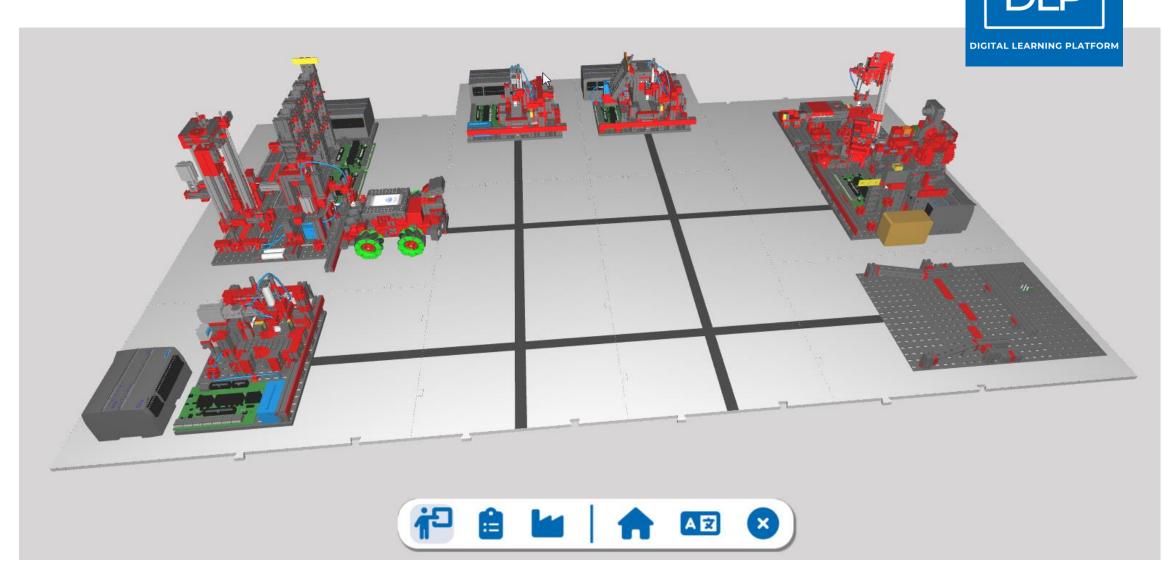
Learning module 4

**Automation** 

#### Each learning module includes:

- ✓ Theory section Establishing fundamental understanding
- ✓ Practice section Simulating & comprehending with physical setup and/or Digital Twin
- ✓ Transferability How do you apply the knowledge in the real world?

## **Digital Twin**





## Many thanks!

I am looking forward to your questions

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