

# Industrie 4.0 – From Vision To Reality

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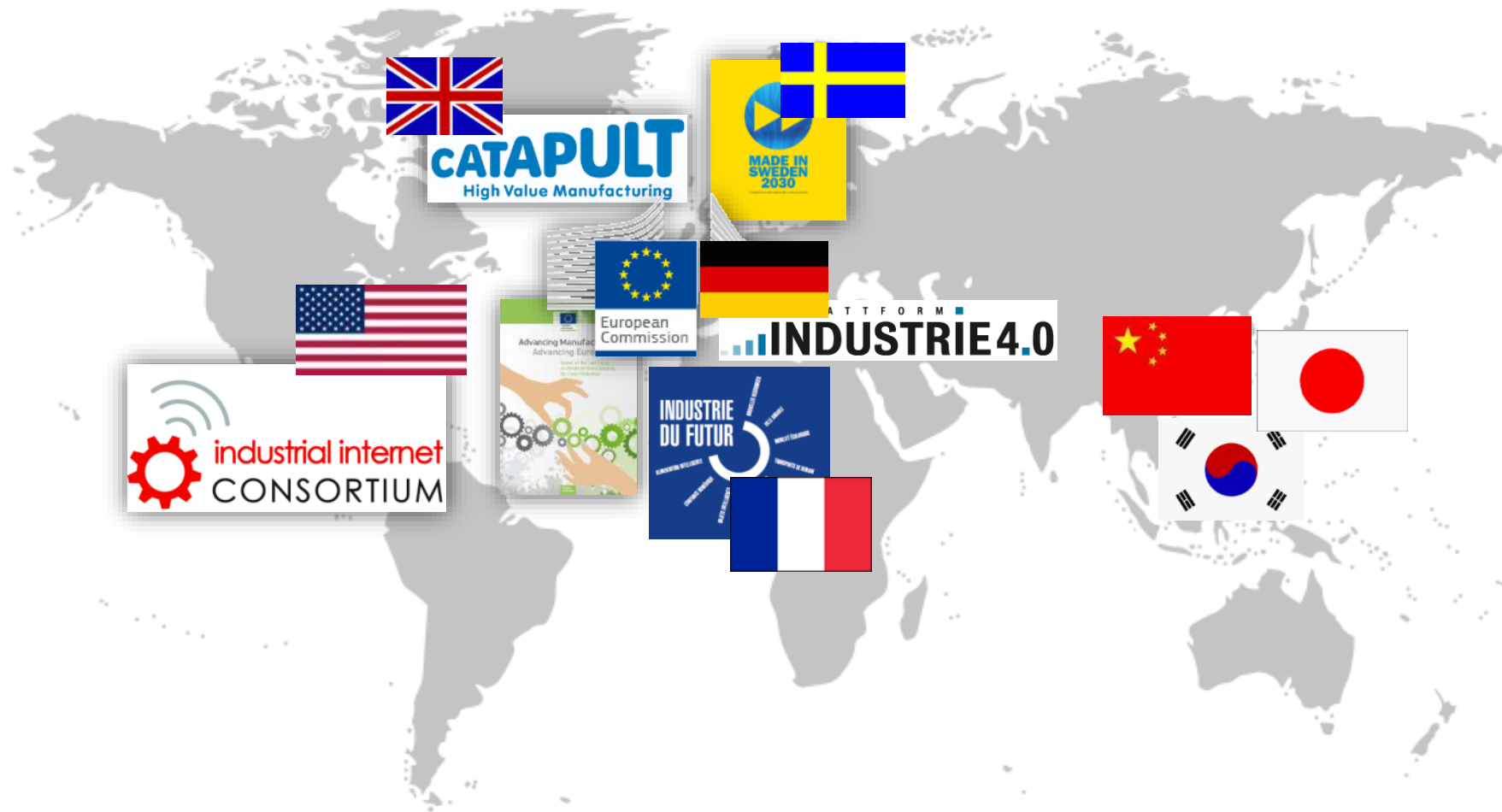
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- **What is Industry 4.0 ?**
- **Opportunities and risks**
- **Role of R&I-Programmes**
- **Political Framework**

# Industrie 4.0: a German view on a global development



# Industrie 4.0 is neither a technology, nor a project....

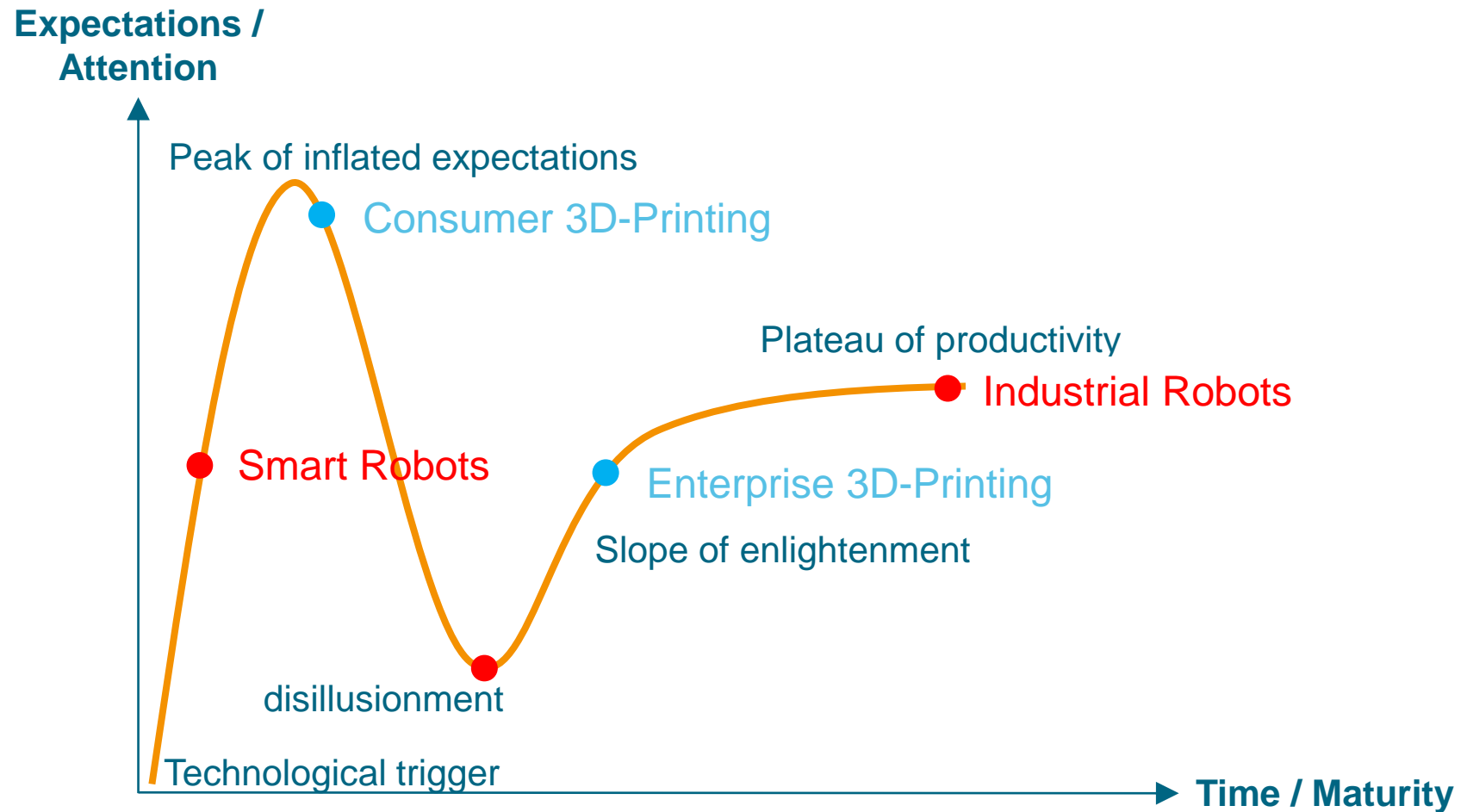


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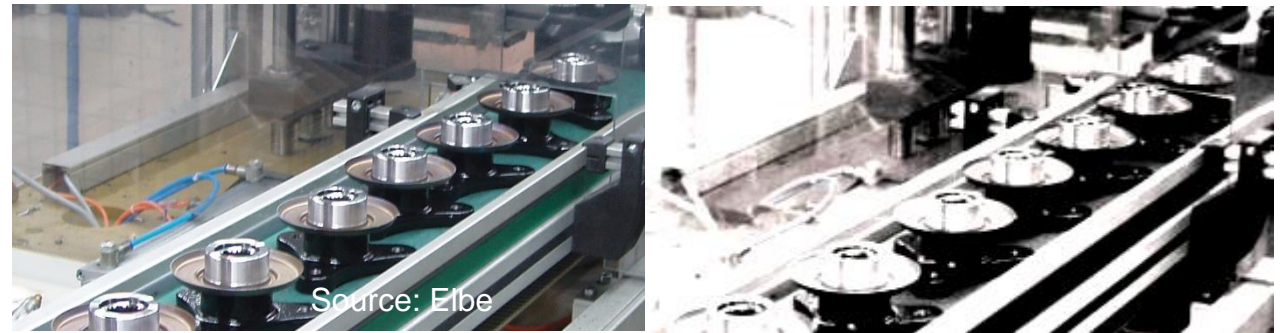
# Industrie 4.0 is much more than digitisation....



....promising real-world potentials (Example GE “digital wind farm”)

....with real-world implications (quality, industrial safety, loss of know-how)

.... based upon real production processes



# Industrie 4.0: response to new enablers and global challenges



**Markets demanding  
customized products**



**Resource scarcity,  
Pressure on Environment**

**Flexibility**

**Productivity/Efficiency**

**Digital Integration/Cooperation  
of People, Machines, Companies**

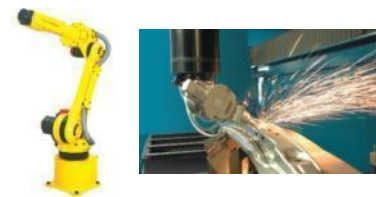
**Virtual Image & Simulation  
of real processes (“Digital Twin”)**



**Embedded Intelligence  
(Sensors, Actors, Chips)**



**Data Storage,  
Computing Power,  
Data Analytics**



**Advanced Manufacturing  
(3D-printing, Adaptive  
Production)**



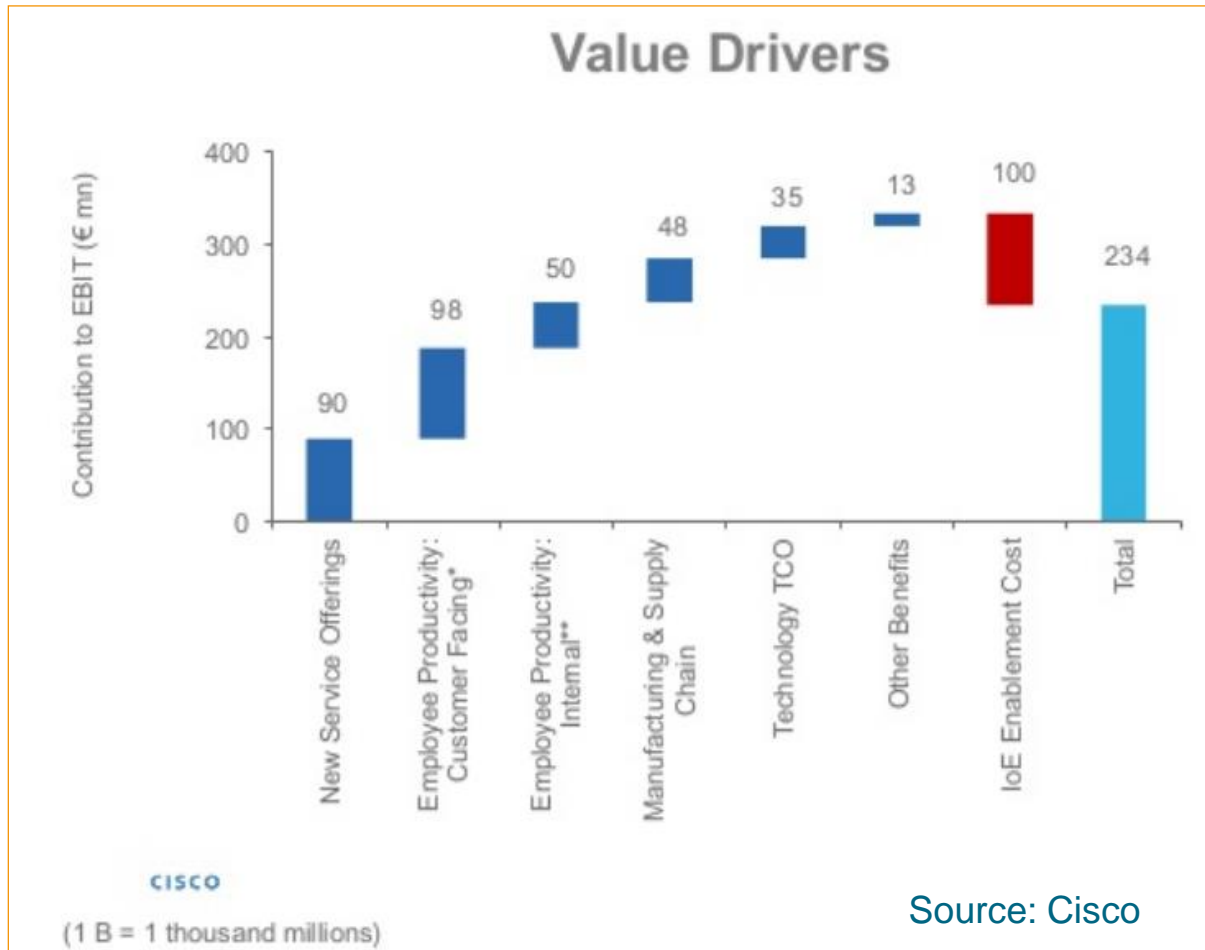
**Connectivity  
(Broadband, Cloud, 5G)**

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# Value drivers: productivity & new business models



**„Enterprises in Germany expect an increase in productivity of more than 18% by 2020“**

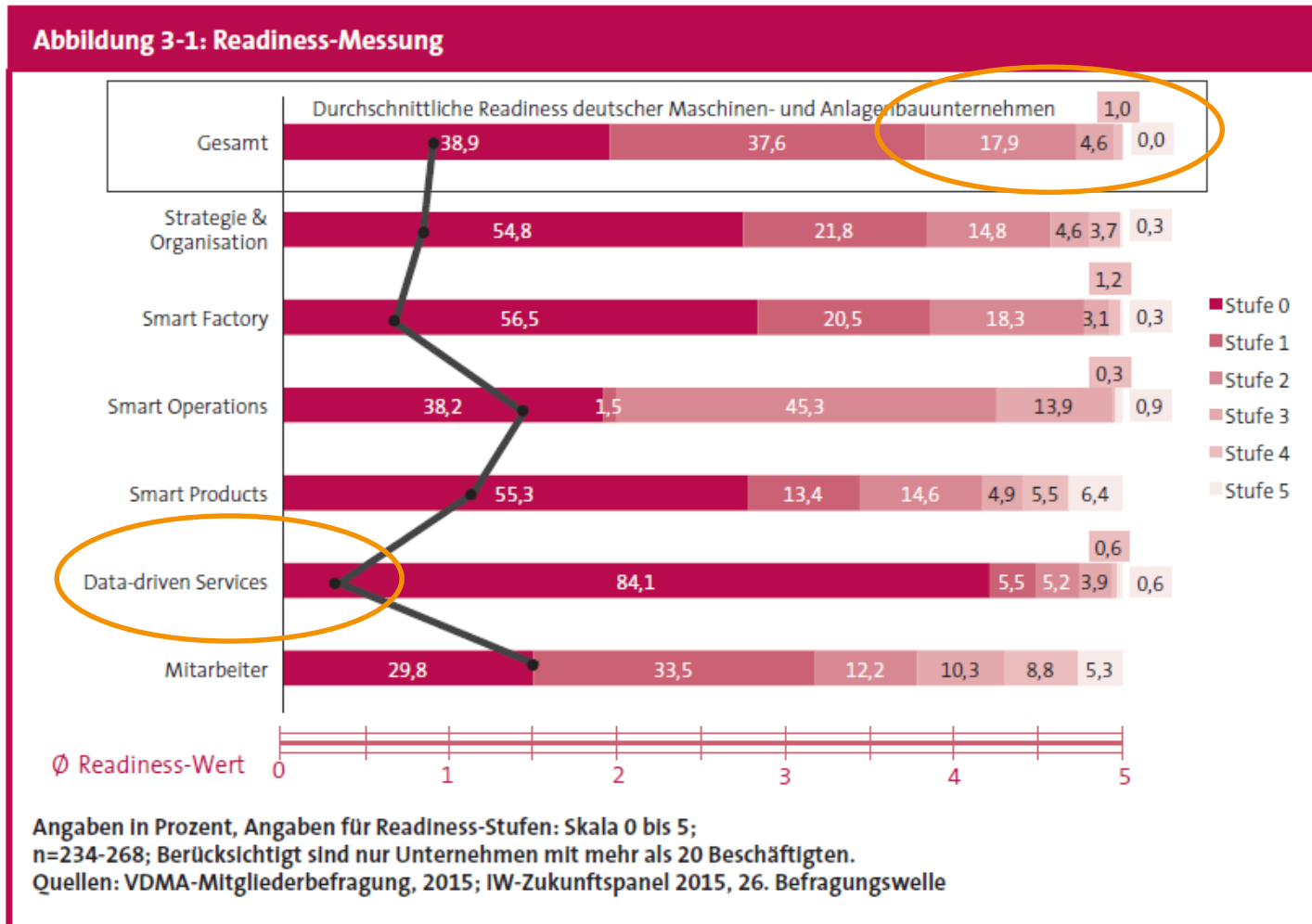
*Source: PWC (2014): Industrie 4.0 – die Vierte Industrielle Revolution*

**„60% of companies expect that turnover will increase due to Industrie 4.0. The potential is seen mainly in new business models, new product/service combinations and better customer relations“**

*Source: Studie der Impulsstiftung: Studie Industrie 4.0-Readiness*



# Readiness of Engineering Companies in Germany



# Pwc-Study (supported by VDMA and Siemens)



## Challenges for the successful implementation of industry 4.0

235 companies headquartered in Germany by TNS Emnid from June to September 2014

- » Investment in the next 5 years for digitization: 3,5 % of sales / 8,5 bill. Euro p.a.
- » Expected sales by digitization: +13,2% / 6,4 Mrd. Euro p.a.

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# European Industrial & ICT Research



**Markets demanding  
customized products**



**Resource scarcity,  
Pressure on environment**

**adaptive and flexible production**

**zero-defect**

**technologies for reconfigurable products**

**adaption of working environments**

**new business models**

**networked production**

**predictive maintenance**

**embedded cognitive functions on shop-floor**

**data intensive processes**

**Additive Manufacturing**

**Micro-/Nano-production**

**Material Research**

## Future of Industrial R&I-Programmes: Open questions

- What has to be done in Materials and Manufacturing research ?
- How to address the international dimension?
- Do instruments still match innovation cycles, development speeds and networking needs?
- How to balance the need for pre-competitive research with market uptake-measures?
- What means “pilot line” in digital manufacturing (demonstration, testbeds, validation, transfer )?
- **How to support Competitiveness without distorting Competition?**

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## Playing field: Europe



- **For Industrie 4.0, Europe provides a Single Market and scaling potential**
- **For Europe, Industrie 4.0 is the opportunity to**
  - bring back factories to Europe through efficient and individualised production
  - create investment and business opportunities
  - achieve the re-industrialisation targets in a sustainable way
- **Framework conditions are defined on European level:**
  - Digital Single Market, Internal Market for Goods and Services, Regulatory Framework
  - IPR, Data ownership, Cyber-Security
- **...but B2B & industrial aspects need more focus!**

## Conclusions:



- **Industrie 4.0 connects the virtual and the physical world** and takes place in industrial value chains.
- It can increase efficiency, **competitiveness** and create business opportunities.
- **Industrie 4.0 is a transition and exploration process with unknown outcome. Networking, learning and flexibility is essential.**
- It is already becoming reality, but there is still a long way to go.
- **European Research Programmes have played and can still play an important role, but need to be reviewed.**



Thank you  
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for your attention!

