



Digitale Transformation in der Landwirtschaft -Landtechnik im Wandel des 21. Jahrhunderts

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Today high performance agricultural machines establish productivity by

- growing working width,
- higher operational speed,
- larger storage volumes,

which expands engine power, weight & size.

weight and dimension now are becoming a major limitation (NA, EU)

Machines become smarter by

- **Process Automation**
 - Internal System-and Process Control •
 - Machine Fleet Management
 - **Process Chain Control**
 - Autonomous Machine Control





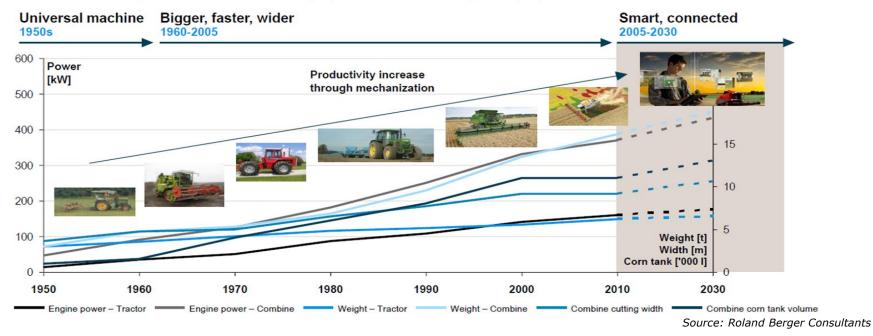
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Evolution to Smart & Connected

After a steady increase in machinery parameters in the past, agricultural machinery is becoming smarter and more connected

Evolution of agricultural machinery, past and future (Europe)



Future information and communication technology could change

agricultural production processes in a unprecedented way

- 5G mobile communication
 Mobile/Cloud Computing Smart Phones, Tablets
- Internet of Things automated data exchange between devices
- location based monitoring GIS information, UAS
- Big Data Linked Open Data

5G Atom

Network Coding Multi-Path

Compressed Sensing

> Machine learning

Latenz

Heterogenität

Air

Interface

and a star of a set

5G

Massiv Sicherheit

Datenrate

Mesh

Mobile Edge Cloud

Network

Slicing

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Ausfall-

sicherheit

SDN/NF

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Evolution of Machines from embedded to cyber – physical systems



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increasing complexity

communication wall between machine system and the world

Embedded System e.g. hitch controller

Controllernetzwerk e.g.traktor-implement -**ISO-Bus**

Cyber-Physical System e.g. M2M, Telematics

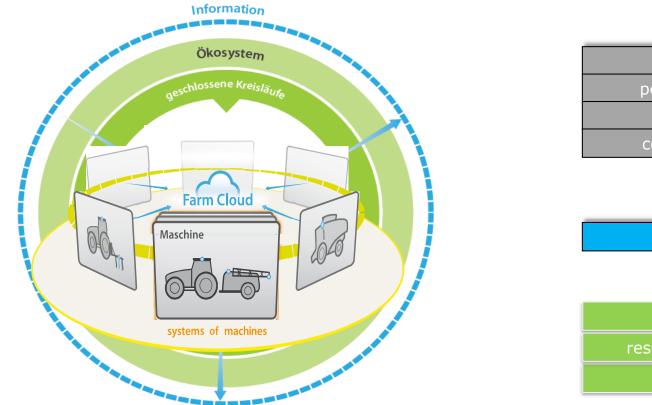
Vision: **Internet of Things** Data & Services

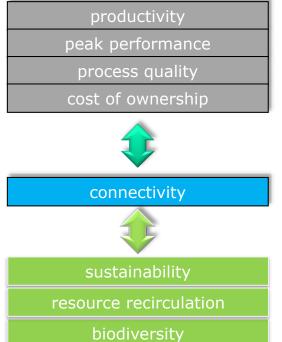


Challenges in Agri-Business



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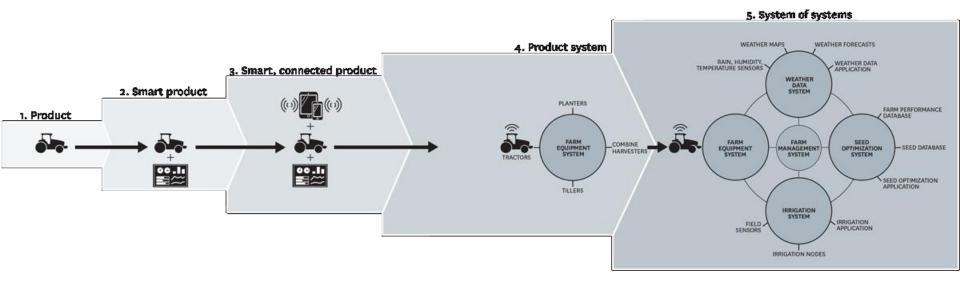




How Smart, Connected Products Are Transforming Competition



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Harvard Business Review **Michael E. Porter** is a University Professor at Harvard, based at Harvard Business School in Boston **James E. Heppelmann** is the president and CEO of PTC





Definition Edward A. Lee, 2008 ^[1]:

"Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) are integrations of computation with physical processes.

Embedded computers and networks monitor and control the physical processes, usually with feedback loops where physical processes affect computations and vice versa."

Acatech research agenda, 2012 [2]:

Connection of physical system with information technology utilizing open global networks (e.g. Internet)

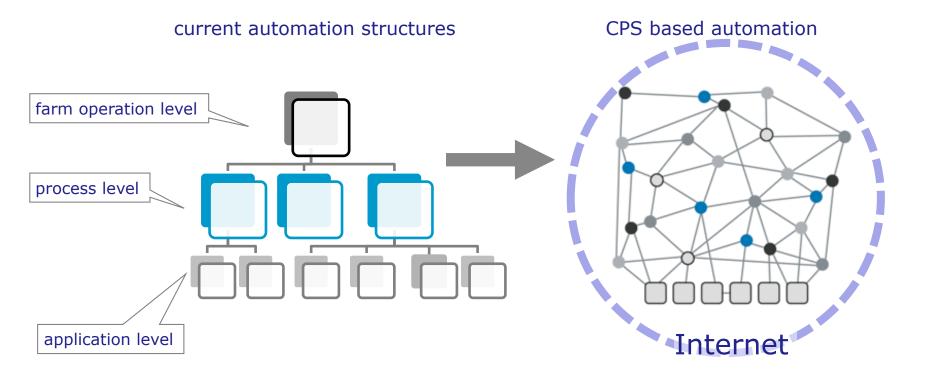
Typical examples "Smart Grids", "Car-to-X"

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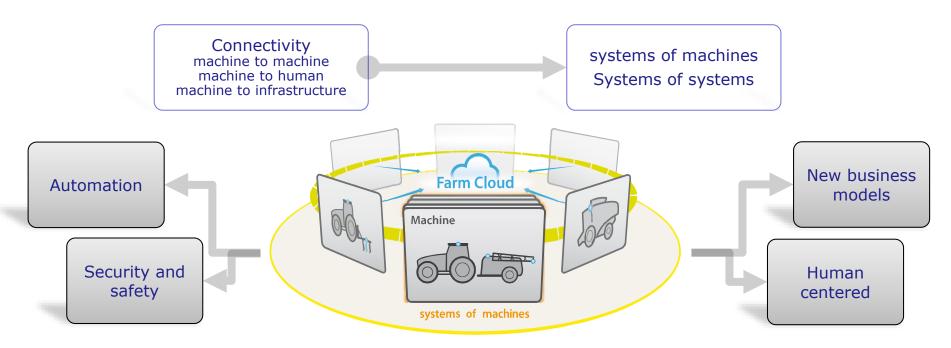












Future creation of added value takes place with many and in real time communicating players in closely connected networks .



Autonomous systems in agricultural environments

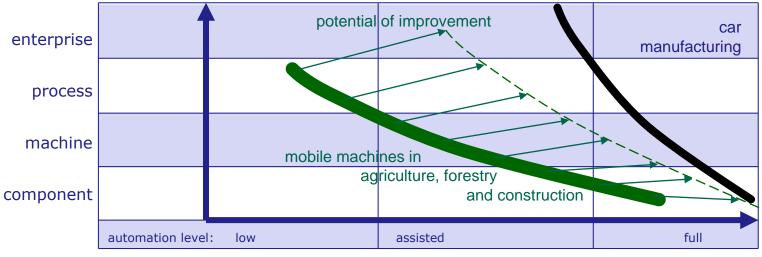


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Robust and economical viable automation is pre-condition for autonomous systems

Problem of automation in biobased value chains:

- many disturbances and strong variation of inputs
- lack of sensors and process knowledge
- huge diversity of machines and execution of processes



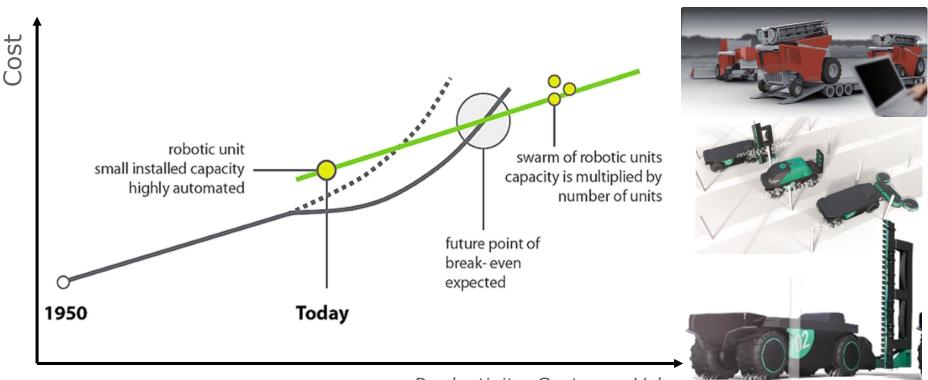
Griepentrog (2015), modified



Vision of systems of machines towards robotic swarms



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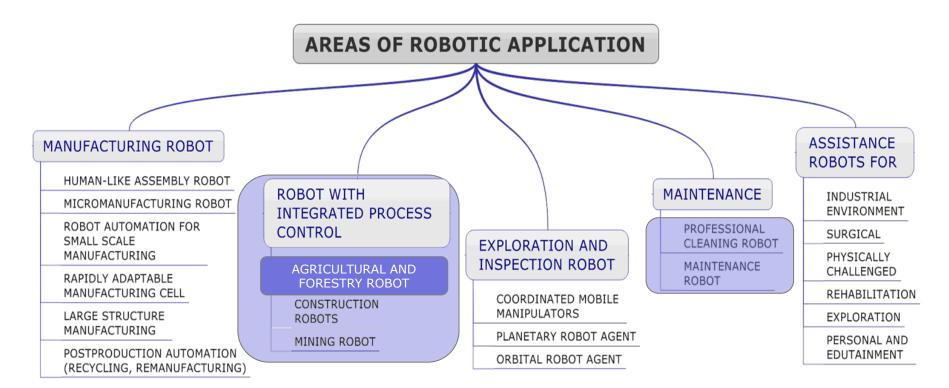
Productivity, Customer Value



World of robotics



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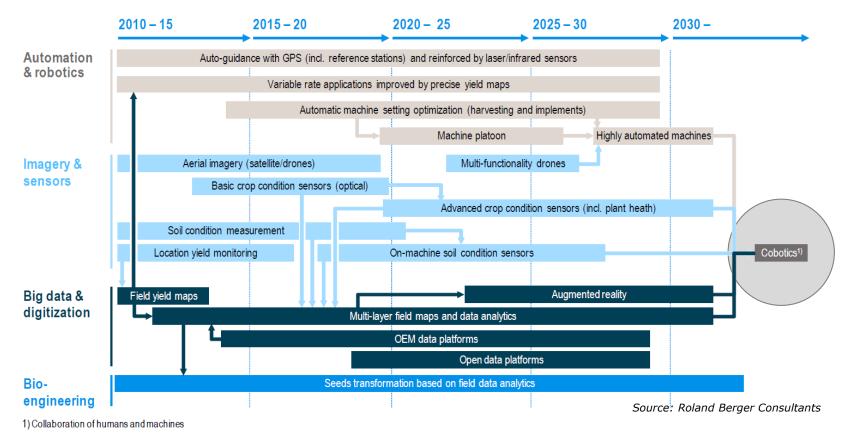
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Technology roadmap for developments driven by enhanced connectivity



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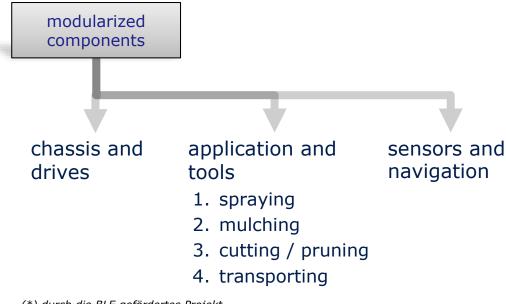


Example elWObot*



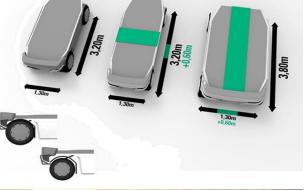
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Model range of a robotic platform for vine and fruit with standardized tool interfaces



^(*) durch die BLE gefördertes Projekt

Partner: Hochschulen Osnabrück . Geisenheim, TU Dresden, Raussendorf, Obstland Sachsen, Weingut Schloss Proschwitz

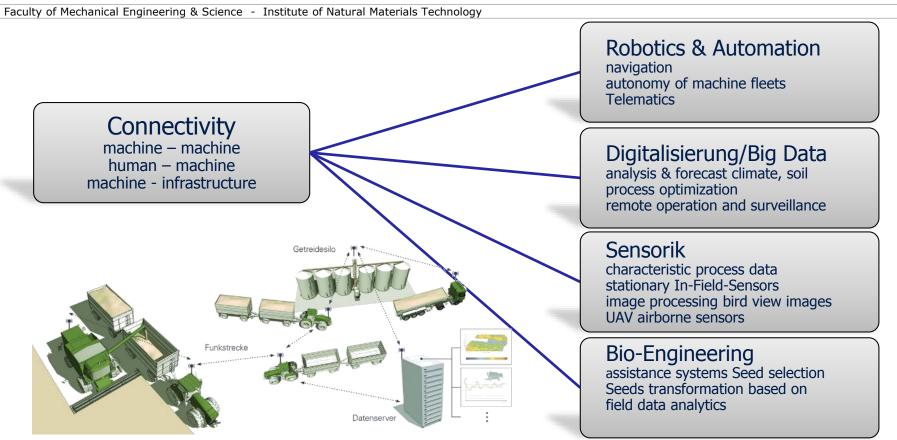






Communication Technology as Enabler









Swarm vision for tillage and seeding autonomous implement modules virtually connected to leader Swarm vision for grain harvest autonomous combine modules supervised from operator at site Willkommen in der neuen Welt der Cyber-Physikalischen Systeme