

A Multi-Sided Business Platform for Plug and Produce Industrial Product Service Systems

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MOTIVATION (...as is situation)

On-line Procurement of Production Equipment

and Services



Production Equipment Provider (SME) Manufacturing Company (OEM) / System Integrator **Problems/Shortcomings**

- Hard to maintain cataloguebased web portals
- Vendor lock-in solutions e.g. from ERP providers
- Friction for ecosystem building (e.g. difficult to integrate service providers)
- No possibility to virtually test or simulate



STRENGTHS

- Integration capabilities with ERP, CRM, PLM
- Suitable for mid-caps or large companies
- Improved digital experience and personalization (B2C like)
- Detailed control over buying, selling, and purchasing workflows
- ✓ Some solutions offer App Store

WEAKNESSES

- No ecosystem building
- Limited support of e-Sourcing
- Less suitable for SMEs
- Vendor lock-in

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- Third parties difficult join
- No focus/specialization in manufacturing services
- No simulation capabilities



STRENGTHS

- Suitable for mid-caps, large companies and SMEs
- Improved digital experience and personalization (B2C like)
- Ecosystem building
- ✓ Focus/specialization in manufacturing services.

WEAKNESSES

- Limited control over buying, selling, and purchasing workflows
- No capability to build supply networks.
- No simulation capabilities.
- No App Store
- No direct, peer-to-peer communication. All transactions are based on the portal.

Opportunities

- Industry4.0 technologies
 - Digital Twin/Simulation data are generated in the various phases of the lifecycle
 - Digital Factory technology provides the capability to virtually validate and test manufacturing equipment.
 - Industrial IoT technology provides the capability for networked production equipment.

Opportunities

Industrial Data Space (IDS) technology provides the opportunity to share data in a trusted ecosystem (data sovereignty).

- European companies are not making the most of all the opportunities digital has to offer. For example highly digitalized is
 - 56% of computing companies versus only 6% of metal products companies
 - 58% of large enterprises versus only 20% of SMEs



MARKET4.0 develops an open multi-sided digital platform for enabling production equipment and service providers to connect and work together with manufacturing companies. Creates technical and financial trust in manufacturing B2B collaboration.

CONCEPT



Collaboration Apps

IoT Apps

Peer-to-peer marketplace services

- Frictionless entry to the ecosystem
- ✓ Product capabilities publication
- Dynamic Supplier Network
 Configuration and Management
- ✓ Anonymized feedback
- ✓ Simulation before purchase

MARKET4.0 Actors

Role Name	Role Description
External User	This is any user that has access to public information of MARKET4.0. This user does not need to register to the platform. However, he has limited access to platform's functionality.
Registered User	This is any user that has registered to the platform. There may be several types of users.
App provider	This is a registered user. The main role is to provide and maintain MARKET4.0 Apps
Supplier	This is a registered user. The main role is to sell products and services through the platform.
Customer	This is a registered user. He seeks to buy products or services through the platform.
Service Provider	A registered user that provides some service to facilitate the interaction between supplier and customer



System Architecture Overview





USP-1 Product-Service Marketplace

The "SMILE" challenge: European businesses must focus on high value added activities



 Value creation in Manufacturing is progressively shifting towards pre-production (R&D and Design) and post production (marketing and Pre-or-After sales service) activities

Source: The European House - Ambrosetti re-elaboration on Bruegel data, 2014



Value Added



Problems/Shortcomings

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- EU Equipment Manufacturer cannot globally compete just on Products any longer
- Small positive % improvements in Production Quality / Efficiency cannot alone fill the price gap with low wages Countries

MARKET4.0 Value Proposition

- Pre-sales services shorten the time-tocontract and reduce the risk of re-work owing to sub-optimal equipment configuration and deployment
- Post-sales services guarantee highly qualified support along the whole lifecycle of the equipment including refurbishment, re-manufacturing and recycling phases (Circular Economy)



USP-2 Secure, low-Investment and Dynamic Marketplace



Technology infrastructure

Data

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Problems/Shortcomings

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- **One-stop-shop Digital Marketplaces usually** implement expensive cloud-HPC centralized architectures difficult to build and maintain
- Peer-to-Peer Digital Middleware platforms guarantee background security and scalability but usually operate on stable value chains led by Large Companies

MARKET4.0 Value Proposition

- Interoperability between a cloud Digital Marketplace and a P2P Middleware for adhoc Value Chains creation and occasional B2B data exchanges (virtual IDS Connector)
- Low-investment integrated solution for SMEs and personalization of Human Interaction by intelligent and adaptive **Customer Journeys workflows**

Adapted from http://platformed.info/platform-stack/

Technology infrastructure

Data

From a Product-Service Marketplace to a Data Marketplace for Product-Service

- MARKET4.0 makes it possible to share data in a trusted B2B ecosystem for the purpose of trading Product-Service-Systems.
- MARKET4.0 utilizes the Smart Connected Supplier Network (SCSN) ontology for supporting the transactions in the ecosystem.
- MARKET4.0 has been design and it is being developed as a generic data platform
- Additional agreed ontologies along with their metadata can be supported by the platform for creating data marketplaces, for example, data supplied and consumed from Product-Service-System.



USP-3 Data Marketplace



Problems/Shortcomings

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- Data Economy is deeply transforming our society from a technical-business-social and ethical perspective
- Insufficient availability of reliable, high quality datasets from Manufacturing Industry is hampering the development of extensive added value ecosystems of innovators and open Digital Innovation Hubs

MARKET4.0 Value Proposition

- Open Manufacturing Equipment Data Models (metadata) to support the development of Digital Twins and other advanced applications
- B2B Data Exchange reference architecture based on the EU GDPR and Data Sovereignty



TIMELINE HIGHLIGHTS for open call -1



MARKET4.0 eCommerce portal



and a high speed of operation. The cornerstones of its productivity include large tool capacity, the wide range of tools available and easy and fast set-up change. Forming and other auxiliary work stages, and ease of use are further factors reducing the manufacturing cost per component thus making the turret punch press a productive and competitive manufacturing solution.



Metal-Processing Domain Main Workflow



Metal-Processing Domain Services and Apps







Plastics Processing Domain Main Workflow

Goal: Reduce the time to market by improving flows

- Tender bid on platform (for mold or plastic part)
- Digital twin and simulation services.



Plastics-Processing Domain Simulation Services



Moldtherm

Hydromold



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High-Tech Domain Services and Apps



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