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# **Progress toward Realization of the “Connected Industries”**

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# METI “GLocal” growth strategy study group

A study group has been set up by the Parliamentary Vice Minister Mr. Takinami, consisting of variety of METI officials in charge of local economies, SME, energy, trade, human resource, R&D policies and etc.

- I Study strategies to **achieve growth by linking global markets with local industries.**
- I Study local models achieving growth **more than large cities** by exploring global markets, for example **in Central and Northern Europe, including Germany**, as well as **in US Silicon valley.**
- I **By achieving growth in local cities, front-runners facing declining population**, break a stereo-typed notion that growth is not possible with declining or small population, and establish confidence that **growth can be achievable even under the constraints in population.**

➔ **“Growth in local areas is essential for Japan’s growth”**



Visiting companies in Fukui



Discussion with companies in Fukui

# Connected Industries

**Connecting** a variety of industries, companies, people, machines, data and other social elements, contributing to...



**Creating** new value, products and services using AI, etc., and improving productivity for...



**Solving** social challenges, such as “aging society”, “labor shortages”, and “environment and energy restrictions”, etc.



2017.3 CeBIT



- | Enhancing industrial competitiveness
- | Improving people’s lives
- | Promoting the healthy development of the national economy



**Angela Merkel**     **Shinzo Abe**  
German Chancellor     Prime Minister of Japan

**Society 5.0**

2018.10 Joint Declaration



**Peter Altmaier**     **Hiroshige Seko**  
Federal Minister     Minister

# Strategic fields of “Connected Industries”

## Automated Driving and Mobility Service

Autonomous driving, energy management for EV and mobility services, including logistics.

## Manufacturing and Robotics

Overall optimization of production and smart-manufacturing utilizing advanced factory-floor capabilities and technological capabilities.

## Bio technologies and Materials

Innovation in materials, healthcare and drug discovery, and expansion of the “bioeconomy”.

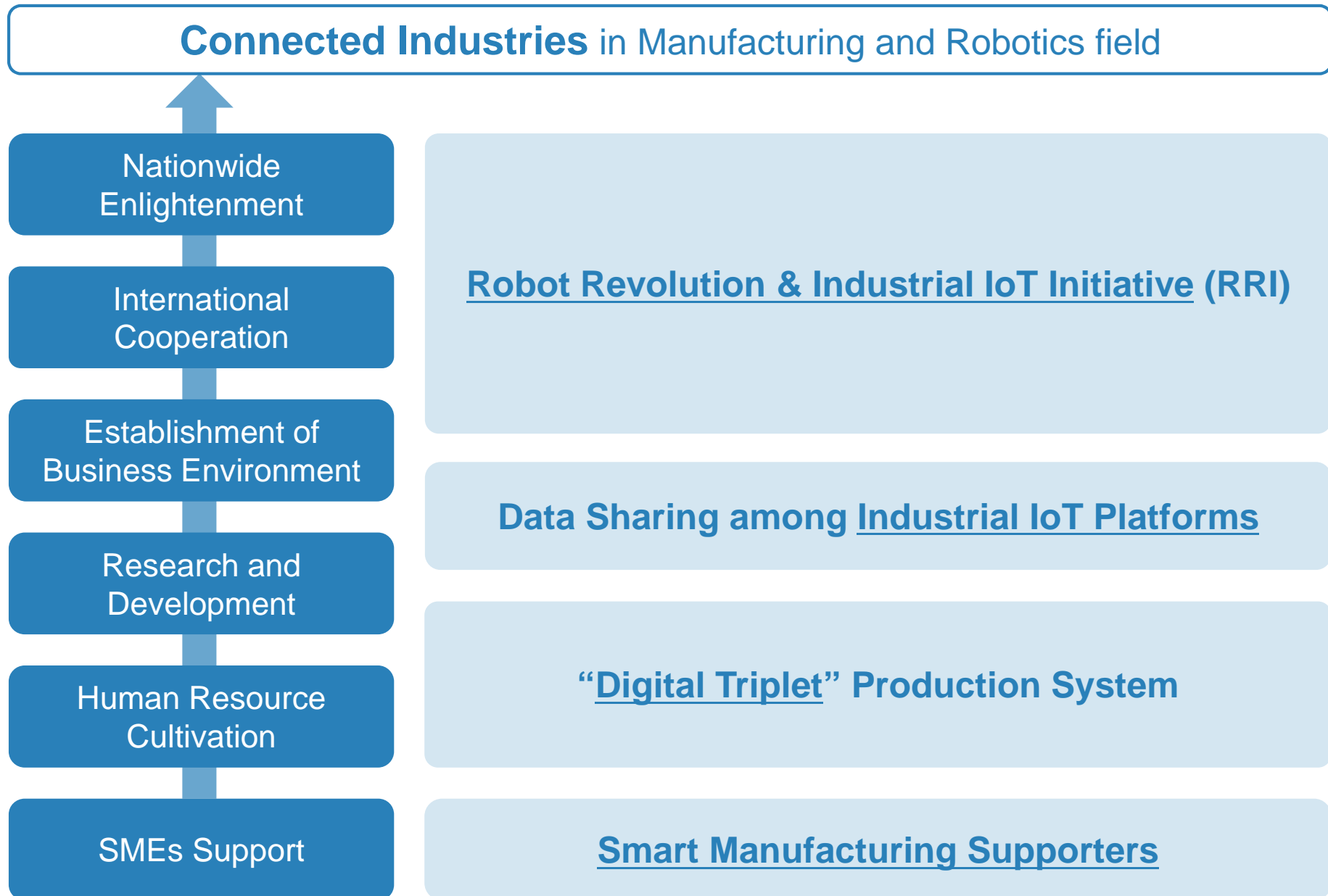
## Plant / infrastructure Safety Management

Improvement of productivity and safety through utilizing new technologies, including IoT and drones.

## Smart Life

Acceleration of new services utilizing life data, and accordingly, the reduction of time spent on housework to the benefit of the workforce.

# Manufacturing and Robotics field



# Robot Revolution & Industrial IoT Initiative (RRI)



Establishment	May 15th, 2015
Chairperson	Hideaki Omiya, Director and Senior Advisor, Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.
Members	523 (January 30th, 2019)

2015.5  
Inaugural Meeting



2017.6  
Connected Industries Symposium



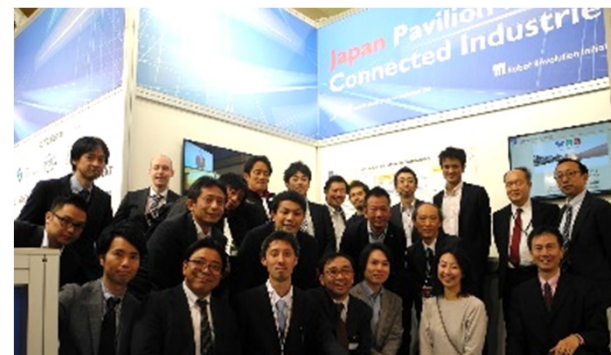
2018.10  
International Symposium



2016.4  
Joint Declaration with PI4.0



2018.4  
Hannover Messe 2018



2018.12  
Connected Industries Seminar

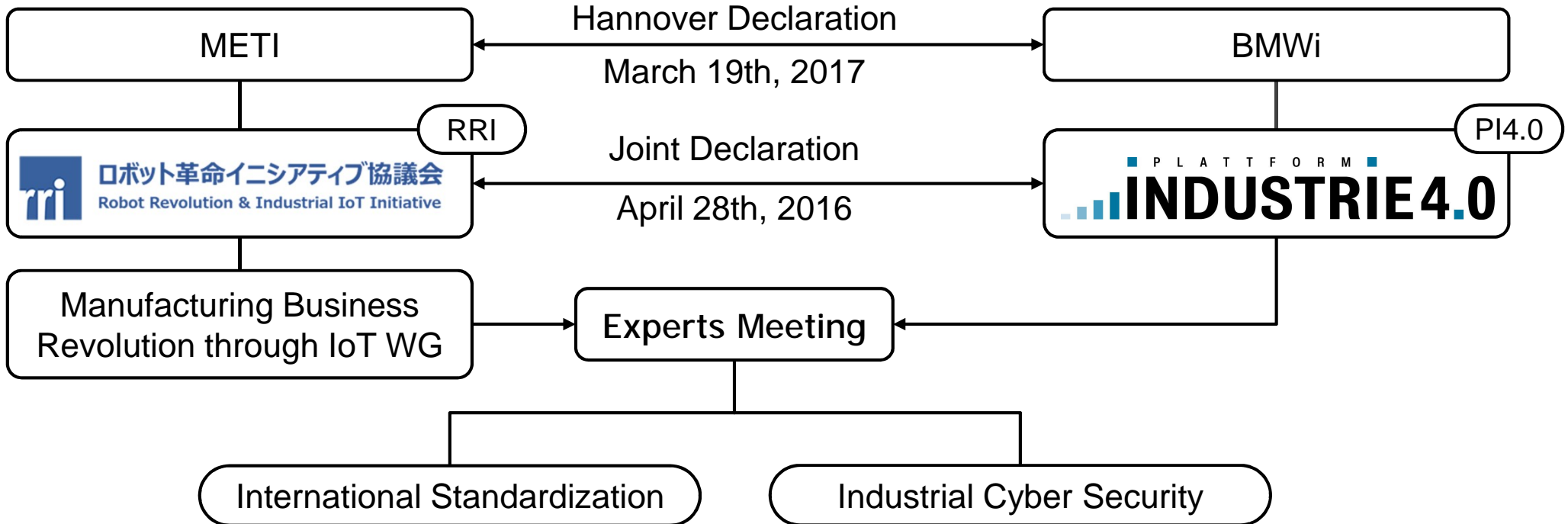


# Cooperation between Japan's "Connected Industries" and Germany's "Industrie 4.0"

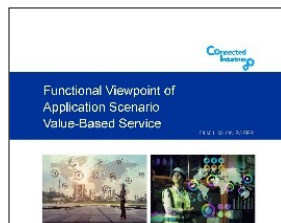


Connected Industries

Industrie 4.0



Joint Papers



2018.4



2019.3



2018.5



2019.4

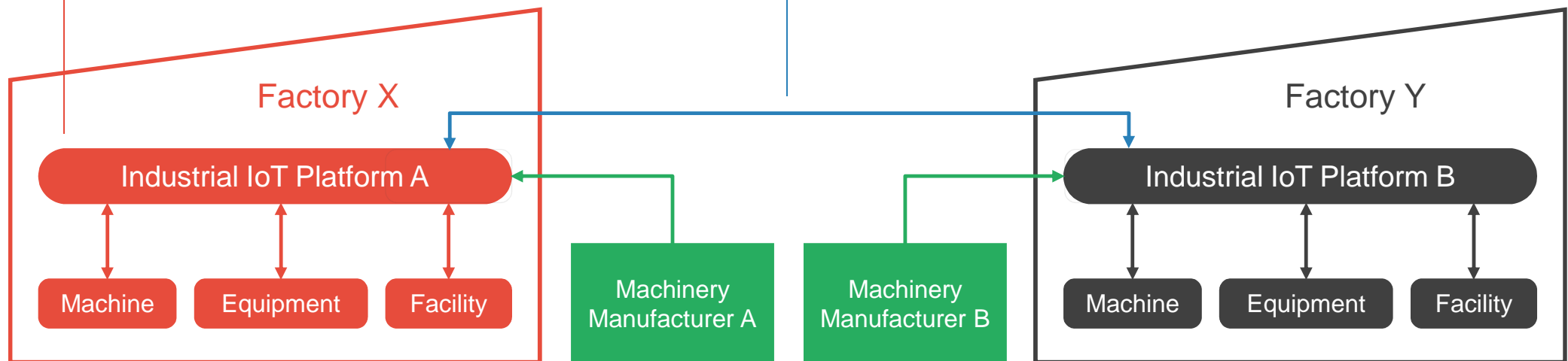
# Industrial IoT Platform

## Utilization of Industrial IoT Platforms

- Monitoring operation condition of the manufacturing machines to improve operation rate of the factory;
- Detecting malfunctioning of the machines to prevent breakdown; and
- Analyzing various data of the factories to optimize manufacture.

## Data Sharing among Industrial IoT Platforms

- Utilize a processed program being produced and adjusted in Factory X, in Factory Y as well;
- Utilize inspection data comprising accumulated learning in Factory X, in Factory Y as well; and
- Manage progress of production operation of Factory Y to be aligned to that of Factory X.



## Provision of Industrial IoT Platform Services

- Not only services related to manufacture, sales, and maintenance of machineries but also services related to data analysis and applications to improve productivity of factories.



# Data Sharing among Industrial IoT Platforms

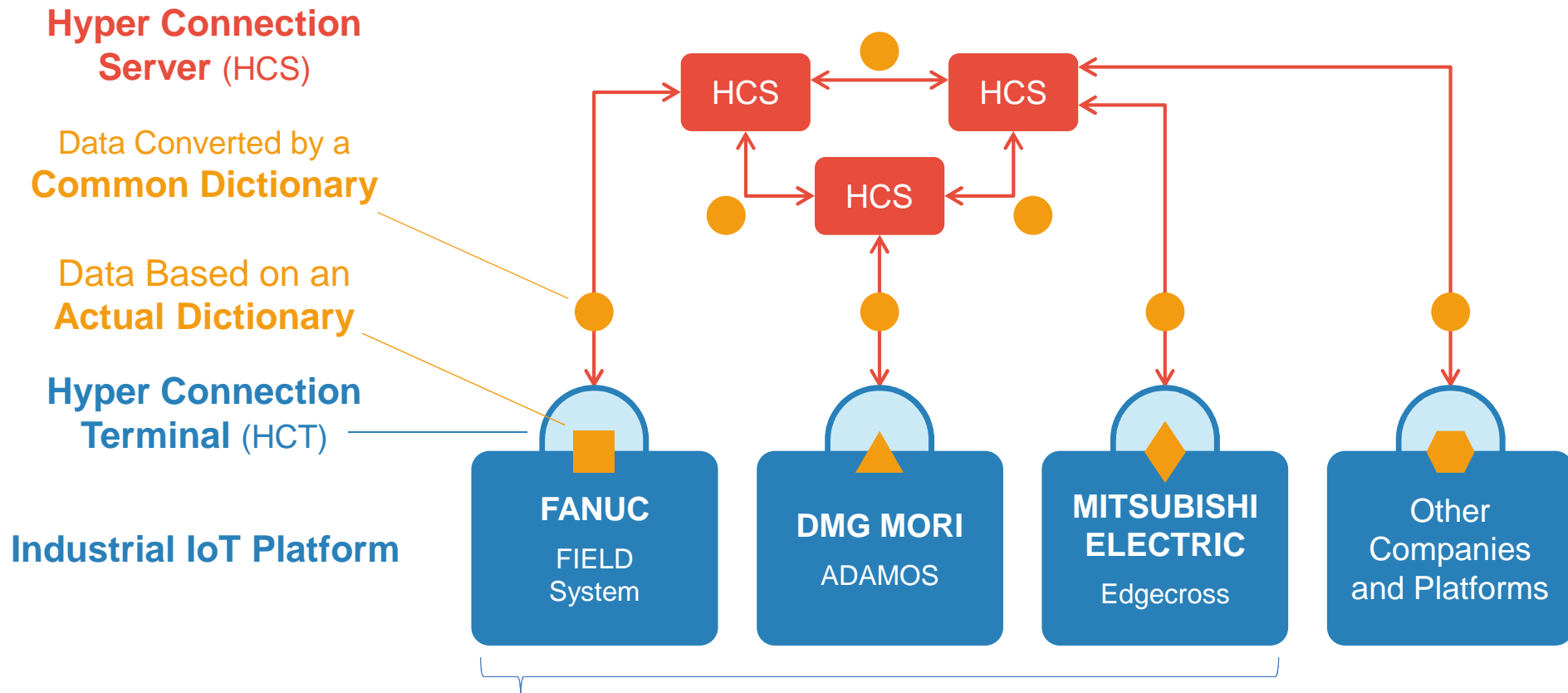
## Organizer

### Industrial Value Chain Initiative (IVI)

- I Project Organization, Functional Designs of HCS and HCT, and API Design

## Hitachi

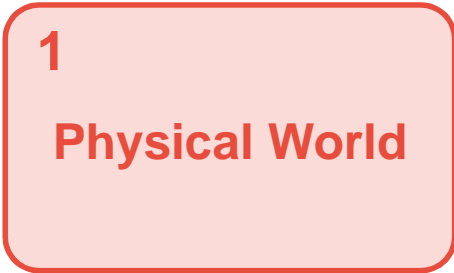
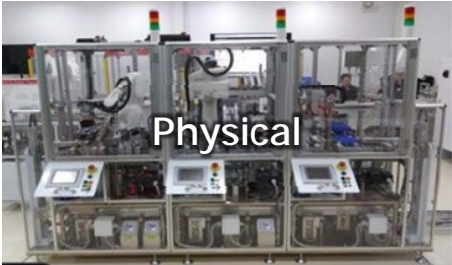
- I Server Implementation on Dictionary Management and Dictionary Conversion Functions, and HCT Implementation



- I A data dictionary will be created which corresponds to individual actual scenarios.
- I A feasibility study will be conducted using edge side components and an HCT.

# “Digital Triplet” Production System

Digital Twin



“Digital Triplet”



Know-how of Kaizen

Implicit knowledge

# Smart Manufacturing Supporters

**Training**

smart manufacturing supporters



**Supporting**

SME's smart manufacturing



**Smart Manufacturing Supporting Hub**

(31 hubs)

