

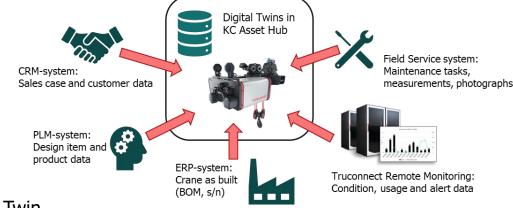
## Future of Crane Digital Twins and Their Connectivity

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## Crane Digital Twins today

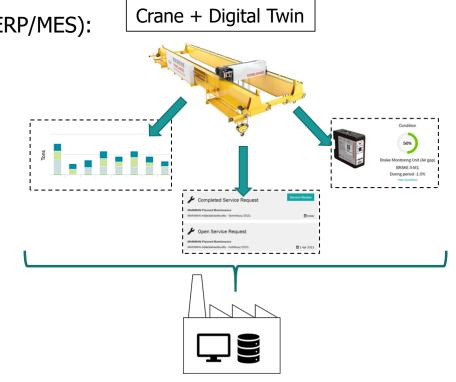
- Representation of all available lifecycle data
  - Digital Shadow created for every sold crane  $\rightarrow$  develops towards Digital Twin
  - Acts as a connection point between lifecycle data sources
- Enablers:
  - Complete pipeline: Design/PLM-system -> Manufacturing/ERP-system -> Lifecycle Care/Field Service-system
    - TRUCONNECT Remote Monitoring
    - Extensive maintenance reporting for data collection
- Challenges:
  - Creating culture to work together towards Data and Digital Twin driven company
  - Nonconformities between source systems to create coherent Digital Twin
    - As designed vs. as built vs. as maintained
  - Varying business needs for Digital Twins  $\rightarrow$  Prioritizing different development paths for DT's





## Customer needs for Digital Twins and their connectivity

- Crane is always part of a larger customer process
  - Critical role in connected and data driven material flow
- Varying needs for Digital Twin data connected to customer's Ecosystem (ERP/MES):
  - Production data
    - Real-time operation status of crane through OPCUA
    - Material flow through crane: lifted tons, number of work cycles
  - Maintenance program information
    - Reported and scheduled tasks of each crane
    - Maintenance budgeting
  - Crane operation/condition alerts
    - Production errors
    - Critical component condition
- Brings API development needs to machine/DT provider



Customer's Ecosystem



## Future development

- Development needs/paths:
  - Ensuring that Digital Twins are up-to-date and "live" beside the physical product through lifecycle
    - Huge amount of data when each sold product gets a Twin and gathers data through ~20 year lifecycle
  - Dividing Digital Twin data flow and functionalities between local and cloud
    - Depends on the performance needs and data security features of Twins
  - Adapting to development of IoT/cloud platforms and Digital Twin standards
    - Which platforms and standards will spread in customer industries



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