

## Added Value along the Chemical/Pharmaceutical Production Chain

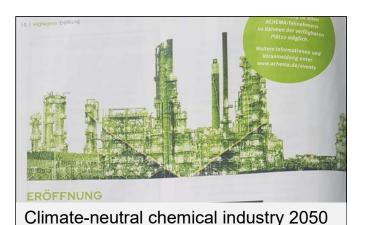
**Photonics Technologies to Improve Pharma Processes** 

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#### **Market Trends**



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#### Foreword

With most of all manufactured goods relying on chemicals, Europe's chemical industry is a crucial element of almost all value chains and a vital part of Europe's economy.

Modularization changes business processes in the chemical and pharmaceutical industry

15.10.2020 - Nachhaltigkeit, Digitalisierung und Modularisierung sind die großen Trends, die vor allem die Spezialchemie und Pharmaindustrie im nächsten Jahrzehnt verändern werden



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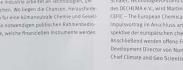
Neben der Umstellung auf eine nachhaltige Produktion und der Digitalisierung ist die Umstellung auf modulare Produktionstechnologien der dritte Trend, der die Prozessindustrie, vor allem die Spezialchemie und Pharmaindustrie, in den nächsten Jahrzehnten nachhaltig verändern wird.

#### Smart Factory to bring medicines to market faster



Eine Smart Factory des Pharma-Unternehmens Boehringer Ingelheim soll die Marktreife von Medikamenten beschleunigen. Die digitalisierte Produktion in der neuen Tablettenfabrik soll effiziente Fertigungsabläufe entwickeln, bevor die Medikamente an unterschiedlichen Standorten nergestellt werden.

Deutschland und Europa wollen bis 2050 klimaneutral werden. Auch die chemische Industrie arbeitet an Technologien, um dieses Ziel zu erreichen. Wo liegen die Chancen, Herausforderungen und Hürden für eine klimaneutrale Chemie und Gesellschaft? Was sind die notwendigen politischen Rahmenbedin-





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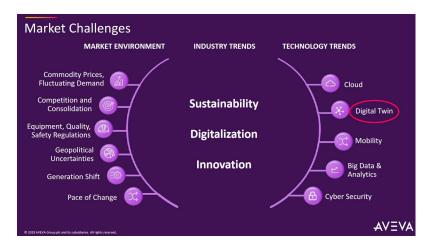
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Dechema's latest position paper 'Process Simulation – Fit for the future?' by the Processnet working committee Process Simulation, Process Synthesis and Knowledge Processing focuses on the relevance of today's tools to meet the demands of the digitalized chemical, biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries.

## **Technology Trends**

#### Improvements of the production processes (Chemical and Pharmaceutical Industry)

#### Data Analytics and Digitalization



## What is Digital Twin Technology — Use Cases, Solutions, and Examples

#### What is a Digital Twin?

A digital twin, in simple terms, is a virtual model of a product, process, or service. By pairing the virtual and physical worlds, digital twins enable data analysis, system monitoring to alert problems, downtime prevention, and future planning via simulations.

- Shift towards small batch production (personalized cancer drugs)
- To support sustainable production, it could be essential to move production plants back to Europe
- Digitalization and Virtualization to plan and optimize production processes (energy/cost savings and time to market)
- 4. Product quality and accuracy are key

## New production and brownfield digitalization



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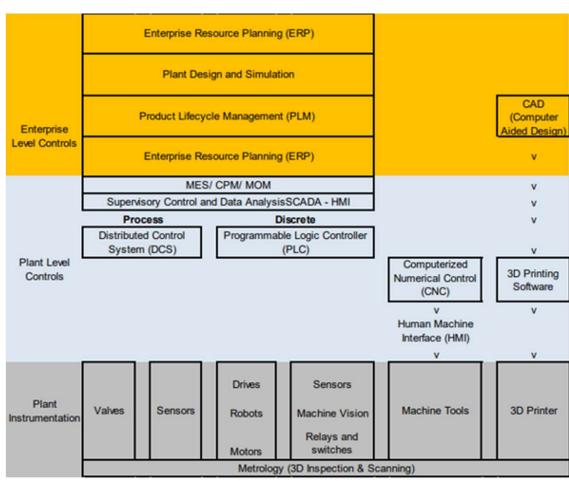


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## **Customer Requirements?**

Sensors/spectrometers already generate data which are analyzed during the process







Knowledge Base

#### **NAMUR**

#### **User Association of Automation Technology in Process Industries**

**NAMUR** bundles the expertise of automation and digitalization in the process industry. It contributes to the added value of companies with the aim of more efficient (costs, availability), sustainable, safe processes. NAMUR further develops the application of automation and digitalization and promotes qualified young talent.



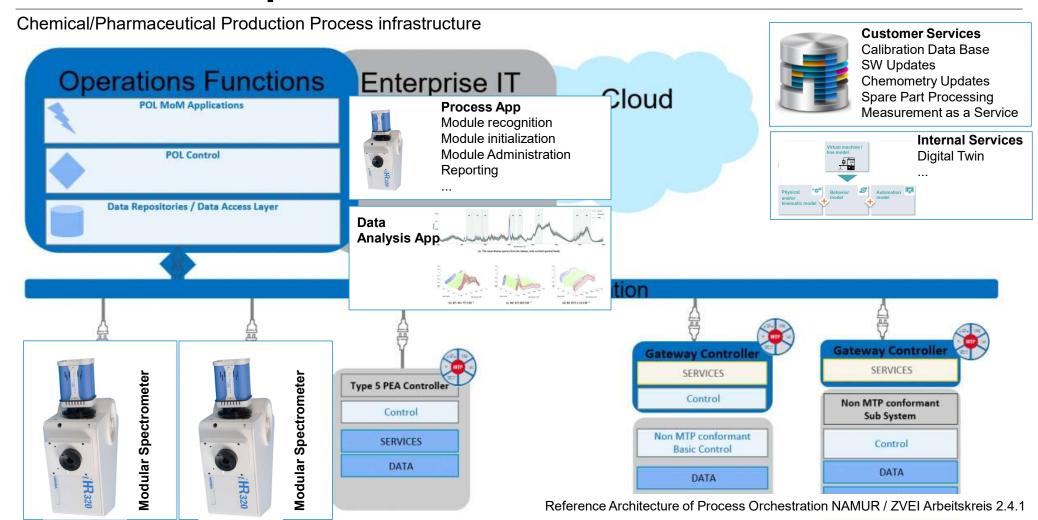
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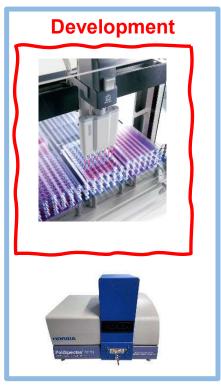
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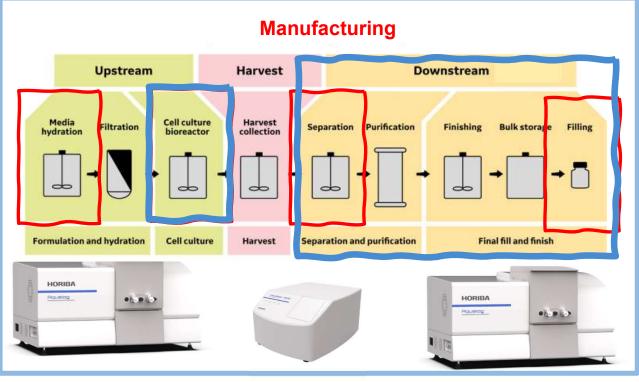
### **Reference Implementation**

MTP: Modul Type Package
POL: Process Orchestration Layer
PEA: Process Equipment Assembly
MoM: Manufacturing Operations Management



## Vertical (Dedicated) vs Horizontal (General) Products





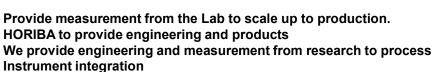


Raman Plate Reader



A-TEEM &
Process Raman

**ViewSizer** 



**A-TEEM** 

Rapica





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## How to get from then to now

### As critical, if not more critical than the spectrometer

- Advanced sampling options
- Automation
- Automation software
- Standard Operating Procedures and Workflows
- Data analysis and integrity/compliance software
- .....and so many more things

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#### Partner & Collaborate & Grow

# Bolstering industrial process monitoring technologies through the acquisition of Process Instruments, Inc. in the United States

03.10.2023

This acquisition will expand business ventures by leveraging Process Instruments' industrial process instrument business oriented primarily around refinery and petrochemistry solutions in the United States and HORIBA's global sales network.

The integration of Process Instruments' robust devices and data analysis capabilities cultivated in oil markets with HORIBA's lineup of highly accurate spectroscopy solutions is expected to realize the high-precision real-time monitoring that has typically been difficult to achieve in industrial processes. Even outside of the oil industry, we will create new value in process monitoring for pharmaceutical, material, and other such sectors, with the goal of accelerating our growth in these important markets.



Left: Jai Hakhu, HORIBA Instruments Incorporated / Right: Lee M Smith,

#### **Clinical**

#### Potentially most difficult translation of all

- With all due respect it's relatively easy to get some funding the rest is hard
- Work backwards from the ultimate desired solution (base grants on this)
- Understand not just the problem properly but the <u>acceptable</u> solution
- One doctor is easy to convince, many are not
- Clinical trials are bloody expensive
- 10-year minimum PoC requirement in medical
- FDA etc. regulatory requirements are a business killer
- Just because Raman and A-TEEM are cool doesn't mean it should be used when there are established or cheaper even less reliable(?) options
- Insurance who will pay for this?
- There is some great work being done with spectroscopy in biomedical but there is also a lot of funded terrible work out there



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