

The Future of Finished Vehicle Logistics

Technology for a new era of automotive

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ECG Alumni Meeting – Efficiency through Technology

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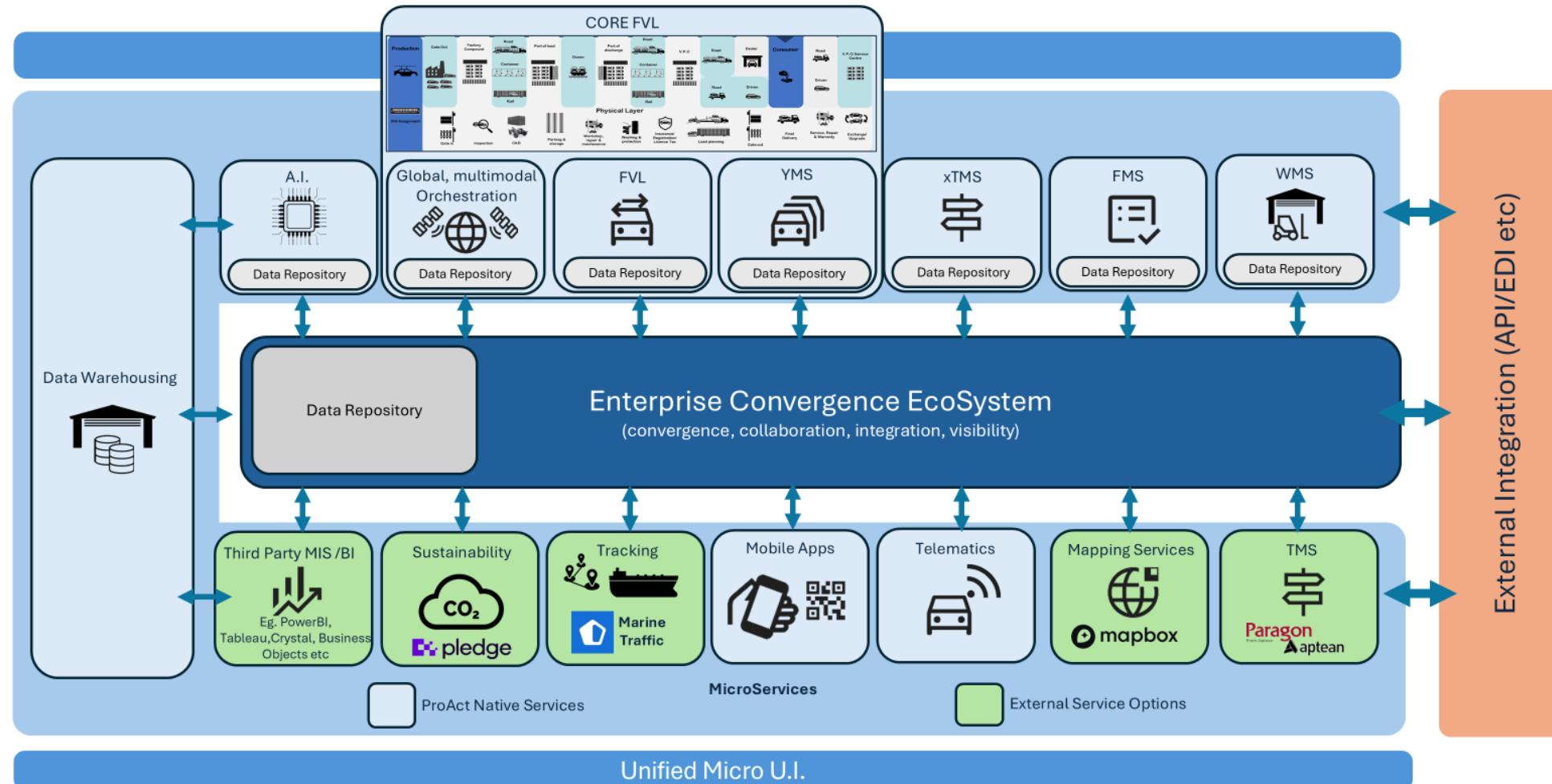


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Overview ProAct Software Solutions

Complimentary Digital Services



Definition - efficiency through technology?

1. Efficiency = Maximum output with minimum input - highest possible output using the least amount of time, effort, and cost.

2. Technology improves productivity and reduces waste

- Reduce manual labor and automation
- Minimize human error
- Speed up processes
- Optimize resource allocation
- These gains allow companies to produce more with fewer inputs, strengthening their competitive position.

3. Efficiency is also about energy & resource optimization

- An efficient system minimizes waste (e.g., unnecessary movements, battery checking -telematics)

4. Efficiency through Technology = Automation + Data + Smart Decision-Making :

- Automation eliminates repetitive tasks, cuts costs, and speeds up operations (e.g invoicing, automated alerts)
- Data & AI and analytics optimize planning, forecasting, and decision-making, improving outcomes across the supply chain and customer service
- Optimization Tools Cloud computing, IoT, and smart systems enhance real-time monitoring

Automation and Flexibility: A Contradiction?

Automation enhances flexibility if:

- Processes are modular and easy to adjust
- Rules and workflows can be updated without heavy IT work (authorised and trained persons)
- Real-time data enables quick decisions
- Humans handle exceptions while automation stabilizes routine work

Automation limiting flexibility if:

- Systems are rigid, hard-coded, or built only for “happy-path” cases
- Frequent changes require technical intervention
- The process has many exceptions automation can’t handle



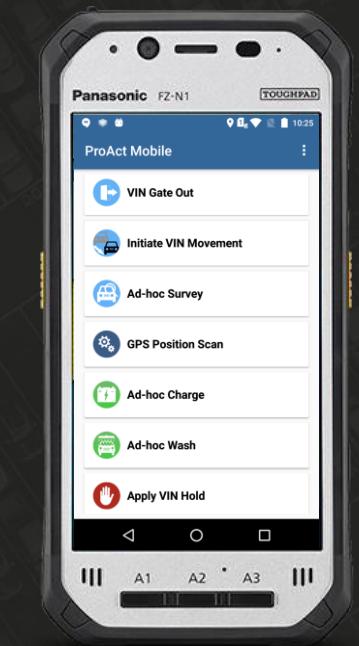
With the right software solution automation creates efficiency and stability – and gives people more capacity to be flexible, creative, and adaptive.

Efficiency enabled through Technology

Example Compound / Terminal



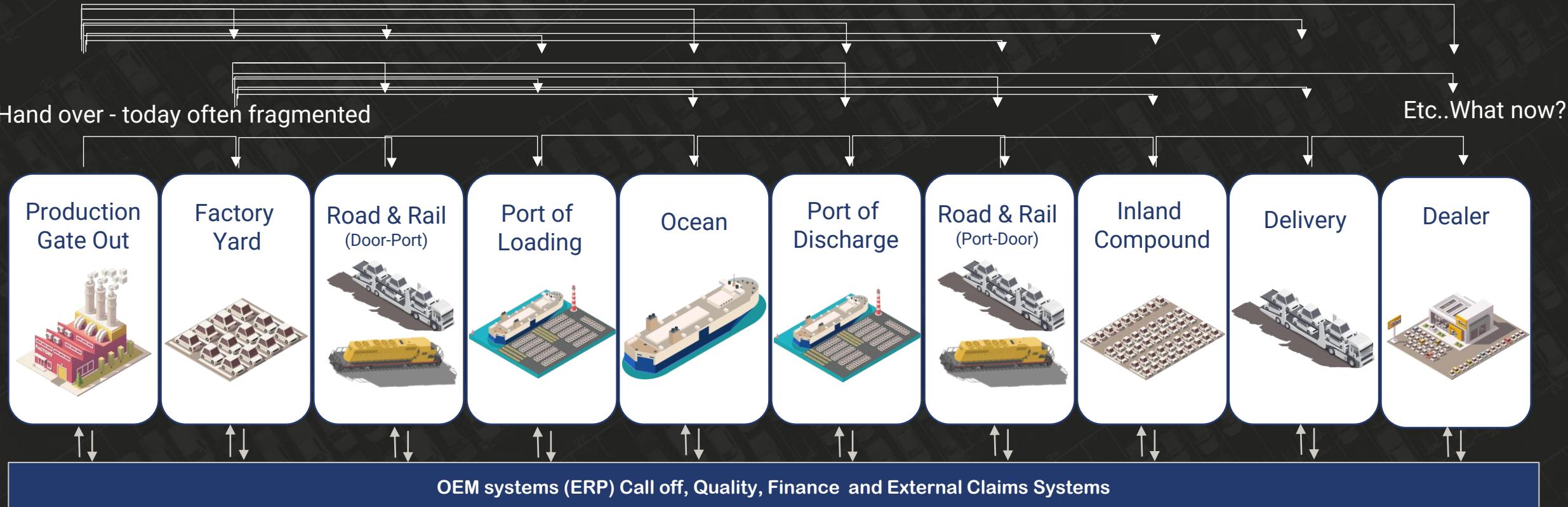
- Automatic pre - arrival information
- Automatic surveys and accessory Check
- Damage process and claims management process with automatic alerts and reports
- Parking rules
- Telematics – tyre pressure, battery level to trigger automatic processes
- Invoicing – charge matching – self-billing
- E-Document creation and automatic sending to respective parties
- Automatic load planning
- Truck slot booking system
- KPI Measurement - efficiency – No. of moves per day, terminal utilisation, re-parking moves, no. of cars processed, Call off until ready for pick up etc....
- ...many other software applications



Complexity of FVL Supply Chain

Planning, Management and Execution

Ideally



Fragmentation challenges the overall efficiency of the FVL supply chain

Everyone tries to work efficiently within their own silo /control – often not in alignment with each other.

- May result in gaps, delays, and conflicting priorities across the end-to-end process.
- Each party drives own efficiency and optimizes their own KPIs, not the full chain
- Information flow is slow, inconsistent, or incomplete
- Responsibilities are separated without shared visibility
- KPI's and Service Levels agreed per logistics provider
 - KPI's stop at hand-over points
 - Start with next provider - creating a gap which leads to inefficiency

Even if each party works efficient, a fragmented supply chain can make the supply chain inefficient.

Success requires shared KPIs, connected data, and aligned processes – How?

ProAct Control Tower

OEM systems, Call off, Quality, Finance, Claims Systems



Control Tower Solution - End to End - Integrated Planning, Management and Execution - KPI's Reports – Communication and Alerts



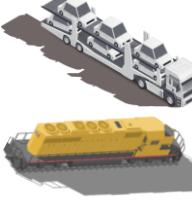
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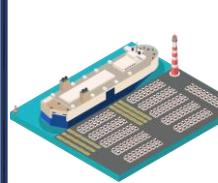
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Road & Rail
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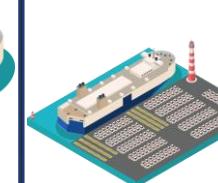
Port of
Loading



Ocean



Port of
Discharge



Road & Rail
(Port-Door)



Storage
Yard



Delivery



Dealer



Technology Layer

GPS



Mobile
Application / Scanning



EDI



API



Automatic Alerts &
Reports



Telematics

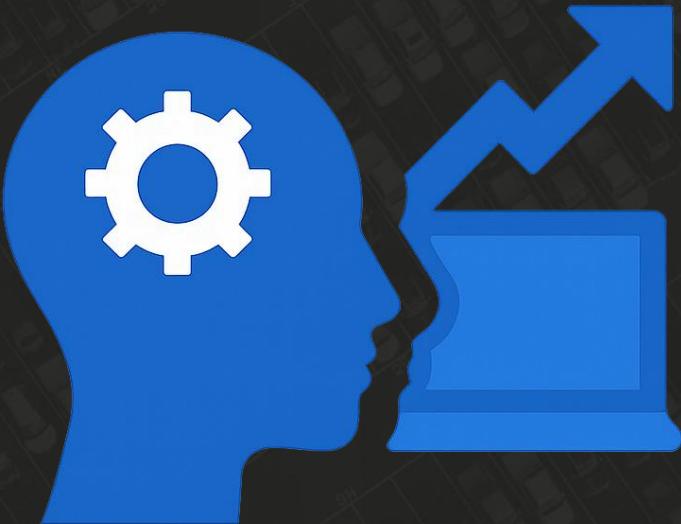


Challenges to make the FVL Supply Chain efficient

- A control tower solution covers one customer - OEM or logistics provider - only
- Who drives efficiency at the hand over points if two or more parties are involved?
- Efficiency for one party may create inefficiency for another party
- How are the benefits from the gained efficiency shared?
- Even if there is communication – sharing information across the parties – do they have the technology to process and plan with the information available?
- What is the incentive? Do they care as long as they meet their KPI's and work efficient in their operation ?
- Technology is not the limiting factor – everything is possible in theory
- People and companies are the limiting factor

Technology - Impact on skills

- Digital skills become core to all roles
- Data literacy needed for informed decisions
- Technology literacy to make needed changes
- Strong digital communication & collaboration essential
- Continuous learning becomes a must
- Automation shifts focus to problem-solving & creativity
- Growing importance of ethical & responsible tech use
- Opportunity to attract new talent to the industry - keep and develop existing talent
- How to keep the knowledge if you do not need it daily



Summary - How to improve efficiency through technology in the FVL Supply Chain

- Drive use of technology to automate your operation and work efficient
- Digitalize workflows and automate decision making
- End to End approach - enhance the scope and work towards shared KPIs, connected data, information sharing and aligned processes – Collaboration
- Enabled through the right flexible technology
- Executed through skilled people – digital mindset