



Technology

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Technology – At a glance

Key aspects

- ▶ 6,650 R&D staff worldwide at 17 R&D centers and additional locations in 19 countries
- ▶ Unrivalled experience and expertise in product and systems development
- ▶ State-of-the-art R&D and testing facilities
- ▶ Widespread network of partners and co-operations

Selected Innovation Awards

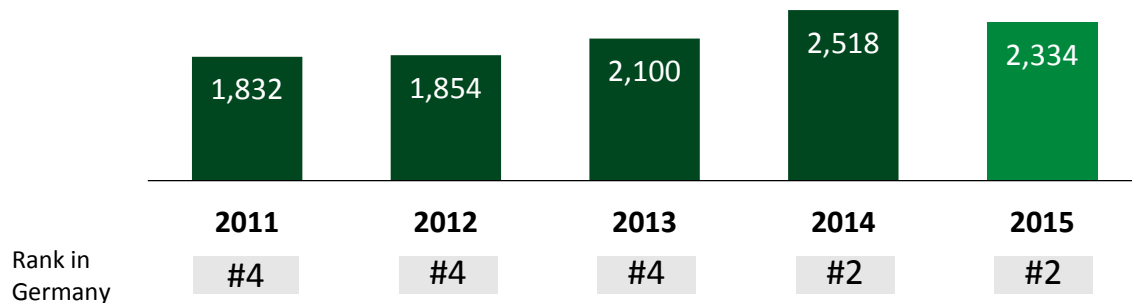
- ▶ **PACE-Award** (Torque Converter with Centrifugal Pendulum Absorber)
- ▶ **Innovation of the Year** (E-Wheel Drive)
- ▶ **Eurobike Award** (FAG-VELOMATIC)
- ▶ **German Innovation Prize 2016** (Anti-roll stabilizer)
- ▶ **Greentec Award 2016** (E-clutch)



German Innovation Award 2016

Best-in-class innovation platform

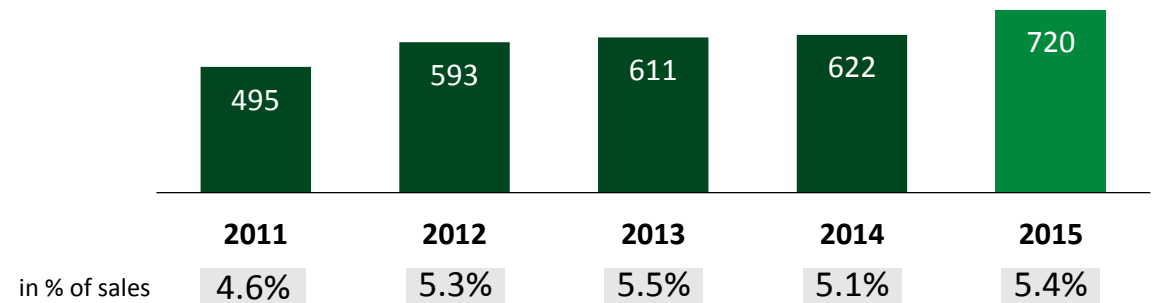
No. of patents registered¹⁾



¹⁾ German Patent and Trademark Office

R&D expenditure

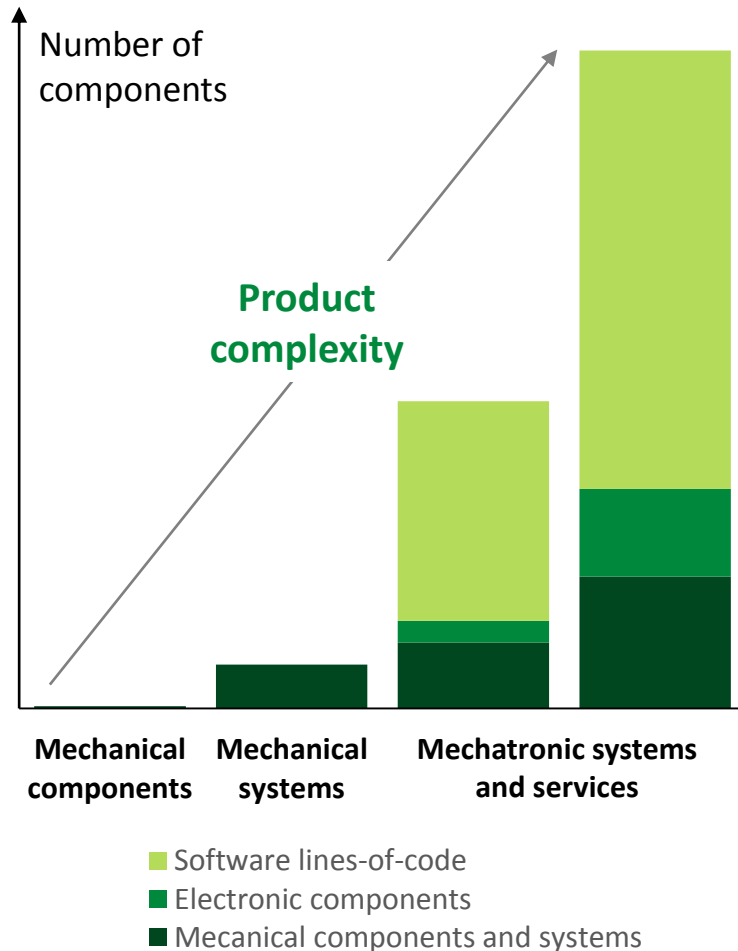
EUR mn





Increasing complexity and digitalization

Increasing complexity



Digitalization

907
Billions US\$

annual global investments for Industry 4.0 in 2020. 50% Software, 30% Hardware and 20% Education.

Source: PwC, 2016

10
times

more globally generated data in 2020 compared to 2013.

Source: EMC, 2014

90
percent

of decisions are data controlled in 2020 compared to 52% in 2016.

Source: PwC, 2016

82
percent

Digital added value in Germany in 2020 (33 % in 2016).

Source: PwC, 2016

4.1
percent

Annular efficiency increase by Industry 4.0 in Germany till 2020.

Source: PwC, 2016

Our strategic concept "Mobility for tomorrow"

Key mega trends

Society trends

- ▶ Urbanization
- ▶ Population growth

Technology trends

- ▶ Increasing complexity
- ▶ Digitalization

Environmental trends

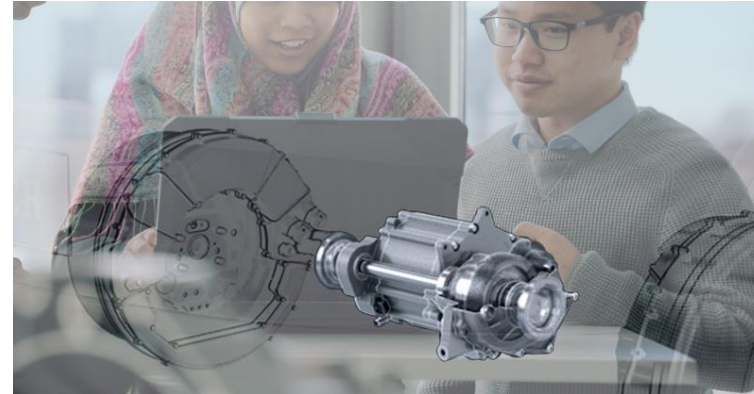
- ▶ Renewable energies
- ▶ Availability of resources

Economic trends

- ▶ Globalization
- ▶ Affordability

4 focus areas

Eco-friendly drives



Urban mobility



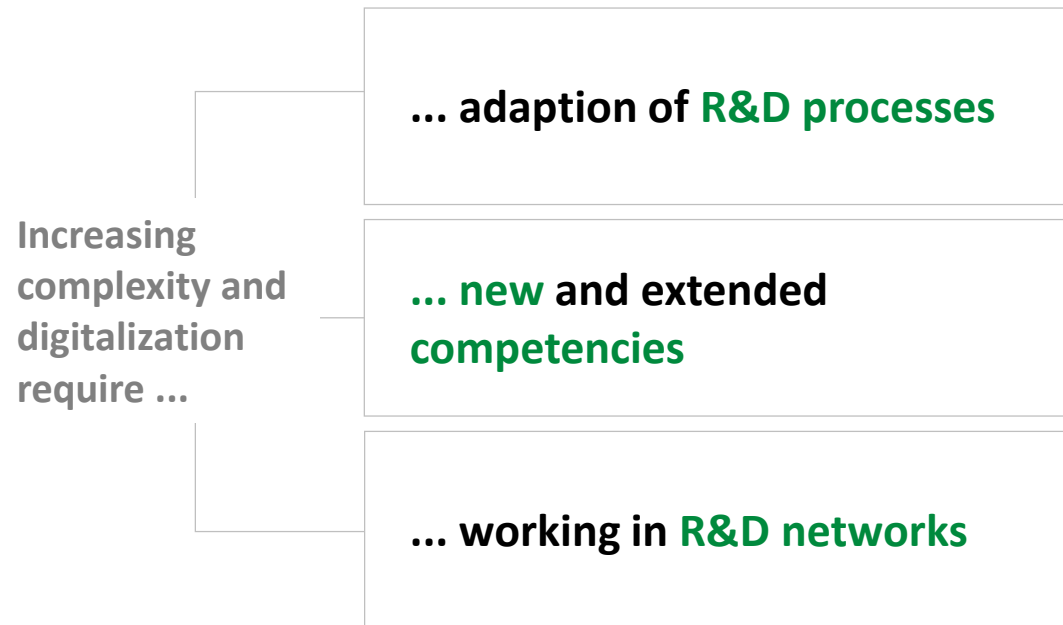
Interurban mobility



Energy chain



Key challenges...



... and how we meet them

- 1 **Early identification of trends**
 - 2 **Mechanical, electronical and software know-how**
 - 3 **Strong global network of partnerships and collaborations**
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1 Early identification of trends – Deep systems understanding and component knowledge

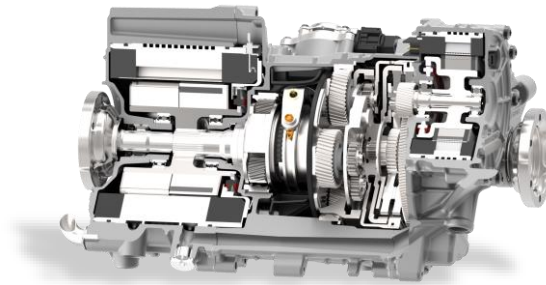
Deep understanding of application and systems environment



- ▶ We understand the end customers' needs
- ▶ We understand our customers' requirements
- ▶ We understand the application environment for our systems

Advanced Research

Understanding and development of systems



- ▶ We are an early-stage development partner
- ▶ We develop solutions for the mobility for tomorrow
- ▶ We deliver high-quality, cost-efficient solutions

Research & Development

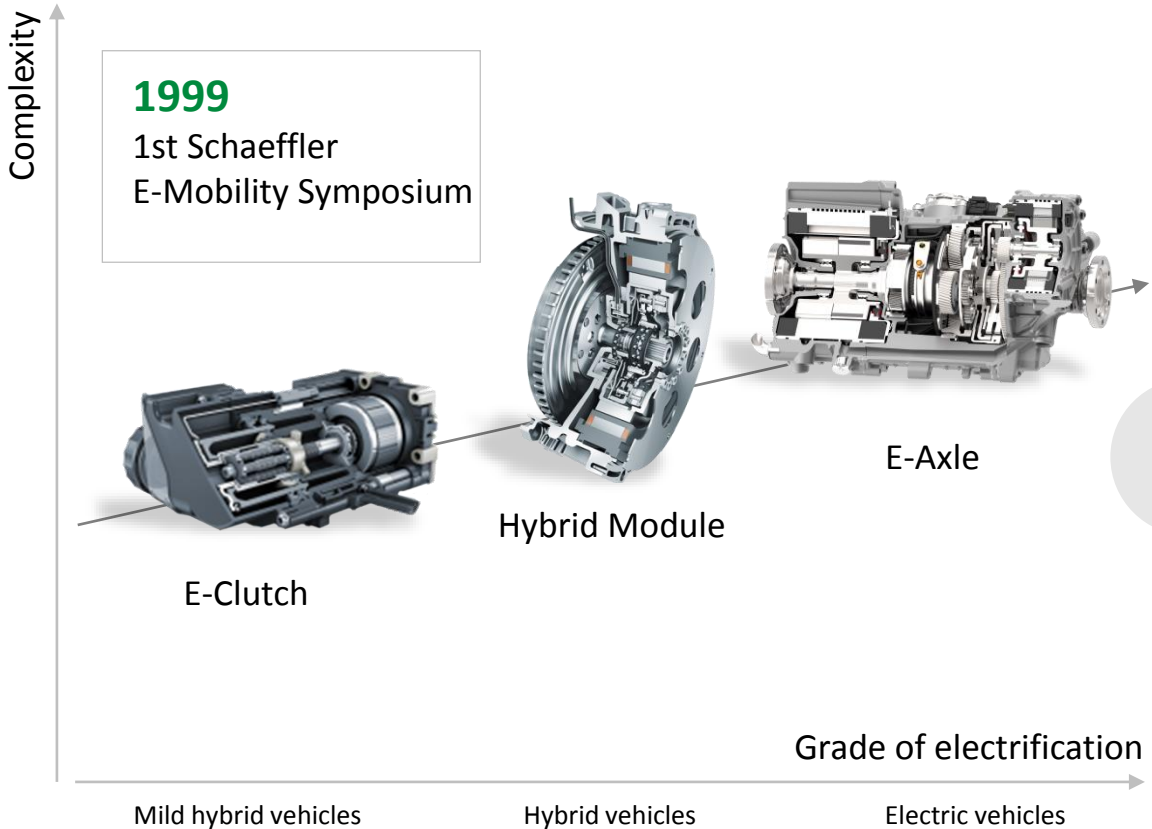
Continuous component optimization down to the last detail



- ▶ We have unique and broad components expertise
- ▶ We continuously optimize our components
- ▶ We deliver high-quality, cost-effective designs

1 Early identification of trends – Example: E-Mobility

Early build-up of E-Mobility expertise



**Initiation within Corporate R&D Department,
then transfer to R&D Automotive Division**

Next steps



Initiation within Corporate R&D Department

Mechatronics and software

- ▶ Electronics and software know-how already in-house
- ▶ Pilot solutions
- ▶ Prototype electrics and electronics



Today: 1,200 employees

Digitized business models and analytics

- ▶ Digitized use cases
- ▶ Smart products
- ▶ Smart processes

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DIGITAL AGENDA

2020: 1,200 additional employees

3 Strong global network of partnerships and collaborations

Organizations

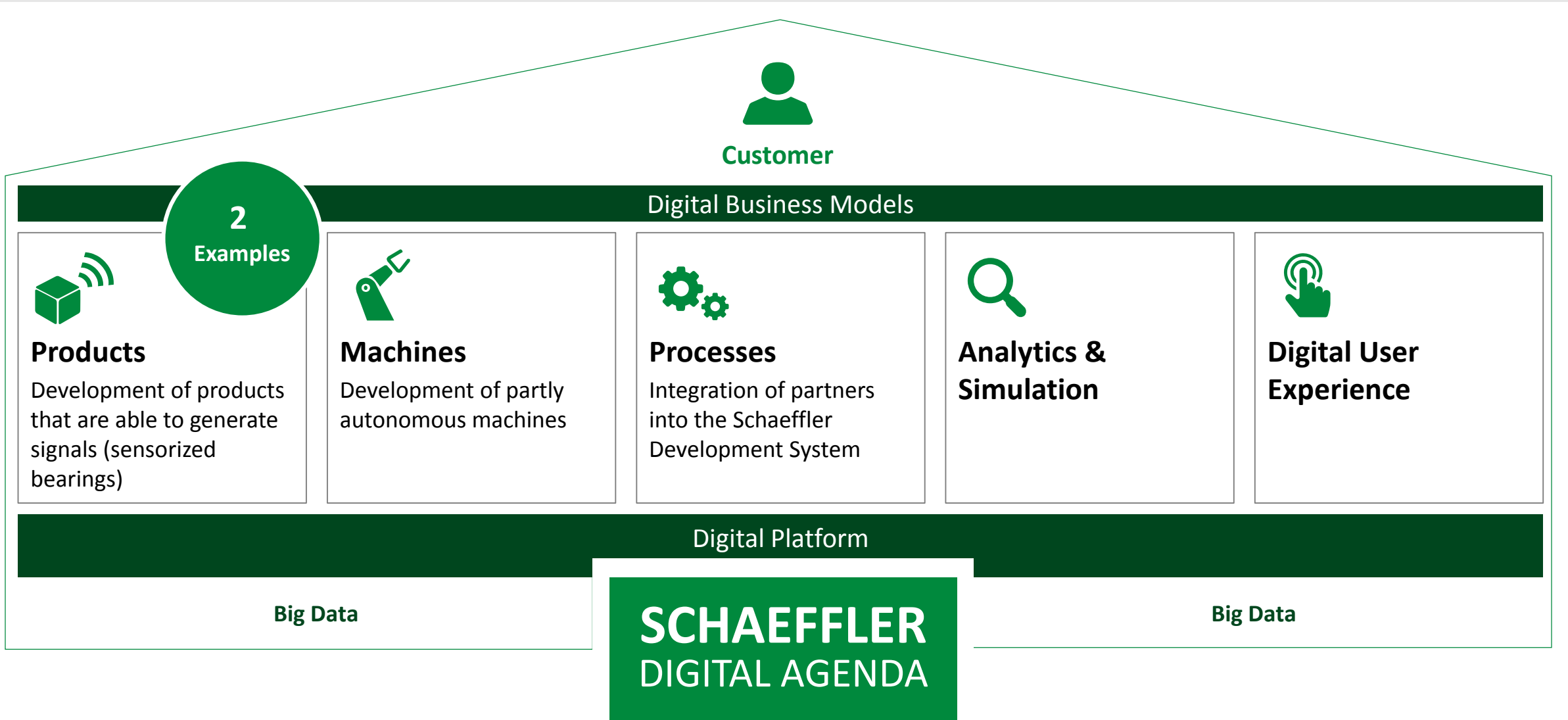


Universities



Highlights

- ▶ Creation of "Schaeffler Hub for Automotive Research in E-Mobility" at the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology with around 60 engineers
- ▶ More than 30 publicly funded research projects in Germany alone
- ▶ Partnership research with renowned Tongji University in Shanghai focusing on China-specific technologies since 2006
- ▶ Numerous research collaborations working on topics around digitalization

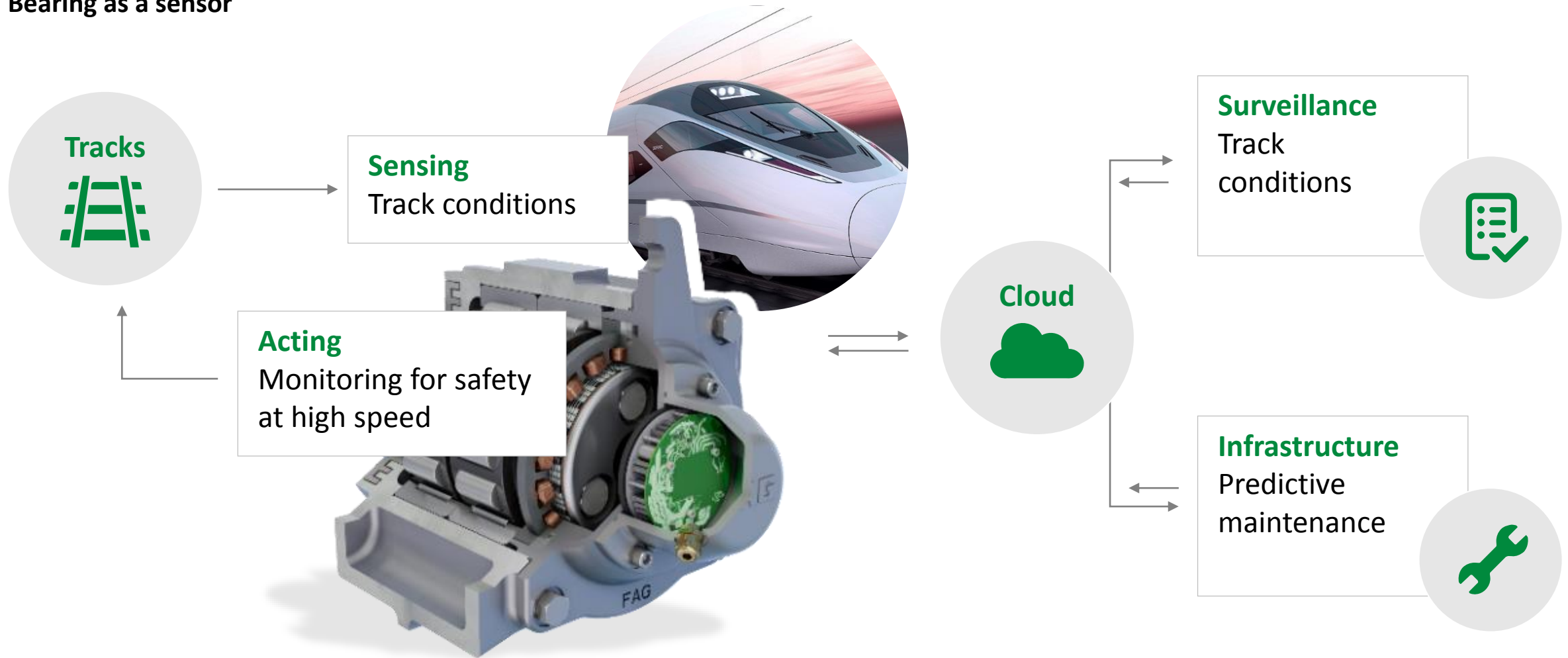


New products with architecture for networked driving applications

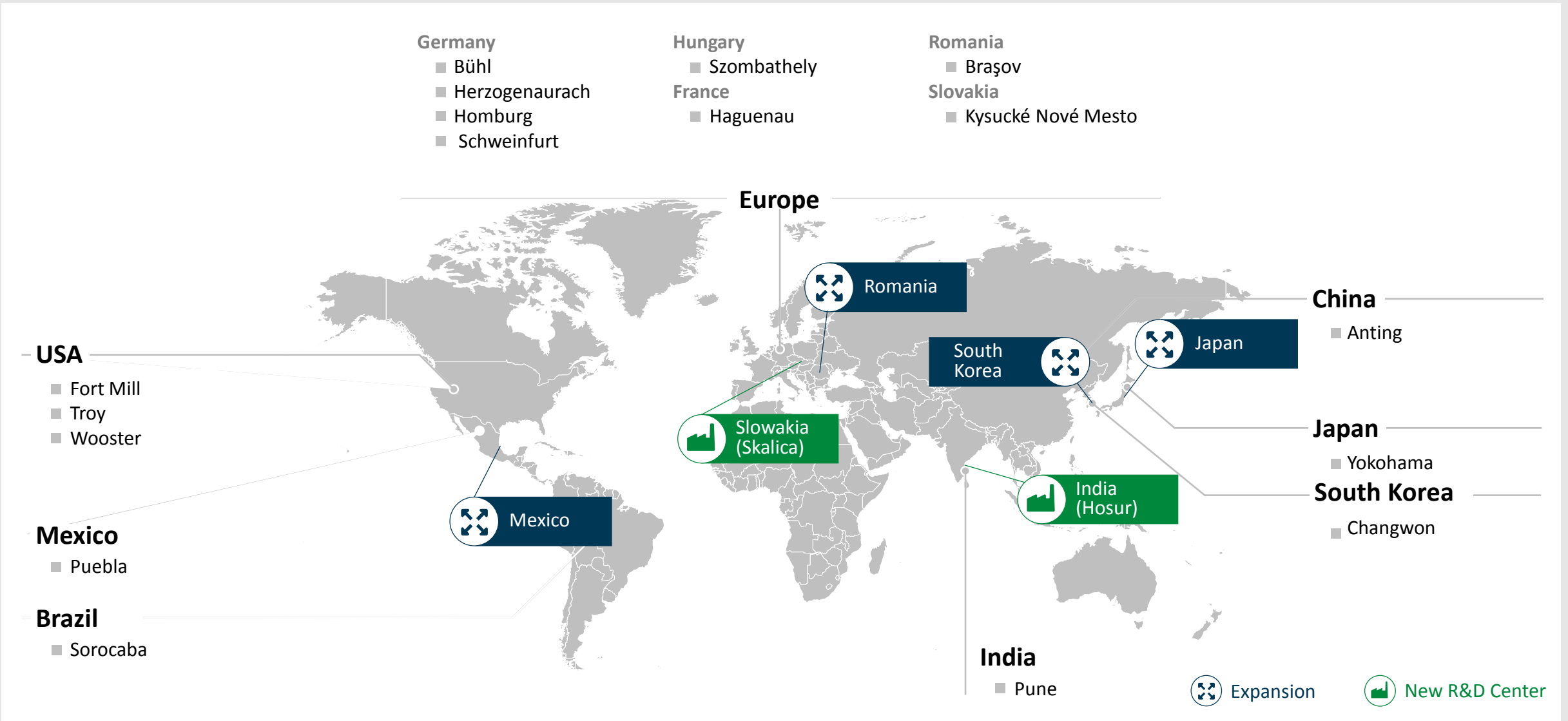
Anti-roll stabilizer



Bearing as a sensor

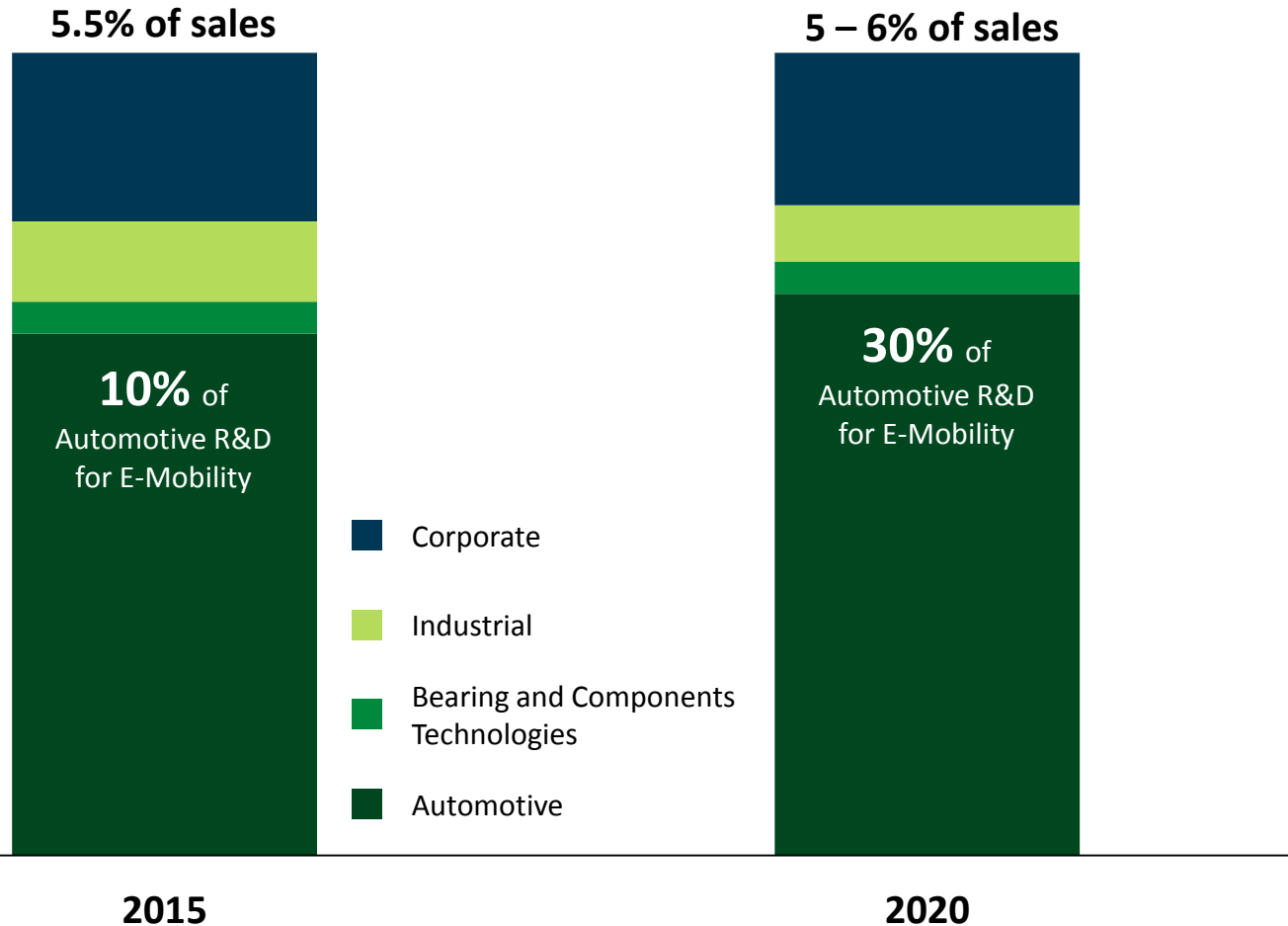


6 new or extended R&D centers until 2020



R&D expenditures in percent of sales expected to remain stable

R&D expenses



Key aspects

- ▶ Total R&D spending expected to remain at 5 to 6% of sales
- ▶ R&D spending for E-Mobility will increase from 10% to 30% of total Automotive R&D (EUR 500 mn accumulated from 2016 to 2020)
- ▶ R&D spending in Industrial and Bearing and Components Technologies will shift from hardware design to mechatronics and software driven solutions
- ▶ 1,200 additional employees in R&D and manufacturing of mechatronics, hybrid technologies and e-mobility to be hired until 2020

1 R&D for **E-Mobility and environmentally friendly** solutions will be further enhanced

2 R&D for standard product business will shift to **mechatronics and software driven solutions**

3 Our **R&D ratio** is expected to remain **stable at 5 – 6% of sales** until 2020

4 With our Digital Agenda we are gradually becoming a **solution provider for digital business models**



**R&D
EXCELLENCE**