

Kapsch CarrierCom

# **Digitalization**

Viewpoints

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# Kapsch CarrierCom's scorecard

Leadership in Mission-critical communication



- > 164m Euro revenue (FY2017)
- > 627 employees (FY2017)
- > 6 R&D centers
- > 39 customers served
- > 17 core network references
- > 83.000 km access network
- > ~40% global market share
- > 17 ETCS Level 2 projects
- > 12 high-speed line projects

## Mission-critical Networks in 25 countries



Status December 2017

# Why Digitalization ?

*There needs to be more than technology*

## What railways want



**Increase  
capacity**

**Enhance customer  
experience**

**Improve  
competitiveness**

**Digitalization / Technology shall be the enabler to achieve the targets**

# Digitalization vs Investment cycle

*Different speeds are meeting*

## > Other industries have paved the way

- > Banking, Utilities, Telecommunication and many more leverage ICT
- > Aerospace introduced digital systems in the 1980s ⇒ 60% traffic increase
- > Urban Traffic has shown that a similar increase is achievable in rail

## > The Railway Industry is known for long and cyclical investments

- > This is not compatible with the current speed of Digitalization
- > Railways planned to update all their systems over the next 40 years
- > Competition as well as passenger/freight customers demand will reduce timing



# Touchpoints in Railways

Where Digitalization will matter

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challenging limits

**Traffic Management and  
Control Systems**

**Internet of Things**

**Rolling stock**

**Shunting**

**Infrastructure  
operation**

**Operation  
center**

**Workforce  
management**

**Cybersecurity**



# Communication backbone

*Enabling technology for all industries*

## 1 ERTMS / eGPRS introduction

- ERTMS as the main pillar
- ATO discussed as well
- eGPRS as fundamental enabler

## 2 Seamless communication

- TETRA, DMR, GSM-R, VoIP
- Secondary line solutions
- Interworking and feature parity

## 3 Software Defined WAN

- Service-oriented architecture
- Minimized CAPEX & OPEX
- Increased network resilience

## 4 Internet of Things

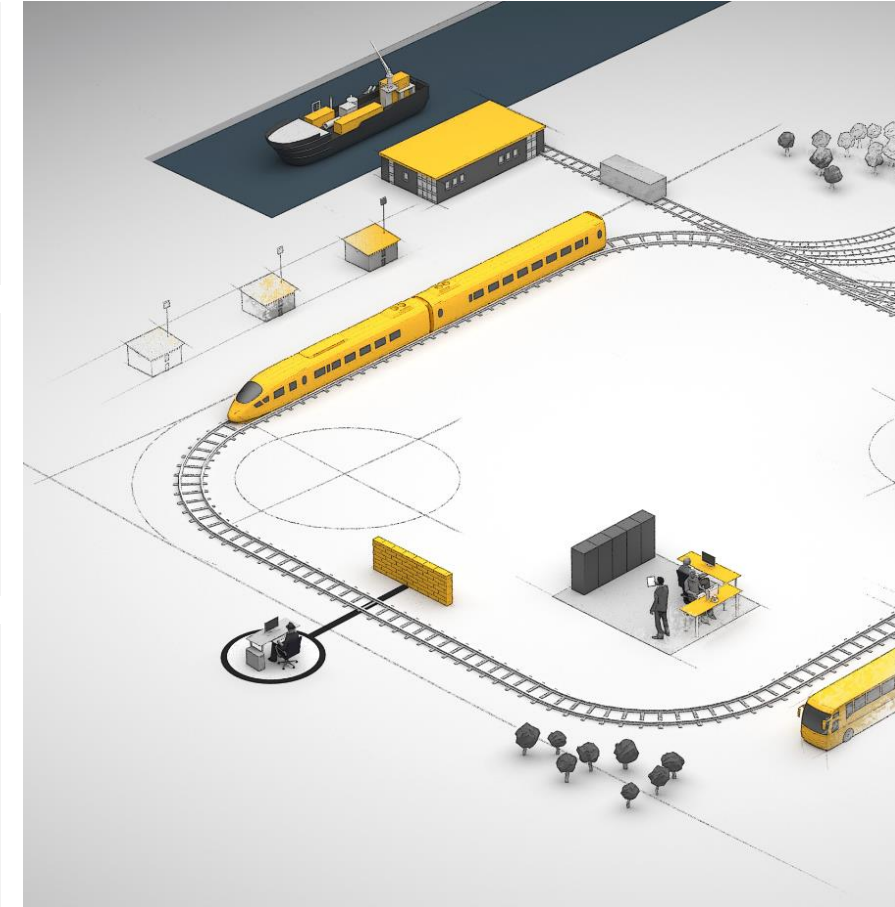
- LoRa solution + Analysis backend
- Unlicensed band communication
- Helps to optimize your assets

## 5 Cybersecurity

- Protecting the 'mission-critical'
- Complying to regulations
- Solution portfolio available

## 6 Network Function Virtualization

- ETSI NFV Architecture Framework
- From Silo to Data Center
- Leveraging IT in Telco





# Thank you

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