

# BIM2TWIN

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## OPTIMAL CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT & PRODUCTION CONTROL

- European project funded by the Horizon 2020 framework program
- Duration 42 months: 1 November 2020 to 31 May 2023
- Consortium of 17 companies and technology centers from France, England, Finland, Italy, Germany, Denmark and Israel.



## OBJECTIVE

*to build a Digital Building Twin (DBT) platform for construction management that implements lean principles to reduce operational waste of all kinds, shortening schedules, reducing costs, enhancing quality and safety*

## Academics



## Research & Technology centres



## IT Firms



## Contractor



## Engineering



## Tech transfer



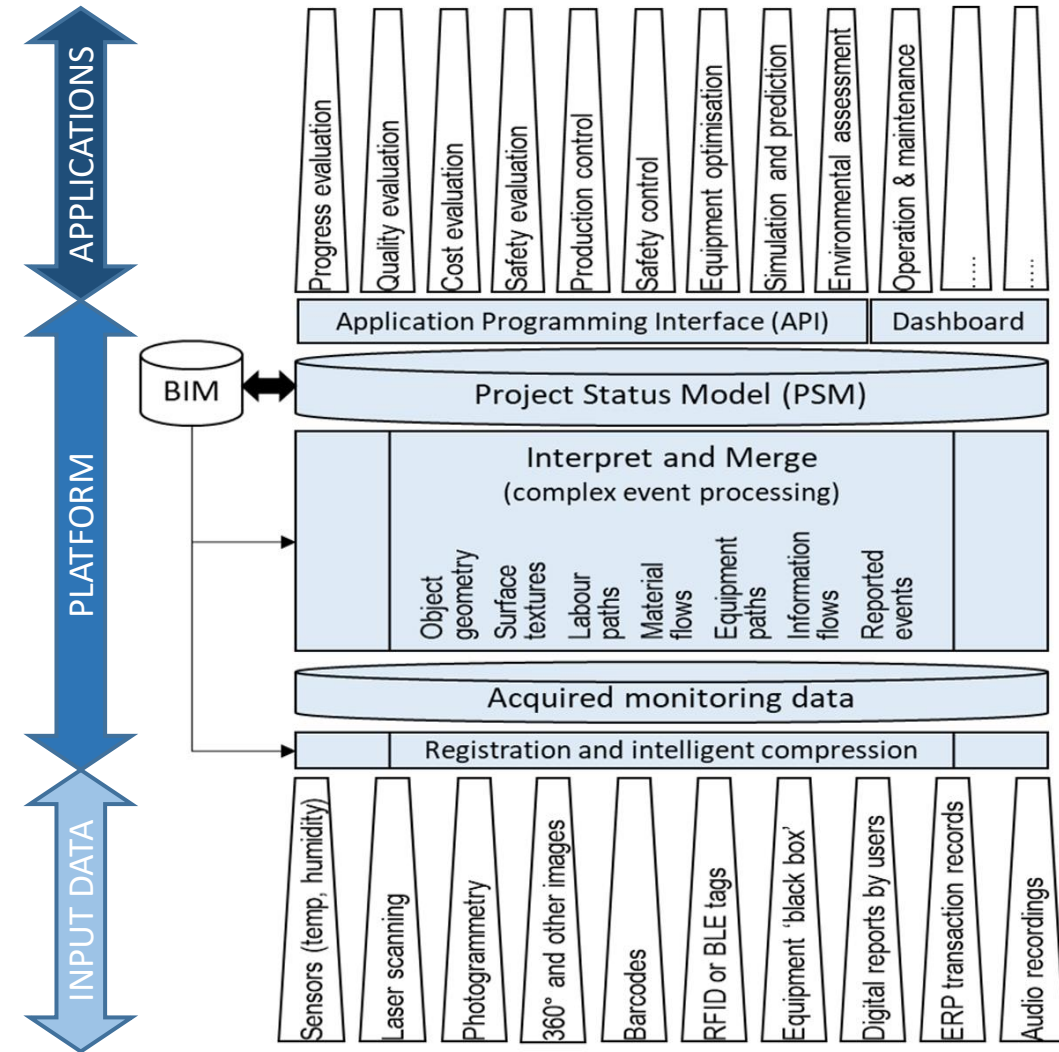
## Construction tech startup



Project structure of technical Work Packages according to the different functionalities and services of the platform:

## PROJECT DOMAINS

- Progress Monitoring & quality control:
  - For volumetric building
  - For surface & textural work
- Occupational Safety & Health of workers
- Equipment optimization
- Production planning



Progress monitoring and quality control of the execution in terms of spatial properties (volumetry)

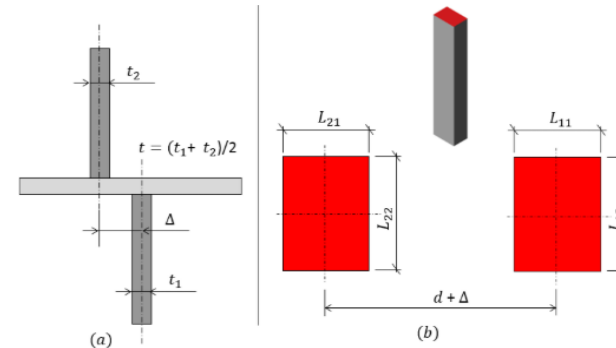
- Point clouds & Set of 2D images to reconstruct volume
- Comparison – As-built X As-planned / As-designed
- Deviations in the geometry or position of elements.

## PROGRESS MONITORING

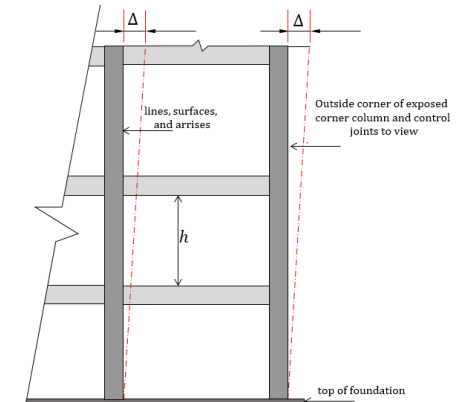


## QUALITY CONTROL

1) Axis Deviation



2) Verticality deviation (Plumb)



Authors: CSTB



Progress monitoring and quality control of the execution in terms of Surface Finish and Texture

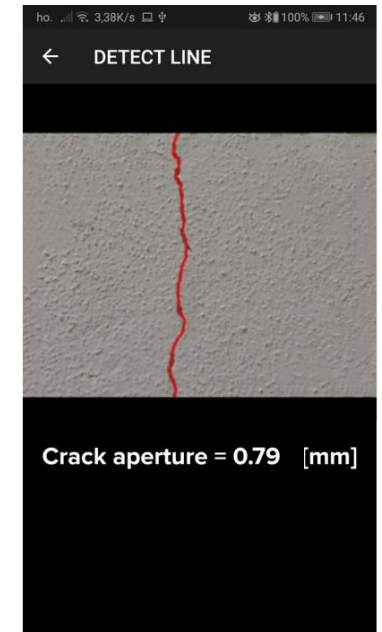
- 2D images
- Comparison – As-built X As-planned / As-designed
- Surface to be controlled by visual features (colour, texture, shape)

## PROGRESS MONITORING



Authors: TECNALIA

## QUALITY CONTROL



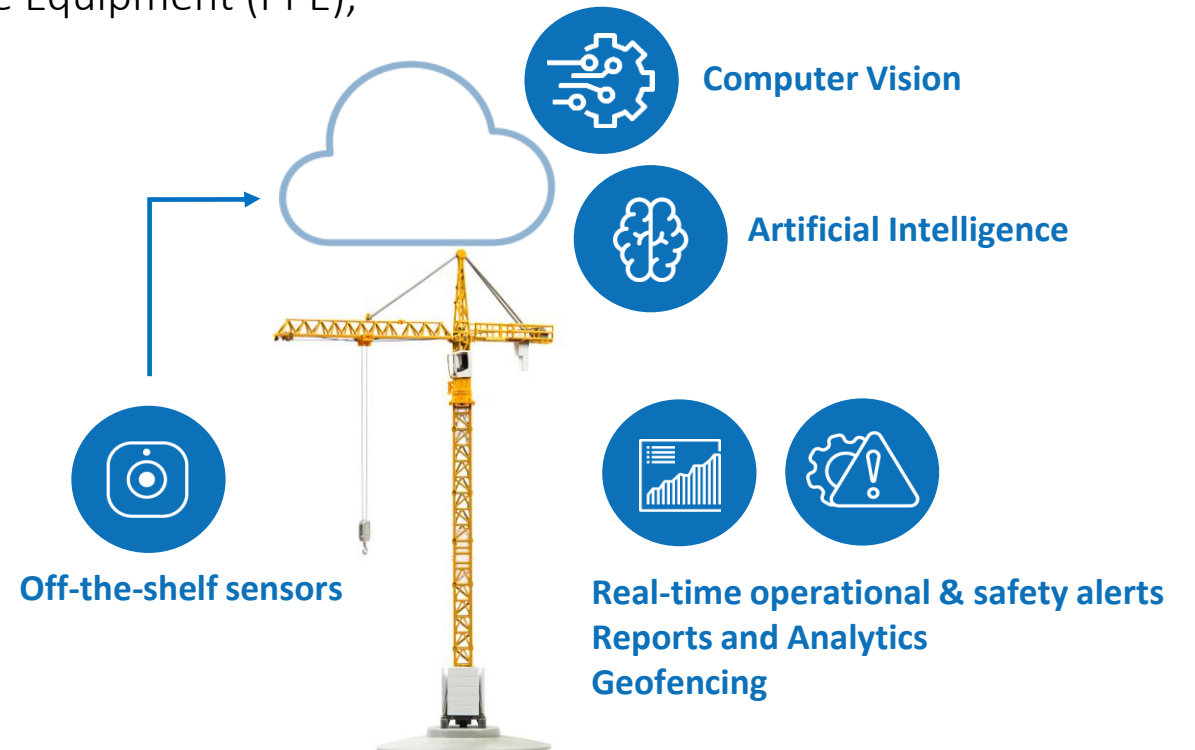
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Occupational Health and Safety on site of construction workers, detecting deviations in real time that may pose a risk. Achieved through system of prevention, including for example:

- Identification of workers not wearing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE),
- Conformance checking of guardrails and platforms,
- Real time detection of hazard situations on site.



Object detection



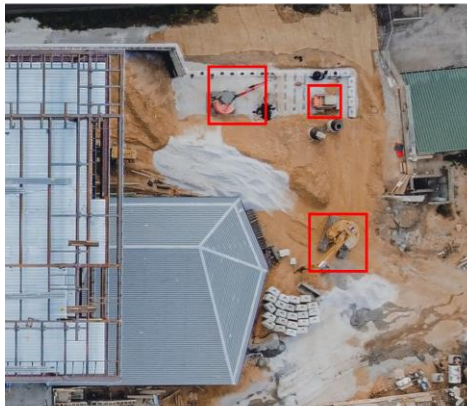


Optimization of construction site management through machinery use, real-time situation monitoring, planning/forecasting of movement flows and usage time.

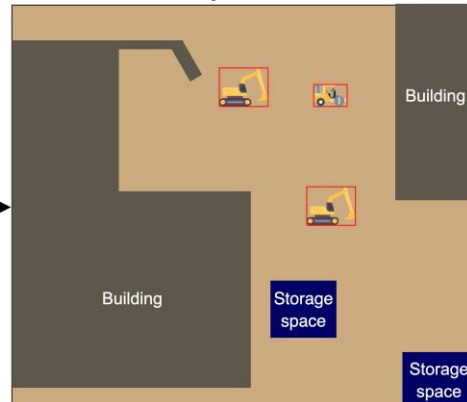
- Control the location, activity and status of machinery in real time to optimize its use on site.
- Optimize flows and machinery movement
- Prevent clashes with worker and avoid crane load traffic

## 1. Position

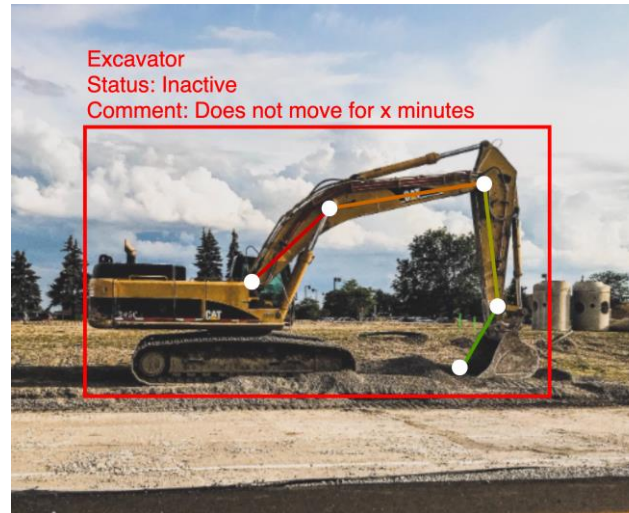
Detect machines



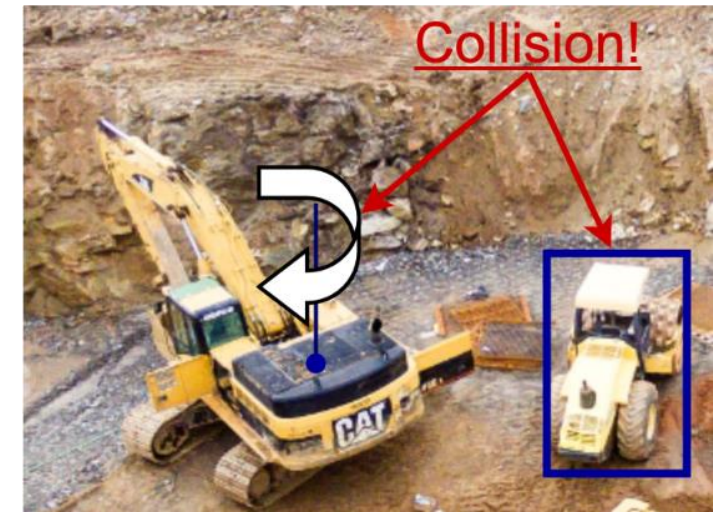
Digital construction  
site map



## 2. Status



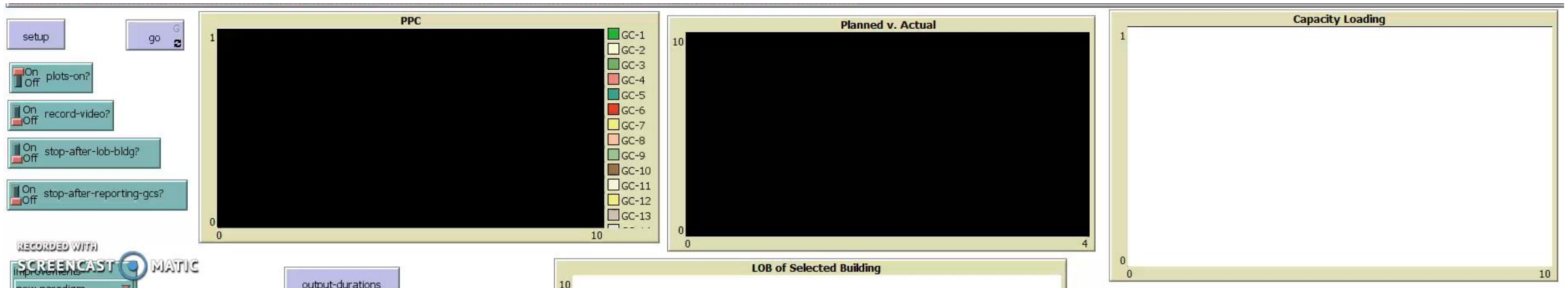
## 3. Movement





Advanced planning management based on lean principles

- Capture real time situation from construction site to react and optimize the workflow
- Predict the impact of certain decisions on site planning
- Simulate planning alternatives based on current status, performance and equipment behavior.



- Demonstration phase to test and evaluate the BIM2TWIN platform in real construction environments
- Validation of end-user requirements, and recommendations of the ways in which DBT models can be used.
- Collection of raw data to train algorithms

## MAIN CHALLENGES

- Access construction sites and install monitoring equipment while deploying privacy measures
- Fitting schedule of available construction sites with the project's plan
- Projects and construction sites do not always fulfill the technical requirements for the implementation of the platform – e.g., not digitised sufficiently.





Integrate in a single DBT platform different construction management tools



Collect raw data from real construction environments to consolidate use cases



Test the platform, integrating monitoring technologies with management applications



Demonstrate platform operation and measurable impacts in real pilots



Develop exploitation pathways and business models for the DBT platform





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