

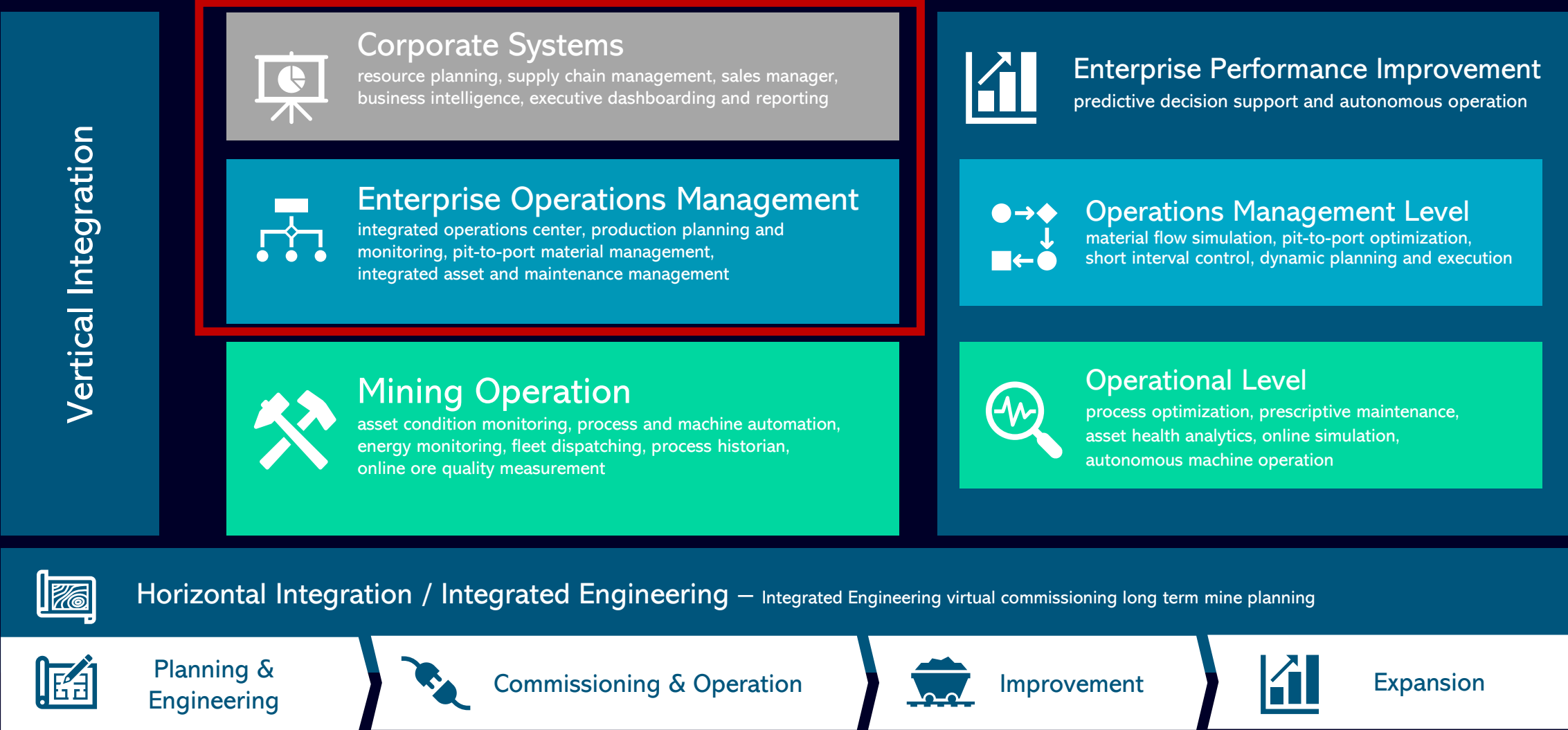


# Digitalization in Mining Industry

## - Pit to Port Optimization

# Minerals Digital Architecture Concept

Foundation for continuous improvement across the complete lifecycle





## Reference

### Vale GPV-M

Development and implementation of the new MES system in all units of iron ore and manganese for 38 sites.

Siemens executed the phases conception, implementation, integrated tests and assisted operation for

- Excavation
- Material Beneficiation
- Material Stock and Shipment

### Customer benefits

Integration of existing systems to automate the data extraction and transparent KPIs updated in real time.

Proven Customer value: Saving **US\$70 m up to 2020**

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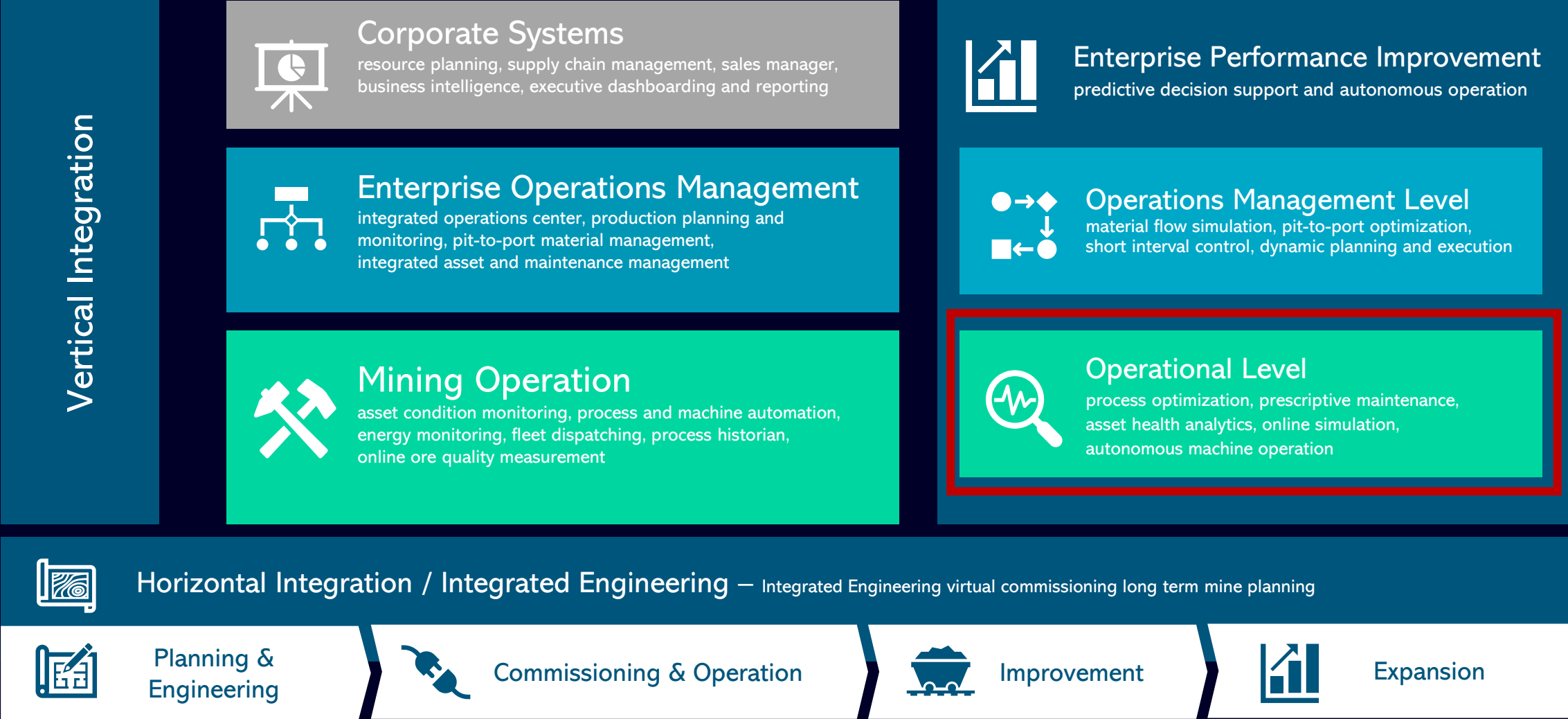
# Advanced Stockyard Management

17 stockyards Morocco wide, 21 reclaimer, 37 stacker, 11 central control rooms

- Real time material inventory
- Driver-/man- less machine operation
- Communication network, CCTV, Condition Monitoring
- Material and quality tracking and monitoring
- Material blending & separation
- Stacking/ reclaiming methods (Coneshell, Chevron...)
- 3D- stockyard model

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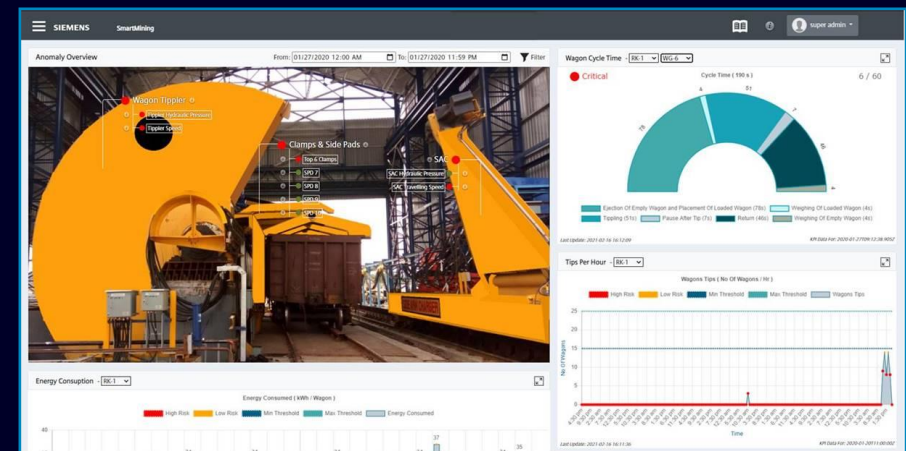




## Smart Mining references

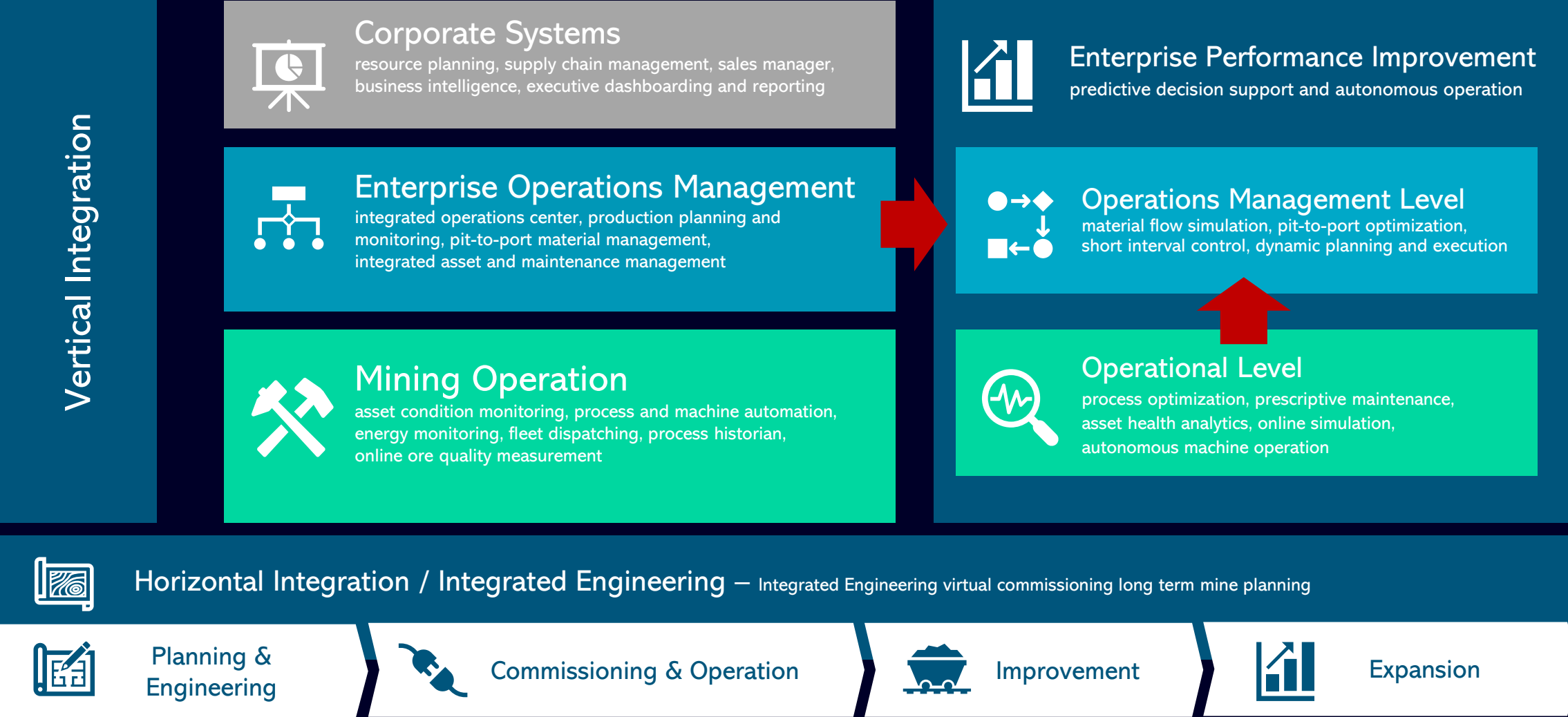
# AI Wagon Tippler

Utilization of machine learning algorithms for early detection of anomalies and mal-functioning on the tipping operations of wagons e.g. material handover from railway to terminals.



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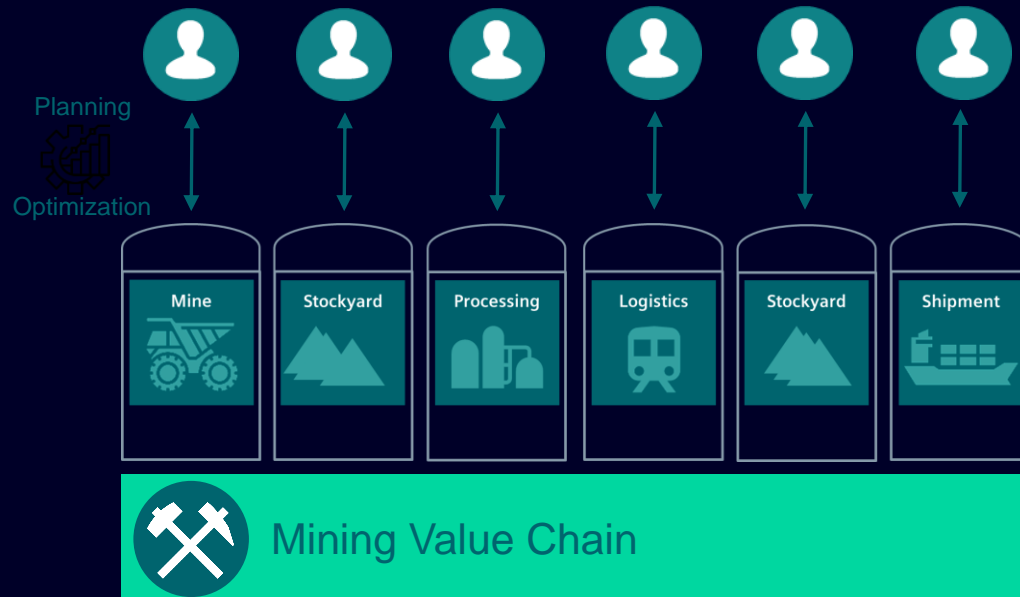
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# Just-in time Production is Everywhere, BUT not yet in Mining

## Current mining operations are managed in silos

- Mining production is decoupled from the purchase order
- Operations are planned individually and are decoupled
- Optimization initiatives focus on individual operations



## Current challenges in managing mining operations

Geology uncertainty in deposit affects product quality



Extreme climate conditions lead to short-term production shortage



Challenges of coordinating highly distributed operations make it difficult to meet delivery



Bottlenecks can lead to shortage of supply



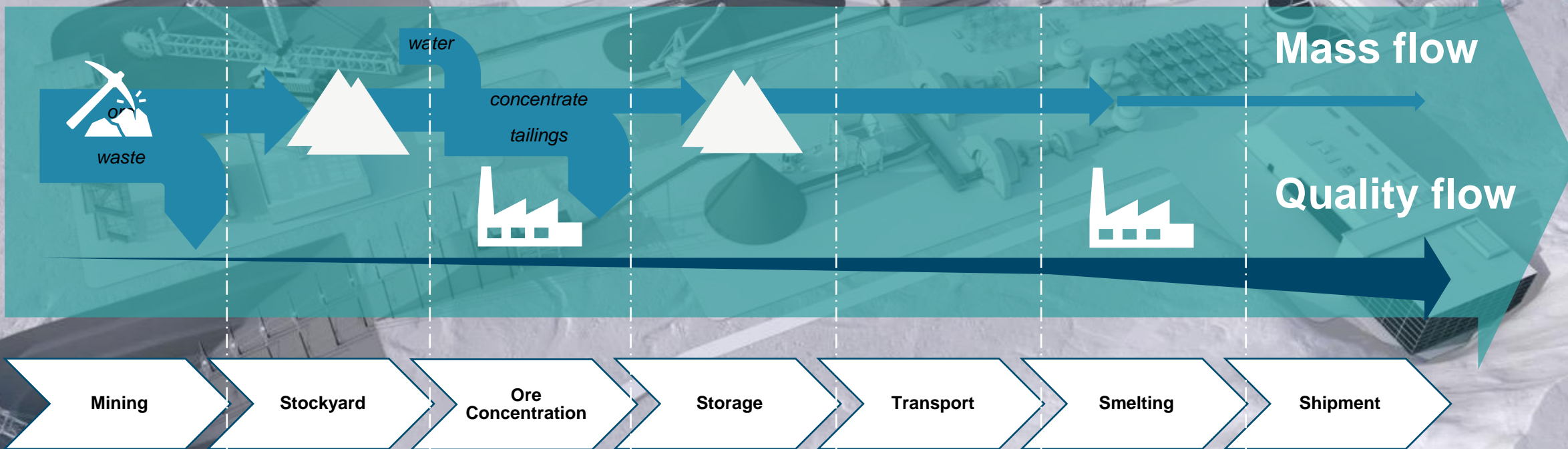
Volatility of commodity markets increases the pressure on mining companies to rethink the current management approach

# Understanding the material flow is the key to drive efficiency of mining value chain to the next level

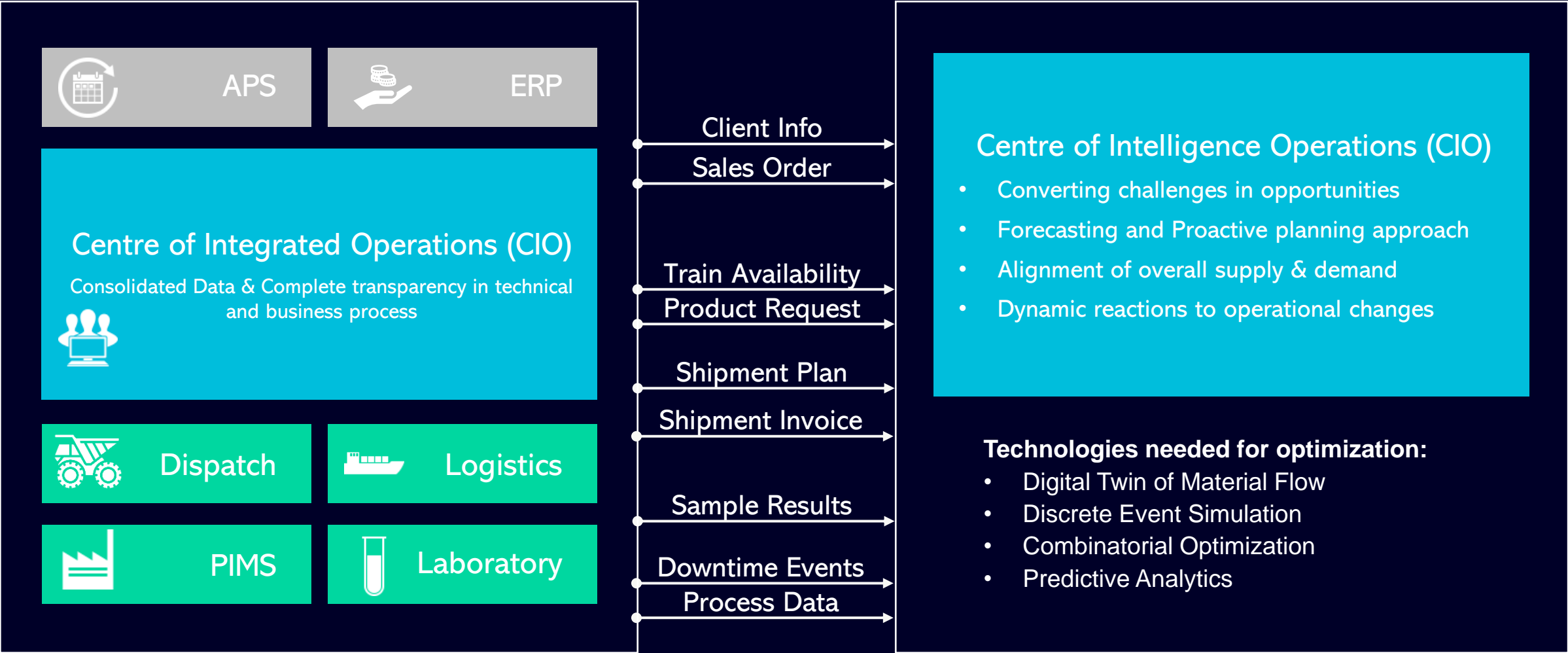
*Voice of Customer*



Material Flow in mining consists of different movements and storage along the value chain

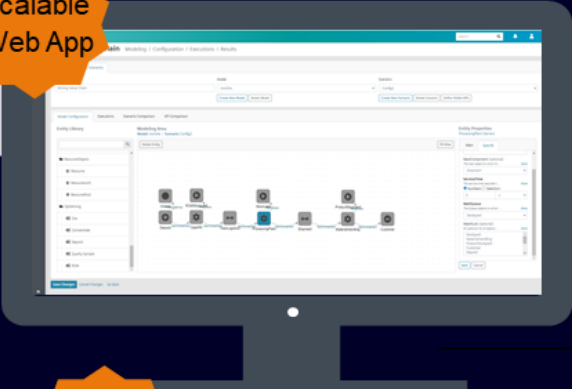


# From complete operational transparency to maximize global business excellence



# OptiMining Web App empowers miners to leverage optimization potentials along entire value chain

Scalable  
Web App



Open  
connectivity



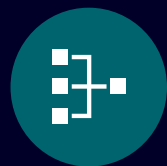
## Main Functionalities

Demand driven planning | Virtual test environment | Dynamic scheduling |  
Inventory forecasting | Shopfloor integration

## Potential optimization use cases



Deposit utilization



Supply chain mgmt.



Ore recovery



Price realization

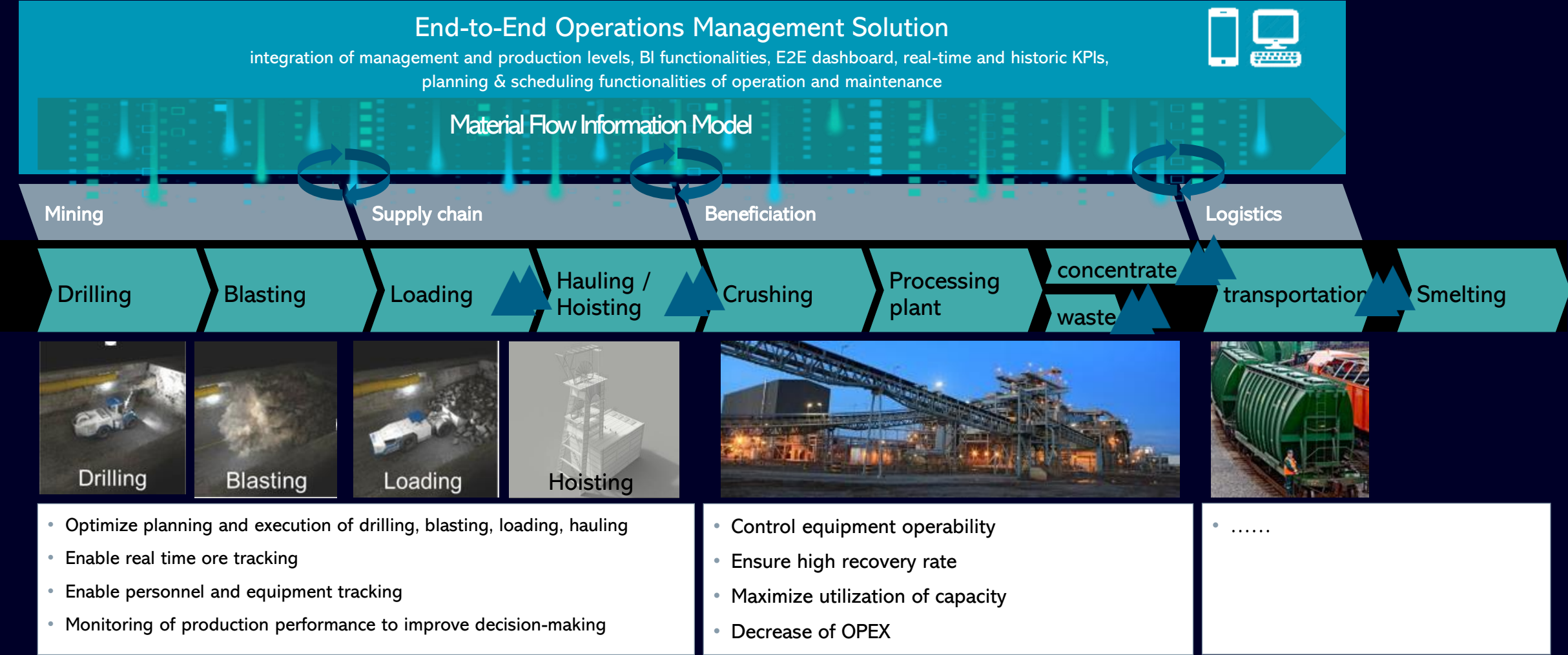
Operations Monitoring and Management System (e.g. MES, ERP, mine and plant systems)



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# Long-term vision: Digitalizing the whole value chain

## Central MES providing full transparency along E2E operations



# Introducing Centre of Intelligence Operations to the Mining Industry

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Search

Mining Value Chain

Modeling / Configuration / Executions / Results

Main Data / Models / Scenarios

Simulation Name  
Mining Value Chain

Model  
IronOre

Scenario  
Config1

Create New Model

Delete Model

Create New Scenario

Delete Scenario

Define Visible KPIs

Model Configuration

Executions

Scenario Comparison

KPI Comparison

Entity Library

Modeling Area

Entity Properties

ProcessFlow

Combine

Duplicate

EntityContainer

EntityConveyor

EntityDelay

EntityGate

EntityGenerator

EntityLauncher

EntityLogger

Delete Entity

Fit View

The diagram illustrates a mining value chain process flow. It begins with a 'Deposit' entity (plus icon) which connects to an 'OpenPit' entity (gear icon). From 'OpenPit', the flow goes to 'TrainLogistics' (double arrow icon), then to 'ProcessingPlant' (gear icon). The 'ProcessingPlant' has a 'WaitQueue' (play icon) leading to a 'Stockyard' (play icon). From the 'Stockyard', the flow continues to 'Shipment' (double arrow icon), then to 'MaterialHandling' (gear icon), and finally to a 'Customer' entity (minus icon). There are also 'IronOre' and 'ROMStockyard' entities at the top, with 'IronOre' feeding into 'OpenPit' and 'ROMStockyard' feeding into 'ProcessingPlant'. Arrows between entities are labeled 'NextComponent'.

Main

Specific

Match (optional)  
An expression returning a s... More

NextComponent (optional)  
The next object to which th... More

Shipment

ServiceTime  
The service time required t... More

Numbers Selection

2 s

WaitQueue  
The Queue objects in which ... More

Stockyard

WatchList (optional)  
An optional list of objects... More

Stockyard  
MaterialHandling

Save

Cancel

Save Changes

Cancel Changes

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