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**'Intelligent Milling Technologies'**

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# History of Industrial Development

18th century



## Industry 1.0

Mechanisation in industry  
(water and steam powered machines)

19th century



## Industry 2.0

Mass production era requiring electrical energy  
(Ford automotive production )

20th century



## Industry 3.0

Automation and integration of IT in industry

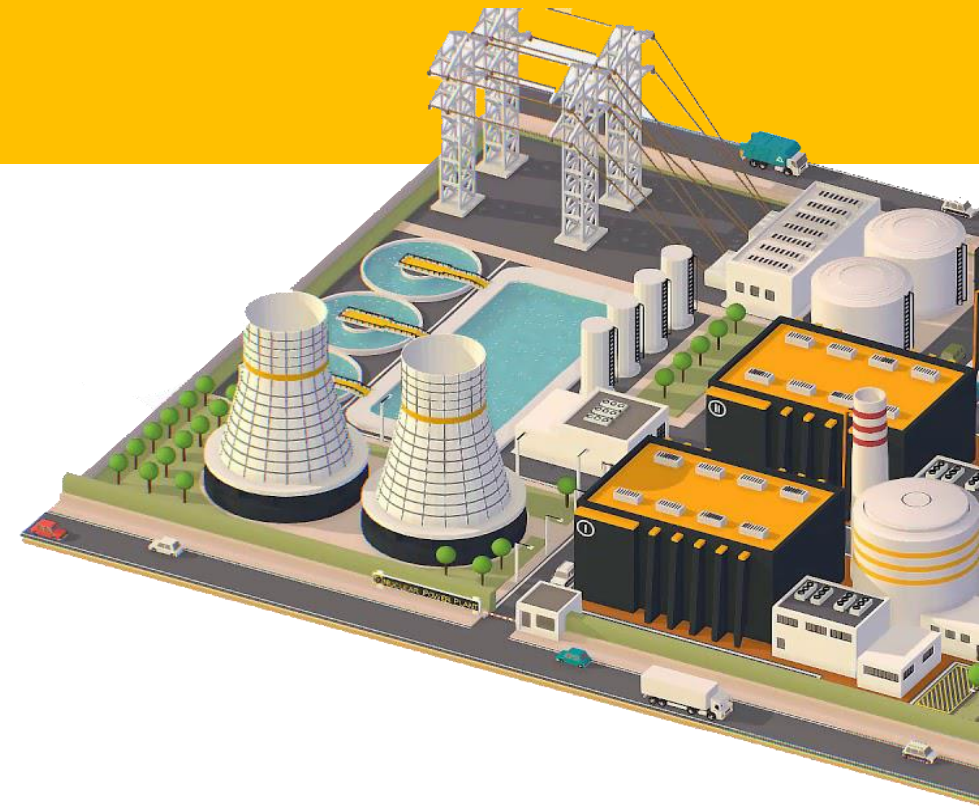
2011 - Today



## Industry 4.0

Digital conversion in industrial processes with advanced algorithms and web based communication platforms

Big Data, IoT, Virtual Reality, Cyber Security, 3D Printing, Artificial Intelligence etc.



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# Industry 4.0 have already brought ..

## Big Data

- Customer and Consumer insight  
( interests, habits, preferences, purchasing behaviours etc.)
- Industrial data repository  
(collected on IoT, sensors, ERP systems, databases to improve our systems)

## IoT (Internet of Things)

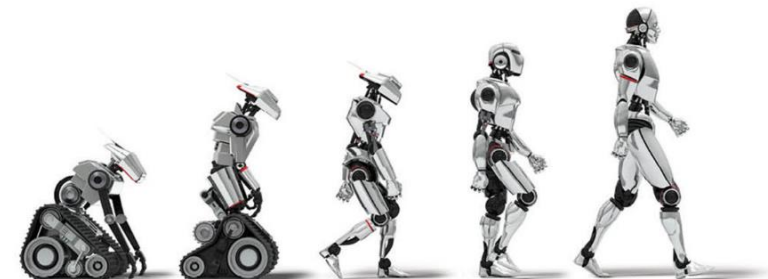
- Home Appliances ( Smart Devices, safety tools etc.)
- Agriculture applications with controlled irrigation systems
- IIoT - industrial device's ability for long distance connection and error diagnosis

## Artificial Intelligence

Software trying to mimic, and eventually supersede human behaviour and intelligence.

- 'Examination' Artificial Intelligence Software
- Robot production managers

'Robots are in evolution in order to take place in more autonomys and flexible duties.'



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## Lights Out Factories

A fully automated factory needs little or no human intervention.

Shortly, the industry of near future are expected to be an environment that:

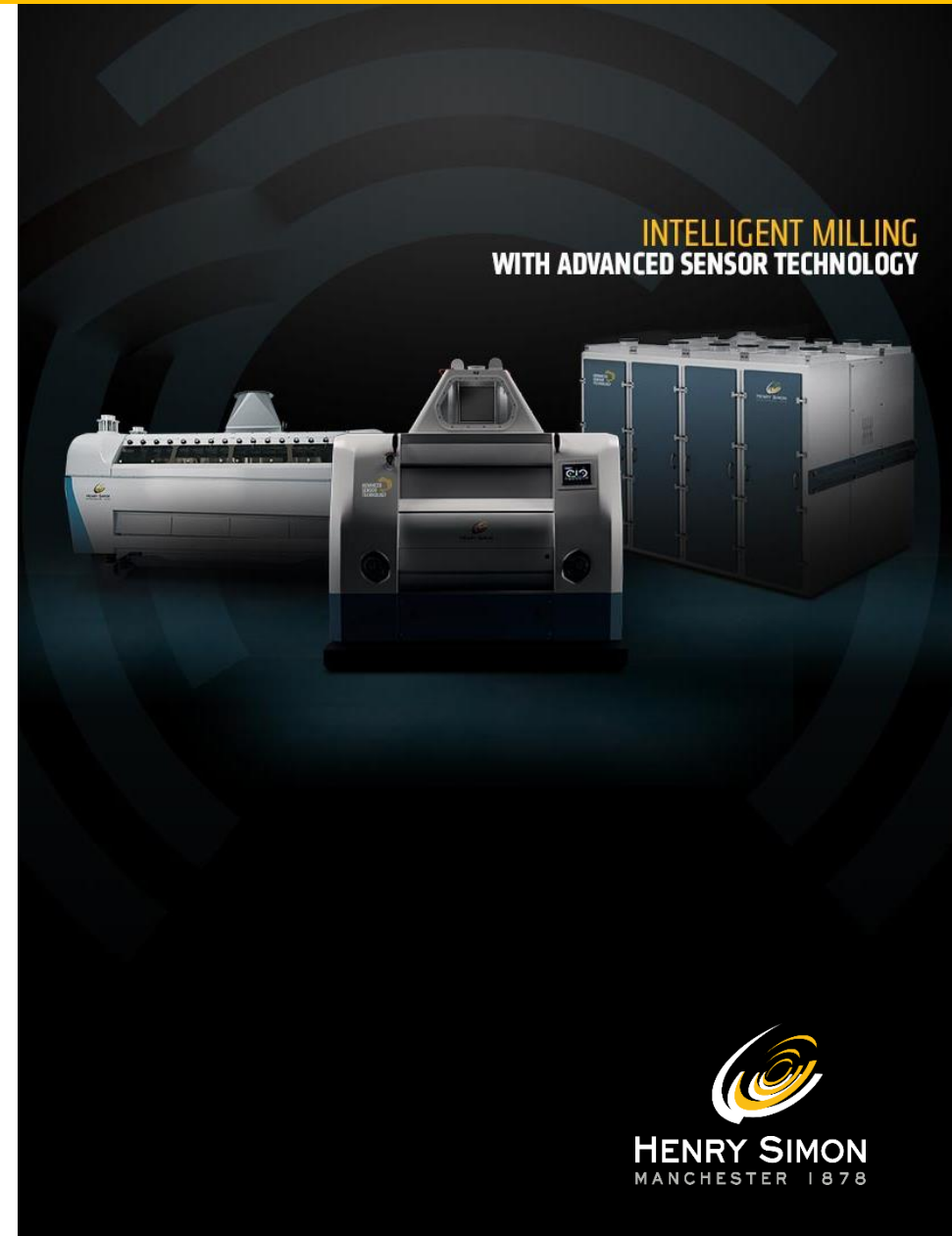
- Machine communication on internet
- Digital data collection
- Highly sensitive and precise automation systems
- Industrial robots
- Fully Automated Production Lines



# Henry Simon Intelligent Milling System

Henry Simon has 'Intelligent Milling' automation concept with the integration of :

- IoT - internet of things
- Big Data and Cloud platform
- Artificial Intelligence
- Machine learning technologies into milling processes.





# Development Approach for Intelligent Milling

## Phase 1

High Reliability



Monitoring the operational status of equipment and devices

## Phase 2

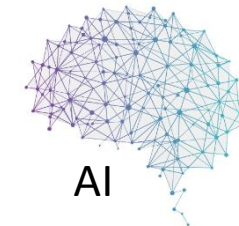
Autonomous Mill Operation



The combination of advanced process control equipment with sensors

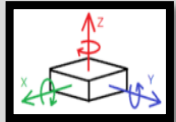
## Phase 3

Mill Automation and AI



Optimal operation of flour mill plant by AI

## Phase I - Advanced Sensor Technology™



- Human Detection Sensor
- Ambient Sensor
- Vibration Sensor (PMD)
- Timing Belt Temperature Sensor
- Motor Load Sensor
- Stock Level Sensor
- Feed Roll Rotation Sensor
- Main Roll Rotation Sensor
- Main Roll Position Sensor
- Main Roll Temperature Sensor
- Air Pressure Sensor
- Hopper Clog Sensor



- Human Detection Sensor
- Ambient Sensor
- Vibration Sensor (PMD)
- Belt Temperature Sensor
- Motor Load Sensor
- Slip Sensor



- Human Detection Sensor
- Ambient Sensor
- Vibration Sensor (PMD)
- Motor Load Sensor
- Digital Manometer

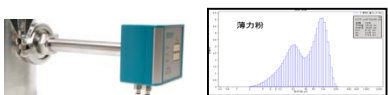
**'We equipped our machines with Advanced Sensor Technology offering a higher level in reliability, operational safety and process optimization.'**

# Phase II - Autonomous Mill Operation

NIR Ingredient analyzer



Granularity and Moisture Sensors



Color chromaticity meter



Speck Monitoring System



Flow meter



## Digitizing of the process data :

Machine operating information  
by sensors

Product specifications  
by sampling and further analysis devices

## Real-Time Process Monitoring System



Wireless Networking System





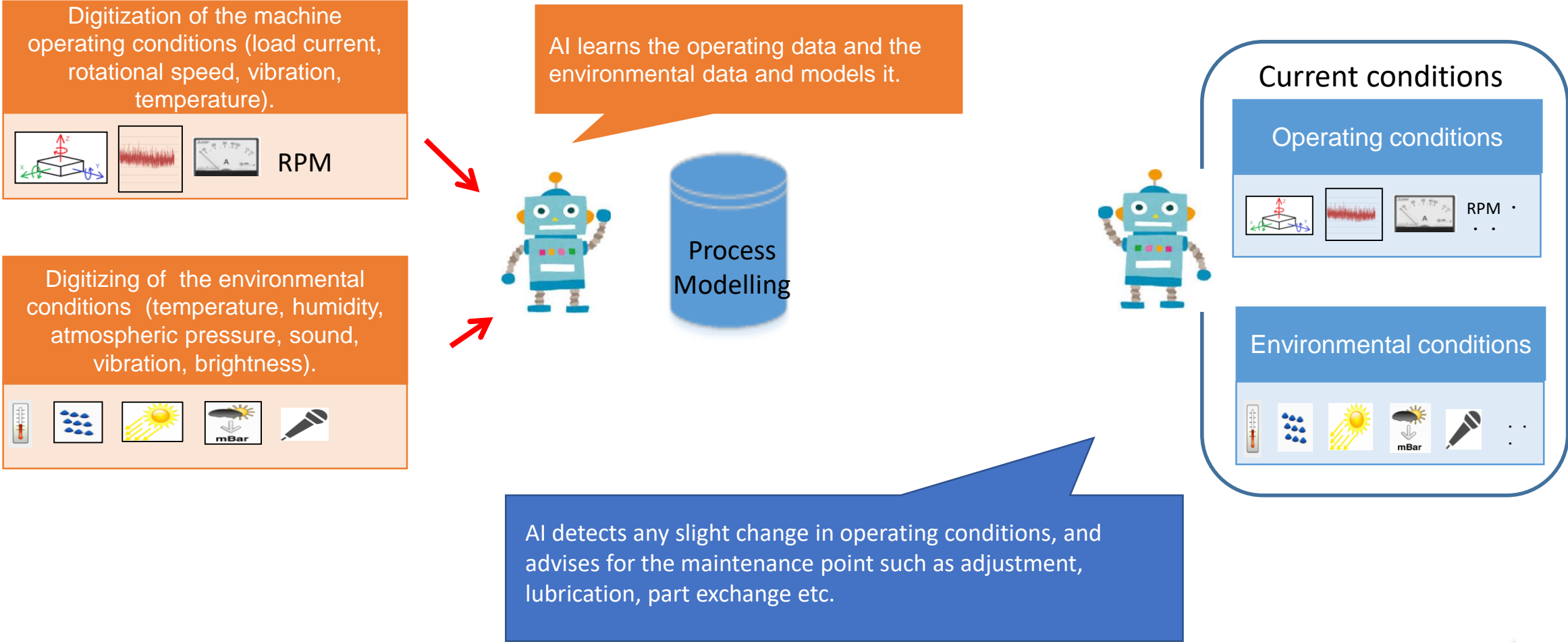
**Henry Simon Intelligent Milling System'** will be designed with special process algorithms that allows software applications to become more accurate in predicting outcomes without being explicitly programmed.

The basic premise of the system is to ;

- Build algorithms that can receive input data and use statistical analysis to predict an output while updating outputs as new data becomes available.
- With data collected and statistical analysis from the system it is possible to formulate the algorithms to have “**a thinking milling system**”.



# Phase III - Mill Automation and AI



AI operates flour mill plant ideally !!

① Order the product  
(the raw material and ingredients).

② AI simulates the processes

Plan A : Shortest processing time,  
large energy consumption

Plan B : Shortest energy consumption,  
long processing time

Plan C : Excellent product quality,  
middle processing time,  
middle energy consumption

③ Choose the most  
suitable plan and order start.

**HS Mill  
Plant AI**



④ AI operates  
flour mill plant.

Flour mill plant



- Better efficiency with optimized working conditions
- Product standardisation with pre-defined recipes, formulas and production parameters

# Flow Monitoring System

The In-Line Flow Meter is a device that is used to recognize any change of material and machine conditions in milling processes.

The main functioning principle of the device is based on monitoring the flow rate of gravity-fed stock in spouting, and detecting any fluctuation in product flow.

- Visualization of the flour milling process at various stages
- Reduce production loss
- Optimal Operation
- AI Support

Simple flow meter management software 3.1.0

System	Monitor	Setting(SFM)	Setting(SFM)	Communication	Bulk operation	Record
No.1	No.2	No.3	No.4	No.5		
3600 kg/h	927 kg/h	832 kg/h	809 kg/h	958 kg/h		
No.6	No.7	No.8	No.9	No.10		
826 kg/h	0 kg/h	717 kg/h	946 kg/h	730 kg/h		
No.11	No.12	No.13	No.14	No.15		
813 kg/h	963 kg/h	878 kg/h	928 kg/h	760 kg/h		
No.16	No.17	No.18	No.19	No.20		
861 kg/h	kg/h	779 kg/h	831 kg/h	742 kg/h		
No.21	No.22	No.23	No.24	No.25		
830 kg/h	867 kg/h	736 kg/h	952 kg/h	817 kg/h		
No.26	No.27	No.28	No.29	No.30		
876 kg/h	0 kg/h	825 kg/h	813 kg/h	764 kg/h		

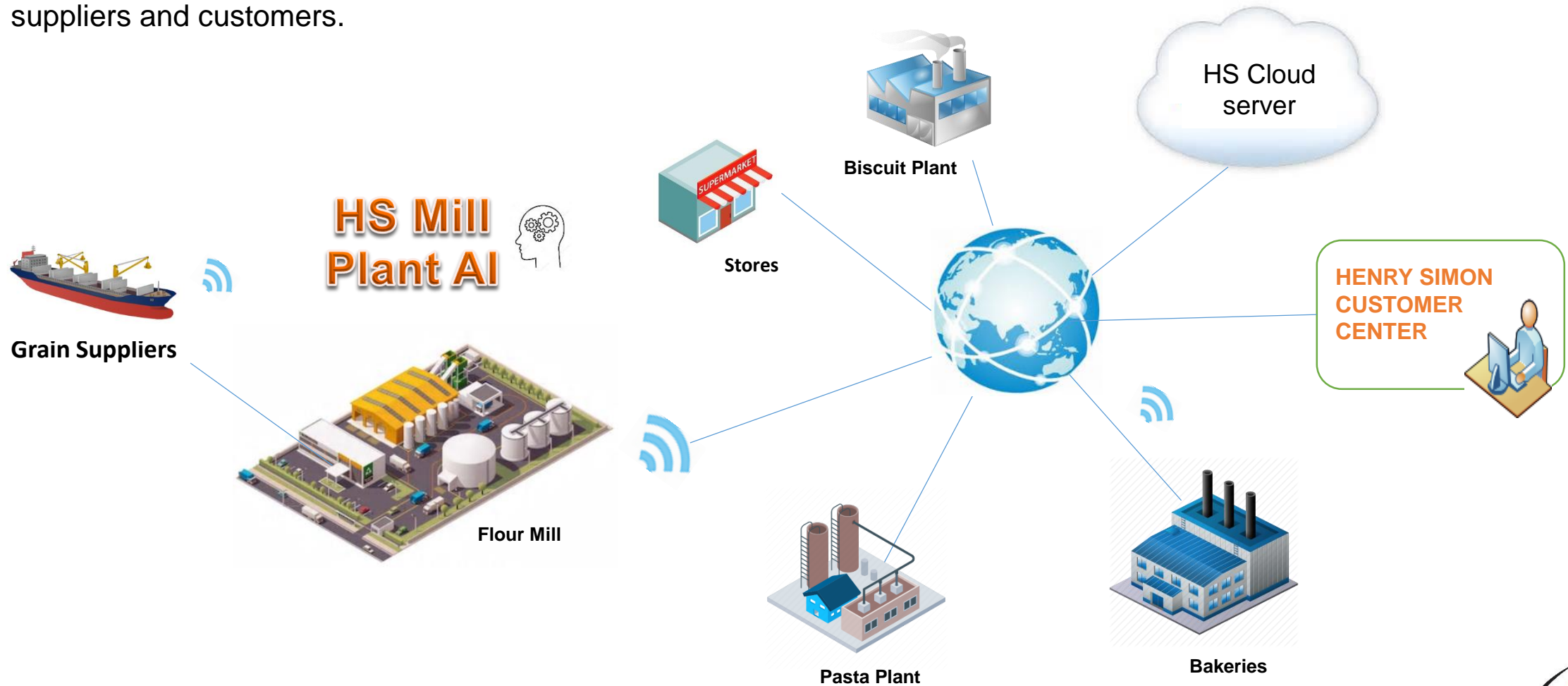
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HSIFM  
Inline Flow Meter

# AI Communication Network

Creating a wide communication platform i.e. between suppliers and customers.





## Conclusion

Briefly, the 'Intelligent Milling System' will bring these advantages for milling operations :

- Fully automated mill management
- High level of product standardization
- Increasing productivity with lowering production costs and minimizing the losses
- Higher reliability with data monitoring and reporting
- Order Processing Management
- Prevention of a machine trouble and maintenance by AI
- Effective management of planned, preventive and predictive maintenance tools
- Excellent ability of process control and traceability
- Even creating a wide communication platform i.e. between suppliers and customers for order processing management

*“The miller cannot be replaced.”*



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