

# Supercharge the Evolution of Electronic Manufacturing

## Nine ways rugged tablets power speed, accuracy and visibility

The global Electronic Manufacturing Services Market is projected to grow 1, driven by surging demand for industrial electronics, 5G and artificial intelligence. It's little wonder then that nearly half of APAC manufacturers plan to adopt smart manufacturing in the coming year to keep pace.



**Projected CAGR** growth for global electronic industry by 20311



Percentage of Asia Pacific manufacturers adopting Industry 4.0 in the coming year<sup>2</sup>



Three fifths of Asia Pacific electronic manufacturers indicate shipments are rising<sup>3</sup>

## What is a critical component for their digital transformation plans? Rugged tablets.

Follow their lead with these transformative tools. You will not only support Industry 4.0 technologies, but also gain multi-shift power, stable connectivity, extra layers of security and functionality made to automate manual workflows and optimise production.

## Seize Improvements Across Your Plant Floor with Rugged Tablets

### **Eliminate Errors** and Delays from Goods In

Authorise entry of trucks with the integrated scanner & camera; access data to direct drivers to proper dock

Utilise high-res camera & large screen to take detailed photos of damages & barcodes

Release drivers faster by instantly reconciling RFID-captured cargo data with the manifest displayed on the large tablet screen

Show forklift drivers exactly where to place the raw material

### **Increase Efficiency** at Line-Side Parts

Anticipate replenishment needs by monitoring lines from the kitting area via tablets

Expedite picking of orders with tablets mounted on forklifts or turned into workstations on wheels

> Scan employee pass to acknowledge receipt of line-side orders

Instantly reach workers to remediate urgent issues such as faulty materials or out-of-stock

## **Sharpen Oversight** of Manufacturing

Track work in progress (WIP) by scanning the barcode of a finished assembly

Increase accountability by tracking tablet logins of machine operators

Reduce training time with on-demand tutorials that ensure compliance with standard operating procedures (SOPs)

Utilise call button or push-to-talk capabilities to request parts and/or communicate with supervisor

**Streamline Assembly** 

Enable workers to easily request line-side replenishment with the push of a button and the scan of a barcode

Scan items to verify processing items before installing

Provide digital assembly instructions for any station on the production line to heighten accuracy and quality

**Mobilise Industrial** 

## **Practise Proactive Maintenance and Safety**

Enable mobile Human Machine Interface by temporarily connecting tablets to the programmable logic controller for easy reading of error messages. Once done with repairs, detach the tablet and go

the steps to perform maintenance with augmented reality (AR) and vividly displayed manuals, schematics and repair procedures

Visually guide workers through

Keep the industrial control team informed of maintenance by securely sharing machine test results, images and videos

Digitise maintenance records to mitigate downtime

and identify bottlenecks—comparing maintenance records of similar machines

**Control System Workers** Untether industrial control system (ICS) workers from their laptops with on-the-go connectivity Allow ICS workers to remotely make minor adjustments to control parameters from their tablets for faster response times Connect security cameras to tablets

Package with

**Greater Accuracy** Scan the finished product's barcode and take a photo to request warehousing to pick up the item

> Reduce errors by scanning barcodes to ensure the correct items are in each package

Digitally record data about each package, such as batch number, expiration date and content to track and trace item

## **Elevate Quality Control**

Perform spot checks with the scan of a barcode and the snap of a photo to document products that passed quality checks

Pair the rugged tablet with a mobile printer to label defects and include pertinent details such as the operator, machine and time

Enable less experienced workers to accurately complete quality checks with digitised work instructions

## **Ensure Flawless Goods Out**

Before releasing finished goods, take a high-resolution, large-formatted photo that clearly shows their pristine condition and barcodes

## When Downtime Is Not an Option, Mission-Critical Performance Is Yours with Zebra



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