

Part 5 Two Decades at Bosch

Alliances Analytics and the Rise of Scaled Agile

Part 5 of 7: Intel, SMASH, Industry 4.0, and Early SAFe



§ 1/11: Recap Lollar Success

Big Data Managed with Fundamentals Part 4

- Showcased how simplicity & basics conquered scale with connected boilers.
- The journey continued with new collaborations and evolving methodologies.



§ 2/11: Exciting Alliance Project with Intel

IoT Data Analytics DevOps on AWS

- Integrated environmental sensors onto Intel's Galileo board.
- Acquired data via IoT, performed analytics using Hadoop ecosystem.
- All enabled by a DevOps environment on AWS.



§ 3/11: Deep Data Understanding Proves Critical

Identifying Issues in Partner Technology

- During volume testing with Intel, I helped identify an internal issue...
- ...in their TimeSeries database that was causing instability.
- Another instance where deep data knowledge was key.



§ 4/11: SMASH Social Media Analytics Product

Analyzing Tweets for Bosch Product Insights with ML

- Developed SMASH to analyze tweets related to Bosch products.
- Used Machine Learning to derive insights, understand sentiment.
- An early application of ML for business intelligence.



§ 5/11: Back to Plochingen NextGen Workshop Tech

Contributing to Another Flagship Project

- Rejoined teams in Plochingen to work on a nextGen flagship project for Workshops.
- Utilized the latest tech stacks available at the time.



§ 6/11: Evolving Role Industry 4 Point 0 Consultant

Architecting Shop Floor to Top Floor Solutions Globally

- My role evolved into that of an Industry 4.0 consultant.
- Architecting solutions connecting manufacturing shop floors to enterprise systems for clients worldwide.



§ 7/11: The Rise of Scaled Agile Frameworks

Multiple Teams Collaborating on Larger Platforms

- Soon, we were embracing Scaled
- Agile frameworks like **SAFe**.
- The norm became multiple teams collaborating on smaller products/apps...
- ...all contributing to a larger,
- integrated platform.



§ 8/11: Bosch IoT Cloud BIC on Cloud Foundry

Enabling a New Wave of PoCs and Products

The Bosch IoT Cloud (BIC), built on

Cloud Foundry, emerged.

This, alongside the evolving Bosch

IoT Suite, spurred innovation.



§ 9/11: Robust Foundation for Digital Journey

BIC and IoT Suite Paving the Way

These platforms laid a robust

foundation for Bosch's digital journey.

Enabling numerous PoCs and

products for the decade to come.



§ 10/11: Personal Growth in Scaled Environments

Learning to Architect and Collaborate at Scale

This period was about understanding how to apply architectural principles...

...and Agile collaboration across larger, multi-team programs.



§ 11/11: New Chapter in Germany

Deeper Dive into SAFe and Championing Simplicity

The experiences set the stage for my next move.

Next Up (Part 6): Permanent role in Germany, SAFe immersion, and the push for simplicity.

Stay tuned!



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