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About us:

EIT Manufacturing East is one of six innovation hubs of EIT Manufacturing, a knowledge and innovation community of the European Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT), a body of the European Union. It brings together innovators, research institutes and companies from and for the manufacturing industry across Europe. Driven by a strong interdisciplinary community, EIT Manufacturing creates unique added value for European products, processes and services, and supports globally competitive and sustainable manufacturing. The EIT Manufacturing network is made up of members from 17 European countries. The EIT Manufacturing East region includes Croatia, Austria, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Czech Republic and Hungary.

Our role in EuProGigant:

By leading WP 9, EIT Manufacturing is responsible for communication and dissemination, and thus also for increasing awareness of EuProGigant. The team positions the project partners as experts and the first point of contact for questions about the implementation and use of Gaia-X in the production environment. EIT Manufacturing achieves this by focusing on the importance of the project for the European manufacturing industry - for example, by disseminating the project results and project sub-results, especially with reference to the use cases and project-related guides. In addition, the team supports the planning, participation and promotion of the project's own and external events.

We participate in these thematic working groups:**CO2 footprint****Validation platform****Mobile processing machines****Component matching****Why EuProGigant is important to us:**

EuProGigant addresses the transformation and challenges of Industry 4.0, which also concern the EIT Manufacturing community. Through its industry-related use cases, the project not only addresses these issues, it also provides small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) in particular with important insights into digitalisation, the importance of their data and future data-driven business models. As the only European network for the manufacturing industry, EIT Manufacturing can not only communicate the project results, but also implement them efficiently across Europe.