

# OPC UA is where it starts

The interface for your connected factory and a key enabler for Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT)





# **Cross-technology OPC UA interface**

# One connectivity solution for all GF Machining Solutions technologies

Open Platform Communications (OPC) Unified Architecture (UA) communication is available for all new GF Machining Solutions machine tools. This is a first in cross-technology communication and enables seamless data exchange between our products and your shop floor environment. Using OPC UA and its plug-and-play capabilities makes it simplier than ever to connect your GF Machining Solutions machines

to existing enterprise resource planning (ERP) systems and manufacturing execution systems (MES). Start collecting and assembling your personalized key performance indicator (KPI) measurements today with the refined machine state data provided by **GF Machining Solutions' OPC UA Interface Version 1.0.** 

# Your applications with OPC UA client: Your office · Maintenance management · Production monitoring · Process visualization · KPI analysis Dashboard Traceability · Messenger Pro mobile data access **AES** encrypted communication data (advanced encryption standard) Your intranet Intranet OPC UA server Your shop floor **GF Machining Solutions** technologies

### Benefits

- Ensure interoperability between equipment and processes
- Centralized data collection for easier analysis
- Plug-and-play open architecture
- One language on a structured data set allows for reliable reports
- Vendor-independent solution
- Scalability with data modeling delivers data, conditions, alarms, historical machine data, and programs
- Safety and security of all data due to access granted with user and password

### Value

- Easily reduce cost of integration
- Improve machine analysis with the same language and structured data
- Ease integration to Dashboard, MES and ERP
- Simplify centralization of data and messages for small Dashboard and bigger MES systems
- Get quick return on investment (ROI) due to improved analysis

## Common use cases



Case 1 Create KPI measurements: OPC UA machine states are compliant with ISO 22400 time model for work units



Case 2 Measure production lead times



Case 3 Feed custom dashboards

