



## Whitepaper Release: *The Journey to a Digital Factory*

Technical expertise is embedded with senior operations personnel and engineering personnel. One of the driving factors for various visions of a digital factory is to leverage existing technical expertise before it retires or otherwise goes out the door.

A good digital factory implementation will often start by automating some of the redundant data processing often done manually by high value personnel using Excel spreadsheets or other convenient tools.

Griffin has released a whitepaper titled *The Journey to a Digital Factory: From Levers & Spreadsheets to Automation & Digitization*, the first in our Digital Factory series. The goal is to help increase understanding of the digital factory in a way that allows low cost and lost risk pathways to the digital factory of the near future.

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## Product News

Griffin Open Systems currently offers the Griffin Dashboard Toolkit, which provides a no-code platform to collect industrial process data, analyze data and create a dashboard. Free, no-code, and low-code options available.

A fully compatible future Griffin Dashboard Toolkit will be available in Q2 and will provide an enhanced no-code platform to create dashboards with no or minimal programming skills. This next generation dashboarding tool would enable data collection and processing along with a web-based interface.

All versions will be compatible with the Griffin AI Toolkit® for those looking to eventually integrate real-time actionable data and advanced data analytics with a range of AI tools.

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## Call for Success Stories

If you're a current Griffin customer using either the Griffin AI Toolkit® or the Griffin Dashboard Toolkit, we want to hear from you! Send us your success stories or any feedback you have regarding our products.

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## In The News

- ▶ Cloud storage vs. in-house storage solutions are a hot topic in today's IT discussions. **To continuously improve our products so we're developing the best solutions for our customers, we ask that you please share your opinion with us on these options.** For our current customer base, cybersecurity is a very significant concern and the vast majority prefer to have the Griffin tools and analytics done with the safety and security inside their process firewall and on servers they manage.

While Griffin does offer some analytical capability on a cloud service, our view has been the best security is with the IT experts of our customers protecting their process control equipment and that the vast majority prefer to control and own their data.

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