



### Dirty Job. Clean Data.

WorkFlow – Your digital assistant on site



## Our working world has changed. Underground, too.

WorkFlow is our cutting-edge system that lets you document your work directly on site. Without changing location. Without any paperwork. Without any risk. Our WorkFlow system – comprising the fusion unit, WorkFlow Mobile and WorkFlow Web – has no unnecessary gimmicks. Just security and transparency! It is easy to use and enables efficient tracking, saving time and nerves. Data is sent from the smartphone to where it belongs: the office.

It's this easy: Install. Click. Done.

#### WorkFlow. Digital construction site management today.

There are things that were better in the past. And there are things that are better today. One of these is the pipe-fitting process with the WorkFlow system. With the smart combination of mobile app, web interface and secure cloud, all data from your Bluetooth enabled fusion units is managed in real time. WorkFlow Mobile and WorkFlow Web run on our cloud architecture – 24x7 lightning fast via SSL secure data connections to our high-performance servers. These are equipped with latest generation processors. Powerful technology for the construction site that also makes no compromises on security in the cloud.

#### Simpler. More secure. WorkFlow.

Documentation is created and updated during the fusion and pipe installation work, with automatic protocol generation – that's what we mean by simpler. No more time wasted sifting through paper and gathering data. Thanks to digital tracking, every step of the installation process is traceable – bringing better control and greater security. If a problem does occur, it can be located quickly. The stress of searching for the source is a thing of the past. Find out more about the compelling benefits of WorkFlow on the following pages.





# More security and control. For cities and municipalities.

For city and municipal construction projects, the ability to track every work step means everything in terms of security and control. Thanks to the WorkFlow digital assistant, both are guaranteed – with no ifs or buts, and no time-consuming requests for information. Data is available to everyone in the administration at all times, prepared in the way you want and need it. Without you having to do anything.



WorkFlow in one word? Simplification! Because it makes our job so much easier. I was sceptical at first, but we were already impressed during the test phase. Fusion protocols are created automatically and are immediately available 1:1 online in the cloud. I can be sure that no protocol goes "missing" on the way to my office, plus we are always covered if a problem occurs. Features like photo documentation, the comment function and insights at any time into what was installed where, when and by whom are a great benefit. If all our partner companies used WorkFlow, it would be perfect.

Stefan Sacher, gas + water pipe network supervisor and welding specialist for steel + PE, Regionetz GmbH



We have been using WorkFlow for a year now. We were taken by its documentation capabilities, simplicity, and the fact that it is all digital. We live in the age of digitalisation and it makes things much easier for us. We have access to all the data we need at the touch of a button, and can easily integrate it into our applications. There is no more need for bits of paper, note-making or pens. At the moment we are using WorkFlow on all renovation sites, but we are planning to use it in other areas as well in the future, such as network extensions or new domestic service connections. I am so impressed that I never go to a construction site without my FRIAMAT 7 prime.

Andreas Scheffczyk, pipeline fitter, Stadtwerke Weinheim

#### Benefits for you at a glance:

- Traceability of all work activities step by step and down to the last detail
- Greater transparency thanks to digital protocols and real-time access to data
- Significantly minimised risks due to fewer documentation errors
- Secure data transmission using SSL encryption
- Certified to the strictest standards highperformance servers in European data centres

#### Talk to us!

How does WorkFlow facilitate digital transformation in cities and municipalities?

Our experts will be happy to advise you:

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## More efficiency and transparency. For the construction industry.

Smart construction sites save time and minimise mistakes – or better still, prevent them altogether. This is possible with WorkFlow, a digital and mobile assistant developed for precisely this purpose. With a reliable overview of all work steps. And best of all, it saves on labour. If there aren't enough helping hands on the construction site, with WorkFlow you only need your own.



We very much liked the idea of simplifying our work processes. WorkFlow enables proper documentation in one place – it is easy for everyone to use and understand. In my opinion, anything that assists documentation is useful. We benefit from absolute transparency on all of our sites. In that sense, it is a safeguard. For the person who carries out the work, and for the supervisor. But also for the utility provider, who receives precise documentation from us. A real competitive advantage without a huge investment!

Milan Fadel, site manager pipeline construction, Küppers GmbH



We have been using WorkFlow for three months and it has fully met all our expectations. All the paperwork is gone. We no longer take notes by hand on site. WorkFlow handles the protocols for us. We are open to the advantages of digitalisation – and of course that includes fusion protocols, too. Now we no longer have to do time-consuming extra tasks.

Marinko Kovacevic, construction site manager, Lube & Krings



#### Benefits for you at a glance:

- Traceability of all work activities step by step and down to the last detail
- Simplified on-site installation saves time and money
- Greater transparency thanks to digital protocols and real-time access to data
- Automated protocol generation for less administrative work
- Better damage limitation thanks to control over every work step

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### 2x

511,000 km

The drinking water pipeline network in Austria is almost 80.000 km long. That is enough to circle the earth

How long is the gas network, if you add up all the pipelines? Very long. If you laid out all the pipes end-to-end, Germany's gas network alone could encircle the equator almost 13 times. In figures, that's 511,000 kilometres – or 1.3 times the distance between the moon and



## € 570 bn

The sewer network in Germany comprises about 540,000 kilometres of pipeline



### 126 bn m<sup>3</sup>

According to a recent study by the International Water Association (IWA), about 346 million cubic metres per day or 126 billion cubic metres per year are lost in water distribution systems worldwide on the way to the consumer.



10-15%

Like a road or a building facade, our pipelines

## 20,000 m<sup>3</sup>

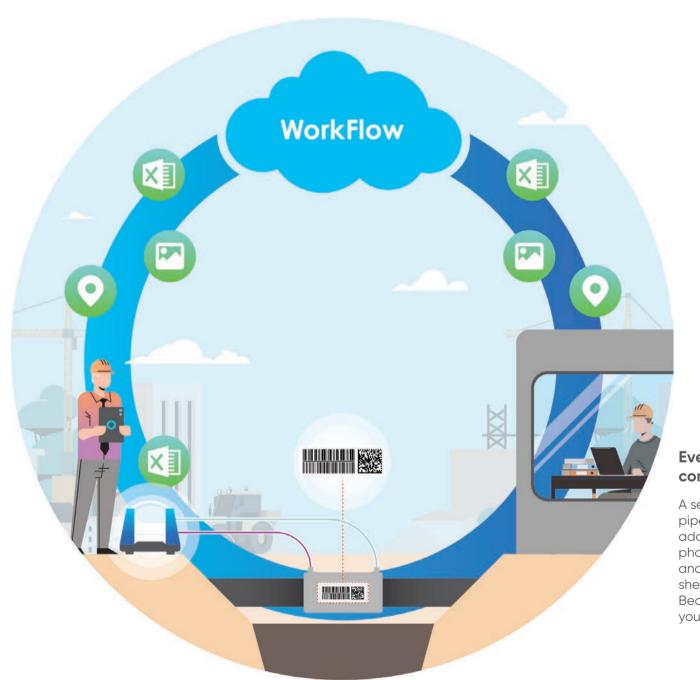
Every night, approximately 20,000 cubic metres of drinking water are pumped from the lake waterworks on Lake Constance to St. Gallen. If the water was transported by a 40-ton lorry, it would have to make the journey 500 times.



## 4.7 bn m<sup>3</sup>

Around 4.7 billion cubic metres of drinking water flow through the pipe network from German waterworks every year – 81.5% to private homes, 18.5% to commercial and industrial users.





## WorkFlow works and this is how:







#### **Fusion**

Scrape, clean, install the component. scan the barcode, fuse – so far the same. With WorkFlow Mobile support, all data to the WorkFlow cloud, important information is added to the fusion protocol during the fusion process, e.g. GPS data to record the component's location, or photos to document its proper installation.

#### Synchronise

Paperless, in real time, with secure encryption: WorkFlow Mobile transfers where the data is immediately sorted, processed and stored. The corresponding protocolss can be accessed anytime and anywhere by anyone who is authorised to do so and by no-one else.

#### Manage

All protocols, images, components and many other pieces of information such as the construction site where each component was installed, or which fusion unit was used - all of this can also be accessed centrally from a desk on the construction site or in the office, via WorkFlow Web. Complete records for each construction site in a separate project.

#### **Everything in sight. Everything under** control.

A separate report for each fusion process in the pipeline network with its own fusion protocol, adding, printing and distributing documents, photos and geodata, information on components and map views individually - and all this on endless sheets of paper. Not anymore! Because the smart digital solution manages it for

## Goodbye clipboard. Hello digital construction site!



#### No more paper clutter

Filling out fusion protocols by hand? That's in the past. Collecting slips of paper with notes? Over. Making printouts and distributing them? Forget it! WorkFlow does it all automatically, and without time-consuming administrative tasks.



#### Around the clock and everywhere

All projects with every piece of information at your fingertips – fusion data, components and fittings, photos and comments as well as geodata and maps are synchronised via the cloud. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in real time and in WorkFlow Mobile as well as Workflow Web.



#### Protocol generation at the touch of a button

The Bluetooth enabled fusion unit and WorkFlow Mobile make it possible – press once and you're ready to go. All fusion operations are digitally processed and protocols can be created as csv, xls, pdf or DVS reports.



#### All components at a glance

Where are the components installed? With the map-based component view, you will never ask yourself this question again. Thanks to GPS data, the exact location of all components is displayed on a map.



#### Live tracking on the construction site

How is the installation work going? You can track construction progress in real time from the site container or from the office – without losing information or time, just as if you were right thereon site.



#### Minimise errors

Sure, mistakes happen. But they shouldn't. WorkFlow significantly reduces the risk of documentation errors. Ensuring reliable documentation and secure control, but also less sweat on your brow.



#### **Teamwork at its best**

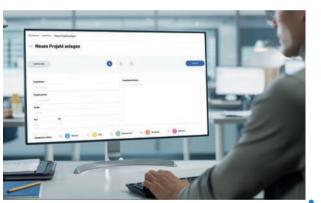
Construction sites are teamwork – which is precisely why everyone should always have an overview. With WorkFlow, the team always has the information they need. And not only the team on the site, but everyone you invite to a project. From the supervisor to the office staff to partner companies.



#### Security with no ifs or buts

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## It's all very simple. A quick explanation of the system





#### Step 1

In WorkFlow Web, construction sites are created as projects, and the personnel responsible for the site are added.



#### Step 2

On the construction site, workers log into the app, select the relevant project, and connect to the FRIAMAT fusion unit.







#### Step 3

Scrape, clean, assemble, fuse.
The smartphone is used to scan the barcode.



#### Step 4

After fusion, the operator can take photos, create comments and add them to the fusion





#### Step 5

Back in the office, all installed components can be viewed and managed. The protocols can be exported.







