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Resource efficient buildings, infrastructures and building solutions

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A global challenge & huge responsibility of the building industry





- 40% of the world's CO2 emissions
- 35% of global waste
- 30% of the weight delivered on-site is waste



- Unproductive & wasteful
- Inefficient traditional project management
- Prototyping for every building
- 14% of revenue spent on mistakes



Fragmented & non-transparent

- 100+ involved parties and new supplychain every time
- Non-transparent value chains based on personal relationships and silo thinking
- Little economies of scale

## ...requires a new approach of thinking



Polluting & non-sustainable



### Sustainable Timber/Hybrid Buildings

- Ecological footprint with wood as focus component saving resources
- · Health, well-being, hygiene & safety
- Life cycle perspective and flexible floor space for changeability



Unproductive & wasteful



### **Efficient Modular Pre-Fabrication**

- "Construction as a service" workflow → fast, reliable & repeatable results
- Off-site modular pre-fabrication
- Digital twins and BIM



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### Scalable Platform

- Marketplace for pre-approved components, products and services
- User-driven collaborative network that collects and shares best practices & efficient communication tool

## ...how buildings can be designed & built



## Technology helps us...





- Digital Twin of the building allows us to extract the exact amount of material & costs
- Simulation of the building process leads to drastically reduced time for completion (high degree of prefab.)



- AI based optimization process considering thousands of scenarios & parameters
- Automatically generating different solutions which are simulated, evaluated and optimized

# ... to deal with complexitiy & find the best

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### Applying a new certificate provided by RE



#### climate-Score



Life cycle release of greenhouse gas in CO2 equivalents; calculation of "grey" greenhouse gases as well as the green house gas emissions from operation

#### energy-Score



Assesses the energy efficiency classes awarded with "grey" non renewable primary energy as well as the energy needed for the operation of the building

#### material-Score



Evaluates the life cycle consumption of nonrenewable raw materials



Considering the three main parameters

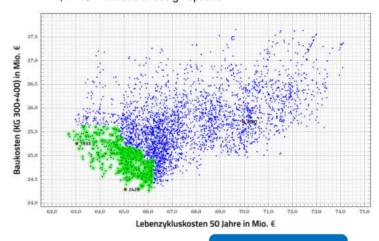


More than focussing on energy efficiency



Easy to handle and apply

#### Al - based analysis & optimization 1.4 \* 10<sup>22</sup> Trillions of design options



Range of investment: 2006 - 2032 €/m<sup>2</sup>



**EU – Taxonomie Requirements** 



Life-Cycle-Costs - Requirements

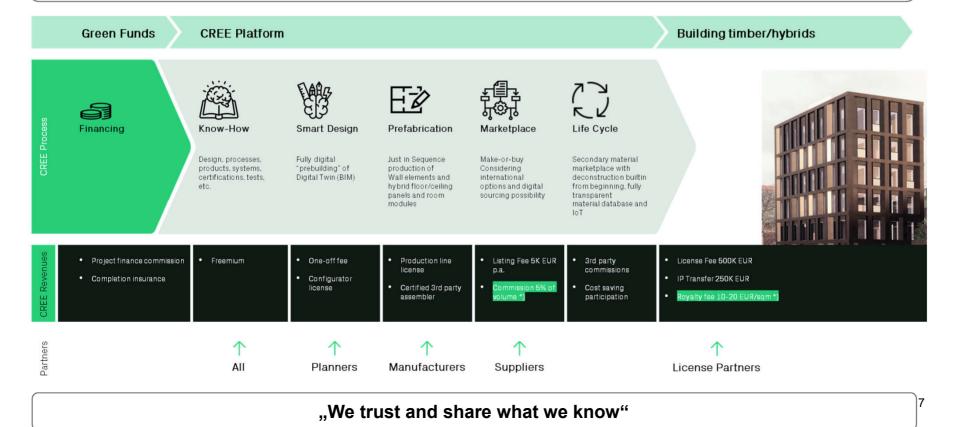


## Based on this, new business models emerge...



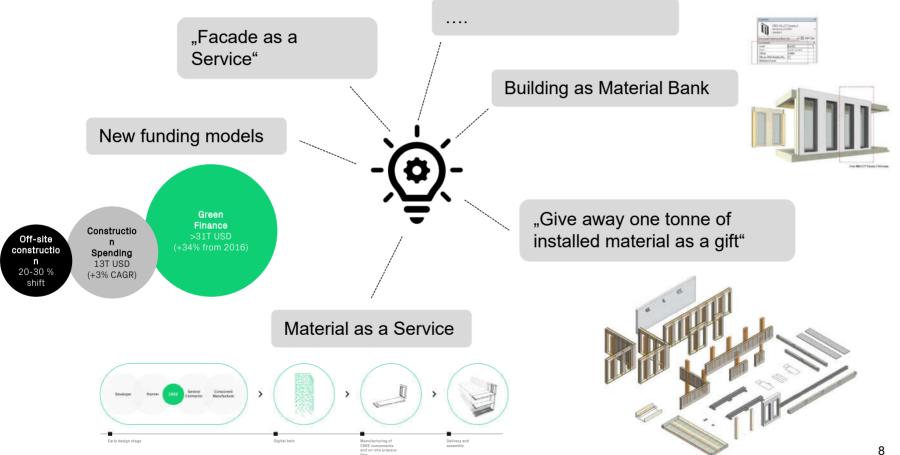
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The CREE platform orchestrates independent construction stakeholders and enables them to develop sustainable modular timber / hybrid buildings globally



## ... and new funding models can be created







# Thank you.

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