

PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

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Title	Development of a Digital Transformation Consultancy Roadmap for Model Factories in Turkiye
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Hosting Country(ies)	Turkiye
Venue City(ies)	Ankara, Bursa, Kayseri, Konya
Modality	Hybrid
Implementing Organization(s)	Department for Productivity Implementations, Ministry of Industry and Technology, Turkiye
Participating Country(ies)	Turkiye
Overseas Participants	Not Applicable
Local Participants	Not Applicable
Closing Date	Not Applicable
Remarks	Not Applicable

Objectives	Develop a digital transformation consultancy roadmap for model factories (MFs) and its monitoring framework: strengthen the institutional capacity of MFs and upgrade the technical competence of MF trainers in digital transformation: and update existing digital transformation scenarios and training materials with lean transformation to be implemented in MFs.
Rationale	MFs are a proven solution adopted from developed countries, providing learning environments to improve manufacturing processes. MFs disseminate principles of operational excellence through experiential learning techniques, which have a lasting impact. A roadmap is necessary to achieve the integration of technological infrastructure and provision of training, which are crucial for the success of MFs and Turkiye's development agenda.
Background	Improvements in productivity are vital for economic growth and welfare, prompting the Turkish government to enhance SME productivity for structural transformation in the manufacturing industry. This goal is highlighted in the 10th and 11th National Development Plans and 2023 Industry and Technology Strategy, with digital transformation as a key driver. Enterprises should boost their lean manufacturing and digital transformation capabilities, supported by programs to enhance the skills of technical staff, engineers, and managers. MFs are promoted as they offer experiential learning to improve manufacturing processes. The first MF opened in Ankara in 2018. A successful public—private partnership has resulted in eight operational MFs across various provinces in the country. Enhancing digital transformation capabilities through robust programs and practical training is crucial, necessitating a roadmap for integrating technological infrastructure and training.
Topics	Digital transformation; Digital consultancy; Lean manufacturing; Consultancy roadmap; Model factories; SME productivity; and Digital integration.
Outcome	Development of a digital transformation consultancy roadmap for MFs, enhanced capacity of MF staff in digital transformation consultancy, development of a monitoring framework and process for the roadmap, and integration of digital and lean transformation scenarios within MF operations.
Qualifications	Not Applicable

Please refer to the implementation procedures circulated with this document for further details.

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