

SOLUTION BRIEF

# Augmented Reality for Manufacturing

## Digital. Flexible. Green.

Ensuring production uptime and supporting products in the field with a workforce that must deal with increasingly complex issues are challenging manufacturers like never before. Downtime felt throughout the supply chain and beyond impacts brand perception as well as bottom-line results. Just one hour of downtime can cost \$300,000 to \$5 million depending on company size. Similarly, almost 21% of wasted time for maintenance workers is a result of traveling to different areas in a factory, with an additional 20% as a result of waiting for instructions.

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With the need for efficiency, safety, and sustainability at an all-time high, how can manufacturers embrace digital transformation and create supply chain resilience while increasing speed to market?

## Meet CareAR

CareAR is a Service Experience Management platform that allows manufacturers to reimagine their equipment repair, maintenance and support experience with AR-powered live visual guidance and instructions tailored for each interaction.

On-site technicians are guided by visual prompts while receiving remote, real-time assistance and guidance from off-site experts from their mobile devices, tablet, or smart glasses.

Field service technicians looking to fill a gap in knowledge, or a customer service rep sending a customer instructions to assemble a device after unboxing can leverage personalized AR-based self-guided instructional sessions.

2D and 3D content with interactive guides increases a user's level of knowledge and enables self-solve and self-service experiences. Visual state detection powered by AI ensures each step is performed properly and consistently allowing for highly accurate outcomes.

## Use Cases

### Production Operations

Use product tours with 3D or 2D visuals and step by step instructions for self-solve and self-service experiences. Get remote, real-time visual assistance and guidance if needed.

### OEM Product Support

Leverage state detection as validated work during customer driven self-guided experiences. Utilize visual remote support for initial set-up, proper use, maintenance, and troubleshooting.

### Heavy and Complex Machine Service

Use self-solve visual instructions to drive worker confidence and job satisfaction. Employ visual remote support from off-site experts for troubleshooting and repair.

## Benefits

### Improve First Time Fix Rates

Visual expert guidance minimizes same issue return dispatch and improves resolution times.

### Improve Uptime

Decrease equipment downtime through self-guided troubleshooting, maintenance, and repair experiences.

### Maximize Productivity

Upskill junior technicians by connecting them with experts remotely and minimizing travel.

# The CareAR Product Suite

## CareAR® Assist

Instantly connect your field workers with remote expertise, enabling real-time visual collaboration.



### See

View the service situation remotely from any location



### Solve

Visually guide and collaborate for effective problem resolution



### Save

Capture and share content in systems and with teams

## AR Remote Assistance Tools to Make Anyone an Instant Expert

- Data Capture & Recording
- Analytics
- AR Annotations
- Screen Share
- SSO Support & Encryption
- ServiceNow, Salesforce Integrations, and more...

## CareAR® Instruct

Enhance the field service experience with step-by-step, interactive work instructions.



### Guide

Self-solve with step-by-step digital work instructions



### Detect

Object detection with AI computer vision and machine learning



### Verify

Visually verify step completion with state detection

## AI, 3D, and AR Tools to Uplevel Your Instructional and Training Experience

- Complex Workflows
- 2D and 3D Content
- AI Computer Vision
- Intelligent Search
- Forms
- Integration to Ticketing Systems
- Analytics

## CareAR® Experience Builder

Create your own step-by-step instructions including AI visual verification, natural language search, and 3D content. No-code required.



### Create

Design pages with AR and AI tools and build workflows



### Preview

Preview instructions in mobile, tablet, and desktop



### Publish

Generate QR code and link to share with systems and teams

## Enable Anyone to Create Advanced Digital Work Instructions

- Create custom workflows
- Generative AI
- Design visual verification experiences with machine learning
- Starter templates
- Analytics
- Diverse array of modules

## Visually Resolve Issues Remotely With Enterprise Augmented Reality