



PARAMETERS INVOLVED IN MEDICATION DISPENSING AUTOMATION SECURITY AND PERFORMANCE









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2015:

Implementation of Sinteco nominative drug dispensing system in Macon hospital center



First stage
(2015 – 2018):
Automation of
400 beds

Second stage
(to plan):
Automation of
450 beds

1022 beds

What was done?



Sinteco automated nominative drug dispensing system

2021:

Valuation of Macon hospital center's feedback on nominative drug dispensing automation results

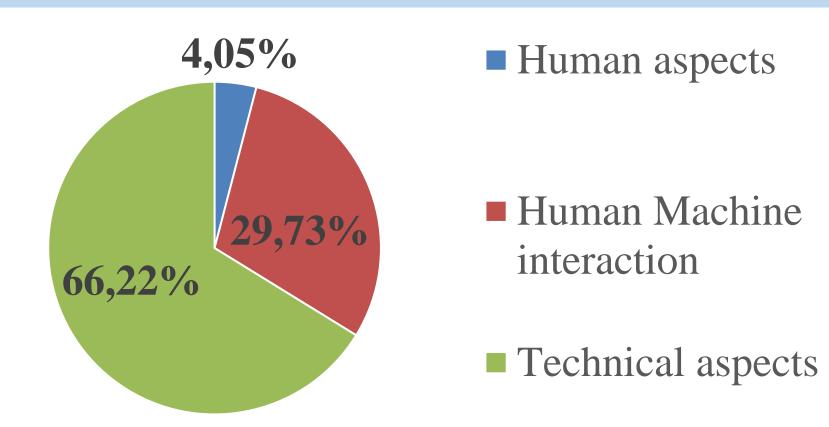
Understanding

Valuation-

Design

Anthropocentric Human-Machine analysis approach

The analysis of Macon hospital center automation specifications

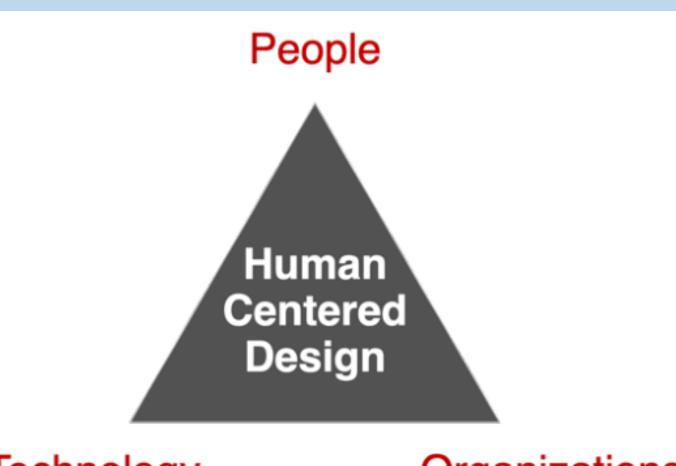


Why was it done?

Automation performance depends on technology, people and organization

We deployed our anthropocentric Human-Machine analysis approach to identify critical human-machine parameters to control in order to secure automated activity.

The TOP model [Boy G., 2013]



Technology

Organizations

How was it done?

The analysis of automation needs, operational environment, and existing equipments

The analysis of automated equipment functional specifications formalized by the pharmacy

The evaluation of automation deployment results and related gains

The evaluation of specific actions implemented by the pharmacy during automation process

The analysis of the parameters to control for automated equipment integration security and performance

The analysis of factors influencing Human Machine interaction

Our approach integrates six steps that are run in automated hospital pharmacies to analyze their feedback

Evolution of the error rate detected in the pill boxes in Macon hospital center after automation

The automation led to a significant reduction of 86,50% errors rate in pill boxes: errors rate went from 9,33% in 2015 to 1.26% in 2018

80,95% of Sinteco automated equipment have been evaluated performant by Macon hospital center

1,9M€ More than 1.9 million euros of gains generated in 5 years of automation

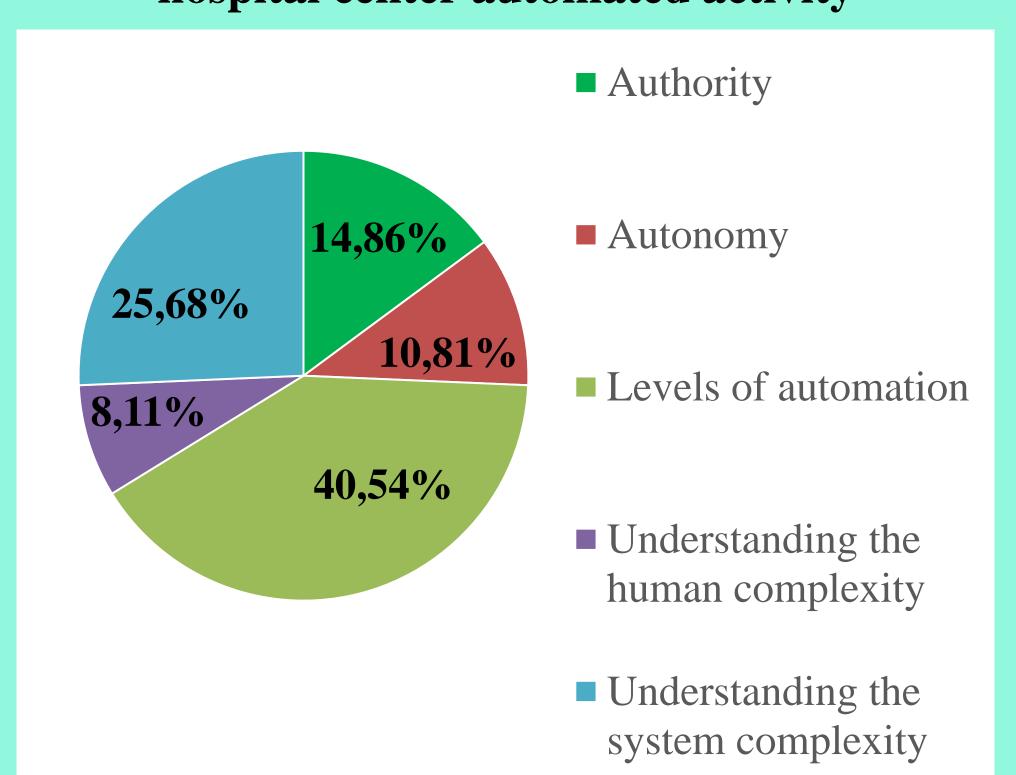
84% of return-on-investment in 5 years of automation

What was achieved?

The performance of the chosen automated solution is involved in 28,38% of automation specifications performance in Macon hospital center.

The remaining systemic parameters involved in automation specifications performance need to be controlled.

Parameters influencing Human Machine interaction and performance in Macon hospital center automated activity



1st step



Identification and implementation of specific actions to control critical Human-Machine parameters

What is next?



2nd step



Development of hospitals situation awareness about automation critical factors by sharing Macon hospital center feedback