## Unlocking Business Efficiency: How AI-Powered Catalog Management is Transforming B2B Commerce

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# Commerce Under Pressure

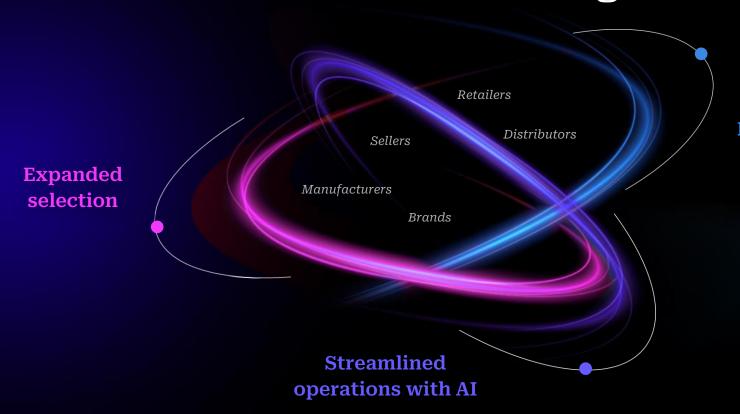
- Consumer Expectations
- AI Disruption
- Margins
- Buyer Behavior

### Where innovation leaders invest

Innovation leaders' top three priorities for eCommerce spending (%)

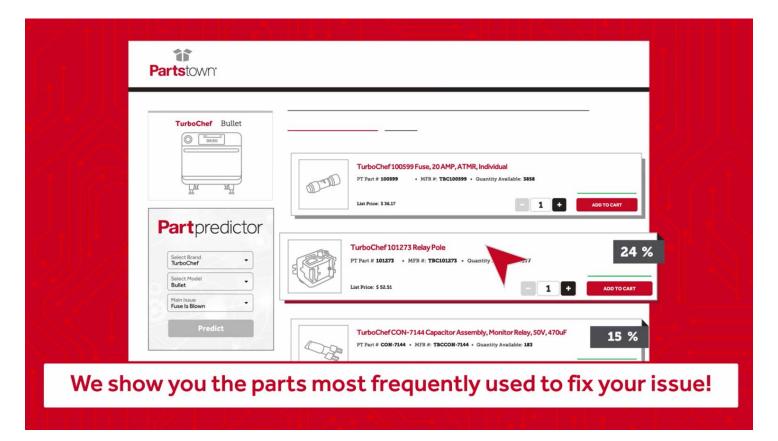


## The Acceleration Engine



New revenue streams & higher profitability

### PartsTown PartsPredictor Tool



#### Reality

### What we know about buyer behavior...

63%

of people would purchase another product due to a lack of product information. 84%

of consumers have researched products online before buying in a store



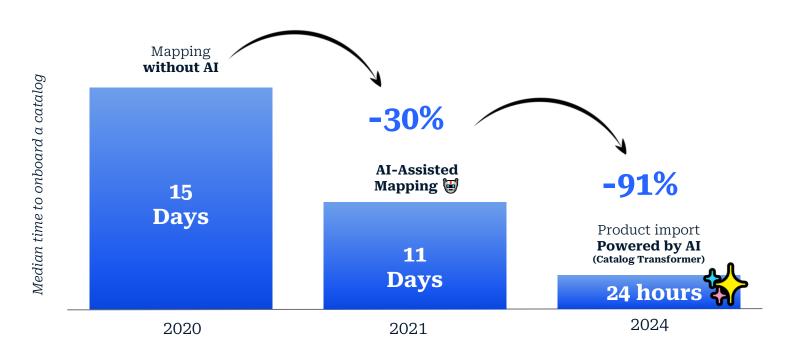
66%

of people are spending more time validating purchases, requiring more information before making a purchase decision.





## Transforming Catalog Onboarding: 91% Reduction in Time Powered by AI





#### **Customer Spotlight**

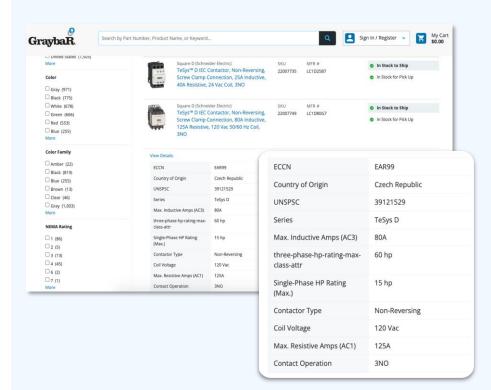
# Faster catalog onboarding and easier collaboration with suppliers

- Better catalog enrichment with more complete product data
- Foster autonomy to manufacturers and create a faster time to market
- Optimize team time to prioritize value-added-tasks

"Speed to market means everything in business. It would take days to add a new SKU as we worked with our suppliers to get all the product information from them in the correct format. Now, all of the requirements are in the Mirakl Catalog Platform, ensuring the right data and format when suppliers import their products. As a result, a new product can be live in a single day."



Lisa Schaffer, Manager, Online Merchandising



### **About Graybar**

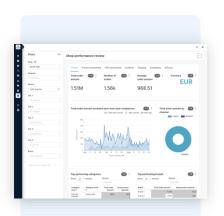
1M<sup>+</sup> products

1.2K<sup>+</sup> suppliers

Fortune
500
company

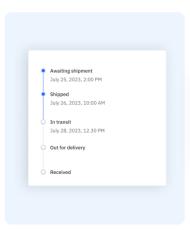
### Innovation doesn't end with catalog & AI...

Advanced performance insights



85% of active monthly users

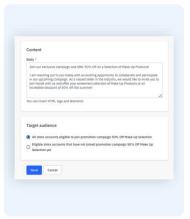
Real-time delivery management



Next generation quality control



Promotions led by the operator



3 days

Average reduction on estimated delivery date

GMV for premium sellers

+18%

13 hours saved per campaign

## Leveraging AI across B2B Commerce flows to unlock significant value for your business



### Catalog management

Accelerate and simplify onboarding of highly complex catalogues, while enriching and harmonizing product data with Al



## Inventory aggregation

Onboard all internal and external inventory sources onto a single platform for a real-time view of inventory



## Order management & fulfilment

Capture orders from every channel, automate order splitting, and route order to the right supply source based on your rules



## Invoicing & payments

**Simplify** customer and supplier invoice creation and compliance

**Simplify** financial reconciliation across suppliers, distributors, and customers

Increased cross-selling opportunities

Reduced time to onboard and maintain SKUs

Lower working capital from inventory

**Optimized** resource allocation

Reduced customer churn Increased repeat purchases Lower cost to serve
Improved compliance
Faster AP/AR processes

## Lessons learned from Automotive & Aerospace

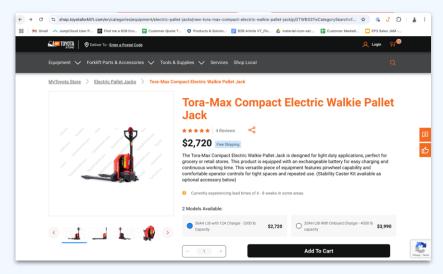
#### **Success story**

### How the #1 Forklift Manufacturer Built an eCommerce Channel for OEM Parts

**Objectives**: Create a new eCommerce experience to allow certified dealers to sell parts online, protect the existing territory-based model, and offer a new digital sales channel to dealers.

- More than 600,000 offers available online
- · GMV increasing 30% month-over-month
- 70% of marketplace orders are placed by new customers (no purchase history on record with Toyota or Toyota dealers in past 5 years)





"It was critical for our **authorized dealers to join us online** in an effort to upgrade the customer experience in the material handling industry. The marketplace model provides the perfect solution."



Nick Ostergaard, Senior Manager & Department Head, Advanced Services & Digital Solutions

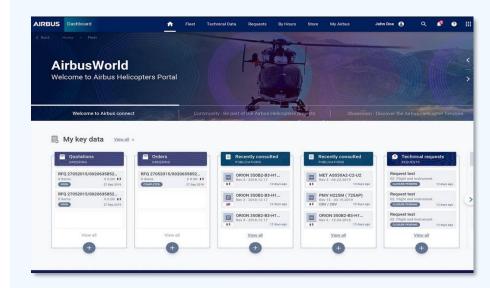


#### Digitizing Aftersales for a Global Aviation Leader

### **Success Story**

**Objective:** Transform MRO procurement for helicopter maintenance contracts with fast, efficient, and fully digital solutions—streamlining all parts procurement to deliver seamlessly across the equipment lifecycle.

- **Streamlined Procurement:** A multi-seller, multi-offer platform accelerates sourcing and purchasing, ensuring delivery within 24-48 hours.
- **Optimized Maintenance Contracts:** Streamlined sourcing for third-party MRO categories like tooling, lubricants, and chemicals.
- **Global Reach:** Servicing over 148 countries with a unified digital platform.
- **Optimized Buying:** Access a catalog of 600,000+ products for faster, smarter purchasing.



"Mirakl's advanced platform is designed to streamline both marketplace and dropship operations on a single platform. This decision has set a new standard for achieving synergies in operational excellence in the aerospace industry."





## Thank you