

A REALtime
Communications
Aftersales Product





Welcome to REALaftersales⁺.

REALaftersales+ is your path to a fully digital future in automotive aftersales. Building on our **REAL**aftersales solution, we work with you to add new solutions for your customers and your staff, allowing you to be a fully digital aftersales operation.

Going digital is a journey your retailer will go through to transform its working practices, from traditional processes that are often paper-based through to digital functions to streamline the way you work.

The outcome is increased efficiency, time and cost savings, and improvements to customer satisfaction and staff well-being.

Let us show you how...





The journey starts here.

To begin the process of 'going digital', we need to first understand today's picture within the retailer.

This review involves a detailed look at the various touchpoints for both the customer and retailer during each customer visit for service work.

We look across the six key areas, process-map each of them and begin the planning process for the change to digital.

Our aim is to remove paper-based processes, and those that involve manual interactions between teams.

Booking

How does the customer connect with your retailer when booking in service work?

Pre-visit Preparation

What steps do your service advisors and technicians take in advance of the booking?

Check-In

How do your customers check their vehicle in when it's time for a service?

Workshop

How does your technician clock their jobs and interact with other teams?

Checkout

What is your process when the vehicle is ready to collect?

Storage

Where and how do you store your job cards once the work is complete?



We complete the loop.



Storage

Save all your documents online for instant access and free up storage space

- Allow your team access to the files they need instantly
- Access from any location
- ✓ Automated document upload direct via secure APIs
- Removes all paper-based documents, freeing up storage space for other purposes
- Keep a full audit trail of activity for maximum transparency.

Checkout

Automatically notify customers and follow up on amber and deferred work

- ✓ Review all of the work completed
- ✓ Revisit the work identified on the evhc
- Capture the customer's signature
- ✓ Pre-book any amber deferred work
- ✓ Automate CSI contact

Booking

- ✓ 24/7 online boking, integrated into the DMS workshop allocations
- ✓ Resource management and WIP creation
- ✓ Menu pricing integrations for instant service costing*
- Automated recall checks, removing double keying*
- ✓ Full courtesy car management with third parties or internally
- ✓ Follow up and upsell campaigns.

What could digital look like for your retailer?

Workshop

Digital Tech App enables you to queue jobs and clock all time by your technicians

- ✓ Remove all manual job cards
- Save time with a fully electronic clocking solution
- ✓ Fully integrated with EVC with no double keying.
- ✓ Technicians can add additional work directly to the job card to request authorisation
- Get a clear view of the status of all vehicles from road test and valet through to quality checks.

Pre-visit Preparation

Digital job card preparation with fully automated and integrated checks in place

- Checklist creation for workshop activity keep your standards in line
- ✓ Technician reviews all tracked directly on job card
- Pre-allocation of job and technician time, so your technicians have their day booked in advance
- ✓ Diag preparation with instant storage
- ✓ Pre-pick parts in a single view.

Check-in

Online customer check-in, with integrated customer signature

- Customers can check in online using their own device
- Capture additional work and authorisation
- ✔ Present service costs digitally to the customer and get instant authorisation
- ✓ Complete vehicle damages checks complete with media
- Track everything automatically and digitally on job card.





Why make the change.

Our early adopters of the solution are already making considerable wins every day, from increased technician efficiency through to cost savings on paper alone.

We conducted an independent time and motion study, where a before and after implementation snapshot was taken.

Direct financial saving in excess of

£12k per year

in print and paper costs alone

Technician efficiency increased by an average of

8%

Technician productivity increased by an average of

5%

Technician non productive hours reduced by

35%

An average of

3hrs

per day of time-saving in call centre

A reduction of administrative time of 30 mins per job equating to an average saving of

24hrs

every working day





Benefits.



Create a fully digital experience for your customers



Integrate with other third parties to suit your business



Increase technician and service advisor efficiency through automated workflows



Save money by going paperless



Faster and simpler customer interactions



Remove the physical job card





Supporting customers through digital changes.

Not all customers will be ready to adopt all changes at once. We understand that change can take time and are happy to support our retailers through their digital transformation.

Speak to a member of our team today who can offer advice on the right first step on your digital journey.



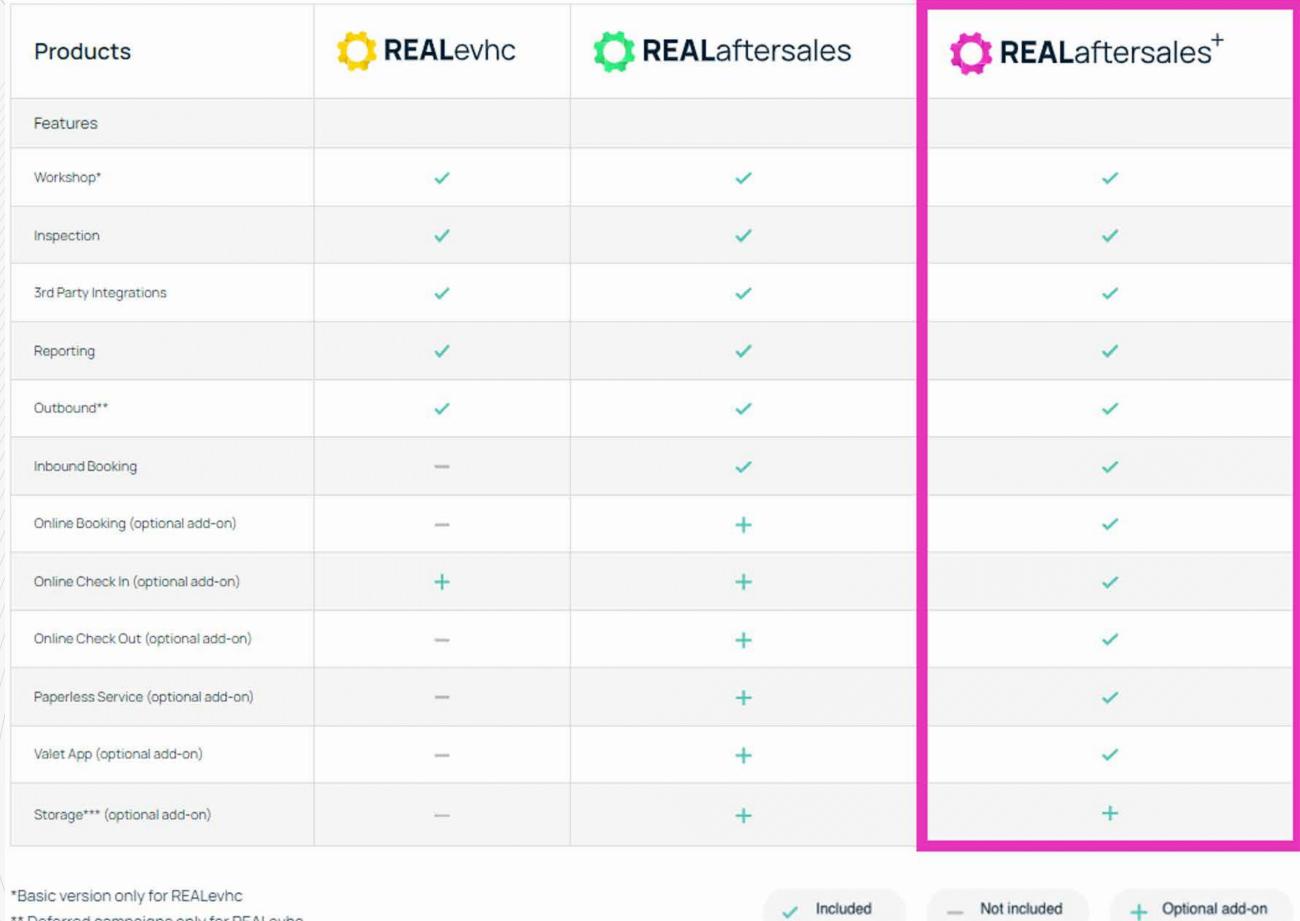


Key facts.

- Create a fully digital experience for your customers
- Integrate with other third parties to suit your business
- Increase efficiency through automated workflows
- Inspire greater customer confidence
- Save money by going paperless
- Online booking with real-time resource checks
- Customer check-in/out with automated messaging
- Advisor App for customer arrivals and authorisations
- eVHC and Workshop Management features built in.



Part of the Aftersales product range.



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^{**} Deferred campaigns only for REALevhc

^{***}Full upgrade to REALstorage available

About REALtime Communications.

REALtime Communications has over 20 years' experience in aftersales. We supply you with proven solutions to streamline your aftersales operations, helping you drive revenue and deliver a truly premium customer experience.

We offer a complete solution using open-platform technology to facilitate the integration of the most effective dealer software.

REALtime Communications is proud to work with many franchise dealers across the UK and is an approved supplier to several OEMs.

We are experts in delivering 'REAL Lifetime Value' for our customers.



For more information on **REAL**aftersales+, or to arrange a demonstration, please contact us.

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