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*Better People and Processes.
Better Profitability.*

Six Sigma

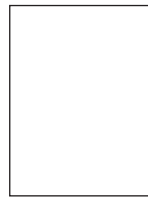
Lean Manufacturing

New Product Development

Project Management

Employee Development

In-sourcing / Outsourcing



IN-SOURCING / OUTSOURCING

Do you have an assembly operation in need of lower labor costs to stay competitive?

Have you decided to bring an operation in-house?

Have you decided to transfer an operation between plants in an effort to consolidate?

United States

Mexico

Japan

Mainland China

Hong Kong

Ireland

We've done it.

Let our sourcing experience go to work for you.

CONTACT US

Would you like to find out more about our services? Would you like us to visit your facility to review opportunities? Feel free to contact us by one of the methods below:

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YOU'VE COME TO THE RIGHT PLACE!

We'll help you squeeze costs and improve your profitability.

The Python Way!!

We have engineering and management experience in the automotive, electronics, medical devices, and consumer products industries.

We've been in the trenches using **SIX SIGMA** and lean manufacturing techniques.

We've successfully utilized our program management skills in developing and launching new products on-time, on-cost and with the level of quality our customers expect.

We've developed "B" and "C" employees into "A" employees.

We've in-sourced and outsourced products and processes. Our transfer process has been used in the U.S., Mexico, Hong Kong, and Mainland China.

And most importantly, we practice what we preach. Our internal continuous improvement efforts allow us to maintain a lean organization with low overhead, so you don't pay for our waste.

SIX SIGMA

SIX SIGMA is a business strategy that began at Motorola and evolved as companies such as General Electric adopted it. Today it offers a common platform for organizations to manage cost reduction opportunities. It also offers a scalable set of tools for improving products and processes.

No matter what your business, **SIX SIGMA** is for you. Its Define, Measure, Analyze, Improve, Control (DMAIC) approach combined with its project management and statistical methodology allow you to attain outstanding levels of savings.

Python EFK provides three levels of service to our customers:

- We can design and implement a **SIX SIGMA** infrastructure that will work for your organization, or if you already have a **SIX SIGMA** program, we can inject new life into it.
- We can meet all of your training needs at the customary Executive, Yellow Belt, Green Belt, and Black Belt levels. Our training combines lectures with hands-on exercises to improve understanding.

- We can offer our project management skills to help you complete projects to enhance your top or bottom lines.

Who should attend our training?

EXECUTIVE

Senior managers who want an overview in order to be able to support a **SIX SIGMA** initiative in their organization.

YELLOW BELT

Employees who should have an awareness of **SIX SIGMA** concepts but won't necessarily be called on to use the tools. Typical students include office employees and operators.

GREEN BELT

Employees who will use Six Sigma tools on a regular basis as they assist Black Belts with projects. Typical students include technicians, supervisors, engineers and managers.

BLACK BELT

Employees who will be expected to show great proficiency with **SIX SIGMA** tools. Black Belts will lead projects. Typical students include managers and engineers.

If you would like to find out more about our **SIX SIGMA** offerings, see the back of this brochure to find out how to contact us.

LEAN MANUFACTURING

Lean is the elimination of what in Japanese is called "muda" or waste, and while we tend to focus our lean efforts in the manufacturing world, the tools are also applicable in an office environment.

Lean literature defines seven sources of waste:

- Overproducing
- Waiting
- Transporting
- Processing
- Inventory
- Motion
- Defects and spoilage

Are you carrying too much inventory?

Is your layout cluttered and inefficient?

Is it difficult to find what you need in an instant?

Does it take too long to change over from one process to another?

Do you wait until a system crashes before you fix it?

Do your employees regularly make simple mistakes?

If you have these kinds of problems, let us help you solve them through the application of lean techniques.

Python EFK provides three levels of service to our customers:

- We can design and implement a lean program that will work for your organization.
- We can provide training across your organization. We'll even train your supply chain! Our offerings include a lean overview and modules on tools such as 5S/Visual Workplace, Value Stream Management, Mistake Proofing, Quick Changeover (SMED), and Total Productive Maintenance.
- We can provide our project management skills to help you implement lean projects in your organization.

If you would like to find out more about our lean offerings, see the back of this brochure to find out how to contact us.

NEW PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Are your product development cycles too long?

Does your product development process leave you with products that require extensive sustaining costs?

Are your development costs too high?

Do you rarely have new product success stories?

Does your product development process leave you with products that require extensive engineering and service "sustaining" costs?

Python EFK can help you with your entire process or with individual phases. Whether you need help with ideation, feasibility, development, scale-up, or launch/follow-up, **we can help.**

We've lived new product development. Our experience includes mechanical engineering, quality engineering, and program management, and we've faced the good and bad at both the Divisional R&D level and the receiving plant level. In fact, our experience includes developing and transitioning products in North America, Europe, and Asia.

Need us to create a new product development process?
We can do it.

Would you like us to review your process and offer best practice ideas to improve it?
We can do it.

Would you like us to provide your organization with a new product development overview or with in-depth training?
We can do it.

Would you like assistance managing the development of a product?
We can do it.

If you would like to find out more about our new product development offerings, see the back of this brochure to find out how to contact us.

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

You have a project, but you're short on resources to manage it. Let us help you.

We have extensive knowledge in managing **SIX SIGMA**, lean, new product development, sourcing, engineering, and other projects.

Whether you need full project support from Gantt chart generation through rollout, or you simply need someone to make sure a critical project meets timing and cost deadline, Python EFK can help you.

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EMPLOYEE DEVELOPMENT

Jack Welch, the former Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of General Electric once said 20% of our employees make up the top tier, 70% of our employees are high-performers, and 10% file into the bottom tier.

What are you doing to retain the "A" and "B" players in your organization?

What are you doing to turn "B" players into "A" players?

Do you have a plan for your "C" players?

As managers, our goal should be to move everyone up the scale until our entire organization is made up of "A" players.

Let our employee development offerings assist you with this task.

- Marketing
- Finance
- Quality
- Production/Operations
- Materials
- Supervision

Whatever you need, whether it's an individual module or an entire program, **we can assist.**

We can even tailor an employee development program to help your supervisors, managers, engineers, technicians, office staff, and operators see the "big picture."

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