



# DFMA at Dynisco... Sooner vs. Later by Kevin Dailida

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# Topics

- Influences on Product Release
- PDP Process..Dynisco's Transformation
- DFMA vs. Cost Reduction
  - Project 1
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- Additional Examples
- Closing Remarks











### **Our Products**







### **Influences on Product Release**





### **Product Development Process (PDP)**





**Dynisco** Decouple Function and Part Count Early

## **PDP Transformed**





### **Product Costs**







**Design Drives Cost !!!** 

# **DFMA vs. Cost Reduction: Project 1**



Project team performed DFA & DFM during the course of development. Part count and cost were reduced while increasing assembly efficiency.

Concepts Analyzed				
Design	Part Count	DFA Index		
Concept 1	43	1.6		
Concept 2	16	3.7		
Concept 3	39	0.7		
Concept 4	32	2.6		

Selected Design		
DFMA	Part Count	DFA Index
#1	150	2.1
#2	87	7.1
#3	65	8.6



Improved Assembly Efficiency







# **DFMA vs. Cost Reduction: Project 2**

Rase Assembly



#### **Base Assembly (Later)**

#### Machined Base Casting (Sooner)



Part Count, 7 PN's:	62
Material:	MIC-6 Alum. Plate
Material Cost:	\$5.00/lb
Tolerances (63 Finish):	+/005
Assembly Time:	14 minutes
Assembly Cost:	\$26.74
Total Cost:	\$567.68
Production Life Cost: (10 years, 50 units/year)	\$283,840



<u>Machined Base Casting</u> 1
A356-T6 Alum.
\$2.50/lb
As required
0 minutes
\$0
\$186.10
\$93,050

### **DFMA: Sooner vs. Later**



Project 1

- Designed In-house
- With DFMA applied

### Project 2

- Outside Design House
- Without DFMA











### **Encoder Assembly**

**Dynisco** 





Less Parts, Less Cost, Better Quality

# **Product Development Process (PDP)**









Time to market is critical but understand your drivers for release and their impact on the product cost

### Design Drives Cost

- Part Count and Cost become more interdependent as the design moves further down the PDP
- Even the best supply chain managers will not drive the same profits as early DFMA
- DFMA deployment takes time and energy.. <u>but its</u> <u>worth it !!!</u>







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# Thank you for your attention

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