

Enterprise Level of Process Improvement

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Introduction

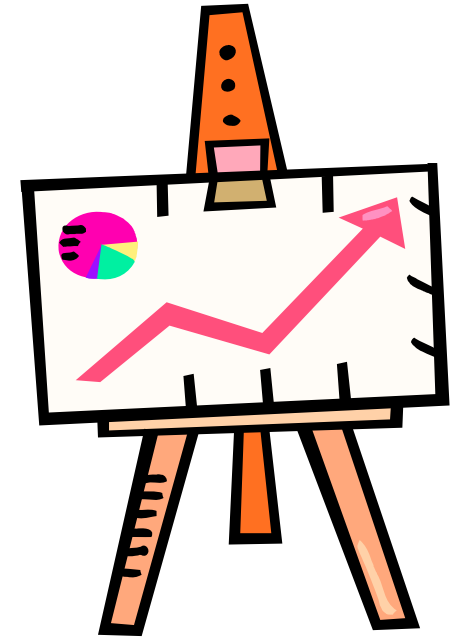
- This presentation explains the Space and Airborne Systems (SAS) Opportunity Improvement Board (OIB) and its process for

- Collecting process improvement proposals
- Identifying innovations for the organization that will help its quality and process performance
- Prioritizing and analyzing the proposals with respect to the organization's objectives
- Selecting proposals for further consideration
- Determining the cost and return on investment of the proposal
- Piloting the implemented proposals to select which ones to deploy to the organization
- Deploying improvements that provide positive impact to the organization's objectives
- Measuring the effects of the deployed improvements



Benefits of Enterprise Level Improvements

- The desire to help programs and the organization be successful drives organization improvement
- Improvements are implemented to
 - Help programs meet their quality and process-performance objectives
 - Improve the organization's performance on current and future programs
- A CMMI level 5 organization's focus is:
 - "... on continually improving the range of process performance through both incremental and innovative improvements." (Chrissis, p. 77)



Help programs succeed with improvements that are aligned with the organization's goals and objectives.

Identifying Improvement Opportunities

- Anyone in the organization can identify an enterprise improvement opportunity through
 - Process change requests
 - Data analysis (program level and organization level)
 - Symposiums and conferences (internal and external)
 - Lessons learned (programs and organization)
 - Other feedback to the organization
- Feedback is collected and tracked on-line as part of the SAS Enterprise Management System (EMS)

[Submit Feedback](#)

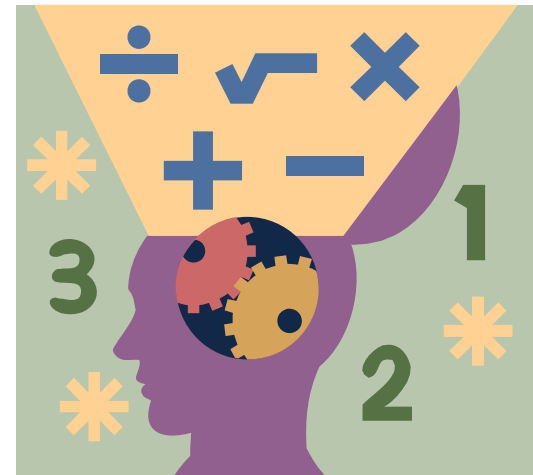


Process & Technology Improvement Ideas System

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Prioritizing and Ranking

- The enterprise established an Opportunity Improvement Board (OIB) to prioritize and rank the submitted improvement opportunities with relationship to
 - The organization's goals and objections
 - The statistical understanding of the organization's current process capability
 - The estimated cost-to-benefit ratio

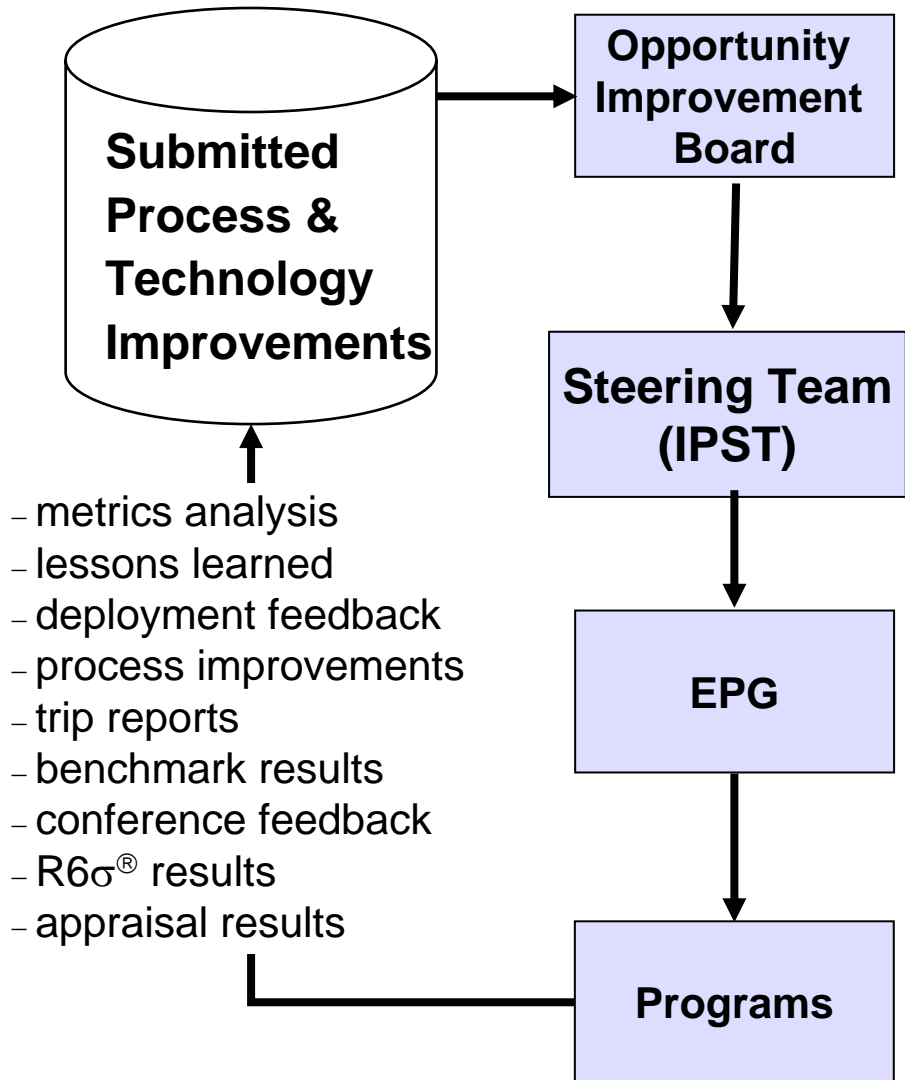


Stakeholder Involvement

- The Opportunity Improvement Board (OIB) membership includes key personnel from the Enterprise Process Group
 - EPG Lead is the Chair
 - All disciplines represented
 - All sites represented
- The OIB recommendations are reviewed and approved by the Integrated Process Steering Team (IPST) whose membership includes senior representation from
 - All engineering centers
 - Program management
 - Supply Chain Management
 - Quality
 - The EPG



High Level Opportunity Improvement Flow



Prioritizes and ranks

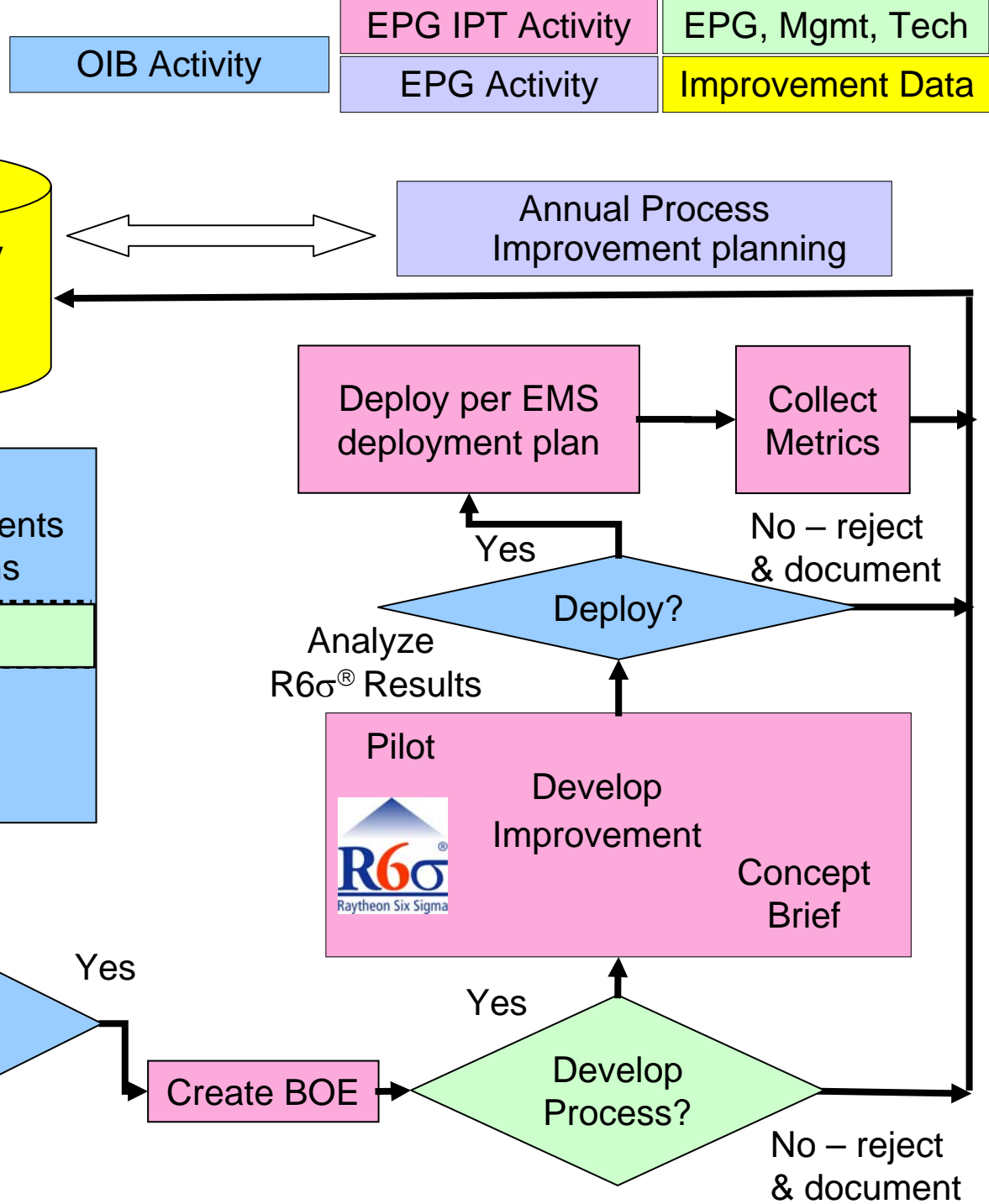
Reviews and Approves

Executes Improvement

- Define
- Pilot
- Measure
- Deploy



Detailed Improvement Flow

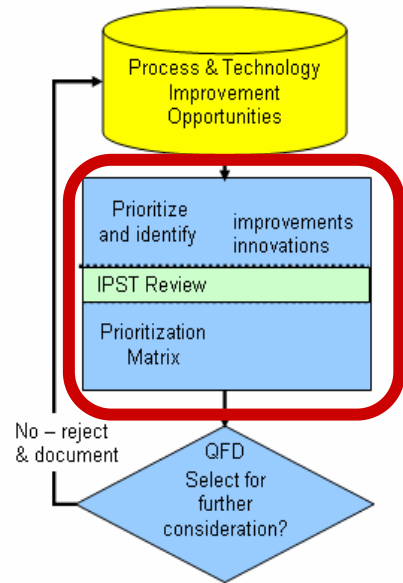
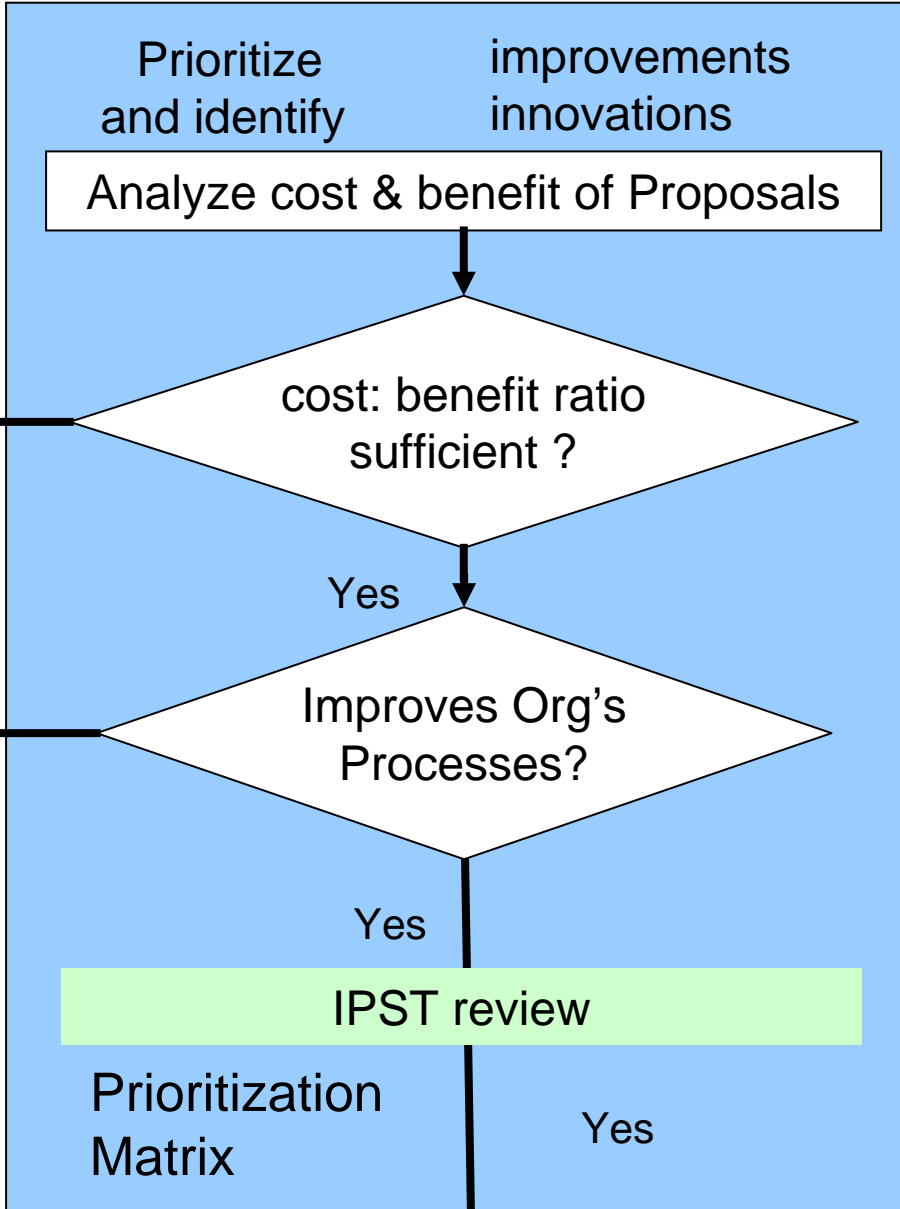


Prioritization Details

OIB Activity

EPG IPT Activity
EPG Activity

EPG, Mgmt, Tech
Improvement Data



Improvements are prioritized based on weighted criteria

Supports Business Strategy (Goals/Metrics)

**Scope of Improvement
(Expected percentage of programs helped)**

Urgency

Objective Data to Substantiate Need for Change

Probability of Successful Implementation

Proposal is Supported (by organization metrics)

Expected Return on Investment (ROI)

Priority improvements are mapped to Goals (QFD)

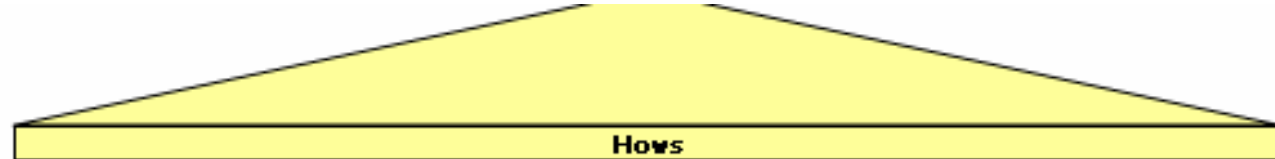
Value	Symbol	WHAT vs. HOW Strength of Relationship
9	H	High
3	M	Medium
1	L	Low

Title:

Project:

Name:

Date:



			Hows												
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
			Test Verticality Methodology	High Reliability & Space Program Processes	Develop ARD Template	Cleanroom Process	Appraisal Tool	ME EMS Process	PMP Engineering Merge						
Whats	1	CMMI Level 5 Subprocesses	5	H		H	H								
	2	Stabilize Level 3	4	H	H	H		H	H						
	3	CMMI Level 3 in HW	3	H	H	H		L	L						
	4	One SAS	2					H	H						
	5	IPDS Alignment	1					L							
	6	Maintain ISO Compliancy	5												
	7		0												
	8	Other	0												
Technical Planning	Technical Weights	Absolute	108	63	108	45	0	58	57	0	0	0	0	0	
		Relative	25%	14%	25%	10%	0%	13%	13%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
		Importance	5	3	5	3	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	
	Technical Targets	Value													
		Unit													
		Direction													
	Competitor Benchmark	1													
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Implementation Details

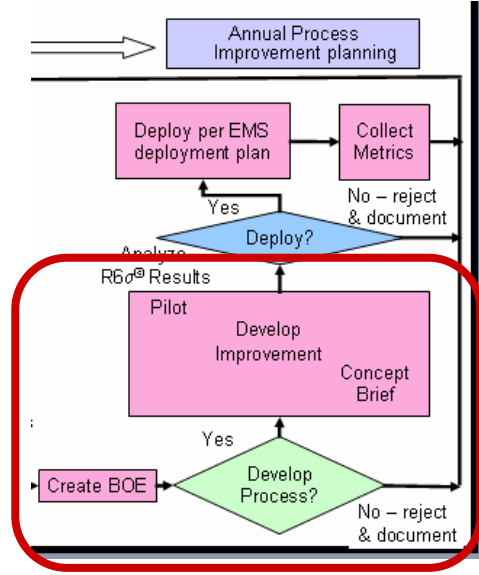
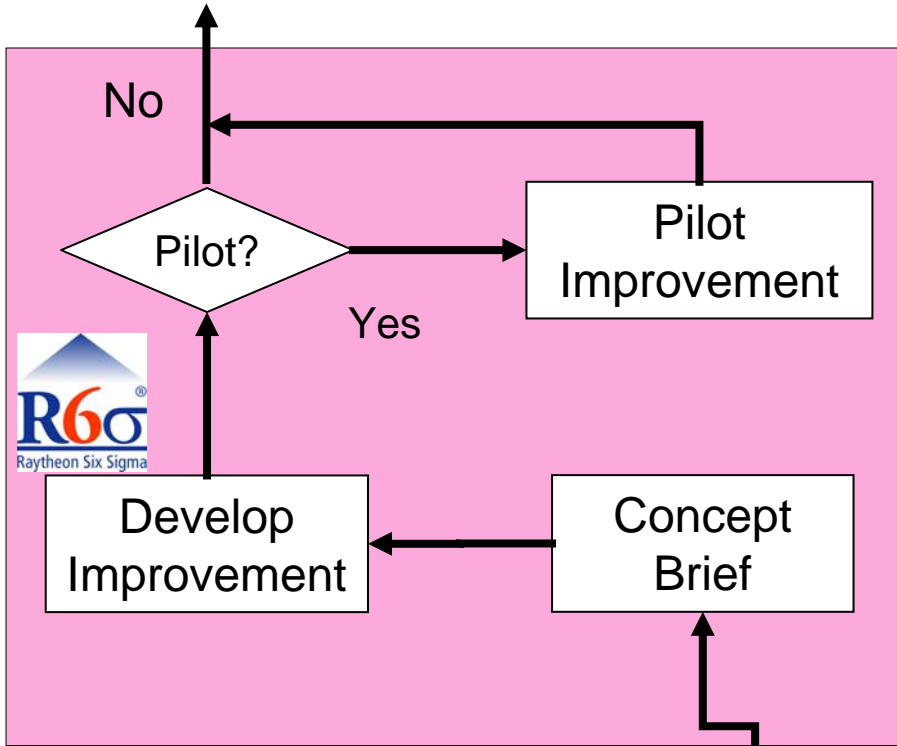
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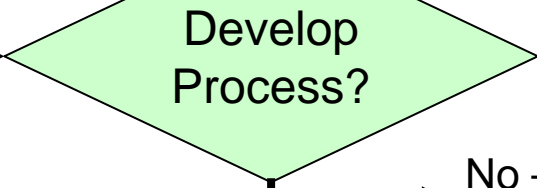
Improvement Data



BOEs include:

- Barriers/Risks
- Cost
- Schedule
- Expected ROI

Create BOE



No - reject & document

Concept Brief

- The Concept Brief describes the proposed implementation including:
 - The benefits to the programs and organization
 - The impact to the practitioners
 - The transition and deployment plans
 - Implementation details
 - Schedule
 - Resources
- Concept briefs are reviewed with the stakeholders prior to implementing the improvement



EPG Oversight

- The Enterprise Process Group (EPG)
 - Implements the selected improvement projects
 - Monitors the status of the improvement projects
 - Manages the deployment of the implemented improvement projects that are chosen for full scale deployment
 - Measures the impact of process improvements on the organization's capability
 - Manages the OIB process throughout the year
 - Reviews opportunity improvement suggestions as part of its annual planning



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Measurement

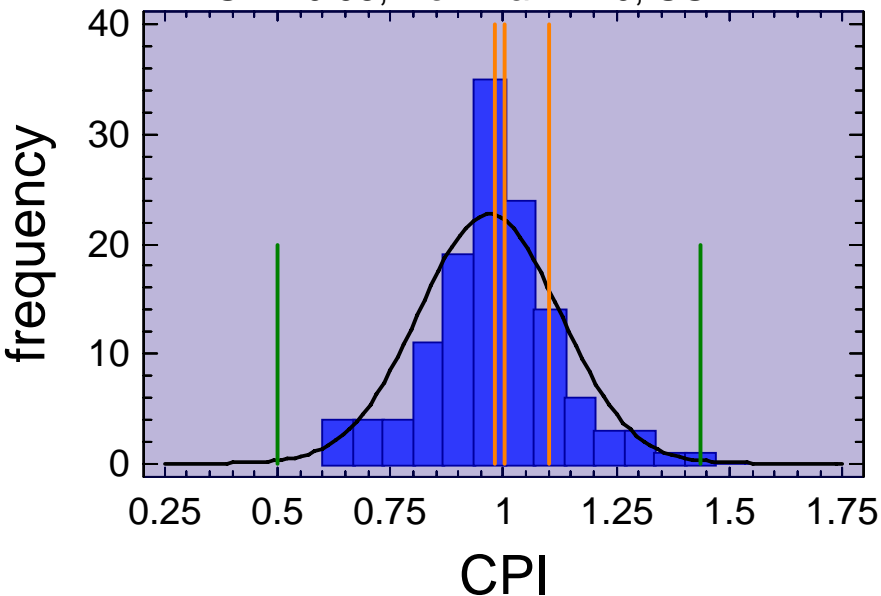
- Improvements are measured collectively
- The organization's process capability is measured and analyzed quarterly to understand the impact of the collective improvements

Expected Range of Values	0.50 to 1.44
February 2005	$\bar{X} = 0.97, s = 0.16$ $n = 133, C_{pk} = -0.02$

Expected Range of Values	0.62 to 1.33
December 2005	$\bar{X} = 0.98, s = 0.12$ $n = 185, C_{pk} = -0.05$

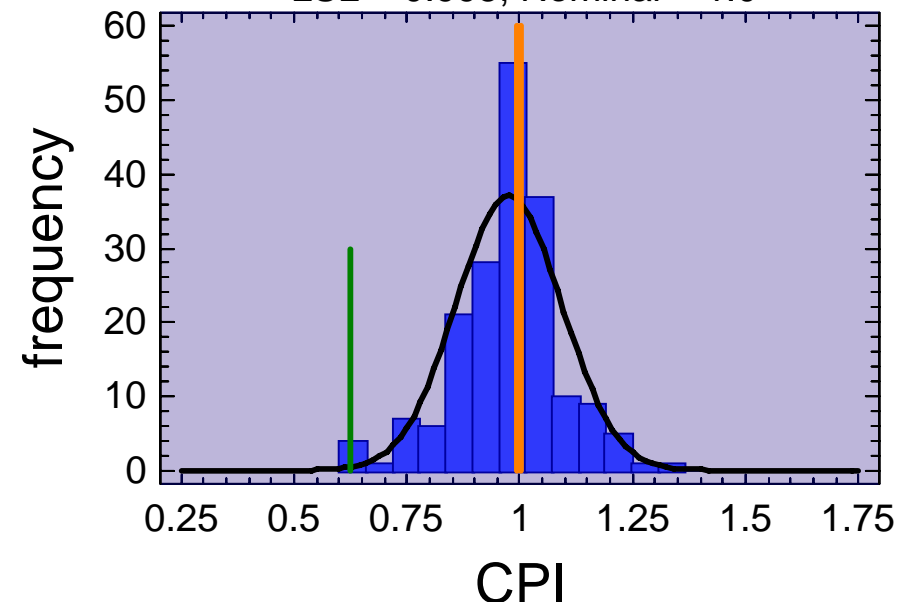
Process Capability for CPI

LSL = 0.98, Nominal = 1.0, USL = 1.1



Process Capability for CPI

LSL = 0.995, Nominal = 1.0



Process Improvement shown in Program Cost and Schedule Performance

Mar 2005 - May 2005

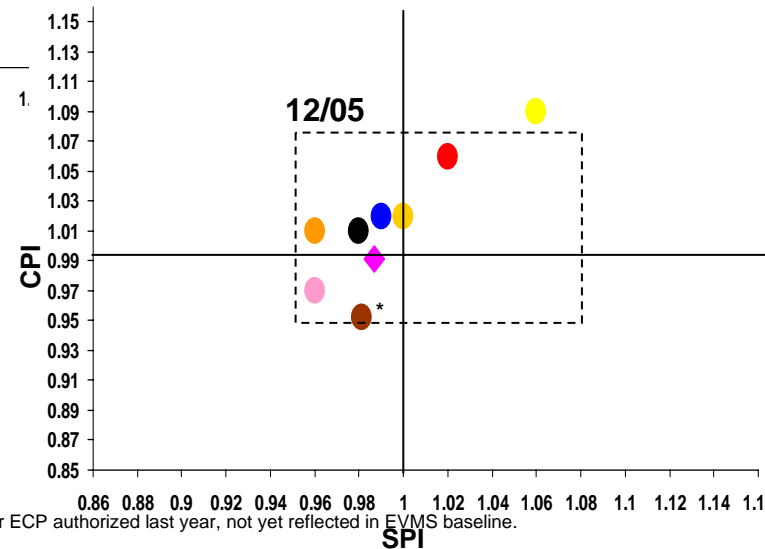
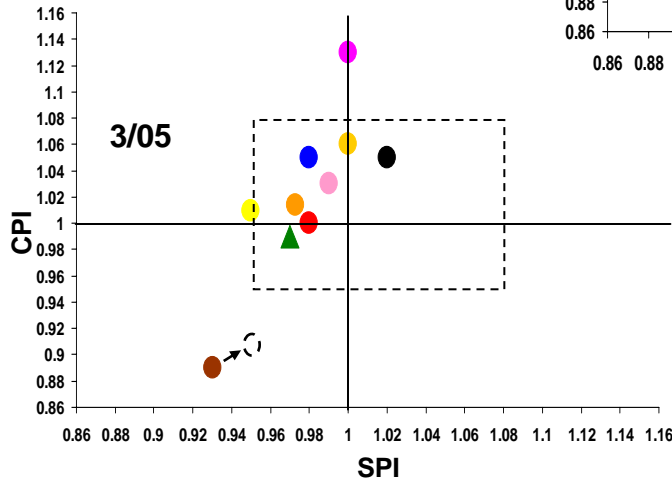
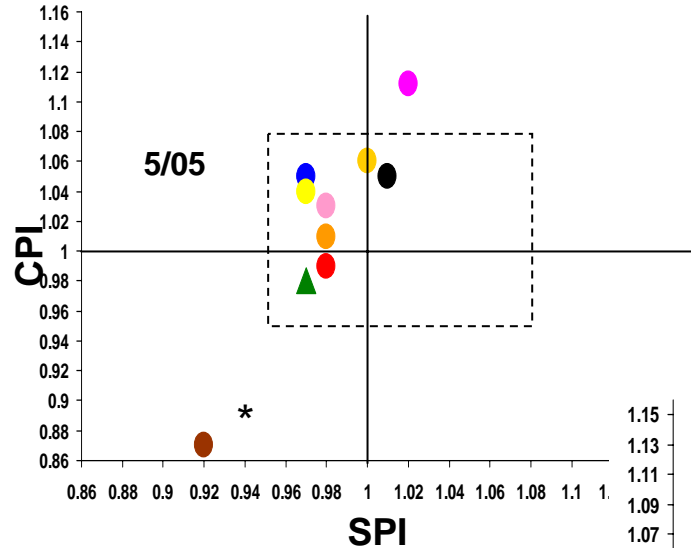
Nov 2004 - Mar 2005

- Supply Based Optimization
- Objective Evaluations
- Program Planning
- EMS Process Tailoring
- Peer Review
- Defect Logger
- Integrated Mgmt Review
- Work Product Mgmt
- Technical Solution Data
- Statistical Process Control
- Process Assets Library
- HW Development Planning
- Managing with Metrics

- Structured Decision Making
- Lessons Learned
- Risk and Opportunity Management
- SW Integration & Test
- FRACAS

May 2005 - Dec 2005

- Interface Management Process
- Qualification by Similarity
- Update Gap Tailoring Tool
- Cost Collection
- FRACAS
- PLE
- RMS
- Mechanical Engineering
- High Reliability
- Systems Safety – Phase I
- COTS
- Updated Lessons Learned Database



*Major ECP authorized last year, not yet reflected in EVMS baseline.

Summary

- The SAS organization improvement process
 - Designed to help the programs succeed
 - Supports the Organization's goals and objectives
 - Involves appropriate stakeholders
 - Results in improvement to the organization's process capability



Questions



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