LE201: Time Wise® Value Stream Mapping Event

Use VSM’s to Identify High Impact Improvement Opportunities in Your Business

LE201 is a Lean implementation event that involves creating a Value Stream Map (VSM) which is a tool that delineates and analyzes the flow of materials and information required to bring a product or service to a customer.

- A VSM provides a way to visually see the entire enterprise in order to quickly identify wastes and performance bottlenecks.

The methodology systematically takes your company from its current state of operations to a dramatically improved future state. Learn to—

- Draw a current state VSM that shows delay and wastes in information and shop floor flows.
- Draw a future state map that shows the desired flows.
- Create a continual improvement plan to prioritize actions that lead towards the newly established future state map.

Key Features

- A VSM kit that contains all materials to successfully facilitate an event, including train the trainer materials, participant guides, and icon-based process mapping tools.
- An educational component that facilitates knowledge transfer of the VSM methodology to participants.
- Access to Internet and client-site business technologies that provide a centralized team workspace for every VSM event.

- Team services include event management tracking, document collaboration, library of reference materials with document templates and real-time performance monitoring.

Key Benefits

- Understand the business case for using a strategy-focused approach to operational improvement.
- Rapidly identify and prioritize high impact improvement opportunities.
- Define baseline performance measures and monitor for sustainment.
- Promotes standardized best practices throughout your organization.
- Promotes a holistic approach to performance improvement that is more effective than fragmented approaches.

Deliverables

- Event “roll up” report for management that includes electronic VSM maps and a continual improvement plan.
- Current state map.
- Future state map (ideal process).
- Prioritized list of high impact improvement opportunities.
- Implementation plan for Kaizen Rapid Improvement Event (LE202).

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