# Omni Aerospace



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Mr. O'Neill founded Omni Aerospace in 1994. Omni designs, manufacturers and distributes electrical, electromechanical and mechanical components and assemblies. Mr. O'Neill has over 20 years experience in the aerospace and transportation industry. He started his career as an engineer with the Cadillac Division of General Motors Corporation in 1984. He holds a BS in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Kansas.







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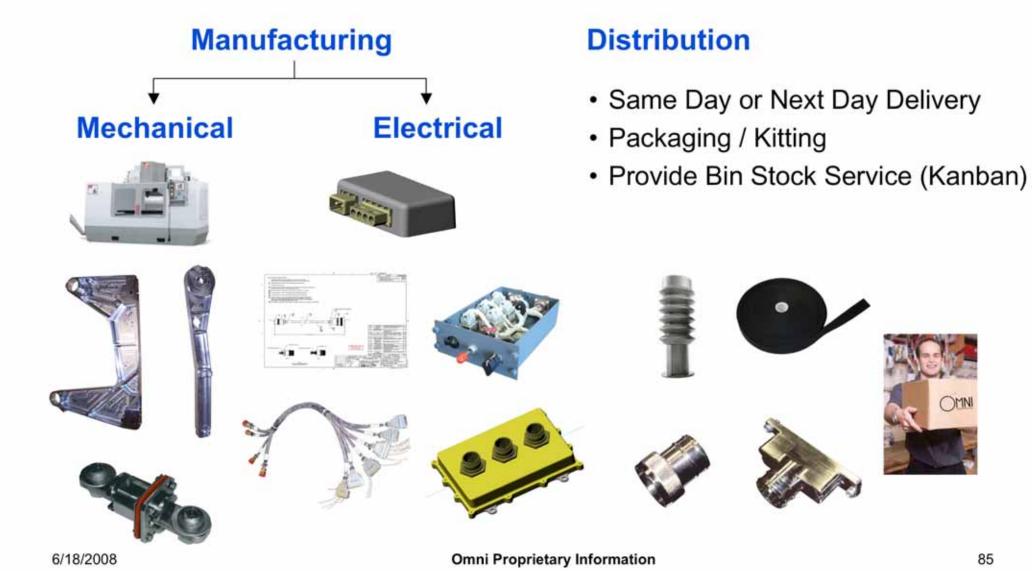
## **Company Overview**

- Incorporated in 1994
- Specialize in Aerospace Product
  - Electrical Assemblies
  - Machined Components and Assemblies
  - Stocking to Support JIT/Kanban Delivery
- AS 9100 Rev B and ISO 9002 Certified





### **Omni Business Units**





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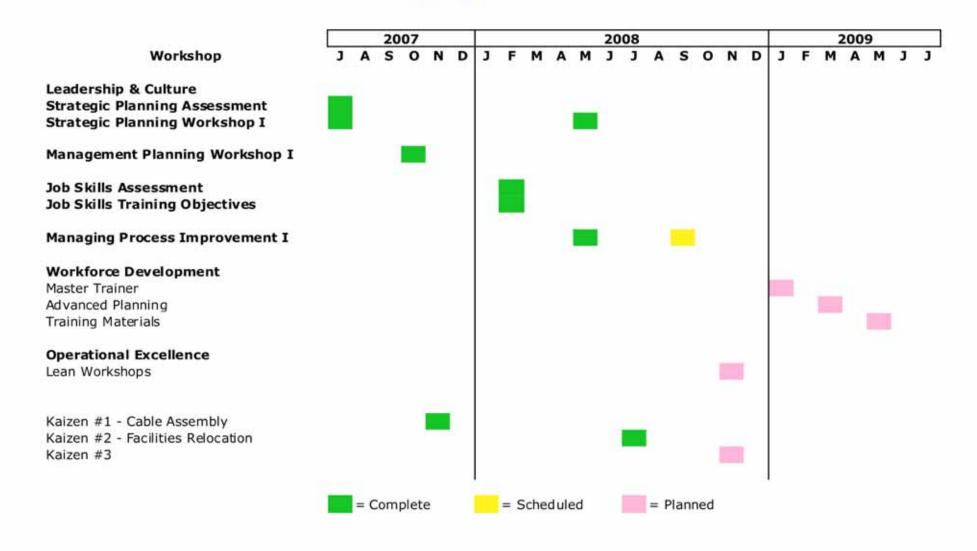
#### Our Solution



- Leadership & Culture Operation Excellence
   Workforce Development Business Results



## **SEA Engagement Plan Timeline**





## **Leadership & Culture**

Stage One - Stabilization

#### **Develop Plan to Manage Growth**

- Strategic Plan (July 2007)
  - Sale and Budget Forecast
  - Identified need for new ERP System
  - Clear Understanding of Product Roadmap











## **Process Maturity Matrix**

Started May 2007

#### **Process** Champion **Process Owner** Machine Shop Production Planning Doug Keith Order Entry Cherrell Cherrell Estimating/Quoting Chris Chris New Product Development John John New Product Sales John Doug Document Control Stephanie Renee

#### **Process Maturity Model**



- Critical Process are Defined
- Just Starting to Apply Training
- Goals
  - -LEVEL 2 by end 2008
  - -LEVEL 3 by mid 2009

Leadership & Culture	Stragegic Planning
	Leadership Communications
	Organizational Performance Review
	Continous Improvement Management
	Workforce Development Integration
Workforce Development	Job Skills & Cross Training Certification
Operational Excellence	Kaizen
	6S Visual Workplace
	Quick Changeover/SMED
	Material Management
	Production Planning



## **Operational Excellence**

Stage One

#### **Establishing Metrics to Manage our Business**

- Purchased JobBOSS ERP System
  - 3 month deployment ended in May 2008
  - Systems in place to measure everything!







#### **Business Results**

Stage One

Manage Sale Growth and Increasing Profitability
Balance Product Groups (Distribution, Proprietary, Build-to-Print)

 SEA Kaizen Event – Establishing Standard Work and Kanban Enabled Omni to Handle a \$300k to \$1M Sales Growth in 2008 for One Product Group! Saved Omni \$23k/year labor cost.

**Need Identified to Develop Proprietary Products** 

- Solid State Relay in Testing Phase (\$2M+ opportunity)
- Power Isolation Module in Development (\$.5M opportunity)
- Both are Scalable to Develop Product Families









## **Workforce Development**

Stage One

#### Getting the Right People on the Bus and in the Right Seat Developing a Cross Training Process

- Defined skills need to Grow Company
   Budgeted Position
- Developed Cross Training Matrix
  - KIR and KIT Grant to Offset about Half the Cost!









#### **Lessons Learned**

- Bringing in Outside SEA Resources (L-5 Consultants) Focused Our Organization to Dedicate Time for Planning/Training
  - We could not achieve this internally
- The SEA Program was the Right Choice for Omni at this Time
  - We Now Have the Systems and Processed in Place to Grow
- Will Complete Stage One SEA Activity in Mid 2009
  - Omni will be ready for Certification Audit
  - Completely Different Company in this 2-Year Period

"Omni is a perfect example of a supplier leveraging the SEA Improvement Methodology to Implement Processes that are Robust and Scaleable, while maintaining excellent levels of service." Rod Anderson, Director Sourcing, Cessna Aircraft Co.