# Supplier Keynote



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Tim Holland participated in the purchase of Graco Supply Company and has operated as its CEO/President since March 2002. Throughout his career Tim has specialized in operations management and continuous process improvement efforts in startup, turn-around, and consulting environments. He has multiple industry experience including Electronics (Motorola), Aerospace and Defense (Boeing), and Telecommunications (Andrew/Algon). He holds a BS in Business Management from the University of Texas at Austin, and an Executive MBA from Southern Methodist University. He served a combined 15 years of active and reserve Military duty in positions ranging from UH-1 Helicopter Mechanic to Technical Warrant Officer, Military Intelligence/Electronic Warfare. Tim has personally directed or participated in over 100 Kaizen continuous improvement events and has followed the evolution of Lean Manufacturing initiatives throughout his career.

#### SEV Accelerating Supply Chain Performance



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## **Company Overview**

- Family owned and operated 1959-2002
- Revenue 2009 ~ \$40M, 58 employees
- Aerospace focused Value Added Distributor
  - Fort Worth, TX (HQ)
  - Wichita, KS
  - Tulsa, OK
  - Jasper, GA
  - High Point, NC





Distribute, Package and Manage Inventories of Industrial/Specialty Supplies for Aerospace

- Paints- Primers and Topcoats
- Structural/General Adhesives
- Sealants/Tapes
- Lubricants/Greases
- Consumables used in Composite Manufacturing "Sell the right things, Sell things right"





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### Customers





## **Measurable Results**

Results	After 6 months
On-time Delivery	30% Improvement
Quality	41% Reduction of Defectives
Sales per Employee	8% Increase



### **Improvement Journey**

Results
Improvements

**On-Time Delivery** 

Quality

Mini-Kaizen, Task Team,

**Standardized Process** 

Mini-Kaizen, Task Team,

How We Did It

Standardized Process

Sales Per Employee

Efficiencies gained -Attrition / no replacement



# **Thank You!**

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