



Continuous Improvement Toolkit

Process Redesign

Managing Risk

PDPC
FMEA RAID Logs
Fault Tree Analysis
Risk Assessment*
Traffic Light Assessment

Deciding & Selecting

Pros and Cons
Break-even Analysis
Force Field Analysis
Decision Tree
QFD
Kano Analysis
Critical-to Tree
Cause & Effect Matrix
Confidence Intervals
Probability Distributions
Graphical Analysis
Run Charts
Control Charts
Sampling
Brainstorming
Nominal Group Technique
Affinity Diagram
Lateral Thinking

Importance-Urgency Mapping
Cost -Benefit Analysis
Voting
TPN Analysis
Prioritization Matrix
Paired Comparison
Pareto Analysis
ANOVA
Hypothesis Testing
Scatter Plot
Correlation
5 Whys
Fishbone Diagram
Analogy
Mind Mapping*
Attribute Analysis

Planning & Project Management*

RACI Matrix
Stakeholders Analysis
PERT/CPM
Activity Diagram
Roadmaps
Project Charter
Gantt Chart
PDCA
Control Planning
Gap Analysis
Hoshin Kanri
Kaizen
How-How Diagram
Tree Diagram**
Standard work

Lean Measures
KPIs
OEE
Capability Indices

MSA
RTY
Descriptive Statistics
Cost of Quality
Reliability Analysis

Understanding Performance

Benchmarking
Focus groups
Photography
Measles Charts
Data Collection
Critical Incident Technique
Observations

Understanding Cause & Effect

Design of Experiments
Regression
Multi-Vari Charts
Relations Mapping*
TRIZ***

Identifying & Implementing Solutions***

Mistake Proofing
Pull Systems
JIT
Ergonomics
Work Balancing
Automation
Bottleneck Analysis
Visual Management
Flow
Value Analysis
5S
Wastes Analysis
SMED

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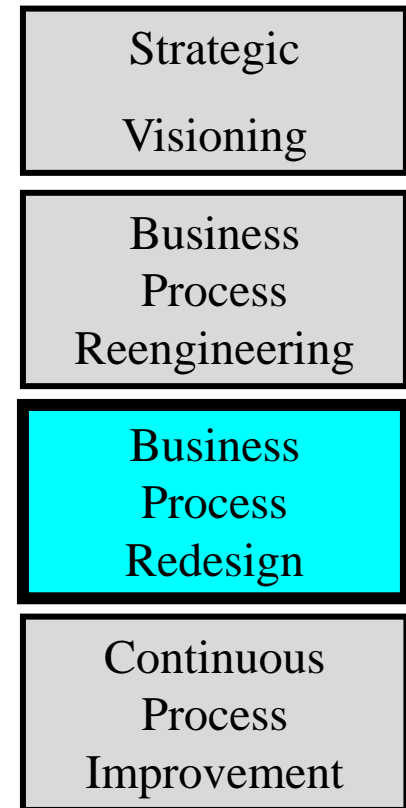
Time Value Map
IDEF0
Value Stream Mapping
SIPOC
Flow Process Chart
Process Mapping
Flowcharting
Service Blueprints

Creating Ideas**

Designing & Analyzing Processes

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- ❑ A practice of rethinking and redesigning the way work is done.
- ❑ Used to better support the mission and goals of the organization.
- ❑ It eliminates the need of downsizing, reengineering, reorganization, and big technological innovation projects.



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- ❑ It identifies the changes needed that give the best payoffs.
- ❑ Expected payoffs and risk are carefully estimated.
- ❑ Business processes that can be redesigned range from manufacturing and production, to sales and customer service.
- ❑ **Benefits:**
 - Improve quality.
 - Improve productivity.
 - Reduce waste and costs.
 - Enhance services and customer's satisfaction.



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Performance Measures:

- ❑ A measurement system should be in place to monitor key metrics over time.

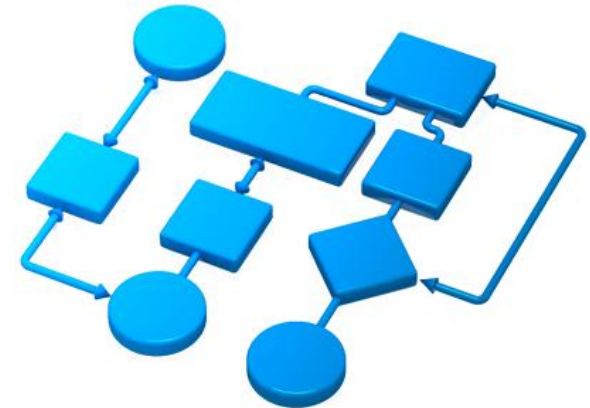
- ❑ **Key metrics include:**
 - Return on investment.
 - Cost reduction.
 - Quality of service.
 - Customer satisfaction.



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Approach:

- ❑ Identify Process to be redesigned.
- ❑ Review/develop process map “As is”.
- ❑ Identify bottleneck/waste.
- ❑ Seek opportunities for improvement (benchmarking, etc.).
- ❑ Redesign process map “Should be”.
- ❑ Implement planning.
- ❑ Streamline.
- ❑ Monitor performance.
- ❑ Evaluate the new design.



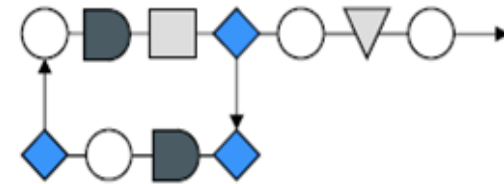
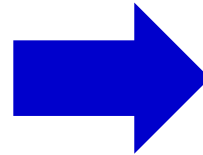
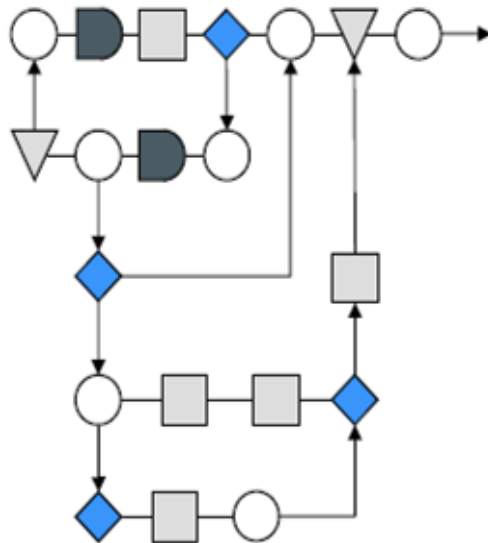
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Future State Questions:

- ❑ How can we remove bottlenecks?
- ❑ How can we remove waste?
- ❑ How can we create flow?
- ❑ How can we deal with the different levels of complexity.
- ❑ Where there are opportunities to implement mistake proofing?
- ❑ How can we reduce the risks identified in the FMEA?
- ❑ What about customer demand?
- ❑ Who may be the best performing organization for that particular process? How do they do it?

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Process Mapping:



As Is Process Map

Should Be Process Map

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Design for Six Sigma:

- ❑ A systematic methodology to enable the design of processes that meet customer expectations at a Six Sigma level.
- ❑ Used for already optimized processes that still fall short of expectations.
- ❑ **Uses of tools such as:**
 - Quality Function Deployment.
 - FMEA.
 - Benchmarking.
 - Simulation.
 - Error proofing.
 - Robust Design.



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Further Information:

- ❑ Sound project management skills and practices are required.
- ❑ For changes involve investments, the time value of money must be considered.
- ❑ The impact on people must also be factored into the evaluation of the new design, such as:
 - Skills.
 - Training requirement.
 - Resistance to change.
- ❑ The redesigned process is documented once again as the “after” view of the process.