## Intelligent Manufacturing Framework

Project Title	Intelligent Manufacturing Framework
Why Do We Need to Do This Project?	The cost of failure – i.e., waste generation, time lost, production downtime.  Need to leverage rich manufacturing databases, and streamline the datasets to dramatically improve the productivity by applying the learning.
What Needs to Be Done (Key Goals)? What is Our Ultimate Achievement?	Big Data mining/analysis  Develop a shared framework that can be used to capture and manage data information and knowledge for intelligent manufacturing  Incorporating the human element and reasoning process with intelligent control  Extends human creativity  Embraces emergent behavior  Expert system with a human touch
Project Deliverable(s)	A methodology and a toolset to support the implementation of intelligent manufacturing.  Framework to sense, monitor, analyze, control manufacturing operations, based on SM.
Project Workflow Steps and duration of each step	Establish a boundary of the kinds of processes we can address (e.g., machining, forming, etc)  Select target equipment and classes of equipment and apilot product family.  Define a methodology for determining critical parameters – includes defining operating boundaries, control limits, etc.  Establish the logic for intelligent controls, heuristics, expert systems, decision processes, transfer functions (need a complete model for intelligent control).  Address all aspects of plant operations and equipment maintenance.  Implement a pilot to validate, and conduct a study to demonstrate the value of the project.

"Best Guess" Cost	
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Project Approach/ Guidelines	
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