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KAIZEN™ Time Study*) powered by OTRS™, a Continuous Improvement (CI) software application that has been improved over the years, based on the experiences of leading Japanese manufacturing companies, who seek for the ultimate Just-In-Time process and extreme efficiency of operations.

KAIZEN™ Time Study contains the know-how, developed on Industrial Engineering (IE) techniques and related studies. It provides the time and motion analysis to improve the operations through filming, resulting in the reduction of time and money spent, while engaging people on sustainable improvement activities and increasing motivation of the workplace.

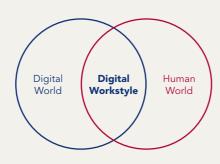
It uses video to analyze operations and help you eliminate inconsistency, overburdening, and waste; standardize processes; and pass on knowledge and skills. With KAIZEN™ Time Study, you can analyze your workplace operations, eliminate waste, and run operational simulations, while increasing the knowledge and practical application of the Toyota Production System and Industrial Engineering.

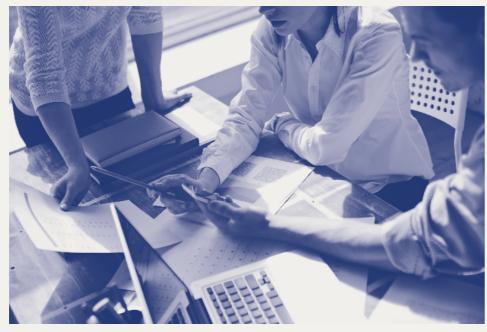
^{†)} In this brochure OTRS™ refers to the Continuous Improvement software application developed by Kaizen Institute's partner Broadleaf Co., Ltd. KAIZEN™ Time Study offered by Kaizen Institute has the same functionalties as OTRS™.

Digital Workstyle for All



Automated digitization is not effective. Good digitization empowered by improvement minded people can be powerful. KAIZEN™ Time Study enables the perfect balance of effective digitization and the development of people who always seek improvement.





KAIZEN™ Time Study Concept

A software designed to accelerate the implementation of Industrial Engineering best-practice techniques to drive operational excellence into businesses of all kinds.

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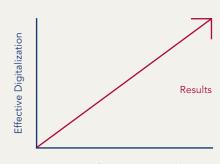
Eliminate Muri (overburden) Muda (Waste) Create standardized work practices to establish a fair evaluation system

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Stimulate your workplace by improving the "motion mind"

Mura
(unevenness) and
improve QCD
(Quality, Cost, Delivery)





Maturity of Improvement Culture

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OTRS™ implementation flow and implemented cases

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Time spent on task analysis

50%

Implementation case Automobile manufacturer

Want to reduce the labor, time, and costs associated with work analysis.

SOLUTION

Typically, work observation is conducted using a stopwatch, but this method makes it difficult to get accurate measurements, resulting in the need to repeat the process many times. With OTRS™, an intuitive user interface and "fast-forward" and "frame advance" video control functions enable rapid onsite motion analysis.

*The OTRS™10 user interface is a registered design.

RESULT

Production output per day

108

150

Implementation case Construction material manufacturer

Want to create the optimum production process matching our new production efforts.

SOLUTION

Identified multiple work flows and bottlenecks using the OTRS™ side-by-side video and operation structure simulation functions. Then performed work recombination/work rearrangement simulations to create new processes and applied them to actual production lines, enabling drastic improvements to daily production output.

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50%

RESULT

Pre-line production Training hours

Implementation case Electronic component manufacturer

Want to rearrange working environment for better technological training and skills transfer

SOLUTION

Pre-line production training for new workers used to be "OJT"*¹. But with OTRS™, new workers shot video and analyzed by themselves, comparing work flow/motions of new workers against experienced workers*², which resulted in reducing a great amount of training time.

- *1 On the Job Training. Training conducted on actual production floor through performing actual tasks.
- *2 OTRS"10 features "Rating" function that allows replay of time change simulation.

RESULT

Pre-line production Training hours

26_{PER.}
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Implementation case Electrical equipment

Want to save on production line labor by optimizing production process

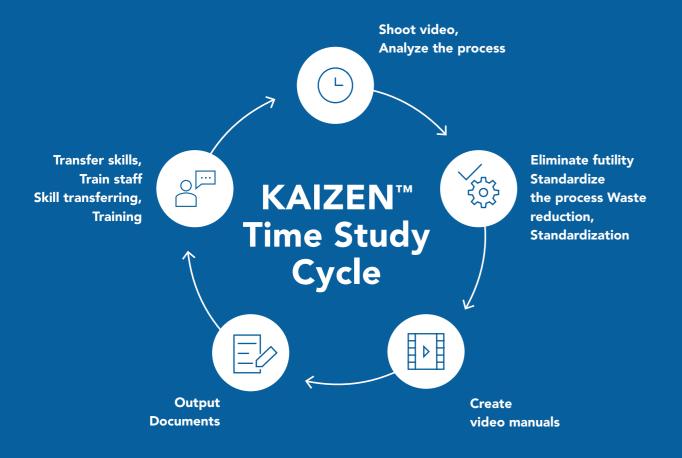
SOLUTION

Conducted simulation to reduce non-value adding tasks using OTRS™. Conducted pre-production line training in preparation of implementing simulated process. Able to significantly reduce non-value adding activities, such as migration and standing by to reduce production line labor.

 \star OTRS $^{\infty}$ 10 is capable of measuring non-value adding time included in working time.

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^{*}OTRS™10 is capable of performing simulations linked to analyzed video.



Voice of researcher



"Standard Time" and "Mind-Motion Mindset"

There are very few companies that have the ability to properly perform time analysis on the actual production floor. The companies are very much aware that time analysis is very labor intensive and time consuming, so it is understandable that time analysis tends to be put on the back burner.

"Standard Time" and "Mind-Motion Mindset" are the key elements in advancing flow. Standard Time is the core element in production management and serves as an index. If an operation is being performed quicker than its Standard time, it is time to review standard operation and standard time. On the other hand, if an operation cannot be performed within the standard time, the cause must be identified and rectified. Mind-Motion mindset, is the mindset to be always be on the lookout for more efficient ways. A company that has the correct understanding of IE is aware of the importance of having this Mind-Motion mindset and conducts detailed time analysis to return concrete results. It is said that you cannot achieve such results unless time analysis is properly conducted.

The highest hurdle one often encounters in trying to seriously improve task performance is Time Analysis. I believe that OTRS™ is not only a useful tool in resolving this issue, but it is also a software that can contribute towards raising awareness of KAIZEN™ in industries as a whole.

Improving efficiency

Organizing your teams



By using OTRS™ to perform this usually extremely time and labor intensive analysis "Analysis which used to take days now only takes hours!"

Major Japanese construction company

Product line-up

Product	t	Version	Main functions	;				
			Replay analyzed video (including comparison replay)	Various kinds of tabulation and output	Motion analysis, comparative Analysis	Element reclassifica- tion	Task formation (Combinatin chart, work load chart)	Multi-axial analysis
Model 501	Software	501-V10						
	System maintenance support	501-V10-HS						
Model 401	Software	401-V10						
	System maintenance support	401-V10-HS						
Model 301	Software	301-V10		•	•	•		
	System maintenance support	301-V10-HS				•		

^{*}KAIZEN™ Time Study and system maintenance service are available at open prices. Please contact our partners for detailed information. *One-year free support is available alter purchase. Chargeable support from the second year and thereafter is available.

KAIZEN™ Time Study Screen Collection



Motion Analysis and Playback

Make conducting detailed motion analysis easy with our User interface tailor-made for video motion analysis. Create visualizations of work imbalances using cycle analysis.

Comparative Playback

Visualizations of work disparities. Output results of analysis as a manual with comparative videos.





Line Balancing

Create a high precision structure simulation using analysis results. Output the results of simulations as standardized work combination tables.

Varied Reporting

Analysis results can be output as a work process document or video manual. You can also customize the output formal to match your company's procedure manuals.





Embedded PowerPoint or Excel

Direct embedded PowerPoint or Excel output for easier usage in handbooks or standard work sheets.

Utilization of KAIZEN™ Time Study from preparation to usage



 $\mathsf{KAIZEN}^{\scriptscriptstyle{\mathsf{IM}}} \ \mathsf{expert} \ \mathsf{support} \ \ldots$

... towards KAIZEN $^{\rm m}$ transformation

KAIZEN™ Time Study Support Service



KAIZEN™ TIME STUDY CONTACT CENTER

Operators are on hand to answer questions regarding the product and its operation via a toll-free number* and e-mail.



KAIZEN™ TIME STUDY SUPPORT WEB

In addition to operation and setting manuals, video manuals are also available.



LATEST VERSION UPGRADES (UPDATED TWICE A YEAR)

The latest program upgrades can be downloaded from the KAIZEN™ Time Study support web site.

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^{*}Only available in Japan

System requirements

OS	Windows 10 Pro/ 8.1 Pro / 7 Pro (SP1 or later)			
CPU	Intel Core i5 series 2nd generation or later 2.6 GHz			
Memory	4GB or more			
HDD	2.2 - 6 GB of disk space (Required disk space will vary according to functions required.) Simultaneously installed bundled		MS Visual C++ 2010 Runtime MS .NET Framework 4.6.1	
Display	1024 x 768 dots (XGA) or higher	software	MS Speech Platform 11	
Video format	MPEG1, MPEG2, AVI (Motion JPEG), MOV, MP4, AVCHD, WMV *Dolby audio playback non-compliant *WMV is usable only with video output from OTRS**10.	Language	Japanese, English (Other languages can be added by providing your own translation)	

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- The contents, figures and specifications listed herein are as of August 2018.
- To output documents in Excel/ PowerPoint / PDF, Excel (2010, 2013 or 2016). PowerPoint (2010, 2013 or 2016). Acrobat DC are required.
- Operating KAIZEN™ Time Study may become slow depending on PC performance and data volume of video used.
- For your greater convenience and comfort in using KAIZEN™ Time Study, we recommend you use PC with high-spec CPU and large RAM.

"KAIZEN™ Time Study became a great catalyst to implement the change culture in our organization as it enables everyone to improve their own work."

A Lean Leader



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