### **PLANSEE - Holding**





### CERATIZIT - structure / organigramm



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### **CERATIZIT Italia - Segments**



#### F1 – Cold heading dies



### F3 – Fastening Industry

### F2 – Drawing dies



### F4 – special metal forming







### **Identified Dysfunctions**





- Not updated process standard times
- High variability of processes due to lack of standardization
- Not efficient estimation of the order delivery dates
- Very low levels of capacity control
- Long lead times
- High values of tardiness
- Low service levels

### Estimation of order delivery dates





## Lack of production control





- The MRP in the company works assuming infinite production capacity
- The MRP in the company assumes constant lead times
- Lead times are not updated
- No tool for shop floor control

### Production capacity control





What piece will make the machine produce tomorrow ?

Code	Description	Мау	June	July	August	September	October	Novembe	r Decembe	· January
A1	Production flow analysis									
A2	Data collection									
A3	Definition of production objectives and constraints									
A4	Customization/development and testing of the TPS optimization algorithms									
A5	Customization of the TPS data base									
A6	First installation									
A7	Tuning and final installation									
A8	Re-engineering of production planning processes									



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### **AO** - Business Unit Organisation



### A8 - Re-engineering of production planning process



# CERATIZIT

## **AD - Business Unit Organisation**







• **Central Planner**: assign the workload to centers (group of affine machines) on the basis of the due date, availabilities and customer priorities. If some technological info is available also a specific machine is chosen

• Flow Manager: modifies the assignment made by the central planner between some predefined range (2 days)

### Problems



- The product information stored in the company ERP does not contain enough technological information
- Machine operators are the only persons able to assign properly a product to a machine
- Decision making: one central manager, local managers, flow managers

### Solution: details



- Customer priorities are assigned by the marketing staff (yearly)
- Product & machine technological characteristics
- Third suppliers of components & processes
- Center modeling
- Finite capacity machines
- Batch working machines
- Release dates
- Finite number of tasks (of the same order) scheduled in a time window
- Integration with the company ERP
- Continuous update (15 mins)



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