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Improving Maintenance Business Performance Through Best Practices

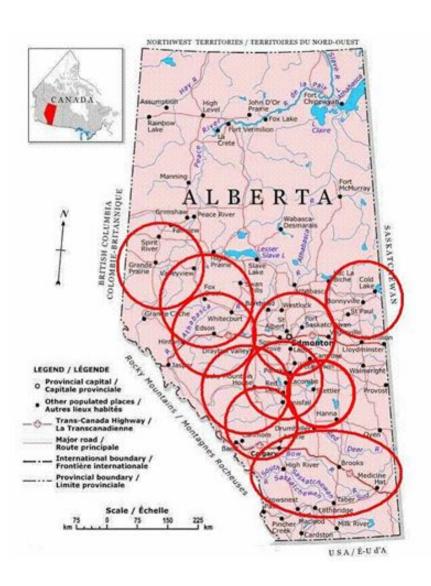


Upstream and Downstream Reliability Services

- ABB Reliability Services is a \$800M services group within ABB that provides Reliability and Maintenance programs;
 - Technology & equipment neutral
 - Performance-based service partnerships
 - ABB Reliability Services portfolio
 - Hosting Enterprise Asset Management Services
 - Reliability Consulting
 - Motor Performance Management
 - ABB Full Service®



Field Service Locations







The Challenge

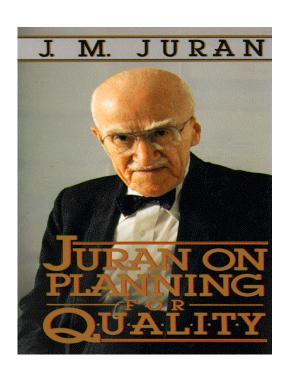
Overlooked and Undervalued.

...that's how many process and manufacturing industries treat maintenance... and their facilities' performance are poorer for it. Output, quality and eventually safety suffer from this oversight, which are reasons enough to reevaluate your maintenance practices. Previously established practices may not be appropriate for the current plant-floor environment.



Cost of Poor Quality (COPQ)





"In most companies COPQ runs at about 20% - 40% of sales."

Reducing COPQ is the easiest way to improve profitability



Carter Holt Harvey, New Zealand



Client: Carter Holt Harvey

Location: Kinleith, New Zealand

Scope: Full Service with performance bonus on OEE,

Total Maintenance Costs, & Inventory Levels

"Understand that, if executed well, an alliance on maintenance has organizational benefits well in excess of those quantified within the maintenance discipline. That has certainly been the Kinleith experience."

Dave King
Mill Manager, Kinleith



Benefits:

- Exceeded 14 production records in 10 months
- Production volumes increased >8% over two years
- Productivity (tons per employee) increased by 36% over two years
- Total Maintenance Cost reduced by 15% in year one
- Number of employees reduced by 18% over two years
- Total employee costs reduced by 22% over two years
- Exceeded organizational goal of \$18MUSD/yr



The Path to Success

TPR Implementation

Reliability Balanced Scorecard® (Leadership & Performance)

Asset

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WCR

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2-6 Weeks

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Benchmark

Analysis

 Helps identify improvement opportunities

1-3 Years

 Tactical plan on how you sustain performance

1-4 Weeks/Year

Tracking♣ ■ ■

Deliverables

WCR

Benchmark Analysis

- Findings
 - Highlights strengths and improvement opportunities
- Self-evaluation survey results
 - Compares employee perceptions graphically by position and function to reality
- Recommended course of action
 - Provides high-level framework strategy
- Business case
 - Develops ROI and payback analysis
- Executive summary



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Deploying a Reliability Culture in a Strong Reactive Maintenance Environment 2001 - 2008

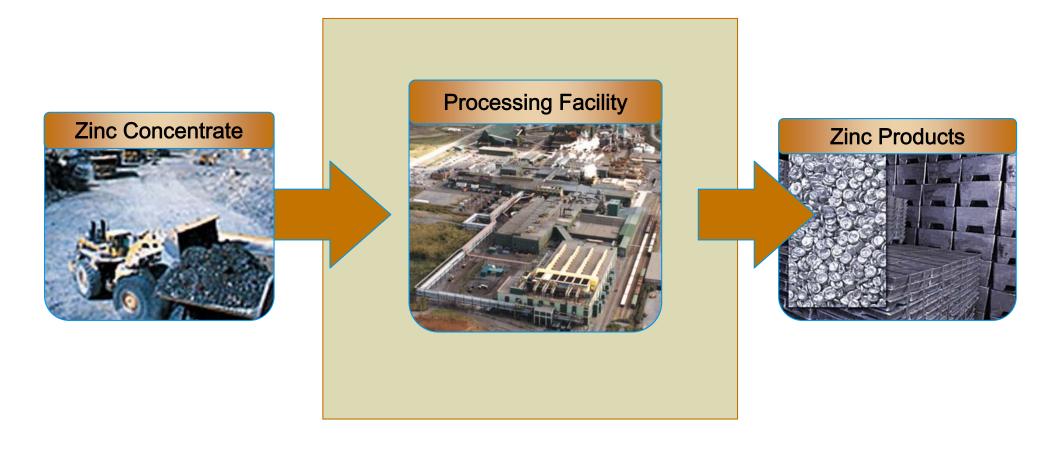


Processing Facility located in Valleyfield, Quebec





What We Do





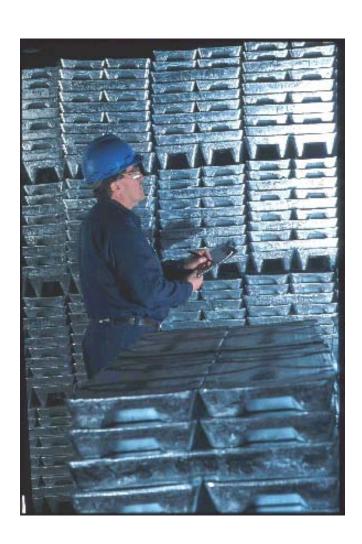
Our Annual Production

- Zinc - 275,000 mt

- Jumbo
- Lingots
- Shot
- Powder

By-products

- Sulphuric acid 474,000 mt
- Copper cake 5,400 mt
- Cadmium 350 mt





Maintenance Department - 2008

Size - 129 union employees + 22 staff (in 8 areas)

Principal Trades - Millwrights, electricians, instrumentation technicians, welders, pipe fitters

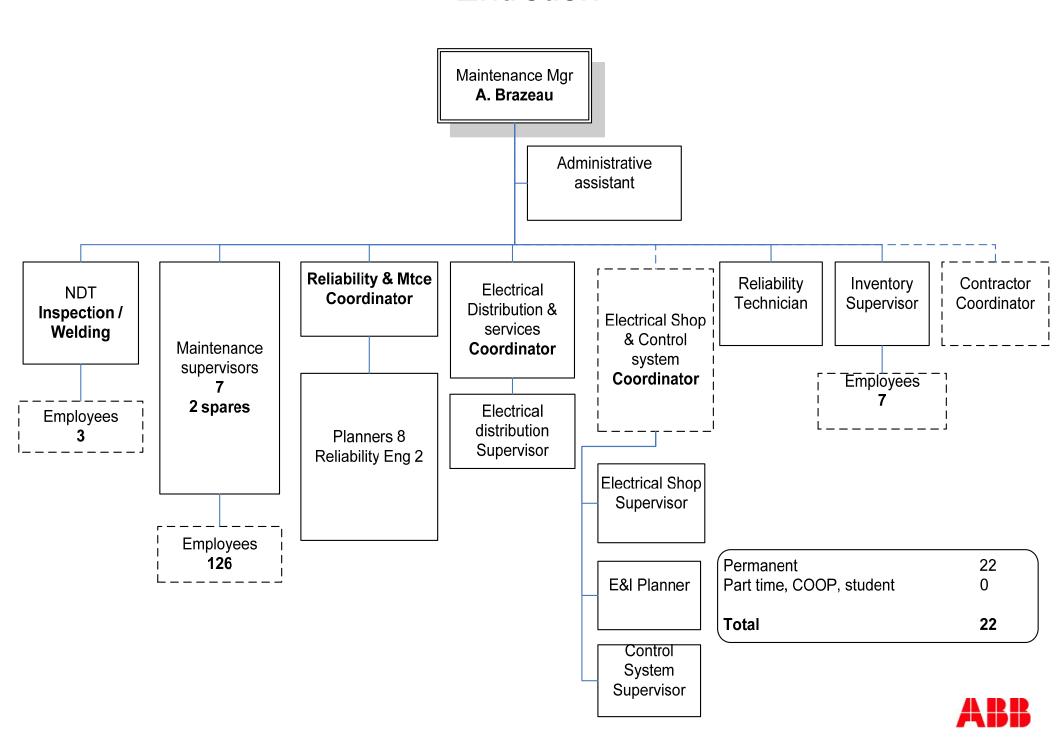
Annual Budget - \$35 M (labor, parts and contractors)

CMMS - MPAC from TSW since 1986

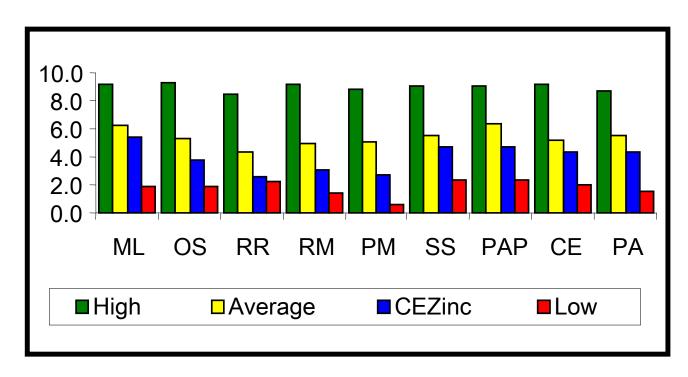
Since March 2004 - Warehouse managed by the maintenance department



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In 2001, ABB (ex HSBRT) Benchmarked CEZinc with World Class Organization



ML = MANAGEMENT LEADERSHIP

OS = ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

RR = ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

RM = RESPONSIVE MAINTENANCE

PM = PREVENTIVE & PREDICTIVE

MAINTENANCE

SS = SUPPLIERS & SERVICES

INTEGRATION

PAP = PHYSICAL ASSETS PROGRAM

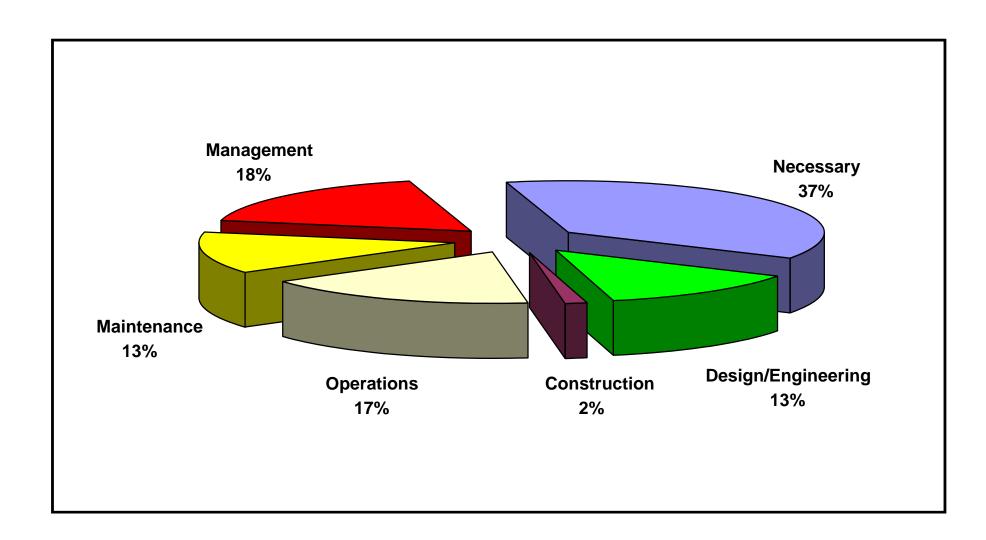
CE = CONTINUING EDUCATION

PA = PERFORMANCE ASSURANCE

Overall Benchmark result: 4,5



During the Benchmark, We Determined That Over 60% of Our Maintenance Work was Avoidable





Strong Reactive Maintenance?

CEZinc in 2001

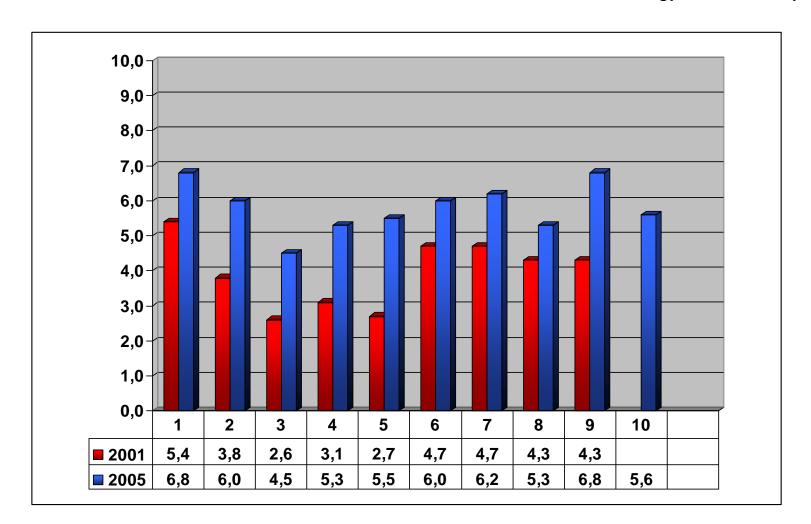
- Many breakdowns were considered "normal" on some critical equipment
- Less than 40% of maintenance work orders were planned
- 70% of maintenance work orders were emergency (or high priority)
- No work order scheduling was done
- The backlog was out of control with over 60,000 hours (+/- 12 weeks)
- We regularly skipped and cancelled Preventive maintenance work orders
- Production employees did not participate in any inspection task
- Maintenance employees were rarely asked to participate on failure analysis
- Warehouse inventory accuracy was below 75%



2nd Benchmark Comparison 2001 / 2005

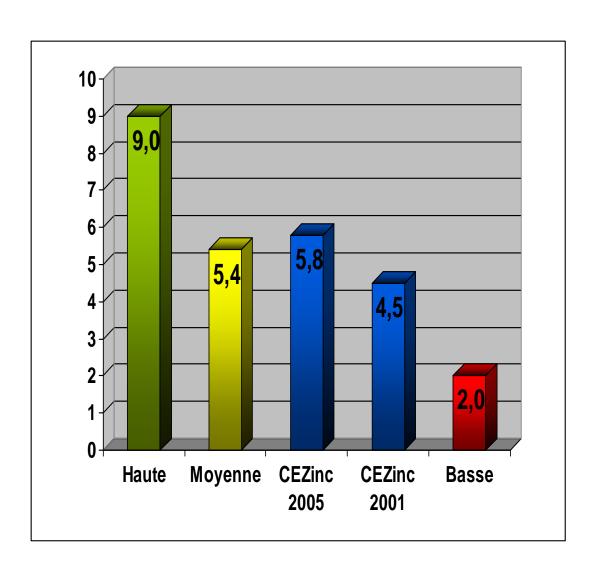
- 1- Management Leadership
- 2- Organizational Structure
- 3- Roles & Responsibilities
- 4- Responsive Maintenance
- 5- Preventive & Predictive Maintenance

- 6- Suppliers & Services Integration
- 7- Physical Assets Program
- 8- Continuing Education
- 9- Performance Assurance
- 10- Information Technology for Reliability





Benchmark overall result





Reliability Deployment Update - 2006

Planning & Scheduling

- Developed and implemented new processes for Planning and Scheduling
- Implemented daily review meetings between maintenance and operation
- Implemented weekly scheduling meetings between maintenance and operation

Roles and Responsibilities

Roles and Responsibilities were defined and communicated to Planners,
 Supervisors (maintenance and production) and Production Coordinators

CMMS Optimization

Review of functions and implemented changes for work order processing

Materials Management

A focus group reviewed and implemented new processes and key indicators



Reliability Deployment Update - 2006

Reliability Engineering

- RCM analysis are performed on targeted critical equipment
- RCFA are performed on a regular basis
- Reliability review meetings are held every two weeks
- Criticality evaluation of all equipment is complete (11,000 equipments)
- Bad actors equipment are tracked on a monthly base and eliminated when possible
- Technical review of the Preventive maintenance is ongoing
- Predictive Maintenance now implemented in all production areas of the plant



Positive Elements - 2006

- The deployment of Predictive Maintenance technologies
- Hourly participation in the work groups
- Management's growing intolerance towards equipment failures and related production losses
- The desire of maintenance employees to make the planning process a priority for the plant
- The experienced and knowledgeable consultants we had to guide and coach us through every step of the deployment



On going Challenges - 2006

- Fostering leadership from maintenance planners and supervisors to drive and support the change
- The creation of a partnership between maintenance and operation to work together and address repetitive and/or avoidable maintenance
- Ensuring adequate, mature and consistent utilization of performance indicators
- Overcoming resistance of both staff and hourly employees to change



Lessons Learned - 2006

- It's a CULTURE CHANGE, the deployment of Reliability is more about people than about process
- We must seek employee's participation in all improvement or change activities (work groups, Kaizen, 5S, etc)
- We need to change our approach towards equipment failures, we must challenge the way we do things and identify the root cause of failures
- If some individuals are barriers to make change happen, we must address them as quickly as possible



Firefighting culture to a Reliability Culture

CEZinc in 2008

- Many breakdowns were considered "normal" on some critical equipment
 - Breakdowns are systematically analyzed to determine the root cause
- Less than 40% of maintenance work orders were planned and none are scheduled
 - 85% of work orders are planned and scheduled
- 70% of maintenance work orders were emergency (or high priority)
 - 25 % of work orders are emergency (or high priority)
- The backlog was out of control with over 60,000 hours (+/- 12 weeks)
 - The backlog is managed and stable (+/- 6 weeks)



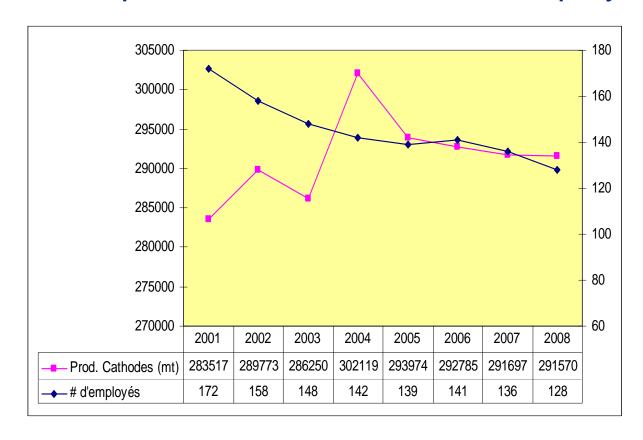
Firefighting culture to a Reliability Culture

CEZinc in 2008

- We regularly skipped and cancelled Preventive maintenance work orders
 - Schedule compliance for PM and PdM is above 95% in many areas (target is 100%)
- Production employees did not participate in any inspection task
 - Production employees do some visual inspection task
- Maintenance employees were rarely asked to participate on failure analysis
 - Maintenance employees regularly participate in failure analysis teams
- Warehouse inventory accuracy was below 75%
 - Warehouse inventory accuracy has improved to 89%



More tons produced with less mtce employees

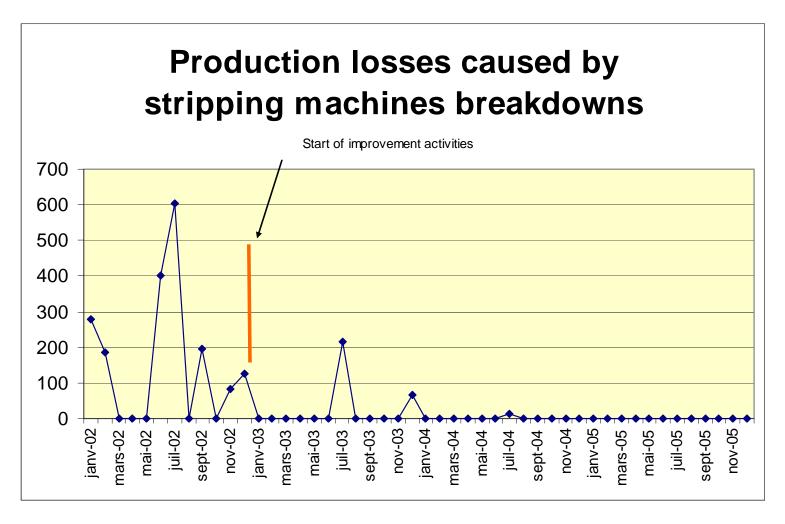


Total Plant Reliability (TPR) implementation has been an important contributor to plant production capacity improvement and costs reduction.

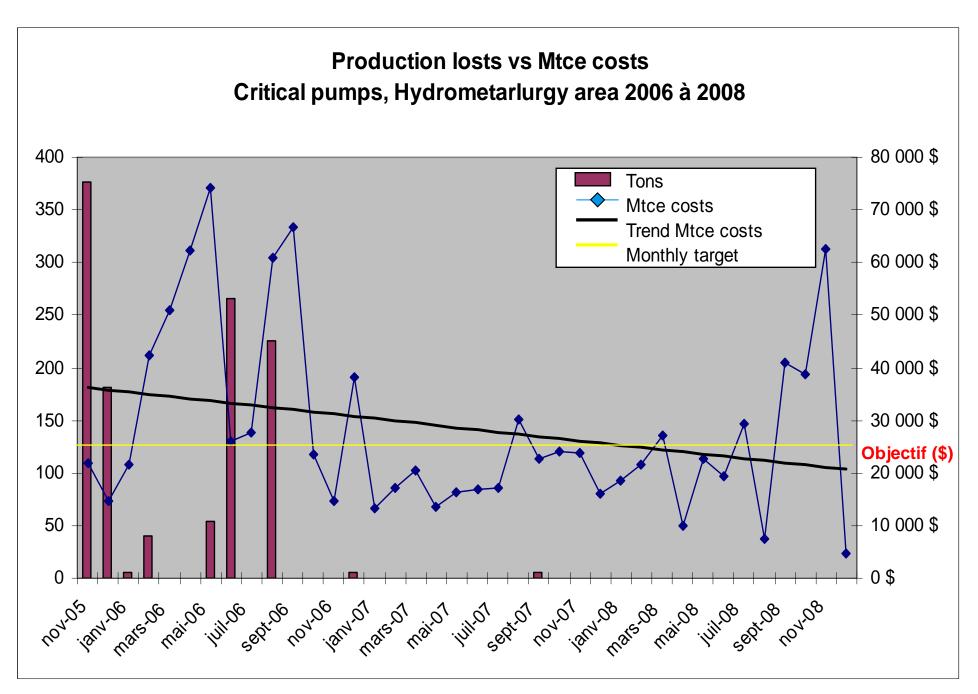


RCM Activity on Stripping Machines

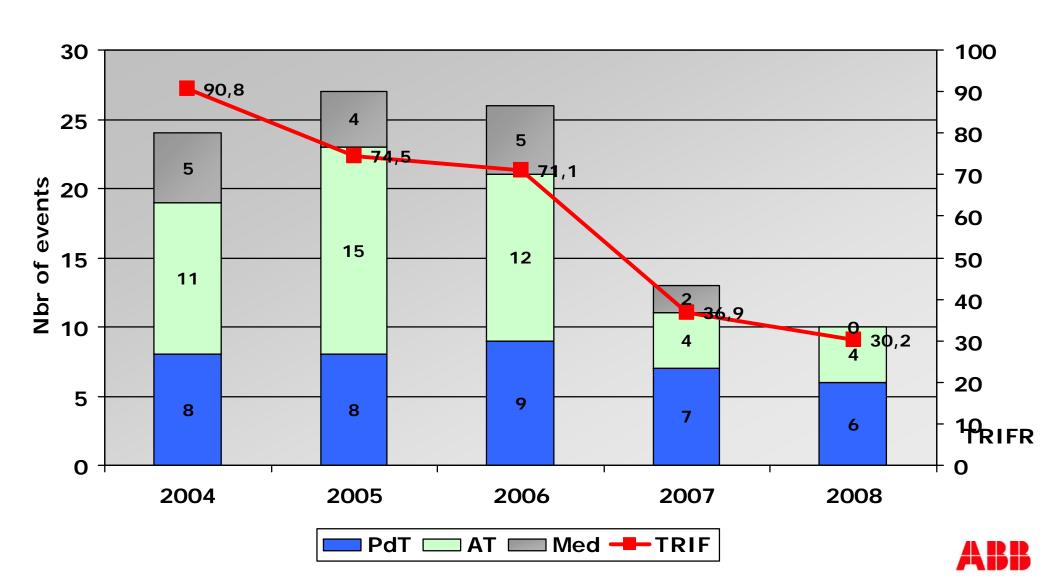
- In 2002, a total of 15 events on the stripping machines resulted in production losses of over 2200 metric tons.
- An RCM activity was started in November of 2002 on the cell house stripping machines
- Since January of 2003, only 3 events resulted in production losses of 293 metric tons.







Mtce Safety - Results 2004 - 2008



2001 - 2008 - Value added

	2001	2008
 Hourly employees 	174	129
 Staff employees 	29	22
Trades		Autonomous teams
- CMMS	MPAC	Same, minor modification
 Production capacity 	283,517 T	291,570 T



2008 - Inventory Value added

	2001	2008
 Report to 	procurement	maintenance
Inventory value	10,2M\$	7.9M\$
 Service level to Mtce 	86.2%	95,7%
 Inventory accuracy 	75%	95%
 Delivery area 	>100	34
 Warehouse counter delivery/year 	>10000	<100
 Warehouse employees 	8	7
Turnover rate (0 to 12 months)	5.7	3.8



Conclusion

- We have improved, but still have a lot of work to do (The Culture)
- To convert from a firefighting mode to a Reliability culture maintenance takes time and energy
- We need continuous support from top management to keep a strong focus on the objectives and persevere
- We need the participation of hourly employees to support the change
- A strong partnership with our consultant (ABB) has helped us considerably in our quest to develop a Reliability culture at CEZinc



Questions? Comments?

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