



# Tap into Your Organization's Creativity, Experience and Success

An Effective Way to Document and Share Best Practices

## Who Needs Dploy Knowledge?

Any department that wants to standardize and share its best practices more efficiently, including:

- > Manufacturing and Operations
- > Training
- > Engineering
- > Sales and Marketing
- > Human Resources
- > Quality
- > Research
- > Service Providers

## Dploy Knowledge Benefits

- > Intuitive, easy to use
- > Affordable, subscription-based pricing
- > Scalable – use for a single department, or for an entire company
- > Web-based – no need for additional IT support or capital allocation
- > Replaces cumbersome shared drives and repetitive, costly retraining

## Dploy™ Knowledge

### Search, Select and Share Best Practices Efficiently and Effectively

Sharing best practices is key to continuous improvement. But in many organizations, this valuable knowledge is difficult for employees to locate and access. As a consequence, best practices are often lost, resulting in duplication of effort, reduced productivity and repeated mistakes.

Dploy Knowledge solves this problem through an intuitive, easy-to-use database that standardizes and facilitates the sharing of best practices. Dploy Knowledge empowers your lean organization to use shared knowledge to continuously improve results, stay on course and directly impact your ability to execute more effectively.

# A powerful, necessary solution for organizations committed to continuous improvement

Ensures best practices are standardized, shared and adhered to • Saves countless hours of retraining • Avoids costly mistakes

## Find what you need fast.

From the home page, you can search, manage postings, upload new best practice sharing, post news and see what's new. It's completely customizable, always up-to-date and always relevant.

**YOUR LOGO HERE**

Change Application | Create New Post

Search For: [ ]

Search Type: [Any of the Words]

Project Initiatives: [All]

Document Type: [All]

Functional Area: [All]

Kaizen Tools: [All]

New Category: [All]

Location: [All]

Posted on or Later than: [ ]

## Powerful search - thinks like you do.

Intuitive, simple-to-use search capability works just like the web. Search by keywords, categories or customizable filters. Because people think differently, Dploy Knowledge provides multiple ways to search and locate key information. Knowledge is easier to find, share and use.

## Robust search. Tailored results.

Search on single or multiple terms to access shared knowledge throughout your organization.

Search Results

Search For: [ ] Location: [All]

Search Type: [Any of the Words] On or Later than: [ ]

5 items found

Img	File	Title	Author	Location	Last Updated	# Comments	Rating
	SS Form	Actual in the SS red tag	Corinna Salinas	Corporate	4/15/2008	0	★★★★★
	SS Form	SS forms are available for download. These are the standard forms we use in our work. All forms are in Excel format.	Corinna Salinas	Corporate	6/24/2008	0	★★★★★
	Lean Manufacturing, Visual Management and 3S PowerPoint 2008	This is a sample presentation of the lean manufacturing series of education and training materials from www.leandeployment.com	David Squires	Shipping Group	4/5/2008	0	★★★★★
	Using Lean to Improve Customer Service	This is a PowerPoint created by the University of St. Andrews to support their 6 sigma deployment from SAP, the 6S and ...	David Squires	Shipping Group	4/5/2008	0	★★★★★
	Visual Management: More Than Just a Pretty Face	Visual Management: More Than Just a Pretty Face by Charles Standard and Dale Davis One of the most widely published ...	Corinna Salinas	Corporate	4/5/2008	1	★★★★★

Refine Your Search

- Project Initiatives
  - Cash Flow (3)
  - Inventory Turns (1)
  - Market Share (1)
  - Material Cost (3)
  - Operating Profit (1)
- Document Type
  - Examples in Practice (2)
  - External Articles (1)
  - Training Materials (4)
- Functional
  - Manufacturing (3)
  - Marketing (5)
- Kaizen Tools
  - SS (1)

Search yields the postings most directly related to your keyword topics.

The gray box provides a summary of all relevant postings by subcategory so you can easily refine your search.

Star rating system lets users provide feedback on each shared post.

Company Administration

- Add/Edit Preferences
- Edit Site Colors
- Add/Edit Company News
- Add/Edit Filters
- Add/Edit Notifications
- Add/Edit Post Templates
- Add/Edit Permissions
- Set Rating Descriptions
- Reports
- Trashcan

Easily add or edit permissions to expand or restrict views.

## Completely customizable. Minimal administration.

Management is a cinch. A designated administrator can customize each filter to fit your organization. Easily create customized intuitive search filters.

Del Filter

- Cash Flow
- Headcount
- Inventory Reduction
- Inventory Turns
- Market Share
- Material Cost
- New Product Development
- Operating Profit
- SGA Cost

Save | Save & Add More Filters | Save & Exit

Apply Template

Case Study Results Summaries

Add Template to Post | Clear Post and Add Template

Post

Font Name: Real ft

Client Overview: who is the client, how big is their business, what do they do

Challenge: what problem did they face

Solution: what did we propose as they key action to address the problem

Results: results summary / overview summary of both quantitative and qualitative results from our work together

## Consistently capture information with easy templates.

Ensure a consistent approach for capturing the important details by establishing and applying templates for the posting process.

Reports

Report Options

Report Type: [Top 10 Visited/Rated Posts] Run Report

Start Date: [ ]

End Date: [ ]

## Quick and easy reports.

Use reports to encourage contributions, participation and ownership. You'll easily understand how your organization utilizes the database - who's accessing it, what the most popular filters and downloads are, and more. Drive improvement and create a sense of community.

## Testimonial

*"We use Dploy Knowledge to share learning and best practices across all our locations. It lets us easily see what others are doing, so we learn from each other about what works, and avoid recreating projects that others have already tackled. It saves us time, helps us advance more rapidly and sustain results, and it supports our goal of continuous improvement."*

– Ralph Hobson  
Senior VEA Engineer / Lean Promotion Officer  
Progress Lighting, a subsidiary of Hubbell, Inc.

## Dploy Knowledge Highlights

- > Robust search functionality
- > Completely customizable
- > User-based rating system
- > Simple administration
- > Easily create multiple databases within one company

Learn more about Dploy Solutions including: Dploy Knowledge, Dploy Strategy and Dploy KPI.

Visit [www.dploysolutions.com](http://www.dploysolutions.com)

## Request a Demonstration:

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# Dploy™ Knowledge

## 24/7 Access to Shared Knowledge Across Your Entire Organization

Dploy Knowledge is a fully hosted, web-based, real-time solution. It puts everyone on the same platform across multiple sites, across companies, across the globe. Updates are instant and control is immediate, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

## State-of-the-Art Security

TBM believes that security is more than passwords and firewalls. We take a comprehensive approach to the many components that secure your assets – your data, the application and the hardware housing. Our hosting includes complete network security with full firewall protection; SOX/HIPPA and other regulatory compliance with full documentation. Equally important, we are positioned to support clients of any size with immediate scalability and guaranteed uptime.

## Our Core Focus: Continuous Improvement

Dploy Knowledge is part of a suite of solutions specifically for lean organizations focused on continuous improvement. We also offer Dploy Strategy, to more effectively manage and implement strategic plans, and Dploy KPI, to track and measure key performance indicators easily and efficiently.

All three solutions were developed by TBM, nationally recognized consultants with extensive senior-level experience at leading high-performance organizations. We're grounded in the Toyota Production System and specialize in time-based LeanSigma® principles for discrete manufacturers, process companies and service firms worldwide.

## Our goal:

Improve your business performance and help you translate it into sustainable sales and earnings growth.



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