

Manufacturing in the Defence Sector

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Australian Manufacturing



High Australian Dollar

Cost of Labour

Geographic Location

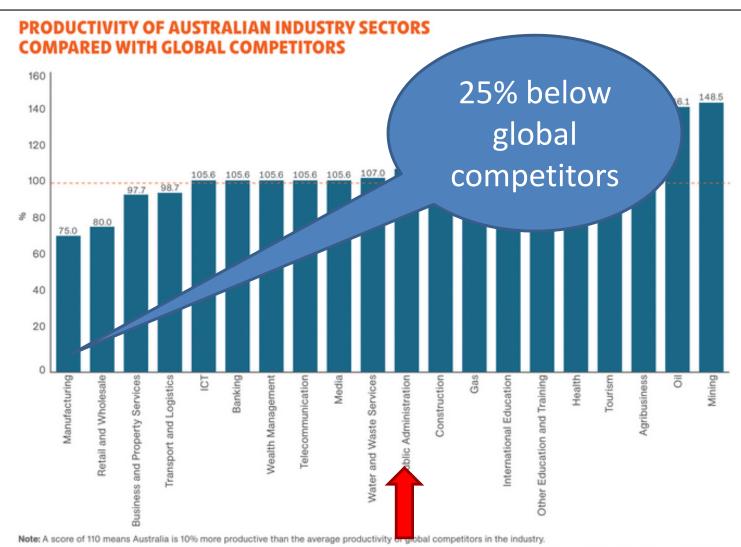
Small Domestic Market

International Trade Regulations

Low Productivity

Manufacturing Productivity





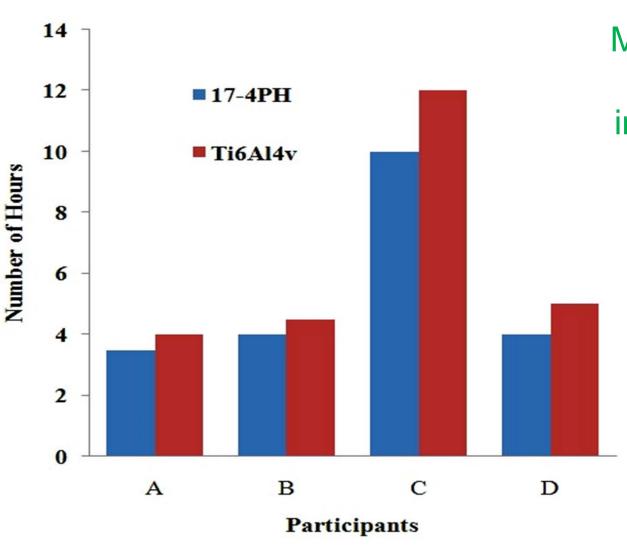
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Benchmarking Example



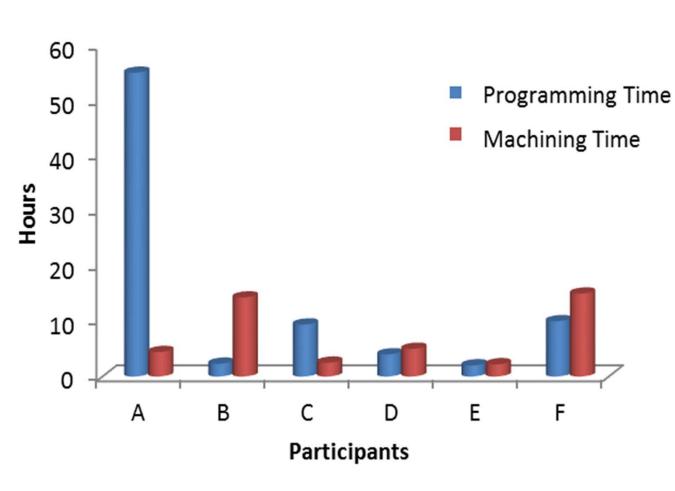


Machining time: minimum improvement of 33%

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New machining strategy = Double metal removal rate

Supply Chain Collaboration Model – JSF



2 Research Organisations and 5 Universities

Materials Producers and Suppliers

Enabling Technologies

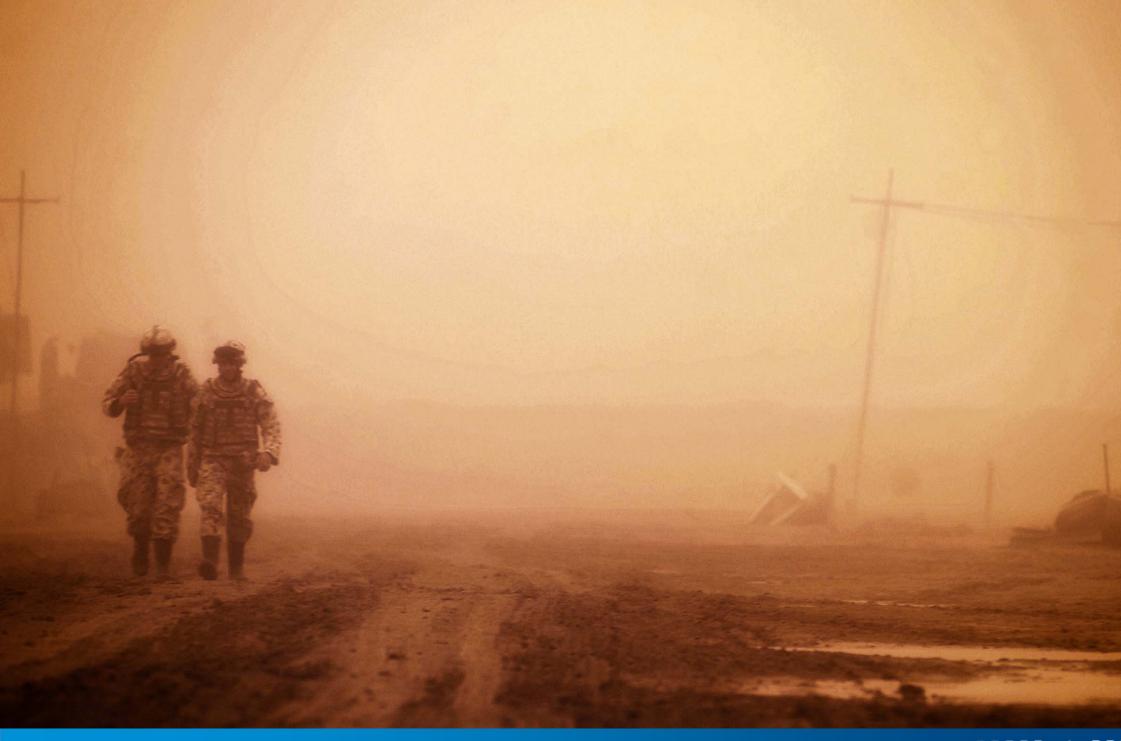
Component Manufacturers

Manufacturing Technology

Systems Integration

F-35 Joint Strike Fighter

11 Industry Participants



Manufacturing Opportunity



Improve productivity

Innovation

Networks

Workforce Skills

Collaboration

Dissemination

Investment

Stronger Supply Chains

Culture

