

# **Performance Management** in the Private Sector

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# Agenda

- Private Sector Examples
  - WalMart Reduced costs through change in shipping method
  - United Airlines Operational savings by providing piltos with real time weather information
  - Samsung Reduce manufacturing time and cost by using metrics for each step in cycle
  - Clorox Developed production planning algorithm based on demand and inventory data to manage inventory and streamline manufacturing process
  - Connected Vehicle Data New technology with multiple uses





# Walmart

- Walmart Environmental Footprint
  - Use logistics analysis to reduce environmental footprint
  - Goals
    - 100% renewable energy
    - Zero environmental waste
    - Sustainable products
  - Crate/rack system used for shipping milk provided opportunity for savings
    - Evaluation of storage and shipping cost data led to use of crateless containers
    - 9% reduction in volume reduced number of trips translated to \$0.20 per gallon cost reduction





- United Airlines
  - August 2011 initiated program to provide all pilots with iPad dedicated to real-time weather and navigation information
  - 1.5 pound device replaced 38 pound flight bags with paper data
  - iPads provide real-time weather data superimposed on flight route
    - 15 minute forecasts
  - Air Traffic Control previously routed planes entirely around adverse weather
    - Pilots able to use data to suggest more direct routes
    - Proactive approach to routing





- United Airlines (continued)
  - Impacts
    - Reduced maintenance due to weather-related damage
    - Fewer turbulence-related injuries
    - Faster flight times = improved customer service
    - Reduced fuel costs due to shorter flight paths
    - 25 minute time savings translates to 2100 pounds of fuel saved





### Samsung

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- Use of data for operational optimization of silicon wafer production
  - Break into components of cycle time
    - Wafer fabrication
    - Intermediate sorting
    - Assembly
    - Testing
  - Schedules intermediate goods for specific process steps based on process completion time
    - Inventory levels
    - Steps required to move goods to machine
    - Scheduling of machine time use for multiple steps





### Samsung

- Samsung (continued)
  - Impacts
    - Greater utilization of existing equipment
    - Drop in late production deliveries from 26% to 3%
    - Estimated additional sales of \$1 billion in 4 year period
    - 4% increase in market share







# Clorox

- Production planning algorithm
  - Optimize inventory levels
  - Ensure on-time delivery
  - Minimize production, shipping and inventory costs
- Used demand data and cycle time data to assure production line was fully supplied
- Reduce production when inventories are high







- Clorox (continued)
  - Impacts
    - Reduce inventory levels by 29%
    - Allow scheduling of production down time
      - Reduced inventory costs
      - Allowed for maintenance scheduling





# Sample Connected Vehicle Applications

#### Safety

**Electronic Brake Lights** 

Traffic Signal Violation Warning

Stop Sign Violation Warning

**Curve Speed Warning** 

Display Local Signage

**Electronic Payment** 

Tolling

Parking

**Automotive** 

**Vehicle Diagnostics** 

Software Updates

#### Mobility

Traveler information

Weather Information

Navigation

Ramp Metering

Signal Timing Optimization

**Corridor Management** 

**Infrastructure Management** 

Weather Information

Winter Maintenance

**Pothole Detection** 

Automated Mapping





### Data Are Critical (and Potentially Lucrative)

Data drive connected-vehicle applications and services

Entities Interested in Data	May Create Markets for
DOTs	Probe data, asset management data, road-weather information
Auto manufacturers	Vehicle diagnostics and prognostics, driver behavior
OE Suppliers	Component diagnostics and prognostics
Drivers and passengers	Real-time route guidance, map updates, media downloads, infotainment
Marketers and providers of location-based services	Driver behavior, vehicle location
Insurance industry	Driver behavior





# Data Challenges & Opportunities

- Data security
- Threats to personal privacy
- Data analytics and aggregation





# **Connectivity and Communications Concerns**

- Privacy
  - Always an issue when information is shared or tracked over a network
  - Solutions seems to be available (cellular phone providers face similar challenges)
- Driver distraction
  - A significant challenge, and both USDOT and the NTSB have been vocal about this (as has AAA and others)
  - Communications are not the only distraction
  - Hands-free technology becoming more common
  - Could the vehicle drive itself?







- Characteristics of success stories
  - Tie measures closely to objectives and make sure they remain linked
  - Use measures that are meaningful, easily understood and few in number
  - Keep improvement efforts focused on specific functions
  - Encourage employees at all levels to have a stake in the process and bring forward ideas for continuous improvement
  - Recognize that when one bottleneck is solved the next one will show itself – keep looking
  - Build and maintain knowledge database over time





# Applicability to WisDOT Functions

- Linkages between asset management and maintenance data to reduce inventories, reduce maintenance costs and plan life cycle investments
- Evaluate component stages of incident response to identify opportunities for faster response and more efficient deployment of resources
- Continuous feedback on work zone delay with tool to adjust both configuration and timing

