Tool-Box Talk

Preventive Maintenance 103

PM Optimization - "A Process used to optimize preventive maintenance (PM) tasks and frequencies to reduce or mitigate likely failure modes by utilizing tools/techniques such as FMEA, RCM, and Failure Modes Mapping resulting in increase equipment uptime and reduction of cost"

PM Optimization Process

- 1. Identify which asset or functional area the PM Optimization will be executed
- Identify a cross functional team (Operator, Maintenance Tech, Reliability Engineer, Maintenance Planner)
- 3. Establish expectations from everyone engaged in this process
- Define end goal of this process (ex: Increased PMs Effectiveness, Decrease breakdowns
- 5. Define how you will measure if the PM Optimization Process is effective or not
- 6. Present copies of PMs to team, one PM at a time
- Review equipment history for the past 30, 60, and 180 days
 - · # of breakdowns
 - Causes of critical breakdowns based on a formal RCA
 - PM Labor Hours vs EM/Urgent Labor Hours
- 8. Identify by the following for each task on a PM Procedure/Procedures

PM Evaluation / Optimization Results PM Eval Recommendation # of Tasks % of Total Tasks Represented No Value - Delete Task 1.740 15.2% 1.832 Reassign to Lube Route 1,167 10.0% 3.980 Reassign to Operator Care 1,889 16.1% 4,987 Replace with PdM 1.983 17.3% 4.876 Re-Write Task 2,387 20.8% 11,043 Task is Good as Found 2,289 20% 3.923 Total PM Tasks 11,455 100%

Outcomes of PM Optimization

- Increase in Asset Availability
- Increase in Production Throughput
- Increase in OEE
- Maintenance Labor Hours freed up to perform other work which is needed
- Reduction in Total Maintenance Cost
- Reduction is outside Contractors

Measure the Outcome of the PM Optimization Process with PM KPIs

Preventive Maintenance Leading and Lagging KPIs



