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Abstract:

The research applied quality system improvement using sustainable lean manufacturing and six sigma approach in heavy components industry, utilizing the Plan-Do-Check-Action (PDCA) cycle. This study aimed to constitute the application quality system improvement as the integration of statistical process control, lean manufacturing, six sigma, sustainable awareness, and Quality 4.0 in the heavy component manufacturing industry. Improvement strategies were implemented using tools such as Sustainable Value Stream Mapping (SVSM), manufacturing, Process Activity Mapping (PAM), and decision tree CART Classification analysis. Key improvements included the implementation of jig redesign, using QR code scanners making a finishing table in the production process, regular cleaning of welding tools, and visualizing data with the dashboard Power Business Intelligence. Post-intervention analysis demonstrated an improved sigma level of 3,745 from 3,361. PCE increased to 53.72% from 52.71%, the results of the indicator values. The average sustainability category is in the yellow traffic light condition, namely 61% to 90%, which means that this indicator can still be improved to achieve the company's targets. After implementing this concept, the company can produce more efficient processes. The findings highlight that the proposed quality system improvement model significantly enhances process quality and operational sustainability in the heavy component industry.

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2	Methodology: Is there any comparison between before and after improvement, as well as the evaluation steps? It should be explicitly mentioned in Figure 1. Regarding dashboard, it is necessary to explain detailed steps of making dashboard, does it follow a certain methodology etc.	We have revised the comparison between before and after improvement. We have revised Figure 1 We have added detailed steps for making the dashboard
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