Lean Aerospace Initiative
Plenary Workshop

Workshop Wrap-up

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LAI happenings in Phase II

- Midway point of Phase II
- **Space Sector added with new memberships**
  - Name changed to Lean Aerospace Initiative
  - Integration of space sector into LAI focus teams and IPTs
- **New Test and Space Operations focus team started**
- 3 Implementation Workshops
- **Web LEM developed and released**
  - Easier to access, use, maintain and link to other sources
- **Briefings to policy makers**
- **Articles in national media**
- **Lean Sustainment Initiative started with help of LAI**
- **PLUS** new research results, site visits, workshops...!!
What’s Coming for the remainder of Phase II?

- **LEM 2.0 - Web based with enhanced features**
  - Data sheets to be added on a continual basis

- **LEM Transition module - “How to Implement Lean”**

- **3 Implementation Workshops**
  - August 98 topic identified as “Flow Manufacturing”

- **3 Plenary Workshops**
  - 14-15 October at the Cambridge Hyatt Regency Hotel

- **Possible collaboration with two European programs**

- **PLUS....**
  - New research findings and products
  - Publications and communication products
  - Site Visits
  - Recommendations and briefings to policy makers
What is your role in Phase II?

- **Participation**
  - Join a focus team or IPT and get involved in activities
  - Attend LAI workshops

- **Communication**
  - Tell the LAI story within your organization
  - Talk about benefits of lean

- **Implementation**
  - Translate findings into action

- **Reflection**
  - Give us your ideas and suggestions to improve LAI

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