Customer Profile



Alexandria Industries improves business visibility with Infor XA



Facts at a glance

Solution: ERP Products: Infor[™] XA Industry: Industrial Manufacturing Country: US Channel partner: TriMin Systems, Inc.

"With Infor XA, we have better business visibility by having relevant information available within one system, and we've improved decision making with the ability to easily drill down to gather necessary details."

> —Todd Carlson, Senior Manufacturing Engineer, Alexandria Industries

About the company

Alexandria Industries has been helping original equipment manufacturer (OEM) customers build better products and improve their business processes by providing engineering guidance and high-quality components for more than 45 years. From prototype development through final production, the company's solutions include aluminum extrusions, precision machining of ferrous and non-ferrous products, heat sinks, plastic injection and foam molding components, fabrication and bending, TIG and MIG welding, mechanical and chemical finishing, and assembly. To learn more, visit www.alexandriaindustries.com.

Challenges

- Improve visibility on manufacturing orders, material needs, work status, and part costs.
- Capture relevant business and system information by functional area and employee need.
- Allow customized user screens based on roles and tasks.
- Implement an easy-to-use solution that meets the specific needs of the industrial manufacturing industry and is flexible enough to also meet the company's current and future requirements.

Benefits

- Gained greater visibility into the business and the ability to make more informed decisions, faster.
- Gained the ability to mine data and drill down to the detail level.
- Created a user-friendly environment that reflects current and desired business processes.
- Provided staff with easy screen creation, system views, and data subsets by user role and job function.
- Enhanced IT productivity and the ability to meet changing organizational needs for information and business visibility.

"Infor XA provides us with a very simple way to track manufacturing orders from start to finish. This technology allows us to capture the information needed to do our jobs in a single system, rather than managing multiple applications."

> —Dave Prentice, Machine Shop Supervisor, Alexandria Industries

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