

To continually examine our processes to provide greater value to our customers without waste.

The Lean Line

Lean with Visqueen

A pre-apprentice in our Sheet Metal Shop came up with the idea pictured below after only two days of being on the job.

While working with the assembly crew, he suggested that the rolls of Visqueen be mounted to the bench as shown, to provide easy roll-out and cutting of the plastic. Taking the time to listen to “the new guy” who had a fresh perspective, gained us a solid time-saving process. This idea falls within the K.I.S.s. principle of Lean, and Albert Einstein couldn’t have stated it better when he said: “Things should be made as **simple** as possible, but not any simpler.”

