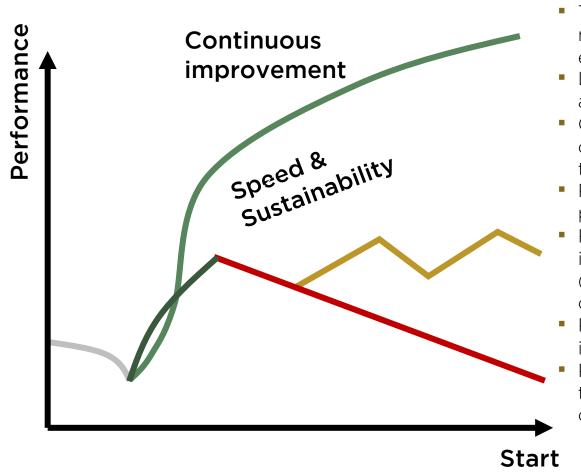


LEAN Management as a System

## A lean transformation starts with a leap change that companies then sustain ... sometimes ...



#### Often we see:

- Targets do not cascade in a meaningful way down to front line employees
- Leaders are not role modelling, and following their standard work
- Continuous improvement is owned by the central team, not by the leaders & employees
- Poor root cause problem solving practices
- Focus on performance improvement or financial impact (i.e., not on creating a healthy organization)
- Performance dialogues are ineffective at identifying problems
- Poor cooperation both within the team and between teams and departments

## Questions when measuring lean progress and determining next steps to create value



- How can I increase the pace of continuous improvement?
- What does the next level of improvement look like?
- What are more mature organizations doing that we could learn from?

- What else can we do to drastically increase our performance?
- Are we where we should be compared to others in by reaching operational excellence?

## LEAN Management as a System helps you to grow in lean maturity

The four loops

Enabling
people
to lead &
contribute to
their fullest
potential

Connecting strategy, goals, and meaningful purpose

> Discovering better ways of working

Delivering value efficiently to the customer



# It guides you to develop in the field of lean while achieving your business goals at the same time

### 12 Dimension of LMS

- Focus on customer value
- Build & communicate a relevant vision
- Develop & cascade strategy

Enabling
people
to lead &
contribute to
their fullest
potential

- Clarify & align leadership culture
- Create a predictable environment
- Attract, retain & develop talent

Connecting strategy, goals, and meaningful purpose

- Capture, share best practices and develop next practices
- Raise issues & recognize opportunities
- Engage & resolve problems together

Discovering better ways of working

Delivering value efficiently to the customer

- Manage demand and capacity
- Build-in quality and create flow and pull
- Manage performange



## The assessment process: In one day you can assess a team/department

Scope of 1 day assessment

Conduct assessment

Summarize Results

**Discuss insights** 

Drive improvement<sup>2</sup>

Prepare assessments Observe and capture key insights

Score on LMS dimensions

Align scores and insights

Report results per dimension

Discuss strengths & opportunities Define priority areas for further improvement

Problem solve and



Het grootste potentieel zit in het focussen op klantwaarde, ontwikkelen en vastleggen best practises, samen problemen oplossen en het managen van vraag en aanbod.



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Each business unit or value stream is assessed by an expert (you can combine external and internal experts)

 Strengths and weaknesses, along with a score, are presented back to the business unit



- Insights lead to a discussion on how to achieve the next step of performance improvement
- Successes achieved can be celebrated



 Progress is tracked over time and improvement ideas logged



### You can do the LMS assessment led by external experts or build your own team of LMS assessors

- 1 One-time external led assessment
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- 2 Building your LMS skills internally



- Outside-in perspective on maturity of management practices
- Requires relatively small commitment of resources and investment
- Will energize discussion on future improvements

- Building LMS capabilities internally
- Constantly being able to monitor the pulse of the organization
- Enabling wider scope and range
- Providing business leaders access to (parts) of the assessment enabling best practices sharing and more focus on A3 improvement plans
- Easier to revisit areas to check progress

LMS provides a framework e.g. to assess maturity of managerial practices and create focus on improvement prio's

It helps you to:



Determine where to improve maturity to help management to accelerate realizing their business goals



Shed light on parts of the business doing well, and others that need more support



Compare managerial practice maturity



Have a standard approach to consistently track progress of managerial practices over time



Identify strengths and weaknesses for a site or department and identify best practices to share and priority areas for further improvement



It help leaders improve and execute their priorities







strategy, goals

