

10 Step Checklist: Determine the Health of Your Manufacturing Data

How well are you using your production data?

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| ☐ Is your production data captured automatically, or does it rely on paper/spreadsheets/manual entry? | ☐ Can operators, supervisors, managers, and executives all access the data they need without asking someone else for it? |
| ☐ Do your metrics clearly tell someone what action to take next (not just what already happened)? | ☐ Is each key metric "owned" by a specific role or person who can directly address it? |
| ☐ Do your metrics tie back to business outcomes like throughput or on-time deliveries? | ☐ Are you tracking downtime reasons in a consistent, detailed way (not just "machine stopped")? |
| ☐ Can you spot bottlenecks or throughput issues in real time, not just after the shift ends and it's too late to act? | ☐ Do you have a way to measure the impact of changeovers (not just assumptions)? |
| ☐ Is the data presented visually so it's intuitive and requires little to no training to understand? | ☐ Does your team use the data in daily decision-making, or is it mostly collected for reports? |

What's your score?



8-10 "yes" answers

You're in great shape, keep pushing continuous improvement.



4-7 "yes" answers

You're tracking, but missing opportunities for clarity and impact.



0-3 "yes" answers

You're flying blind. It's time to rethink your data strategy.

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to its fullest potential with
Formic Production Intelligence (FPI).
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