

APPLICATION STUDY



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THE **OPPORTUNITY**

Replace Customer's pneumatic temporary fastener tools

THE SOLUTION

Adapted Customer's current stock of attachments and replaced the pneumatic tools as they failed. QX tools set for 25 inch pounds and 750 RPM.

THE **RESULT**

Cost savings to Customer. Tool lasted 1.5 years without issues vs competitive battery alternative.



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THE **OPPORTUNITY**

Panel Fastener Installation

THE **SOLUTION**

Install titanium panel fasteners at the correct torque and speed with our QX tools. Speed is extremely critical when installing titanium fasteners. Torques from 35-135 inch pounds. Speeds 50 and 200 RPM.

THE RESULT

Replaced Customer's current method of installing fasteners with QX tools programmed for multiple torques and speeds ensuring fasteners are installed correctly.





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THE **OPPORTUNITY**

Engine Trailer

THE **SOLUTION**

Use QX Right angle tool to reduce takt time. Tool set for 145 inch pounds at 100 RPM.



This took a manual operation of 4 people working 1.5 hours with over 600 revolutions of cranking to now having 2 people and raising the engine trailer in less that 10 minutes.

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THE **OPPORTUNITY**

Canopy Tool Kit

THE **SOLUTION**

IR Direct Solution Center made custom kit that includes QX tool, batteries and charger as well as the sockets and extensions. Pelican case included with custom foam cut outs

THE RESULT

A cordless tool kit that is portable that mechanics can carry from plane to plane.

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THE **OPPORTUNITY**

FOD Requirement - Foreign Object Damage or Debris

THE **SOLUTION**

Each tool is sent to our IR Direct Solution Center to add Loctite[™] to all the fasteners on the tool, battery and charger.

THE **RESULT**

Tool meets all FOD specifications and can be used in any aerospace application.



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