







JaNets is a Shop floor Control System That Allows You to Monitor All Aspects of Your Production Leading To Substantial Increases in Overall Efficiency





With industry 4.0 on everyone's mind and an ever-increasing demand for the digitalization of sewing production lines comes the latest innovation from Juki – JaNets: Juki Advance Network System. This software system in combination with complementary hardware allows for unrivaled real-time tracking and monitoring of a production process.

Sewing machines in a line or shop floor can be interlinked to provide data on all aspects of the production. With this data a factory can see where its production is being held up, highlight operators underperforming, target machines with reoccurring issues - with the goal of improving the overall effectiveness. If a factory can see exactly how they operate from start to finished and have a clear view of their short comings it allows for process improvements and data based decision making.

With JaNets you can meet the challenges of reducing cycle times, increasing productivity and delivering greater quality at a lower cost. Improving the effectiveness of your production you can elevate beyond your competition.

BASICS OF THE SYSTEM

Terminals positioned at each workstation are designed to monitor, track and report the entire breadth of your production floor activities. Significantly improving production balance, supply chain visibility and manufacturing cycle times. These terminals allow the entire factory to communicate quickly and effectively reducing the time it takes to react to problems and carry out administrative work. JaNets works to convert unproductive time into productive time or in other words increase efficiency.

This conversion allows for an increased output or for a factory to produce the same amount with less labor and/or working hours. If management are given data to see exactly when, where and why an operator stops sewing (going off-standard) then they can work to eliminate or reduce this. Time spent doing menial administrational work is streamlined allowing line managers to spend their time on the floor. Communication between operators, line managers, engineering and management is also made more efficient reducing non productive work hours.



DIGITAL MACHINES

One of the key advantages of JaNets is when it is used in combination with Juki's digital sewing machines. These two new technologies in tandem allow for faster and more accurate updates as well as more detailed analytics of a production.

JaNets can be integrated into Juki's machines allowing it to capture all the data that is registered by the machine, including error codes and detailed sewing data. This level of detail gives management an even better picture of the machine and operators performance. Reoccurring errors can be indicated to engineering to remedy what might be a larger issue. Similarly, if some parameter of the machine is causing knock on effects these can be pulled from the data i.e. higher rate of needle breakages can be correlated to a certain sewing speed. Data pertaining to Juki digital machine parameters can be uploaded or checked via JaNets. This will drastically reduce set up times while also ensuing that all machines are prepared correctly for each bundle. The operator only needs to scan the RFID tag for the terminal to automatically update the machine parameters pre-approved for the bundle.

Engineering do not even need to step onto the factory floor for this as the parameters can be set up at the design or prototyping stage.









Typical Return* on Investment is

12-24

months

*medium sized factory

Quantifiable Advantages

- Increased operator sewing efficiency
- Improve line balancing and operator utilization
- Improve quality
- Reduce direct labor costs
- Reduce indirect labor costs.
- Reduce excess labor costs
- Reduce the cost of gross payroll calculation
- Reduce bundle handling costs

Qualitative Advantages

- Eliminate lost time at time-clocks
- Improved managers
- Improved customer relations
- Better pricing
- Better quality
- Improved employee morale

Return on investment

As JaNets works to improve a factories over all efficiency the return of your investment can happen extremely fast. Excluding the functional benefits listed above JaNets will reduce unproductive and wasted time meaning that a factory is continuously improving its output for a lower cost. JaNets is suited for many different production sizes and is not limited to large factories with many operators; the system is just as impactful in smaller factories where the most effective production process is needed to glean as much of an advantage as possible.

The typical return on investment for a medium sized factory that has implemented JaNets is just 12-24 months.



IMPLEMENTATION PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS

Installation process



Requirements

We Supply: Additional Items required for the system to run: Software Server PC with Windows Server 2012 software License Microsoft SQL Server 2012 database software Hardware: terminals Server Cabinet Wireless network (WiFi) LAN network LAN switchboard (12 ports) UPS for server + Data capture PC + Terminals Electricity / Power cable Electricity / Power cable set up labor cost LCD / LED big screen Outlet at each workstation (to power system 4.0 terminals)





