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#### **SUPPLIER MANAGEMENT:**

- Execution of: Potential analysis / Supplier evaluation / Supplier approval
- Assessment systems (Evaluation criteria, Ranking, Corrective measures)
- Optimisation of sub-supplier managment, if necessary also for alignment part suppliers (products provided by customer), tool manufacture, sub-contractors, outsourced processes
- Audits / Problem analyses / Technical Revisions
- Escalation principle for critical suppliers
- ► Timely review of suppliers (project control, project milestone review, communication platform, change management, cost review
- ▶ Interface managment of OEM-suppliers ("one voice to the supplier")

## PROCUREMENT DEVELOPMENT OF SOURCING STRATEGIES:

- New Markets (China, India, South America), Europe West/East)
- Make or Buy
- Forward Sourcing / Global Sourcing
- Low Cost country Sourcing
- Single / Dual / Triple Sourcing
- Development of negotiation strategies

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### **OPTIMISATION OF THE PURCHASING ORGANISATION & PROCESSES:**

- Process mapping: optimisation and implementation of the sourcing processes (cross functional)
- Decentralised / centralised purchasing
- ► Functional analysis / value analysis
- ► A/B/C-analysis, C-part management
- Risk management
- ► Change management
- Workshops with customers / supplier integration involvement
- ▶ Adoption of e-procurement (B2B-platform / e-technology)

### PURCHASING SUPPORT/CONTROLLING

- Support with tendering / bidding (RFI/RFQ)
- Execution / support of negotiations
- Supplier reviews
- Risk assessment, tracking and where necessary execution of safety measures