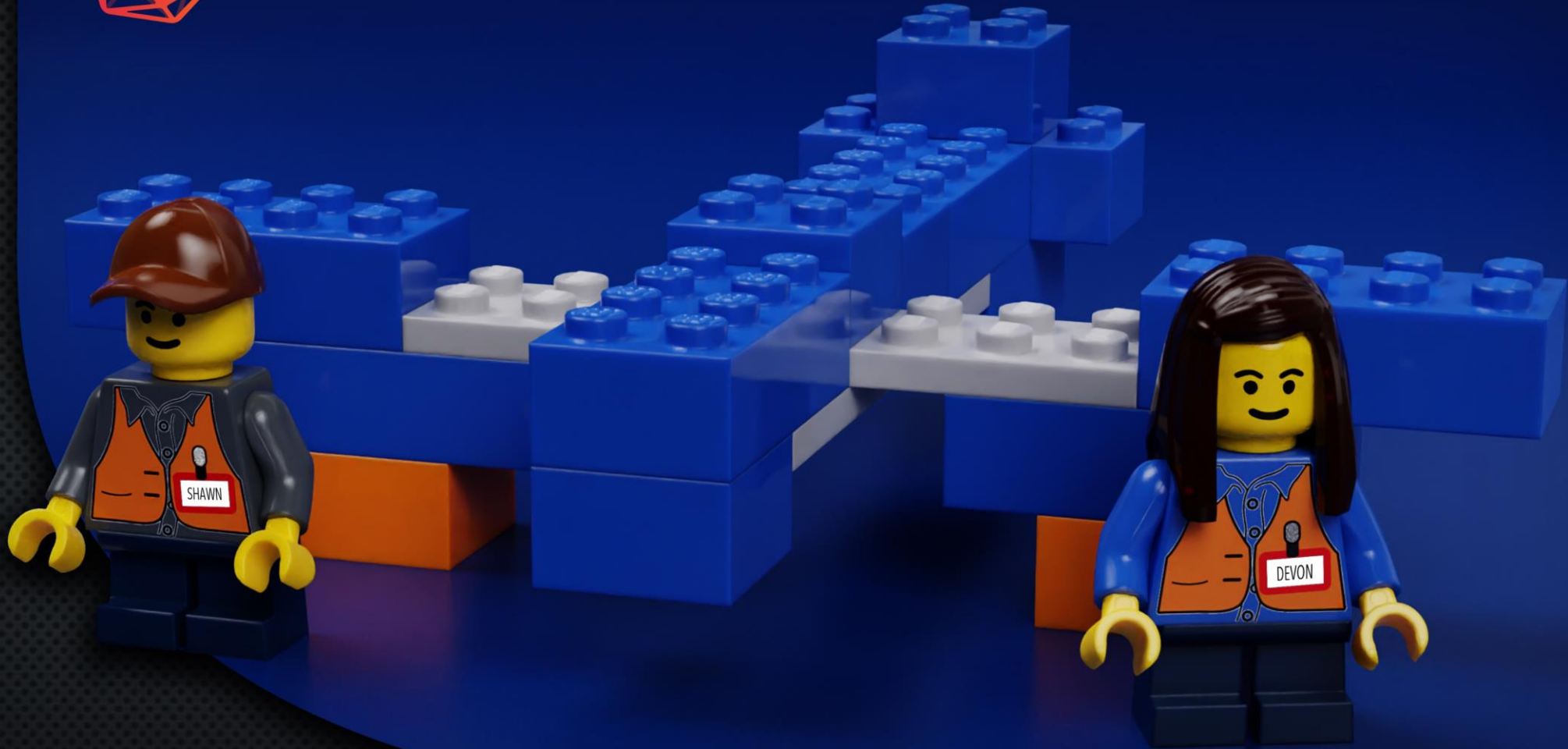




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# ONE-PIECE FLOW ACTIVITY FACILITATOR GUIDE

This exercise is meant to educate participants on the “**theory of constraints**” (toc). The toc is the backbone of innergy’s architecture. Toc is a philosophical solution to the problems in our industry.



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# PLANT LAYOUT (PHASE 1)

**WS-1**

**WS-5**

**WS-3**

**WS-4**

**WS-2**



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# PHASE 1 LOGISTICS

- SEPARATE WORKSTATIONS IN A NON-LINEAR CONFIGURATION.
- WORKSTATIONS 2-5 DO NOT HAVE INCOMING QUEUE SPACE.
- OBSTACLES ARE PLACED IN PRODUCTION FLOW.
- COMPONENTS (AIRCRAFTS) ARE ASSEMBLED IN BATCHES OF 5.
- BATCHES MUST REMAIN TOGETHER THROUGH THE FINAL INSPECTION.
- WORKERS DELIVER EACH BATCH TO NEXT WORKSTATION.
- RAW MATERIAL IS PLACED AS FAR AS REASONABLY POSSIBLE FROM WORKSTATIONS.
- EACH WORKER MUST PROCURE HIS OR HER OWN MATERIAL.



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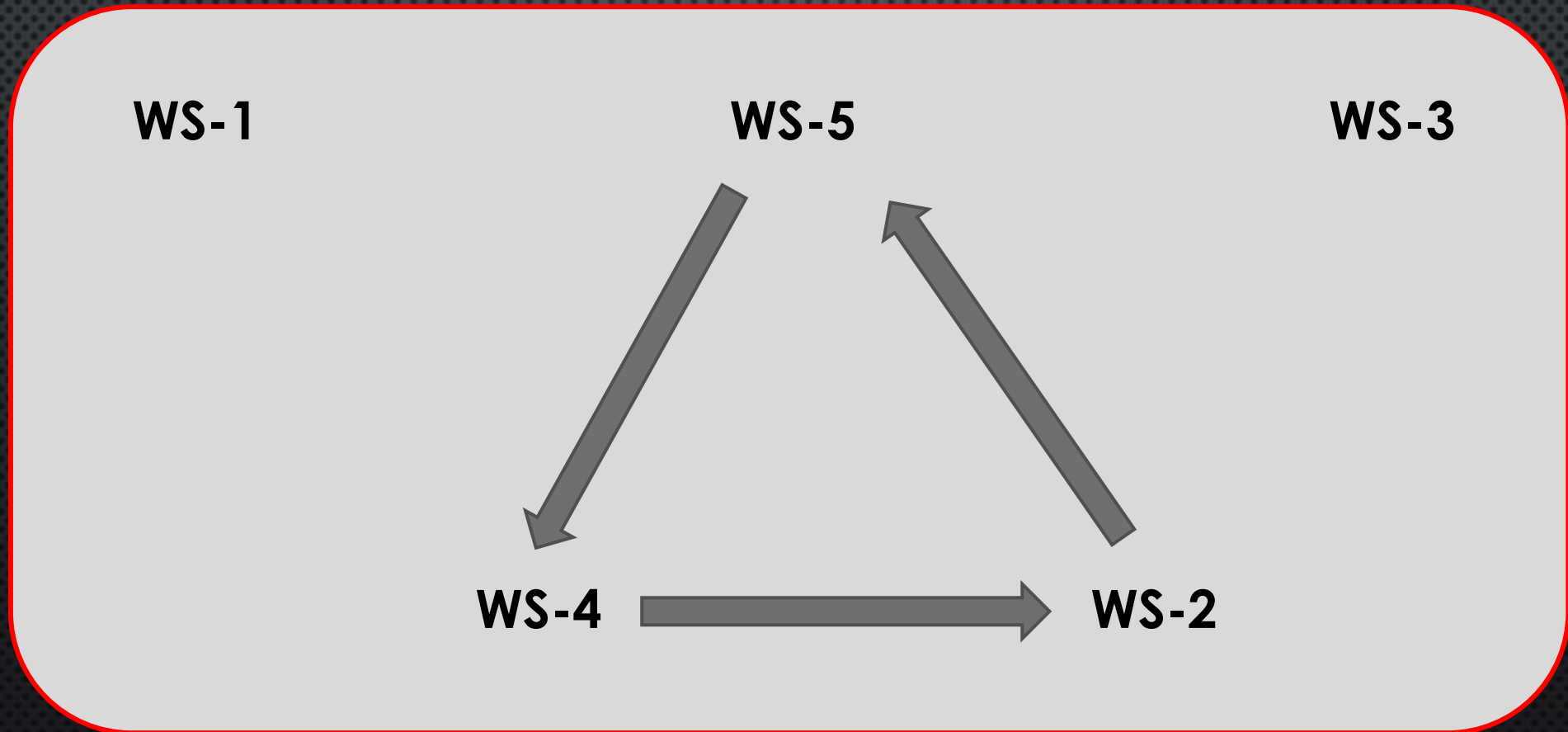
# PHASE 1 COMPANY POLICY

- WORKERS MUST PERFORM ONLY THEIR ASSIGNED JOBS. (NO THINKING!)
- RAW MATERIALS MUST BE IN SUPPLY CONTAINERS . (NO STACKING)
- ALL QC PROBLEMS MUST BE SET ASIDE AS REWORK. (TURNED UPSIDE DOWN)
- QC PROBLEMS CAN ONLY BE DETECTED BY INSPECTOR. (BUILD IT IF YOU CAN)
- ASSEMBLIES CAN ONLY BE PASSED TO THE NEXT WORKSTATION WHEN IT IS CLEAR.



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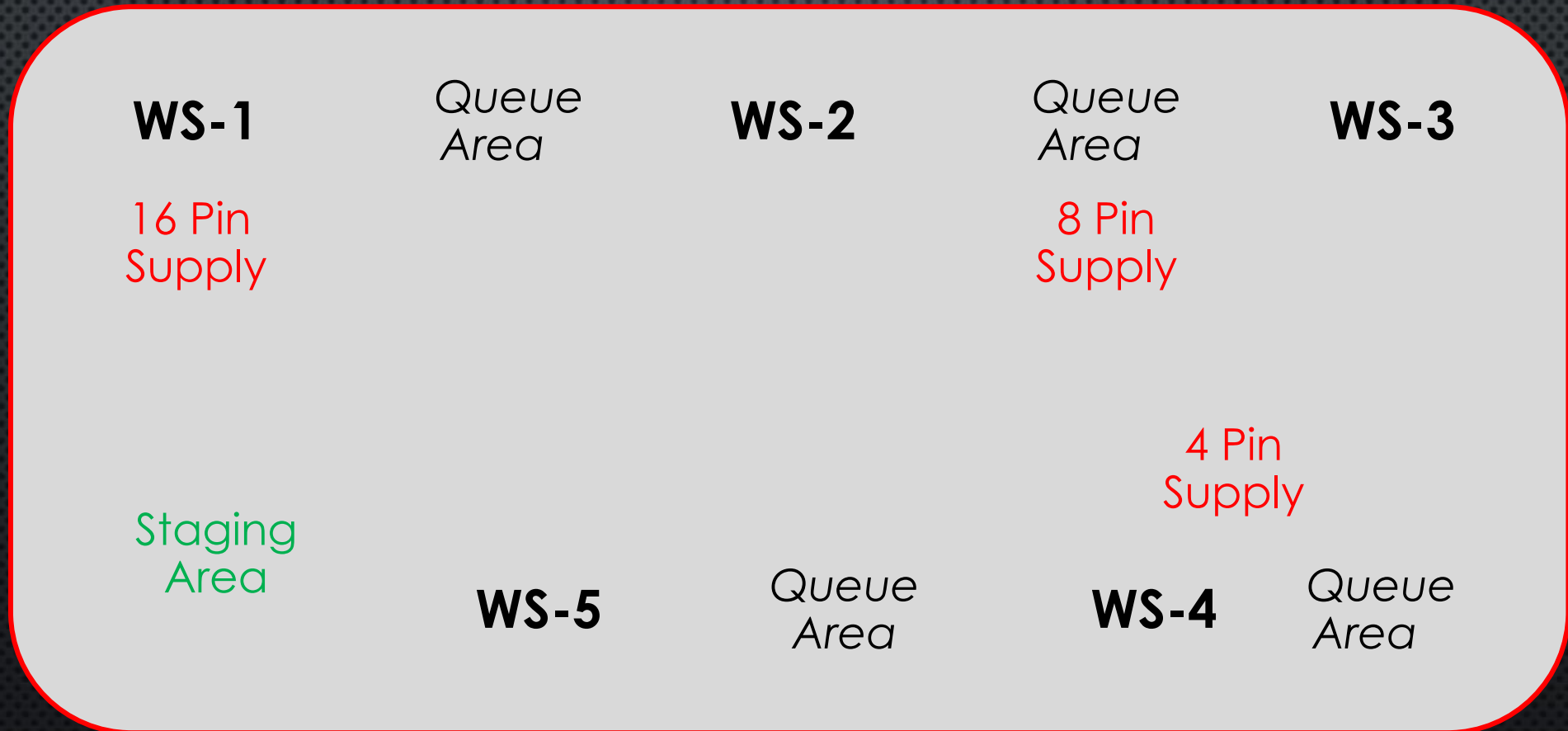
## PLANT LAYOUT (PHASES 2)





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# PLANT LAYOUT (PHASES 2-4)





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## PHASE 2 LOGISTICS

- SEPARATE WORKSTATIONS ARE IN A LOGICAL WORK SEQUENCE.
- WORKSTATIONS 2-5 HAVE INCOMING QUEUE SPACE.
- THERE ARE NO OBSTACLES PLACED IN PRODUCTION FLOW.
- COMPONENTS (AIRCRAFTS) ARE ASSEMBLED IN BATCHES OF 5.
- BATCHES MUST REMAIN TOGETHER THROUGH THE FINAL INSPECTION.
- WORKERS PASS EACH BATCH TO NEXT WORKSTATION QUEUE AREA.
- RAW MATERIAL ARE LOCATED AT THE APPROPRIATE WORKSTATIONS.





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## PHASE 2 COMPANY POLICY

- WORKERS MUST PERFORM ONLY THEIR ASSIGNED JOBS. (STILL NO THINKING!)
- WORKERS CAN FIX THEIR OWN QC PROBLEMS. (BEND TO FIT, PAINT TO MATCH)
- WORKERS CAN NOT FIX QC PROBLEMS GENERATED BY OTHER WORKSTATIONS.
- ALL QC PROBLEMS MUST BE SET ASIDE AS REWORK. (TURNED UPSIDE DOWN)
- QC INSPECTOR VERBALIZES QC PROBLEMS TO THE WORKERS.
- THE INSPECTOR WILL ANNOUNCE THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST GOOD PLANE.



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## PHASE 3 LOGISTICS

- WORKSTATIONS ARE IN A CELLULAR LAYOUT.
- WORKERS CAN HAVE ONLY ONE ASSEMBLY AT THEIR WORKSTATION.
- WORKERS CAN HAVE ONLY ONE ASSEMBLY IN THE QUEUE BETWEEN WORKSTATIONS.
- THERE ARE NO BARRIERS IN THE WORKFLOW.
- AIRCRAFTS ARE ASSEMBLED IN BATCHES OF ONE.
- COMPONENTS CANNOT BE PASSED TO THE NEXT WORKSTATION UNTIL IT'S QUEUE IS EMPTY.
- RAW MATERIALS ARE LOCATED AT THE APPROPRIATE WORKSTATION.



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# PHASE 3 COMPANY POLICY

- WORKERS MUST PERFORM ONLY THEIR ASSIGNED JOBS.
- QC PROBLEMS THAT CANNOT BE FIXED MUST BE SET ASIDE (UPSIDE DOWN) AS REWORK.
- WORKERS CAN FIX ONLY THEIR OWN QC PROBLEMS. (BEND TO FIT, PAINT TO MATCH)
- QC PROBLEMS CAN BE VERBALIZED BY ANY WORKER.
- COMPONENTS ARE PASSED TO THE NEXT RECEIVING QUEUE ONLY WHEN IT IS EMPTY.
- THE INSPECTOR WILL ANNOUNCE THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST GOOD PLANE.



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# PHASE 4 LOGISTICS

- WORKSTATIONS ARE IN A CELLULAR LAYOUT.
- WORKERS CAN HAVE ONLY ONE ASSEMBLY AT THEIR WORKSTATION.
- WORKERS PASS ASSEMBLIES DIRECTLY TO THE NEXT WORKSTATIONS (QUEUES ARE ELIMINATED).
- THERE ARE NO BARRIERS IN THE PRODUCTION FLOW.
- AIRCRAFTS ARE ASSEMBLED IN BATCHES OF ONE.
- COMPONENTS ARE PASSED TO THE NEXT WORKSTATION WHEN WORKSTATION IS EMPTY.
- NOW USING PHASE 4 INSTRUCTION SHEETS.
- WORKERS MAY ASSIST THE NEXT WORKSTATION BY PERFORMING ADDITIONAL DUTIES.



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# PHASE 4 COMPANY POLICY

- WORKERS CAN PERFORM ANY STEP IN THE PRODUCTION PROCESS.
- QC PROBLEMS CAN BE DETECTED AND FIXED BY ANY WORKER. (FIX IT IF YOU FIND IT)
- QC PROBLEMS THAT CANNOT BE FIXED MUST BE SET ASIDE AS REWORK.
- COMPONENTS ARE PASSED TO THE NEXT WORKSTATION ONLY WHEN IT IS EMPTY.
- THE INSPECTOR WILL ANNOUNCE THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST GOOD PLANE.



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# THEORY OF CONSTRAINTS- 3 MEASURES

## Throughput

- Is the rate at which the system generates money through sales, not production. If you produce something that you don't sell it's not throughput.

## Operational Expenses

- Is all the money the system spends to turn Inventory into throughput.

## Inventory

- Is all the money that the system has invested in purchasing things which it intends to sell.

- THE GOAL IS TO MAKE MONEY!
- TO MAKE MORE MONEY, WE MUST:
  - INCREASE THROUGHPUT
  - DECREASE EXPENSES
  - DECREASE INVENTORY



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