FIVE STRATEGIES THAT REALLY WORK 2002 SERVICES CONFERENCE JOHN R. MACLEAN VICE PRESIDENT - PURCHASING AMERICAN AIRLINES

Where Do We All Want To Be On The Value Curve?

Strategic Value Curve Tactical

You Can Spend Your Time...

Value Curve

Administer Contracts

Process P.O.'s Expedite Parts

Or, You Can Engage Your Business In These Strategic Areas...

Value Curve



Here Are Five Strategies That Really Work In The Service Industry:

- 5) Commodity Strategies
- 4) Supplier Performance Measurement
- 3) Strategic Sourcing
- 2) E- Business
- 1) Supplier Optimization

Supplier Optimization Is <u>The</u> Strategy To Begin Moving Along The Curve

Supplier Optimization Is The Right Number Of Suppliers For Your Business And Your Resources.

Too Many Suppliers...

- Drive Tactical Work
- Negate Quality
- Increase Delivery Risk
- Dilute Leverage
- Burden Your Workforce

You Must Optimize Your Supply Base By...

- 1) Validating Your Database
- 2) Profiling Your Suppliers
- 3) Setting Goals To "Right Size"
- 4) Creating Value

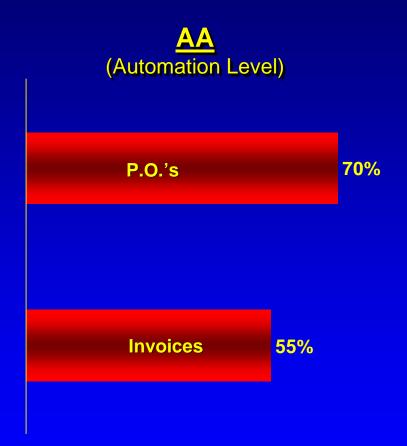


E-Business Is The Framework To Reduce Tactical Activities

- Paperless Process
- Self Service Ordering For Contracted Products
- Automatic Approval Workflow
- Less Expediting / Exceptions

To Drive An E-Business Strategy You Must...

- 1) Engage All Stakeholders
- 2) Benchmark, Benchmark
- 3) Re-design Your Process
- 4) Automate
- 5) Create Value



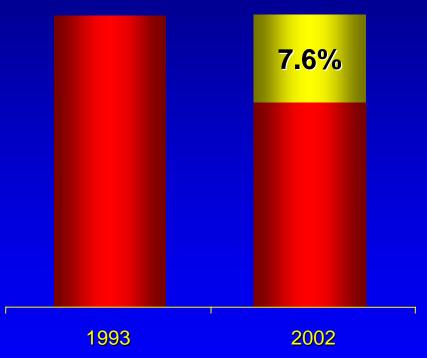
Strategic Sourcing Creates Value

Strategic "3 Quotes" Sourcing **RFP** Market **Analysis Price Total Cost Contract Performance Administration** Management

To Evolve To Strategic Sourcing You Must...

- 1) Develop A Model
- 2) Involve Stakeholders
- 3) Train, Train, Train
- 4) Monitor The Process





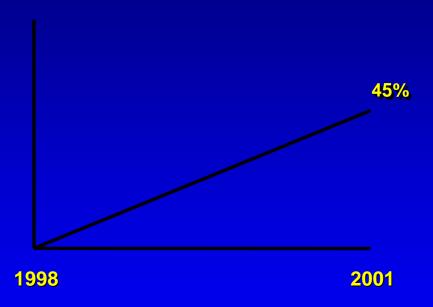
Poor Performing Suppliers Are Not An Option, Even In The Service Industry

- Impacts Operations
- Negates Sourcing Decisions
- Drives Cost
- Creates Extra Work For Employees

Measuring Suppliers Does Work In the Service Industry

- 1) Make It Simple
- 2) Involve Suppliers
- 3) Pilot The Process
- 4) Make Buyers Accountable





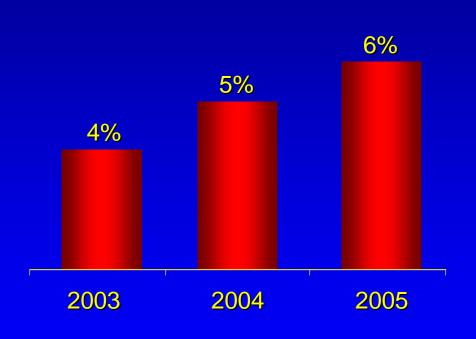
Without A Commodity Strategy, You Have No Road Map

- Supplier Is In Control
- Buyer Has No Plan
- Market Dictates Price
- Competition Is What You Know

A Commodity Strategy Is Your Road Map To Value Creation

- 1) Defines The Market
- 2) Identifies Strategies
- 3) Establishes Goals
- 4) Brings Focus





These Strategies Do Work In the Service Industry And Move You Along The Value Curve

Value Curve

Commodity
Strategies
Supplier
Performance
Strategic
Sourcing

E-Business

Tactical

Optimize
Supply Base