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# **Technology & Innovation Manufacturing Trends**

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## Today's Challenge



“If you always do what you’ve always done, you’ll always get what you’ve always got.”

— [Henry Ford](#)

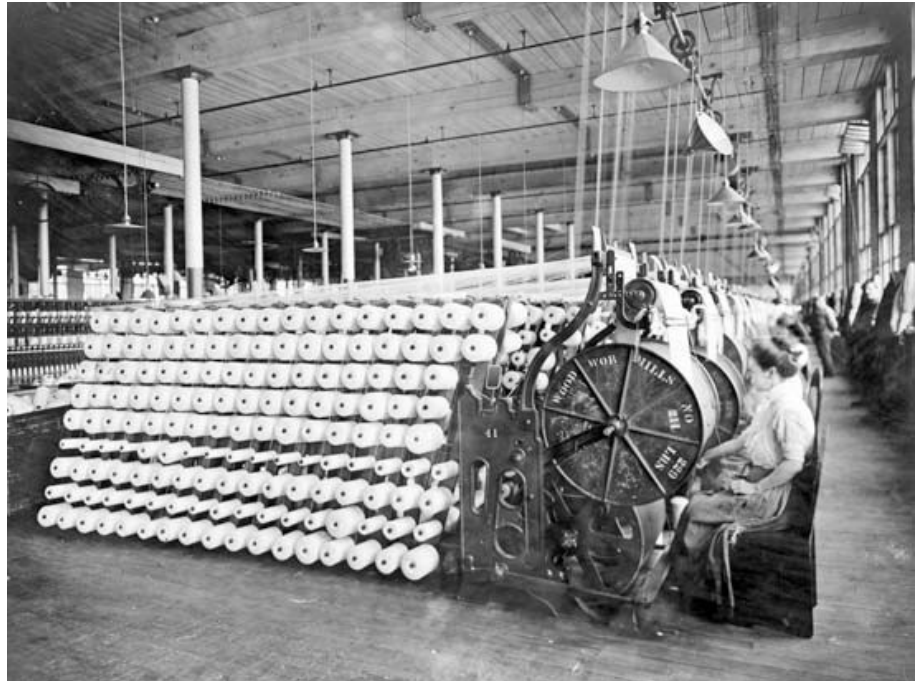
# Evolution: A Principle Founded In Manufacturing

- Perspective: The four industrial revolutions
- Where we are at today in manufacturing and automation solutions
- What does the future hold?

## First Industrial Revolution *Mechanization*

- Late 18<sup>th</sup> Century to Early 19<sup>th</sup> Century
- Characteristic: SUBSTITUTION
- RESULT – Industrial Cities established

Women working machines  
at the American Woolen Company,  
Boston. 1912



## Second Industrial Revolution *Mass Production*

- Late 19<sup>th</sup> Century to Mid 20<sup>th</sup> Century
- Characteristic: ECONOMIES OF SCALE
- RESULT – Industrial Regions

World's first moving automotive assembly line begins operation at Highland Park, Michigan.  
October 7, 1913

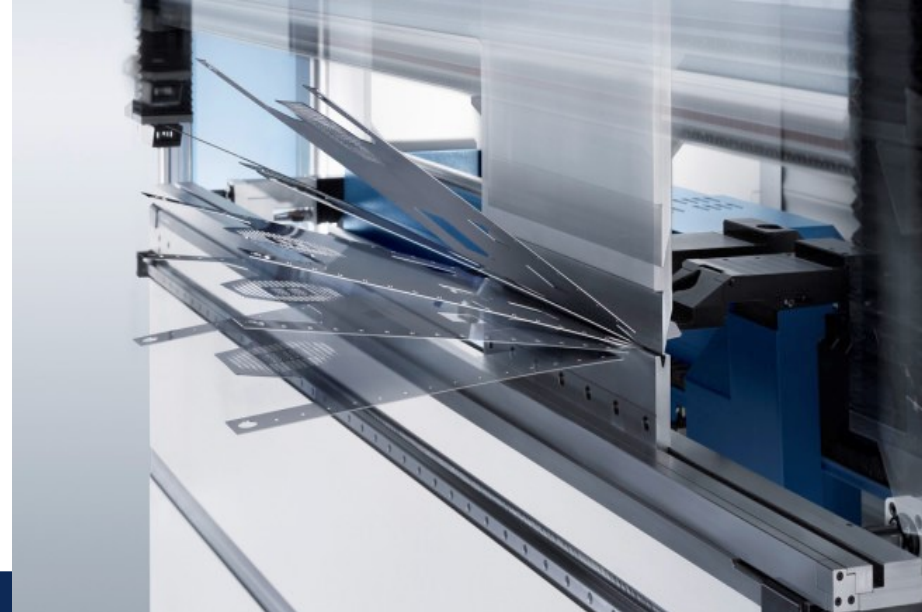
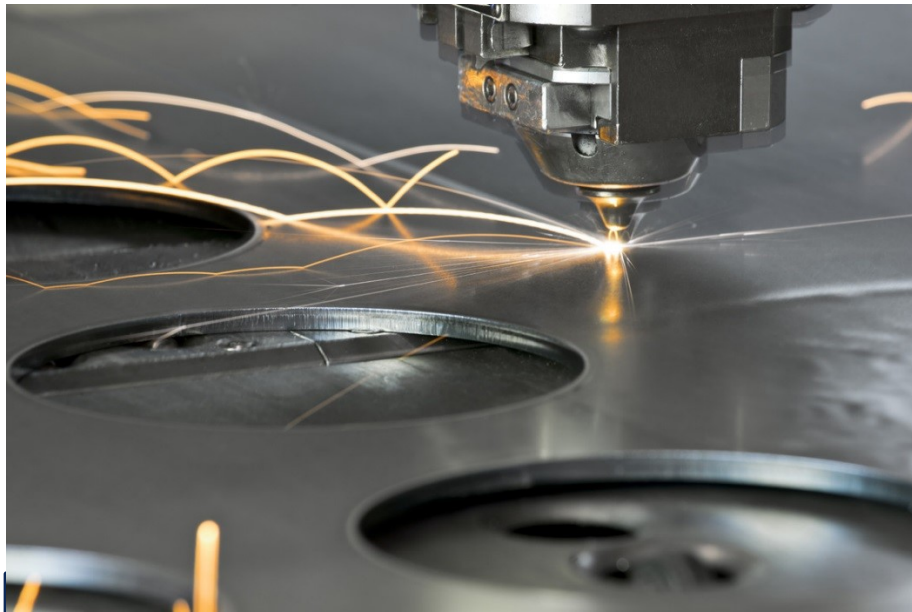


## In the Aviation World

- First powered flight – Wright Brothers 1903
- 1909 - First crossing of English Channel by Air
- 1910 - First Jet powered Engine flight
- 1914 - First Scheduled Air Service
- 1919 - First Crossing of the Atlantic Ocean by an Airplane

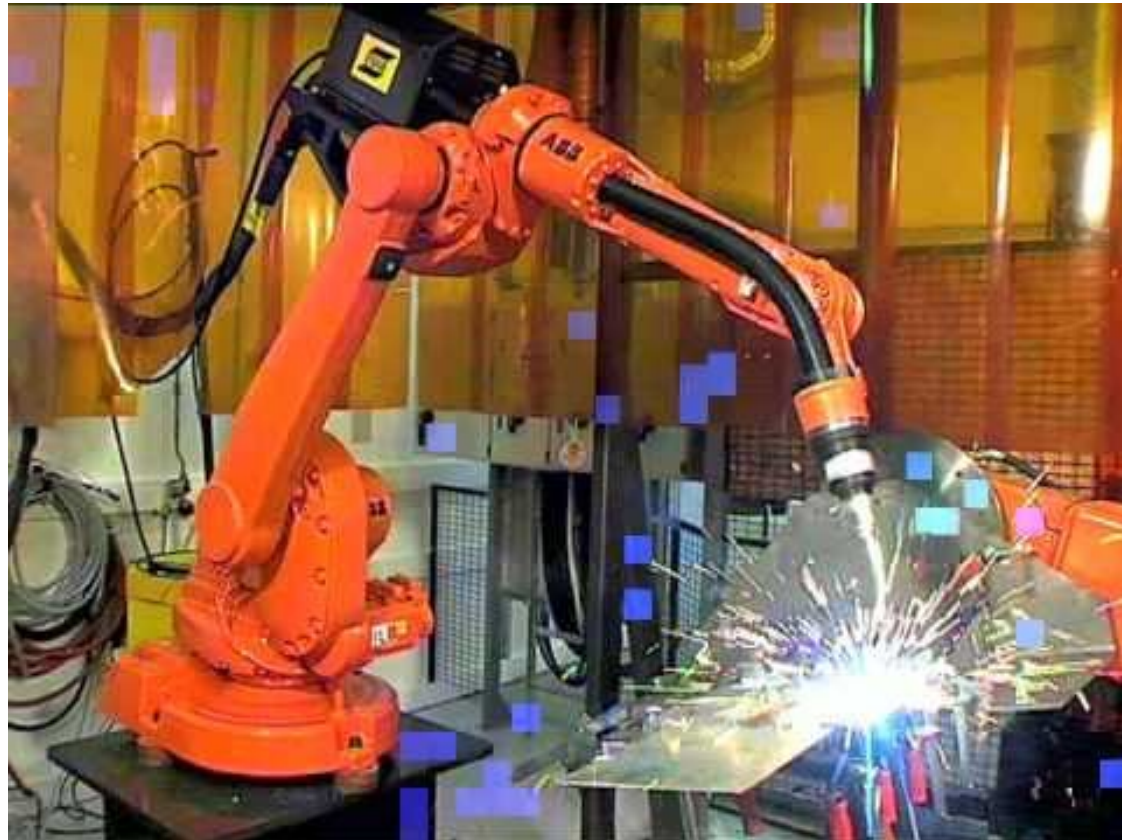
## 3rd Industrial Revolution *Automation*

- 2<sup>nd</sup> half of 20<sup>th</sup> Century
- Characteristic: INPUT COSTS
- RESULT – Global Production Networks





## Leading To Other Advanced Production Technologies





***The rate of change in aviation was also Significant at this time.***

- The beginning with the first commercially produced American jet liner.
- Many consider this the beginning of commercial aviation.



**Boeing 707 prototype Model 367-80 or "Dash 80"**

In Aviation – in 1958 the first Boeing 707 was produced and was the first production American jet liner that allowed the US to gain the lead in commercial jet transportation. (less than 60 years ago).

## 4th Industrial Revolution *Robotic Technologies*

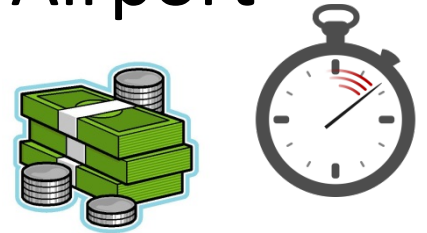
- Early 21<sup>st</sup> Century
- Characteristic: Flexibility & Standardization
- RESULT – Global Value Chains



## Parallels of Evolution

### 1. Advances in technology have a direct impact on all aspects of manufacturing of Airport Baggage Handling Equipment

- The way equipment is manufactured
- The way the equipment is shipped to site
- The way the equipment is installed
- The way the equipment is operated and maintained



## Parallels of Evolution

### 2. Airport Operations Demand a Higher Level of Sophistication from its Equipment

- Higher capacity and reliability
- Serve as an “innovator” of the business through its use
- Greater intelligence and integration across systems

➤ *How are things evolving in your organization?*



## A New Paradigm

- RESHORING of manufacturing
- Innovative procurement methods balance flexibility to innovate with cost control measures and metrics
- Total Cost of Ownership considerations drive investment



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## Those Evolving Should Embrace ...

- Modern Baggage Handling Equipment Standards:
  - User Interfaces
  - Safety
  - Maintainability and Quality
  - Energy Efficiency
  - Scalability and Ease of Upgrades

## Changes in Baggage Handling

Changes in Lobby trends -

From the traditional  
ticket counter



## Scale Injector Conveyors



## Self Serve Bag Drop



## Bag Make-up Trends

From pier sort  
conveyor lines





## Bag Make-up Trends

And proven solutions such as slope and flat plate carousels





## Tugs and Carts

The biggest problem yet to be addressed in baggage handling has to be Carts and Tugs.



## Baggage Make Up Systems



## Baggage Loader





## Automated Container Handling Systems



## Automated Container Unloading



## Baggage Lifting Table

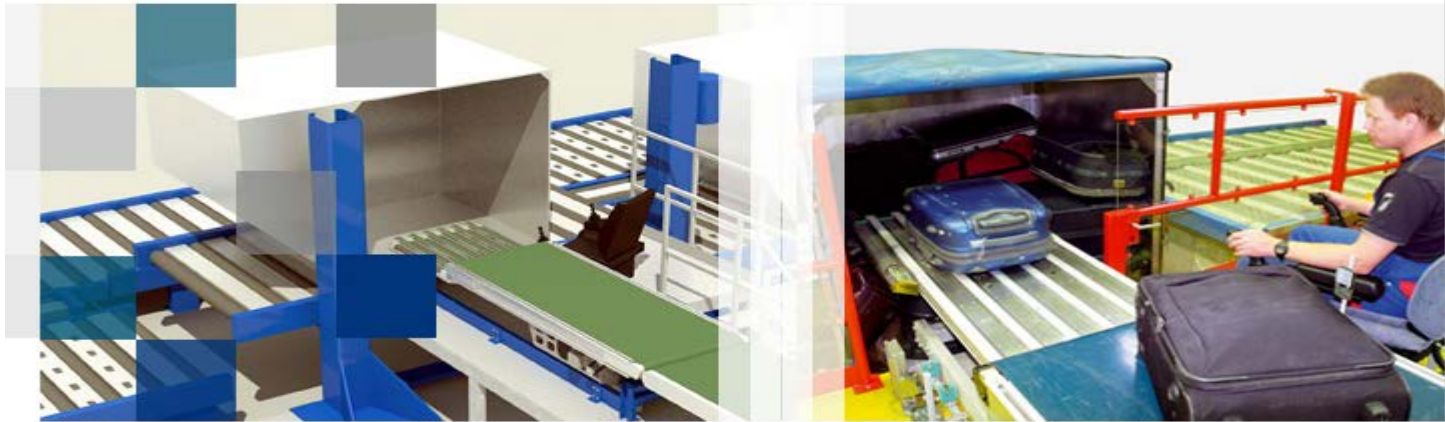




## Baggage Unloader



## The Putter



## Bag Lifter





## Automatic Bag Loading



## Robot Loading / Bag Load



## Stack-ease



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