

Lessons Learned

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- Planning
- Logistics
- Testing
 - Preliminary Testing (Set-up at test lab)
 - Qualification Testing
- Preparing Documents
- Submitting to EPA
- Marketing







Formed a Core Team

- Engineering
- Marketing
- Operations
- Sales/Quoter
- Performance Test Group

Determine Target Market

- Sales history
- New product plans







Preliminary Testing

- Equipment
- Test scripts
- Review results

Select products for initial certification

- Products that meet minimum requirements
 - > PSU efficiency
 - > Power Reporting
- Operations supply management
- Complexity of configurations
- Test equipment requirements







Select Test Site

- Lab space
- Test personnel
- Test equipment

Gather equipment for testing

- Determine what is needed
- Plan test configurations
- Get it all in the same place for testing





Set up for preliminary testing

- Which systems to test
- Which configurations
- Which software

Review data

- Is it what we expected?
- Fine tune set-up and software.
- Test again and review data.





Team to get right data into forms for test lab

- TDR 3 per configuration
- Reporting Spreadsheet
 - > Get all manufacturer data into spreadsheet and review
- Review test configurations
 - Compare to planned reporting
 - Compare to planned Marketing Part Numbers





Generate Marketing Part Numbers

- Compare to test plans
- Generate Manufacturing part numbers to match plans

Quote Tool Release plans

- Marketing part number strategy
- Release timing with registration

Web Site Release







Planning (Including preliminary testing not at Lab)

- January through August (~ 8 man months)
- Logistics
 - June through September (~ 2 man months)
- Preliminary Testing at Lab
 - September through November (~ 1 man month NetApp)
- Qualification Testing at Lab
 - November through January (~ 1 man month NetApp)
- Preparing Documents
 - December through January (~ 2 man months)
- Marketing
 - August through March (~ 8 man months)

