

case study

Soaring Above the Rest: We Take Flight with Invend™ Solution

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Invend™
Solution



35 Vending
Machines



Over 10 Sites



Brammer Buck & Hickman, the UK's leading distributor of industrial maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) products and services, is proud to be working with one of the largest UK aviation companies to deliver time and cost savings through the Invend™ inventory managed solution.

Adding Value

Our customer contacted Brammer Buck & Hickman regarding a potential opportunity within its MRO stores.

The stores were only open between 7am-9am, meaning many of their employees would take excess stock to their departments causing peaks and lows in-stock availability.

Also, due to the limited opening hours, the store hatch could have a large queue meaning increased walk and wait times impacting on productivity.

Brammer Buck & Hickman proposed Invend™, an industrial vending solution providing operators with access to the right stock on-demand and on-site.

Creating Solutions

Brammer Buck & Hickman's Invend™ is an industrial vending solution which can make a real difference to a customer's business by helping to lower inventory costs and improve productivity. Invend™ also offers convenient controlled access to industrial supplies whilst an automated process allows fast efficient replenishment.

To identify the correct product balance, the customer initially gathered stored requisition notes from previous months and entered this data onto a spreadsheet for the department managers to verify.

Once completed, one of our Insite™ Manager worked closely with the customer to achieve cost savings by consolidating vendors and pro-actively delivering opportunities to reduce costs associated with industrial supplies.

Our Insite™ Managers work with customers' teams on product identification and ordering, providing technical advice, supplier management and parts

standardisation, plus continuous improvement projects.

In response to the customer's needs, 35 vending machines over ten locations within the customer's site have been implemented.

Providing Savings

With the introduction of Invend™, the customer's workforce now has consumable products at the point of use, reducing store visits and wasted walk and wait times.

Plus, Invend™ has also delivered significant reductions in consumable spend and achieved cost savings associated with supplier consolidation.

This means the right stock levels are maintained for the customer and ensures high usage products are reviewed against new products coming onto the market, to ensure continuous cost-saving improvements.

Not only have we managed to streamline the customer's site using our exclusive Invend™ solution but we've also managed to reduce consumable usage by up to 40%.

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