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COST ANALYSIS WORK SHEET for REPLACING CASTERS

Old Process: Removal & Installation Cost

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| 1. How many minute(s) does it take to remove one wheel and rig from the unit? | 1. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 2. How many rigs do you have to cut off per unit? | 2. _____ | Rig(s) |
| 3. Multiply Line # 1 with Line # 2----- | 3. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 4. How many unit(s) do you have to rework? | 4. _____ | Unit (s) |
| 5. Multiply Line # 3 with Line # 4 ----- | 5. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 6. Divide 60 into Line # 5 ----- | 6. _____ | Total time |
| 7. Multiply worker(s) hourly rate with Line # 6 (Total Job Cost) -----
Note: Apply any other directly related cost(s) i.e. grinding wheels, cutting torch, paint | 7. \$ _____ | Total Cost |

New Quick Change Plate (QCP) Installation cost:

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| 8. How many minute(s) does it take to weld one QCP onto unit? | 8. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 9. How many QCP's will you need to weld onto unit? | 9. _____ | QCP(s) |
| 10. Multiply Line # 8 with Line # 9 ----- | 10. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 11. How many unit(s) do you have to rework? | 11. _____ | Unit (s) |
| 12. Multiply Line # 10 with Line # 11 ----- | 12. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 13. Divide 60 into Line # 12 ----- | 13. _____ | Total Time |
| 14. Multiply worker(s) hourly rate with Line # 13 (Total Job Cost) -----
Note: Apply any other directly related cost(s) i.e. grinding wheels, cutting torch, cost of QCP's & paint | 14. \$ _____ | Total Cost |

Caster Change - Removal & Installation cost with QCP:

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| 15. How long to lift unit in order to remove caster from QCP? | 15. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 16. How long to remove retainer nut and bolt or a pull pin from QCP? | 16. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 17. How long to remove old caster & install new caster into QCP? | 17. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 18. How long to reinstall the nut & bolt or a pull pin into QCP? | 18. _____ | Minute(s) |



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| 19. Add line # 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, | 19. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 20. How many caster(s) per unit do you have to change out? | 20. _____ | Caster (s) |
| 21. Multiply Line # 19 with Line # 20----- | 21. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 22. How many unit(s) do you have to rework? | 22. _____ | Unit (s) |
| 23. Multiply Line # 21 with Line # 22 ----- | 23. _____ | Minute(s) |
| 24. Divide 60 into Line # 23 ----- | 24. _____ | Total Time |
| 25. Multiply worker(s) hourly rate with Line # 24 (Total Job Cost) ----- | 25. \$ _____ | Total Cost |
| 26. Divide number of casters per unit into line # 25 | 26. \$ _____ | Total Cost
Per caster |

Note: After initial cost to install the Quick Change Plate you now can compare Line # 7 to Line # 25 to see how fast in your process you will get a buy back on your investment

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| | _____ | Line # 7 |
| | _____ | Line # 25 |
| 27. Subtract Line # 7 from Line # 25 | 27. \$ _____ | Total
savings |

Cost Analysis summary: Pro (s)

Con (s)

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| 28. Old Process | May be able to reuse wheel | When rig(s) are damaged repeat old Process. Cost will be Line # 7 by 4 per rig

Rig is permanently damaged |
| 29. New Process | Major cost savings to replace rig and/or wheel after initial cost

Little down time for the unit

Rework rig and/or wheel if one or the other is good. Able to put back into inventory | Initial cost up front |