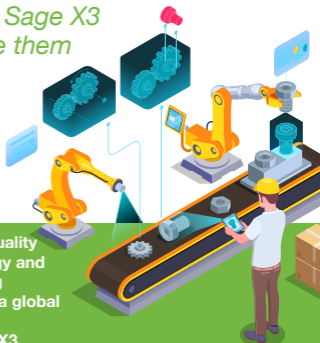


# 5 Key manufacturing business challenges and how Sage X3 can solve them



From unlocking new efficiency to quality control, the right blend of technology and expertise transforms manufacturing businesses, helping them thrive on a global scale. See why manufacturers trust RKL eSolutions to deliver the Sage X3 implementation they need.

## 1

### Inventory control

**Problem:** Keeping production moving means closely monitoring your inventory throughout the entire cycle – from incoming shipments to where parts are used and become part of your products. But the scale of this data makes costly mistakes common.

**Solution:** Sage X3 gives you a way to track inventory everywhere, so you can get ahead of issues like inventory shortages or needless overstocking, improving your efficiency and cashflow.



### Customer satisfaction

**Problem:** Customer satisfaction is the product of many things working together – not just product quality, but shipment time, costs and more. But with many of these elements in their own workflows and software, it's hard to get a single view.

**Solution:** Sage X3 brings multiple platforms together, replacing them with a single, comprehensive ERP system. So you can track all the things that influence customer satisfaction – and even integrate with the existing platforms you need to keep.

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### Regulatory compliance

**Problem:** Many manufacturers use outdated methods to track and trace their parts and products. With serial numbers in spreadsheets, the process is unnecessarily time-consuming and expensive. Worse, it's easy for human error to creep in and cause significant issues.

**Solution:** Sage X3 supports your compliance in two ways – not just bringing your traceability data into a single, secure system, but also automating parts of the process to reduce the risk of incorrect manual entry.



### Competitive pressure

**Problem:** With manufacturers at differing stages of the digitalization process, the most successful are simply able to do things faster, better and more efficiently. Adopting the right technology has become an essential part of what it takes to survive in the market.

**Solution:** Leveraging the huge quantity of data that is already inside your business, Sage X3 turns information into opportunity. It's easier to identify trends and changes, then react at speed. All in a hosted platform with no need for in-house management.

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### Quality control

**Problem:** Quality control is often treated like a stage in the manufacturing lifecycle, when it should be an ongoing process that's always occurring. Distributed data and time-consuming workflows make it easy for even established standards to slip.

**Solution:** From individual parts to delivery at your customer's door, Sage X3 is there to provide the insight you need to maintain your high quality standards. With automated lot control and test tracking, your entire quality chain is in one easy to use interface.



"One of the things that has been instrumental in our success with Sage X3 and our relationship with RKL is they're more than just software experts. They also help us to identify best practices in our business and how we can utilize the software to implement them. They've challenged us to consider new and better ways of doing things that we might never have considered."

*Kevin Reyes, Director of Information Systems, Roush Yates Engines*

Talk to the experts in Sage X3 for manufacturing.

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