

SC21 MONTHLY BULLETIN: DECEMBER 2017

1. SC21 Operational Excellence (*Existing programme*)

1.1 SC21 Participants breakdown by sponsorship, performance standard level and location as at 8th December 2017

	Sponsor			Total	Total Performance Standards
	Prime	RAA	Self-starter		
Gold	0	0	1	1	111
Silver	19	4	16	39	
Bronze	31	5	35	71	
No award	186	84	297	567	
Total	236	93	349	678	

Total participants

Participants	Bronze	Silver	Gold	
566	49	30	1	England
43	6	2	0	Scotland
12	6	0	0	Ireland

Participants	Bronze	Silver	Gold	
12	1	0	0	Wales
28	9	7	0	N Ireland
17	0	0	0	International

Total Performance Standards in 11 years	684
Total Performance Achievers in 11 years	254

For details of active participants, please refer to the National Status Report (NSR) – Column “Upd”.

1.2 SC21 New Participants within last month

Aims: 1) Acknowledgement for the supplier of completed registration, together with “SC21 Participant Process Completed” email 2) acknowledgement for partners or stakeholders involved with the supplier 3) It is expected that Strategic Partners engage with the following companies to follow the new participants in their SC21 journey.

New Participants (December 2017)	Sponsor	By what date does the organisation forecast that it will have a CSIP in place?	Region	Website
RAM Gasket Solutions Ltd	Self starter - WEAF	01/03/2018	South West	https://www.ramgaskets.com/
RW Powder Coatings	Self starter - ADS Ireland	01/05/2018	Northern Ireland	https://www.rwpowdercoatings.com/

1.3 SC21 Performance Achievers within last month

Aims: 1) Acknowledgement for the participant of achieved recognition, together with the SC21 Congratulations email. 2) Acknowledgement for practitioners/partners involved with the participant 3) It is expected that customers and buyers engage with the following companies as part of recognition of achieving the agreed targets.

Performance Achievers (December 2017-4 th January 2018)	Sponsor	Performance Standard	Region	Website
Rebound Electronics UK Ltd	Self starter	Re-silver	South East	http://www.reboundeu.com/
CCP Gransden Ltd	Self starter	Bronze	Northern Ireland	http://ccp-gransden.com/

1.4 SC21 Waiting for recognition within last month

Aims: 1) Acknowledgement for the participant of a received submission. It is now at the SC21 Project Office and/or the Industry Approval Board (IAB). 2) Acknowledgement for practitioners/partners involved with the supplier 3) It is expected that the IAB collaborates to progress the submissions of the companies below.

Waiting for recognition (December 2017)	Sponsor	Performance Standard	Region	Website
Bodycote Plc	Self starter	Re-silver	South West	http://www.bodycote.com/
JP AEROCOM Engineering Ltd	Bombardier	Re-bronze	East of England	http://jpaerocom.co.uk/
Keyford Precision Engineering Ltd	Leonardo Helicopters	Re-bronze	South West	http://www.keyford.co.uk/
HITEK Electronic Materials Ltd	Self starter	Re-silver	North East	https://www.hitek-ltd.co.uk/
CCP Gransden Ltd	Self starter	Bronze	Northern Ireland	http://ccp-gransden.com/
Metaltech Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	North East	http://www.metaltech.co.uk/
Aerco Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	South East	https://www.aerco.co.uk/
Orchard Materials Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	South West	http://www.orchardmaterials.com/
T & T Precision Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	Ireland	http://www.twohigprecision.com/
ThyssenKrupp	Bombardier	Silver	Northern	www.thyssenkruppaerospace.com

Aerospace Ltd - Newtownards			Ireland	
DCS Sonovision UK Ltd	Thales	Re-bronze	South East	www.dcs-sonovision.co.uk
Bovill and Boyd Engineering Ltd	Self starter	Re-silver	Scotland	http://www.bovill-boyd.co.uk/
AB Precision Ltd - Poole	Thales	Re-bronze	South West	http://www.abprecision.co.uk/
WB Alloy Welding Products Ltd	Scottish Manufacturing Advisory Service	Re-silver	Scotland	http://www.wballoys.co.uk/
Rockford Components Ltd - Rendlesham, Worksop, Salisbury	Thales	Re-silver	East of England & South West	http://www.rockford.co.uk/
Merlin Flex Ltd	Thales	Re-bronze	North East	www.merlinpcbgroup.com
Trescal Ltd - Stevenage & Donibristle	Thales	Re-silver	East of England	www.trescal.com
Hydro Bond Engineering Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	Scotland	http://www.hydrogroupplc.com/hydro_bond.html
Swiftool Precision Engineering Ltd	Self starter	Re-bronze	Midlands	http://www.swiftool.co.uk/
Active Electronics Plc	Thales	Re-silver	South East	www.active-electronics.co.uk

1.5 SC21 Expired or expiring Performance Standards Awards in the next 3 months

Aims: 1) Acknowledgement for the participant of an expired/expiring awards in the next 3 months, please note that no further communication will be sent. 2) Acknowledgement for practitioners/partners involved with the participant 3) Acknowledgment for customers and buyers previously engaged with the following participants as these companies risk to not achieve the agreed targets. 4) It is expected that practitioner/partners and other stakeholders support the following participants to remain on the programme.

Expired or expiring Performance Standards Awards in the next 3 months (until April 2018)					
Legend: Orange = Bronze Standard, Grey = Silver Standard					
Rotamic Engineering Ltd	South West Metal Finishers Ltd	Pre-Met Ltd	O.L.D. Engineering Co Ltd	Denroy Plastics Ltd	HSM Aero Ltd - Letchworth
Laser Cutting Ceramics Ltd	Wood Group Industrial Services - Rosyth	Hempel Special Metals Ltd	Hutton Engineering Precision Ltd	Groveley Precision Engineering Ltd	Beverston Engineering Ltd
Doran Precision Engineering	Linwave Technology Ltd	McAuley Precision Ltd	Jack Tighe Ltd	High Tech Engineering Ltd	Aavid Thermacore Europe Ltd
Pascall Electronics Ltd	Graves Aircraft Components Ltd	West Country Tool Co Ltd	Eire Composites Ltd	Wincanton Group Ltd - Blackburn	Curtiss Wright Defence Solutions - VDS - Letchworth
TEG Ltd	ALA UK	Springco (NI) Ltd	Pipex PX	A & G Precision	CVI LASER LTD

				Engineers Ltd	
Total Precision Ltd	Ellsworth Adhesives	Allan Webb Ltd	Rediweld Rubber and Plastics Ltd		
BASE Group Ltd	Plexus Corp (UK) Ltd	Electrical Manufacturing Centre – Leonardo Helicopter Division			
AE Aerospace Ltd	Technical Metals Ltd - Newtownards	All Metal Services Ltd - Belfast			
Nasmyth Arden	Norcott Technologies Ltd	KPK Sheet Metal Ltd - Sunbury-on-Thames			

1.6 National Status Report (NSR)

This month updated with feedback provided by:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aish Technologies • CCP Gransden Ltd • DB Concept Solutions Ltd • Fabrinet UK • Invest Northern Ireland 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leonardo Helicopters • Leonardo MW Ltd, EDS • Rebound Electronics UK Ltd • Thales
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Please find the National Status Report [at this link](#).

1.7 Next Events

1. [ADS Annual Dinner](#) to be held 15th January 2018 starting at 19:00 @ Grosvenor House, London
2. Next **“Achieving Supply Chain Excellence” Event** to be held at Titanic Centre, Belfast (30th-31st January 2018). It is now possible to book your attendance (the event is **free** of charge, book your attendance now!). For more details visit [this link](#).
Submissions shall be sent to the mail box of Marika De Rosa marika.derosa@adsgroup.org.uk by **5 January 2018**, any submissions received after this date cannot be included in the January event. Please be aware that the frequency of the event is now bi-annual.
3. Next SC21 Steering Board to be held 22nd March 2018 @ ADS London if no one volunteers.
4. Next SC21 PDQ SIG to be held 18th April 2018 @ ADS London if no one volunteers.
5. Next SC21 Partners and Practitioners (P&P) workshop to be held 16th May 2018. Places are limited so for those who won't be at the meeting in person, it will be possible to attend via Skype for Business.

1.8 What's New - SC21 Activity Update

1. The SC21 Steering Board was held on 18th December 2017 @ ADS London. Main topics discussed:
 - a. The SC21 Steering Board is committed to the deployment of C+G in 2018
 - b. The SC21 Steering Board is committed to engage with Government regarding central

funding.

- c. In the meantime, the SC21 Steering Board instructed the SC21 PO to continue to develop and explore alternative funding routes /models to enable the Standard National Framework to be deployed flexibly at a local level (NW, SW (iAero), NI, Midlands, Scotland, and Wales, etc.
 - d. 2018 Objectives:
 - i. Formally launch SC21 Competitiveness & Growth (incorporating NMCL) , including selecting Improvement Module provider by Farnborough Air Show 2018
 - ii. To establish a pipeline/waterfall analysis to enable true progression from Programme registration, through Bronze , Silver, Gold , and OE to C+G
 - iii. To finalise the future roles and responsibilities of SC21 Partners and Practitioner to more effectively deploy SC21 at the Participants. to be completed by May 2018
 - iv. Establish a data capture roadmap to achieving a “portal” type solution by end of 2019. This should include how it will be funded. Roadmap to be in presented by June 2018 Steering Board.
2. New [SC21 at a Glance](#) flyer available on the website and in hard copy for those who request it.
 3. The [Performance Standards Submission Template](#) Version 1 has started to be used from some of the companies submitting for a Performance Standard.
PowerPoint submissions received after the 1st February 2018 will not be accepted. It will be possible to provide a feedback to release the next issue.
Please note that the template is not fillable online, you will need to click on the link, **download** the file, complete it and send it to marika.derosa@adsgroup.org.uk.
In case you are not able to open the link or to access to Dropbox, you can write an email to marika.derosa@adsgroup.org.uk with the subject “Request for latest version of the SC21 Performance Standard Submission Template”.
 4. SC21 Google maps (see picture and link below).



- SC21 Participants ●
- Current Bronze ★
- Current Silver ★
- Current Gold ★
- RAAs ●
- LEPs ●
- Training Partners ●
- Strategic Partners ●



To interact with the SC21 Google Map click [here](#).

2. SC21 Competitiveness + Growth (*Future programme*)

1. We continue to discuss the implications and details of the Government announcement on NMCL for Automotive sector, and how central funding can still be achieved.
2. Despite the disappointment of apparently reverting back to a "sector deal" approach for funding, this has not changed ADS and the A+D Industry commitment to deploying SC21 C+G in 2018.
3. Further Industry resource has been identified to support the provider selection process for the 126 approved Improvement Modules.
4. All initial Aerospace Capability Assessments pilots have now been concluded with very positive feedback.
5. Engagement with regions/area continues with proposals underway for South West (iAero), Northern Ireland developing, including alternative funding mechanisms.

3. Quality & Standards

3.1 Last and next events

1. UK CBMC Board Meeting, held 6th December 2017 @ ADS London
2. Defence Industry Quality Forum (DIQF) held 7th December 2017 @ MOD, Abbey Wood
3. Engineering Standards Committee held 12th December 2017 @ SAE Offices, London
4. UK CBMC IR Meeting, to be held on 23rd January 2018 in London

See the following link for further useful information on Quality and Standards to improve your business:
<http://www.sc21.org.uk/useful-links/>

Please refer to the undersigned for clarification on information contained within this report.

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