Gear Actuator Housing: Original T-A®

A customer manufactures ball screws, aerospace actuators, and landing gear actuators for the aerospace industry. In this application, they are using an Okuma VMC with 750 PSI through-tool coolant to machine a gear actuator housing made from cast stainless steel.

Unsatisfied with their current process, the customer needed to increase tool life and reduce the cost of production.

The **Original T-A** drill achieved the customer's goals by increasing tool life while lowering the overall cost of production.



		Measure	Competitor	Original T-A®
Product:	Original T-A®			
Objective:	Increase tool life	RPM	733	760
Industry:	Aerospace	Feed Rate	0.007 IPR	0.008 IPR
Part:	Gear actuator housing	r cca nate	0.007 11 10	0.000 11 10
Material:	Cast stainless steel	Penetration Rate	5.13 IPM	6.08 IPM
Hole Ø:	0.25"			
Hole Depth:	0.7030"	Cycle Time	15 sec	14.5 sec
		Tool Life	10 holes	40 holes

