

## Donhad deploy OFS-Go™ in specialised fasteners plant

MELBOURNE, VICTORIA, August 2013 - Operations Feedback (OFS) a leading provider of real-time productivity improvement software, announced today that OFS-Go™ has gone live at the Donhad specialised fasteners plant in Bassendean, Western Australia.

Following a successful trial, Donhad have implemented OFS-Go™ on a number of CNC machines manufacturing fasteners for mining and mineral processors. “Obtaining real-time data that I can directly relate to cost and delivery, enabling me to make decisions without waiting on traditional lag indicators was the key driver behind our decision to proceed with an OFS-Go™ trial”, says Mr Gareth O’Neil, of Donhad. “We were really quite amazed with what we were able to learn about how our products actually perform during the production process, and we had no hesitation in continuing with OFS-Go™ at the conclusion of the trial. We are now looking to use the software in other areas of our plant in conjunction with an integration project that will connect OFS-Go™ to our ERP.”

“Donhad are a wonderful example of a client improving through better understanding of their true production performance. OFS-Go™ was the ideal product for their CNC machines, which is a process that can be technically challenging to monitor in real-time. We are delighted at the uptake and buy in from both the operational and management teams at Donhad”, said Mr James Magee, National Sales Manager, OFS.

### **About Donhad ([www.donhad.com.au](http://www.donhad.com.au)):**

Donhad Pty Ltd is a privately owned company founded in 1965 and Donhad is part of the Valmont Industries (VMI) group of companies based in Omaha USA. The company is a manufacturer of forged steel grinding balls, engineering forgings and a range of specialised fasteners for use in the mining and mineral processing industry.

### **About OFS ([www.ofsystems.com](http://www.ofsystems.com)):**

OFS is an Australian company specialising in productivity and efficiency improvement (OEE) software for the manufacturing industry. Over 2,500 operators are using OFS technologies in several industries: printing, packaging, labelling, cereals, confectionary, beverage, chemical, blow moulding, pharmaceutical and more. Customers of OFS include Heinz, Labelmakers, Visy, Brickwood Holdings, Murray Goulburn, Sanitarium, Amcor, HB Fuller, Food Plastics, Kraft/Cadbury, PACT Group, Donhad, Nippys, Pure Harvest and Golden Circle.

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