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- Unique and Sole manufacturer and Fleet provider of Low Loss Launch Valves (LLLV)
- Designated Depot for ALRE Systems and Equipments
- Recognized Prototype and Rapid Response Facility for Naval Aviation including Reverse Engineering
- 304,000+ ft² of shop & office floor space under 15 buildings over 8 acres
- 176 Artisans along with 86 engineers and support personnel (262 Total)
- 300+ conventional and Computer Numerically Controlled (CNC) lathes, mills, Water Jets, Wire EDM, and heat treat furnaces.





















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VIDEO





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