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- 1. Critical manufacturing technologies: Injection molding of plastics, implementing robotics automating assembly lines
- 2. Supply chain requirements: Would be great to have training or capabilities to address Risk Pooling, inventory management techniques, and how to manage the Bullwhip Effect.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback.