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OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

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McGraw Hill Resourceful companies today must successfully manage the entire supply flow, from the sources of the firm, through the value-added processes of the firm, and on to the customers of the firm. The fourteenth Global Edition of Operations and Supply Chain Management provides well-balanced coverage of managing people and applying sophisticated technology to operations and supply chain management.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

McGraw-Hill Education

OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY MANAGEMENT

Operations and Supply Management, as the title indicates, provides increased emphasis on supply chain management in the 12e. The 12e continues its market leading up-to-date coverage of service operations as well. The text includes solved examples and problems, enough cases for MBA courses to use without supplementing, and the industry leading technology support suite.

OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY MANAGEMENT

THE CORE

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OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

Cengage Learning Boyer/Verma's breakthrough text meets today's student and instructor's needs and redefines the marketplace. Their text is briefer than most, taking all of the vital core concepts and building upon them with current and fresh examples. The authors understand the importance of striking a balance by creating a book that does an even better job at covering the core concepts while also providing customers with a new product that fully addresses and approaches this course area from today's teaching and learning perspectives and actual business practices. The three unifying themes throughout the book are Strategy, Global Supply Chain, and Service Operations. Strategy will serve as an overarching framework and will be used in each chapter to present students with an alternative approach to specific challenges. The authors uses examples from non-US companies and/or organizations in each chapter to incorporate Service Operations in the book. They also show that even some of the largest manufacturing companies today have extensive service activities such as customer support and product development. The Global Supply Chain theme will allow students to see how products move through different companies and countries with Boyer/Verma's use of real world examples throughout his text. In addition the robust Cnow course allows instructors and students to go beyond the printed text to get the most from this exciting operations management program. Important Notice: Media content referenced within the product description or the product text may not be available in the ebook version.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

McGraw-Hill Higher Education

CPIM ALL-IN-ONE EXAM GUIDE

McGraw-Hill Education **Cowritten by an architect of the CPIM exam and the APICS Operations Management Body of Knowledge (OMBOK), this is a complete study guide for all five Certified in Production and Inventory Management exams. CPIM All-In-One Exam Guide covers all five of the challenging exams required to achieve the Certified in Production and Inventory Management credential. The book will help you prepare for the American Production and Inventory Control Society's (APICS) CPIM exam. The current test structure consists of: Basics of Supply Chain Management (entry exam) Master Planning of Resources (focused knowledge exam) Detailed Scheduling and Planning (focused knowledge exam) Execution and Control of Operations (focused knowledge exam) Strategic Management of Resources (integrative exam) This comprehensive, authoritative exam guide includes sample tests, test-taking strategies, step-by-step examples, and much more. Coauthor Greg DeYong will be taking the exams while preparing the book and will share his experiences and recommendations so you will have a strategic advantage on exam day. Expands the relevant sections of the OMBOK to include detailed explanations, study aids, step-by-step examples, and sample problems Offers test-taking strategies from insiders, special CPIM vocabulary, and sample tests Includes a diagnostic test that allows you to evaluate your own specific strengths and weaknesses prior to preparing for the exam Both authors have been instrumental in writing questions for the CPIM exam; Jacobs also formulated some of the ideas on the APICS OMBOK Additional exams available online**

STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT

LOGISTICS OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT

CONCEPTS AND MODELS

Elsevier **This book provides a comprehensive overview of how to strategically manage the movement and storage of products or materials from any point in the manufacturing process to customer fulfillment. Topics covered include important tools for strategic decision making, transport, packaging, warehousing, retailing, customer services and**

future trends. An introduction to logistics Provides practical applications Discusses trends and new strategies in major parts of the logistic industry

OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

South-Western College Gain a clear understanding of the fundamental concepts and applications behind operations and supply chain management with the reader-friendly approach in Collier/Evans' popular **OPERATIONS AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT, 2E**. The authors present detailed, solved problems throughout this edition to illustrate key formulas and computations as you learn to complete both manual and digital calculations using Excel spreadsheet templates and other Excel models for optimization and simulation. Even more review questions, cases, experiential activities, problems and exercises as well as feature boxes teach you how to work with the latest operations management (OM) and supply chain management (SCM) concepts and tools. New content examines process analysis and resource utilization, analytics in OM, capacity measurement, applications of linear optimization and other critical OM and SCM topics. You can further your understanding with interactive digital resources and new algorithmic exercises within MindTap's complete learning applications.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

SUSTAINABILITY AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Pearson College Division For undergraduate Operations Management courses. A broad, practical introduction to operations, reinforced with an extensive collection of practice problems. Operations Management presents a broad introduction to the field of operations in a realistic and practical manner, while offering the largest and most diverse collection of problems on the market. The problems found in this text also contain ample support--found in the book's solved-problems, worked examples, and myomlab, Pearson's new online homework and tutorial system--to help students complete and understand assignments even when they're not in class. Note: This is the standalone book, if you want the book/access card order the ISBN below: 0133130762 / 9780133130768 Operations Management Plus NEW MyOmLab with Pearson eText -- Access Card Package Package consists of: 013292062X / 9780132920629 NEW MyOMLab with Pearson eText -- Access Card -- for Operations Management 0132921146 / 9780132921145 Operations Management

TOYOTA SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT: A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO TOYOTA'S RENOWNED SYSTEM

McGraw Hill Professional **The Toyota Production System is the benchmark used throughout the world for “lean” thinking. Now you can model your own processes after those of the company that “wrote the book on supply chain management.”** Written by two experts on the subject, along with a former Toyota senior executive, this book details the most celebrated supply chain operation in the world to help you form an integrated, synchronized system that will be the envy of your industry. You will find key insight into the logic behind every point of Toyota’s supply chain, along with both the tactics and strategies you can use to build an outstanding system of your own. **Toyota Supply Chain Management explains how to achieve balance and efficiency by focusing on:** **Variety:** Determine your variety of offerings based on operational efficiency and market demand **Velocity:** Maintain a steady flow through all processes of the supply chain **Variability:** Manage inconsistencies carefully to reduce cost and improve quality **Visibility:** Ensure the transparency of all processes to enable continuous learning and improvement **The authors provide valuable insider tips and offer hands-on guidance for improving production and operations in a variety of industries, including health care, insurance, banking, credit processing, and retailing. With careful attention paid to every aspect of the subject—from principles and theories to operations and best practices—Toyota Supply Chain Management is the most comprehensive, insightful guide to forging a world-class supply chain system.**

PURCHASING AND SUPPLY MANAGEMENT

The Fourteenth Edition of Purchasing and Supply Management provides a comprehensive introduction to the purchasing and supply chain management field, supported by over 40 case studies. Cases cover purchasing and supply chain issues in a variety of settings, from process industries to high tech manufacturing and services as well as public institutions. The text focuses on decision making throughout the supply chain. Based on the conviction that supply managers, in concert with suppliers and distributors, have to contribute to organizational goals and strategies, this edition continues to focus on how to make that mission a reality.

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OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

MANAGING GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAINS

SAGE Publications **Operations Management: Managing Global Supply Chains takes a holistic, integrated approach to managing operations and supply chains by exploring the strategic, tactical, and operational decisions and challenges facing organizations worldwide. Authors Ray R. Venkataraman and Jeffrey K. Pinto address sustainability in each chapter, showing that sustainable operations and supply chain practices are not only attainable, but are critical and often profitable practices for organizations to undertake. With a focus on critical thinking and problem solving, Operations Management provides students with a comprehensive introduction to the field and equips them with the tools necessary to thrive in today's evolving global business environment. A Complete Teaching & Learning Package SAGE coursepacks FREE! Easily import our quality instructor and student resource content into your school's learning management system (LMS) and save time. Learn more. SAGE edge FREE online resources for students that make learning easier. See how your students benefit.**

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

PROCESSES AND SUPPLY CHAINS

Pearson Higher Ed **Creating value through Operations Management. Operations Management provides readers with a comprehensive framework for addressing operational process and supply chain issues. This text uses a systemized approach while focusing on issues of current interest. NOTE: This is the standalone book, if you want the book/access**

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LOGISTICS 4.0

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

CRC Press Industrial revolutions have impacted both, manufacturing and service. From the steam engine to digital automated production, the industrial revolutions have conducted significant changes in operations and supply chain management (SCM) processes. Swift changes in manufacturing and service systems have led to phenomenal improvements in productivity. The fast-paced environment brings new challenges and opportunities for the companies that are associated with the adaptation to the new concepts such as Internet of Things (IoT) and Cyber Physical Systems, artificial intelligence (AI), robotics, cyber security, data analytics, block chain and cloud technology. These emerging technologies facilitated and expedited the birth of Logistics 4.0. Industrial Revolution 4.0 initiatives in SCM has attracted stakeholders' attentions due to its ability to empower using a set of technologies together that helps to execute more efficient production and distribution systems. This initiative has been called Logistics 4.0 of the fourth Industrial Revolution in SCM due to its high potential. Connecting entities, machines, physical items and enterprise resources to each other by using sensors, devices and the internet along the supply chains are the main attributes of Logistics 4.0. IoT enables customers to make more suitable and valuable decisions due to the data-driven structure of the Industry 4.0 paradigm. Besides that, the system's ability of gathering and analyzing information about the environment at any given time and adapting itself to the rapid changes add significant value to the SCM processes. In this peer-reviewed book, experts from all over the world, in the field present a conceptual framework for Logistics 4.0 and provide examples for usage of Industry 4.0 tools in SCM. This book is a work that will be beneficial for both practitioners and students and academicians, as it covers the theoretical framework, on the one hand, and includes examples of practice and real world.

THE PROCUREMENT MODELS HANDBOOK

Routledge Building from the previous two successful editions, The Procurement Models Handbook is an essential

resource for everyone working in the procurement profession, including those selling directly to it. The authors provide the reader with a useful guide to the business models most frequently applied in the procurement and supply chain arena. Procurement and supply chain management are two of the highest contributors to corporate success in the modern world. This third edition is a new revised international version with additional tools that reflect the value of procurement in our globally-connected world. The authors have included over 50 well-established strategic and operational models that have a proven track record of delivering value over years of practice. Each model is presented pictorially, with explanatory commentary on its practical application to support. These models are designed to save unnecessary cost and deliver significant benefits for their user and have been carefully selected by the authors based on their originality and usefulness for practical application in the context of procurement and the supply chain. The Procurement Models Handbook is an invaluable and enduring source of reference for practitioners and business managers, as well as an essential learning support for business and procurement students.

GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAIN AND OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

A DECISION-ORIENTED INTRODUCTION TO THE CREATION OF VALUE

[Springer](#) This textbook presents global supply chain and operations management from a comprehensive perspective, combining value creation networks and interacting processes. It focuses on the operational roles in the networks and presents the quantitative and organizational methods needed to plan and control the material, information and financial flows in the supply chain. Each chapter of the book starts with an introductory case study. Numerous examples from various industries and services help to illustrate the key concepts. The book explains how to design operations and supply networks and how to incorporate suppliers and customers. As matching supply and demand is a core aspect of tactical planning, the book focuses on it before turning to the allocation of resources for fulfilling customer demands. Providing readers with a working knowledge of global supply chain and operations management, this textbook can be used in core, special and advanced classes. Therefore, the book targets a broad range of students and professionals involved with supply chain and operations management. Special focus is directed at bridging theory and practice.

INTEGRAL LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT

PLANNING AND CONTROL OF COMPREHENSIVE SUPPLY CHAINS, SECOND EDITION

CRC Press **Successful companies must strive to improve business processes on a comprehensive, coordinated level. Integral Logistics Management: Planning and Control of Comprehensive Supply Chains, Second Edition** examines logistics in areas beyond the flow of goods, investigating administrative and planning logistics, or process control. **What's New in the Second Edition:** A review of E-business developments Additional concepts in transcorporate supply chain management Expanded treatment of master planning Sections on distribution planning and control More details on safety stock calculation and service level vs. fill rate Revised chapter on the process industry Comprehensive extension and update of terminology per CPIM exam content manual, covering all five CPIM modules More examples from real industrial practice **Keywords** at the end of each chapter, as well as scenarios and exercises, many of which include interactive, online elements This volume presents the characteristics, tasks, methods, and techniques of planning and control, detailing innovations in supply chain management, Just-in-Time, Enterprise and Manufacturing Resource Planning (ERP and MRP II), one-of-a-kind production, manufacturing in the process industry, and more. It provides students, industrial engineers, business managers, computer scientists, and other professionals with critical information for improving processes within both manufacturing and service industries.

PRODUCTIVITY AND RELIABILITY-BASED MAINTENANCE MANAGEMENT, SECOND EDITION

Purdue University Press **Productivity and Reliability-Based Maintenance Management, Second Edition** is intended to provide a strong yet practical foundation for understanding the concepts and practices of total productive maintenance (TPM) management—a proactive asset and resource management strategy that is based on enhancing equipment reliability and overall enterprise productivity. The book is intended to serve as a fundamental yet comprehensive educational and practical guide for departing from the wait-failure-emergency repair cycle that has plagued too many industries, instead advancing a proactive and productive maintenance strategy. It is not intended to be a how-to-fix-it manual, but rather emphasizes the concept of a world-class maintenance management philosophy to avoid the failure in the first place. Universities, junior and community colleges, and technical institutes as well as professional, corporate, and industrial training programs can benefit by incorporating these fundamental concepts in their technical and managerial curricula. The book can serve as a powerful educational tool for students as well as for maintenance professionals and managers. In addition to updating the previous historical and statistical data and tables, the second edition expands on and adds to case studies based on current maintenance-related events. Several

numerical examples and explanations are revised in order to enhance the clarity of the methodology. The second edition introduces the readers to the state-of-the-art concepts of the Internet of Things (IoT), smart sensors, and their application to maintenance and TPM.

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT AND ADVANCED PLANNING

CONCEPTS, MODELS, SOFTWARE AND CASE STUDIES

Springer Science & Business Media "... To sum up, there should be a copy on the bookshelf of all engineers responsible for detailed planning of the Product Delivery Process (PDP). The Editors highlight the impressive gains reported by companies exploiting the potential of coordinating organizational units and integrating information flows and planning efforts along a supply chain. This publication is strong on coordination and planning. It is therefore recommended as an up-to-date source book for these particular aspects of SCM." International Journal of Production Research 2001/Vol. 39/13

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

SUSTAINABILITY AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

A broad introduction to operations, reinforced with extensive practice problems Operations Management: Sustainability and Supply Chain Management presents a broad introduction to the field of operations in a realistic and practical manner, while offering the largest and most diverse collection of issues on the market. Solved problems and worked examples found in the 13th Edition provide ample support -- to help readers better understand concepts important to today's operations management professionals.

THE ESSENTIALS OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

NEW BUSINESS CONCEPTS AND APPLICATIONS

FT Press This is today's indispensable introduction to supply chain management for today's students and tomorrow's managers - not yesterday's! Prof. Hokey Min focuses on modern business strategies and applications - transcending obsolete logistics- and purchasing-driven approaches still found in many competitive books. Focusing on outcomes

throughout, *The Essentials of Supply Chain Management* shows how to achieve continuous organizational success by applying modern supply chain concepts. Reflecting his extensive recent experience working with leading executives and managers, Min teaches highly-effective methods for supply chain thinking and problem-solving. You'll master an integrated Total System Approach that places functions like inventory control and transportation squarely in context, helping you smoothly integrate internal and external functions, and establish effective inter-firm cooperation and strategic alliances across complex supply chains. Coverage includes: Understanding modern sourcing, logistics, operations, sales, and marketing - and how they fit together Using modern supply chain methods to improve customer satisfaction and quality Working with cutting-edge supply chain technology and metrics Moving towards greater sustainability and more effective risk management Working with core analytical tools to evaluate supply chain practices and measure performance Legal, ethical, cultural, and environmental/sustainability aspects of modern supply chain operations How to build a career in global supply chain management *The Essentials of Supply Chain Management* will be an indispensable resource for all graduate and undergraduate students in supply chain management, and for every practitioner pursuing professional certification or executive education in the field.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT IN CONTEXT

Routledge *Operations Management in Context* provides students with excellent grounding in the theory and practice of operations management and its role within organizations. Structured in a clear and logical manner, it gradually leads newcomers to this subject through each topic area, highlighting key issues, and using practical case study material and examples to contextualize learning. Each chapter is structured logically and concludes with summary material to aid revision. Exercises and self-assessment questions are included to reinforce learning and maintain variety, with answers included at the end of the text.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT, 1E

McGraw-Hill Education *Cachon 1e* is designed for undergraduate students taking an introductory course in operations management. This text will share many of the strengths of *Matching Supply with Demand: An Introduction to Operations Management (3e)*. *Operations Management* by Cachon comprehensively spans the relevant domain of topics, is accessible to a typical undergraduate student (i.e., limited real world business experience), incorporates the latest research and knowledge, and provides thorough pedagogical support for instructors along with innovative

learning support for students. Connect is the only integrated learning system that empowers students by continuously adapting to deliver precisely what they need, when they need it, and how they need it, so that your class time is more engaging and effective.

APPLICATIONS AND THEORY OF ANALYTIC HIERARCHY PROCESS

DECISION MAKING FOR STRATEGIC DECISIONS

BoD – Books on Demand **The purpose of this book is to provide an introduction to the theory and applications in the field of decision making, especially focused on Analytic Hierarchy Process, a structured technique for organizing and analyzing complex decisions, based on mathematics and psychology. It was developed by Prof. Thomas L. Saaty in the 1970s and has been extensively studied and refined since then. The idea of the book is to expand the reader's consciousness to deal with problems regarding the decision making. This book presents some application examples of Analytic Hierarchy. It contains original research and application chapters from different perspectives, and covers different areas such as supply chain, environmental engineering, safety, and social issues. This book is intended to be a useful resource for anyone who deals with decision making problems.**

LOOSE LEAF FOR OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

McGraw-Hill Education **This beloved and market-leading Operations Management book has been completely updated in the 14th edition and provides a clear presentation of the field of Operations Management with current real-world examples and thoughtful student pedagogy. The comprehensive breadth of content is presented in more modular flexible chapters, so it may be used for different course levels ranging from undergrad to executive education. That flexibility allows for the choice of more or less quantitative material and flexibility in order of presentation since chapters do not depend on sequence. The topics covered include both strategic issues and practical applications. Among the topics are forecasting, product and service design, capacity planning, management of quality and quality control, inventory management, scheduling, supply chain management, and project management. The use of an adaptive online learning enhances the student experience and success.**

SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

STRATEGY, PLANNING, AND OPERATION

'Supply Chain Management' illustrates the key drivers of good supply chain management in order to help students understand what creates a competitive advantage. It also provides strong coverage of analytic skills so that students can gauge the effectiveness of the techniques described.

MANAGING OPERATIONS ACROSS THE SUPPLY CHAIN

McGraw-Hill/Irwin **Managing Operations Across the Supply Chain** is the first book to offer a global, supply chain perspective of operations management - a treatment that embraces the foundations of operations management but includes new frameworks, concepts, and tools to address the demands of today and changing needs of the future. It reflects three key shifts in operations management: 1. From a focus on the internal system to a focus on the supply chain 2. From a local focus to a global focus 3. From an emphasis on tools and techniques to an emphasis on systems, people, and processes

PRINCIPLES OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

CRC Press **Going beyond the usual supply chain text, Principles of Supply Chain Management** not only details the individual components of the supply chain but also illustrates how the pieces must come together. Providing the logic behind why supply chain management is essential, the text examines how supply chains are evolving, looks ahead to future developments, and also provides a balanced look at supply chains with a focus on where it needs to be—the customer. It also: Describes the forward supply chain (from the supplier to the customer) and the reverse supply chain (recycling) Reviews contemporary sustainability concepts including triple bottom line, cradle-to-grave, and cradle-to-cradle Includes extensive discussions on retailing, distribution, and manufacturing topics Details supply chain flows of physical goods, information, and funds Highlights the need for coordinated change in technology, infrastructure, and cultures among supply chain members From the point of distribution all the way back to the point of origin, the text provides examples and case histories that illustrates a proven approach for achieving effective supply chain integration. This self-contained resource provides readers with a realistic appraisal of the state of the art in supply chain management and the understanding needed to build and manage effective supply chains in a wide-range of

industries. Most importantly, it emphasizes the need for building and maintaining cooperation and collaboration among all members of the supply chain.

THE SUPPLY CHAIN REVOLUTION

INNOVATIVE SOURCING AND LOGISTICS FOR A FIERCELY COMPETITIVE WORLD

AMACOM Across a range of industries, once-leading companies are in trouble: Walmart, IBM, Pfizer, HP, and The Gap to name a few. But others are thriving. The difference is how the company's leaders view their supply chain: Is it just about cutting cost or do they see its hidden tools for outperforming the competition? Steve Jobs, upon returning to Apple in 1997, focused on transforming the supply chain. He hired Tim Cook--and the company sped up the development of new products, getting them into consumers' hands faster. The rest is history. While competitors were shutting stores, Zara's highly responsive supply chain made it the most valued company in the retail space and its founder, the richest man in Europe. Showcasing real solutions learned from true success stories like these and many others, *The Supply Chain Revolution* provides for business leaders the secrets to succeeding in a disruptive world. They will learn to:

- Make alliances more successful
- Simplify and debottleneck the supply chain
- Boost retail success by managing store investment
- Improve customer satisfaction and increase revenue
- And more!

Every year, more businesses fail because of their old-school views toward cutting costs, and they usually begin with the supply chain. Don't go down with that ship! Discover how the right supply chain can actually help you thrive.

PURCHASING AND SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

South-Western Pub *Purchasing and Supply Chain Management, 3rd Edition* is a turnkey solution for providing current and thorough coverage for this critical area of the supply chain. This book is not only a text but a reference as well and is now established as one of the leading-edge strategy and purchasing books. Students gain contextual insights and knowledge into the strategies, processes, and practices of purchasing through use of the many cases and examples. Because of their relationships with executives and practitioners worldwide, the authors are able to present unique and up-to-date insights that lead to greater understanding of the purchasing process. *Purchasing and Supply Chain Management* provides a hands-on, applied approach that has been thoroughly tested with student audiences to ensure learning success.

SUSTAINABLE SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

BoD - Books on Demand **The book is a collection of studies dedicated to different perspectives of three dimensions or pillars of the sustainability of supply chain and supply chain management - economic, environmental, and social - and other aspects related to performance evaluation, optimization, and modelling of and for sustainable supply chain management, and thus presents another valuable contribution to sustainable development and sustainable way of life.**

MANAGEMENT

John Wiley & Sons **Schermerhorn, Management 14e continues to offer the same balanced theory approach as with previous editions. Students need an active and engaged learning classroom environment that brings personal meaning to course content and the instructor's course objectives. Schermerhorn communicates with students through rich, timely features and cases that bring management topics, theories, and concepts to life. The underlying goal is to translate foundation theories into lasting tools for students as they move beyond the classroom where their skills will be put to the test.**

DISTRIBUTION PLANNING AND CONTROL

MANAGING IN THE ERA OF SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

Springer Science & Business Media **When work began on the first volume of this text in 1992, the science of distribution management was still very much a backwater of general management and academic thought. While most of the body of knowledge associated with calculating EOQs, fair-shares inventory deployment, productivity curves, and other operations management techniques had long been solidly established, new thinking about distribution management had taken a definite back-seat to the then dominant interest in Lean thinking, quality management, and business process reengineering and their impact on manufacturing and service organizations. For the most part, discussion relating to the distribution function centered on a fairly recent concept called Logistics Management. But, despite talk of how logistics could be used to integrate internal and external business functions and even be considered a source of competitive advantage on its own, most of the focus remained on how companies could utilize operations management techniques to optimize the traditional day-to-day shipping and receiving functions in order to achieve cost containment and customer fulfillment objectives. In the end, distribution management was, for the most part,**

still considered a dreary science, concerned with transportation rates and cost trade-offs. expediting and the tedious calculus Today, the science of distribution has become perhaps one of the most important and exciting disciplines in the management of business.

OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT

ALONG THE SUPPLY CHAIN

Featuring an ideal balance of managerial issues and quantitative techniques, this introduction to operations management keeps pace with current innovations and issues in the field. It presents the concepts clearly and logically, showing readers how OM relates to real business. The new edition also integrates the experiences of a real company throughout each chapter to clearly illustrate the concepts. Readers will find brief discussions on how the company manages areas such as inventory and forecasting to provide a real-world perspective.