MATERIALS MANAGEMENT

(Open Elective course for PGDM/ MBA Programme)

Objective

Objective of this course is to cover advance concepts related to the efficient and effective design of MRP and materials management as a whole. The course will cover the indepth analysis of Materials management through the theory as well as case study.

Session wise Contents

Session 1

- 1. Intriduction to Materials Mangement
 - 1.1. Basics in MRP
 - 1.2. Factors NOT considered in conventional MRP
 - 1.3. Role of MRP in overall Manufacturing Planning Cotrol (MPC)

Session 2-4

- 2. Capacity Management
 - 2.1. Introduction to Capacity Planning
 - 2.1.1. Measuring Capacity
 - 2.1.2. Determination of available capacity
 - 2.2. Capacity Expansion Strategy
 - 2.3. Capacity Management
 - 2.3.1. Capacity Planning Using Overall Factors (CPOF)
 - 2.3.2. Capacity Bills
 - 2.3.3. Resource Bills
 - 2.4. Resource Planning
 - 2.5. Rough-cut Capacity Planning
 - 2.6. Capacity Requirement Planning
 - 2.6.1. Benefits of CRP
 - 2.6.2. Drawbacks of CRP
 - 2.7. Scheduling Rules (Paper by Panwalker and Iskander)
 - 2.8. Infinite versus and Finite Loading
 - 2.9. Comparing the Strategies

Session 5-6

- 3. Advance Concepts in MRP / Lot Sizing Rules
 - 3.1. Introduction
 - 3.1.1. Fixed Order Quantity (FOQ)
 - 3.1.2. Economic Order Quantity (EOQ)
 - 3.1.3. Lot-for-Lot (LFL)
 - 3.1.4. Fixed Period Requirement (FPR)
 - 3.1.5. Periodic Order Quantity (POQ)
 - 3.1.6. Least Unit Cost (LUC)

- 3.1.7. Least Total Cost (LTC)
- 3.1.8. Part-Period Balancing (PPB)
- 3.1.9. Wagner-Whitin Algorithm (W-W Algorithm)
- 3.1.10. McLaren's Order Moment (MOM)
- 3.2. Analysis of Different Lot Sizing Heuristics
 - 3.3. Determination of purchase Order Quantity
 - 3.3.1. The purchasing discount problem
 - 3.3.2. Buffering Concepts-Concept of Uncertainty, Safety Stock, Safety time
 - 3.3.3. Safety stock and safety lead time performance comparison

Session 7

- 4. Independent Demand Ordering System
 - 4.1 Basic concpets

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- 4.2 Independent versus dependent demand items
- 4.3 Function of inventory
- 4.4 Order preparation cost
- 4.5 Inentory carrying cost
- 4.6 Shortage and customer service cist
- 4.7 Inventory Decision rules
- 4.8 Order timing decision
 - 4.8.1. Sources of demand and supply uncertainy
 - 4.8.2. Determination of safety stock
 - 4.8.3. Customer service level

Session 8-9

- 5. Advance Independent Demand Ordering System
 - 5.1. Basic Introduction on Ordering System
 - 5.2. Advanced Independent Ordering Systems
 - 5.2.1. Order Quantity and Reorder Point
 - 5.2.1.1. Service levels and Order Quantities
 - 5.2.1.2. Total Cost Equation
 - 5.2.1.3. Grid search procedure
 - 5.2.1.4. The Iterative (Q, R) Procedure
 - 5.2.2. Inventory and Transportation Mode Interaction
 - 5.2.2.1. Total Cost Equation
 - 5.2.2.2. Transport Mode Decision Example
 - 5.2.2.3. Exact Methods
 - 5.2.2.4. Heuristic Methods
 - 5.2.3. Multiple Items From Single Source

- 5.2.3.1. Methods based on Individual item Reorder point
- 5.2.3.2. Methods based on Group Reorder point
- 5.2.3.3. A group service level method
- 5.2.4 Multiple Criteria ABC Analysis
 - 5.2.4.1. Multiple criteria ABC Analysis
 - 5.2.4.2. Multiple criteria ABC Management Policies

MID TERM EXAMINATION IN SESSION 10

Session 11-12

- 5. Supplier Selection for Effective Materials Management
 - 5.1. Role of Supplier in Material Management
 - 5.2. Ranking of Suppliers using AHP
 - 5.3. Single Period Multi-parts Multi-source Problem in Materials Management (Static model)
 - 5.3.1 Problem discussion
 - 5.3.2 Linear Programming Model
- 5.4. Multi-period Multi-parts Multi-source Problem in Materials Management (Dynamic model)
 - 5.4.1. Importance of the Dynamic model
 - 5.4.2. Linear/Non-linear Programming model

Session 13-14

- 6. Demand Management
- 6.1. Mathematical programming approaches
 - 6.1.1. Linear Programming
 - 6.1.2. Mixed Integer Programming
 - 6.1.3. Heuristic approaches
- 6.2. Other approaches
 - 6.2.1. The linear Decision Rule
 - 6.2.2. The Management Co-efficient Model
 - 6.2.3. Search Decision Rule
- 6.3. Types of Production Planning and Control Systems
 - 6.3.1. Pond-Draining System
 - 6.3.2. Push System
 - 6.3.3. Pull System
 - 6.3.4. CONWIP System
 - 6.3.5. DYNWIP System
- 6.4. Theory of Constraint (TOC)
 - 6.4.1. Principles of TOC
 - 6.4.2. TOC in Production Planning

Session 15

- 7. Distribution Requirement Planning
 - 7.1. DRP in Manufacturing Industry
- 7.2. Linking DRP with Market
- 7.3. Linking DRP with demand management

- 7.4. Linking DRP with MPS
- 7.5. DRP Techniques
- 7.5.1. The basic DRP record
- 7.5.2. Time phased order point
- 7.5.3. Linking several warehouse records

Session 16

- 8. Physical Inventory Distribution and Warehouse Management
 - 8.1 Physical Distribution System
 - 8.2 Interfaces
 - 8.3 Transportation
 - 8.4 Legal Types of carriages
 - 8.5 Warehousing
 - 8.5.1. Warehousing management
 - 8.5.2. Additional Technique
 - 8.6 Physical control and security
 - 8.7 Packging
 - 8.8 Material Handling

Session 17

- 9. Purchasing
 - 9.1 Introduction
 - 9.2 Establishing Specification
 - 9.3 Selecting Suppliers
 - 9.4 Price determination
 - 9.5 Impact of purchsing on MRP
 - 9.6 Expansion of MRP in Supply Chain
 - 9.7 AHP for supplier selection problem

Session 18-20

Case study presentation by individual groups.

Evaluation CRITERIA

- 1) Mid Term (30 marks)
- 2) Case Presentation (20 Marks)
- 3) Class Participation (10 Marks)
- 4) Class Attendance (10 Marks)

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