

Westernacher Consulting - We optimise your Supply Chain with SAP Solutions



Supply Chain Management

Supply Chain Management with SAP SCM Empowering Companies through Efficient Supply Chains

Today's fast-paced logistics are characterised by global markets and increased competition. **Innovation and creativity have become prerequisites for success.**

Westernacher has a proven track record of delivering superior and highly reliable solutions that really work. Westernacher consultants combine a deep understanding of business operations with technical knowledge. Our successful implementation experience includes the end-to-end supply chain and logistic processes from planning, through execution. Incorporating: order fulfilment and customer care; warehousing; transport distribution and value added services, supplier collaboration and supply chain planning.

Challenges for Supply Chain Managers

- Limited transparency within the whole supply chain
- Numerous bespoke tools for material requirements forecasts
- No active market cultivation to increase sales
- Lack of real-time global availability check
- High cost of service level compliance
- Inefficient procurement and supplier management
- Suboptimal integration of suppliers
- Inefficient warehouse management due to the absence of a global warehouse strategy
- Suboptimal return, warranty and credit management
- The absence of an integrated end-to-end process from planning to returns

As a special expertise partner of SAP Westernacher takes on these challenges with you to achieve the following key targets with SAP Supply Chain Management (SCM):

Key Targets

- Profitable growth through exceptional service
- Efficient and transparent warehouse management
- Reliable working processes at minimum costs
- Securing supply sources and service levels
- Rationalised and efficient Supply Chains

We support enterprises from concept design through to successful go-live.

Our Service Portfolio **Excellence in Business & IT since 1969.**

- Strategy, process and IT consulting
- SAP feasibility studies
- SAP design, implementation and enhancement
- Stock optimisation strategies
- Development and implementation of Key Performance Indicators (KPI) and Business Intelligence (BI) solutions
- Change management

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Profitable growth through superior service

Fulfillment & Customer Care

- Marketing and Campaign Management
- Order Processing
- Claims and Returns Management
- SAP CRM Service
- Business Intelligence, SAP BW/BO

A company's most valued resource is their customers. Well-managed companies always aim to **maximise customer retention by providing exceptional customer service**. They cost effectively align their order management and customer support organisation to fully **utilise every customer contact through multiple communication channels**.

Visible and efficient storage

Warehousing

- Warehouse Management Systems
- Vertical Integration of technical systems, e.g. conveyors, mobile devices, RFID
- Determination and sizing of warehouse locations
- SAP EWM / SAP ERP
- Business Intelligence, SAP BW/BO

Reliable operations at minimal costs

Transport, Distribution & Value Added Services

- Cross Docking and Yard Management
- Delivery Planning and Scheduling
- Reverse Logistics
- Labor Management and Billing of Logistic Services
- Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI)
- SAP SCM

SAP Extended Warehouse Management (EWM) is part of SAP SCM. EWM has a completely new core which **controls and optimises processes in the warehouse**. Some highlights:

- New **transport routing** for real multi-step material transfer due to floor layout or process needs, including single steps executed by a 3rd party.
- EWM flexibly manages the financial and the physical ownership of the stock, which is ideal for **logistics service providers**.
- Packing, value-adding services and kitting take place at **workcenters** that are fully integrated into the new transport routing.
- Individual processes for mobile data entry can be designed very efficiently and ergonomically using the **RF-framework**.
- EWM covers all operative logistics processes including improved integration of **yard management**.

Ensuring sources and service levels

Supplier Collaboration

- Strategic Sourcing (make - buy - repair)
- Supplier Strategy and Development
- Supplier Network and Management
- Supplier and Performance Management
- SAP SNC

The drive to reduce costs, and concentrate on core capabilities have prompted many companies to outsource nonstrategic activities to third party suppliers. Making **the need for seamless real-time supplier integration** a critical challenge for Supply Chain Managers.

Streamlined and efficient supply chains

Supply Chain Planning

- Supply Network Design
- Demand & Inventory Planning
- Supply and Distribution Planning
- SAP SCM, SPP, ERP/ECC
- Business Intelligence, SAP BW/BO

Globally optimised supply chain management is quickly emerging as a means of realising business potential and increasing revenues. The traditional supply chain has been organisationally segmented. This inevitably leads to functional conflicts that result in delay and distortion at interfaces.

An optimised supply chain must comprehensively include every activity, process and operation in the planning, sourcing, producing and delivering a final product to the customer.

Our Offer for You:

Call us to set up a free of charge consultation where we will discuss your specific requirements, and demonstrate how SAP SCM can optimise your unique supply chain.

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