

CHAPTER OVERVIEW

8: Supply Chain Management



Learning Objectives

- Explain the term supply chain, describe its flows, and the organizations that participate in a typical supply chain.
- Identify types of inventory in the supply chain and reasons for carrying inventory.
- Define the term logistics and give advantages and disadvantages to various forms of transportation.
- Describe the various forms of communication and technology in the supply chain.
- Calculate inventory turnover and days of supply as measures of supply chain performance.

[8.1: Introduction to Supply Chain Issues](#)

[8.2: Managing Main Flows in the Supply Chain](#)

[8.3: Foundational Elements of Supply Chain Management](#)

[8.4: Supply Chain Design](#)

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