

## Inventory management 2

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## Today's topic

- Inventory measures
- The ABC system
- Specific situations in finding economic order quantity
  - Non-instantaneous replenishment
  - Quantity discount
  - One-period decisions



### Inventory measures

• Average aggregate inventory value (A) (Example)

- =  $\sum_{i}$  (No of unit X<sub>i</sub>\* Value of unit X<sub>i</sub>) 10 MSEK
- Week of supply Wof S = 10/2 = 5w
  - = A / Weekly sales

Inventory turnover

= Annual sales / A

Annual sales = 80M Inv. turnover = 8 turns







- Annual sales : \$3,410,000
- Operates 52 weeks
- Inventory info on the right

Category	Part Number	Average Level	Unit Value
Raw materials	1	15,000	\$ 3.00
	2	2,500	5.00
	3	3,000	1.00
Work-in-process	4	5,000	14.00
	5	4,000	18.00
Finished goods	6	2,000	48.00
	7	1,000	62.00

#### **Questions:**

- a. What is the average aggregate inventory value?
- b. Week of supply?
- c. Inventory turnover?





#### a. Average aggregate inventory value (A)?

Part Number	Average Level		Unit Value		Total Value
1	15,000	×	\$ 3.00	=	\$ 45,000
2	2,500	×	5.00	=	12,500
3	3,000	×	1.00	=	3,000
4	5,000	×	14.00	=	70,000
5	4,000	×	18.00	=	72,000
6	2,000	×	48.00	=	96,000
7	1,000	×	62.00	=	62,000
	Average agg	regate	e =	\$360,500	



- b. Week of supply?
  - = A / week sales = A / (annual sales/52)
  - = 360,500 / (3,410,000/ 52) = 5,5 weeks
- c. Inventory turnover?
  - = Annual sales / A = 9,5 turns







## The Pareto principle

## The Pareto Principle (also called 80/20 rule)

The 80/20 rule means that in anything, a few (20 percent) are vital and many (80 percent) are less vital.





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## EOQ at standard situation





## Non-instantaneous replenishment

#### **Example : Chemical plant**



becomes empty



#### MÄLARDALEN UNIVERSITY SWEDEN Inventory profile for Non-instantaneous replenishment

#### For chemical A



## Non-instantaneous replenishment Finding economic Q

Maximum cycle inventory  $(I_{max})$ :

I<sub>max</sub> = Production time to produce Q x Building up rate

$$I_{\max} = \frac{Q}{p} (\underline{p-d}) = Q \left( \frac{p-d}{p} \right)$$

where

- p = production rate
- *d* = demand rate
- Q = lot size







#### MÄLARDALEN UNIVERSITY SWEDEN Non-instantaneous replenishment Finding economic Q

**Total annual cost** = Annual holding cost + Annual ordering or setup cost

$$C = \frac{I_{\max}}{2} \left( H \right) + \frac{D}{Q} \left( S \right)$$

$$C = \frac{Q}{2} \left( \frac{p-d}{p} \right) (H) + \frac{D}{Q} (S)$$

- D = annual demand
- p = production rate
- d = demand rate
- Q = lot size
- *H* = holding cost per unit
- S = (ordering)setup cost per setup

=> Economic production lot size:

$$ELS = \sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} \sqrt{\frac{p}{p-d}}$$



### EOQ vs. ELS

#### Economic order size for instantaneous replenishment



Economic production lot size with non-instantaneous replenishment

$$\mathsf{ELS} = \sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} \sqrt{\frac{p}{p-d}}$$











#### Non-instantaneous replenishment





- Demand: 30 barrels per day
- Production rate : 190 barrels per day
- Set up cost : \$200
- Annual holding cost : \$0,21 per barrels
- Operate 350 days per year

#### **Questions:**

- a) ELS?
- b) Annual total cost with ELS?
- c) TBO for the ELS?
- d) Production time per lot?







A plant manager of a chemical plant must determine the lot size for a particular chemical that has a steady demand of 30 barrels per day. The production rate is 190 barrels per day, annual demand is 10,500 barrels, setup cost is \$200, annual holding cost is \$0.21 per barrel, and the plant operates 350 days per year.

#### Solution

a. Solving first for the ELS, we get

ELS = 
$$\sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} \sqrt{\frac{p}{p-d}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(10,500)(\$200)}{\$0.21}} \sqrt{\frac{190}{190-30}}$$
  
= 4,873.4 barrels

b. The annual total cost with the ELS is

$$C = \frac{Q}{2} \left(\frac{p-d}{p}\right) (H) + \frac{D}{Q} (S)$$
  
=  $\frac{4,873.4}{2} \left(\frac{190-30}{190}\right) (\$0.21) + \frac{10,500}{4,873.4} (\$200)$   
=  $\$430.91 + \$430.91 = \$861.82$ 

c. Applying the TBO formula (see the Inventory Management chapter) to the ELS, we get

$$TBO_{ELS} = \frac{ELS}{D} (350 \text{ days/year}) = \frac{4,873.4}{10,500} (350)$$
$$= 162.4, \quad \text{or} \qquad 162 \text{ days}$$

d. The production time during each cycle is the lot size divided by the production rate:

$$\frac{\text{ELS}}{p} = \frac{4,873.4}{190} = 25.6, \quad \text{or} \quad 26 \text{ days}$$



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## Quantity discounts



How to find economic order quantity?



## Quantity discounts

**Total annual cost** = Annual holding cost + Annual ordering or setup cost + Annual cost of materials

$$C = \frac{Q}{2}(H) + \frac{D}{Q}(S) + PD$$

where

Q = lot size

H = holding cost

D = annual demand

*d* = demand rate

S = ordering and/or setup cost

*P* = price/unit



$$C = \frac{Q}{2}(H) + \frac{D}{Q}(S) + PD$$

Order quantity	Price per unit
0 to 99	\$4
100 to 199	\$3,5
200 and	\$3
more	





### Quantity discounts How to find economic order quantity?

Step 1:

Calculate EOQ for each price level

#### Step 2:

- Find feasible EOQ with lowest price level
- Compare total cost
  - at the EOQ 4
  - at price break quantity at lower price level





## EXAMPLE 3



#### **Quantity discounts**



- Annual demand : 936 units
- Order cost : \$45 per order
- Annual holding cost : 25% of unit price
- The price schedule in the table

Order Quantity	Price per Unit
0 to 299	\$60.00
300 to 499	\$58.80
500 or more	\$57.00

#### **Question:**

Order quantity for minimum total cost?



#### Solution

Step1: Calculate EOQ at each price level

$$EOQ_{60.00} = \sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(936)(\$45.00)}{0.25(\$60.00)}} = 75 \text{ units}$$
 Feasible  

$$EOQ_{58.80} = \sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(936)(\$45.00)}{0.25(\$58.80)}} = 76 \text{ units}$$

$$EOQ_{57.00} = \sqrt{\frac{2DS}{H}} = \sqrt{\frac{2(936)(\$45.00)}{0.25(\$57.00)}} = 77 \text{ units}$$

Order Quantity	Price per Unit
0 to 299	\$60.00
300 to 499	\$58.80
500 or more	\$57.00



#### Solution

Step2:

- Find feasible EOQ at lowest price
- Compare total cost
  - at the EOQ
  - at price break quantity at lower price level

$$C_{75} = \frac{75}{2} \left[ (0.25)(\$60.00) \right] + \frac{936}{75} (\$45.00) + \$60.00(936) = \$57,284$$

$$C_{300} = \frac{300}{2} \left[ (0.25)(\$58.80) \right] + \frac{936}{300} (\$45.00) + \$58.80(936) = \$57,382$$

$$C_{\underline{500}} = \frac{500}{2} \left[ (0.25)(\$57.00) \right] + \frac{936}{500} (\$45.00) + \$57.00(936) = \$56,999$$



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### One period decisions

One of the dilemmas facing many retailers is how to **handle seasonal goods**. Often, they cannot be sold at full markup the next year (or other periods) because of changes in styles. This type of situation is often called the **newsboy problem**.







Step 1: List different demand levels and probabilities

Demand	10	20	30	40	50
Demand Probability	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1





**Step 2:** Develop a payoff table as below

			Demand						
		10	20	30	40	50			
ty	10								
anti	20								
nb .	30								
rdeı	40								
Ō	50								

You sell them all

Payoff = pQ

You don't sell out

$$\mathsf{Payoff} = pD - l(Q - D)$$

p: profit per unitI : loss per unit



**Step 2:** Develop a payoff table as below



p: profit per unit = 10\$
I : loss per unit = 5\$

You sell them all

Payoff = pQ

You don't sell out

Payoff = 
$$pD - l(Q - D)$$
  
=  $10x10 - 5(40-10)$   
=  $-50$ 



**Step 2:** Develop a payoff table as below

A.							
	Demand						
	V	10	20	30	40	50	
ty	10	100	100	100	100	100	
anti	20	50	200	200	200	200	
nb .	30	0	150	300	300	300	
rder	40	-50	100	250	400	400	
Ō	50	-100	50	200	350	500	



Step 3: Calculate the expected payoff of each Q



E(Payoff at Q=30) = 0\*0,2+150\*0,3+300\*0,3+300\*0,1+300\*0,1



**Step 4:** Choose the order quantity Q with the highest expected payoff.









#### **One period decisions**



Swell Productions is sponsoring an outdoor conclave for owners of collectible and classic Fords. The concession stand in the T-Bird area will sell clothing such as T-shirts and official Thunderbird racing jerseys. Jerseys are purchased from Columbia Products for \$40 each and are sold during the event for \$75 each. If any jerseys are left over, they can be returned to Columbia for a refund of \$30 each. Jersey sales depend on the weather, attendance, and other variables. The following table shows the probability of various sales quantities. How many jerseys should Swell Productions order from Columbia for this one-time event?

Sales Quantity	les Quantity Probability		Probability		
100	0.05	400	0.34		
200	0.11	500	0.11		
300	0.34	600	0.05		



Sales Quantity	Probability	Quantity Sales	Probability
100	0.05	400	0.34
200	0.11	500	0.11
300	0.34	600	0.05



#### SOLUTION

Table D.1 is the payoff table that describes this one-period inventory decision. The upper right portion of the table shows the payoffs when the demand, D, is greater than or equal to the order quantity, Q. The payoff is equal to the per-unit profit (the difference between price and cost) multiplied by the order quantity. For example, when the order quantity is 100 and the demand is 200,

	1 ayon = (p - c)Q = (3/5 - 340)100 = 33,500								
	TABLE D.1   PAYOFFS								Demand exceeds supply =>
				Demar	nd, <i>D</i>			Expected	Case 1
	Q	100	200	300	400	500	600	Payoff	
	100	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	\$3,500	
	200	\$2,500	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$6,775	
	300	\$1,500	\$6,000	\$10,500	\$10,500	\$10,500	\$10,500	\$9,555	
Supply	400	\$500	\$5,000	\$9,500	\$14,000	\$14,000	\$14,000	\$10,805	
demand	500	(\$500)	\$4,000	\$8,500	\$13,000	\$17,500	\$17,500	\$10,525	
=> Case 2	600	(\$1,500)	\$3,000	\$7,000	\$12,000	\$16,500	\$21,000	\$9,750	

 $Powoff = (n - a)O = (\frac{6}{2}\pi - \frac{6}{2}AO)100 = \frac{6}{2}0\pi - \frac{6}{2}0$ 



600

(\$1,500)

\$3,000



Probability

0.34

0.11

0.05

The lower-left portion of the payoff table shows the payoffs when the order quantity exceeds the demand. Here the payoff is the profit from sales, pD, minus the loss associated with returning overstock, l(Q - D), where l is the difference between the cost and the amount refunded for each jersey returned and Q - D is the number of jerseys returned. For example, when the order quantity is 500 and the demand is 200,

Payoff = 
$$pD - l(Q - D) = (\$75 - \$40)200 - (\$40 - \$30)(500 - 200)$$
  
=  $\$4,000$   
The highest expected payoff occurs when 400 jerseys are  
ordered:  
Expected payoff<sub>400</sub> =  $(\$500 \times 0.05) + (\$5,000 \times 0.11)$   
+  $(\$9,500 \times 0.34) + (\$14,000 \times 0.34)$   
+  $(\$14,000 \times 0.11) + (\$14,000 \times 0.05)$   
=  $\$10,805$   
TABLE D.1 | PAYOFFS  
 $100$  200 300 400 500 600 Payoff  
 $100$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   $\$3,500$   
 $\$0,805$   
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 $10,805$   
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 $\$0,500$   $\$50,000$   $\$1,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,505$   
 $\$0,500$   $\$50,000$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,500$   $\$10,505$   
 $10,805$ 

\$7,000 \$12,000 \$16,500 \$21,000

\$9,750



## Relevant book chapters

- Chapter: Managing inventories
- Supplement C: Special inventory models