# OVERVIEW OF MATERIAL MANAGEMENT

#### **Definition**

An approach for

- Planning
- Organizing
- Controlling

All the activities

Principally concerned with the flow of material in the organization

Who is the best Material Manager ???

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Objective of Organization

To Maximize Rate of Return

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ROR = Profit/Investment
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= (Revenue-Cost)/Assets Value

Price cannot be increased beyond in competitive market

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Objective of Organization

Investment on Assets already done cannot be reduced

Only scope is to reduce the Cost

Cost Manpower Material

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Objective of Organization

Cost of Manpower

Cannot be reduced drastically

Cost of Material contributes about 27% Can be reduced

Importance of Material Management

As per Yearbook 2018-19

No. of Stores Depots – 262

No. of Items – 1.3 Lakh

Revenue Generation – Rs. 4192 Crore through Scrap

Store Purchase for Year 2018-19

(Rs. in Crores)

Stores for Operation, 13,424

Repairs and Maintenance

Stores for Construction 2,956

Fuel 16,565

Stores for Manufacture 29,189

of Rolling Stock and Purchase of Complete units

Total 62,134

For Year 2018-19

Store Purchase - Rs. 62,134 Cr

Procurement Agency wise

Zonal Railways/PUs - 63%

Railway Board – 36%

DGS&D - 1%

Source wise

PSU - 20% Others - 80%

Purchase from Small Scale Industries-Rs. 6270 Cr

Purchase from Indigenous Source – 98%

#### Famous 5 Rs of Material Management

- Of the Right Quality
- In the Right Quantity
- At the Right time
- From the Right Source

At the Right Price

#### Roles in Indian Railways

- Planning
- Procurement/Purchasing
- Warehousing
- Inventory Control
- Distribution

Disposal of Scrap/Surplus/Obsolete
Cost Reduction

#### As Compared with the Original Definition

<ul><li>Planning</li><li>Cost reduction</li><li>Provision of Fund</li></ul>	Planning
<ul><li>Procurement/ Purchasing</li><li>Warehousing</li><li>Distribution</li></ul>	Organizing
<ul> <li>Inventory Control</li> <li>Order on Time</li> <li>Disposal of Scrap/Surplus</li> </ul>	Controlling

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Material Planning is a trade off Between

Cost of Stock Out

(Cost of Downtime of Assets)

Vs

#### **Cost of Inventory Carrying Cost**

(Capital Blockage + Cost of Theft/Obsolete)

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Broad Categorization of Materials

Stock Items

Non-Stock Items

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Stock Items

- Stocking
- Indenting
- Purchase

done by Stores department

Every Stock Item has unique PL (Priced Ledger) No.

- Eight Digit Unique Number
- 2:Main Group
- 2:Sub Group

3:Serial Number

1:Check Digit

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Non-stock Items

Indenting

done by User department

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Material Required is procured by Store Department

Manufactured by Shop
Or
Trade (Market)

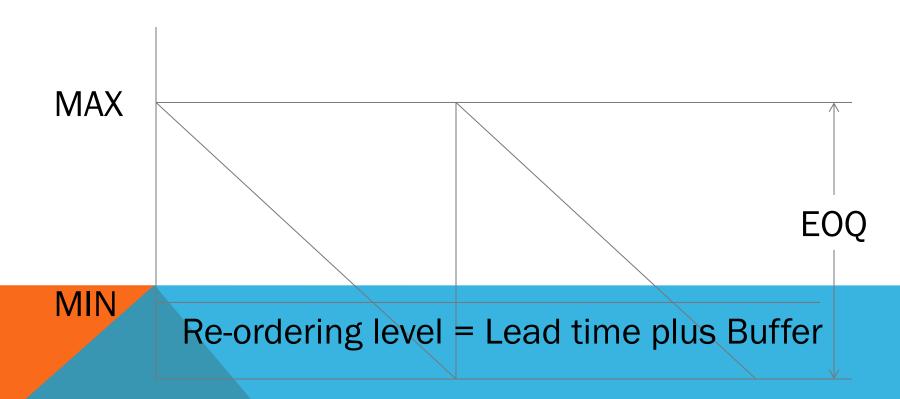
## MATERIAL MANAGEMENT MONITORING Planning

- ABC Analysis
  - Pareto Chart as per Annual Consumption value item wise in descending order
  - A Category Value 70% Items 10%
    - B Category Value 20% Items 20%
    - C Category Value 10% Items 70%

- Mainly Three Systems of Recoupment
  - Maximum-Minimum Method (Economic Order Quantity Model)
  - Annual Recoupment Method

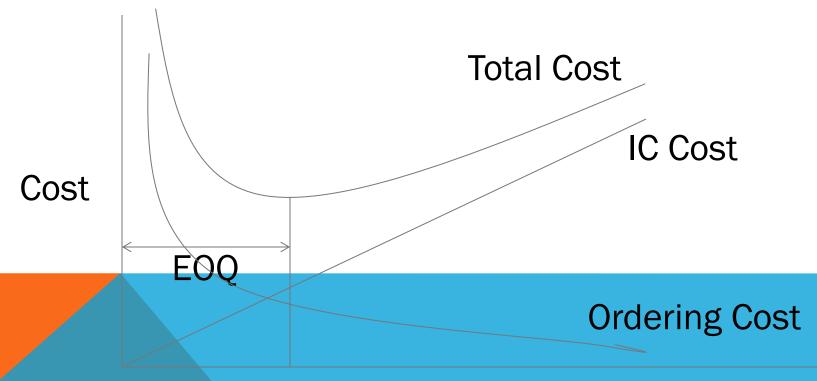
Fixing a level of Emergency Stores

Maximum-Minimum Method



#### Planning/ Recoupment

Maximum-Minimum Method



**Batch Size** 

Maximum-Minimum Method

- Regular Monitoring is required
- Used for mainly Shop ManufacturedItems

Not used for Majority of Items

- Annual Recoupment System
  - Used for Majority of Items
  - Material recouped for One Year
     Called Contract Period

Fixed Calendar for Group wise items

To facilitate to combine demand of all depots

- Annual Recoupment System
  - Depots send recoupment demand to HQ prior to contract period
  - Interval from sending demand to beginning of contract period

Called Interim Period

#### Planning/ Recoupment

- Annual Recoupment System
  - Interim Period (For JMP Stores Depot)
    - A & B Category Items
      - 11 months to 12 months
    - C Category Items
      - 11 months to 13 months

#### Cloth Items

16 months

- Annual Recoupment System
  - Recoupment Sheet to contain demand for Contract Period
     Interim Period
  - Also considered

Stock in Hand

Covered dues – Purchase Order in place

Uncovered dues – Case processed but no PO

- Fixing a level of Emergency Stores
  - Upper Limit is fixed
  - Whenever item is issued

Recoupment is done to bring stock to Upper limit fixed

Mainly used for items of Accident Relief Trains etc.

#### Planning/ Cost Reduction

- Standardization
- Value Analysis
- Import Substitution

Variety Reduction

### MATERIAL MANAGEMENT MONITORING Planning/ Provision of Fund

- Projection by Consignee
  - During Budget Estimate (BE)
  - In Nov for Next Year
  - Demand No. 5 6 7 8 10 16
  - PU-27 Stock Items
  - PU-28 Non-stock Items

#### Organizing/ Procurement

- Purchase from Trade
  - Outside Parties

- Indent on Railway Workshop
  - To manufacture

Identical to Make or Buy Decision

#### Organizing/ Procurement

- Purchase from Outside Parties
  - Direct Purchase by Railway Administration
  - Purchase by Centralized Agency
    - Railway Board DLW CLW COFMOW ICF etc.

#### Through Central Purchase Organization

- DGS&D
- GeM

#### Organizing/ Procurement

Direct Purchase by Railway Administration

- Global Tender
- Open Tender
- Limited Tender
  - Bulletin Tender
  - •Quotation Tender
- Special Limited Tender
- Single Tender (PAC Type)
- DGS&D Rate Contract
- GeM

### MATERIAL MANAGEMENT MONITORING Organizing/ Procurement

- Tender Finalization
  - Tender Committee
  - Evaluation of Offers
    - Price Quality Conditions
  - TC Minutes

Acceptance by Accepting Authority

Issuance of Purchase Order

### MATERIAL MANAGEMENT MONITORING Organizing/ Procurement

- Issuance of Purchase Order
  - Pre-check by Accounts Deptt
    - •if value > Rs. 8 lakh other items Rs. 15 Lakh Safety Items

#### Organizing/ Procurement

- Type of Stores Contract
  - Rate Contract
    - Rate is fixed, Quantity Variable
    - No need for full procurement process
  - Fixed Quantity Contract

### Organizing/ Procurement

- Delivery Period
  - Supplier to supply within DP
    - Extension should be an exception
  - No correspondence with supplier
    - from Store side after expiry of DP

## Firm should apply for extension

- DP may be extended
- With or without penalty

## Organizing/ Procurement

- Inspection of Material
  - By Agencies (Nature and Value)
    - RITES RDSO (> Rs. 5 Lakh letter 6-9-17)
  - By Consignee (Value is less)
- Bill Passing

95-98% against proof of inspection and dispatch (If inspected by RITES/RDSO etc)

## Organizing/ Warehousing

- Receipt of Material
  - Formalities
    - Valid Delivery Period
    - Inspection at consignee
    - Sample Approval etc.

Storage of Material Group wise

Priced Ledger No. wise

# MATERIAL MANAGEMENT MONITORING Organizing/ Warehousing

- Issuance of Material to the users
  - Formalities
- Regular Monitoring to avoid Stock out
- Different ward for Obsolete/Surplus Materials

Identification of Dead Surplus items
Inactive for 24 months

## MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Organizing/ Distribution

- Stores depot at one place
  - May cater to
    - Workshops
    - Divisions
- Necessitates Transportation to send materials to field units

Distribution based on

Quantity Pending and Stock in hand

### **Controlling/Inventory Control**

- To keep Inventory Cost Low
- Capital Blockage Low
- Better Inventory Turn Over Ratio
  - A Category stock 3 months on average
     Achieved by Phased delivery
    - B Category stock 6 months on average
    - C Category stock 12 months on average

### **Controlling/Inventory Control**

- Monitoring
  - A Category by COS/CMM every month
  - B Category by Dy CMM every 6 months
  - C Category By AMM every 12 months
- Stock Verification
  - A Category Six months
  - B Category Once in a year
  - C Category Once in two years

## MATERIAL MANAGEMENT Controlling/Inventory Control

- Inventory Turn Over Ratio
  - = Inventory value on 31<sup>st</sup> March x 100
    Value of Total issue in Whole Year

Should be around 9%

As per Yearbook 2018-19

TOR – 9% (Without Fuel) 6% (With Fuel)

## **Controlling/Inventory Control**

Compliance Percentage

Target for Vital and Safety items is 100%

For other items should be 95%-98%

## Controlling/ Order on Time

- Annual Recoupment System
  - To check
    - Order placed with Delivery Period
      - Matches with Contract Period

Is supplier failing to comply the order

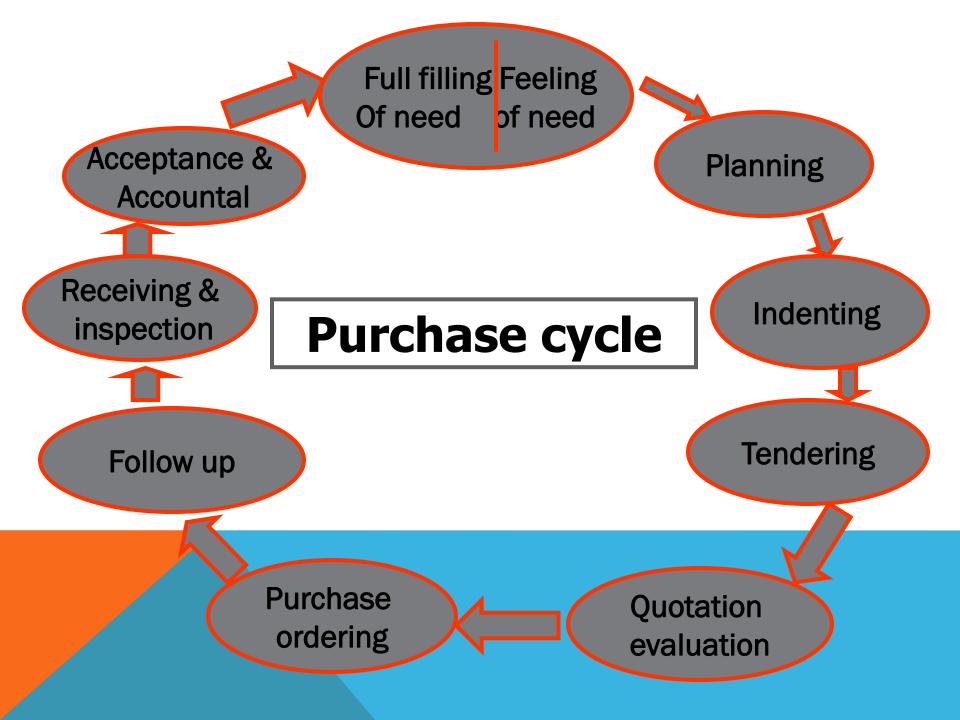
## Controlling/ Disposal of Scrap

- Identification of
  - Scrap
  - Obsolete
  - Non-moving items

## Controlling/ Disposal of Scrap

- Lot Formation
- -Auction of Scrap
- Time for depositing money
- Sell Order issued
- Handing over scrap to purchaser

Delivery of Scrap in presence of RPF Consignee DMS



#### Non-stock Items

#### Flow Chart of Non-stock Items purchase

- Preparation of Indent
- Finance Vetting if Required
- Submission of Indents to AMM/COS
- Processing of Indent at AMM
- Issue of Purchase Order
- Receipt of Material

**Accountal in DBR** 

**Acceptance of Material** 

Bill Passing

### Planning in a Section

Right Quality

 Clear and Unique Specification of item required (No Ambiguity)

Right Source & Price

Standardization of Items (Avoid Customization)

### Planning in a Section

Right Quantity Assessment

- Items to be categorized as
  - Must Change Items
  - Condition Based Items
  - Consumables

Calculation of Annual Average Consumption

### Planning in a Section

- Right Quantity Assessment
  - Calculation of Annual Average Consumption
    - Item required per Coach/Wagon X replacement percentage X
       No. of Schedules per Year X

Allowance (For Non-Schedule arising)

\*\* 100% for Must Change Items

### Planning in a Section

Right Time

 Raising Signal in time for demanding the material (Considering Lead time)

## MATERIAL PLANNING Planning in a Section

- Imprest Stores
  - To deal with day to day activity at workplace
  - •Under SSE
  - Material is demanded in the format from Feeding Stores Depot (Under Stores Department)

Normally kept at 2-3 months stock level

## MATERIAL PLANNING Imprest Stores

- Book-keeping
  - Ledger of Materials
  - Entry of Incoming & Issued Material
- Stock Verification by Stock Verifier
   Cross Checking of Book Balance with
   Ground Balance
   Once in three years

## MATERIAL PLANNING Imprest Stores

- Continuous Monitoring of Stock level
  - Chasing with feeding depot when stock goes below 1 month
- To Assess whether AAC is in accordance with Consumption

AAC Calculation and comparing with existing

## Imprest Stores

- Generate demand from Feeding Depot Status of Pending demands
   Chasing of Materials
- Generate Non-stock Indents for Non-stock itemsSpecification

Price
Likely Sources

## Imprest Stores

- Process for Stocking a Non-stock item Non-stock items in regular use
   Should be stocked
- Process for AAC revision
   If there is mismatch between
   AAC calculated and Existing AAC

Arrange for Consignee Inspection of Materials

# MATERIAL PLANNING Imprest Stores

Identification of Inactive/Surplus Items
 To highlight these items to all concerned
 To stop procurement

For information to other stores

To collect if required by them

## Imprest Stores

- Disposal of Inactive/Surplus/Obsolete Materials
  - Deposit to Feeding Depot in format

Deleting from Stock Register after disposal

## **Imprest Stores**

- Getting Material in Emergency
  - On assistance basis from other Imprest Stores

Less paper work & Resistance (Only debit to be accepted)

## Imprest Stores

- Getting Material in Emergency
  - From Other Stores Depot

Purchase Order to be issued

by Feeding Stores depot to Other stores Depot

**Involves Paperwork** 

But Systematic & Consumption reflects in Data of Stores Department
Provides basis for AAC revision