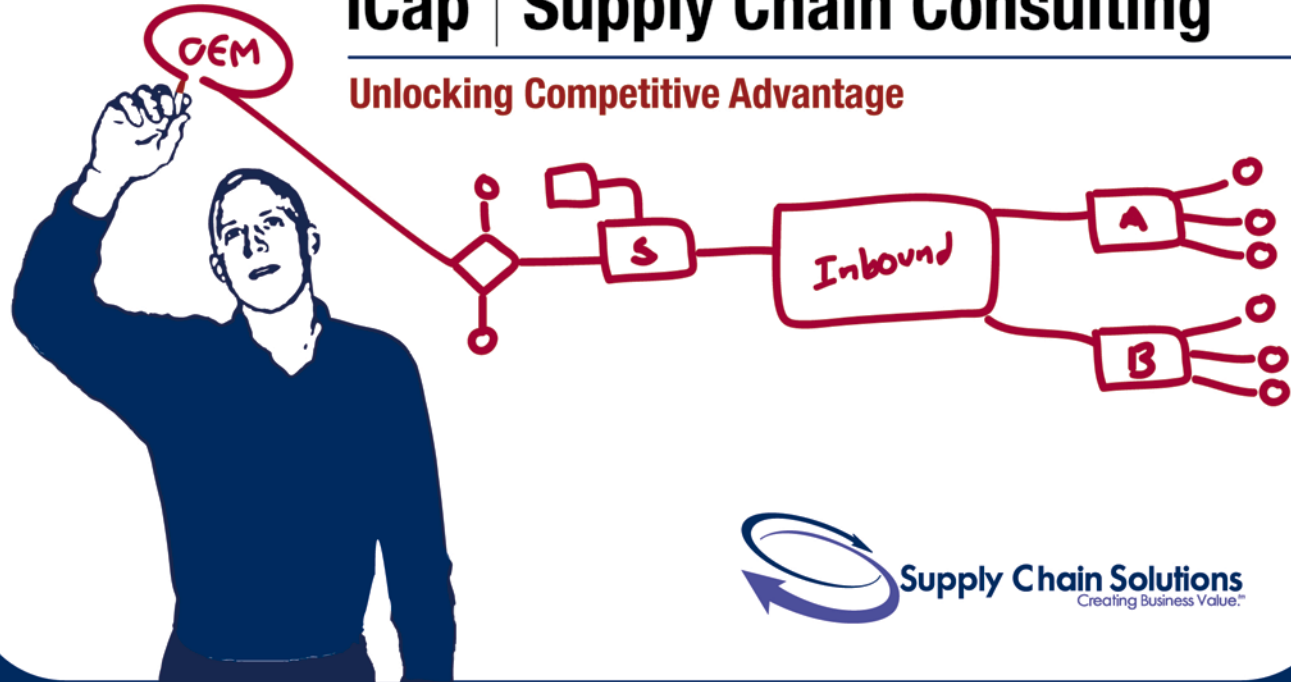


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Unlocking Competitive Advantage



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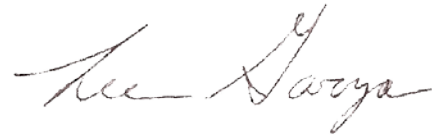
Supply Chain Solutions has the resources and proven processes to unlock the efficiencies and cost savings in your supply chain, creating a powerful competitive advantage.

Your supply chain affects all aspects of your business, are you leveraging it as a competitive tool? Supply Chain Solutions has the knowledge and experience to analyze and develop the opportunities resident in your supply chain.

Our associates are experts in their fields. By utilizing our experts, your organization can drive supply chain improvements without the disruption of reallocating or training internal resources.

The "on-the-ground" operational experience and tactical expertise to create and implement strategy. Our engagement will produce an implementation plan with actionable steps and defined metrics to measure your success. SCS works with organizations of all size and across many diverse industries. Our experience with a diverse clientele provides us the background knowledge to set benchmarks which are achievable for your company size and industry.

Whether your needs are in Sourcing, Inventory Management, Transportation, Logistics, or Technology, we can help drive supply chain improvements.



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iCap = Intellectual Capital, working for you.

Our iCap team members average 20 years of industry experience designing solutions, managing operations, and driving supply chain efficiency.

We will integrate seamlessly with your organization to design solutions that deliver measurable value to your company on time within budget.

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Warehouse Assessment

Our Warehouse Assessment service evaluates your warehouse operations, identifies areas with improvement potential, and prioritizes those opportunities to push the greatest savings forward first.

Areas of analysis include:

- **Current business processes**
- **Information Technology Systems**
- **Material Flow**
- **Layout efficiency**
- **Inventory slotting**
- **Labor efficiency**
- **Material handling methods**
- **Performance metrics**

We compare these areas to best practices and industry benchmarks. From there we'll create a road map to help your operations reach their full potential.



Transportation Assessment

Transportation Assessment service evaluates your transportation operations, identifies areas with improvement potential, and prioritizes those opportunities offering the biggest return on investment.

Areas of Assessment Include:

- **Current business processes**
- **Information technology systems**
- **Carrier strategy**
- **Mode utilization**
- **Cost rates**
- **Service metrics**

We will create a roadmap to help your operations reach their full potential and optimize your transportation spend.



Network Modeling

Our Network Modeling services will evaluate the cost and service effectiveness of your current network for the business you have now and the business you expect to have in the future.

Scenarios that necessitate Network Modeling services include:

- Significant business restructuring or changes
- Shifting the sourcing of materials to different suppliers
- Moving into new markets
- Change in manufacturing strategy
- Merged with or acquired competitors in your industry

All of these situations have significant impacts on your supply, manufacturing, and distribution network. We will evaluate alternative network structures and recommend a solution that best serves your customers while minimizing the total landed cost of getting your products into their hands.



Network Modeling



Lean Materials management

Has your company embraced Lean Manufacturing principles? Have you implemented Lean in your plants but are struggling to get your suppliers to deliver in smaller lot sizes more frequently? Do you think Lean principles make sense for your organization but don't know how to get started?

Regardless of where you are on your Lean journey, our Lean Logistics experts can help. We can introduce you to Lean principles, train your organization on how to utilize lean tools and techniques, facilitate Value Stream Mapping sessions with cross functional teams to pinpoint barriers to your optimal performance and otherwise help you make Lean principles work for your business.

Whether you wish to cut operating costs, reduce working capital, streamline processes, or eliminate waste, our Lean experts can help you educate your organization and arm them with the tools and techniques to continuously drive improvement.



Lean Materials Management includes:

- Introduction of Lean principles and tools
- Training on how to use in your organization
- Facilitation of Value Stream Mapping sessions
- Eliminate Waste
- Reduce Inventories
- Streamline Processes



Import / Export Assessment

Is your company doing more importing or exporting today than ever before? Are you concerned about the complexities and risks associated with the global trade today?

Our experts can help you navigate the business of international trade so that you take full advantage of the benefits without taking on unknown costs or unnecessary risks.

Areas of Assessment Include:

- Proper classification of Harmonized Tariff Codes
- International Duties
- INCO Terms
- C-TPAT Programs
- Cost reduction opportunities

Whether it be understanding Harmonized Tariff Codes, international duties, INCO terms, and C-TPAT requirements, strategizing how to lower your international transportation costs, or identifying qualified foreign suppliers to do business with, our experts can help you determine how to best leverage the global trade environment we live in today.



Contact Us

To learn how Supply Chain Solutions can increase your efficiencies and create value in your supply chain, please contact us for more information.

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About Supply Chain Solutions



Our Company

Supply Chain Solutions, Inc. was founded on the understanding that many organizations aspire to implement effective supply chain improvements, quickly and affordably. Long, drawn out analysis and intricate strategies that are not aligned with overall business goals, can result in unaffordable, complex solutions that do not deliver true value.

Our Mission

We create measurable business value and generate profits for our clients through assessment, design, implementation and management of end-to-end integrated supply chain solutions. Our vision is to set the standard for excellence in supply chain improvements.

Our Difference

Our difference is a streamlined infrastructure, disciplined operational processes and real world experience that delivers results. Lean thinking and low overhead enable us to address your needs quickly, implement solutions faster and provide you a greater return on investment.





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