

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2025

Supply chain engineering 321 (BLK 321)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technology
Module credits	16.00
NQF Level	07
Programmes	BEng in Industrial Engineering 4-year programme BEng in Industrial Engineering 5-year programme
Prerequisites	(BOB 311) or (BLK 320)
Contact time	4 lectures per week, 2 discussion classes per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Industrial and Systems Engineering
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

This module focuses on operations management and key activities, business processes and business decisions related to manufacturing operations and supply-side supply chain management. Main topics covered in this module are: Manufacturing planning and control; Aggregate planning and master production scheduling; Material requirements planning; Inventory management; Process selection and design; Product and service design; Strategic and operational capacity planning; Production activity control; Procurement strategies; Electronic procurement solutions and platforms; Procurement process for goods and services; Procurement pricing and price management; and South African government procurement policies and guidelines.

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