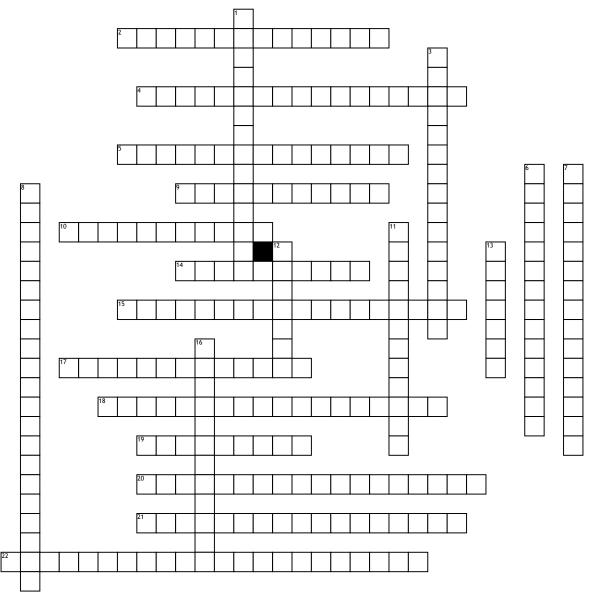
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Chapter 12



Across

- 2. Assessing weaknesses and strengths of prospective and current suppliers in terms of capacity, reputation, gross margins, reliability, service, etc
- **4.** a process where a business physically counts its entire inventory
- **5.** Manual or computer-based record of the quantity and kind of inventory. It often also includes history of the recent transactions in each inventory item. Also called stock record.
- **9.** A packing list is a document that includes details about the contents of a package.
- **10.** the sequence of processes involved in the production and distribution of a commodity.
- **14.** denoting a manufacturing system in which materials or components are delivered immediately before they are required in order to minimize inventory costs.
- **15.** a document that solicits proposal, often made through a bidding process, by an agency or company interested in procurement of a commodity, service, or valuable asset, to potential suppliers to submit business proposals.

- 17. a commercial document and first official offer issued by a buyer to a seller, indicating types, quantities, and agreed prices for products or services
- **18.** the practice of comparing the price of products or services from different vendors before buying.
- **19.** a complete list of items such as property, goods in stock, or the contents of a building
- **20.** Perpetual inventory is a method of accounting for inventory that records the sale or purchase of inventory immediately through the use of computerized point-of-sale systems and enterprise asset management software
- 21. an agreement between two countries which provide for the exchange of goods between them at lower tariffs and better terms than that exist between one of the countries and other countries.
- 22. a system of management based on the principle that every staff member must be committed to maintaining high standards of work in every aspect of a company's operations

<u>Down</u>

1. Level of inventory that must be maintained to meet current sales volume or consumption, while taking order lead time into account.

- **3.** It is aimed at maximising return on investment, through planning sales and inventory in order to increase profitability.
- **6.** a list or inventory of the goods or raw materials kept on the premises of a shop or business.
- **7.** A receiving report is an important record of the merchandise that a retailer has actually received from a supplier
- **8.** The characteristics that are associated with an item or product to be purchased
- 11. a detailed list of a shipment of goods in the form of a receipt given by the carrier to the person consigning the goods.
- **12.** a list of goods sent or services provided, with a statement of the sum due for these; a bill.
- ${\bf 13.}$ the offering of particular prices for something, especially at an auction.
- **16.** the level of inventory which triggers an action to replenish that particular inventory stock.