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SUMMARY

- At DuPont, worked on implementing and creating Testing scenarios, ensuring successful implementation of entire MRP/Enterprise system; tested MRP systems by running parallel scenarios to ensure current data with implemented data.
- Recent experience and hands-on with SAP and its modules and manufacturing screens, increasing awareness of SAP process in production, and different MRP systems in biotech and hi-tech industry.
- Trained Manufacturing personnel on reporting and data access, and for creating job and work orders.
- Demonstrated skills in project management and team leadership; communicating with staff personnel and production force; proficiency in Excel spreadsheets and MS Access; extensive background in SAP.
- Demonstrated strengths in new product planning, Inventory control and cycle count, Troubleshooting, rough-cut capacity planning, Implementation and training.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Johnson & Johnson DePuy, Raynham, MA Present (Contract)

SAP Operations Testing Eng

World leader in orthopaedic devices and operating room products.

- Responsible for reviewing and maintaining the integrity of the MRP parameters in SAP.
- Assist in the SAP implementation and as a resoucer to end users system navigation

Becton Dickinson, Woburn, MA, Jun 07 – Jul 09

Production Planner II

World's leading in bringing innovative tools for Drug and Vaccine discovery and development.

- Created and maintained a strategic manufacturing plan in order to level the labor, accommodate custom demand and minimized obsolescence.
- Responsible for reviewing and maintaining the integrity of the MRP parameters in SAP.
- Streamline the production process and awareness of the SAP process increasing the on-time delivery by 32%.
- Worked with product management developing and implementing product rationalization process decreasing inventory obsolescence.
- Created a Safety stock policy in accordance with the Supply Network Planner, Procurement and Inventory management.

MEDTRONIC INC., Danvers, MA Nov 96 - Dec 01

Sr. Planner

Interventional Vascular division, development and manufacturer of guide catheters.

- Manage and direct the global production and distribution of guide catheters.
- Translated the sales and marketing forecasts into the product line master plan.
- Reduced the domestic back orders from an average of 30/mo to < 5/mo.
- Increased customer service level by implementing an ABC end item inventory manufacturing lead time.
- Reduced the manufacturing cycle time by 5 days with the implementation of the KANBAN system.

DUPONT, INC., Boston, MA, '90 – '95, Feb '82 - Mar 95

Sr. Planner-MPS

Medical division, R&D and manufacturer of in vitro testing kits for clinical diagnostic and nuclear medicine agents.

- Created and managed the production plan and ensure business plans were met.
- Organized and coordinated the delivery of materials.
- Implemented the AMAPS MRP System, reducing production lead time and inventory levels, enhancing quality controls and improving customer service.
- Decreased back orders by 15% while reducing rework, thereby improving customer satisfaction.
- Initiated a program to improve batch sizes per lot, decreasing quality control testing by 30%.

OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

STAHL, USA

Master Scheduler

Generated and executed the production plan ensuring that meets the customer demand.
Supervise planning and purchasing personnel.

NECCO

Corporate Planner

Work in conjunction with manufacturing, purchasing, shipping, marketing and sales to create a master demand schedule and capacity plan.
Manage 2 two full-time inventory clerks
Responsible for year-end inventory process and variance analysis

TERADYNE INC.

Master Scheduler

Executed manufacturing plans in accordance with sales and marketing forecasts to support revenue goals.
Responsible for 5MM sales in AST equipment.

HOUGHTON-MIFFLIN CO.

Logistics Analyst

Analyzed sales and forecast to develop the manufacturing plan to effectively balance customer service goals and obsolescence risk.

EDUCATION

B.S. Biochemistry/Chemistry, Northeastern University, Boston, MA

Completed numerous company-sponsored courses and seminars in Project Management (MIT); Materials and Capacity Requirements Planning, JIT, Master Scheduling, Sales/Operations Management, Information and Technology (APICS); Time Management and Effective Business Writing

LANGUAGES

Fluent in Spanish