



Resource-efficient Supply Chains



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Trends towards Resource-Efficient Supply Chains



Resource Scarcity



Waste of Resources





Key Characteristics of the Resource-Efficient Supply Chain



Supply Chain Characteristics	Analyse and Diagnose	Act and Improve
Internal	Resource Aware	Resource Sparing
External	Resource Sensitive	Resource Responsive

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Case studies of Resource Efficient Supply Chain



CASE STUDY ConsGoodsLead

One of the world's largest consumer goods companies, with more than 92,000 employees worldwide and reported revenues of more than \$ 66.8 million in 2018. The globally distributed supply chain with more than 100 suppliers and a commercial presence in over 180 countries.

- Manufacturing operations closed to raw materials
- Data-driven approach for sourcing strategy
- Centralised data platform for warehouses and transportation management
- Co-loading with competitors and cost-sharing for customer shipments.

CASE STUDY PetfoodProducer

Multinational company of the feed animal sector, with a turnover of € 620 million in 2018 and more than 1,800 employees. It has around 20,000 customers in Europe and a total of 7 production plants.

- Introduced IoT technologies to collect data, monitor the processes and stock points, and measure the footprint and wastes, both in transport and storage.
- Re-designs its logistics network in order to optimise routes
- Use of a cloud based platform to ensure a total visibility and traceability along the supply chain
- Works on collaborative projects with several manufacturers to share transportation means and improve efficiency of loadings

Book analyses 18 companies from 8 key industries

Research and Innovation Topics for Resource Efficient Supply Chain



RIT_RESC.1: Zero-waste production and logistics

RIT_RESC.2: *Traceability* and management of product and processes information *for resource efficiency*

RIT_RESC.3: New models and technologies for resource efficient transportation

RIT_RESC.4: Monitoring and management of *energy* consumption

RIT_RESC.5: New approaches to energy storage

RIT_RESC.6: Improving data mining processes









