Economic Order Quantity-basics

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EOQ 1

- **EOQ** = Economic Order Quantity and limitation of this model
- **EQO** = Deterministic model
- Variables used to derive EOQ basic formula (see slide EOQ5)
 - Ch = Cost to hold one unit inventory for a year
 - **Cp** = Cost to place a single order
 - A = Demand for the year
 - **Q** = Quantity
- The economic order quantity (EOQ) is the **order quantity** that minimizes total holding and ordering costs for the year. Even if all the assumptions don't hold exactly, the **EOQ** gives us a good indication of whether or not current order quantities are reasonable.
- Total Relevant Cost (TRC)
 - why relevant ? ->because they are affected by order quantity
- **TRC**= Yearly Holding Cost + Yearly Ordering Cost



Average inventory carrying cost –see EOQ4 slide

EOQ 2

- What is the EOQ Model?
- Cost Minimizing Order quantity (Q)
- Assumptions=prerequisites:
 - Single item only
 - Relatively uniform (continuous) & known demand rate
 - Fixed item cost
 - Fixed ordering and holding cost
 - No stock shortage and Instantaneous shipment
- Constant lead time =LT (see slide EOQ3)



Notice, that inventory never goes below zero; shortages do not exist !!

EOQ4 - Carrying cost

Average inventory (carrying) cost = $\frac{Q}{2}$

To verify this relationship, we can specify any number of points values of Q over the entire time period, t, and divide by the number of points. For example, if Q = 5,000, the six points designated from 5,000 to 0, as shown in shown figure, are summed and divided by 6:





EOQ 5



EOQ

EOQ 6 – simpe example

Pam runs a mail-order business for gym equipment. Annual demand for the TricoFlexers is 16,000. The annual holding cost per unit is \$2.50 and the cost to place an order is \$50. What is the economic order quantity?

$$\sqrt{\frac{2*16,000*\$50}{\$2.50}} = 800$$
 units per order

Thanks for your attention !