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# **SUMMARY**

A results-driven leader with over 9 years of expertise in supply chain management (Warehousing, Logistics and Procurement), and multichannel fulfillment operations. Skilled in optimizing warehouse processes, managing vendor relationships, and driving strategic initiatives to enhance operational efficiency.

#### **SKILLS**

- Fulfillment Operations: Multi-Channel Management, Warehouse Optimization, Shipping & Inbound Management
- Leadership: Team Recruitment, Performance Reviews, Change Management
- **Analytical Skills:** Data Analysis (Microsoft Excel expert, Tableau)
- Vendor Management: Negotiation, KPI/SLA Monitoring, Contract Management
- Compliance: Regulatory Adherence, Government Relations, Safety Standard

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- At Dubizzle, successfully established and made two operational Fulfillment Centers for OLX Mall (E-Commerce platform) within four months. This achievement encompassed infrastructure setup, staff recruitment, asset and equipment procurement, and the selection of an appropriate Warehouse Management System (WMS).
- Recognized for saving 12% on annual spend by negotiations and cost avoidance at Dubizzle.
- At Emirates Logistics-Sharaf DG Group, enhanced warehouse capacity by 10% optimizing the racking system to increase pallet positions, resulting in a positive impact on the company's profitability.
- At Emirates Logistics-Sharaf DG Group ,worked with Nestle as a client on a project of updating price display for packaged products. The operation spread out to 10 major cities of Pakistan and was efficiently completed in 5 days. .
- At Emirates Logistics-Sharaf DG Group, executed a contract for construction of two Temperature Control Rooms (TCR) in line with the client's (Reckitt Benckiser) storage requirements. Completed the project with optimum costs contributing 10% profit to the company. Client was able to utilize the facility promptly.

# **EXPERIENCE**

**Supply Chain Head** Dubizzle

Jan '20 - Jul '24 Lahore, Pakistan

- Leadership: Lead Procurement & Logistics functions across the Gulf Region and Pakistan, working with multinational companies like BAYUT, OLX and Dubizzle Labs.
- Procurement / Strategic Sourcing: Lead national and international supplier sourcing initiatives to meet diverse needs of group companies in Saudi Arabia (KSA) & Pakistan, ensuring quality and cost-effectiveness extending qualified vendor base by 30%
- Material Planning / Management: Forecasting of material for infrastructure development, optimizing ordering and delivery as and when required. Planning material supply and utilization throughout the infrastructure development lifecycle ensuring zero stockouts.
- Inventory Management: Implemented data-driven approaches to analyze nationwide stock reports which reduced lead times by 10% and was able to reduce on hand inventory by 20%. Additionally increased Inventory Accuracy to 99%.
- Cost Management: Prepare and monitor procurement budget for required raw materials and finished goods focusing on **Cost Reduction.** Created a benchmark for bringing down the annual spend by 8%.
- Warehouse Management: Increased warehouse efficiency by 10% through layout re-alignment. Led the setup and operationalization of warehouses for the E-commerce platform, overseeing the recruitment of operations staff, infrastructure setup, ensuring safety and warehousing operations management with efficient fulfillment of operations.
- Fulfillment Network Management: Monitored and handled day-to-day operations for OLX Mall (E-com) and strategic development of a multi-channel fulfillment network, driving process improvements and ensuring alignment with business goals.
- People Management: Recruited, trained, and managed cross-functional teams; conducted performance reviews and resolved personnel issues to maintain high team efficiency.\
- Process Optimization: Implemented quality initiatives to enhance inventory accuracy to 99.5% and shipping time (pick-pack) per item to under 2 minutes.
- Vendor Management: Managed relationships with suppliers and contractors, negotiated service agreements, and ensured compliance with KPIs and SLAs.
- Reporting and Compliance: Ensured compliance of regulatory laws and best practices like 3-way matching to ensure visibility to all stakeholders. Customized data analysis dashboards in coordination with technical teams using Tableau & Power BI to get real time data representation for higher management.

#### **Manager Procurement**

Emirates Logistics -Sharaf DG Group,

Jan '15 — Jan '20 Lahore, Pakistan

- Strategic Development: Spearheaded initiatives to streamline procurement processes and improve supplier relationships. Delivered procurement strategy that drove significant year-over-year savings of up to 30%.
- Strategic Planning: Designed and implemented procurement strategies that enhanced financial performance and operational efficiency. Lead a comprehensive supplier management process including evaluation, selection, and relationship management of suppliers, along with their respective KPIs.
- Stakeholder Collaboration: Worked with internal and external stakeholders to streamline logistics and improve customer satisfaction.
- Warehouse Operations: Directed inbound, storage, and shipping activities to meet strict quality and efficiency targets. Contracted and executed 3 cold rooms in a running operation in 40 Days by re-using existing panels and chillers complying with EOHS. Improved warehousing efficiency, enhancing the storage space by 10 % leaving a positive impact on the company's profitability. Notable clients included Nestle, GSK, Unilever and Reckitt Benkiser.

#### **Project Coordinator**

Engineering Design Bureau

Oct '10 — Jan '15 Lahore, Pakistan

- Operational Efficiency: Streamlined project workflows, ensuring timely delivery and adherence to quality standards.
- Operational Oversight: Supervised daily operations to ensure conformity with organizational policies and external regulations.
- Performance Reporting: Prepared and presented detailed reports on project progress and operational performance to senior management.
- Stakeholder Engagement: Established and maintained productive relationships with clients and vendors to ensure project success.

**Project Coordinator** 

Jun'08 — Jul'10

Associated Technologies Pvt Ltd

Lahore, Pakistan

- Coordinated with clients including Telenor, Ufone and Huawei.
- Ensured implementation of roll out projects with the designated clients as per their need.
- Troubleshooting and handled snags to ensure smooth operations and execution.
- Ensured that proper documentation is being undertaken by Project Team as per contractual requirement.
- Conducted market survey about business development opportunities for the company

## LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

**English:** Fluency in Speaking, Reading, and Writing (IELTS Band 7.5)

Hindi/Urdu: Fluent Speaking

## **EDUCATION**

Masters in Business Administration -MBA, Preston University	Sept 2010
Bachelors, Punjab University- Pakistan	Oct 2006
<b>A-Levels</b> , University of Cambridge-UK	June 2002
O-Levels, University of London-UK	June 2000

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

Certification in Supply Chain and Operations Management BRASI USA

May 2018

**Certification in Supply Chain Management** 

Pakistan Institute of Business Management

Aug 2017