

**MGT 502 -- Operations Management**  
 New Mexico State University  
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**Text:** Russell, R.S., and Taylor, B.W. (2006) *Operations Management*. 5<sup>th</sup> edition.

**Course Objectives**

- To develop an understanding of the tools and techniques in the POM area.
- To strengthen skills in the use of Decision Support Systems and Web Applications.
- To develop a knowledge of the issues related to designing and managing operations and the techniques to do so.

**Grading**

1 Midterm Exam      100 points

1 Final Exam      100 points

Daily HW and Cases      100 points

**Total 300 points**

<b>Operations Management-- Tentative Class Schedule</b>				
<b>Date</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Chapter</b>	<b>Daily HW and Turn-ins</b>	
Jan	22	Operations, Competitiveness, Operations Strategy	1,2	
	29	Products and Services, Processes, Technologies Capacity	5,6	Ch5: 6,12 ch6: 3,4,11,12
Feb	5	Facilities and location models	7, S7	Ch7: 7,11,20 ch S7:1,15,16 <b>case 7.2</b>
	12	Project Management	9	Ch9: 3,4,5,13,22
	19	Supply Chain	10	<b>SAP cases</b>
	26	Supply Chain	10	
Mar	4	Midterm Exam (tentative)		

	11	Forecasting	11	Ch 11: 2,35,45 <b>Case 11.2</b>
	18	Inventory Management	12	Ch 12: 1,15,21,29,30,37
	25	Spring Break		
Apr	1	Aggregate Planning, Resource Planning	13,14	Ch 13: 15,24 ch 14 2,13 <b>Case 13.1</b>
	8	Lean Production	15	Ch 15: 1,3,8,9
	15	Scheduling	16	Ch 16: 8,17,13,20,21 <b>Case 16.1</b>
	22	Quality and Statistical Process Control	3,4	Ch 3: 3,4,10 Ch 4: 2,4,6,12,13,16,19
	29	Acceptance Sampling	S4	S4: 3
May	6	Probable Final Exam Date (will be announced)		

- **Incompletes ("I" grades):** Given for passable work that could not be completed due to circumstances beyond the student's control (e.g., severe illness, death in the immediate family). These circumstances must have developed after the last day to withdraw from the course. Requests for "I" grades should be made to the instructor, but must be approved by the Management Department Head.
- **Withdrawals:** It is the responsibility of the student to know important dates such as University drop dates; last day to withdraw with a W is March 10th. Moreover, it is the responsibility of the student to officially withdraw from any class that he or she intends to drop.
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