

Supplier Management



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Supplier Management is best defined through a Supplier Quality Management Lifecycle Model. The model starts with the identification and selection of suppliers through careful risk-evaluation of business needs (e.g. supply shortages and business continuity), technical suitability of supplier and regulatory/quality compliance. The compliance of the supplier to quality and regulatory requirements is confirmed through audits, material evaluation and qualification. Expectations and definitions of responsibilities between the procuring organization and supplier, as well as...

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