

MODULE CONTENT OUTLINE

The APICS CLTD Learning System is a comprehensive professional development and exam preparation program. It consists of nine reading modules and interactive, web-based study tools. This program provides a comprehensive body of knowledge and standards for those in the logistics, transportation, and distribution industries.

CLTD 2025 Learning System follows the APICS CLTD Exam Content Manual (ECM) version 3.0.



The CLTD Learning System and preparation courses are broken down into 9 modules.

Module 1: Logistics Fundamentals and Strategy

Section A: Recognize Logistics Fundamentals **Section B:** Discern the Role, Value, and Cost of Logistics

Section C: Develop Logistics Strategy within the Supply Chain

Module 2: Demand Management and Supply (Capacity Management)

Section A: Forecast Demand

Section B: Understand Demand Management

Section C: Translate Demand into Logistics Capacity

Planning

Section D: Support Sales & Operations Planning (S&OP)

Section E: Support Distribution Requirements Planning (DRP)

Section F: Understand Master Scheduling and Material Requirements Planning

Section G: Facilitate Sourcing and Procurement

Module 3: Customer and Order Management

Section A: Enable Customer and Relationship Management (CRM)

Section B: Enable Outbound and Inbound Order Management







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Module 4: Warehouse Distribution/Fulfillment Center Management

Section A: Identify Warehouse Strategy, Ownership, and Roles

Section B: Formulate Warehouse Processes and Order Flow

Section C: Evaluate Warehouse Facility Layout

Decisions and Manage Performance

Section D: Incorporate Packaging

Section E: Incorporate Materials Handling and

Warehouse Automation

Module 5: Inventory Management

Section A: Understand Inventory Management

Fundamentals

Section B: Develop Inventory Strategy and Policy and

Implement Inventory Control

Module 6: Transportation Management

Section A: Understand Transportation Fundamentals

Section B: Identify Road Transportation

Characteristics

Section C: Identify Rail Transportation Characteristics

Section D: Identify Air Transport Characteristics

Section E: Identify Water (Ocean and Inland Waterway) Transportation Characteristics

Section F: Identify Multimodal, Multi-Stop, and

Characteristics of Other Modes

Section G: Implement Transportation Management **Section H:** Conduct Transportation Administration

Module 7: Global Logistics

Section A: Characterize the International Environment and Global Infrastructure

Section B: Incorporate Regulations into Global

Logistics Processes

Section C: Facilitate Export/Import, Customs Clearing,

and Documentation

Section D: Understand Finance, Payment, Currency,

and Tax Options/Implications

Module 8: Sustainability, Reverse Logistics, and Risk Management

Section A: Apply Sustainability Principles

Section B: Incorporate Reverse Logistics

Section C: Incorporate Risk Management Principles

Module 9: Logistics Framework, Metrics, Network Design, Transformation, and Improvement

Section A: Design the Logistics Framework **Section B:** Coordinate Strategic Performance

Management

Section C: Facilitate Facilities Planning and Network

Design

Section D: Coordinate Digital Transformation and

Continuous Improvement



