

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

Drive down your inventory and asset management costs.

Your inventory is an important asset, and we have programs to help mitigate the overall cost of your storeroom.

Inventory Management Solutions

Vendor Managed Inventory (VMI)

VMI programs automates reorder systems, reducing stock outs and eliminating order-entry errors. Partnering with Horizon Solutions® on a VMI program helps lower your overall transaction costs and makes the task of procuring everyday items easier.



eCommerce

Our team can help you start using an eCommerce solution that integrates seamlessly into your business system and with your departmental staff — from storeroom to purchasing to accounting.

Vending Machines

Vending machines provide a standalone solution for managing supplies. These systems allow for configured scanning, record-keeping, re-ordering, and point-of-use reporting. For certain plants and for certain sub-set of items, vending machines can be an effective tool for your business.



Equipment Support / Parts Management Contracts

Planning and managing your critical spares will reduce unplanned and unwanted costs at critical points along your supply chain. This includes urgent purchase orders and costly next-day shipping costs.

Repair Parts and Exchange

We offer comprehensive repair services for a wide variety of equipment from a wide variety of manufacturers. We can incorporate repairs to existing VMI and other supply chain programs.

National Partnerships

Horizon Solutions is a member of the supplyFORCE National Accounts program.

One-Stop Shop

We bring a unique offering to your storeroom: the combination of electrical supplies, industrial mill supplies, safety products, automation components, and devices, all from one supplier.

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VMI — A Closer Look

Vendor managed inventory programs with Horizon Solutions help drive cost out of your business. Our team works closely with you to customize our services to meet your needs. Our expert-level service will drive improvements throughout your supply chain performance:

- **Reduce stock-outs** — One of our VMI Specialists will regularly monitor your inventory levels. Our team will generate orders or quotes to your specification and for the proper approval levels. And most products will be delivered the next day. We'll also review your inventory levels and performance quarterly, making changes based on your requirements.
- **Consolidate inventory** — Prior to installing a solution, VMI experts will analyze your stockroom area to identify current use of inventory as well as obsolete and surplus material, uncovering areas of duplication and substitution. Ongoing consolidation improvement opportunities will also be identified and brought to your team for evaluation.
- **Eliminate order-entry errors** — Our staff will automate and manage your stockroom with a bar-code system. Our solution typically involves a scanning device that will automatically transpose a scanned transaction to a shared business system document. No human inputs or SKU typing is required.
- **Lower transaction costs** — With vendor managed inventory, you can forget about the separate costs to generate purchase orders, receive in material, and process and pay each unique invoice. VMI programs eliminate the need for these steps and help automate and consolidate transactions on routine and repeat buys.
- **Increase available capital** — A well-managed inventory that is turning properly will drive down the total dollars you have invested in indirect spend supplies, freeing those dollars for use in other areas.
- **Enhance employee effectiveness** — Let us take on the task of managing everyday transactions, freeing up valuable time for your employees to spend in other high-impact areas of your business.

**This overview is intended for industrial facilities. Horizon Solutions also offers supply chain services as pertains to on-site and/or job-site projects for electrical contractors.*



We can help you monitor and optimize your inventories and supply chain—contact us today for more information (800) 724-4750.