

PRECISION INVENTORY MANAGEMENT IN THE AGE OF LOCALIZATION

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Executive Summary

Precision Inventory Management in the Age of Localization, a report released by Retail Systems Research (RSR) in partnership with RILA, reveals that while retailers generally feel that they have a solid handle on their inventory, in reality many are challenged by out-of-stocks on fast-moving items and overstocks in slow-moving items. The report provides best practices from high-performing retailers and recommendations for how all retailers can better manage their inventory in tough economic conditions.

The report, sponsored by Manhattan Associates and RedPrairie, contains an analysis of the business drivers, opportunities, and organizational constraints surrounding inventory management, as well as recommendations for creating successful inventory management capabilities. The findings are based on a survey of 80 retailers conducted May-July of 2009.

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<http://www.retailssystemresearch.com/document/summary/970>

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