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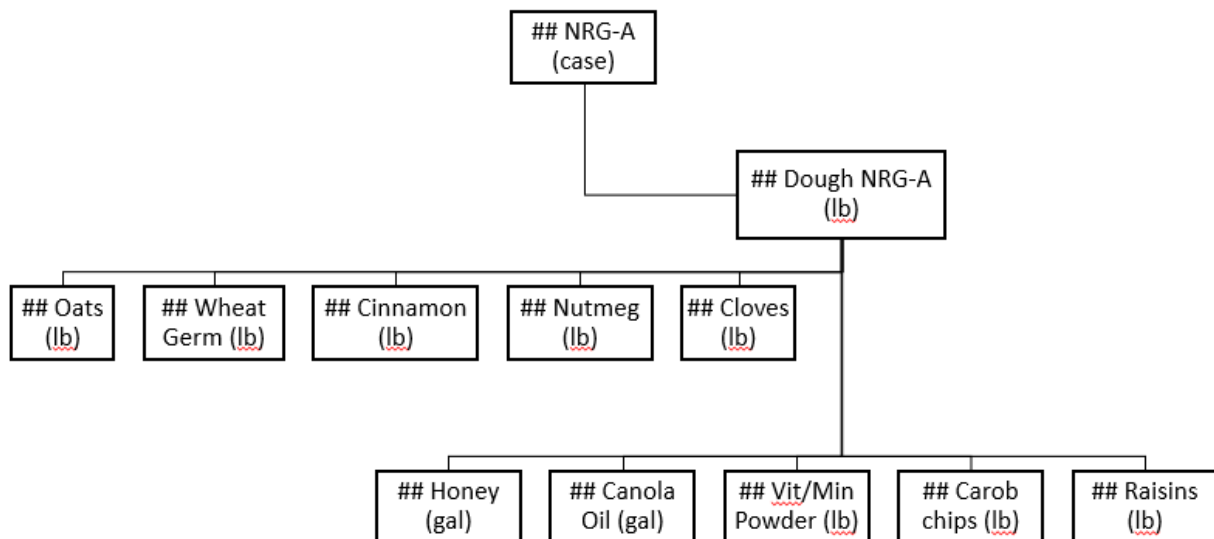
Exercise Introduction

Material resource planning is intended for 3 objectives:

- Ensure materials are available for production and products are available for delivery to customers.
- Maintain the lowest possible material and product levels in store to achieve LEAN processes.
- Plan manufacturing activities, delivery schedules and purchasing activities.

Bill of Material (BOM)

A critical input to the MRP process is the bill of material (BOM), which shows how components and semi-finished products are combined to produce the final product. A graphical representation of the BOM for the NRG-A bar is shown below:



The raw materials (Oats, Wheat Germ, etc.) are combined in a mixer to produce a 500 lb. batch of dough. The dough is then transferred to the baking line, where it is formed into bars, baked and packaged. For simplicity, we have ignored the wrappers, boxes and cases that are needed to produce a complete case of Fitter Snacker bars.

To view the BOMs for Fitter Snacker, follow the menu path:

Logistics > Production > Master Data > Bills of Material > Reporting > BOM Explosion > Material BOM > Multilevel BOM

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Material BOM Edit Goto Extras Settings Environment System Help

Explode BOM: Multi-Level BOM: Initial Screen

Material: 00F100
 Plant: 00PT
 Alternative BOM: ☐
 BOM Application: PP01

Selection
 Valid From: 07/31/2008
 Change Number:
 Required qty:

Enter ##F100 for Material, ##PT for Plant and PP01 for BOM Application, then click on the execute (⏏) icon

Material BOM Edit Goto Extras Settings Environment System Help

Display Multilevel BOM

Material: 00F100
 Plant/Usage/Alt.: 00PT / 1 / 01
 Description: 00 NRG-A
 Base Qty (CS): 7.000
 Reqd Qty (CS): 7

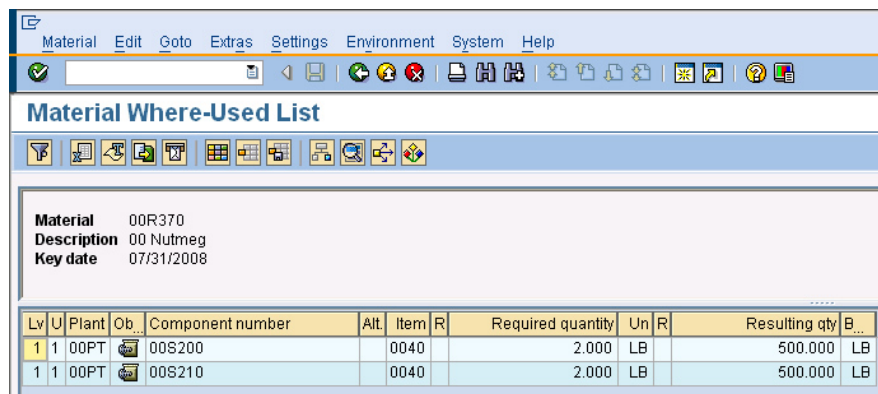
Level no.	Item	Qty	Component	Description	Unit	Reqd Qty	Unit	Unit
..1	0010	00S200						
..2	0010	00R380						
..2	0020	00R420		00 Wheat Germ		50	LB	L
..2	0030	00R320		00 Cinnamon		5	LB	L
..2	0040	00R370		00 Nutmeg		2	LB	L
..2	0050	00R330		00 Cloves		1	LB	L
..2	0060	00R360		00 Honey		10	GAL	L
..2	0070	00R300		00 Canola		7	GAL	L
..2	0080	00R410		00 Vit/Min Powder		5	LB	L
..2	0090	00R310		00 Carob Chips		50	LB	L
..2	0100	00R400		00 Raisins		50	LB	L

This screen shows 7 cases of snack bars requires 500 lbs. of dough, and that to produce 500 lbs. of dough, 300 lbs. of Oats, 50 lbs. of Wheat Germ, etc. are required

This screen shows the recipe required for seven cases of dough. To learn more about any of the materials required to make an NRG-A bar, select the item and click on the detail icon.

With the nutmeg selected, click on the where-used icon (⏏), which will call up the following screen:

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Lv	U	Plant	Ob...	Component number	Alt.	Item	R	Required quantity	Un	R	Resulting qty	B...
1	1	00PT		00S200		0040		2.000	LB		500.000	LB
1	1	00PT		00S210		0040		2.000	LB		500.000	LB

This screen shows that Nutmeg is used in two products—the dough for NRG-A and NRG-B bars. (You can double click on each line to view the products.) According to help.sap.com, the where-used list can be used to:

- Determine requirements for a specific material
- Select products that are affected by a change to an individual part
- Find assemblies that will be delayed if, for example, there is a delay in the delivery of a raw material
- Calculate the effect on the cost of a product if the price of a raw material rises

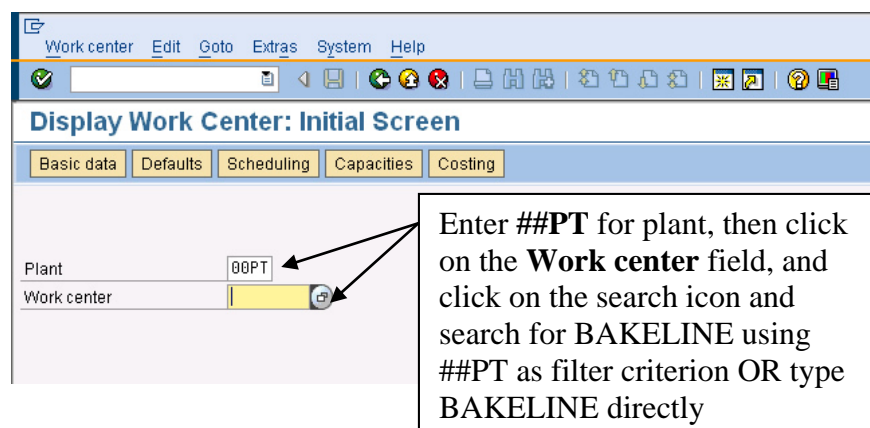
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Display Workcenters

Production is carried out at workcenters. In the SAP ERP system, workcenters can represent machines or groups of machines, production lines, assembly lines, employees or groups of employees.

To display the workcenters used for Fitter Snacker's snack bar production, follow the menu path:

Logistics > Production > Master Data > Work Centers > Work Center > Display



Work center Edit Goto Extras System Help

Display Work Center: Initial Screen

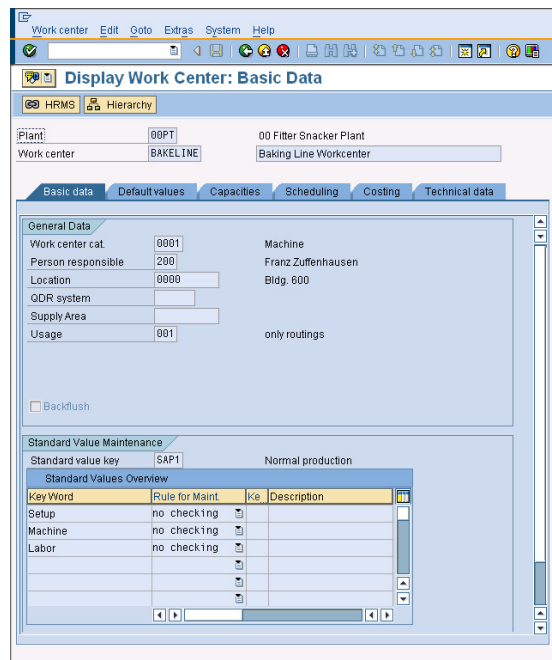
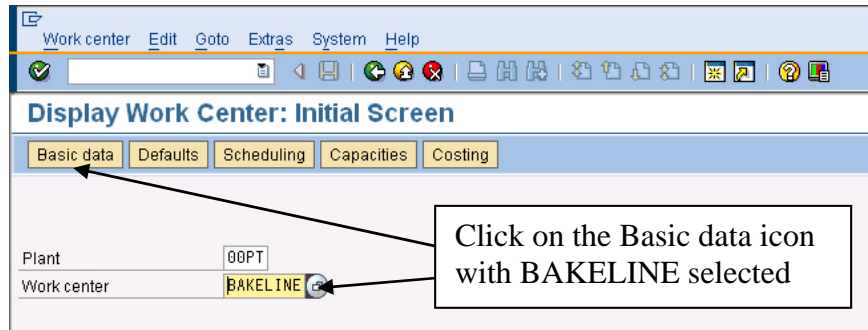
Basic data Defaults Scheduling Capacities Costing

Plant 00PT

Work center

Enter ##PT for plant, then click on the **Work center** field, and click on the search icon and search for BAKELINE using ##PT as filter criterion OR type BAKELINE directly

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This multi-tabbed screen contains all relevant data for the workcenter.
Click on the exit icon (🏠) until you return to the SAP Easy Access screen.

Routings

Routings define the work centers that a product must visit in the production process. Routings also define the operations that must be performed at each workcenter and the components that are needed for each operation.

1. Create ##F100 (NRG-A bar) and ##F110 (NRG-B bar) Routings

To create a routing for the NRG-A bars, follow the menu path:

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Logistics ▷ Production ▷ Master Data ▷ Routings ▷ Routings ▷ Standard Routings
▷ Create

Routing Edit Goto Details Extras Environment System Help

Create Routing: Initial Screen

Copy from Routings Sequences Operations

Material 00F100

Plant 00PT

Sales Document Sales Document Item

WBS Element

Group 00GROUP

Validity

Change Number

Key date 08/01/2008

Revision Level

Additional data

Profile

Enter ##F100 for material, ##PT for plant and ##Group for Group, then click on the enter icon

Routing Edit Goto Details Extras Environment System Help

Create Routing: Header Details

Routings MatAssignment Sequences Operations CompAlloc

Material 00F100 00 NRG-A

Task list

Group 00GROUP

Group Counter 1

Plant 00PT

Production line

Line hierarchy

General data

Deletion flag

Usage 1

Status 4

Planner group

Planning work center

CAPP order

From Lot Size

Old task list no.

Enter 1 for Usage and 4 for Status, then click on the Operations icon

Routing Edit Goto Details Extras Environment System Help

Create Routing: Operation Overview

Work center CompAlloc Sequences PRT Inspection Characteristics

Material 00F100 00 NRG-A

Sequence 0

Operation Overv.

Op	SOp	Work ce	Plant	Co	Standard	Description	Lo	P	Cl	O	Pe	C	Su	Base Quantity	U	StdValuTxd1	UnitActivity	UnitActivity
0010		BAKELINE	00PT	BAKE		Bake Dough								7	CS			
0020			00PT											1	CS			
0030			00PT											1	CS			

Enter BAKELINE for Work center
Enter BAKE for Control key
Enter Bake Dough for Description
Enter 7 for Base Quantity
Then click on the enter icon