

SWOT Analysis Exercise

H+ Sport

Proposal to Start Up a Second Distribution Center

Strengths

- Solves the current problem by significantly increasing our fulfillment capacity.
- Provides redundancy, so that we don't have a "single point of failure" with our current distribution center.
- Could provide capacity for future growth.

Weaknesses

- Requires a major investment of capital and an increase in inventory.
- Requires building and managing a new team in a new location.
- Requires a software upgrade to support a second site.

Opportunities

- New facility could be located closer to some customers, allowing us to deliver orders faster.
- Extra capacity could allow us to fill orders more efficiently year-round.
- Improved service and efficiency could help us gain market share.

Threats

- Remote location might be harder to manage
- If business declines, the second site might become unnecessary