# 5 Lean Inventory Management Principles

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#### **Identify** waste



Conduct a waste audit to identify areas where inventory is being wasted

## Define optimal inventory levels



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Use demand forecasting and lead time analysis to determine the appropriate inventory levels

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#### **Optimize goods flow**



Minimizing lead times, enhancing quality, and removing bottlenecks

Implement just-in-time (JIT) inventory

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Produce and deliver goods only when needed and in the necessary quantities

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## Continuously monitor and improve



Continuously monitor inventory,lead times, and customer satisfaction