

# 6 SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGER PRIORITIES



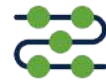
**98%**



**say growth is a leading priority**

Economic uncertainty is driving caution, but growth remains the top priority. Connected networks can help organizations scale more efficiently.

**94%**



**say simplification drives advantage**

Teams are reducing manual, error-prone work and closing planning gaps. Simpler, more connected processes help improve speed and efficiency.

**Top challenge**

**Disconnection slows resilience**



Inflation and low growth are putting pressure on supply chains. Disconnected systems and manual processes make it harder to adapt quickly.

**87%**



**say AI is becoming essential**

AI is becoming a standard part of supply chain operations. Leaders are using it to improve planning, execution, and day-to-day decision-making.

**#1 focus**



**AI-driven forecasting**

AI-driven forecasting is the top tech focus, helping teams improve efficiency and make faster decisions through connected workflows and trusted insights.

**~50%**



**say trusted AI matters**

As AI becomes central to operations, governance is critical. Explainable models and compliance help ensure decisions are transparent and accountable.

**Source:** Information adapted from SAP SE's 'Six supply chain manager priorities' infographic, 2025



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PRIORITIES INTO ACTION**

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