Research on Supply Chain Risk Evaluation of Furniture Manufacturing Industry

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Abstract: With the rapid development of furniture manufacturing industry, the research of supply chain risk evaluation is more and more concerned by the industry. How to evaluate supply chain risk is the focus of current research. In this paper, SCOR model is used to identify supply chain risk factors of furniture manufacturing industry from five aspects: planning, procurement, production, distribution and returns, and the supply chain risk evaluation index system is constructed. The analytic hierarchy process (AHP) is used to determine the risk index weight, and the fuzzy comprehensive evaluation is used to comprehensively evaluate the supply chain risk, and risk coping strategies with suggestions are proposed according to the evaluation results.

Keywords: Furniture Manufacturing Supply Chain; SCOR Model; Risk Evaluation; Fuzzy Comprehensive Evaluation

1. Introduction

At present, research on supply chain risk evaluation has become a key direction of supply chain risk management [1,2], and efficient risk evaluation methods are a prerequisite for proposing efficient risk management strategies. Currently, there are relatively few research results on supply chain risks in the furniture manufacturing industry both domestically and internationally, mainly focusing on qualitative analysis, with a lack of research on quantitative analysis. This article constructs a supply chain risk evaluation index system for the furniture manufacturing industry based on relevant literature research results. Fuzzy comprehensive evaluation is used to quantitatively analyze the supply chain risk index of the furniture manufacturing industry, and risk response strategies are

proposed based on the comprehensive evaluation results.

2. Identification and Analysis of Supply Chain Risk Factors

The furniture manufacturing industry mainly includes a series of links such as procurement, production, logistics, distribution. and after-sales service. While its supply chain is complex and diverse, it also comes with more risks. Therefore, it is very important to systematically identify the supply chain risks of the furniture manufacturing industry. This article analyzes the specific actual situation of the furniture manufacturing supply chain, based on the SCOR model [3], and identifies the supply chain risks of the furniture manufacturing industry from the perspective of the supply chain operation process. It analyzes the supply chain risks of the furniture manufacturing industry from five aspects: planning, procurement, production, distribution, and return.

2.1 Planning Risk

In the planning process, inaccurate market demand forecasting by enterprises often leads to overcapacity or insufficient production capacity, which directly affects inventory levels; Unreasonable production schedule arrangements can cause delays in production progress; Reasonable resource allocation is the key to improving efficiency. Improper allocation of production resources can easily lead to a decrease in total factor productivity, disrupt industrial production development [4], and increase production costs.

2.2 Procurement Risk

In the procurement process, it is very important for enterprises to choose stable and reliable suppliers. Supplier selection is a complex but strategic decision that is influenced by many factors [5]. Improper supplier selection by enterprises will lead to a decrease in product production quality and progress, affecting the stability of the entire supply chain; With the rise of prices, the increase in procurement prices will lead to an increase in production costs, and the profit margin of enterprises will further shrink; When the procurement quantity does not match the demand, it often leads to inventory backlog or shortage of goods.

2.3 Production Risk

In the production process, workers are the key core of production, and furniture production is a specific industrial sector with high labor demand and a wide variety of processing types [6]. If the level of specialization of workers is not high, it will lead to insufficient product quality, resulting in a reduction in the consumer group of the enterprise; Stable and reliable production equipment and the prevention of production safety accidents are prerequisites for ensuring normal production. Equipment failures and production safety accidents can cause production stagnation and losses, and even lead to supply chain disruptions.

2.4 Distribution Risk

In the distribution process, distribution costs, distribution speed and distribution of goods intact delivery is the focus of the enterprise process distribution considerations, distribution costs will increase the compression of corporate profit margins, logistics distribution and delays and distribution of damaged goods will seriously affect the enterprise's reputation and reputation.

2.5 Return Risk

In the return process, when a company encounters product quality issues, poor customer service attitude, or a long return business process, it is easy to lead to customer dissatisfaction and customer loss.

3. Construction and Evaluation of Supply Chain Risk Index System

3.1 Construction of Supply Chain Risk Evaluation Index System

Based on the SCOR model, an analysis of supply chain risks in the furniture manufacturing industry was conducted. Fifteen risk factors were subdivided into five processes: planning, procurement, production, distribution, and return, and their hierarchical structure was determined. Based on this, a supply chain risk evaluation index system for the furniture manufacturing industry was constructed, as shown in Table 1.

	Primary Index	Secondary Index
		Inaccurate forecasting of
Furniture manufac		market demand U ₁₁
	Planning risk	Inadequate scheduling of
	U_1	production U ₁₂
		Misallocation of productive
		resources U ₁₃
		Inadequate selection of
ctu		vendors U ₂₁
ring supply	Procurement	Higher procurement prices
	risk Ub	U_{22}
	115K O ₂	Mismatch between quantity
		procured and requirements
cha		U ₂₃
ain		Low level of worker
ris		specialization U ₃₁
ke	Production	Failure of production
Val	risk U ₃	equipment U ₃₂
uat		accident occurring due to
lion		production safety U ₃₃
E.		Higher distribution costs U ₄₁
Ide	Distribution	Delays in logistics and
XS	risk U4	distribution U ₄₂
yst	non 04	Distribution of damaged
em		goods U ₄₃
		Product quality issues U ₅₁
	Return risk	Poor customer service U ₅₂
	U ₅	Excessively long return
		business processes U ₅₃

Table 1. Furniture Manufacturing SupplyChain Risk Evaluation Index System A

3.2 Supply Chain Risk Evaluation

In this paper, the data sources are distributed to relevant managers with practical experience in the furniture manufacturing industry or in the industry through questionnaires to obtain data, and the obtained data is effectively extracted, the hierarchical analysis [7,8] is used to determine the weight of risk index, and the quantitative representation is carried out through fuzzy comprehensive evaluation [9], so as to obtain the risk evaluation results.

3.2.1 Determine the supply chain risk factor set U of furniture manufacturing industry

According to Table 1. supply chain risk evaluation index system of furniture manufacturing industry, the supply chain risk of furniture manufacturing industry is specifically divided into primary index $U=\{U_1,U_2,U_3,U_4,U_5\}$, and secondary index $U_{ij}=\{U_{11}, U_{12}, U_{13}, U_{23}... U_{53}\}$.

3.2.2 Determine furniture manufacturing supply chain risk assessment set V

The risk was divided into five levels, namely "highest risk, high risk, medium risk, low risk, Minimum risk". The set of risk ratings is set as $V = \{V_1, V_2, V_3, V_4, V_5\}$, and the corresponding values are $\{10, 8, 6, 4, 2\}$, and the higher the ratings, the higher the risk.

3.2.3 Determination of supply chain risk index weight

(1) Construct the judgment matrix and consistency test of pairwise comparison

Based on the establishment of primary and secondary indexes, this paper uses the 1-9 scale method [10] to assign values, and constructs the hierarchical judgment matrix, as shown in Table 2.

	Expert 1				E	xpert 2			Expert 3						
Α	U_1	U_2	U_3	U4	U5	U_1	U_2	U ₃	U4	U ₅	U_1	U_2	U ₃	U ₄	U ₅
U_1	1	3	6	9	7	1	1/5	3	5	7	1	3	1/3	6	5
U2	1/3	1	3	6	5	5	1	5	7	9	1/3	1	1/5	5	3
U ₃	1/6	1/3	1	5	2	1/3	1/5	1	3	5	3	5	1	9	6
U ₄	1/9	1/6	1/5	1	1/3	1/5	1/7	1/3	1	3	1/6	1/5	1/9	1	1/3
U ₅	1/7	1/5	1/2	3	1	1/7	1/9	1/5	1/3	1	1/5	1/3	1/6	3	1
		Η	Expert 4	4		Expert 5									
Α	U_1	U_2	U_3	U4	U ₅	U_1	U_2	U ₃	U4	U ₅					
U_1	1	6	2	5	8	1	7	3	5	9					
U ₂	1/6	1	1/5	1/3	3	1/7	1	1/5	1/3	3					
U3	1/2	5	1	3	5	1/3	5	1	2	5					
U ₄	1/5	3	1/3	1	5	1/5	3	1/2	1	6					
U ₅	1/8	1/3	1/5	1/5	1	1/9	1/3	1/5	1/6	1					

Table 2. First Level Judgement Matrix A

In order to ensure the logical rationality of the index judgment, it is necessary to carry out the consistency test on the determined judgment matrix. The formula is:

$$CI = \frac{\lambda_{max} - n}{n - 1} \tag{1}$$

Where CI is the consistency index, λ_{max} is the largest eigenroot of the matrix, and n is the order of the matrix.

When the consistency index CI is found, the corresponding average random consistency index RI is found according to the matrix order, and the consistency ratio CR is calculated, and the consistency test is passed when the consistency ratio CR<0.1. The formula is:

$$CR = \frac{CI}{RI} \tag{2}$$

This paper calculates the eigenvector and maximum eigenroot of the judgment matrix by sum-product method, and then calculates the consistency test results of the judgment matrix of five experts by formula (1) and formula (2) as $CR_{A(1)}=0.0503$, $CR_{A(2)}=0.0831$, $CR_{A(3)}=0.0593$, $CR_{A(4)}=0.0585$, $CR_{A(5)}=0.0539$, whose consistency ratio CR is less than 0.1, all pass the consistency test, and then the group decision judgment matrix is obtained by

summarizing and processing them by geometric average method, as shown in Table 3.

Table 3. Hierarchy A Group Decision Making Judgment Matrix

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Α	U_1	U ₂	U_3	U4	U ₅
U_1	1	2.3752	2.0477	5.8326	7.0681
U_2	0.4210	1	0.6544	1.8776	4.1392
U_3	0.4884	1.5281	1	3.8186	4.3174
U_4	0.1715	0.5326	0.2620	1	1.5849
U_5	0.1415	0.2416	0.2316	0.6310	1

Finally, the consistency test of the group decision judgement matrix of layer A was carried out again, and it was calculated that λ_{max} =5.0370, CI=0.0092, CR=0.0082<0.1, which indicated that the group decision judgement matrix passed the consistency test, and to determine its level of index weight {U₁, U₂, U₃, U₄, U₅} = {0.438, 0.179, 0.251, 0.079, 0.053}. The results of each judgment matrix of the second layer are summarized and calculated below according to the above method, which will not be repeated later, and the judgment matrices of each group decision of the second layer are shown in Table 4, Table 5, Table 6, Table 7, and Table 8.

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Table 4. U1 Hierarchical Group DecisionJudgment Matrix Table

U_1	U ₁₁	U ₁₂	U ₁₃					
U11	1	0.6310	0.7277					
U ₁₂	1.5849	1	1.4532					
U ₁₃	1.3742	0.6881	1					

Table 5. U2 Hierarchical Group DecisionJudgment Matrix Table

U ₂	U ₂₁	U ₂₂	U ₂₃
U ₂₁	1	3.7279	6.7595
U ₂₂	0.2682	1	1.4758
U ₂₃	0.1479	0.6776	1

Table 6. U3 Hierarchical Group DecisionJudgment Matrix Table

U ₃	U ₃₁	U ₃₂	U ₃₃
U ₃₁	1	0.298	0.1655
U ₃₂	3.3470	1	0.4152
U ₃₃	6.0438	2.4082	1

Table 7. U4 Hierarchical Group DecisionJudgment Matrix Table

U_4	U41	U42	U43		
U ₄₁	1	3.7279	6.3196		
U42	0.2682	1	1.4758		
U43	0.1582	0.6776	1		
Table 8. U ₅ hierarchical Group Decision					

Judgment Matrix Table

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U ₅	U ₅₁	U52	U53			
U ₅₁	1	3.6297	5.5780			
U ₅₂	0.2755	1	1.6004			
U ₅₃	0.1793	0.6248	1			

Finally calculated the second layer of judgment matrix { CR_{U1} , CR_{U2} , CR_{U3} , CR_{U4} , CR_{U5} } = {0.0057, 0.0044, 0.0090, 0.0019, 0.0002}, all through the consistency check, and to determine the index weight.

(2) Construct the weight table of supply chain risk index

The risk index are solved by the above data to produce a table of supply chain risk indicator weights for the furniture manufacturing industry, as shown in Table 9.

able 9. Weight Table of Suppl	v Chain Risk Index of Furniture	Manufacturing Industry

Furnitu	Primary	weigh	Secondary index		Comprehensive
	index	t	Secondary index	t	weight
	Dianning right		Inaccurate forecasting of market demand U ₁₁	0.251	0.109938
		0.438	Inadequate scheduling of production U ₁₂	0.430	0.18834
e	UI		Misallocation of productive resources U ₁₃	0.319	0.139722
valı			Inadequate selection of vendors U ₂₁	0 709	0 126911
unu	Procurement	0 1 7 0	Higher procurement prices U ₂₂	0.178	0.021862
ifa	risk U2	0.179	Mismatch between quantity procured and	0.178	0.031802
1 in			requirements U ₂₃	0.115	0.020227
ring dey	Draduation	0.251	Low level of worker specialization U ₃₁	0.094	0.023594
IS S	Production		Failure of production equipment U ₃₂	0.285	0.071535
upp vste	risk U3		accident occurring due to production safety U ₃₃	0.621	0.155871
in ly	Distribution		Higher distribution costs U ₄₁	0.703	0.055537
Ache		0.079	Delays in logistics and distribution U ₄₂	0.180	0.01422
- in	IISK U4		Distribution of damaged goods U ₄₃	0.117	0.009243
risk	Dotum rich		Product quality issues U ₅₁	0.687	0.036411
		0.053	Poor customer service U ₅₂	0.192	0.010176
	05		Excessively long return business processes U ₅₃	0.121	0.006413

3.2.4 Fuzzy comprehensive evaluation of supply chain risk

Based on the fuzzy evaluation theory, a questionnaire survey was designed according to five risk rating levels, the scoring data of senior personnel in the furniture manufacturing industry on the risk of their secondary index were collected, sorted out and analyzed, and the corresponding risk evaluation matrix was established.

(1) Determine the membership matrix of fuzzy relation

Through data processing, the membership

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matrix of five aspects of risk in the supply chain, namely planning, procurement, production, distribution and return, is established respectively, and expressed in terms of R1, R2, R3, R4, R5:

	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1
$R_1 =$	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.1	0
	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2
	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.2	0
$R_2 =$	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3
	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.3
$R_3 =$	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1
	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.1	0

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[0.094 0.285 0.621] 0.3

=[0.4675 0.1906 0.1852

[0.703 0.180 0.117] 0.1

=[0.3929 0.3000 0.1297

[0.687 0.192 0.121] 0.1

 $B_3 = W_3 \cdot R_3 =$

 $B_4 = W_4 \cdot R_4 =$

 $B_5 = W_5 \cdot R_5 =$

 $= [0.3839 \quad 0.2596 \quad 0.1226 \quad 0.1822 \quad 0.0517]$

0.1

0.6

10.5

0.2

0.3

0.1

0.2

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0.4 0.1 0.3

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0.1

0.1

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0.0297]

0.1

0.1

0.2

0.2

0.1

0.3

0.1000 0.0567]

0

0

0.1

0.1

0

0.2

0.1

0.0505

	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.1	0	
$R_4 =$	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.1	
	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	
	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.1	0	
$R_5 =$	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	
	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	

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(2) Comprehensively evaluate the supply chain risks of furniture manufacturing industry In order to evaluate supply chain risk comprehensively, the comprehensive membership vector B_i should be calculated. The formula is:

$$B_i = W_i \cdot R_i \tag{3}$$

Where W_i is the weight of the corresponding Secondary index under each Primary index, according to Table 9. The calculation process according to formula (3) is as follows: $B_1 = W_1 \cdot R_1 =$

0.4 0.1 0.2 0.2 0.319] 0.2 0.5 0.251 0.430 0.2 0.1 0 0.2 0.1 0.4 0.1 =[0.1749 0.3928 0.2183 0.1251 0.0889] $B_2 = W_2 \cdot R_2 =$ 0.4 0.3 0.1 0.2 0 0.709 0.178 0.113 0.5 0.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.3

0.2 0.3 0.3 0.2495 0.4374 0.1626 0.1000 Based the above comprehensive on membership degree vector, the overall 0.1 comprehensive membership degree direction of the supply chain risk of the furniture 0.2 manufacturing industry can be calculated as follows.

0.1 0.1 0.3 0.2 $B_{Total} = W_{Total} \cdot R_{Total}$ (W_{Total} is the weight of each level of indicator)

					0.1749	0.3928	0.2183	0.1251	0.0889
=[0.438	0.179		0.079	0.053]	0.3839	0.2596	0.1226	0.1822	0.0517
		0.251 0			8] 0.4675	0.1906	0.1852	0.1000	0.0567
					0.3929	0.3000	0.1297	0.1477	0.0297
					0.2495	0.4374	0.1626	0.1000	0.0505
		=[0.3069	0.3	3132	0.1829	0.1295	0.0674]	

On the basis of obtaining the comprehensive membership degree vector, the comprehensive score of risk index is calculated according to the evaluation formula of risk index. The formula is:

$$F_i = B_i \cdot V \tag{4}$$

The calculation process according to formula (4) is as follows: $F_1 = B_1 \cdot V =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.1749 & 0.3928 & 0.2183 & 0.1251 & 0.0889 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 8 \\ 6 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

=6.88
F₂=B₂·V=
$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.3839 & 0.2596 & 0.1226 & 0.1822 & 0.0517 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 6 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

=7.48
F₃=B₃·V=

10 8 0.4675 0.1906 0.1852 0.1000 0.0567 6 4 2 =7.82 $F_4 = B_4 \cdot V =$ 10 8 [0.3929 0.0297] 0.3000 0.1297 0.1477 6 2 =7.76 $F_5=B_5 \cdot V=$ 10° 8 [0.2495 0.4374 0.1626 0.1000 0.0505] 6 4 =7.47 The overall comprehensive score of supply chain risk of furniture manufacturing industry

is: $F_{Total} = B_{Total} \cdot V$

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=7.32

According to the appeal calculation results, combined with the maximum membership rule. the final comprehensive degree evaluation results of five risk index such as "planning, procurement, production, distribution and return" are respectively "high risk, Highest risk, Highest risk, Highest risk, high risk", and the overall comprehensive evaluation result of the supply chain risk of the furniture manufacturing industry is high risk. According to the comprehensive score of each risk factor, except for the planned risk, which is between 6 and 7, the scores of other risks are all higher than 7 points, all of which are close to the high risk level, and the risk factors are ranked from the highest to the lowest in value: production terms of score distribution > procurement > return > planning. Finally, the overall comprehensive score of the supply chain risk of the furniture manufacturing industry is 7.32 points. Its supply chain risks are high.

4. Conclusion

In this paper, SCOR model is adopted to identify the supply chain risk of furniture manufacturing industry, and a supply chain risk evaluation model suitable for furniture manufacturing industry is constructed by AHP and fuzzy comprehensive evaluation. Finally, it can be seen from the risk evaluation results that there are high risks in the supply chain of furniture manufacturing industry, especially in the three Primary index risks of procurement, production and distribution. It is necessary to focus on three secondary index risks, such as improper supplier selection, production safety accidents and increased distribution costs. In order to prevent and control the supply chain risk, the following suggestions are put forward:

Furniture manufacturing industry is mainly involved in the procurement of wood, through the establishment of diversified procurement channels, to avoid over-reliance on fixed procurement channels, to ensure the timely supply of wood and sufficient quantity, the use of flexible procurement methods in a timely manner to adjust and replace unstable and reliable procurement channels. In the selection of suppliers, the quality of their products, delivery ability, price and reputation should be comprehensively investigated and evaluated to ensure the stability and reliability of suppliers, while establishing clear contract terms, clear responsibilities and obligations of suppliers, reduce procurement risks.

Through introduction of advanced the furniture technology production and high-quality production equipment, reduce the production failure rate, and promote the improvement of production efficiency and product quality. Regularly conduct furniture production skills training and skill assessment for employees to improve the professional level. Shape the safety production culture of the enterprise, and at the same time regularly inspect the production site, check and rectify the possible safety hazards in time, and reduce the occurrence of production safety accidents.

Furniture manufacturing logistics distribution is mainly for large products, need to choose a reliable logistics company to ensure that the distribution of goods damage rate is reduced, you can sign long-term contracts, establish long-term cooperation, in order to reduce distribution costs. Logistics distribution of furniture manufacturing industry is usually less cross-regional distribution, enterprises can also choose self-distribution, joint distribution or third-party logistics distribution according to the actual situation to reduce distribution costs and ensure the stability of the supply chain.

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