

Transportation Management for manufacturers & distributors

Maximize profits and elevate customer service

As a manufacturer, your supply chain strategy can be impacted by a wide range of factors, from global demand shifts to changing customer expectations through the expansion of ecommerce. Many manufacturers also have extensive lead times from sourcing raw materials to delivering finished goods to a retailer or other end customer. This may mean that you are interacting with thousands of suppliers on a daily basis.

Service reliability is critical to your business

A missed shipment to one of your production facilities is more than just a note on a spreadsheet—it can mean an entire production line must be shut down, or the need for unplanned expedited shipping services. Both are costly and can negatively impact your bottom line. Failure to deliver to retailers on time can also result in extra fees and customer service issues. Finally, with economic cycles becoming somewhat unpredictable, the ability to manage inventory can also be challenging.

Infios's Transportation Management (TM) solutions are designed to address all of these variables, providing you with the visibility and flexibility you need to manage your complex and ever-changing supply chain.

Trust technology with a proven track record

Infios serves manufacturers of all sizes and types and has a proven track record. Our cloud-based, easy-to-use solution is helping manufacturers and distributors by providing control tower visibility, optimization across all transportation modes (including your own private fleet, if applicable) and easy facilitation of multimodal or multi-leg shipments anywhere in the world.

The technology also helps you avoid costly disruptions to maintain high levels of customer service. By optimizing every aspect of your transportation network, you can reduce transportation costs and improve efficiency, keeping you ahead of the competition.

Our solution was designed with an in-depth understanding of the unique needs of manufacturers and distributors and how you work on a daily basis. Infios maintains an active role in the supply chain management industry—ensuring that we are creating innovative offerings that address the issues that are impacting manufacturers now and in the future.



Highlights

Next generation cloud-based solution

Proven track record with manufacturers and distributors

Optimization capabilities across all modes and private fleets

Reduce overall transportation costs, including expedited shipments

Respond proactively to network disruptions

Meet on-time delivery requirements

Optimize procurement, planning and execution

Manage all modes including private fleet resources

Maintain regulatory compliance in the U.S. and beyond

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Greater visibility across the supply chain

Managing and tracking end-to-end movement of goods requires full visibility throughout the process, from inbound shipments of raw materials to a distributor or the end customer. This is especially important when managing supply chains with extended lead times including multimodal global transportation and thousands of suppliers. Infios TM is designed to support complex supply chains, providing a holistic view across providers, partners and company divisions or manufacturing facilities.

Enhanced collaboration with suppliers and carriers

Infios leverages an integrated logistics network supporting exception management. Role based permissibility allows collaborative resolution of issues across suppliers, carriers and other partners. The ability to proactively prevent or respond to network disruptions has many benefits to manufacturers. Not only are you able to improve the customer experience with on-time deliveries, but you can significantly reduce the cost of unplanned expedited shipping.

Streamlined import and export operations

Infios's TM helps you streamline import and export operations by maintaining compliance with global trade regulations. Through centralized management of all inbound and outbound shipments, you can make decisions with access to up-to-date information about denied parties, known shippers, embargoed countries, documentation requirements, customs requirements and hazardous materials regulations. By meeting regulatory compliance requirements, you avoid penalties and delays in shipping goods across borders, ensuring shipment integrity, security, and quality.

Faster access to capacity at competitive rates

With company consolidations, limited sailing schedules for ocean carriers and an ongoing truck driver shortage, you may find it challenging to access the capacity you need when you need it at a competitive rate. Due to your strict timelines for production and delivery, you need to quickly locate and book capacity. Infios TM provides access to market-driven sourcing and spot buying, including private and public boards. You have tools to identify previous carriers and lane history as well as finding carriers for backhauls. For manufacturers using rail solutions, Infios TM offers connections that allow you to directly access many rail providers' intermodal capacity, ensuring you lock in the loads you need quickly and seamlessly.



"Infios's TMS allowed us to focus on business processes, rather than the mechanics of running the system."

Vice President of IT
Mohawk Fine Papers



"The good thing about Infios TMS is it is so highly configurable. They have been able to come up with unique solutions for our needs and have been really easy to work with in terms of identifying how to augment the existing product to support what we need."

VP of Operations
Baker & Taylor

