Infor Supply Chain Execution for Logistics Service Providers

Accelerate the flow business information

As a third-party logistics (3PL) service provider, you encounter many challenges that can keep you from delivering customer value faster. For instance, it can take too long to add new customers and start generating new revenue. It can also take too long to collect and process important data, which can block you from making sound decisions. And most importantly, it can take too long to deliver goods to customers. You need a supply chain execution system that allows you to quickly move the right information to the right people. Infor® Supply Chain Execution is that solution.

Eliminate obstacles

With Infor Supply Chain Execution, you can eliminate obstacles to fast information flow, so you can operate your business at a quicker pace and deliver more customer value at less cost. Infor Supply Chain Execution integrates capabilities for warehouse management, labor management, 3PL billing, transportation management, and other processes critical to the success of logistics service providers. Built from the ground up by Infor's global team of supply chain experts, Infor Supply Chain Execution offers 3PL service providers a unified approach to automating and simplifying complex warehouse and transportation management processes.

■ Dramatically improve how you move, analyze, and act on critical business information.

Streamline your workflow

With Infor Supply Chain Execution, you get the flexibility and configurability 3PL service providers need to operate an agile business. The solution takes advantage of Infor ION®, a new generation of business middleware that puts better information into the hands of users, faster. As the underlying architecture for Infor Supply Chain Execution, Infor ION helps you streamline your workflow. And you can benefit from flexible deployment options including on premise, in the cloud and hosted.

Improve processes

With Infor Supply Chain Execution, you can:

- **Efficiently manage your workforce—**Monitor labor in real time to measure your workforce performance. Optimize the distribution of work using task management and analysis capabilities. Easily bill for non-transaction-based activities. Use easy-to-understand interfaces to reduce training time.

- **Collect crucial data and put it to good use—**Use pre-configured business rules to automatically collect crucial data at the right time and keep it as long as it's needed.

- **Automate inventory management—**Automate inventory management and movement activities to reduce inventory levels where possible. Efficiently manage product shelf life to avoid the need to scrap outdated products.

- **Offer self-service to customers, vendors, and employees—**Let customers see the status of their orders using an interactive web portal. Let customers directly place holds on inventory and upload their stock keeping units (SKUs). Give vendors tools to manage their own inventory and print and attach labels to goods they distribute. Give employees and managers better visibility into your warehouse operations.

- **Create accurate reports and alerts—**Use built-in reports and ad hoc reporting capabilities to give accurate reports to executives and your customers. Use alerting capabilities to detect issues early, so they don't become major problems.

- **Use industry-specific dashboards**—Gain access to industry-specific dashboards that provide the key metrics and KPIs 3PL service providers need.

- **Better manage demand—**Quickly respond to sudden changes in demand in ways that reduce expediting, reduce temporary labor, and increase inventory turns. Deliver new value-added services. Quickly and easily offer your customers profitable new value-added services, such as kitting, support for sales promotions, and billing services.

- **Add new customers faster—**Use advanced integration tools to upload master data and transaction data more quickly, so new customers are added faster and you start generating new revenue sooner.

- **Easily interface with solutions across the supply chain—**Use Infor ION to integrate your supply chain execution capabilities with your key enterprise solutions—Including enterprise resource planning, your customers' systems for stock balances and transaction details, and vendor solutions.

- **Simplify data management—**In addition to getting applications to work together more easily, you can use Infor Supply Chain Execution to maintain all key data in a single repository.

Expand business

Infor Supply Chain Execution is a breakthrough solution that integrates into one flexible and configurable solution all the capabilities 3PLs need to succeed. With Infor Supply Chain Execution, you gain the tools to break down the barriers to the free flow of information, so you can automate complex and repetitive processes.

Benefits:

- Reduce labor costs.
- Lower transportation costs.
- Expand the services you offer.
- Grow your customer base.

- Operate more efficiently.
- Generate higher margins.

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