



# INTERNATIONAL INBOUND-TO-MANUFACTURING LOGISTICS

**Managing the complexity of multiple suppliers around the world while also controlling schedules, transportation mode and logistics cost**

Commercial vehicle manufacturers plan production around either built-to-stock or customized fleet orders, and they often require parts to be sourced from several different countries.

## **TYPICAL BUSINESS CHALLENGES**

- Managing multiple suppliers globally
- Managing purchase orders
- Ensuring on-time delivery to assembly plants
- Providing end-to-end shipment visibility
- Access to global transportation network
- Compliance in custom declaration
- Controlling costs



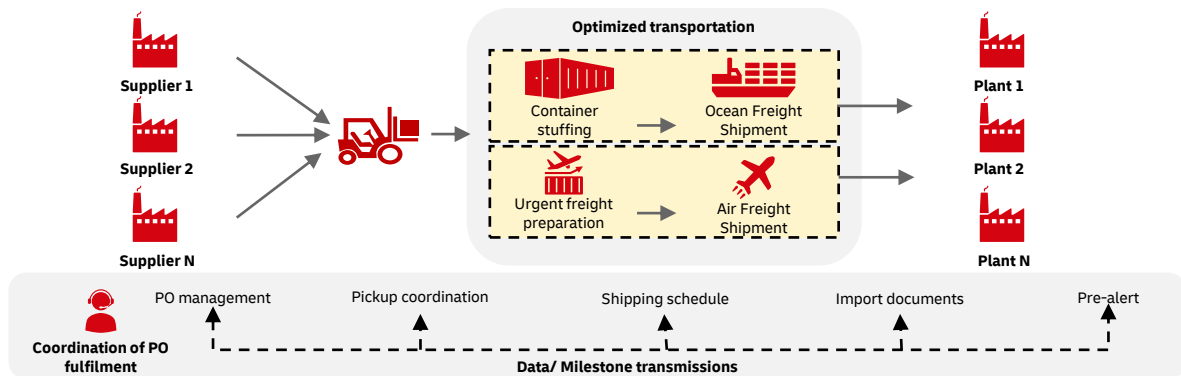
## DHL SOLUTION

Combining DHL's global transportation network with substantial in-country experience of global operations, this buyers / multi-countries consolidation solution effectively manages the flow of parts from multiple suppliers around the world and helps to keep production lines running at the commercial vehicle manufacturing plants.

### SOLVING YOUR BUSINESS CHALLENGES

- ✓ **Managing suppliers** – A single point of contact to coordinate multiple suppliers and onboard new ones by establishing standard operating procedures and incoterms
- ✓ **Managing purchase orders** – Centralized control the order fulfilment and logistics processes per each POs
- ✓ **Ensuring on-time delivery to assembly plants** – Selection of best-fit carriers for timeline requirement, standardized processes for a seamless information flow, trained execution of contingency plans
- ✓ **Providing end-to-end shipment visibility** - Real-time shipment tracking, ensuring on-time arrival of parts for the production line
- ✓ **Access to global transportation network** – Leveraging the DHL global transportation network and scale
- ✓ **Compliance in custom declaration** - Global customs expertise, in-country knowledge of shipping and logistics requirements, and efficient exceptions handling
- ✓ **Controlling costs** – Different service levels for varying needs; innovations & continuous improvement to improve productivity

### MANAGING THE END-TO-END GLOBAL FLOW OF PARTS FROM SUPPLIERS TO THE PRODUCTION LINE



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### KEY BENEFITS FOR YOUR BUSINESS



#### GLOBAL SUPPLY

Suppliers managed with a single point of contact

#### END-TO-END

From order placement to delivery at each plant



#### FULL COMPLIANCE

Covering all necessary documentation and processes, transport modes, and countries



#### HIGHER EFFICIENCY



Based on DHL's global transportation network and expertise

#### BEST PRACTICE

Knowledge sharing and KPI reporting for performance improvements

