

7 Benefits of WMS Software for logistics service providers

Make the most out of your investment

The benefits of Warehouse Management System (WMS) for 3PL service providers are enormous – we could go on and on about it – but to keep it manageable, we've listed 7 of the most beneficial features.

1. **Centralized Business**

Make sure working in silos belongs to the past. WMS software's end goal is to bring your business together as one cohesive workforce. One software, one single source of truth. With a centralized business, communication between departments will become simpler and more effective, from accounting to the warehouse to sales and everywhere in between.

2. **Reduce the number of administrative actions by 60%**

Whether you work with Excel for entering and invoicing orders or already with a WMS solution - entering data several times seems insurmountable. But nothing could be further from the truth. Because with an integrated solution it is no longer necessary to first enter the order in your Excel overview and then manually enter the data into your finance or accounting system. Just one application in which you carry out all necessary steps. Enter the order, for example, and then generate the invoice with the click of a mouse. Not efficient enough yet? Then you can even choose to automate the complete receipt. This way you can save time for more exciting things.

3. **Stop wasting time. Manage your inventory simply on your phone**

Do you have to make your customers wait when you don't have your laptop at hand? Does taking and linking photos of damaged goods require too much time and effort, causing you to accidentally forget to upload it? Save time, costs and be flexible. Use the warehouse app on your smartphone and gain 24/7 access to your data. Anywhere and anytime. You no longer need unnecessary hardware or other devices. Share a shipment document with a customer on the go, easily request information or change data – simply on your mobile device. Record damage directly with the app and attach a photo as proof. In this way, you can avoid delays and potential disagreements with your customer.



4. **Enhanced Data and Analytics Tracking**

As the owner of a logistics company, you need to have insight to manage your company in the right way. That is almost impossible without (historical) data. It is, therefore, crucial to have the right tools to collect, organize and analyze this data. A WMS solution creates a centralized approach to data, improving accessibility for both everyday users as managers.

5. **Improved Business Decision Making**

WMS software can help you improve your business's decision-making efforts. By having all of the data needed at your fingertips, you'll be able to have more reliable and fact-driven decisions. In addition, you'll be able to customize data and reports to ensure that the flexible software solution is working for your business, and not the other way around.

6. **Keep on track with your KPIs**

If you've ever had to rely on Excel spreadsheets for all of your data collection and analysis, you know it's a challenge. Especially when it comes to measuring Key Performance Indicators (KPIs). With a WMS solution, relying on those spreadsheets is a thing of the past. You'll have access to reporting tools designed to measure things such as job performance, financial performance, sales successes and challenges, quotations, and so much more.

7. **Fewer Errors in Accounting**

The financial health of your business is the difference between success and survival. Hence, total control over finances is a prerequisite to make your business successful. With a WMS solution based on Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central – of which Financial management is the core – you are able to perform the entire financial administration. From customer data, automatic invoicing, budgets and real-time visibility into cash flow, to general ledger chart of accounts and online banking... Always insight into your financial situation!



Based on the knowledge and experience of other logistics service providers that are trying to reinvent the wheel on their own, we have partnered with a reputable Dutch company Boltrics to bring to market, their standard 3PL Dynamics solutions offerings for the logistics industry. As a modern, internationally operating and certified ERP and CRM partner, we can help you simplify, automate and streamline your internal processes, easily guide you through the implementation of appropriate products to be applied to the latest trends in modern application technology, and help you with digital transformation and cloud-based solutions. For 30 years, we have been helping to improve our customers' business results in the Czech and Slovak Republics, as well as with customers in many countries in Europe, South Africa and the USA.

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