

Cross-border logistics

Faster, stronger and smarter nearshoring solutions

Nearshoring yields many significant benefits for businesses operating across the United States-Mexico border. However, it is not always easy to find the sweet spot. Limited cross-dock resources, complex customs procedures, road freight capacity constraints and industry-specific requirements can be tricky, but they should not hold you back. Our experts help you harness nearshoring's potential. Supported by strategically located assets, a robust trucking network, and a deep understanding of the customs landscape, we ensure your goods reach their destination in full compliance, cost-efficiently, and on time.



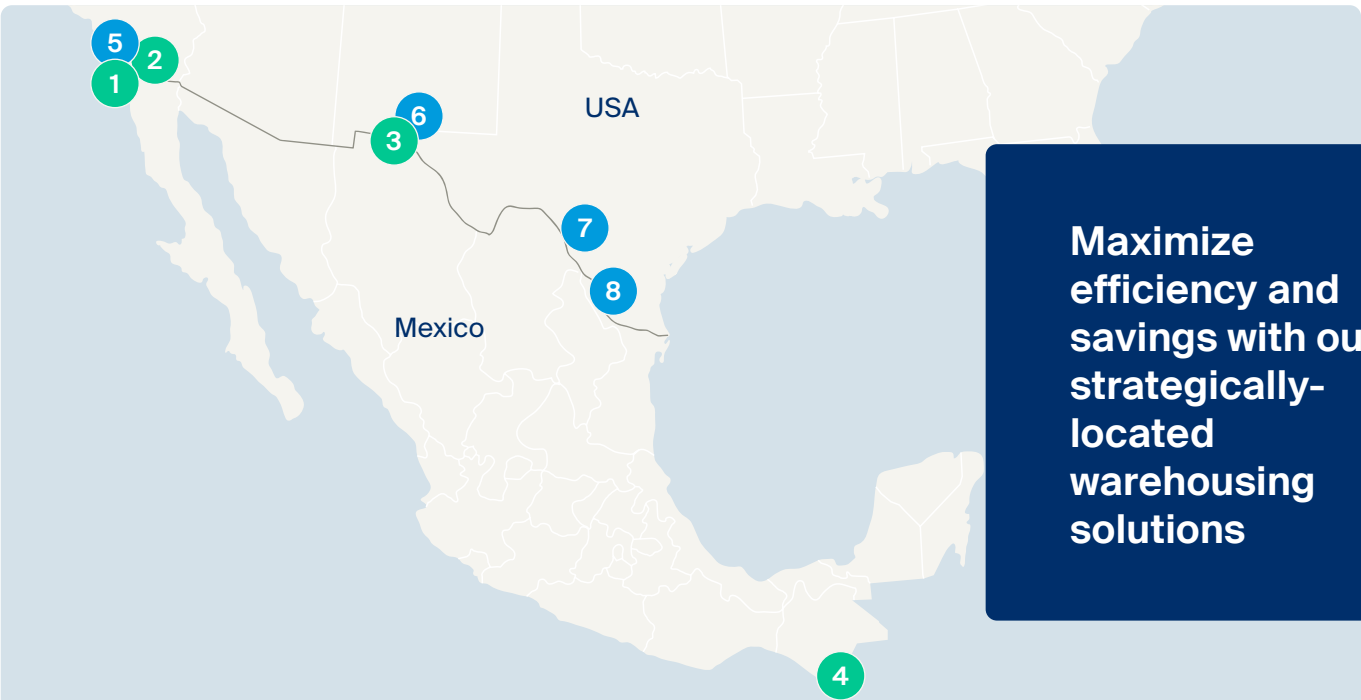
Bolster your strategic border operations

Locating your business operations near the United States-Mexico border provides a strategic pathway to enhanced supply chain resilience, reduced costs, and speedier distribution. Whether your supply chain involves northbound or southbound shipments, our robust cross-border network and expert services support interruption-free operations, ensuring your goods reach their destinations on schedule and in perfect condition.

Strategically-positioned assets for total coverage

With strategically positioned cross-dock space and warehousing, transloading and storage become seamless at every border crossing. Our pristine and modern facilities serve fluctuating demand without the need for heavy investment in direct trucking or owned assets. Leveraging bonded warehouses and Foreign Trade Zones (FTZs)

aids with the deferrals of customs duties and taxes, ultimately improving cost efficiency and keeping cash flow strong. Behind it all, an expert team of bilingual logistics professionals are committed to delivering exceptional customer experience for our clients.



Mexico		Warehouse size (in sq ft)	Customs duties and tax deferrals	Number of dock doors
1	Tijuana Baja California Norte	127,205	IMMEX services	10
2	Mexicali Baja California Norte	31,400	IMMEX services	4
3	Ciudad Juarez Chihuahua	270,300	IMMEX services	17
4	Ciudad Hidalgo Chiapas	7,200	N/A	51

USA		Warehouse size (in sq ft)	Customs duties and tax deferrals	Number of dock doors
5	San Diego California	42,000	Flexible bonded warehouse space	10
6	El Paso Texas	363,000	FTZ area of 165,000 sqf	65
7	Laredo Texas	435,000	FTZ area of 15,000 sqf	115
8	Pharr Texas	37,750	Bonded warehouse	8



Master your cross-border business operations with proven customs expertise

Navigating evolving customs complexities—compliantly, cost-efficiently and swiftly

In a dynamic customs environment, we help you master trade complexities with our bespoke customs solutions. Our experts' deep regional knowledge, paired with vast experience navigating tariff and trade policy changes, enables you to reassess your supply chain, optimizing it from a customs and regulatory perspective.

Partnering with a single provider who is up-to-date with the current regulations improves communication, raises efficiency, and ensures full compliance. This helps you mitigate the risks associated with unexpected fees and delays. By assisting you with managing current and future customs challenges, we ensure your business remains viable and competitive.

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Customs clearance and compliance

- Dedicated US and Mexican customs clearance team
- Pre-validation Pedimento detail
- IMMEX compliance and reports
- Simplified customs procedures
- Export and re-import customs services of repaired products

Operations management

- Operations management within Foreign Trade Zones (FTZs)
- Previo inspection
- Customs declaration volume management
- Operational reporting
- KPI monitoring
- Standard operating procedure (SOP) and working instructions

Customs and trade consultancy

- In-depth analyses
- Expert-led training
- Business performance management
- Harmonized System (HS) classification service
- Audit support and post-entry review



Dependable road freight capacity—even when demand and volumes are at high levels



Less-than-truckload: our integrated less-than-truckload (LTL) network gives you options and enables you to enhance transit times in parallel with our cross-dock sites. Shipping in and out of Mexico has never been smoother.



Full truckload: benefit from our long-standing relationship with trusted carriers—both national and regional—and choose the right services for your business' needs.



Specialized cargo: Does your cargo require special handling? We provide drayage, temperature-controlled transport, flatbeds, hot shots, dry vans, oversized freight services, and security escorts.



Intermodal: As one of North America's few intermodal marketing companies (IMCs), our intermodal solutions combine the cost savings of rail with the flexibility of trucking. With reliable capacity, optimized routes, and efficient door-to-door coordination, we ensure your cross-border supply chain operates smoothly.

Total control and stringent security

It is absolutely critical that you have eyes on your shipment's location and know that your goods are in safe hands—both aspects are central to ensuring you can operate a disruption-free supply chain.

Preferred Carriers Program

We are fully committed to the on-time and safe delivery of your goods. That is why we only work with C-TPAT-qualified (Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism) partners and follow a strict audit protocol for onboarding new carriers. Our ability to quickly source volume with these suppliers guarantees you availability without compromising on safety.

Unparalleled security measures

We apply rigorous security protocols to mitigate the risk of product loss through theft. Select from our numerous, tailor-made security packages depending on the level of risk exposure. Our services provide a single point of communication for all stakeholders, with round-the-clock support from specially trained staff.

Real-time eyes on the road

Road Customer Visibility, our cloud-based visibility dashboard, puts you back in the driver's seat with real-time insights at truck or item level. Our smart solution enables you to automate workflows, promptly address deviations, reduce product waste and keep your stakeholders informed about shipment location and integrity—from pick-up to delivery. Enhanced decision-making and process automation take your road freight operations to the next level.

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Industry-specific solutions—uncompromisable quality and total compliance

Driving growth in the automotive sector

The automotive industry stands to benefit greatly from nearshoring activities—however, realizing this is not without its challenges. Product quality issues and incorrect OEM deliveries can wreak havoc on just-in-time delivery (JIT), while non-compliant labelling can incur legal issues and cause production stoppages. Furthermore, high customs expenditures and low supply chain resilience ultimately harm cost efficiency and cash flow.

Fortunately, our services are geared towards surmounting these hurdles. Our team proactively resolves quality issues before products cross the border, while rapid and accurate sorting processes ensure reliable material processing. We ensure compliant labelling—either through our proprietary warehouse management system (WMS) or your own platform—while simultaneously maintaining OEM-mandated safety stock levels. When goods need to be moved quickly, our 24/7 expedited desk provides the agility needed to maintain continuous operations.

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Uncompromisable healthcare solutions

When moving healthcare products, there is little margin for error. Depending on your needs, you can choose from services that are either GxP or ISO 9001-certified. By maintaining the highest standards, we help you safeguard against reputational damage and financial losses.

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Handling dangerous goods with care

Our specialized transport options are equipped to handle hazardous shipments with the utmost safety, ensuring watertight compliance with all federal laws while minimizing both environmental and health risks.

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Ready to make nearshoring work for your business? Speak to one of our experts and take the next step towards a comprehensive cross-border solution.

Contact us

About Us

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Kuehne+Nagel is the logistics partner of choice for 400,000 customers worldwide. Using its global network, logistics expertise and data-based insights, the Group provides end-to-end supply chain solutions for global companies and industries. As a member of the Science Based Target Initiative (SBTi), Kuehne+Nagel is committed to sustainable logistics by reducing its own environmental footprint and by supporting its customers with low-carbon logistics solutions.

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