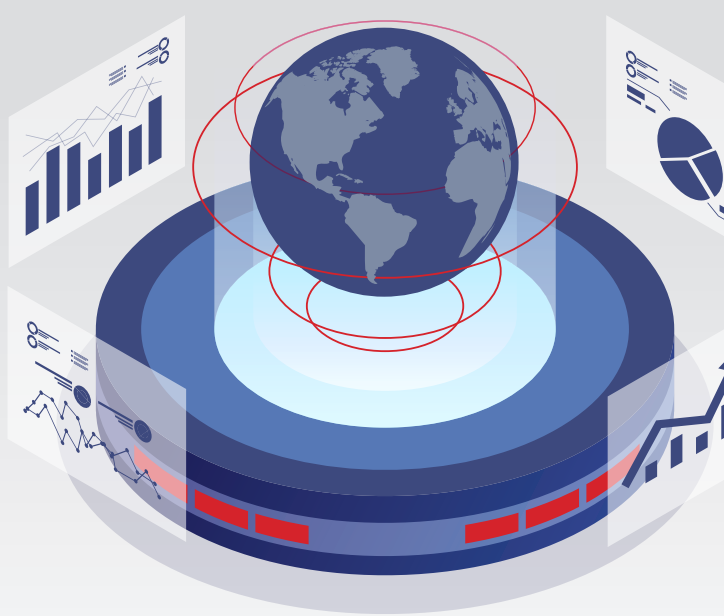


5 Signs You're Ready for a Global TMS



Transportation management systems (TMS) have made big strides in recent years, enabling even small and mid-market chemical shippers to optimize **global freight flows** in a single platform and without breaking the bank on technology. Historically, only the industry giants could afford to go global with transportation visibility and control. **Are you ready to level the playing field?**

Use this guide to help you determine if you're ready to upgrade to a global TMS that offers clear, actionable insights and cutting-edge visibility into every layer of your supply chain.



Do you move chemicals globally?

More than almost any other industry, chemical manufacturing is a truly global enterprise, and most chemical manufacturers, large and small, operate on a global scale. Visibility and control of your regional and global flows can drive major improvements in supply chain costs and operational performance. A TMS that handles all domestic and international modes and supports all local languages, currencies, and regulatory demands is a necessity.

Do you lack consistency in processes, visibility, and systems?

Maintaining disparate regional processes and systems can be highly inefficient and can impede progress and growth. Deploying a single global platform will drive operational and system-maintenance efficiencies through standardizing processes and reducing input/outputs from your ERP. Standardized systems and processes will substantially improve your organization's ability to grow and scale.



Do you struggle to set/track KPI's and regional operational effectiveness?

Different systems and processes in multiple regions make it impossible to quickly and effectively measure results. Gathering, standardizing, and cleaning data from disparate processes is time consuming and filled with inconsistencies. A single TMS platform will allow you to spend less time gathering data and far more time analyzing and score-carding your plants, carriers, and customers. It provides you with a single source of the truth from which to identify and track continuous improvement.

Do you under-utilize your presence as a global shipper/freight buyer?

Maximizing procurement efforts requires that you bring your best and brightest to the table along with maximum leverage. A global TMS platform will provide your procurement team with the granular and aggregated information needed to run a thorough fact-based procurement event, effectively optimize the results, and deploy the results into an operational solution that tracks and reports on savings.



Do you want to leverage your best and brightest across all regions?

The skill levels in your organization vary from region to region. Getting the most out of your business processes requires that your best operational, technical, and analytical experts can effectively impact operations across the globe. A TMS is an ideal tool to provide these experts with the levers to identify and deliver continuous improvement initiatives, without forfeiting the local operational controls necessary for daily execution.

Get the Right Tools for Your Chemical Logistics Program Today

So many chemical supply chains are planned and implemented as if they're the only networks in existence, but the right global TMS combines data from both internal and existing sources to eliminate barriers and reduce friction. Contact CLX Logistics today for a global TMS designed to meet the needs of modern supply chains in all regions and modes.