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Company profile inet-logistics

- **inet-logistics GmbH, leading provider of standard software solutions for Supply Chain Execution**

Headquartered in Wolfurt, Austria, inet-logistics GmbH has specialised in the development and marketing of innovative standard software solutions for Supply Chain Execution, or in other words for the planning, control, execution and billing of logistics processes across companies. The progressive software house offers integrated solutions for the support of the fields transport-, freight cost-, procurement- and loading device management on the basis of a high-performance, web-based integration- and communication platform (solution suite logistics-server®).

The company engages more than 50 highly qualified employees. They all possess a high degree of expert know-how in the fields logistics and information technology especially with regard to the execution, pre- and post-processing of transports. The company has received high recognition at the market not only because of this dual competency of its employees but also because of the demonstrable ability to lead complex IT-projects within a few months determinedly to success.

inet-logistics has gained much experience in the course of the years in the areas automotive industry, chemical industry & pharmaceuticals, retail, industry and logistics and the company has established itself as provider of Europe-wide and global Supply Chain Execution solutions

at the market. Well-known groups and companies such as ThyssenKrupp Materials Europe, Magna Steyr Fahrzeugtechnik, Robert Bosch, SAS Autosystemtechnik, Oerlikon Balzers Coating, TridonicAtco, Novartis, Hilti, OMV, Henkel, Kraft Foods International, Migros, Schweizerische Post, Gebrüder Weiss, Hellmann Worldwide Logistics, Würth Logistics and DHL have been part of the company's customer base for years.

Development and operation of innovative standard software solutions

inet-logistics solves logistics problems on the basis of the tried-and-tested and long established solution suite logistics-server[®]. The company further develops this standard software solution constantly and in line with market requirements and also includes individual customer requirements. The logistics-server[®] is structured modularly and is based on Web-components. The functions of the logistics-server[®] are operated by inet-logistics in highly available data processing centres and can be accessed by customers via Internet- or Extranet connections from all IT-environments. Furthermore, customers can run the logistics-server[®] in their own data centre and by means of certified ERP-interfaces (e.g. SAP) it can be integrated seamlessly into their IT-environments.

In many companies the logistics-server[®] forms the basis for the optimisation of cross-company logistics processes. Furthermore, it is possible to realise sectoral requirements according to demand. This is, for example, true for the continuous cross-company shipment tracking by means of RFID- and GSM-technology. This technology is amongst other things the prerequisite for the Online-monitoring of cold chains during the transport which is relevant not only for the pharmaceutical and food industry but also for other branches. inet-logistics offers its customers complete and customised RFID-solutions which are based on the „Shipment Localisation Kit“. Moreover, the company carries out tasks related to the process automation

on the basis of the logistics-server® such as inbound transports (pickup process according to the VDA-recommendation 5004) for enterprises of the automotive industry.

Professional consulting and project management

With the assistance of a professional team consisting of more than 20 methodically trained consultants and project managers inet-logistics advises and carries out complex introductory and integration projects. By approaching the problems in a well-structured manner and by having profound process and method expertise the team ensures the success of such optimisation and introductory projects and concludes them within the calculated budget and time frame. The (certified) project managers accompany customers beyond the introduction phase during all stages of the life cycle of the applied software.

Ubiquitous sales support on site

inet-logistics disposes of a widespread marketing network. In addition to the head office in Wolfurt at the Lake of Constance the subsidiaries in Vienna, Frankfurt and Zurich ensure the close proximity to the local markets in the DE-AT-CH-region and therefore to the customers.

Innovation and practical relevance as driving forces

inet-logistics cultivates the close contact which it has to important institutions of higher education, such as to the university of St. Gallen. Resulting from this fruitful, practice-oriented and close collaboration with research institutes and partner companies inet-logistics qualifies for being the innovation and technology leader in selected areas of the transport logistics sector. Thus, the company is engaged in a practice-driven, technology-based solution partnership with the Fraunhofer-Institute for Material Flow and Logistics (IML). Only re-

cently, inet-logistics established a solution and sales partnership with the renowned IT and consulting firm LogicaCMG. The aim of this partnership is to integrate the logistics-server® in LogicaCMG's project-related consulting business in the logistics field in order to efficiently automate the supply chain execution in companies which have the most diverse IT-environments. In the field transport planning inet-logistics cooperates with the 4flow AG from Berlin.

On top of that inet-logistics has evaluated in the course of an EU-supported project the ways in which multi-agent technology can be used together with the logistics-server®.

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