A Hosted Solution To Compete With The Giants

About Us

Since 1995, Codeworks has helped Third-Party Logistics providers grow their logistics business and exceed diverse customer expectations. More than just a software provider, we are a 3PL business solutions specialist, offering business consultation, comprehensive software solutions, seamless integration, training and ongoing support to clients nationwide. Every day, our solutions process tens of thousands of orders, ship many tons of freight and manage millions of square feet of warehouse space.

We also make it easy for our current and future customers to keep up-to-date on industry news, trends and tips with our quarterly e-newsletters, delivered right to your Inbox. Timely and concise, it's just what you'd expect from a true business partner.

Codeworks offers web-based demonstrations of our products from the comfort of your office. We welcome the opportunity to discuss how we can help optimize your operation, substantially improve your competitive advantage and deliver the capability to win new business.

Overview

The trend toward outsourcing of logistics services have enabled 3PLs worldwide to enjoy robust growth in recent years. In fact, Armstrong & Associates reports that in the U.S. alone, 3PLs generated $122 billion in revenue in 2007. This healthy growth trend looks to continue unabated in the years ahead.

The driving force behind the outsourcing trend is the benefits an organization receives: improved operational efficiencies, reduced costs and better use of existing staff, to name a few. The lion's share of this new business will go to those 3PLs who can offer the comprehensive logistics functionality customers demand at the lowest possible price.

While economies of scale often provide the largest operations with the resources to develop their own systems and bid with a more flexible price, how can a more modest operation compete? The key is to look into outsourcing your warehouse and transportation management systems with a hosted solution from Codeworks.

Comprehensive Functionality

Let's begin with the full-featured Warehouse and Distribution Logistics Software product named "WDLS." Its standard capabilities include management of regions, campuses, buildings, labor, docks and workflow. Manage up to 10,000 customers and track millions of products by both pallets and lots. The 3PL-based flexibility you receive also includes the ability to charge by all valid international weight types.

The security features of WDLS are engineered to maximize productivity, all with an easy-to-use interface. Define access by groups, menus, menu options, screens, individual users and job roles. As staff proficiency increases, so does their access levels.

Whether your operation is paper-based or paperless, batch or real-time, WDLS supports you where you are and helps you get where you need to go. All of these methods are part of our standard functionality and evolving from one to the other does not increase your price.

Improving Operational Efficiencies

Improve throughput on your Inbound freight with automated electronic interfaces for ASNs and automatic notification of over/short/damaged conditions. You can even offer your

"We're in the business of helping 3PLs grow. A hosted implementation allows smaller operations to survive and thrive against much larger competitors at a price point that is well within their budget.

Our hosted solution is your competitive advantage."

*Rick DeShone,
President*

Our Infrastructure

Our technologies are selected for purely business reasons. Our business-class Power6 platform powers almost 17 million square feet of warehousing operations nationwide. Its storage design provides an unmatched level of efficiency. Since the Power 6 supports businesses, it is engineered for extreme warehouse transaction volumes and scalability.

The Power 6 platform is 78% more stable and reliable than a Unix-based systems and 98% better than Windows. Some technology platforms required redundant servers. The Power 6 server has redundant components, *built-in*.

Our warehouse management system truly is a system. It contains a database that can be accessed with SQL, XML and it's own native methods, simultaneously. And what's a database without business-class data integrity? We include multi-user record-level access control, transaction rollback, audit trail journals and even remote journaling to offsite servers. Communications, wizard-driven administration, security and full vendor support—all from a single vendor—are also included.

That's a completely integrated warehouse management system, and the Power 6 platform is also the value leader in Total Cost of Ownership as well.

customers the ability to enter their own orders via a web-based interface.

Cross-docking is supported and directed putaway is a snap with real-time radio frequency, RFID and/or voice-based interfaces. A wide variety of picking methods are provided and since WDLS was built for 3PLs, all the dynamics of order prioritization and fulfillment keep you in control.

Automated real-time interfaces to and from existing systems provide outbound efficiencies, increasing your overall throughput and service levels without increasing staff. And when your 3PL also provides transportation services, take advantage of our hosted Traffic transportation management system. Minimize fuel costs with dynamic route storage and utilize our automated interfaces to maximize efficiency and the the profitability of each order you ship.

Extensive, real-time reporting provides management with comprehensive visibility throughout the organization and the branded web portal for your customers provides real-time self-serve reports and downloads.

The efficiencies you receive include a single point of contact for business consulting, full-featured and fully integrated warehouse and transportation solutions, installation, training and a generous amount of responsive, professional support per month.

Improving Your Value Proposition

A hosted solution from Codeworks not only improves your capabilities, but also reduces both your infrastructure and administrative costs.

No infrastructure investments are required on your part. All the administrative support, backups, monitoring and updates are handled by the team of Codeworks professionals as well, reducing your staffing needs and benefit costs.

The Path To Growth Begins Today

Let's discuss your current operation, the challenges you face and how we can help—today. We offer web-based product demos and ROI calculators to make your conversion to a Codeworks solution a smooth and profitable endeavor.

"The comprehensive capabilities of a Codeworks hosted solution allow you to bid on new business, but our low start up costs give you the ability to win the business.

A hosted solution from Codeworks is the path to long-term growth."

Ray Smith,
Marketing Director

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