

Fact sheet about the Rhenus Group

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The Rhenus Group is one of the leading logistics specialists with global business operations and provides innovative solutions along the entire supply chain, ranging from multimodal transportation to warehousing, customs clearance and even value-added services. The family business pools its services in various business units.

Key data

- Year when founded: 1912
- Turnover: EUR 8.6 bn (2022)
- 39,000 employees
- 1,120 business sites around the globe
- Headquarters in Holzwickede, but organised along local lines

Business units and services

The Rhenus Group is divided into five divisions. They are so interconnected that Rhenus does not offer individual products, but comprehensive logistics solutions that are ideally geared towards the needs and expectations of its customers.

- Automotive

The Rhenus Group is a globally recognised partner in the overall value-added process of manufacturing automobiles and it offers vehicle producers and Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) precisely synchronised production logistics with sequenced supplies of parts as well as assembly work for modules and vehicles. It also handles warehouse processes, line supply concepts, assembly solutions and recycles complex battery systems for the electric vehicle sector within its portfolio.

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- **Contract Logistics**

The Rhenus Group specialises in warehouse services for numerous industrial sectors as one of the leading partners for outsourced warehousing solutions – and it has a dense network of more than 180 business sites in 23 countries and offers tailor-made solutions for warehousing logistics on more than 4.0 million square metres. The Rhenus Group also provides an extensive range of services for document and information management – ranging from physical handling to cloud solutions, making available software licences and digitalising files.

- **Overland Transport**

Road freight is an individual, low-cost transport solution based on the weight and volume of goods. Thanks to its extensive network structure, the Rhenus Group offers truck transport operations for general cargo and bulk commodities as LTL and FTL services. Rhenus also takes care of the 2-person handling of bulky goods, such as furniture items and white goods, or high-tech devices, such as sports equipment and vending machines, and transports them to individual customers or their place of use on behalf of store-based and e-commerce traders or manufacturers.

- **Port Logistics**

Moving goods on inland waterways and short-sea routes is the cheapest and most ecological transport option – and this is the traditional business of the Rhenus Group, which has its own fleet of vessels and a dense network of more than 40 sea and inland ports. The 71 port terminals not only tranship and transport the freight using multimodal services, but can also provide intermediate storage space. Rhenus combines road, rail, short-sea and ocean services for its intermodal operations – as well as inland waterway services to provide an ideal ratio between the freight tariff and the transit time.

- **Air & Ocean**

Sensitive goods, to quote one example, reach their destination quickly, safely and efficiently through the air freight solutions provided by the Rhenus Group. Global trade centres are closely connected to each other through its business sites worldwide. Full and part charter solutions provide special flexibility. Ocean freight is essential for logistics operations in a globalised economy, as it is a particularly low-cost transport option. The company's portfolio also includes sector and special solutions, for example, for the offshore industry and for international flows of goods, as well as heavy-duty transport services, intermodal logistics, commodity logistics and project logistics.

Management Board

The Rhenus Group's Management Board has five members, who have responsibility for different parts of the company. The members of the Management Board have on average been working for Rhenus to serve its customers for more than 18 years:

- Tobias Bartz – CEO
- Andreas Stöckli
- Egbert Bernsmeister
- Dr Stephan Peters
- Karsten Obert

Sustainability

Rhenus is well aware of its social responsibility as a family business and as a logistics company that has international business operations. Handling internal and external resources in a careful manner to promote regeneration is extremely important for the company. Sustainability is a central pillar of the Rhenus corporate

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philosophy and one of the most important factors in promoting economic stability and long-term growth. This relates both to human, social and financial resources – and also when procuring goods and raw materials. The family business has subjected itself to an assessment by the rating platform, EcoVadis, since 2011 – and Rhenus was awarded gold status in 2022, placing it among the top 1 percent of service providers that were assessed in the logistics sector. You can find more information at: www.rhenus.group/de/en/rhenus-group/sustainability

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