



CHOOSE THE SEA IN EUROPE



CONNECTING YOUR BUSINESS TO EUROPE



Our intra-European and short sea services offer a **safe, reliable** and **cost-effective** alternative to road transport.

MSC has decades of experience in moving freight across Europe and beyond. By combining our frequent shipping services with our inland operations, we are able to create **seamless, door-to-door** delivery solutions for **businesses of all sizes**.

Our Mediterranean and Northern European network stretches from Belfast to Poti, and from Helsinki to Heraklion and beyond. We know that every business and supply chain is different, so we specialise in developing **tailor-made** solutions. Whether you are shipping frozen food or pharmaceuticals, chemicals or cars, we can deliver cargo of any shape, size or shelf-life directly to its final destination.

Discover our network

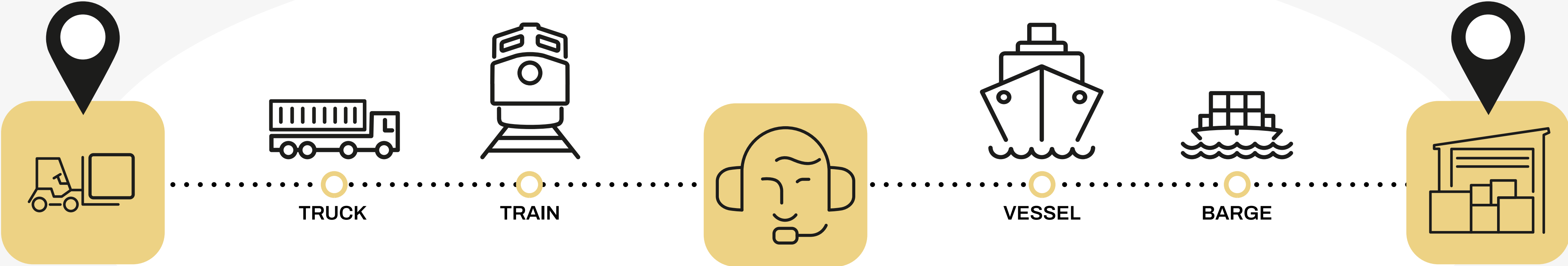
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MSC MAKES SHORT SEA SHIPPING SIMPLE

FROM PICK-UP TO DELIVERY, WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED WITH THE HELP OF OUR SHORT SEA EXPERTS

At MSC, we understand that coordinating multiple transport modes can seem daunting. That's why we offer a seamless solution with a single point of contact for your entire journey. Let us take care of the logistics so you can focus on what matters most: your business. With MSC, short sea shipping is straightforward and hassle-free.



**AN MSC EXPERT IS YOUR SINGLE
POINT OF CONTACT
FOR THE WHOLE JOURNEY**

WHY PARTNER WITH MSC IN EUROPE?



RECEIVE EXPERT SUPPORT

Our dedicated local teams provide specialist advice and support, backed by in-depth local knowledge and experience in every sector, from food, beverages and pharmaceuticals to construction.

INCREASE YOUR FLEXIBILITY

You decide where and when your cargo is loaded and delivered. We understand that your needs may vary according to customer demand or other factors, and we have the resources to react quickly to these changes. Safe storage options at the departure or arrival port are available if necessary.

REDUCE YOUR CARBON FOOTPRINT

Transporting freight by sea provides a greener alternative to conventional, overland transport with significantly smaller CO₂ emissions per tonne/kilometre. One vessel can remove as many as 700 truckloads from European roads, enabling you to make a valuable contribution to road safety and working conditions as well as your emission footprint.

SAVE COSTS

Thanks to the scale of our operations and our wide-reaching network, we can offer competitive prices. Our flexible, customised solutions are adapted to your specific requirements, helping you save costs and keep your business moving.

KEEP YOUR CARGO SAFE

Your cargo is in safe hands with MSC. We store goods in modern, secure containers, make minimal stops, and keep containers locked and sealed throughout their journey. Containers are less accessible at sea than on the road, reducing the risk of theft, damage or contamination.

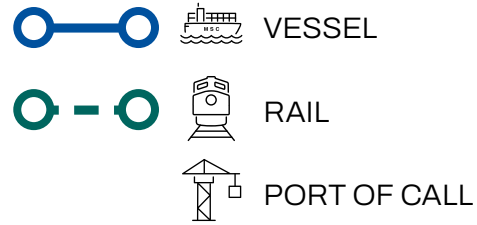
MOVE YOUR CARGO SMOOTHLY

When it comes to delivering your products, we know that predictability is paramount. That's why we make every effort to offer the best possible service, finding solutions that leverage our extensive intermodal system for a fuss-free cargo journey.

EXPAND YOUR CAPABILITIES

Our multimodal solutions empower your network, enabling you to combine our intra-European and short sea services with our intercontinental, deep-sea network to reach destinations all over the world. These can be adapted quickly and easily to meet fluctuations in demand and allow you to ship higher volumes than traditional truck-only transport.

MARKET-LEADING UK COVERAGE VIA ROAD, RAIL & SEA



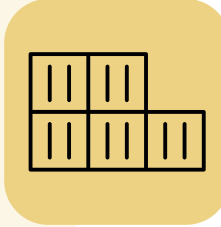
850+
NATIONAL
UK TEAM



7
CONTRACT
TRAINS



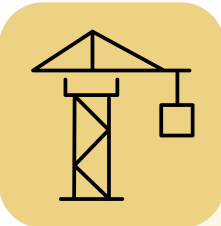
600+
TRUCKS



11
DEPOTS
NATIONWIDE



9
UK RAIL
TERMINALS



12
PORTS

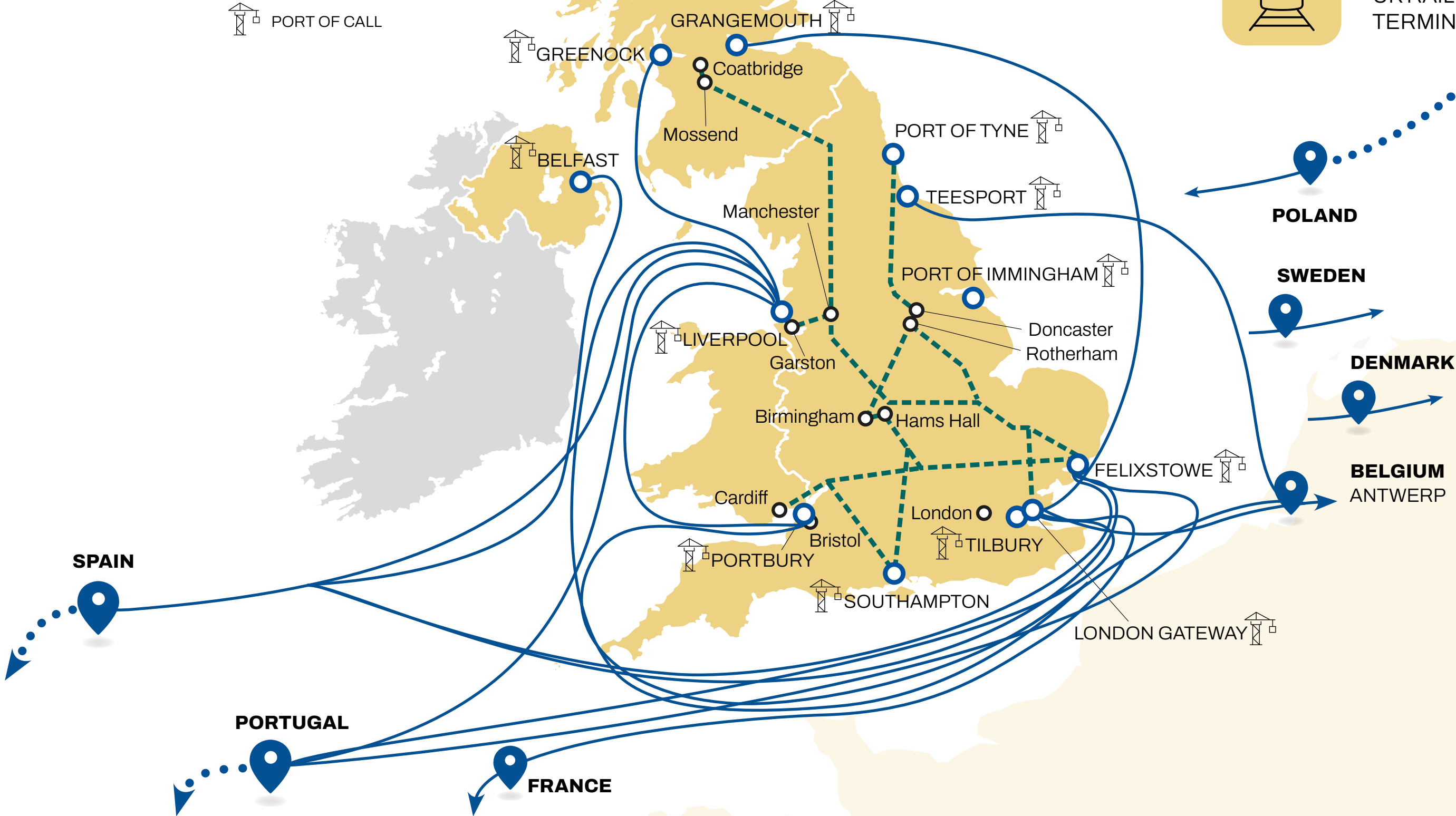


3
REGIONAL
OFFICES



34m+
ROAD MILES
SAVED IN 2023

Note: key numbers estimated as of December 2023



TRANSIT TIMES

**BELGIUM FROM
1 DAY**
Antwerp via: London Gateway
Felixstowe

**SWEDEN FROM
4 DAYS**
Helsingborg via: Felixstowe

**FRANCE FROM
2 DAYS**
Le Havre via: London Gateway
Felixstowe
Liverpool

**DENMARK FROM
6 DAYS**
Copenhagen via: Felixstowe
London Gateway

**SPAIN FROM
3 DAYS**
Bilbao via: Liverpool
Thamesport

**POLAND FROM
10 DAYS**
Gdynia via: Felixstowe

**PORTUGAL FROM
3 DAYS**
Sines via: London Gateway
Felixstowe
Liverpool

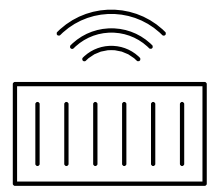
UNLOCKING MORE, WITH MSC'S VALUE-ADDED SOLUTIONS

We understand that every customer's goods are unique, which is why we offer a wide range of enhanced services to suit each stage of your supply chain.



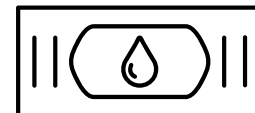
eBL

The electronic bill of lading (eBL) is an original electronic document which offers a more efficient, secure, and sustainable alternative to a complex and costly process. Manage your eBLs in just a matter of clicks!



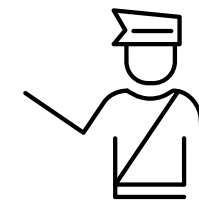
SMART CONTAINERS

We know that being able to track and monitor your shipment remotely helps you to plan. That's why we offer Smart Containers for all types of dry cargo, so you can keep a close eye on what matters the most.



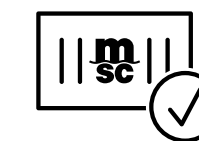
LIQUID CARGO

MSC Liquid Cargo Solutions provides a single point of contact for your liquids supply chain. Our complete package of in-house services (including flexibag supply and fitting) covers all your bulk liquid transportation needs.



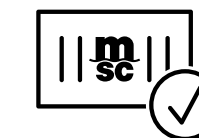
CUSTOMS CLEARANCE

We have a dedicated UK team of experts, who are on hand to guide you through every step of the customs clearance process. Their experience and skill mean you can rely on them to ensure your goods get through customs as quickly as possible.



CARGO INSURANCE

At MSC, we believe that providing customers with peace of mind is a key part of our job. That is why we apply a personalised one-stop-shop approach to cargo insurance.



EXTENDED PROTECTION

Our Extended Protection solution is the extra level of protection you need for your cargo's partial or full value. To offer you peace of mind, MSC's extended protection is available globally for a wide range of cargo categories.

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