

Solutions

International

Client Solutions

International Services

AFC Worldwide Express has a rich history of providing reliable, flexible, and predictable transportations and logistics solutions. Here are a few examples of how AFC has worked together with its clients to address their most pressing needs.

In addition to domestic services, AFC Worldwide Express also has wide range of international services designed to meet the challenging global transportation and logistics needs.

Nationwide Rollout

When the nation's leading Greeting Card Company realized that they were losing market share to mass retailers, they looked to AFC Worldwide Express for an innovative, team-based solution to drive a nationwide rollout.

Although the company had annual revenues of \$9 billion and 20,000 domestic locations, they needed to respond quickly to competition by mass retailers who were attacking their market share. The solution was to roll out new product and merchandising formats in more than 4,000 locations as soon as possible.



AFC's collaborative approach to team-work and innovation allowed the company to move their product to market in record time and maintain their competitive edge. In a final analysis, the company confirmed a 98.9% on-time delivery and .001% damage of all goods shipped. The average down time at each store was 4 hours and the changeovers and setups were seamless to the customer.

International Logistics Solution

While preparing for a major market launch and penetration in the US, the world's largest Consumer Product Company discovered that its traditional ocean-based transportation and logistics model could not meet the time-critical deadlines. To avoid outages on the retailer's shelves, the company turned to AFC Worldwide Express for an international logistics solution.

Insuring that the products hit the store shelves well ahead of the launch date was absolutely essential for marketing success. In addition to the time constraints, the goods would have to be moved efficiently from the Far East to the US and be successfully put into the distribution supply chain without interruption.

Working in close partnership with the customer, manufacturer, global partners, and the airlines, AFC was able to meet each of the time-critical deadlines. All products were delivered intact and on time for a successful market launch.



By leveraging our global network of commercial airlines, charter services, ocean shipping companies, and ground providers we are able to deliver on-time shipments in all major trade lanes. Our strategic partnerships also make it possible for us to offer consistent flight schedules, reliable shipments, import and export services, and competitive pricing worldwide. Our interactive, web-based tracking and tracing technology also gives us a competitive advantage by allowing customers instant access and visibility from start to finish.

Our experienced professionals are trained to guide customers through the complexities of global shipping. We can offer a single source solution to and from any point worldwide. AFC manages the flow of goods and information across a customer's global supply chain - connecting suppliers, carriers, customs brokers, and end-users through a seamless supply of distribution services.

Air

AFC provides customer specific air freight programs to shippers of all sizes. AFC understands that air freight is a premium and costly service, so our program focuses on quick transit and constant communication combined with the ability to seize cost saving opportunities.

Ocean

AFC is a licensed Ocean Transport Intermediary (OTI) and NVOCC which is uniquely positioned to handle all aspects of ocean shipping. Through our Ocean department we provide complete, professional service with a "can-do" attitude.

Import

We are focused on the most efficient methods of moving shipments into the United States as quickly as possible, while minimizing any log jams in the supply chain.

Export

AFC is able to provide full-service export capabilities to successfully handle all details of your export shipments

Charters

AFC is an experienced provider of international charters providing a viable alternative to scheduled airline lift. AFC's charter program provides customized solutions when commercial air capacity alone will not adequately service our customer's special requirements.