



Transport & Logistics Specialists

Our Commitment

Pacifica recognises that customer satisfaction is essential to continued success in business.

Our commitment therefore is to meet and satisfy our customers' requirements and expectations at all times.

By achieving this goal, we will provide benefits to our respective business operations and to our employees and their families.





Introduction



The Pacifica Transport Group has grown steadily to become a significant operator of coastal ships and land-based freight distribution services in New Zealand.

Since 1983 we have developed a coastal network linking all major domestic ports and comprehensive road transport, distribution and storage facilities throughout the nation.

The company has pioneered inter-modal transport systems to give customers seamless, cost-effective ways of consigning and also consolidating freight for domestic and import/export markets.

In addition to major manufacturers and producers, many offshore shipping companies and freight forwarders benefit from the practical operating advantages of the Pacifica Group's sea and land transport connections.

As a proudly New Zealand company, we look forward to being able to meet your commercial requirements for integrated distribution and logistics solutions.

*Rod Grout
Chief Executive
Pacifica Transport Group*





Profile

Since it began with one ship in 1983, Pacifica has dedicated itself to meeting the transport and distribution needs of a steadily expanding customer base, both in New Zealand and overseas.







The company, which is part of the Skeggs Group, has over 250 highly trained and professional people working on ships and docksides, and in trucks and warehouses around New Zealand.

Their goal is to meet the transport needs of local, national and multi-national producers and manufacturers, including importers and exporters using international shipping lines.

Pacifica also works closely with other domestic freight operators such as trucking companies, freight forwarders and transport agencies around the country.

Today the group's ships, trucks, distribution centres and coolstores provide a total supply chain solution for customers with goods to move to market.

Pacifica companies are engaged in:

-  Operating dedicated coastal vessels servicing all major New Zealand ports with regular and timely sailing schedules;
-  Providing a national land transport network offering 'Just in Time', stock transfer and door-to-door services to meet the needs of a diverse range of customers;
-  Warehousing catering for all types of dry freight and temperature- controlled goods;
-  Freight consolidation services with options for LCL and FCL consignments;
-  Agency services meeting the needs of international shipping operators;
-  Equipment supply for hiring or leasing pallets, containers and road transport trailers.



Shipping



Pacific operates regular coastal shipping schedules linking the major ports in New Zealand.

The network is tailored to meet domestic market needs as well as providing feeder links to and from hubbing ports for export and import consignments.

All types of freight are carried including conventional, reefer and hi-cube containers, roll on-roll off cargo, bulk goods, over-dimensional loads and hazardous goods.

Refrigerated and chilled products are moved via a secure "cold chain" network on land and sea.

The company's ability to combine efficient sea and land transport options gives manufacturers and producers a distinct advantage for reliable, safe and cost-effective freight movements.



Express Freight



This is the group's logistics and forwarding division for land transport and warehousing.

It provides door to door pick-up and delivery throughout New Zealand for consignments of all sizes and across all transport modes.

Customers can specify when and how they want goods consigned, ranging from Just-In-Time to Stock-Transfer type services.

Freight handled over short or long distance includes dry goods, temperature controlled freight and hazardous cargo.

Land transport movements link up, where required, with Pacifica's coastal shipping network to provide a seamless and integrated distribution service.

South Island Distribution is a specialised division of Pacifica, dedicated to handling freight consignments within the South Island.





Managed Warehousing



Customers' goods are stored and consolidated for onward distribution in large and efficient warehouse operations.

Centres in Auckland and Christchurch handle all types of dry goods with modern equipment and capacity for large or small volumes of product. A large coolstore in Christchurch services the central South Island region.

The facilities also provide product "Pick and Pack" services for customers wanting regional delivery services handled independently of their own premises.

Short or long-term storage is available for domestic and export-destined goods.

Distribution and storage facilities are also offered in Wellington and Dunedin, linking with shipping and land transport.



Equipment



Hire of trailers, containers and pallets is a practical, cost-effective option for customers requiring temporary or seasonal use of equipment.

Pacifica has an extensive range of trailers for short or long-term hire, including flatdecks, curtainsiders, B-trains and temperature controlled units.

Standard and non-standard containers and flat racks are also available at competitive rates. These include hi-cubes and refrigerated containers for perishable products.





Shipping Agencies



The Shipping Agencies Division has been established to handle all types of vessels including container, bulk carriers, tankers and cruise ships, as well as vessels for off-hire, survey and repair.

Represented by skilled agents at New Zealand ports, the division arranges berthing, pilot tugs, lines and labour, and ensures cargo is ready for loading or discharging on arrival.

It also does paperwork for processing vessels into and out of New Zealand, and liaises with regulatory authorities such as Customs, Immigration, Quarantine, Forestry and Health.

Other functions are to supply fuel, provisions, survey maintenance, medical requirements for crew and to attend to crew arrivals and repatriation.

The agency also arranges for container shipments and chartering vessels on a global basis. It understands the operations and working of all vessels and is able to proficiently handle any challenges.



Added Value

Pacifica Transport Group's objective is to continue adding value to customers' distribution and logistics operations.

It will achieve this through a combination of activities:

-  Extending its coastal shipping network to meet demand for domestic freight movement, as well as links to and from major hub ports;
-  Further developing land-based transport, distribution and cargo consolidation facilities in strategic growth sectors;
-  Providing effective managed warehousing and storage services for customers outsourcing these functions;
-  Delivering information technology solutions for efficient inter-modal supply chains that benefit local, national and international shippers;
-  Working with other transport and logistics specialists to provide integrated transport solutions in New Zealand and offshore.





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