



Introduction to the Xrail Alliance

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Alliance members:





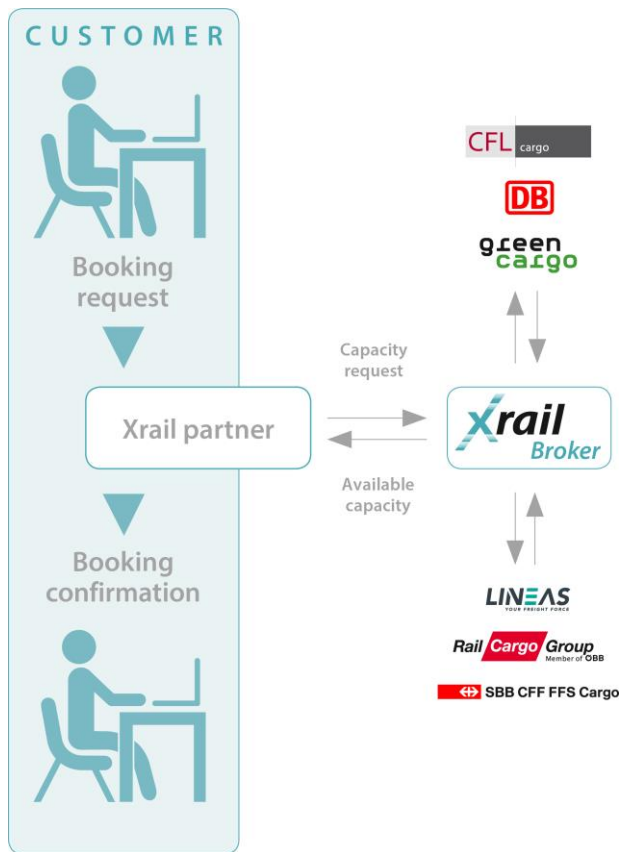
Xrail is the leading European Single Wagonload Alliance and acts as a platform for innovation & technical collaboration

- Six Alliance partners, representing about 60% of the European Single Wagonload (SWL) traffic
- Mutual targets and committed service standards as a basis for an enhanced, sustainable European SWL offer
- Common (IT) platforms and processes to support seamless international operations
- Cooperation with clear focus on rail freight production and Single Wagonload business



The Alliance aims at enhancing the competitiveness of the European Single Wagonload in three key areas significantly





- Six major European railway undertakings (RUs) moving to a “managed capacities” Single Wagonload production logic in a concerted approach*
- A central broker solution seamlessly links multiple RU Wagonload booking systems based on common processes, standards and interfaces
- The seamless linkage of six partners’ booking systems via the Xrail Broker** allows for
 - Full network control and capacity management for RUs
 - End-to-end deviation management, troubleshooting, etc.
 - ETA provision, seamless transport info and reliable trip plan execution for customers



Xrail enables the partners to provide their customers with a more transparent, reliable & seamless Single Wagonload offer

Transport reliability



- Automated Xrail quality monitoring for all transports according to common standards
- Provision of KPIs and reports to Alliance partners for continuous optimization of production
- Root cause tracing, follow up in case of deviations

Transport information



- Solid provision of a reliable, planned ETA
- Continuous follow up of the actual wagon status
- International Track & Trace
- Provision of a new, planned ETA in case of deviations

Seamless offer



- Simplified collaboration of the partners via aligned common standards and processes as basis for a more seamless European SWL offer



The partners provide **Single Wagonload services across eleven European networks** – the Xrail Standards will be continuously rolled out*



- Belgium



- Sweden
- Norway



- Luxembourg



- Germany
- Denmark
- Netherlands
- Northern Italy



- Switzerland



- Austria
- Hungary
- North-East Italy

* The Xrail Standards are only available on selected relations until full roll-out of Xrail Capacity booking between the members and their subsidiaries



The central service entity of Xrail has a crucial role in driving innovation and technical collaboration between the partners

