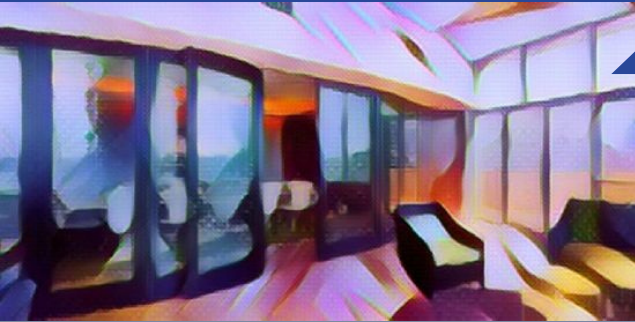


Company cuts its freight costs in half and saves millions per year with the help of IL2000



RESULTS

- **\$3 million reduction in fixed infrastructure costs**
- **50% decrease in freight expenses**
- **Improved service with enhanced shipment reliability and timeliness**

SUMMARY

Our client needed a way to optimize its manufacturing and distribution and was exploring the feasibility of relocating its manufacturing plant to Monterrey, Mexico. The company needed to analyze the implications of relocation and to identify a capacity solution that balanced cost-efficiency against travel time and management of risk.

CLIENT

A leading manufacturer of office partition and glass wall solutions.

CHALLENGE

Developing a cost-effective distribution method for a highly specialized product.

APPROACH

Outbound freight optimization, supply chain simplification, improved tracking.

PAIN POINTS & SOLUTIONS

OUTBOUND FREIGHT OPTIMIZED

The company's fleet of specialized delivery trucks was costly to maintain and locked them into inflexible routes and schedules.



IL2000 identified suitable third-party carriers and trained them to reliably deliver this specialized product. Shipments could then be sequence loaded at the plant, consolidated into twice-weekly truckloads, and re-powered with trained drivers at the border. Total weekly savings: \$2000 per week.

CRITICAL DATA TRACKED

They lacked the data infrastructure it needed to manage a supply chain originating outside of the US.



IL2000 developed a BI dashboard that allowed instant realtime shipment tracking, equipping the company with more accurate data on delivery times.

INBOUND SHIPMENTS STREAMLINED

our client needed to bolster the reliability of inbound shipments of raw materials.



IL2000 implemented a streamlined TMS solution allowing company vendors to ship their materials through customs with minimal delay or administrative complication.