

FONTERRA LOGISTICS PORTAL

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BACKGROUND

Fonterra Australia aims to find a solution to enhance operational productivity within its Logistics Team by addressing existing inefficiencies in shipment planning and information exchange between multiple stakeholders. Their intention involves transitioning from manual interventions in shipment planning to an automated centralised platform providing a





seamless workflow for transport operations.

PROJECT SCOPE

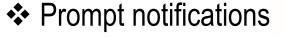
The current logistics process relies on manual data entry, excel spreadsheets, and intensive stakeholder communication through emails and phone calls. Extracting delivery planning sheets manually in excel and sending them to 3rd-party carriers for manual shipment arrangement is a slow and error-prone process. Booking pick-ups through the Warehouse Management System (WMS) lacks timely notifications and requires manual checks. Shipment status and Proof of Delivery documents are provided upon request through email or phone calls, leading to delays and the need for continuous follow-ups. The project aims to address these challenges through:

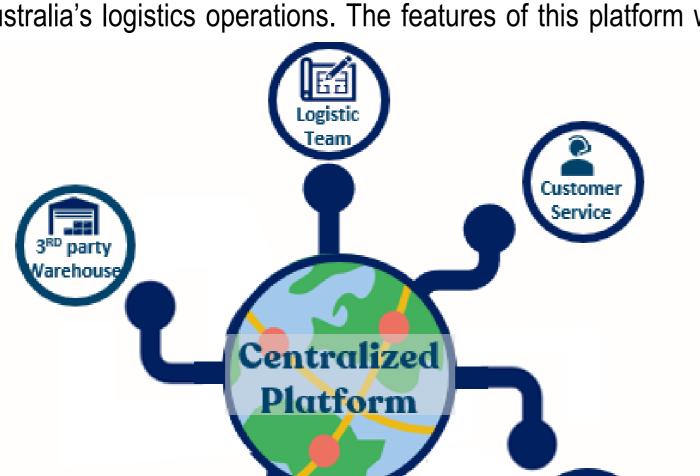
- Centralised Platform for Shipment Plan
- Automated shipment creation
- Shipment information exchange
- Cumulated KPI data for analysis

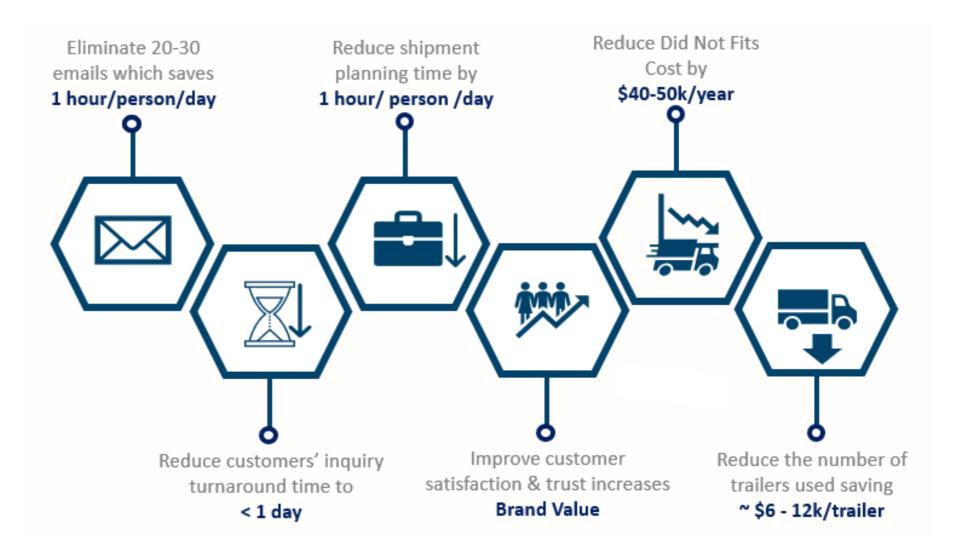
SOLUTION

Fonterra's goal is to implement a platform that is fully integrated with internal and external systems within Fonterra Australia's logistics operations. The features of this platform would include:

- Shipment Planning
- Shipment Tracking
- Inquiry Tracking
- ✤ KPI Data Visualisation
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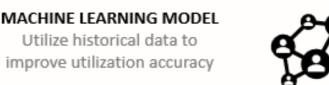
PROJECT OUTCOME

By the end of the project the following deliverables were provided to the Fonterra Australia Leadership Team:

- Business Case which included a thorough solution gap analysis, cost-benefit analysis, requirement traceability matrix and a project implementation timeline.
- User Interface Prototype of the logistics platform to demonstrate its design and functionality to stakeholders and potential users.

FUTURE WORK





For further information please visit the QR code:

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Adding photos of shipment to the portal upon delivery will enhance accountability within the process.



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