## **CARRIER CONNECTION MODULE**

### Connected to all of your carriers





# ONE CONNECTION TO SHIPITSMARTER RESULTS IN 600+ CONNECTIONS WITH CARRIERS

When you book a shipment via a carrier portal, a lot of shipment details need to be filled in manually which is time consuming and error prone. Even if the connection to your carrier is automated, multiple versions of shipment data need to be prepared because most carriers require the data in their own format. Also, multiple connections may need to be setup with each carrier which requires regular maintenance to keep them running. The Carrier Connection module can connect you with 600+ carriers globally to optimize your process immediately.

#### **Benefits**

The ShipitSmarter Carrier Connection Module offers you the following benefits:

- ★ Access to over 600 carriers worldwide, allowing you to save significant cost, time and resources for you to setup the connection with your carriers.
- ★ Three ways to integrate with your carrier: ShipitSmarter adapts to the connection type preferred by your carrier.
- ★ You only provide one version of a booking file: ShipitSmarter converts the file in the format as required by each carrier. This process is automated so that human errors can be reduced significantly.
- ★ Connect and Go: you are ready to start shipping with one of the 600+ carriers after you are connected to ShipitSmarter.
- ★ Book all your shipments in one place: you no longer need to book your shipments in several different portals. This means that if any master data is updated, the data is automatically applied to the booking shipments of any carrier.

#### Connect 600+ carriers worldwide

ShipitSmarter established over 600 carriers worldwide. This means that when you connect to ShipitSmarter, you can be connected to these 600+ carriers directly. Often, the integration between ShipitSmarter and the connected carriers is end-to-end, from booking and labelling through tracking and delivery confirmation to billing. Depending on the capability of each of your carriers, ShipitSmarter offers three types of connections:

#### 1. Email:

When your carrier does not offer an Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) interface, ShipitSmarter can send emails to your carrier automatically upon booking, which the carrier then manually enters into their system.

#### 2. EDI:

If your carrier is not using the ShipitSmarter exchange standard yet, EDI files can easily be sent to your carrier. These EDI files are compiled according to the carrier's specifications.

#### 3. API:

ShipitSmarter can send messages to your carrier's webservice portal. These messages are also constructed according to the carrier's specifications.



Thanks to the visibility that the TMS system brings, we are now in a position to drive our relationships with our 3PL and transport partners more efficiently and focus on process improvements and standardization. 35

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