

Mexico Rail Logistics & Supply Chain Services

Unlocking Mexican Rail Logistics and Safety Excellence

Mitigate Risk by Understanding Safety & Regulatory Challenges Unique to Mexican Rail Operations

In the complex and rapidly evolving landscape of Mexican rail logistics and supply chain operations, having an experienced partner is vital. PLG Consulting's Mexico Rail Logistics and Supply Chain services, led by former railroad executives and regional practitioners, offer unparalleled insights and strategies to help your business safely transport goods and expand your presence in this challenging market.

Facilitate Efficient Cross-Border Operations via Mexico Nearshore Strategy

Optimize your rail operations and business strategy with a robust Mexico nearshore strategy. Connect to major industrial centers, ports, and the U.S. border and facilitate efficient cross-border trade. Leverage several key intermodal terminals to enhance rail integration with other transport modes.





Market Entry Strategy

PLG's experts comprehensively analyze the Mexican market, helping businesses identify opportunities and challenges specific to their industry. We guide clients through regulatory hurdles, customs procedures, and cultural nuances to ensure a smooth entry into the Mexican rail logistics landscape.



Safety and Customs Consulting

You can navigate the complex security landscape of Mexican rail operations with confidence. Our team provides strategies to protect your shipments, comply with local regulations, and maintain operational integrity in challenging environments.



Supply Chain Optimization

Leverage PLG's years of railroad experience to design and implement efficient supply chain solutions tailored to Mexico's unique operational environment. From intermodal operations to port logistics, we help you maximize efficiency and minimize costs.



Network Expansion Support

Tap into PLG's extensive network of industry contacts to facilitate your expansion in Mexico. From introductions to key players to assistance with contract negotiations, we help you build the relationships necessary for success in Mexico.

RAIL AND LOGISTICS SYSTEM WITHIN MEXICO

Mexico's rail and logistics system forms the backbone of the country's rapidly growing industrial and trade sectors. With over 26,000 kilometers of track crisscrossing the nation, the Mexican railroad network connects manufacturing hubs, agricultural regions, and urban centers to critical ports and international border crossings. This expansive infrastructure, operated primarily by private companies like Ferromex and Kansas City Southern de México, facilitates the efficient movement of goods ranging from automobiles and electronics to grains and petroleum products. The integration of rail with a robust intermodal system and strategic port facilities has positioned Mexico as a vital link in North American supply chains, supporting the country's position as a significant player in global trade and manufacturing.

FACT SHEET ON MEXICO'S RAIL NETWORK

\$80 B

ANNUAL RAIL FREIGHT VALUE

The top five commodities by rail (by value) include automobiles and auto parts, intermodal containers, grains (corn, wheat, soybeans), metals and minerals, and petroleum products.

26,000km

TOTAL TRACK LENGTH

- Primarily operated by Ferromex, Kansas City Southern de México (KCSM), and Ferrosur
- Host to a robust intermodal system - key terminals in Mexico City, Guadalajara, and Monterrey.
- Operates 117 ports and terminals, including Manzanillo, Lázaro Cárdenas, Veracruz, and Altamira.

MX\$525 B

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM 2020-2024 PLANNED INVESTMENT

The Mexican government's program focuses on key projects, including:

- Maya Train in the Yucatan Peninsula
- Expanding and modernizing ports
- Improving intermodal corridors