



MAGAYA IMPLEMENTS

Inter-office Remote Access to Shipping Data

Magaya Cargo System and Magaya OnTheGo Solutions

When BG Logistics, an international logistics business, needed logistics software to transmit shipment data from their office in Miami to Central and South America and back, they selected the Magaya Cargo System and Magaya OnTheGo. Now their data is sent instantly and saves time for everyone - from accounting to warehousing. Magaya software provides a real-time view of transactions and eliminates redundant data entry.

“IT IS A VERY COMPLETE SYSTEM AND WE FOUND EVERYTHING THAT WE WERE SEARCHING FOR.”

Julian Scottolini, General Manager, BG Logistics

Magaya 
Logistics Software Solutions



AT A GLANCE

BG Logistics
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INDUSTRY
 Full-Service Logistics
SOLUTION
 Magaya Cargo System
 Magaya OnTheGo

BG Logistics incorporated in 2003 in Miami, FL. The executive office is located in Santiago de Chile and has agents throughout Latin America, Africa, Asia, Europe and the Middle East. They provide domestic and international air, road, and ocean freight forwarding, customs brokerage, warehousing and distribution services.

CHALLENGE

The Right System for the Job

BG Logistics, an international logistics business, is a division of A.J. Broom & Co. of Santiago de Chile. They first evaluated logistics software and chose the Magaya Cargo System. They needed a system that would handle inter-office communications and the wide range of logistics services they provide for import and export, including warehousing, distribution, and domestic ground transportation.

SOLUTION

What Makes the Right System?

BG Logistics researched different types of logistics software and purchased the Magaya Cargo System after a brief demonstration. The demonstration of the Magaya Cargo System showed BG Logistics that they did not need multiple systems to run their business; they could manage everything from top to bottom under “one roof”. The software comes with a full solution for everything from the warehousing, to the trade documentation, a full accounting solution, and the revolutionary “Magaya Network” to integrate their multiple offices.

With the help of the Magaya Cargo System, BG Logistics today runs a smooth operation that has allowed them to focus their resources on raising the bar for customer service instead of wasting time on the redundant data entry that is done on conventional systems. The Magaya Cargo System also proved to be user friendly, facilitating the training procedure of BG Logistics’ staff.

RESULTS

How it’s Done

By implementing the Magaya Cargo System in all their international offices, BG Logistics has streamlined inter-office operations like never before. Using the built-in Magaya Network, BG Logistics now transmits data between offices at the click of a button. This has already dramatically reduced redundant data entry for BG Logistics since shipments sent internationally from one of their offices to another are sent electronically for processing. For example, any shipments from Chile to Miami are prepared almost entirely in Chile. A representative at the Chile office enters data in a warehouse receipt during the week. When the shipment is ready for export, the Chile office uses the shipment wizards in the Magaya Cargo System to prepare the export shipment in minutes. Once completed, the Chile office transmits the entire consolidation with all of its documentation at the click of a button to the Miami office where it appears as an import shipment. This is done instantly when the shipment is created in Chile, long before the vessel ever departs from port.

Imports and AMS procedures

When the Miami office receives the shipment electronically in the Magaya Cargo System, they review the attached documents and add any additional information needed. The completed shipment is sent to US Customs Automated Manifest System (AMS) electronically via the Magaya Cargo System. Customs requires the manifest be transmitted 24 hours prior to the vessel being laden at the foreign port. After the manifest is transmitted to AMS for processing, there are two mandatory steps that follow:

- Once the vessel departs the foreign port, a departure message is transmitted via the AMS informing Customs that the vessel is incoming. This is important for Customs to ensure that the goods can be pre-screened before they arrive in the U.S.
- Once that cargo arrives on U.S. soil, an arrival message is transmitted as well.



RESULTS (cont.)

Liquidating Shipments

After the shipment is processed, it is ready for billing. BG Logistics runs the liquidation steps in the Magaya Cargo System. The software automatically analyzes the charges on the entire shipment and generates all necessary financial transactions. Based on the shipment charge and liquidation results, all the financial transactions are posted, including expenses to bills, incomes to invoices, and any pre-determined agent profit splits.

Gateway to your global offices

BG Logistics gained another advantage by using Magaya – managing several BG Logistics offices with Magaya On The Go, the remote version of Magaya software. With Magaya OnTheGo, they can access any of the ten databases spread across the globe. Once a manager connects to one of the databases, they have full access to reports. Based on the information they pull out of the reports, they assign tasks to the appropriate individual at that office. In this manner, managers can monitor and maintain full production at not just one office, but all offices no matter where on the globe they are located. This great benefit comes at no additional cost, and is done without the purchase of third party software allowing VPN or other types of remote connections.

IN CLOSING

Conclusion

Using the Magaya Cargo System, BG Logistics found one solution for all of their logistics needs. Since first incorporating in 2003, they have grown to include ten offices across South and Central America. By choosing to implement Magaya at all of their locations, they integrated their international offices into the Magaya Network. With this integration, BG Logistics' multiple offices can transmit any transaction to each other at the click of a button. The Magaya Network allows for the efficient management of their international offices, ensuring that their global presence is operating at maximum capacity.

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