

# DESCARTES FLEET MANAGEMENT SERVICE™



## PROVIDING FAST AND AFFORDABLE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FOR PRIVATE FLEETS

There's no doubt that companies with public and private fleets can benefit from route management solutions for route optimization, dispatching, operational visibility and reporting. But organizations with smaller fleets often cannot afford to deploy route management software on-site or afford the precious resources for its maintenance.

With the Descartes Fleet Management Service, operators of all sizes can take advantage of route management on a subscription basis using the Internet and a browser. Available on a pay-as-you-go basis, the Descartes Fleet Management Service lets companies avoid many of the costs associated with a full-scale software implementation, yet still experience the benefits of route management functionality including route planning, dispatch and redeployment, automated vehicle location, and monitoring of assets.

Descartes Fleet Management Service is part of the Descartes Global Logistics Network (GLN), which enables the world's leading transportation providers to connect to their trading partners and reliably exchange information to drive delivery performance and high levels of customer satisfaction. The Descartes GLN helps companies better manage their logistics book-to-bill process, track inventory, meet regulatory requirements, optimize fleet performance, and effectively communicate with their logistics partners.

## IMPROVING DELIVERY RELIABILITY AND ASSET UTILIZATION

The Descartes Fleet Management Service allows enterprises to take advantage of state-of-the-art logistics technology and domain expertise in a simple, lower-cost way.



**DESCARTES FLEET MANAGEMENT SERVICE** gives manufacturers, retailers and distributors of all sizes a Web-based solution to help improve customer service and reduce delivery costs without having to deploy solutions locally or build up in-house logistics expertise.

## FEATURES

**End-to-end delivery management.** Combines route planning, dispatch, automated vehicle location and wireless communications to create reliable, customer-centric delivery routes that focus on reducing overall distribution costs.

**Role-based access.** Gives greater control to dispatchers, customer service representatives and operations management by providing visibility to information and access to functionality specific to their jobs.

## BENEFITS

The Descartes Fleet Management Service helps:

- Bring the benefits of route management to companies that do not need to have the software in their own environment, are looking to limit capital expenditures, or seek a rapid deployment.
- Reduce fuel costs by decreasing the number of miles driven.
- Reduce overtime hours/labor costs by optimizing routes.
- Improve asset utilization by enabling organizations to do more with less.
- Gain operational visibility into driver performance by reviewing actual versus planned performance.
- Increase customer service by more accurately providing status updates and arrival/departure times.

### THE DESCARTES DIFFERENCE

The Descartes Systems Group Inc. is a leading provider of on-demand delivery management solutions for transportation, logistics, manufacturing, retail and distribution enterprises. Descartes delivers trading partner connectivity and document exchange, route planning, wireless dispatch, rate management, inventory and asset visibility, transportation management and warehouse optimization solutions for industries such as retail, consumer goods, manufacturing, transportation, distribution and third-party logistics. Descartes offers solutions that can be deployed as traditional applications or as a service to help customers optimize and gain real-time control of their inventory, logistics assets and mobile workforce. Descartes solutions are used by more than 2,500 customers in over 60 countries. For more information, visit [www.descartes.com](http://www.descartes.com).



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