

# Union Internationale des Sociétés de Transport Combiné Rail-Route

# Cooperation as key to shift traffic from road to rail

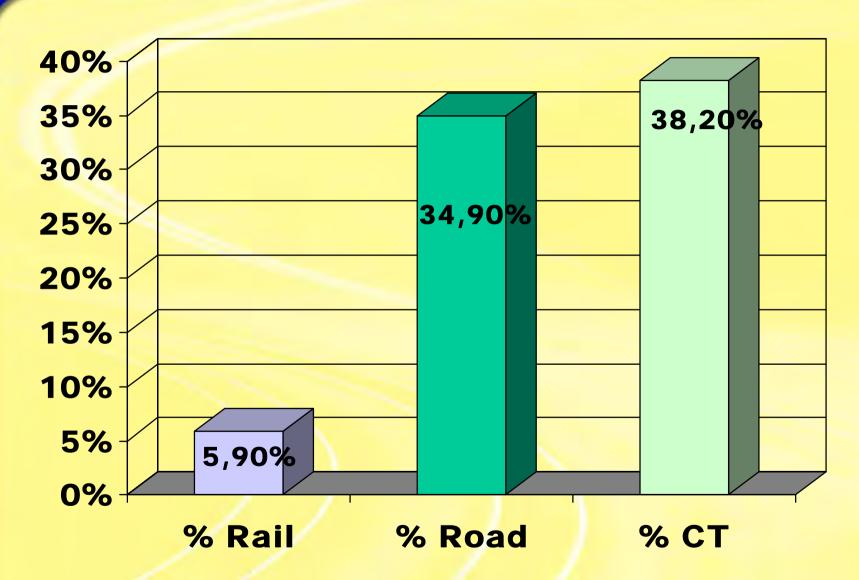
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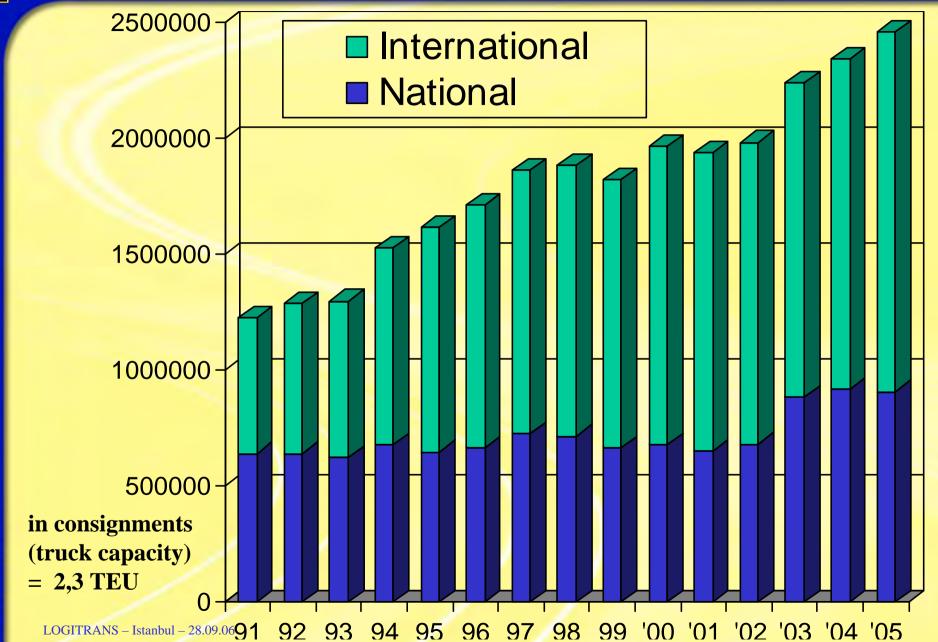
## TKM Evolution per transport mode (1995-2004)



Source: EU Pocket Book 2004 & UIRR statistics



## **Statistics 1991-2005**





## **Importance of Combined Transport**

#### Traffic of UIRR members

- 10.000 truck loads daily on long distances
- 500 complete trains each work day
- 2/3 of CT brought to rail by operators

#### Total combined traffic

- Part of rail traffic 20% of tkm freight
- Part of transalpine traffic 10 to 20%



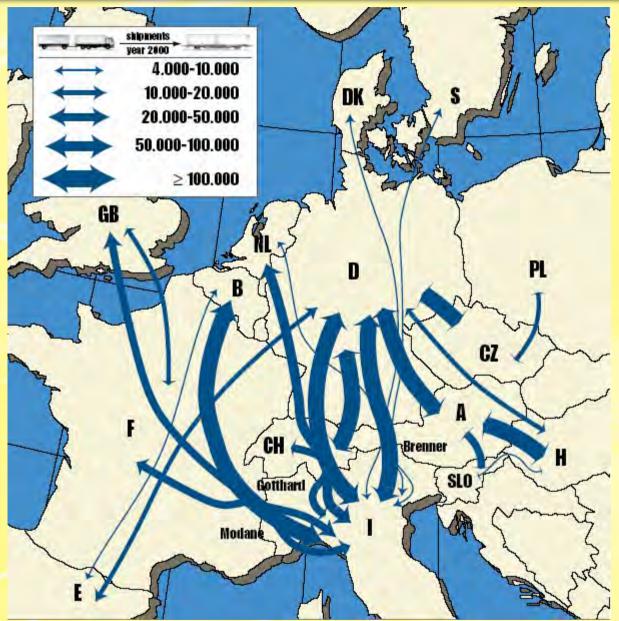


## **UIRR Members**





## Main traffic flows: transalpine



UIRR



## **Incentives for Combined Transport**

#### **Problems on road**

- Rising road tolls and fuel prices
- More controls of resting times, speed limits
- Limited road permissions
- Night or week-end traffic bans
- Road capacity limits, traffic jams

## Advantages of rail

- More capacity and flexibility
- More traffic with less investment









### Two-level organisation (decentralised structure)

#### **Liaison Office Brussels**

- ⇒ overall promotion of CT
- ⇒ coordination of members' activities
- ⇒ service centre (projects, reports)

## **Member Companies**

- ⇒ 20 CT operators
- ⇒ organising and marketing of CT
- ⇒ wagons in ownership management of transhipment yards (terminals)





## Cooperation road/rail

## Cooperation in the capital

- Logistic and road haulage companies
- Railway companies
- UIRR partner operators

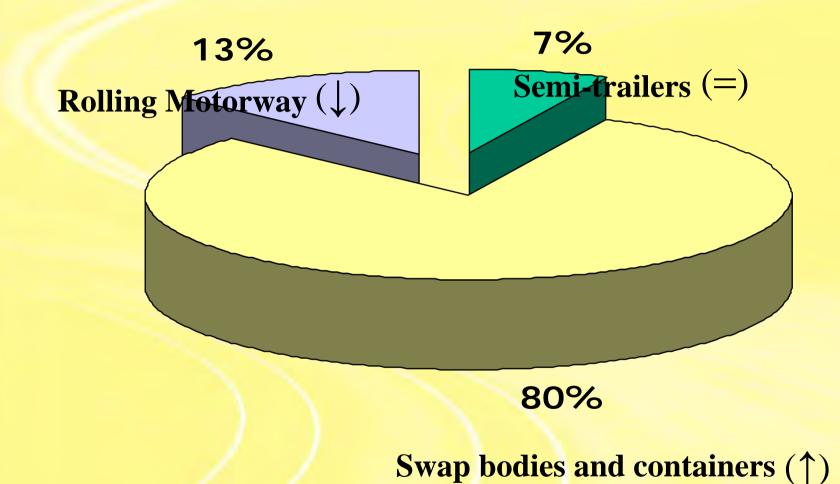
## **Philosophy**

- Neutral Operator, manages traffic on rail, wagons, terminals
- Customer invests in loading units
- Operator will not directly deal with shippers





## Techniques (2005)

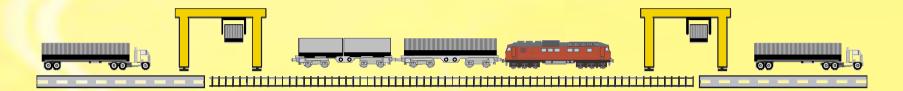






## **CT Techniques: chain**

### **Unaccompanied Transport** (only loading unit)



#### Differences in:

- road and rail distances
- equipment / transhipment yards
- type of wagons
- markets

## Accompanied Transport (full truck with driver)



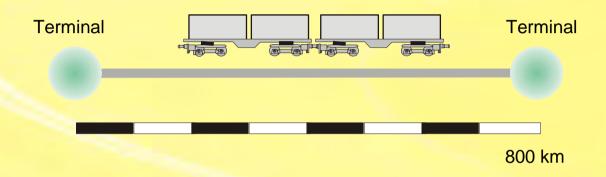




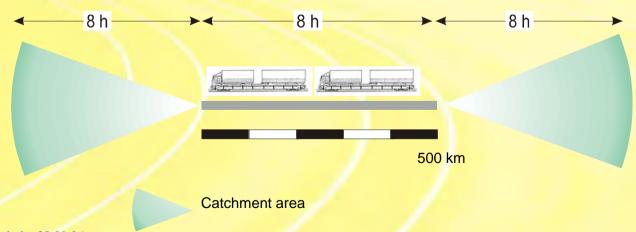


## CT Techniques: catchment area

## **Unaccompanied Transport** (only loading unit)



## Accompanied Transport (full truck with driver)





## **Unaccompanied Transport**



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## **Accompanied Transport**











## **CESAR - Tracking & tracing interface**



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## **Unaccompanied CT relations**

#### **SINGER:** connect West and East

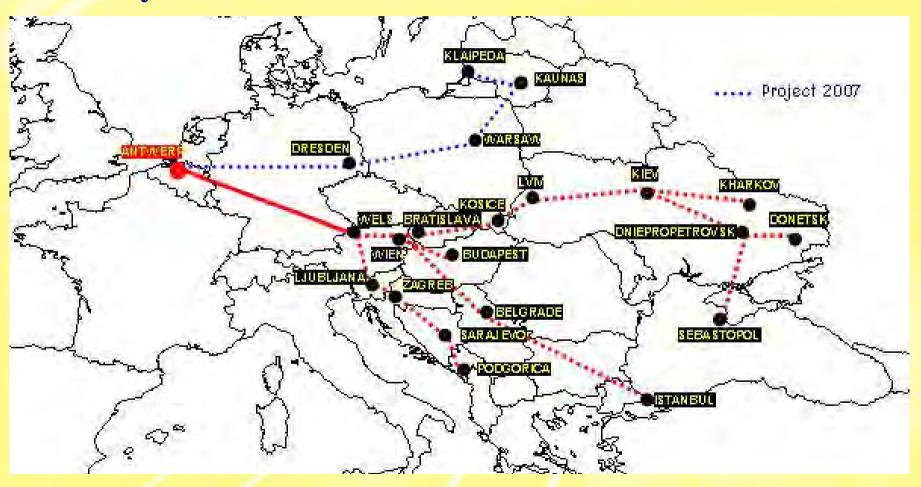


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## **Unaccompanied CT**

## Relations Connecting Belgium to Turkey via Germany/Austria

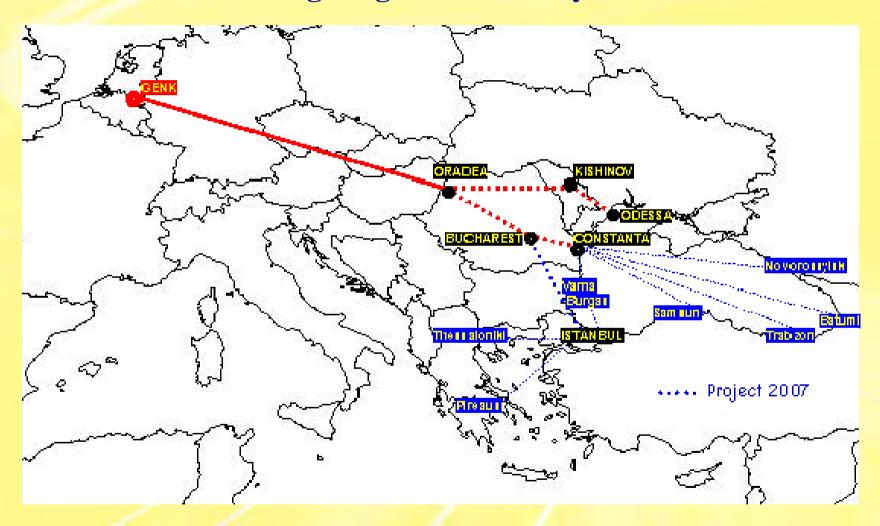






## **Unaccompanied CT relations**

## Relations connecting Belgium to Turkey via Romania





## Multimodal services (Road/SSS/CT services)

## Relations connecting Turkey to Austria via Italia





## **RoMo services**

## Relations connecting Turkey to Austria/Germany via Romania

