



Quality is the basis

2009 - Nov

More than seven European countries are successful to obtain the AEO certification to reach customs simplifications security and safety (AEO stands for Authorized Economic Operator). Quality certifications according to the latest ISO 9001:2008 standard now in more than 570 locations, ISO 14001 and OHSAS 18001 certifications in more than 160 locations each. Further certificates cover airfreight quality (Cargo 2000) as well as food and pharmaceuticals / healthcare. As an extension of environment, Kuehne + Nagel is successful to develop and implement its own Global Facility Carbon Calculator, which leads to significant CO₂ reductions in 2009 already.

2004 - Nov

Environmental Certifications ISO 14001 include more than 70 locations already; certification according to OHSAS 18001, the standard for occupational health and safety, increased to over 60 locations.

2004 - Mar

Security Management is integral to the company's QSHE management system. Kuehne + Nagel obtains TAPA and C-TPAT security certificates acknowledging its high levels of security (TAPA = Transported Asset Protection Association – hi-tech industry, C-TPAT = Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism – U.S. Customs).

2003 - Nov

Brussels in Belgium becomes the first Kuehne + Nagel location to comply with the three international standards ISO 9001 (Quality), OHSAS 18001 (Safety & Health) and ISO 14001 (Environment): QSHE was used since then to summarise these areas. In addition, Brussels obtained the SQAS attestation (Safety and Quality Assessment System - chemical industry).

2002 - Oct

Kuehne + Nagel successfully reaches updated quality certification worldwide according to latest ISO 9001:2000 standard. The company also increases the number of locations with ISO 14001 environmental certification to 20 thus adding environment to quality.

1995 - Apr

The worldwide Kuehne + Nagel Group becomes one of the first international logistics providers awarded ISO 9001 certification across its global locations and operations.

1994 - May

Kuehne + Nagel Germany and The Netherlands successfully obtain ISO 9001 certification as pilot countries during the build-up of the company's worldwide quality management system.

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