

Case Study - automotive supplier in Europe

Calculating unit-level supply chain costs using 4flow vista® for a supplier in the automotive industry

Background

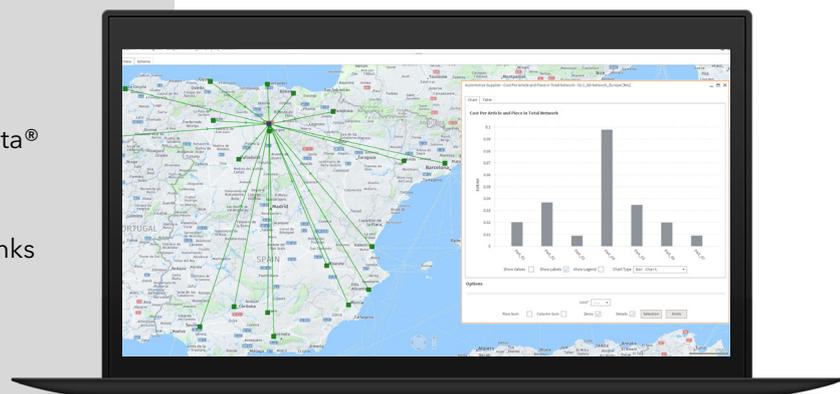
- > Lack of transparency on total supply chain costs per finished product
- > External service provider used for carrying out cost calculations
- > Poor quality of calculations and lack of transparency
- > Need for extensive checks and multiple time-consuming updates

Project approach

- > Plan for insourcing of supply chain cost calculations
- > Implement 4flow vista® for strategic transportation planning to calculate supply chain costs
- > Train staff on specific responsibilities for working with 4flow vista®
- > Carry out pilot project to identify cost drivers and integrate them in network models

Outcome and benefits

- 1 4flow vista® was successfully implemented to enable the supplier to calculate their own supply chain costs independently
- 2 High-quality results were achieved in cost calculations on the unit level using 4flow vista®
- 3 Working time was significantly reduced thanks to a successful integration and improved transparency





Automotive suppliers are faced with challenges like volatile customer demand and varying production volumes. Now more than ever, a tool to adjust network structures and transportation plans to reflect such changes helps businesses overcome these challenges.

About 4flow

4flow is a leading provider of supply chain consulting, software and fourth-party logistics (4PL) services. With this cross-functional competency, we are able to meet and exceed the highest standards of quality and innovation.

20+

offices in Europe, North America, South America and Asia

900+

team members globally

400+

customers globally

Our expertise - supply chain software

Software for network optimization and fully integrated transportation and container management



Digitization and software



Supply chain strategy



Sustainable supply chain



Network and transportation optimization



End-to-end transportation management

Interested or have questions?

Contact us!

Get in touch to have your questions answered or to schedule a live demo of our software solutions.

We look forward to hearing from you.

4flow software

Michael Kagel

Senior Expert,
Software Sales

+49 152 08679902

m.kagel@4flow.com



Our software customers

ACGO Adient Knorr-Bremse

Lear Magna MARS Volvo

Yanfeng