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Wind 2 Rail

Solutions for the Wind Energy Market

Transporting wind components can be difficult: Their size alone can present logistical challenges, as can state regulations and securing ample lay-down space. The **Wind 2 Rail** program offers a seamless solution to make transporting wind components easy, while also offering the benefits of shipping by rail.

Together, Union Pacific, the nation's largest railroad, and Union Pacific Distribution Services (UPDS), an innovator specializing in the design and execution of rail-based logistics programs, have created a logistics solution tailored to the needs of the dynamic wind energy marketplace. Using an established network of wind distribution facilities, our Wind 2 Rail program connects the Union Pacific rail network with key port and wind farm locations. With an efficient chain-of-custody process in place, we ensure a smooth transition from rail car to motor carrier for final delivery to the project site.

The Wind 2 Rail distribution management process provides:

- Coordination of inbound trains
- Rigging and storage
- Focus on successful project implementation
- Project cost control
- Management and visibility of materials on and off rail
- Coordination of job site delivery schedules
- Inventory and delivery reports
- Site preparation to meet customer specifications

Value-Added Services

- Daily monitoring of loads with estimated time of arrival
- Comprehensive management of exceptions with all railroads involved in the movement
- Customized daily reports with shipper-specific information
- Collaboration with railroads, riggers and motor carriers for resolution to systemic issues
- Full utilization of service quality process
- Logistics experts available to guide customers through the rail transportation process including waybilling, equipment management and problem resolution

A Market Leader

Union Pacific and UPDS are committed to being the transportation providers of choice in the wind energy market.

We offer comprehensive transportation solutions for wind component shipments, such as towers, nacelles, hubs and blades to destinations around North America.

With a growing network of wind distribution centers, and backed by the greenest locomotive fleet in the industry, we can expand your supply chain capabilities while providing efficient, reliable, green transportation. Our logistics experts are ready to design environmentally-friendly, innovative solutions to meet your transportation requirements.

UPDS Wind Distribution Centers

