

Körber successfully implements its technology in GLS Spain's Madrid hub

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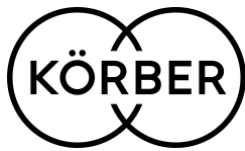
Madrid, March 21, 2024 - Körber has just completed the development and implementation of its technology applied to logistics platforms in the GLS Spain hub in Madrid. After several months of studying the project, designing the best solutions for sorting goods, implementing and adapting different systems and technology, the work has been completed with excellent results. In fact, thanks to the technology implemented, it has been possible to increase the platform's capacity and reach flows exceeding 50,000 packages per hour, a milestone in the logistics sector in Spain. *"It has been a few very hard months due to the complexity and demands of the project, but we have finally been able to pull it off, providing the best solutions for our client,"* says Víctor García Durrif, CEO of Körber in Spain.

GLS Spain's hub, its headquarters, is located in the Madrid Gate Logistics Centre logistics park, on the former Pegaso factory site, very close to the A2, the capital and the airport. With a surface area of more than 37,000 m², cross-docking and urban distribution operations are carried out from here. Körber's state-of-the-art technology enables the company to handle a large volume of parcels per hour, which is decisive for its competitiveness.

Körber has implemented four primary and two irregular lines, with complex technology including its revolutionary Visicon system, which is capable of singling out parcels quickly and optimizing delivery flows. *"It is an advanced vision system based on artificial intelligence that detects and records the shape, size and relative position of each package on the belts,"* explains García Durrif.

With this real-time information, the system can stipulate important parameters, such as separation, orientation and outbound direction.

"At GLS Spain, we have felt supported from the very beginning. From the first visit to our facilities to understand the needs of the project, to the closing. Both companies share the common goal of ensuring that the system works with maximum efficiency," says Roberto Martínez, Chief Finance Director of GLS on the Iberian peninsula. *"Having a state-of-the-art facility, where the most cutting-edge and innovative technology on the market has been implemented with the Körber seal, has been and will undoubtedly be a decisive factor in the growth of the business in Spain,"* he concludes.



About GLS Spain

GLS Spain is a subsidiary of the GLS Group, a leading provider of national and international parcel, freight forwarding and express services in 40 countries. Thanks to its extensive network of logistics centers and extensive local market knowledge, GLS customers receive a high-quality, personalized and flexible service, not only in Europe but also beyond its borders. As a group, GLS generated record revenues of €5.4 billion in 2022-2023 and delivered 862 million parcels.

In Spain, the GLS network has nearly 600 of its own centers and agencies, supported by more than 5,300 Parcel Shops, approximately 4,800 delivery vehicles and 510 long-distance trucks. GLS Spain currently employs around 1,600 professionals.

Since 2021, GLS Spain has been a signatory partner of the United Nations Global Compact, thus reinforcing its commitment to contribute to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the development of its activity.

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About Körber

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Challenges in the supply chain are growing every day. Körber uniquely offers a wide range of proven end-to-end technologies for logistics, tailored to every company, business or growth strategy. Our customers master the complexity of the supply chain thanks to a portfolio that includes software, automation solutions, parcel and mail solutions, voice technology, robotics and transport systems, brought together under one roof with expertise in end-to-end system integration. Körber makes it possible to turn the configuration of supply chains into a competitive advantage. The Supply Chain business unit is part of the international Körber Technology Group.

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