

Virtual Conference on
Building Warehousing Competitiveness 2021
Sustainable Infrastructure, Partnerships and altering Operating Models
29 July 2021, Thursday | CII Hive

1000 - 1110 Hrs Inaugural Session

<i>1000 - 1010 Hrs</i>	<i>Welcome Address</i>	Mr Dhruv Kotak Managing Director J M Baxi Group
<i>1010 - 1025 Hrs</i>	<i>Sustainable Infrastructure, Partnerships and altering Operating Models</i>	Mr Manish Saigal Managing Director Alvarez & Marsal
<i>1025 - 1040 Hrs</i>	<i>Special Address</i>	Mr Anshuman Singh Chairman & Managing Director Stellar Value Chain Solutions
<i>1040 - 1055 Hrs</i>	<i>Inaugural Address</i>	Dr Surendra Ahirwar Joint Secretary - Logistics Ministry of Commerce & Industry Government of India
<i>1055 - 1100 Hrs</i>	<i>Product Launch by Armstrong - "ASRS - Multishuttle"</i>	
<i>1100 - 1105 Hrs</i>	<i>MoU Signing with IIMT Studies Ltd</i>	
<i>1105 - 1110 Hrs</i>	<i>Closing Remarks</i>	Mr A M Visvanathan Executive Vice President - Special Projects Godrej Storage Solutions
1110 - 1130 Hrs	Break	

1130 - 1300 Hrs Lifting the Outsourcing weights - Altering Operating Models

Successful user sector and logistics service providers partnership is key for sustainable outsourcing growth. Changing market structure, renewed focus on policies and adjusted operating models will transform the outsourcing partnerships.

- Is warehousing sector fast approaching consolidation stage?
- Which areas to focus for strengthening warehousing user sector and logistics services providers partnerships?
- What are the innovative practices introduced by logistics service providers, especially from warehousing viewpoint in past 2 years?

Session Chairman

Mr R Shankar

Member - CII National Committee on Logistics
Group Chief Executive Officer
TVS Supply Chain Solutions Ltd

Panel Discussion

Mr Rahul Bagde, Senior Director - Greater China Supply Chain, Zespri International

Mr Satyam Sundaram, Partner, Government & Transaction Advisory Services, Ernst & Young LLP

Mr Vibhav Verma, Head National Logistics, Apollo Tyres Limited

Mr Nikhil Kush, Head of Supply Chain, Sakata Inx India Private Limited

Mr Jeffrey TAN, Head Group Corporate Development & Group Technology, YCH Group Pte Ltd

1245 - 1300 Hrs Q & A Session

1300 - 1400 Hrs Lunch Break

1400 - 1530 Hrs Towards World-class and Sustainable Warehouse Infrastructure

Conventional warehouse infrastructure limitations cannot be overcome without structural changes. Reforms and development focused regulations call for investments in new warehousing infrastructure. Green building and eco-friendly operating equipment would improve working conditions, safety and image of the warehousing industry.

- What are the key limitations of conventional warehouse buildings?
- How new generation warehouse buildings are safer and better than conventional warehouses?
- Are there any sustainability guidelines and incentives for green practice establishment?
- Is there any roadmap for transition to new generation warehouse infrastructure?

Session Chairman

Mr Nitin Vyas

Member - CII National Committee on Logistics
Managing Director & CEO
BEUMER India

Panel Discussion

Mr Rajeev Mehta, Chief Logistics Officer, Ambuja Cements Ltd

Mr Jasmine Singh, Senior Executive Director, CBRE India

Mr Gopala Krishna, National Head Supply Chain, Big Basket

Mr Devendra Rawat, Director, Levi Strauss & Co

Mr Ashok Kumar, Head Intra Logistics, Godrej Storage Solutions

Mr Ankit Samdariya, Head of Asset Management, Logos Properties

1515 - 1530 Hrs Q & A Session

1530 - 1545 Hrs Break

1545 - 1715 Hrs Partnerships to achieve higher Productivity Levels

Innovative practices in warehousing are key for achieving higher productivity levels. Increasing volume of operations necessitate investments in material handling equipment, handling automation system, integrated information systems and certifications. The first step will be introducing industry standards.

- Are there any common standards established in logistics or warehousing?
- What is the role of original equipment manufacturers and technology service providers in establishing common standards?
- How can logistics service providers co-operate to establish common industry standards?
- Are there any good practices for greater degree of collaboration among stakeholders for higher productivity levels?

Session Chairman

Mr Manu R Bhalla

Member - CII National Committee on Logistics
Director & Global Head - Contract Logistics
Freight Systems

Panel Discussion

Dr Pramod Sant, Vice President - Head of Import & Export and Customs at Siemens Ltd

Mr Ashwin David, Chief Sales Officer, Armstrong Pvt Ltd

Mr Pradeep Purohit, Senior Vice President Supply Chain, Star Cement Ltd

Dr Raul Rodriguez, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Woxsen University

1700 - 1715 Hrs Q & A Session
