

FACT SHEET

Schenker AB



Much shorter sorting times and higher sorting quality are the main benefits that express services specialist Schenker AB has experienced with its Vanderlande Industries PAXORTER system. Based in Linköping, Sweden, Schenker operates from a modern distribution centre serving the local Swedish market.

Schenker AB handled their parcel stream manually until that became too inefficient. They then opted for an automated sorting system that would increase the capacity, have more destinations, be simple to maintain, easy to operate and would ensure a high availability and a smaller footprint than the old system.

Vanderlande offered a solution with a PAXORTER, which has few motors to maintain and guarantees the requested high availability. Together with a good price this convinced Schenker to choose Vanderlande.

The parcel sorting activities are situated in a hall where also other transport and handling activities take place. That's why the small footprint of the PAXORTER system was a big plus. Other decision factors were the good ergonomics and the fact that less manpower would be needed for the operation and less skilled engineers to do the maintenance. The incoming parcels are scanned and weighed before they are sent to their destinations via the PAXORTER. This information is also used for invoicing purposes.

Facts & figures

Contract

Project Milestones

- › Order Date February 2005
- › Operation Date March 2005

Contract value (€)

- › 350,000 including complete spare parts package

Project organisation

- › Vanderlande hardware delivery. Controls

System

Sorting

- › PAXORTER

Capacity (pph)

- › 2,000

Infeeds

- › 2 belt floor conveyors

Outlets

- › 8 gravity rollers

System Size

- › S

Scanning & Weighing

- › Overhead scanner (work station from Cargoscan)

