

Ratos company Speed Group to launch a new solution for optimised construction material flows

Speed Group (Speed), one of Sweden's largest 3PL providers, is now expanding its offering to include solutions for complete construction material flows. This will not only lead to an optimised use of resources in the construction industry, but will also strengthen competitiveness.

Planning material deliveries and ensuring that materials are delivered on time represent a major challenge for the construction industry. Speed is now launching a solution for optimised construction material flows. Combining a true understanding of construction logistics with strategically located construction terminals, the solution provides a solid foundation for delivering the right construction materials at the right time and the right price.

At present, material planning often requires that additional products be ordered from building suppliers, which is significantly more expensive than making planned purchases directly from the manufacturer. Now that Speed is able to offer the construction industry the perfect construction material flows, these conditions are set to change.

"This is further evidence that Speed has a genuine ability to have its ears to the ground and understand customer needs, combined with a highly innovative corporate culture. As the economy in the construction industry recovers, Speed has established a service that will streamline the industry," says Christian Johansson Gebauer, Chairman of the Board of Speed Group and President, Business Area Construction & Services, Ratos.

Under the new solution, a logistics analysis is performed even before construction begins, followed by continual on-site logistics coordination during the construction period. The aim is to verify the logistics analysis, resulting in optimised flows with materials delivered correctly packaged, at the right time, in the right quantity and to the right location. Speed's construction terminals are able to store material in optimal conditions and deliveries are effortlessly synched with construction schedules. At the end of the working day, complete kits are rolled in to various assembly points, ready for construction workers the following morning.

"With a team with extensive experience in construction logistics combined with our logistics terminals, we are able to offer the construction industry a complete solution that is hard to beat. A construction company can save an enormous amount of time by allowing its workers to fully focus on the task at hand rather than looking for, getting hold of or even waiting for materials. Our team is made up of experts in construction logistics who are fully aware that there is a lot of progress to be made in the area," says Jesper Andersson, CEO of Speed Group.

About Speed Group

Speed offers sustainable, flexible and innovative solutions to complex logistics and staffing challenges. Sustainability permeates the entire business, and the aim of becoming carbon neutral by 2025 was already achieved in 2023. Speed has its head office in Borås, Sweden, and logistics centres in Borås, Gothenburg, Stenungsund and Stockholm covering a combined total of more than 220,000 square metres. The company has sales of about SEK 1 billion and approximately 1,000 employees.

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About Ratos

Ratos is a Swedish business group focusing on technological and infrastructure solutions, consisting of 17 companies divided into three business areas: Construction & Services, Industry and Consumer. The companies have approximately SEK 33 billion in net sales (June LTM). We have a distinct corporate culture and strategy – everything we do is based on our core values: Simplicity, Speed in Execution and It's All About People. We enable independent subsidiaries to excel by being part of something larger. People, leadership, culture and values are key focus areas.

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