

# Modula WMS

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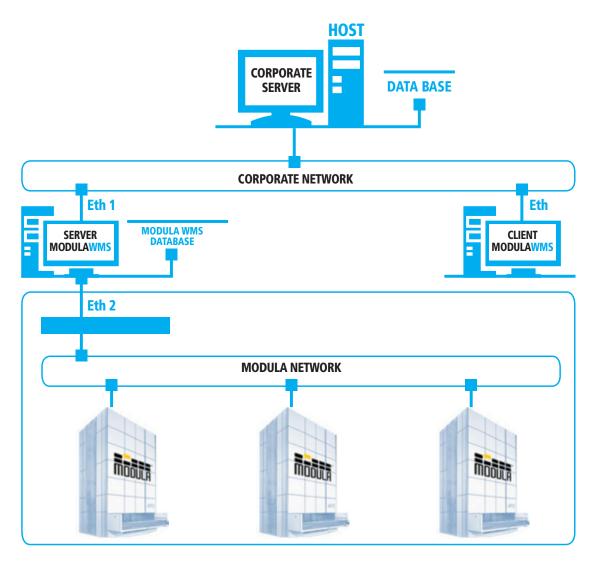
### Warehouse management system

Modula WMS software is a complete inventory management software ideal for all Modula automated storage equipment, such as VLM's, vertical carousels and horizontal carousels as well as with traditional storage methods, such as shelving or racking.

Modula WMS software is able to be used as the perfect compliment to all Modula units for additional space and utilization management or even as a stand alone software tool for your warehouse.

It allows for a real-time management of items via a PC interface. All that is needed to be supplied is a PC to act as the software's server and customers may choose to add additional "client" PC's for their use, depending on the number of storage area locations or specific needs.

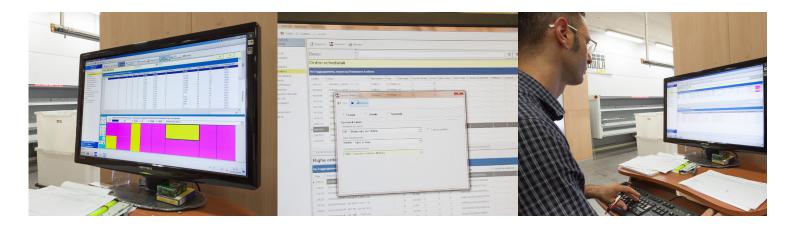
Modula WMS installs the Express version of Microsoft SQL Server, which is free and does not require any additional licenses. The SQL Server database used must be exclusively for Modula WMS to use.







### **Benefits of Modula WMS**



### **CONTROL AND EFFICIENCY**

Using your data to its fullest potential to improve and maximize the overall performance of your operation.

- Repetitive tasks and procedures are automated.
- Material movements are well planned to optimize tasks.
- Processes and paperwork are substantially reduced

### **INVENTORY OPTIMIZATION**

Modula WMS software continuously searches for optimal locations to further maximize space and optimize inventory in the best possible manner.

#### **EASE OF USE**

Operating procedures are efficiently designed for an intuitive and easy to use experience, by even lower skilled users.

### INTEGRATION TO YOUR HOST SYSTEM

Modula WMS provides an easy ability to integrate with your ERP or Host systems (SAP, Oracle, Microsoft, etc.), MRP or other applications, providing an exchange of accurate and continuous information between systems and Modula WMS.

### PRODUCTIVITY IMPROVEMENTS

By optimizing order management, Modula WMS provides users with the ability to increase speed of order execution for both picking and replenishment operations, all done with complete item traceability.

### **CONFIGURABILITY**

Modula WMS is easily adapted to existing corporate software systems and organizational needs. The result is minimal impact to current procedures and preferences.





### Software packages



## MODULA WMS BASE

The BASE software module is the included package provided with all Modula units sold. It provides the

basic tools necessary to manage the space and utilization of units, such as order register management, graphical tray location management, the ability to request individual items by way of orders or individual item requests, execution of physical inventories and the ability for integration with a client's management system by means of a manual text file exchange with a predefined path.



# MODULA WMS BASE PLUS

The BASE PLUS software module adds two important functionalities in addition to the BASE soft-

ware module. Advanced security management to limit access to specific trays or items, based on the user's login profile. And an automatic and configurable import/export data exchange with a client's management system, using text files or shared tables accessible via ODBC, .XML, ASCII or Excel files.



### MODULA WMS STANDARD

The STANDARD software module includes functionality designed to make Modula units as efficient

as possible, added functionalities include:

- Dynamic item to compartment allocation management.
- Dynamic batching and item serial & lot number,management.
- FIFO and expiration date management. It also provides warehouse statistical analysis tools as well as print report customization.



## MODULA WMS DRIVER

The DRIVER software module allows clients who already have a "Host Management" type of

software in place to have the ability to manage several Modula units for their picking, replenishment and cycle-counting needs using the in place Host system. Communication is made possible using text files or shared tables. It is possible to use visual picking aid accessories such as the X-Axis LED Bar, Alphanumeric LED Bar and Laser Pointers. The CoPilot console is used to allow operators to interact with units, although all item and order requests are done using the existing WMS.



### **MODULA LINK**

Modula LINK allows clients who already have a "Host Management" type of software in place to have the ability to control the automation commands of several Modula units. Communications with the supervisory Host PC is accomplished via sockets. In this case there is no order information exchanged, rather specific machine movement commands to move storage locations are sent based on the items needed. It is possible to use visual picking aid accessories such as the Alphanumeric LED Bar and Laser Pointers. The Copilot console in this case is not used by operators to interact with the unit. In this case it is necessary to use RF terminals or another PC to execute orders and interact with the external host system.





# Supplementary software modules Available to be added to Modula WMS Standard



### **ADVANCED ITEM MANAGEMENT**

The advanced item management module provides additional functionality to the STANDARD software:

- Extended fields for advanced item management
- Ability to associate images to items for picking operations
- Ability to group items into families for improved search and filtering capabilities
- Advanced security management options able to limit access to specific trays for users
- Multiple, pre-defined types of order management possible

### REMOTE ASSISTANCE

The remote assistance module provides the ability to connect remotely to Modula SMS through a web browser. It allows for easy error diagnostics and assistance in troubleshooting issues quickly and easily without having to wait for a software technician to arrive.

### MANUAL WAREHOUSE **MANAGEMENT**

The manual warehouse management module allows for the creation and management of manual storage areas. Users can also manage material transfers between areas as well as incoming materials received.

#### RADIO FREQUENCY

The RF software module is only available in addition to the manual warehouse module and it further extends its functionalities. The RF module allows the use of Windows CE or Mobile based RF terminals to manage manual storage areas.

### ADVANCED ITEM PICKING

The advanced item picking module provides additional functionalities to improve activities such as batch picking "put-to-light" system management, packing list management, and assembly kitting management.

### SAP® IDOC

The SAP® IDOC module allows for interfacing with SAP® WM module by means of standard SAP IDOC's.





### Services provided

In addition to Modula WMS software, the following services are available to users.



### SOFTWARE INSTALLATION

Modula WMS software is installed by computer specialists using a fast guided procedure. Once the program has been installed on the server and on any clients and the Modula VLM units have been configured in Modula WMS, the system is immediately ready for use.



### WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Modula WMS is covered by a limited warranty and support until the end of the software's life cycle. The licensor reserves all rights not expressly stated herein.



#### STAFF TRAINING

After installation and the initial configuration of the Modula VLM units, the staff that will be using the software will receive basic training in the use and operation of the software and its functionalities. On request, additional in-depth training sessions are available to be organized if needed.



### **TECHNICAL SERVICE**

Telephone support and/or remote service support is provided using the Remote Assistance module.



## INTEGRATION WITH A HOST MANAGEMENT

Software integration consultation and support is available when required and its goal is to provide the support required for a fast and effective integration to the host or ERP system.



#### **Our REFERENCES**

Symrise

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Mono Pumps

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