

# Defining the challenges of land transport security

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## What is Globalisation?

What does it take to have a cup of coffee in a café?



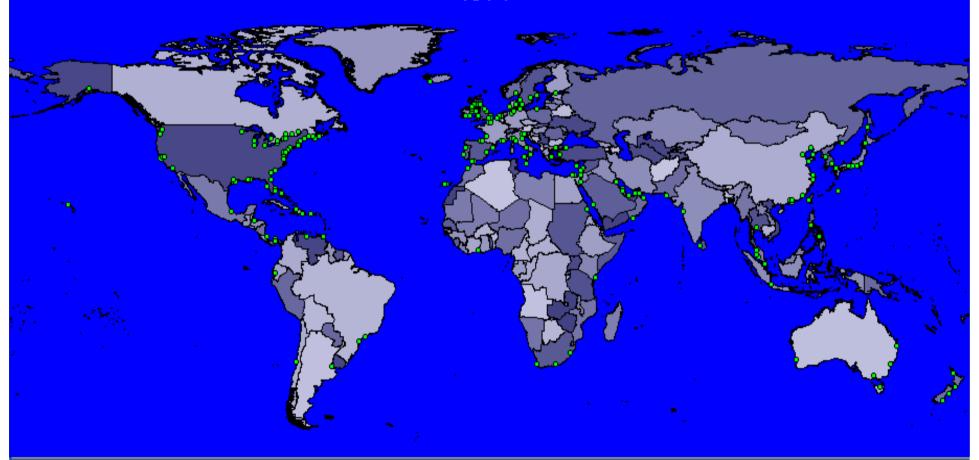
# The combined efforts of 29 companies in 18 countries

Road Transport has become a production tool!



# **Evolution of sea containers** in ports

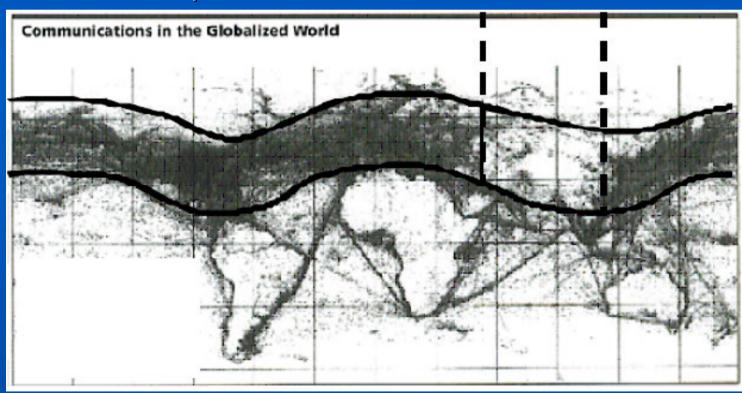
Global Container Overslag 1971





## Satellite Intercepts of the World's Satellite Intercepts of the World's Telecommunications in a 24-Hour Period

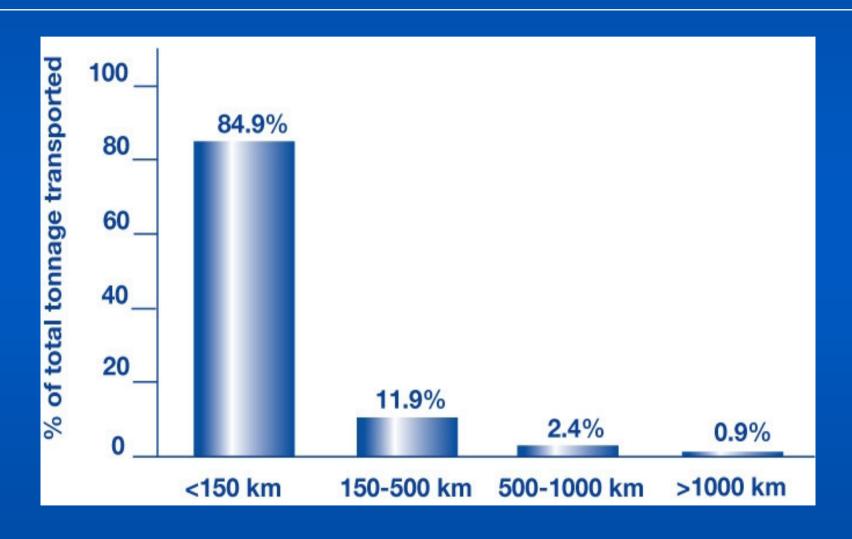
#### Modern Activity Gap: The blank swath in the Northern Hemisphere is centered on Central Asia!



Source: Centre for Strategic International Studies (CSIS) Washington, D.C.: CSIS)



# Road transport tonnage distances in modern economies





# Join key UN Global tools to permit road transport to interconnect businesses

<ul><li>Constructio</li></ul>	n Traffic A	rteries, 1950
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- E Road Network (AGR), 1975
- E Comb. Tr. Network (AGTC), 1991
- Road Traffic, 1949
- Road Traffic, 1968
- Protocol on Road Signs & Signals, 1949
- Road Signs & Signals, 1968
- Suppl. 1968 Convention Road Traffic, 1971
- Suppl.1968 Conv. Road Signs & Signals, 1971
- Weights and Dimensions, 1950
- Suppl. 1949 Conv. and Protocol, 1950
- Road Markings, 1957
- Protocol Road Markings, 1973
- Issue and Validity of Driving Permits (APC)
- Vehicles Regulations, 1958
- Techn. Inspect. Vehicles, 1997
- Global Vehicles Regulations , 1998
- Work of Crews Int. Road Transport (AETR), 1970
- Perishable Foodstuffs (ATP), 1970

- Taxation Priv. Road Vehic., 1956
- Taxation Road Passenger Vehic., 1956
- Taxation Road Goods. Vehic., 1956
- Contract Road Goods Transport (CMR) ,1956
- Protocol to CMR, 1978
- Contract Pass. & Lugg Rd. Transp. (CVR), 1973
- Protocol to CVR, 1978
- Econ. Regulation Road Transport, 1954
- Temp. Import. Private Road Vehicles, 1954
- TIR Convention, 1959
- TIR Convention, 1975
- Customs Container Convention, 1956
- Customs Container Convention, 1972
- Customs Treatment Pallets, 1960
- Harmoniz. Frontier Controls Goods, 1982
- Customs Pool Containers, 1994
- Dang. Goods by Road (ADR), 1957
- Protocol to ADR, 1993
- Liabil. Dang. Goods (CRTD), 1989

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# WCO SAFE and AEO requirements can be fully satisfied by the TIR Convention

#### The four core elements of WCO SAFE are:

Predeparture examination

1

Provision of Advanced Cargo Information

2

Risk
Management
to security and
safety

3

Benefits For Trade

4

TIR

Mutual recognition & Controlled Access

TIR

Electronic

Predeclaration TIR

Risk
Management
In TIR
convention
(e.g. Annex 10)

TIR

Communication
Platform
between AEO &
Authorities



# ADR Convention needs to be implemented globally!

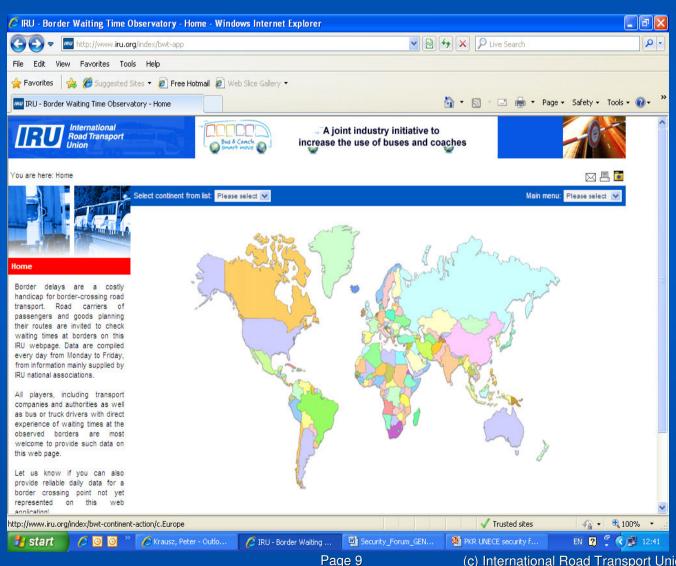


Security in road transport could be greatly enhanced by effectively implementing existing UN multilateral instruments such as the ADR Agreement.



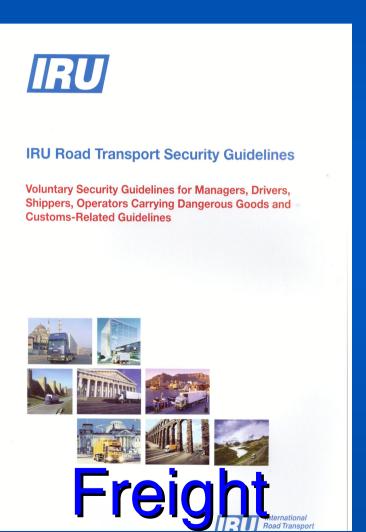


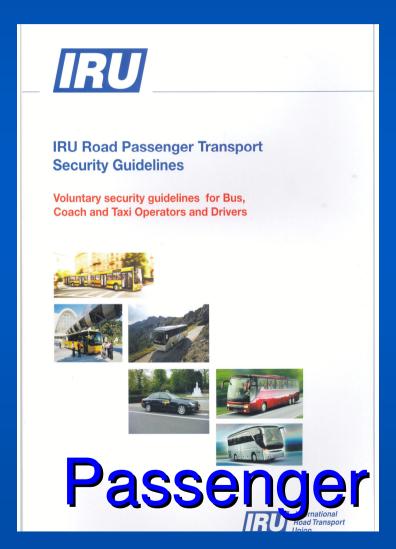
## **IRU BWTO** [Border Waiting Times Observatory]





# **Industry Security Standards**







# Road Transport: committed to achieving Sustainable Development



- IRU Charter for Sustainable Development (1996)
- IRU Initiative "Driving Towards Sustainable Development" (1997)
- IRU Guide to Sustainable Development (2000)
- IRU "Best Industry Practices Reports" (2002/4)
- Industry as a Partner for Sustainable Development UNEP (2002/6)
- IRU "30-by-30" Resolution (2009)



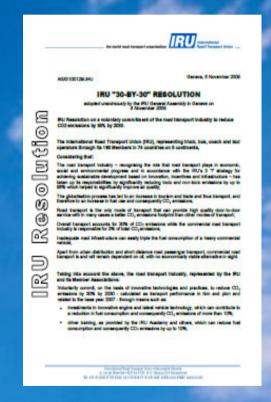


## IRU « 30 by 30 » Resolution



### - 30% CO<sub>2</sub> by 2030

The road transport sector has voluntarily committed, on the basis of innovative technologies and practices, to reduce CO2 emissions by 30% by 2030 based on transport performance in tkm and pkm and related to the base year 2007.





# Combined Transport is not inherently more environmentally friendly!

### Myth:

Combined transport is the most environmentally

In most cases and for equivalent door to door transport, pure road transport has a better environmental footprint than other modes of transport!

trains use electricity from nuclear power stations.







## **Modular Concept for Co-Modality**



Reduction of transport cost by 23%

#### **BETTER TRANSPORT**

rather than

#### **MORE TRANSPORT**

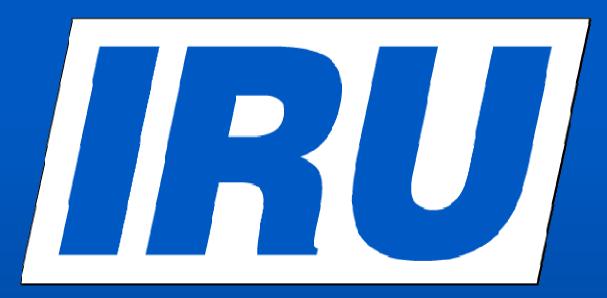
 Reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> emission by 15%

Harmonisation and standardisation of various combinations is needed to allow intra- and intermodal exchangeability.



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