

# In the center of it all

The Pittsburgh region is the bridge between the East Coast and the Midwest. Close to the action but uniquely situated to differentiate positively from the rest of the world, being here optimizes operations, allowing you to dedicate more time to making impact.

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## Did you know?

We have extensive road, rail, air and water infrastructures that fit the requirements of many logistics operations.



### Road

Interstates 70, 76 (PA Turnpike), 79, 80, 279 and 376 directly serve the region with I-68 nearby. Several limited-access divided highways, including Routes 22, 28, 43, 66 and 422, provide additional high-speed truck access.



### Rail

Two Class I railroads, CSX and Norfolk Southern, and a third Class I - the Canadian National - which owns the Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad, one of several short-line railroads that provide connecting services to the Class I lines and bring rail access directly to many sites and buildings, serve the region.



### Air

The Pittsburgh International Airport (PIT) serves nearly 10 million passengers per year, with nonstop flights to more than 60 cities, including London and Frankfurt (pre-COVID totals). FedEx and UPS operate at PIT and maintain major sorting facilities in the region. The world HQ of FedEx Ground is located nearby. PIT has attracted international freight carriers Qatar Airlines and Cathay Pacific. Limited passenger service is also available at the Arnold Palmer Regional Airport in Latrobe.



### Water

Barge traffic on Pittsburgh's three navigable rivers - the Ohio, Monongahela and Allegheny - make the Port of Pittsburgh the nation's fourth-busiest inland port. Several development sites on the rivers offer barge-loading capabilities.



**Market Access**

Pittsburgh is located within 500 miles of ...

- 48% of the country's businesses
- 40% of the U.S. and Canadian population
- 45% of total U.S. retail sales
- 23 of the top 50 U.S. metropolitan retail markets
- 136 million U.S. residents



**Logistics Support**

- Companies with distribution operations in the Pittsburgh region include Amazon, URBAN, WESCO, SUPERVALU, Gordon Food Services and Reinhart Foodservice
- Major trucking companies include Pitt Ohio and PGT Trucking
- The Transportation and Warehousing sector employs 41,000 people
- About 600 graduates from truck and bus driver/commercial vehicle operator programs from trade schools in 2018-2019
- New Village LLC will be re-opening a former automotive trade school in Indiana County to train students for occupations including diesel mechanics and automotive technicians