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OUR MAIN DUTIES

- Issuing & Guaranteeing Association of the TIR System in Turkey
- Digital Tachograph Card Issuing Authority (TOBB-STAUM) (CIA,CA,CP of Turkey)
- Road transport permits and other authorizations
- ATA System
- TOBB UND JSC: affiliate in the field of Common Transit Convention, T Documents
- TOBB GTI JSC (Customs and Tourism Enterprises): affiliate conducting BOT Model at border crossings
- Other digitalization projects such as ePermit, eCMR and eATA (for ATA Carnets).
- Eagerness for digitalization projects on many levels and international organizations such as IRU, UNECE, COMCEC, BSEC, ECO, OSCE, BSEC-URTA, Turkic Council.

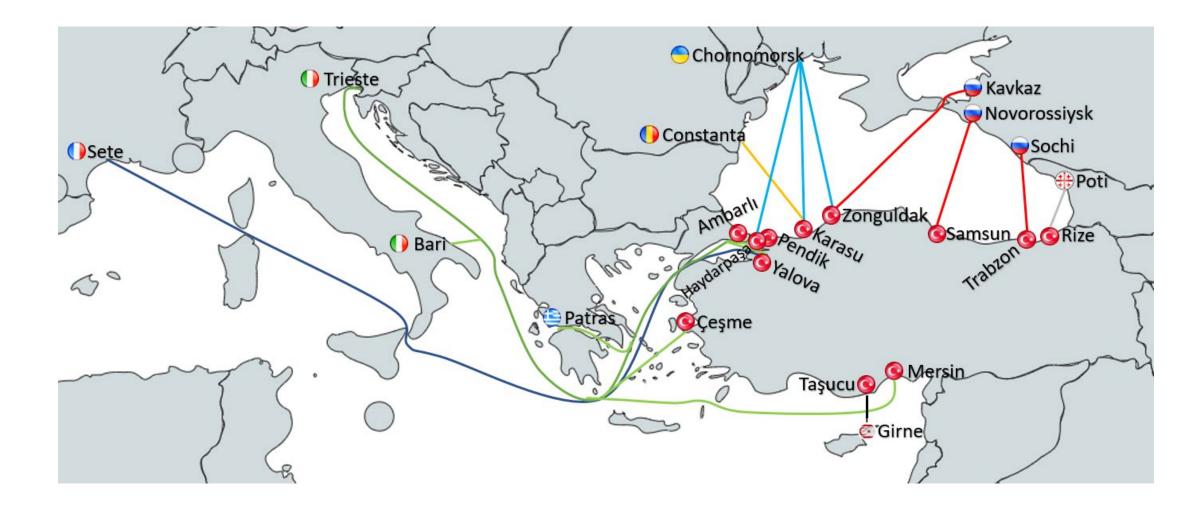


INTERMODAL TRANSPORT WITH TIR CARNET

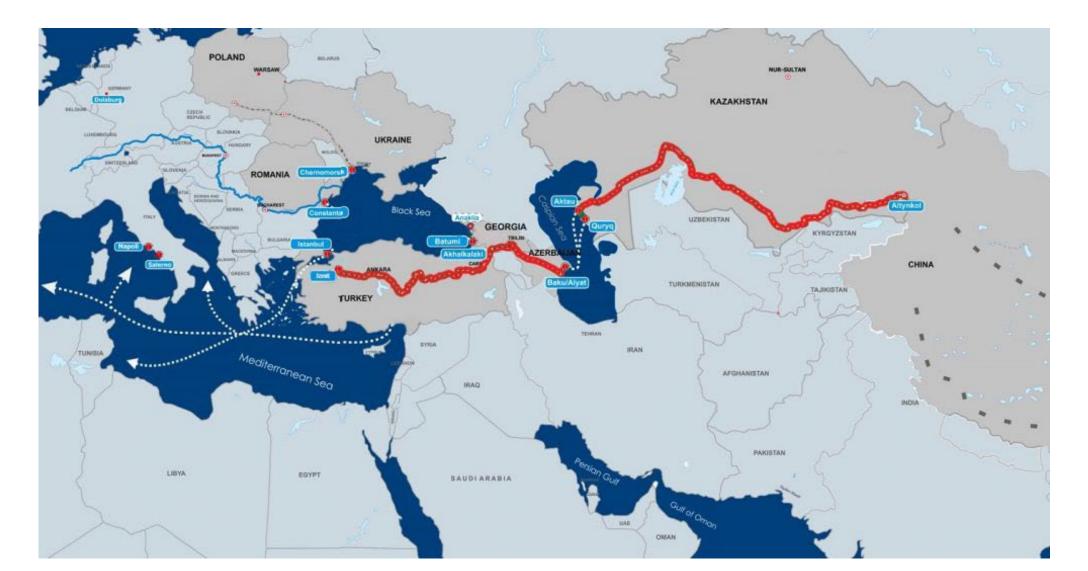
- Referring to Article 2 of TIR Convention, since one part of the journey is made by road, it is possible to realise the transport operation under cover of the TIR Carnet.
- Article 49, brings further opportunity with more facilitation among contracting parties.
- What Intermodal Brings: Cost effective operations; Efficient means of waiving international transport challenges, leading to containerization etc...













INTERMODAL TRANSPORT UNDER TIR SYSTEM



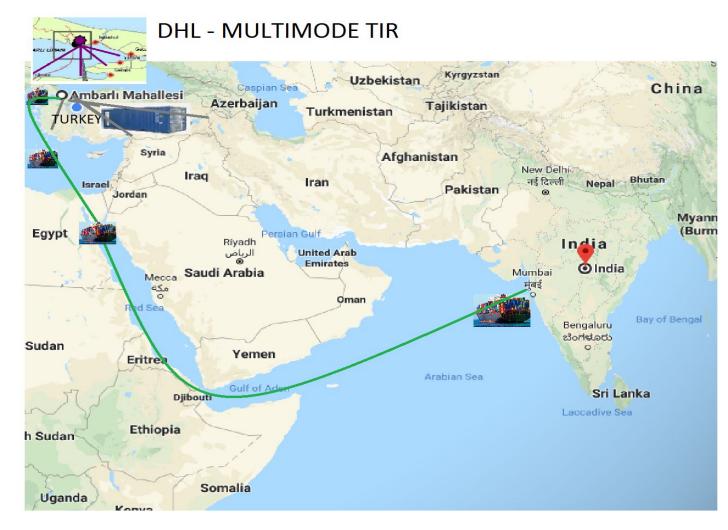
INSTC corridor and existing TIR countries (dark grey)

With the North and South Corridorr established alternative to the Suez Channel, it is expected 40% save in commercial costs, 30% save on time costs (reported by FFFAI).

TIR **Open borders** Türkiye Afghanistan All North EU countries All Middle-Asia countries All EU countries



INTERMODAL PROJECTS UNDER TIR CARNET

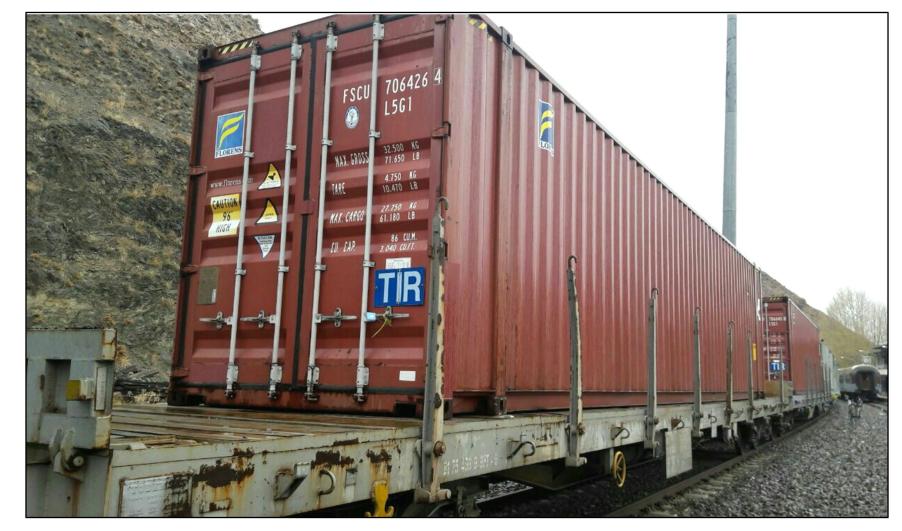




eTIR AS A SOLUTION FOR CONTAINER TRANSPORTATION

<u>Container</u> <u>transportation is</u> <u>feasible under the TIR</u> <u>Convention.</u>

Full implementation of eTIR can make it more frequent.





EFFECTIVE UTILISATION OF INTERMODAL WITH TIR SYSTEM

- MAIN CHALLENGE ; PHYSICAL DECLARATION OF THE TIR CARNET
- MAIN SOLUTION ; PAPERLESS TRANSPORT WITH E-TIR



- RATIONAL AND FAST SOLUTION UNTILL FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF E-TIR ; PRINT-AT-HOME / A4 TIR CARNET
 - UNDER PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 49 OF TIR CONVENTION







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