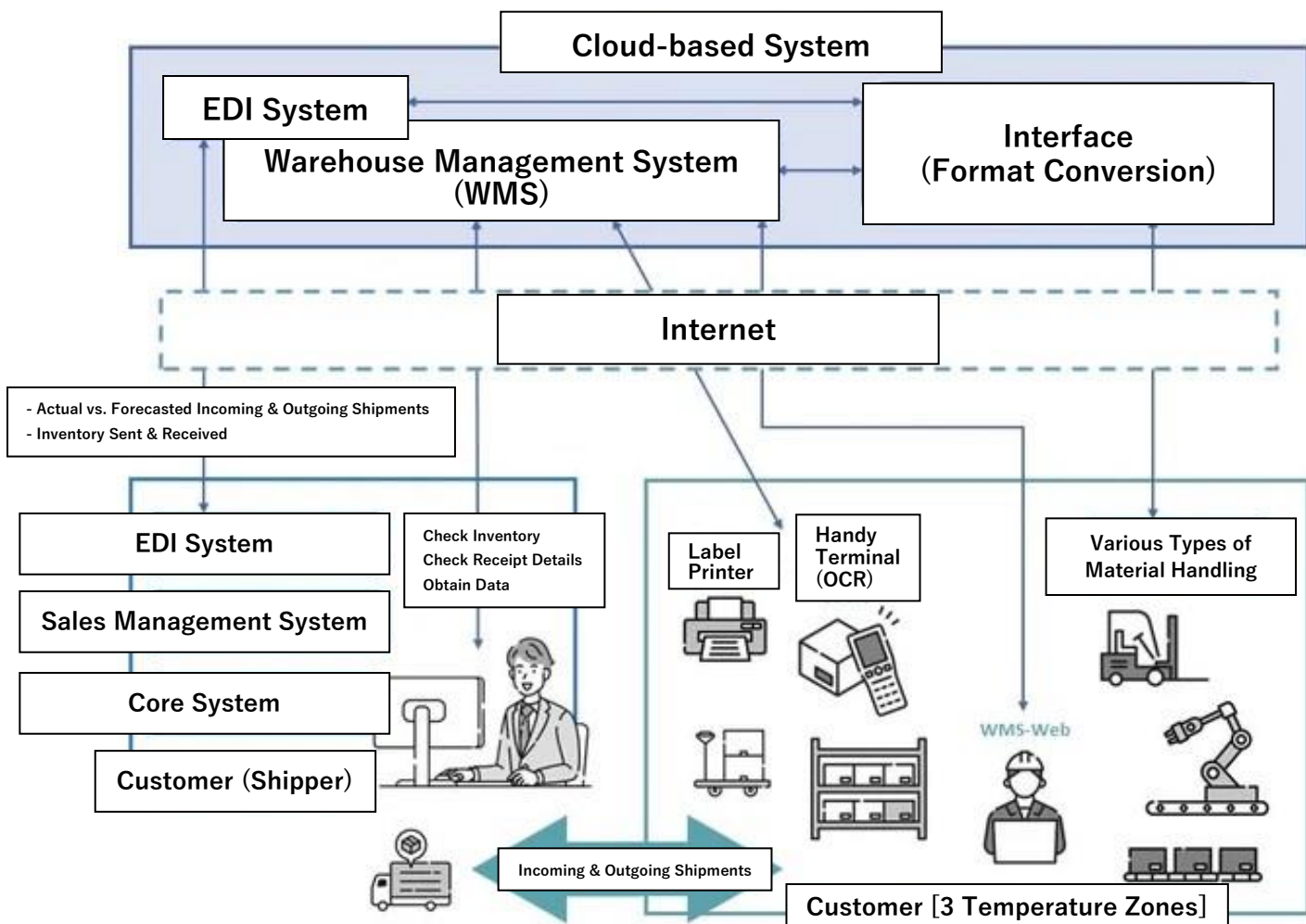


A major food wholesaler adopts the warehouse management system (WMS) of Minaminihon Total Logistics Service

—Strengths include cloud computing, paperless systems, effective use of existing material handling equipment, and product management in 3 Temperature Zones

Chilled and frozen food transport (Head Office: Nakano-ku, Tokyo; President: Keiichiro Ozono; hereinafter referred to as “Minaminihon Total Logistics Service”) has developed a Warehouse Management System (WMS) that has been adopted by a major food wholesaler in the food service and school lunch sectors.



This system has three main features.

Firstly, it is a cloud-based system that uses the internet. This allows the shipper to check the status of incoming and outgoing shipments, inventory, etc. in real time.

Secondly, it is expected to be effective in promoting labor-saving and paperless operations. In addition to being equipped with an EDI system that enables the sending and receiving of various master data, schedule and performance data, and inventory data, the system also uses a handheld terminal-based receiving and shipping inspection system, so paper lists are no longer needed for receiving inspections and shipping picking. In addition, by supporting the various types of material handling equipment used in logistics operations such as the movement, storage and sorting of goods (material handling), it is possible to make effective use of existing equipment.

Thirdly, it is possible to manage products at three different temperatures (room temperature, refrigerated, and frozen), and it also has a management function for products of irregular weight (products whose weight differs from one individual to the next), including domestic beef.

This system is also used by Minaminihon Total Logistics Service, the company that developed and sells it, and it has been used for about 50 years since the company was founded.

The system makes use of the company's experience and know-how gained in the field, and it is also being continuously enhanced.

This time, the recruitment was triggered by the fact that Minaminihon Total Logistics Service proposed the system together with the proposal for 3PL (third-party logistics) operations.

Minaminihon Total Logistics Service plans to continue to expand the sale of its systems to external customers.

Minaminihon Total Logistics Service was established in 1975. As experts in food transport, the company focuses on the field of chilled and frozen low-temperature transport. In addition, the company contributes to solving the food loss problem, which is a social issue, and supports the efforts of client companies to achieve the SDGs, in the next-generation cold chain using DENBA DISS's freshness retention device.

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