## **Telema EDI roaming**

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## **EDI in the Baltics**

• Major **retail chains** use and promote EDI:



- Smaller retail chains also use more widely:
  - OG Elektra, RR Lektus, Comarket, Olerex, Statoil...
  - Another 1000 smaller shops/HoReCa
- And naturally their bigger and smaller **suppliers**

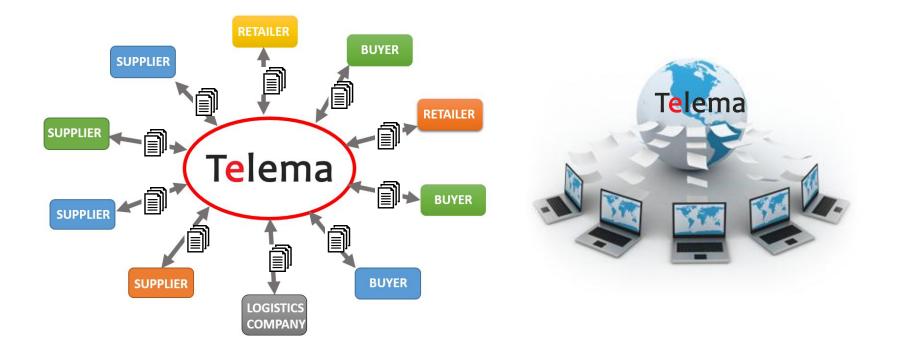
## **Telema value proposition**

Telema makes supply chains **more efficient** by replacing paper documents with electronic ones.



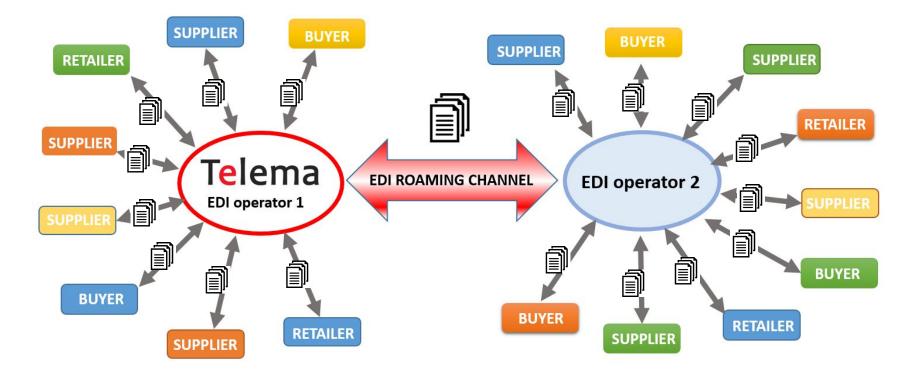
## **EDI** in supply chain is...

...electronic document exchange within EDI network of one EDI operator



## EDI roaming is ...

...electronic document traffic **between two** EDI operators networks



## What is the purpose of roaming?

Purpose of roaming is to enable electronic document exchange between the customers of different EDI operators.

Make e-invoicing and exchange of EDI documents more widely available to all parties.



## **EDI roaming** can take place ...

- Within one country **nationally**
- Between several countries internationally



## When is EDI roaming needed?

#### **Baltic subsidiaries of international corporations**





## How does roaming get started?

- 1) Customer from Telema network wants to connect to foreign partner, or
- 2) Company from foreign operators network wants to connect with Telema Customer, or
- 3) Other EDI operator wants to extend their network and possibilities



## How does roaming work?

Operators agree:

- Data exchange channel (AS 2, SFTP, Telema Gateway, WebService WSDL)
- Document format (EDIFACT, ECOD\_xml, Telema eDoc)
- Which electronic document types will be exchanged (order, order confirmation, invoice, dispatch advice, receive advice)

#### **Cooperation agreement will be signed**





## **Roaming costs - how much?**

General principles and best practice:

★ No extra fees to end customer: it costs the same as regular EDI

There may be one time set-up fee depending on EDI requirements of customers trade partner

- ★ Bill-and-keep principle: each EDI operator bills it's own customers, no fees paid between operators
- ★ Often companies pay for the document traffic of their foreign partners

# Customers of roaming partners with whom it is possible to exchange EDI documents via Telema

SOK FI Group (Prisma) SOK Tokmanni OY TOKMANNI Fiskars Home OY AB FISKARS Cailap OY Marketing

**OpusCapita** 

cailap LVI-Dahl OY





Hornbach AB

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## What to do ...

... when you need to send EDI documents to foreign business partners?

- > First find out who is the EDI operator of your foreign partner
- Second ask from Telema, if the roaming connection to this EDI operator already exists
  - ✓ Yes, then activate document exchange
  - No, then four-party cooperation for establishing EDI channel and implement document exchange



## Thank you

