



Colombo International Logistics Conference



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Sri Lanka Maritime & Logistics "Island in the ocean of opportunity"







Sri Lanka, logistics Maritime, Free ports and beyond for a Mega Logistics hub













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CONNECTING

NATIONS.

ENABLING

OPPORTUNITIES.



- Worlds fastest growing economic region in the world
- Expanding middle class
- Expanding consumer market of over 2 billion population
- increasing manufacturing & FDI



- Increasing e –commerce market
- Centre of the Indian ocean, connecting continents
- BRI Hub of Hambantota linking maritime routes with East west trunk shipping lane
- Air Sea transfers and huge demand for logistics & distribution, warehousing services

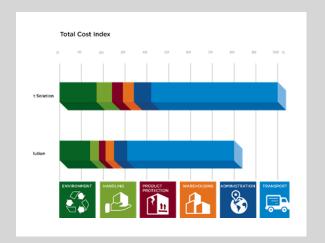


Why Sri Lanka?

Future is just beginning- Colombo International Financial/Port city under construction











Designed for a logistics hub

Centre between two logistics hubs of Dubai & Singapore

Maximum 4 days sailing to Dubai & Singapore

Maximum 4 hours flying to Dubai and Singapore

Highest number of air connectivity to India and South Asia

All top shipping lines service Sri Lanka

Investment incentives for logistics

Lowest cost base



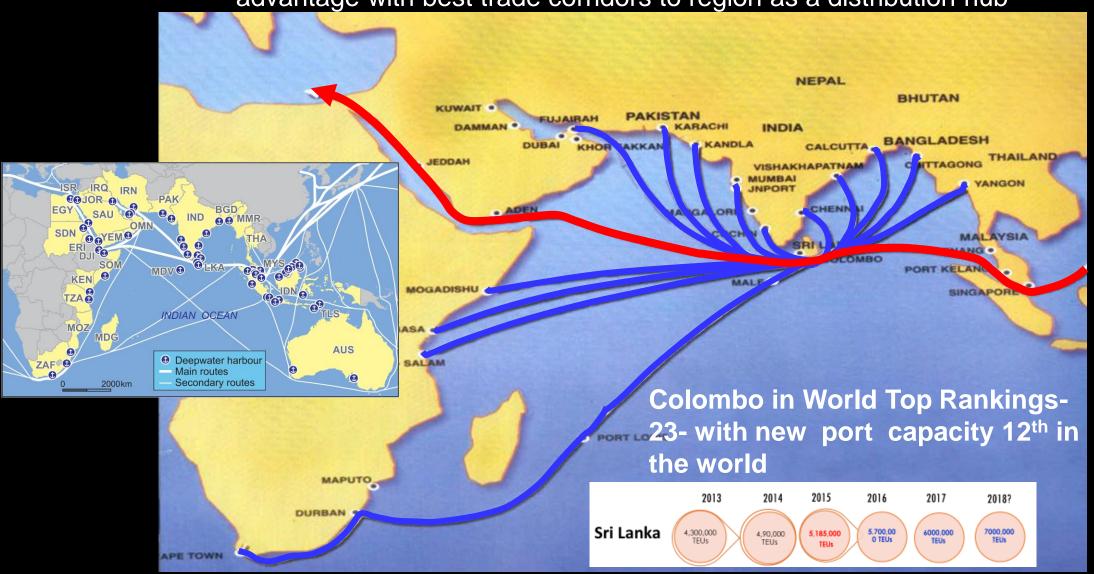
Low cost storage for regional distribution

Example: Comparison of storage & handling charges of Sri Lanka in comparison to closest free port destinations of Singapore/Dubai & Hong Kong. (2012) - US\$ ©Copyright

Category	Sri Lanka	Dubai	Singapore	Hong Kong
Storage Charge per week per CBM	1.82	2.20	6.50	5.0
Handling Charge per CBM per move	1.34	1.90	4.50	4.50
Unloading/ loading charge per CBM per move	1.48	1.90	4.50	4.50

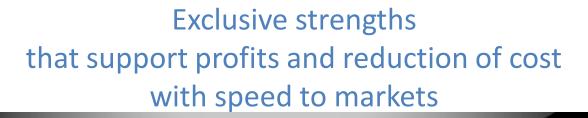


Positioning of Sri Lankan ports connecting the busiest East West shipping corridor, a comparative advantage with best trade corridors to region as a distribution hub



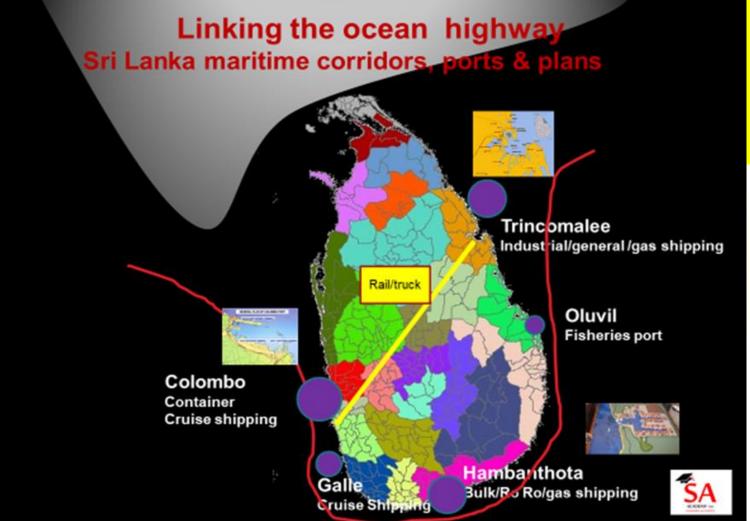
ALPHALINER The World Wide Reference in Liner Shipping

Colombo- 22rd
best port
in the world port
ranking-2018





Colombo- 13th
best connected
port
in the world-2018



Daily Sailings minimum to

- **❖** USA 1.5
- ❖ Europe 1
- ❖ Mediterranean 1.5
- ♦ Far East 3
- **♦** Gulf 1.5
- ❖ Africa 1
- ❖ India 3-4
- Bangladesh every 1.5 days
- ❖ Male every 3 days

USA East - 19
USA West - 21
U.K - 17
Europe - 14-20
Gulf ports - 4-7
African ports - 9-14
India - 1-3
Bangladesh - -4
Far East-China - 4 to 14

-14-17

- 9-12

Japan

Mediterranean

Transit Times



Hambanthota International Port



Three ports two airports



Mattala International Air Port



Port of Colombo

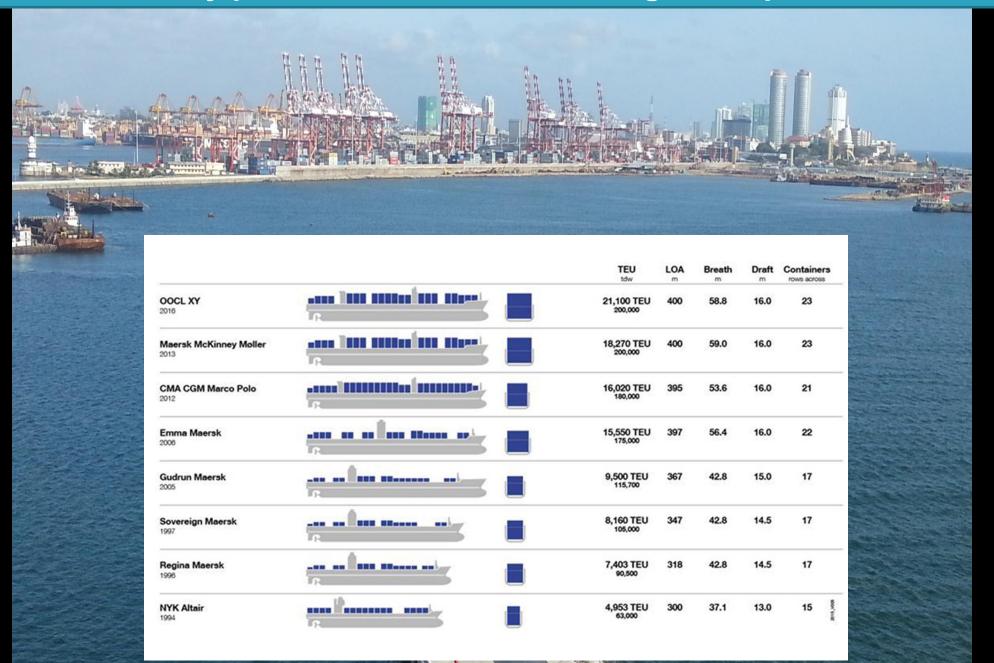


Colombo International Air Port



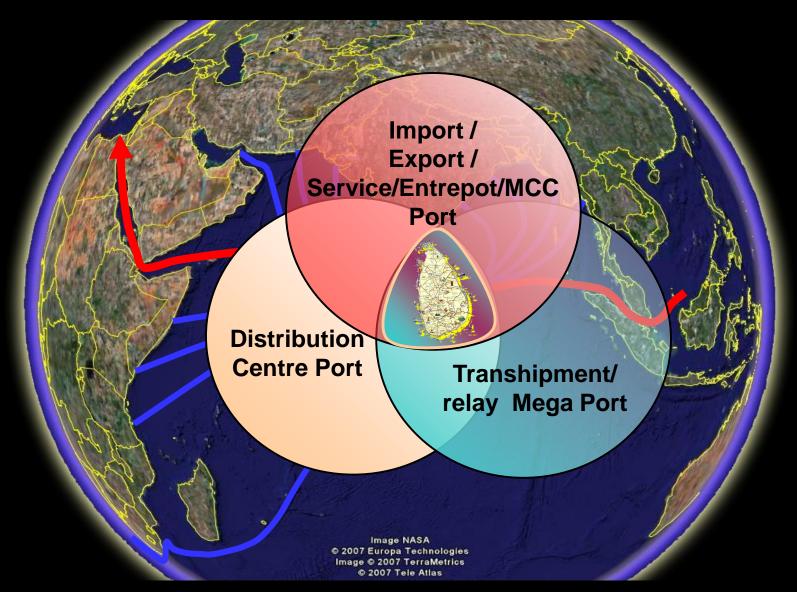
Trincomalee Port

South Asia's only port that can handle the largest ships is in Sri Lanka





Logistics HUB Strategy





The market

WORLDWIDE MIDDLE CLASS

Asia is almost entirely responsible for this growth. Its middle class is forecast to triple to 1.7 billion by 2020.

By 2030, Asia will be the home of 3 billion middle class people. It would be 10 times more than North America and five times more than Europe.

BBC 2009 2020 2030

WORLDWIDE MIDDLE CLASS





Energy-investments in refinery and bunkering

New Marine fuel storage tanks

Marine bunker fuel suppliers

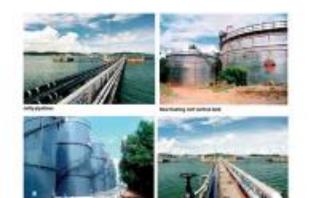
Tank gauging system and Mass flow meters

Port of Colombo





Port of Trncomalee













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INVITATION

1ST COLOMBO INTERNATIONAL LOGISTICS CONFERENCE

1ST & 2ND AUGUST 2019





Colombo Commercial City & Capital City Development Plans 2019 - 2030





To Whom It May Concern:

Welcome to the garden city and emerging metropolis and logistics centre in South Asia

Supported and partnered by the government of Sri Lanka and the Sri Lanka Ports Authority, the Colombo International Maritime Conference Events (CIMC Events) will host the first ever Colombo International Logistics Conference on 1st & 2nd August 2019

CIMC Events started in 2015 as the first South Asian regional conference organizer which now organizers conferences with the regional nations and international partners, CIMC has previously organised four successful international conferences and two partner exhibitions in Sri Lanka, India and Bangladesh relating to the maritime industry. This is the fifth and the (first) international conference we are organizing on logistics in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

Sri Lanka is identified as an immerging maritime and a logistics hub in the Indian ocean. In fact, it is one of the key nodes of the China's OBOR project. China Merchant Group has started operations in a brand-new deep draught logistics port in the southern part of the island to facilitate international logistics and bunker logistics on the east west main trunk shipping route.

Sri Lanka's Colombo port is the number one transshipment hub in South Asia with seven million throughput in 2018 and is ranked 22nd in the world as well as the 13th best connected port situated in the middle of the Indian subcontinent. The country has three major deep draught ports servicing the international shipping lanes. The logistics and the e-commerce industry are fast growing in the Indian sub-continent and Sri Lanka is focusing to be a world class logistics and distribution hub. It has a unique selling proposition as the only Indian ocean hub that connects two major hubs in the east and the west (namely Singapore & Dubai), making it the most sought-after new location to markets and offer speed to clients both by air and sea.

The emerging Metropolis of Colombo











The garden city of South Asia Colombo and new port and finacial city developed by China Merchant will be fully opertaional by 2030

Investment into ports and logistics

The governed of Sri Lanka has a development and an investment strategy for logistics & distribution, finance, energy and knowledge for the next decade which is estimated to be valued at around US\$ 40 billion, where the government will invest up to US\$ 10billion and the rest will be invited from global investors. A mega port city metropolis is being developed in Colombo to have the Indian subcontinent finance and logistics service centre.

Port of Colombo





The new Port of Hambanthota





The region has 20 major ports and over 100 minor ports, with 25 million TEU throughput growing at 10% annually and a large volume of bulk and break-bulk cargo moving through ports. Being the world's fastest growing economic block, South Asia with a population of 2 billion has seen increase in consumption, demand for services and goods. This rapid phase of growth is also creating many new opportunities for logistics companies for distribution services required in this part of the world and all major global brands are moving to South Asia to expand warehousing and related logistics services.

The new marina square project by 2022 and new highway projects





The opportunities in the business of logistics

New free-zones and distribution zones are being built by government to facilitate warehousing and logistics industry by investors and the private sector. The demand for new technology and solutions are growing and many regional freight companies have gaps in these areas that need innovative support and solution from industries that provides hardware and software for logistics.

Meet international Speakers and network with industry

The International conference will have over 20 international speakers from JOC, HSBC, KPMG, UNCTAD, Singapore, India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, China. Africa and Middle East etc. representing different aspects of logistics.

This first international logistics conference in Sri Lanka will be a launch event to promote products, new innovations in logistics solutions. They also can network and understand the Indian subcontinent market requirements and will be able to meet clients and logistics companies from the region to share solutions and ideas to improve the sector output in South Asia.

Business with pleasure

The delegates registering with the conference will have the opportunities to visit ports, city tour, free zones and the Colombo port city project. They can be also be facilitated to register with special conference tourist packages that have been customized for the conference delegations, where Sri Lanka has been named the best destination for travel by Lonely planet for 2019.

Therefore, you are cordially invited to participate in the Sri Lanka's 1st Logistics conference and make a new business journey in a emerging geography and together we can expand the presence in South Asia to build greater business environment over the coming years!

Marco Polo's best island -All within maximum 5-6hrs reach Rich History & Culture



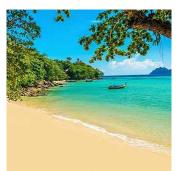




The Indian ocean and the beaches







The 8th wonder of the world, the Sigiriya rock fortress



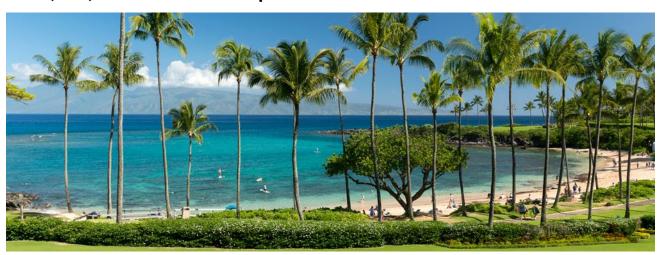


The amazing island with wild & beauty mixed with nature all round





Train, tea, coconut and the spices trail









The food-its all about mouth watering taste



The Organization Committee of CIMC Events