



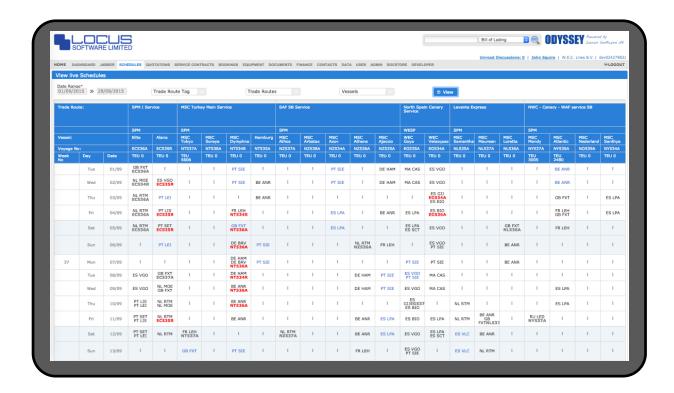
An exciting new service for Carriers!

Introducing the new real-time Odyssey SCHEDULES platform for Ocean Carriers.

Used either as a stand-alone Schedules service or as part of the end-to-end *Odyssey* shipping solution, it is easy to get going – just Register, Connect and Go.

The Challenge:

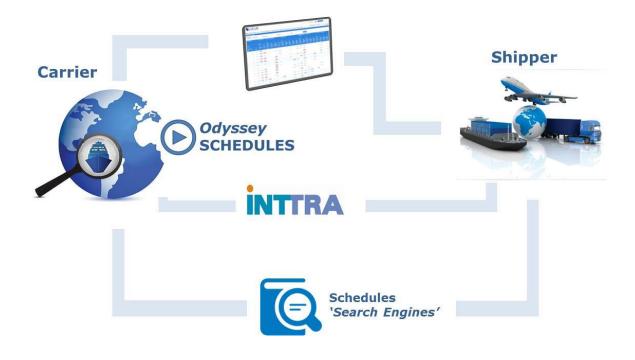
Shippers want improved visibility and easy access to reliable shipping information. However, Shipping Lines are struggling to maintain and publish a large volume of information which is frequently changing. This can often lead to delays in getting up to date schedule information published to the company website and the inevitable inconsistencies between this information, internal schedule spreadsheets, schedule information uploaded to INTTRA and the schedule data available through search engines. At the very least this is an administrative burden, but clearly also has a direct impact on service levels and even a carrier's reputation!



The Solution:

While most schedules initiatives are focused on providing information for the Shipper, *Odyssey* SCHEDULES from Locus Software is designed to deal with the issue at source by providing a solution for the Shipping Line, a powerful solution which;

- eliminates the time and effort required to maintain this frequently changing data
- improves flow of information and ability to publish across a Shipping Line's network in real time
- provides users with the tools to easily access this information across multiple devices
- includes plug-in's for a Shipping Line's website
- has a professional look and feel
- is fully integrated with the commercial and booking features



Odyssey SCHEDULES supports all access options for Shippers;

- Web Access through *Odyssey*, directly or as an embedded component of a Carrier's website
- INTTRA (via *Odyssey*/INTTRA integration)
- Schedule 'Search Engines'

Manage your voyage data

In *Odyssey* SCHEDULES you can easily manage your schedules through the *Trade Route* and *Voyage* modules. Once your trade routes and voyages are created, the data is immediately and seamlessly available to other features like the *Live Schedule View*, *Route Finder*, *Port Operations Report*, and other solution components.

Live Schedules View

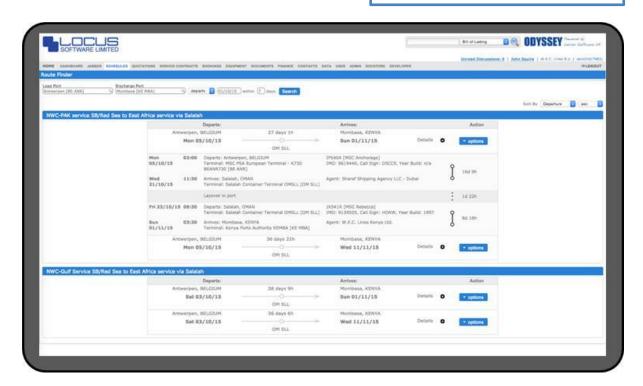
The Live Schedules View features:

- Filter by date, trade and vessel
- Powerful inline editing which enables Shipping Lines to easily maintain their schedule information directly in *Odyssey*
- All changes published immediately

Intelligent Routing with the new Route Finder

Use the route finder to search your schedules and display matching results. The route finder utilises the same technologies commonly found in Satellite Navigation systems to interrogate your trade routes and voyages to dynamically present you with the most optimal routing solution between the two locations in your search. There is no need to maintain a Port Pair or Transhipment matrix.

- Priority settings on a Trade Route
- Search by departure or arrival date
- Sort results by departure, arrival or duration and ascending or descending order
- Results including extended information such as agent details at POL/POD, terminal closing dates and terminal address
- Results can be printed or sent direct to an email address
- Directly Create Rate Enquiry or Booking options



Integration with INTTRA's Ocean Schedules

When creating or editing a voyage you can immediately submit the voyage data to INTTRA. As INTTRA Ocean Schedules requires a point-to-point schedule for all possible destinations, the intelligent route finder dynamically determines the possible routing options based on your trade routes and voyages and automatically builds the schedule data required for INTTRA. This is done without the need to maintain any Port Pair tables or a Transhipment Matrix. All you need to do is click a button and the system does the rest!

Port Operations Report

In addition, *Odyssey* SCHEDULES includes facilities for the Port Agent or the Vessel's crew to submit arrival/berthing/departure information and the Statement of Facts directly to the Shipping Line for processing.

Odyssey SCHEDULES is a new service for Shipping Lines which eliminates the burden associated with the maintenance of Schedules, enables real-time publishing to ensure a single, consistent schedule is available at all sources, and enhanced to include the Port Operation Report.

All you need to do is Register online at <u>www.locussoftware.com</u> and then start realising the benefits of **Odyssey SCHEDULES**