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# ***OLSSONS***





## Welcome to Olssons!

Our main business is long-distance transport together with warehousing and logistics services. During all these years, Volvo has been and remains our biggest client. In recent times SCA has also become a valuable client.

Environment and quality assurance are essential core values which inform our whole business. For many years we have been certified under ISO 9001 and ISO 14001.

Our strong concept is based primarily on domestic transport and logistics, employing a super modern vehicle fleet. Our combination of quality assurance and environmental awareness, experience, competent staff and a constant aim to develop the business has meant that we have all the right conditions to meet high-level demands and expectations.

Our warehouse business, which offers hot, cold and dehumidified storage, can include anything from inventory management, purchasing functions, repicking, inspection, assembly, sorting, delivery monitoring and distribution etc.



## Skövde Logistic Center

Now that Olssons is established at the Skövde Logistic Center, we have gathered large areas of our business under one roof, even though we currently also have a warehouse facility at the Mariesjö Terminal in Skövde.

The Skövde Logistic Center premises are super modern and entirely suited to the company's operations and client requirements. Now that a large part of our transports go to the Volvo companies in Gothenburg, we both spare the environment and save money thanks to the strategic position which Skövde Logistic Centre enjoys in the form of a direct access road to Route 49 in the direction of Skara and the E20.

The Skövde Logistic Center also provides many opportunities for collaboration with other actors in the area and the synergy effects resulting from that. Those who require a partner in the business of rational storage and stock management will find that Olssons and the Skövde Logistic Center offer a very good alternative.





## Services

### Domestic transport

Olssons, together with our quality assured collaboration partners, can offer transportation to and from large parts of Sweden, while concentrating on the central and southern parts of the country. Most of the vehicle combinations we employ are super modern transport vehicles. Our smaller-sized vehicles can offer a fast courier service and express transport. In addition, we can offer other types of transportation by way of our collaboration partners. Feel free to ask us. We can do almost anything!

### Overseas transport

Olssons runs a cross-border service with daily transports to and from Norway. With regards to the smaller scale courier and express services, we cover all of Europe. We can also arrange other cross-border transport services with the aid of our competent collaboration partners.

### Warehouse/Third Party Logistics

Olssons has large-scale warehouse facilities in Skövde, at the Skövde Logistic Center and the Mariesjö Terminal, with a combined storage area of 35,000 square metres. We offer an alternative in the way of third party logistics for private manufacturers and import businesses. We can take care of your products in our warehouses/terminals for longer or shorter durations, and see to everything from receiving orders, order picking, quality control, repicking, set-up, assembly, freight handling, distribution to the end consumer etc. We can also offer customs warehousing as required. While your goods are in storage you can check on them yourself by means of data communication. You can obtain balance details and FIFO lists and place orders directly via your computer system. Our warehouses are equipped with highly trained staff and super modern trucks to achieve the best results.

### Container terminal

Olssons can offer effective combinations of rail and road transport at our container terminal, the Mariesjö Terminal in Skövde. This is the perfect hub for the reloading of goods from rail to heavy goods vehicles, and vice-versa. This is where goods from the whole world, which have come via the major ports or by rail from Europe, can be quickly and efficiently delivered to different recipients, especially in central and southern Sweden. And also to Norway and Denmark.

Our container terminal enjoys direct access to the Western Main Line and has four loading tracks, which are each 700 metres in length, and spacious storage and assembly areas.





## The Mariesjö terminal

Olssons has been in charge of operations at the Mariesjö Terminal in Skövde as of the spring of 2013. A container terminal with plenty of space both indoors and outdoors. The best possible location next to the Western Main Line, generous opening hours and plenty of railway track. All this makes for a truly efficient terminal. This is where we primarily handle forest industry products on behalf of SCA. Our work involves loading, unloading, forwarding, management and administrative services.

A super modern heavy goods vehicle and loader park ensures that the terminal is able to handle most of the freight carried by heavy goods vehicle and goods van.

We have at our disposal at the Mariesjö Terminal no less than 12,000 square metres of storage space indoors, 18,000 square metres of storage space outdoors, and 550 square metres of office space.



## Environment and quality

Olssons was one of the first transport and logistics companies in the Nordic region to receive quality certification under ISO 9002 in the mid 1990s. This applies to our entire business, from administration to transport. We are certified under ISO 9001 and ISO 14001. Our certification body is LRQA.



## Our history

Olssons vehicles have been out on the road for over 80 years. The year 1929 was the time when John Olsson, a blacksmith, decided to hang up his horse shoes and invest in his first lorry. John Olsson had a very good friend who was head of the Skövde works - now the Volvo car plant in Skövde. This company had received an order to supply engines to the Volvo car plant in Gothenburg. The good friend persuaded John Olsson to hang up the horse shoes and instead buy a lorry. John Olsson seized on the idea, and that was the start of Olssons Åkeri in Skövde. Olssons is thus one of Volvo's oldest suppliers.

A lot of tarmac has passed under the wheels of Olssons vehicles since then. Today the company is run by the third and fourth generations of the family.

Since the start, Volvo has been Olssons' biggest client and contractor. In recent times, SCA has also become one of our biggest clients. Other big clients include LGT Logistics and Borgunda.





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