

**FOREIGN EXPERIENCE IN USING LOGISTICS, MARKETING  
MANAGEMENT AND THE POSSIBILITY OF ITS  
ADAPTATION IN UKRAINE**

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**Introduction.** World experience of management shows that popular practice of competitiveness of enterprises and organizations is the concept of logistics management. It acquires special relevance in the period of crisis, when enterprises must organize their activities in such a way as the costs minimization associated with the movement and storage of inventory from the primary source to the end user. At the same time, it is important to pay attention to the close relationship of marketing and logistical concepts in the formation of modern policy of international trade. In fact, if it defines general strategic goals, logistics by different factors, and most of the price, actively influences their achievement. Logistic operations in relation to the rational way of transportation in the mode of transport, the carrier, and optimum routing can significantly reduce the cost of distribution system and increase the capabilities of marketing pricing policy. Expenses in distribution to warehousing, customs procedures and, especially, transport costs in comparison with the cost production and affect the prices of goods, and, consequently, to meet the market needs of consumers. Logistics helps implement marketing pricing schemes.

**Analysis of recent researches and publications.** Research of the place of Ukraine in the modern world logistics system was described by a lot of domestic scientists: Smerchevska S.V., Kryvoviaziuk I.V., Volynchuk Yu.V., Blyndiuk R.V., Dashzyev M.A., Fedoryshyn E., Kuchkova O.V., Arkhireiska N.V., and others. But studying the experience of the leading countries of the world regarding the development of logistics management with a marketing component and defining the possibilities of its implementation in Ukraine is relevant, because there are problems in this industry and they must be addressed.

**The purpose of the article is** to study the ranking of countries according to LPI index, identifying Ukraine's problems, causing its low rating and finding possible ways to implement foreign experience in modern logistics management to improve Ukrainian logistics system.

**Main material and results.** Foreign experience convinces us that the use of logistics can significantly reduce the time interval between the purchase of raw materials and semi-finished products and the supply of the finished product to the consumer, contributes to the sharp reduction of material stocks, accelerates the process of obtaining information, increases the level of service [1, p. 33]. With the use of modern logistics control flow process can save up Logistic costs 1% equivalent in increasing sales by 10%. Logistics is one of the most dynamic and important sectors of the economy of developed countries, which accounts for about 10% of GDP [2, p. 232].

According to the World Bank, in terms of the development of logistics industry (Logistics Performance Index (LPI), Ukraine in 2018 took 66 positions from 160 countries of the world. The first places in logistics ranking were occupied by Germany, Sweden, Belgium, Austria and Japan. In addition, the top ten leaders LPI comprise the Netherlands, Singapore, Denmark, the United Kingdom and Finland. China

was on the 26 positions (one step above the ranking 2016). India has not got the first thirty, but it appeared at the 44 place, which at 10 positions above its indicator 2014. Rating of countries according to LPI index in 2014-2018 biennium shows that Ukraine's place in the world competition is now unstable. Worse, the dynamics of this indicator are not positive (table. 1).

**Table 1**

**Logistics Efficiency Index (LPI) Different countries of the world [3]**

Country	Years:			Deviation (+;-) in 2018 dated 2014.
	2014	2016	2018	
Germany	4	1	1	3
Poland	31	33	31	0
Austria	22	7	4	18
Finland	24	15	10	14
Croatia	55	51	49	6
Ukraine	61	80	66	-5
Moldova	94	93	113	-19
Hungary	40	33	32	8
Slovakia	51	43	39	12
Belarus	99	120	103	-4

As seen in table data. 1.5, in 2016 Ukraine dropped from 61 to 80 positions. This is because other countries are developing their logistics systems more rapidly than our state. Another reason for the decrease in the rating is the complex socio-economic and political situation in the country. In 2018, our country has risen to 66 positions. Ukraine is located between Serbia and Egypt, and in the post-Soviet space was the third after Estonia (3.31 points and 36 positions) and Lithuania (3.02 points and 54 positions). In 2014, Germany took 4th place in the rating, and already in 2016 became a standard country, Poland in 2018 again took 31 positions, thus demonstrating a rather stable position. Croatia in 2018 – 49, Hungary – 32, Slovakia – 39 positions. The worst situation in Belarus, which in 2018 was on 103 positions, although in 2014 there was a 91 position. It is realized the pace of development logistic and Moldova, which in a short period of time reduced its level of 19 positions (2014 – 94 positions, 2018 – 113 positions respectively). Complete list of Burundi, Angola and Afghanistan [3].

From our analyzed data it becomes clear that by the development of logistics Ukraine is seriously lagging behind the leading countries and neighboring countries, which is due to a number of problems of subjective and objective nature (Fig. 1). Some of these problems are inherent in other countries of the post-Soviet space, which negatively affects their rating performance.

Therefore, today there is an urgent need to study foreign experience in the use of logistics management and the possibilities of its adaptation in Ukraine. From the point of view of the study of effective mechanisms for the formation of the National Model of logistics management the most attention, in our opinion, deserve a system of logistics The World Bank, calculating the LPI, enjoys weighted average value of the following criteria:

- 1) Efficiency of the process of customs clearance (speed, simplicity and predictability of formalities);
- 2) Quality of logistics infrastructure (e.g. ports, railways, roads, information technologies);
- 3) Organization of the international supply process;
- 4) Competence and quality of logistic activity;
- 5) Awareness, possibility of tracking and monitoring of cargoes;
- 6) Timeliness of Logistics services [3].

These indicators are aimed at improving the quality of the logistics services provided by SP to blackberries around the world and allow to determine the priority goals in developing the logistics activities of each individual country. Dynamics of changes in the weighted criteria of the index of logistics efficiency of Ukraine for 2010 – 2018 yrs. is presented in table 2. The higher the score, the stronger the position in the country in this category.

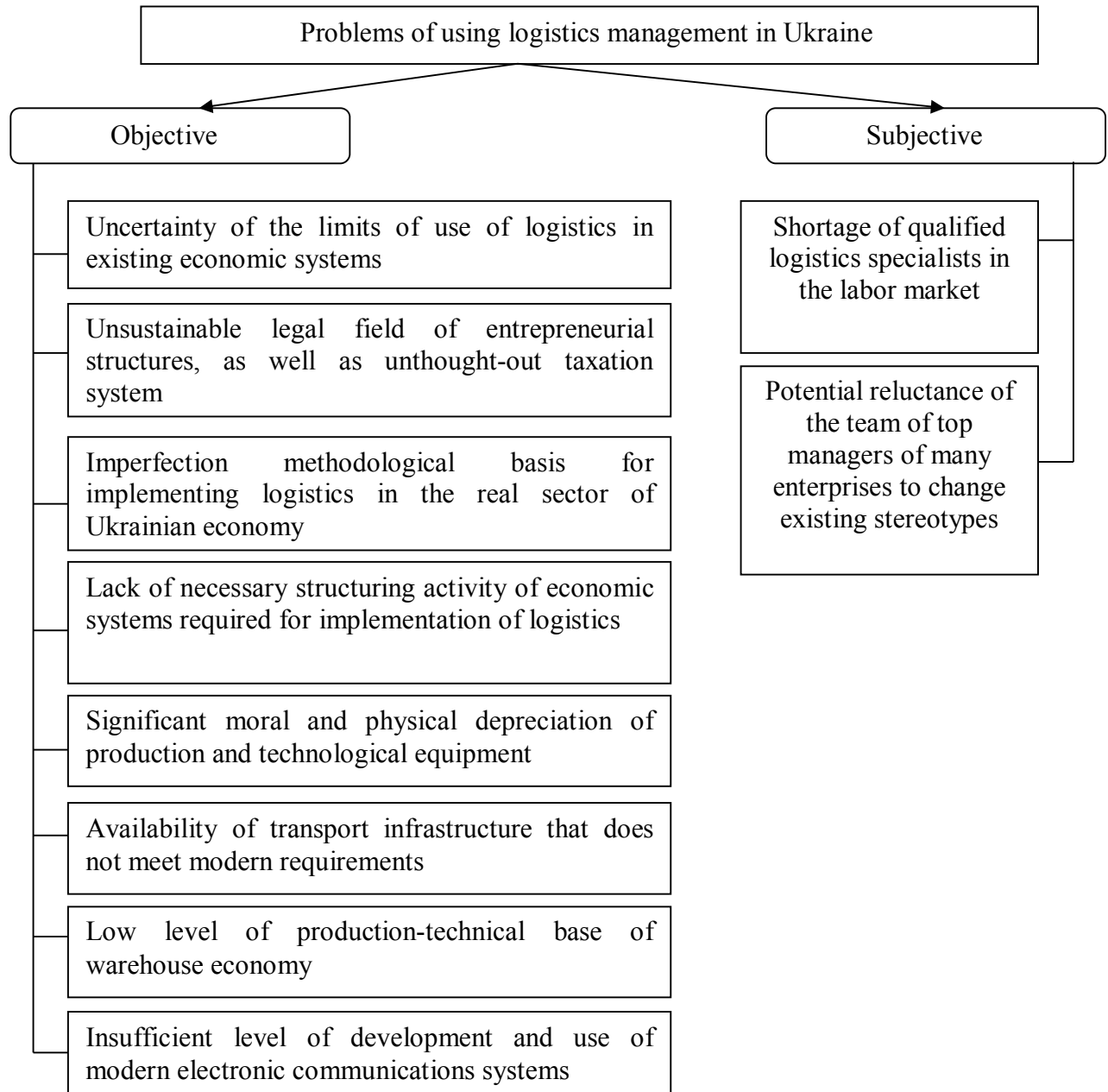


Fig. 1. Main problems associated with the use of logistics management at Enterprises of Ukraine [author's vision]

Table 2

Weighted average Logistical Performance Index criteria Of Ukraine for 2010–2018 yrs. [3]

Indicator	Year				
	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018
LPI grade	102	66	61	80	66
LPI rating	2,57	2,85	2,98	2,74	2,83
Customs procedures	2,02	2,41	2,69	2,30	2,49
Infrastructure	2,44	2,69	2,65	2,49	2,22
International transportation	2,79	2,72	2,75	2,59	2,83
Logistic competence	2,59	2,85	3,84	2,55	2,84
Cargo tracking	2,49	3,15	3,2	2,96	3,11
Timeliness of delivery	3,06	3,31	3,51	3,51	3,42

As seen in table. 2, Ukraine does not show any sustainable development on any of the indicators. This indicates the instability of our logistics system, and therefore the appropriate level of trust in it. All this reduces the competitiveness of our economy in the world. Therefore, it is necessary to turn to the experience of countries that are more successful in logistics management and try to use their experience.

The European Union successfully operates a significant number of large transport and logistics companies that have an extensive network of representative offices, warehouses, terminals, complexes throughout the European region and beyond. To optimize traffic flows and facilitate the passage of customs procedures are created global unions, which spread its influence in different regions of the world [6, p. 128].

The principles of development of the European logistics system are enshrined in the Logistics Development Program (Logistics Action Plan) of 2007, which defines specific directions of improvement of the European Union logistics system. The main ones are: development of the system of electronic information about freight transport, improvement of the system of training of specialists, simplification of logistic processes, strengthening of requirements for environmentally friendly cargo transport, used in urban and Long-distance freight.

The system of logistics management of modern China is inferior to European by the level of organization, but much ahead of Ukrainian. The modern Chinese logistic market attracts attention of foreign enterprises, which actively invest in its further development. Recently, FedEx, UPS, TNT and other transcontinental corporations have been actively cooperating with large logistics companies in China. Today in the east of this country already formed 4 large logistic areas, which through various methods stimulate the development of central and western regions of the country.

Hudz P.V. states that the emergence of Chinese logistics is associated with a number of problems, the most important of which is the specialization of local operators on the a narrow segment of logistics services, which weakens the inter-economic consolidation and limits the development of the overall logistics system of the country [7, p. 140]. Thus, nowadays, the so-called "WFOE" – Wholly Foreign-Owned Enterprises – are wholly owned companies in China. The specific peculiarity of the functioning of the logistics management system in China is that, unlike the EU and Ukraine countries, investment in logistics infrastructure is carried out exclusively by the private sector, and the state's actions are aimed at supporting Enhancing integration, coordination and standardization.

**Conclusions.** Summarizing the above, we can conclude that overseas awareness of the role of logistics in the economic growth of countries and regions occurred a long time ago. This influenced the formation and development of the system of internal and external logistic ties of developed foreign countries. The analysis of logistics development dynamics in developed countries shows that in the case of each country, the choice of a particular theoretical apparatus, methodology and practical tools Need, which was formed under the influence of defining factors as the level of development of productive forces, peculiarities of specialization and cooperation on the domestic and international markets, level of technological development, political situation, character and level of development of market relations, national and social traditions of the State and institutions.

Thus, at this point of time, a steady leadership in the level of logistics is occupied by Western Europe and the developed Asian regions, but the logistics systems of developed countries in the ranking of LPI are not a perfect model for copying, since each of them, firstly, is not devoid of certain shortcomings, and secondly focused on the specifics of a particular region. For foreign logistics and its investment in different countries for individual and scenarios on the peculiarities of national economic policy, geographical, demographic features, urbanization and the level of development of the general infrastructure of specific regions. The common feature of logistic systems of developed European, American and Asian markets is to focus on modernization through the introduction of modern Information technologies and the expanding range of IT services. Quite low estimates of logistics efficiency index and key logistic indicators of Ukrainian logistics competence indicate that this sphere needs special attention.

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