



Press release

From zero to 100: DHL delivers a century of FIA WEC races

- As Official Logistics Partner, DHL supports the 100th race at Fuji Speedway, Japan
- Since 2012, DHL has transported over 45,000 metric tons of equipment, which is equivalent to the weight of 10,000 adult elephants
- Sustainable fuels used for ocean and road freight transport

Bonn, September 23, 2025: DHL, the Official Logistics Partner of the FIA World Endurance Championship (WEC), proudly celebrates a major milestone: the delivery of the 100th WEC race, taking place at Fuji Speedway from September 26-28. Since the championship's inception in 2012, DHL has been the driving force behind the global logistics operations of one of the world's most demanding motorsport series – with a growing emphasis on sustainability in recent years. To date, DHL has transported over 45,000 metric tons of car, broadcast, hospitality, and infrastructure equipment across multiple regions, including 500 race cars, 500,000 racing tires, and 1.5 million liters of fuel.

“Our 13-year partnership with FIA WEC is built on shared values of precision, performance, sustainability, and global excellence. Together, we continue to push boundaries in motorsports logistics while championing innovation and responsibility,” said Carlos Fernandes, Head of Motorsports Germany at DHL Global Forwarding. “DHL ensures reliable, efficient transport across continents, showcasing our global capabilities and commitment to sustainable logistics.”

Frédéric Lequien, CEO of the FIA World Endurance Championship, added: “DHL has been a loyal and long-standing partner to FIA WEC from the start, reliably transporting cars, equipment and infrastructure around the globe to keep the show seamlessly on the road. As a brand that shares our commitment to sustainable solutions, there are many common synergies. We look forward to celebrating FIA WEC's 100th race together in Japan – and to the next 100 races to come!”

DHL's multimodal logistics solutions combine air, sea, and land freight, tailored to the specific needs of each race. With a focus on sustainability, DHL prioritizes ocean freight over air transport, leveraging sustainable maritime fuel to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. In Europe, road freight is supported by Hydrotreated Vegetable Oil (HVO)-powered trucks, further minimizing the environmental impact – all without compromising reliability or performance. These efforts have helped FIA WEC to reduce its environmental footprint, reflecting a shared commitment with DHL to decarbonize motorsports logistics. Behind the scenes, a dedicated team of six motorsports logistics specialists ensures that every shipment arrives safely and on time, while also managing customs clearance and other critical transport processes.



Fuji's Legacy and WEC's Global Growth

The 6 Hours of Fuji, first held in 1967, has been a regular fixture on the WEC calendar since 2012. Set against the stunning backdrop of Mount Fuji, the event is one of the championship's most iconic stops. In 2025, it takes on special significance as the 100th WEC race, marking a historic milestone in the series and in DHL's long-standing partnership.

Since its inception, the FIA World Endurance Championship has evolved into a cutting-edge platform for hybrid and hypercar technologies. Today, the series spans eight races across four continents, including legendary venues such as Le Mans, Spa-Francorchamps, São Paulo, and Fuji. Its popularity continues to rise, with record-breaking figures at the 2025 24 Hours of Le Mans, where some 332,000 fans attended in person.

DHL's Broader Role in Motorsports

DHL also serves as the Official Logistics Partner for other major racing series and organizations, including Formula 1, Formula E, MotoGP, and the FIA, underscoring its leadership in motorsports logistics worldwide.

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