

PRESS INFO

Kuehne+Nagel Group

Kuehne+Nagel supports Changan Automobile's development in Europe

- **Aftermarket logistics for electric vehicles**
- **Fulfilment and distribution out of the Netherlands**
- **Scalable partnership**

Schindellegi / CH, April 1, 2025 – Kuehne+Nagel and Changan Automobile, a leading Chinese car manufacturer, signed a memorandum of understanding to develop aftermarket logistics for electric vehicle models across the European market, including the United Kingdom, Germany, the Netherlands, Italy, Spain, and France.

The Chinese brand benefits from Kuehne+Nagel's expertise in spare part logistics, especially through its automotive campus located in Helmond, the Netherlands, a 22,000 sqm multi-customer site, strategically located for distribution in Europe.

The partnership also addresses other aspects of electric vehicles such as battery logistics and end-of-life solutions.

"We are proud to start of this collaboration with Kuehne+Nagel, which will enhance our supply chain capabilities and ensure efficient distribution across Europe. This aligns with our Vast Ocean Plan strategy, which is committed to global growth and excellence," says Yin Yi, managing director, Europe business unit at Changan Automobile.

"With our extensive expertise in automotive logistics and strategically located facilities in Europe, we can deliver reliable supply chain solutions to support Changan Automobile's ambitious growth plans," adds Gianfranco Sgro, Executive Vice President Contract Logistics and Integrated Logistics at Kuehne+Nagel International AG. "Our network and experience provide a strong foundation for helping emerging brands from China and Asia expand into new markets."

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About Changan Automobile

Changan is one of the biggest automotive manufacturing groups in China with 40 years of automotive manufacturing experience. The company is headquartered in Chongqing and has 34 plants worldwide. Changan has been producing passenger cars, pickup trucks and light commercial vehicles since 1984 and employs around 82,000 people worldwide. As a leading Chinese automobile manufacturer, Changan has its own brands such as CHANGAN brand, DEEPAL, AVATR as well as joint venture brands such as CHANGAN Ford, CHANGAN Mazda and JMC. CHANGAN currently operates globally and exports products to over 60 countries and regions worldwide. By April 2024, the cumulative sales figures of CHANGAN's Chinese brands reached over 26.33 million units.

About Kuehne+Nagel

With approximately 80,000 employees at almost 1,300 sites in close to 100 countries, the Kuehne+Nagel Group is one of the world's leading logistics providers. Headquartered in Switzerland, Kuehne+Nagel is listed in the Swiss blue-chip stock market index, the SMI. The Group is the global number one in air and sea logistics and has strong market positions in road and contract logistics. Kuehne+Nagel is the logistics partner of choice for 400,000 customers worldwide. Using its global network, logistics expertise and data-based insights, the Group provides end-to-end supply chain solutions for global companies and industries.