



Cargo Mega

Cargo Mega Terminal in Dubai Takes Shape

FAMCO, the Dexion Supply Centre in Dubai, has been awarded the supply and installation of an automatic storage and retrieval system (ASRS) at the new Cargo Mega Terminal at the Dubai International Airport.

The contract, awarded by SD Middle East (Siemens) on behalf of the Department of Civil Aviation, is part of

the expansion project for the airport that will allow cargo receipt on the air side of the airport, to be broken down for transshipment or for local deliveries by road from the land side.

The design is a complex arrangement consisting of a steel racking system supplied by FAMCO with an integrated stationary hoist system, input and

output areas, and storage and retrieval cranes operating in the racking aisles. In addition, extensive maintenance and escape routes are arranged on top of the racking. These must be rated and designed in compliance with the relevant standards.

The scope of work for Famco is the design, engineering, manufacture, commissioning and handover of the ASRS, as well as the connections between the hoist towers and racking system, overhead access walkway for maintenance of the hoists, plus site supervision and project management.

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