





# U.S. Logistics Private CBRS Network Forecast, 2021 – 2026: CBRS Network Build, Integration and App Spending in Manufacturing, Warehouse, Retail and Transportation Buildings

# A Market Study

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### **Abstract**

This report focuses on the private CBRS network opportunity in the logistics function which includes the following industries: Manufacturing, Warehouse & Storage, Retail, and Transportation (focused on rail- and air-cargo). Logistics is a huge topic about which much has been written. At a high level, the term is variously defined as:

- Managing how resources are acquired, stored, and transported to their destination(s).
- Planning and executing the transportation and storage of goods from the point of origin to the point of consumption.

For this report, iGR defines an in-building private cellular system as one that uses the U.S. CBRS band for 4G/5G-based services and is funded by a third party distinct from a Mobile Network Operator (MNO). Note that iGR includes campus-wide cellular networks within the "in-building" umbrella. In this report, a "campus" deployment includes, for example, the loading and unloading area of a manufacturing facility, warehouse or distribution center, an open-air shopping area, or the vast acreage covered by ports and airports.

This market study provides a five-year forecast for spending on private cellular systems using CBRS for logistics and supply chain applications in four types of U.S. buildings/campuses:

- Manufacturing
- Warehouse and Storage
- Retail
- Transportation (airports, railway stations/terminals, ports).

The three types of spending include:

- Network build and operational spending: the costs associated with installing and operating the private CBRS network
- Network/systems integration spending: the costs associated with designing, sourcing equipment, integrating the network and applications, etc.
- Applications: the costs associated with purchasing and licensing the applications that run on the private CBRS network.

Key questions addressed in this market study include:

- What is a private cellular network?
- What is logistics and smart logistics?
- How can a private cellular network be used to support logistics and supply chain management?

- What technologies are required for smart logistics?
- What use cases are enabled by connected logistics buildings?
- How much will be spent to build and operate a private CBRS network in U.S. manufacturing, warehouse, retail and transportation buildings from 2021 to 2026?
- What is the forecasted network/systems integration spending associated with the private CBRS network opportunity in U.S. manufacturing, warehouse, retail, and transportation buildings from 2021 to 2026?
- What is the forecasted applications spending for private CBRS networks in U.S. manufacturing, warehouse, retail and transportation buildings from 2021 to 2026?

### Who should read this report?

- Systems integrators and wireless network integrators
- CBRS solutions vendors
- Mobile operators
- Infrastructure OEMs
- Financial analysts and investors.