# EUKOR

Shipping company

**EUKOR** is a specialised [Roll-on/roll-off](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Roll-on/roll-off" \o "Roll-on/roll-off) shipping line formed in 2002. The company's main business is the sea carriage of new and used cars and High & Heavy cargo.

The name of the brand **EUKOR** comes from a [portmanteau](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Portmanteau" \o "Portmanteau) that combines the words "Europe & Korea".

## Company profile

**EUKOR** is a South Korean company owned by [Wilh. Wilhelmsen](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wilh._Wilhelmsen" \o "Wilh. Wilhelmsen) along with [Wallenius Lines](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wallenius_Lines" \o "Wallenius Lines), [Wallenius Wilhelmsen Logistics](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wallenius_Wilhelmsen_Logistics" \o "Wallenius Wilhelmsen Logistics), [American Roll-on Roll-off Carrier](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American_Roll-on_Roll-off_Carrier" \o "American Roll-on Roll-off Carrier), and [United European Car Carriers](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_European_Car_Carriers).

The company tonnage comprise 80 [PCC-PCTC](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Roll-on/roll-off) vessels transporting about 4 million cars annually, mainly from [South Korea](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Korea) to the US and Europe.

The main business consists in the maritime transport and distribution of cargo such as automobiles, trucks, trailers, [Mafi roll trailers](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mafi_roll_trailer" \o "Mafi roll trailer), heavy construction machineries and further types of rolling freight.

Since 1999, when *mv Asian Destiny* was launched, the fleet started to include ships capable of carrying over 6,000 cars per voyage.

Over half of the fleet's vessels include the word *"Morning"* in the first part of their names. The tonnage name idea is linked to the fact that Korea started to be internationally referred as "[the Land of Morning calm](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Names_of_Korea" \o "Names of Korea)", and its ruling monarchy the [Joseon](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joseon" \o "Joseon), became known abroad as the "Morning Dynasty", when a book written in 1886 by [Percival Lowell](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Percival_Lowell" \o "Percival Lowell) obtained large success in the [United States](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States) in narrating the history of the country.

## Ships gallery

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