



## Transportation Gateways

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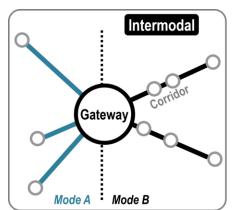
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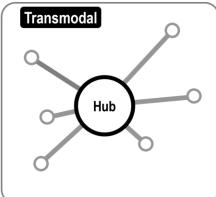
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## Gateways and Hubs

- "A gateway performs an intermodal function (between modes), while a hub is mostly transmodal (within a mode) in nature. The meaning of gateways and hubs can vary according to the transport mode, with each mode having its technical characteristics, economies of scale, and commercial relations."
- "While a hub is a central location in a transport system with many inbound and outbound connections of the same mode, a gateway commonly implies a shift from one mode to another (such as maritime / land)."





## Key Factors in Goods Movement

- Geography
- Mode
- Cargo
- Volume
- Time to Market
- Origin/Destination
- Regulations

