

Business Case: How to improve eco-efficiency using barge transportation?

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Company: ESKA is a Dutch manufacturer of premium solid board dedicated to high-performance and sustainable luxury packaging, books, puzzles and games solutions.

Industry: Paper & Board production

Solution: "Phygital" Barge transportation solution in the Netherlands connected to an international door to door transportation solution

Context:

- International growth
- Commitment: carbon neutrality by 2050
- Sustainability is part of the Eska's DNA

Customer challenges:

- To guarantee supply
- To provide green and cost-efficient transportation solutions to export high quality solid board from 2 plants in the Netherlands to over 80 countries worldwide.
- To get shipping agility
- To support International development and contribute to CSR objectives

Our Solution:

• Efficient solution with inland barge transportation: 6 weekly barges from inland terminal to port

- Wide range of shipping line services to all destinations
- Fully digital process from origin to destination
- Digital Transport order management

Customer benefits:

- Competitive advantage thanks to a high performing supply chain
- Enhanced customer experience thanks to real time information and pro-active communication
- 350t of CO2 reduction in year by utilizing barge transportation
- Smooth, efficient, and green operations thanks to a paperless process

