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Yusen Logistics Innovates with Launch of Double Deck Ocean Container Transport on all Routes

Yusen Logistics announces the launch of an innovative ocean transportation service which enables double stacking of product inside ocean containers, through the installation of specialized decks.

Trial movements in April confirmed the security of the decks and with increasing demand for the transportation of electrical products, chemicals, foodstuffs, and motorcycles; Yusen Logistics has launched this new service on all transport lanes operated by its network. This provides flexible solutions, as the double deck can be customized according to individual customer requirements.

The service is based around the specialized deck* – the result of collaborative development between NYK and its R&D subsidiary MTI – being installed inside the container, dividing the interior into upper and lower sections, to optimize utilization.

The new system will generate a number of benefits, including improved loading efficiency, reduced transportation costs and reduced CO₂ emissions.



Motorcycles are loaded inside

* The specialized decks are designed to be suspended from the roof of the container. The companies involved in the development of this technology are currently applying for patents.

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ABOUT YUSEN LOGISTICS

Yusen Logistics is a leading provider of contract logistics and air/ocean freight forwarding. Offering a truly global, total logistics service, the company provides warehousing, distribution, freight forwarding and supply chain management services. As of incorporation on 1st April 2011, the company's European region employs some 4,300 employees and operates 75 facilities with over 700,000 m2 of warehousing space throughout Europe, from Spain to Russia. The global headquarters of Yusen Logistics is Tokyo, with other regional headquarters for East Asia, South Asia/Oceania and the Americas.

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