



# Rol Haven in Wereldwijde Logistieke Ketens

*“Hoe kunnen we duurzaam nieuwe toegevoegde waarde creëren door meer naar de lading in de containers te kijken?”*

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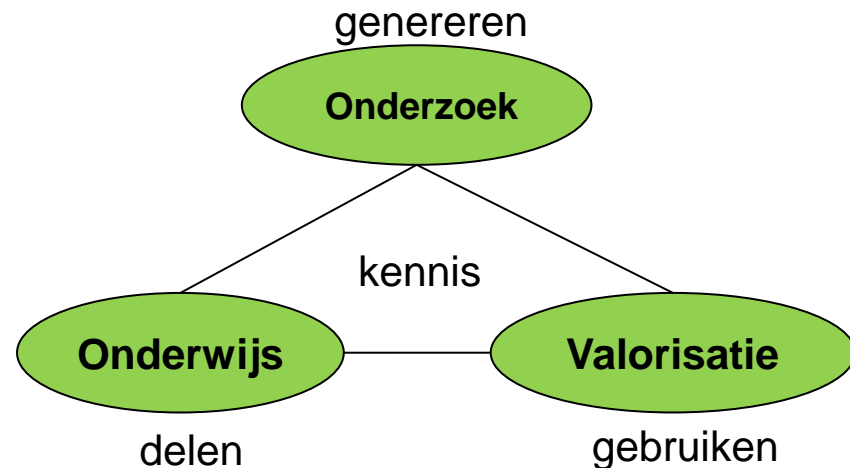


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## Research Agenda

Operational Excellence in Ports  
and Networks

Drivers for Green Port Related  
Operations

Governance for a Sustainable  
Port

Ports as Nodes in Global Supply  
Chains

Visibility for a Connected Port

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A screenshot of a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the Erasmus Smart Port Rotterdam website. The browser's address bar shows the URL [http://www.eur.nl/ERIM/Research/Centres/Smart\\_Port](http://www.eur.nl/ERIM/Research/Centres/Smart_Port). The website header features the Erasmus University Rotterdam logo and the title "Erasmus Smart Port Rotterdam". A navigation menu includes links for Home, About, People, Participating Schools, Partners, Publications, Education, News, and Contact. The main content area features a large aerial photograph of the port facility with the heading "Erasmus Smart Port". Below the photo is a paragraph of text describing the center as a hub for maritime and port-related research and education, involving five schools: RSM, ESE, FSS, Erasmus School of Law-ESL, and the Faculty of History and Arts. To the right of the main text are several sidebars: "Participating Schools" with the RSM logo, "Our partners" with the ect Europe Container Terminals logo, a "LinkedIn Erasmus Smart Port Group" link, and a "Port business news" section with several headlines such as "Shanghai Shipping Exchange defends integrity of boxship freight indices" and "Boxship demand set to outstrip supply in 2010". The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows several open applications, including a presentation and the Smart Port website itself. The system clock in the bottom right corner indicates the time is 22:40.

# Begeleidende Vragen

- Hoe kunnen we informatie over containers benutten voor meer duurzame logistiek?
- Hoe kunnen we containerlogistiek aansturen op ladingniveau?

# Succesverhaal Maritieme Container



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# Begeleidende Vraag 1

*“Hoe kunnen we informatie over containers benutten voor meer duurzame logistiek?”*



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# Research Topic

The deployment of various hinterland transport modes under uncertainty while considering the triple bottom line of sustainability

Rob Zuidwijk and Albert Veenstra (2010). The Value of Information in Container Transport: Leveraging the Triple Bottom Line. ERIM Research Paper ERS-2010-039-LIS, Erasmus University Rotterdam.



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# INTEGRITY



## Objective

Significantly improve reliability and predictability of door-to-door container chains.

## Means

Development Shared Intermodal Container Information System (SICIS).

## Motivation

Growing information needs from growth in global container transport, bottlenecks in European deep sea ports and hinterland connections, supply chains complexity, and new security regulations.

Source: [www.integrity-supplychain.eu](http://www.integrity-supplychain.eu)



# SICIS Feature: Container Tracking



SICIS - Windows Internet Explorer

https://www.sicis.integrity-supplychain.eu/sicis/HK.com.hit.integrity.sicis.SICIS/SICIS.html?locale=en#CONTAINER-JOURNEY-FUNC/RAW-CONTAINER-EVENT-FUNC

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## INTEGRITY

## SICIS

Home > Container Journey > Raw Container Event (GMT+00:00)

Raw Container Event Maintenance CN005

System Code: -- Please Select --      Container No.: TTN

Event Location: -- Please Select --      Date Time From: [ ]

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Container Event List

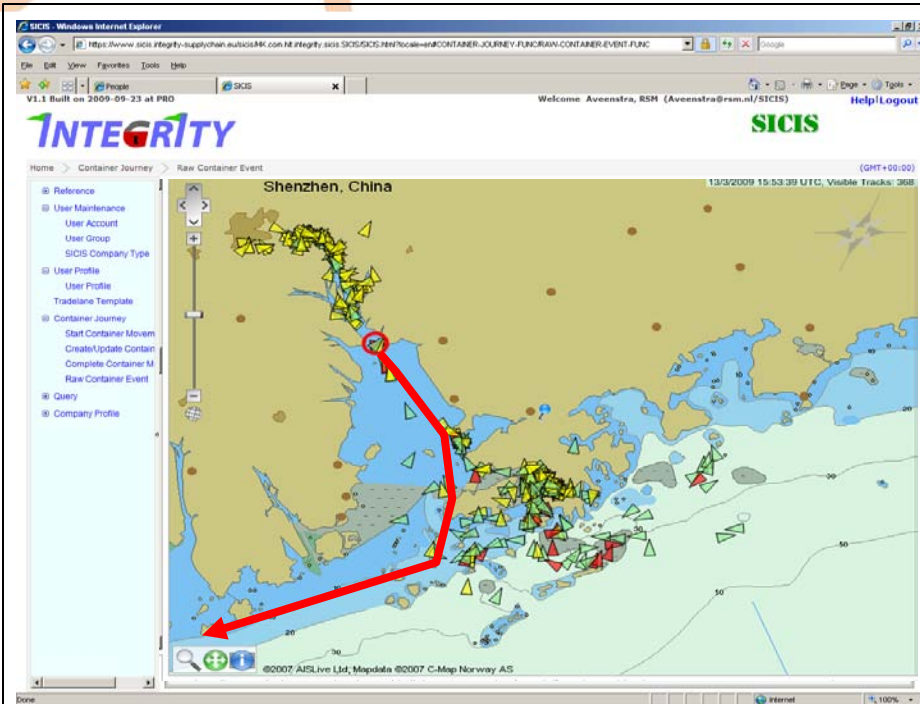
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3	<input type="checkbox"/>	TTNU3022932	Loading	23-09-2009 20:16	YICT Terminal		HDN				
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5	<input type="checkbox"/>	TTNU3022932	Gate Out	16-10-2009 03:17	ECT Delta Terminal East		HDN				
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Milestones      Security Status

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# SICIS Feature: Vessel Tracking & Ship Arrival Predictions



## Multiple data sources

Container tag (GPS)

Vessel tracking system (AIS)

Vehicle board computers

RFID readers at the terminal

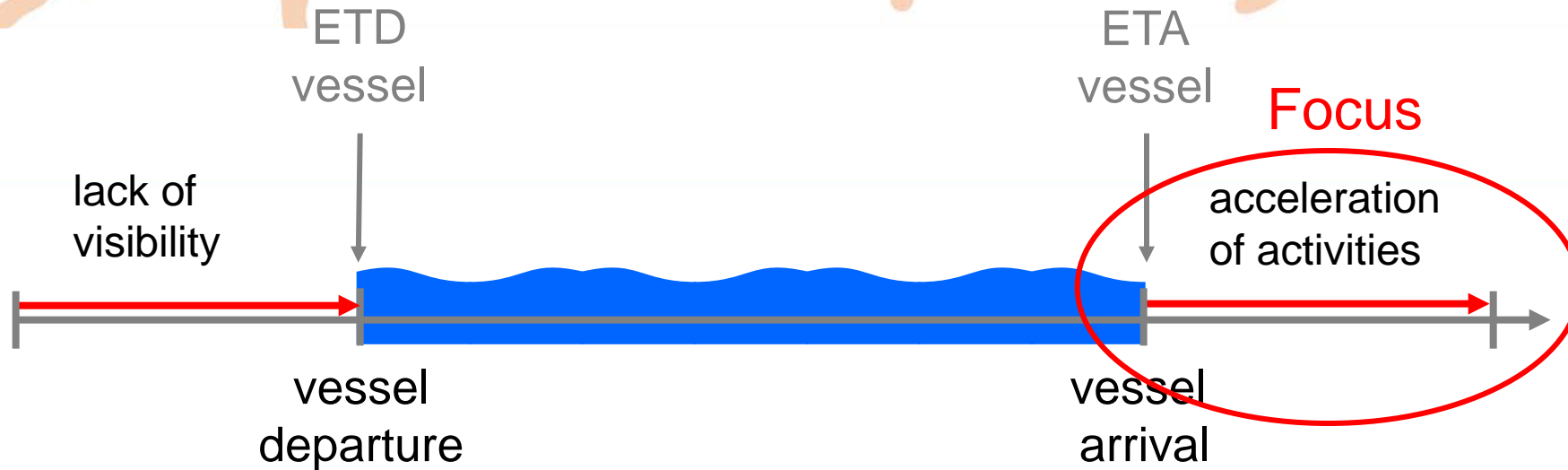
## Use of quality tracking data

Monitor and control of  
container position

Forecasts of events  
(arrival times)



# Global Supply Chain

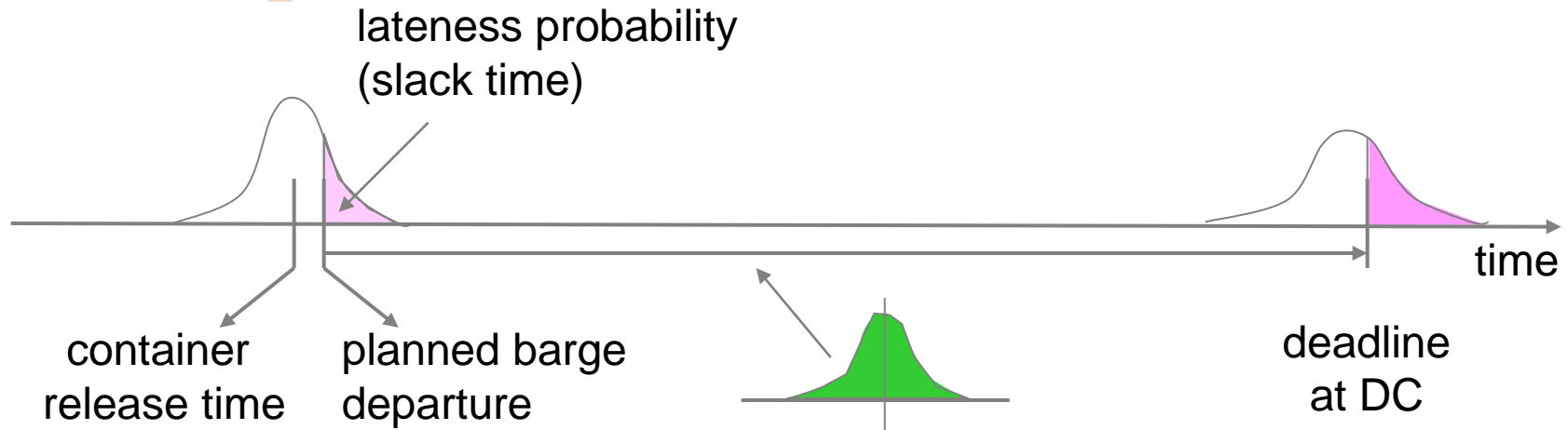


- ‘Decoupling points’ departure and arrival deep sea vessel
- Departure and arrival times are uncertain (days)
  - Present-day visibility requirements export low
  - Acceleration of supply chain activities import upon arrival

# Decision Problem

- Container arrival destination port
- Co-modal transport mode inland (barge and truck)
  - Departure barge less flexible
  - Recourse shipment of late containers by truck
- Decision variables:
  - fraction of containers planned by barge
  - probability container not on time for barge

# Decision Model



## Decision variables

planned barge departure or  
lateness probability  
mode choice (truck or barge)

## Stochastic parameters

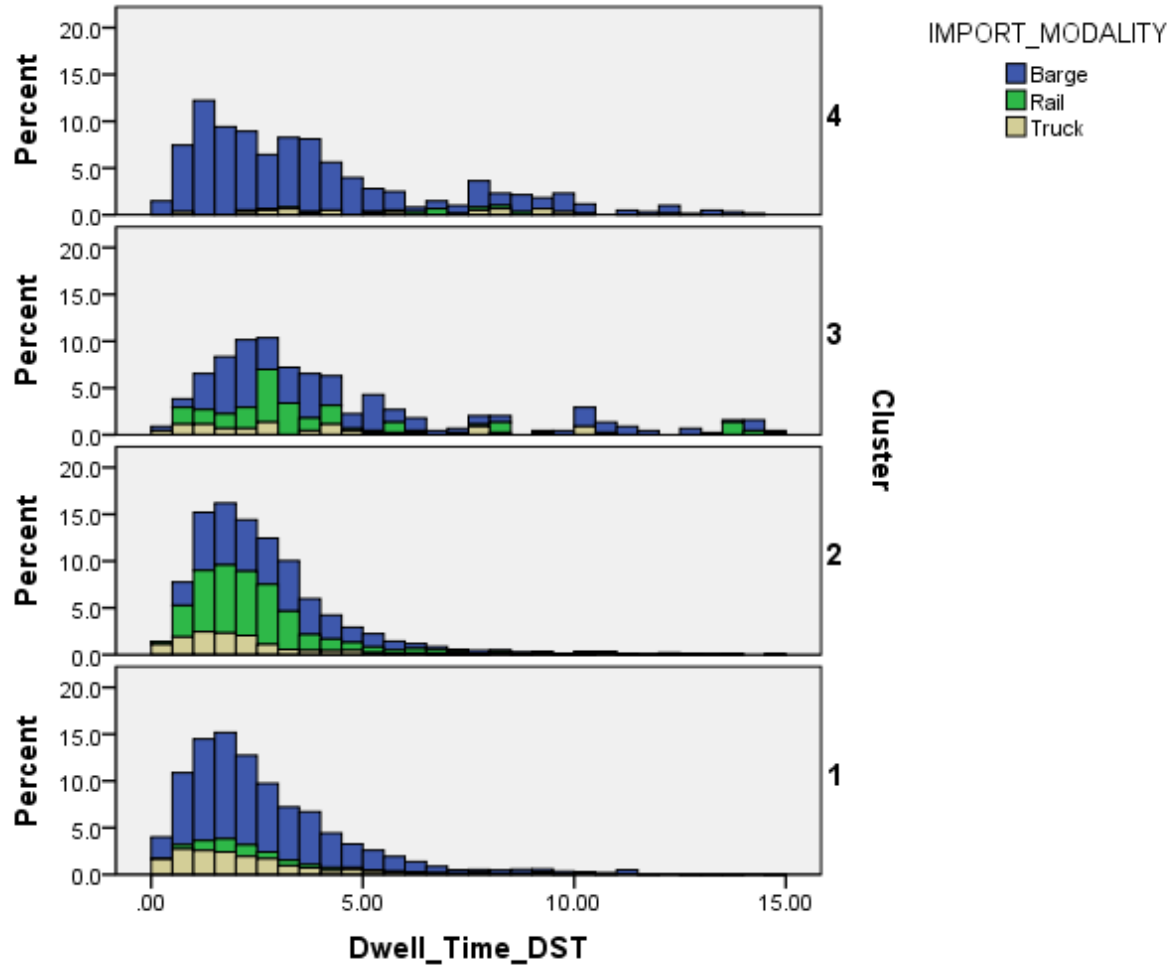
container release time  
transport times

transport time  
(distribution)  
transport modes  
(truck or barge)

## Recourse action

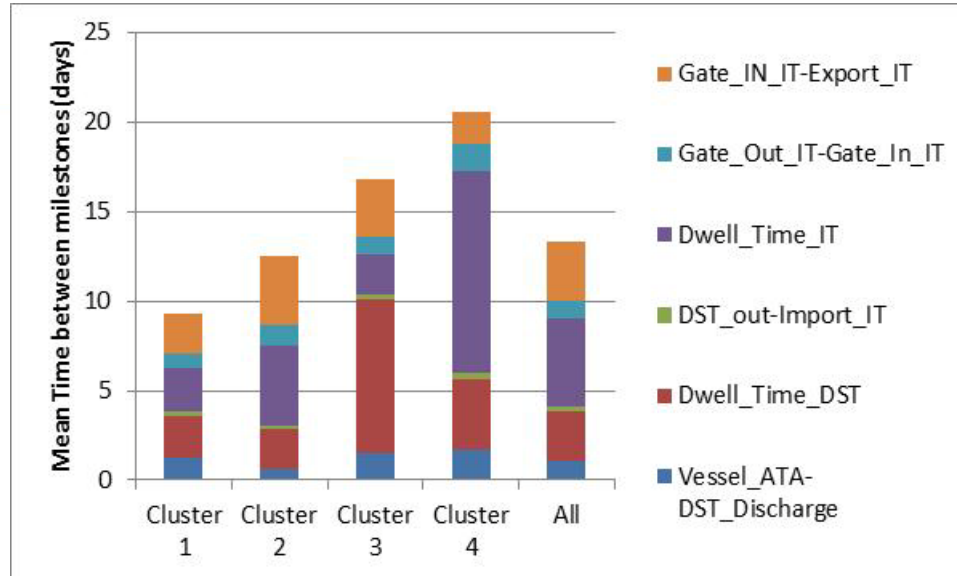
recourse truck  
shipment

# Dwell Time Clustering: Customers





# Container Dwell Times



	Cluster 1	Cluster 2	Cluster 3	Cluster 4
<b>Clients</b>	91	28	6	5
<b>Containers</b>	6788	7306	394	700
<b>Containers per client</b>	74.59	260.93	65.67	140.00

# Information Scenarios

## 1. No information

All containers are shipped by recourse truck

## 2. Distributions container arrivals and transport times

Fraction is planned to be shipped by barge, late arrivals are shipped by recourse truck. Remainder is shipped by planned truck

## 3. Distribution container arrivals per category

Same, fractions planned to be shipped by barge can differ among categories

## 4. Container arrival times known in advance

Containers can now be selected based on their arrival time, no recourse trucks required

# Performance Measures

distance = 170 km	<b>barge</b>	<b>truck</b>	<b>rctruck</b>
<b>costs (euro)</b>	70	200	220
<b>time (hours)</b>	12	4	5
<b>CO2 emissions (kg/ton)</b>	6	23	25

Sources: personal communication LSP;  
CO2 Emissions from Freight Transport in the UK (2007)

## ***Normalized***

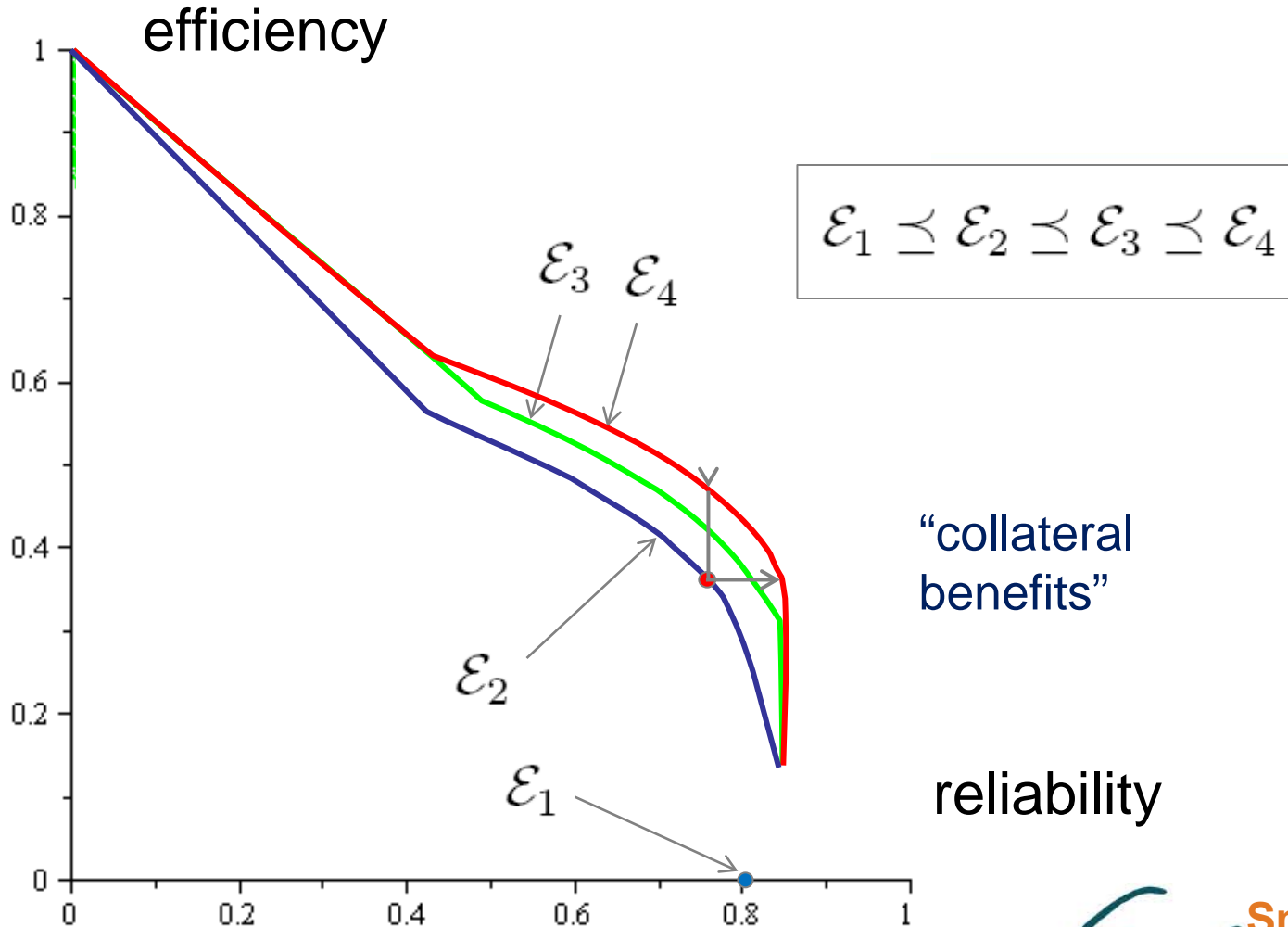
transport cost efficiency

emission efficiency

fraction containers shipped as planned (security)

fraction containers on time at DC

# “Value of Information”



# Discussie

Meer informatie over de container:

- Meer gedifferentieerde behandeling
- Toegevoegde waarde al bereikt bij bescheiden detailniveau



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## Begeleidende Vraag 2

*“Hoe kunnen we containerlogistiek aansturen op ladingniveau?”*



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# Research Topic

## Cargo Driven Intermodal Transportation

Cargo Driven Intermodal Transportation Proposal for Dinalog R&D Project, May 2012.



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# Motivation

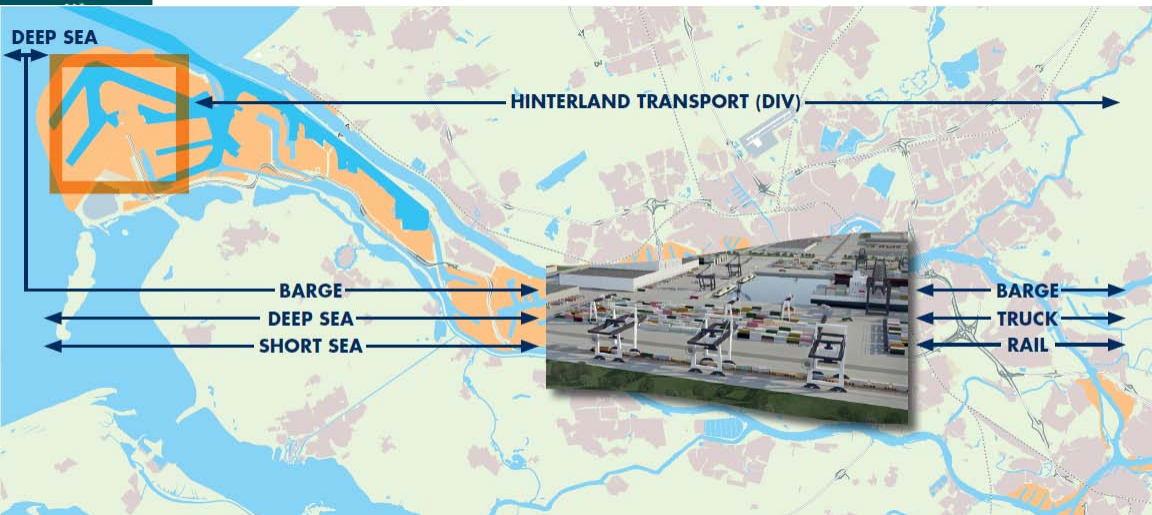
- The need to further enhance the competitive position of the PoR and its hinterland;
- The need to better utilize containers and transport means;
- The need to establish a considerable modal shift;
- Stimulate and reap the benefits of containerization;
- The opportunities to balance (import-export) and combine (maritime-continental) cargo flows.



# Rotterdam Cool Port

*Source of inspiration for the project*

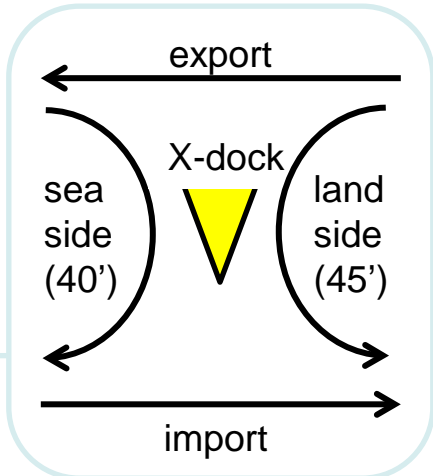
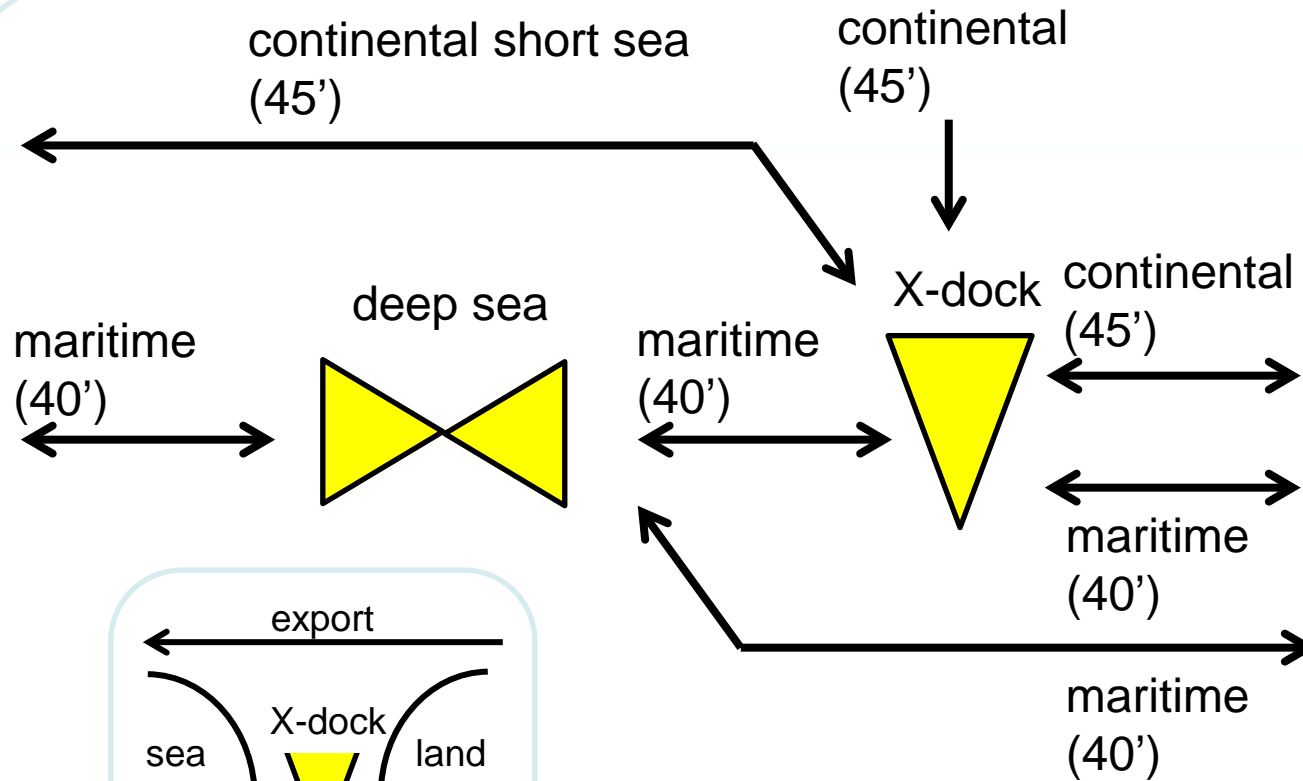
- Response to containerization of perishable product
- Relocation of hub for perishables in the port
- Centralized handling and storage of conditioned cargo, including cross-docking, quality inspections, customs procedures;
- Consolidation of volumes enables frequent intermodal connections deep sea terminals and hinterland;
- Connectivity European import and export flows via short sea;
- Facilitates repositioning of empty (reefer) containers.



# Related Business Cases

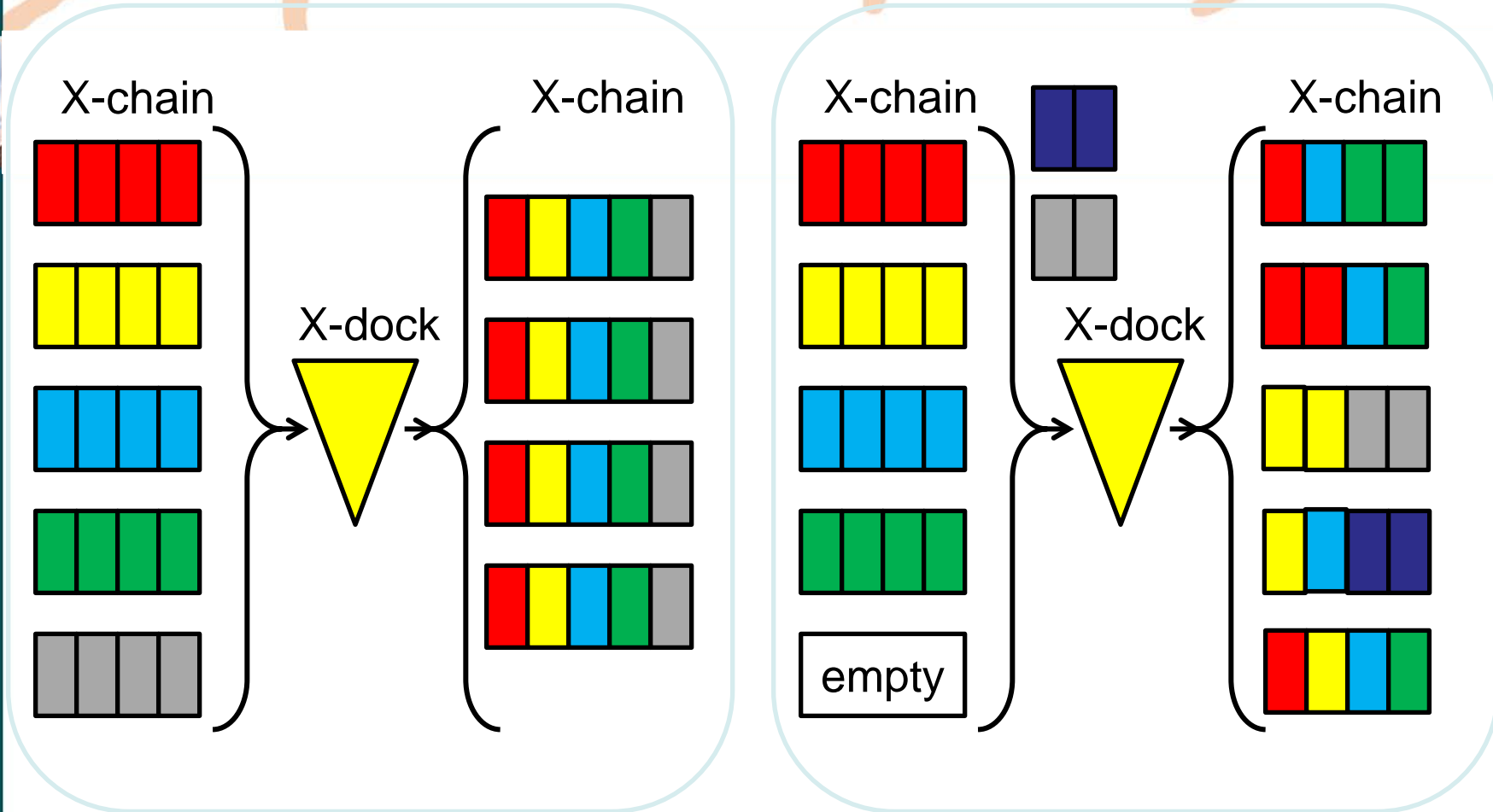
- **Kloosterboer:** Selection and further development and of efficient compact storage and cross-docking concepts in an intermodal network, at least 15% energy consumption reduction;
- **Markiezaat Container Terminal:** Further development of LCL distribution and container repositioning and re-use concepts (> 70%);
- **Visbeen Transport Groep:** Development of intermodal solutions for new product-market combinations; also cross-dock (daily fresh).

# Flow Balance & Consolidation



X-dock both on-dock and hinterland

# Better Utilization



# Expected Benefits

- On dock distribution provides opportunity to combine efficient storage in container stack with cargo VAL and cross-docking;
- On dock hub and hinterland network may mitigate trade imbalance by synchronizing deep sea import and short sea export;
- On dock hub and hinterland network enables further containerization and modal shift;
- Planning and control at the cargo level provides better utilization of containers;
- LCL distribution system may help create an extensive Short Sea network that improves the competitive position of the port.
- Etc.



# Research Contributions

- 1. Managing cross-dock operations at the cargo level:** Tools that optimize the design and operation of handling and compact storage facilities in an intermodal environment;
- 2. Managing container flows at the cargo level:** Tools to determine where to (de)consolidate, cross-dock and trans-load cargo flows under various product and operational conditions;
- 3. Creating value with information flows at the cargo level:** Tools to determine the value of information at the cargo level in intermodal network planning in terms of revenues and costs, reliability, security, and environmental impacts.

# Feasibility Study Network

- Opportunities for added-value activities such as cross-docking: identification of product-market combinations that require LCL and allow for consolidation;
- Location of cross-docking and bundling: port of loading or port of discharge, near dock or more inland;
- Exploration of product-market combinations other than fresh product.

# Challenges Perishables

- Product variety
- Shelf life
- Conditioned container chain
  - handling
  - storage
  - transport
- Seasonal patterns import & export volumes

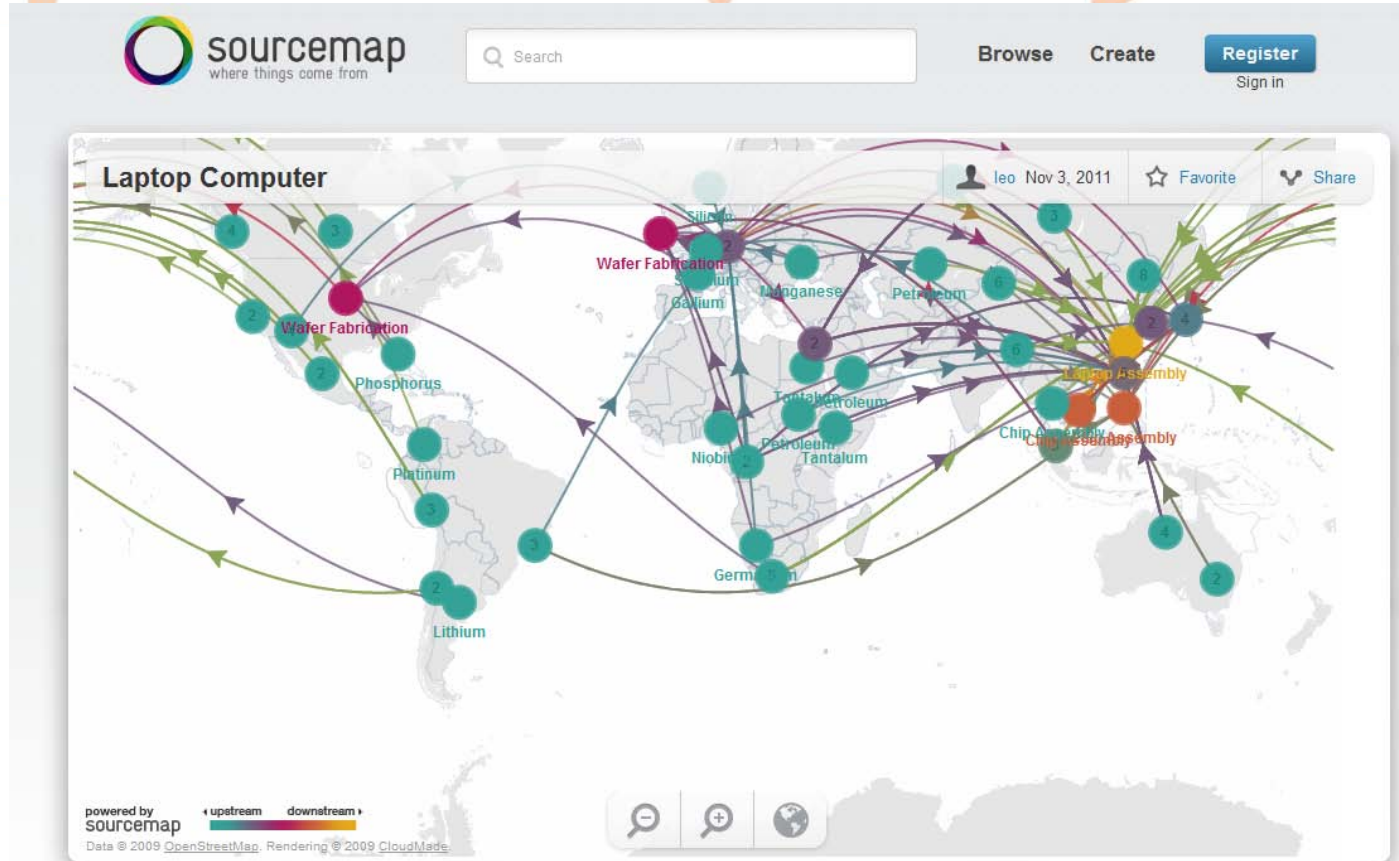


# Discussie

## Aansturing container transport op ladingniveau

- Mogelijkheden om stromen te combineren
- Mogelijkheden om containers te benutten
- Mogelijkheden om toegevoegde waarde activiteiten te combineren
- Aandachtspunten?

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## Laptop Computer



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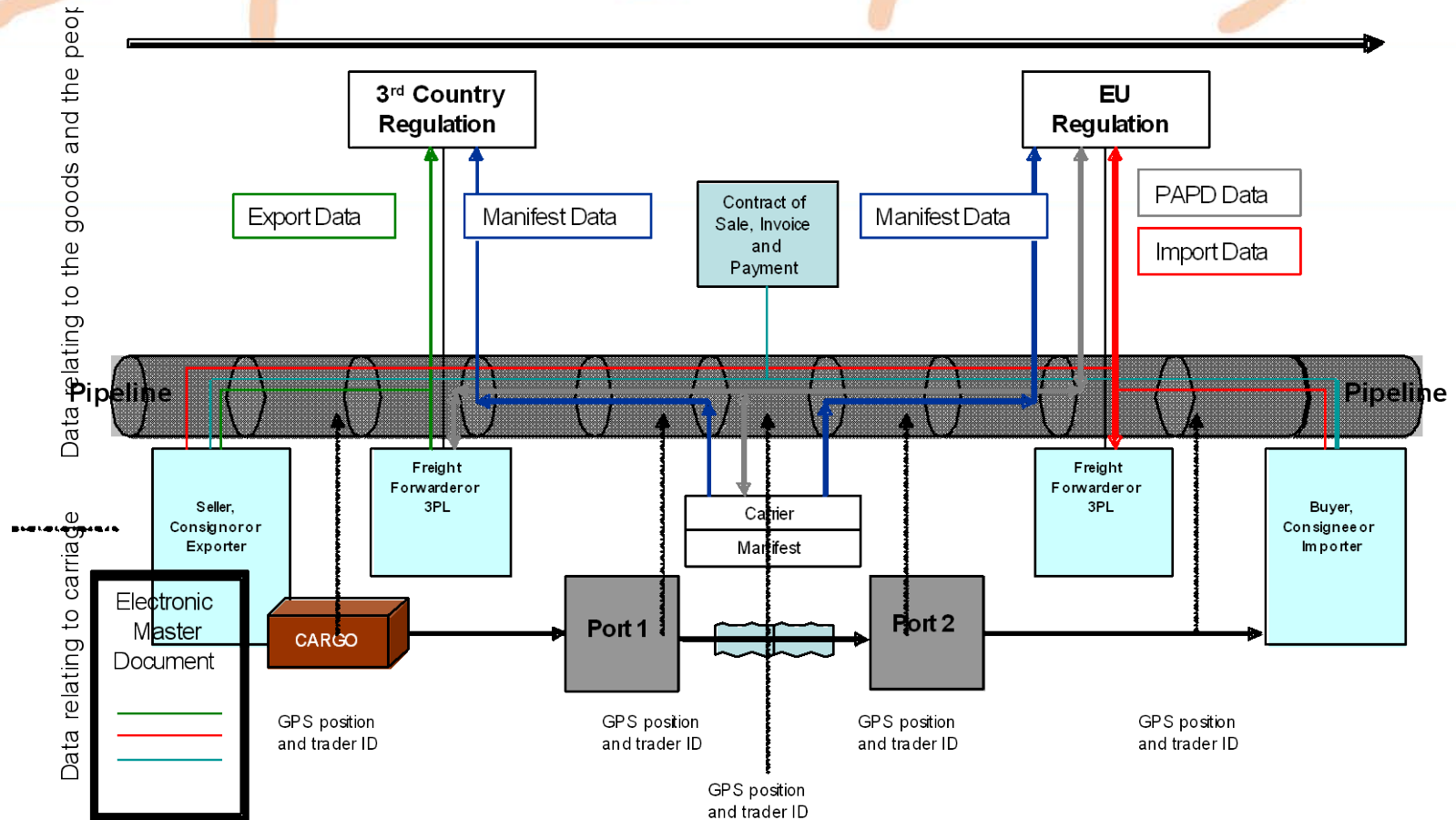
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# Transparantie Ketens



Source: David Hesketh (2009)





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