



# Comparison of the economic benefits of single-phase folding containers for drone stations





## Overview

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This study seeks to explore the effectiveness of employing foldable containers (FLDs) in liner shipping to reduce relocation and the empty containers and bunker costs (BCs) associated with ship operations. This resolves a minimum-cost multi-commodity network flow problem by optimizing container.

Among the emerging solutions, a collaborative delivery model involving drones and trucks addresses last-mile delivery challenges by leveraging the complementary strengths of both modes of transport. However, evaluating the environmental and economic impacts of this transportation mode requires a.

In this paper, we analyse the opportunities for commercial application of foldable containers. For this purpose a cost-benefit analysis is adopted in which four logistic concepts to use foldable containers are presented as a framework for analysis. The costs and benefits of using foldable.

Abstract Drone or octocopter drone is a new generation innovation that can perform operations like surveillance, media, etc. with ease setup and cost-efficient. The delivery drone is the upcoming evolution in the field of engineering. The



design of cargo containers attached to drones affects the. What are the benefits of a foldable container?

Using the newly developed foldable container can not only significantly reduce logistics costs, but also bring positive environmental impacts such as reducing greenhouse gas that may have arisen from transporting bulky empty containers. Also the foldable container influences social aspects such as noise pollution, local development and employment.

Do foldable containers reduce container fleet management costs?

The effect of foldable containers on the costs of container fleet management in liner shipping networks. *Maritime Economics & Logistics*. 2012. Vol. 14. No. 4. P. 455-479. DOI: 10.1057/mel.2012.16. Shintani, K. & Konings, R. & Imai, A. Combinable containers: A container innovation to save container fleet and empty container repositioning costs.

How can a foldable container reduce the cost of storage?

The satisfaction of such conditions and the eventual adoption of the foldable container by the market would reduce the operation costs by 50% to 60% , the storage space in yard and depot by 80% and CO 2 emissions by 20% [8, 12].

Are foldable containers economically viable?

In order to examine the economic viability of the developed foldable container as compared to a standard 40-ft high-cube container, cost analysis is performed for an example route, i.e., the Busan-Vostochny-Moscow route (Fig. 10), which involves both inland and maritime transportation.



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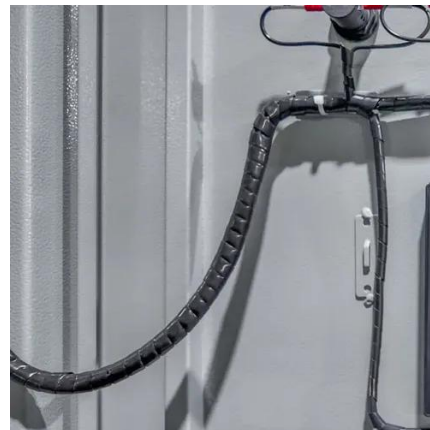


### ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF DEPLOYING FOLDABLE ...

FLDs can be folded and bundled four high when repositioned, reducing space by 75%, aiding efficient utilization, and lowering the handling burden at ports, meaning they may be more cost ...

### ANALYZING THE EFFECTS OF USING BOTH FOLDABLE ...

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### **Logistics system design for hybrid commercial drones with ...**

Hybrid drones have been developed for commercial purposes due to their long range and high payload capacity. This research designs a multi-criteria logistics system for ...

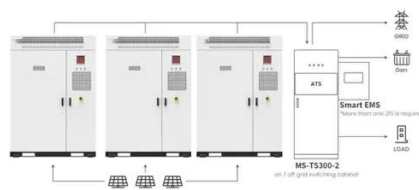
### **Foldable Containers to Reduce the Costs of Empty Transport ...**

The costs and benefits of using foldable containers in these logistic concepts are calculated and compared with the situation in which standard

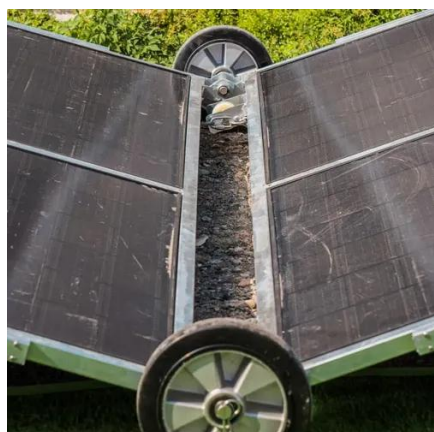




containers are used. It is shown that the use of ...



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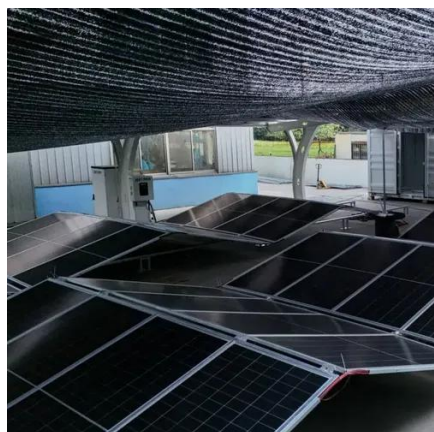


## Redesign and Analysis of Cargo Containers for Delivery ...

The results of the study showed that the new ellipse shape design of cargo container is more practical to use in high-speed operation and results in increased efficiency of the system like ...

## (PDF) A Literature Review of Drone-Based ...

Comparative analysis between truck-only and hybrid truck-and-drone scenarios reveals significant efficiency gains, including ...



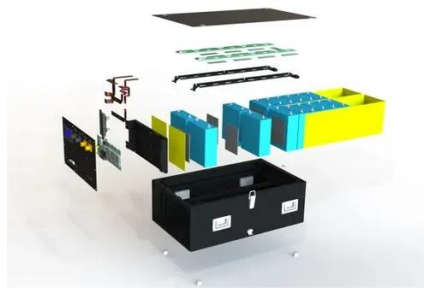
## **The Future of Last-Mile Delivery: Lifecycle Environmental and Economic**

This section reviews relevant studies on drone and truck transportation systems, with a primary focus on three aspects: drone-truck transportation models, environmental ...



## Design and Cost-Effectiveness of 5-Tier Foldable Container

The presented foldable container passed the tests for international certifications ISO 1496-1 and CSC required for its application on site. Differently from the 4:1 folding ratio ...

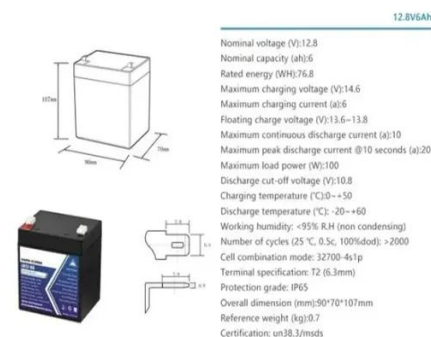


## (PDF) Economic benefits of deploying foldable containers: ...

We use the model to minimize total transportation costs, inventory holding, handling, folding and unfolding, container leasing, and installing facilities that accommodate ...

## **Redesign and Analysis of Cargo Containers for Delivery Drone**

We formulate and optimize models of hybrid truck-drone delivery, where truck-based drones make deliveries simultaneously with trucks, and compare their performance to truck ...



## (PDF) A Literature Review of Drone-Based Package Delivery ...

Comparative analysis between truck-only and hybrid truck-and-drone scenarios reveals significant efficiency gains, including reductions in delivery routes, on-road minutes, ...



## [The Future of Last-Mile Delivery: Lifecycle ...](#)

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