Changing Logistics in East Asia: From Shipper's Viewpoints

Shipper's Needs, Transport Time Transport Cost, Transport Quality Implications for Infrastructure Management

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Shipper's Needs

Price/Cost Competition

Under the global division of labor, the total logistics cost becomes the important factor for final consumer price.

Quick Response to Demand

Under the sufficient economy, shortening door-todoor transport time is necessary requirements to respond to demand fluctuation and to decrease inventory cost.

Price/Cost Competition



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Price/Cost Competition: Global Division of Labor

Change of Global Market in Toyota Motor Company

(10,000 vehicles)

Share of Sales

Share of Production



Quick Response to Demand

Transport Time is Key



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Estimated Cost of US 24 hours Pre-notice Rule in Japan

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Estimated Cost of US 24 hours Pre-notice Rule in Japan (continued)



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Sample of TIME Component



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Sample of COST Component

In Case of Bangkok to Hanoi

(JAPAN)

Philippine

Sea Transport 2,000 US\$ Major parts: Sea Freight Charge and Port related Charges (Container Handling Charge) Document Fee Road transport cost

Road Transport 5,000 US\$ Round trip charge for chartered truck Cost for changing container to other trailer

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Estimated Cost of Change of Vehicle at the Border between US and Mexico

The unit cost of change of one vehicle : about 85 to 150 US\$ The time of change : about 2 to 3 hours

The trade volume between US and Mexico : about 343 billion US\$ per year The economic effect of without change of vehicle : about 425 million US\$ savings per year

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Implications for Infrastructure Management from Shipper's Viewpoint

Roles of Cross-border Transport

- Small and high frequent shipment needs for container transport
- Road transport as sort-cut route in peninsula area
- Not road transport only, alternative modal selection is important
- Inter-modal connectivity with port, airport and rail is important
- Modal competitiveness to improve its performance

 Possibility from development in international port and airport concentrated industrial sites to development in inland road side

Issues on Cross-border Transport

Transport Time

- Long waiting time for custom processing and timing
- Necessity of parallel processing such as in-advance notice
- Necessity of synchronizing trans-shipment time in cross border
- Necessity of synchronizing different transport modes

Transport Cost

- Small freight volume
- Unbalanced trade balance
- Change of container
- Document processing

Transport Quality

- Surface condition, fall of rock and flooded area; maintenance issues
- Safety
- Change of container
- Heavy vehicle regulation in urban area

Infrastructure Management and Shipper's Needs

Public Management

- Long term for infrastructure development
- Non market conditions; safety and environment
- National security and financing issues
- <u>Resource sharing by common use</u>

Private Management

- Short term activity depending on market conditions and production factors
- Driving force is change of market
- Market oriented and competition
- Depending on micro specific conditions; time, place, the way of transport, type of gods
- Economic impact of infrastructure development on private activity depends on not only general conditions such as average time and speed but also time and place for specific activity
- Importance of information on institutional framework and the way of operation in planning, programming and budgeting

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