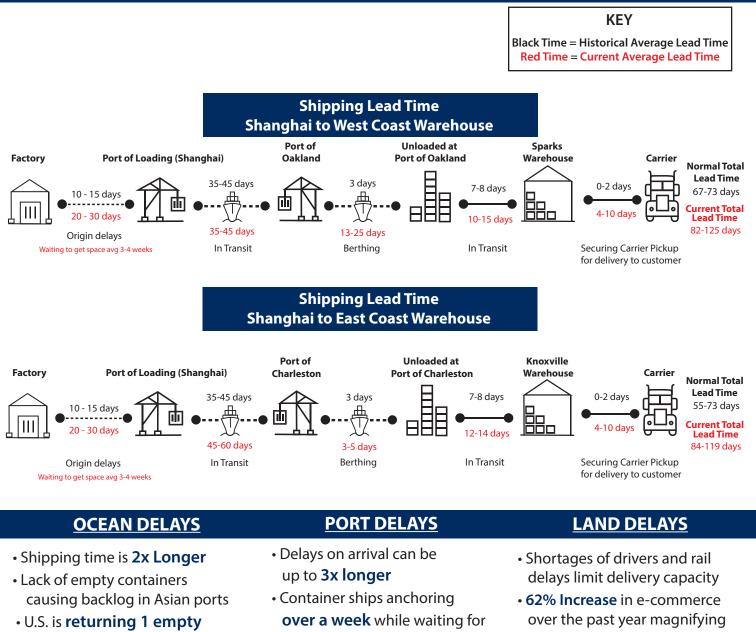
Import Logistics Update Shipping Challenges Cause Supply Delays

The demand for shipping and transportation services has increased significantly. Reduction of available labor, along with increased equipment shortages, continues to affect moving products through the supply chain. These backlogs and congestion are producing significant delays and cost increases.

Shipping Industry Current Situation Examples



container for every 3-4 received

- Container Shipping rates 4x higher and continuing to increase
- dock space
- Offloading a container ship can take 2x longer due to reduced workforce
- driver shortages
- Freight volume by truck up 37% over last year

