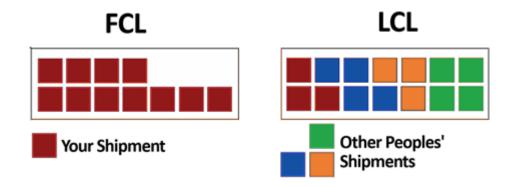
Logistics Management – International Logistics Basics



Containers FCL vs. LCL

Trucks FTL vs. LTL



• FCL = "Full Container Load" You pay for a whole container of your own.

• LCL = "Less than Container Load" Your goods will be loaded into a shared container.

• FTL = "Full Truck Load" You pay for a whole truck of your own.

• LTL = "Less than Truck Load" Your goods will be loaded into a shared truck.

Pros of FCL over LCL:

- Greater security fewer people will have access
- Faster through customs less risk of delay from someone else
- Can load and seal your container on your own premises

Cons of FCL vs LCL:

- More expensive for a partial load
- Probably have to send all the goods to a single destination