

# CONTAINER INSPECTIONS

# CONTAINER IS A SAFE AND SECURE WAY OF MOVING CARGO. PREVENTION OF DAMAGE TO THE CARGO IS A PRIORITY FOR CMA CGM.

It is shipper's responsibility to check the good suitability and the sound condition of the container.

## CONTAINER INSPECTION PRIOR TO STUFFING

#### Outside inspection:

- 1. The weight of all the items to be stuffed is not exceeding the max payload/net weight indicated on the right door of the container (incl container's line load: 20' 5mt/m).
- 2. The container has a valid Safety Approval Plate and the re-examination date has not passed or the container is subjected to an Approved Continuous Examination Program (ACEP).
- 3. No holes or crack in walls and roof.
- 4. Doors and closing devices operate properly.
- 5. No adhesives labels remaining from the previous shipment.
- 6. Flatrack container: Stanchions (If ordered) are complete and correctly fitted.
- 7. Open-Top container: Roof bows and tarpaulin are complete.

### Inside inspection:

- 1. Container is watertight (Test method: Enter the container, close both doors tightly and look for incoming light).
- 2. Container interior is dry.
- 3. Container is clean, free of cargo residues.
- 4. Container is neutral in odor.
- 5. No nails or other protusions which could damage the cargo.
- 6. Recommendations posted inside the container to be noted.

#### CONTAINER INSPECTION AFTER PACKING

- 1. The container is packed appropriately for the cargo and anticipated road, rail or sea transit stresses.
- 2. A copy of the packing list is placed in a highly visible location inside the container.
- 3. The doors have been carefully closed and, secured with an high security bolt seal meeting or exceeding the Iso/Pas 17712 standards.
- 4. Old adhesives labels to be removed.
- 5. Dangerous Goods placards if appropriate to be affixed in the recommended positions.
- 6. Open-Top container: Roof bows and tarpaulin are correctly fitted and TIR cord secured with a high security cable seal.

#### Recommendations:

- If available, seals should be placed in the "Secura Cam" position at the bottom of the left locking bar of the right door.
- Placards advertising the content should be removed from the outside of the container (They will attrack thieves).



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