

ICA 5: One-Time Truck Shipments

ISE 453: Design of PLS Systems

Spring 2020

Using *Template-Truck Shipments.xlsx* (see Schedule), answer the following questions. Unless noted, each question builds upon the results from the previous questions.

- Product is to be shipped from Raleigh, NC (27606) to Detroit, MI (48234). Each unit weighs 67 lb and occupies 6 ft³, and units can be stacked on top of each other in a trailer. Assuming that the product is to be shipped P2P TL, what is the maximum payload for each trailer used for the shipment?

$$q_{\max} = \min \left\{ q_{\max}^{wt}, q_{\max}^{cu} \right\} = \min \left\{ K_{wt}, \frac{sK_{cu}}{2000} \right\}$$

- Next Monday, 20 units of the product are to be shipped. How many truckloads are required for this shipment?

- Using the most recent rate estimate available, what is the TL transport charge for this shipment?

$$r = \frac{PPI_{TL}}{102.7} \times \$2.00 / \text{mi} \quad c_{TL} = \left\lceil \frac{q}{q_{\max}} \right\rceil r d$$

- Using the most recent LTL rate estimate, what is charge to transport the shipment LTL?

$$r_{LTL} = PPI_{LTL} \left[\frac{\frac{s^2}{8} + 14}{\left(q^{\frac{1}{7}} d^{\frac{15}{29}} - \frac{7}{2} \right) (s^2 + 2s + 14)} \right], \quad c_{LTL} = r_{LTL} q d$$

- Should TL or LTL be used to transport the shipment?

- What is the TL minimum charge?

$$MC_{TL} = \left(\frac{r}{2} \right) 45$$

- What is the LTL minimum charge?

$$MC_{LTL} = \left(\frac{PPI_{LTL}}{104.2} \right) \left(45 + \frac{d^{\frac{28}{19}}}{1625} \right)$$