

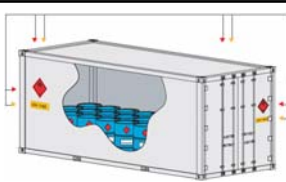
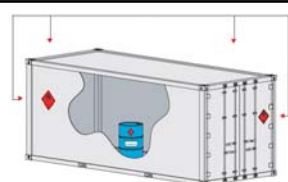
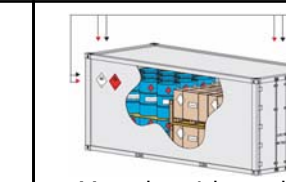
DANGEROUS GOODS SHIPPING CONTAINERS PLACARDING & LABELLING - GENERAL ADVICES

HAZARDS

ENLARGED LABELS (PLACARDS), MARKS AND SIGNS MUST BE AFFIXED TO THE EXTERIOR SURFACES OF CONTAINER TO WARN THAT THE CONTAINER IS DANGEROUS AND PRESENTS RISKS. IMPROPER MARKING AND LABELLING MAY INDUCE A HUGE SECURITY CONCERN WHILE HANDLING OR MOVING THE CONTAINER OR IN CASE OF AN ACCIDENT.

BEST PRACTICES

THE PACKER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ATTACHING PLACARDS AND LABELS TO ANY CONTAINERS IN WHICH DANGEROUS GOODS HAVE BEEN PACKED.

 Single hazardous substance more than 4000 kgs 4 x Diamond placard 4 x UN numbers	 Single hazardous substance less than 4000 kgs 4 x Diamond placards	 Single hazardous substance more than 4000 kgs with sub-risk 8 x Diamond placards 4 x UN numbers	 More than 1 hazardous substance 2 x 4 x Diamond placards (2 substances)
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OTHER MARKS & LABELS

- o **MARINE POLLUTANT:** If the cargo or part of the cargo is Marine Pollutant, the said mark to be affixed on the 4 sides of the container
- o **LIMITED QUANTITIES:** If *only dangerous goods in limited quantities*, the container must be suitably marked on the 4 sides as "EN QUANTITE LIMITEE", "LIMITED QUANTITIES" or "LTD QTY".
- o **FUMIGATED UNITS:** When a container or its content has been fumigated and is *to be shipped under fumigation*,
 - o It has to be declared as UN 3359-CI 9 but marks & labels for UN 3359 are not required.
 - o 1 warning sign should be affixed to the outside of the doors, clearly visible to any person operating the door
 - o The sign should state the fumigant, the date and time when it took place.
 - o The sign should only be removed when the unit has been ventilated and when the fumigated goods or materials have been unloaded.
- o The Proper Shipping Name of the contents shall be durably marked on at least both sides of **BULK & TANK** containers containing dangerous goods.

Remark: All marks & labels to survive at least three months' immersion in the sea.

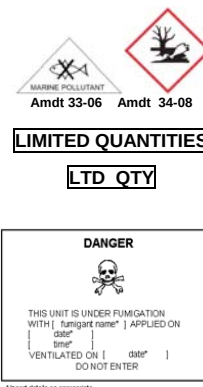
RECOMMENDATIONS

- o All placards, labels, marks and signs shall be removed from containers by the receiver as soon as the dangerous goods are unstuffed. Dangerous goods marks on empty containers may result in fines.
- o Improper labelled containers must be refused at gate in by Terminal Operator.

ALL SPECIFICATIONS FOR PLACARDS, MARKS, LABELS & SIGNS Are Specified In the IMDG Code

MORE INFORMATION

For more details thanks to refer to the IMDG Code Chapter 5.3: [IMDG Code 2006 Edition](#)



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