

# Cost of using 40-foot folding containers at African airports





## Overview

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How much does a 20 foot shipping container cost?

A new 20-foot shipping container can cost anywhere between \$2,000 and \$3,000. The price depends on factors like the manufacturer, condition of the container, and location. What is the cost of shipping a container per kilogram?

The sea freight rates per kg typically range from \$1 to \$4 per kilogram, depending on the distance and type of service.

How much does a 40ft container cost?

Drewry's World Container Index puts the global average price of shipping a 40ft container at \$1,859 (USD) for 13 November, 2025. Between now and the end of the year, container shipping prices will likely remain soft particularly if the current ceasefire between Israel and Palestine enables more shipping traffic to flow through the Suez canal.

How much does international container shipping cost?

International container shipping costs typically range from \$2,000 to \$6,000 for full container loads (FCL). Shipping a 20ft container ranges from \$2,800 to \$15,600, and a 40ft container from \$1,865 to \$23,415, depending on the route. Partial container shipping (LCL) is a cost-effective option for smaller moves, averaging around \$1,600.

What would fit in a 20ft & 40ft shipping container?

Here's a comparison of what would fit in 20ft and 40ft shipping containers: The inside dimensions of a 20ft container are 6.1m x 2.4m x 2.6m. Suitable for 2-3 bedroom homes, with a volume of 33m<sup>3</sup>. The size of a 40ft shipping container is 12.2m x 2.4m x 2.6m.



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Container Shipping Rates Chart and Prices How Much Does It Cost to Ship 20ft and 40ft Containers? How Are Container Shipping Prices, Rates & Transport Costs calculated? How Much Does It Cost to Ship from China/Central Asia to The United States? When comparing prices for container shipping and transport, the size of the container will affect the price. While there are over a dozen different-sized containers, 20-foot (TEU) and 40-foot (FEU) containers are the most frequently used. See more on freightos Pelican Containers

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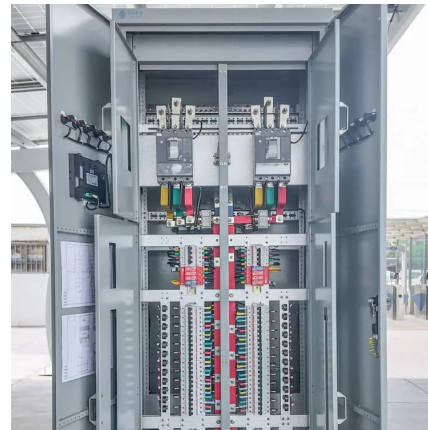
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