

The Position of Busan Port in Container Logistics within Northeast Asia and Future Prospects (Summary)

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Can Busan Port, the largest container transshipment hub port in Northeast Asia, maintain and strengthen its position in the future? To answer this question, this paper analyzes the relationship between Japan's local ports and Busan Port. It comprehensively examined trends in container cargo volume, the development of shipping routes between them, and stakeholder interviews. The results revealed no signs that would significantly hinder the relationship between Japan's local ports and Busan Port, which has been formed and deepened over the past 30 years.

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