

B1 SECTOR VOCABULARY ≈ 27 MIN

Logistics Vocabulary – *practice on paper*

You have built the lesson — now lock in the logistics vocabulary on paper. New sentences, same chain: warehouse, transport, delivery.

Warehouse: the building · available goods: **in stock** · German Spedition: **freight forwarder**

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YOUR BUILD

1 · SORTING

2 · FILL-IN

3 · CORRECT

4 · WRITE

BRICK 1 · SORT BY STATION · APPROX. 4 MIN

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Where does it happen? Anything that happens **in the warehouse** goes on the left. Anything that happens **in transit or at the customer** goes on the right.

picking the items for an order

the lorry is stuck on the motorway

checking stock levels on the shelves

the customer signs for the boxes

the container ship crosses the North Sea

packing the goods into cartons

storing pallets on high racks

the driver hands over the parcel

goods in: new stock is unloaded

the shipment travels by rail to Milan

IN THE WAREHOUSE	IN TRANSIT / AT THE CUSTOMER

BRICK 2 · FILL IN THE MISSING WORD · APPROX. 6 MIN

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Fill in the missing logistics word. Read each sentence through before you write.

- 01 The red cables are of stock, but we can order them for you.
- 02 Orders that come in before noon are the same day.
- 03 The driver needs your signature on the delivery .
- 04 Here is the tracking for your order, so you can check where it is.
- 05 Our forwarder books the lorries and handles the customs papers.
- 06 Spare parts have a time of about ten days, so order early.
- 07 Two boxes were broken, so we sent the damaged back.
- 08 The (estimated time of arrival) of the container is next Tuesday.

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BRICK 3 · FIND AND CORRECT THE MISTAKE · APPROX. 7 MIN



Each sentence holds exactly one mistake. Underline it and write the whole sentence correctly.

01 We have the spare part on stock.

02 We booked an expedition to take the crates to Hamburg.

03 The goods is ready for collection at gate 3.

04 Who delivers you with packaging material?

05 We ship the pallets with lorry to Vienna.

06 Each good is checked before dispatch.

BRICK 4 · WRITE YOUR OWN SENTENCES · APPROX. 8 MIN



Write one true sentence about your company, or about an invented order, for each prompt. Use at least one logistics word in every sentence.

01 What is available — "We have ... in stock."

02 A delay — "The shipment ... The new ETA is ..."

03 Who supplies you — "... supplies us with ..."

04 Your shipping — "We dispatch ..."

MINI-CHECK — CAN I DO THIS YET?

☐ I tell "warehouse" (the building) apart from "stock" (the goods inside).

☐ Goods I have are "in stock", not "on stock".

☐ I call a German Spedition a "freight forwarder", never an "expedition".

☐ I say "The goods are ...", and "an item" for a single piece.

Not every box ticked? Build the lesson once more and try this sheet again tomorrow.



Answer key

Check only when you have finished. Every answer comes with the **why** — the rule matters more than the result.

BRICK 1 · SORTING

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| <p>01 in the warehouse — picking the items for an order
<i>Taking goods off the shelves.</i></p> <p>02 in transit — the lorry is stuck on the motorway
<i>The goods are in transit.</i></p> <p>03 in the warehouse — checking stock levels on the shelves
<i>Stock held in the warehouse.</i></p> <p>04 at the customer — the customer signs for the boxes
<i>Accepting the delivery.</i></p> <p>05 in transit — the container ship crosses the North Sea
<i>The goods are at sea.</i></p> | <p>06 in the warehouse — packing the goods into cartons
<i>A step before dispatch.</i></p> <p>07 in the warehouse — storing pallets on high racks
<i>Storage in the building.</i></p> <p>08 at the customer — the driver hands over the parcel
<i>Handover to the receiver.</i></p> <p>09 in the warehouse — goods in: new stock is unloaded
<i>Goods in at the warehouse.</i></p> <p>10 in transit — the shipment travels by rail to Milan
<i>The shipment is in transit.</i></p> |
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BRICK 2 · FILL-IN

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| <p>01 The red cables are out of stock, but we can order them for you.
<i>Not available: out of stock.</i></p> <p>02 Orders that come in before noon are dispatched (or shipped / sent / sent out / processed / packed / delivered / picked) the same day.
<i>Send off: dispatch.</i></p> <p>03 The driver needs your signature on the delivery note (or receipt / slip).
<i>The document with the goods.</i></p> <p>04 Here is the tracking number (or code / link / ID) for your order, so you can check where it is.
<i>Follow a shipment online.</i></p> | <p>05 Our freight forwarder books the lorries and handles the customs papers.
<i>Organises the transport.</i></p> <p>06 Spare parts have a lead (or delivery / shipping / waiting) time of about ten days, so order early.
<i>Time from order to delivery.</i></p> <p>07 Two boxes were broken, so we sent the damaged goods (or items / boxes / parts / products / ones / cartons) back.
<i>Broken products: damaged goods.</i></p> <p>08 The ETA (estimated time of arrival) of the container is next Tuesday.
<i>Expected arrival.</i></p> |
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BRICK 3 · CORRECT

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| <p>01 We have the spare part in stock.
<i>Available: in stock.</i></p> <p>02 We booked a freight forwarder (or forwarder / haulier / carrier / transport company / logistics company / shipping company / trucking company) to take the crates to Hamburg.
<i>An expedition is not a transport firm.</i></p> <p>03 The goods are ready for collection at gate 3. (Or: The shipment is / The order is ...)
<i>Goods → plural verb.</i></p> | <p>04 Who supplies (or provides) you with packaging material? (Or: Who delivers packaging material to you?)
<i>Regular source: supply.</i></p> <p>05 We ship the pallets by lorry (or by truck / by road) to Vienna.
<i>Means of transport: by lorry / by road.</i></p> <p>06 Each item (or product / part / article) is checked before dispatch. (Or: All the goods are checked ...)
<i>A single piece: an item.</i></p> |
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BRICK 4 · WRITE

Your sentences may differ — just check the logistics word and its form.

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| <p>01 "We have all standard sizes in stock."
<i>Available.</i></p> <p>02 "The shipment is delayed. The new ETA is Friday."
<i>Delay.</i></p> | <p>03 "A firm in Ulm supplies us with pallets."
<i>Supply.</i></p> <p>04 "We dispatch most orders within two days."
<i>Shipping.</i></p> |
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