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## Customer Information Adjustment of Rail Congestion Surcharge effective May 1, 2026

Dear Sir or Madam,

Due to an adjustment implemented by our rail partner, an increased congestion surcharge for rail transport will come into effect as of **May 1, 2026**.

As the previously applicable congestion costs are already included in our existing rates, we will only charge **the difference as an additional surcharge**.

For rail transports, the following additional congestion surcharge will apply as of May 1, 2026, for both empty and full containers:

- **20' container:** EUR 5.00
- **40' container:** EUR 10.00

The previously calculated congestion costs remain part of our existing rates.

The additional surcharge will be shown transparently as a separate **Congestion Surcharge (Rail)**.

This adjustment is driven by ongoing capacity constraints, infrastructure works, and operational limitations within the European rail network, which continue to result in increased costs for rail transport.

We appreciate your understanding and continued support and look forward to maintaining our trusted business relationship.

Yours sincerely,  
**GUT Gernsheim Team**