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If students work with a company or government agency, they can access real (live) data. As a result, their methodology and results may and frequently also will be (directly) applied in practice and not end up in a drawer or bin like so many professional studies. This gives student research and the education provided by my co-supervising colleagues and me an exceptional social and economic impact.

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[87] Hugo Vaartjes, Food waste reduction through improved quality control process, A case study at Riedel B.V., 12-12-2024, Delft. {Quality Control Process / Food waste management}

[88] Bruno Nijdam, Comparing Distribution Strategies to Achieve Peak Shaving at Occupancy Levels of the Baggage Handling System of an Airport, 13-12-2024, Delft. {Cargo handling / Asset management / Airport operations)

TIL5060 thesis: PROJECTS

[Logistics]

Joris Schuuring, *Optimizing Empty Container Repositioning*, A Case Study of Royal FloraHolland's Logistics, Delft. {Reverse logistics / Packaging logistics)

Harald Rensink, TATA Steel network management & development, Delft. {Rail logistics}

Stijn Küppers, *Forecasts and storage optimization*, project for Hapag-Lloyd, Delft. {Reverse logistics / Forecasting)

Margot van Eck, *Introduction EV Trucks: Case Study PostNL*, Delft. {Logistics / Asset management / Fuels}

Yolande Muris, *Pharmaceutical Supply Chain: Adapting to shortages*, Mosadex Group, Delft. {Medicine logistics)

Pauline Slieker, Optimizing Component Availability by Managing the Inflow of US Parts in the Internal Shops, A Simulation-Based Case Study at KLM, KLM E&M, Delft. {Logistics / Maintenance planning}.

Maxime van Berkum, Prefab building logistics, Districon, Delft. {Building construction logistics}

[Smart maintenance]

Khalid Asshab, Optimising Maintenance strategies for insulated joints; comparison study of conventional strategies and feasibility study towards new alternative maintenance strategies. A case study at Asset Rail, Delft. {Maintenance / Railway engineering}

[Waste management]

Pien Biersteker, Resource Policy: From Waste to Resources - Innovative Waste Management in the Dreven, Gaarden, and Zichten Neighborhoods of The Hague, Sweco, Delft. {Waste management / Waste policy}

TIL5060 thesis: Kick-off planned

Lara de Geus, Gate cleaning process at Schiphol, Delft. {Logistic services}

Maartje van den Broek, Aircraft tire replacement process, KLM E&M, Delft. {Airport operations / Maintenance}

TIL5060 thesis: Preparation

TIL5060 thesis: Advisory

Dries van Meerwijk, Mammoet.

Tessa van der Hulst, Supply chain management, P&G. {Supply chain management}

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Bilal Abou Hashish, Analysis & Optimization of Inter-Island Logistics, Case Study for End-to-End Maritime Motorcycle Supply Chain in Indonesia, project for STC / PT Pelindo Multi Terminal, Delft. {Port economics / Logistics}

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- [86] Yannick Hogers, Assessing the impact of charging operations on electric lift automated guided vehicles. A simulation study at APM Terminals MVII, 22-10-2024, Delft. {Asset management / Container terminals / Emerging technologies / Fuels}
- [85] Wouter Diebels, Streamlining conceptual warehouse design: A modular framework approach, Districon, 21-10-2024, Delft. {Logistics / Warehouse design}
- [84] Mayke van der Kroft, Approaches to mitigate the impact of precarriage barging unreliability on export supply chains, A case study at Heineken Netherlands Supply, 01-10-2024, Delft. {Logistics / barge transport}
- [83] Ivar Krijger, Modelling the optimal inventory distribution of cocoa beans over warehouses, A case-study at Cargill's cocoa beans supply chain in Western-Europe, 26-09-2024, Delft. {Supply Chain Management / Raw materials}
- [82] Bart Szarszewski, *Predictive Analytics of Defective Machinery Parts in Reverse Supply Chain: A Case Study at ASML*, 26-08-2024, Delft. {Reverse logistics / Component quality management}

- [81] Zipporah Gerstenbluth, Decentralized off-grid PV hydrogen production based on small-capacity electrolyzers, Determining the System LCOH a case study for 6 kW electrolyzers, 23-08-2024, Delft. {Sustainable energy production / Logistics}
- [80] Erik Smit, Improvement of Productivity by Optimized Scheduling under higher Utilization in Make-To-Order Environments, Nutreco, 20-08-2024, Delft. {Logistics / Facility location}
- [79] Katharina Berger, *Transforming from a paper-based to a digital delivery process, A Study at Coca-Cola Europacific Partners*, 10-06-2024, Delft. {Logistics / Digital supply chain}
- [78] Sven Donders, Sustainable Last-Mile Logistics: Designing Reliable and Cost-Effective CO2-Neutral Delivery Solutions, project for Coolblue, 21-05-2024, Delft. {Sustainable transport / Asset management / Logistics}
- [77] Jelle van Leeuwen, Supply chain procurement performance evaluation, A case study on Heineken, 11-04-2024, Delft. {Supply chain management / FMCG}
- [76] Wisse Koopal, Redesign of the Car Distribution Process: a Dutch case study. A Holistic Approach in a Capacitated Vehicle Routing Problem to Reduce Direct CO 2 Emissions, project for Pon Automotive, 27-03-2024, Delft. {Supply chain management / automotive logistics}
- [75] Anouk Gerritsen, Creating a continuous outbound flow at the flower auction. A case study at Royal FloraHolland Naaldwijk, project for Royal Flora Holland, 05-03-2024, Delft. {Supply chain management / Flower logistics}
- [74] Thomas van Muiden, Strategic Development for the Port of St. Eustatius: A Study on the Potential Role of Privatisation, 11-01-2024, Delft. {Port development / Privatization}

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- [73] Machteld Rouwé, *improving decision-making to reduce downtime caused by equipment breakdown during offshore wind installation projects*, project for Heerema (HES), 21-12-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Maintenance / Sustainable energy}
- [72] Koen Schukinck Kool, Stacking yard process optimization in prefab concrete pile manufacturing, A simulation-based case study at Voton, 7-12-2023, Delft. {Yard management / Scheduling}
- [71] Lars van Biezen, An assessment of the compatibility between the Flying V design and the airport turnaround process, 29-11-2023, Delft. {Airport operations / Emerging technologies}
- [70]Manuela Hooghwerff, *Design of an Information System for a Control Tower to optimally Orchestrate Transport Orders*, project for NedCargo, 1-11-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Information / Warehouse management}

- [69] Emmeline Batenburg, CO2 reduction in construction of infrastructure projects by changes in the design: A case study on a bridge of Rijkswaterstaat, project for PwC, 9-10-2023, Delft. {Infrastructure planning / Environmentally sustainable design}
- [68] Susanne Zaal, Improving the inbound system at fulfillment centers. What strategies can be designed to eliminate non-unloaded rejected trucks at fulfillment centers?, 27-9-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Trucking / Warehouse management}
- [67] Pieter Clemens, To tow or not to tow? A social cost-benefit analysis of engine-off dispatch aircraft towing at Amsterdam Airport Schiphol, project for KLM, 28-08-2023, Delft. {Airport operations / Emerging technologies}
- [66] Tijn Veen, Understanding the environmental impact of product returns in the fashion industry, The development of a Composite Indicator to provide insights into the environmental and economic performance of product returns for fashion companies, project for Metyis, 11-07-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Sustainable fashion}
- [65] Tim Elbers, Design of a multi-attribute inventory classification method for fast-moving consumer goods, A case study at Heineken Nederland Supply, 21-06-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Inventory strategies/ FMCG}
- [64] Daan Duthilh, Reduce idle time for automated storage and retrieval systems, A Coolblue Case Study, 07-06-2023, Delft. {Logistics / Warehouse automation / Information}.
- [63] Thomas Teunisse, *The potential of autonomous charging for EV fleet operators*, project for RocSys, 20-04-2023, Delft. {Asset management / Container terminals / Emerging technologies / Fuels}

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- [62] Maikel Blom, *Potential of the E-Pusher as Transport Mode in the Dutch Carbon Capture and Storage System,* project for Kotug, 22-12-2022, Delft. {Sustainable barge transport / Maritime innovations}
- [61] Rinke Jebbink, *The design of a 'water droplet'-based ufp mitigation system at airports*, project for Schiphol Group, 20-12-2022, Delft. {Airport operations / Emerging technologies}
- [60] Mike van der Meer, Machine learning applications in supply chain management: A case study at MPO, 08-12-22, Delft. {Supply chain management / Big data analytics}
- [59] Laurens Gerlach, Research on improving quay crane performance by predicting its cycle time taking the location of the (un-)loaded containers into account, A case study at APM Terminals Maasvlakte II, 31-10-2022, Delft. {Container handling / Optimization}
- [58] Daan Emmerig, Towards sustainable logistics by evaluating the performance of carbon reduction strategies using a backcasting approach, project for Heineken HNS, 24-10-2022, Delft. {Sustainable logistic strategies} /Cum Laude/

- 57] Arthur van Bruggen, Integrated inventory and warehouse operations model of aviation standard parts under a cap-and-trade policy, project for Fokker Services, 10-10-2022 Delft. {Inventory management / Sustainable parts handling}
- [56] Teddy de Jong, Steering on mobility hubs: exploring the potential of an adaptive policy to guide the development of mobility hubs towards societal goals, project for TNO, Delft, 26-09-2022. {Smart mobility}
- [55] Marinke Ziedses des Plantes, ZeroEmission Airside 2030 Backcasting Study at Rotterdam The Hague Airport, Delft, 15-09-2022. {Airport development / Emerging technologies}
- [54] Jonathan Imang, Design and assessment of public transport policies for Greater Paramaribo, Delft, 01-08-2022. {Public transport / Network optimization}
- [53] Willem-Jan Eil, The Impact of Order Characteristics Uncertainty on Different Configurations of the Outbound Logistics of a 3PL Warehouse, study for NedCargo, Delft, 01-06-2022. {Logistics / DC design simulation}
- [52] Claire Post, Towards optimized customer segmentation parameters to reduce Cost-to-Deliver and Environmental Costs, A Case Study on Royal Philips, Delft, 06-04-2022. {Logistics / Service optimization}
- [51] Christine van Diemen, Flash deliveries: value adding business model or societal nightmare? A qualitative research on the effects of flash delivery on the livability of Amsterdam, study for Deloitte, Delft, 30-03-2022. {Logistics / Livability impact}
- [50] Michiel Roos, Managing car traffic by smart mobility hubs, towards effective policy making, Delft, 29-03-2022. {Traffic management concepts}
- [49] Michiel Nanninga, Export costs and service conditions in times of a global container shortage, A case study for Heineken Netherlands Supply, Delft, 15-03-2022. {Logistics / Asset management / Finance}

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- [48] Andrian Supryanto, Redesign of reverse supply chain strategies for returnable packaging, A case study at Prysmian Group The Netherlands, Delft, 23-12-2021. {Reverse logistics / Asset management}
- [47] Jet Dijkzeul, Exploring the reduction of lost parcels in the logistic chain, A case study at Bol.com, Delft, 16-12-2021. {Logistics / Lost parcels}
- [46] Jules Boelhouwer, Towards an optimal distribution of lease bicycles, A case study at Swapfiets, Delft, 02-12-2021. {Logistics / Asset management}
- [45] Erik Hadders, Incorporating interdependence into a decision support framework for the renewal of hydraulic infrastructure, A case study at Zoutkampstudy for TAUW, Delft, 2-12-2021. {Water management / Asset management}

- [44] Israe Chetouani, Exploring integrated hubs, An exploratory study into the possibility of allocating logistics functions to mobility hubs, study for AT Osborne, Delft, 29-11-2021. {Logistics concepts} TRB congress paper.
- [43] Hidde van Wezel, Conceptual Design of a Parcel Hub Scheduling Process to Balance the Inbound Transportion Flow, a casestudy at DPD Veenendaal, Delft, 16-11-2021. {Logistics / Scheduling}
- [42] Quirine van Rooyen, *Towards a zero defect based assembly warehouse, A case study at DHL Supply Chain* Bergen op Zoom, Delft, 26-08-21. {Logistics / Assembly / Performance}
- [41] Anne van Langevelde, *Designing a strategic process performance measurement system for the Dutch Flower Auctions*, study for Royal Flora Holland, Delft, 24-08-21. {Logistics / Performance / Management}
- [40] Julius Scheepens, Modelling the optimal customer-allocation in an edible oil supply chain network, A case-study at Cargill's fully refined rapeseed oil network in Western-Europe, Delft, 26-05-21. {Logistics / Food / Finance}
- [39] Vittorio Mandolesi, Evaluating transport and warehousing costs savings opportunity through direct delivery implementation in a supply chain distribution structure with DCs: Case study at Philips coffee business, Delft, 26-05-21. {Logistics / Non-food / Finance}

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- [38] Peter Joon, *Improving on-site logistics, The case of the on-site transportation planning of Tata Steel IJmuiden*, study for ORTEC. Delft, 15-12-2020. {Logistics / Planning}
- [37] Stefan van Lier, *Optimizing solid waste management in theme parks, A case study at Efteling*, Delft, 04-11-2020. {Waste management / Sustainability}
- [36] Max Buirma, Ship based carbon capture storage and utilisation, A roadmap towards implementation for large LNG powered offshore vessels, study for Heerema Contractors, Delft, 29-10-2020. {Sea shipping / Fuels / Sustainability} Journal paper: energies-15-00813-v2
- [35] Frank Heins, Freight traffic on the Dutch railway network in 2030 and 2040, study for DB Cargo Nederland, 29-09-2020. {Rail freight network analysis}
- [34] Joost de Graeff, Determining the feasibility of a new airport passenger terminal concept based on seamless flow technology, Mixing domestic and international passengers in passenger terminal facilities, study for NACO, Delft, 20-08-2020. {Airport operations optimization}
- [33] Ward de Jong, Towards smart transport infrastructure, A concept roadmap to implement smart transport infrastructure for movable bridges in the Netherlands, study for Witteveen + Bos, Delft, 17-08-2020. {Asset management / Infrastructure planning}

- [32] Iris Vendrik, Strategies to regulate inbound logistics at convention centers, A case study of the RAI Amsterdam, Delft, 01-07-2020. {Logistics / Area management}
- [31] Tugba Uzel, Information sharing and collaboration between the logistic partners of intermodal rail transport, study for Port of Rotterdam Authority, Delft, 25-06-2020. {Port rail logistics / Cooperation}
- [30] Willemijn van der Elst, *Towards continuous flow in production lines, A case study at Heineken Zoeterwoude*, Delft, 13-05-2020. {Logistics optimization}

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- [29] Jacob Thijssen, How can financiers improve the carbon efficienty of their shipping portfolios. Case study at NIBC Bank, Delft, 31-11-2019. {Sea shipping / Sustainability / Finance}
- [28] Thomas Mulder, How to increase local value added and make the supply chain of cashew nuts more sustainable, study for TDG, Delft, 11-07-2019. {Logistics / Food / Sustainability}
- [27] Tim van Rugge, A-Pier Clean VOP Developing a strategy for on-time cargo delivery to the aircraft under clean apron conditions, study for KLM Cargo, Delft, 24-06-2019. {Airport development}
- [26] Jasmijn Kusters, Exploring improved maintenance strategies of (rgs) at the intersection of principal-agent theory and economic relevance: A case study, Delft, 09-05-2019. {Public transport / Asset management / Maintenance}
- [25] Ilias Bouhannouche, Evaluating the operational and financial feasibility of batteryelectric AGVs at brownfield container terminals, study for ECT, Delft, 07-02-2019. {Container handling / Asset management / Sustainability}

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- [24] Evangelos Giannoulakis, *Optimizing Packaging Availability for Reverse Logistics, A case study at ASML*, Delft, 10-12-2018. {Reverse logistics / Maintenance}
- [23] Dioeke Tromp, Airside vehicles: Roads to CO2 reduction The design of an Emission-Prediction-Decision Model (EPDM), Delft, 12-11-2018. {Airport / Asset management / Sustainability}
- [22] Thomas van der Heijden, *Supply Chain Design for Heineken Flexbrewery*, Delft, 22-10-2018.
- [21] Hadassa Stevens, *Towards an adequate methodology for GHG emissions accounting in logistics, A case study at Heineken*, Delft, 1-10-2018. {Logistics accounting / Sustainability}
- [20] Hester Horn, Decision support system design by means of a Customer Relationship Management strategy, Application in the retail banking industry, Delft, 16-08-2018. {Financial decision-making}

- [19] Rutger van Ouwerkerk, Environmental network optimisation using Physical Internet logistics in the parcel delivery industry, study for Post.nl, Delft, 31-07-2018. {Logistics / Sustainability}
- [18] Wouter Cordesius, *Improve distribution network of BMN Bouwmaterialen*, Delft, 25-04-2018. {Logistics network optimization}
- [17] Harmen Scholvinck, Outbound logistics at Lidl DC, What process improvement can be implemented to achieve higher productivity?, Delft, 18-04-2018. {Logistics improvements}
- [16] Joke Blom, Optimizing the track and traceability of packaging materials, a case study at Heineken HNS, Delft, 22-01-2018. {Logistics optimization}

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- [15] Rex van Damme, Product allocation strategies in a saturated distribution center, Case study at the L'Oreal distribution center (Alphen a/d Rijn), Delft, 29-11-2017. {Logistics}
- [14] Max Mol, Design of an End-State Cross Docking Hub for a Pure Online Grocer, A case study at Picnic Supermarkets, Delft, 23-10-2017. {Logistics network / Customerdriven}
- [13] Simone Rietbroek, A service level optimization A case study at HEMA logistics, Delft, 17-10-2017. {Logistics optimization}
- [12] Anna Simons, Strategic positioning of the customer order decoupling point in a project based organization, study for Vanderlande, Delft, 27-09-2017. {Logistics decision-making}
- [11] Katharina Peer, The impact of pre-sorting and conveyor configuration on material flow performances at a parcel hub, A case study at TNT Express, Delft, 26-06-2017. {Logistics / DC technology}
- [10] Robin van der Sande, Analysis of filler dwell time and the financial consequences for Euro Pool System, Delft, 09-05-2017. {Logistics / Asset management / Finance}
- [9] Joris Jacquemijns, *Improving the lead-time for ACD products in the distribution center of L'Oreal located in Alphen aan den Rijn*, Delft, 23-03-2017. {Logistics optimization}

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- [8] Jaap van der Steenhoven, *Optimizing Logistic Flows at Action DC Echt*, Delft, 04-10-2016. {Logistics optimization}
- [7] Dino Ramic, CTT Rotterdam case study: development and improvement of the trimodal inland container terminal at Rotterdam, Delft, 28-09-2016. {Container terminal development}

[6] Anniek de Milliano, A supply concept for the delivery process of nanostores at NS train stations, Delft, 18-08-2016. {City logistics}

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- [5] Nadezda lakovleva, Development of impact assessment methodology for sustainable city logistics initiatives: case of SMARTFUSION project, Delft, 2015. {City logistics / Sustainability}
- [4] Daphne Kerpel, Analysis of main factors in site selection for Distribution Centers in a port area and the hinterland, Delft, 22-06-2015. {Logistics / DC location choice}

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[3] Celenie Piccot, Influence of the performance of hinterland transportation in port choice decision making, Delft, 08-01-2014. {Freight transport / Hinterland}

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- [2] Roger Peeters, Green City Distribution, Delft, 2013. {City logistics}
- [1] Erik Altena, Optimization of modal shift and empty container repositioning at Maersk Line, Delft, 08-04-2013. {Freight transport / Empty container management}

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Neal de Vreede, *Improving performance of cargo acceptance process at Air France - KLM Cargo*, Delft, Delft, 09-03-2017. {Air freight handling}