SHIPPING TERMS

PO : purchase order

OC : order confirmation

DO : delivery order

RO : release order

POD : proof of delivery

FOB : Free On Board

CNF : Cost + Freight

CFR : Cost + Freight

CIF : Cost + Insurance + Freight

SI : Shipping Instruction (from mills/consignee to shipping agents)

BL : Bill of lading (ocean shipment)

HBL : House Bill of Lading (ocean shipment)  
MBL : Master Bill of Lading (ocean shipment)

AWB : Air Way Bill (air freight shipment)

ETD : estimated time departure

ETA : estimated time arrival

TT : transit time

CY : container yard

Door : warehouse/factory

CY – CY : port to port. “CY-door“ or “Door – CY” or “Door – Door”

Port : loading point (ocean freight shipment)

Airport : loading point (air freight shipment)

TPC : Trans Pacific (shipment via Pacific Ocean)

ISF : Importer Security Filing (10 + 2) information

AMS : Automated Manifest System (US Custom & Border Protection)

SCAC : Standard Carrier Alpha Code (Ship/Carrier)

THC : Terminal Handling Charges

OTHC : Origin Terminal Handling Charges (at loading port)

DTHC : Destination terminal handling charges (at destination port)