

CASE STUDY - AEROSPACE & ENGINEERING

Urgent international air freight for critical components

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AT A GLANCE

Sector

Aerospace & engineering

Service

Air freight

Route

UK -> European manufacturing facility

Load type

High-value engineering components

Requirement

Urgent international movement

Planned from

Stockport, Greater Manchester

THE REQUIREMENT

A time-sensitive shipment of engineering components required a faster international solution than conventional road transport.

The components were high value, so security of handling mattered as much as speed.

THE CHALLENGE

Air freight is only part of the journey: collection, airport handling, documentation and final delivery all have to line up or the time saved in the air is lost on the ground.

HOW WE MANAGED IT

Johnson's Haulage coordinated collection, air freight arrangements and onward delivery through appropriate logistics partners.

Documentation requirements were confirmed with the customer before the goods left site.

THE OUTCOME

The shipment was managed as one coordinated movement rather than requiring the customer to separately arrange collection, air transport and final delivery.

GET A QUOTE

Have a similar movement to plan?

Send collection and delivery postcodes, weight, dimensions and timings. Call 0161 480 6969, email info@johnsonshaulage.com or scan the code to open our quote form.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How long does air freight take from Asia to the UK?

Typical door-to-door transit is 4-7 days on consolidated services, 2-4 days on express, or same-day / next-day on hand-carry and priority products.

Can you handle dangerous goods by air?

Dangerous goods shipments are booked through qualified handling agents and airlines. Send us the UN number and packing details and we will confirm feasibility, routing and cost.

Is customs clearance included in your European transport rates?

Yes - standard export and import declarations are included on most lanes, so you get a single all-in price for door-to-door transport and paperwork.

Can you move oversized or out-of-gauge items?

Project and abnormal loads are arranged through specialist partners, including route surveys and any notifications required before the movement.

ABOUT THIS CASE STUDY

Representative scenario based on the types of transport requirements managed by Johnson's Haulage. Customer details and scenarios are anonymised.

Johnson's Haulage is a transport and logistics management company. Every movement is planned in-house and delivered by a vetted carrier from our approved network.

Read the full case study online: <https://johnsonshaulage.com/case-studies/urgent-air-freight-critical-components>