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COLLAPSIBLE TRANSPORT CONTAINER

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: GB2374861A] A transport container comprises a collapsible substantially rigid liner (2), flexible means (3) surrounding the liner (2), and one or more substantially rigid plug(s) (4) insertable inside the liner (2) to retain the liner in a non-collapsed configuration (for holding transportable contents therein). The, or each, plug (4) is removable from the liner (2) and when so removed the liner (2) is collapsible, in a direction transecting a vertical axis of the container, such that the container is configurable between its non-collapsed state and an at least partially collapsed state (for compact storage when empty). The liner (2) may be of folded cardboard or of plastic such as extruded foam and the flexible means (3) may comprise a sheet wound in layers and may provide insulation. An outer envelope (6) preferably of heat-shrunk material may be provided.

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