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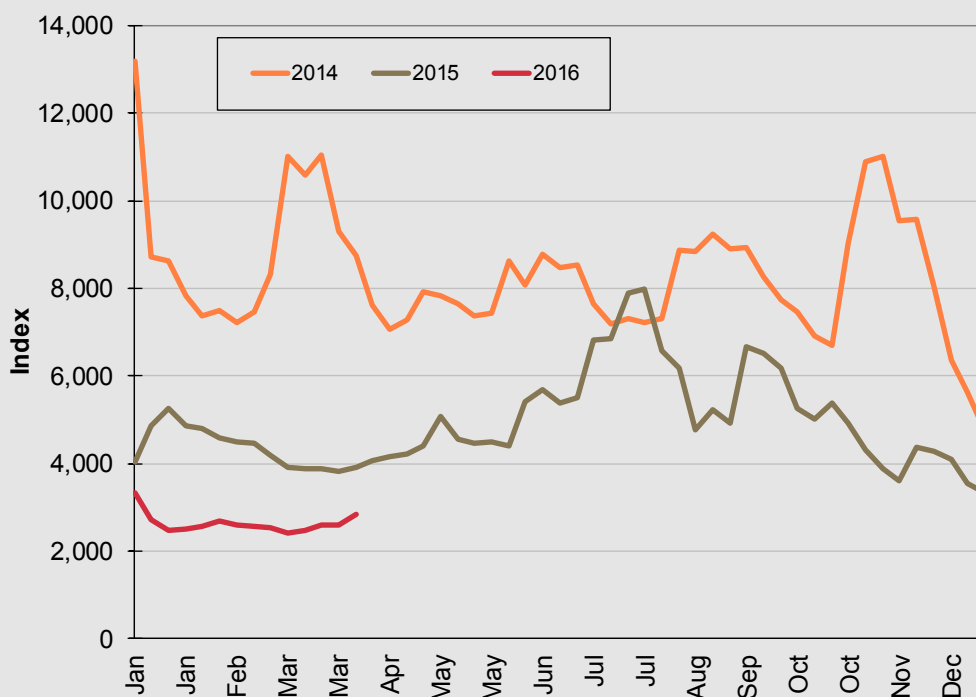
The Atlantic Capesize Index rose by 257 points week-on-week to 2,850 points and is now 970 points below the year-ago level. The Atlantic round voyage rate and the fronthaul rate for 180 kdw vessels have both shown some improvement, climbing to 5-week highs of \$2,500/day (a weekly gain of \$1,500/day) and \$7,000/day(+\$1,000/day w-o-w), respectively.

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The Atlantic Capesize Index started at 5,000 points on 2 October 1989 and has since been subject to periodic updating to reflect changing trade patterns. The latest update was on 17 July 2015.

Trade	Cargo Size	Weight	29/03/2016	04/04/2016
			\$/t	\$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	2.45	2.65
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	3.25	3.55
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	2.50	2.65
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	3.60	3.95
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	3.35	3.80
NOUADIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	7.20	7.70
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	6.35	6.70
TUBARAO/QINGDAO	160,000/10%	10.0%	5.85	6.35
T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	1.01	1.18
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	0.17	0.42
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			2,593	2,850
Change on Previous Week			+3	+257
Change on Four Weeks Ago			+62	+431
Change on Previous Year			-1,276	-970
Change on Two Years Ago			-8,464	-6,456

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