ATLANTICCAPESIZE INDEX

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The SSY Atlantic Capesize Index rose sharply by 1,637 points last week to 6,741 points. This marks the largest weekly gain since September 2015. There was a significant increase of \$11,000/day in the Atlantic round voyage rate (180k dwt) to \$21,000/day, driven by a lack of vessel availability in this basin. Strong iron ore shipments from the Atlantic to the Pacific helped to lift fronthaul rates by \$8,250/day to a 13 -month high of \$26,250/day.

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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.

			07/11/2016	14/11/2016
Trade	Cargo Size	Weight	\$/t	\$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	3.40	4.25
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	6.20	8.10
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	5.95	7.50
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	7.65	10.50
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	6.50	9.25
NOUADIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	12.65	15.25
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	11.50	13.95
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T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	3.05	4.43
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	1.69	3.55
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			5,104	6,741
Change on Previous Week			+19	+1,637
Change on Four Weeks Ago			-881	+1,135
Change on Previous Year			+802	+2,847
Change on Two Years Ago			-5,779	-4,269

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