ATLANTICCAPESIZE INDEX

The SSY Atlantic Capesize Index fell sharply last week, dropping 1,120 points to the lowest level since the first week of November at 5,165 points. However it is still more than 1,000 points above the year-ago level. A \$6,000/day drop in the fronthaul rate (180k dwt) has seen it retreat to a 14-week low of \$15,000/day, while the Atlantic round-voyage rate has declined by \$6,900/day to \$10,850/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.

			05/12/2016	12/12/2016
Trade	Cargo Size	Weight	\$/t	\$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	3.95	3.55
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	8.15	6.90
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	8.00	7.10
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	9.90	8.40
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	8.55	7.15
NOUADIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	14.10	11.80
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	13.20	10.90
TUBARAO/QINGDAO	160,000/10%	10.0%	12.85	10.55
T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	3.55	2.53
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	3.00	1.83
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			6,285	5,165
Change on Previous Week			-59	-1,120
Change on Four Weeks Ago			+1,181	-1,576
Change on Previous Year			+2,015	+1,077
Change on Two Years Ago			-1,773	-1,210

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