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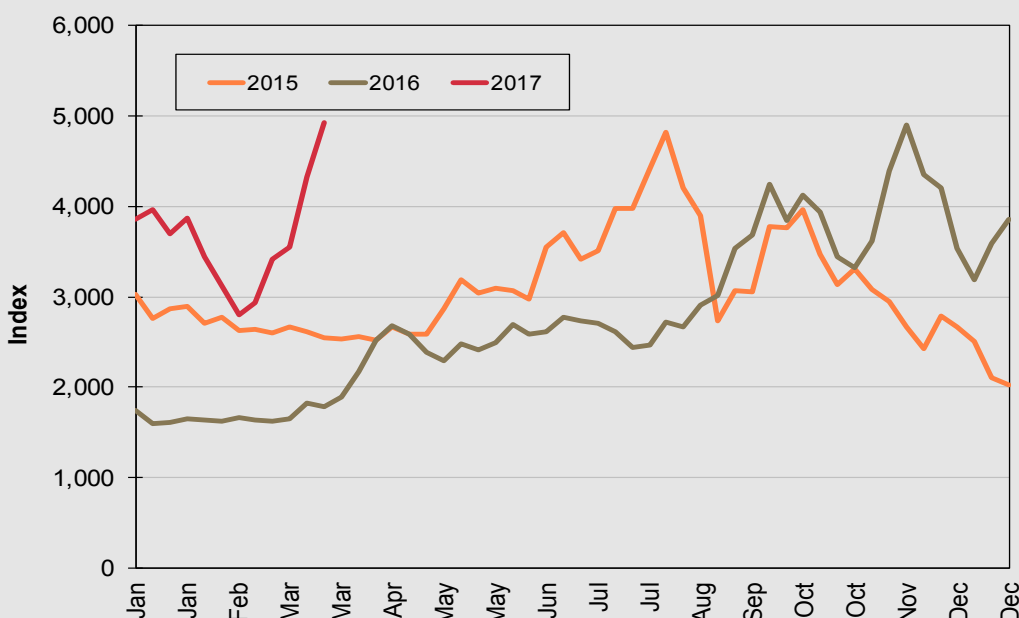
This week saw a further weekly gain in the SSY Pacific Capesize Index, up 602 points to 4,925 as iron West Australia to China voyage rates climbed by \$0.37/t during the week to \$6.97/t. Meanwhile, the Pacific round-voyage rate (180k dwt) advanced by \$2,650/day to \$17,150/day.

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The Pacific Capesize Index started at 5,000 points on 27 December 1995 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	13/03/2017	20/03/2017
			\$/t	\$/t
RICHARDS BAY/MUNDRA	150,000/10%	10.0%	9.30	10.60
DAMPIER/QINGDAO	150,000/10%	10.0%	6.60	6.97
SALDAHNA BAY/QINGDAO	150,000/10%	10.0%	11.40	12.65
RICHARDS BAY/FANGCHENG	150,000/10%	10.0%	10.40	11.80
CAPE LAMBERT/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	8.40	9.50
QUEENSLAND/JAPAN	150,000/10%	10.0%	7.95	8.95
QUEENSLAND/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	9.95	11.15
NSW/ZHOUSHAN	130,000/10%	10.0%	8.95	9.95
T/C TRIP FAR EAST/CONT	180,000 DWT	10.0%	0.51	1.10
T/C TRANSPACIFIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	2.45	2.90
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			4,323	4,925
Change on Previous Week			+771	+602
Change on Four Weeks Ago			+1,519	+1,984
Change on Previous Year			+2,671	+3,104
Change on Two Years Ago			+1,775	+2,387

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