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ATLANTIC CAPESIZE INDEX

8TH MAY 2017

The SSY Atlantic Capesize Index fell for a third consecutive week, down by 358 points to 5,697 points. Both Atlantic round voyage rates and fronthaul rates dropped to their lowest levels since the end of February, at $10,850/day (with a weekly decline of $1,900/day) and $23,000/day(-$2,500/day), 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.

			02/05/2017	08/05/2017
Trade	**Cargo Size**	**Weight**	**$/t**	**$/t**
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	3.95	3.80
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	6.40	6.00
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	6.20	5.80
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	8.75	8.30
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	7.30	6.90
NOUADHIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	15.25	14.50
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	14.25	13.60
TUBARAO/QINGDAO	160,000/10%	10.0%	13.85	13.20
T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	4.31	3.88
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	2.15	1.83
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			**6,055**	**5,694**
Change on Previous Week			-71	-361
Change on Four Weeks Ago			-1,398	-985
Change on Previous Year			+1,736	+1,732
Change on Two Years Ago			+1,665	+633

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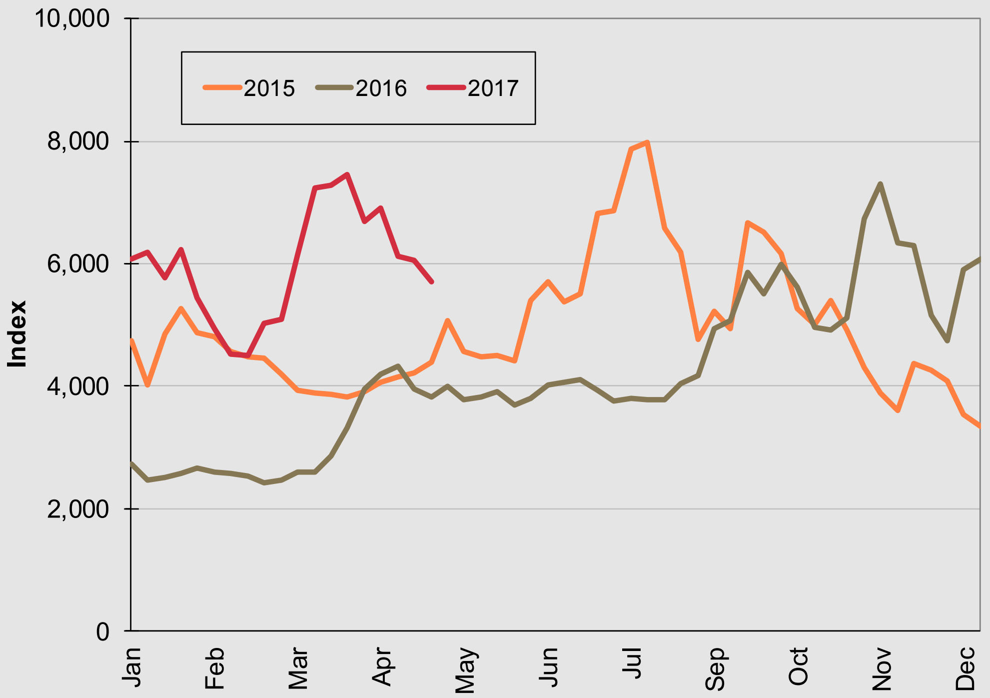

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