

WEEKLY SHIPPING MARKET REPORT WEEK 22

Market overview

The aggressive market correction that has started in mid-April and continued for yet another week. For the third consecutive week, the main sea freight index has continued its downward trend, one month ago, the index was at 1282 points, but during may see saw a steep drop until today's closing number at 830 with a drastic drop of 35%. As a result, this affected massively the S&P activity freezing temporarily most of the transactions. With the freight market on the correction side the investor appetite for secondhand tonnage is muted.

Bulkers

On the Panamax size, the "Maroulio S" 72,270 dwt built 1999 Imabari Marugame, Japan with drydock due at 8/2017 has been reported as sold at USD 6.3 mill to Chinese buyers.

On the Handy size, the two sisters "Pioneer Spirit" & "Pioneer Skipper" 33.200 dwt built 2009/10 were reported sold on a bank driven deal at \$ 17 mill enbloc to Greek buyer.

Tankers

The Greek Lemos company Enesel is selling her VLCC, the 2004 Hyundai Samho built 319.000 dwt "Irene SL" has been reported as sold to Korean owner's clients of Sinokor Merchant Marine for \$ 30 mill. On the other hand, one more VLCC deal has happed, Gener8 Maritime has sold the 305.000 dwt "Gener8 Poseidon" built 2002 to Indian interest. The latter vessel was reported sold for \$ 22.5 mill.

On the suezmax size, we have the shuttle tanker deal of "Brasil Voyager" 153.000 dwt 2013 built Samsung Korea to Norwegian clients of Knutsen for a price of \$ 90 mill. On the same page, "Nissos Santorini" 115.724 dwt Blt 2012 Korea sold at \$ 30.3 mill to UK based clients of Zodiac.

Demolition

During the first week of Holy month of Ramadan, demolition have also been affected. Except from the current unstable market situation during last weeks, maybe the limitation of work time played a role. The prices still have declining figures with stabilization at rgn \$ 335-320 BC and \$ 340-350 Tanker/Container. Subcontinent will welcome 9 vessels in her beaches, 2 more than previous week. First wet vessel to be demolished after 2 weeks, the MT Xenia at \$ 385 to Bangladesh along with 1 LPG. The other 5 out of 7 where Handysize & Handymax BC/GC vessels including 1 Container to Bangladesh. Chinese and Turkish yards welcomed 2 vessels each. In total 14 vessels recycled this week, a reduction of 6 vessels as per last closing.

WEEK 22 (26th May to 2nd Jun 2017)

Baltic Indices (Friday Closing Values)

" Dry Bulk "							
Index	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)				
BDI	830	912	8,99				
BCI	1374	1591	13,64				
BPI	792	845	6,27				
BSI	674	721	6,52				
BHSI	446	569	21,62				

Baltic Index



" Tanker "

Index	Week 21	Week 20	Change (%)
BDTI	756	814	7,13
BCTI	559	540	3,52



Indicative Demolition Prices

Tanker Prices	Bulker Prices
350	330
355	335
345	325
240	230
240	230
	350 355 345 240



DRY BULK COMMENTARY

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<u>Capesize</u>

Majority of West Australian iron ore cargoes into China reported during **Week 22** continued rating in the high usd 5.00's / low usd 6.00's pmt range. Brazilian iron ore rates into China continued at low usd 14.00's pmt levels. Pacific round trips via Australia are now being reported in the usd 12,000/13,000 pd range. Transatlantic rates at usd 9,000 pd levels. No period activity to report here.

<u>Kamsarmax/Panamax</u>

Very little activity out of North Pacific, with a few round trips into the Far East rating in the 6,000/7,000 pd range. Pacific round trips via Australia and Indonesia continued rating in the usd 5,000/6,000 pd range. Situation in South America seem to be calming down, with grain trips into the Far East being reported in the low usd 8,000's / low usd 9,000's pd range plus a usd 350,000ish ballast bonus basis APS delivery. India delivery remains an option at usd 8,000 pd levels. Continent direction rates have fallen in the usd 9,000/10,000 pd range. Transatlantic trips at usd 6,000 pd levels. Round coal trips into India via South Africa have been rating in the mid/high usd 8,000's pd range. Hardly any period activity to report here, although a Panamax has been reported for two/three laden legs within the Atlantic at usd 10,500 pd.

<u>Ultramax / Supramax</u>

Chinese steels trips into Southeast Asia and India continued rating in the low/mid usd 7,000's pd range. Indonesian coal trips into China and India continued being offered in the usd 7,000/8,000 pd range basis South China and Southeast Asia delivery. Nickel ore trips via the Philippines at high usd 7,000's pd levels. Usd 9,000 pd for an Indian salt trip into China on an Ultramax. A number of Continental scrap trips into the Eastern Mediterranean have been reported at low usd 7,000's pd levels basis South Spain delivery. Slightly better numbers for Continent delivery at mid usd 10,000's pd. Usd 13,250 pd for a Black Sea trip into Indonesia basis passing Canakkale delivery. Usd 11,750 pd plus a usd 185,000 ballast bonus for a South American trip into India on an Ultramax. No period activity to report here.

<u>Handymax / Handysize</u>

Usd 13,250 pd for a South African trip into China on a Handymax. South American Handysize trips into the Continent and the Mediterranean have been rating in the usd 9,000/10,000 pd range. Interpacific trips are rating in the low/mid usd 4,000's pd range. No period activity to report here.





REPORTED SALES

Bulk Carriers

Туре	Name	Dwt	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Gear	Price	Buyer	Comments
Panamax	Maroulio S	72.270	1999	Imabari Marugame, Japan	06/2019	B&W	-	\$ 6.3	Chinese	
Handysize	Pioneer Spirit	33.261	2009	Orient, S.Korea	10/2020	B&W	4 x 30T	Enbloc	Greek	Maybe incl. Subject
Handysize	Pioneer Skipper	33.261	2010	Orient, S.Korea	10/2020	B&W	4 x 30T	\$17.0		
Handysize	BSLE Genova	20.501	1999	Flensburger KG, Germany	08/2018	Mitsubi shi	2 x 60T	Undiscl osed	Undisclosed	
GC	HHL Volga	12.740	2007	Jiangzhou Union, China	12/2017	МаК	2 x 150T	\$ 4.5	German	

<u>Tankers</u>

Туре	Name	Dwt	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Price(mill)	Buyer	Comments
VLCC	Irene SL	319.247	2004	Hyundai Samho, S.Korea	11/2019	B&W	\$ 30.0	S.Korean (Clients of SInokor)	
VLCC	Gener8 Poseidon	305.796	2002	Daewoo, S.Korea	06/2017	B&W	\$ 22.5	Indian	
Shuttle Tanker	Brasil Voyager	153.684	2013	Samsung, S.Korea	05/2018	B&W	\$ 90.0	Norwegian (Clients of Knutsen)	
Aframax	Nissos Santorini	115.724	2012	Samsung, S.Korea	03/2022	B&W	\$ 30.3	UK based (Clients of Zodiac)	
Mr2	Silver Point	51.063	2011	STX, S.Korea	04/2021	B&W	\$ 24.0	Danish (Clients of Norden)	
LPG	Gas Miracle	54.155	1996	Kawasaki, Japan	08/2021	B&W	\$ 19.0	Thai	



REPORTED SALES

Container

Туре	Name	Teu	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Gear	Price	Buyer	Comments
Post Pmax	Lloyd Parsifal	8.204	2006	Hyundai Samho, Korea	02/2021	MAN- B&W	-	\$ 26.5	Norwegian (Sinoceanic)	Post Pmax
Pmax	Nensen Strait	4.839	2005	Hyundai Samho, Korea	04/2020	Sulzer	-	\$ 7.6	Cypriot (Cyprus Maritime)	Pmax
Sub Pmax	Tasanee	2.824	2002	Hyndai Mipo, S. Korea	-	MAN- B&W	-	\$6.1	Undisclosed	Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Taroko	2.762	2003	Koyo Mihara, Japan	-	B&W	-	\$6.1		Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Cardonia	2.824	2003	Hyndai Mipo, S. Korea	-	B&W	-	\$ 6.4	German (MPC)	Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Carpathia	2.824	2003	Hyndai Mipo, S. Korea	11/2018	B&W	-	\$ 6.4		Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Cimbria	2.824	2002	Hyndai Mipo, S. Korea	10/2017	B&W	-	\$ 6.4		Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Rio Taku	2.556	2004	Hyundai, Korea	-	Sulzer	3 X 40 t cranes	Undiscl osed		Sub Pmax
Sub Pmax	Conti Elektra	2.127	2007	Aker MYW, Germany	08/2017	Wartsil a	3 X 45 t cranes	\$ 5.8		Sub Pmax
Feeder	Rickmaers Malaysia	1.345	2009	Jiangsu Yangzijiang, China	-	MAN- B&W	2 X 45 t cranes	Undiscl osed		Feeder
Feeder	Sara	1.043	2006	Dae Sun, Korea	01/2021	MAN- B&W	-	\$ 8.2	Hong Kong (SITC)	Feeder



DEMOLITION

Туре	Vessel	Dwt	YoB	Ldt	Price \$	Country	Comments
Container	Maersk Missouri	62.226	1998	19,774	n/a	China	
RoRo	Silver Sky	9.772	1989	15,931	n/a	Turkey	
Tanker	Xenia	50.615	1984	11,920	385	Bangladesh	
GC	Jas Express	21.850	1992	9,055	n/a	India	
GC	Radiance	42.529	1994	9,016	333	India	Open Hatch
Container	Tinglev Maersk	25.431	1994	7,974	n/a	China	
BC	Hanaro Melody	25.069	1997	6,725	341	Bangladesh	
Container	MTT Kuching	12.576	1992	5,248	350	Bangladesh	
RoRo	Andrea	3.527	1983	2,158	n/a	India	
LPG	Navakun 17	0.785	1980	0,773	305	Bangladesh	
Offshore/Tug	Amarco Leo	1.004	1975	n/a	n/a	n/a	
BC	Antwerpen	41.100	1979	n/a	n/a	India	Self Discharging
GC	Hourad 1	3.120	1980	n/a	n/a	India	
RoRo	RORO Mersin	3.165	1967	n/a	n/a	Turkey	
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NEWBUILDING

<u>Tankers</u>

Units	Туре	Dwt	Yard	Delivery	Price (mill)	Owner	Comments
2+2	VLCC	320.000	Shanghai Waigaiqiao, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	Tier III
2+2	VLCC	320.000	CSSC OME, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	Tier III
2	VLCC	320.000	Dacks, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	Tier III
2	VLCC	320.000	Nacks, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	Tier III
2	VLCC	319.000	HHI, S.Korea	2019	Rgn \$ 80.0	Hong Kong based (Clients of Tai Chong Cheang)	
2	VLCC	300.000	HHI, S.Korea	2 ^{ndQ} 2018		Greek (Clients of Enesel S.A.)	Option declared , Tier III
8+4	Suezmax	158.000	HHI, S.Korea	2018-2019	\$ 55.0	Bank of Communications	Leased to Trafigura
3	Suezmax	158.000	Shanghai Waigaiqiao, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	
5	Suezmax	120.000	CSSC, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	
5+2	Aframax	115.000	Sungdong, S.Korea	2019	\$ 44.0	Greek (Clients of Kyklades Maritime)	
8	LR2	111.000	New Times, China	2018-2019	\$ 41.0	Bank of Communications	Leased to Trafigura
4	Aframax	81.200	Chengxi, China	2019-2020	\$ 24.5	Korean (Clients of Korea Line)	
2	Panamax	75.000	Hudong Zhonghua, China	2019-2020	n/a	Chinese (Clients of COSCO Energy Transportation)	
2+2	MR2	50.000	Hyundai Mipo, S.Korea	End 2018	\$ 32.0	Greek (Clients of Union Maritime)	Tier II, early May deal
1	MR2	50.000	Hyundai Vinashin, Vietnam	2018	n/a	Monaco based (Central Shpg Monaco)	
6+6	MR2	46.000	HHI, S.Korea	2018-2019	\$ 32.0	Bank of Communications	Leased to Trafigura
1	LPG	38.000	Hyundai Hi, S.Korea	2018	\$ 45.5	Belgian (Clients of Exmar)	
2+3	LNG	7.500	Keppel Singmarine, Singapore	2 ^{ndQ} + 3 ^{rdQ} 2019	\$ 37.0	Norwegian (Clients of Stolt Nielsen Gas B.V.)	Dual fuelled

Bulkers

Units	Туре	Dwt	Yard	Delivery	Price (mill)	Owner	Comments
1	Valemax	400.000	JMU, Japan	2020	n/a	NS United Kaiun	Old Sale
2+1	Post Panamax	108.000	CSSC, China	2019	n/a	Clients of Platano Eesti	



INDICATIVE PRICES

Bulk Carriers

Size	Prompt Resale	5 years	10 years	15 years
Capesize	42	33	24	13
Panamax-Kamsarmax	28	20	14	8
Supramax	25	17	13	8
Handysize	21	14	7.5	5.5



Tankers

Size	Prompt Resale	5 years	10 years	15 years
VLCC	80	61	41	22
Suezmax	53	41	25	17
Aframax	43	28	17	11
MR	33	22	16	10





KEY INDICATORS

Currency	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)
EUR / USD	1.1220	1.1175	0,40
JPY / USD	111.51	111.17	0,31
KRW / USD	1,121.88	1,120.82	0,09
NOK / USD	0.1180	0.1192	1,01



Commodity	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)
Brent Crude (BZ)	49.46	51.59	4,13
WTI Crude Oil (WTI)	47.27	49.18	3,88
Natural Gas (NG)	3.00	3.20	6,25
Gold (GC)	1,263.28	1,269.80	0,51
Copper	254.20	257.35	1,22
Wheat (w)	428.75	433.00	0,98





SHIPPING INDICATIVE SHARE VALUE

<u>Stock Prices – Shipping Companies</u>				
Company	Stock Exchange	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)
Diana Shipping Ink (DSX)	NASDAQ	3.86	3.98	3,02
Dry ships Ink (DRYS)	NASDAQ	2.56	2.97	13,80
Euroseas Ltd (ESEA)	NASDAQ	1.30	1.27	2,36
Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc (EGLE)	NASDAQ	4.64	4.72	1,69
Navios Maritime (NM)	NYSE	1.11	1.18	5,93
Navios Maritime PTN (NMM)	NYSE	1.65	1.68	1,79
Star Bulk Carriers Corp (SBLK)	NASDAQ	8.34	8.43	1,07
Seanergy Maritime Holdings Corp (SHIP)	NASDAQ	0.66	0.69	4,35
Safe Bulkers Inc (SB)	NYSE	2.12	2.11	0,47
Golden Ocean (GOGL)	NASDAQ	5.80	6.29	7,79

Stock Prices - Wet

Company	Stock Exchange	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)
Capital Product Partners LP (CPLP)	NASDAQ	3.41	3.35	1,79
TOP Ships Inc (TOPS)	NASDAQ	0.30	0.38	21,05
Tsakos Energy Navigation (TNP)	NYSE	4.42	4.41	0,23

Stock Prices - Other

Company	Stock Exchange	Week 22	Week 21	Change (%)
Aegean Maritime Petrol (ANW)	NYSE	5.00	5.53	9,58
Danaos Corporation (DAC)	NYSE	1.35	1.25	8,00
Stealth Gas Inc (GASS)	NASDAQ	3.26	3.34	2,40
Rio Tinto (RIO)	NYSE	40.65	41.34	1,67
Vale (VALE)	NYSE	8.19	8.48	3,42
ADM Archer Daniels Midland (ADM)	NYSE	41.82	42.34	1,23
BHP Billiton (BHP)	NYSE	35.21	36.03	2,28



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