

WEEKLY SHIPPING MARKET REPORT WEEK 48

#### WEEK 48 (24<sup>th</sup> Nov to 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2017)

### <u>Market Overview</u>

Today is the draw for the FIFA World Cup in Russia with 32 teams eagerly awaiting their fate. Unfortunately, Hellas shall not be competing this time but remain at the forefront of activity in the sale and purchase markets. Last week Eurotankers emerged as the buyer of the 2004 built suezmax "Teide Spirit" 159.000 dwt 2004 built Korea and this week Greek interests are in the mix to purchase the NJG controlled VLCC "Arion" 309.460 dwt 2001 built Korea.

### **Bulkers**

With the sentiment being positive for one more week and the BDI climbing at 1626 points today, marking a 200-point increase on WoW basis, and with market candidates flooding the market especially in the smaller sizes, sellers are still holding their horses, on a wait and see mode. Bw Group played with the asset values and made a remarkable profit with the sale of  $\,$  M/V Bw  $\,$ Acorn (82k/2010/Oshima) which was bought \$12,3mil 18 months ago and was sold for \$19mil mark this week. The panamax M/V Zed (73k/1996/Samsung) reported as sold at usd 6 mill to UAE buyers, a firm price, about \$1,5 mil excess demo. The ship has very good ss/dd position. The supramax M/V Daxia (56k/2011/Dacs) was inspected by almost ten parties in Russian black sea and Turkey and finally fetched 12.2 mill, a bank driven deal that had been falsely reported sold previous week. Also, the late 90's handymax M/V Orion Express (47k/1998/Ohima) sold to UAE buyers at \$5.3 mill with DD due April 2018. In the Handy sector, M/V Lazeez (31k/2000/Saiki), is reported sold to Lebanese buyers at levels \$5.8 mill, firm price as sister ship M/V Great Mary (32k/2000/Saiki) fetched \$5.1 mill in mid-October. In the NB sector, the South Korea's Pan Ocean have placed an order for 6 x VLOCs at Chinese shipbuilder New Times with delivery end 2019 until Q3 2021 at a price of about usd 74 mill each. In addition, Dalian shipyard has won an order for 10 x 25,800 dwt bulk carriers from compatriot Owner Dalian Success Innovation Group with delivery end 2019 at an undisclosed price.

### **Tankers**

This week Kyklades marked their return to the VLCC market after a decade, by placing an order for  $2+2 \times 319,000$  dwt VLCCs at Hyundai Heavy Industries with delivery end 2019 at a price believed to be in the region of low usd 80s each. There are long subjects attached to this deal. In addition, the Teekay Offshore Partners have declared options for  $2 \times 125,000$  dwt Suezmax DP2 shuttle tankers at South Korean shipbuilder Samsung Heavy Industries with delivery set for April and July 2020 at a price of USD 122.8 mill each. Also, Ocean Tankers in Singapore have placed an order for  $6 \times 11,000$  dwt tankers at Chinese shipbuilder Fujian Mawei with delivery end 2019 at an undisclosed price. In the VLCC sector we saw the M/T Meandros (309k/2000/HHI) sold to Greek buyers at \$19,3 mill.

### **Demolition**

After last week's increase in the demo levels, prices remained same on an average of 400 usd/ldt at subcontinent. Pakistan remained active in bulk tonnage, with 2 BC sold, having as most notable sale, the capesize M/V "Silver Voyager" - Dwt 170.409 / LDT 20622 which achieved 461 usd/ldt, incl bunkers. This price was also a result to the Pakistan's tanker market being closed with the re-opening expected after 2018. H-Line sold enbloc their two bc (with 24,500 and 17,200 ltd) at 440 usd/ldt each with Indian subcontinent delivery. Despite the rise in steel prices in India, still cannot compete the prices quoted for bulkers, by Pakistani Buyers at the moment. In Bangladesh, the most notable sale was at 394 usd/ldt for the M/T Oritsela (LDT 8966). This week a total of 19 vessels were reported sold including 8 BC/GC, 6 Tanker/LPG and 5 others.

#### **Baltic Indices (Friday Closing Values)**

" Dry Bulk "									
Index Week 48 Week 47 Change (%									
BDI	1626	1458	11,52						
BCI	4025	3453	16,57						
BPI	1494	1295	15,37						
BSI	944	914	3,28						
BHSI	626	620	0,97						



" Tanker "

Index	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
BDTI	806	820	1,71
BCTI	634	600	5.67



#### **Indicative Demolition Prices**

Country	Tanker Prices	Bulker Prices
India	430	410
Bangladesh	420	400
Pakistan	440	420
China	230	210
Turkey	265	255



# DRY BULK COMMENTARY

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### <u>Capesize</u>

Majority of **Week 48** rates on the key West Australia / China iron ore route have been reported in the mid/high usd 9.00's pmt range. Brazilian iron ore into China in the mid/high usd 19.00's pmt range. South African iron ore at high usd 14.00's pmt levels. Pacific round trips via Australia have risen in the low/mid usd 20,000's pd range. Transatlantic trips have now reached usd 30,000 pd levels. Usd 36,000 pd for a Continental fronthaul trip via US East Coast. Short period employments have been rating in the usd 20,000/21,000 pd range. One year's employment at usd 17,500 pd.

#### Kamsarmax/Panamax

North Pacific round trips into the Far East continued rising at usd 11,000 pd levels. Round trips via Australia and Indonesia can fetch anything from usd 10,000 to usd 12,000 pd depending on the delivery area. Similar numbers for India direction. Intercontinental runs have been reported in the low/mid usd 13,000's pd range. South American grain fronthauls continued in usd 14,000/15,000 pd range plus a usd 450/500,000 ballast bonus basis APS South America. Continent direction in the low/mid usd 16,000's pd range. US Gulf fronthauls in the usd 16,000/17,000 pd range plus a usd 650/700,000 ballast bonus. Usd 20,000 pd for a US East Coast run into India basis delivery Rotterdam. Period employments continued rating in the usd 11,000/12,000 pd range.

#### <u>Ultramax / Supramax</u>

North Pacific round trips in the mid/high usd 8,000s pd range. The Indonesia/China coal route kept a low number of fixtures with, nonetheless, much improved rates in the usd 12,000/13,000 pd range. Usd 11,750 pd for an Indian coastal trip on an Ultramax. Usd 16,300 pd for a Black Sea fronthaul on a Supramax basis Canakkale delivery. Usd 24,100 pd for a Jamaican fronthaul on an Ultramax. Supramax period employments have been rating at low/mid usd 9,000's pd. Ultramax in the usd 10,000/11,000 pd range.

#### <u>Handymax / Handysize</u>

Inter-pacific trips have been rating in the usd 8,000/9,000 pd range. Trips within the Mediterranean via the Black Sea continued rating in the low/mid usd 9,000's pd range basis Canakkale delivery. No period activity to report here.





# **REPORTED SALES**

## **Bulk Carriers**

Туре	Name	Dwt	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Gear	Price	Buyer	Comments
Capesize	King Robert	169,676	2008	Daehan , Korea	09/2018	B&W	-	\$ 18.0	Undisclosed	
Kamsarmax	Bw Acorn	82,589	2010	Oshima , Japan	01/2020	B&W	-	\$ 19.0	Undisclosed	
Panamax	Zed	73,301	1996	Samsung,Ko rea	05/2021	B&W	-	\$ 6.0	U.A.E Based	
Ultramax	Equinox Melida	61,299	2016	Dalian ,China	06/2021	B&W	4 x 30 T	\$ 25.5	Greek	
Supramax	Caroline Victory	58,713	2008	Tsuneishi Heavy, Philippines	08/2020	B&W	4 x 30 T	\$ 14.0	Undisclosed	
Supramax	Orient Jasmine	56,124	2012	Mitsui, Japan	02/2020	B&W	4 x 30 T	\$ 17.6	DryLog	
Supramax	Orient Orchid	55,598	2012	Mitsui,Japa n	10/2019	B&W	4 x 30 T	\$ 17.4	519205	
Handymax	Orion Express	47,280	1998	Oshima , Japan	04/2018	Mitsubi shi	4 x 30 T	\$ 5.3	U.A.E	
Handysize	Jiangsu New Yangzi	36,000	2017	Jiangsu ,China	-	B&W	4 x 30 T	\$ 18.5		
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Handysize	Jiangsu New Yangzi	36,000	2018	Jiangsu ,China	-	B&W	4 x 30 t	\$ 18.5		
Handysize	Lazeez	31,651	2000	Saiki , Japan	03/2020	Mitsubi shi	4 x 30 T	\$ 5.8	Lebanese	
Handysize	Dimitrios K	24,834	2001	Wuhu, China	04/2021	B&W	4 x 25 T	\$ 4.6	Europeans	
Handysize	Md Star	23,725	1995	Shin Kurushima, Japan	04/2020	Mitsubi shi	4 x 30 T	Undiscl osed	Undisclosed	
Handysize	Sunroad Mitoya	23,200	2011	Kurinoura, Japan	04/2021	B&W	3 x 30 T	\$ 8.5	European	



# **REPORTED SALES**

### <u>Tankers</u>

Туре	Name	Dwt	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Price(mill)	Buyer	Comments
Vlcc	Meandros	309,498	2000	Hyundai Hi , Korea	05/2020	B&W	Mid \$ 19.0	Greek	
Mr	Caletta	51,745	2011	Hyundai Mipo , Korea	01/2021	B&W	\$ 22.2	Indian (Palonji)	
Mr	High Presence	48,700	2005	lwagi,Japan	11/2020	B&W	\$ 14.4	Undisclosed	Incl 6 yr TCB

### **Containers**

Туре	Name	Teu	YoB	Yard	SS	M/E	Gear	Price	Buyer	Comments
Panamax	Apl Atlanta	4,250	2008	New Times,China	07/2018	B&W	-	\$ 25.0		
Panamax	Apl Los Angeles	4,250	2008	New Times,China	05/2018	B&W	-	\$ 25.0	Greek (Navios)	
Panamax	Apl Denver	4,250	2008	New Times,China	06/2018	B&W	-	\$ 25.0		
Panamax	Apl Oakland	4,250	2008	New Times,China	04/2018	B&W	-	\$ 25.0		
Panamax	Bodo Schulte	4,249	2011	Jiangsu New , China	12/2021	B&W	-	Undiscl osed	Greek (Technomar)	Panamax



# DEMOLITION

Туре	Vessel	Dwt	YoB	Ldt	Price \$	Country	Comments
Tanker	Green Trader	156.105	1993	24,846	417		"As Is" Singapore
BC	POS Dedicator	208.393	1993	24,530	440		Indian Subcontinent
BC	Silver Voyager	170.409	1999	20,622	461	Pakistan	Incl. 1200Tns Bunkers
BC	POS Harvester	148.918	1992	17,213	440		Indian Subcontinent
Tanker	Concertina	96.835	1992	15,225	362	Bangladesh	
RoPax	Olympus	18.541	1980	14,013	n/a	India	
BC	Woo	73.081	1995	10,607	n/a	Pakistan	
Tanker	Harsha Prem	42.235	1993	9,140	n/a	India	
Tanker	Oritsela	46.878	1993	8,966	394	Bangladesh	
BC	Gem of Paradip	41.090	1984	7,626	396	Bangladesh	Incl. 220Tns bunkers ROB
Tanker	F1	15.994	1993	6,330	n/a	India	
BC	Indra II	21.437	1984	5,166	n/a	India	
GC	Bushra VI	6.020	1982	2,021	n/a	India	
GC	Don Alfredo SR 2	4.110	1993	1,521	n/a	Philippines	
LPG	B Gas Lotta	2.004	1992	1,349	n/a	Denmark	
Research	Sea Surveyor	0.545	1979	0,968	n/a	Belgium	
Offshore/Tug	Auriga	0.345	1998	0,634	n/a	Pakistan	
Offshore	Ayna	0.784	1982	n/a	n/a	Azerbaijan	
Offshore/Tug	Nan Hai 216	1.969	1983	n/a	n/a	China	



# NEWBUILDING

# **Bulkers**

Units	Туре	Dwt	Yard	Delivery	Price (mill)	Owner	Comments
6	Vloc	400,000	New Times	Q42019- q12012	\$ 74.0	Pan Ocean	
2	Handysize	38,500	Taizhou Kouan, China	2020	\$ 22.0	USA (Interlink)	Green Dolphin
10	Handysize	25,800	Hyundai Hi , China	2019	Undisclosed	Chinese (Dalian Chenggong)	

# <u>Tankers</u>

Units	Туре	Dwt	Yard	Delivery	Price (mill)	Owner	Comments
2+2	Vicc	319,000	Hyundai Hi , Korea	2019-2020	\$80.0-82.0	Kyklades	
2	Vlcc	319,000	Hyundai Hi , Korea	2019-2020	\$80.0-82.0	S.Korean	
4	Vlcc	319,000	Dalian , China	2020-2021	\$ 553.0	Chinese	Tier III
3	Suezmax	158,000	Dalian , China	2020-2021	Ş 553.0	(CSET)	Tier III
2	Aframax	114,000	Daehan , Korea	2019	\$ 44.5	Norwegian	Tier II
6+4	Handy	11,000	Fujian ,China	2019-2020	Undisclosed	Singaporean (Ocean Tankers)	

## **Container**

Units	Туре	Teu	Yard	Delivery	Price (mill)	Owner	Comments
4	Feeder	1,500	Guangzhou Wenchong ,China	2019	Undisclosed	Greek (Cosmoship)	



# **INDICATIVE PRICES**

## **Bulk Carriers**

Size	Prompt Resale	5 years	10 years	15 years
Capesize	45.5	33	21	14
Panamax-Kamsarmax	28.5	21	14	9
Ultramax - Supramax	27	16.5	12.5	9
Handysize	22	13	9.5	6.5



## <u>Tankers</u>

Size	Prompt Resale	5 years	10 years	15 years
VLCC	81	61	37	21
Suezmax	54	39	25	12
Aframax	43.5	29.5	18.5	9
MR	34	23.5	16.5	9





# **KEY INDICATORS**

#### WEEK 48 (24<sup>th</sup> Nov to 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2017)

Currency	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
EUR / USD	1.1921	1.1869	0,44
JPY / USD	112.36	111.41	0,85
KRW / USD	1,086.38	1,085.23	0,11
NOK / USD	0.1208	0.1228	1,63



Commodity	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
Brent Crude (BZ)	62.94	63.58	1,01
WTI Crude Oil (WTI)	57.65	58.54	1,52
Natural Gas (NG)	3.10	2.91	6,53
Gold (GC)	1,279.80	1,293.80	1,08
Copper	308.50	318.05	3,00
Wheat (w)	432.50	440.75	1,87





# SHIPPING INDICATIVE SHARE VALUE

## Stock Prices – Shipping Companies

Company	Stock Exchange	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
Diana Shipping Ink (DSX)	NASDAQ	4.02	3.89	3,34
Dry ships Ink (DRYS)	NASDAQ	4.25	3.95	7,59
Euroseas Ltd (ESEA)	NASDAQ	1.78	1.90	6,32
Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc (EGLE)	NASDAQ	4.37	4.38	0,23
Navios Maritime (NM)	NYSE	1.38	1.32	4,55
Navios Maritime PTN (NMM)	NYSE	2.11	1.90	11,05
Star Bulk Carriers Corp (SBLK)	NASDAQ	10.07	9.61	4,79
Seanergy Maritime Holdings Corp (SHIP)	NASDAQ	1.03	1.03	0,00
Safe Bulkers Inc (SB)	NYSE	3.17	3.19	0,63
Golden Ocean (GOGL)	NASDAQ	8.11	8.10	0,12

### Stock Prices - Wet

Company	Stock Exchange	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
Capital Product Partners LP (CPLP)	NASDAQ	3.15	3.23	2,48
TOP Ships Inc (TOPS)	NASDAQ	0.43	0.50	14,00
Tsakos Energy Navigation (TNP)	NYSE	3.84	4.17	7,91

### **Stock Prices - Other**

Company	Stock Exchange	Week 48	Week 47	Change (%)
Aegean Maritime Petrol (ANW)	NYSE	4.00	3.85	3,90
Danaos Corporation (DAC)	NYSE	1.55	1.60	3,13
Stealth Gas Inc (GASS)	NASDAQ	3.97	4.07	2,46
Rio Tinto (RIO)	NYSE	47.90	49.01	2,26
Vale (VALE)	NYSE	10.70	10.77	0,65
ADM Archer Daniels Midland (ADM)	NYSE	39.88	39.24	1,63
BHP Billiton (BHP)	NYSE	41.55	41.28	0,65



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