ATLANTICCAPESIZE INDEX

Lifted by fronthaul chartering in both the north and south of the basin, the SSY Atlantic Capesize Index edged up to 10,020 points, the first time since 2009 it has reached the 10,000 point mark in July and almost double the year-ago level. The fronthaul rate (180k dwt) rose by \$500/day week-on-week to \$42,750/day, while there was a \$650/day decline in the round-voyage rate to \$29,100/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.

			16/07/2018	23/07/2018
Trade	Cargo Size	Weight	\$/t	\$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	6.00	5.95
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	11.45	11.30
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	10.10	10.25
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	13.00	12.80
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	12.70	12.50
NOUADHIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	23.90	25.05
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	22.55	22.70
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T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	7.14	7.22
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	5.02	4.91
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			9,936	10,020
Change on Previous Week			-17	+84
Change on Four Weeks Ago			+1,605	+1,982
Change on Previous Year			+5,138	+4,848
Change on Two Years Ago			+5,868	+5,915

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