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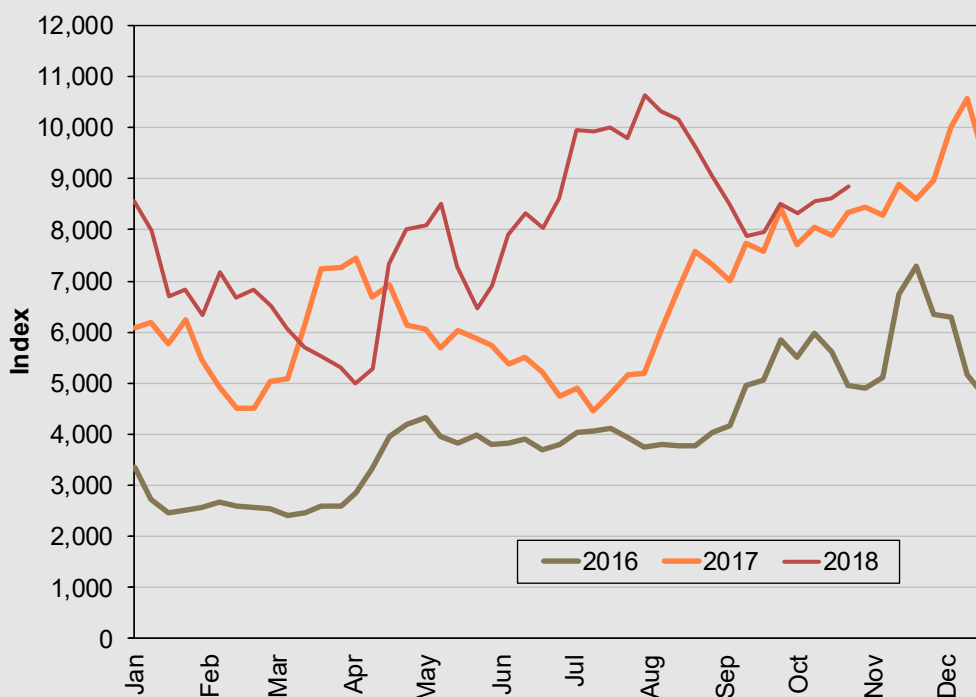
Sharp rate increases on Tubarao-Rotterdam iron ore and Richards Bay-Rotterdam coal routes lifted the SSY Atlantic Capesize Index 249 points higher week-on-week to an eight-week high of 8,860 points. There was a \$500/day increase in the Atlantic round-voyage rate to \$18,950/day, while the fronthaul rate slipped \$150/day to \$34,600/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.

Trade	Cargo Size	Weight	22/10/2018	29/10/2018
			\$/t	\$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	4.70	4.80
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	8.00	10.00
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	7.85	9.65
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	10.60	10.70
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	10.35	10.25
NOUADHIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	24.25	24.10
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	22.00	21.95
TUBARAO/QINGDAO	160,000/10%	10.0%	21.45	21.40
T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	5.87	5.84
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	3.12	3.20
		100.0%		
CALCULATED INDEX			8,611	8,860
Change on Previous Week			+45	+249
Change on Four Weeks Ago			+659	+342
Change on Previous Year			+259	+408
Change on Two Years Ago			+3,005	+3,909

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