

Weekly Market Report

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Market insight

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This year's tanker S&P activity keeps edging higher compared to the same period in 2018. Year to date we have seen some 143 ships, ranging from MRs to VLs, changing hands, an increase of around 21% compared to the same period last year.

After a strong start in the first quarter, the freight market went through a significant softening particularly in the case of the crude carriers while the smaller/clean sizes performed significantly better. Overall sentiment remains bullish for the rest of the year, both in terms of freights as well as asset values. On the chartering side we see owners having high ideas for long term period charters and on the S&P front we see most ships being sold at a premium over last done.

Firm interest can be observed in the MR tanker segment, with a lot of ships changing hands during the past couple of months. Recently, we had the sale of MT High Sun (Hyundai Vinashin 50k 2014) for \$28.7m to Ditas from Turkey; a firm price compared to the March reported sale of the same age/quality Korean built MRs that Glencore sold to JP Morgan for \$27.5m (MT Alpine Mary & Alpine Maria, SPP 50k 2014). On the 10-year old ships, after the sales of the MT Unique Explorer (Onomichi 50k 2010) that was sold to Palonji Shipping from India for \$17.5m and the Japanese owned MT Fidelity II (Iwagi 47k 2011) that was sold for \$18.25m to Maersk Tankers last month, we see a handful of buyers that are looking for similar units and willing to go the extra mile to put their hands on fresh tonnage.

Hence we expect the bullish buyers to remain active and asset values to move further north as a result. On the Japanese 15 year old pumproom ships with surveys due, we also had the sales of the MT High Power (Naikai 47k 2004) and the MT Uacc Strait (Shin Kurushima 46k 2004) for \$8.6m and \$8.75m respectively and expect to see more vessels being sold soon. Finally we note that Sinokor's Korean deepwell ships, the MT Security and the MT Tenacity (Hyundai 47k 2004) were sold for \$9.75m basis surveys passed.

Regarding Aframax and VLCCs, what depicts the bullish sentiment in today's S&P market is the lack of 10 year old or younger quality tonnage available for sale with several buyers waiting to compete over the next candidate. We note the sale of the MT Maersk Jeddah and the MT Maersk Jamnagar (Sumitomo 105k 2011) committed at a firm price of \$30.3m each, potentially to Greek buyers whose main interest is in the dry bulk shipping market. The auction of the MT Brightoil Lion (Tsuneishi 107k 2010) and the MT Brightoil Grace (Hyundai 320k 2013) that were recently under the hammer also drew a lot of attention. What is noticeable is that although auction sales usually attract interest due to the nature of the sale being distressed, several large tanker owners offered healthy prices, with the VLCC being sold for \$61.5m, while 10 parties offered on the Aframax that is rumored sold at region \$26m.

All in all, activity is high, sentiment remains bullish and many owners argue that the healthy SnP market we experienced in 2019 is just the beginning of the so called "IMO Story" that has started to play out and will come in full effect coming into Q4 2019.

Chartering (Wet: Stable+/ Dry: Stable-)

On the back of a firming Capesize market, the BDI managed to climb above 1,130 points last week, although the pull back in earnings for the big bulkers yesterday and today have wiped off almost entirely the positive movement of the index last week. The BDI today (11/06/2019) closed at 1,105 points, down by 20 points compared to Monday's (10/06/2019) levels and decreased by 17 points when compared to previous Tuesday's closing (04/06/2019). The crude carriers market witnessed small improvements in the past days, with owners overall resisting to further rates drops, while the period market continues to enjoy strong momentum, with firmer levels/ideas reported last week. The BDTI today (11/06/2019) closed at 654, increased by 21 points and the BCTI at 507, a decrease of 8 points compared to previous Tuesday's (04/06/2019) levels.

Sale & Purchase (Wet: Stable+ / Dry: Stable+)

Following a very busy market during the week prior, SnP activity softened considerably last week. Saying that, the substantial number of Post-Panamax sales in the dry bulk sector evidence healthy appetite, with the size having seen no activity for about two months. In the tanker sector we had the sale of the "BRIGHTOIL GRACE" (319,778dwt-blt '13, S. Korea), which was sold to Greek owner, Delta Tankers, for a price in the region of \$61.5m. On the dry bulker side sector we had the sale of the "ROYAL MAYBACH" (93,272dwt-blt '10, China), which was sold to German owner, Oldendorff, for a price in the region of \$13.8m.

Newbuilding (Wet: Firm+ / Dry: Stable-)

This has been another busy week on the newbuilding front, with tanker orders once again having the lion's share among recently surfacing deals. The increasing appetite for tanker tonnage in both the second-hand and newbuilding markets lately is certainly drawing a lot of attention, with a substantial number of owners showing determination to invest before the second half of the year kicks off. Despite the fact that current earnings do not entirely justify such decision in some cases, most owners are looking ahead to the next year and the introduction of the IMO 2020 that is widely expected to be a game changer in the industry and are eager to invest despite any adverse short term fundamentals. In terms of recently reported deals, Greek owner, Avin, placed an order for two firm Suezmax tankers (158,000 dwt) at Hyundai, in S. Korea for a price in the region of \$64.0m and delivery set in 2021.

Demolition (Wet: Soft- / Dry: Soft-)

As expected, the Eid holidays kept scrap prices under pressure last week as cash buyers in most of the demo destinations remained on the side-lines lowering their bids even further. At the same time, India almost monopolized recent action, although bids out of the country moved south in this case as well as domestic buyers had no reason to sustain their already higher - compared to the rest of the market- levels amidst falling prices everywhere else. The next couple of weeks are expected to be equally uninspiring with the Eid Holidays, the monsoon season and the budget announcement in Bangladesh continuing to exert pressure on both activity and prices. Average prices in the different markets this week for tankers ranged between \$270-430/ldt and those for dry bulk units between \$260-420/ldt.









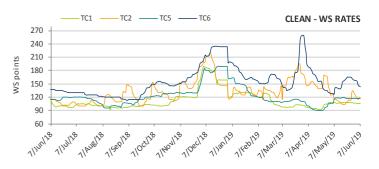


| | | | | Spot | Rates | | | | |
|---------|------|------------|--------------|--------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | | Wee | ek 23 | Wee | k 22 | \$/day | 2018 | 2017 |
| Ve | ssel | Routes | WS points | \$/day | WS points | \$/day | ±% | \$/day | \$/day |
| () | 265k | MEG-JAPAN | 37 | 15,145 | 37 | 15,116 | 0.2% | 20,265 | 20,658 |
| VLCC | 280k | MEG-USG | 17 | - | 18 | - | - | 5,635 | 13,429 |
| | 260k | WAF-CHINA | 39 | 14,458 | 41 | 14,581 | -0.8% | 18,362 | 19,815 |
| эх | 130k | MED-MED | 70.5 | 16,213 | 70 | 15,741 | 3.0% | 20,320 | 17,617 |
| Suezmax | 130k | WAF-USAC | 69 | 17,137 | 51 | 8,636 | 98.4% | 12,870 | 12,917 |
| Su | 140k | BSEA-MED | 82 | 18,818 | 77 | 11,898 | 58.2% | 20,320 | 17,617 |
| J | 80k | MEG-EAST | 108 | 15,616 | 109 | 15,252 | 2.4% | 12,563 | 11,560 |
| Aframax | 80k | MED-MED | 81 | 9,294 | 94 | 11,008 | -15.6% | 18,589 | 15,136 |
| Afra | 100k | BALTIC/UKC | 74 | 12,302 | 74 | 11,688 | 5.3% | 14,943 | 15,424 |
| | 70k | CARIBS-USG | 88 | 6,088 | 83 | 4,614 | 31.9% | 19,039 | 14,479 |
| | 75k | MEG-JAPAN | 106 | 15,421 | 107 | 15,333 | 0.6% | 11,119 | 10,082 |
| Clean | 55k | MEG-JAPAN | 117 | 12,968 | 117 | 12,432 | 4.3% | 8,449 | 8,262 |
| క | 37K | UKC-USAC | 118 | 8,383 | 128 | 8,968 | -6.5% | 7,529 | 8,975 |
| | 30K | MED-MED | 143 | 8,627 | 158 | 12,551 | -31.3% | 5,487 | 6,703 |
| _ | 55K | UKC-USG | 100 | 10,001 | 97 | 9,056 | 10.4% | 9,527 | 10,421 |
| Dirty | 55K | MED-USG | 100 | 9,045 | 97 | 8,419 | 7.4% | 9,059 | 9,613 |
| | 50k | CARIBS-USG | 135 | 14,522 | 133 | 13,092 | 10.9% | 10,637 | 10,544 |

| | TC Rates | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|-------------|---------|---------|------|------|--------|--------|--|--|--|
| \$ | s/day | Week 23 | Week 22 | ±% | Diff | 2018 | 2017 | | | |
| VLCC | 300k 1yr TC | 33,000 | 33,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 25,394 | 27,524 | | | |
| VLCC | 300k 3yr TC | 34,500 | 34,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 31,306 | 28,830 | | | |
| Suezmax | 150k 1yr TC | 23,500 | 23,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 17,668 | 18,788 | | | |
| Suezillax | 150k 3yr TC | 25,000 | 25,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 21,743 | 19,330 | | | |
| Aframax | 110k 1yr TC | 21,000 | 20,500 | 2.4% | 500 | 15,543 | 16,034 | | | |
| Allalliax | 110k 3yr TC | 23,000 | 23,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 18,532 | 17,339 | | | |
| Panamax | 75k 1yr TC | 15,750 | 15,500 | 1.6% | 250 | 13,192 | 12,986 | | | |
| rallalliax | 75k 3yr TC | 16,500 | 16,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 15,032 | 14,253 | | | |
| MR | 52k 1yr TC | 14,500 | 14,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 13,721 | 13,375 | | | |
| 52k 3yr TC | | 16,000 | 16,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 15,065 | 14,287 | | | |
| Handy | 36k 1yr TC | 13,000 | 13,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 12,264 | 12,053 | | | |
| паниу | 36k 3yr TC | 13,500 | 13,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 13,431 | 13,200 | | | |

| Indicative Period Charters | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|------|---------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| - 1 yr | - 'LYRIC CAMELLIA' | 2016 | 109,999 dwt | | | | | |
| - | - \$22,000/day | | - ST Shipping | | | | | |
| - 1 yr | - 'PIS POLARIS' | 2010 | 45,988 dwt | | | | | |
| - | - \$13,750/day | | - cnr | | | | | |





| In | Indicative Market Values (\$ Million) - Tankers | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---|---------------|---------------|------|------|------|------|--|--|--|--|
| Vessel 5 | rs old | Jun-19 avg | May-19 avg | ±% | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | | | | |
| VLCC | 300KT DH | 67.0 | 65.6 | 2.1% | 64.2 | 62.0 | 68.9 | | | | |
| Suezmax | 150KT DH | 48.0 | 48.0 | 0.0% | 43.5 | 41.4 | 50.0 | | | | |
| Aframax | 110KT DH | 35.5 | 35.1 | 1.1% | 31.8 | 30.4 | 37.0 | | | | |
| LR1 | LR1 75KT DH | | 31.0 | 0.0% | 29.3 | 27.6 | 33.1 | | | | |
| MR | 52KT DH | 27.5 | 27.1 | 1.5% | 26.3 | 23.4 | 25.3 | | | | |

Chartering

Sentiment improved slightly last week in the crude carriers market that saw small WS rate upticks in a number of cases as well as support to TCE levels from dropping bunker prices. The period market sustained its positive momentum, with premiums over last dones noted for certain sizes, while once again longer periods were reported. At the same time oil prices managed to find a more stable footing after reaching a five-month low during the early part of the week, with support coming mainly from reports of a postponement of US trade tariffs on Mexico as well as constant rumours that OPEC and other major producers will extend cuts further.

VL owners in the MEG tried to resist to increasing downward pressure as soft enquiry persisted during the past days in the region, while the West Africa remained equally uninspiring throughout the bigger part of the week.

It was a positive week for Suezmaxes that managed to end their losing streak in the busier West Africa, while the Black Sea/Med was also more positive on the back of healthier demand. The cross-Med Afra remained under the control of charterers with renewed pressure on rates as a result, while the Caribs market has seen a more balanced market, with owners eventually achieving premiums as firmer enquiry started siding with them.

Sale & Purchase

In the VLCC sector we had the sale of the "BRIGHTOIL GRACE" (319,778dwt-blt '13, S. Korea), which was sold to Greek owner, Delta Tankers, for a price in the region of \$61.5m.

In the Aframax sector we had the sale of the "EVER RICH NO. 18" (105,483dwt-blt '03, Japan), which was sold to Greek buyers, for a price in the region of \$14.5m.





| | Baltic Indices | | | | | | | | | | |
|------|----------------|-----------------|-------|----------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--|--|--|
| | | ek 23 5/2019 | | ek 22 /2019 | Point | \$/day | 2018 | 2017 | | | |
| | Index | \$/day | Index | \$/day | Diff | ±% | Index | Index | | | |
| BDI | 1,138 | | 1,096 | | 42 | | 1,349 | 1,149 | | | |
| BCI | 1,862 | \$15,007 | 1,620 | \$12,987 | 242 | 15.6% | 2,095 | 2,094 | | | |
| BPI | 1,313 | \$9,736 | 1,335 | \$10,705 | -22 | -9.1% | 1,451 | 1,221 | | | |
| BSI | 719 | \$8,173 | 752 | \$8,511 | -33 | -4.0% | 1,030 | 846 | | | |
| BHSI | 412 | \$6,175 | 398 | \$5,969 | 14 | 3.5% | 597 | 525 | | | |

| | | | Period | | | | |
|----------|--------------------------|------------|------------|------|-------|-------------|--------|
| | \$/day | Week 23 | Week 22 | ±% | Diff | 2018 | 2017 |
| ze | 180K 6mnt TC | 16,000 | 14,750 | 8.5% | 1,250 | 19,758 | 15,671 |
| Capesize | 180K 1yr TC | 16,750 | 16,000 | 4.7% | 750 | 19,575 | 14,844 |
| ပိ | 180K 3yr TC | 15,000 | 14,750 | 1.7% | 250 | 17,912 | 13,892 |
| ä | 76K 6mnt TC | 11,500 | 11,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 13,224 | 10,984 |
| Panamax | 76K 1yr TC | 11,750 | 11,750 | 0.0% | 0 | 13,513 | 11,113 |
| Pa | 76K 3yr TC | 11,500 | 11,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 12,710 | 11,171 |
| пах | 58K 6mnt TC | 10,250 | 10,250 | 0.0% | 0 | 12,450 | 10,421 |
| Supramax | 58K 1yr TC | 10,500 | 10,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 11,700 | 10,166 |
| Sul | 58K 3yr TC | 10,750 | 10,750 | 0.0% | 0 | 11,450 | 10,176 |
| size | 32K 6mnt TC | 8,750 | 8,750 | 0.0% | 0 | 9,586 8,662 | |
| sybn | 32K 1yr TC 32K 3yr TC | | 9,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 9,450 | 8,248 |
| E | 32K 3yr TC | 9,250 | 9,250 | 0.0% | 0 | 9,200 | 8,464 |

| | Indicative Period Cha | rters | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------|---------------|
| - 9 to 11 mos | - 'P.S. PALIOS' | 2011 | 179,134 dwt |
| - Caofedian 05/06 Jun | - \$17,500/day | | -SwissMarine |
| -5 to 8 mos | - 'ANAIS' | 2005 | 75,776 dwt |
| -Lianyungang prompt | - \$10,850/day | | -S. logistics |



Average T/C Rates



Chartering

Slowly but steadily the BDI has been gaining more and more ground, sustaining its upward momentum, with Capesize performance mainly supporting the positive movement as Panamax and Supramax rates ended last week with losses. At the same time, the period market remained particularly quiet for yet another week, with limited enquiry and very few fixtures surfacing, while in the case of Capes the improvement in spot earnings has been boosting ideas on the period front as well. With several holidays in the East last week disrupting trade and putting pressure on rates, the negative performance noted in a number of routes was more or less anticipated, while we expect a gradual stabilization of earnings in the following days as trading will be resuming at its usual pace.

The Capesize market remained positive last week, with support coming again mainly from healthy demand in the W. Australia/China route, while rumors that Vale had been in the market since the week prior appeared to be true, although enquiry in the region remained uninspiring overall.

The Atlantic Panamax market witnessed softening sentiment despite a busy start to the week in S. America, while despite holidays in the Pacific region, rates held overall well, with minerals trading provided most of the cargo volumes that supported rates and even premiums noted in some cases.

The markets for the smaller sizes were split. Handysize rates were positive overall, with small premiums over last done levels reported out of both basins. On the other hand Supras saw good numbers out of USG and ECSA at the beginning of the week but rates came under pressure as the market started to see less activity closer to the weekend, while in the Pacific, holidays took their toll on rates, without any major discounts noted though.

| Vessel 5 y | rs old | Jun-19 avg | May-19 avg | ±% | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 |
|------------|--------|------------|------------|------|------|------|------|
| Capesize | 180k | 31.0 | 31.0 | 0.0% | 35.0 | 31.1 | 23.5 |
| Panamax | 76K | 16.0 | 16.0 | 0.0% | 18.7 | 18.1 | 13.6 |
| Supramax | 58k | 16.0 | 16.0 | 0.0% | 17.7 | 16.5 | 12.7 |
| Handysize | 32K | 13.3 | 13.3 | 0.0% | 15.0 | 13.0 | 9.9 |

Sale & Purchase

In the Post Panamax sector we had the sale of the "ROYAL MAYBACH" (93,272dwt-blt '10, China), which was sold to German owner, Oldendorff, for a price in the region of \$13.8m.

In the Ultramax sector we had the sale of the "ULTRA INNOVATION" (61,188dwt-blt '16, Japan), which was sold to Greek buyers, for a price in the region of excess \$24.0m.



Secondhand Sales

| | | | - | • | Tanke | rs | | | | |
|---------------|--------------------|---------|-------|---------------------------|------------|--------|------|----------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Size | Name | Dwt | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Hull | Price | Buyers | Comments |
| VLCC | BRIGHTOIL GRACE | 319,778 | 2013 | HYUNDAI, S. Korea | MAN-B&W | Jun-23 | DH | \$ 61.5m | Greek (Delta Tankers) | auction sale |
| AFRA | BRIGHTOIL LION | 107,525 | 2010 | TSUNEISHI, Japan | MAN-B&W | Apr-20 | DH | \$ 26.0m | Greek | auction sale |
| AFRA | EVER RICH NO. 18 | 105,483 | 2003 | SUMITOMO, Japan | Sulzer | Nov-23 | DH | \$ 14.5m | Greek | |
| PROD/ CHEM | BOW TONE | 33,624 | 2009 | KITANIHON, Japan | Mitsubishi | Aug-19 | DH | \$ 18.5m | Norwegian (Hansa Tankers) | StSt |
| PROD/ CHEM | AULAC VENUS | 16,830 | 2008 | ZHEJIANG ZHENYU, China | Pielstick | Jun-20 | DH | \$ 7.3m | undisclosed | |

| | | | • | • | Bulk (| Carriers | • | • | | • |
|--------------|----------------------------------|--------|-------|------------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Size | Name | Dwt | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Gear | Price | Buyers | Comments |
| POST PMAX | TSUNEISHI ZHOUSHAN SS- 187 | 99,990 | 2019 | TSUNEISHI ZHOUSHAN, China | MAN-B&W | | | \$ 34.0m | Japanese | |
| POST PMAX | AGTR AMBITION | 99,990 | 2019 | TSUNEISHI ZHOUSHAN, China | MAN-B&W | | | \$ 34.0m | Japanese | |
| POST PMAX | ROYAL MAYBACH | 93,272 | 2010 | YANGFAN, China | MAN-B&W | Jul-20 | | \$ 13.8m | German (Oldendorff) | |
| POST PMAX | BRILLIANT CENTURY | 91,879 | 2002 | IMABARI SAIJO, Japan | B&W | Jun-20 | | \$ 8.1m | Chinese | |
| UMAX | ULTRA INNOVATION | 61,188 | 2016 | TADOTSU SHIPYARD, Japan | MAN-B&W | Apr-21 | 4 X 30,7t CRANES | excess \$24.0m | Greek | 12 months TCB at index linked levels |
| HANDY | THREE RIVERS | 29,975 | 2010 | YANGZHOU GUOYU, China | Wartsila | Jan-20 | 3 X 30t CRANES | \$ 8.3m | undisclosed | incl. T/C |

| | MPP/General Cargo | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------|---------------|------------|--------|---------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|----------|--|--|--|
| Name | Dwt | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Gear | Price | Buyers | Comments | | | |
| LAS TORTOLAS | 50,633 | 2011 | OSHIMA, Japan | Mitsubishi | Oct-21 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 12.3m | Danish (Navision) | | | | |
| RICKMERS DALIAN | 29,827 | 2004 | XIAMEN, China | B&W | | 2 X 320t C,1 X 100t C,1 X 45t C | \$ 13.5m | undisclosed | | | | |
| ZEA JAKARTA | 29,822 | 2003 | XIAMEN, China | B&W | | 2 X 320t C,1 X 100t C,1 X 45t C | \$ 13.5m | unuisciosea | | | | |



Secondhand Sales

| Containers | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|---------|--------|-------------------|----------|------------------------|-----------|
| Size | Name | Teu | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Gear | Price | Buyers | Comments |
| PMAX | BALTHASAR SCHULTE | 4,249 | 2012 | JIANGSU NEW YANGZIJIAN, China | MAN-B&W | | | \$ 10.9m | UK Based (Borealis) | incl. T/C |
| FEEDER | AS ARIES | 1,835 | 2001 | GDANSKA STOCZNIA, Poland | B&W | Jan-21 | 3 X 45t CRANES | \$ 5.0m | Middle Eastern | |
| FEEDER | SINAR SUBANG | 1,708 | 2008 | IMABARI, Japan | MAN-B&W | Jun-22 | | \$ 8.5m | undisclosed | |
| FEEDER | SINAR SANGIR | 1,708 | 2008 | IMABARI, Japan | MAN-B&W | Mar-22 | | \$ 8.5m | unuiscioseu | |

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Newbuilding Market

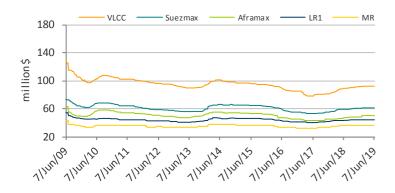
Indicative Newbuilding Prices (million\$)

| | | | | | | | | • | |
|---|----------------|-----------------|------|------------|------------|------|------|------|------|
| Ī | | Vessel | | Week 23 | Week 22 | ±% | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 |
| | 10 | Capesize | 180k | 52.0 | 52.0 | 0.0% | 48 | 43 | 43 |
| | 3ulkers | Kamsarmax | 82k | 30.0 | 30.0 | 0.0% | 28 | 25 | 25 |
| | Bull | Ultramax | 63k | 28.0 | 28.0 | 0.0% | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| | | Handysize | 38k | 24.0 | 24.0 | 0.0% | 23 | 20 | 20 |
| | Fankers | VLCC | 300k | 92.0 | 92.0 | 0.0% | 88 | 80 | 88 |
| | | Suezmax | 160k | 61.0 | 61.0 | 0.0% | 59 | 54 | 58 |
| | Lan | Aframax | 115k | 50.0 | 50.0 | 0.0% | 47 | 44 | 48 |
| | | MR | 50k | 36.0 | 36.0 | 0.0% | 36 | 33 | 34 |
| | | LNG 174k cbm | | 184.0 | 184.0 | 0.0% | 181 | 186 | 189 |
| | Gas | LGC LPG 80k cbm | | 72.0 | 72.0 | 0.0% | 71 | 71 | 74 |
| | | MGC LPG 55k cbm | | 64.0 | 64.0 | 0.0% | 63 | 64 | 66 |
| | | SGC LPG 25k cbm | | 45.0 | 45.0 | 0.0% | 43 | 42 | 43 |

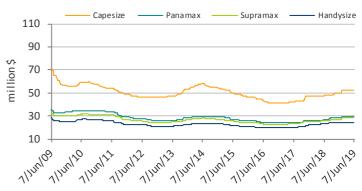
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Tankers Newbuilding Prices (m\$)



Bulk Carriers Newbuilding Prices (m\$)



| | Newbuilding Orders | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|----------|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Units | Туре | Size | Yard | Delivery | Buyer | Price | Comments | | | |
| 2 | Tanker | 158,000 dwt | Hyundai, S. Korea | 2021 | Greek (Avin) | \$ 64.0m | Tier II, Scrubber fitted, LOI stage | | | |
| 1 | Tanker | 112,000 dwt | Sumitomo, Japan | 2021 | HK based (Valles SS) | \$ 50.0m | option declared | | | |
| 2 | LNG | 174,000 cbm | Samsung, S. Korea | 2022 | European | \$ 190.5m | | | | |
| 7+3 | Container | 12,000 teu | Yangzijiang, China | - | Italian (MSC) | \$ 91.0m | scrubber fitted | | | |
| 1 | Passenger | 298 pax | Barreras, Spain | 2020 | Spanish (Ritz-Carlton) | \$ 220.0m | | | | |

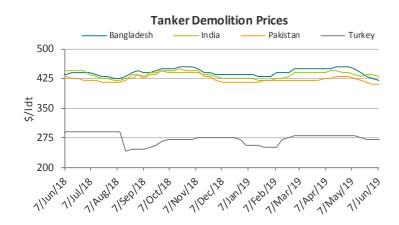


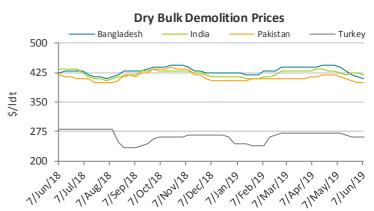
Demolition Market

| | Indicative Demolition Prices (\$/ldt) | | | | | | | | | |
|----------|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|-------|------|------|------|--|--|--|
| | Markets | Week 23 | Week 22 | ±% | 2018 | 2017 | 2016 | | | |
| | Bangladesh | 420 | 425 | -1.2% | 442 | 376 | 287 | | | |
| Fanker | India | 430 | 435 | -1.1% | 438 | 374 | 283 | | | |
| Tan | Pakistan | 410 | 410 | 0.0% | 437 | 379 | 284 | | | |
| | Turkey | 270 | 270 | 0.0% | 280 | 250 | 181 | | | |
| ¥ | Bangladesh | 410 | 415 | -1.2% | 431 | 358 | 272 | | | |
| Bulk | India | 420 | 425 | -1.2% | 428 | 354 | 268 | | | |
| Dry | Pakistan | 400 | 400 | 0.0% | 427 | 358 | 267 | | | |
| | Turkey | 260 | 260 | 0.0% | 270 | 240 | 174 | | | |

As expected, the Eid holidays kept scrap prices under pressure last week as cash buyers in most of the demo destinations remained on the side-lines lowering their bids even further. At the same time, India almost monopolized recent action, although bids out of the country moved south in this case as well as domestic buyers had no reason to sustain their already higher - compared to the rest of the market levels - amidst falling prices everywhere else. The next couple of weeks are expected to be equally uninspiring with the Eid Holidays, the monsoon season and the budget announcement in Bangladesh continuing to exert pressure on both activity and prices. Average prices in the different markets this week for tankers ranged between \$270-430/ldt and those for dry bulk units between \$260-420/ldt.

The highest price amongst recently reported deals was paid by Indian breakers for the Chemical tanker "BOW JUBAIL" (37,449dwt-11,049ldt-blt '94), which received \$835/ldt.



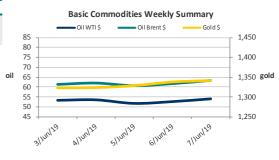


| Demolition Sales | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------------------|--------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| Name | Size | Ldt | Built | Yard | Туре | \$/ldt | Breakers | Comments |
| BOW JUBAIL | 37,449 | 11,049 | 1996 | KVAERNER, Norway | TANKER | \$ 835/Ldt | Indian | 2,250T StSt |
| GREEN GARNET | 48,772 | 9,186 | 1996 | OSHIMA, Japan | BULKER | \$ 425/Ldt | Indian | green recycling |
| IWASHIRO | 24,381 | 8,175 | 1995 | SHIN, Japan | CONT | \$ 415/Ldt | Bangladeshi | as-is Vietnam, incl. 150T bunkers |
| DELPHINUS | 10,761 | 6,786 | 1991 | MITSUBISHI, Japan | RORO | undisclosed | Indian | green recycling |
| PROSPERITY | 8,865 | 3,439 | 1997 | TULCEA, Romania | GC | undisclosed | undisclosed | |
| THERESA BEGONIA | 8,253 | 2,659 | 1994 | FUKUOKA, Japan | TANKER | undisclosed | Indian | |



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| | Market Data | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| | | 7-Jun-19 | 6-Jun-19 | 5-Jun-19 | 4-Jun-19 | 3-Jun-19 | W-O-W Change % | | | |
| | 10year US Bond | 2.080 | 2.120 | 2.120 | 2.110 | 2.080 | -2.8% | | | |
| | S&P 500 | 2,873.34 | 2,843.49 | 2,826.15 | 2,803.27 | 2,744.45 | 4.4% | | | |
| Data | Nasdaq | 7,742.10 | 7,615.55 | 7,575.48 | 7,527.12 | 7,333.02 | 3.9% | | | |
| | Dow Jones | 25,983.94 | 25,720.66 | 25,539.57 | 25,332.18 | 24,819.78 | 4.7% | | | |
| Stock Exchange | FTSE 100 | 7,331.94 | 7,259.85 | 7,220.22 | 7,214.29 | 7,184.80 | 2.4% | | | |
| cha | FTSE All-Share UK | 4,008.15 | 3,970.37 | 3,952.92 | 3,948.13 | 3,931.10 | 2.1% | | | |
| Ä | CAC40 | 5,364.05 | 5,278.43 | 5,292.00 | 5,268.26 | 5,241.46 | 3.0% | | | |
| 3 | Xetra Dax | 12,045.38 | 11,953.14 | 11,980.81 | 11,971.17 | 11,792.81 | 2.1% | | | |
| ş | Nikkei | 20,884.71 | 20,774.04 | 20,776.10 | 20,408.54 | 20,410.88 | 2.3% | | | |
| | Hang Seng | 26,965.28 | 26,965.28 | 26,895.44 | 26,761.52 | 26,893.86 | -0.6% | | | |
| | DJ US Maritime | 266.80 | 264.24 | 264.28 | 263.06 | 255.15 | 3.2% | | | |
| | \$ / € | 1.13 | 1.13 | 1.12 | 1.13 | 1.12 | 1.3% | | | |
| S | \$ / ₤ | 1.27 | 1.27 | 1.27 | 1.27 | 1.27 | 0.8% | | | |
| Currencies | ¥/\$ | 108.19 | 108.47 | 108.33 | 108.25 | 108.03 | -0.1% | | | |
| re | \$ / NoK | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.11 | 0.11 | 1.5% | | | |
| ż | Yuan / \$ | 6.91 | 6.91 | 6.91 | 6.91 | 6.90 | 0.1% | | | |
| | Won / \$ | 1,182.08 | 1,177.55 | 1,179.74 | 1,177.05 | 1,178.45 | -0.6% | | | |
| | \$ INDEX | 96.54 | 97.07 | 97.32 | 97.07 | 97.14 | -1.2% | | | |



| | Bunker Prices | | | | | | | | |
|--------|----------------------|----------|-----------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | 7-Jun-19 | 31-May-19 | W-O-W Change % | | | | | |
| MGO | Rotterdam | 541.5 | 566.0 | -4.3% | | | | | |
| | Houston | 565.0 | 618.5 | -8.6% | | | | | |
| _ | Singapore | 558.0 | 586.5 | -4.9% | | | | | |
| st | Rotterdam | 376.5 | 374.5 | 0.5% | | | | | |
| 380cst | Houston | 365.0 | 377.5 | -3.3% | | | | | |
| | Singapore | 395.5 | 392.5 | 0.8% | | | | | |

| Maritime Stock Data | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-----------|-------------------|--|--|--|
| Company | Stock Exchange | Curr. | | 31-May-19 | W-O-W Change % | | | |
| CAPITAL PRODUCT PARTNERS LP | NASDAQ | USD | 10.23 | 10.08 | 1.5% | | | |
| COSTAMARE INC | NYSE | USD | 5.10 | 5.12 | -0.4% | | | |
| DANAOS CORPORATION | NYSE | USD | 11.01 | 12.11 | -9.1% | | | |
| DIANA SHIPPING | NYSE | USD | 3.01 | 2.99 | 0.7% | | | |
| DRYSHIPS INC | NASDAQ | USD | 3.39 | 3.46 | -2.0% | | | |
| EAGLE BULK SHIPPING | NASDAQ | USD | 4.86 | 4.66 | 4.3% | | | |
| EUROSEAS LTD. | NASDAQ | USD | 0.63 | 0.60 | 5.0% | | | |
| GLOBUS MARITIME LIMITED | NASDAQ | USD | 2.97 | 2.66 | 11.7% | | | |
| NAVIOS MARITIME ACQUISITIONS | NYSE | USD | 6.38 | 6.38 | 0.0% | | | |
| NAVIOS MARITIME HOLDINGS | NYSE | USD | 3.21 | 2.84 | 13.0% | | | |
| NAVIOS MARITIME PARTNERS LP | NYSE | USD | 12.31 | 11.97 | 2.8% | | | |
| SAFE BULKERS INC | NYSE | USD | 1.49 | 1.41 | 5.7% | | | |
| SEANERGY MARITIME HOLDINGS CORP | NASDAQ | USD | 0.92 | 1.00 | -8.0% | | | |
| STAR BULK CARRIERS CORP | NASDAQ | USD | 7.97 | 7.65 | 4.2% | | | |
| STEALTHGAS INC | NASDAQ | USD | 3.30 | 3.42 | -3.5% | | | |
| TSAKOS ENERGY NAVIGATION | NYSE | USD | 3.15 | 3.10 | 1.6% | | | |
| TOP SHIPS INC | NASDAQ | USD | 0.49 | 0.53 | -7.5% | | | |

Market News

"National Bank of Greece picks up disposal pace.

Shipping lender National Bank of Greece (NBG) is picking up the pace of bad-loan disposals as it cut provisions in the first quarter.

Non-performing exposure (NPE) was reduced by €1.1bn (\$1.24bn) in the three months, driven mainly by sales of business loans.

"NPE coverage of 58% provides flexibility to proceed fast with the clean-up of the NPE stock as envisaged," the bank said.

It added that this will benefit capital through risk-weighted asset deconsolidation.

Net profit from continuing operations before restructuring charges reached €131m from €25m a year ago, driven by strong net-interest income, cost containment and the recovery in trading income. "The results are beginning to reflect NBG's significant efforts at transformation," said chief executive Paul Mylonas.

Turning to NPE, he said: "Another €1bn reduction is expected very soon from a sale process for unsecured consumer loans. Our high provision coverage bodes well for the continuation of a series of sales and other closure actions, in rapid succession..."(TradeWinds)

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