



A further week of declines for spot voyage rates across the basin saw the SSY Atlantic Capesize Index fall by 362 points week-on-week to 5,173 points. The round-voyage rate (180k dwt) dropped by \$1,500/day to just \$2,900/day, while there was a \$1,350/day fall in the fronthaul rate to \$15,750/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	10/02/2020 \$/t	17/02/2020 \$/t
NARVIK/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	3.95	3.75
TUBARAO/ROTTERDAM	160,000/10%	10.0%	5.05	4.75
RICHARDS BAY/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	5.60	5.10
HAMPTON ROADS/ROTTERDAM	120,000/10%	10.0%	7.90	7.20
PUERTO BOLIVAR/ROTTERDAM	150,000/10%	10.0%	7.00	6.30
NOUADHIBOU/QINGDAO	140,000/10%	10.0%	16.55	15.90
TUBARAO/JAPAN	160,000/10%	10.0%	12.96	12.25
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T/C TRIP CONT/FAR EAST	180,000 DWT	10.0%	2.89	2.66
T/C TRANSATLANTIC ROUND	180,000 DWT	10.0%	0.74	0.49
		100.0%		
<b>CALCULATED INDEX</b>			<b>5,535</b>	<b>5,173</b>
Change on Previous Index			-764	-362
Change on Four Weeks Ago			-2,276	-2,465
Change on Previous Year			-229	-417
Change on Two Years Ago			-803	-1,991

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