

Weekly Market Report

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Market Insight

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As we approach the end of 2023, it becomes pertinent to examine the development in the supply of bulk carriers throughout the year. During the initial eleven months of 2023, the industry witnessed the commissioning of 416 bulk carriers, culminating in a total deadweight tonnage (DWT) of 30.72 million. Additionally, an anticipated increase of 2.59 million DWT is expected by the year's end, bringing the total to 33.31 million DWT. Conversely, the sector observed the decommissioning of 86 bulk carriers, amounting to a total DWT of 5.62 million. These events have resulted in a year-over-year fleet growth of 3%. Prior to an in-depth analysis of individual segments, a comparative review with the preceding three years offers insight into the current position relative to historical trends. The year-over-year fleet growth rates for 2022, 2021, and 2020 were recorded at 2.9%, 3.5%, and 3.9%, respectively. Notably, 2022 experienced the lowest rate of new deliveries since 2018, a trend closely followed by the current year. However, the demolition activity in 2022 was the least since 2007, with only 53 vessels decommissioned. In comparison, the bulk carrier sector's demolition activity in 2023 lags behind that of 2020, when 143 vessels were earmarked for scrapping.

An individual analysis of each segment within the bulk shipping industry reveals distinct growth patterns. The Capesize sector is currently experiencing the most modest year-over-year growth, marked at 2.5%, with projections indicating the addition of only one more Capesize vessel before the end of the year. In contrast, the Supramax/Ultramax and Handysize segments are both showing a growth rate of 3.3% at present. The outlook for these sectors includes the expected delivery of 14 Supramax/Ultramax and 19 Handysize vessels, respectively, by the end of 2023. This influx of new ships is not predicted to significantly alter the

fleet growth, even in a scenario devoid of any demolitions. The Kamsarmax sector, on the other hand, is leading in growth with a rate of 3.6%, and anticipates the arrival of 14 new vessels in December.

Regarding the demolition activities within the bulk shipping industry, the Handymax sector is currently at the forefront, accounting for 35% of the total. This is closely followed by the Panamax sector, which represents 33% of the demolitions. The Handysize sector comes next, contributing 18% to the demolition activities. The Capesize sector follows, accounting for 12% of the demolitions. Notably, the Supramax segment has seen the least demolition activity, with only two vessels being decommissioned.

For the upcoming year of 2024, the dry bulk trade is poised to witness a significant addition of 495 vessels, collectively amounting to 34.8 million deadweight tonnage. This influx will be comprised of various vessel types: 38 Capesize, 6 Post Panamax, 124 Kamsarmax/Panamax, 169 Ultramax/Supramax, and 158 Handysize vessels, which includes 18 vessels below 20k DWT. Looking further ahead to 2025, the outlook appears more favorable from the perspective of ship owners. The year is expected to see an injection of 27.62 million DWT into the market, spread across 369 vessels. This figure marks the lowest number of new vessels entering the market since 2008. Consequently, this trend underpins forecasts suggesting that fleet growth during 2025 is likely to converge around 1%, representing the most modest increase since the turn of the millennium. In terms of sectorial distribution for 2025, the Capesize vessels are projected to constitute only 9% of the new additions. They are followed by the Kamsarmax, Handysize and Handysize sectors, which are expected to account for 28%, 30%, and 31% of the new capacity, respectively.



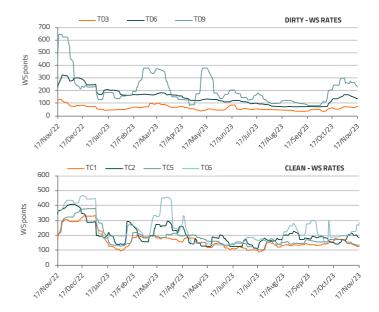
| | | | 17/1 | 1/23 | 10/1 | 1/23 | \$/day | 2022 | 2021 |
|---------|------|------------|--------------|--------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| | | | WS points | \$/day | WS points | \$/day | ±% | \$/day | \$/day |
| | | MEG-SPORE | 76 | 59,215 | 68 | 49,018 | 20.8% | 20,330 | 2,246 |
| ארככ | 280k | MEG-USG | 39 | 10,980 | 36 | 7,325 | 49.9% | -9,550 | -15,306 |
| | 260k | WAF-CHINA | 73 | 53,953 | 67 | 45,712 | 18.0% | 19,980 | 3,125 |
| | 130k | MED-MED | 130 | 78,102 | 150 | 97,742 | -20.1% | 51,634 | 8,021 |
| | 130k | WAF-UKC | 98 | 36,398 | 106 | 41,300 | -11.9% | 25,082 | 11,031 |
| | 140k | BSEA-MED | 137 | 63,465 | 153 | 76,630 | -17.2% | 51,634 | 8,021 |
| | 80k | MEG-EAST | 187 | 53,953 | 193 | 46,497 | 16.0% | 27,224 | 1,501 |
| | 80k | MED-MED | 184 | 60,837 | 234 | 87,696 | -30.6% | 46,679 | 6,622 |
| Aframax | 70k | CARIBS-USG | 228 | 66,127 | 263 | 80,890 | -18.3% | 43,030 | 5,130 |
| | 75k | MEG-JAPAN | 124 | 22,019 | 135 | 26,147 | -15.8% | 35,326 | 6,368 |
| | | MEG-JAPAN | 133 | 17,434 | 140 | 19,397 | -10.1% | 32,504 | 6,539 |
| Clean | 37K | UKC-USAC | 187 | 21,923 | 200 | 24,831 | -11.7% | 22,919 | 4,496 |
| | 30K | MED-MED | 285 | 52,345 | 225 | 35,201 | 48.7% | 45,941 | 8,124 |
| | | UKC-USG | 150 | 24,642 | 150 | 24,600 | 0.2% | 19,982 | 2,822 |
| Dirty | | MED-USG | 150 | 23,827 | 150 | 24,068 | -1.0% | 21,231 | 4,818 |
| | 50k | CARIBS-USG | 234 | 44,482 | 236 | 44,933 | -1.0% | 40,364 | 8,548 |

TC Rates

| \$. | /day | 17/11/23 | 10/11/23 | ±% | Diff | 2022 | 2021 |
|------------|-------------|----------|----------|------|------|--------|--------|
| VLCC | 300k 1yr TC | 50,000 | 50,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 34,683 | 25,684 |
| VLCC | 300k 3yr TC | 45,000 | 45,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 33,719 | 28,672 |
| Suezmax | 150k 1yr TC | 46,000 | 46,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 26,933 | 17,226 |
| Suezillax | 150k 3yr TC | 35,750 | 35,750 | 0.0% | 0 | 23,758 | 22,700 |
| Aframax | 110k 1yr TC | 44,500 | 44,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 26,135 | 15,854 |
| Allalliax | 110k 3yr TC | 37,000 | 37,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 22,878 | 19,714 |
| Panamax | 75k 1yr TC | 34,500 | 34,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 25,163 | 14,184 |
| Fallalliax | 75k 3yr TC | 28,750 | 28,750 | 0.0% | 0 | 20,806 | 15,950 |
| MR | 52k 1yr TC | 28,500 | 28,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 21,313 | 12,608 |
| IVIK | 52k 3yr TC | 25,500 | 25,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 16,426 | 13,804 |
| Handy | 36k 1yr TC | 26,000 | 26,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 18,601 | 11,292 |
| Handy | 36k 3yr TC | 18,000 | 18,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 14,585 | 13,054 |

Indicative Period Charters

| 6 | 5+6 mos | NORVIC MONIA | 2008 | 105,348 dwt |
|---|---------|---------------------|------|-------------|
| | | \$49,750-54,500/day | | Exxon |
| 6 | 5 mos | ELKA DELPHI | 2015 | 49,990 dwt |
| | | \$31,500/day | | Mercuria |



Indicative Market Values (\$ Million) - Tankers

| Vessel 5 | yrs old | Nov-23 | Oct-23 | ±% | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 |
|----------|----------|--------|--------|------|------|------|------|
| VLCC | 300КТ DH | 99.0 | 99.0 | 0.0% | 80.2 | 69.7 | 71.5 |
| Suezmax | 150KT DH | 77.0 | 77.0 | 0.0% | 55.1 | 46.7 | 49.9 |
| Aframax | 110KT DH | 70.0 | 68.9 | 1.6% | 50.5 | 38.7 | 38.8 |
| LR1 | 75KT DH | 51.0 | 50.8 | 0.5% | 38.6 | 31.2 | 30.7 |
| | 52KT DH | 43.0 | 42.3 | 1.8% | 34.8 | 27.6 | 27.5 |

Chartering

On Friday, oil prices surged by over 4%, recovering from a 4-month low in the previous session, underpinned by new U.S. sanctions on Russian oil shippers. However, both oil benchmarks ended the week with over a 1% loss, marking their 4th consecutive week of decline, driven by increased U.S. crude inventories, record production levels, China's property crisis, and industrial slowdown. Crude has marked a nearly 20% price decline since late September amid demand-related concerns and a potential surplus next year, despite existing OPEC+ cuts and Middle East conflicts.

Sentiment in the VLCC market improved last week with gains reported across all regions. Key intercontinental routes, TD3C and TD15 gained 6.87 points and 5.85 points, respectively, resulting in a noticeable shrinkage in tonnage availability for early December. Meanwhile, the rate on the U.S. Gulf to China route was seen at 10,18m on Friday, marking a 1.8% increase w-o-w and remaining consistent with levels from a month earlier. This rate corresponds with a notable increase in U.S. crude oil exports to Asia, with deliveries set to hit a record 1.8 mbpd in November, due to increased demand from Asian nations, particularly for diesel production, amid geopolitical shifts like the sanctions on Russian oil. This surge sees S. Korea as the top importer, with significant uptakes in China and India.

Contributing factors include China's large product export quota and OPEC+'s output cuts, making U.S. crude financially appealing despite higher freight costs. This indicates robust Asian interest in U.S. crude given favorable arbitrage. Yet, looking forward, U.S. crude exports could see a slight decrease due to increased domestic refining following the end of maintenance season, which could shift tanker demand and freight rates as U.S. market dynamics evolve. On the Suezmax front, sentiment softened last week with reductions observed across all regions. TD20 lost 7.73 points w-o-w while in the MED/Black Sea, TD6 was seen at WS136.6 on Friday, indicating a 10.5% w-o-w decline. Similarly, the Aframax market experienced a less active week, with a general decline in rates. In the NSea, TD7 lost 15 points w-o-w, while TD25 settled just above the WS 200 mark on Friday, marking an 8.8% w-o-w decline.

VLCC T/C earnings averaged \$28,598/day, up + \$6,709/day w-o-w, and closed off the week at the -\$33,375/day mark.

Suezmax T/C earnings averaged \$52,629/day, down - \$9,033/day w-o-w. On the Aframax front, T/C earnings averaged \$61,083/day, down - \$11,311/day w-o-w.



Baltic Indices

| | 17/11/23 | | 10/ | 11/23 | Point | \$/day 2022 2 | | 2021 |
|------|----------|----------|-------|--------------|-------|---------------|-------|-------|
| | Index | \$/day | Index | Index \$/day | | ±% | Index | Index |
| BDI | 1,820 | | 1,643 | | 177 | | 1,931 | 2,921 |
| BCI | 2,763 | \$22,913 | 2,589 | \$21,473 | 174 | 6.7% | 1,955 | 3,974 |
| BPI | 1,874 | \$16,868 | 1,530 | \$13,773 | 344 | 22.5% | 2,298 | 2,972 |
| BSI | 1,205 | \$13,250 | 1,125 | \$12,373 | 80 | 7.1% | 2,006 | 2,424 |
| BHSI | 599 | \$10,786 | 594 | \$10,697 | 5 | 0.8% | 1,181 | 1,424 |

TC Rates

| | \$/day | 17/11/23 | 10/11/23 | ±% | Diff | 2022 | 2021 |
|-----------|-------------|----------|----------|------|-------|--------|--------|
| Capesize | 180K 1yr TC | 19,000 | 19,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 21,394 | 26,392 |
| Саре | 180K 3yr TC | 17,000 | 16,000 | 6.3% | 1,000 | 18,894 | 20,915 |
| Panamax | 76K 1yr TC | 13,500 | 12,500 | 8.0% | 1,000 | 20,207 | 21,849 |
| Panë | 76K 3yr TC | 11,000 | 11,000 | 0.0% | 0 | 14,885 | 15,061 |
| Supramax | 58K 1yr TC | 13,750 | 13,250 | 3.8% | 500 | 20,053 | 21,288 |
| | 58K 3yr TC | 11,500 | 11,500 | 0.0% | 0 | 15,005 | 14,552 |
| ysize | 32K 1yr TC | 10,500 | 10,250 | 2.4% | 250 | 17,827 | 18,354 |
| Handysize | 32K 3yr TC | 9,250 | 9,250 | 0.0% | 0 | 12,322 | 11,825 |

Indicative Period Charters

| 6/8 mos | OCEAN SCALLION | 2013 | 82,215 dwt | |
|------------------------|----------------|------|------------|--|
| dely Zhoushan 16 Nov | \$11,250/day | | Sinoeast | |
| 5/7 mos | WORLD PROSPER | 2021 | 82,065 dwt | |
| dely Tianjin 13/14 Nov | \$13,000/day | | cnr | |





Indicative Market Values (\$ Million) - Bulk Carriers

| Vessel 5 yrs | Vessel 5 yrs old | | Oct-23 avg | ±% | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 |
|--------------|------------------|------|------------|------|------|------|------|
| Capesize Eco | 180k | 49.0 | 47.8 | 2.6% | 48.3 | 43.1 | 36.1 |
| Kamsarmax | 82K | 32.3 | 32.0 | 1.0% | 34.1 | 29.8 | 23.2 |
| Ultramax | 63k | 29.7 | 29.1 | 1.9% | 31.5 | 26.4 | 19.4 |
| Handysize | 37K | 25.7 | 25.3 | 1.7% | 27.2 | 21.4 | 16.1 |

Chartering

This past week has been positive for the dry bulk market, with all sectors showing weekly improvements. Notably, the Panamax sector has been a leading performer. In the largest market segment, steady demand for coal and iron ore has been a key factor, maintaining robust sentiment and sustaining the C5TC above the \$20,000/day threshold. The commencement of the winter season in the northern hemisphere has particularly bolstered coal demand. In the Panamax sector, the P5TC observed a significant 22% week-over-week increase. This surge is largely attributed to heightened activity in the Atlantic, driven by both mineral inquiries and substantial congestion in the East Coast South America region. This scenario has enabled shipowners to negotiate for higher rates. Additionally, limited vessel availability in the Atlantic, especially in the U.S. Gulf region, has further strengthened the position of owners of geared vessels. However, the market in the Pacific has been relatively subdued, partly due to the Diwali holiday period, which has somewhat tempered

the overall momentum in the handysize index. Despite this, the handysize index closed the week positively.

Cape 5TC averaged \$ 21,864/day, up +8.59% w-o-w. The transatlantic earnings increased by \$4,550/day with transpacific ones rising by \$1,150/day, bringing transatlantic earnings premium over transpacific to \$12,358/day.

Panamax 5TC averaged \$ 15,340/day, up +15.14% w-o-w. The transatlantic earnings increased by \$7,000/day while transpacific earnings rose by \$2,037/day. As a result, the transatlantic earnings premium to the transpacific widened to \$9,271/day.

Supramax 10TC averaged \$ 12,723/day, up +4.39% w-o-w, while the Handysize 7TC averaged \$ 10,640/day, down -2.91% w-o-w.



Tankers

| Size | Name | Dwt | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Hull | Price | Buyers | Comments |
|------|-----------------------|---------|-------|-------------------|----------|--------|------|-------------|----------------|----------------------------------------|
| AFRA | IRIDESCENT | 112,871 | 2009 | NEW TIMES, China | MAN-B&W | Nov-24 | DH | \$ 39.5m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted |
| AFRA | P. KIKUMA | 115,915 | 2007 | SAMSUNG, S. Korea | MAN-B&W | Nov-27 | DH | \$ 39.3m | Middle Eastern | Delivery December 2023, BWTS fitted |
| AFRA | AEGEAN MYTH | 115,838 | 2006 | SAMSUNG, S. Korea | MAN-B&W | Aug-26 | DH | undisclosed | Chinese | BWTS fitted |
| MR2 | CHEMTRANS CAROLINA | 53,160 | 2006 | GUANGZHOU, China | Wartsila | Dec-26 | DH | \$ 20.1m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted, Ice Class 1A |
| J19 | GION TRADER | 19,883 | 2015 | USUKI, Japan | MAN-B&W | Mar-25 | DH | \$ 59.4m | Chinese - | BWTS fitted |
| J19 | ALBATROSS TRADER | 19,862 | 2015 | USUKI, Japan | MAN-B&W | Sep-25 | DH | 4.4۱۱۱عد و | Cililese – | BWTS fitted |

Bulk Carriers

| Size | Name | Dwt | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Gear | Price | Buyers | Comments |
|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|----------------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| CAPE | TRUE CARTIER | 181,380 | 2014 | Imabari Shbldg - Marugame | MAN-B&W | Jul-24 | | \$ 37.0m | undisclosed | BWTS & Scrubber fitted |
| CAPE | FRONTIER BRILLIANCE | 181,412 | 2013 | Imabari Shbldg - Marugame | MAN-B&W | Dec-28 | | \$ 30.5m | Chinese (UC Shipping) | BWTS fitted |
| CAPE | GENCO COMMODUS | 169,098 | 2009 | SUNGDONG, S. Korea | MAN-B&W | Jul-24 | | \$ 19.5m | undisclosed | BWTS & Scrubber fitted |
| КМАХ | NORD BELUGA | 81,841 | 2015 | OSHIMA, Japan | MAN-B&W | Apr-25 | | \$ 27.7m | Greek | BWTS, Scrubber fitted, Ice 1B |
| КМАХ | STAR JENNIFER | 82,295 | 2006 | TSUNEISHI CORP - FUKUY, Japan | MAN-B&W | Mar-26 | | \$ 14.5m | undisclosed | BWTS & Scrubber fitted |
| PMAX | OMICRON LIGHT | 76,602 | 2005 | Imabari Shbldg - Marugame | B&W | Aug-24 | | \$ 10.7m | Vietnamese | BWTS fitted |
| PMAX | KATERINA | 76,015 | 2004 | TSUNEISHI CORP - FUKUY, Japan | B&W | May-24 | | \$ 10.2m | Chinese | BWTS fitted |
| UMAX | STAR ATHENA | 63,371 | 2015 | CHENGXI, China | MAN-B&W | Sep-25 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 24.0m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted |
| SUPRA | EARTH OCEAN | 50,409 | 2013 | OSHIMA, Japan | MAN-B&W | Oct-28 | 4 X 30t CRANES | undisclosed | Greek | BWTS fitted, OHBS |
| SUPRA | STAR GLORY | 58,700 | 2012 | NACKS, China | MAN-B&W | Jan-27 | 4 X 30,5t CRANES | \$ 19.0m | undisclosed | BWTS & Scrubber fitted |
| SUPRA | BULK HONDURAS | 57,959 | 2012 | TSUNEISHI CEBU, Philippines | MAN-B&W | May-27 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 19.0m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted |
| SUPRA | NEW LOTUS | 52,416 | 2001 | TSUNEISHI CORP - FUKUY, Japan | B&W | Feb-26 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 6.7m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted |
| HANDY | PING JING | 34,398 | 2015 | NAMURA, Japan | MAN-B&W | May-25 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 17.5m | European | BWTS fitted |
| HANDY | CETUS | 32,449 | 2010 | ZHEJIANG, China | MAN-B&W | Jul-25 | 4 X 30t CRANES | \$ 9.5m | undisclosed | BWTS fitted |
| | | | | | | | | | | |

Containers

| Size | Name | Teu | Built | Yard | M/E | SS due | Gear | Price | Buyers | Comments |
|------|------|-------|---------|----------------|---------|--------|------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| PMAX | LANA | 4,380 | 2010 DA | EWOO, S. KOREA | MAN-B&W | Jun-25 | | undisclosed | Italian (Messina) | BWTS fitted |
| | | | | | | | | | | |

Intermodal

A total of 28 firm and 2 optional vessels were ordered last week, comprising 14 tankers, 12 containers and 4 gas carriers. In particular, Greeks were active in the market, with Dynacom exercising options on four 115kdwt tankers from DSIC in China. The vessels will be ice-class, scrubber-equipped and will be priced at \$62m each. They are expected to be delivered between 2025 and 2026. Another Greek company, Sea Pioneer, has placed an order for 2 firm and 2 optional MR tankers (50kdwt) for K Shipbuilding in South Korea. Delivery is scheduled for

2025 and the price was not disclosed. In the container sector, giant Ocean Network Express ordered a total of twelve 13,000 TEU vessels for delivery in 2026 and 2027. The ships were split equally between Jiangnan and Yangzijiang. The dozen will be dual-fuelled with methanol. Finally, in the gas sector, Greece's Evalend Shipping ordered two 174k cbm LNG carriers from Hyundai HI in South Korea. The ships cost \$262.7m each and will be ready in 2028.

Indicative Newbuilding Prices (\$ Million)

| | Vessel | | 17-Nov-23 | 10-Nov-23 | ±% | Y1 | D | 5-у | ear | | Average 2021 2020 59 51 56 49 33 28 30 26 27 24 98 88 66 58 53 48 38 35 195 187 76 73 67 63 45 42 | |
|---------|-----------------|------|-----------|-----------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| | | | | | | High | Low | High | Low | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 |
| | Newcastlemax | 205k | 68.5 | 68.0 | 0.7% | 68.5 | 64.0 | 69.0 | 49.5 | 66 | 59 | 51 |
| ភ | Capesize | 180k | 65.5 | 65.0 | 0.8% | 65.5 | 61.0 | 65.5 | 48.5 | 63 | 56 | 49 |
| Bulkers | Kamsarmax | 82k | 35.0 | 35.0 | 0.0% | 35.0 | 34.0 | 37.5 | 27.5 | 36 | 33 | 28 |
| Bu | Ultramax | 63k | 33.0 | 33.0 | 0.0% | 33.0 | 31.5 | 35.5 | 25.5 | 34 | 30 | 26 |
| | Handysize | 38k | 30.0 | 30.0 | 0.0% | 30.0 | 29.0 | 31.0 | 23.5 | 30 | 27 | 24 |
| S | VLCC | 300k | 127.0 | 127.0 | 0.0% | 127.0 | 120.0 | 127.0 | 84.5 | 118 | 98 | 88 |
| ankers | Suezmax | 160k | 85.0 | 85.0 | 0.0% | 85.0 | 76.0 | 85.0 | 55.0 | 79 | 66 | 58 |
| an | Aframax | 115k | 71.5 | 71.0 | 0.7% | 71.5 | 64.0 | 71.5 | 46.0 | 62 | 53 | 48 |
| - | MR | 50k | 47.0 | 47.0 | 0.0% | 47.0 | 44.0 | 47.0 | 34.0 | 43 | 38 | 35 |
| | LNG 174k cbm | | 265.0 | 265.0 | 0.0% | 265.0 | 248.0 | 265.0 | 180.0 | 232 | 195 | 187 |
| Gas | LGC LPG 80k cbm | | 92.0 | 92.0 | 0.0% | 92.0 | 90.0 | 92.0 | 70.0 | 86 | 76 | 73 |
| ٿ | MGC LPG 55k cbm | | 91.5 | 91.5 | 0.0% | 18.4 | 77.5 | 92.5 | 43.0 | 74 | 67 | 63 |
| | SGC LPG 25k cbm | | 58.0 | 58.0 | 0.0% | 58.0 | 53.0 | 58.0 | 40.0 | 51 | 45 | 42 |

Newbuilding Orders

| Units | Туре | Size | | Yard | Delivery | Buyer | Price | Comments |
|-------|-----------|---------|-----|--------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| 4 | Tanker | 115,000 | dwt | DSIC, China | 2025-2026 | Greek (Dynacom) | \$ 62.0m | options exercised, ice-class vessels. Scrubber fitted |
| 2+2 | Tanker | 50,000 | dwt | K Shipbuilding, South Korea | 2025 | Greek (Sea Pioneer) | undisclosed | |
| 2 | Tanker | 50,000 | dwt | Yamic, China | 2026 | Japanese (Lepta Shipping) | \$ 45.0m | |
| 6 | Tanker | 38,000 | dwt | Wuhu, China | 2026-2027 | Norwegian (Stolt Nielsen) | undisclosed | StSt |
| 6 | Container | 13,000 | teu | Jiangnan, China | 2026-2027 | Japanese (ONE) | undisclosed | methanol dual fueled |
| 6 | Container | 13,000 | teu | Yangzijiang, China | 2026-2027 | Japanese (ONE) | undisclosed | methanol dual fueled |
| 2 | LNG | 174,000 | cbm | Hyundai HI, S. Korea | 2028 | Greek (Evalend) | \$262.7m | |
| 2 | VLEC | 98,000 | cbm | Hyundai HI, S. Korea | 2027 | UK-based (Purus Marine) | undisclosed | Ethane dual fuelled, Against TC to Ineos |



The recycling market continues to be sluggish, with only a few sales being completed and these being for small tonnages. This is due to the fact that the main demolition destination, India, has only just finished the festive season last week, a period when activity is normally slower. The industry is expected to pick up in the last few weeks of the year, with more tonnage expected from 2024 onwards. In support of this, steel prices are on the rise, meaning that offering higher scrap prices will not be a big no for crushers. In terms of Indian fundamentals, the country is poised for annual growth of 6-7% from 2024 to 2026. In Bangladesh. market remains on the sidelines as the currency continues to depreciate and L/C restrictions show no sign of easing. Local steel prices are flat and offer prices are falling. In addition, foreign exchange

reserves fell by 5% to 19.6 billion, adding to the country's fiscal problems. In Pakistan, few scrappers are able to obtain L/Cs and therefore few are in the market. Local steel prices are firm and higher than competitors in the region. Nevertheless, the fact that L/Cs are only available to a few players is dragging down quoted prices. Finally, the country is expected to ratify the HKC, which means that the country could again be favoured for scrapping. In Turkey, local offers are rising on the back of higher steel prices in the region, ignoring the currency which is approaching 29 against the USD. The market is also firming on improved fundamentals as the country posted a current account surplus of \$1.9bn in September, higher than the \$1.4bn expected.

Indicative Demolition Prices (\$/ldt)

| | Markets | 17/11/23 | 10/11/23 | ±% | Y1 High | TD Low | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 |
|------|------------|----------|----------|------|------------|-----------|------|------|------|
| | Bangladesh | 520 | 520 | 0.0% | 615 | 515 | 601 | 542 | 348 |
| 휼 | India | 525 | 525 | 0.0% | 570 | 555 | 593 | 519 | 348 |
| Tan | Pakistan | 515 | 515 | 0.0% | 540 | 535 | 596 | 536 | 352 |
| | | 320 | 320 | 0.0% | 340 | 330 | 314 | 284 | 207 |
| | Bangladesh | 505 | 505 | 0.0% | 600 | 505 | 590 | 532 | 336 |
| Bulk | India | 505 | 505 | 0.0% | 540 | 520 | 583 | 508 | 335 |
| 2 | Pakistan | 505 | 505 | 0.0% | 520 | 500 | 587 | 526 | 338 |
| | | 310 | 310 | 0.0% | 285 | 275 | 304 | 276 | 198 |

Currencies

| Markets | 17/11/23 | 10/11/23 | ±% | YTD High |
|---------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| USD/BDT | 110.78 | 110.22 | 0.51% | 111.08 |
| USD/INR | 83.24 | 83.31 | -0.08% | 83.50 |
| USD/PKR | 287.46 | 287.31 | 0.05% | 307.89 |
| USD/TRY | 28.71 | 28.56 | 0.51% | 28.81 |

Demolition Sales (\$ /ldt)

| Name | Size | Ldt | Built | Yard | Туре | \$/ldt | Breakers | Comments |
|---------------------|---------|--------|-------|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------------|
| SAMC EDDIE | 175,775 | 24,181 | 2002 | CHINA SHIPBUILDING, Taiwan | BC | \$ 505/Ldt | undisclosed | as is' Singapore |
| XIN FENG GUANG ZHOU | 33,522 | 8,895 | 1994 | Halla Eng & HI - Incheon | CONTAINER | \$ 495/Ldt | undisclosed | as is' Zhoushan |
| SOUL OF LUCK | 21,519 | 6,961 | 1997 | HANJIN HI, S. Korea | CONTAINER | undisclosed | undisclosed | buyer's option Sub-continent |
| MTT TAWAU | 14,099 | 5,730 | 1997 | Szczecinska Stocznia SA | CONTAINER | \$ 520/Ldt | undisclosed | 'as is' Malaysia, incl. ROB, enbloc |
| MTT TANJUNG MANIS | 12,171 | 5,468 | 1999 | Sedef Tuzla | CONTAINER | \$ 520/Ldt | undisclosed | 'as is' Malaysia, incl. ROB, enbloc |

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Market Data

| | | 17-Nov-23 | 16-Nov-23 | 15-Nov-23 | 14-Nov-23 | 13-Nov-23 | W-O-W |
|-------------|-------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|
| | | | 10-1404-23 | | 14-1404-23 | | Change % |
| | 10year US Bond | 4.439 | 4.441 | 4.537 | 4.453 | 4.638 | -4.5% |
| | S&P 500 | 4,514.02 | 4,508.24 | 4,502.88 | 4,495.70 | 4,411.55 | 2.2% |
| change Data | Nasdaq | 14,125.48 | 14,113.67 | 14,103.84 | 14,094.38 | 13,767.74 | 2.4% |
| e D | Dow Jones | 34,947.28 | 34,945.47 | 34,991.21 | 34,827.70 | 34,337.87 | 1.9% |
| E | FTSE 100 | 7,504.25 | 7,410.97 | 7,486.91 | 7,440.47 | 7,425.83 | 2.0% |
| | FTSE All-Share UK | 4,088.05 | 4,037.99 | 4,083.22 | 4,056.79 | 4,029.83 | 2.3% |
| ă | CAC40 | 7,233.91 | 7,168.40 | 7,209.61 | 7,185.68 | 7,087.06 | 2.7% |
| Stock | Xetra Dax | 15,919.16 | 15,786.61 | 15,748.17 | 15,614.43 | 15,345.00 | 3.7% |
| ᅕ | Nikkei | 33,585.20 | 33,424.41 | 33,519.70 | 32,695.93 | 32,585.11 | 3.1% |
| | Hang Seng | 17,454.19 | 17,832.82 | 18,079.00 | 17,396.86 | 17,426.21 | 0.2% |
| | DJ US Maritime | 249.51 | 249.51 | 250.59 | 249.70 | 249.70 | -0.7% |
| | €/\$ | 1.09 | 1.09 | 1.09 | 1.09 | 1.07 | 1.9% |
| S | £/\$ | 1.25 | 1.24 | 1.24 | 1.25 | 1.23 | 1.9% |
| Gi. | \$/¥ | 149.54 | 150.72 | 151.23 | 150.46 | 151.65 | -1.3% |
| Te I | \$ / NoK | 0.0925 | 0.0914 | 0.0925 | 0.0920 | 0.0902 | 2.9% |
| Currencies | Yuan / \$ | 7.21 | 7.24 | 7.25 | 7.25 | 7.29 | -1.1% |
| | Won / \$ | 1,296.38 | 1,292.85 | 1,304.23 | 1,305.24 | 1,319.59 | -1.8% |
| | \$ INDEX | 103.92 | 104.35 | 104.39 | 104.05 | 105.63 | -1.8% |

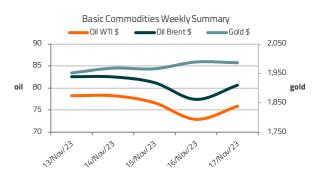
Bunker Prices

| | | 17-Nov-23 | 10-Nov-23 | Change % | |
|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|--|
| | Rotterdam | 1,066.0 | 1,060.5 | 0.5% | |
| UGO | Houston | 1,116.5 | 1,178.5 | -5.3% | |
| _ | Singapore | 1,068.5 | 1,076.5 | -0.7% | |
| 4 | Rotterdam | 409.0 | 397.0 | 3.0% | |
| 380cst | Houston | 432.5 | 462.0 | -6.4% | |
| 38 | Singapore | 420.5 | 400.5 | 5.0% | |
| | Rotterdam | 652.0 | 663.0 | -1.7% | |
| LSFO | Houston | 682.5 | 674.5 | 1.2% | |
| > | Singapore | 700.0 | 720.5 | -2.8% | |

Maritime Stock Data

| Company | Stock Exchange | Curr. | 17-Nov-23 | 10-Nov-23 | W-O-W Change % |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| CAPITAL PRODUCT PARTNERS LP | NASDAQ | USD | 14.10 | 13.00 | 8.5% |
| COSTAMARE INC | NYSE | USD | 9.47 | 8.71 | 8.7% |
| DANAOS CORPORATION | NYSE | USD | 68.28 | 63.40 | 7.7% |
| DIANA SHIPPING | NYSE | USD | 3.49 | 3.06 | 14.1% |
| EAGLE BULK SHIPPING | NASDAQ | USD | 42.63 | 41.57 | 2.5% |
| EUROSEAS LTD. | NASDAQ | USD | 28.00 | 23.92 | 17.1% |
| GLOBUS MARITIME LIMITED | NASDAQ | USD | 1.83 | 1.52 | 20.4% |
| NAVIOS MARITIME HOLDINGS | NYSE | USD | 2.24 | 2.23 | 0.4% |
| SAFE BULKERS INC | NYSE | USD | 3.56 | 3.24 | 9.9% |
| SEANERGY MARITIME HOLDINGS | NASDAQ | USD | 4.80 | 5.11 | -6.1% |
| STAR BULK CARRIERS CORP | NASDAQ | USD | 19.01 | 18.40 | 3.3% |
| STEALTHGAS INC | NASDAQ | USD | 5.62 | 5.46 | 2.9% |
| TSAKOS ENERGY NAVIGATION | NYSE | USD | 21.19 | 21.84 | -3.0% |

Basic Commodities Weekly Summary



Macro-economic headlines

- US: The core CPI fell by 0.2% m-o-m in October, but rose by 4.0% y-o-y. The CPI was unchanged m-o-m in October, while it is up 3.2% y-o-y. Core retail sales rose slightly by 0.1% in the same month.
- China: Fixed asset investment fell by 2.9% y/y in October 2022. Chinese industrial production rose by 4.1% YTD in October.
- EU: GDP fell by -0.1% in Q3, while it was 0.1% higher than in the same quarter of the previous year.
- UK: The CPI was unchanged in October compared with the previous month, while it is still up by 4.6% year on year.



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