

# **Weekly Market Report**

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### Market insight

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After a very hot dry bulk market, the 7th October 2021 - when BDI reached the 5,650 points mark, was the turning point on the dry bulk rates. Since then, the dry bulk rates curve began to follow a significant downturn trajectory with some points of slight ascent with the highest being at around 3,500 points mark. This downward pattern was definitely noticed not only in the S&P transaction volumes - where the counterparties were looking for stability signs but in the asset prices as well.

For reference, the BWTS fitted TESS-82 Key Discovery (82kdwt 2010 Tsuneishi//SS: 11-2025 & DD: 08-2023) was committed in mid/late October 2021 for US\$ 24,75 million basis delivery in December 2021 while the twoyear younger same design but Zhoushan yard built, M/V King Barley (82kdwt 2012 Tsuneishi Zhoushan//SS & DD: 01-2022) fetched in early December 2021, when the BDI hit around the 3,300 points mark, about mid US\$ 22.0 million basis delivery with Surveys Passed and BWTS fitted.

During the first month of 2022, we noticed a further downturn - which began in the second half of December 2021. As expected, this trend translated in a further decrease of the S&P activity of the dry bulk vessels with the only highlight being an enbloc Chinese Handysize deal that included around 12 units aged circa 5 years old. After the Chinese New Year Eve, February 2022 displays small signs of a dry bulk market recovery with the BDI moving upwards at a constant pace. As anticipated due to the improvements in the dry bulk freight market a more positive sentiment prevails among shipping participants which pushes the asset prices again to upper levels. We are also noticing that the Far East is becoming more active whilst the increase in the purchase enquiries shows that the buying appetite is growing with the interested parties previously being on hold, screening the market for available sales candidates. Moreover, additional fresh for sale candidates are put in the market as their Owners are looking to exploit the positive momentum.

It remains to be seen if the market will continue to rise as fundamentals are pointing in that direction. China, the largest coal and iron ore importer will support strong levels in the freight realm. The return from New Year celebrations was followed by a record amount of new loans from Chinese banks during January which is driven by the Government's decision to underpin economic growth in 2022. With demand for steel and therefore imports of raw materials improving, the Chinese economic growth will positively impact the dry bulk freight market.

## Chartering (Wet: Softer / Dry: Firmer)

The dry bulk market regained its lost momentum with improvements materializing across all sizes during the last week. The BDI today (15/02/2022) closed at 1,968 points, up by 465 points compared to previous Tuesday's closing (08/02/2022). It was an overall down week for the crude carriers market, with VLCC sector noting a new historical low level on its average T/C earnings. The BDTI today (15/02/2022) closed at 691, an increase of 10 points, and the BCTI at 684, an increase of 92 points compared to previous Tuesday's (08/02/2022) levels.

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

Sentiment in the SnP dry bulk market remains firm with increased buying appetite being noticed amidst the freight market positive performance. On the other hand, only a handful of tanker units changed hands with the poor progress of earnings shattering owners' confidence. In the tanker sector, we had sale of the "ATHENS" (298,677dwt-blt '00, Japan), which was sold to Middle Eastern buyer, for a price in the region of \$28.0m. On the dry bulker side sector, we had the sale of the "MAJESTY" (34,375dwt-blt '11, S. Korea), which was sold to Greek owner, Loadline, for a price in the region of \$15.5m.

### Newbuilding (Wet: Softer / Dry: Softer)

The newbuilding market remains in a good shape, while despite last week's decreased volume when compared to the previous weeks, interest for new projects persists for LNG and Container units. At the same time, delivery slots are more and more difficult to be secured with the giant orderbook plans having reserved a high number of berths. Having said that, it came to light that QatarEnergy will increase its orderbook by two more LNG units summing a total number of twenty vessels so far, while Ocean Network Expressed is planning to dispense five 13,000teu ships in four shipyards with the deliveries taking place, not before the end of 2024. As far as the recent newbuilding list, Mitsui OSK Lines ordered one ice-class 54,800dwt tanker at GSI for an undisclosed price. Hyundai Samho secured two 174,000cbm LNG units from Nigerian owner Bono Energy. Each vessel will cost around \$223.0 million while a T/C to Nigerian National Corp is being attached to the deal. Lastly, Wanhua Chemical Group ordered two firm plus two optional LEG carriers at Jiangnan yard while CU Lines ordered two 2,700teu boxships at CSSC Huangpu.

## **Demolition (Wet: Firmer / Dry: Firmer)**

The average scrap levels across the main Indian-subcontinent demo nations have stabilized after a continuing rally that set low-mid \$600/ldt as the new benchmark. The scarcity of fresh units was opposed to the volatility that steel plate prices presented last week, leaving no room for a downward track on offered bids. Bangladesh and Pakistan continue to absorb the majority of vintage units with Indian buyers lacking the force to compete for the conventional tonnage, eying on their favorable HHC candidates. However, last week, such intense the Bangladeshi appetite was, that the respective buyers have concluded the first Capesize unit after July 2021 for HKC green recycling, thus depriving Indian buyers of the joy of such a deal. Lastly in Turkey, both imported and local steel plate prices improved w-o-w which coupled with the stabilization of Turkish Lira, gave further confidence to buyers to keep demand at a positive pace, yet with offered levels remaining unchanged for another week.

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				Spot	Rates				
			11-Fe	eb-22	04-F	eb-22	\$/day	2021	2020
Ve	ssel	Routes	WS points	\$/day	WS points	\$/day	±%	\$/day	\$/day
u	265k	MEG-SPORE	33	-9,981	34	-7,761	-28.6%	2,246	52,119
VLCC	280k	MEG-USG	16	-29,759	17	-27,645	-7.6%	-15,306	41,904
	260k	WAF-CHINA	34	-10,027	35	-8,038	-24.7%	3,125	50,446
ах	130k	MED-MED	67	6,017	70	8,510	-29.3%	8,021	28,185
Suezmax	130k	WAF-UKC	62	-652	65	2,209	-129.5%	25,082	11,031
Su	140k	BSEA-MED	71	-2,889	73	-757	-281.6%	8,021	28,185
J	80k	MEG-EAST	107	-13	106	448	-102.9%	1,501	17,211
Aframax	80k	MED-MED	98	3,126	99	4,527	-30.9%	6,622	15,843
Afra	100k	BALTIC/UKC	83	5,075	81	4,558	11.3%	5,895	19,322
	70k	CARIBS-USG	140	13,048	103	908	1337.0%	5,130	22,707
	75k	MEG-JAPAN	75	-4,509	72	-4,791	5.9%	6,368	28,160
Clean	55k	MEG-JAPAN	97	722	96	1,058	-31.8%	6,539	19,809
క	37K	UKC-USAC	159	7,471	144	5,140	45.4%	4,496	12,977
	30K	MED-MED	195	19,181	161	10,865	76.5%	8,124	12,235
_	55K	UKC-USG	114	2,143	111	2,591	-17.3%	2,822	12,120
Dirty	55K	MED-USG	114	2,186	111	2,588	-15.5%	4,818	12,965
	50k	CARIBS-USG	200	20,123	186	17,299	16.3%	8,548	17,651

			TC Rates				
\$	s/day	11-Feb-22	04-Feb-22	±%	Diff	2021	2020
VLCC	300k 1yr TC	26,000	27,000	-3.7%	-1000	25,684	42,038
VLCC	300k 3yr TC	28,000	28,000	0.0%	0	28,672	34,772
Suezmax	150k 1yr TC	17,000	17,000	0.0%	0	17,226	29,543
Suezillax	150k 3yr TC	20,500	21,000	-2.4%	-500	22,700	27,481
Aframax	110k 1yr TC	17,000	17,000	0.0%	0	15,854	23,380
Allalliax	110k 3yr TC	19,500	19,500	0.0%	0	19,714	21,854
Panamax	75k 1yr TC	13,750	13,750	0.0%	0	14,184	17,322
railaillax	75k 3yr TC	15,750	15,750	0.0%	0	15,950	16,296
MR	52k 1yr TC	13,000	13,000	0.0%	0	12,608	15,505
IVIIX	52k 3yr TC	13,750	13,750	0.0%	0	13,804	15,916
Handy	36k 1yr TC	11,000	11,000	0.0%	0	11,292	13,966
папиу	36k 3yr TC	12,250	12,250	0.0%	0	13,054	14,051

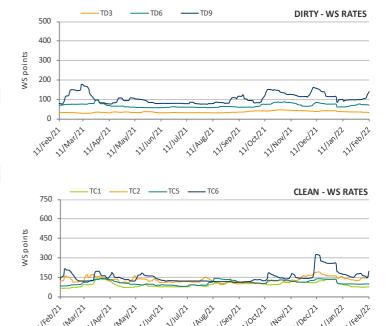
## Chartering

Sentiment remains disappointing in the crude carrier realm. Rates across all sizes followed a downward trajectory with little exceptions in place in an overall unhealthy market. Demand improvement has yet to be capitalized by owners who are facing intense competition for any fresh requirement resulting in further drops in rates. Having said that, VLCC average T/C earnings ended up the week at the minus \$20,689/day, a new historical low record for the respective sector. In the Suezmax sector, rates moved south as well while a mixed picture emerged in the Aframax sector with a w-o-w improvement materializing on average earnings although to a very small extent. At the same time, crude oil prices continued their upward spiral with bunker prices following suit and subsequently adding further pressure on T/C earnings.

VLCC T/C earnings averaged \$ -20,077/day, down - \$3,086/day w-o-w. A shortlist of fresh cargoes was injected in both the MEG and USG markets yet the tonnage availability left no room for an uptick in rates.

Suezmax T/C earnings averaged \$-1,058/day, down -3,007/day w-o-w. The limited activity took place across all regions with TD20 and TD6 decreasing by -3.86WS and -1.95WS points respectively while MEG rates remained almost steady. Aframax T/C earnings averaged \$2,133/day w-o-w, up + \$216/day w-o-w. The North European and Med markets saw little activity during the past week. On the other hand, the Carib market enjoyed a meaningful improvement with TD9 increasing by 37.19WS points w-o-w, making it a ballasting option for the open tonnage.

	Indicative Period Charters								
6 mos	FOLEGANDROS	2018	159,221 dwt						
	\$18,000/day		Vitol						
mos	BLUE GRASS MARINER	2021	50,275 dwt						
	\$14,500/day		Ampol						



Inc	Indicative Market Values (\$ Million) - Tankers											
Vessel 5y	rs old	Feb-22 avg	Jan-22 avg	±%	2021	2020	2019					
VLCC	300KT DH	70.5	72.3	-2.4%	69.7	71.5	72.1					
Suezmax	150KT DH	47.5	48.0	-1.0%	46.7	49.9	51.0					
Aframax	110KT DH	44.0	44.0	0.0%	38.7	38.8	38.3					
LR1	LR1 75KT DH		31.5	4.8%	31.2	30.7	31.3					
MR	52KT DH	30.0	30.0	0.0%	27.6	27.5	28.6					

## Sale & Purchase

In the VLCC sector we had sale of the "ATHENS" (298,677dwt-blt '00, Japan), which was sold to Middle Eastern buyer, for a price in the region of \$28.0m.

In the MR2 sector we had sale of the "JUPITER EXPRESS" (45,950dwt-blt '12, Japan), which was sold to undisclosed buyers, for a price in the region of \$18.5m.



## **Dry Bulk Market**

	Baltic Indices												
	11/02	/2022	04/02	/2022	Point	\$/day	2021	2020					
	Index	\$/day	Index	\$/day	Diff	±%	Index	Index					
BDI	1,977		1,423		554		2,921	1,066					
BCI	1,857	\$15,397	1,242	\$10,302	615	49.5%	3,974	1,742					
BPI	2,403	\$21,623	1,796	\$16,165	607	33.8%	2,972	1,103					
BSI	2,158	\$23,743	1,594	\$17,531	564	35.4%	2,424	746					
BHSI	1,168	\$21,018	990	\$17,819	178	18.0%	1,424	447					

			Period				
	\$/day	11/02/2022	04/02/2022	±%	Diff	2021	2020
ize	180K 6mnt TC	25,000	20,500	22.0%	4,500	32,684	15,361
Capesize	180K 1yr TC	27,000	24,000	12.5%	3,000	26,392	14,394
ខ	180K 3yr TC	22,000	20,500	7.3%	1,500	20,915	13,918
ax	76K 6mnt TC	25,000	23,000	8.7%	2,000	25,533	10,385
Panamax	76K 1yr TC	22,750	22,500	1.1%	250	21,849	10,413
Ра	76K 3yr TC	16,750	16,500	1.5%	250	15,061	10,337
nax	58K 6mnt TC	26,750	24,750	8.1%	2,000	28,052	10,096
Supramax	58K 1yr TC	26,000	23,000	13.0%	3,000	21,288	10,048
Sul	58K 3yr TC	18,750	16,750	11.9%	2,000	14,552	9,490
size	32K 6mnt TC	24,250	20,750	16.9%	3,500	22,976	8,298
Handysize	32K 1yr TC	22,250	19,500	14.1%	2,750	18,354	8,356
표	32K 3yr TC	15,000	13,250	13.2%	1,750	11,825	8,486

### Chartering

The end of the Chinese New Year holidays brought joy to dry bulk owners who saw their earnings increasing significantly over the past few days. The most prominent improvements were noticed in the Capesize sector with BCI rising by 49.5% w-o-w, with the rest of the sector following suit. The return of Far Eastern traders coupled with the positive FFA markets provided the much needed support to the sentiment with owners tending to quickly capitalize it on their earnings. The end of winter Olympics next week, will further push sentiment up, while the record amount of Chinese loans that were recorded during January signify a potential infrastructure growth which could, in turn, lead to increased Chinese demand from March onwards. Lastly, period activity was also healthy, with a strong volume of fixtures materializing.

Cape 5TC averaged \$12,628/day, up + 20.50% w-o-w. The transatlantic earnings increased by \$6,015/day w-o-w with transpacific ones noting an improvement of \$4,209/day w-o-w. The weekly Cape transatlantic earnings premium to the transpacific widened at \$7,783/day up from \$5,977/day the week before.

Panamax 5TC averaged \$ 19,286/day, up +19.44% w-o-w. Both the transatlantic and transpacific earnings increased by \$7,405/day and \$4,903/day w-o-w respectively, bringing transpacific earnings premium over transatlantic to \$5,016/day.

Supramax 10TC averaged \$20,896/day, up + 20.23% w-o-w. Handysize sector was also improved, with average 7TC earnings closing off the week at the \$19,502/day, up + 9.10% w-o-w.

	Indicative Period Ch	arters	·	
4 to 6 mos	FAR EASTERN JUPITER	2007	82,655 dwt	
Bin Qasim 15 Feb	\$26,000/day		cnr	
4 to 6 mos	POAVOSA WISDOM VI	2011	28,213 dwt	
Japan 17/25 Feb	\$23,500/day		cnr	



	Average T/C Rates
	95000 — Average of the 5 T / C — AVR 5TC BPI — AVR 10TC BSI — AVR 7TC BHSI
	85000
	75000
	65000
\$/day	55000
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### Indicative Market Values (\$ Million) - Bulk Carriers Vessel 5 yrs old 2021 2020 2019 Feb-22 avg Jan-22 avg +% Capesize 180k 40.0 30.8 41.0 -2.4% 36.6 27.6 Capesize Eco 180k 47 0 46.8 0.5% 43.1 36.1 38.8 Kamsarmax **82K** 34.0 33.8 0.7% 29.8 23.2 24.5 63k 19.4 **Ultramax** 30.5 30.5 0.0% 26.4 22.6 Handysize 37K 27.0 26.6 21.4 1.4% 16.1 17.4

## Sale & Purchase

In the Kamsarmax sector we had the sale of the "NAVIOS PROSPERITY" (82,535dwt-blt '07, Japan), which was sold to Greek buyer, for a price in the region of \$16.4m.

In the Handysize sector we had the sale of the "MAJESTY" (34,375dwt-blt '11, S. Korea), which was sold to Greek owner, Loadline, for a price in the region of \$15.5m.



# **Secondhand Sales**

	Tankers											
Size	Name	Dwt	Built	Yard	M/E	SS due	Hull	Price	Buyers	Comments		
VLCC	ATHENS	298,677	2000	HITACHI ZOSEN, Japan	B&W	Jul-23	DH	\$ 28.0m	Middle Eastern			
AFRA	BERGITTA	105,827	2007	TSUNEISHI, Japan	MAN-B&W	Oct-22	DH	\$ 16.5m	Greek (Westport Tankers)			
LR2	ZANTORO	109,647	2006	DALIAN, China	Wartsila	Mar-22	DH	low \$ 13.0m	undisclosed	SS/DD due		
MR2	JUPITER EXPRESS	45,950	2012	SHIN KURUSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	Apr-26	DH	\$ 18.5m	undisclosed	BWTS fitted		

					Bulk	Carriers				•
Size	Name	Dwt	Built	Yard	M/E	SS due	Gear	Price	Buyers	Comments
KMAX	EVERGLORY	81,666	2012	QINGDAO BEIHAI, China	Wartsila	Aug-22				
KMAX	GALAXY	81,666	2012	QINGDAO BEIHAI, China	Wartsila	Nov-22		high \$ 19.0m each	Chinese	
KMAX	RENAISSANCE	81,666	2012	QINGDAO BEIHAI, China	Wartsila	Dec-22				
KMAX	NAVIOS PROSPERITY	82,535	2007	TSUNEISHI, Japan	MAN-B&W	Jul-26		rgn \$ 16.4m	Greek	waiving inspection
SUPRA	BUMBLEBEE	55,628	2011	MITSUI, Japan	MAN-B&W	Oct-26	4 X 30t CRANES	\$ 20.4m	Middle Eastern	BWTS fitted
НМАХ	POLA ANISIA	46,412	2006	OSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	Jan-26	4 X 30t CRANES	\$ 13.2m	Turkish	BWTS fitted
HANDY	MAJESTY	34,375	2011	DAE SUN, S. Korea	MAN-B&W	Mar-22	4 X 30t CRANES	\$ 15.5m	Greek (Loadline)	BWTS fitted, Tier II

				MPP/	General	Cargo			
Name	Dwt	Built	Yard	M/E	SS due	Gear	Price	Buyers	Comments
MARITIME SINCHAI	64,928	2017	OSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	2 X 75t & kW Feb-22 2 X 40t CRANES				МРР
MARITIME CHALLENGER	64,794	2017	OSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	Jul-22	2 X 75t & 2 X 40t CRANES	rgn \$ 36.0m	Chinese (COSCO)	МРР
MARITIME DISCOVERER	64,793	2017	OSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	Ma y-22	2 X 75t & 2 X 40t CRANES	each		MPP
MARITIME VOYAGER	64,942	2016	OSHIMA, Japan	MAN-B&W	Jul-26	2 X 75t & 2 X 40t CRANES	onen		МРР
CS FUTURE	34,038	2010	NANTONG YAHUA SHIPBUIL, China	MAN-B&W	Mar-25	2 X 40t & 3 X 35t CRANES	\$ 17.0m	undisclosed	975-TEU, Tweendeck, BWTS fitted, Delivery Med



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SUB PMAX	VIVALDI	2,546	2010	JIANGSU YANGZIJIANG, China	Wartsila	Jan-25	3 X 45t Cranes	\$ 18.0m	undisclosed	
SUB PMAX	HAMMONIA PALATIUM	2,546	2006	JIANGSU YANGZIJIANG, China	MAN-B&W	Nov-26	3 X 45t CRANES	\$ 19.35m	Swiss (MSC)	Eco, mid-January 2022 deal
SUB PMAX	ELIZABETH	2,496	2003	DAEWOO- MANGALIA, Romania	Sulzer	Dec-23	3 X 45t CRANES	\$ 21.5m	undisclosed	incl.low TC
SUB PMAX	CINDY	2,490	2004	HDW AG-KIEL, Germany	Sulzer	Nov-24	3 X 45t CRANES	<b>ў 21.</b> ЭШ	undisclosed	February 2022 dea
FEEDER	YANGFAN CV18H- VG01	1,868	2022	YANGFAN Group, China	Wartsila					
FEEDER	YANGFAN CV18H- VG02	1,868	2022	YANGFAN Group, China	Wartsila			rgn \$ 44.5m	French (CMA CGM)	delivery end 2022 /
FEEDER	YANGFAN CV18H- VG03	1,868	2022	YANGFAN Group, China	Wartsila			each	FIETICII (CIVIA CGIVI)	ear 2023
FEEDER	YANGFAN CV18H- VG03	1,868	2023	YANGFAN Group, China	Wartsila					
FEEDER	HOOGE	1,368	2006	SHANDONG WEIHAI, China	MAN-B&W	Jul-26	2 X 40t CRANES	\$ 23.6m	Israeli (Carmel Shipping)	

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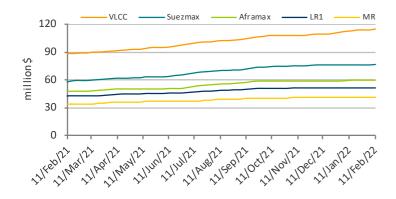


## **Newbuilding Market**

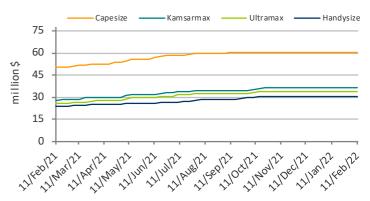
	Indicative Newbuilding Prices (million\$)									
	Vessel		11/02/2022	04/02/2022	±%	2021	2020	2019		
	Newcastlemax	205k	63.5	63.5	0.0%	59	51	54		
w	Capesize	180k	60.5	60.5	0.0%	56	49	52		
Bulkers	Kamsarmax	82k	36.5	36.5	0.0%	33	28	30		
<u></u>	Ultramax	63k	33.5	33.5	0.0%	30	26	28		
	Handysize	38k	30.5	30.5	0.0%	27	24	24		
S	VLCC	300k	115.0	114.0	0.9%	98	88	92		
Tankers	Suezmax	160k	76.5	76.0	0.7%	66	58	60		
a	Aframax	115k	60.0	60.0	0.0%	53	48	49		
_	MR	50k	41.0	41.0	0.0%	38	35	36		
	LNG 174k cbm		216.0	215.0	0.5%	195	187	186		
Gas	LGC LPG 80k cbm		81.5	81.5	0.0%	76	73	73		
	MGC LPG 55k cbm		71.5	71.5	0.0%	67	63	65		
	SGC LPG 25k cbm		49.0	49.0	0.0%	45	42	44		

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## Tankers Newbuilding Prices (m\$)



## **Bulk Carriers Newbuilding Prices (m\$)**



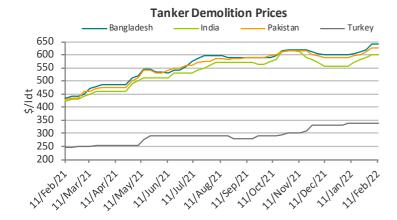
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Units	Туре	Size	Yard	Delivery	Buyer	Price	Comments
1	Tanker	54,800 dwt	GSI, China	2024	Japanese (Mitsui OSK Lines)	undisclosed	ice class
2	LNG	174,000 cbm	Hyundai Samho, S. Korea	undisclosed	Nigerian (Bono Energy)	\$ 223.6m	against T/C to Nigerian National Petroleum Corp.
2+2	LEG	99,000 cbm	Jiangnan Shipyard, China	2025	Chinese (Wanhua Chemical Group)	undisclosed	
2	Container	2,700 teu	CSSC Huangpu, China	2023	Chinese (CU Lines)	undisclosed	EEDI phase 3, AMP

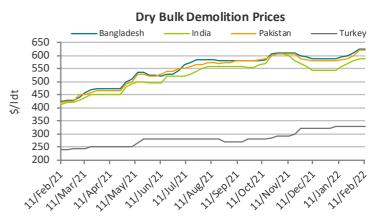


## **Demolition Market**

Indicative Demolition Prices (\$/ldt)										
	Markets	11/02/2022	04/02/2022	±%	2021	2020	2019			
L	Bangladesh	640	640	0.0%	542	348	410			
Fanker	India	600	600	0.0%	519	348	400			
Tan	Pakistan	625	625	0.0%	536	352	395			
	Turkey	340	340	0.0%	284	207	259			
<b>×</b>	Bangladesh	625	625	0.0%	532	336	400			
Bulk	India	590	590	0.0%	508	335	390			
٦٢	Pakistan	620	620	0.0%	526	338	385			
_	Turkey	330	330	0.0%	276	198	249			

The average scrap levels across the main Indian-subcontinent demo nations have stabilized after a continuing rally that set low-mid \$600/ldt as the new benchmark. The scarcity of fresh units was opposed to the volatility that steel plate prices presented last week, leaving no room for a downward track on offered bids. Bangladesh and Pakistan continue to absorb the majority of vintage units with Indian buyers lacking the force to compete for the conventional tonnage, eying on their favorable HHC candidates. However, last week, such intense the Bangladeshi appetite was, that the respective buyers have concluded the first Capesize unit after July 2021 for HKC green recycling, thus depriving Indian buyers of the joy of such a deal. Lastly in Turkey, both imported and local steel plate prices improved w-o-w which coupled with the stabilization of Turkish Lira, gave further confidence to buyers to keep demand at a positive pace, yet with offered levels remaining unchanged for another week. Average prices in the different markets this week for tankers ranged between 340-640/ldt and those for dry bulk units between \$330-625/ldt.



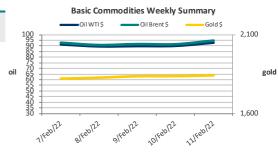


				Dei	molition Sales			
Name	Size	Ldt	Built	Yard	Туре	\$/ldt	Breakers	Comments
CARNIVAL SENSATION	6,870	28,760	1993	KVAERNER MASA HELSINKI, Finland	PASSENGER	undisclosed	Turkish	as-is Miami, EU-HKC Recycling
BERGE AORAKI	172,502	21,221	2000	NKK CORP, Japan	ВС	\$ 640/Ldt	Bangladeshi	HKC Recycling
SILVER	69,609	13,242	2002	DAEWOO, S. Korea	TANKER	undisclosed	Indian	
THURAYA	46,724	11,916	1999	SZCZECINSKA STOCZNIA, Poland	ASPHALT TANKER	\$ 655/Ldt	Pakistani	
ARISTOS	46,678	10,534	2004	BRODOGRADILISTE, Croatia	TANKER	\$ 675/Ldt	Bangladeshi	
AL SALAM	47,065	9,409	2001	ONOMICHI, Japan	TANKER	\$ 662/Ldt	Pakistani	incl. 750mt of bunkers



## **Commodities & Ship Finance**

	Market Data									
		11-Feb-22	10-Feb-22	9-Feb-22	8-Feb-22	7-Feb-22	W-O-W Change %			
	10year US Bond	1.955	2.031	1.929	1.954	1.916	1.3%			
	S&P 500	4,418.64	4,504.08	4,587.18	4,521.54	4,500.53	-1.8%			
Data	Nasdaq	13,791.15	14,185.64	14,490.37	14,194.46	14,015.67	-2.2%			
	Dow Jones	34,738.06	35,241.59	35,768.06	35,462.78	35,091.13	-1.0%			
nge	FTSE 100	7,661.02	7,672.40	7,643.42	7,567.07	7,573.47	1.9%			
Stock Exchange	FTSE All-Share UK	4,286.38	4,296.96	4,282.76	4,233.62	4,236.88	1.8%			
Ä	CAC40	7,011.60	7,101.55	7,130.88	7,028.41	7,009.25	0.9%			
3	Xetra Dax	15,425.12	15,490.44	15,482.01	15,242.38	15,206.64	1.4%			
Ş	Nikkei	27,696.08	27,696.08	27,579.87	27,284.52	27,248.87	1.6%			
	Hang Seng	24,924.35	24,924.35	24,829.99	24,329.49	24,579.55	1.4%			
	DJ US Maritime	208.21	206.80	209.20	208.77	209.79	-2.5%			
	€/\$	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	-0.9%			
S	£/\$	1.36	1.36	1.35	1.35	1.35	0.2%			
cie	\$ / ¥	115.60	116.05	115.59	115.58	115.07	0.3%			
Currencies	\$ / NoK	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.11	-1.0%			
'n	Yuan / \$	6.35	6.35	6.36	6.37	6.36	-0.1%			
	Won/\$	1,199.80	1,199.45	1,194.18	1,196.51	1,197.00	0.1%			
	\$ INDEX	96.08	95.55	95.49	95.64	95.40	0.6%			



	Bunker Prices									
		11-Feb-22	4-Feb-22	Change %						
0	Rotterdam	814.5	828.0	-1.6%						
MGO	Houston	895.0	885.5	1.1%						
_	Singapore	823.0	810.5	1.5%						
st	Rotterdam	514.5	520.5	-1.2%						
380cst	Houston	525.5	553.0	-5.0%						
m	Singapore	516.0	524.5	-1.6%						
0	Rotterdam	683.5	692.0	-1.2%						
VLSFO	Houston	706.5	698.0	1.2%						
	Singapore	729.0	731.5	-0.3%						

### Market News

"Safe	Bulkers	enchants	Greek	retail	investors	with
€100r	n bond					

Safe Bulkers has become the third shipping company to sell bonds on the Athens Exchange.

The Polys Hajioannou-led company successfully raised €100m (\$114m) in a sale of unsecured, five-year paper, according to a statement by book runners late on Wednesday.

This is about the same amount and paper as that issued last year by Greek peers Costamare and Capital Product Partners (CPLP), which broke the market open.

However, the Safe Bulkers' bonds met less interest and paid a higher coupon than the two earlier sales.

The owner — with nearly 50 bulkers in the water and under construction — offered bondholders 2.95% interest in an issue oversubscribed by a factor of 1.95 times.

In comparison, Costamare sold its bonds in May at an annual coupon of 2.7% and CPLP in October at 2.65% in deals oversubscribed by between five and seven times..."(TradeWinds)

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Company	Stock Exchange		11-Feb-22	04-Feb-22	W-O-W Change %
CAPITAL PRODUCT PARTNERS LP	NASDAQ	USD	16.08	15.80	1.8%
COSTAMARE INC	NYSE	USD	13.85	13.14	5.4%
DANAOS CORPORATION	NYSE	USD	98.34	95.08	3.4%
DIANA SHIPPING	NYSE	USD	4.16	3.75	10.9%
EAGLE BULK SHIPPING	NASDAQ	USD	52.32	47.23	10.8%
EUROSEAS LTD.	NASDAQ	USD	32.04	33.20	-3.5%
GLOBUS MARITIME LIMITED	NASDAQ	USD	2.10	1.90	10.5%
NAVIOS MARITIME HOLDINGS	NYSE	USD	3.48	3.49	-0.3%
NAVIOS MARITIME PARTNERS LP	NYSE	USD	31.35	30.54	2.7%
SAFE BULKERS INC	NYSE	USD	4.11	3.60	14.2%
SEANERGY MARITIME HOLDINGS CORP	NASDAQ	USD	1.15	1.05	9.5%
STAR BULK CARRIERS CORP	NASDAQ	USD	26.43	23.83	10.9%
STEALTHGAS INC	NASDAQ	USD	2.01	2.04	-1.5%
TSAKOS ENERGY NAVIGATION	NYSE	USD	7.50	7.31	2.6%

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