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The Forum will feature industry leaders that will cover financing opportunities and critical topics of relevance to the relevance to the maritime industry such as environmental regulations, shipping in post COVID-ERA, technology, crewing, technology, crewing, mental health, and more.

Registration is complimentary.

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3.00 – 3.45 PM MARITIME DIGITALIZATION DEMYSTIFIED: PRACTITIONERS SHARE

INSIGHTS

4.00 – 4.45 PM GLOBAL ALTERNATIVE FINANCE OPTIONS

5.00 – 6.00 PM SHIPPING IN THE POST COVID-ERA. REFOCUSING ON THE HUMAN ELEMENT

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For more information and to register please visit here. http://forums.capitallink.com/shipping/2021singapore/

Capital Link Decarbonization in Shipping Forum

Wednesday & Thursday April 14 & 15, 2021 Digital Conference

Decarbonization in Shipping – Moving from Discussion to Delivery

Capital Link's Decarbonization in Shipping Forum will take place on Wednesday & Thursday, April 14 & 15, 2021 from 9.30 –



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Nikolas P. Tsakos Founder and Chief Executive Officer TEN LTD; Chairman – INTERTANKO (2014-2018)



Charles (Bud) Darr Executive Vice President, Maritime Policy and Government Affairs MSC Group

FORUM TOPICS

Day 1 – April 14, 2021

- The Roadmap To Zero Moving From Discussion To Delivery
- Setting The Stage The Shipowners' Perspective Where We Are Today How To Move Forward
- Policy Making & The Regulatory Decarbonization Roadmap For Shipping Regulator, Industry & Stakeholder Involvement Global & Regional Issues
- Meeting The Imo 2030 Decarbonization Goals Achieving EEXI & CII Compliance Options & Strategies For The Existing Fleet –
 Managing Sectoral Needs Towards A Common Objective (Containers Dry Bulk Tankers Gas Passenger)
- Energy Efficient Technologies Improving Fleet Performance
- Is LNG An Intermediate Or A Long-term Option? What About LPG?
- Partnerships, Alliances & Industry Initiatives Fostering Collaboration Among Stakeholders

Day 2 - April 15, 2021

- · Keynote Remarks by Dr. Martin Stopford
- Designing Ships Of The Future Fuels Engines Hull/Ship Design & Technology
- Looking Ahead To 2050 Zero Emission Alternative Energy Fuels: Ammonia Hydrogen Methanol Biofuels
- Port Infrastructure, Logistics & Supply Chain Preparedness
- Looking Ahead To 2050 Alternative Propulsion Systems Beyond The Internal Combustion Engine Wind Batteries Nuclear Fuel Cells
- The Transition To Decarbonization How to Foot The Bill & Who Will Share Into The Cost?
- Looking Ahead The Shipowner's Perspective What Does It Take To Reach Zero

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Randy Giveans Group Head of Energy Maritime Shipping Equity Research Jefferies

Listed Companies

Company Profiles, News, Presentations, Earnings & Conference Calls Schedule, SEC Fillings

Shipping Markets

Spot & Time Charter Earnings, FFAs, Asset Values; S&P Activity, Freight Rates & More – Daily & Weekly Updates – Dry Bulk – Tanker – LNG/LPG – Containers Freight Indices – FFA Indices – Bunkering / Marine Fuel Prices

Capital Markets

Shipping Stocks Daily Stock Market Trading Data – Common & Preferred Stocks Maritime Bonds

Capital Link Stock Market Indices – Currencies – Commodities

Interactive Comparisons

Comparison of Relative Performance of Stock Market / Freight Market / FFA Market

Daily Industry News

Extensive Aggregation of Industry News from a Wide Variety of Sources – RSS Feeds & More, Providing Rich Content & Updates

Industry Reports

Industry Reports Contributed by Major Participants Across All Industry Sectors & Functions Braemar, Allied, Affinity, Alphaliner, Arrow, Bancero Costa, Breakwave Advisors, BunkerEx, Charles W. Webber, DNB Markets, Drewry, Gibson, Intermodal, GMS, Poten, Optima Shipping, Weberseas etc.

Daily Blogs

Insight of Well-Known Industry Analysts, Investors, Managers & Journalists

James Catlin & J Mintzmyer, Renaud Saleur, Mark Williams, Richard Diamond, Barry Parker

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Company Channels

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DNV-GL, EY, InvestHK, Tototheo, Columbia Shipmanagement, Seward & Kissel, WFW, Stephenson Harwood, ReedSmith, Yield Street, Braemar Naves, DNB, Citi, BoComm Leasing, ICBC, and more.



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Capital Link Shipping Weekly Markets Report

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www.MaritimeIndices.com

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IN THE NEWS

Latest Company News

Monday, April 5, 2021

Seaspan Continues To Execute Growth Opportunities, Acquiring Two 8,500 TEU Containerships Backed By Liner Charters

LONDON, April 5, 2021 /CNW/ - Seaspan Corporation ("Seaspan"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Atlas Corp. ("Atlas") (NYSE:ATCO), today announced that it has entered into an agreement to acquire two quality 8,500 TEU scrubber-fitted containerships ("the Vessels") on long-term charter with a global liner customer. The Vessels are anticipated to be delivered during the second quarter of 2021.

https://ir.atlascorporation.com/2021-04-05-Seaspan-Continues-to-Execute-Growth-Opportunities-Acquiring-Two-8-500-TEU-Containerships-backed-by-Liner-Charters

Castor Maritime Inc. Announces Pricing of \$125 Million Registered Direct Offering

April 5, 2021 - Limassol, Cyprus - Castor Maritime Inc. (the "Company") (NASDAQ: CTRM) announces today that it has entered into a securities purchase agreement with certain unaffiliated institutional investors to issue approximately 192.3 million of its common shares and warrants to purchase up to an aggregate of 192.3 million common shares at a purchase price of \$0.65 per common share and accompanying warrant in a registered direct offering (the "Offering").

http://castormaritime.com/images//press_releases/Castor_Maritime_Inc_Announces_Pricing_of_USD125_Million_Registered_Direct_Offering.pdf

Tuesday, April 6, 2021

Atlas Declares Quarterly Dividends On Common And Preferred Shares

London, UK, April 6, 2021 – Atlas Corp. ("Atlas") (NYSE: ATCO) announced today that the Company's Board of Directors has declared cash dividends on its common and preferred shares as follows:

https://ir.atlascorporation.com/2021-04-06-Atlas-Declares-Quarterly-Dividends-on-Common-and-Preferred-Shares

Nordic American Tankers Ltd (NYSE: NAT) - Comments on the opening of the Suez Canal

Tuesday, April 6, 2021 Dear Shareholders and Investors,

On 24th of March 2021, one of the largest ships in the world blocked the Suez Canal. The ship was blocking the canal until Monday, March 29, about a week after the closure.

 $\frac{https://www.nat.bm/nordic-american-tankers-ltd-nyse-nat-comments-on-the-opening-of-the-suez-canal/}{}$

Wednesday, April 7, 2021

Atlas Corp Announces Exchange Offer For Seaspan's 7.125% Notes Due 2027

LONDON, April 7, 2021 /CNW/ - Atlas Corp. ("Atlas") (NYSE: ATCO) today announced that it has commenced an offer to exchange (the "Exchange Offer") up to \$80,000,000 aggregate principal amount of 7.125% Notes due 2027 (the "ATCO Notes"), which have been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, for any and all outstanding \$80,000,000 aggregate principal amount of 7.125% Notes due 2027 of its subsidiary, Seaspan Corporation (the "Seaspan Notes")

https://ir.atlascorporation.com/2021-04-07-Atlas-Corp-Announces-Exchange-Offer-for-Seaspans-7-125-Notes-due-2027

GOGL - 2020 Annual ESG Report

Golden Ocean Group Ltd (OSE/NYSE: GOGL) today released its third annual ESG Report. As for previous years, the 2020 report is prepared in accordance with the Marine Transportation framework established by the Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB), the disclosure requirements of the UN Global Compact as well as reporting guidelines for NASDAQ/Euronext stock exchanges. https://www.goldenocean.bm/gogl-2020-annual-esg-report/

Overseas Shipholding Group Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2020 Results

TAMPA, Fla.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc. (NYSE: OSG) (the "Company" or "OSG"), a provider of energy transportation services for crude oil and petroleum products in the U.S. Flag markets, today reported results for the fourth quarter and full year 2020.

https://www.osg.com/news/news-details/2021/Overseas-Shipholding-Group-Reports-Fourth-Quarter-and-Full-Year-2020-Results/default.aspx

TEN Ltd. Declares Dividend on its Series F Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Shares

ATHENS, GREECE, April 7, 2021 – TEN Ltd. ("TEN") (NYSE: TNP) (the "Company"), a leading diversified crude, product, and LNG tanker operator, today announced that its Board of Directors declared the regular quarterly cash dividend of approximately \$0.59375 per share for its Series F Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Shares (the "Series F Preferred Shares"; NYSE: TNPPRF).

https://www.tenn.gr/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/tenn04072121.pdf

Thursday, April 8, 2021

Global Ship Lease Announces Secondary Offering of its Class A Common Shares by Certain Shareholders

LONDON, April 08, 2021 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Global Ship Lease, Inc. (NYSE:GSL) (the "Company") announced today that KEP VI (Newco Marine), Ltd. and KIA VIII (Newco Marine), Ltd., both affiliates of Kelso & Company, a U.S. private equity firm (together, the "Selling Shareholders"), intend to offer for sale in an underwritten public offering (the "Offering") Class A common shares, par value \$0.01 per share, of the Company (the "Common Shares").

https://www.globalshiplease.com/node/13126/pdf

Seanergy to Present at Capital Link's Decarbonization in Shipping Forum

April 8, 2021 - Glyfada, Greece - Seanergy Maritime Holdings Corp. (the "Company" or "Seanergy") (NASDAQ: SHIP) is pleased to announce its participation at Capital Link's Decarbonization in Shipping forum taking place on Wednesday & Thursday, April 14-15, 2021 from 9.30am-4.30pm UK Time.

https://www.seanergymaritime.com/en/news/press-releases/article-00E0644705







IN THE NEWS

Latest Company News

Friday, April 9, 2021

Castor Maritime Inc. Announces Vessel Acquisition

Limassol, Cyprus, April 9, 2021 – Castor Maritime Inc. (NASDAQ: CTRM), ("Castor" or the "Company"), a diversified global shipping company, announces that it entered, through a separate wholly-owned subsidiary, into an agreement to purchase a 2011 Japanese-built Panamax dry bulk carrier from an unaffiliated third-party for a purchase price of \$18.48 million.

http://castormaritime.com/images//press_releases/Castor_Maritime_Inc_Announces_Vessel_Acquisition_12.pdf

Global Ship Lease Announces Pricing of Secondary Offering of its Class A Common Shares by Certain Shareholders

LONDON, April 09, 2021 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Global Ship Lease, Inc. (NYSE:GSL) (the "Company") announced today the pricing of the previously announced secondary offering by certain shareholders of the Company (the "Offering") of shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Shares").

https://www.globalshiplease.com/node/13136/pdf

Safe Bulkers, Inc. Declares Quarterly Dividend on its 8.00% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Shares; 8.00% Series D Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Shares.

Monaco – April 9, 2021 -- Safe Bulkers, Inc. (the "Company") (NYSE: SB), an international provider of marine drybulk transportation services, announced today that the Company's Board of Directors has declared: a cash dividend of \$0.50 per share on its 8.00% Series C Cumulative Redeemable Perpetual Preferred Shares (the "Series C Preferred Shares") (NYSE: SB.PR.C) for the period from January 30, 2021 to April 29, 2021;

http://www.safebulkers.com/sbpr040921.pdf

SCORPIO TANKERS INC. ANNOUNCES PURCHASE OF CALL OPTIONS BY PRESIDENT OF THE COMPANY

MONACO, April 09, 2021 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) — Scorpio Tankers Inc. (NYSE:STNG) ("Scorpio Tankers," or the "Company") announced that the President of the Company, Robert Bugbee, has purchased call options on an aggregate of 300,000 common shares (or 3,000 call option contracts) of the Company for total consideration of \$408,000. https://www.scorpiotankers.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/news-8046.pdf

Capital increase in TORM in connection with delivery of vessel

With reference to Company Announcement no. 03 dated 01 March 2021 regarding the acquisition of eight 2007-2012 built MR product tanker vessels from TEAM Tankers Deep Sea Ltd, TORM plc ("TORM") has increased its share capital by 877,128 A-shares (corresponding to USD 8,771.28) as a result of the delivery of the first vessel of the transaction, the MR vessel TEAM Corrido.

https://portalvhds1fxb0jchzgjph.blob.core.windows.net/press-releases-attachments/1297545/10-2021-capital-increase-in-torm-inconnection-with-delivery.pdf







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IN THE NEWS

Non US-Listed Company News

Wednesday, April 7, 2021

Concordia Maritime AB (publ) releases the English version of the **Annual Report for 2020**

The English version of Concordia Maritime's Annual Report for 2020 is now available at www.concordiamaritime.com. The full Annual Report, which also includes Concordia Maritime's Sustainability Report, is available to download as a PDF document. A summary web version of the Annual Report is also available to read on the Company's website. https://www.concordiamaritime.com/en/news/news/2021/concordiamaritime-ab-publ-releases-the-english-version-of-the-annual-reportfor-2020/

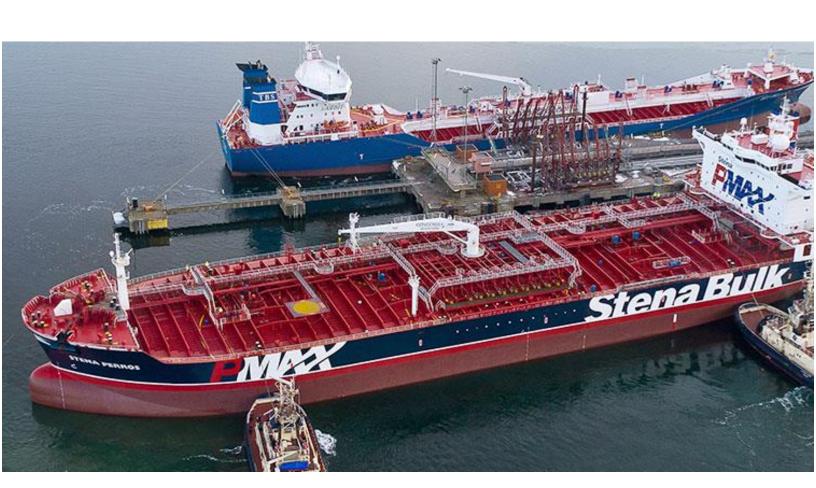
MPC Container Ships ASA announces annual general meeting

Oslo. 7 April 2021 – Notice is hereby served that the annual general meeting of MPC Container Ships ASA (the "Company") will be held on 28 April 2021 at 12:00 hours CEST at the Company's offices at Munkedamsveien 45 A, N-0250 Oslo, Norway. The notice is attached

https://www.mpc-container.com/investors-and-media/pressreleases/2021/mpc-container-ships-asa-announces-annual-generalmeeting/

Danaos Corporation Mourns the Passing of Former Board **Member Robert Mundell**

ATHENS, Greece--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Danaos Corporation (NYSE: DAC), one of the world's largest independent owners of containerships, is saddened to report the passing of Robert A. Mundell, who served as an invaluable member of Danaos' Board of Directors from 2006, when the company went public, through 2015. https://www.danaos.com/news-and-media/press-releasedetails/2021/Danaos-Corporation-Mourns-the-Passing-of-Former-Board-Member-Robert-Mundell/default.aspx





IN THE NEWS

Earnings Recap



Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc.

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https://www.osg.com/news/news-details/2021/Overseas-Shipholding-Group-Reports-Fourth-Quarter-and-Full-Year-2020-Results/default.aspx



IN THE NEWS

Today's Blog

Redrawing Trade Routes with US LNG

By James Catlin - April 12, 2021

The fact that trade routes shift is not news to anyone in shipping. But it's how they shift which can be of not only great interest, but also great consequence to a particular shipping segment. Here, we'll take a look at some interesting shifts and expected developments for the LNG trade.

China-Australia relations are going to be a hot topic for the foreseeable future. Diplomacy has failed to stem a growing rift between these two major trading partners which looks to impact everything from coal to iron ore to LNG.

Prior long-term contracts have kept much of the existing trade between the two in place, but new agreements have been scarce in recent months. A once growing trade route between Australia and China, which increased LNG cargo mile demand between the two over 1,000% from 2014 -2018, has been stagnant since that time.

Source: <u>VesselsValue</u> – Australia to China Large LNG Cargo Miles

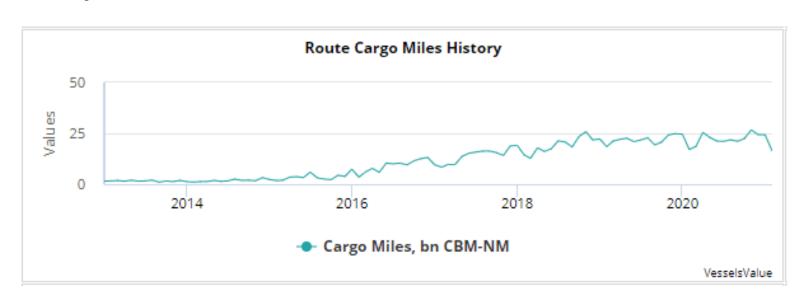
In fact, November of 2018's cargo mile demand for this route has only been exceeded twice since that time.

Comparing 2021's cargo volumes up to March 30 with 2019's numbers shows that Australia to China volumes remain relatively unchanged meanwhile China's overall import volumes are up nearly 20% during that same period.

That 20% volume increase had an even larger impact on cargo mile demand, as over that same period we witnessed a 48% increase in cargo miles traveled to China. This indicates that those new volumes are originating from areas much further away on average than previously existing cargo origins. This data also serves to once again underscore the fact that cargo volumes do not always tell the entire story.

With the US and China looking to shore up their relations following the implementation of the Phase One trade deal, we have seen LNG trade between the two go from non-existent in 2019 to composing a sizable portion of China's overall imports.

Click here to view the whole article https://capitallinkshipping.com/redrawing-trade-routes-with-us-lng/





Dividend Paying Shipping Stocks

Stock Prices as of April 9, 2021

Company Name	Ticker	Quarterly Dividend	Annualized Dividend	4/9/2021	Annualized Dividend Yield
Container					
Atlas Corp.	ATCO Equity	\$0.125	\$0.50	\$14.14	3.54%
Costamare Inc	CMRE Equity	\$0.10	\$0.40	\$10.13	3.95%
Tankers					
DHT Holdings, Inc.	DHT Equity	\$0.05	\$0.20	\$6.07	3.29%
Euronav NV	EURN Equity	\$0.03	\$0.12	\$8.75	1.37%
International Seaways, Inc.	INSW Equity	\$0.06	\$0.24	\$19.15	1.25%
Navios Maritime Acquisition Corp	NNA Equity	\$0.05	\$0.20	\$3.85	5.19%
Nordic American Tankers Limited	NAT Equity	\$0.02	\$0.08	\$3.29	2.43%
Scorpio Tankers Inc	STNG Equity	\$0.10	\$0.40	\$17.60	2.27%
Tsakos Energy Navigation Ltd	TNP Equity	\$0.10	\$0.40	\$9.43	4.24%
Mixed Fleet					
Ship Finance International Limited	SFL Equity	\$0.15	\$0.60	\$7.89	7.60%
LNG/LPG					
GasLog Ltd	GLOG Equity	\$0.05	\$0.20	\$5.80	3.45%
Maritime MLPs					
Capital Product Partners L.P.	CPLP Equity	\$0.10	\$0.400	\$10.74	3.72%
GasLog Partners LP	GLOP Equity	\$0.01	\$0.040	\$2.80	1.43%
Golar LNG Partners, L.P.	GMLP Equity	\$0.0202	\$0.08	\$3.50	2.31%
Hoegh LNG Partners	HMLP Equity	\$0.44	\$1.76	\$15.10	11.66%
KNOT Offshore Partners L.P.	KNOP Equity	\$0.52	\$2.08	\$18.16	11.45%
Navios Maritime Partners	NMM Equity	\$0.05	\$0.20	\$26.34	0.76%
Teekay LNG Partners L.P.	TGP Equity	\$0.25	\$1.00	\$14.67	6.82%









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CAPITAL MARKETS DATA

Preferred Shipping Stocks Stock Prices as of April 9, 2021

Stock Prices as of A	Stock Prices as of April 9, 2021												
Company	Ticker	Amount Issued (\$m)	Туре	Annual Coupon	Offer Price	Current Price 4/9/2021	Current Yield (annualized)	% change last week	52-week Low	52-week High			
Altera Infrastructure L.P. Series A	ALIN-PA	150	perpetual	7.25%	\$25.00	\$21.04	8.61%	-0.85%	\$12.61	\$22.25			
Altera Infrastructure L.P. Series B	ALIN-PB	125	perpetual	8.50%	\$25.00	\$23.25	9.14%	0.87%	\$13.00	\$23.67			
Altera Infrastructure L.P. Series E	ALIN-PE	120	perpetual	8.875%	\$25.00	\$23.07	9.62%	1.01%	\$13.50	\$23.59			
Altlas Corp. Series D	ATCO-PD	177.29	perpetual	7.95%	\$25.00	\$25.95	7.66%	0.08%	\$17.76	\$26.20			
Altlas Corp. Series E	ATCO-PE	135	perpetual	8.25%	\$25.00	\$25.95	7.95%	0.19%	\$17.10	\$26.18			
Altlas Corp. Series G	ATCO-PG	115	perpetual	8.20%	\$25.00	\$25.98	7.89%	0.08%	\$17.81	\$26.09			
Altlas Corp. Series H	ATCO-PH	225	perpetual	7.875%	\$25.00	\$25.93	7.59%	-0.03%	\$16.70	\$26.18			
Altlas Corp. Series I	ATCO-PI	150	perpetual	8.00%	\$25.00	\$26.89	7.44%	-0.74%	\$16.50	\$27.30			
Costamare Series B	CMRE-PB	50	perpetual	7.625%	\$25.00	\$25.70	7.42%	0.39%	\$16.44	\$25.75			
Costamare Series C	CMRE-PC	100	perpetual	8.50%	\$25.00	\$26.08	8.15%	0.21%	\$17.26	\$26.15			
Costamare Series D	CMRE-PD	100	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$26.12	8.37%	0.35%	\$17.53	\$26.41			
Costamare Series E	CMRE-PE	115	perpetual	8.875%	\$25.00	\$26.90	8.25%	-0.26%	\$18.33	\$27.10			
Diana Shipping Series B	DSX-PB	65	perpetual	8.875%	\$25.00	\$25.93	8.56%	-0.73%	\$17.40	\$26.89			
Dynagas LNG Partners A	DLNG-PA	75	perpetual	9.000%	\$25.00	\$25.64	8.78%	0.39%	\$15.00	\$25.75			
Dynagas LNG Partners B	DLNG-PB	55	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$22.64	9.66%	0.18%	\$14.00	\$22.93			
GasLog Series A	GLOG-PA	115	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$25.08	8.72%	-0.20%	\$16.64	\$25.59			
Gaslog Partners Series A	GLOP-PA	143.75	perpetual	8.63%	\$25.00	\$23.70	9.10%	1.07%	\$13.18	\$23.81			
Gaslog Partners Series B	GLOP-PB	115	perpetual	8.20%	\$25.00	\$22.64	9.05%	2.35%	\$11.81	\$22.88			
Gaslog Partners Series C	GLOP-PC	100	perpetual	8.50%	\$25.00	\$22.95	9.26%	1.10%	\$12.06	\$23.05			
Global Ship Lease Series B	GSL-PB	35	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$25.10	8.72%	-0.08%	\$18.85	\$25.70			
Golar LNG Partners Series A	GMLPP	138	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$25.72	8.51%	-0.16%	\$13.00	\$25.95			
Hoegh LNG Partners Series A	HMLP-PA	115	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$26.77	8.17%	-0.56%	\$16.62	\$27.01			
Navios Maritime Holdings Series G	NM-PG	50	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$13.46	0.00%	8.60%	\$1.92	\$17.65			
Navios Maritime Holdings Series H	NM-PH	120	perpetual	8.63%	\$25.00	\$13.28	0.00%	8.41%	\$1.45	\$17.18			
Safe Bulkers Series C	SB-PC	57.5	perpetual	8.00%	\$25.00	\$24.83	8.05%	1.93%	\$14.26	\$24.99			
Safe Bulkers Series D	SB-PD	80	perpetual	8.00%	\$25.00	\$24.85	8.05%	1.35%	\$14.47	\$25.00			
Teekay LNG Partners Series A	TGP-PA	125	perpetual	9.00%	\$25.00	\$25.71	8.75%	0.16%	\$20.36	\$26.48			
Teekay LNG Partners Series B	TGP-PB	170	perpetual	8.50%	\$25.00	\$26.24	8.10%	0.00%	\$18.71	\$26.60			
Tsakos Energy Series D	TNP-PD	85	perpetual	8.75%	\$25.00	\$24.51	8.93%	2.96%	\$18.24	\$24.68			
Tsakos Energy Series E	TNP-PE	115	perpetual	9.250%	\$25.00	\$24.60	9.40%	2.76%	\$17.68	\$25.17			
Tsakos Energy Series F	TNP-PF	150	perpetual	9.50%	\$25.00	\$24.92	9.53%	0.28%	\$17.63	\$25.01			

⁽¹⁾ Annual dividend percentage based upon the liquidation preference of the preferred shares.

* Prices reflected are since inception date:



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Indices

Week ending April 9, 2021

BALTIC INDICES

Index	Symbol	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	% Change	YTD % Change	1/4/2021
Baltic Dry Index	BDIY Index	2,085.00	2,072.00	0.63	51.75	1374
Baltic Capesize Index	BCI14 Index	2,883.00	2,394.00	20.43	43.58	2008
Baltic Panamax Index	BPIY Index	2,003.00	2,484.00	-19.36	46.85	1364
Baltic Supramax Index	BSI58A Index	1,780.00	1,840.00	-3.26	73.15	1028
Baltic Handysize Index	BHSI Index	1,049.00	1,137.00	-7.74	56.80	669
Baltic Dirty Tanker Index	BIDY Index	646.00	699.00	-7.58	18.97	543
Baltic Clean Tanker Index	BITY Index	567.00	624.00	-9.13	30.65	434

TRANSPORTATION STOCKS

DRYBULK	TICKER	4/9/2021 Friday	4/1/2021 Thursday	Change %	52 week high	52 week low	1/4/2021	Three Month Avg. Volume
Castor Maritime Inc.	CTRM	\$0.51	\$0.74	-31.19%	\$1.73	\$0.12	\$0.19	192,194,576
Genco Shipping & Trading Ltd	GNK	\$10.86	\$10.23	6.16%	\$12.16	\$4.51	\$7.58	1,009,881
Diana Shipping Inc	DSX	\$3.12	\$3.07	1.63%	\$3.60	\$1.34	\$1.89	1,059,371
Eurodry	EDRY	\$9.30	\$8.67	7.27%	\$10.53	\$3.28	\$5.55	114,800
Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc	EGLE	\$36.35	\$35.57	2.19%	\$39.38	\$9.66	\$19.61	116,082
FreeSeas Inc	FREEF	\$0.01	\$0.01	-10.23%	\$0.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	412,164
Globus Maritime Ltd	GLBS	\$4.58	\$4.65	-1.51%	\$83.12	\$4.22	\$5.77	1,544,881
Golden Ocean Group	GOGL	\$7.16	\$6.86	4.45%	\$7.67	\$2.72	\$4.78	795,519
Navios Maritime Holdings Inc	NM	\$10.52	\$9.06	16.11%	\$13.78	\$1.50	\$2.21	342,329
Navios Maritime Partners LP	NMM	\$26.34	\$23.52	11.99%	\$29.09	\$5.72	\$10.84	382,044
Pangaea Logistics Solutions Ltd.	PANL	\$3.04	\$3.17	-4.10%	\$3.52	\$1.93	\$2.75	130,224
Paragon Shipping Inc	PRGNF	\$0.05	\$0.05	5.56%	\$0.05	\$0.00	\$0.01	57,699
Safe Bulkers Inc	SB	\$2.24	\$2.45	-8.57%	\$3.12	\$0.84	\$1.35	851,485
Eneti Inc.	NETI	\$20.44	\$21.87	-6.54%	\$27.96	\$10.98	\$17.08	121,695
Seanergy Maritime	SHIP	\$0.96	\$1.06	-9.80%	\$4.72	\$0.40	\$0.51	20,809,274
Star Bulk Carriers Corp	SBLK	\$14.77	\$14.49	1.93%	\$16.87	\$3.92	\$8.86	1,273,136

TANKERS	Ticker	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Ardmore Shipping Corp	ASC	\$4.08	\$4.51	-9.53%	\$7.49	\$2.71	\$3.30	353,649
Diamond S Shipping	DSSI	\$10.90	\$10.27	6.13%	\$14.55	\$5.60	\$6.80	389,190
DHT Holdings Inc	DHT	\$6.07	\$6.05	0.33%	\$8.46	\$4.76	\$5.40	3,005,634
Euronav NV	EURN	\$8.75	\$9.22	-5.10%	\$12.14	\$7.36	\$8.48	1,475,427
Frontline Ltd/Bermuda	FRO	\$7.37	\$7.35	0.27%	\$10.95	\$5.41	\$6.40	2,208,609
International Seaways	INSW	\$19.15	\$19.08	0.37%	\$28.29	\$12.90	\$17.35	230,986
Knot Offshore Partners	KNOP	\$18.16	\$18.15	0.06%	\$18.68	\$11.61	\$14.89	134,851
Navios Acquisition	NNA	\$3.85	\$4.00	-3.75%	\$6.70	\$3.03	\$3.26	196,140
Nordic American	NAT	\$3.29	\$3.42	-3.80%	\$7.34	\$2.85	\$3.09	4,228,787
Overseas Shipholding	OSG	\$2.42	\$2.11	14.69%	\$2.80	\$1.76	\$2.09	662,966
Performance Shipping Inc	PSHG	\$5.68	\$5.80	-2.07%	\$8.30	\$4.10	\$4.64	76,902
Pyxis Tankers	PXS	\$1.02	\$1.12	-8.93%	\$2.96	\$0.75	\$0.83	2,464,943
Scorpio Tankers Inc	STNG	\$17.60	\$18.63	-5.53%	\$26.64	\$8.81	\$11.50	1,636,258
Teekay Tankers Ltd	TNK	\$13.55	\$14.24	-4.85%	\$25.18	\$9.35	\$11.46	558,212
Top Ships	TOPS	\$1.71	\$1.99	-14.07%	\$7.30	\$0.99	\$1.23	5,636,320
Torm PLC	TRMD	\$9.07	\$9.28	-2.26%	\$12.50	\$6.49	\$7.34	63,211
Tsakos Energy Navigation Ltd	TNP	\$9.43	\$9.80	-3.78%	\$20.90	\$7.25	\$8.28	104,283









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CONTAINERS	Ticker	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Atlas Corp.	ATCO	\$14.14	\$14.04	0.71%	\$14.64	\$6.27	\$10.62	797,852
Box Ships Inc	TEUFF	\$0.01	\$0.01	1.25%	\$0.01	\$0.00	\$0.00	152,370
Capital Product Partners LP	CPLP	\$10.74	\$11.01	-2.45%	\$11.76	\$5.65	\$8.23	111,880
Costamare Inc	CMRE	\$10.13	\$9.88	2.53%	\$10.49	\$4.21	\$8.22	749,840
Danaos Corp	DAC	\$56.20	\$50.97	10.26%	\$56.63	\$3.38	\$21.76	643,190
Euroseas	ESEA	\$11.56	\$9.97	15.95%	\$13.85	\$2.06	\$5.46	81,443
Global Ship Lease Inc	GSL	\$13.29	\$14.76	-9.96%	\$17.55	\$3.84	\$11.75	568,115

LPG/LNG	Ticker	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Dynagas LNG Partners	DLNG	\$2.73	\$2.84	-3.87%	\$3.88	\$1.17	\$2.47	122,168
Dorian	LPG	\$12.86	\$13.06	-1.53%	\$14.61	\$7.23	\$12.81	645,632
Flex LNG Ltd	FLNG	\$9.16	\$9.05	1.16%	\$10.46	\$4.39	\$8.70	61,510
GasLog Ltd	GLOG	\$5.80	\$5.78	0.35%	\$5.90	\$2.26	\$3.89	2,153,376
Gaslog Partners	GLOP	\$2.80	\$2.75	1.82%	\$7.03	\$2.12	\$2.78	724,819
Golar LNG Ltd	GLNG	\$10.57	\$10.72	-1.40%	\$13.91	\$5.21	\$9.98	1,878,420
Golar LNG Partners LP	GMLP	\$3.50	\$3.49	0.29%	\$3.51	\$1.86	\$2.53	577,609
Hoegh LNG Partners	HMLP	\$15.10	\$14.92	1.21%	\$17.02	\$6.79	\$14.50	210,003
Navigator Gas	NVGS	\$9.10	\$9.15	-0.55%	\$11.58	\$4.98	\$10.43	107,349
StealthGas Inc	GASS	\$2.86	\$2.92	-2.05%	\$3.25	\$2.06	\$2.43	140,657
Teekay LNG Partners LP	TGP	\$14.67	\$14.45	1.52%	\$15.22	\$10.25	\$11.73	228,238

MIXED FLEET	Ticker	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Atlas Corp.	ATCO	\$14.14	\$14.04	0.71%	\$14.64	\$6.27	\$10.62	797,852
Grindrod Shipping	GRIN	\$6.90	\$6.94	-0.58%	\$7.58	\$2.22	\$4.76	40,308
Navios Maritime Holdings Inc	NM	\$10.52	\$9.06	16.11%	\$13.78	\$1.50	\$2.21	342,329
Ship Finance International Ltd	SFL	\$7.89	\$8.16	-3.31%	\$11.37	\$5.92	\$6.47	1,237,349
Teekay Corp	TK	\$3.20	\$3.30	-3.03%	\$4.21	\$1.72	\$2.37	983,759

MLPs	Ticker	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Capital Product Partners	CPLP	\$10.74	\$11.01	-2.45%	\$11.76	\$5.65	\$8.23	111,880
Dynagas LNG Partners	DLNG	\$2.73	\$2.84	-3.87%	\$3.88	\$1.17	\$2.47	122,168
GasLog Partners	GLOP	\$2.80	\$2.75	1.82%	\$7.03	\$2.12	\$2.78	724,819
Golar LNG Partners LP	GMLP	\$3.50	\$3.49	0.29%	\$3.51	\$1.86	\$2.53	577,609
Hoegh LNG Partners	HMLP	\$15.10	\$14.92	1.21%	\$17.02	\$6.79	\$14.50	210,003
KNOT Offshore Partners	KNOP	\$18.16	\$18.15	0.06%	\$18.68	\$11.61	\$14.89	134,851
Navios Partners	NMM	\$26.34	\$23.52	11.99%	\$29.09	\$5.72	\$10.84	382,044
Teekay LNG	TGP	\$14.67	\$14.45	1.52%	\$15.22	\$10.25	\$11.73	228,238

Oslo-Listed Shipping Comps (currency in NOK)	Ticker	4/9/2021	3/31/2021	Change %	52 wk high	52 wk low	1/4/2021	3-Month Avg. Vol.
Golden Ocean	GOGL	\$60.85	\$59.20	2.79%	\$65.95	\$27.94	\$41.24	898,356
Stolt-Nielsen Ltd.	SNI	\$129.20	\$126.20	2.38%	\$135.00	\$70.10	\$112.00	43,709
Frontline Ltd.	FRO	\$64.00	\$62.60	2.24%	\$121.00	\$49.96	\$55.30	805,616
MPC Containers	MPCC	\$10.34	\$10.05	2.89%	\$15.08	\$1.90	\$6.42	4,017,666
Jinhui Shpg. & Trans	JIN	\$7.24	\$7.26	-0.28%	\$8.36	\$2.80	\$3.53	167,200
Odfjell (Common A Share)	ODF	\$28.70	\$28.30	1.41%	\$29.30	\$18.50	\$26.50	26,053
American Shipping Co.	AMSC	\$30.60	\$30.65	-0.16%	\$33.40	\$15.84	\$27.90	50,954
Hoegh LNG	HLNG	\$23.35	\$23.30	0.21%	\$24.40	\$8.41	\$15.98	152,483

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Shipping Equities: The Week in Review

SHIPPING EQUITIES OUTPERFORMED THE BROADER MARKET

Shipping equities outperformed the indices last week, with the Capital Link Maritime Index (CPLMMARI) -- a composite index of all US listed shipping stocks – up 4.18%, compared to the S&P 500 (SPX) which went up 2.71%, Nasdaq (CCMP) up 3.12%, and Dow Jones Industrial Average (INDU) up 1.95%.

The Capital Link Maritime Indices were positive this past week with 1 of the 7 indices closing in the red and 6 closing with gains. The best performer was the Drybulk Index (CPLMDRYB) with a gain of 10.96%, while the Tanker Index (CPLMTANK) was the worst performer with a loss of 2.86%.

The Baltic Indices had a poor performance with 2 of the 7 indices closing with gains and the other 5 finishing in the red. The best performer was the Capesize Index (BCI) with a gain of 20.43%, while the worst performer was the Panamax Index (BPI) with a loss of 19.36%.

CAPITAL LINK MARITIME INDICES

Index	Symbol	4/9/2021	4/1/2021	% Change	YTD % Change	1/4/2021
Capital Link Maritime Index	CPLMMARI Index	1,317.16	1,264.30	4.18	44.26	913.05
Tanker Index	CPLMTANK Index	1,032.97	1,063.33	-2.86	21.76	848.40
Dry Bulk Index	CPLMDRYB Index	1,331.81	1,200.30	10.96	68.53	790.24
Container Index	CPLMCONT Index	2,059.37	1,911.98	7.71	88.78	1,090.86
LNG/LPG Index	CPLMLNPG Index	1,061.56	1,058.32	0.31	7.40	988.40
Mixed Fleet Index	CPLMMIXD Index	1,187.25	1,180.03	0.61	30.47	910.00
MLP Index	CPLMMLPI Index	1,533.74	1,408.62	8.88	37.13	1,118.48

The objective of the Capital Link Maritime Indices is to enable investors, as well as all shipping market participants, to better track the performance of listed shipping stocks individually, by sector or as an industry. Performance can be compared to other individual shipping stocks, to their sector, to the broader market, as well as to the physical underlying shipping markets or other commodities. The Indices currently focus only on companies listed on US Exchanges providing a homogeneous universe. They are calculated daily and are based on the market capitalization weighting of the stocks in each index. In terms of historical data, the indices go back to January 2, 2005, thereby providing investors with historical performance.

There are seven indices in total; the Capital Link Maritime Index comprised of all 45 listed shipping stocks, and six Sector Indices, the CL Dry Bulk Index, the CL Tanker Index, the CL Container Index, the CL LNG / LPG Index, the CL Mixed Fleet Index and the CL Maritime MLP Index.

The Index values are updated daily after the market close and can be accessed at or at or www.MaritimeIndices.com. They can also be found through the Bloomberg page "CPLI" and Reuters.

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Global Shipping Company Bond Data

April 11, 2021			Principle							As of		
Segment	Issuer	Coupon	(\$MM)	Symbol	Security	Maturity	Moody	S&P	Price	YTW	YTM	Price
Barge	Kirby Corporation	4.20%	\$500.0	KEX	Senior Unsecured	2028	Caa1	NA	\$109.39	2.65%	2.70%	\$109.39
Container	CMA CGM S.A.	6.50%	\$416.1	FDS0CIY4	Senior Unsecured	2022	B3	CCC+	\$101.69	0.16%	5.10%	\$101.85
Container	Atlas Corp.	0.00%	\$80.0	ATCO	Senior Unsecured	2027	NA	NA	\$25.59	(10.00%)	(0.36%)	\$25.59
Dry Bulk	Navios Maritime Holdings Inc.	11.25%	\$305.0	NM	Senior Unsecured	2021	Caa2	CCC	\$94.00	16.34%	16.34%	\$94.00
Dry Bulk	Navios Maritime Holdings Inc.	7.38%	\$614.3	NM	Senior Secured	2022	B1	В	\$79.00	41.55%	41.55%	\$79.00
Dry Bulk	Star Bulk Carriers Corp.	8.30%	\$50.0	SBLK	Senior Unsecured	2022	B1	В	\$25.70	2.44%	7.32%	\$25.70
Dry Bulk	Diana Shipping Inc.	9.50%	\$92.0	DSX	Senior Unsecured	2023	NA	NA	\$104.00	7.28%	7.69%	\$104.50
LNG	Golar LNG Limited	2.75%	\$402.5	GLNG	Senior Conv.	2022	NA	NA	\$97.25	6.11%	6.11%	\$97.25
LNG	Golar LNG Partners LP	6.43%	\$150.0	GMLP	Senior Unsecured	2021	NA	NA	\$100.13	4.78%	6.27%	\$100.50
LNG	Golar LNG Partners LP	8.30%	\$250.0	GMLP	Senior Unsecured	2021	NA	NA	\$100.13	4.77%	4.77%	\$100.50
LNG	GasLog Ltd	8.88%	\$325.0	GLOG	Senior Unsecured	2022	NA	NA	\$101.90	6.86%	6.86%	\$101.90
LNG	GasLog Ltd	6.70%	\$105.7	GLOG	Senior Unsecured	2024	NA	NA	\$103.00	6.55%	6.55%	\$104.00
LNG	Teekay LNG Partners L.P.	6.48%	\$140.9	TGP	Senior Unsecured	2021	NA	NA	\$102.74	(3.74%)	(3.74%)	\$103.24
LNG	Teekay LNG Partners L.P.	5.05%	\$99.8	TGP	Senior Unsecured	2023	NA	NA	\$101.75	4.79%	4.79%	\$102.25
Offshore Services	SEACOR Holdings Inc.	2.50%	\$51.6	CKH	Senior Conv.	2027	NA	NA	\$98.13	2.81%	2.81%	\$98.13
Offshore Services	SEACOR Holdings Inc.	3.25%	\$117.8	CKH	Senior Conv.	2030	NA	NA	\$99.00	3.38%	3.38%	\$99.00
Offshore Services	Brookfield Asset Management Inc. Class A	7.13%	\$250.0	BAM.A-CA	Senior Unsecured	2022	NA	NA	\$101.55	5.90%	5.90%	\$102.10
Offshore Services	Brookfield Asset Management Inc. Class A	8.50%	\$700.0	BAM.A-CA	Senior Unsecured	2023	NA	NA	\$90.10	13.67%	13.67%	\$90.10
Tanker	Navios Maritime Acquisition Corporation	8.13%	\$670.0	NNA	Senior Secured	2021	B2	CCC	\$76.75	59.43%	59.43%	\$76.75
Tanker	Eletson Holdings, Inc.	9.63%	\$300.0	06TRYQ-E	Senior Secured	2021	B2	NA	\$34.13	100.00%	100.00%	\$34.13
Tanker	Euronav	7.50%	\$200.0	EURN-BE	Senior Unsecured	2022	NA	NA	\$104.50	3.43%	3.43%	\$105.00
Tanker	International Seaways, Inc.	8.50%	\$25.0	INSW	Senior Unsecured	2023	NA	CCC+	\$25.93	(6.77%)	6.84%	\$25.93
Tanker	Stolt-Nielsen Limited	6.38%	\$175.0	SNINO	Senior Unsecured	2022	NA	NA	\$104.00	3.52%	3.52%	\$104.00
Tanker	Scorpio Tankers Inc.	6.75%	\$53.8	STNG	Senior Unsecured	2020	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Tanker	Scorpio Tankers Inc.	3.00%	\$89.1	STNG	Senior Conv.	2022	NA	NA	\$98.99	3.94%	3.94%	\$98.99
Tanker	Teekay Corporation	9.25%	\$250.0	TK	Senior Secured	2022	NA	NA	\$101.50	8.06%	8.22%	\$101.50
Tanker	Teekay Corporation	5.00%	\$112.2	TK	Senior Conv.	2023	NA	NA	\$95.48	7.77%	7.77%	\$95.48
Tanker	Teekay Corporation	8.50%	\$36.8	TK	Senior Unsecured	2020	Caa1	B-	\$99.75	10.16%	10.16%	\$99.75

Source: FactSet







SHIPPING MARKETS

Weekly Market Report

Market Analysis

With Q1 of the year already passed, it is interesting to note that a typically sluggish period in the year for the dry bulk sector has come to be one of the most promising rallies not seen for many years. The current market has created a lot of enthusiasm in terms of what to expect next, so it may sound odd under such conditions to be talking about risk management, hedging strategies and "defensive" assets. However, thinking about how quickly even fundamental macroeconomic trends can shift, we should not take this rising market as a given. In previous articles, we have pointed out that market sentiment can support relatively good returns for a prolonged period, even if fundamental drivers don't move accordingly. This may well be a logical assumption to hold. However, how far from reality is the possibility of stumbling back to the average levels noted over the past 2 years? In other words, the current momentum, albeit very bullish, is still fragile.

For those who seek diversification, a changing market adds many challenges, especially when given the complexities noted within the shipping industry. A "popular" view of a well-diversified fleet is to maintain an adequate distribution across different size segments within a sector. On an initial look it seems to be a 'well-intended' strategy. Different sizes may well mean less overall volatility (or more "symmetrically distributed volatility" through time), different trade regions (diversification in geopolitical risks), different cargoes (diversification in commodity market exposure) etc. This may well be correct, vet this approach does not cover enough risks that would ultimately be reflected from opposing movements in earnings. What usually happens is that you have short time lags in reactions between the different size segments. An opportunity "window" to respond according to the appealing return/risk profile. One could frame it as a time varying (or dynamic) hedging tactic. A much stronger strategy has always been a much broader approach to a diversified "portfolio" encompassing a distributed fleet across different shipping sectors. As one can see when taking as an indicator the 1 year rolling correlation coefficient between the BDI and BDTI indices, their relationship the majority of the time seems uncorrelated (fluctuating between 0.5 and -0.5), making them ideal candidates for someone seeking to diversify their portfolio and minimize their risks. However, over the past 6 months or so these two markets seem to be moving over to a strong negative correlation (with the past 3 months showing significant negative relationship of close to -0.8) making them more ideal candidates for hedging strategies.

All-in-all, many concepts and business strategies do not respond similarly in all market conditions. A dynamic approach is essential to catch up with the changing dynamics and market environment. Overall, the shipping industry has shown that it is prone to underprice risk factors during periods of a full market cycle. The perilous path now is that it can be common amongst investors to take general long-term market relationships as a given rather than noticing the changing trends and be left greatly exposed to a risk that has not even been factored in.

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Dry Bulk Freight Market

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	09 Apr			$\pm\Delta$	±%
BDI	2,085	~~~	lack	13	0.6%
BCI	2,883			489	20%
BPI	2,003	\sim	▼	-481	-19.4%
BSI	1,780		▼	-60	-3.3%
BHSI	1,049	~	▼	-88	-7.7%

Tanker Freight Market

				W-O-W	change
	09 Apr			$\pm\Delta$	±%
BDTI	646	~~~	•	-53	-7.6%
BCTI	567		•	-57	-9.1%

Newbuilding Market

Aggregate	Price Inde		M-O-M change				
	09 Apr			$\pm\Delta$	±%		
Bulkers	93			7	8.0%		
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Tankers	100	_		3	3.6%		
Gas	91			0	0.0%		

Secondhand Market

Aggregate F	Price Inde		M-O-M change				
	09 Apr			$\pm\Delta$	±%		
Capesize	69		A	11	18.4%		
Panamax	73			8	12.5%		
Supramax	72		\blacktriangle	8	12.6%		
Handysize	78			10	14.8%		
VLCC	96		\blacktriangle	2	2.3%		
Suezmax	78		\blacktriangle	3	4.5%		
Aframax	103	_	\blacktriangle	11	11.6%		
MR	120			0	0.0%		

Demolition Market

Avg Price I	ndex (mai		W-O-W change			
	09 Apr			±Δ	±%	
Dry	415	_		0	0.0%	
Wet	424		\triangleright	0	0.0%	



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Dry Bulkers - Spot Market

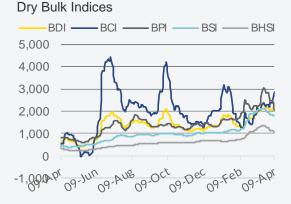
Capesize - Freight rates remained on a rising path for another week, with the BCI climbing to 2,883bp (20.4% w-o-w rise). The overall demand has improved with more fresh enquiries being witnessed across the Atlantic and the Pacific basins. Owners were able to take advantage of last week's imbalance between charterers' interest and available tonnage lists and pushed rates even higher.

Panamax - The downward corrective tone resumed last week, with the BPI dipping by another 19.4% and now standing just above 2,000bp. Despite the initial resistance from owners, the limited demand in the Pacific inevitably led owners to accept lower rates near the end of the week. In the Atlantic, the disappointing activity in East Coast S.America also dragged rates down.

Supramax - The freight market moved downwards here as well this past week, depicted in the BSI, which lost approximately 3.3% during the week. Charterers' interest in the Atlantic was anemic, adding pressure to owners, who have seen activity in the segment losing some steam as of late. At the same time, slight signs of improvement were seen in Asia, as more cargoes emerged during the end of the week, curbing some of the losses for the segment.

Handysize - In line with the overall sector freight rate performance, earnings here too dropped this week. The BHSI slid to 1,049bp, posting a weekly decline of 7.7%. The lack of fresh enquiries in the Atlantic basin was the key bearish factor here as well, with tonnage lists starting to build up once more in the region. In the Pacific, activity was also uninspiring, with the few sporadic fixtures reported being insufficient to boost the market.

Spot market rates & inc	dices			Ave	Average		
	09 Apr	02 Apr	±%	2021	2020		
Baltic Dry Index							
BDI	2,085	2,072	0.6%	1,768	1,066		
Capesize							
BCI	2,883	2,394	20.4%	2,115	1,450		
BCI 5TC	\$ 23,911	\$ 19,853	20.4%	\$ 17,540	\$ 13,050		
ATLANTIC RV	\$ 19,850	\$ 15,889	24.9%	\$ 19,912	\$ 13,734		
Cont / FEast	\$ 44,000	\$ 33,944	29.6%	\$ 33,786	\$ 27,572		
PACIFIC RV	\$ 27,221	\$ 24,291	12.1%	\$ 17,235	\$ 13,069		
FEast / ECSA	\$ 22,632	\$ 19,980	13.3%	\$ 14,776	\$ 11,711		
Panamax							
BPI	2,003	2,484	-19.4%	2,073	1,103		
BPI - TCA	\$ 18,026	\$ 22,354	-19.4%	\$ 18,657	\$ 9,927		
ATLANTIC RV	\$ 13,300	\$ 18,211	-27.0%	\$ 18,852	\$ 9,527		
Cont / FEast	\$ 26,841	\$ 31,155	-13.8%	\$ 27,365	\$ 17,999		
PACIFIC RV	\$ 19,708	\$ 23,160	-14.9%	\$ 18,397	\$ 9,104		
FEast / Cont	\$ 11,749	\$ 13,542	-13.2%	\$ 7,300	\$ 2,729		
Supramax							
BSI	1,780	1,840	-3.3%	1,535	746		
BSI - TCA	\$ 19,584	\$ 20,241	-3.2%	\$ 16,885	\$ 8,210		
USG / FEast	\$ 25,003	\$ 27,263	-8.3%	\$ 28,678	\$ 19,867		
Med / Feast	\$ 26,268	\$ 27,733	-5.3%	\$ 27,191	\$ 17,570		
PACIFIC RV	\$ 21,786	\$ 21,586	0.9%	\$ 15,667	\$ 7,188		
FEast / Cont	\$ 16,220	\$ 16,250	-0.2%	\$ 9,791	\$ 2,634		
USG / Skaw	\$ 15,361	\$ 17,304	-11.2%	\$ 24,156	\$ 13,320		
Skaw / USG	\$ 16,453	\$ 17,204	-4.4%	\$ 15,952	\$ 7,598		
Handysize	. ,			. ,			
BHSI	1,049	1,137	-7.7%	937	447		
BHSI - TCA	\$ 18,885	\$ 20,461	-7.7%	\$ 16,869	\$ 8,040		
Skaw / Rio	\$ 16,479	\$ 17,693	-6.9%	\$ 16,163	\$ 8,269		
Skaw / Boston	\$ 16,393	\$ 17,621	-7.0%	\$ 16,150	\$ 8,606		
Rio / Skaw	\$ 16,217	\$ 18,375	-11.7%	\$ 21,078	\$ 10,415		
USG / Skaw	\$ 12,643	\$ 15,208	-16.9%	\$ 18,499	\$ 10,065		
SEAsia / Aus / Jap	\$ 22,531	\$ 23,950	-5.9%	\$ 16,523	\$ 7,264		
PACIFIC RV	\$ 22,438	\$ 23,581	-4.8%	\$ 15,431	\$ 6,510		













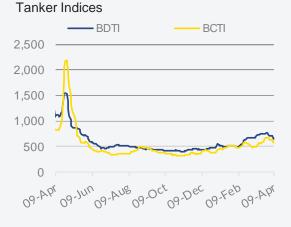
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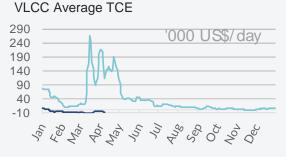
Tankers - Spot Market

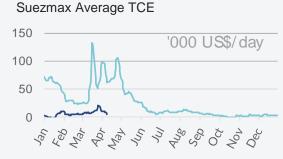
Crude Oil Carriers - A disappointing week for the crude oil freight market, as depicted in the 7.6% drop of the BDTI figure. In the VLs, oversupply was again a significant concern, nourished from the persisting low demand in key regions. The average VL TCE plunged to -US\$7,272 last week. Things were not much better in the Suezmax front, where it's TCE dropped by 41.3% last week. Here we saw an uptick in charterers' interest, but due to the long tonnage lists and the weak sentiment, rates remained on a downward path. The same was being seen in the Aframaxes last week, where the TCE lost 51.5%. Anemic activity in the Med and Baltic pushed rates lower, while the overall scene elsewhere was also uninspiring.

Oil Products - On the DPP front, it was another week with significant losses, as the imbalance between demand and supply worked in the charterers' favor for another week. Losses were trimmed marginally by the increased activity noted in ARA-USG. On the CPP front, the freight market also moved on a declining path, as the accumulated slack in demand has led to an excessive rise in open tonnage.

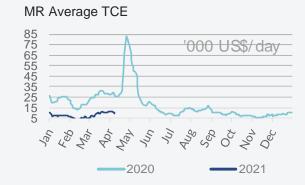
Spot market rate	s & indi	ces			Average			
		09 Apr	02 Apr	±%	2021	2020		
Baltic Tanker Indi	ices							
BDTI		646	699	-7.6%	612	722		
BCTI		567	624	-9.1%	528	586		
VLCC								
VLCC-TCE	\$/ day	-\$ 7,272	-\$ 5,705	-27.5%	-\$ 6,108	\$ 38,084		
MEG-USG	WS	18.30	19.33	-5.3%	18.89	38.50		
	\$/day	-\$ 13,385	-\$ 12,266	-9.1%	-\$ 12,540	\$ 27,578		
MEG-SPORE	WS \$/day	31.83 \$ 1,306	34.04 \$ 3,468	-6.5% -62.3%	33.11 \$ 2,683	62.19 \$ 51,510		
	WS WS	32.23	39.45	-18.3%	35.29	60.56		
WAF-CHINA	\$/day	\$ 1,113	\$ 8,445	-86.8%	\$ 3,564	\$ 12,284		
SUEZMAX	ψ/ uay	ψ 1,113	ψ 0,443	-00.078	ψ 5,504	\$ 12,204		
Suezmax-TCE	\$/day	\$ 5,444	\$ 9,275	-41.3%	\$ 6,066	\$ 25,496		
	WS	59.00	62.95	-6.3%	57.58	71.78		
WAF-UKC	\$/day	\$ 6,445	\$ 8,286	-22.2%	\$ 6,031	\$ 26,591		
DOEA MED	WS	68.67	77.72	-11.6%	71.33	80.68		
BSEA-MED	\$/day	\$ 4,443	\$ 10,263	-56.7%	\$ 6,100	\$ 24,400		
MEG-MED	WS	20.54	20.71	-0.8%	18.83	40.82		
IVILG-IVILD	\$/day	-\$ 16,874	-\$ 16,878	0.0%	-\$ 17,387	\$ 4,658		
AFRAMAX								
Aframax-TCE	\$/day	\$ 4,849	\$ 9,991	-51.5%	\$ 5,335	\$ 18,190		
NSEA-CONT	WS	96.88	108.13	-10.4%	93.62	100.42		
	\$/ day	\$ 4,033	\$ 10,642	-62.1%	\$ 1,922	\$ 17,844		
CARIBS-USG	WS	77.19	82.50	-6.4%	104.34	115.15		
	\$/day	-\$ 746	\$ 782	-195.4%	\$ 8,297	\$ 21,894		
BALTIC-UKC	WS C/dov	76.25 \$ 8,514	89.69	-15.0%	79.24	75.24		
DPP	\$/ day	\$ 8,514	\$ 15,237	-44.1%	\$ 10,386	\$ 19,487		
	WS	107.00	104.00	2.9%	77.14	91.00		
ARA-USG	\$/day	\$ 7,140	\$ 6,263	14.0%	\$ 124	\$ 11,393		
054014 4110	WS	89.06	96.25	-7.5%	76.50	91.68		
SEASIA-AUS	\$/day	\$ 6,066	\$ 8,432	-28.1%	\$ 1,902	\$ 17,556		
MED MED	WS	90.44	116.94	-22.7%	100.02	88.79		
MED-MED	\$/day	\$ 5,657	\$ 16,904	-66.5%	\$ 9,756	\$ 15,427		
CPP								
MR-TCE	\$/day	\$ 9,534	\$ 10,911	-12.6%	\$ 7,488	\$ 17,604		
MEG-JAPAN	WS	122.08	133.50	-8.6%	86.74	121.52		
	\$/day	\$ 16,660	\$ 19,980	-16.6%	\$ 6,300	\$ 27,799		
CONT-USAC	WS	125.56	142.78	-12.1%	127.51	124.71		
	\$/day	\$ 6,307	\$ 8,883	-29.0%	\$ 6,730	\$ 13,139		
USG-CONT	WS	79.64	83.21	-4.3%	73.03	96.13		
	\$/day WS	-\$ 942 143.75	-\$ 446 160.00	-111.2% -10.2%	-\$ 1,001 141.15	\$ 11,998 145.76		
SPORE-AUS	\$/ day	\$ 8,536	\$ 12,490	-31.7%	\$ 7,952	\$ 11,741		













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Period Charter Market

Dry Bulk peri	od market		last 5 years					
	09 Apr	05 Mar	±%	Min	Avg	Max		
Capesize								
12 months	\$ 23,750	\$ 20,750	14.5%	\$ 6,200	\$ 15,360	\$ 23,700		
36 months	\$ 19,750	\$ 17,500	12.9%	\$ 7,950	\$ 14,562	\$ 20,950		
Panamax								
12 months	\$ 16,750	\$ 17,000	-1.5%	\$ 4,950	\$ 11,205	\$ 19,200		
36 months	\$ 14,250	\$ 14,500	-1.7%	\$ 6,200	\$10,903	\$ 14,950		
Supramax								
12 months	\$ 16,000	\$ 17,000	-5.9%	\$ 4,450	\$ 10,277	\$ 18,450		
36 months	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,250	-2.0%	\$ 6,200	\$ 9,744	\$ 12,700		
Handysize								
12 months	\$ 16,000	\$ 15,500	3.2%	\$ 4,450	\$ 8,836	\$ 18,700		
36 months	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,000	0.0%	\$ 5,450	\$ 8,547	\$ 11,950		

Latest indicative Dry Bulk Period Fixtures

 $\rm M/V$ "ARGENTINA", 177897 dwt, built 2010, \rm dely China 10/20 Apr , \$24,000, for 10-12 months, to Deyesion

 $\rm M/V$ "XIN RONG", 79607 dwt, built 2010, dely Singapore-Japan June 2021 , \$15,500, for 2 years, to Hanaro

 $\rm M/V$ "NAVIOS BONAVIS", 180022 dwt, built 2009, dely CJK 11/12 Apr, \$Index linked 102% 5TC, for 3-5 months, to Swissmarine

 $\,$ M/V "SBI TANGO", 61192 dwt, built 2015, $\,$ dely Mumbai prompt, \$28,000, for 3/5 months, to Chart Not Rep

 $\rm M/V$ "STELLA ALICE", 180157 dwt, built 2010, \rm dely China 1/10 Apr , \$20,650, for 12-16 months, to Rio Tinto

Tanker period	d market T	la	last 5 years				
	09 Apr	05 Mar	±%	Min	Avg	Max	
VLCC							
12 months	\$ 22,500	\$ 23,500	-4.3%	\$ 19,000	\$ 32,180	\$80,000	
36 months	\$ 27,250	\$ 27,250	0.0%	\$ 23,500	\$ 30,130	\$ 45,000	
Suezmax							
12 months	\$ 17,500	\$ 16,500	6.1%	\$ 15,500	\$ 23,341	\$ 45,000	
36 months	\$ 20,750	\$ 20,750	0.0%	\$ 19,500	\$ 23,654	\$ 33,500	
Aframax							
12 months	\$ 16,000	\$ 15,000	6.7%	\$ 13,250	\$ 19,154	\$ 38,750	
36 months	\$ 19,500	\$ 19,500	0.0%	\$ 16,750	\$ 19,139	\$ 26,750	
MR							
12 months	\$ 12,250	\$ 12,250	0.0%	\$ 11,750	\$ 14,107	\$ 21,000	
36 months	\$ 13,500	\$ 13,500	0.0%	\$ 13,500	\$ 14,601	\$ 18,250	

Latest indicative Tanker Period Fixtures

M/T "MARAN ARES", 320000 dwt, built 2017, \$33,000, for 1 year trading, to EQUINOR

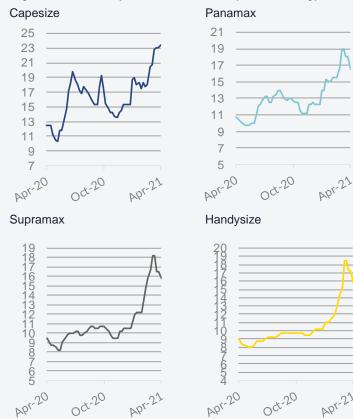
 $\mbox{M/T}$ "CLASSIC", 160000 dwt, built 2005, \$18,000, for 1 year trading, to BHARAT PETROLEUM

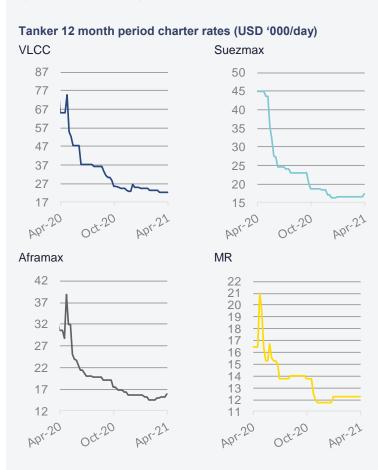
M/T "ALHANI", 115000 dwt, built 2007, \$17,750, for 1 year trading, to

 $\mbox{M/T}$ "LIA", 74000 dwt, built 2008, \$16,000, for 1 year trading, to TRAFIGURA

 $\mbox{M/T}$ "GALISSAS", 50000 dwt, built 2008, \$12,850, for 1 year trading, to NORDEN

Dry Bulk 12 month period charter rates (USD '000/day)





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Secondhand Asset Values

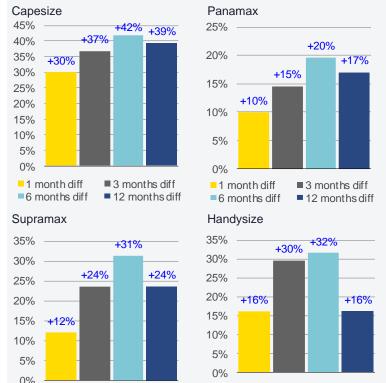
On the dry bulk side, the decreased activity compared to what we have witnessed the past few months is reflecting to some degree the slightly increasing concerns amongst buyers. The corrections noted in freight earnings the last few weeks, the number of fresh units hitting the water and the high asset prices have all trimmed buying interest to some degree. At the same time, keen sellers are not abundant in the market, as despite the recent downward route in freight rates, sentiment remains relatively robust in the segment.

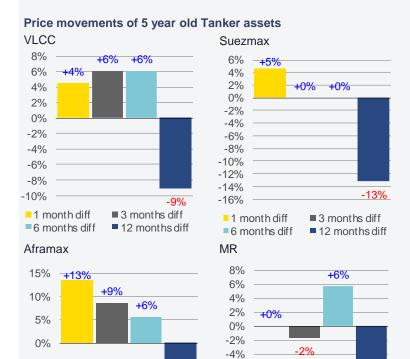
On the tankers side, we are witnessing a totally different picture emerge, as activity increased for yet another week, in spite of the disappointing freight earnings. Many buyers are now trying to position themselves in front of competition before any anticipated market upturn set to take place. Keen sellers are also growing, as a result of accumulated low earnings. Asset prices are moving upwards here as well, but they remain still close to their 5-year average figures.

Indicativ	e Dry Bulk V	alues (US	S\$ million))	la	st 5 yea	rs
		09 Apr	05 Mar	±%	Min	Avg	Max
Capesize							
180k dwt	Resale	53.00	50.00	6.0%	34.5	46.6	53.3
180k dwt	5 year old	39.00	30.00	30.0%	23.0	30.1	39.0
170k dwt	10 year old	27.75	21.50	29.1%	12.0	20.9	27.8
150k dwt	15 year old	18.00	16.00	12.5%	6.5	12.9	18.0
Panamax							
82k dwt	Resale	32.50	30.50	6.6%	22.5	29.0	32.5
82k dwt	5 year old	27.50	25.00	10.0%	11.5	21.0	27.5
76k dwt	10 year old	20.00	17.50	14.3%	7.3	13.0	20.0
74k dwt	15 year old	13.50	11.00	22.7%	3.5	8.4	13.5
Supramax	(
62k dwt	Resale	30.00	28.50	5.3%	19.0	26.3	30.0
58k dwt	5 year old	21.00	18.75	12.0%	11.0	16.3	21.0
56k dwt	10 year old	15.00	13.50	11.1%	6.0	11.8	15.0
52k dwt	15 year old	10.50	8.25	27.3%	3.5	7.6	10.5
Handysize	Э						
37k dwt	Resale	25.50	22.50	13.3%	17.0	21.6	25.5
37k dwt	5 year old	19.75	17.00	16.2%	7.8	14.3	19.8
32k dwt	10 year old	12.00	10.50	14.3%	6.0	9.1	12.0
28k dwt	15 year old	7.25	6.25	16.0%	3.5	5.5	7.3

Indicative	e Tanker Val	ues (US\$	million)		la	st 5 yea	rs
		09 Apr	05 Mar	±%	Min	Avg	Max
VLCC							
310k dwt	Resale	95.00	91.00	4.4%	82.0	90.9	106.0
310k dwt	5 year old	70.00	67.00	4.5%	60.0	67.9	83.0
250k dwt	10 year old	47.00	46.50	1.1%	38.0	45.6	58.0
250k dwt	15 year old	33.00	33.00	0.0%	21.5	29.7	40.0
Suezmax							
160k dwt	Resale	63.00	59.00	6.8%	54.0	62.0	72.0
150k dwt	5 year old	46.00	44.00	4.5%	40.0	46.9	62.0
150k dwt	10 year old	31.00	30.00	3.3%	25.0	32.0	44.5
150k dwt	15 year old	17.50	17.00	2.9%	16.0	19.5	24.0
Aframax							
110k dwt	Resale	50.00	46.00	8.7%	43.5	48.9	56.0
110k dwt	5 year old	38.00	33.50	13.4%	29.5	35.0	47.5
105k dwt	10 year old	24.50	21.50	14.0%	18.0	23.2	32.5
105k dwt	15 year old	15.50	14.00	10.7%	11.0	14.2	21.0
MR							
52k dwt	Resale	37.00	37.00	0.0%	33.0	36.4	40.0
52k dwt	5 year old	28.00	28.00	0.0%	23.0	26.8	31.0
45k dwt	10 year old	19.00	19.00	0.0%	14.5	17.8	21.0
45k dwt	15 year old	12.50	12.50	0.0%	9.0	10.8	13.0

Price movements of 5 year old Dry Bulk assets





-6% -8%

-10%

-12%

1 month diff

6 months diff

3 months diff

12 months diff

-11%

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■1 month diff

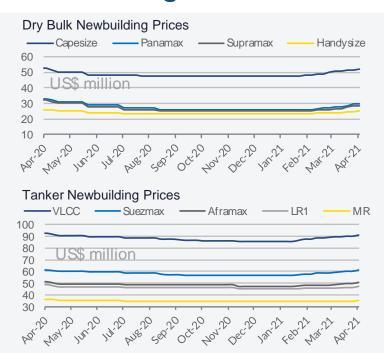
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Newbuilding Market



Demolition Market



	09 Apr	05 Mar	±%	Min	Avg	Max
Dry Bulkers						
Capesize (180,000dwt)	52.0	50.0	4.0%	41.8	47.4	53.0
Kamsarmax (82,000dwt)	32.0	28.0	14.3%	24.3	28.8	34.0
Panamax (77,000dwt)	29.5	27.0	9.3%	23.8	28.0	33.0
Ultramax (64,000dwt)	28.5	26.0	9.6%	22.3	26.9	32.0
Handysize (37,000dwt)	25.0	24.0	4.2%	19.5	23.1	26.0
Container						
Post Panamax (9,000teu)	82.5	82.5	0.0%	82.5	82.9	88.0
Panamax (5,200teu)	48.5	48.5	0.0%	48.0	49.1	56.0
Sub Panamax (2,500teu)	27.0	27.0	0.0%	26.0	27.2	29.5
oub i dildillar (2,000tcu)						
Feeder (1,700teu)	21.5	21.5	0.0%	21.5	22.0	25.0
			0.0%		22.0 st 5 ye a	
Feeder (1,700teu)			0.0% ±%			
Feeder (1,700teu)	es (US\$	million)		las	st 5 yea	ars
Feeder (1,700teu) Indicative W et NB Pric	es (US\$	million)		las	st 5 yea	ars
Feeder (1,700teu) Indicative Wet NB Pric Tankers	es (US\$ 09 Apr	million) 05 Mar	±%	las Min	st 5 yea Avg	ars Max
Feeder (1,700teu) Indicative W et NB Pric Tankers VLCC (300,000dwt)	es (US\$ 09 Apr 91.5	million) 05 Mar 89.5	±%	las Min 80.0	st 5 yea Avg	Max 93.5
Feeder (1,700teu) Indicative W et NB Pric Tankers VLCC (300,000dwt) Suezmax (160,000dwt)	es (US\$ 09 Apr 91.5 61.5	million) 05 Mar 89.5 59.0	±% 2.2% 4.2%	80.0 53.0	88.2 58.4	93.5 63.0
Feeder (1,700teu) Indicative W et NB Pric Tankers VLCC (300,000dwt) Suezmax (160,000dwt) Aframax (115,000dwt)	es (US\$ 09 Apr 91.5 61.5 50.5	million) 05 Mar 89.5 59.0 48.0	±% 2.2% 4.2% 5.2%	80.0 53.0 43.0	88.2 58.4 48.0	93.5 63.0 52.0
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last 5 years

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Indicative Dry NB Prices (US\$ million)

LPG SGC 25k cbm

Indicative Dry Prices (\$/ Idt)						last 5 years		
		09 Apr	02 Apr	±%		Min	Avg	Max
Indian Sub Continent								
	Bangladesh	480	480	0.0%		220	370	480
	India	460	460	0.0%		225	365	460
	Pakistan	470	470	0.0%		220	367	470
Far East As	Far East Asia							
	China	-	-			110	202	290
Mediterran	Mediterranean							
	Turkey	250	250	0.0%		145	232	295
Indicative W et Prices (\$/ Idt)						last 5 years		
		09 Apr	02 Apr	±%		Min	Avg	Max
Indian Sub	Continent							
	Bangladesh	490	490	0.0%		245	386	490
	India	470	470	0.0%		250	382	470
	Pakistan	480	480	0.0%		245	383	480
Far East Asia								

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China

Mediterranean





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Rates in \$/Day Vessel Category	Weekly Trend	4/11/2021	4/4/2021	% Change	2021
Crude Tanker					
VLCC	- ↓	\$3,915	\$8,076	(51.5%)	\$5,379
Suezmax	- ↓	\$9,352	\$12,595	(25.7%)	\$9,023
Aframax	- ↓	\$10,102	\$15,244	(33.7%)	\$10,813
Product Tankers					
Long Range (LR2)	- ↓	\$20,023	\$23,541	(14.9%)	\$12,478
Medium Range	- ↓	\$8,558	\$9,289	(7.9%)	\$6,684
Dry Bulk					
Capesize		\$20,302	\$17,420	16.5%	\$13,586
Panamax	₩	\$18,845	\$22,625	(16.7%)	\$19,222
Supramax	- ↓	\$16,205	\$17,310	(6.4%)	\$14,425
Containers					
Neo-Panamax 9,000 TEU		\$62,000	\$57,000	8.8%	\$50,070
Panamax 4,400 TEU		\$44,500	\$38,500	15.6%	\$34,025
Handy 2,000 TEU	1	\$19,250	\$18,250	5.5%	\$16,372
LPG-84,000 cbm		\$19,704	\$13,957	41.2%	\$43,906
LNG-160,000 cbm	1	\$40,000	\$38,500	3.9%	\$83,019
Source: Clarkson Research & Astru	ıp Fearnlev				

Iran and the U.S. are expected to restart nuclear negotiations, which if successful would allow Iran to resume crude exports which are down 1.5 million barrels per day. If sanctions were lifted, it would translate into approximately a 4% increase in crude tanker demand. On the surface, that sounds great, but there are a few mitigating factors. First underlying oil demand has not recovered, so the impact would likely cause oil prices to fall and inventories to rise unless offset by production declines elsewhere. Secondly, Iran has their own fleet of 53 tankers accounting for just over 3% of the world's crude tanker capacity. However, due to sanctions, nearly all the fleet is idle or being used as floating storage. Consequently, if Iran volumes were to return, they would be be almost entirely carried by Iranian vessels and have little impact on the remaining tanker fleet, other than it might slow the return of volumes from other members of OPEC which would have a detrimental impact on tankers.

More importantly, underlying oil demand is still materially below 2019 levels. Based on the IEA's estimates, 2Q21 oil demand is likely to be right at 4 million barrels per day, below 2019 levels, which translates into about 10% less crude tanker demand. That gap is expected to close to 1.4 million by 4Q21 or about 3.5% lower with respect to crude tanker demand all else equal. On the other side of the equation, the crude tanker fleet has grown by 4% since year end 2019. Adding all this together, assuming IEA demand numbers are correct, by 4Q21 the supply/ demand balance should be 7.5% more oversupplied than 4Q19 (3.5% from demand and 4% from supply). If Iran production returns at the expense of other producers, the number would likely be closer to 10%, and none of this accounts for the wave of import oriented refineries which have been shuttered in favor of export focused refineries in the Middle East, effectively trading crude cargoes for refined products. Still there is movement in the right direction, but including an Iran impact, the market would likely not be balanced until later in 2022 or 2023.

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Global Shipping Fleet & Orderbook Statistics

Cargo	Category	Fleet Size (DWT)	Orderbook (DWT)	OB/Fleet %	Average Age	% Greater than 20 yrs.
Crude	VLCC	256,815,821	24,029,047	9.4%	10.1	9.0%
	Suezmax	92,820,702	9,164,086	9.9%	10.4	9.9%
	Aframax	73,783,900	5,438,000	7.4%	12.4	8.9%
Product	LR2	42,261,168	5,390,770	5.9%	9.6	5.6%
	LR1	28,287,831	157,000	5.9%	11.5	3.1%
	MR	96,254,568	5,701,344	5.9%	11.6	9.4%
	Handy	4,550,519	210,390	4.6%	16.0	33.7%
Dry Bulk	Capesize	362,410,480	23,864,600	6.6%	8.9	2.4%
	Panamax	229,520,874	14,690,700	6.4%	10.5	12.4%
	Supramax	216,136,761	11,526,805	5.3%	10.3	9.2%
	Handymax	106,127,678	3,068,706	2.9%	12.2	14.1%
		(TEU)	(TEU)			
Containers	Post-Panamax	3,493,623	1,463,128	41.9%	4.2	0.0%
	Neo-Panamax	9,422,544	705,313	7.5%	8.5	1.4%
	Intermediate	6,520,793	49,917	0.8%	13.6	13.4%
	Feeder	4,248,094	301,846	7.1%	15.1	23.8%
		(CBM)	(CBM)			
Gas	LPG	37,356,096	5,510,550	14.8%	15.7	15.8%
	LNG	90,305,665	22,450,800	24.9%	14.2	9.9%

DWT: Dead Weight Tons, TEU: Twenty Equivalent Units, CBM: Cubic Meters Source: Clarkson Research Services

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