



SNAPSHOT OF COMMERCIAL INDICATORS

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“Dance with the waves, move with the sea. Let the rhythm of the water set your soul free.”

*Christy Ann Martine, graduated from George Brown College for Early Childhood Education
(November 8, 1972)*

Introductory Note:

We consider the herein indicators valuable in decision making since shipping is a derived demand industry with many financial interactions. Turbulent global macro/micro-climate involving stock markets, currency exchanges and opportunity cost for alternative investments affect the shipping market. In the previous years, as brokers we always faced the fact that the information that we wanted to combine with our gut feeling was never available at our finger tips.

This is our small contribution to yours and our business.

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COMMODITY FUTURES					
Commodity		Exchange – Currency& Unit	Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly
Crude Oil¹	(November 22)	NYMEX - (USD/Barrel)	80,45	-7,23%	-4,59%
Brent²	(November 22)	ICE EU - (USD/Barrel)	87,62	-7,27%	-3,75%
Gas Oil³	(November 22)	ICE EU - (USD/MT)	931,21	-5,95%	-13,38%
RBOB Gasoline⁴	(November 22)	NYMEX - (USD/US Gallon)	2,4933	-5,27%	-3,20%
Natural Gas⁵	(November 22)	NYMEX - (USD/1 mio BTU)	6,79	12,98%	27,39%
Wheat⁶	(November 22)	CBOT - (USD Cents/Bushel)	797,31	-2,71%	-4,68%
Corn⁷	(November 22)	CBOT - (USD/ Bushel)	659,09	-0,03%	-3,43%
Rice (rough)⁸	(November 22)	CBOT - (USD/Hundredweight)	17,79	0,73%	9,54%
Soybeans⁹	(November 22)	CBOT - (USD Cents/Bushel)	1433,52	-0,65%	3,91%
Soybean Meal¹⁰	(November 22)	CBOT - (USD/Short ton)	406,05	-0,68%	-1,50%
Sugar #11¹¹	(November 22)	ICE US - (USD/Pound)	19,90	-0,32%	9,56%
Gold¹²	(November 22)	COMEX - (USD/Troy ounce)	1749,08	-1,57%	6,09%
Silver¹³	(November 22)	COMEX - (USD/Troy ounce)	20,86	-5,29%	8,49%
Copper¹⁴	(3 Months)	LME - (USD/MT)	8005,00	-1,29%	5,94%
Aluminium¹⁵	(3 Months)	LME -(USD/MT)	2397,00	0,25%	9,89%

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USD LIBOR 12 months	Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly
	5,566	1,50%	3,72%

EXCHANGE RATE	Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly
EUR / USD	1,0246	-0,71%	4,01%
USD / INR	81,700	0,88%	-1,16%
USD / TRY	18,631	0,09%	0,08%

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STOCK MARKETS		Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly
USA	S&P 500	3938	-0,89%	2,43%
USA	NASDAQ-100	11677	-1,18%	1,82%
Brazil	IBOVESPA	110	-2,87%	-6,16%
Russia	RTSI INDEX	1142	-2,07%	7,37%
India	S&P BSE SENSEX	61419	-4,96%	2,65%
China	CSI 300 INDEX	3762	-1,04%	3,47%
S.Africa	FTSE/JSE Africa All Share Index	71856	1,47%	10,61%
Greece	ATHENS INDEX COMPOS	891	0,19%	3,25%

10-YEAR BOND YIELD	Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly
USA	0,038	-0,83%	-9,80%
Brazil	0,133	1,22%	9,98%
Russia	0,100	-0,10%	1,73%
India	0,073	0,45%	-1,64%
China	0,028	-0,39%	3,82%
S.Africa	0,104	1,76%	-6,02%
Greece	0,043	-1,71%	-12,43%

BALTIC EXCHANGE								BUNKERS			
	Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly		Actual last	% weekly	% 4-weekly	Grades			
BDI	1177	-4,15%	-34,50%					Port	IFO380	VLSFO	MGO
BCI	1129	-4,97%	-44,55%	BCI T/C – 180.000 dwt	\$9.363	-4,99%	-44,54%	Fujairah	380	629	1213
BPI	1549	-6,12%	-26,69%	BPI T/C – 82.500 dwt	\$13.937	-6,15%	-26,72%	Houston	412	593	943
BSI	1164	-0,51%	-30,30%	BSI T/C – 58.000 dwt	\$12.800	-0,54%	-30,33%	Rotterdam	400	559	924
BHSI	757	-0,79%	-21,06%	BHSI T/C – 38.000 dwt	\$13.631	-0,75%	-21,07%	Singapore	422	647	1030

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Notes :

1. Crude Oil - U.S. Dollars and Cents per barrel (contract of 1,000 barrels, 1 barrel = 42 us gallons = 158.98 litres = 0.13642565 metric tons)
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3. Gas Oil - U.S. Dollars and Cents per Metric Tonne (contract of 100 Metric Tonnes) (10ppm diesel, at a density of 0.845 kg/litre in vacuum at 15 Celsius)
4. RBOB Gasoline - U.S. Dollars and Cents per us gallon (contract of 42,000 us gallons = 136.42 metric tonnes)
5. Natural Gas - U.S. Dollars and Cents per 1 million BTU (contract of 10,000 million British Thermal Unit)
6. Wheat - Cents per bushel (contract of 5,000 bushels ~ 136 Metric Tons)
7. Corn - Cents per bushel (contract of 5,000 bushels ~ 127 Metric Tons)
8. Rice rough - U.S. Dollars and Cents hundredweight (contract of 2,000 hundredweights ~ 91 Metric Tons)
9. Soybeans - Cents per bushel (contract of 5,000 bushels ~ 136 Metric Tonnes)
10. Soybean Meal - U.S. Dollars and Cents per short ton (contract of 100 short tons ~ 91 Metric Tonnes)
11. Sugar #11 - U.S. Dollars and Cents per pound (contract of 112,000 pounds = 50.8023 Metric Tonnes)
12. Gold - U.S. Dollars and Cents per troy ounce (contract of 100 troy ounces, 1 troy ounce = 31,1034 grams)
13. Silver - U.S. Dollars and Cents per troy ounce (contract of 5,000 troy ounces, 1 troy ounce = 31,1034 grams)
14. Copper - U.S. Dollars and Cents per metric tonne, 3 months Buyer's price (contract of 25 metric tonnes)
15. Aluminium - U.S. Dollars and Cents per metric tonne, 3 months Buyer's price (contract of 25 metric tonnes)

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