

Clarksons Hellas Weekly Bulletin

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Bulk Carriers

Vessel	DWT	Built	Details	SS/DD	Price	Buyer
CAPE MAPLE	206,204	2005 IMABARI	MAN B. & W. 6S70MC-C7.1 BWTS Fitted	SS 08/25 DD 09/23	RGN USD 15 M	TURKISH
SUNRISE RAINBOW	56,415	2012 JIANGSU HANTONG	MAN B. & W. 6S50MC-C8.2 Tier II, 4 x 36 T, BWTS Fitted	SS 07/25 DD 04/23	XS USD 15 M	U/D

Tankers - Chemicals - LPG/LNGs

Vessel	DWT	Built	Details	SS/DD	Price	Buyer
GWN 3	50,192	2021 SAMSUNG HI	MAN B.&W. 6G50ME-C9.6 Phenolic Epoxy, IMO II/III BWTS & Scrubber Fitted	SS 01/26 DD 01/24	RGN USD 47 M	EUROPEANS

New Building

In dry bulk this week, it has been reported that Mitsui & Co, backed by Cargill charter, have ordered two firm Methanol dualfuel 82.5k dwt Kamsarmaxes at Tsuneishi Cebu, with delivery expected in November 2025 and February 2026. Nantong Xiangyu have taken two separate orders for four firm 63.5k dwt Ultramaxes and two 40.5k dwt Handysizes from Doun Kisen, with the vessels slated for delivery in 2025.

In containers, Samudera Shipping Line announced contracting two firm 1,900 TEU Containerships, understood to be at Naikai Zosen Shipyard, with the vessels to deliver in 4Q 2024 and 1Q 2025 respectively. Wuchang SB announced contracting three firm plus three optional 13k dwt Deck Cargo Carriers for an unknown owner, with the firm vessels to deliver within 2025.

In the ferry sector, Caledonian Maritime announced ordering two firm 450 passenger Ferries at Cemre. Both vessels are battery hybrid fitted and will deliver with 2025.

Recycling

Lack of Action!

The quiet start to the year has continued this week with the lack of actual sales activity continuing.

Amid the weaker freight markets in the container sector and supply pressure from fleet growth (more new buildings to arrive on the seas), many are predicting a deluge of container units to hit the recycling market. This has, however, not developed yet and our predictions are that yes, we will see a larger supply this year, but the potential flood of such tonnage will arrive towards the latter part of 2023 and fully through the whole of 2024. Whilst the rates have weakened considerably, many are on long term charters and therefore we will not see these vessels until they deliver at the back end of their charters.

There is still various market rumours surrounding the potential sale of 10 container units that have been discussed in the market from clients of Wan Hai Lines. The Owners are limiting the sales to a small number of HKC approved recycling yards in India. which is affecting the buying interest in the units. We do hope however that there should be a clearer picture surrounding the final outcome of these units next week.

Demolition

Bulk Carriers – GCs – CVs

Vessel	DWT	Built	Details	Price	Delivery
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Tankers – Chemicals – LPGs

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Baltic Index		Exchange Rate		Bunker Prices (USD)				
BDI	946	- 30	Euro/USD	1.07933	BUNKERS	ROTTERDAM	SPORE	FUJAIRAH
BCI	1299	- 50	YEN/USD	0.00766	VLSFO	564.50	609.00	615.00
BPI	1069	- 15	Brent (USD)		MGO	877.50	886.50	1178.50
BSI	686	- 29	84.129		IFO 380	380.00	391.00	385.00
BHSI	500	- 8						



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