



# *Ocean Rate Bulletin*

## Almonds:

### **Total TEU/FEU:**

The numerator represents the total number of 20-foot equivalent unit (TEU) shipped, by all carriers, during June 1999. The denominator represents the total number of TEU shipped, by all carriers, throughout the 1999 calendar year. Source: Port Import Export Reporting Service (PIERS), Journal of Commerce, June 1999.

### **Market Share-January:**

Each carrier's current market share is based on the number of containers shipped during June 1999. Source: PIERS, June 1999.

### **Market Share-CY 1999:**

Each carrier's market share is based on the total number of containers shipped throughout the 1999 calendar year. Source: PIERS, 1999.

### **Transit Time:**

Each carrier's transit time is calculated on departure from Oakland, CA unless otherwise noted. Source: "The Pacific Shipper On-Line" and "The Shipping Guide on the Web."

### **Ocean Rates:**

Ocean rates are applicable for August 31, 1999. Rates are per 20-foot container. Rates are quoted in U.S. dollars and represent container-yard to container-yard shipments. Source: Identified through the DXI on-line rate tariff and PLUS Tariff retrieval systems.

### **Container Rate:**

Container rates for Almonds are quoted on full, 16 KT per 20-foot dry containers unless otherwise noted.

### **Definitions**

- AI = All Inclusive
- ARB = Arbitrary Charge
- BAF(FAF) = Bunker Adjustment Factor is also known as fuel adjustment factor.
- CAF = Currency Adjustment Charge
- CFS = Container Freight Station - used to consolidate shipments.
- CY-CY = Container Yard to Container Yard
- KT = 1,000 Kilograms (Metric Ton).
- PC = Per Container
- THC = Terminal Handling Charge, also known as Container Yard Charge (CY).
- TEU = 20-foot Equivalent Unit (20-foot container).

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Busan, South Korea

Almonds

*Monthly Market Share For: June 1999*

Month\Year: 3\50

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CY</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>
Hanjin	67%	24%	12 Days	\$1,178									\$1,178
Cho Yang	33%	49%	12 Days	\$700.00									\$700
Mitsui OSK	0%	4%	12 Days	\$973.00									\$973

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Hong Kong

Almonds

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 14\88

Surcharges:

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:						Size	ContainerRate	
					BAF	CY	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB			Cotton R.
K Line	43%	13%	16 Days	\$660.00									\$660
OOCL	29%	18%	16 Days	\$625.00									\$625
Maersk	14%	10%	14 Days	\$750.00	\$20								\$770
Mitsui OSK	14%	10%	16 Days	\$625.00									\$625
Senator	0%	26%	14 Days	\$645.00									\$645
Yang Ming	0%	3%	16 Days	\$750.00									\$750

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Keelung, Taiwan

Almonds

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 9\62

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CY</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>
Yang Ming	54%	34%	14 Days	\$745.00									\$745
Evergreen	24%	20%	18 Days										
Cho Yang	22%	11%	12 Days	\$500.00	\$20								\$520
Senator	0%	11%		\$645.00									\$645
Hapag-Lloyd	0%	6%	14 Days	\$1,095				5%					\$1,150
Maersk	0%	6%	11 Days	\$750.00	\$20			4%					\$800
APL	0%	6%	12 Days										

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To PT Kelang, Malaysia

Almonds

*Monthly Market Share For: June 1999*

Month\Year: 2\12

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CY</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>
K Line	100%	82%	23 Days	\$1,084									\$1,084
Senator	0%	18%	23 Days	\$925.00									\$925

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Singapore

Almonds

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 2\15

Surcharges:

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:						Size	ContainerRate
					BAF	CY	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB		
Senator	50%	34%	18 Days	\$1,250								\$1,250
K Line	50%	27%	20 Days	\$1,175								\$1,175
Yang Ming	0%	14%	20 Days	\$1,350								\$1,350
Maersk	0%	12%	17 Days	\$1,250	\$20		8%					\$1,370
Cho Yang	0%	12%	18 Days	\$900.00								\$900
Zim Line	0%	1%	20 Days	\$1,448								\$1,448

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Tokyo, Japan

Almonds

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 14\169

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share CY</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>Surcharges:</i>						<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>	
					<i>BAF</i>	<i>CY</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>			<i>Cotton R.</i>
Yang Ming	36%	28%	10 Days	\$1,100									\$1,100
NYK Line	29%	22%	11 Days	\$930.00									\$930
P&O Nedlloyd	14%	31%	11 Days	\$1,085									\$1,085
Hanjin	0%	8%	9 Days	\$880.00									\$880