

# Ocean Rate Bulletin



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## **Total TEU/FEU:**

The numerator represents the total number of 40-foot equivalent unit (FEU) shipped, by all carriers, during July 2004. The denominator represents the total number of FEU shipped, by all carriers, throughout the 2004 calendar year. Source: Port Import Export Reporting Service (PIERS), Journal of Commerce, July 2004.

## **Market Share-July:**

Each carrier's current market share is based on the number of containers shipped during July 2004. Source: PIERS, July 2004.

## **Market Share-CY 2004:**

Each carrier's market share is based on the total number of containers shipped throughout the 2004 calendar year. Source: PIERS, 2004.

## **Transit Time:**

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

## **Ocean Rates:**

Ocean rates are applicable for September 30, 2004. Rates are per 40-foot container. Rates are quoted in U.S. dollars and represent container-yard to container-yard shipments. Source: Identified through the Descartes on-line rate tariff, PLUS Tariff retrieval systems, eztariff rate retrieval system, and individual shipping line websites.

## **Container Rate:**

Container rates for Hay are quoted on full, 20 KT per 40-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.
- Chassis = Chassis Surcharge
- KT = 1,000 Kilograms (Metric Ton).
- PC = Per Container
- THC = Terminal Handling Charge, also known as Container Yard Charge (CY).
- FEU = 40-foot Equivalent Unit (40-foot container).

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

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Monthly Market Share For: July 2004

Month\Year: 198.0 \ 2,446.0

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:						Size	Container Rate	
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB			Cotton R.
Mediterranean	29%	30%	13	\$350									\$350
Yang Ming	26%	5%	12										
Wan Hai	15%	11%	19	\$500	\$45								\$545
SAF Marine	10%	6%	15	\$450									\$450
Hanjin	5%	18%	9										
Hyundai	5%	8%	12										
ANL Container Line	5%	2%											
Zim Line	4%	10%											
CMA-CGM	0%	3%											
												<i>Average Container Rate</i>	\$423

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

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Monthly Market Share For: July 2004

Month\Year: 452.3 \ 3,671.9

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:							Size	Container Rate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB	Cotton R.		
Wan Hai	58%	36%	13	\$450	\$45								\$495
SAF Marine	16%	9%	22	\$500									\$500
Lauritzen	9%	4%	12	\$1,000	\$230	\$40	4%						\$1,310
Yang Ming	6%	39%	13										
Maersk-SeaLand	4%	2%	15	\$650	\$230	\$40							\$920
OOCL	4%	1%	11	\$950	\$230	\$40							\$1,220
MOL	2%	3%	10										
Zim Line	0%	5%	23										
<b>Average Container Rate</b>												\$629	

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

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Monthly Market Share For: July 2004

Month\Year: 1,126.0 \ 8,784.2

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time in Days	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:						Size	Container Rate
					BAF	CHASSIS	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB		
Mediterranean	39%	39%	23	\$475								\$475
COSCO	18%	10%	13	\$1,050								\$1,050
Maersk-SeaLand	14%	15%	11	\$725	\$230	\$40						\$995
MOL	9%	8%	10									
Hyundai	6%	3%										
Hanjin	3%	4%	6									
Evergreen	3%	2%	11	\$565	\$230							\$795
SAF Marine	3%	1%	13	\$650								\$650
Lauritzen	2%	5%	11	\$850								\$850
Yang Ming	2%	2%	10									
OOCL	1%	3%	9	\$961	\$230	\$40	49%					\$1,702
Hapag-Lloyd	1%	0%	11	\$914	\$230	\$40	49%					\$1,632
Lykes Lines	0%	4%	24	\$650								\$650
<b>Average Container Rate</b>											\$745	