



# *Ocean Rate Bulletin*

## **Pistachios:**

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

The numerator represents the total number of 20-foot equivalent unit (TEU) shipped, by all carriers, during October 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, October 1999.

### **Market Share-October:**

Each carrier's current market share is based on the number of containers shipped during October 1999. Source: PIERS, October 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 December 30, 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 E-Transport on-line rate tariff, PLUS Tariff retrieval systems, and individual shipping line websites.

### **Container Rate:**

Container rates for Pistachios are quoted on full, 17.5 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).
- FEU = 40-foot Equivalent Unit (40-foot container).

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: October 1999

Month\Year: 27\623

*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>
Mitsui OSK	52%	20%	14 Days	\$1,000									\$100
Maersk	22%	9%	14 Days	\$750.00	\$40								\$790
Hyundai	15%	7%	13 Days <sup>4</sup>	\$625.00									\$625
Senator	7%	20%	14 Days	\$400.00									\$400
OOCL	4%	38%	15 Days	\$1,000									\$1,000

<sup>4</sup> Transit time is based on departure from Long Beach, CA.

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: October 1999

Month\Year: 5\13

*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>
Mitsui OSK	80%	39%	12 Days	\$1,000									\$1,000
OOCL	20%	30%	15 Days	\$930.00	\$32								\$962
Hanjin	0%	31%	17 Days <sup>4</sup>										

<sup>4</sup> Transit time is based on departure from Long Beach, CA.

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: October 1999

Month\Year: 6\24

*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>
Cho Yang	83%	26%	18 Days	\$1,075									\$1,075
Mitsui OSK	17%	4%	21 Days	\$1,292	\$32		9%						\$1,440
Senator	0%	39%	18 Days	\$450.00									\$450
OOCL	0%	17%	21 Days	\$1,292	\$32		9%						\$1,440
K Line	0%	9%	18 Days	\$1,175									\$1,175
NYK Line	0%	4%	21 Days										

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: October 1999

Month\Year: 7\48

*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	86%	38%	10 Days	\$1,650	\$40							40 KT	\$1,690
P&O Nedlloyd	14%	21%	9 Days	\$1,085								40 KT	\$1,085
Hanjin	0%	33%	10 Days <sup>4</sup>	\$930.00									\$930

<sup>4</sup> Transit time is based on departure from Long Beach, CA.