

# Ocean Rate Bulletin



## Lentils:

### Total TEU/FEU:

The numerator represents the total number of 20-foot equivalent unit (TEU) shipped, by all carriers, during April 2001. The denominator represents the total number of TEU shipped, by all carriers, throughout the 2001 calendar year. Source: Port Import Export Reporting Service (PIERS), Journal of Commerce, April 2001.

### Market Share-April:

Each carrier's current market share is based on the number of containers shipped during April 2001. Source: PIERS, April 2001.

### Market Share-CY 2001:

Each carrier's market share is based on the total number of containers shipped throughout the 2001 calendar year. Source: PIERS, 2001.

### Transit Time

Each carrier's transit time is calculated on departure from Portland, OR or Seattle, WA (for WC) and New York, NY, Miami, FL, or Charleston, SC (for EC) unless otherwise noted.

Source: "The Pacific Shipper On-Line" and "The Shipping Guide on the Web."

### Ocean Rates

Ocean rates are applicable for June 30, 2001. 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 Lentils are quoted on full 20-foot dry containers unless otherwise noted.

Container movements of lentils are defined by the Harmonized Tariff System as "Lentils, dried shelled, including seed."

### 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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East Coast Ports To Callao, Peru

Lentils

Monthly Market Share For: April 2001

Month\Year: 47.0 \ 128.0

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>
Maruba	51%	19%	13 Days	\$863	\$162	\$40							\$1,065
Italia	36%	70%	22 Days	\$775	\$40			\$500					\$1,315
Mexican Line	13%	9%		\$938	\$162								\$1,100
SAF	0%	17%											

*Average Container Rate* \$1,159

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East Coast To Cape Town, South Africa

Lentils

Monthly Market Share For: April 2001

Month\Year: 11.0 \ 59.0

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>	<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>
SAF	100%	58%		\$2,310	\$195	\$40		\$375		\$700			\$3,620
Maersk-SeaLand	0%	25%		\$2,310	\$195	\$40		\$375		\$700			\$3,620

*Average Container Rate* \$3,620

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

Lentils

*Monthly Market Share For: April 2001*

Month\Year: 0.2 \ 0.2

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</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	100%	100%	15 Days	\$1,417	\$112	\$40							\$1,569

*Average Container Rate* \$1,569

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Valencia, Spain

Lentils

Monthly Market Share For: April 2001

Month\Year: 126.0 \ 359.0

*Surcharges:*

<i>Carrier</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Market Share</i>	<i>Transit Time</i>	<i>Ocean Rate</i>	<i>Surcharges:</i>					<i>Size</i>	<i>ContainerRate</i>		
					<i>BAF</i>	<i>CHASSIS</i>	<i>CAF</i>	<i>THC</i>	<i>CFS Rec</i>	<i>ARB</i>	<i>Cotton R.</i>		
Italia	92%	88%	24 Days	\$1,075	\$40			\$500					\$1,615
Contship	6%	2%	21 Days	\$550		\$40							\$590
Zim Line	2%	10%											

*Average Container Rate* \$1,552