



Ocean Rate Bulletin

Pistachios:

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-June:

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 40-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 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 Bangkok, Thailand

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 1\2

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>
Senator	100%	100%		\$975.00									\$975

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 84\308

Surcharges:

Carrier	Market Share	Market Share CY	Transit Time	Ocean Rate	Surcharges:						Size	ContainerRate
					BAF	CY	CAF	THC	CFS Rec	ARB		
OOCL	60%	37%	16 Days	\$625.00								\$625
Senator	29%	26%	14 Days	\$400.00								\$400
Mitsui OSK	5%	7%	16 Days	\$625.00								\$625
Hyundai	2%	12%	14 Days	\$625.00								\$625
Mediterranean	2%	1%										
Hapag-Lloyd	1%	1%	15 Days	\$1,000								\$1,000
Maersk	0%	9%	14 Days	\$750.00	\$20							\$770
K Line	0%	4%	16 Days	\$660.00								\$660
COSCO	0%	3%	16 Days	\$650.00								\$650

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L.A./L.B./Oakland Ports To Manila, Philippines

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 1\4

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>
APL	100%	28%	15 Days	\$1,870									\$1,870
Madrigal	0%	37%											
Senator	0%	35%		\$400.00									\$400

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

Pistachios

Monthly Market Share For: June 1999

Month\Year: 7\33

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	57%	45%	9 Days	\$930.00									\$930
P&O Nedlloyd	14%	21%	11 Days	\$1,085									\$1,085
Yang Ming	14%	21%	10 Days										
Hapag-Lloyd	14%	3%	11 Days	\$828.00			40%						\$1,159
Hyundai	0%	3%	11 Days	\$1,142	\$16		40%						\$1,615
Senator	0%	3%	9 Days	\$700.00									\$700