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New ConTex Container Ship Time Charter Assessment Index

Ne	w ConTex*	522			
	19.07.18	12 mos	24 mos		
Geared	1100 TEU	\$8.292			
	1700 TEU	\$10.718	n.a.		
	2500 TEU	\$11.994	\$12.869		
ess	2700 TEU	\$11.991	\$12.898		
Gearless	3500 TEU	\$12.377	\$13.358		
	4250 TEU	\$12.839	\$13.862		

Legend						
1	up + 2% or mor					
\sim	steady up	from +1% to +1,9%				
\Rightarrow	steady	+/- 1 %				
\searrow	steady down	from -1% to -1,9%				
1	down	- 2% or less				

*New ConTex evaluation is EXCLUDING 2500/2700/3500/4250 TEU groups for 12 months period

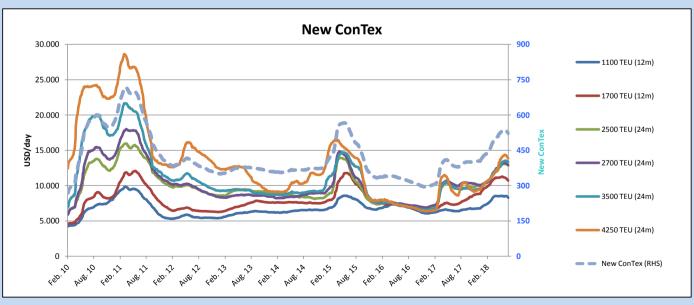
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For the second week in a row the New ConTex lost ground, closing at 522 points. All segments suffered losses between 0.6% and 2.0%. The biggest drop over the past week came from the 1,100 TEU segment but also the 3,500 TEU class, which last week remained on a relative stable level, started to move southwards. The rates of these vessels decreased 1.4% to \$12,377 per day over a period of 12 months. The Panamax sector of 4,250 TEU lost 1.5% which corresponds to approximately \$200.

The declining demand for tonnage due to the traditionally quieter summer season will most likely continue to put the charter market under pressure in the coming weeks.

In addition, the rate of unemployed vessels increased in almost all segments. Service cutbacks on the Transpacific and the Middle East route lead to a rising idle fleet. According to Alphaliner, 122 vessels with a capacity of about 315,000 TEU are classified as "idle", which corresponds to 2,3% of the total cellular fleet. It is expected that more ships will become "idle" over the next few weeks.

				New ConTex Development								
Vessel type Evaluated Period		Today	Week-on-Week		Month-on-Month		Year-on-Year					
		Period	19.07.18	12.07.18	Change	Change	19.06.18	Change	Change	18.07.17	Change	Change
New ConTex*		522	529	-7	-1,3%	534	-12	-2,2%	381	141	37,0%	
New ConTex	1100 TEU	12 mos	\$8.292	\$8.465	-\$173	-2,0%	\$8.467	-\$175	-2,1%	\$6.384	1.908	29,9%
	1700 TEU		\$10.718	\$10.865	-\$147	-1,4%	\$11.159	-\$441	-4,0%	\$7.336	3.382	46,1%
	2500 TEU	- 24 mos	\$12.869	\$12.959	-\$90	-0,7%	\$13.050	-\$181	·1,4%	\$9.601	3.268	34,0%
	2700 TEU		\$12.898	\$13.051	-\$153	→ -1,2%	\$13.155	-\$257	2,0%	\$10.047	2.851	28,4%
	3500 TEU		\$13.358	\$13.498	-\$140	-1,0%	\$13.425	-\$67	-0,5%	\$9.658	3.700	38,3%
	4250 TEU		\$13.862	\$14.097	-\$235	-1,7%	\$14.237	-\$375	-2,6%	\$8.786	5.076	57,8%
	2500 TEU	12 mos	\$11.994	\$12.071	-\$77	-0,6%	\$12.195	-\$201	·1,6%	\$8.566	3.428	40,0%
	2700 TEU		\$11.991	\$12.153	-\$162	·1,3%	\$12.245	-\$254	-2,1%	\$9.029	2.962	32,8%
	3500 TEU		\$12.377	\$12.555	-\$178	·1,4%	\$12.465	-\$88	-0,7%	\$8.404	3.973	47,3%
	4250 TEU		\$12.839	\$13.030	-\$191	-1,5%	\$13.202	-\$363	-2,7%	\$7.316	5.523	75,5%



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