

New ConTex Container Ship Time Charter Assessment Index

Ne	w ConTex*	541			
	16.11.23	6 mos	12 mos		
рē	1100 TEU	\$8.402	n.a.		
Geared	1700 TEU	\$10.046	II.a.		
	2500 TEU		\$12.066		
SS	2700 TEU	n.a.	\$12.707		
Gearless	3500 TEU		\$14.443		
	4250 TEU		\$15.885		

Legend						
1	up	+ 2% or more				
N	steady up	from +1% to +1,9%				
	steady	+/- 1 %				
21	steady down	from -1% to -1,9%				
+	down	- 2% or less				

*New ConTex evaluation is EXCLUDING 1100/1700/5700/6500 TEU groups for 12 months period & 2500/2700/3500/4250 TEU groups for 24 months period

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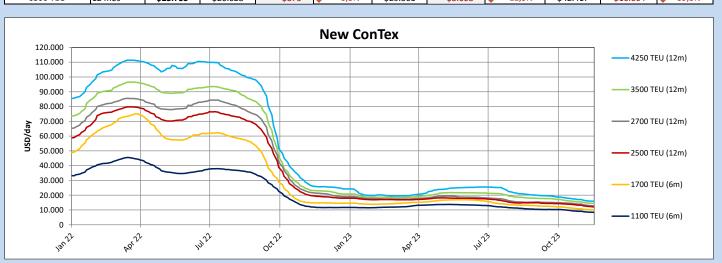
The New ConTex has continued its downward slope, losing another 2% w-o-w and 11.7% m-o-m. Activity has been relatively high this week and with charterers usually trying to fix lower than last done, basically all sizes continue to see falling rates and periods which are getting shorter and more flexible.

Even though not tracked by the New ConTex, it is remarkable to see though that bigger post panamaxes are still keeping relatively strong and 2024 positions are being sought-after and fixed at healthy levels. Theoretically, these ships should actually be suffering the most from the newbuilding program of the next years.

In contrast it is the smaller feeders, particularly the 1100 TEU segment (and smaller), where the biggest pressure seems to be right now. This applies to both Continent/ Med and Asia markets where there have been some fixtures already which are coming dangerously close to OPEX levels. It is hard to believe that there could be any improvement around the corner since right now there is simply too much supply and not enough demand from the regional trades.

When looking at bigger feeders, the old standard 2700 TEU designs are still getting fixed at numbers which would have been fantastic rates during "normal" times pre-Covid. But of course, also these sizes have lost considerably during the past months, being down 2.8% w-o-w and 12.5% m-o-m. And the downward pressure remains high, mainly because various operators are trying to push their surplus ships into the market. Overall, there is not much to cheer about at this point of the cycle, from a tonnage providers' point of view.

New ConTex Development											
Vessel type	Evaluated	Today	Week-on-Week			Month-on-Month		Year-on-Year			
	Period	16.11.23	09.11.23	Change	Change	17.10.23	Change	Change	17.11.22	Change	Change
New ConTex*		541	552	-11	→ -2,0%	613	-72	-11,7%	845	-304	-36,0%
1100 TEU	6 mos	\$8.402	\$8.559	-\$157	≥ -1,8%	\$9.609	-\$1.207	-12,6%	\$11.725	-\$3.323	-28,3 %
	12 mos	\$7.917	\$8.066	-\$149	≥ -1,8%	\$9.027	-\$1.110	-12,3 %	\$10.948	-\$3.031	J -27,7%
1700 TEU	6 mos	\$10.046	\$10.182	-\$136	≥ -1,3%	\$11.359	-\$1.313	-11,6%	\$14.804	-\$4.758	-32,1%
1700 110	12 mos	\$9.519	\$9.643	-\$124	≥ -1,3%	\$10.802	-\$1.283	-11,9 %	\$14.252	-\$4.733	-33,2%
2500 TEU	12 mos	\$12.066	\$12.391	-\$325	-2,6%	\$13.836	-\$1.770	-12,8 %	\$19.275	-\$7.209	-37,4%
	24 mos	\$10.841	\$11.086	-\$245	-2,2%	\$12.582	-\$1.741	-13,8 %	\$16.236	-\$5.395	-33,2%
2700 TEU	12 mos	\$12.707	\$13.077	-\$370	-2,8%	\$14.516	-\$1.809	-12,5 %	\$21.400	-\$8.693	4 0,6%
	24 mos	\$11.534	\$11.827	-\$293	-2,5%	\$13.311	-\$1.777	-13,3%	\$17.559	-\$6.025	-34,3%
3500 TEU	12 mos	\$14.443	\$14.673	-\$230	≥ -1,6%	\$16.043	-\$1.600	-10,0%	\$23.060	-\$8.617	-37,4%
	24 mos	\$13.118	\$13.308	-\$190	≥ -1,4%	\$14.540	-\$1.422	-9,8%	\$19.253	-\$6.135	-31,9%
4250 TEU	12 mos	\$15.885	\$16.065	-\$180	→ 1,1%	\$17.745	-\$1.860	-10,5 %	\$25.880	-\$9.995	-38,6 %
	24 mos	\$14.535	\$14.690	-\$155	≥ -1,1%	\$15.855	-\$1.320	-8,3%	\$22.195	-\$7.660	-34,5%
5700 TEU	12 mos	\$22.700	\$23.228	-\$528	-2,3%	\$26.128	-\$3.428	-13,1 %	\$34.933	-\$12.233	-35,0%
6500 TEU	12 mos	\$25.753	\$26.628	-\$875	-3,3%	\$29.361	-\$3.608	J -12,3%	\$42.417	-\$16.664	J -39,3%



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