

New ConTex 2026

Container Ship Time Charter Assessment Index

New ConTex 2026		1674	
22.10.26	6 mos	12 mos	24 mos
1100 TEU*	\$18.364	\$17.636	
1800 TEU	\$38.698	\$35.870	
2500 TEU*		\$39.409	\$29.641
2700 TEU		\$43.050	\$32.314
3500 TEU		\$46.370	\$37.270
4250 TEU		\$59.735	\$45.345
5700 TEU		\$65.650	\$51.500
6500 TEU		\$71.928	\$56.094

*GEARED

Legend		
↑	up	+ 2% or more
↗	steady up	from +1% to +1,9%
→	steady	+/- 1 %
↘	steady down	from -1% to -1,9%
↓	down	- 2% or less

New ConTex-Commentary - issued:

22.10.26

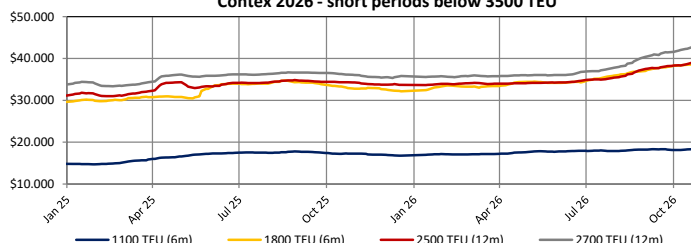
The *New ConTex* showed the largest week on week increase in almost 18 months. The jump was driven by a particularly strong 12 months fixture for a 2500 TEU vessel that got a rate about 50% over the New ConTex rate. Consequently the two year indication and the similar sized 2700 TEU segment were also pulled upwards.

Otherwise all other size categories were also in positive territory although at lower levels. The smallest category of 1100 TEU benefited from reduced small vessel supply in the Med and very strong demand for ships this size for Red Sea or Persian Gulf trades. Although most owners are not willing to give their vessels for such dangerous trades, when fixed, rates show substantial premiums of up to 25% compared to normal market rates.

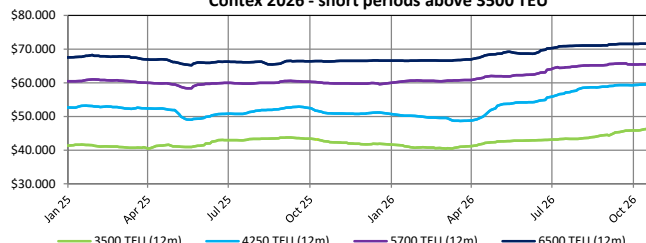
New ConTex 2026 Development

Vessel type	Evaluated Period	Today	Week-on-Week			Month-on-Month			Year-on-Year		
		22.10.26	15.10.26	Change	Change	22.09.26	Change	Change	23.10.25	Change	Change
New ConTex 2026		1674	1663	11	➡ 0,7%	1650	24	➡ 1,5%	1511	163	⬆ 10,8%
1100 TEU	6 mos	\$18.364	\$18.295	\$69	➡ 0,4%	\$18.323	\$41	➡ 0,2%	\$17.245	\$1.119	⬆ 6,5%
	12 mos	\$17.636	\$17.563	\$73	➡ 0,4%	\$17.420	\$216	⬆ 1,2%	\$16.364	\$1.272	⬆ 7,8%
1800 TEU	6 mos	\$38.698	\$38.510	\$188	➡ 0,5%	\$37.911	\$787	⬆ 2,1%	\$32.923	\$5.775	⬆ 17,5%
	12 mos	\$35.870	\$35.678	\$192	➡ 0,5%	\$35.000	\$870	⬆ 2,5%	-	-	-
2500 TEU	12 mos	\$39.409	\$38.665	\$744	⬆ 1,9%	\$38.068	\$1.341	⬆ 3,5%	\$34.305	\$5.104	⬆ 14,9%
	24 mos	\$29.641	\$29.460	\$181	➡ 0,6%	\$29.086	\$555	⬆ 1,9%	\$27.243	\$2.398	⬆ 8,8%
2700 TEU	12 mos	\$43.050	\$42.335	\$715	⬆ 1,7%	\$41.482	\$1.568	⬆ 3,8%	\$36.152	\$6.898	⬆ 19,1%
	24 mos	\$32.314	\$31.843	\$471	⬆ 1,5%	\$31.173	\$1.141	⬆ 3,7%	\$29.057	\$3.257	⬆ 11,2%
3500 TEU	12 mos	\$46.370	\$46.272	\$98	➡ 0,2%	\$45.755	\$615	⬆ 1,3%	\$42.340	\$4.030	⬆ 9,5%
	24 mos	\$37.270	\$37.247	\$23	➡ 0,1%	\$37.405	-\$135	➡ -0,4%	\$33.938	\$3.332	⬆ 9,8%
4250 TEU	12 mos	\$59.735	\$59.511	\$224	➡ 0,4%	\$59.310	\$425	➡ 0,7%	\$50.930	\$8.805	⬆ 17,3%
	24 mos	\$45.345	\$45.117	\$228	➡ 0,5%	\$44.635	\$710	⬆ 1,6%	\$41.435	\$3.910	⬆ 9,4%
5700 TEU	12 mos	\$65.650	\$65.475	\$175	➡ 0,3%	\$65.744	-\$94	➡ -0,1%	\$59.844	\$5.806	⬆ 9,7%
	24 mos	\$51.500	\$51.400	\$100	➡ 0,2%	\$51.467	\$33	➡ 0,1%	-	-	-
6500 TEU	12 mos	\$71.928	\$71.600	\$328	➡ 0,5%	\$71.567	\$361	➡ 0,5%	\$66.328	\$5.600	⬆ 8,4%
	24 mos	\$56.094	\$55.838	\$256	➡ 0,5%	\$56.083	\$11	➡ 0,0%	-	-	-

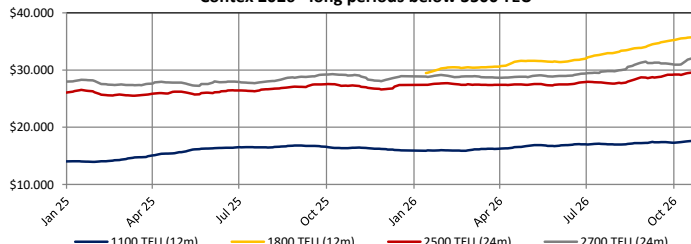
Contex 2026 - short periods below 3500 TEU



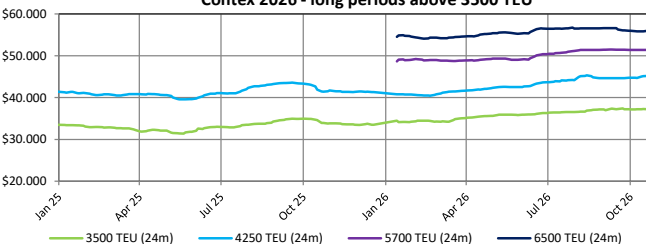
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Contex 2026 - long periods below 3500 TEU



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