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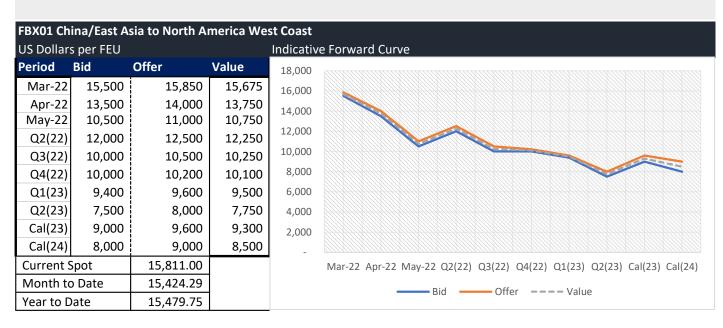
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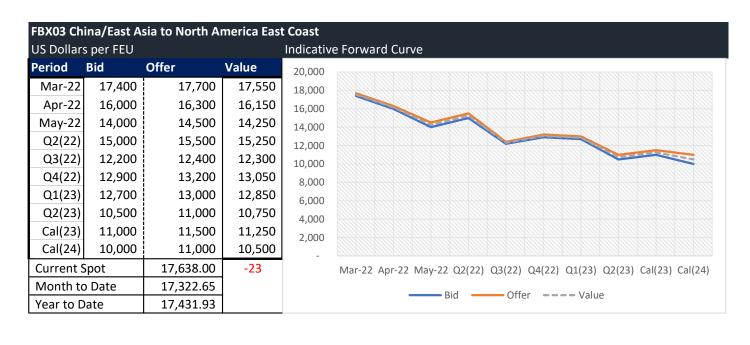
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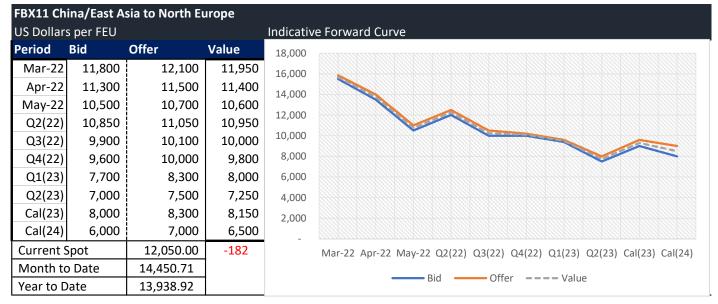
Spot rates moved on 4 routes today. On the transpac fronthaul, FBX03 (Asia to N Amer E coast) ticked down \$23. While backhaul FBX04 (N Amer E coast to Asia) rose \$12 to \$903/FEU. On the European fronthaul FBX11 (Asia to N Europe) ticked down \$182, while FBX13 (Asia to Med) ticked up \$37. In London afternoon trading, crude oil sold off on reports of progress in the Ukraine/Russia peace talks, with Brent dropping from over \$114 to around \$106 before recovering back to around \$109. A pull back in oil prices bolsters the near-term bear case for container freight, exacerbating the impact of lockdowns in China.

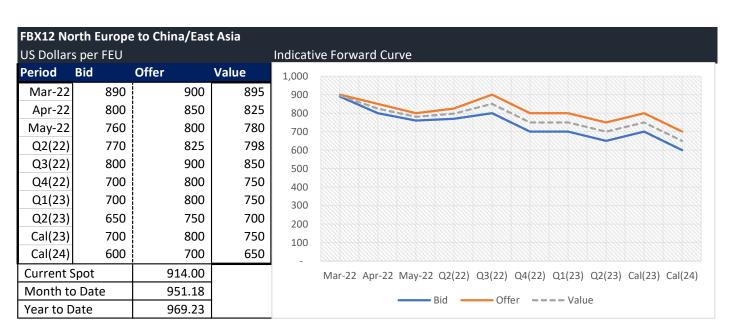
- Ukraine Overture to Russia offers path to Putin-Zelensky talks (Bloomberg)
- Sky-high box freight rates could increase global inflation by 1.5% this year: IMF (Splash247)
- Sharp surge in port congestion foreshadows Shanghai lockdown (Container News)
- Preparations set to refloat grounded Evergreen boxship (Lloyd's List)
- CMA CGM pursues \$130m expansion in the Saudi market (SeaTrade Maritime)

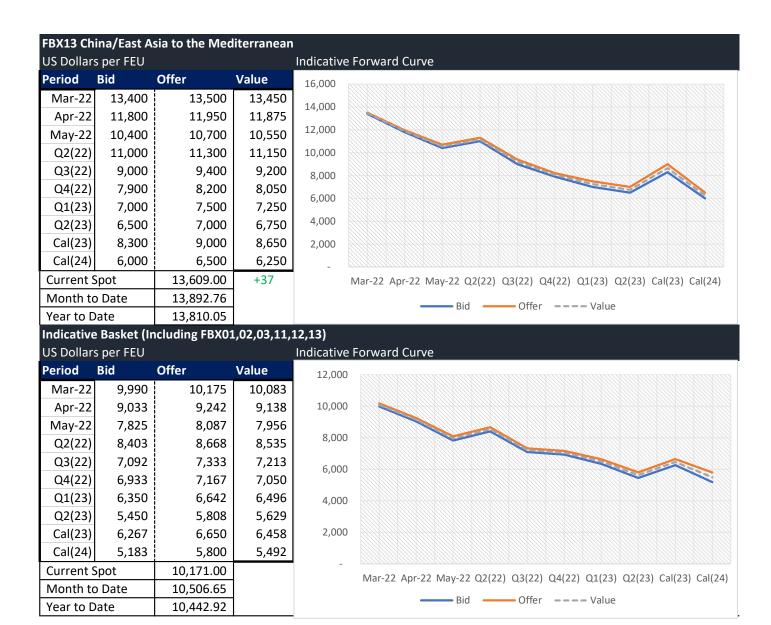












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