

## Capesize & Panamax FFA Daily Report

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#### 21 April 2023

#### **Capesize Commentary**

It is abundantly clear to anyone who isn't visually impaired that the physical cape market is poised, like a coiled spring, to erupt in a violent fashion. Cargoes are popping up like mushrooms in the Atlantic and although there are a number of prompt ships to be covered these will be fixed in the coming days as charterers chase ships. With an increase of \$0.61/mt on today's index, the C5 gapped significantly higher today as 8.75 was concluded to 2 of the majors while the C3 also improved by  $0.31/\mathrm{mt}$  . The paper opened positively, May trading in size between 19000-19500 and June trading up to 22500. Rates traded sideways throughout the day with good volume changing hands. Once again, today's index print of \$16,270/day (+1,524) was undervalued with further gains expected next week. The May contract continues to look vulnerable to sell side pressure while the index is \$3k lower but this will change if the index does indeed move higher. The rest of the curve remains well supported and as we head into May, we wonder will capes become great again? or will we flatter to deceive? - We have left cyclone season in the rear view mirror. The iron ore market dropped significantly today which could lead to some restocking and sentiment has turned. One thing is for sure, it's going to be a fun year for the capes. Have a great weekend and congratulations, once again, for making Fls your number one broker of choice for FFA's.

#### **Panamax Commentary**

Rangebound day for the Pmx to end the week with early action restricted to prompt periods and \$150 range trading. Most of the size was seen in the afternoon with June trading \$16100 and MayJune \$15850. Further out little change with Q3 and Q4 seeing underlying support but Cal24 slipped a little printing \$13300. A good weekend to all.

#### Capesize 5 Time Charter Average

Spot

Chg

| MTD    | 1526  | 0     |     |       |      |      |      |     |
|--------|-------|-------|-----|-------|------|------|------|-----|
| YTD    | 1017  | 7     |     |       |      |      |      |     |
| Per    | Bid   | Of    | fer |       | Mid  | Chg  |      |     |
| Apr 23 | 15600 | 157   | '50 | 1:    | 5675 | 425  |      |     |
| May 23 | 18900 | 191   | 00  | 1:    | 9000 | 0    |      |     |
| Jun 23 | 22000 | 22250 |     | 2     | 2125 | 50   |      |     |
| Q2 23  | 18800 | 19100 |     | 19100 |      | 1    | 8950 | 175 |
| Q3 23  | 23000 | 232   | 250 | 2     | 3125 | -425 |      |     |
| Q4 23  | 20600 | 20900 |     | 2     | 0750 | -50  |      |     |
| Q1 24  | 9750  | 10100 |     | S     | 925  | 0    |      |     |
| Q2. 24 | 16750 | 17150 |     | 1     | 6950 | 0    |      |     |
| Q3. 24 | 19700 | 20000 |     | 1     | 9850 | 0    |      |     |
| Cal 24 | 16250 | 164   | 100 | 1     | 6325 | -275 |      |     |
| Cal 25 | 16250 | 165   | 00  | 1     | 6375 | -125 |      |     |
| Cal 26 | 16200 | 165   | 00  | 1     | 6350 | 0    |      |     |
| Cal 27 | 16250 | 166   | 50  | 1     | 6450 | 0    |      |     |

### **Panamax 4 Time Charter Average**

13889

**Spot** 

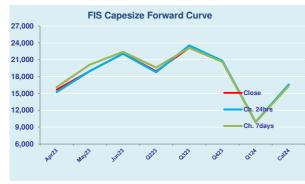
Chg

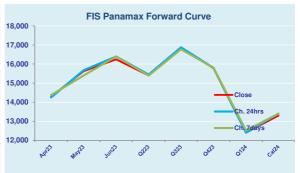
| MTD    | 1424  | 8     |       |       |       |   |      |   |     |  |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|------|---|-----|--|
| YTD    | 1070  | 9     |       |       |       |   |      |   |     |  |
| Per    | Bid   | Off   | Offer |       | Mid   |   | Chg  |   |     |  |
| Apr 23 | 14200 | 144   | 00    | 1     | 4300  |   | 50   |   |     |  |
| May 23 | 15500 | 157   | 50    | 1     | 5625  |   | -50  |   |     |  |
| Jun 23 | 16100 | 164   | 00    | 1     | 16250 |   | -150 |   |     |  |
| Q2 23  | 15300 | 15500 |       | 15500 |       | 1 | 5400 |   | -50 |  |
| Q3 23  | 16750 | 17000 |       | 17000 |       | 1 | 6875 |   | 0   |  |
| Q4 23  | 15650 | 15900 |       | 1     | 5775  |   | -25  |   |     |  |
| Q1 24  | 12300 | 12500 |       | 1     | 2400  |   | 0    |   |     |  |
| Q2. 24 | 13850 | 14250 |       | 1     | 4050  |   | 0    |   |     |  |
| Q3. 24 | 13650 | 140   | 14000 |       | 3825  |   | 0    | Ī |     |  |
| Cal 24 | 13250 | 133   | 13350 |       | 3300  |   | -100 |   |     |  |
| Cal 25 | 12900 | 130   | 13050 |       | 2975  |   | 25   |   |     |  |
| Cal 26 | 12500 | 127   | 12750 |       | 2625  |   | -100 |   |     |  |
| Cal 27 | 12400 | 127   | 50    | 1     | 2575  |   | 0    |   |     |  |

# Spread Ratio

1.17

| 1013   | 1.07  |
|--------|-------|
| -532   | 0.95  |
| Spread | Ratio |
| 1375   | 1.10  |
| 3375   | 1.22  |
| 5875   | 1.36  |
| 3550   | 1.23  |
| 6250   | 1.37  |
| 4975   | 1.32  |
| -2475  | 0.80  |
| 2900   | 1.21  |
| 6025   | 1.44  |
| 3025   | 1.23  |
| 3400   | 1.26  |
| 3725   | 1.30  |
| 3875   | 1.31  |





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#### 21 April 2023

| Capesiz | e C3  |       |     |       |       |      |  |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|-------|------|--|
| Spot    | 21.70 | 0     | CI  | hg    |       | 0.31 |  |
| MTD     | 21.95 |       |     |       |       |      |  |
| YTD     | 18.7  | 7     |     |       |       |      |  |
| Per     | Bid   | Of    | fer |       | Mid   | Chg  |  |
| Apr 23  | 21.25 | 21.75 |     | 2     | 21.50 | 0.00 |  |
| May 23  | 23.00 | 24.00 |     | 23.50 |       | 0.00 |  |
| Jun 23  | 23.25 | 24.   | .00 | 23.63 |       | 0.00 |  |
| Q2 23   | 22.58 | 23.   | .25 | 22.92 |       | 0.00 |  |
| Q3 23   | 23.00 | 24.   | .00 | 23.50 |       | 0.00 |  |
| Cal 24  | 18.00 | 18.   | .75 | 1     | 8.38  | 0.00 |  |

17.00

16.75

0.00

| Capesize C5 |      |     |            |      |      |  |  |
|-------------|------|-----|------------|------|------|--|--|
| Spot        | 8.68 | 3   | Chg        | 0    | .61  |  |  |
| MTD         | 8.26 | 6   |            |      |      |  |  |
| YTD         | 7.42 | 2   |            |      |      |  |  |
| Per         | Bid  | Off | er         | Mid  | Chg  |  |  |
| Apr 23      | 8.25 | 8.5 | 50         | 8.38 | 0.28 |  |  |
| May 23      | 8.90 | 9.0 | 00         | 8.95 | 0.18 |  |  |
| Jun 23      | 9.00 | 9.4 | 10         | 9.20 | 0.00 |  |  |
| Q2 23       | 8.60 | 8.8 | 35         | 8.73 | 0.00 |  |  |
| Q3 23       | 9.25 | 9.7 | '5         | 9.50 | 0.00 |  |  |
| Cal 24      | 8.35 | 8.8 | 35         | 8.60 | 0.00 |  |  |
| Cal 25      | 8.25 | 8.7 | <b>'</b> 5 | 8.50 | 0.00 |  |  |

| Spread | Ratio |
|--------|-------|
| 13.03  | 2.50  |
| 13.69  | 2.66  |
| 11.36  | 2.53  |
| Spread | Ratio |
| 13.13  | 2.57  |
| 14.55  | 2.63  |
| 14.43  | 2.57  |
| 14.19  | 2.63  |
| 14.00  | 2.47  |
| 9.78   | 2.14  |
| 8.25   | 1.97  |

Cal 25

16.50

| Capesize C7 |       |       |     |   |      |      |
|-------------|-------|-------|-----|---|------|------|
| Spot        | 11.04 |       | Chg |   | 0.38 |      |
| MTD         | 10.57 | 7     |     |   |      |      |
| YTD         | 9.78  |       |     |   |      |      |
| Per         | Bid   | Of    | fer |   | Mid  | Chg  |
| Apr 23      | 10.50 | 11.00 |     | 1 | 0.75 | 0.25 |
| May 23      | 11.25 | 12.   | .00 | 1 | 1.63 | 0.50 |
| Jun 23      | 11.50 | 12.   | .00 | 1 | 1.75 | 0.15 |
| Q2 23       | 11.20 | 11.   | .70 | 1 | 1.45 | 0.00 |
| Q3 23       | 12.40 | 12.   | .90 | 1 | 2.65 | 0.00 |
| Cal 24      | 11.35 | 11.   | .85 | 1 | 1.60 | 0.00 |
| Cal 25      | 11.30 | 11.   | .80 | 1 | 1.55 | 0.00 |
| Cal 26      | 10.90 | 11.   | .40 | 1 | 1.15 | 0.00 |

| Panamax P1A | Panamax P8 |
|-------------|------------|
|-------------|------------|

| Spot   | 14000 |       | CI  | ng    | 175  |     |
|--------|-------|-------|-----|-------|------|-----|
| MTD    | 1413  | 14135 |     |       |      |     |
| YTD    | 1038  | 10381 |     |       |      |     |
| Per    | Bid   | Offer |     |       | Mid  | Chg |
| Apr 23 | 13790 | 147   | 790 | 14290 |      | 0   |
| May 23 | 14290 | 152   | 290 | 14790 |      | 0   |
| Jun 23 | 14120 | 151   | 120 | 14620 |      | 0   |
| Q2 23  | 14070 | 150   | )70 | 14570 |      | 0   |
| Q3 23  | 15090 | 160   | 90  | 1     | 5590 | 0   |

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|---------|-------|-----|-----|--------|------|
| Spot    | 43.75 |     | Chg | -0.031 |      |
| MTD     | 44.63 |     |     |        |      |
| YTD     | 39.1  | 1   |     |        |      |
| Per     | Bid   | Off | er  | Mid    | Chg  |
| Apr 23  | 41.70 | 42. | 70  | 42.20  | 0.00 |
| May 23  | 43.00 | 44. | 00  | 43.50  | 0.00 |
| Jun 23  | 43.50 | 44. | 50  | 44.00  | 0.00 |
| Q2 23   | 42.70 | 43. | 70  | 43.20  | 0.00 |

46.00

45.50

0.00

| <b>Panamax</b> | 2A |
|----------------|----|
|----------------|----|

| Spot   | 2499  | 24991 |     | ng    | 164 |     |
|--------|-------|-------|-----|-------|-----|-----|
| MTD    | 2516  | 1     |     |       |     |     |
| YTD    | 2026  | 2     |     |       |     |     |
| Per    | Bid   | Of    | fer |       | Mid | Chg |
| Apr 23 | 21800 | 22800 |     | 22300 |     | 0   |
| May 23 | 22920 | 23920 |     | 23420 |     | 0   |
| Jun 23 | 22980 | 239   | 080 | 23480 |     | 0   |
| Q2 23  | 22570 | 23570 |     | 23070 |     | 0   |
| Q3 23  | 24170 | 25170 |     | 24670 |     | 0   |

| Panamax 3A |       |       |     |       |      |     |  |  |
|------------|-------|-------|-----|-------|------|-----|--|--|
| Spot       | 13769 |       | Chg |       | 121  |     |  |  |
| MTD        | 14162 |       |     |       |      |     |  |  |
| YTD        | 11258 |       |     |       |      |     |  |  |
| Per        | Bid   | Off   | er  |       | Mid  | Chg |  |  |
| Apr 23     | 13500 | 14500 |     | 14000 |      | 0   |  |  |
| May 23     | 13990 | 14990 |     | 14490 |      | 0   |  |  |
| Jun 23     | 14315 | 15315 |     | 14815 |      | 0   |  |  |
| Q2 23      | 13935 | 14935 |     | 14435 |      | 0   |  |  |
| Q3 23      | 15350 | 163   | 50  | 1     | 5850 | 0   |  |  |

| Spread | Ratio |
|--------|-------|
| 11222  | 1.82  |
| 10999  | 1.78  |
| 9004   | 1.80  |
| Spread | Ratio |
| 8300   | 1.59  |
| 8930   | 1.62  |
| 8665   | 1.58  |
| 8635   | 1.60  |
| 8820   | 1.56  |

Spot Price Source: Baltic

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Q3 23

45.00