

Trade Update

May 2024 – Issue no. 54

May 2024 container volumes increased on the prior year

Total container throughput in May 2024 was up against May 2023, with a total of 281k TEU.

Full container imports (excluding Bass Strait) volumes were up in May 2024 against prior year with furniture, domestic appliances, and paperboard all above last year's volumes.

Full container exports (excluding Bass Strait) volumes were up in May 2024 against prior year, with timber, hay, chaff & fodder, barley, and meats all above last year's volumes.

Total empty container movements was up in May 2024 against prior year's volumes.

Total Container Trade May-24 compared to May-23 (TEU)

May-24	+26.9k	+10.6%
FYTD May-24	+62.6k	+2.1%



Full Imports Excl. Bass Strait

May-24:	+14.8k	+15.7%
FYTD May-24:	+21.7k	+1.8%



Full Exports Excl. Bass Strait

May-24:	+10.7k	+21.7%
FYTD May-24:	+24.8k	+4.3%



Full Bass Strait

May-24:	+0.7k	+3.9%
FYTD May-24:	-2.7k	-1.4%



Full Transshipments

May-24:	-4.0k	-23.1%
FYTD May-24:	-4.3k	-2.6%



Empty Container Trade

May-24:	+4.6k	+6.2%
FYTD May-24:	+23.1k	+2.8%

Total Non-Container Trade May-24 compared to May-23 (Rev. Tonnes)

May-24	-83.8k	-3.6%
FYTD May-24	+351.5k	+1.5%



Motor Vehicle Trade (Units)

May-24:	-6.8k	-14.5%
FYTD May-24:	-3.3k	-0.7%



Liquid Bulk Trade

May-24:	-82.6k	-15.0%
FYTD May-24:	-11.8k	-0.2%



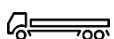
Dry Bulk Trade

May-24:	+90.0k	+17.8%
FYTD May-24:	+125.4k	+2.5%



Break Bulk Trade

May-24:	-24.6k	-20.6%
FYTD May-24:	-209.9k	-13.3%



Other Non-Container Trade

May-24:	+22.7k	+6.3%
FYTD May-24:	+353.5k	+9.9%

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