

Port of Melbourne Trade Report - Feb 2024

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Approval - Approved by Saul Cannon, CEO on delegation from the PoM Board

Port of Melbourne Container Terminals Productivity

Container Terminals Productivity Information	Units	Port of Melbourne International Container Terminals
Total containers	Containers	145,634
Total containers	TEU	233,125
Average berth throughput	TEU / berth metre	94
Average container exchange	TEU / vessel visit	2,878
Average container exchange	Containers / vessel visit	1,798

Port of Melbourne Container Trade

Container Trade Sector	Units	Port of Melbourne
Full containers		
<i>Full overseas imports</i>	TEU	107,465
<i>Full overseas exports</i>	TEU	54,269
<i>Full Bass Strait imports</i>	TEU	9,405
<i>Full Bass Strait exports</i>	TEU	10,938
<i>Full mainland coastal imports</i>	TEU	975
<i>Full mainland coastal exports</i>	TEU	3,747
Total full containers	TEU	186,799
Total empty containers	TEU	75,449
Total containers	TEU	262,248
Total containers (excl Bass Strait direct)	TEU	236,109

Container Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Total transshipment containers	TEU	13,419
Total 20' or less containers	Containers	75,806
Total greater than 20' containers	Containers	93,221

Port of Melbourne Non Containerised Trade

Non Containerised Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Motor vehicle trade volume	revenue tonnes	603,582
Motor vehicle trade volume	units	34,692
Break bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	148,711
Liquid bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	535,961
Dry bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	500,716
Other trade volume	revenue tonnes	359,746

Port of Melbourne Trade : Top Commodities

Containers

1. Misc. Manuf.
2. Furniture
3. Fruit & Veg
4. Electrical Equipment
5. Cereal Grains

Containers

6. Metal Manufactures
7. Paper & Fibre Boards
8. Machinery
9. Stockfeed
10. Plastics, Raw

Break bulk

1. New Motor Vehicles
2. Transport Equip.
3. Machinery
4. Iron & Steel
5. Metal Manufactures

Liquid bulk

1. Petroleum Products
2. Chemicals
3. Tallow
4. Vegetable oils
5. Oils, Fats, Wax

Dry bulk

1. Cereal Grains
2. Gypsum
3. Canola
4. Crude Fert & Minerals, NEI
5. ~All Others

Others

1. Misc. Manuf.
2. Livestock
3. Timber
4. Transport Equip.
5. Misc. Food Prep.

Glossary

Revenue tonnes - a quantity measure based on the greater of weight in mass tonnes and volume in cubic metres

TEU - a twenty foot equivalent unit, the international measure for standardizing container throughput numbers.

Motor Vehicles - comprises of new motor vehicles, second hand motor vehicles and transport equipment.

Bass Strait direct - domestic cargo only, shipped direct from Melbourne to Tasmania, or Tasmania to Melbourne.