

Port of Melbourne Trade Report - Mar 2023

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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	146,532
Total containers	TEU	235,224
Average berth throughput	TEU / berth metre	94
Average container exchange	TEU / vessel visit	2,529
Average container exchange	Containers / vessel visit	1,576

Port of Melbourne Container Trade

Container Trade Sector	Units	Port of Melbourne
Full containers		
Full overseas imports	TEU	111,440
Full overseas exports	TEU	58,932
Full Bass Strait imports	TEU	9,805
Full Bass Strait exports	TEU	12,759
Full mainland coastal imports	TEU	1,100
Full mainland coastal exports	TEU	5,201
Total full containers	TEU	199,237
Total empty containers	TEU	68,056
Total containers	TEU	267,293
Total containers (excl Bass Strait direct)	TEU	238,793

Container Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Total transshipment containers	TEU	14,711
Total 20' or less containers	Containers	77,635
Total greater than 20' containers	Containers	94,829

Port of Melbourne Non Containerised Trade

Non Containerised Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Motor vehicle trade volume	revenue tonnes	737,324
Motor vehicle trade volume	units	42,283
Break bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	152,922
Liquid bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	586,975
Dry bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	537,716
Other trade volume	revenue tonnes	368,662

Port of Melbourne Trade : Top Commodities

Containers

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

Containers

6. Paper & Fibre Boards
7. Misc. Food Prep.
8. Machinery
9. Clothing
10. Metal Manufactures

Break bulk

1. New Motor Vehicles
2. Transport Equip.
3. Machinery
4. Second Hand Motor Veh.
5. Iron & Steel

Liquid bulk

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

Dry bulk

1. Cement
2. Cereal Grains
3. Canola
4. Crude Fert & Minerals, NEI

Others

1. Misc. Manuf.
2. Misc. Food Prep.
3. Transport Equip.
4. Livestock
5. Wood & Cork Manuf.

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.