Port of Melbourne Trade Report - Q2 2023-24

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Port of Melbourne Container Terminals Productivity

Container Terminals Productivity Information	Units	Port of Melbourne International Container Terminals
Total containers	'000 Containers	431
Total containers	'000 TEU	690
Average berth throughput	TEU / berth metre	277
Average container exchange	TEU / vessel visit	2,758
Average container exchange	Containers / vessel visit	1,723

Port of Melbourne Container Trade

Container Trade Sector	Units	Port of Melbourne
Full containers		
Full overseas imports	'000 TEU	332
Full overseas exports	'000 TEU	160
Full Bass Strait imports	'000 TEU	24
Full Bass Strait exports	'000 TEU	39
Full mainland coastal imports	'000 TEU	4
Full mainland coastal exports	'000 TEU	14
Total full containers	'000 TEU	573
Total empty containers	'000 TEU	207
Total containers	'000 TEU	780
Total containers (excl Bass Strait direct)	'000 TEU	698

Container Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Total transhipment containers	'000 TEU	47
Total 20' or less containers	'000 Containers	230
Total greater than 20' containers	'000 Containers	275

Port of Melbourne Non Containerised Trade

Non Containerised Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Motor vehicle trade volume	'000 revenue tonnes	2,093
Motor vehicle trade volume	'000 units	120
Break bulk trade volume	'000 revenue tonnes	375
Liquid bulk trade volume	'000 revenue tonnes	1,483
Dry bulk trade volume	'000 revenue tonnes	1,237
Other trade volume	'000 revenue tonnes	1,013

Port of Melbourne Trade : Top Commodities

Containers

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

Break bulk

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

Dry bulk

1. Cement	
2. Cereal Grains	
3. Crude Fert & Minerals, NEI	
4. Gypsum	
5. Sugar, raw	

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

Liquid bulk

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

Others

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

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.