

## Port of Melbourne Trade Report - Q2 2025-26

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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 |
|--|---------------------------|---|
| <b>Total containers</b>                      | '000 Containers           | 516   |
| <b>Total containers</b>                      | '000 TEU                  | 832   |
| <b>Average berth throughput</b>              | TEU / berth metre         | 325   |
| <b>Average container exchange</b>            | TEU / vessel visit        | 3,092   |
| <b>Average container exchange</b>            | Containers / vessel visit | 1,918   |

### Port of Melbourne Container Trade

| Container Trade Sector                            | Units           | Port of Melbourne |
|---|-----------------|-------------------|
| <b>Full containers</b>                            |                 |                   |
| Full overseas imports                             | '000 TEU        | 396               |
| Full overseas exports                             | '000 TEU        | 188               |
| Full Bass Strait imports                          | '000 TEU        | 24                |
| Full Bass Strait exports                          | '000 TEU        | 41                |
| Full mainland coastal imports                     | '000 TEU        | 8                 |
| Full mainland coastal exports                     | '000 TEU        | 13                |
| <b>Total full containers</b>                      | <b>'000 TEU</b> | <b>670</b>        |
| <b>Total empty containers</b>                     | <b>'000 TEU</b> | <b>255</b>        |
| <b>Total containers</b>                           | <b>'000 TEU</b> | <b>925</b>        |
| <b>Total containers (excl Bass Strait direct)</b> | <b>'000 TEU</b> | <b>841</b>        |

| Container Trade                          | Units           | Port of Melbourne |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|
| <b>Total transshipment containers</b>    | '000 TEU        | 64                |
| <b>Total 20' or less containers</b>      | '000 Containers | 258               |
| <b>Total greater than 20' containers</b> | '000 Containers | 334               |

### Port of Melbourne Non Containerised Trade

| Non Containerised Trade           | Units               | Port of Melbourne |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Motor vehicle trade volume</b> | '000 revenue tonnes | 2,161             |
| <b>Motor vehicle trade volume</b> | '000 units          | 130               |
| <b>Break bulk trade volume</b>    | '000 revenue tonnes | 230               |
| <b>Liquid bulk trade volume</b>   | '000 revenue tonnes | 1,414             |
| <b>Dry bulk trade volume</b>      | '000 revenue tonnes | 1,473             |
| <b>Other trade volume</b>         | '000 revenue tonnes | 1,100             |

## Port of Melbourne Trade : Top Commodities

**Containers**

|                         |
|-------------------------|
| 1. Furniture            |
| 2. Electrical Equipment |
| 3. Misc. Manuf.         |
| 4. Paper & Fibre Boards |
| 5. Metal Manufactures   |

**Break bulk**

|                           |
|---------------------------|
| 1. New Motor Vehicles     |
| 2. Transport Equip.       |
| 3. Machinery              |
| 4. Second Hand Motor Veh. |
| 5. Metal Manufactures     |

**Dry bulk**

|                               |
|-------------------------------|
| 1. Cement                     |
| 2. Cereal Grains              |
| 3. Crude Fert & Minerals, NEI |
| 4. Gypsum                     |
| 5. Canola                     |

**Containers**

|                     |
|---------------------|
| 6. Fruit & Veg      |
| 7. Misc. Food Prep. |
| 8. Stockfeed        |
| 9. Plastic Ware     |
| 10. Machinery       |

**Liquid bulk**

|                       |
|-----------------------|
| 1. Petroleum Products |
| 2. Chemicals          |
| 3. Tallow             |
| 4. Molasses           |
| 5. Oils, Fats, Wax    |

**Others**

|                     |
|---------------------|
| 1. Misc. Manuf.     |
| 2. Timber           |
| 3. Dairy Products   |
| 4. Misc. Food Prep. |
| 5. Mail             |

**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.