

Port of Melbourne Trade Report - Apr 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	152,813
Total containers	TEU	246,994
Average berth throughput	TEU / berth metre	99
Average container exchange	TEU / vessel visit	2,906
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	109,688
<i>Full overseas exports</i>	TEU	56,286
<i>Full Bass Strait imports</i>	TEU	9,454
<i>Full Bass Strait exports</i>	TEU	11,662
<i>Full mainland coastal imports</i>	TEU	1,198
<i>Full mainland coastal exports</i>	TEU	4,620
Total full containers	TEU	192,908
Total empty containers	TEU	84,321
Total containers	TEU	277,229
Total containers (excl Bass Strait direct)	TEU	249,945

Container Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Total transshipment containers	TEU	15,163
Total 20' or less containers	Containers	76,683
Total greater than 20' containers	Containers	100,273

Port of Melbourne Non Containerised Trade

Non Containerised Trade	Units	Port of Melbourne
Motor vehicle trade volume	revenue tonnes	744,408
Motor vehicle trade volume	units	43,944
Break bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	81,876
Liquid bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	477,608
Dry bulk trade volume	revenue tonnes	477,518
Other trade volume	revenue tonnes	388,054

Port of Melbourne Trade : Top Commodities

Containers

1. Misc. Manuf.
2. Furniture
3. Electrical Equipment
4. Fruit & Veg
5. Paper & Fibre Boards

Containers

6. Cereal Grains
7. Machinery
8. Metal Manufactures
9. Stockfeed
10. Plastics, Raw

Break bulk

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

Liquid bulk

1. Petroleum Products
2. Vegetable oils
3. Tallow
4. Chemicals
5. Molasses

Dry bulk

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

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.